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Cunningham's Orchestra at Lions Luncheon

Prof. Orville Cunningham's orchestra were the entertainers at the Lions luncheon held at the Meador Cafe Tuesday.

Prof. Cunningham played the violin, John Bond the banjo, and Lloyd Erwin and Paul Bond guitars.

The music was of the type that appealed to every Lion, and many expressions of approbation were heard following the meeting.

Chick Hickman and C. O. Drew of Pampa, and Postmaster Johnnie R. Back were presented as visitors.

Boyd Meador, C. O. Greene and Creed Bogan made tentative reports of the Lions convention at El Paso, Las Cruces, N. M. and Juarez, Mex., stating that full reports will be given next week. Private conversation indicated that the Juarez bull fights made an impression on the local delegates.

MISS SLOUGH HONOREE ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY

Miss Julia Slough, McLean high school journalism teacher, was the honoree at an announcement party given Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leverett, in Wellington, with another sister, Miss Mildred Slough, as co-hostess.

Miss Slough is scheduled to become the bride of Jack F. Van Bebbor on May 26.

Six tables of bridge were arranged. Coronas containing cards with the names Julia and Jack were given each guest. Ice cream and cake were served.

Guests attending from McLean were Mrs. Carl M. Jones, Misses Rosalie Carter, Dale Smith and Marion Johansen.

MUSICAL PROGRAM HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY

Culminating the celebration of National Music Week will be a miscellaneous program given at the high school auditorium Friday evening of this week.

Each choir and musical organization of the town is expected to have a special number and several congregational numbers are planned.

McLean's celebration is under the management of Mrs. Willie T. Boyett, and Mrs. R. L. Buskirk is directing the musical program.

Final rehearsal for Friday's program will be held tonight (Thursday) and all singers are invited to be present.

There will be no admission charge to the program.

CITY DRUG TO HOLD SPRING OPENING

The City Drug Store announces a formal spring opening Friday and Saturday of next week.

The store front is being remodeled and the interior newly decorated, and Mr. Springer says that many items will be specially priced for the two days. Prices will be carried in next week's paper.

MERCHANTS CONGRATULATE SENIOR CLASS MEMBERS

Merchants and others of McLean have a full page advertisement in this week's paper congratulating the members of the graduating class.

This year's class is the largest to graduate from the local high school and McLean business men are sincere in offering best wishes to each one of the graduates.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11.

At the morning worship, Mother's Day will be observed in sermon and song.

There will be no evening services since at that time we are joining with the rest of the community in honoring the senior class of 1939 by attending their baccalaureate services at the high school building. The pastor and members of the Presbyterian Church express their appreciation to the superintendent and faculty of the McLean schools for the splendid year's work, and congratulate the graduating class for having successfully completed the course. Our best wishes and prayers are for you.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers of Pampa visited the lady's mother, Mrs. Dalie Haynes, the first of the week.

BIRTHDAYS

May 14—Joe Billy Bogan, Mrs. Witt Springer.

May 15—Mrs. Geo. Bourland, James Emmett Cooke, Mrs. J. E. Lynch.

May 16—Mrs. T. W. Franklin, Dorthea Beck.

May 17—Barbara Ann Beck, Elton Johnston, Marie Brawley.

May 18—Amos Williams, Jr., Mary Ellen Gething, Mrs. Booth Woods, Irene Langham.

May 19—Naneen Campbell, Helen Simmons, Sybil Graham.

SIGMA GAMMA HOLDS MAY BREAKFAST SUNDAY

The annual May breakfast given by the Sigma Gamma was held Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. T. J. Coffey.

Quartet tables were laid, with cut sweet peas as centerpieces. The breakfast menu consisted of fresh strawberries, baked eggs in bacon tings, sliced tomatoes, Parker House with butter, and coffee. It was prepared and served by Mesdames Coffey, J. B. Hembree, T. A. Massey and Carl M. Jones, members of the ladies' Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church. Corsages of sweet peas were placed at each plate.

The invocation was given by Mrs. J. W. Story. Miss Rosalie Carter, president, gave the welcome, and Mrs. W. B. Swim the response. During the meal, piano and vocal music was furnished by Misses Ermadell Floyd and Willie Louelle Cobb, high school seniors.

Guests present were: Mesdames C. G. Williston of Lefors, G. B. Heath of Canyon, G. M. Shaw of Littlefield, W. B. Swim, Donald Beall, D. C. Carpenter, J. W. Story, Roger Powers, J. E. Kirby, T. A. Landers, Gail Adams; Misses Ruth Ansley, Wilma Jarrell of Pampa and Mildred Slough of Wellington.

Members in attendance were: Misses Julia Slough, Ruby Swim, Ima Nelle Still, Hellen Heath, Jewell Cousins, Lorene Winton, Marion Johansen, Dale Smith, Rosalie Carter, Myrtle Marion Shaw and Eunice Stratton.

PIONEER STUDY CLUB HEARS BOOK REVIEW

The Pioneer Study Club met last Thursday afternoon in the basement of the First Methodist Church for their regular meeting.

A book review, "With Malice Toward Some," by Margaret Halsey, was given by Mrs. W. E. Bogan. Before the review Mrs. Carl Jones gave the introduction to the book and the life of the author.

Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. S. A. Cousins and Mrs. June Woods. Refreshments were served to approximately thirty-five members and guests.

CRYER INVITED TO NEW LONDON SCHOOL

Supt. C. A. Cryer of the McLean schools, has been invited to be a platform guest at the dedication exercises of the New London school, May 15.

Supt. Cryer will be unable to accept the invitation, due to press of business here commencement week.

MRS. KELLEY SPEAKS ON MEAT

Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, county home demonstrator, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Eastside Club held Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. A. Myatt.

Mrs. Kelley's subject was the production of the family meat supply. She said, in part: "175 pounds of meat should be provided for each member of the family for a year's time. This may consist of mutton, salt sea food, beef, pork or fowl, at the proportion of 20 lb mutton, 10 lb sea food, 55 lb beef, 70 lb pork and 20 lb fowl, which may be fresh, canned or cured."

Mrs. Olen Davis, vice president, was in charge of the business session. Reports were heard from the recreation and exhibit committees and Miss Hettie Burr gave a report of the council meeting held at Pampa.

A letter with prize checks was received from the Shamrock dairy show. The letter stated that Mrs. Petty was given third place in judging of dairy cattle and dairy products instead of fourth place, as previously announced.

The hostess furnished the cake for slicing, the token being found in Mrs. Floyd Lively's piece. Iced tea was served with the cake.

The following were present: Mesdames Kelley, Davis, Lively, Myatt, Roth, Petty, Howard Hardin, J. M. Ziegler, J. H. Wade, Jesse Ledbetter, Buster Stokes, Kate Stokes; and Miss Burr.

Mrs. Petty will be the next hostess. The meeting was postponed until Friday, May 26, on account of school activities.

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HANSEN FUNERAL RITES HELD HERE TUESDAY

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon for A. P. Hansen, aged 77 years, 5 months and 12 days, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Katie Morrison, at Shamrock, May 7, 1939.

Services were in charge of Pastor W. B. Swim. Rev. W. A. Erwin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, preached the funeral sermon.

Palbearers were: Ercy Cubine, Toll Moore, Charlie Bennett, D. W. Reeves, John Mertel, Ed Peirce.

Flower bearers: Florence Price, Doris Bratcher, Mrs. Clyde Glass, Mrs. Monta Gossett.

Mr. Hansen spent many years of his life in McLean as a blacksmith, but had been residing at Shamrock since the first of the year.

Survivors include a son, Ed, of Loveland, Colo.; three daughters, Mrs. Morrison of Shamrock, Mrs. Jessie Thompson and Mrs. Ida Crews of Lawton, Okla.; a stepson, Clyde Clay of Long Beach, Calif.; 11 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Burial was made in Hillcrest cemetery, Thomas Funeral Home in charge.

MISS STANFIELD HONOREE ANNOUNCEMENT LUNCHEON

A luncheon was given Saturday, May 6, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Rippey, honoring her sister, Miss Lola Ruth Stanfield, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. John Vernon Close of Canadian, was announced.

