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THE EAST TEXAN

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VOL. III.

COMMERCE, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JAN. 10, 1918.

No. 8.

Opening of The Winter Term.

On Tuesday morning, January 8th, the winter term of the College year opened with very bright prospects. Quite a number of new students were present to take up the work of the second term of the year, and many others to begin the work in the classes specially provided for doing first term's work. Classes are so arranged that pupils entering now, may complete a full year's work by continuing through the summer. This is a great convenience for those young people who wished to work through the fall, and enter school the first of January. Every new student was able to find exactly the kind of work suited to his or her particular grade of advancement.

The exact number of new students is not known at this time, however, the total enrollment has been much increased, and all the new faces are heartily welcomed among us, and their pleasant and earnest deportment show that they are highly pleased with the advantages offered in the E. The East Texan wishes the greatest amount of happiness and prosperity of the new students and all as well T. S. N. C. To each and every one during this term and throughout the whole year 1918. You are heartily welcomed in the College, and you will always be welcomed in the office of The East Texan. Come to see us and let us get better acquainted.

An Entertainment.

Just before the Christmas holidays Mrs. Lalla Pickett delightfully entertained the Training School faculty at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Knight. Many novel and interesting games were played during the evening in the midst of the merriment the guests were agreeably surprised by the unexpected arrival of Miss Frances Knight, who came home from T. C. U. to spend the holidays.

The charming hostess was assisted by Misses Mary E. Johnson, Leta Knight, Bird Ellard, and Mrs. T. I. Knight. After the games and music, a delicious salad course was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. E. Davis, Misses Mary Gilchrist, Katherine Murrie, Mary Patchel, Louise Lehning, and Inez Wurtsbaugh.

Spirit of an Ideal Pupil.

A great educator has said: "I would have every pupil imbued with the dignity and the necessity of work; I would have him feel the disgrace of accepting something for nothing; I would have his self-respect recoil at the idea of living at the expense of his fellowmen, or on his inherited patrimony, without deserving his good fortune, even if he does not need to earn it; I would have him feel that life is not worth living without some worthy form of service to which he devotes himself with all the ardor, all the intelligence, all the skill, with which he may be endowed by nature or which he can acquire through earnest toiling."

A common saying with Mr. H. R. Bland; I'm telling you right Miss Etzel is a fine girl.

THE MAN WITH GRIT

Did you tackle the trouble that came your way?
With a resolute heart and cheerfulness?
Or hide your face from the light of day?
With a craven soul and fearful?
O, a trouble's a ton, or a trouble's an ounce,
Or a trouble is what you make it,
And it isn't the fact that you're hurt that counts,
But only, how did you take it.

You are beaten to earth. Well, well, what's that?
Come up with a smiling face.
It's nothing against you to fall down flat,
But to lie there, that's disgrace.
The harder you're thrown, why the higher you bounce;
Be proud of your blackened eye!
It isn't the fact that you're licked that counts,
It's how did you fight—and why?

And though you be down to the death, what then?
If you battled the best you could,
If you played your part in the world of men,
Why, the Critic will call it good.
Death comes with a crawl, or comes with a pounce,
And whether he's slow or spry,
It isn't the fact that you're dead that counts,
But only, how did you die?

—EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

Somebody's Taking Your Measure.

This poem was one of Prof. Mayo's favorites, and he very often referred to it in his chapel talks to the young men and women in school:

As you toil from the dawn of morning
Until the set of sun,
Do you see that your work is always
Well and carefully done?
It may seem that no one is watching;
That the details you will may slight,
But somebody is taking your measure.
Are you doing your work just right?

You may toil in a noisy workroom,
In the midst of a busy throng;
And your task seem all but endless,
And the hours weary and long,
But after your day's work is finished,
Can you feel that you've played the man?

Somebody's taking your measure—
Are you doing the best you can?
The're you're thrown with the crowd,
Work above them,
Do more than your share; it will pay,
Someone will see and remember the man
Who does well the task of each day.
There's always a bigger job waiting.
If you work with a willing grace.
If somebody's taking your measure—
Are you fit for a larger place?

