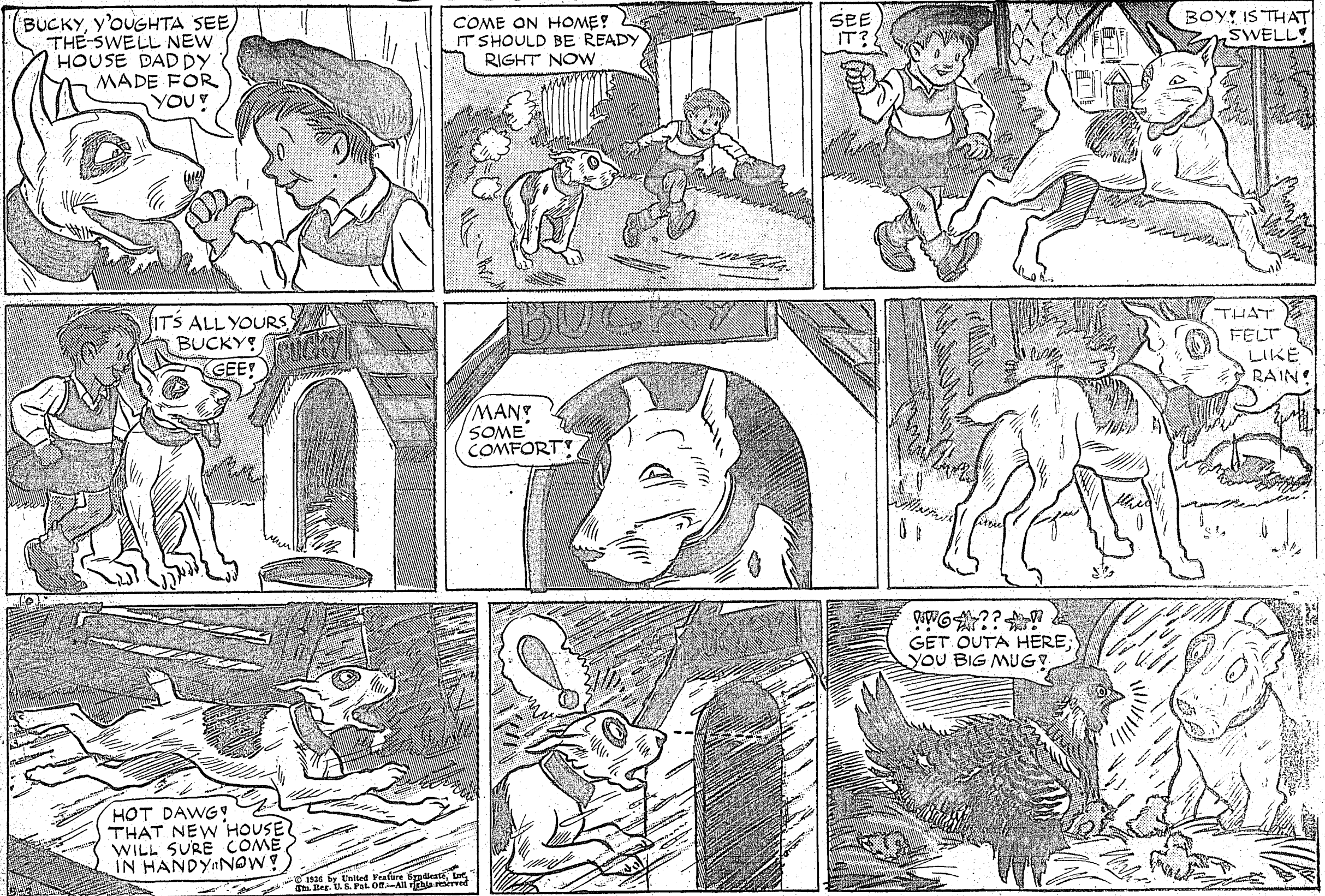


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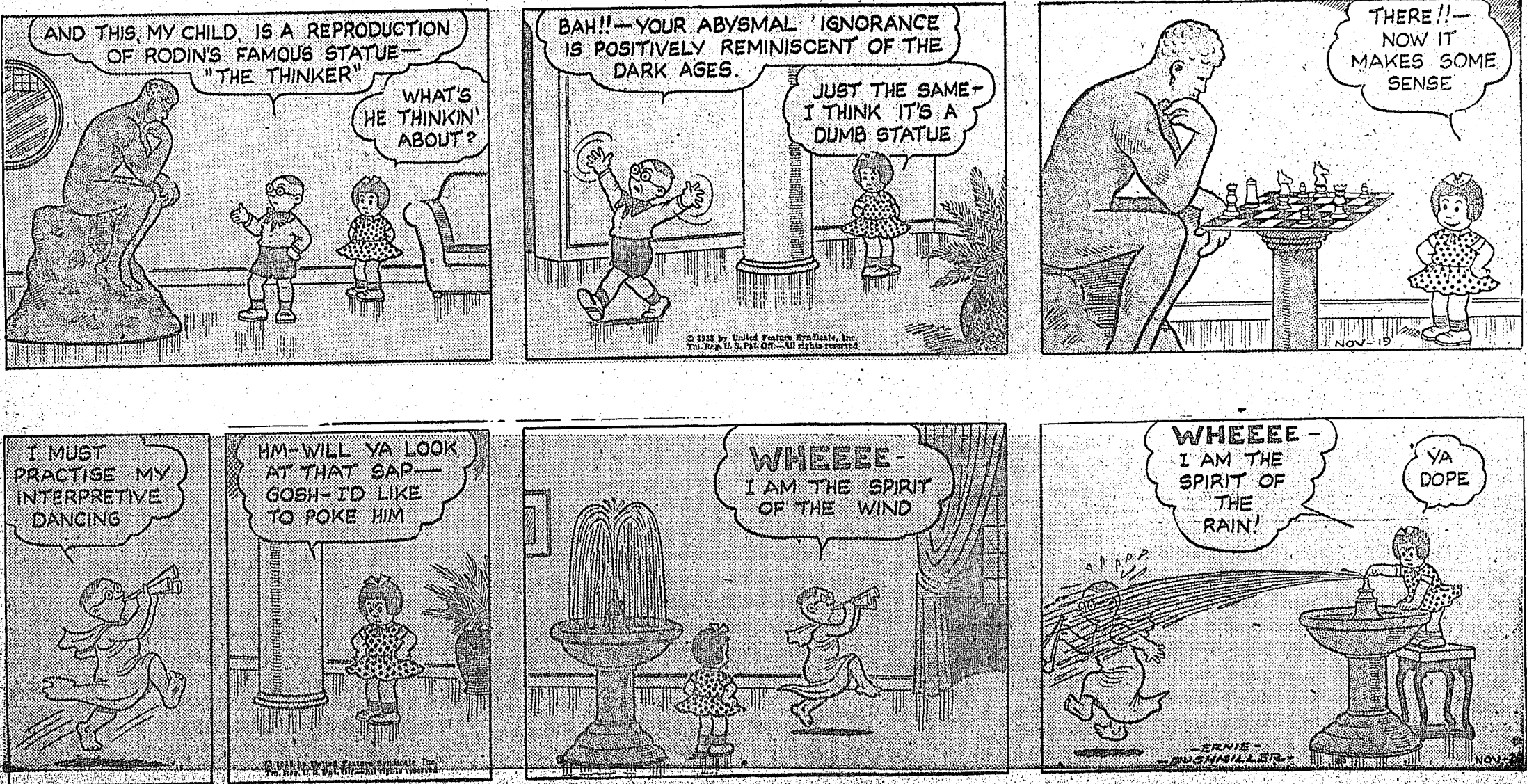
"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

BUCKY and his PALS



FRITZI RITZ

By Ernie Bushmiller



Knew Lee When He Commanded Fort Mason

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FORT Mason, established in 1851, and for a while under the command of Albert Sidney Johnston and Robert E. Lee, lies in ruins near the town of Mason, Texas, the ruins overgrown with a tangle of bee myrtle and cacti. The fort, a link in a chain of forts along the western border of Texas, was garrisoned by U. S. soldiers to protect settlers from marauding Indians.

Living near the old fort now is Mrs. Wilson Hey, age 85, who was a resident of the village of Mason when Robert E. Lee commanded the soldiers and Indian scouts stationed at Fort Mason. This was several years before Lee's appointment as general of the Confederate armies.

"Why, the first dance I ever attended was there at the fort in regimental quarters of Robert E. Lee!" said Mrs. Hey. "The soldiers wanted to give a dance, but having no room for such an event in the fort, Commander Lee let the boys use his regimental quarters."

Danced With Lee's Soldiers

"I was fifteen years of age," Mrs. Hey recalls, "and lived in Mason with Mrs. George Bowser. Having no suitable clothes for a ball room (clothes were hard to get in those days), Mrs. Bowser managed to dress me in some of her own clothes. I wore a hooped skirt of white silk and a black silk waist. For jewelry, Mrs. Bowser gave me her gold brooch, gold ear rings, watch and chain. As was the custom in those days, I placed the chain around my neck and the watch inside my belt. I was surely dressed up that night and could hardly wait for the dance to begin."

"The first man who asked me to dance was a soldier by the name of Crosby. I told him I had never danced before, and requested that he wait a while until I could see how others went through the square dance. Finally I danced with young Crosby, and he told me I was the best dancer on the floor. But I suspect, in passing the compliment, he just wanted to be nice to me because I was a beginner."

"No, I didn't dance with Commander Lee. He didn't dance with anyone, just sat and watched the rest of us, although he seemed to enjoy the fun we were having."

"Frontier folk," Mrs. Hey added, "did

not look upon dancing with disfavor. It was considered wholesome recreation for young as well as old, and dancing was permitted in homes of the best families."

Threat of Prowling Savages

While pioneers, as a rule, lived happily and contentedly, yet there was always the threat of prowling savages. Unguarded homes would be attacked by Indians—men, women and children killed, or taken captives. Mrs. Hey remembered a hair-breadth escape while the family lived in Llano county.

"It was milking time and my stepmother had let down the bars so our cows could enter the lot. Suddenly Indians came riding out of the brush."

"I shouted to stepmother to run. We dropped our milk buckets, caught up our dresses and fled, but the Indians almost overtook us before we could dash through the doorway. I slammed the door quickly, but was horrified to find part of my skirt had caught in the door jam. While pulling the skirt out, I saw a big savage scowl at me through a crack in the top of the door. He almost frightened me to death."

"Get the gun, daddy; get the gun!" I screamed.

"Just then our dogs attacked the Indians, who were always afraid of the white man's dogs. Before father could fire a shot the Indians galloped away, dogs in hot pursuit and growling fiercely."

Native Texan

Mrs. Hey, born in San Antonio, Texas, August 22, 1850, was Miss Hanna Korn before marriage. Her father moved the family by ox-wagon in 1858 from San Antonio to Castell, Llano

county, then on the edge of the frontier. Later he moved to Mason, where Mr. and Mrs. Hey were married in 1871. Mr. Hey, born in England, came to Texas while a young man. He was county and district clerk of Mason county for 20 years.

At the time of Mrs. Hey's marriage her younger brother, Adolph Korn, was a captive among the Indians. He had been stolen by savages in Llano county at the age of 12. Twelve years later he was exchanged for an Indian captive. "Adolph," said Mrs. Hey, "lived with us several years after his release from the Indians, but throughout his life he retained many of the habits and customs of the Indians. Always restless, he would sometimes take up his gun, leave home and be gone for days in the woods. When he came back he said little about where he had been; nor would he tell us much about his life while with the Indians."

At the outbreak of war between the

few men left behind had to guard the settlements against Indian forays. All the soldiers, formerly stationed at Fort Mason, had been transferred to other points. We had to eat careless weeds and lambsquarter (native wild greens of the frontier) which were gathered and cooked the same as turnip greens. Our only bread for months was cornbread. Supper for us children was usually a bowl of mush without milk or cream. There was a little wheat flour now and then at San Antonio and Austin, but the price was almost prohibitive and it had to be hauled through the hills to Mason by wagon freight. Sometimes Indians would waylay the freighters, kill them and loot the contents of the wagons.

Eked Out Bare Existence

"Wild game was plentiful in the woods on the prairies—bear, deer and turkey—but seldom could a man be spared to hunt the game. All men, and there were mighty few, had to guard us



MRS. WILSON HEY,
Mason, Texas.



"Suddenly Indians came riding out of the brush."

North and South. Mr. Hey joined the Confederacy and fought until captured and imprisoned at Memphis, Tenn. He almost died of fever while in prison.

"During the war," Mrs. Hey recalls, "it was a struggle with pioneer families to get enough food to eat. Most of the men were at the front fighting and the

women and children from roving bands of Indians. We just eked out a bare existence and prayed to God that our husbands, sons and sweethearts would some day come home from the war."

Mrs. Hey cherishes the memory of Robert E. Lee. While commander of Fort Mason he gave her a portrait of

himself, which she prized highly, but later it was stolen and has not been recovered.

"Gen. Lee was a noble character, a fine gentleman, and liked by everybody in Mason," declared Mrs. Hey. "While he commanded Fort Mason the Indians let us alone."

With mental faculties unimpaired, Mrs. Hey can recall dates and events readily. She keeps busy most of the time, and her hobby is fancy needlework. All through the house are beautiful bedspreads, table covers and quilts made by this remarkable pioneer woman.

Mrs. Hey is an optimist and expects to live to celebrate her 100th birthday. She eats well, sleeps well, and does not worry. "The world has been kind to me," said Mrs. Hey. "My children, grand-children and great-grand-children vie with one another in doing something to please me. The Lord also has been good to me; has let me live a long and useful life. I have trusted Him and if more of us trusted the Lord we would be happier and get along much better."

Drouth Couldn't Bluff This Co-Ed

MISS Joan Zollman, 28-year-old co-ed at Southwest State Teachers' College, Oklahoma, made up her mind not to be licked by the depression nor bluffed by the drouth of 1935. Because of this resolve she has made an outstanding success in more than one undertaking.

For twelve years Miss Zollman has successfully operated her farm near Elk City, Okla. She has won more 4-H club medals than any five western Oklahoma girls, and all this while supporting an invalid mother and a younger brother. She also has made enough money to provide for herself and her brother a college education. July 25th last year she received a bachelor of arts degree, having finished college in three years as an honor student.

In 1935, despite drouth and business depression, Miss Zollman produced 12 bales of cotton and made a flat profit of \$1,200 from a 70-acre tract of land. She also canned more than 1,200 quarts of fruits and vegetables—including apricots, peaches, peas, cherries, apples, berries, tomatoes, beans, pumpkin, corn, etc., and put them on shelves in her cellar. If there were anything on the farm that could not be sold she put it in cans for the family to eat.

Won 43 Prizes

While a member of the 4-H club, Miss Joan won 43 individual prizes on canned fruits and vegetables at the Beckham county fair in one season. She took the blue ribbon on canned peaches against 63 entries. She was sophomore in high school when her father died, in 1923, and at the close of the term she stayed away from school for one year, finishing in 1925. She was ambitious to enter college, but blood poisoning, suddenly contracted by her mother, frustrated efforts in this direction.

It is not "just luck" that brought success to Miss Zollman, but energy plus close attention to detail. Soon after her father's death she took charge of 60 acres of the home farm and has cultivated that amount of land ever since.

Miss Zollman can do carpenter work and do it well. She helped build a 3-room annex to the family home and an additional 3-room house. That was in 1923 and 1926. Since then she has built a brooder house, a tool shed, a chicken shed, all by herself, besides erecting a small barn for the rent house and painting the home.

Kept Up Morale

Miss Zollman's mother died in February, 1933. This was unexpected and a severe blow, but it didn't break down her morale. She was soon working harder than ever, scrubbing, sewing, making bread, washing, ironing and cooking as well as supervising work about the farm.

From 1925 to 1932 she made a good deal of money, saved it and bought machinery, mules and made other improvements on the farm. She now owns four good mules, five cows and some heifers and calves. In addition, she owns 205 chickens, most of them pure breeds. Ten stands of bees provide honey the year round.

Miss Zollman is an advocate of diversified farming. Every year she plants cotton, corn, kaffir, cane, sweet clover and a garden. She makes practically all her own clothing, repairs and overhauls the truck and farm implements, and sees that everything around the farm is always in good shape. This 4-H club girl loves farm work and looks upon farming as a highly specialized business as well as a vocation.

Her rules for success are: "Contentment of mind. Learn to like your work, whatever it may be, then put heart and soul into it. Grow enough fruits and vegetables to fill the cellar. If you haven't an orchard, plant one. Make some use of everything raised on the farm—it's worth dollars and cents to you."

Interesting Things About Big Bend

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AN area in the Big Bend section of Texas and Mexico, greater than that of the Grand Canyon National Park in Arizona, is under consideration by the governments of the United States and Mexico as an international park.

