

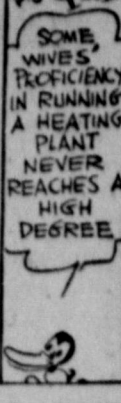
THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne



Cold Reception

By QUAY



SMATTER POP— Oh Well, Maybe It Wasn't an Elephant

By C. M. PAYNE



MESCAL IKE

By S. L. HUNTLEY

At Last Muley Has Credit



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Laughlin

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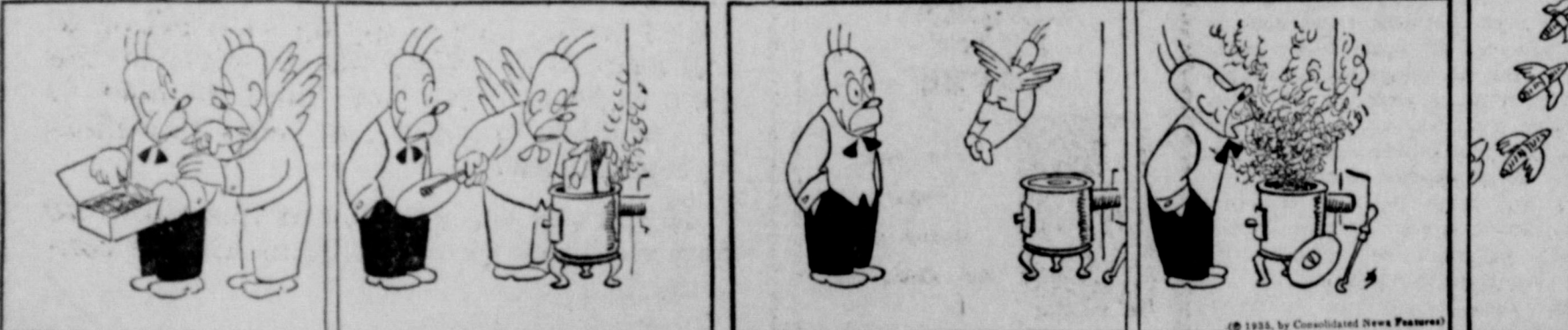
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ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES

Adamson's Better Self

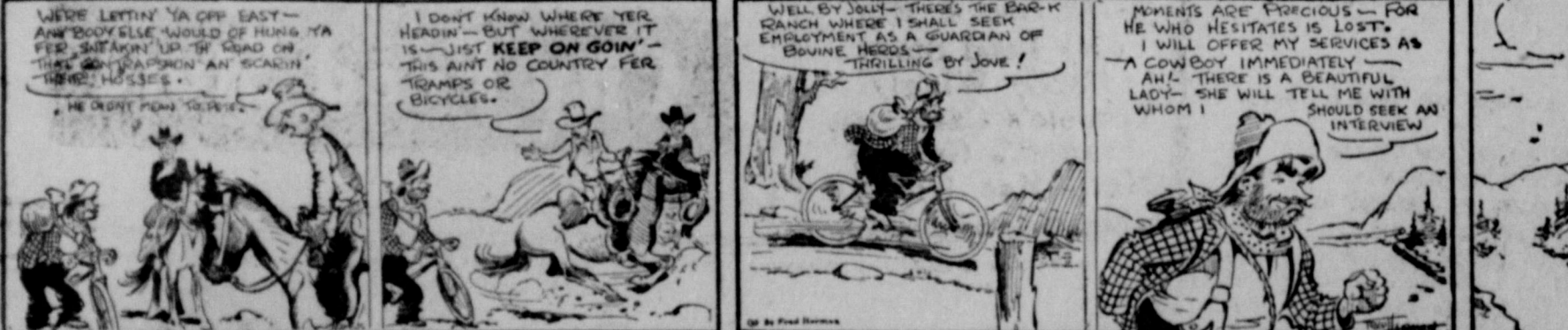
By O. JACOBSSON



BRONC PEELER

A Volunteer Cowboy

By FRED HARMAN



HAR, HAR, HAR!

HAR, HAR, HAR!

MOTHER'S PRESENT

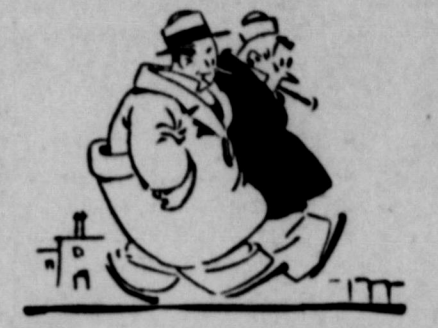
By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



W. B. C. FICTION

"Crimson Gulch is a tough little town," remarked the salesman. "We're tryin' to keep up that reputation," said Bronco Bob. "We've got to do something that sounds terrible."

