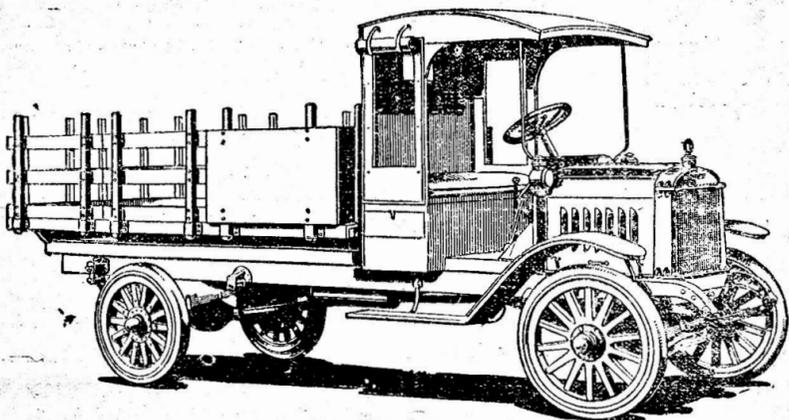


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### Old Clockmakers' Guilds.

Clockmakers' guilds seem to have arisen in the United Kingdom at periods varying from the first half of the seventeenth century until so late as the year 1800. London led the way in 1046 and Edinburgh and Glasgow followed suit, in 1046 and 1040 respectively; but it was not until 1753 that the Haddington clockmakers organized themselves, while Aberdeen waited until the opening year of the next century. "Knock" seems to have been the Scottish term for clock at this period, and a certain Humphrey Mills of Edinburgh figures prominently among Scottish seventeenth century clockmakers.

### Mexican Music.

Mexican music is unlike Spanish music. As in the case of Cuban music, which also excels, it has taken on its own national color, which is most notable in the folk songs. Most of these run to the melancholy, but some are dance strains not unlike American ragtime or even jazz. Like the negro melodies of the south, they are based on epic themes, telling some story which has become historic among the lower classes. "La Cucaracha" is perhaps the most popular with American residents in Mexico because it is almost ragtime. Others correspond to the "blues" of the South.

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### MUCH LIKE WESTERN CITY

Tiflis, Capital of New Georgian Republic, by No Means Typical of the East.

Mr. Melville Chater, recording impressions in the National Geographic Magazine, admits that he was surprised when he arrived in Tiflis, capital of the new Georgian republic. He had expected a city more suggestive of the East, as the Western mind pictures it; but the Golovinsky prospect, the main thoroughfare through the heart of the city, stretched before him, "as handsome a bit of modern metropolitanism as can be found anywhere," and its restaurants, shops, opera, and what used to be the viceregal palace but which now flies the standard of the new nation, suggested at once the French adjective "chic." More than that, this new capital was brilliant with uniforms, Russian, Georgian, Armenian, British, and most picturesque of all, the Caucasian costume, with its broad-shouldered, wash-waisted coat, high, heeled boots, and astrakhan cap. One marveled at the load of weapons that completed it; a sword rattling and clanking with the wearer's martial stride, a brace of pistols, a pair of daggers, and a collection of what looked like enormous fountain pens hung across the Caucasian bosom, but which turned out to be hollow tubes intended to be loaded with powder and shot. One must add stiff mustaches and a close-shaven skull to picture this Georgian in all his glory on the Golovinsky prospect of his national capital. Clothing for civilians is scarce and expensive in Tiflis, but the cast-off uniforms of military officers are for sale, and many a citizen in need of a new suit had bought himself an old uniform.

First American Wood Engraver. The first engraver of wood in America, Alexander Anderson, was born in New York 144 years ago. His father was a Scotsman, the publisher of a newspaper. Anderson first became a physician, but in 1789, after having performed many deeds of heroism fighting the yellow fever epidemic of that year, he abandoned medicine and made engraving his life profession. He died in Jersey City at the age of ninety-four, and a vast number of books illustrated by Anderson vouch for the ability and industry of the pioneer in the art of wood engraving in the new world.