The luncheon table was attractively decorated, using the May Day motif. The centerpiece was a basket cake connected by satin ribbons to individual baskets filled with spring flowers. The bridal scroll place card on each basket revealed the date to be June 6, 1939.

Guests seated were Mrs. Jesse Coleman of Childress, Mrs. Cabot Brannon, Mrs. Pauline Benson, Mrs. John Walker, Miss May Belle Veatch, Miss Rosa Cash and Mrs. Joel Zeigler, all of Shamrock; and the guest of honor.

Miss Stanfield is a daughter of Mrs. A. Stanfield, a pioneer resident of this city, now of Fort Worth. She is a graduate of McLean high school and received her Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Arts degrees at Texas Wesleyan College at Fort Worth. For the past two years she has been teaching in the Shamrock public school system.

Mr. Close is a son of the late John Close and Mrs. Close of Shamrock. He is a graduate of Shamrock high school and attended Vanderbilt University, receiving his Bachelor of Science Degree and one year in medical school.

1934 SEWING CLUB MET WITH MRS. HOWARD

The 1934 Sewing Club met last Friday in the home of Mrs. J. S. Howard for an all day session and covered dish luncheon.

Those present were: Mesdames J. W. Smith, J. A. Sparks, M. G. Armstrong, Ben Howard, John B. Rice, W. M. Ratterree, S. W. Rice, C. S. Rice, Callie Haynes, L. S. Tinnin, M. D. Bentley, J. W. Story, J. E. Kirby, C. M. Carpenter, T. A. Landers, I. D. Shaw, C. E. Anderson, Byrd Guill, Ellen Wilson and W. B. Upham.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ellen Wilson.

ERWIN TO ADDRESS LEFORS GRADUATES

Rev. W. A. Erwin, minister of the First Presbyterian Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of the Lefors high school Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock.

ORIGIN OF MOTHER'S DAY

By Rev. W. A. Erwin

Many years ago, in a small town in Virginia, there lived a woman who, throughout her mature life, was the moving spirit of the Sunday school of her church. Some time after this woman passed away, the superintendent of the Sunday school wrote to her daughter, Miss Anna Jarvis, then living in Philadelphia, asking her to arrange a memorial service which could be held in the church with which her mother had been associated for many years. The daughter did so, and in her task she suddenly realized that the custom of an annual service honoring motherhood might be possible. It was in 1908, just 31 years ago, that the first Mother's Day service was held in the small Virginia town. In 1914 the second Sunday in May was set apart officially as Mother's Day by resolution of Congress and proclamation of the President of the United States. Each year the recognition of this day has spread among the churches, until now there is hardly a community in the United States in which the meaning of the day is not given some emphasis.

METHODIST MEN AT FELLOWSHIP SUPPER

Some 35 men enjoyed the fellowship supper at the First Methodist Church Wednesday evening. The feed was one of the best ever served in McLean, both from a quality and quantity standpoint.

YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE PICNIC

Young people from the Pentecostal Holiness Church enjoyed a picnic supper at McClellan Creek last Friday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES IN ALL DAY MEET

The ladies' Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met in the home of Mrs. T. J. Coffey Monday for an all day meeting.

Lunch was served at noon by the ladies, after which a free will offering was taken.

Attending the luncheon were the following: Messrs. and Mesdames J. T. Hicks, E. L. Sitter, T. J. Coffey, Raymond Glass, Vester Smith, F. H. Bourland, T. A. Massey, Carl Jones, Allen Wilson, Arthur Erwin, S. D. Shelburne, W. A. Erwin.

Mesdames N. A. Greer, E. J. Lander, Donald Beall, Chas. E. Cooke, J. B. Hembree, Oscar Goodman, Frank Hambricht, W. A. Mills, J. S. Howard, S. R. Jones, C. V. Hendren, Travis Stokes, S. L. Humphreys.

Misses Myrtle Marion Shaw, Ima Nelle Still, Marion Johansen, Dale Smith, Orleu Marrs, Doris Nell Wilson, Frances Sitter, Dorothy Sitter, Sue and Dale Glass.

Messrs. Dwight Stubblefield, Vester Lee Smith, Joe Dowlin; Masters Dan Shelburne and James Vester Hicks.

The members spent the afternoon in a Bible study of the 21st, 22nd and 23rd chapters of Genesis, with Mrs. W. A. Erwin as leader.

The meeting closed with prayer by all present.

MRS. BOYETT'S PUPILS IN COSTUME RECITAL

Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium, Mrs. Willie Boyett presented her piano and accordion pupils in a costume recital of many countries.

Students appearing on the program were: Martha Sumrall, Jimmie Batson, Jane Alice Cryer, Martha Lee Bralley, Mary Beth Steph, Claude Gene Doelen, Mary Hess, Erna Ruth Fulbright, Earline Eustace, Billie Ferguson, Bonita Chilton, Johnnie Mae Boyd, Patty Ruth Rippey, Iva Dell Rippey, Billie Marie Stewart.

Ruth Swim, Barbara Allen Tilley, Betty Jean Ledbetter, Betty Jo Andrews, Enoree Hodges, Ruth Strandberg, Ann Bogan, Shirley Raye Glass, Duella Wood, Frances Sitter, Doris Nell Wilson, Joyce Dowell, Frankie Sue and Martha Joyce King, Willie Louelle Cobb, Beth Evonne Floyd.

Frances Hudzeitz, Joannie Mae Scott, Betty Jean Webb, Vada and Viola Appling, Alice Billy Cortis, John Kirby, Mary Evelyn Foster, Mary Lee Abbott, Ercy Glen Fulbright, Bobbie Crisp, Ruth Humphreys.

The program closed with a vocal ensemble, "Many Countries," by the entire class.

COBB AND FULBRIGHT PIANO RECITAL MAY 4

Miss Willie Louelle Cobb and Ercy Glen Fulbright were presented in a piano recital last Thursday evening in Mrs. Willie Boyett's studio at the grade school building.

Each musician played a number of selections that were pleasing to the guests.

At the close of the program, piano numbers were played by Misses Frances Hudzeitz, Evonne Floyd, Frances Sitter, Doris Nell Wilson and Duella Wood.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served to some 45 guests.

PTA MEETS WEDNESDAY

By Mrs. Luther Petty

The regular meeting of the P. T. A. was held Wednesday afternoon.

The program was given by the Boy Scouts and the Scoutmaster, Sam H. Branch. The program was as follows:

Scout Oath and Law—all scouts.

Safety on the Street—Glen Chilton.

Story on Safety—Mr. Branch.

Poem, "Home Coming"—Billy Carpenter.

Safety at Home—David Dwight.

Artificial Respiration—Robert Dwight and John Kirby.

Scout Song—all scouts, accompanied at the piano by Mr. Branch.

Boy Scout Benediction—all.

The following scouts were present: Harold and Herman Petty, Billy Carpenter, John Kirby, John Kelly Lee, Paul Bond, Bobby Campbell, Joe Cooke, Cris Clark, Glen Chilton, John Dwyer, Robert and David Dwight.

The president, Mrs. C. B. Batson, presided during the business session. A treasurer's report in full was given, showing \$201.94 being received during the year.

The installation of officers was not held, on account of the resignation of Mrs. H. C. Rippey as president and Mrs. Sammie Cubine as vice president. These places were filled by vote from the floor, with Mrs. Don Alexander being elected president and Mrs. H. I. Rupe vice president.

These, together with Mrs. C. A. Cryer, secretary; Mrs. R. T. Dickinson, treasurer; and Miss Rosalie Carter, publicity chairman, will serve as officers for the school term 1939-40.

Mr. Branch, principal of the grade school, expressed thanks to the P. T. A. for their assistance during the term.

Mr. Branch and Mrs. Luther Petty were reported 100% in attendance during this term.

E. L. Peirce says he expects to have his ice cream and cold drink stand open by Saturday.

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REBEKAHS INITIATE MEMBERS

The Shamrock Rebekah team was present at the local lodge meeting Monday evening and put on the degree work for three new candidates, D. N. Massey, Mrs. H. I. Rupe and Mrs. Bumgardner.