On Wednesday, January 8, Professors E. H. Wray and W. F. Lange made a very pleasant visit to the office of The East Texan. Come again, gentlemen, you are always welcome.

Sammies Song is Poem About German Kaiser.

They are the Ragtime army,
They come from U. S. A.; they cannot march, they cannot shoot,
What blinking eye are they?
But when they get to Berlin,
The Kaiser he will say,
"Hooh, Hoch, Mein Gott,
Vot a bloody fine lot.
Are the boys from U. S. A."

T. C. U. Gives Program.

Thursday, Jan. 3, the Glee Club from the Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, rendered an excellent program at the College auditorium. The Club is composed of twenty-one members, each one a capable and enthusiastic worker. A large audience of College students and town people was present to enjoy the various features of the program. The string quartet rendered some excellent numbers. "Drowsy Waters," by the Hawaiian quartet was beautiful. Special numbers consisting of violin, cello and flute solos were highly appreciated, but the most popular numbers were those given by the Iron Clad Four, a characteristic name for the quartet. Every number was repeatedly encored. The T. C. U. is to be commended for its work in this department, it not only furnishes an advertisement for the school, but also fosters school spirit. The entire proceeds excepting their traveling expenses were given to the local Red Cross organization.

Mrs. Edgar Mixon Resigns.

On account of the serious illness of her husband who has been located in the city of Washington for some time, Mrs. Edgar Mixon, Assistant Professor of Biology in the East Texas State Normal College, has tendered her resignation and has gone to join her husband. Mrs. Mixon's work has been very efficient and satisfactory and her leaving is a matter of much regret to all the student body and members of the faculty. The very best wishes of all the teachers

and students are extended to her and it is sincerely hoped that she will find her husband much-improved when she reaches Washington, and that he will soon recover.

Prof. T. H. Brady of Livingston, Texas, has been selected to take Mrs. Mixon's place as teacher of Biology. He is a graduate of the State Normal College and has been a public school man in Texas, and his very efficient preparation for this particular work will guarantee the highest class instruction in this department. Mr. Brady is an M. A. graduate of the University of Texas, and has had several years successful teaching experience in some of the best schools in this State. His family are now citizens of Commerce, and we are all glad to welcome them into our midst.

Cupid Still at Work.

On December 30th, Henry E. Taylor of Prede and Miss Esthool Durham of Commerce were married at Birmingham, Ala.

The bride is well and most favorably known here, having lived and worked here for several years. She graduated with the B. L. class of 1914. Since then she has studied in C. I. A., Denton, and Sharvitt Bible Training School, Kansas City, Mo. At the time of her marriage she was city missionary for Ensley, Ala. Her pleasant and agreeable disposition makes her a host of friends everywhere she goes.

Mr. Taylor is an excellent young man, well known among the E. T. S. N. C. students, having taken his A. B. degree in 1913. Since then he took the M. A. degree from North Carolina University. He is now superintendent of the Stratford public school, East Texas and their many friends extend to them their hearty congratulations.

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Faculty Advisor—Prof. A. H. Cowling, now teaching in E. T. S. N. C.

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WASPS AND COPPER HEADS.

By Dr. Frank Crane.

I would like to serve notice right now upon the various ladies and gentlemen who are burdening my mail with appeals to help them cripple the government, discredit its cabinet and members of its cabinet and arouse sentiment against one or another of our allies in this war that their letters go straight to the amputee's waste-basket.

I am a pacifist. That does not mean I am passive, such as the two words sound alike. It means I am for peace. And the only way to get peace is to put out of business the German military government, which has broken the peace of the world and will menace it as long as it continues its present personnel and policies.

I am for this war. We are in it. We have advertised our ultimatum, and the world must be made safe for democracy, and if we go back on that in any way, if we do not make good, even to our last man and our last dollar, I should be disgusted and ashamed of my country and be tempted to exclaim:

"Then bear me from the harbor's mouth, wild woe:
 "I'll seek another shore."

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favor of standing by them, and I don't want to join any Caxo of Adullam group of uneducateds whose activities are employed in heckling our lawfully elected governors and accusing them of incompetency or treason if they do not listen to every wild advice.