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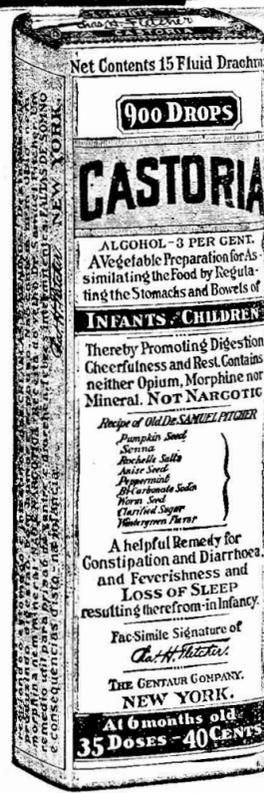
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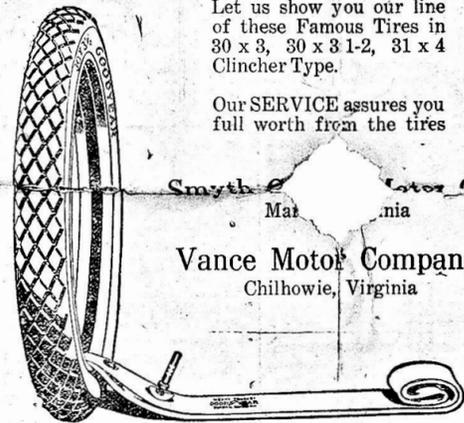
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Vigorous, red-blooded people don't often get sick. If you're not feeling your best, get Pepto-Mangan of your druggist and take it to build up your blood. This effective and agreeable tonic has been tested for over thirty years, and physicians, everywhere, recommend it for run-down, pale, and anemic people.

The whole family should take Pepto-Mangan—it is good health insurance. Besides, what a joy it is to feel fit and fine—ready for anything! To have an abundance of energy and enthusiasm!

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**STONEWELL BATTERY ITEMS**

Miss Clatie Hubble left Tuesday for Detroit, Michigan, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. F. M. Barton.

Mr. T. K. Freeman made a business trip to Wytheville Thursday. He was accompanied from Marion by Mr. E. P. Ellis where they were looking over some roads.

Miss Mae Hash was visiting Miss Thelma Hubble Monday.

Miss Annie Freeman was the guest of her cousin, Miss Ollie Freeman, Saturday night.

We are glad to see Mr. T. P. Curran out after a long illness.

Miss Thelma Hubble was the all day guest of Miss Mae Hash Monday.

Miss Ollie Freeman was calling on Mrs. T. B. Freeman, of Thomas Bridge Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. McMillian is slowly improving. She was seriously hurt some weeks ago.

Miss Maggie Fisher, of Bluefield, W. Va., has been visiting her parents in Mitchell Valley for the past week.

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Rub away all pain, stiffness, soreness backache with MINTOL. Relieves like magic all aches and pains. Don't suffer, buy a small Jar of Mintol from your druggist at once. For sale by D. M. Smith Drug Co.

**FRYES ALLEY**

Mr. N. F. Frye moved his daughter Mrs. J. W. Walker up in Fries Alley last week.

Mrs. J. E. Houshour, left for Pageton, Va., Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Holdaway.

Mr. Homer Cullop was calling at Mr. Hushour's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Fry was visiting Mrs. Mallard Bowers Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Burse was visiting Mrs. Burse's parents Sunday.

Miss Annie Houshour who has been in Bristol for some time is now at home.

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**"BILL" EADS, EDITOR AND WRITER, DEAD AT MARION.**

Pioneer Newspaper Man of Southwest Virginia, Fearless in Politics, Succumbs in Hospital.

"Bill" Eads, pioneer newspaper man of Southwest Virginia, is dead at Marion, according to news received here. "Bill" was widely known as a humorist and writer of tense political editorials, in which the faults and foibles of politicians of whom Editor Eads disapproved were sunned and aired in a fashion that never failed to raise a laugh over the whole State. For many years he published the Jonesville Star at the county seat of Lee County, and afterward he took the Wise News, and later the Wise County News, which he published at Norton.

Bill's newspaper shop was a unique institution typical of the erratic genius of the place. Visitors to the office always found Bill perched on a high stool bending over the type cases setting up his own stuff. No "copy" was in sight. The story would show up later in a galley proof, if he had time and inclination to prove it up, but the "copy" was entirely within "Bill's" fertile brain.

He always had a cot somewhere in the back of the shop on which he slept at night. He was more or less of a hermit, fearless of speech, with a gift of sarcastic utterance which cut like a whip lash.

The stories related of him and his eccentricities in the Southwest are legion. Tall and spare, with a bad limp, always chewing tobacco, he was the joy of gathering of men when ever he appeared in their midst.

—Roanoke Times.

**SEVEN MILE FORD ITEMS**

The farmers in this community are very busy getting ready to farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker were al-day guests, of Mrs. Mart Lewis, Sunday.

We are glad to say Mrs. R. M. Gollohon is getting along nicely with her work.