Those present from Shamrock were Messrs. and Mesdames O. T. Glasscock, J. D. Walker, Frank Stafford, W. E. Tarbet, G. H. Burkhalter, Howard Leake, S. P. Beasley; Mesdames Ellnor Howell, R. A. Nichols, Desie Blake, Mary Williams, F. C. Patridge, Jewel Rabo, W. G. Leake, Ewell Hardy, Andrew Neal, T. M. Wall, Rex Willoughby, P. W. Melton, Hattie Sherwood, and Rouse; Misses Gladys Moore and Annie Parrish.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE

Europe Veers Away From War After Der Fuehrer's Speech; New Peace Overtures Possible

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FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY Social Security Board Employment Service Office of Education National Youth Administration Civilian Conservation Corps

FEDERAL WORKS AGENCY Bureau of Public Roads Public Buildings Administration Buildings Management U. S. Housing Authority Public Works Administration Works Progress Administration

FEDERAL LOAN AGENCY Reconstruction Finance Corporation Electric Home and Farm Authority Home Owners' Loan Corporation Federal Home Loan Bank Board Federal Housing Administration Export-Import Bank

TO THE PRESIDENCY Budget Bureau Central Statistical Board National Resources Committee Federal Employment Stabilization Office

GOVERNMENTAL REORGANIZATION (SEE WHITE HOUSE) "To make democracy work... to ensure... free government..."

EUROPE: Prelude, Song, Postlude

Democracy was adamant one week before Der Fuehrer gave Reichstag and the world his answer to President Roosevelt's peace appeal. By four days before speech time Hitler had become adamant, Britain and the U. S. cautiously shifting their stand to show simultaneously that democracies (1) will not, and (2) can be persuaded to, participate in another Munich conference.



SIR NEVILLE HENDERSON Here von Ribbentrop had fun.

Britain showed appeasement inclinations by pushing her previously recalled ambassador, pro-Nazi Sir Neville Henderson, back to Berlin. Next day, as Nazi Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop delightedly kept Sir Neville waiting outside his door, Britain indignantly inaugurated her first peacetime conscription and presented parliament with a \$6,213,000,000 budget (of which 47 per cent will go for arms).

ened" nations as Ireland and Palestine, which—according to Hitler—have more to fear from English suppression than German aggression. Point-by-point rebuttal: (1) Mr. Roosevelt pointed to three European and one African nation whose independence has been terminated since 1936. Answer: What is "independence," anyway? Albania, Austria and Czechoslovakia really had their "independence" terminated after the World war. As for Africa, Mussolini's Ethiopian conquest merely followed a precedence of aggression established by France and Britain.



WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUELL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—Progressive education has been pushed around a lot lately. The Bellwether Lincoln school of New York has been back-schooled by New York tracking as See What Came Of Leaving Chap With \$2 Camera

But, at 22, here is Mr. Hare with a New York exhibit of camera portraiture, with President Roosevelt among his subjects, and with famous artists and photographers, including Arnold Genthe, cheering him as the "Leonardo da Vinci of the camera."

He is a tall, shy, personable young man, somewhat inarticulate, as he filters life through a lens, and hesitant in any other form of expression. As was the young Lindbergh. There is the same "We" combination here. Whether he knows the prepositions used with the ablative or whether he stumbled across the "Bridge of Asses" is not revealed.

OUT of the limbo of the past rises "Ole Bill," Bruce Bairnsfather's famous walrus-mustached cartoon character of World war days, to adorn recruiting posters being displayed throughout the United Kingdom.

Somehow, despite the wide and varied exploitation of Bill-books, lectures, a play, "The Better Ole," a syndicated piece and so forth—Bruce seemed to get the short end of it all. He is said to have received some \$10,000 out of \$500,000 earned by his black and white creation.

Mr. Weddell was educated at George Washington university law school and the University of Catania in Italy. Appointed private secretary to the minister to Denmark in 1908, he entered the consular service two years later as consul at Zanzibar.

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Charles Suval of Brooklyn, N. Y., brings us this tale, and it happened back in 1920, when Charley was in the army and attached to the 13th Field Artillery, stationed at the Schofield barracks near Honolulu. Hawaii has a pretty swell reputation here in the United States. It's supposed to be the next thing to paradise.

Soldiers don't get much chance to loaf around on the beaches. In fact, they're lucky if they ever see a beach. The Schofield barracks are 28 miles from town. In 1920, those barracks weren't either modern or comfortable.

"It was bad enough for us old-timers," says Charley, "but for the rookies it was plenty tough." Most of the old-timers like Charley had been stationed in the tropics before. They were used to it.

Strange, Moody Youngster Surprises Barrack Mates. There was a young lad in Charley Suval's outfit whom everybody spoke of as "The Kid." He was a quiet youngster from the first, but the longer he stayed at the Schofield barracks, the more quiet and more moody he became.



Then, suddenly, The Kid's gun went up. He fired.

damp and muggy that it seemed to stick to you like glue. We tried all sorts of dodges to keep cool, but none of them seemed to do any good. "One night, four of us, Corporal Bradley, Corporal Howe, a private and myself were trying to get some relief from the heat.

Those four lads recognized the sentry's voice. It was The Kid. Usually he was quiet and moody, but now his voice sounded sullen and angry.

The Kid had a 45 Army Colt out of its holster. As they came nearer, Charley saw that he had a wild, strange look in his eye. It might have been a warning to him, but it meant nothing to Bradley.

Then, suddenly, The Kid's gun went up. He fired! "Bradley," says Charley, "died before he hit the ground. Howe and the private stood looking stunned. My own brain was spinning around in circles, but instinctively I tackled The Kid around the legs, bringing him to his knees.

Charley says that by that time The Kid was a raving maniac. He fired a shot at Charley tackled him—and another at Howe as he came to Charley's aid. After that he kept right on shooting—shooting wild—shooting at anything in sight.

Charley had a grip on his gun hand. None of the shots had done any damage. But in the heat of the struggle Howe gave Charley a push. Charley lost his grip on The Kid's arm.

It was just for a second—but it was disastrous. The Kid had emptied his gun, and now he used that moment of freedom to take out the empty clip from his automatic and insert a fresh load of cartridges.

The first shot found its mark in Howe's stomach. The second bit into Charley's shoulder. Blood began to flow from the wound, and the sight of it made Charley mad. "I lost all caution," he says, "and all my ideas about taking The Kid into the barracks unhurt. I began looking around for a weapon, picked up a heavy stone and threw it as hard as I could, aiming straight for The Kid's head."

Both Howe and Bradley were dead when they picked them up. They were buried with full military honors. Charley went to the hospital, and by the time he got out, The Kid had been sent back to the States. Charley doesn't know what became of him—but he doesn't bear The Kid any ill feeling. After all, it wasn't his fault. You can lay the blame on the sun—and the heat—and those doggone mosquitoes.

Noah Webster's First Dictionary Published in 1828

The first edition of "Noah Webster's American Dictionary of the English Language" was published in New York in 1828. As early as 1783 he had published his "American Spelling Book," which sold by the millions down through the third quarter of the Nineteenth century.

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'Tis far away better to say something nice,
Or in some cases to gently throw
In some other cases you will have to talk twice,
Then offer apologies pretty concise.
If you do your best to make you some friends
You have a good chance to accomplish your ends.
'Tis far away better making friends with a brute
Than go aggravate and then have to shoot.
I'd rather have one kind hearted, true friend
Than cast pearls to the swine and cause them to rend.
You better sling taffy and do the soft soap
Than be a mad man and swing on a rope.

FOUNTAIN AND FLOW

By W. B. Andrews
I stood beside a little stream
That bubbled from the ground,
And merrily sent its waters forth
To spread their laughter 'round.
It was a happy little brook
That watered beast and flower,
But farther down a restless look
Came to it with increase of power.
And later on it sullen grew
As strength its strength increased,
'Till those who sought its shaded banks
Found naught of rest and peace.
Then finally a raging flood
In anger broke its bounds
And left a path of wreck and blood
Where happiness could not be found.
God, help me as I older grow,
And with the power of age increase,
The calm of childhood days to know
And keep youth's innocence and peace.

Advice from Representative Gene Worley states that those interested in securing appointment as notary public should write him before the legislature adjourns.

Mrs. Leon Waldrop has returned from Knox City, where she attended the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Howard Griffith.