A joint commission of the two nations has just concluded a survey of the region and outlined temporary boundaries of approximately 1,500,000 acres in Texas and the Mexican States of Chihuahua and Coahuila. Tentatively, the name agreed upon is the Big Bend International Park, a name taken from the big bend of the Rio Grande river.

The plan contemplates creation of an international park of 800,000 acres in Texas and 700,000 acres in Mexico lying on either side of the Rio Grande in a solid body, and to be connected by bridges across the river. Each area would be under the administration of its respective government, with access to the citizens of both countries. An international park thus created, it is believed, would bring Texas and Mexico into closer friendly relations.

Officially Recognized

Of the 800,000 acres in Texas, approximately 150,000 acres is State owned land. The balance, privately owned, might be acquired for an estimated amount of \$2,000,000. All of this land would have to be ceded by Texas to the Federal government, in order to carry out national park requirements. Congress has already passed legislation, authorizing creation of the Big Bend National Park, when the 1,500,000 acres are available.

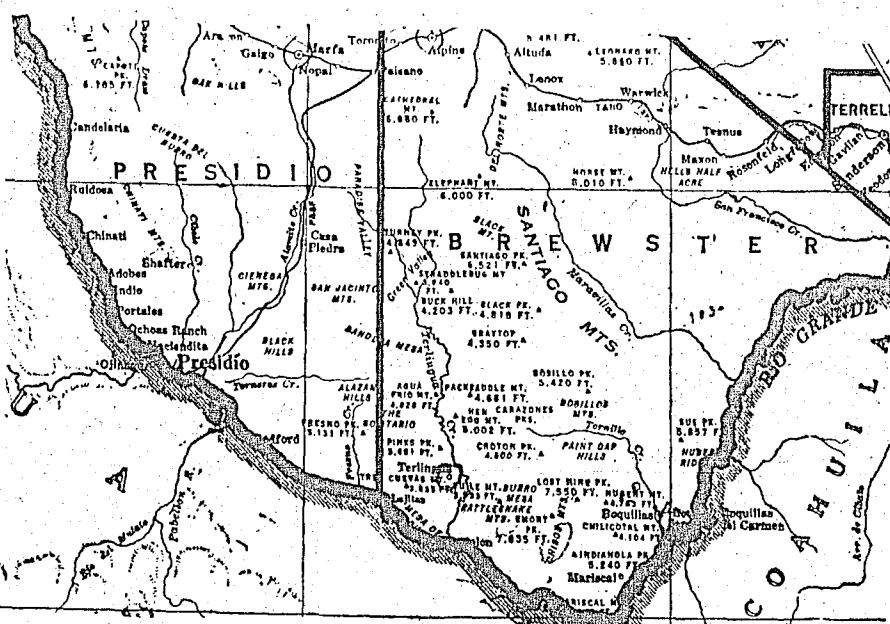
Most of the 700,000 acres of land on the Mexican side of the river is also privately owned, but members of the Mexican Commission report that it could be acquired by their government at a nominal figure, or by exchange.

The Big Bend country is that portion in Southwest Texas surrounded on three sides by a bend of the Rio Grande, forming a horseshoe curve that sweeps south about 100 miles and east and west about 150 miles, in the counties of

Brewster and Presidio. It is the last of the old frontier and is uninhabited with exception of a few ranches and mining camps. Big Bend is a rugged section covered by the Chisos and Santiago mountain ranges. Mount Emory, the highest peak of the Chisos, is 7,635 feet above sea level. Next highest is Lost Mine mountain, 7,550 feet. This mountain gets its name from the legend that several hundred years ago Spaniards worked a mine in this mountain that yielded rich ores of gold and silver. For many years repeated efforts have been made to locate this lost mine, but so far without success on the part of searchers.

Famed for Scenic Grandeur

There are two small quicksilver mining camps in the Big Bend named



Where a curve of the Rio Grande forms the Big Bend.

Terlingua and Study Butte. These two mines are said to supply almost 50 per cent of the quicksilver of the United States.

The Big Bend section is noted for scenic grandeur. Nowhere in America are more picturesque peaks, gorges and valleys. It is here that the Rio Grande cuts through three walled canyons—the Santa Helena, Mariscal and Boquillas—sheer cliffs of sandstone rising 2,000 feet above the river bed, and the river water that rushes through narrow Santa Helena canyon gorge has been likened to the rapids below Niagara Falls.

The most spectacular view on the American side is from the south rim of the Chisos mountains, until recently almost inaccessible, but now a rugged horse-trail has been completed by a Civilian Conservation Corps working

under supervision of the National Park Service and the Texas State Park Board. The view from the highest Chisos peak, looking down the river and over into Mexico, is sublimely beautiful. As a unit of the national park system, the Big Bend would soon arouse nation-wide interest.

The scenery on the Mexican side of Big Bend is comparable to that on the American side, with "Sierra Del Negro," highest peak in the Fronterizas group, attaining an altitude of almost 10,000 feet.

Explored by Noted Geologists

Carroll H. Wegemann, formerly of the U. S. Geological Survey, and a leading geologists, says that "the Big Bend National Park, when established, will be recognized as one of the outstanding geological laboratories and classrooms of the world."

Dr. Charles N. Gould, regional geologist of the National Park Service, while exploring the Big Bend found specimens of petrified trees six feet in diameter and forty feet in length. Probably the largest hot spring on this continent is in the Big Bend, near the Rio Grande. Its authentic flow is 680,000 gallons daily, with a temperature of 114 Fahrenheit.

Wild life of the region is abundant. These animals include deer, coyote, black bear, antelope, mountain sheep, Mexican cougar, lynx, badger, peccary, gray fox, civit cat, beaver, rabbits, squirrels and raccoons.

The commoner birds include quail, dove, pigeon, roadrunner, owl, hawk, eagle, raven, cardinal, flycatcher, wren, warbler, oriole, lark and finch. Winter-bird visitors include duck, plover, snipe, coot, crane, avocet, and occasionally swan and pelicans.

The forest in the Chisos mountains is still virgin—Douglas spruce, pine, juniper, oak and hackberry predominating.

Climatic conditions of the Big Bend usually are mild. There may be a light snowfall in the mountains each winter, but not sufficient to prevent year-round outings. Mid-summer nights are clear and delightfully cool.

Texas vacationists who want to see something different—something grand and imposing—should not fail to visit the Big Bend.

The Origin of Straw Votes

THE seventeenth century English statesman and political writer, John Selden, advised his readers to "take a straw and throw it into the air—you may see by that which way the wind is."

Americans are taking him at his word. Never before has the air been so cluttered with straw votes. Political clubs, newspapers, magazines and organizations formed for that express purpose are blanketing the country with polls of public opinion as the 1936 Presidential election draws near and discussion over problems economical and political wax warmer.

It was in the latter part of the eighteenth century that straw votes came first into prominence. Local newspapers sponsored them, providing forms for the reader to fill in and return. But they soon fell into disrepute because they could not accurately gauge sentiment the nation over.

Within the last decade the straw vote has made a comeback. Some still reach only a restricted area; others only the readers of certain publications, excluding important segments of opinion. More recently attempts have been made to penetrate every class of society by use of both mail ballots and personal interviews. The argument is that the latter findings are as accurate, for example, as reports of grain inspectors who, from samples taken at random throughout a huge elevator of wheat, determine the average grade of wheat. In both cases the system is called the "sampling method," a well known scientific process.

The straw ballot may be given a sort of official recognition under a bill introduced in Congress by Representative Pierce of Oregon. He thinks the polls "often influence an election through their psychological effect on the people," and proposes an investigation of those which, he charges, try to influence public opinion in advance by "shaping their questions to bring just the answers desired."

CURRENT (EDITORIAL) COMMENT By Homer M. Price

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The Second Money Crop

IT MAY surprise some of us to know that cotton seed is next to cotton lint in value of all Southern products. Its value is shown by the importation last year of 2,262,735,068 pounds of vegetable oils, chiefly to take the place of cotton seed oil. As these oils sell at an average of 8 cents a pound, it means that a normal crop of cotton would have brought an additional \$171,018,805 to the South through increased yields of cotton seed.

Tariff Not So Helpful

We have a tariff on these imported oils, but apparently not high enough to keep down imports. And it would be folly to raise the tariff sufficiently to shut out imports, for if the South cannot furnish the material for cooking oils then the United States must look to Japan and other countries for the oils the South has been producing. A higher tariff would increase the cost of food, thereby not helping the cotton farmer to any great extent, and there is a demand for every pound of cotton seed he can produce.

What a Yankee Says

An article in a magazine by a Connecticut Yankee said that if cotton would grow in New England the farmers there could throw away the lint and yet make money on the seed and its by-products. Japan imports cotton seed from India and China, extracts oil therefrom and sends us hundreds of millions of pounds of this oil yearly.

A Lesson

There is a lesson in all this for the Southern cotton farmer. The time will surely come when government bonus checks will cease, but until that time does come any warning seems as one "crying in the wilderness."

Who Owns the Earth?

The conquering of Ethiopia by Italy and making it an Italian province has brought to the front the fact that four countries—England, the United States,

France and Russia own 57 per cent of all the land on earth. It is because of this that Germany, Japan and Italy are restless, discontented and ready to go to war to obtain additional territory for their surplus population. Thus all talk of peace is as "sounding brass and tinkling cymbal." This country stands alone as wanting no other country's territory, but in the confused situation we should be prepared to defend ourselves against the aggression of any or all nations. China and Ethiopia are living examples of nations that wanted peace, yet were unable to defend themselves against more powerful nations.

The G-Men

The government G-Men have been gathering them in. One week in May four of the most noted criminals in America were captured—Mahan, Karpis, Robinson and Campbell—and not a shot fired. They were cowards when confronted by armed men ready to "shoot it out." The government G-Men have almost stopped kidnapping. And now these "bold, bad men" can ponder the rest of their lives in lonely prison cells on the subject of whether or not crime pays. But the lesson is hard to learn by fools who think they are too smart to be caught.

Nineteen Foreign-Born Law Makers

A man born in any foreign country, if a citizen of the United States, can hold any office except the Presidency. Consequently, there are nineteen foreign-born citizens in our national congress. Three are from Germany, three from England, two from Ireland, two from Austria, two from Italy, two from Canada and one each from Scotland, Sweden, Denmark, and one even from Russia.

How Many Unemployed?

How many persons are unemployed in this country? Most unemployment figures are merely guess work. The American Federation of Labor puts the number of unemployed at 12,154,000; the National Industrial Board at 9,649,000, and one other organization at 3,000,000. There are many listed as unemployed who work occasionally, many

who have an income and do not have to work, and many more who will not work as long as they can live without it; therefore, it is erroneous to include all these as unemployed. If we take the Federation of Labor figures, we are back where we started in 1932. This is hardly possible.

In Defense of Women

The Prime Minister of England, Stanley Baldwin, comes to the defense of women in a matter that for centuries has been hurled at the fair sex, that is, they "can't keep a secret." Mr. Baldwin was not thinking of trifling bits of gossip that occasionally flit back and forth. He had in mind affairs of State, matters of grave import, which might have been disclosed and thus upset the apperant. He says government leaks occur, sometimes serious leaks, but never has the indiscretion been charged to women, although they knew official secrets that could have caused international complications had they been made public. This statement from so high an authority confirms what I have known for a long time, but lacked courage to express—that the worse gossipers are not the female of the species but the male.

National Advertisers Generous to Centennial

National advertisers have been generous to feature the Texas Centennial in radio broadcasts and in newspaper advertising. This free publicity will have much to do with increasing Centennial attendance from Eastern centers of population. One big national advertiser, the General Foods Corporation, not only gave half of their once-a-week hourly radio program to Texas history in connection with the Centennial, but used large space advertisements in newspapers offering cash prizes and 9x12 color-plate pictures of leading events in Texas history for answers that would best express the devotion, bravery and self-sacrifice of early Texas patriots.

The amount of Centennial publicity so far contributed by national advertisers—if purchased direct by the Texas Centennial management—would have cost many thousands of dollars.

Cotton Highways

Texas is to use a large amount of cotton in road-building. The cotton so used is woven into sheets and placed as a binder on roads. That it makes superior road-building material is no longer questioned; it has been thoroughly tested by several States. In South Carolina a road built eight years ago remains in excellent condition. Test roads have been built in Alabama, Mississippi and Texas. It is claimed that roads thus built can be constructed at about two-thirds the cost of concrete roads and, in many respects, are superior to concrete. Cotton at 10 cents a pound can be used economically for such purpose. Finding new use for cotton may solve a very serious economic problem in the South. Enough cotton sheets have been ordered to build 40 miles of highway in Texas.

A Contemptible Racket

A most contemptible racket has been worked on many aged men and women of Texas who have applied for old age pensions. In my section of the State old negroes are the principal victims. These old folk are approached by persons who claim they can help them to secure pensions, in many cases promising the Townsend Plan of \$200 a month. The racketeers have printed literature they read to the old people which misrepresents their ability to secure quick action. The victim is asked to join some sort of an old age pension association, the initiation fee being \$3. If the old persons solicited do not have \$3 the "agent" takes what money they do have. I know of one case in my county wherein an old negro had but one dime, and the solicitor took that. These unsophisticated old people should be warned against slickers promising to secure pensions for a small cash fee in advance.

Hauptmann's Guilt and the Ransom Money

If there is any doubt of the guilt of Richard Bruno Hauptmann for kidnapping the Lindbergh baby, a statement by J. Edgar Hoover, of the Department of Justice, should go far to dispel the doubt. Mr. Hoover broke his silence on the Lindbergh case to tell a press correspondent that an analysis of Hauptmann's assets accounted for all but \$4600 of the \$50,000 ransom money. "Reports continually bob up," said Mr. Hoover, "that some of the ransom money was spent here and there, but it is untrue. We know where every dollar of it went except the \$4600. None of the ransom money showed up anywhere except in New York City. As to whether he had accomplices, Haupt-

mann alone could tell. But he was certainly the prime factor in the case."

German Skill

In 1492 it took Columbus nearly three months to cross the Atlantic, while the Zeppelin, "Hindenburg," recently made the crossing in 48 hours, carrying 51 passengers and a crew of 44. The Germans apparently are the only people who can successfully build and operate dirigible airships. This country spent \$45,000,000 in the construction of the "Macon," the "Akron" and the "Shenandoah," and all of them have crashed. Germany built for us the Los Angeles that has flown more miles than all the other American built ships, and is still serviceable. England built three dirigibles, and all of them went down. The German, Graf Zeppelin, has made 500 voyages from Germany to South America, carrying both passengers and mail.

Italy's Greater Task

Now that Mussolini has conquered Ethiopia, we wonder what he is going to do with it? Italy, in order to make good her claims as a great power, must develop Ethiopia. The real endurance test has just begun. From now on is warfare without glory, heroics without the spotlight. A nation at war is always willing to make sacrifices, endure hardships in order to win, but when war is over and victory sits enthroned—well, that is something else. Mussolini's troubles will be multitudinous. Ethiopia is a poor country, inhabited by poor races of people, dominated by rival chieftains. The climate is no white man's climate, and its doubtful if the Duce can get Italians to live there long enough to develop the country, which so far has shown no great natural resources. It is estimated the war cost Italy \$800,000,000, and before order is established it will cost many millions more. With financial budgets depleted, where will Italy get the money to colonize? No white nation has ever colonized in equatorial Africa. A great task now awaits the Fascist regime—far greater than conquering these poorly equipped African natives.

Kind Hearts

A random paragraph in last month's "Current Comment" said I had but one pair of galluses for two pair of pants, that some day I hoped to have two pair of galluses for these two pair of pants. Well, my dream came true when the mail brought me, from an anonymous friend, a very fine pair of suspenders. Kind friends make life worth living! Tennyson said much in a few words when he wrote: "Kind hearts are more than coronets."

Serio-Comic Aspect of a Mock Duel

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ALMOST every town has a half-wit, that is, some harmless fellow who is a little off balance mentally but not insane. Cave Creek's half-wit was Zeke Holcomb, whose father and mother died when he was a child and who had been reared by a kind-hearted aunt.

Practically everybody liked Zeke and overlooked his eccentric manner. Sometimes he imagined he was on the hot trail of a desperate criminal. The obsession took hold of him at intervals, and when it did he assumed various detective disguises. If the criminal sought were a noted train robber, Zeke would lope around town on an old away-back pony owned by his aunt, with coat collar turned up, hat pulled down, and wearing black false whiskers. He had a half dozen sets of false whiskers—from dark red to iron gray and coal black. When trailing arch criminals Zeke wore coal black whiskers. His friends, just to humor him, pretended not to recognize him in these various disguises.