Mrs. N. H. Groseclose and sister, Mrs. R. L. Dungan, were shopping in Marion Saturday.

We are glad to know Mrs. Maggie Rice who has been ill is able to be out again.

Miss Aggie B. H. Harris, of near this place was shopping in Chilhowie, Saturday.

Mr. D. D. Rice who has been ill is able to carry the mail this week.

Miss Alice Bridgman and sister, Florida have been ill with the flu and pneumonia. We are glad to say they are improving. They have been nursed by Mr. F. A. Hale, of Chilhowie.

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Peculiarly transformed scales on the wings, or tufts of hairs on other parts of the butterfly exude an aromatic secretion, the secondary significance of which is that it appeals to the female insects. Some of the scents produced by the male Lepidoptera are pleasant to the human olfactory sense, resembling musk, mint, vanilla, honey, and the like; others are suggestive of mice and bats. It is interesting to notice that in some cases, though glandular scales are abundantly present, we cannot smell anything, which probably means that the aromatic substances lie outside our range of olfactory stimulation, just as many rays of light lie beyond our range of vision.

It may be that the volatile-poison of toads, known as phrynia, inflames the olfactory membrane if we sniff it, yet there is no smell.

Emily Dickenson.

She was never known to have a lover. She seldom left her father's house in Amherst, Mass., and when she crossed its threshold it was to wander alone in the quaint garden. And she has written some of the most impassioned verse in modern literature. Her solitary life set into the frame of her glowing verse is the answer to the question, "Do writers have to go through the varied phases of life to know 'love'?" Emily Dickenson was born in Amherst in 1800. She died there in 1886. Of her extraordinary verses that were witchery of new forms of expression, regardless of poetic rules, a prominent clergyman and distinguished author of New England, Thomas Wentworth Higginson, said, "When a thought takes your breath away, a lesson on grammar seems impertinence."—Chicago Journal.

Too Much to Bear.

"Amelia," said old Mr. Binderton as he finished his dinner. "I'm going to ask you to do me a favor. I want you to give your young man, Mr.—I forgot his name—a message from me." Amelia blushed and looked down at her plate. "Tell him," her bluff old parent went on, "that I don't object to his staying here and running up my gas bill, but that I do object to his carrying the morning paper away with him when he leaves!"

Scotland Yard.

Scotland Yard, so often mentioned in connection with London police items, was a building at the southeastern corner of Charing Cross, long famous as the headquarters of the metropolitan police force. It was so called because it was once a palace set apart from the time of Henry II (1154) as the residence of Scottish kings on visits. New Scotland Yard is on the Thames embankment.

Youthful Beautiful Love.

The love of youth is always full of hope. It is quite free from doubts and fears. The young man and girl have unbounded faith in love because they have had no experience of the heart's instability. Neither woman nor man can love quite so wholeheartedly and truly as their faith has been shaken. For this reason the palm of true loving goes to youth, writes a correspondent in the New Orleans Plaindealer. Older folks sometimes love with more passion, but they are also more subtle. They are much richer in exquisite expression of their affection, but this ability to "talk love" only comes from practice, and is no proof of sincerity.

West Virginia.

The present state of West Virginia was formerly, and for a long time, a part of the state of Virginia. The presidential election of 1860 showed that a majority of the people of Virginia were opposed to seceding from the Union, but when President Lincoln issued a call for troops a state convention passed an ordinance of secession without waiting for the popular vote. Later it was ratified by the people of the eastern part of Virginia and repudiated by the people of the western part. Thus the secession, or attempted secession, of Virginia from the Union led to the separation of West Virginia and the formation of the new state.

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Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. — had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me. For my nerves and health were about gone."

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Few Left of the Pronghorn Antelope, That Once Roamed the Plains in Vast Numbers.

Next to the buffalo, the most numerous animal in the United States not more than 50 years ago was the pronghorn antelope. About half the size of a deer, but a bit more compactly built, it ranged the plains from the Missouri river westward to the Pacific in places.

Antelopes were dry-country animals, and were always found wherever sagebrush, bunch grass and the short, curly buffalo grass existed. Their favorite range was the plains country just east of the Rocky mountains, where they migrated with the seasons from Alberta to Mexico, and between the Rocky and the west coast ranges from the Big Bend of the Columbia in Washington, southward to the Gulf of California and the Mexican west coast. It was the best runner of all the plains animals, and had endurance for long-distance running, being well able to take care of itself when in danger. Its meat is not very attractive to the white man's palate, being stringy, tough and dry, and having somewhat the taste of goat meat. Some are still found, but only in widely scattered areas.