Mrs. J. M. Noel visited her daughter and granddaughter at a Pampa hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan made a business trip to Pampa Friday.

E. J. Windom made a business trip to Pampa Friday.

Leslie Jones made a trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loter and son of Pampa visited the lady's mother, Mrs. Lala Young, Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Henderson has renewed her subscription to the News.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Miss Myrie Andrews visited in Pampa Monday.

Edwin and Miss Laura Lee Howard were in Pampa Monday.

The News editor acknowledges with thanks season ticket to the General Motors Press Club at the New York World's Fair.

Mrs. E. H. Kramer says to keep the home paper coming.

J. S. Dunlap of Slaton is a new reader of the News.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

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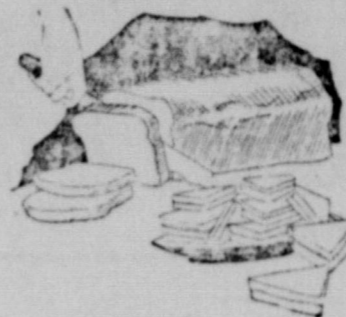
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CHAPTER XIX—Continued

Breck sprang up, shot by the suggestion of Irene's words. "What did Art say? Anything about a fire?" "It might have been that," she admitted.

"Tonight?" "He said later he had some important business," Irene sighed. "Please don't make me use my brain. It's tired."

Breck looked down into her face. It was wholly innocent of any definite knowledge. No doubt Art had bragged in vague terms; nothing she might repeat.

"Irene," he asked, "did Tillson give any names? Or places, or people?" She turned imploring eyes to him. "Must I think?"

"Enough to remember what you were talking about. Was any mountain or meadow brought up?"

Irene counted on her fingers. "I slept well last night and remarked on it. He said something about sleeping too. Then we talked some more. Then he bragged about knowing so much. He said if I would look at the sky tonight over—is there a sleeping mountain?"

"Sleeping Beauty," Breck urged. Irene shook her head with a little scowl. "I really don't know. Where are you going?"

Breck had untied Kit. Now he said quickly, "Promise me you'll say nothing about this."

"Have I told you something?" "Perhaps. Promise me."

"I'll not talk," Irene promised. He strode on to the telephone, dropped Kit's reins, and rang headquarters. Cook answered.

"Dad," Breck asked, "is Slim there? No, don't call him. Tell him to take the trail and meet me halfway. I've got some letters that must go out."

"It's sort of late in the afternoon," Cook began.

"They're important!" Breck cut in. He could not trust the wire. Too much chance of his word being intercepted from one of the patrol instruments.

A pause told that his meaning had gotten across.

"All right," Cook finished briefly and hung up.

Breck strapped on his gun and put an ax in the saddle scabbard. The whole thing might be a false clue; yet he read Art Tillson. The boy would boast to make himself big before Irene. After all, he had told nothing she could understand.

Sleeping Beauty mountain came into sight as he topped a rise in the trail some distance beyond Rock House. It rose on the eastern rim of the range, a high, barren crest sculptured in the form of a woman reclining, but the wooded lower slope offered dangerous fire country.

South of the mountain were the Pot-holes, and putting these conditions together, Breck formed tentative plans. They could be completed when he met Sierra Slim.

As he rode, his body grew tense, for that was the mood of the forest, and he strained to catch all sounds beyond the limit of his vision. Kit, too, listened, and it was he who stopped abruptly without command when they were still an hour from the summit.

Breck rose in his stirrups, motionless until there came a faint tuck ahead. Then he wheeled suddenly from the trail. Halting off in a lane of trunks, he sat waiting with his eyes upon a patch of light where that other rider must pass.

CHAPTER XX

In a short time the sharp ring of shoes on rock that had first warned him, came again, then broke into the rapid thud of a horse running up the dim path. Kit raised his head, instantly Breck gripped his nostrils, silencing him.

The sound approached in a reckless rush, with no attempt by the rider to move quietly. In a flash the other animal appeared in the lane where Breck watched, and glimpsing it he relaxed in his saddle. It was Sierra's patch horse; at the same time the lank figure was unmistakable.

Whirling Kit, Breck called, "Slim!"

Sierra halted. "You, pardner? Come ahead."

Breck moved back to the trail and stopped at the other man's side. "What's up?" he asked. "Running from someone?"

"Not any," Sierra grinned. "I was makin' that runkus so's you could hear me. Thought you'd be about this far."

Without going into details as to the source of his information, Breck told what he had learned. "The best way I can figure it," he finished, "is for me to go up Sleeping Beauty and lay for the fire-bug, while you watch the trail where the Tillsons will come out of Sulphur Creek. I have a hunch where that is."

Sierra wagged his head thoughtfully. "That might be the way to do it. Looks like the Tillson outfit is figurin' to use Quakin' Asp trail down the valley. But you and me had better stick together. Jud won't move till the fire's big and all us rangers is onto it. Looks like our play is to pick up the gentleman on Sleepin' Beauty first and see the color of his eyes. We might make him tell somethin'. How about it?"

"I guess you're right," agreed Breck.

"That's a big country over there," Sierra added. "One man alone could hardly watch it. Now let's do a little figurin'. A good place for fire is on the southwest side of the mountain. The nesters are just south of that. Wouldn't you say whoever's doin' the job would strike for the Pot-holes afterwards?"

"I thought so," said Breck. "They wouldn't want to meet me coming from Rock House, nor you and Cook from headquarters. That leaves their way open to the south."

Abruptly Slim wheeled his horse. "Then let's move. It's gettin' dark and too shut in here."

They went on, riding at a walk into the canyon mouth. "This will do," Sierra said at last. "I'll climb up to the left bank, you take the right. Don't go far on top—just set there and watch."

Breck turned Kit up the slope, moved for a time in the blackness of trees, but emerged again into starlight when he reached the back-bone. There he halted in the shadow of a pine snag with his face toward Sleeping Beauty. From this position the crest lost its human form, and his gaze swept over a high, dark mass of woods, broken only by the line of rock upon which he waited.

He glanced at his watch. Nine-thirty. Full night had come. It seemed if a fire were to be started, now was the time. As minutes passed and no flare shot through the black slope, he began to doubt his judgment. Kit grew restless and struck the rock with his forefoot.

"Easy boy," Breck soothed him, "you're not the only one."

Almost as he spoke, a yellow point of light came before his eyes. For an instant it failed to arouse him. It seemed nothing. Then abruptly he knew it was the fire, far up, hidden in the pines. Silence of the forest lay unbroken. He sat listening. There was no sound of flame. It was perhaps five minutes that he waited.

The clatter burst suddenly; someone was riding down the backbone, leaping a sure-footed horse over the rubble of rock. Breck remained behind his snag until the figure was within gun range, the moving Kit only a step, shouted, "Halt there! Hands up!"

Speed of approach was not slackened. A spurt of flame darted toward him. He answered with three shots from the Luger, aimed high; a fourth he put close to the man's side. A sharp oath burst out.

"Then halt!" Breck ordered. Now the rider was plainly visible up the ridge. He had obeyed, bringing his horse to a stand. Breck advanced, saying again, "Hands up, there."

Response was slow. Breck was within a few feet when at last two arms started up. Suddenly in the movement one was flung out. A heavy gun grazed Breck's cheek. He dodged and the next instant swung a left-handed blow against the fellow's jaw. The man toppled from his saddle. His horse, freed, plunged on down the ridge.

It was done in a minute. Breck leaped to the ground and with the Luger in his prisoner's face, ordered him to his feet. Then with a length of tie rope, he bound his arms. Neither spoke.

From across the canyon came sounds of a horse scrambling downward. For a time the animal was lost in the bottom, but present burst through a brush patch.

"All right, Slim," Breck called. "Over here."

Sierra rode up. "By the kiss of Judas!" he exclaimed, bending down to look at the prisoner.

"Do you know this fellow?" Breck asked.

"Hell yes! Worked trail for us one year. Got himself fired for stealin' dynamite and sellin' it. After that he turned nester. Hard to tell what

he is now." Sierra shifted in his saddle. "Tillson pay you right well for this job, Cowan?"

The man looked up sullenly from a black-bearded face, but said nothing.