While working on cases that, to Zeke, seemed fraught with grave personal risk, he would buckle on a pair of wooden six-shooters he had whittled out of soft pine.

The Town's Smart Aleck

Frank Blake was the town's smart aleck and joke-puller, whom nobody liked in particular because of his conceit and arrogance. One day, while Zeke stood at the corner of Main street disguised as a Pinkerton detective, Blake walked up to Zeke, jerked off his whiskers, stuffed them in his pocket and walked away, laughing derisively.

Among the persons who witnessed the incident was John Clawson, friend of Zeke. John's first impulse was to punch Blake's face, but on second thought he conceived a better way to humiliate him. After disclosing his plan to a few friends of Zeke's, who at once gave it their approval, Clawson went over to Blake's shop, slapped him familiarly on the back

and said: "Say, Frank, that stunt of pulling off Zeke Holcomb's whiskers was the funniest thing I ever saw. What do you say that we keep up the fun by a mock duel between you and Zeke?"

Blake fell at once into the trap and readily agreed to the duel, laughing gleefully at the prospect of the fun it would afford him.

Early next morning Blake received a challenge from Zeke, demanding a public apology for profaning his beard, or to meet him on the field of honor. Blake accepted the challenge and set the hour at 4 p. m. that afternoon and the weapons wooden pistols.

Great Crowd Witnesses Duel

The news soon spread over town that a mock duel would be fought at 4 p. m. between Zeke Holcomb and Frank Blake in the rear of Tom Hudson's livery stable. A great crowd gathered to witness the duel, expecting more or less fun from such a ridiculous event.

Blake arrived late on the dueling ground, walked with a swagger through the crowd, smiling and bowing. He wanted to know if everything was ready for the duel and what arrangements had been made for Zeke's funeral.

"Say, Zeke," he called out, "where do you want me to shoot you? If it's all the same to you I'll shoot you between the eyes like I did the last 'feller' I killed." Very few spectators laughed at Blake's remark, which seemed to puzzle him, for he thought he was the wittiest man in town.

Tom Hudson, acting as master of ceremonies, asked everybody to stand back, except the principals and their seconds, out of range of stray bullets. Blake boasted that when he killed the last three men in duels he had no seconds and would need none to kill Zeke.

"Have you seconds, Zeke," asked the master of ceremonies in a firm tone.

"Yes, sir," replied Zeke, "they are Bill Thompson and Uncle Zack Parker, two of my best friends."

"Gentlemen, have you agreed upon the weapons and the distance you are to fight?" inquired Hudson.

"We are to use pistols at ten paces,"

replied Blake, smiling, "and let's have no delay, for if I must kill Zeke I want to get it over with quickly as possible."

Tom Hudson then stepped off ten paces, placed the duelists back to back, and handed each one a dummy pistol, warning both of them not to turn and fire until he had counted ten.

Just before the count started Zeke said he didn't want to hurt anybody and if Mr. Blake would apologize for pulling off his whiskers he wouldn't kill him.

"Apologize to a crazy nut like you," retorted Blake. "Stand up and fight, you big coward and quit your blubbering."

"All right, Mr. Blake, I'm ready," said Zeke, "but I'm going to use my own gun that I have loaded myself."

Whereupon he dropped his dummy pistol and whipped out of his pocket a blue, steel-barreled 45-Colt revolver and cocked the trigger.

"Please don't shoot me, Zeke, the whole thing is a joke," pleaded Blake in a husky voice, his knees trembling. "Please, men, don't let him kill me. I'm not ready to die. I'll get down on my knees and apologize to him if he will only spare my life."

"Stand Up and Fight"

"Stand up and fight, you dirty coward," demanded Zeke.

"Why don't you run, you dern fool, before it's too late," yelled a spectator.

Immediately Blake darted through the crowd and down a blind alley, Zeke right behind him, firing his 45 as he pursued.

The majority of the crowd (who had been tipped off as to how the duel would come out) roared uproariously and urged Zeke to "get his man."

After Blake emerged from the alley he came to a high plank wall and hesitated, but still hearing shots behind him he cleared the wall with one leap and tore across a field, running so fast that his coat tail stood straight out and fluttered in the breeze. A crowd of small boys followed Blake until he disappeared in the woods, two miles from the scene of the duel.

John Clawson and other friends of Zeke, who planned the mock duel, had coached Zeke how to act and what to say, when to throw down the dummy pistol and bring out the big 45 that they had loaded with blank cartridges.

It was three days after the duel before Blake showed up in town. He opened his shop again but had few customers. Eventually he sold out and left Cave Creek, never to return.



"Asked everybody to stand back out of range of stray bullets."

BRIEF TEXAS NEWS---from Over the State

TEXAS BUILDING GAINS

Building activities in Texas show a very substantial increase over the same period last year, but the gains are credited largely to Centennial preparations. Housing construction shows only about 6 per cent of normal, according to Federal reports.

BOY-GIRL WIN PLACES IN SPEAKING CONTEST

Impromptu speaking prizes, awarded in the State Interscholastic League contest, held at Waco last month, were won by Waco contestants, Richard Hawkins, Waco school boy took first place, and Emma Clare Jones, Waco schoolgirl, took second place.

TOTAL SCHOLASTIC POPULATION

The total scholastic population of Texas in 1934-1935 was 1,560,438. There has been a steady increase in the scholastic population over the last ten years, although there was a drop from 1933-34 to 1934-35, due probably to the strengthening of rules governing the taking of scholastic census in order to prevent padding of rolls.

PIONEER SETTLERS MEET

The seventeenth annual reunion of Taylor County Pioneer Settlers will be held at Buffalo Gap, July 17. Programs for the reunion will include a historical celebration in connection with the Centennial and an Indian pageant. The Texas Centennial Commission has given the pioneer settlers a place on the year's calendar of events.

HOUSTON SHIPS 1,500,000 BALES OF COTTON

1,500,000 bales of cotton shipped during the year 1936 was the record of the port of Houston up to May. For the same period last year, the quantity was 1,170,399 bales. Receipts for the 1935-36 season to date total 1,702,521 bales, compared with 1,061,899 to even-date last year.

TO EXPORT PECANS

Exporting of pecans from Texas to foreign countries has been approved by the U. S. Secretary of Agriculture, according to H. G. Lucas, Brownwood, president of the Texas Agricultural Association, which adopted the program as suggested by pecan growers. Purpose is to reduce the surplus of the 1936 crop. Exports will be restricted to a limited quantity of nuts.

EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS SHOW GAINS

Payrolls and employment in Texas as tabulated by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, gained during April over both March and April of last year. Statements from 1400 concerns reported 76,395 workers, an increase of 1.6 over March and 1.4 over April last year. Payrolls were up 3.4 and 4.7 respectively over last year.

POSSUM DAM WORKMEN TO HAVE TENT CITY

A huge tent city covering 64 acres of land will house the army of workmen who are building the Possum Kingdom dam on the Brazos river, 20 miles southeast of Graham. The dam will be constructed between two mountains in a great bend of the river where perpendicular cliffs rise to a height of 200 feet above the river bed. The dam will be 150 feet high and will back up water in the Brazos river for a distance of 25 miles, according to engineers' estimates.

OLD AGE BENEFIT FUND STARTS JULY 1st

Thousand of Texans will receive old age assistance payments, ranging up to the maximum of \$30.00 per month, says Orville S. Carpenter, Texas State Pension Director. Washington just lately approved the Texas law as qualifying for Federal assistance. Of the \$30.00 maximum monthly payments, one-half will come from Federal funds and one-half from the State. Payments have been set to start July 1, final date allowed under the Texas act. Governor Allred estimated the pension fund available July 1 will be \$2,000,000, chiefly derived from liquor licenses and taxes based on liquor sales.

LEGENDARY FIGURE

Harold Preece, native South Texan, wrote an entertaining story in the Texas Weekly of the Hill Country people around Austin. Of one character, Alfred Simpson, he said:

"Alfred Simpson, a lanky mountaineer, has become a legendary figure in the cabins. Word of a war across the ocean came to the hills in 1917, and young Simpson enlisted in the army. During a tough engagement in France, the order came for the American forces to retreat. Simpson looked up from his machine gun and drawled, 'I'm from Texas where we don't retreat.' Single-handed, the young hillman held all enemy comers at bay, and finished his self-imposed task by bringing a score of German prisoners to the American lines. Afterwards, Simpson was decorated for bravery by the major Allied powers, and acclaimed as 'the Sergeant York of Texas.'"

155 CARLOADS OF ROSE PLANTS

Approximately 155 full carloads of rose plants were shipped from Tyler, Texas, rose gardens during the winter season of 1935-1936. An area in fifty miles of Tyler produces over one-third of the world's rose plants, says the Tyler Chamber of Commerce.

TEXAS SCHOOLS GET \$3,000,000

Release of warrants on public school funds to the amount of \$3,000,000, representing \$2.00 per capita, brought the total apportionment up to \$15.00, late last month. The total for this year will be \$18.50 per capita, the largest in the State's history. The remainder will be paid in July.

GEN. CASTRILLION'S UNMARKED GRAVE

The irony of fate was meted out to Gen. Castillion who was killed in the Battle of San Jacinto. Castillion, a Spaniard and able soldier, planned and led in person the assault of the Mexican army against the Alamo March 6, 1836. Buried near the San Jacinto battlefield, his grave, unmarked for a century, was recently identified.

PIONEER JUBILEE

The Cottle-King County Pioneer Jubilee, featuring the Centennial, was held at Paducah, May 26th, with hundreds of pioneers participating in a huge parade. Many chuck wagons from nearby ranches were entered as well as old-fashioned buggies and other vehicles. Women rode horses on side saddles. Prizes were awarded the best floats in the parade.

RANCHMAN KILLS MOUNTAIN LION

It is unusual for a mountain lion to range so far north as Palo Pinto county (West Central Texas). J. C. Howard shot and killed the lion, which measured 6 feet, 5 inches, near his ranch in Palo Pinto county, May 15. The animal charged Howard after being wounded, but fortunately was caught and held by hunting dogs until he could reload and shoot again. This lion marauded the ranges and had killed many sheep and goats owned by Howard.

TEXAS HAS 3,500 CITIES, TOWNS AND COMMUNITIES

There are approximately six hundred incorporated towns in Texas, (the number changes rapidly). There are about 3,500 cities, towns and communities. This includes all communities down to the cross-roads store. There are thirty-six cities in the State having more than 10,000 population each, as revealed by the census of 1930.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS WANT TO BE "FUTURE FARMERS"

Thirty girls from the Orangefield high school have petitioned the State Department of Education for permission to enroll in the vocational agricultural and Future Farmers of America programs in the school next year. If the girls are admitted, they will be instructed in home beautification, home management, poultry, dairying, canning, gardening and insect and general pest control.

LARGEST AND SMALLEST

There are 254 counties in Texas. The counties range in size from Rockwall with 149 square miles of land area to Brewster with 5,935 square miles. Brewster county is more than five times as large as Rhode Island, three times as large as Delaware, and 50% larger than Connecticut. It is larger than Connecticut and Rhode Island combined. Hudspeth is the second largest county in Texas, with 4,621 square miles; Pecos, third, with 4,143 square miles. These areas are the figures given by the United States Bureau of Census.

GOOD GRAPEFRUIT CROP ANTICIPATED

Condition of Texas grapefruit on May 1 of this year in the Rio Grande Valley was reported by the United States Department of Agriculture at 79 per cent of normal, compared with 34 per cent a year ago.

Valley growers predict the crop for 1936-37 will set an all-time record unless there are abnormal growing conditions in the meantime.

The condition of oranges is reported at 82 per cent on May 1 of this year, compared to 42 per cent at the same time last year.

85-YEAR-OLD CHURCH

May 30th marked the eighty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the First Baptist church of Waco by Rev. N. T. Byars, friend of General Sam Houston and owner of the blacksmith shop, at Washington-on-the-Brazos, in which the declaration of Texas independence was adopted and signed. The church was organized on May 31, 1851 with James C. Johnson, George B. Holmes, Noah Woods and Mrs. Maleta Johnson as charter members. The founding was commemorated with the unveiling of a bronze tablet to the memory of Byars and with an elaborate pageant depicting the history of the church.

BURGLAR'S LOOT—ONE NICKEL

One nickel was all the loot obtained by a burglar who entered the residence of H. C. Miller, 2521 Homan Avenue, Waco, by unlatching a rear screen. The nickel was taken from a purse belonging to Miller's daughter. Nothing else apparently was missing.

BIDS ON \$2,800,000 ROAD CONTRACTS

The State Highway Commission called for bids June 10 and 11 on projects estimated at \$2,800,000, which makes an approximate total of \$7,000,000 in proposals already called for during the first eleven days of May.

PREDATORY WILD DOG CAPTURED

Fred Reynolds, on the Bishop ranch, near Segovia, (Southwest Texas), captured a wild dog that had preyed on livestock. It is estimated that the dog had killed over 200 head of sheep and goats in the past four months. Ranchmen in that vicinity had subscribed a bounty of \$60 for the killer, dead or alive. Although he had been sighted and shot at, Reynolds caught the dog in a trap set with wolf bait.

RUG WOVEN ON HOME-MADE SPINNING WHEEL

S. H. Huntington, of Waco, displayed a wool rug which he made from raw wool after spinning it into yarn himself on a home-made bicycle-wheel spinning device. Five pounds of wool in the grease was reduced to about two pounds in cleaning. The rug measured two by three feet, weighed two pounds, and was in natural black and white colors.

Great Sons of Texas



DEAF SMITH

Erastus, or "Deaf Smith," was born in New York in 1787 and came to Texas in 1817. Because of deafness he remained aloof more or less from his fellow men and was fond of solitude. As a scout he had few equals and was a close observer of Mexican army movements during the Texas war for independence. His perfect knowledge of the country, bravery and coolness in action, made him a valuable scout for General Houston's army.

It was Deaf Smith who, in command of and with the assistance of five other men, destroyed Vince's Bridge across Buffalo Bayou a few hours before the Battle of San Jacinto, thus cutting off all retreat for Santa Anna's army. Two days before this battle he captured a Mexican courier carrying important dispatches to Santa Anna. These dispatches, from Santa Anna's officers, contained information of Mexican army movements of much value to General Houston.

Smith married a Mexican woman in San Antonio and was living there at the outbreak of war between Texas and Mexico. As a mark of appreciation for his service during the war, the Texas congress voted him the choice of a residential house in San Antonio. He died in Richmond, Texas, December, 1837, and was buried there.

PIONEERS HOLD ROUNDUP AT PLAINVIEW

The Pioneers of the Plains gathered at Plainview late last month in large numbers for their annual roundup, sponsored by the Plainview Business and Professional Women's Club. Twenty-one couples, married more than fifty years, were registered. Special courtesies were extended Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wingo, who will have been married 69 years in July. The parade, which included a crew of the first railroad train to run into Plainview in 1906, was made up of prairie schooners and chuck wagons, decorated floats and old model horse-drawn and automotive vehicles.

HUGE DIVIDENDS FROM OIL ACCRUE TO TEXAS

Students in Texas public schools and University of Texas have just benefited by oil production on school land to the amount of \$34,159,394, according to J. H. Walker, Land Commissioner. The public school permanent fund received \$12,547,692 to May 1st from oil production on State school lands. Leases, bonuses and rentals netted \$6,170,241, and royalties \$6,377,451. The permanent fund of the University of Texas, shared in part by Texas A. & M., has profited \$21,611,701 from oil production, and \$18,429,207 from leases, bonuses and rentals. The figures do not include royalties or rentals on oil lands owned by counties or school districts.

REYNOSA-MONTERREY HIGHWAY

Joining up Texas highways with a net-work of Mexican Federal highways is in prospect with the work on the Reynosa-Monterrey division. Work is being pushed on this Mexican highway, and soon it will offer American tourists an outlet to all of the show places of Old Mexico.

VALUES WALKING CANE AT \$1,200

G. E. Dunn, 83-year-old pioneer of Granbury, Hood county, has a walking cane which he values at \$1,200. It is made of cedar and has on it 94 pieces of gold, contributed by friends, in the form of finger rings, lockets, etc. Among the pieces of gold is a locket lid more than 150 years old and a cuff link worn by Mr. Dunn 63 years ago.

BETTER ROADS FOR OLD WASHINGTON-ON-THE-BRAZOS

As a result of the efforts of State Senator Albert Stone, of Brenham, the State Highway Commission will take over construction on roads in the State park at old Washington-on-the-Brazos and will also help maintain the roads. It is expected that work will start in the very near future on converting the roads inside the park into permanent State highways.

MEXICANS WHO AIDED IN THE WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE

The story of Mexican-born citizens who took the side of Texas revolutionists in the war for independence has been compiled by Ruben Rendon Lozano, of San Antonio (Southern Literary Institute) under the title, "Viva Tejas," a little booklet of 50 pages. The book contains the names of 80 Mexicans who aided the colonists in their fight for independence.

