

Home Judged by Outside

While it is desirable to keep both the interior and the exterior of your home in good repair, do not expend all your efforts on the inside, as the greater wear and tear results on the part of your home that is exposed to the elements.

In addition to protecting your investment in the home by proper care, your efforts will tend to stimulate interest in the upkeep of their homes by all your neighbors, who will usually not wish to be outdone. This is another way of adding indirectly to the value of your own home, as it is to a certain extent judged by the quality of its neighbors.

And in the event that you are at any time forced to dispose of your home you will find that a well-kept home will sell easier and at a much better price than if allowed to run down to such an extent that it would require costly repairs.

Refreshing

A Chicago man has invented a machine for making ice cream without using ice. Thus the simple operation is rendered complete. Several years ago numerous manufacturers learned that ice cream could be made without using cream, and now with this newest invention all one has to do to get some ice cream is to get it.—Exchange



A Fred E. Clark
Candidate for Republican nomination for U. S. Senator.

Rely Not on Banks

Among the richer people in China, who do not place reliance on native banks, the most convenient manner of keeping their wealth is to invest it in precious stones for the adornment of the ladies of their families.

**WINDSOR CASTLE
ONCE MORE
SIR WILLIAM MAKES A TRIP
TO THE COUNTRY.**

Windsor Castle
March 25, 1925.
Editor Independent:

Our fine weather still hangs on. Did you ever see the like before? I was out south of town with Mr. Peterson last Sunday. We went out to the Lee Beckner ranch and brought in a two year old spotted Arabian horse. Mr. Peterson is one of the best horse breakers in the county. He doesn't spur them in the ear, the old style of breaking young horses. Too bad to spoil a good horseman with a meet market!

There is a small tent town at the top of the lone grade, about two miles from Ione. The rock crusher crew is camped there with huge engines and machinery. The road out as far as we went looked to be ready for the grave and the new road will be a great improvement over the old one.

The surveyors have no respect for any one's ranch. The road runs straight through some fields and catcornered through some. I suppose the surveyors were after the best grade and, I think, found it. The road runs straight through Mr. Beckner's ranch and just east of the house and barn.

Mr. Beckner has a new house, one of the best ranch houses of the country. He is an up to date farmer. He has 600 acres of plow about finished. He had a good crop last year, dry as it was. He farms and no scratching. I think this country needs more farmers and better farming.

Goodbye.

TILICUM

Broken by Vibration

A thin glass vessel can be broken by the vibrations of a musical note when the pitch is exactly right. The instrument used is generally a violin, the higher notes of which pulsate at the rate of 1,000 vibrations a second.

Catarrhal Deafness

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.

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LEXINGTON ECHOES

Mrs. Roy Skeen, of Ione, is substituting at High School for Miss Mabel Phillips, who was called to Seattle by the death of her niece.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gentry, Miss Faye Ceutry and Mrs. Susie Vandyke have returned to Portland after being called here on account of the death of William Wright.

A. M. Gillis of Waitsburg, Wash., who is interested in the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., made the local yard call Wednesday.

**The
BULL'S EYE**

Editor and General Manager
WILL ROGERS



**You
Can't Smoke
History**

A fellow from Carolina wants to know where I get the idea that "Bull" Durham and George Washington come from the same state. He says, "Why don't you write and give the people the real History of 'Bull' Durham in its native State, South Carolina, that people would appreciate that more than these Bull Legends of yours."

Now thanks, Sir, for your good-natured suggestion. If I knew History I wouldn't be able to write "Bull" Durham Ads. I would be a College Professor, get everything right, and get nothing for it. Everything you suggested me telling the public about when and where "Bull" Durham originated, has been told for 66 years by typical Advertising writers. That's the only thing the Company asked of me was "please don't tell again where it came from, or how." You see you didn't read their Ads, but you did read mine and remembered it, because it was wrong.

Writing Ads that will be remembered is a queer game. This is an Ad, not a History. I selected Ads over History on account of the pay. (American Tobacco Company's pay is as good as its tobacco.) Where "Bull" Durham comes from or where it goes to is left for the starving Historian.

Will Rogers

P.S. You notice I named in this article the WRONG Carolina. That's so North Carolina will get sore because I named South Carolina, and South Carolina will get sore because I didn't name North Carolina. A true Southerner never forgets.

P.P.S. There will be another piece in this paper soon. Watch for it.



**"BULL"
DURHAM**
Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED
111 Fifth Avenue, New York City
Slow Work

Such great care is necessary in printing banknotes that 30 days are required to complete the process, whether the bill be \$1 or \$10.

Congregational church members met Christian church members in united worship on Sunday at the the Christian church. A program of sacred music rendered by musicians of the Congregation a church and Miss Freda Mc Millan of the Christian church, added to an impressive sermon delivered by Rev. Wallace Jones before a large congregation.

Marp Slocum, Karl Beach, and Edward Keller formed the Congregational orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephie Eskelson and Miss Gladys Bengtson arrived some days ago from Walla Walla, we understand that they are residing at Heppner and that Miss Bengtson plans to continue her school work at the University of Oregon. Miss Bengtson has been Whitman College student. She was a visitor yesterday at Lexington schools where she was employed last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuns announce the birth of a daughter March 23.

Zeta Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gray, who, with her parents, left overland Feb. 16 for Mariaville, Mo writes enthusiastically to her Lexington school mates of their trip through Cal., Arizona, Texas and Oklahoma. She tells of the searching Mohave desert, the wild winds across the Texas plains, and burning oil wells in Oklahoma.

They reached Missouri March 1st and are now making their home on a ranch.