Breck swung to his horse. "We'd better hit that fire, Slim, before it gets away from us."

"Right, pardner," Sierra jerked a thumb toward the one afoot. "Bring him along. If he don't run fast enough, drag him."

They climbed the ridge, with Breck leading his captive on a rope. The fire was in brush, yet had not had time to eat far, and they circled it at once, Breck chopping a line with his ax, Sierra shoveling earth onto the flames. In half an hour it could be left to burn itself out.

Returning to where he had left Kit and the man, both tied to a tree, Breck mounted immediately, then gave his prisoner over to Sierra.

"He's all yours, Slim. Which way do you go from here? I'm dropping down to Temple where I can call Cook."

"Me, I'll head straight north," Sierra answered. "Just you sleep light from now on."

That was his casual farewell.

It was past one o'clock in the morning when Breck reached Temple's cow camp. He rode through a meadow with cattle lying in dark blobs on slivery, dew-laden grass, then came to the corral, and continued beyond them, purposely avoiding the two cabins as he approached the forest service telephone. So far he had aroused no sign of life. He hoped to put in his call without waking Temple and Louise.

But as he cranked four rings and stood waiting, one cabin door opened and the old man peered out. Temple had not stopped to dress, but was prepared with a rifle across the bend in his arm. Breck turned away as headquarters answered.

"Hello, Cook," he said, and let the sound of his voice give identity. Nor in the brief report did he tell his location. "All OK," he offered tersely. "Slim is bringing back my mail."

The line became silent. Then: "Good enough. I'll call you later."

Breck closed the iron box. Tom Temple had drawn on his boots and breeches and stood a short distance from his cabin. Breck motioned with one arm, saying as the man approached, "Sorry to get you up. Those bells do sound loud at night."

"No matter," Temple asserted. "I heard you before you rang. Thought maybe someone was looking over my horses." He pointed his rifle toward the corral. "Got some good stuff in there tonight; JG sent 'em over for the rodeo."

Temple shivered. "Gettin' cold out here. Will you put up, Ranger?"

"Thanks, but I've got to go on," Breck swung into his saddle, and then, riding away from camp, cast a swift glance backward.

Curtains at one window of the other cabin moved slightly. It might have been the wind.

In the first light of dawn he came again into the bowl of Rock House, for he had pushed Kit rapidly, calculating that Sierra would reach headquarters about the same time he returned to his own station. Cook would then call him at once.

His deduction was right. The telephone rang shortly after he had unsaddled.

"I'm coming over," was the whole of Cook's message.

That meant four hours in which Breck could sleep; and he suddenly felt the need of it. A few minutes later, when he lay fully dressed upon his bunk, Sierra Slim's parting words came back, and he dropped into the shadows with the

Luger on a wall peg near his head. It seemed his hand was still on the gun, placing it, when the thud of a horse aroused him. Instantly he swung his legs from the bunk. An animal had come up to the tie rack beyond the cabin window. Then he saw Dad Cook.

The door opened and the ranger came in, throwing down his saddle bags and giving his hat a fling toward the table. "Howdy, son. Getting a little shut-eye? Guess you need it. Pretty good job of work you did last night."

Breck stood up, thoroughly awake now, and curious.

"What's our next move?" he asked.

"Ain't ours; it's theirs." Cook dropped onto a bench.

Breck returned to the edge of his bunk. "What do you mean?"

"A man in Jud Tillson's business," Cook explained, "can't have his plans go wrong more than once. You jumped onto his fire and took a prisoner. Jud's going to find out how come you knew all that before he does another thing. He's going to settle with someone and that means getting out in the open."

"Won't he settle things in his own camp first?" Breck asked.

The ranger's gray brows knitted sharply. "You don't say a Tillson talked?"

Breck nodded. "Art and a girl." "Well by God!" Cook paused; surveyed his boot toes, then looked up with a slow smile. "Don't that beat hell. I never thought that was how you come to find out."

"Don't mistake Art," Breck advised him. "He probably doesn't know he told, and the girl is ignorant of it. I put things together and took a chance."

"And it worked," the ranger finished, "that's all we care about. What I said first still goes. Jud is bound to come out of his hole now. He may light on you. That's why I'm here—we'll go double for awhile."

"Where's Slim?" Breck asked.

"Gone to Lone Tree with your prisoner. He'll bring a couple of good men back and meet us at Temple's rodeo, tomorrow. I'm guessing some more, but I don't think I'm far off. That gathering over there will be a good place to start trouble. In this country lots of parties end up in shooting. Women make dam' fine excuses for gun-play. Tillson may add to his gang for this special occasion. On our side there'll be me, and Sierra, and the two he's bringing along, and you'll be the center of interest. How do you feel about that?"

Breck shrugged.

Cook smoked in silence. Presently he stood up. "Is your Senator friend around? I'd like to spend the afternoon getting acquainted." A quizzical smile spread over his leathery face. "And I'd sure admire to meet the girl that could make a Tillson talk!"

CHAPTER XXI

In matters of rodeo entertainment, Tom Temple was no short-horn. He knew the fundamentals, plenty of action and plenty to eat—and how to supply them. This was his day.

About noon Breck came over the ridge trail and halted his party where they could look down on the cattleman's meadow. The scene had changed miraculously. The camp that had always been a quiet, secluded spot, now swarmed with life; horses filled the corrals and were tied among the trees; men and girls moved in front of the cabins; smoke rose from barbecue pits in a clearing close to the stream; and the forest echoed with shouts, talk and laughter.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Words 'Debonair,' 'Quality,' Among Some That Have Passed Along With Macassar Oil

The word, "debonair," was once very debonair. Sixty years ago, or so, it was made to do heavy duty, properly and otherwise. But styles change and words change with them. And today, we hesitate to say "debonair" even when that is the only word, observes a writer in the Washington Post.

In the late 1860s and early 1870s a few old gentlemen, who had been debonair in their younger days, still wore blue swallow-tail coats with large silver buttons and adorned their necks with stocks. That style had been debonair once; in the sixties it was in use only by age, dignity and quality.

And here's another excellent word that has gone into the discard, "quality." "The quality" meant those of entrenched social position. Socialite is not quite the same thing; it is something lighter, fluffier, more evanescent; and is not always quite debonair.

About the time gentlemen wore swallow-tails in daylight—and sometimes sported flowered waistcoats—they also used Macassar oil on their hair and parted it in the back as well as in the front, so that when they wore "white chokers," it was difficult for a near-sighted person to tell whether they were coming or going.

The young men of that period were quite debonair; they affected more modern raiment and perfumed themselves with eau de Cologne, bay rum and Florida water. As far as nature permitted they cultivated curly hair, flowing locks of the Byronic type, and burnisides. But, whether they were young or

old, Macassar oil was frequently present; and always suspected.

Now, Macassar oil, even a touch of it, would soil upholstery; and, while gentlemen were not supposed to loll or lounge in the presence of ladies, they did laugh and sometimes threw their heads back touching the back of the chair or sofa.

And, thereupon, arose the necessity for the anti-Macassar; which was a device for protecting the fine damask, satin, or silk-rip with which the furniture was upholstered. This anti-Macassar, or to speak plainly, tidy, was a bit of crocheted work, always white, pinned to the chair or sofa at a point where the head would most likely touch. But it has gone.

The Early Americans

From data accumulated, archeologists are of the opinion that, long ages ago, the Americas were at least partly populated by a race of Caucasian stock that came from Polynesia and other parts of south-eastern Asia and found its way to the western coast of South America by way of the Caroline Islands and Easter Island. The sun circles and domes built by these white men in Peru closely resemble prehistoric examples in central Asia, Europe and England. The hair of the oldest mummies left by their descendants is yellow and red and very fine—much different from that of the Aztecs and other early inhabitants. It is also known that they used iron tools and were highly skilled in masonry, using building methods and architectural design found in Asia and Europe.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for May 14

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PAUL EVANGELIZES A PROVINCE

LESSON TEXT—Acts 19:1, 8-10; 20:17-21; Ephesians 2:19-22.
GOLDEN TEXT—But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ.—Ephesians 2:13.

The Christian Church (that great organization which outwardly represents in the world the mystical organism which is the true Church) seems to be "stalled," if we may borrow a word from the automobilist. Just like a well-designed and carefully built machine which has "died" on the road.