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8:30 Lv.	Marion	Ar.	4:30		
10:15 Ar.	Sugar Grove	Lv.	3:00		
10:30 Lv.	Sugar Grove	Ar.	2:40		
11:30 Ar.	Troutdale	Lv.	1:00		

Daily Except Sunday Subject to change without notice. B. S. CHARLTON, Auditor.

**N. & W. Norfolk and Western**

Schedule in Effect Schedule in effect May 25, 1919.

LEAVE MARION DAILY 802 A. M. Lynchburg, Richmond, Norfolk Parlor car Bristol to Hagers-town. Connects at Roanoke for Richmond and Norfolk.

1:26 P. M., for Lynchburg, and local stations, connects at Walton for Columbus, Cincinnati. Sleepers East Radford to Philadelphia via Shenandoah Valley Dining car.

6:50 P. M., for Norfolk. Sleeper to Norfolk, Roanoke and Richmond.

8:02 A. M., 1:52 p. m., 9:10 p. m., for Bristol.

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**BEFORE DAY OF GUNPOWDER**

Soldiers Were Capable of Doing Considerable Execution With the Bow and Arrow.

The first "gun" used in warfare was undoubtedly the crossbow—archaic—of the type having a reflex composite bow made of wood, sinew, horn or whalebone, and wound up with a ratchet or "crannequin," which slipped over the stock and was held in place by a loop controlled by a transverse peg in the stock just behind the lock.

This weapon reached its highest development in Germany under Maximilian, when it had a steel bow of immense power. There is one in the Boston museum with a bow of over two and one-half inches wide and nearly three-fourths of an inch thick. In central Europe, France and Spain the bow was not used much save by the people who came under Mohammedan influence. The cross-bow being a much easier weapon to use, it was forbidden in England to anyone not having a certain income, in order that the yeomen and common people should be forced to use the long bow, which in military purposes was vastly superior on account of the rapidity of its fire, although outranged by the crossbow. It had one great advantage of lightness. A military crossbow with windlass weighs about 20 pounds.

Fishes Figure in Miracles.

There are many legends paralleling the Gospel story of Peter's finding the piece of money in the fish's mouth. St. Benno, bishop of Meissen, in Saxony, on June 16, 1106, left his see and went to Rome to avoid the persecution of Emperor Henry IV and ordered that the keys of his cathedral should be thrown into the sea when Henry was excommunicated. When he returned he found the keys in a fish.

St. Erwin, bishop of Worcester, on January 11, 720, wanted to punish himself for his worldly life when a youth and put fetters on his feet, throwing the key into the sea. On his way back from Rome the seaman caught a huge fish, in whose inner parts was the key, which the saint considered a sign that his penance was abridged and therefore he released himself.

Soap Bubbles Puzzle Dog.

A humorous happening is to get a dog to chase soap bubbles. He will be highly interested if one is placed on the floor, and if the breeze forces it to move he will follow it, keeping a respectful distance, however, at first. After several bubbles are blown he will gradually draw closer and very soon will touch his nose to one of them. Then is when a genuine look of astonishment comes over his face as the bubble vanishes and perhaps he gets a tiny bit of soap in his eye. The dog gives ample evidence of his perplexity whenever he sees anything that excites his curiosity, for who of us has not seen them pucker up their foreheads and stare in a peculiar manner at something they have never seen before?

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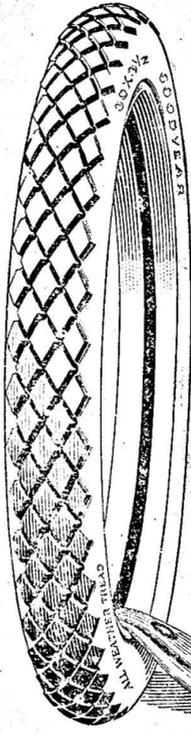
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3.— House and five acres of land, outbuildings, running water, at the price of \$2890.00.

No. 4.— A small house and 58 acres of land, north of Groseclose, about 2 1/2 miles. \$2625.00.

No. 12.— A 10 room house, with fine basement, practically new, with all modern conveniences. Fine lot, located on Depot Street. Price \$5,000.00. This is a most desirable property.

No. 35—46 acres of good land, one half cleared. 8 acres of fine young orchard ready to bear. 400 apple and 100 peach trees. Good eight room house with outbuildings, all practically new. 2 springs and well. Located about 2 miles south of Groseclose. Price \$6000.