I have no use for slackers and do not want to join any society for defending them.

I have nothing but anger and contempt for the buzzards that are hovering around Washington trying to make fortunes out of the government's necessity. I don't want any of their literature nor to listen to their slanders of government officials.

I don't want to hear diatribes against England. She has had her faults, but she's the bulwark today that has saved the world from overflow by the hideousness of the Hun invasion.

I don't want to hear anything about a peace that does not imply that we first lick Germany and lick her thoroughly.

Uncle Sam has his hands full now. He's got his coat off and is in the fight. His quarrel is just. His heart is sound. He's my Uncle Sam and is fighting for me and my children's children.

And I want no part nor lot with the damned nasty wasps and copperheads that are trying to get profit or notoriety by belittling the old gentleman while he's busy.

THE PRESIDENT'S DEFINITION OF GERMANISM.

Innumerable articles and many books have been written to define "Germanism" and show to the world what it means.

In his message to Congress December 4, President Wilson defines it as follows:

"This intolerable thing of which the masters of Germany have shown us the ugly face, this menace of combined intrigue and force which we now see so clearly as the German power, a thing without conscience or honor or capacity for covenanted peace."

This thing must be crushed, and if not truly brought to an end, at least shut out from the friendly intercourse of the nations, says the President, and it is only when this thing and its power are indeed defeated that the time can come when we can discuss peace with the German people.

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The Devil Resigns.

The devil sat by a lake of fire, on a pile of sulphur grapes, his head was bowed upon his breast, his tail between his legs. A look of shame was on his face, the sparks dripped from his eyes—he'd sent his resignation up to the throne in the sky: "I am down and out," the devil said—he said it with a sob—"there are others that outclass me, and I want to quit my job. Hell isn't in it with the land that lies along the Rhine; I'm a has been, and a piker, and therefore I resign. One ammunition maker, with his bloody shot and shell, knows more about damnation than all theimps of hell. Give my job to Kaiser William, the author of world war—he understands it better, a million times by far. I hate to leave my old home the spot I love so well, but I feel that I'm not up-to-date in the art of running hell. —St. Helena Echo.

Mr. Lawson is still progressing in poetry. The following is some of his latest composition:

THE GALLANT KAISER.

Kaiser Bill went up the hill
 To take a whack at France;
 Kaiser Bill came down the hill
 With bullets in his pants.

An expression heard more often than any of those named in the last week's issue is, "keep off of the grass."

Mr. Young to Mr. Hatcher, "Pass the grapes," Mr. Hatcher, "they're not grapes, they're cranberries." I wonder why the others laughed.

Miss Connelley, "Say, Miss Spear, what makes the leaves red in autumn?"

Miss Spear, "I don't know, what? Miss Connelley: "They're just blushing. Do think how green they've been all summer."

We heard a dejected Latin student, the other day, slowly chanting, "Flunko, flunkero, faruliti, fixum."

Miss Landers: "Which one of your teachers do you think is the hardest, Miss Crane? Mr. Stone."

Mr. Nathan Purrell of Point, Texas was in town last Thursday. Mr. Pucell was a student in the E. T. N. C. last year. We are always glad to see any of the old boys and girls who were once members of our great family.

Mr. Rubarth: Miss Jess Mae Connelley is mine if I never get her.
 Mr. Frazier: Oh, don't tell Margie.

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Some answers of High School pupils to questions on the New York Regent's examination.

"A vacuum is a large empty space where the Pope lives.

Pompeii was destroyed by an eruption of slaves.
 Georgia was founded by some people who had been executed.

A mountain pass is a pass given by railroads to their employees so they can spend their vacation in the mountains.

The stomach forms part of Adam's apple.

Permanent set of teeth consists of eight canines, eight cuspids, two molars and four cuspidors.

The alimentary canal is in the northern part of India.

The most interesting book I ever read was the Bible. It was about the life of our Lord. It was written by Archbishop McCloskey.

Sixty gallons make one hedge hog. If a cow switches his tail, it may hit a bacteria and knock it into the milk pail.

After Miss Crane returned from her Christmas holidays, some one asked her what was wrong with her lips. She replied: "I have been kissed not less than one hundred times since I left home."

