

Fort Smith Bank Faked Deposits in Federal Reports

FT. SMITH, Ark., Sept. 27.—Four former bookkeepers of the defunct American National bank of Fort Smith today testified at the trial of T. W. M. Boone, president of the bank, charged with falsifying reports to the government...

KANSAS IS GATHERING HOG AND GRAIN FACTS

Jay Baker of the Wichita stockyards is in Oklahoma City attending the State Fair and gathering statistics on hogs and grain in Oklahoma. He desires this information for the benefit of the organization he represents and is being aided in securing it by the state board of agriculture.

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The A B C Dots in Mexico



By CLIFFORD LEON SHERMAN. (Copyright, 1914, by John N. Wheeler, Inc.)

"Say, daddy," said Tommy one evening, "were not some of the soldiers lost in the great sand deserts at the border?" "There certainly were and a lot of them gave us bad scares."

Jacob Hoelback, of Roxborough, Pa., is claimed to be the oldest farm hand in the United States. He is now 105 years of age and has held his job for 82 years.

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

By Adele Garrison

WHAT was the reason for my mother-in-law's sudden defense of me? It was the question which demanded an answer of me every minute of the journey to the Lotus Study Club...

"Richard, I am ashamed of you, Margaret is perfectly justified in doing this work. You ought to be proud she is able to do it instead of ridiculing her."

"Why had she said it? Why? Why? Why? Was she really sincere in her words, or was there some other purpose behind her approval—some plan of her own, the carrying out of which my doing this work would further?"

"I heard again Dicky's cutting remark about 'laundering the brains of club women' and his mother's unexpected reply."

"Through the basement windows I caught glimpses of a cheerful and neatly appointed restaurant. The legend 'Club-Grill' decorated a modest card in one of the windows. All the upper story windows were screened with spotless white curtains."

"You are early," she said, with the careful enunciation of the colored girl who has had the advantage of schooling. "You are the very first."

"Then you will have to tell me where I am to go," I returned. "For I am not a member of your club. I was to meet Mrs. Helen Brainerd Smith here at half after one."

"You might as well go right upstairs to the dressing rooms then, for Mrs. Smith is often delayed."

"Never on time," I commented mentally for I knew that was what the girl meant. She walked with me to the foot of the stairs and indicated a door at the head of the staircase.

"You will find my sister there," she said. "She will take care of you. If Mrs. Smith comes before you come down, what name shall I give her, please?"

"Mrs. Richard Graham, if you please."

"Thank you, I will remember."

I walked up the stairs and into the dressing room, where another neat maid took off my coat and stood by attentively while I made sure before the mirror that my gown and hat were irrefragable and my hair in order.

I had chosen my dress with a view to its fitness for the occasion. I did not wish to appear overdressed, neither did I wish the women before me to consider me a "dowdy."

"So I had put on a green cloth gown trimmed with fur, which matched my fur hat, stole and muff. Because it was cold, I wore over the gown my semi-dress black velvet coat. This, with the muff, I had left in charge of the maid, but after taking the stole off I looked into the mirror and promptly put it back again, arranging it loosely around my shoulders. The cloth gown was cut with a slight V-shaped opening at the throat, while a high, wired, cream lace collar rose above the fur at the back."

"Mrs. Smith, the Dictator. I felt quite satisfied with the result of my self-inspection. I knew there would be many more costly gowns, but I felt sure that mine was appropriate for the occasion, and that was all that I wanted."

No other woman had yet come into the dressing rooms. I resolved to gratify a little natural curiosity concerning the clubrooms.

"Do all the rooms in the building belong to the club?" I asked. "Oh, yes, madam," the maid replied. "In the basement there is a grill and rest-room, which serves everybody, but is managed indirectly by the club. Then the first floor is given over to the assembly rooms. They were the drawing rooms and parlors of the house years ago when it was a private residence, and there are a couple of small rooms which are used as committee rooms."

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MARRIED WOMAN KILLS MAN TO AVENGE HONOR

NASHVILLE, Ark., Sept. 27.—C. S. Ledford, 33 years old, is dead, and Mrs. Annie Smith, 26 years old, is in jail charged with his murder. The woman's husband, John Smith, a farmer, also is under arrest, charged as an accessory. Witnesses said that Mrs. Smith entered the barber shop where Ledford was employed this morning and, after a brief conversation, shot him. They said that as he fell, Smith came running in and urged his wife to shoot again. It is said she fired two more bullets into Ledford's prostrate form, killing him. In jail tonight Smith made the statement that Ledford had written improper letters to Mrs. Smith and that she was compelled to kill him to vindicate her honor.

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HINTS FOR YOUR HOME

Paper Saves Labor in the Home.

PAPER is one of the most useful helps we have in doing kitchen work, as well as other work in the course of a day's duties. When peeling potatoes, apples, peaches, etc., spread a paper on the table and drop the peelings on it, and when through gather paper containing the refuse and consign to the flames or garbage can.

When scaling and cleaning fish, place it on heavy brown paper. This holds all refuse. Chickens can be cleaned in like manner. Select a clean piece of white wrapping paper when flouring chickens, meat or fish for frying.

When making pies, cookies and biscuits, use smooth white paper to roll the dough out on, instead of a kneading board. This is more satisfactory and you will have to sticky mess to clean, which saves time and labor.

Line the cake pans with white paper, well greased. This prevents the cake from burning or getting too brown, and also from sticking to the pan.

On sweeping days, newspapers moistened and torn into small bits and scattered over the carpet or rug will prevent dust from blowing about.

Place the baby's high chair on a newspaper at meal time, to catch the crumbs and food baby drops, and the rug will not be soiled and the paper and waste can be rolled up together in a moment.

If the pantry shelves are covered with newspapers, this tends to drive away roaches, ants and other creeping pests, as the printers' ink is distasteful to them.

The Table. Escaloped Oysters—One quart oysters, one cup melted butter, one quart oyster crackers, rolled fine, one-half pint milk, salt and pepper. Put oysters, crackers and seasoning in layers. Pour over milk. Sprinkle cracker crumbs and butter on top. Bake three-fourths hour.

Creamed Tartlets—Line patty pans with pastry. Put into each a layer of apricot jam; on this pour a little thick boiled custard. Beat up the white of an egg, mix with it a tablespoon of powdered sugar. Put egg mixture lightly on top of custard. Bake in gentle oven twenty to thirty minutes.

David Lewis, who was chosen at the state primaries in Maryland to succeed Blair Lee as United States senator, worked in the coal mines until he was 22 years of age. He never attended school, but learned to read in Sunday school, and while mining studied law.

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