SHEEP MEN REJOICE OVER HEAVY RAINS

The sheep men of Southwest Texas are highly jubilant over the bountiful rains which have fallen throughout the sheep-raising belt around San Angelo and Kerrville. It is estimated that the lamb crop will exceed that of previous years; prices for mutton lambs are good. Last year feeder lambs sold at from 6½ cents to 9½ cents a pound. Prospects are favorable for good prices this year.

FISHERMAN'S PARADISE

Down on the Mexican coast, south of Brownsville, come tales of some wonderful catches by Texas fishermen. The place is known as the "Fifth Pass," which is reached by a few hours' auto ride from Brownsville.

A Brownsville man scoffed at the reports of eight and nine-pound trout being caught at the pass; so on his last trip back from the pass Fred Latham, of Brownsville, one who goes frequently to the pass fishing, presented the scoffer with an eight-pound trout.

One fishing party is reported to have caught more than 20 trout that weighed over 5 pounds each. The same anglers caught 75 red fish ranging from 4 to 20 pounds, and pike that weighed from 8 to 12 pounds. However, the pike are said to be more elusive than the trout and red fish. Pike fishing is best at night, especially moonlight nights, and when caught fight savagely.

The plentiful supply of fish on the coast of Mexico is accounted for, according to those who have studied the situation, by several factors. One is the absence of seining, netting, dynamiting, or any other kind of commercial fishing in the bays and passes in that immediate section.

STATE GOVERNMENT OWES \$90,000,000

It has been shown that the State government of Texas owes \$90,000,000, but that all of this except about \$13,000,000 is provided for in tax levies to meet it as it matures or is refunded.

Gov. Allred, in his statistical survey before the Texas Bankers Association in Houston, pointed out that the State will end this fiscal year August 31st, with a cash balance of around \$4,000,000, considering all funds.

That does not contradict the certainty that the general revenue fund, from which State salaries are paid and materials purchased, will then show a deficit in excess of \$10,000,000. Nor that the Confederate pension fund will show a deficit about \$5,000,000.

There will be enough cash in the highway fund, the old age pension fund, and in various special funds and bond sinking funds, to offset this and provide the cash balance the Governor mentioned.

The State's debt then is localized into the general revenue fund and the Confederate pension fund. Time should correct the situation as to pensions, though not within less than three years. The general revenue account is the sensitive spot of State financing.

The general revenue deficit is now running \$2,626,000 greater than it was a year ago. Besides, it has to sustain the shock this year of paying out \$2,140,000 additional of the appropriation to the Texas Centennial, most of which must be disbursed by October.

TEXANS REPAY DROUTH LOANS

Texas ranchmen have repaid more than \$1,500,000 of their drouth relief loans made by the Farm Credit Administration. Nearly \$7,000,000 was loaned to Texas ranchmen and farmers, of the funds appropriated by Congress in 1934. Loans due last November are now in process of collection.

TEXAS WOOL CROP 62,000,000 POUNDS

The wool crop of Texas for 1936 is estimated at 62,000,000 pounds, of which 55,000,000 is 12 months and 7,000,000 pounds 8 months wool. Recent prices have been as high as 32½ cents a pound, but average price for 1935 was between 24 and 25 cents a pound.

TEXAS BONUSHOLDERS NUMBER 148,771

There are 148,771 bonusholders in Texas who should receive, beginning June 15, a total of \$83,696,221, as a result of the Federal government issuing bonds to veterans of the World War. Six out of seven veterans have already borrowed money against their bonus certificates. The new bonds bear 3 per interest for ten years.

TEXAS MINERAL WEALTH ON EXHIBIT

Texas is second only to Pennsylvania in mineral wealth, but sources of available supply of untapped mineral wealth indicate that in the very near future Texas will be first. An exhibit of undeveloped resources will be displayed at the Texas Centennial in Dallas this summer. It will show marbles, dolomites, granites and other building stones, according to the committee on the Natural Resources Exhibit. It is proposed to make the exhibit permanent, in the hope of further developing these great sources of Texas' natural wealth.

THE LONE STAR FLAG OF TEXAS

The Wichita Falls Record-News wants to know, "when, where and by whom was the Lone Star flag of Texas adopted?"

The Texas Almanac of 1861 contained the following information about the Lone Star Flag of Texas:

"It is universally believed in Georgia, that the flag of the Lone Star was the work of Miss Troutman, of Crawford county, Georgia, now Mrs. Pope, of Alabama; and by her presented to the Georgia battalion (commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel Ward) just before its departure for Texas.

"It was of plain white silk, bearing an azure star of five points on either side. On one side was the inscription: 'Liberty or Death,' and on the other, the appropriate Latin motto: 'Ubi Libertas habitat, ibi nostra patria est.'"

"This flag was unfurled at Velasco on the 8th of January, 1836, and proudly floated on the breeze from the same liberty pole with the first flag of independence, which had just been brought from Goliad by the valiant Captain William Brown, who subsequently did such daring service in the navy of Texas.

"On the meeting of the first Texas congress, the flag of the Lone Star was adopted as the flag of the young republic.

"A correspondent of the Central Texan denies the claim of Georgia, and insists that the first Lone Star flag ever unfurled in Texas was presented by Mrs. Sarah R. Dawson, to a company of volunteers raised in Harrisburg, Texas, in 1835, and commanded by Captain Andrew Robinson. The flag was a tricolor of white, red, and blue. The star was white, five-pointed, and set in a background of red."

Huge Outlay for Army-Navy

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secondary object is to distribute the costs equally over the years.

The Navy View

Why national defense costs have mounted is a question whose general answer can be found, as President Roosevelt pointed out, in the unsettled condition of world politics. Admiral Standley, Acting Secretary of the Navy, declared recently that the nation now realizes that "we must have sufficient power to make the world listen when we speak," and added:

"For a time the world believed that peace on earth could be obtained by good-will alone. We've come to realize recently that we're not ready for that doctrine and as a result the whole world is rearming and we're simply holding our place in the sun.

"These are the reasons which have impelled us to adopt a policy of building our navy to treaty, or allowed, strength, and to maintenance of it at that strength. This doesn't account, however, for all of the increased costs of the navy. Increase in price of material and labor during recent years also makes its inroads on the cost ledger. However, as I've stated many times, it's the greatest extravagance in the world to maintain a second-rate navy."

The U. S. Navy, whose problem of defense is greatly complicated by the necessity of guarding two great coast lines fronting on the Atlantic and Pacific and linked only by the vulnerable ditch of the Panama Canal, undoubtedly considers the Pacific of paramount importance. Hence the navy is admittedly influenced to a large extent in its budget estimates by the strength of Japan's navy and by the imperialistic policy of Japan.

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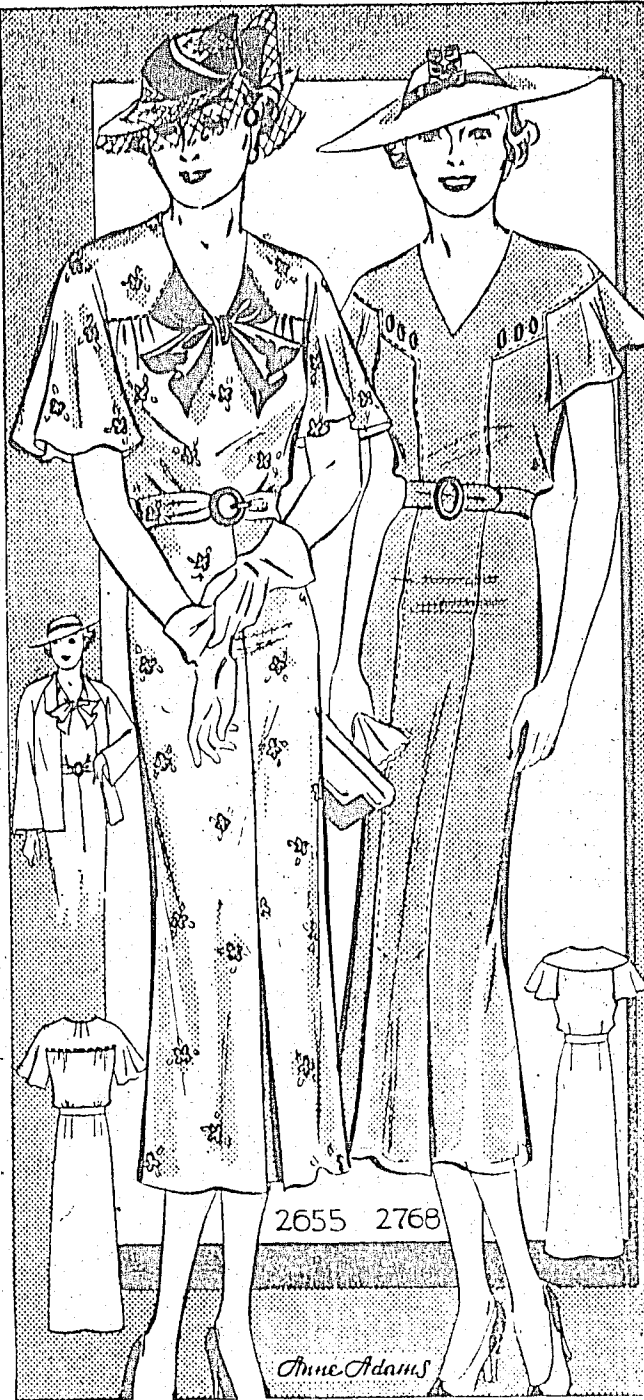
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ever and down the road they went hand in hand. Up hill and down into the vale through times and tide gayly they traveled.

One day the maiden felt a tiny hand in her hand, and there was the child of their love drawing the two closer.

"Oh, my love," whispered the youth, "now there is more to live for."

The maiden sang a lullaby as they went along.

By and by more little hands clung to her hands and tiny fingers gripped her heart. There were so many stones on the road now and briars clutched at her skirts. The sun was overshadowed with fast moving clouds and the maiden was now a woman. There were so many little hands and so many things to do over and over that she never realized just when she let go of the hand of her lover-husband.

On and on she trudged, then the rain began to fall and the road was slippery and she fell under her burden.

"Youth," she cried, "where are you? Help me."

But there was no answer, only the crying of her children.

It was then she saw she had taken the wrong road and that her hand and those of her little children should hold fast to the hand of Youth and Faith who had been her mate.

"I can't go back," she cried, "that is the law of the road. Once traveled there is no returning. But I will go on and perhaps you know our paths may meet again. I have learned my lesson."

As the woman who had been the maiden said this—the clouds rolled away and behold on the other side of the road was her husband.

"Oh, my beloved!" she cried, "take my hand and the hands of the little ones. It is only together we can walk this road, helping each other over the stones and removing the briars from the flesh of each other."

"Yes, together, only together can we succeed. I, too, found the path empty and hard without you. Come let us go on—it is only a little while when the little ones will be the maiden and the youth and they must find new roads and blaze new paths to happiness. Would that we might leave signs along the road of life to guide," the father and husband replied.

"That is not possible, my love," said the chastened mother. "Each must find the way alone. But we will tell them of the pitfalls and hold their hands as far as we can."

Now we see them near the end of the road. They are standing on the top of a hill that has been steep and hard to climb. Look, they are alone. At the foot of the hill there are many roads all

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leading away in different directions. These are the roads of their children.

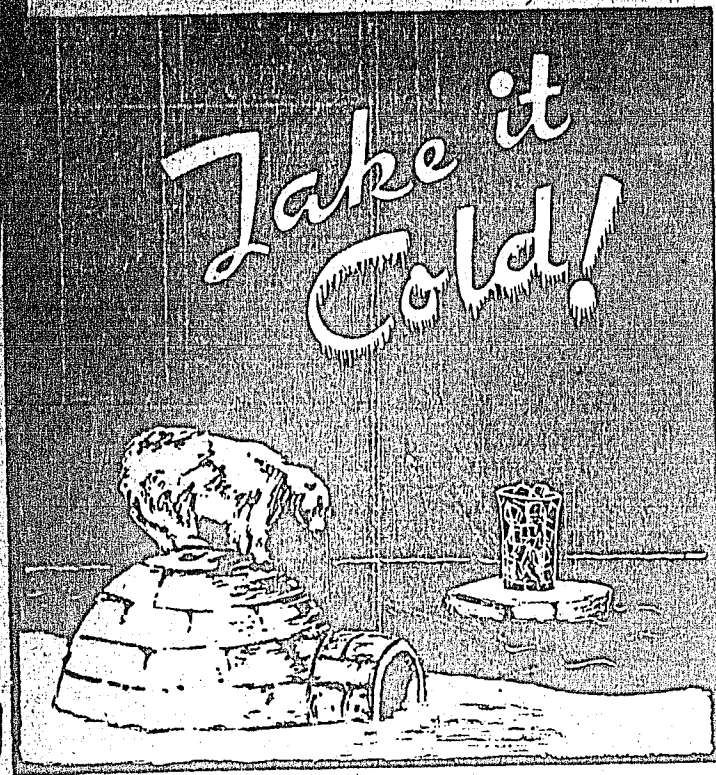
At last we see an old couple, that had been the maiden and the youth, clasped in each others arms. They are looking back over the road they had traveled. Now they turn again facing the setting sun and hand in hand they start down the last long hill TOGETHER.

TESTED RECIPE

Pecan Pie

1 cup slightly beaten egg whites
1 cup KADO brand sugar
1/2 cup butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup cream
1/2 cup vanilla
1/2 cup salt

Mix the above ingredients, add the pecans, and bake in a standard-size pie pan for 45 minutes. Place in a hot oven (450 degrees F.) for about 10 minutes, then reduce the oven to a low heat (300 degrees F.) and bake until the filling is firm. This will require about 40 minutes. After about 40 minutes, insert a silver knife blade into the filling. The pie is done when the blade comes out clean. Pecan pie is best served hot, or warm, and is especially good with fresh cream, whipped cream, or vanilla sauce. Store in a cool place.



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DANGER AHEAD

A great many years ago when the automobile was still a "novelty" and paved roads were something seen only in the larger centers of population, I was driving down a lonely unknown country road, "tearing along" at the wonderful rate of 25 miles an hour when I saw a sign by the road side which said D-A-N-G-E-R A-H-E-A-D. It had been put there by some kindly soul who perhaps had met with misfortune at this danger spot. (Highway markers were unknown at that time). This danger point proved to be a very narrow bridge where, if one were not careful, he or she might plunge into the river instead of crossing safely. Needless to say, I heeded the warning and crossed safely.

Sometime ago I had occasion to visit in the home of dear friends, a couple who had been married about ten years and who had two lovely children. "Dick and Nancy," as we will call them, had been looked upon as one of the most devoted and happy couples in their crowd. However, I hadn't been in the home very long until I began to realize that there was something very wrong with this once happy couple. There was constant bickering and sarcasm between the two.

While the "road of matrimony" is as old as man himself, yet to each new traveler upon the road it is almost an unblazed trail through the wilderness, and each must discover the way for himself or herself. But like the road of long ago we may leave warning signs that will

say, "Go Slow!" "Danger Ahead!"

It is never wise nor prudent for any third party to try to "settle" man and wife disputes. However, sometimes a suggestion or a hint will help us to think "straight" and see the "two-sides" of a question.

With these thoughts in mind, I set about to try to find the cause of Dick's and Nancy's trouble. It wasn't very long until I discovered that it was that old "root of all evil"—money. Dick made a livable salary, but the cost of living was advancing rapidly and the children were getting larger and needed more things all of the time. Nancy was the typical mother of today, in that she wanted to manage her household in comfort yet have time to keep up her own mental growth and activity. Manage as she would there was never quite enough to go around for all she wanted for her children. Her ambitions for the children led her into the habit of blaming Dick for what she lacked, and she had begun to pick and find fault, mostly with imaginary things. Dick in turn felt that Nancy was unreasonable; that she wanted only the money he could provide, and that the children had taken his place in her affection and attention. So he felt like a mistreated little boy and self-pity (a most dangerous indulgence) grew day by day. This bad domestic situation had a disquieting and unsettling effect on the children. Both children became nervous and quarrelsome, their marks at school fell, they lost their appetite, and were restless in their sleep.

Nancy and Dick made the mistake so many devoted couples have made before. They blamed each other for their troubles instead of searching for the real cause. Instead of being drawn together, that they might fight the harder, swiftly they were taking separate paths.

Then one evening I had the occasion to tell them a story of long ago. As it helped Nancy and Dick to solve their problem, perhaps it might help some other couple who are making the same mistake. The story I repeated to them is entitled:

"THE ROAD"

Once long ago there was a youth and a maiden who loved each other very, very deeply. As they reached the age of mating they pledged their troth and hand in hand they took the road leading toward the setting sun. On and on stretched the road over hill and dale; beckoning and beckoning with mystery and with love.