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Mr. Russell and Mr. Murphy with Miss Mihills to help decorate. Miss Crane to Miss Gay: Where is Mr. Russell? Miss Gay: He went with Miss Mihills. Miss Crane: I wish I could go with her also.

RED CROSS TRAINING NURSES.

From the Dallas News. A resume of some of the activities of the American Red Cross, prepared by the National Council of Defense, was issued yesterday by the Dallas County Council of Defense. It calls the Red Cross the silver lining of the darkest war cloud that ever overhung the land.

The statement follows: "The Red Cross begins its work for 1918 with a huge roll of new members. Appropriations already made have used up nearly half of the \$100,000,000 war fund subscribed last June. A drive for a second fund will have to be made this spring.

Sixteen thousand graduate nurses are enrolled with the Red Cross. Already 1,671 of these nurses are in France, and 2,178 more are at work in the cantonments and stations over here. Those selected forces, but not yet mobilized, number 2,845. This gives a total of 5,692 Red Cross nurses in active service. It is estimated that 20,000 of the 80,000 trained nurses of the country will be needed by the end of this year.

GRAY-CLAD NURSE BEST SYMBOL

"The gray-clad army nurse is the best symbol of the work of the Red Cross. But the society has shown besides nursing.

"American women are making in Red Cross workrooms and in their homes surgical dressings, knit goods, hospital garments and comfort kits to an estimated value for the year of \$26,400,000.

"The surgical dressings go to every ship in the navy and to 2,000 war hospitals behind the lines in France. The Red Cross has promised to ship to France 3,900,000 dressings a month for the next six months.

"More than \$5,000,000 worth of yarn has been purchased or ordered for the Red Cross to be knitted into sweaters, mufflers, helmets and wristlets.

"This great volume of volunteer production in America supports a huge distributing establishment in France.

"Four hundred men in the transportation department there are handling 350 tons of supplies a day. A warehouse personnel of 125 operates a storage capacity of 100,000 tons. More than 400 motor cars, most of them heavy trucks, are in service. MANY CANTEENS IN FRANCE.

"One hundred Red Cross canteens and rest stations have been established at the front, in Paris and at important railway centers.

"Twenty thousand French children are being cared for by the society. At Evian, near the Swiss border, is a great American hospital for children that are being repatriated from points behind the German lines.

"Five large military hospitals, a great tuberculosis hospital near Paris and twenty civilian dispensaries in the American army zone are being operated.

"Fifty five hospitals have been organized in America by the Red Cross. More than a dozen of them have already been sent to France. Each unit was planned to take care of 500 beds, but several of those in service have been increased to twice or four times the unit size.

"Forty-five ambulance companies, a total of 5,500 men, have been raised

ed by Red Cross chapters and mustered into the army medical service. "The year of 1918 starts off under the darkest war cloud that has ever overhung the land. But never was a war cloud provided with a more resplendent lining of silver than the American Red Cross Society—the entire Nation, mobilized for charity."

PICKED UP ABOUT THE CAMPUS.

Mr. Watts is learning history fast. He has learned that Washington was killed in the battle of Blunker Hill, and has learned three wars, King George, King William, and Anne Hutchinson.

Miss Wattenbarger: Mr. Watts, do you like pickles? Mr. Watts: Yes, I just love 'em. Miss Wattenbarger: I—I wish I was a pickle.

Prof. Lange says that according to his way of thinking, that if each one of Solomon's wives remembered him with a New Year's present, he certainly must have had more neckties than he knew what to do with at one time.

Personal—Will the young lady who opened the umbrella in front of the theater the other night please look on the end of the umbrella and see if you can find a man's eyes.

Mr. Phillips: Say, would you like to have a pet dog to call your own? Miss Mihills: Haven't I told you that I never expected to marry?

Mr. Phillips: Yes, but I would like to make a suggestion right here. (To be continued.)

Proud Father: I am certainly pleased to meet you, Mr. Bledsoe. My son took algebra from you while in school here. Mr. Bledsoe: I beg your pardon, your son was exposed but didn't take.

Boarding house Mistress: What part of the chicken do you like? Miss Clark: Some of the meat, please.