Perhaps the lesson for today may serve to stir up some of us to the responsibility of the Church, and particularly of its individual members, for an aggressive testimony for Christ. Certainly Paul knew nothing of the defeatism which seems to have laid its paralyzing hand on present-day Christianity. Our lesson finds him again making the rounds of the churches he had earlier been used to establish. He knew of their dangers, the tendencies to backslide, the need of new life in the daily conversion of others, and he went about that business with the flaming zeal of an evangelist, with the tender compassion of a pastor, and always with the vision of the heavenly goal before him. Let us learn of Paul.

I. The Evangelist—Fearless and Tireless (Acts 19:1, 8-10).

At Ephesus Paul did the work of an evangelist with such a passion for souls and such power from God that even his enemy, Demetrius, testified (Acts 19:26) that "not alone at Ephesus but almost throughout all Asia this Paul hath persuaded and turned away much people" from their heathen worship. He met great opposition both in the synagogue (v. 9) and from the worshippers of Diana (Acts 19:23-41). But he also found that God had opened for him "a great door and effectual" (I. Cor. 16:9), and we read that many believed and showed their faith by destroying the books of heathendom which were in their homes (Acts 19:19).

Are the days of such evangelism gone? Since only the power of God can explain what was accomplished by Paul, the answer would depend on the reply to the question, Has the power and purpose of God changed? Obviously the answer is "No." God is the same, and when we are ready to meet His spiritual requirements He will move again in mighty power. Am I ready? Are you ready?

II. The Pastor—Lover of Souls (Acts 20:17-21).

Having completed his journey through Macedonia and Achaia, Paul is hurrying back to Jerusalem, and not having time to stop at Ephesus he sends for the elders to meet him at Miletus, the nearest seaport. He recalls to them the experiences which he has passed through, tells them of the bonds and afflictions which await him, but above all he wants to admonish and encourage them to go on for Christ. As a pastor who has been true to God and faithful in his ministry, he is able to point to his own walk and work among them as an example, doing this in all humility. Pastor, shall we ask ourselves if we could do the same, or would we need to blush in shame over our failures?

Especially noteworthy is Paul's reference to having gone from house to house as well as teaching publicly. The work of the pulpit or from the teacher's desk loses much of its savor and usefulness if not backed up by personal contact. Some men who preach well, excuse themselves from pastoral work on the ground that they are really preachers, not pastors. Others love to do pastoral work but do not apply themselves to the work of the study, and so they say their calling is that of a pastor rather than a preacher. Brethren, let us face that matter honestly and perhaps we shall find that we are simply taking the line of least resistance. Paul had none of that spirit. He preached with all zeal and power, but he also went from house to house, "serving the Lord with all humility of mind and with many tears."

III. Fellow Citizen in God's Household (Eph. 2:19-22).

The evangelist and pastor here reminds his Ephesian converts that they have entered a goodly fellowship—"the household of God"—and have become "fellow citizens with the saints."

Some folk are called "joiners" because they like to join every possible society, organization, lodge, or what not. Well, here is the supreme fellowship of all, which knows no barrier of race, creed, social position, age, sex, or nationality, and which brings us into fellowship with the eternal God Himself. You may "join" if by faith you will take the Lord Jesus Christ as your personal Saviour and thus enter into eternal life. Will you join God's people now?

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THE McLEAN NEWS

Hats, Print Silk Frocks Go Definitely Pretty-Pretty

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



DEDICATED to prettiness, to womanly charm, to romance, to the poetry of life are the fashions that hold forth this season. It would almost seem as if the new hats and gowns had entered into a conspiracy to see how adorable they can make woman-kind look in distractingly lovely frills and furbelows, in fashion whimsies that beguile, in colors radiant and gay together with all the vainglorious little details that bring to full bloom the endearing charms of the wearer.

Fashions this spring and for summer are of the pretty-pretty sort that men delight in seeing their ladies wear. The provocative colorings, the daintiness of frail ruffles and immaculate touches that flutter about throat and wrist, the flattery and mystery of whimsical veils that half conceal, half reveal the witchery of her eyes, the glamor of her jewels and amusing costume gadgets, the loveliness of the flowers she wears—beaux and bachelors beware, there's danger in them there trends of fashion!

If there is one costume more than another that is essential to the "picture" this season it is the gown of winsome, ever-flattering silk print to which a hat that rates high in glamor plays dramatic accompaniment. See a trio of just such portrayed in the illustration. They stand for all that is utterly feminine and charm-full in the current fashion scene.

Paris says "horizontals" as shown to the right in the pretty-pretty printed silk sheer featuring bands of realistically colored flowers, full-blown roses to be explicit, that contrast a dark ground alternating with narrower bands in light monotone. The full skirt, topped with a two-tone grosgrain that ties in a bow, is attuned to slim lines by means of full length side pleats. The horse-hair disk that serves as a most fetching and youthful hat is held in

place by velvet ribbon, with flowers clustered over the hair, altogether a picture that bespeaks the very essence of youth and beauty in fashion.

Color and charm from a Victorian flower garden are recaptured in the purple and green silk print that fashions the dress centered in the picture. Shirred detail gives a softly flattering line to the bodice and sunburst pleating in the skirt. The two-tone grosgrain girdle is accented by a nosegay of flowers repeating the theme of the silk print.

Speaking of millinery that has gone sweetly feminine, take a look at the demure velvet-tied bonnet which the young modern to the left in the group is wearing. You can tell at a glance that this quaint model is inspired by the lines of the bonnets of Civil War days. Which goes to show that old fashions are repeating in new fashions this season, which is really a striking characteristic of trends running throughout the entire gamut of present modes. As to the charming dress she wears it is made of a "sanitized" silk print as are also each of the other frocks shown, this being a new process that deodorizes and keeps your materials antiseptic (germ free and germ repellent). The print glorifies a fuchsia color theme. Pleating at the top of the sleeves is released to puff the shoulders and the skirt is cut with a becoming swing flare.

The printed silks fashionable for evening wear are simply gorgeous, the wallpaper-design flower motifs are in some instances almost overwhelmingly enormous, achieving an effect of imposing elegance. Another important trend is toward rustling plaid taffeta for formal party frocks. © Western Newspaper Union.

Amusing Variety In Lapel Gadgets

The new collections of lapel jewelry include amusing themes as well as flower effects that are really beautiful. In the former category one cites bees, birds, animals, butterflies, grotesque figurettes and gadgets many of which trace their ancestry to characters that appear in Alice in Wonderland stories.

The new flower sprays done in jewels in porcelain and various compositions are veritable works of art. These are really conspicuously beautiful and elaborate, created as they are of colorful sparkling jewels to represent flowers of every description. A jewel flower piece will prove a joy the entire season through as it "dresses up" a costume at a moment's notice.

Rick-Rack Is Used To Trim Organdy

If you are working with organdy try trimming it with rick-rack braid. You'll be delighted with results. White on white is lovely. Colored rick-rack on cloque printed organdy is effective also. Dark linen daytime frocks are given color-dash via rick-rack that is used in several hues, such as for instance a border effect of red, yellow, green, blue and white braid sewed together, trimming a navy linen.

With Navy Green
With navy green an important factor in the spring picture, several interesting new color combinations will be possible.

Hand Crocheted



Just right for the pig-tail crowd—this cunning suspender skirt, hand-crocheted in sturdy pearl cotton. Fashion-right in every detail, it has such a grown-up air any little girl will be thrilled with it. It is that practical mother will be more than repaid for the time and effort given to crocheting it. In fact, it will prove a real joy and blessing in your child's wardrobe—washes out in a jiffy as spic and span as new and no ironing required, is stylish as can be, and with a fresh blouse each day turns little daughter out smart and as immaculate looking as if she had just "stepped out from a band-box."

FARM TOPICS

URGES RUBBER TIRES FOR FARM TRACTORS

Work Faster, Rutgers Researchers Find.

By **E. R. GROSS**

The rubber tire constitutes one more step in the progress of farm machinery. It costs about the same to operate a tractor at part load as at full load, and tractors on rubber tires work faster, more economically and last longer than they do on steel, it has been determined by tests at Rutgers university.