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No 100—75 acres of good smooth land, 55 acres cleared and in a high state of cultivation. Good spring, well and running water. Six room residence, large new barn and good outbuildings. A fine 6 acre orchard. This most desirable farm is located 1 1/2 miles south of Groseclose in the cabbage belt. Price and terms reasonable.

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**COMMISSIONER'S SALE**

Pursuant to the terms of that certain decree entered on February 23 1920, by the Circuit Court of Smyth County in that certain suit in chancery there in pending, wherein Carl F. Prater et als are complainants and Edith Prater et als are defendants, I will, March 27, 1920, at 12 o'clock Noon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House of Smyth County, Marion Virginia, all of that certain real estate fully described in the bill and exhibits of the said cause.

This property consists of about 100 acres of land, with dwelling and other improvements; it lies just south of Attoyaw on the Marion and Rye Valley Railroad; the land is rich and fertile, covered with a natural blue grass sod: A splendid opportunity to buy a blue grass farm at public auction.

Terms of sale: one-third cash in hand on day of sale, and the balance upon a credit of one and two years with approved personal security.

GEO. F. COOK,  
Special Commissioner.

I certify that the above named Special Commissioner has given bond as required by the decree under which he sells.

This March 2, 1920.  
H. L. KENT, Clerk

**A Friendly Errand.**

A small Scottish boy entered a tobacconist's, and with the air of an autocrat placed a penny on the counter and requested a packet of cigarettes. The tobacconist, after viewing the customer, pushed his money back to the youth and said: "Awa' and buy a scone!" Picking up the coin, the "smoker" took his departure, and in about five minutes returned with a paper bag, which he held up to the shopman, saying: "Here, mister, here's yer scone, and gie's ma cigarettes!"

**Trick Hair.**

My little brother, Bobby, always liked to have Mr. L. call, because he could perform an act which awed as well as amused him greatly—wriggle his hair. One evening, during such a performance, Bobby said wistfully, "You can wriggle yours, sister can take hers clear off and lay it on the bureau, and I can't do a thing with mine."—Chicago Tribune.

**Saw it on the Way.**

Billie was soon to have his third birthday and could hardly wait for the party his mother promised him. Every day he inquired about it. His mother told him his little birthday hadn't come yet and that he must wait until it came. He ran to the window and said: "Oh, mamma, I see it now coming up the road."

**Beech Valuable in Medicine.**

The beech, which is found in the temperate zone in Europe, America and Asia, is valuable in medicine for the creosote distilled from its tar. Creosote, creosote carbon and guaiacol are medicines used to supplement the hygienic measures which have done so much to reduce the death rate in sufferers from pulmonary tuberculosis.

**Freaks Caused by Erosion.**

One of the minor "sights" at Shang hai is a huge rock in the shape of a dog sitting up. It is a natural formation. The surface of the earth owes its peculiarities of contour largely to "erosion"—in other words to stream-flow and "weathering." Thus the great Colorado canyon was cut by a river. The so-called Bad Lands of the West, which present to the eye an aspect so weirdly spectacular, are a product of erosion on a vast scale. That region is a favorite hunting ground for the bones of gigantic extinct reptiles, often revealed to view by the feathering of rock that once were mud in which they died.—Popular Science Monthly.

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**WHICH IS CRUSOE'S ISLAND?**

Opinion Seems to Favor Tobago Above the Claims Made by Adherents of Juan Fernandez.

For many years Juan Fernandez, a Chilean island off the eastern coast of South America, was known as Crusoe's Island, because another adventurer had spent five years there in solitude, and it was thought for some time that Defoe had recorded this hermit's experience. But following Crusoe's directions that he landed on an island in a latitude of 11 degrees nearer the mouth of the Orinoco river, and in sight of the Island of Trinidad, one comes upon the Island of Tobago, the only one answering the description.

An interesting discovery which gave prominence to Tobago as the real Crusoe's island occurred some years ago, when the skeleton of a goat was unearthed in a cave on the island. This coincided remarkably with Crusoe's statement that he found a dying goat in a hillside cave and later buried it there. "Crusoe's goat" became for a time an object of great popular interest and figured as a prominent exhibit at the Chicago World's fair.

Tobago's failure to obtain greater recognition of its importance as the "only authentic Robinson Crusoe Island" is doubtless due to the fact that it is a retiring little island, concerned chiefly with its plantations and trade. Leaving Crusoe out altogether, Tobago has had an eventful history, from the time it was discovered by Columbus, on his third voyage, until England took it from France in 1803, and started to turn it into a profitable colony.

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