Mr. Sparkman: The Knickerbocker history of New York, please. Miss Malone: Oh, I see, you are interested in those reports of the clothing trade, are you not?

After surveying the class of knock-kneed boys Miss Dilworth declared, boys, your case is hopeless. Look at you now. The top half of your leg is standing in attention and the bottom half is standing at ease.

6:50 p. m., Leslie Clifton at the telephone talking to Miss Malone: Hello. Say, is it too late or too cold to have a date?

IN HISTORY OF ED.

1. Professor, who shall abide in thy class; who shall sit in thy crowded room?
- 2.—He that riseth early and worketh diligently, and readeth the whole library.
3. He that slideth not back to the rear seat, nor worketh skingame tricks, nor taketh up his hat and leaveth before the class is over.
4. In whose eyes a flirt is condemned. But he honoreth them that never cat.
5. He that putteth not out his

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notes to usury, nor rideth another man's notes.

6. He that doth those things may sometimes pass. Solah.

Freshman girl said that she wished that there were as many Mack Pratts in the world as there were stars in the skies.

The second year Math-Science class missed several of their classmates during the past week. Misses Wade and Watley have been sick, and Mr. Morgan has been spending a few days at home with the measles.

Mayo: Apples. Frasier: How many? Mayo: Guess. Frasier: I can't. Mayo: If you will guess I will give you both of them.

Third year girl: My, aren't the stars numerous tonight? Second year girl: No wonder, there are so many of them.

Rodgers: Miss Watkins, just guess what I made on my note book this term.

Miss Watkins: Oh, you made good I'm sure. Rodgers: Yep, I sure did, I made Dandy—I guess that's what it means, she put 'd' on it.

The other day Miss Effie Watkins was walking down the street just as a car drove into the garage. She began jumping up and down in a frenzy of excitement, calling to a passerby: Such reckless driving. Did you see that man run into the house?

What is the reason that the fourth year class are using so many big words? Some one said that somebody had heard some one else say that someone other somebody had told them that it was rumored that they are Seniors, but I am informed that they are Sophomores. Who knows what they are?

Mr. Hood to Mr. Bland: Explain to me the difference in country life and town life.

Mr. Bland: Well, in the country you go to bed feeling all in, and get up feeling fine and in town you go to bed feeling fine and get up feeling all in.

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Lord, please guard me in my slumber,
And keep this hammock on its num-
ber;
May no clew nor lashing break
And let me down before I wake.
Keep me safely in thy sight,
Grant no fire drills at night;
And in the morning let me wake
Breathing scents of sirloin steak.
God, protect me in my dreams,
And make this better than it seems.
Grant the time may swiftly fly,
When myself shall rest on high,
In a snowy feather bed,
Where I long to lay my head,
Far away from all these scenes,
From the smell of half-cooked beans.
Take me back unto the land;
Where they don't scrub down' with
sand,
Where no demon typhon blows;
Where women wash the clothes.
God, thou knowest all my woes,
Feed me in my dying throes;
Take me back, I'll promise them
Never to leave my home sweet home
again.

Twenty-three new students had enrolled for the winter term at the close of registration Tuesday evening. President Binnion stated that the total enrollment for the College would exceed three hundred by the end of this week. Our slogan is: "Three hundred for the winter term, four hundred for the spring term, and one thousand for the summer term. Watch us grow."

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Some Rules of Success.

Many young people fail to do their part in the world because they feel that some men are born "lucky" and others "unlucky." In other words, they feel that because they were born and are shrewd estate owners, poor and are without wealthy or distinguished relatives, that whatever they might do or however hard they might strive to win success, their efforts would be unavailing. The following is an example which explodes the theory of "luck."

Twenty-five years ago Edward Earl was a boy of sixteen, when he read an advertisement in a New York paper, calling for a boy at \$4.00 a week. Young Earl answered the advertisement in the "straight" hand writing of which he was capable. Soon the postman brought his reply, one part of which read as follows:

"I like your handwriting. If I find that you look as good as your handwriting does, be at this office at 8:00 o'clock Monday morning and there will be an opportunity for you."