Farm machinery and wagons also have lighter draft on rubber. The rubber tire increases the effectiveness of the machine and the operator by making it possible to do more work in less time and with less wear and tear.

The farmer is interested in tractor use because it is cheaper to feed a tractor during the time of operation than to feed horses all the time. This is one of the reasons why tractors have superseded horses to so great an extent. Other reasons include: The tractor conserves man time; it does not need to rest at night; it can work in extreme summer heat; it reduces farm chores; it requires little attention when not working. These things the farmer recognized and appreciated as soon as he learned that he could place dependence in the tractor.

The tractor is being improved steadily. Additional operating speeds and rubber tires are among the important improvements made so far. The tractor will travel faster with less slippage and will pull more with less fuel on rubber tires than on steel rims with lugs. This is a general statement but conditions vary so much for different jobs that one cannot reduce it to an exact per cent of extra power and fuel or time saved.

Rubber tires are also being used on other farm machines and wagons. They reduce draft and make it possible to pull heavier loads with the same power. The rubber tire has opened new possibilities of tractor loading, using the right size machine, combinations of machines and selecting proper operating speeds. The greater use of high gear for field operations and for hauling on the road is now recognized. So, with rubber-tired tractors, farm machines and wagons, the farmer can work faster, save time and fuel and, at the same time, reduce the jolting and strain on equipment generally increasing its life.

American Oats Output Exceeds Other Nations

The United States' oats crop, like our corn crop, far outclasses that of any other nation in the world. According to reports of the United States department of agriculture the American oats crop for 1937 totaled 1,146,258,000 bushels. This was 38.56 per cent of the world total of 4,423,000,000 bushels.

In the drought year of 1936 the United States produced 785,506,000 bushels, or 19.4 per cent of the world crop of 4,043,000,000 bushels. In the preceding year domestic production reached 1,194,902,000 bushels, or 39.4 per cent of the world crop of 4,715,000,000 bushels.

Other leading oats producing countries in 1937 were Germany, with 404,394,000 bushels; France, 313,987,000 bushels; Canada, 291,622,000; Poland, 186,034,000; United Kingdom, 165,000,000; Czechoslovakia, 94,545,000; Sweden, 86,475,000; Argentina, 48,915,000, and Finland, 46,159,000. Accurate figures on the Russian oats crop are not available but it is generally considered to be among the largest.

In bushels produced the oats crop ranked second to corn, which totaled 5,050,000,000 bushels. The other principal crops were wheat, barley, and rye in that order.

Hard Corns on Fowls

Hard corns can be seen upon the feet of many old fowls without appearing to cause the bird any inconvenience. When abscesses form through infection, however, the condition may be more serious. The commonly advised curative measure, says the Rural New-Yorker, is to open the abscess freely, flush out the cavity with some simple disinfectant, and place the affected bird upon soft, clean litter. Joint abscesses may be caused by tubercular infection of the joint, when no treatment is indicated except to get rid of the possible carrier of the infection to healthy fowls.

Farm Population

Farms continue to be the chief sources of increased population in the United States. More than 719,000 babies were born on farms during 1937, and 341,000 of the farm population died. This leaves a net increase of 378,000 persons. In addition to this number, 288,000 more people moved from farms to town than those that moved in the other direction. The net increase in farm population in 1937 was, therefore, 666,000 persons.

What to Eat and Why

C. Houston Goudiss Gives Timely Advice on Planning Meals for Languid Appetites

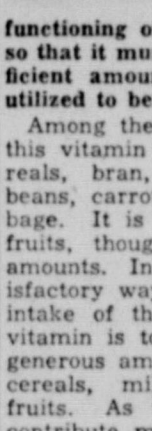
By **C. HOUSTON GOUDISS**

AS THE weather begins to get warmer, many families develop a finicky attitude toward food. They come to the table with little appetite and claim that nothing tastes good. Before you reproach them, however, give some thought to the type of meals you are serving. Do they contain an abundance of crisp, succulent greens which tempt the eye and the palate and furnish important minerals and vitamins? Do they include juicy fruits with their refreshing flavors and appetite-stimulating fruit acids? Have you cut down somewhat on carbohydrates and fats? Or are you still offering enough energy foods at each meal to supply the fuel requirements of cold winter days?

A carefully chosen diet is an excellent remedy for the let-down feeling that both children and adults often experience at this season. For science has discovered what food substances are necessary to promote appetite and digestion, to help maintain buoyant health.

Obtaining the Appetite Vitamin

We know for example that when the appetite is poor, there may be a deficiency of that part of the vitamin B-complex which nutritionists call B. There is both experimental and clinical evidence that this vitamin is essential for the maintenance of a keen appetite. In addition, it is also required for the normal functioning of the digestive tract, so that it must be provided in sufficient amounts if food is to be utilized to best advantage.



Among the foods which supply this vitamin are whole grain cereals, bran, eggs, milk, peas, beans, carrots, spinach and cabbage. It is also found in many fruits, though usually in lesser amounts. In general, a most satisfactory way to insure a liberal intake of the appetite-promoting vitamin is to include in the diet generous amounts of whole grain cereals, milk, vegetables and fruits. As these foods likewise contribute many other necessary substances, they rate a prominent place in the dietary.

Foods That Build Blood

It is also extremely important that menus for finicky eaters should be rich in iron. For this mineral is necessary for the formation of the hemoglobin or red pigment in the blood—and it is the hemoglobin that carries purifying oxygen to every cell in the body. Iron-rich foods include liver, eggs, whole grain cereals, dried fruits, and green, leafy vegetables. I have repeatedly urged the generous consumption of green, leafy vegetables, and I cannot too strongly emphasize their importance as a source of iron, as well as other essential minerals; and vitamins.

Keep the Diet Laxative

Another piece of advice that warrants repetition is my frequent recommendation that you include in the diet adequate amounts of bulky foods. These are necessary

to help promote normal elimination. If your menus contain too many highly concentrated foods, irregular health habits may result. And that in itself may be responsible for a feeling of lassitude and a lack of interest in eating. Here again fruits and vegetables are important. Together with whole grain cereals and breads, they constitute our most important source of bulk or cellulose.

Get Plenty of Milk

Milk is another food that should be used generously, because it contains such a wide assortment of protective substances. It is our foremost source of calcium, which is required for the teeth, bones and for sound healthy nerves. And it contains every known vitamin in varying amounts.

If your family does not care for milk as a beverage, make frequent use of cheese which is essentially milk in concentrated form. And use milk freely in sauces and for making desserts. It can also be incorporated in nourishing cream soups, to be served for luncheon or supper. Follow the soup with a salad made from crisp greens and including a protein food, such as cheese, nuts, or hard-cooked eggs. And top off with a fruit dessert. This type of meal appeals to the appetite and provides substantial amounts of minerals and vitamins.

Salads Twice a Day

A crisp appetizer salad makes a good beginning for the main meal of the day. A combination of watercress, dandelion greens, lettuce or shredded cabbage, with fruit, or a small amount of a savory fish paste will intrigue the most reluctant appetite. And when the salad is served at the beginning of a meal, you can be sure that it will be eaten before the hunger is satisfied.

Another way to get additional vegetables into a meal is to mold them in gelatin and serve as a dinner salad. Or an assortment of fruits can be treated in the same way and used as a combination salad and dessert. If prepared gelatin desserts are used, a wide variety of color and flavor combinations can be achieved with very little effort; and children will eat them with relish.

You'll be surprised to discover how quickly interest can be stimulated by serving familiar foods in a new way!

Questions Answered

Mrs. G. M. F.—The green outer leaves of lettuce or cabbage are richer in vitamin A than the colorless leaves at the inside of the head. For this reason, it's advisable to shred them and use for a salad or sandwiches. © WNU—C. Houston Goudiss—1939—62.

Making a Practical Valance for a Bed



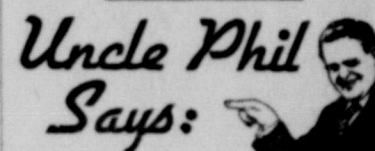
By **RUTH WYETH SPEARS**

A SMART new house it was, and all the curtains and slipcovers were made by following my sketches in Book 1, SEWING, for the Home Decorator! But when we came to the second floor it was my turn to get a few pointers.