"Look, sweetheart, the road is calling," sighed the youth. "Come, don't you see how it stretches into eternity—just one long shining road?"

The maiden's lustrous eyes gave her lover-husband the an-

DIZZY DEAN stops a steal!

Panel 1: "WHEW! I RECKON I JUST ABOUT MADE IT!"

Panel 2: "NO, MR. DEAN, YOU'VE GOT FIVE MINUTES BEFORE THE NEW YORK PLANE LEAVES."

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Panel 5: "THEY'VE GOT THE PLANE! AND THE MONEY TOO!"

Panel 6: "LOOK OUT! THEY'RE HEADED THIS WAY!"

Panel 7: "WHAT A THROW! IT SAVED A MILLION DOLLARS!"

Panel 8: "I WISH MY KID BROTHER HAD SOME OF YOUR ENERGY, HE'S LITTLE LIKE I'M WORRIED ABOUT HIM."

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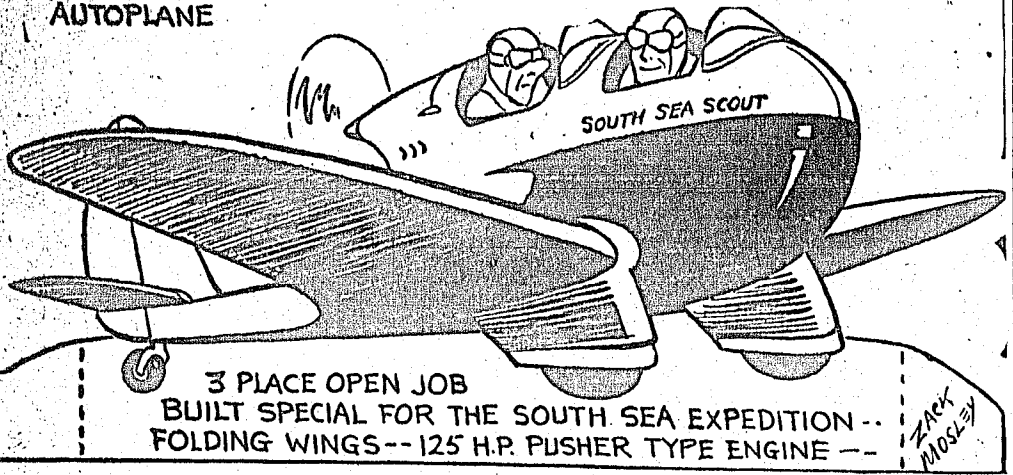
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It has been a great pleasure to know that so many have liked the "True Stories From the Bible." These stories are based on the St. James version of the Bible, are true to Biblical facts and told in simple language that children can understand. Words of praise for sunshine members received from Shut-Ins should make all of us happy. Summer is with us, but we must still work hard to make the Sunshine Club a greater success. Wishing health and happiness for each of you, dear friends, I am,
Your sincerely,
Signed) AUNT MARY.

True Stories From the Bible
"Gideon—The Great Judge."
The story of God's people is written in the history of faith, trial and obedience. God continually had a plan for His chosen people, and when they followed the plan they prospered; when they disregarded the plan disaster and failure resulted.
"And the children of Israel did evil in the sight of the Lord and the Lord delivered them into the hand of Midian seven years. And the hand of Midian prevailed against Israel, and because of the Midianites the children of Israel made them dens which are in the mountains, and caves, and strongholds."—(Judges 6:1-2).
The Hebrew people always have been industrious and thrifty. Since the earliest recorded time they have made two plants grow where one grew before. They have taken barren lands and made them bloom into loveliness.
As our story opens we find the chosen people of God in the land of the Midianites. God had delivered the Hebrews from Egyptian bondage, but they disobeyed His commands and turning to their own lusts, had taken in their midst the wor-

ship of Baal, a heathen God, which was a willful and lustful worship. So God sent punishment, and let them fall under the rule of the Midianites.
Now we find the Midianites, the Amalekites and the nations to the east swarming over the land of the Israelites, taking from them all their animals and the food, leaving them impoverished.
The only way the Israelites could get anything to eat was to thresh the grain secretly and hide it in the mountains. It was while thus engaged, threshing grain to be hidden, that Gideon, the son of Joash the Abiezrite, saw an angel under an oak tree.
"The Lord is with thee," spoke the angel.
Gideon said unto him, "Oh, if my Lord be with us, why then is all this befallen us?"
"Go in this thy might and thou shalt save Israel," again spoke the angel.
Poor Gideon had so little faith that he asked the angel, "How can I save Israel; my family is poor and I am the least in my father's household?"
We thus see Gideon condemning himself with human excuses, doubtful of the grace and power of God.
Then God told Gideon that his power should be so great he would smite the Midianites as one man.
Still Gideon hesitated and asked the angel for a sign that God had really called him. He asked the angel to wait while he made ready the customary offering of a kid, unleavened bread, an ephah of flour. The angel tells Gideon to pour out the broth and to lay the flesh and bread on a rock; which Gideon did. Then the angel put forth the end of his staff and at once a fire arose and consumed the offering. Afterward, the angel departed out of his sight.
Gideon now realized he had actually talked with an angel of the Lord, and great fear fell upon him.

the three hundred into three companies; to each man he gave a trumpet and a lamp concealed in a pitcher. While under cover of darkness the Israelites surrounded the Midian camp. At a signal from Gideon, his men blow their trumpets, crying aloud, "the trumpet of the Lord and of Gideon," while they broke the pitchers and held the lamps high. Such a sudden and unusual attack frightened the Midianites; they became panic-stricken and fled in confusion. Most of the other Israelites rose up, pursued the fleeing Midianites and killed thousands of them. The victory of Gideon was complete and his people glorified him.
"Rule over us," cried the men of Israel to Gideon.
Gideon said unto them, "I will not rule over you; but the Lord shall rule over you."
Thus was Midian subdued and wiped out "before the children of Israel, so that they lifted their heads no more."
For forty years the "chosen people of God" (Israel) remembered their Creator and again prospered.
But when Gideon died at a good old age and was buried his people turned to sinful and lustful ways again and made Baal, the heathen idol, their God. "Neither showed they kindness to the house of Gideon according to the goodness he had shewed unto Israel."—(Judges 8:33-35).
(Next month: "The Story of Samson." What story of the Bible would you like best for me to write? Let me know your favorite. Address Aunt Mary, Route 5, Box 179-B, Fort Worth, Texas).

Nevertheless, your letters are deeply appreciated and when possible I shall try to respond to your requests. Sometimes the many responsibilities weigh heavily on Aunt Mary.
Lots of interesting letters this month. I know all of you are anxious to hear from old friends again. Wish I had space for all the letters.
Aunt Harriet Emigh, Millerton, N. Y., says: "Very few of us really know the obstacles Beulah Lamb (one of our Shut-Ins) has been able to overcome. Her spirit is wonderful. While we have corresponded several years it was not until recently I learned of some of her trials and the marvelous way she met them. Truly, we could all learn many lessons from her." Yes, dear Harriet, Beulah is a very fine woman and an inspiration to club members.
Mrs. Beckie Ziegler, Lansdale, Pa., thanks all who have been so kind to her. She adds: "I would so love to write to many in the club, but do not have the postage. Please thank those who are so good to me."
Mrs. C. W. Shaw, Madill, Okla., sends the following: "Our boy, R. C., was operated on twice recently. He is doing as well as can be expected. Letters he has received mean so much to him at this time. He is unable to write himself, but wishes me to express gratitude to all who have been so thoughtful of his welfare."
Mrs. E. A. Rush, Mountain View, Okla., sends in the name of a Shut-In. I am sorry, Mrs. Rush, but I have no record of your sending in a name before. Thank you for a again writing me.
Mrs. W. A. Lewis, Hamilton, Texas, wrote me a lovely letter sometime ago. It was replete with laughter and with tears. Funny how often the two (laughter and tears) go together. Writes she is no longer a "Shut-In" which all of us are glad to know. She concludes with, "I shall always be a 'shut-out,' which means she is deaf and shut-out from the sweet music and laughter of this world."
Mrs. Cora Sluder, Roysie City, Texas, says: "I keep all the sunshine cards and letters for Louise and every once in a while I read them again to her and we talk of her dear sunshine friends. I have prayed that she may have some happy days, since she can't be like other children. One day I ran across a page of the Sunshine Club. I can't answer all of the letters for lack of postage, but we do love all of you so much. My heart is full of thanks to everyone who has been so kind to my little girl." Thus, in a few words, you have the picture of a home made happy because of this club's work. We must go on—and on—and on.
Aunt Susan Hughes, Galveston, Texas, writes her usual inspiring letter. Honest, folk, if you have not been one of the fortunate ones to receive a letter from this kind soul you are missing much. To the club she is like the bubbling spring I used to live near in Colorado. When our children would get tired, hot and worn out we would go to this spring that flowed from the side of a hill, get down on our knees and drink deeply of its cool, life-giving water. Then, after a

few moments of rest under the shade of trees, all our petty cares seemed to vanish. Aunt Susan is like that. When I get "fussed and bothered" with the non-essential things of life, a letter from her revitalizes and restores all true values. Thank you, Aunt Susan.
Mrs. Chas. Debrodt, Jr., Pettus, Texas, calls my attention to the fact that her name has not appeared on the Shut-In list this year. Please forgive me, dear, but it has been an unfortunate oversight, for you are surely a member in good standing and much appreciated by the members.
Aunt Agnes Pick, Berkeley, California, sends love and best wishes to all. We could hardly get along without Aunt Agnes.
Lucille West, Troup, Texas, sends a lovely letter. She is a close friend to Leon Martin, Troup, Texas. We are proud to have these fine youngsters in our club.
Mrs. M. C. Duncan, Fairy, Texas, sends greetings to everyone and wishes to thank all who are so kind to her.
Mrs. J. W. Walker, Raymondville, Texas, makes us very happy when she writes: "I just want you to know that I have someone praying for you away down in the valley." She goes on further to say about being so busy (just like most of us) and that she plans to take her vacation in heaven. That is a fine thought. I should like to visit this fine woman, and hope I may have the privilege some day.
We congratulate Leon Martin, Troup, Texas, for his graduation, May 25th, from Carlisle high school. We are all watching this young man's career with interest; believe he will make a success of life.
Mrs. Lucy Newman, Woodleigh, N. C., writes: "I greet all the club in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ, as I sit here in my bed where I have been tied hand and foot for twelve years. I do not know why I have been laid aside all these years, but some sweet day I'll understand. I am thankful that I have many blessings, chief among them that I can see the lovely out-of-doors and hear the sweet melody of birds from my shut-in bed." Aunt Mary can add nothing to this beautiful letter.
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The first task God assigned Gideon was to throw down the altar of Baal, cut the wooded grove beside it and build an altar unto the Lord. Gideon feared his father's household and the men of the city, so he secretly did this task by night. Slaying a bullock, Gideon cast down the altar, cut the grove and offered the bullock as a sacrifice to the true God.
In the morning when the people beheld what Gideon had done they were very angry and demanded that he be killed. But his wise old father told the people, "if Baal be a true God let him punish Gideon."
At the command of God, Gideon began to rally all the men from far and near. However, he wanted to be sure he was called to deliver Israelites from the Midianites, therefore he asked God for further proof of the power to do this thing. He made a test by placing fleeces upon the floor and asking God to send dew upon the wool and not upon the floor. In the morning Gideon was able to wring a bowl full of water out of the fleece while the floor remained dry. This miracle removed all doubt from Gideon's mind that God had chosen him to lead his people to victory.
Gideon's movements were now swift and decisive. He gathered a great army ready to march against the Midianites. But God knew that too many people are hard to manage, so he had Gideon send away 22,000 men. This left 10,000 men for the army. Still God told him to further reduce the number.
At God's command, Gideon led the men under him to water; those that drank hurriedly were set to one side and those that got down on their knees to drink were placed in a special group. Of the men that drank hurriedly there were three hundred, and Gideon knew they were the ones God had chosen to go with him to deliver Israel from the Midianites.
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A LITTLE FUN Jokes to Make You Laugh

Tit for Tat

In a crowded street car sat a very thin lady greatly discomfited by the pressure of an extremely fat lady who sat next to her.

Turning to the fat lady, the thin lady remarked, icily: "They should charge by weight on these cars."

Fat lady: "But if they did, dearie, they couldn't afford to stop for you."

What He Didn't Know

Auctioneer: "What am I offered for this beautiful bust of Robert Burns?"

Man in crowd: "That ain't Burns; that's Shakespeare."

Auctioneer: "Well, folks, the joke's on me. That shows what I know about the Bible."

Taking No Chance

Alkali Ike was bothered with stomach trouble, and the foreman of the ranch sent him to Cheyenne to see a certain Dr. Blakely.

Ike returned next day in good spirits and the boss remarked, "The old doctor knows his business, doesn't he?"

"Well, boss," replied Ike, "I looked up that doctor you told me to but there was a sign on his door that said '10 to 1.' I wasn't going to take no such chance as that, so I looked around for better odds; finally I found one that said, 'Dr. Cole, 8 to 5,' so I went to him."

Tracing an Abstract

A Louisiana attorney, retained by an oil company to trace the abstract of a deed, went back to 1803, the year Louisiana was bought from France. The company wrote the lawyer he would have to trace ownership of the land farther back than that, which he did in due time, reporting by letter as follows:

"Dear Sirs: I traced your deed back to 1803, but here it is complete from 1803: As you probably know, Louisiana was purchased from France in 1803. France had acquired Louisiana from the Spanish as the result of a successful war against the Spaniards. The Spaniards acquired Louisiana as the result of the explorations of an Italian named Columbus. Columbus was financially backed by Isabella and Ferdinand. Isabella and Ferdinand were given permission for Columbus' expedition by the Pope. The Pope is the vicar of Christ. Christ is the Son of God. God made Louisiana."

Little Eric's Answer

A rather stout schoolmistress was talking to the class about birds and their habits.

"Now," she said, "at home I have a canary, and it can do something I cannot do. I wonder if any of you know just what that thing is?"

Little Eric raised his hand. "I know teacher," he said. "Take a bath in a saucer!"

Mere Statement of Fact

The pastor of a negro church pestered the bishop so much in making appeals for help that the bishop wrote him all such appeals would be ignored in the future.

Several months elapsed and one day the bishop received a letter from the struggling pastor.

"Dear Bishop," the letter began, "This here ain't no appeal—it's a report. I has no pants."

The Broncho He Didn't Bust

I've busted bronchos off and on Since first I struck their trail, And you bet I savvy bronchos From nostrils down to tail; But I struck one on Powder Horn, And say, hands, he was the first And only living broncho That you! Uncle couldn't bust.

He went so high above the earth Lights from Jerusalem shone. Right then we parted company And he came down alone. At last I hit old mother earth— Hit hard enough to see A bunch of stars that came along And danced in front of me.

Disliked Nicknames

William Watkins disliked nicknames. He used to say that most given names were ruined by abbreviations, which was a sin and a shame.

"I, myself," he said, "am one of six brothers. We were all given good, old-fashioned Christian names, but friends shortened our names into slang phrases. I shall name my children so that it will be impossible to curtail their names."

The Watkins family, in time, was blessed with four children, all boys. They were named Wallace, Stuyvesant, Osborne and Waldorf. They are all big boys now, and known to their friends as "Skinny," "Shorty," "Butch" and "Kid."

Buck Johnson's Plea

Marching thirty kilometers at a stretch over shell-torn roads played havoc with the feet of the doughboys

in France. And although the doughboys were better shod and clothed than were the soldiers of other lands, it was not an easy matter to get a new uniform or a new pair of shoes before the old ones were worn clear through. Johnson seemed to have a talent for getting things by his ready wit. Buck's soles were thin and his feet were sore. He went to the Supply Sergeant for a new pair of shoes.

"Them hobs are okay—they ain't half worn out," said S. P., when Buck put in his application for a new pair. "Did you say them hobs is okay?" asked Buck, almost moved to tears.

"That's what I said," snapped the Sergeant.

Buck continued to push his plea. "Sure, Sarge," he admitted, "them soles ain't wore through yet, but they're so thin that if I step on a dime I kin tell you whether it's heads or tails."