OPENS WIDE



"Play poker with a dentist? No, sir." "Why not?" "He's too blamed expert at drawing and filling."

Same Thing

One of the crew of a big ocean liner chanced to pick up the menu card and seeing on top "Table d'hote" turned to his pal and inquired: "Bill—What does this 'ere mean, Joe?"

A New Angle

"You complain that you have had to support your wife's family?" the court questioned the man seeking divorce. "Yes, your honor."

A Moving One

Two farmers met the day following a cyclone. "How's yer new barn coming on?" asked one. "Oh, all right as far as I know," was the reply. "I jus' heard this mornin' hit was over in Cobb county."

Hopeless Outlook

Patient—Yes, doctor, the four other doctors seem to disagree with your diagnosis. Doctor—But I know I'm right and the post mortem will show I'm right.

Free Wheeling

An old Indian came to town and for the first time saw a man riding a bicycle. "Huh," he exclaimed, "white man heap lazy. Sits down to walk."

Homelike

Guide—This castle has stood for 600 years. Not a stone has been moved, nothing altered, nothing touched. Tourist—Huh, must have the same landlord here.

QUICK CHANGING



"She looks older than twenty-seven." "Yes; but you see, she can't change her looks as easily as she can her age."

Mistaken

A simple countryman saw a gaudy-plumaged parrot on the roof of his cottage. He climbed up to capture it. The parrot looked at him and said sharply, "What do you want?"

Widely Traveled

"Haven't I seen you somewhere?" asked the young man. "Quite likely," replied the girl. "I've been there."

Did Nothing for Him

Son—Say dad, that apple I just ate had a worm in it, and I ate that, too. Parent—What? Here, drink this water and wash it down. But Junior shook his head. "Aw, let 'em walk down."

How It Started

Mrs. Nagg—We are invited to the Longwed's golden wedding anniversary. Just think, they've been married 50 years. Wonderful, isn't it? Her Husband—Yes, beats all what a man can get used to.

Educate Child in Safety; Safe Home Is Important

The modern mother is confronted with a more baffling problem in protecting her children from the dangers of the world than ever before. Children of today face most of the long established dangers such as fire, poisons and stairs, sharp objects and cutting tools, and in addition nearly 25,000,000 automobiles waylay them on streets and highways.

One of the first principles of child safety, according to Curtis Billings who writes on "Teaching Your Child to Be Safe" for Hygeia, is the establishment of a safe home by the mother. To have a safe home is at least as important as to have a clean home.

The second fundamental is that safe habits must be painstakingly taught to children. Safe habits cannot be instilled in them by intermittent and impatient scoldings and cross "doots," nor are threats of disaster effective in preventing mishaps to children. For instance, children may be taught through actual and repeated demonstrations how to cross a street safely.

Week's Supply of Postum Free

Read the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this paper. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it.—Adv.

Imprisoned by Ice

Russian scientists who were rescued recently from Wrangel island had intended to stay only two years but ice held them there for five.

Grow a garden of "GRADUATES" from a real seed breeding institute

For 80 years, Ferry-Morse Seed Co., America's greatest scientific seed growing organization, through continuous yearly tests and with infinite care, has protected market and home gardeners against deterioration in seed quality.

Our foundation stock is developed at The Ferry-Morse Seed Breeding Institute Stations at Rochester, Mich., and Salinas, Cal. This purebred stock is then used for seed production on our own farms, or under our direct supervision. The seed crops from this stock are sold only after thorough tests have shown that they are of proper quality and germination.

That is why—North, South, East, West—you can buy seeds from the Ferry display in your neighborhood store with the greatest assurance that they will reproduce true to type and quality. Look for the Ferry display before planning your garden. Write for free copy of our Home Garden Catalog. Ferry-Morse Seed Co., Detroit and San Francisco, Mexico, G. D. R.

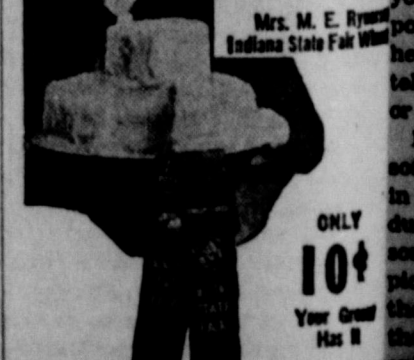
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Devoted to improving and maintaining the quality of America's garden seeds.

And a Blessing

Physicians like to doctor a chestnut all the same round railroad m "boomers."