The treatment of each of the two principal bedrooms was quite different. One was very simple with a lovely old quilt used for a bedspread; the other was in flowery glazed chintz with strong accents of bright greenish blue. Both beds required a valance that would not be removed with the spread at night.

Here is the flowered bedspread and the small sketch shows you how the valance problem was solved. As my clever young hostess pointed out, this is really a bright idea because the valance and its foundation make a cover for the springs in case they are not the boxed type.

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It is nice to celebrate Mother's Day, but we venture the thought that every mother appreciates the little daily attentions from her family much more than any formal celebration, however impressive it may be.

Mayor Smith says that the topping of the residence streets that have been calched should be finished early this summer. The mayor is to be congratulated on this fine piece of work.

There is need for a uniform traffic law and there is little excuse for delay in adopting it. City, state and federal laws should be made to conform, in order that motorists might be familiar through constant practice in any place they happen to be.

Rev. Troy A. Sumrall, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is conducting a revival meeting at the Line Avenue Baptist Church in Amarillo.

Mrs. W. W. Wilson was in Shamrock Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. M. W. Ratterree of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith and Mrs. T. N. Holloway were in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mrs. S. J. Dyer and daughter, Miss Hazel, were in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Buskirk visited the Carlsbad Caverns last week end.

Lee Atwood of Borger visited home folks here last week end.

Mrs. J. W. Burrows is a new reader of the News.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walcer of Canadian visited Mrs. L. E. Cunningham Saturday. They also visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrod, at Alanreed.

Mrs. L. E. Cunningham has our thanks for a renewal subscription for her grandson, Roy Lasswell, who is stationed with the U. S. Navy at Bremerton, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey and daughter, Dora Mae, visited relatives at Logan, N. M., last week and attended the funeral of the lady's cousin, little Miss Joene Willis.

Mrs. D. A. Davis visited her son, Marvin, at Panhandle last week. She was accompanied home by her grandchildren, Barbara Ann and Marvin Alec, who spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Piper and son of Stinnett visited the former's aunt, Mrs. L. E. Cunningham, Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Christian.

Mrs. H. M. Roth and Miss Hettie Burr attended a council meeting of home demonstration clubs in the office of Mrs. Julia E. Kelley in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis, accompanied by their grandchildren, Barbara Ann and Marvin Alec Davis of Panhandle, visited relatives at Childress over the week end.

Mrs. T. H. Andrews and daughter, Miss Myrtle, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. H. C. Westberry, at Shamrock Thursday.

The News editor acknowledges with thanks complimentary ticket to the West Texas chamber of commerce luncheon at Abilene, May 16.

Constable C. G. Nicholson orders the home paper sent to his son, D. V., at the navy training station at San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Paul Kennedy and little daughter of Skellytown are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Massey of Amarillo visited Sunday in the home of the lady's sister, Mrs. A. J. Worley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay E. Thompson and son, Aubrey, of Lubbock visited the former's mother, Mrs. R. S. Thompson, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Bogan, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Greene attended the Lions convention in El Paso last week end.

Mrs. C. J. Cash visited relatives at Weatherford last week. She was accompanied by her niece, Mrs. E. L. Norman, and Mr. Norman of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson and little daughter, Betty Ruth, visited the former's sister, Mrs. John Dudney, and family in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black and children left Saturday for Deport, where the lady will take medical treatment.

Mrs. T. A. Landers and Mrs. S. W. Rice visited relatives and friends in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adrian visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thompson, in Amarillo one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. M. G. Armstrong of Lefors visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Rice, Friday.

Luther Petty and family were business visitors in Shamrock Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and children have moved to McLean from Shamrock.

Mrs. John Pogue and children went to Missouri Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. M. W. Ratterree and son of Wichita Falls visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pettit visited their daughter, Mrs. Wheeler Carter, at Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Watkins of Rails visited her sister, Mrs. D. C. Carpenter, last week end.

Mrs. E. G. Wood is visiting relatives in Sapulpa and Oklahoma City this week.

Jesse Dickinson of Amarillo visited his brothers, R. T. and J. P., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey took their son to Amarillo this week for treatment.

Mrs. D. A. Davis was in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Vestie Smith was a visitor in Amarillo Friday.

Ruel Smith made a business trip to Borger and Slinnett Friday.

Constable Henry Saffet of Lefors was in McLean Friday.

Thurman Adkins of Shamrock was in McLean Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hinton were in Pampa Friday.

Estel Bowen made a business trip to Shamrock Wednesday.

Johnnie Merial was in Clarendon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips moved to Dumas Saturday.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—Pure Watson cotton seed. See H. E. Franks, McLean, or Harry Gordon, Franks Ranch. 2p

FOR SALE—Nice home grown hegarri seed from certified seed, \$2.00 per 100 at my farm 5 1/2 miles east of McLean on 66 Highway. Also nice cane seed. R. O. Cunningham. 1c

SHOE REPAIRING—all work guaranteed. John Merte. 1c

PAYMASTER cotton seed, bred especially for the Panhandle. Bowea Feed Store. 1c

FOR SALE—Pure Acala 8 cotton seed, \$1.00 per bushel. Harris King.

FOR RENT—Two room house. Mrs. Laura Byerly, phone 178.

FOUND—Car key. Prove property and pay for this adv. News office.

John Harris of Claude was in McLean on business Thursday.

DR. A. W. HICKS
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 Office Hours 8:30-6:00
 Phone 230

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Water well casing and pumping equipment, oil field supplies, pipe straightening, bending, shopping, general welding. Cash paid for all used goods, for lumber, for pipe, pipe fittings, heavy machine and shop equipment, sheet and scrap iron, metals, etc., etc.
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 Rubble design (rough hand hewn hard rock effect) ideal for residences, basements, business buildings, retaining walls, foundations, terraces, curbing, rock fences, etc., etc. Dimensions 8"x8"x16". 15c each. F. H. A. Loans.

C. A. Watkins made a business trip to Amarillo last week.
 Kenneth Odell and Miss Hazel Dyer visited in Pampa Sunday.
 Frank Williams of College Station was in McLean the first of the week.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wills of Borger visited in McLean Monday.

M. M. Newman made a business trip to Pampa the first of the week.
 Miss Peggy Greer visited relatives in Amarillo over the week end.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Davis made a business trip to Oklahoma Tuesday.
 Miss Mary Dell Parrish of Ennis, Okla., visited friends here Sunday.


PUCKETT'S

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

GREEN BEANS fresh	per lb	5c
NEW SPUDS	per lb	3c
STRAWBERRIES Sat.	only	? ?
COMPOUND Wilson's Advance	4 lb carton	39c
FRESH CORN (subject to delivery)	doz	40c
CRISCO	3 lb can	53c
COFFEE Folger's	1 lb	26c
TOMATOES	4 No. 2 cans	25c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	2 N. 2 cans	15c
TOMATO JUICE Del Monte	3 No. 1	20c
SAL. DRESSING Mirace 1	Whip qt	37c
JELL-O	each	5c
MATCHES Rosebud	carton	20c
CRACKERS Sunray	2 lb	13c
PICKLES sour	quart	12c
ROAST brisket or rib	per lb	12 1/2c
BUTTER Gate City	per lb	24c
BACON Rex sliced	per lb	22c
OLEO	per lb	12 1/2c

We close our store at 6:30 p. m. except Saturday

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 Every Wednesday

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 Lathe Work—any kind of repairs.
 Have your automobile and tractor repairs made by us. Regular inspections mean less money for replacements.

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SPRING Opening
 May 19 and 20

We will have our store front and windows remodeled with new awnings, etc., and will hold our formal Spring Opening May 19 and 20, with one of the largest and most modern stocks we have ever had.

We extend an invitation to everyone to visit us on opening days.

Last Minute Gifts
 for
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 Pangburn's Candy, Perfumes, Toilet Articles, Airmaid Hosiery, Electric Goods Etc., Etc.
 Come in for many suggestions.

SPECIAL PRICES
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City Drug Store
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- ONLY V-8 ENGINES** in any low-priced car; smoother, more responsive, more fun to drive.
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