The Mexican Prisoner's Lament

After the Battle of San Jacinto the spoils of war included about 400 Mexican mules. Among the 700 Mexican prisoners captured and kept under guard near the battleground was a colonel by the name of Delgado. He wrote in his diary the following lament:

"It is amusing to see the Texas soldiers put saddles on these wicked mules and ride them. They adorn the mules with gay-colored cords taken from our uniforms and fasten the caps of our grenadiers on the ears of these mules. They would also bedeck the mules with the epaulets of our officers. They delighted in covering the beasts with all sorts of trappings and colors after the fashion of our bullfighting clowns. One young fellow mounted a mule thus bedecked and he and all the trappings were scattered over the field. How strange and undignified these fellows are. They act like wild Comanches."

Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God. Mat. 4:4.

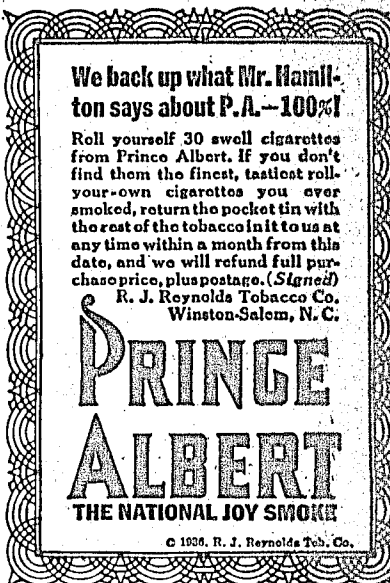
"I got started with the right 'makin's'" says Evan Hamilton



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Poultry Facts

By F. W. KAZMEIER, Bryan, Texas

Avoid Crowding Pullets

Everybody talks it—the evil of over-crowding your pullets, costing you real money. Don't do it—don't for just once for a season and note the results. The more you crowd pullets the slower they grow and the greater the cost of raising them. Give your growing pullets plenty of room, on the ground, in the houses and on the roosts, as well as around the feed hoppers.

Select Cockerels While Young

It is good practice to select your breeding cockerels while still young, say about eight weeks. At this time you can select for such important characteristics as growth, feather development, vitality, some standard requirements, etc. It is wise to keep at least twice as many as you need to allow for future culling. Remember the male bird is an important part in your flock. He should be a good one. The successful breeder is rigid in his culling.

Dodging Blackhead in Turkeys

Turkey raisers should always bear in mind that clean ground, available by frequent moving of

the brooder houses or coops, is the best safe guard against blackhead as well as many other turkey diseases.

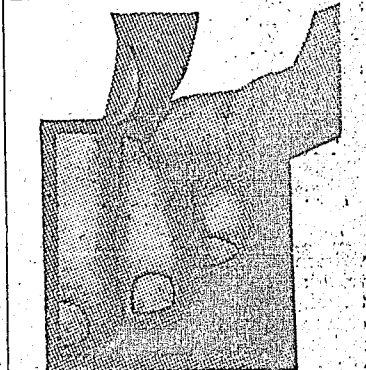
Feeding Sulphur

Some information places a value on crude sulphur, in controlling and preventing coccidiosis in chickens. The amount generally recommended is 3%. Sulphur does not have any feeding value but it is claimed it kills, or rather prevents, the further spread of coccidiosis in the droppings. Since coccidiosis is spread through the droppings, if the sulphur acts as a disinfectant to prevent the spread of this disease, it may mean much in the growing of late chicks.

Sex-Separating of Chicks

This spring has been our first experience in a practical way with sex-separating of baby chicks. We have divided something over 10,000 chicks at this writing and are thoroughly convinced it is practical, profitable, and a service that many poultry raisers in the future will demand from chick producers. You can figure on 90% accuracy, or better. Like every-thing else, there are some "quacks" in the business. There are some who are always trying to do it cheaper than the other fellow but not better. Like a lot of other things—you get what you pay for. Nobody is in business to give something away. If you buy the cheapest you have no right to expect the best. The two—cheapest and best—just don't go together.

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MELVIN PURVIS, the young lawyer who became America's ace G-Man, who directed the capture of Dillinger, "Pretty Boy" Floyd, "Baby Face" Nelson, and many other public enemies. Mr. Purvis reveals here methods used in capturing desperate criminals. Names have, of course, been changed. This inside story of the capture of typical law-breakers is herewith published as further clinching proof that CRIME DOES NOT PAY.

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HE PUT HIS HAND ON THIS GLASS FOR A MOMENT—PERHAPS YOU CAN GET FINGERPRINTS.

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THE BANK IS ALMOST EMPTY AND THERE'S A BIG CAR OUTSIDE!

TAP, TAP-TAP, TAP TAP-TAP-TAP, TAP

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DROP THOSE GUNS! WE'VE CAUGHT YOU DEAD TO RIGHTS THIS TIME, MAL MALARKEY!

GEE, THANKS FOR TELLING US THAT STORY, MR. PURVIS!

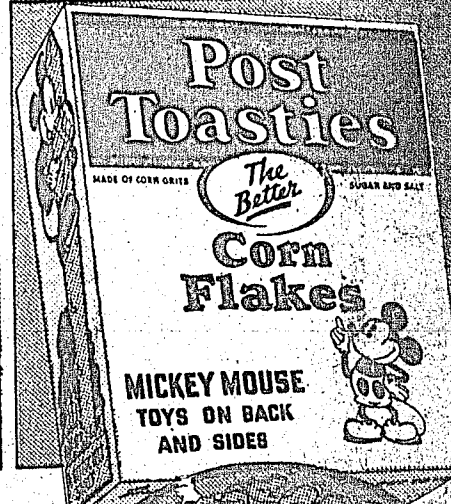
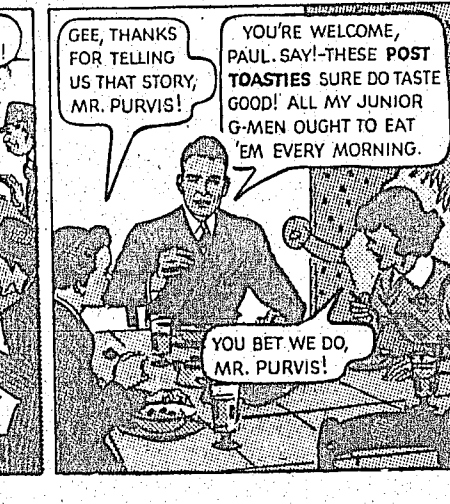
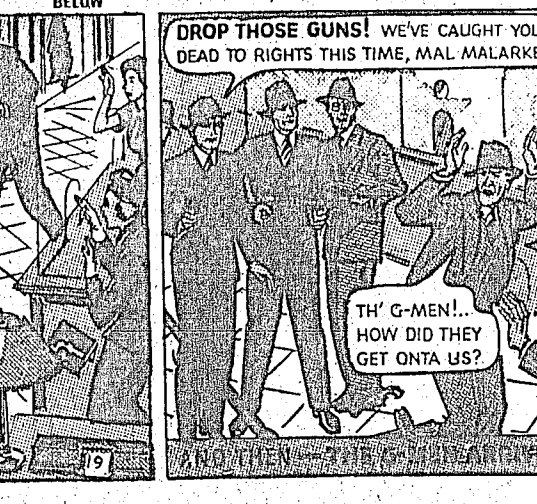
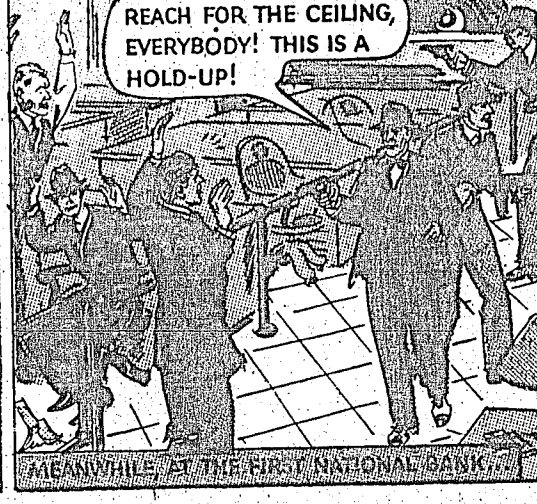
YOU'RE WELCOME, PAUL. SAY—THESE POST TOASTIES SURE DO TASTE GOOD! ALL MY JUNIOR G-MEN OUGHT TO EAT 'EM EVERY MORNING.

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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

Texas Tech To Award Degrees To 254 Students

Lubbock, Texas, June 1.—Composing the largest June graduating class in the history of Texas Technological college, 254 persons are candidates for degrees to be awarded at the tenth annual Commencement June 8 at 10 a. m. Of these, 24 have applied for master's degrees.

The number of candidates for bachelor's degrees is divided as follows: bachelor of science in agriculture, 31; bachelor of science in engineering, 13; bachelor of architecture, 3; bachelor of arts in commercial art, 1; bachelor of science in home economics, 20; bachelor of business administration, 33; bachelor of arts in education, 7; bachelor of science in education, 13; bachelor of arts in sciences, 20; bachelor of arts in social sciences, 21; bachelor of arts in languages and music, 43; and bachelor of science in sciences, 6.

Among the nine students listed for the degree, master of science, is listed the name of Alva Eugene Watkins of Santa Anna, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins.

NEW GIN FOR SANTA ANNA

Mr. C. L. Cook of Winters, Texas, closed a deal last week for a lot in the Southwest part of town on which he intends to erect a modern gin plant. This gin with the three gins that are already here will insure the farmers of this section ample capacity to take care of a much larger crop than they have raised for several years past.

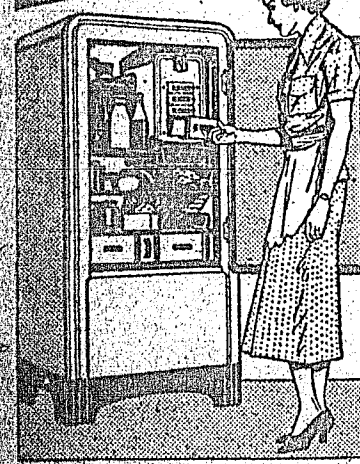
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New Kerosene and Gas Models on display at **HOSCH Furniture & Undertaking Company** Santa Anna, Texas

Woman Badly Injured By Stray Bullet

Mrs. Jodie Baker was brought to the Sealy Hospital Tuesday morning suffering from a severe injury inflicted by a stray bullet. The bullet, from a .22 caliber rifle, struck her in the left elbow, badly fracturing the bones, splintering part of the upper bone and part of the lower bone, inflicting a permanent injury.

The shot was supposed to have been fired by a Mexican boy, who was out gunning without regard for the direction of his bullets.

Mrs. Baker was out in the yard Tuesday morning, going about her chores when the tragedy occurred. The Bakers live in the teacherage of the Leedy school, seven miles south of town, where Mr. and Mrs. Baker have taught school the past two years.

We wish the lady a speedy recovery without enduring complications.

SANTA ANNA GIRL GRADUATES FROM T. W. C. WITH HIGHEST HONORS

Miss Pinney Also Crowned Queen of School

Miss Kathryn Rose Pinney, daughter of Mrs. Minnie B. Pinney, graduated May 25 from Texas Wesleyan College at Fort Worth as valedictorian of the class of 1936. Other than taking this high honor, she was elected last December by popular vote of the student body to be crowned Queen of T. W. C. at the college May Fete, which was held on Saturday evening, May 23, before the graduation exercises on May 25.

Miss Pinney has served in college offices the four years she has been enrolled in T. W. C. In her senior year, she served as president of the A. S. Society and also House President of the Ann Waggoner Hall for 1936. For the past two years she has been assistant teacher of Home Economics in the school.

Besides her work in T. W. C., Santa Anna has other cause to be proud of Miss Pinney. She graduated in 1928 from the Cross Plains Grade School as valedictorian of her class, and from Santa Anna High School in 1932 as valedictorian. We congratulate Miss Pinney, and know we can look forward to her adding many more honors to her record.

Santa Anna To Have Night Field

The committee looking after the interests of the Softball League has hit a happy medium with the Santa Anna School Board, and according to pending arrangements, Santa Anna is booked for a lighted field soon.

The committee sponsoring the Softball League is to raise sufficient funds to light the field for football and other athletic events.

At present the plans are to play ball during the season without charging admission fees, which should be done then during the football season admission will be charged to help bear the expenses of the extra equipment and the players.

This is a fine arrangement, and if it carries, will give Santa Anna something she has been longing for many moons.

ALBANY MAN DIES HERE

Ben Dillingham, 47, former citizen of the Shield community, died in the Hospital here Wednesday morning, following an eight weeks' period of illness, said to be of such nature no human body has ever been able to overcome.

Deceased is a brother to John Dillingham of Shield. He is survived by his widow, 7 children and 5 sisters. Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m. Thursday in Albany, Castleberry Undertakers in charge.

Mr. Dillingham moved from Shield to Albany in 1918.

The local troop of Boy Scouts left Wednesday under the leadership of Scoutmaster J. R. Lock to camp for about three days on Ford Barnes place below Whom on the Colorado River.

Cowboy Reunion At Stamford July 2-3-4

STAMFORD, Texas, June 1.—Veteran cowboys who rode the ranges and went up the long cattle trails in the days of the open range will hold their seventh annual round-up in Stamford during the Texas Cowboy Reunion July 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

During the meeting, the old-time cowhands will elect officers for their association, which limits its membership to cowboys or cattlemen who saw service no less than 35 years ago. Clyde Burnett, Benjamin Cattleman and former trail driver, is president of the organization this year and will preside over the July meeting.

In their gathering here during the Reunion each year, the old-timers revive memories of the old west, swap yarns and renew acquaintances. All members in good standing are guests of the Reunion management during their stay in the city. Their membership badges entitle them to free admission to the rodeo and grandstand, a chuck-wagon dinner each day and admission to the cowboy square dance at the bunkhouse each night.

The bunkhouse, a unique native stone structure, is the property of the oldtimers organization and serves as their headquarters. On the outside walls of the building are engraved in stone the cattle brands of scores of ranches of the Southwest, past and present. The building is near the shore of a little lake and overlooks the Reunion grounds.

The veteran cowhands are among the most enthusiastic spectators at the cowboy rodeo and their participation is not confined altogether to the grandstand. One of the rodeo events each year is the oldtime calf-ropers contest, which is limited to cowboys 55 years of age and over. A fine saddle is the prize for the winner. Simpson Johnson, age 57, of Guion, Texas, won first prize last year in a field of 31 contestants.

CHARLES EDWIN TABOR

Funeral services were held from the Baptist Church at Eden Sunday afternoon at three o'clock for Charles Edwin Tabor, 35, who passed away at four a. m. Saturday in the Rush Clinic at San Angelo after suffering a stroke late Friday afternoon.

Ed Tabor was born in Coleman County August 20, 1900 and died May 30, 1936. He and Mrs. Tabor had just returned from San Angelo where he had taken her for treatment, and had gone to his barber shop where he was stricken about six o'clock. He was rushed to the Hospital in San Angelo but all efforts to save him were in vain.

Deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. Frankie Lee Tabor, three daughters, Le Lemoine, 5; Ethel DePhane, 3; and Agatha Sue, 8 months; his mother, Mrs. Allie Tabor of Santa Anna; and the following brothers and sisters:

Mrs. Tom D. Alfred of Pampa, Bill Tabor, Dudley Tabor of Abilene; Miss Elizabeth Tabor, Santa Anna; Mrs. E. A. Glover of Wittenburg, John Henry Tabor, Gainesville; Ben Brooke Tabor, Santa Anna; and James Tabor of Gainesville. His father, D. S. Tabor of Burkett, also survives.

Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. N. A. Sanders, assisted by Rev. A. D. Forman of San Angelo. Latham Funeral Home of Eden had charge of arrangements.

Mr. Tabor was a kind and loving husband and father, and a true Christian gentleman who was loved and respected by all who knew him. He formerly lived here and has many friends who deeply regret his demise.

Funeral for Hogan Infant

Funeral services were held Saturday at Gouldbusk for little Dardelle Hogan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hogan of Gouldbusk. The three day old baby was born on May 26 and passed away Friday, May 29.

Hosch Undertakers prepared the body, and interment was made in the Gouldbusk cemetery.

Miss Kathryn Wylie has returned home for the summer from Stephenville, where she has been enrolled in John Tarleton Agricultural College.

Red & White Stores Celebrating 5th Anniversary

FIFTEEN MEMBER STORES IN COLEMAN UNIT JOIN IN CELEBRATION

The fifteen Red & White stores comprising the Coleman unit will begin a three-day observance of the fifth anniversary of the founding of the Red & White organization in this section.

In commemoration of the anniversary the stores in the Coleman unit will launch a sale of groceries at special prices which will continue through Monday, June 8.

The Red & White Stores came into existence in this section of West Texas five years ago. Initial plans for the organization were worked out by the H. O. Wooten Grocery company, supply house for ten separate units.

In addition to the Coleman unit, there are nine other units supplied by the Wooten Grocery company, with headquarters at Abilene, Stamford, Sweetwater, Big Spring, San Angelo, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, Snyder and Spur.