EXPERT OPINION



CLABBER GIRL BAKING POWDER

MULTI THE PERFECT HOUSE CLEANER

CLASSIFIED ADS

ELECTRIC LIGHTS

500 Acres, Mountain Valley Land, etc.

Advertisement for Wrigley's Spearmint Gum, featuring a cartoon character and the text 'DON'T GNAW. JUST PULL THE HANDY RED TAPE!' and 'THE STANDARD OF QUALITY'.

Advertisement for Classified Ads and Electric Lights, with contact information for 500 Acres, Mountain Valley Land.

I Want to Know

By D. A. Davis

Folks, I'm a peace loving citizen of the United States. There is nothing I hate to do as bad as to fight. I never had but one fight in my life, and I was the innocent victim of mistaken identity then. There was but one blow made and I was the one that took it on the chin.

But folks, there can be a limit to all things, and my traditionally good humor, good nature and pleasing personality are getting to the breaking point. The breaking point is being held with just one hair right on the top of my head. This hair looks to be fairly strong and healthy, but it's getting a little gray, and judging from past experiences it is liable to pull loose from the roots and come out, and when it does I am liable to tell the bald headed truth about some folks that used to live in McLean, but whom I know very little about.

Being human, I am subject to making mistakes, but if I continue to keep my right mind I do not intend to leave McLean. But if I should go crazy and have to leave, I'll come back and admit I made a mistake, and take it on the chin.

As far as I know, I'm not responsible for anybody leaving McLean, and I'm not going to be the means of inviting them back. Judging from what I read in The McLean News, it seems that there used to be a banker and a school teacher that were considered citizens of this little city. They were given good jobs, taken in as church members, elected to high and responsible positions in the chamber of commerce and Lions Club and given every opportunity possible to prove themselves good citizens. But folks, what did they do?

Just as soon as they thought the pastures were greener and the pickin's easier, I say again WHAT DID THEY DO? Pulled up, lock, stock and barrel and left us cold. And now what are they doing? I'll tell you right now if any of you folks want to invite them back here, it's all right with me, but I'm not going to be responsible for their coming or what happens when they get here. They had their chance to stay while they were here, and as far as I can find out they conducted themselves like gentlemen. I do not find any record of them paying any fines or getting in jail, but if they come back I'm warning them that the officers here are no respecters of persons. Bankers and school teachers look alike to them, and if they get in jail they most assuredly will have to pay the penalty; there will be no wire pullings or exceptions made.

Folks, away back yonder when I was a railroader, we had a class of men that we called "boomers." These men would not stay put. They made a pay day in Texas and the next one in New York, Florida, California or Mexico. Generally speaking they were fairly respectable men, but the pastures always looked greener just across the state line and they were always on the move, and were never satisfied and generally made the entire round and eventually came back to the point of beginning and then started all over again and make the same rounds over and over again. We railroader men called this class of men "boomers."

And now it seems that we have "boomer bankers" and "boomer school teachers." What I want to know is what's going to happen next?

And now that I've attended several birthday functions in February already, I'm wondering why so many folks were born in February. Is this the reason we have so many cold-blooded folks in the world? And if you give your wife a box of face powder and a jar of face cream for her birthday, are you supposed to tell her it's to make her look pretty or to keep her from looking ugly?

Next week I'll try to explain to some people who are not now living in McLean, and who seem a little bit dumb, what B. C. D. means, and at some future date have the mayor's picture put in The McLean News so they can see who the mayor is. I thought they could read, but if they can't have to look at pictures to understand what is going on, I'll try to accommodate them.

Instead of singing the mists round and round, why not sing the boomers go round and round.

and Mrs. Witt Springer and Dowell visited in Abilene Sunday.

John Hildreth and Mrs. T. R. were Pampa visitors Friday.

C. Davis was in Pampa Thursday.

Carpenter was in Amarillo the first of the week.

Dastberry of Alanreed was in Saturday.

With the Churches

CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. B. Andrews, Minister
Bible study begins at 10 Sunday morning. Preaching at 11. The sermon subject will be "Winning the World for Christ."

The young people meet at 6 p. m. They are studying Philemon.

Preaching at 7. The subject for this service will be "The End of the World."

Studies in Job will continue on Wednesday night at 7:30.

Ladies' meeting Thursday at 3. Men's meeting Thursday at 7:30. Subject, Paul at Corinth.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Orchestra. Morning worship at 11. Message by the pastor, "When Does Back Sliding Begin?" Special music by the choir and orchestra.

B. T. S. 6:15 p. m.
Night service at 7:30. Message by pastor. Special music by choir and orchestra.

W. M. U. Wednesday 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister
Sunday school 10 a. m. Arthur Erwin, gen. supt.; Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, supt. primary dept. Morning worship 11. Evening worship at 5 o'clock. The pastor will speak on "Should a Christian Go to War?" The Legion will attend in a body. You are invited.

METHODIST W. M. S.