Spring is here— But three short days ago she made her advent. Old Mother Earth stands proudly

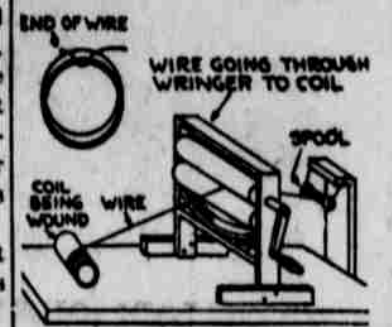
erect. Her great arms are reaching toward the sun.

She says, Behold! I bring you Spring. Be busy. Prepare.

My great out of doors is calling. Broad fields are smiling. Prepare for summer and a glorious harvest.

**Wringer May Be Used
in Winding Tight Coil**

The method shown in the drawing does not need much explanation. In one sketch is shown how to fasten the ends of the coils by putting two small holes in the tubing. Securing the wire this way prevents it from slipping.



How Clothes Wringer is Used to Keep Wire Taut.

The other sketch shows use of a clothes wringer to keep the wire taut. When winding coils by hand, it is usually difficult to keep the wire at just the best tension from the spool.—Radio Digest.

Home-Town Faults

It is a time-honored American tradition that a man must never speak anything but good of his native town. He must blind his eyes to its faults; or, at least, he must never say anything about them. This is the tradition that has given rise to Boosters' clubs, to slogans of "Boost—don't knock" and the like. Not a bad idea, this praising your home town. Civic patriotism is a fine thing. But many times the highest form of civic patriotism lies in criticizing your town for all you are worth. Faults don't drop out of existence if they are ignored. The only way to make a town all it ought to be is by calling attention to its defects until people are ready to abolish them. Boosters are good. But sometimes a good knacker is worth a lot more.—Frankfort Morning Times.

For Hillside Harvests

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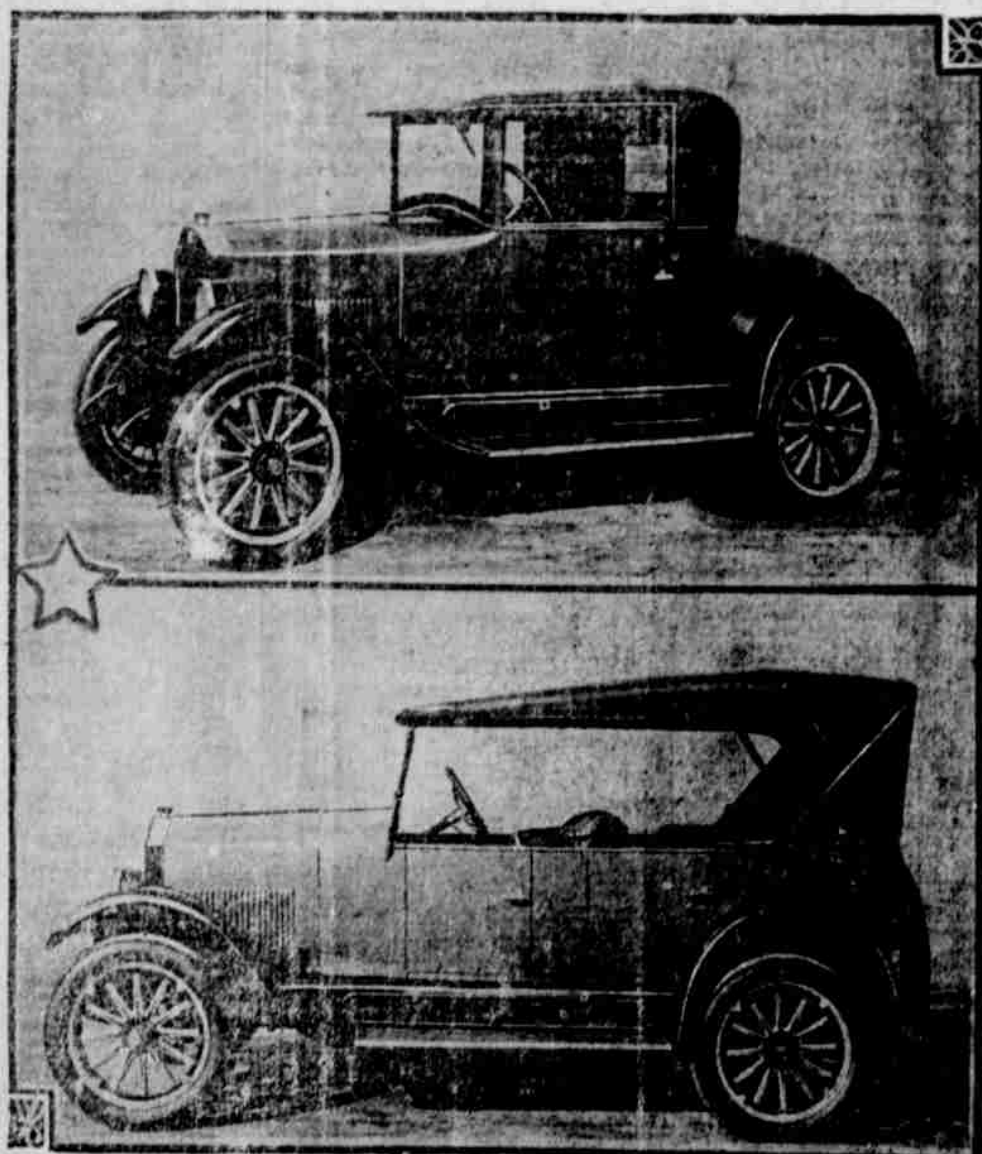
Here are the three big Folding Brownie features. It's compact; never in the way. It's autographic; you can date and title the film margin when you click the shutter. It's dependable; Eastman-made cameras stand up.

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