Voluntary operation by the individual groceries forms the basic plank in formation of the Red & White group. As a national organization, it was conceived and developed for the benefit of the independent retail store operator and is never operated for profit, it is pointed out.

"Red & White," according to C. O. Fleming, local manager, "is purely a friendly organization whose existence is made possible by the splendid cooperation, confidence and integrity of its members. One of the unique principles upon which the Red & White organization was founded is the application of the Golden Rule, 'Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.' This basic principle has proved to be highly successful and lends a fraternal atmosphere to the organization which forms a bond that is not easily broken."

The Red & White plan of operation was conceived by S. M. Flickinger of Buffalo, New York, in 1921. It was designated to meet the demand for a wholesale-retail cooperative organization. From Buffalo it spread to the northwest into Minneapolis; from Minneapolis was pioneered in Denver. Its steady growth now finds Red & White developed from the Hudson Bay district in Canada to the Gulf of Mexico and from Portland, Maine, to Portland, Oregon.

The Red & White group owns and controls the longest list of food products ever packed by one organization, Mr. Fleming says. These products enjoy the unique distinction of having a longer list of approved items by the Bureau of Foods, Sanitation and Health of Good Housekeeping magazine than any other similar line, he adds.

VERNON LOWELL KITCHEN

Funeral services were held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the residence here for Vernon Lowell Kitchen, 3-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kitchen.

Vernon was born February 9, 1933 at Kerrville, Texas, and died at Santa Anna June 3, 1936 after an illness of several weeks.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kitchen, two brothers, Raymond and Glen, and one sister, Jimmie. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kenley of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchen.

Rev. R. Elmer Dunham conducted the services, assisted by Rev. J. A. Hall of Bangs.

Mitcham Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements, and interment was made in the Santa Anna cemetery.

MR. AND MRS. IRA HUSS HONOR GUESTS AT PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Huss were guests at a picnic party given at the Ranger Park, Tuesday evening by members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Regrets were expressed that the chapter was losing one of its officers and a most ardent member.

Gifts from the chapter were presented to Mrs. Huss by the Worthy Matron-elect, Mrs. Maud Bowers Patterson and the Chaplain, Mother Burris. Mrs. Huss responded in a very gracious manner, and invited all to visit her in her new home in Winters, Texas.

Brownwood Regatta Plans Second Event

Brownwood, Texas, June 1.—Visitors to Brownwood's Second Annual Regatta and Speed Boat Races, June 20-21, will find greatly improved facilities for handling the large crowds that will attend the event. Native stone repair shops, concession house, dance pavillion and picnic structures have been constructed along the shore during the winter months by WPA labor. The parking grounds have been enlarged and cleared of underbrush, paved roads built throughout the park, and a water supply system has been installed. Numerous improvements will make it easier for spectators to witness the races and water events from more comfortable surroundings.

The races this year are attracting greater attention from speed boat racers throughout the Southwest, and it is expected that the largest field to enter a summer boat race meet this year in Texas will be on hand Sunday afternoon, June 21, for the National Outboard Association race program. These events start promptly at 2 p. m. Sunday, with five races of two heats each. More than \$700 in cash prizes will be awarded to the winners. Forty entries already have been assured.

The two-day program will get under way Saturday morning, with bait and fly casting tournament under the auspices of the Izaak Walton League. Prizes totaling \$30 are offered in these events.

Saturday afternoon local boat races will be held and a number of novelty races, designed to interest and thrill the spectator, have been arranged. Aquaplane riding and other water sports also have been scheduled for Saturday afternoon.

Regatta officials are expecting record-breaking crowds at Lake Brownwood for the two-day Regatta, which offers unique entertainment for residents of arid West Texas. Lake Brownwood, a 7800 acre body of water, is one of the largest inland lakes in the state, and racing officials state its protected waters offer an ideal course for speed boat races. More than 10,000 people attended the 1935 races last summer, and preparations are being made to entertain large crowds this year.

MARGARET SUE BATTLES

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock at the Cleveland Church for little Margaret Sue Battles, two and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Battles of the Cleveland community. Rev. R. Elmer Dunham, pastor of the Santa Anna First Baptist Church, had charge of the service.

Margaret Sue was born January 15, 1934 in the Cleveland community. The survivors include her mother and father, and one sister, Wanda Mae. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Battles of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Huggins of Baytown, Texas. The latter were unable to be present for the funeral.

Two great-grandmothers are Mrs. R. Cupps and Mrs. E. D. Huggins of Santa Anna. Mrs. Huggins was unable to be present for the funeral.

Little Margaret Sue became seriously ill with pneumonia on April 1, and since, complications set in which she did not have strength to overcome. She passed away Monday, June 1, at 1:30 p. m.

Flower ladies were Mrs. Armor Vardeman, Mrs. Loyd Lovelace, Mrs. Sammie Duggins, Misses Ruth Marie Moore, Doris Cupps, Thelma Cupps and Brady Lee Phillips.

The pall bearers were Porter Clark, Claude Phillips, Will Wright, and Charlie Westbrook. Hosch Undertakers directed the services and interment was made in the Cleveland cemetery.

Bess Inez Shield returned home early this week from Denton to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Shield.

Rex Golston, Jr. returned this week from College Station where he has been enrolled in A. & M. College.

R. T. Rountree of San Marcos formerly a merchant in the Mountain City, came Wednesday night for a visit here.

The Vacation Bible School

After a great deal of concentrated effort and planning the Baptist church will open its first Vacation Bible School Monday morning, June 8. In this school besides very interesting Bible lessons for each of four departments, Beginners, Primaries, Juniors and Intermediates, where will be courses in woodwork for boys, sewing, basketry, poster making, rug weaving and paper cut out work. A faculty of some eighteen people well equipped for work has been secured and are in training this week. A number of them have been visiting the Coleman First Baptist Vacation school this week. More than 100 are expected to enroll in the school Saturday and Sunday or the days following.

This school will run for two weeks, and all boys and girls ages 4 to 16 are eligible to enroll. Mr. J. R. Lock has been elected principal, and Rev. R. Elmer Dunham assistant and conductor of Junior and Intermediate Worship periods. Parents who have care are urged to bring them to the Baptist church not later than 3 p. m. Saturday for the parade.

CHANGE IN MANAGEMENT AT CITY DRY CLEANERS

Mr. Robert H. Williams, son-in-law of Mrs. Alma McNutt, has purchased the City Dry Cleaning business from Ogden Brown, the change taking effect Monday morning, June 1.

Mr. Williams has been a resident of Santa Anna about one year, and has made many friends. He has had several years experience in the tailoring business, spending one year in special training. He was a student in John Tarleton A. & M. College at Stephenville before coming here. He will be glad to have his friends call upon him at his place of business, and solicits the patronage of the entire public. See his advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

Special Game Saturday Night

The Santa Anna Fire Department, All Star team, will play the Hicks Rubber company All Star team of Coleman on the Hufford Field at Coleman, to seven innings Saturday night, June 6th, beginning at 8:30.

Published by request without further data.

CAPT. ROBERTSON DIES AT GALVESTON HOME

Joe Haynes, former manager of the Robertson estate in this county, was advised by telegram Tuesday of the death of Capt. J. A. Robertson. The funeral was to be held Wednesday in Galveston.

Capt. Robertson was among the large land owners of this county, owning at the time of his death about 3,000 acres. He installed the first natural gas system in this part of Texas, here in Santa Anna in 1912. He drilled a number of oil and gas wells on his holdings before selling his Santa Anna holdings to the Coleman Gas and Oil company several years ago.

Capt. Robertson was in his 68th year, his birthday being July 7th. He was active and looked after his business affairs until his death. He had a large circle of friends here and elsewhere who will regret to hear of his passing.

SENIOR PREP UNION TO GIVE PROGRAM IN B. T. U.

Sunday night in the Baptist Training Union, the Senior Prep Union will have charge of the General Assembly program and put on a short interesting play. The goal for attendance in B. T. U. Sunday night is 150 and special programs are being prepared by the different unions.

Monday night the executive meeting was held at the church, and after the business was discussed, the Senior Union had charge of a peppy entertainment period, which was a Yale and Harvard Track Meet. The Yale Team won with a score of 65 to Harvard's 25. After the social hour, the Prep Union served fruit punch and cookies to about 25 people.

One lot of \$2.95 wash dresses for \$1.95 at Mrs. Shockley's Store.

World's Famous Strong Man To Be Here Saturday

Jack Kern, known as the "IRON MAN," holder of the world's record for moving the greatest load of weight with the human body, will be presented to the people of Santa Anna and its trade territory, in a FREE exhibition of strength Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.



The "IRON MAN," as Jack is known, will attempt to pull several heavily loaded trucks upgrade, on the street by a rope around his neck and other methods. Kern, a most ordinary looking man, in his street clothes, is a "Believe It or Not" character, said to possess one of the most perfectly developed set of muscles in this country.

He has held his world's record for 18 years. Weighing only 162 pounds this man was successful in defeating a giant strong man from Coblenz, Germany, who weighed 242 pounds, and beat him by four tons. Kern's world record is pulling 24 tons, 46 feet up a 1 per cent grade.

He also, according to Medical Science, is the only living human to possess a muscular formation over the outside of each elbow. Jack has been examined by doctors everywhere and all express amazement as to how his body stands this terrific strain without bursting blood vessels or arteries.

Kern's exhibition in Santa Anna is paid for by the Merchants and everyone is cordially invited to witness this show. Jack especially urges that you bring your children as he is a great lover of them.

The show starts promptly at 4:00 o'clock, lasts only 40 minutes and you must be on hand if you wish to see him. No collection will be taken.

ROST-BERRYMAN

Report was made this week of the marriage of Miss Ruby Rost of Brenham, Texas, and Mr. L. A. (Jack) Berryman of Santa Anna, last Wednesday, May 27, in Brenham. They are at home with the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. J. J. Lowrey of Santa Anna.

QUEEN THEATRE
Sat., June 6
JOHN WAYNE in "Lonely Trail"
Sat. Preview, Sun. & Mon. June 6-7-8
PAT O'BRIEN in "I Married A Doctor"
With Josephine Hutchinson
Tues., June 9
DONALD WOODS in "Road Gang"
With KAY LINAKER
Wed., June 10
JACK HAWLEY in "F-Man"
With GRACE BRADLEY
Thurs. & Fri., June 11-12
AL JOLSON in "Singing Kid"
With SYBIL JASON
Cab Calloway and Edward Everett Horton

Santa Anna News

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J. J. Gregg, Editor & Publisher.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice, Santa Anna, Texas.

J. T. Williamson Enters Race For County Attorney

John T. Williamson of Coleman has made application for a place on the ballot to be voted July 25 as a candidate for county attorney of Coleman county.

"Under the law as it is now all liquor violations are being tried in county instead of district court and the duties of the county attorney are similar to those of the district attorney.

"I will not try to usurp the duties of peace officers nor pay too much attention to small infractions of the law where there is really no apparent criminal intent.

ing laws made and intended for the benefit of society and the protection of life and property."

"I will appreciate the votes of the people of Coleman county, and if elected will try and render a service of which the people will be proud."

SANTA ANNA H. D. CLUB

The Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club met at the club house Friday, May 29th.

The following members were appointed chairmen of each committee to serve the Lions Club.

Mrs. C. B. Ashmore, Mrs. Joe Harvey, Miss Blanche Boyd, Mrs. Roy Stockard and Mrs. Mace Blanton.

There were twelve members present and a visitor, Mrs. W. O. Garrett.

Our next meeting will be June 12th with Mrs. C. B. Ashmore, Miss Alice Glenn Young will be with us on that day.

WHON H. D. CLUB

"When shrubs are watered, soak the plants. A little bit of water put on top will cause the plant roots to come to the top of the ground for water, which means that the hot sun or the dry winds or the winter freezes kill the plant easily," says Miss Alice Glenn Young, county home demonstration agent, to the Whon Home Demonstration Club, on Tuesday, afternoon, June 2, at the home of Mrs. J. D. Turney.

Frequent shallow cultivation makes a bed take up lots of water. A bed should act as a sponge; that is, take up a great quantity of water. Work the soil lightly with a rake in order to make it look better and to conserve the moisture. Water and water correctly. Soak the ground

well about every week. Water plants late in the evening or at night so that as little evaporation as possible takes place. Beds should be mulched with gin waste, straw stack leavings, or leaf mold. The layer of mulching should be from one to four inches deep, which aids in keeping weeds down, makes the bed look nicer, and builds up the soil.

A refreshment plate of ice cream, cookies and cake was served to five members, a visitor, Miss Lena Burt Robinson, of Coleman, and the demonstrator, Miss Alice Glenn Young.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. O. C. Lovelady. Mrs. James Gill will give a demonstration on slip covers. It will be an all day meeting and all who are interested come and bring a dish.

Eureka News

(G. A. Brinson)

Everyone is busy planting cotton and cutting grain. Most everyone who had cotton planted before the rain is having to replant.

Mrs. R. W. Aschenbeck and daughter visited Mrs. W. L. Swan Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jettie Mae McCreary visited in Mrs. R. M. Lowe's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Christy and children visited in the C. J. McKown home Sunday.

Wayne Fletcher visited Giles Fletcher Sunday.

Mrs. R. N. Bouchillon and Mrs. W. C. Casey visited Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Curry are the pleased parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born May 29 at the Sealy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bouchillon and children visited at May Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McKown

and daughter visited in the Bill Carr home Sunday night.

Miss Josephine Williams is working at Mrs. R. M. Lowe's while Mrs. Lena Bell Alford is on her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cummings and daughter of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ser-ratt and children visited in the Jim Ferguson home Sunday.

Flossie Faye McKown visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Christy at Silver Valley last week.

Faye Louise and Geraldine Curry are visiting their grandparents at Goldsboro this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brinson and children of Bangs visited in the W. L. Swan home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eeds and daughter of Line visited in the Bill Carr home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Faye Curry's sister and children of Coleman visited her last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lancaster have moved to the Salem community.

Rockwood News

By Hearthal King

Callers in the A. L. King home Sunday evening were Mrs. C. A. Crump and daughters Peggy and Patsy, and Misses Faye and Gaye Turner of Santa Anna, Mrs. Sam Stewardson and daughter, Linda, and Miss Mildred Stewardson of Shied.

Mrs. Annie Lovell is critically ill in the home of her son, Charlie Lovell of this community.

Mr. Hilton Wise is in the Scott-White Hospital at Temple. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Ida Herring and Mr. Earl Cozart of Whon visited in the R. E. Johnson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Fred Shuford and Mrs. A. F. Vice were Brady visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Gilbreath spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Earl Gilbreath.

Mrs. Terry Floyd, Mrs. Ruth Bowden and Opie T. spent a while Sunday evening in the Arthur King home.

The Methodist Sunday School presented a program at the Methodist Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter attended the Rural Carriers Convention at Brady Saturday.

Mrs. William Ashmore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ashmore at Santa Anna last weekend.

Miss Pauline Ashmore of Brady spent Friday afternoon with homefolks here.

Miss Bernice Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams.

The Roseola is raging here. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell Box of Brownwood spent Saturday and Sunday in the J. W. Box home.

Presbyrian Church

You are invited to attend all the services next Sunday. Sunday school at ten, preaching at eleven and eight. Christian Endeavor seven-fifteen.

M. L. Womack, Minister.

Methodist Church

William E. Fisher, Pastor. 10 a. m., Sunday School, C. B. Verner, Supt.

11 a. m. Morning services. 7:15 p. m., Epworth League, Miss Morean Walker, pres.

8:15 p. m. Evening services. Monday, 3:00 p. m., Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. T. R. Sealy, president.

Baptist Church

R. Elmer Dunham, Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Mr. J. R. Lock, Supt.

Slogan for Sunday School: "400 Before the 4th of July in Sunday School."

Preaching Services at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sermons by the pastor.

B. T. U. at 7:15 p. m. Mr. Augustus Lightfoot, Gen Director.

Vacation Bible School Registration 2:30 p. m. Saturday.

Vacation School Parade 3 p. m. Saturday. Classes begin Monday morning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Allie Tabor and daughter, Miss Elizabeth and granddaughter, Miss Orene Alford spent Wednesday in Coleman visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter of Rockwood and Mr. and Mrs. Orman Carter spent Sunday in Rising Star with Mr. and Mrs. John Somerford, Mrs. Orman Carter's parents.

Whon News

(By Mrs. Warren Gill)

Farmers are having to make up for time lost during the rain, but everyone is thankful for the much needed moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Davis gave a party for the young people Friday night. A large crowd attended and everyone enjoyed the party.

Mr. Homer Hill is in the Hospital seriously ill. We hope he will soon be better.

Mr. E. W. Gill is also ill, in Brownwood, but is improving.