Circles Nos. 1 and 2 of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met in joint session at the home of Mrs. G. V. Koons, Tuesday afternoon. A World Outlook program was rendered as follows:

Song, What a Friend We Have in Jesus.

Invocation—Mrs. Alvah Christian. Devotional—Mrs. W. L. Campbell. Scripture lesson, Isaiah 35.

Meditation, common denominators. Talk, Being a Good Neighbor, the story of Jane Addams as a community neighbor—Mrs. Roger Powers. Closing prayer—Mrs. C. C. Cook. Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Visitors, Mrs. J. O. Marsh, Mrs. H. C. Shoemaker and Mrs. Bob Black; members, Mesdames C. S. Rice, J. H. Wade, J. A. Brawley, Callie Haynes, C. O. Greene, C. C. Cook, W. E. Bogan, W. W. Wilson, Thos. Ashby, Roy Campbell, W. L. Campbell, J. L. Hess, T. W. Henry, J. M. Carpenter, J. L. Andrews, A. B. Christian, L. S. Tinnin, J. M. Noel, F. C. Brooks, J. E. Kirby, W. E. Bogan and J. C. Payne.

The following attended the Baptist workers conference at Lela Tuesday. Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. St. Clair, Rev. S. A. Cobb, L. O. Floyd, Reep Landers, Mesdames Jesse J. Cobb, Bob Thomas, M. E. Flowers, T. N. Holloway, Ralph Caldwell, A. L. Rippy, H. W. Finley, R. L. Appling, P. E. Stewart, D. M. Davis, Luther Petty; Mr. and Mrs. Henley and son.

Rev. and Mrs. Goff, Mrs. Thomas and Reep Landers had parts on the program.

Mrs. Floyd Phillips and Mrs. Sammie Cubine were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mrs. Bob Lynch went to California last week to the bedside of her grandmother.

Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Cobb and R. L. Appling returned Friday from a visit to Itasca.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bingham and little son, A. B. Jr., visited in Pampa Sunday.

A. B. Bingham made a business trip to Detroit last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne were in Shamrock the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Graham were Pampa visitors Friday.

Paul Morgan returned Thursday from a visit to West Virginia.

J. A. Meador made a trip to Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thut of Le-fors visited in McLean Friday.

T. N. Holloway made a business trip to Pampa Friday.

J. A. Ashby was in Pampa on business last week.

Miss Lillian Abbott visited in Pampa last Saturday.

Miss Mildred Bessire visited home folks in Canyon last week.

Household Hints

By Jean Mueller

BUCKWHEAT PANCAKES

The only way to keep buckwheat pancakes sweet is to pour cold water on that which is left from one morning to another. Fill the vessel entirely full of water and put it in a cool place. When ready to use, pour off the water, which absorbs the acidity.

CHEESE CAKE

1 package Holland rusk, rolled fine
1/2 cup butter, melted
Mix with rusk
Form crust around bottom of pan and save a little for the top.
1 pint cottage cheese, strained
Beat yolks of two eggs
1/4 cup sugar
Pinch of salt
1 teaspoon flour, rounding
1/4 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 cup cream
Whites of eggs beaten stiff to be folded in last.

Filling

1 teaspoon sugar
Some cinnamon and rusk
Bake in a slow oven for 1 hour

FRENCH CHOCOLATE CREAM PUDDING

1 pint heavy cream
2 ounces bitter chocolate
1 1/2 teaspoons butter
1/2 cup water
1 cup powdered sugar
1 1/4 tablespoons gelatin
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
Mix chocolate, water and butter, and melt over pan of boiling water. Dissolve gelatin in water enough to cover. Stir in powdered sugar. Let it cool. Stir occasionally so that it will not set. Fold slowly into the stiffly whipped cream.

CARROT RING

2 cups mashed carrots
1 cup grated bread crumbs
1 tablespoon onion juice
1 pint cream
6 egg yolks
Salt and pepper to taste
6 egg whites
Worcestershire sauce
Cook until thick and put in a ring mold.

MOCHA CREAM

1 pint (2 cups) milk
1 cup of coffee liquid
6 tablespoons tapioca
2 tablespoons cocoa
6 tablespoons sugar
1 egg
1 teaspoon vanilla
Scald the milk and coffee in a double boiler. Add tapioca and the sugar and cocoa which have been mixed together. Cook for fifteen minutes, stirring frequently. Add the slightly beaten egg yolk, stirring constantly. Cook until it thickens to the consistency of custard. Remove from fire and fold in the stiffly beaten white of the egg. Add vanilla. Cool and serve in sherbet glasses with or without whipped cream.
Half a dozen macaroons, crumbled and added to the mixture before the egg white adds to the delicious taste of this dessert. This recipe will serve six persons.

