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soil water by plowing before the rains come, it might be well to state that as the result of one determination it was found that there were one hundred and forty tons more water in an acre of land that had been so treated than in a similar acre not plowed. In another instance, out of fourteen determinations fall-plowing showed a larger water content in every instance, ranging from seventy-two to two hundred and sixty-four tons per acre more water than was to be found in a similar acre plowed after the rains were over.

"Another potent factor in enabling our soils to drink up and store an abundance of the winter's rains is the presence of decaying vegetable matter in the soil. This decaying matter acts as a sponge, filling the spaces between the soil drains and absorbing and holding large quantities of the rains that come. To show the effect of organic matter in increasing the water-holding power of soils it was found that in one hundred pounds of ordinary sandy soil there were nineteen pounds of water. On the other hand the same amount of garden soil well filled with vegetable matter, contained fifty-three pounds of water, or nearly three times as much as the sand. If in addition to plowing our lands good and deep this fall then we will put into them all the waste vegetable matter that is upon them in the form of cotton stalks, corn stalks, grass and weeds, we will insure their holding much more of the winter's rains than would otherwise be the case. The earlier this is done the better, as we thereby not only assure the catching of the largest amount of moisture by stirring our lands early, but give plenty of time for this vegetable matter to rot and so render its plant food available.

"By deep plowing before the rains, followed by good cultivation to save the stored water, the amount of water available for our plants can be increased nearly fifty per cent. With such an increase there should never, even in our driest sections, be such a scarcity of water as to cause a loss of the crop. The best insurance against a drouth next summer is deep plowing

fall plowing saves moisture. This rainfall, but by proper handling of the soil much larger quantities of this moisture, than is usually done, can be saved.

"The chief sources of loss of rain water are the running off from the surface and evaporation from the soil during dry weather. As a matter of fact even in sections where the rainfall is frequent and gentle, not over fifty per cent of the water that comes in this form is absorbed by the soil. The rate with which soils absorb rainfall, varies both with the kind of soil and the rapidity of the precipitation. Coarse grained soils and soils, the surface of which are loose and open, will absorb and store much more of the rain water than will soils that are fine textured and more compact. Again, if the surface of the soil is level, it will be able to absorb a greater portion of the rainwater than if it has an incline, and at the same time the same soil will absorb more of the water if its surface is rough and uneven than were it perfectly smooth.

"Since the greater portion of Texas and our western country consists of fine clays containing very small spaces between the particles of soil for the absorption of water, and further, since the majority of our rainfall comes in heavy downpours and at a time when our crops are not growing upon the land, this problem of saving the moisture within the soil until it will be needed by the plants, is of paramount importance and yet after all a comparatively simple one of solution.

First we must take steps to so prepare the soil that it will store as much of the moisture that comes to it as possible. The way to do this is to plow that soil as deeply as possible before the usual winter or early spring rains. The deeper this is done, the greater will be the absorptive area, and the more moisture will be stored within the soil for the use of our plants next summer. It is of especial importance that this fall and winter breaking shall be deeply done, as we must store the moisture deep down in the soil so as to prevent it being lost by evaporation. In breaking the land for the saving of moisture it will be well to break it in rows or leave it rough while the rains are coming. If the land has a fall in one direction, then run the rows nearly level so that they will catch and hold as much water as possible.

"To show the immense gain in

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this winter and early spring. Turn the land if possible to a depth of at least eight inches and then follow this plowing with some implement in each furrow that will stir the soil at least another four or six inches. With such preparation before the rains come, such soil should and will absorb enough water to insure a crop next summer, whether the rains are scarce or not.

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Married

At the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Word, last Friday evening, Mr. Arthur Howard and Miss Lula Gray were united in marriage, Rev. Word officiating.

Mr. Howard has been the chief clerk in the Howard Hotel ever since it has been under the management of Mr. Howard, and has made many friends, Miss Gray is one of Lubbock's splendid young ladies and the friends of the couple are extending to them hearty congratulations.

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Death of Mrs. Denton

Mrs. J. L. Denton died at her home 15 miles northwest of Seminole Wednesday morning at 1 o'clock, after an illness of over two weeks. For several days her condition was such that little hope was entertained for her recovery, and while the sad news of her death was expected, the loss to the family and the community of this good woman is felt none the less keenly.

The funeral services were conducted at the family residence this morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. C. H. Ledger, and the remains were laid to rest in the Seminole Cemetery this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. W. R. Slaton and daughter, Elizabeth, returned Tuesday from Plainview where they have been for the past several weeks. We are glad to learn that Mrs. Slaton reports Mrs. Stone, who underwent a serious operation a few weeks ago, very much improved and able to be up.

St. Peter at The Gate

(Reprinted by request)

St. Peter stood guard at the golden gate. With a solemn mien and an air of state. When up to the top of the golden stair. A man and a woman ascended there.

Applied for admission. They came and stood before St. Peter, so great and good. It opened the City of Peace to wit— And asked St. Peter to let them in.

The woman was tall, and lank, and thin. With a sassy bonnet upon her chin. The man was short, and thick, and stout. His stomach was built as it counted out.

He wore a kindly and genial smile. The chorus in the distance the echoes woke. And the man kept still while the woman spoke.

"Oh, then who guarded the gate," said she. "We two come hither beseeching thee To let us enter the heavenly land. And play our harp with the angel band."

Of one St. Peter, there is no doubt. There is nothing from heaven to bar me out. I have been to meetings three times a week. And almost always I'd rise and speak.

I've told the sinners about the day. When they'd repent their evil way. I have told my neighbors, I have told them all. 'Twas Adam and Eve, and the primal fall. I've shown them what they'd have to do if they'd pass in with the chosen few.

I've marked their path of duty clear. Last out the plan for their whole career. I've talked and talked to 'em loud and long. For my lungs are good and my voice is strong. So, good St. Peter, you'll clearly see. The gate to heaven is open to me.

But my old man, I regret to say. Hasn't walked exactly the narrow way. He smokes and he swears, and grave faults he's got. And I don't know whether he will pass or not.

He would never pray with an honest vim. Or go to revival, or join in the hymn. So I had to leave him in sorrow there. While I, the chosen, united in prayer. He ate what the pantry changed to afford. While I, in my purity, sang to the Lord. And if cucumbers were all he got, It's a chance if he married them or not.

But, oh St. Peter, I love him so! To the pleasures of heaven, please let him go! I've done enough—a saint I've been— Won't that amount? Can't you let him in? By my grim gospel, I know 'tis so. That the unrepentant must fry below. But isn't there some way that you can see, That he may enter, who's dear to me?

Wright's Stove Auction Sale

As had been advertised in the Avalanche several weeks prior to the sale, last Saturday L. B. Wright opened the bids in the auction sale of Cole's Hot Blast stoves, in which he was offering a \$19.95 heater to the highest bidder, M. E. Merrill was the highest bidder, his bid being \$16.75. Mr. Wright is highly pleased with the interest manifested in this proposition.

G. W. Guver, of Bangs, was here Monday, and authorized us to send him the Avalanche for a year, also to J. W. Harbert, at Sheldon, Mo. He was much pleased with the exhibits at the fair, especially the showing of agricultural products.

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FALL PLOWING SAVES MOISTURE

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Caron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with wondrous troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good. I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its 'bring me, and am doing my work."

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