He was only an errand boy, but even an errand boy is in the land of Opportunity. Some things that happened while he was filling this position caused young Earl to make the following resolutions:

1. Have confidence in yourself, but be sure to give the other fellow plenty of reasons for sharing your confidence. In getting along in life, push is much better than pull.
2. If I ever get a chance to treat a boy with respect, I will do it.
3. Always be ready to do a fellow a favor. Chickens come home to roost.
4. Never get up by pulling another fellow down.
5. There is more profit in a friend than in an enemy.
6. Never shake hands with the man's money. Shake hands with the man.
7. Never let a man go away with a grouch.
8. There is always time for courtesy.
9. It takes just as long to frown as it does to smile; therefore, I shall always try to greet everybody with a pleasant countenance.

These were some of the articles of faith which Edward Earl who became president of the National Nassau Bank, studiously adhered to through life, and it is not unreasonable to conclude that the observation of these simple rules of conduct and life had more to do with his success than a million dollars of money and a thousand influential friends "dig" for him. The boy or girl who is prepared to fill a good position with credit and satisfaction, and is willing and anxious to do the work, will win success in life and will never be disturbed over the delusion of "unlucky" birth or "undistinguished ancestors."

Basket Ball.

Our teams (both girls and boys) are rapidly getting back in shape, after having been somewhat delayed by being out the week of Christmas. All are looking forward to the prospective games that are to be played in the near future with N. T. S. N. College of Denton, Austin College of Sherman and return games with Wesley and Burleson of Greenville. The time and place of playing will appear later, also the names of other Colleges to be played.

Prof. Coxen's father and mother, from Fredonia, Kansas, are visiting Prof. and Mrs. Coxen this week.

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An Unbidden Guest

The Kiser was holding a knife, with feasting and revel on wine, and the roar of his cannon resounded from Kiga across to the Rhine, blaspheming the name of his maker, mounting a braggart boast, He stood with his glass uplifted and called for another toast.

Here's to my gallant allies, and here's to them every one.

Since their God has been good and allowed them to share my place in the sun,

Then, spite of the burst of cheering, and spite of the drunken din,

There came a voice from the doorway, "Pardon, but may I come in?"

"Who is it that seeks to enter?" the wending Kaiser cried, And, only another ally, the same sleek voice replied:

"Only another ally, bringing his homage to you, And rendering every honor where honor is surely due."

Then the Kaiser looked down the table, to the guest who had come to his call,

Turk and arrogant Austrian, bargaining Bulgar and all.

"An ally that I have forgotten: then open my portals wide."

So did they leap to his bidings--and the Devil stepped inside. Then he did stand in the doorway, looking round with a grin.

As he numbered his newly found comrades in their brotherhood of sin, "Sir, I am proud to toast you, for ever since hell had birth

I had hoped to find a colleague who would open a branch on earth."

Then he snapped his wavering wine glass, as he swung on his heels to go.

And the wine ran down o'er the damask cloth like the blood on the Belgian snow.

"Brothers," he cried, "I leave you--but not with a final toast.

Tonight I stand your unbidden guest--tomorrow I'll be your host."

—New York Herald.

Mrs. Edgar Mixson, one of the best beloved and most popular teachers of the College, was obliged to resign her position as associate professor of biology last week. Mrs. Mixson had greatly endeared herself to all her students and to all members of the faculty. It is with great regret that we give her up. She was compelled to resign on account of the serious illness of her husband. We sincerely trust Mrs. Mixson may soon be restored to health and strength and that Mrs. Mixson may return to us in the not far distant future.

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After the Basket Ball game at Greenville, Monday, December 17, some of the Commerce students went in a cafe. Several of the students had ordered their lunch, when the waiter came to Mr. Murphy and Miss Aulbrook. He asked Miss Aulbrook what she would have to drink. She replied: It is immaterial to me. The waiter then asked Mr. Murphy what he would have to drink. He replied: I will take a glass of immaterial, too.

Two negroes were talking the other day, one of them said: "I'm going to join the army and fly in one of them machines."

Oh, go-on, nigger, you don't want to do that—you get way up in the air on your engine stop, then where would you be?"

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