DO YOU KNOW THAT:

1. By soaking lemons in hot water for a few minutes, you can get almost twice as much juice from them?

2. Dry bread crumbs can be kept from scattering if a paper bag is fastened to the opening of the food chopper, and held in place by a rubber band?

Mr. and Mrs. John Stratton of Skellytown visited home folks here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Meier and little daughter of Little Rock, Ark., visited home folks here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Reager of Amarillo and Miss Fern Landers of Vega visited home folks here Sunday.

Rev. W. A. Erwin and E. L. Sitter were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Rev. W. A. Erwin preached at Guthrie, Okla., Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Beall and son were in Pampa the first of the week.

Miss Jewell Cousins visited in Pampa one day last week.

Mrs. Estel Bowen and daughter visited in Shamrock Thursday.

L. S. Tinnin was in Pampa the first of the week.

Mrs. R. T. Dickinson and daughter visited in Shamrock Thursday.

Who Pays for the Advertising?

THE UNSUSPECTING ONE

It is a peculiar paradox, but I believe a true one—the person paying for the advertising is the man who does not advertise. There are times when economy is not economy. To illustrate: in 1910, the leading merchant of a certain town refused to do any advertising in the local newspaper. He felt that his customers knew his reputation for honesty and unexcelled quality of stock.

This merchant did go so far as to advertise on country billboards a brand of shoes that he carried—"Star Brand Shoes Are Better. Buy at—". Though this advertising kept the spark of life in his business, it was never given due credit. He never awoke to the realization that to sell the public must realize through the eye—advertising—that it needs that particular article.

Modern business has been revolutionized through advertising. No longer does a merchant wait until his stock gets low; today he is ready, with each season, to buy new style dresses, shoes, accessories. Due to elaborate advertising done by big manufacturers and merchants, we have become label conscious—we do not buy just a shirt—we buy an Arrow Collar Shirt—we buy I. Miller Shoes—we buy Morton's Iodized Salt. We have become conscious of the need of a certain product—certain brand. When we buy, certain names are indelibly stamped on our minds. For example, "Gold Medal" has become synonymous with flour. Thus, you see the progressive merchant is farsighted enough to sell his merchandise through advertising. Let The McLean News work for you; your advertising is the cheapest help that you can hire.

Needless to say the merchant who did not advertise, after being in business 25 years, had to close his doors. He had been his own best customer. His stock had become so antiquated that it couldn't be given away. The accumulation of button-shoes were objects for any museum. The only up-to-date stock in the store was that advertised "Star Brand Shoes Are Better."

Therefore, I contend, "The Merchant Who Does Not Advertise Pays for the Advertising." He loses his customers to the company who is able through advertising to offer new, fresh merchandise at cheaper prices—due to a rapid turn-over. The non-advertiser cannot afford the attractive prices made possible through volume business resulting from advertising. Consequently his profits are eaten up by the old stock left on his shelves. This non-advertiser pays by his accumulated stock and loss of customers the advertising bill paid by his competitors. The more enterprising merchants realize that advertising in The McLean News is not an expense, but an investment that yields return far greater than the expenditure.

THE McLEAN NEWS

Published Every Thursday
News Building, 210 Main Street
Phone 47
T. A. LANDERS, Publisher
SUBSCRIPTION RATES
In Texas
One Year \$2.00
Six Months 1.25
Three Months .75
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Six Months 1.50
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Entered as second class mail matter May 8, 1905, at the post office at McLean, Texas, under act of Congress.

MEMBER
National Editorial Association
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Panhandle Press Association

Display advertising rate, 25c per column inch each insertion. Preferred position, 30c per inch.

Resolutions, obituaries, cards of thanks, and items of like nature charged for at line rates.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon the notice of same being given to the editor personally, at the office at 210 Main Street, McLean, Texas.

A boost for the home paper is a boost for community growth.

If a man has a disagreeable habit, there may be little to worry about. If the habit has the man, that may be something else again.

The merchants who advertise freely in the home paper sell much more than their own merchandise. Their combined efforts are responsible for a better local market and a more active trading center for everyone. They contribute to the community's growth in no small fashion.

While it is probable that no merchant can hope to have as many customers as the newspaper has readers yet at the same time he has an opportunity each week to appeal to all these readers and influence enough of them to trade with him to make his advertising messages well worth while.

Seldom a day passes that the News editor is not asked to recommend the "best" cafe, hotel, service station, store, etc., to travelers. This is a service rendered by the home paper that most home town people know little about, yet the tourist appreciates a place where he can get reliable information, and he generally thinks of the newspaper first.

John H. Casey, School of Journalism, University of Oklahoma.—Without its newspaper the small town American community would be like a school without a teacher or a church without a pastor. In the aggregate, the country newspaper determines the outcome of more elections, exerts a greater influence for constructive community progress, is read longer by the family, and constitutes, with its millions of circulation and quadrupled millions of readers, a better advertising medium than any other group of newspapers or periodical publications.

When properly conducted, it cultivates so intensively its home news field that city dailies, farm journals, and general magazines circulating in the same territory become only secondary influences.

Through service to its community, the country newspaper will not merely survive, it will continue to flourish as the most representative, most distinctive, most wholesome type of journalism America has produced.

It's Possible

Advertisement for 'The Protected Depositor' and 'Decentralization of Industry'. Includes illustrations of a teller and a factory, and text: 'The expensive and exclusive orchid some day will be as common and cheap as roses are now. The queen is dead—long live the queen!' and 'Industries, in the future, will be decentralized and taken away from the congested centers of civilization, thereby creating healthier working conditions and lowering their overhead expenses.'

THE HAPPY WARRIOR

We heard Al Smith's radio address recently. It sounded just like the Al Smith of 1928—except, the Republicans and the dyes were the object of his attack then, while Roosevelt and the New Deal were the victims of his verbal assaults this time. In 1928 Al was the "Happy Warrior," today he is a rebel against the commander-in-chief of the same army which he led in 1928.

A product of Tammany Hall, leader of the wets who were then seeking to make a farce of prohibition and to discredit and destroy it, a master of sarcasm and Bowery English, Al Smith in that campaign drove many southern Democrats to vote for the first time in their lives for a Republican.

Now he comes berating and castigating the man who twice served as one of his chief lieutenants, Franklin D. Roosevelt, and who in 1932 defeated the man who defeated Smith in 1928, Herbert Hoover. Today, he is much more bitter toward Roosevelt than he ever was against Hoover.

Notwithstanding all this, and notwithstanding his personal spleen toward Roosevelt, and notwithstanding the fact that we now find him in bad company again as a leading light in the so-called "Liberty League," he said many things that must be recognized as the truth. He cited plank after plank of the platform on which Roosevelt was elected and shows how these planks have been junked. Nobody can read this platform and then deny that many of these planks have been smashed into smithereens. Two of the positions which he took and which we unreservedly endorse, are first, that the President and Congress should have a higher regard for the Constitution which they are sworn to support; and, second, that Congress should cease to be the mere rubber stamp of the President. Congressmen should have opinions of their own and the courage to express them.—Lynn County News.

"I see you have a room for rent. How much do you want for it, including the use of your piano?" "I won't be able to tell you until after I hear you play."

Mrs. Morrison—"You used to say I was all the world to you." Mr. Morrison—"Yes, but I've learned my geography since."

Advertising should not be taken as a stimulant but rather used as a nourishment for the growth of business.—Clearwater (Kan.) News.

NECESSARY

"What is that noise I can hear through the wall?" "It's our neighbor, talking to himself." "But he needn't talk so loudly as that." "He has to. He's deaf."

Pete—"I see where a scientist has discovered that meat-eaters are twice as active as vegetarians." Heine—"I could have told him that. The way prices are they have to be if they want any meat to eat."

Fortune Teller—"I can see something in store for you. It doesn't look exactly good and it doesn't look exactly bad." Actress—"It must be some cold-storage eggs."

Strictly speaking, the "average American" has about as much chance of being nominated for president as he does of being chosen to sit on the throne of Italy.

Miss Gillis—"Who can tell me just what an island is?" Karl—"It is a piece of land that went out for a swim."

The only safe time to make a prediction is after the thing has happened.

Some folks don't tell what they know, while other folks tell what they don't know.

Man is the only animal that can be skinned more than once.

Advertisement for Baten Bros. Serv. Sta. featuring GONOCO tires, tubes, batteries, gasoline, and oils. Located at 66 Service Station, W. K. Wharton, Mgr.

SAFETY ON THE FARM

J. C. Mohler, secretary of the Kansas State Board of Agriculture, is conducting a campaign for safety on the farm.

"More than 100 farm folks in Kansas lose their lives by accidents on the old home farm, and hundreds of others are crippled, many permanently," Mr. Mohler says. "Farming," he points out, "is the second most hazardous occupation of all persons gainfully employed in the state, being exceeded only by the extraction of minerals, such as coal mining, rock quarrying or oil drilling."

"Most farm deaths and injuries from accidents come through the use of machinery, followed in the number caused by livestock, chiefly horses, mules and dairy cattle. Most of such accidents are the result of carelessness, thoughtlessness or recklessness and can be prevented by vigilance and care."

"Accidents seldom just happen—they mostly are committed."

Holding to the notion that vigilance is the price of safety, Mohler turns loose sixteen "nevers," as follows:

- Never fill the gas tank while the motor is running.
Never kindle a fire with kerosene or gasoline.
Never take risks in burning trash, stacks or prairie grass.
Never smoke in or near barns or stacks.
Never relax vigilance with teams, especially colts.
Never store gasoline in farm buildings.
Never start a machine until it is in working order.
Never allow a wound to go without disinfection.
Never allow children to have matches.

- Never start the auto in the garage without the door open.
Never use gasoline for cleaning in the house.
Never put pins or tacks in the mouth.
Never allow a loaded gun in the house.
Never fill the tank of an oil or gas stove in the house.
Never try to drive a crooked nail.
Never keep dangerous animals, as aged bulls or boars.

In conclusion, Mohler declares that it is better to be careful all the time than dead once.

J. R. Phillips was in Pampa the first of the week.

C. S. RICE Funeral Director

Embalming
Flowers for Funerals
Ambulance Service
Funeral Supplies Monuments
Phones 13 and 42

GRADE "A" Whole Milk

FREE DELIVERY
Anywhere in City Limits

Hibler's Dairy



Gasoline - Oils - Greases
mean satisfactory, economical service for your car.

Drive in your nearest Phillips Station
Boyd Meador, Agent

A. A. Callahan and J. B. made a trip to Mineral Wells first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Upham and the lady's parents at White Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Braxton is visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. topher, at Hamlin, this week.

Mrs. W. B. Upham and Mrs. W. W. Boyd, were in Monday.

Mrs. R. C. Kennedy of visited her sister, Mrs. Henna kins, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham in Pampa Thursday.

Edwin Cleek visited at Pampa day.

Dwight Stubblefield visited at over the week end.

Kenneth Woods was in Pampa day.

Claude Hinton made a visit to South Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Holloway in Pampa the first of the week.

Ray McCabe went to Monday.

M. M. Newman was in Monday.

C. G. Nicholson was in Monday.

J. B. Pettit was in Pampa week.

L. L. Palmer of Albreed, McLean Thursday.

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SPECIALS

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Spiral or Combination \$3.75
\$5.00 Croquignole, 2 for
\$3.50 Croquignole, 2 for
\$2.50 Croquignole, 2 for
Hot Oil Shampoo and Set
Plain Shampoo and Set
Eyebrow and Lash Dye
Phone 148

Landers Beauty Shop

1 block north of Post Office

BELLBOY 13 The Transient. Illustration of a bellboy and a customer.

SHAY! (HIC) I WANT TH' KEY TO ROOM 313! Illustration of a man at a desk and a woman.

SORRY-OLD MAN, BUT ROOM 313 IS OCCUPIED - BY A MR. SMITH! Illustration of a man at a desk and a woman.

THASS JES' WHY I WANT TH' KEY - Illustration of a man and a woman.

I'M SMITH- (HIC) I JES' FEEL OUT OF TH' WINDOW! Illustration of a man and a woman.

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OLD AGE PENSION DISQUALIFICATIONS

Austin, Feb. 11.—Because \$7,500 worth of property for a married and \$5,000 for a single person are listed as legal disqualifications under the old-age assistance law, applicants necessarily should be able to give adequate description of all real property owned, as well as personal property if the latter is valued at \$1,000 or more.

Each applicant should be able to describe all personal property, including jewelry, furniture, automobiles, and livestock, in addition to his or her real property," Mr. Carpenter explained.

All applicants should have the following information available:

- 1. Original purchase price and date of purchase of all property.
2. Description of property from the county tax assessor, telling block number, etc.
3. Amount property rendered for on tax rolls.
4. Name of lien holder and amount still due on mortgage, as well as total equity in property. Also date and amount of lien.
5. Description of all property disposed of during the last two years, person sold to, and purchase price obtained from such sale. Also date of transfer.

Applicants will be able to get blanks in their own locality February 14. These forms may be filed as soon as filled out by applicants.

SMALL TOWN POPULARITY

Real estate in small towns is advancing rapidly in selling and renting value. The cities have had their day. The young folks now coming of age cannot run to the city the day they are 21 and get a job at high wages. The cities are overcrowded and there are more men than jobs.

The small town merchant who succeeds is the one who has what the people want and lets them know about it. People are busy today. They will not take time to shop where merchants insist on keeping their wares and prices a secret.

Mrs. Jones—"I had the most terrible scare last night. I heard a noise in the middle of the night and turned on the light. There sticking out from beneath the bed was a pair of man's legs."

Sonny—"Say, Dad, today the teacher asked our class to find the greatest common divisor, and—"

Gabber—"Before they were married he promised her that everything would be divided 50-50 between them."

"I understand that magician boy friend of yours pulled a sleight-of-hand trick last night."

Rastus—"All money these days is tainted."

Sambo—"What do you mean by tainted?"

"She'd have been married twenty times if she hadn't had so much horse sense."

Discouraged



SOCIAL AND POLITICAL CHANGES OF 35 YEARS

Just four years after Bryan made his free silver campaign in 1896, an American prospector went into the hills of Alaska. He stayed there 33 years, and came down the other day because he was ill.

The hermit was bewildered at the changes he found in Fairbanks, Alaska. It occurs to Bruce Catton, NEA writer, that if the changes in Fairbanks would startle the bearded hermit, "a trip down into the states would absolutely paralyze him."

Disregarding the inventions that he would see for the first time, he would find many political and social changes—and a few similarities.

When the prospector went north, the United States was busy conquering the Filipinos; today he would find equally busy setting the Filipinos free. If he remembered the growing murmur against the trusts back in '90, he would see today's government feeling very regretful because the Supreme Court wouldn't let it band the big combinations of industry together in a system designed to restrict output and maintain prices.

Remembering the anti-railroad agitation of the 1900's, he would see the government coming to the rescue of the railroads with millions upon millions of dollars. And then, of course there would be the AAA for him to think about.

Looking abroad he would see: England, which he last saw depending on the South African Boers, preparing to wage war to protect the independence of an African nation.

Germany minus its kaiser, with a former house painter ruling more autocratically than the kaiser ever dreamed of ruling.

And when he got all through looking, we wouldn't blame the old prospector a bit if he went back to the Alaskan mountains to stay.—Star-Herald, Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

ACCORDING TO FORM

Wife—"And what did you tell them when they asked you to take the job which required the services of a strong-willed man who could make his own decisions?"

Husband—"I said I'd first have to speak to my wife."

"An' how's yer wife, Patrick?" "Sure, she do be awful sick."

If those people who throw bricks would only start laying them, look what a prosperous community we would have!

Hear of the plumber who was so delightfully absent-minded that he remembered his tools and forgot to present his bill?

"Did you ever see me before?" "No."

"Where have I seen your face before?" "Right where it is now."

E. E. Wehoo was in Pampa Friday. Paul Mertel was in Pampa Monday.

A SERVICE, NOT A COMMODITY

According to a decision made in 1903 by the Court of Appeals in the case of Ware Brothers against the Cortland Cart and Carriage Co., the publication of advertisements in newspapers was held to be the rendering of a service. The publisher, like any other individual, is free to offer or refuse his services to any person he may see fit.

FORE!

"Doesn't Tommy toe in a little when he tries to stand up?" "Yes. We have great hopes for him. Looks like he'll be an expert golf player."

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rush of Shamrock visited in the A. B. Bingham home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter and children were in Pampa one day last week.

Marvin Gardner is visiting in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Atwood were in Pampa the first of the week.

Charlie Nicholson made a business trip to Lefors Thursday night.



THE Remington Portable Smallest Lightest Strongest

of any standard, four-row key-board typewriter. Only 4 inches high in its carrying case. Carries its own desk. Takes long envelope. Paragraph key for indenting paragraphs. Moulded, Stream-line body. Several smart color combinations. Complete visibility of writing line. The typewriter for home, school and traveling use.

For Sale By The McLean News

Pleasant Mound News

Mrs. Click Smith and daughter, Miss Loe, visited in Elk City, Okla., the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Waldrop and son, J. B., are spending the week at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Hal Mounce, and family at McLean. Buford Haney of Liberty spent Friday night with Marvin Pierce.

J. D. Sparks and family moved to Pampa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Dorsey visited in South Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gull visited the lady's parents in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Clay of Shamrock visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Graham Sunday.

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Variety Show

Monday Night, February 17

FUN - MUSIC - LAUGHTER

Proceeds for American Legion Hut

Tickets on sale by any Legionnaire

Gin Closing for Season

We will gin Saturday, Feb. 15, Wednesday, Feb. 19, and Saturday, Feb. 22, closing the gin for the season; however, we will accept cotton and store for ginning any day up to Feb. 22.

We appreciate the nice business you give us this season, and will be ready for ginning next fall.

McLean Gin S. R. Jones, Mgr.



The Best

FOOD BUY

can be found

right here

our store.

When you check our values and prices you will understand why so many of our neighbors save extra dollars every week by shopping with us.

O. K. Grocery and Market

Revival Plans for Com

the Minister of the Methodist, Baptist, and other churches are planning a revival for the month of March. The services will be held at 10 o'clock each Sunday. These services will be a grand success. We are hoping that many will be converted. The services will be held at the church on the corner of Main and 10th streets. The services will be held at 10 o'clock each Sunday. These services will be a grand success. We are hoping that many will be converted. The services will be held at the church on the corner of Main and 10th streets.