Mr. Jimmy Gill spent the weekend with his parents in Brownwood.

Mr. Warren Gill is spending a few days in Brownwood.

Mrs. G. L. Gill and children and Mrs. J. M. Gill were in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. Edgar McNutt and Leona Maye Gill spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McNutt in Mills county.

Rev. Howard Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fivash and Vernon Fivash, Bro. Sammie Shields, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Winn attended the Nazarene Fifth Sunday meeting in Brownwood last Sunday.

Mrs. Truitt Davis and son Bobby spent the night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker near Santa Anna.

Mrs. S. S. Shields is ill at her home. We hope she will soon be improved.

TURNEY-ODEN

Miss Newah Turney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Turney of Whon, and Mr. Anson Oden of Brownwood, were married in Brownwood, Tuesday, May 26.

Mrs. Oden received her B. A. degree from Howard Payne college this year and is a student nurse in the Medical Arts Hospital there. She will also complete her work as a student nurse this summer.

We extend hearty congratulations to the young couple and wish them much happiness throughout their lives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oden will make their home in Brownwood where he has employment.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks and appreciation for all the kind and sympathetic words spoken to us in our bereavement, and special thanks for the floral offering. All these lightened our burden much.

Mrs. Beatrice Layne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Layne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Layne.

CARD OF THANKS

May we take this method of expressing our undying gratitude and appreciation to all our friends who were so kind and thoughtful to us in our bereavement in the death of our son and brother, Ed Tabor. The lovely flowers and kind expressions of sympathy shall always be remembered. May God bless all of you is our prayer.

Mrs. Allie Tabor and family.

CHRISTIAN AID LADIES SHOWER MRS. JACK MILLER

The Christian Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. W. E. Baxter last Monday, June 1, for a social meeting.

The program was made up of two clever Bible contests and a playlet "The Stranger Within the Gates," which was presented by Mrs. W. E. Baxter, Mrs. J. R. Gipson, and Mrs. L. O. Garrett.

As one of the girls of the Christian Church, Mrs. Joe E. (Jack) Miller, formerly Miss Mary Oakes, has married and left our town before the marriage was announced, the ladies took this opportunity to give Mrs. Miller a miscellaneous shower. Many lovely gifts were received and will be sent to her at Frar, Texas, where the couple are making their home.

After the gifts were wrapped, refreshment plates were served to the following ladies, Mesdames E. K. Blewett, J. W. Johnson, S. W. Childers, J. W. Kirkpatrick, A. L. Oiler, Alpheus Boardman, E. W. Marshall, William Auten, L. O. Garrett, J. M. Oakes, J. R. Gipson, Miss Josie Baxter, and the hostess, Mrs. Baxter.

Miss Mary Madine Hagler of Cleburne visited a short time Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith, while enroute to Abilene to attend school this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Walthall and son Maxie of Lubbock visited with friends here last week.

Jack Casey of Falfurrias was here last week to be with his father, Fox Casey, who is ill.

Tabor Alford of Pampa is here visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Alford.

One lot of \$1.95 Wash Dresses for \$1.00 at Mrs. Shockley's Store.

List of Softball Players As Received by the Managers and the Committee on Monday, June 1.

BUSINESS MEN

Raymond Coleman, Lester Peterson, John E. Smith, Neal Oakes, Anthony Young, Clifford Wheeler, Jack Shields, G. A. Ragsdale, M. A. Edwards, Pat Hesch, Roy Richardson, Ross Kelley, L. Cole, Roy Casey, Vernon Parker.

FIREMEN

Geo. Johnson, Oscar Cheaney, Bud Crump, Sparks Whetstone, Byron Joiner, Hubert Turner, R. W. Balke, Boggy Disersen, Alton Blevins, Loyd Burris, Mace Blanton, Bill Mitchell, L. Baskett, Jack DuBols, Ross Prescott.

BAPTIST YOUNG MEN

Louis Newman, Virgil Newman, Arthur Leonard, Jesse Goen, Augustus Lightfoot, A. G. Weaver, Robert Williams, Raymond Bays, Calvin Campbell, Norman Hesch, Jodie Baker, Howard Pittard, Milton Howard, Melvin Howard, Emmett Howard.

METHODIST

Buck Wheeler, Everett Kirkpatrick, Clyde Dean, Max Price, Joe Harvey, L. H. Fry, Bill Lowry, Dick West, Reginald Owen, Leonard Phillips, Bill Baxter, John William Burden, O. A. Etheredge, W. G. Godwin, Andrew Schreiber.

BAPTIST ADULTS

Carl Williams, Lester Newman, J. R. Lock, John Newman, Geo. England, Pierre Rowe, Joe Spencer, L. J. Smith, Lee Hunter, Melvin Lamb, Seybold Rowe, Tucker Newman, Jesse Howard, Carl Ashmore, Joe Haynes.

Political Announcements

Political Announcements and Political Advertising must be paid for in advance.

Announcement Fees District, \$10; County, \$15; Precinct, except Constable and Justice of the Peace, \$10.

The following announcements have been authorized and are hereby made subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July, 1936.

For District Judge: R. L. McLaughlin, E. J. Miller (Re-election)

For County Judge: John O. Harris (Re-election)

For County Clerk: L. Emet Walker (Re-election), E. E. (Everett) Evans, Lee Roy Golsen, Carroll Kingsbery, Al Hintner

For County Attorney: John T. Williamson

For Tax Assessor-Collector: Frank Lewis (Re-election)

For District Clerk: J. B. Hilton (Re-election)

For Sheriff: Frank Mills (Re-election), John Malchoff, P. F. Dyches

For Commissioner, Pre. No. 2: John Hunter, Curtis Collins (Re-election), W. Ford Barnes, J. L. (Jim) Harris, Claude E. Phillips

For Public Weigher: Mace Blanton, Carl Ashmore (Re-election), Bob Baskett, John C. Newman, E. E. Pittard

For Constable: Elvin Whitfield, W. A. (Bill) Shields, E. A. Harris, Ira H. Nichols, H. Mathews

For Representative, 125th Dist. Ross K. Prescott, A. R. Watson, Zeno C. Ingram

SANTA ANNA NEWS

Richard Baugh, J. B. Brooks, Ernest Wright, Beavis Farish, Walter Wallace, James Elmsmith, M. E. Marburger, Coot Blanton, Wyatt Smith, Strozier Yelen, Matthew Petty, Chas. Evans, J. G. Williamson, Jack Gregg, Raymond Close.

NATIONAL GUARD

Eddie Paul Voss, J. T. Oakes, Lenton Oakes, Bob Baskett, John David Harper, Geo. McGonagall, Todd Oakes, Joe Bell, J. S. Brewer, Arnold Richards, Wilson Harris, Thomas Wristen, Thomas DeShay, Harvey D. Smith.

Schedule For Next Week

Monday, June 8: National Guard vs Business Men.

Tuesday, June 9: Santa Anna News vs Baptist Adults.

Wednesday, June 10: Baptist Young Men vs Firemen.

Thursday, June 11: Methodist vs National Guard.

Friday, June 12: Business Men vs Santa Anna News.

Don't fail to purchase one of those wash dresses at Mrs. Shockley's Store. They are real bargains.

Buy it in Santa Anna.

Classified Ads

FOUND: Small bill of groceries put in wrong car last Friday, May 29. Owner may receive same by paying 25 cents for this ad.

FIGS FOR SALE, \$4.00. Chap seeds, phone 1411. 1tp

LOST: Dark colored Jersey yearling. Disappeared from my place due north of county line, about two weeks ago. Please see Casey Herring for any information known. 1tp

The ROTHERMEL ESTATE is now for sale. Anyone interested in this can contact me in Santa Anna, Texas, from the 7 to the 10th of June. W. R. Moore. 1tc

LIST your farm, city property or what you have for sale or trade with A. R. Brown. 3t

DON'T SCRATCH: Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to promptly relieve Eczema, Itch, Chigger Infection, or any Itching Skin Irritation or money back. Large Jar 50c at PHILLIPS DRUG STORE 8-22

Attention—Bonus Man: My 21-acre pasture and prospective chicken ranch near Santa Anna for sale at \$35 per acre. Has small building, extra lumber and is well watered. G. F. Barlett. 3p

FOR SALE: Good Jersey cow. See J. J. Gregg.

WON'T BLOW YOUR BRAIN OUT! Nose-blowing is dangerous! Take chances on going DEAF? When you know you're going to sneeze INSTANTLY spray back of it. It takes over 20 minutes. Two-way action: (1) Opens nostrils. (2) you breathe. (3) has protective coating against infection. Preservative of HAY FEVER, HEAD COLDS, RUSTY COLDS, SINUS CONGESTION. A. S. T. H. A. trademark. Nostrum - big treatment \$1. Sold and guaranteed by:

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Brownwood, Texas

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FREE! Santa Anna-Saturday June 6 4:00 P. M. see the "IRON MAN" When the "IRON MAN" arrived in Santa Anna he was promptly CHALLENGED by Mr. L. F. Harding to pull a full truck load of Panhandle Gas & Oil UP GRADE ON THE STREET WITH A ROPE AROUND HIS NECK: Hearing of this Mr. William Ragsdale then CHALLENGED him to try this same load with a Star DeLuxe Innertube AROUND HIS STOMACH: These CHALLENGES ACCEPTED and the "IRON MAN" has selected America's only complete low priced car, the NEW 1936 Chevrolet to assist in these terrific pulls, for it's Power, Beauty, Safety and Economy of operation. Furnished by Schreiber Chevrolet Co. YOU ARE INVITED AS A GUEST OF THESE MERCHANTS: W. S. HANCOCK D. C. (Coleman) COCA COLA COMPANY TGDD'S DAIRY (Milk) SCHREIBER CHEVROLET CO. SANTA ANNA ICE & COLD STORAGE RAGSDALE TIRE STORE (Coolerator Refrigerators) SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK RED & WHITE STORES (Groceries & Meats) LOYD BURRIS DRY GOODS I. E. DAVIS GROCERY (Groceries & Meats) CORNER DRUG CO. IDEAL CAFE PIGGLY WIGGLY (Grocery & Meats) WALKER'S PHARMACY GEHRETT DRY GOODS (Ladies Store) BLUE HARDWARE CO. HARLLEE'S COFFEE SHOP VINSON'S GROCERY CORNER DRUG CO. SANDWICH COFFEE SHOP HIWAY CAFE COMBS VARIETY STORE TRENT'S CAFE & ROOMS RECREATION PARLOR SANTA ANNA GAS CO. L. F. HARDING (Gas & Oil) SANTA ANNA NEWS

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TO RELATE STORIES OF "LAW WEST OF THE PECOS" AT EXPOSITION JUNE 14-21

DALLAS, Texas, June 1.—They are going to tell nursery rhymes and fairy tales in Roy Bean's saloon at the Texas Centennial which opens June 6.

Stories about the Spanish conquistadors, cattle rustlers, Indians, Texas had men and more especially how Texas bluebonnets dropped out of the sky during an Indian battle and brought peace among the warriors, will be related there by story tellers of the National Folk Festival. The festival will present an eight-day program at the Exposition June 14-21.

For years Roy Bean was known throughout the length and breadth of the land as the "Law West of the Pecos." He was a supreme court by himself. He recognized no higher judicial authority.

He alternated between slinging rough drinks over the bar of the front room and dispensing stony justice in the rear room. The Bean bar and court room at the Exposition will be an exact reproduction of the old halliwick in the Pecos country. Its museum will show the judge's bar equipment and the ornate beer keg and roughly hewn board that served as his judicial desk.

Don Barton of Palestine, Texas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barton in the Shild community this week.

Zeno Ingram of Brownwood, candidate for Representative in the 125th district, was in the Mountain City Tuesday, shaking hands with the voters and passing out cards.

GRASS AT CENTENNIAL WILL BE CHIGGER-PROOF

Dallas, Texas, June 2.—Grass at the Texas Centennial Exposition which opens here June 6 and continues through November, will be chigger-proof.

Chemicals that instantly kill old fashioned "red-bugs" have been sprayed on 2,500 cubic yards of bermuda used in decorating the grounds. A. L. Simpson, supervisor for the Dallas Park Board, said today. The process will be continued during the Exposition, so that visitors will not be required to resort to old-time remedies for killing the pests.

DALLAS, May 30.—The floor show in the German restaurant of the \$250,000 Black Forest village of the Texas Centennial Exposition will be performed on ice by the world's most artistic skaters. The \$25,000,000 Exposition opens here June 6.

DALLAS, Texas, June 1.—Replicas of two of the most famous missions of the Spanish period in Texas have been established at the \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial Exposition which opens here June 6. One is the mission San Antonio de Valero, known to all the world as the Alamo. The other is the San Socorro mission which will house the exhibits of the Catholic Church.

Jim Jones went to Lubbock Saturday where he has employment.

W. R. Mulroy went to Colorado City Sunday and was accompanied back by Mrs. Mulroy and the children who have been visiting her mother.

UNIVERSITY CO-ED STUDYING TO BE CHEMICAL ENGINEER

Austin, Texas, June 2.—Blond Margaret Brown of Newgulf, Junior in the University of Texas, may be the first University co-ed to be graduated from that institute as a chemical engineer.

The road is somewhat rocky, as seems, judging from the fact that several other members of her sex have attempted to navigate it, but have either become discouraged or have been enticed into the by-ways of matrimony, according to the mental record books of Dean Thomas Ulvan Taylor of the College of Engineering.

Only a year now remains before this petite blue-eyed girl, who looks as if she would be more at home in a home economics laboratory or in an art class than among the test-tubes of the University's well-equipped chemistry laboratories. She will receive her degree of bachelor of chemical engineering in 1937, and intends to seek employment in laboratory work for some oil company.

Her training has not been limited to chemical engineering classes, but instead she has taken two courses each in sanitary, civil mechanical and electrical engineering, and has studied German so that she may be able to read learned technical papers on various phases of her chosen profession.

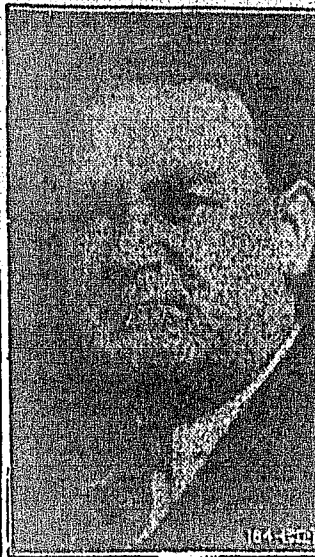
She has consistently made the honor roll of the College of Engineering, indicating that her intentions of becoming a good engineer are quite serious, and quite plausible. She is a member of the girls' honor society in chemistry, Iota Sigma Pi, but otherwise does not "go in for" student organizations.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brown of Newgulf. Her father is auditor for a sulphur company.

C. M. Grady of Brownwood, member of the Texas Ex-Rangers association, was here first of the week. Mr. Grady was preparing to leave later in the week for Dallas, where he will attend the Centennial Exposition which opens there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Price, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Evans, and Mrs. Neely Evans went to May Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Strawn, mother of Mrs. Jess Griffin.

F. W. FISCHER



For Governor

A Tax on Natural Resources Will: 1. Pay Old-Age Pensions in Full. 2. Take Tax Burden Off Land. 3. Give Teachers More Pay.

TAX THE UNTAXED — UNTAX THE OVERTAXED

TYLER, Texas, June 2.—F. W. Fischer of Tyler who is running for governor of Texas on the platform of paying old age pensions in full, is spreading his philosophy of taxing natural resources from one end of the state to the other.

"A new source of revenue means a new deal for Texas," he says. He thinks prosperity can be returned through taking the tax off land and putting it on oil, gas, sulphur, etc. This new source of revenue would provide means of helping schools, highways, the agricultural interests and the Texas consumers of gasoline who are now having to pay a tax of 4 cents a gallon.

Fischer, an oil attorney who gained fame as a constitutional lawyer in the legal squabbles over the East Texas oil field, dealt the first death blow to NIRA when the United States Supreme Court upheld his contention against Section 9 (c) of the oil provision of the NIRA.

Fischer was born in West Virginia, spent his boyhood riding bronchos in southwestern Oklahoma, and later studied law on the farm. He is a Mason, a Methodist and a member of the American Legion.

LAMPASAS TO DALLAS FREE-FOR-ALL HORSE RACE TO BEGIN FRIDAY

Dallas, Texas, June 2.—Ranch hands and farmers from all parts of Texas will compete in the Lampasas to Dallas free-for-all horse race which will be staged over a 180 mile stretch of highway June 5 and 6. It is expected that more than 200 riders, many of them women, will line up at Lampasas Friday morning, June 5, for the race which will end in the grounds of the Texas Centennial Exposition some time Saturday afternoon.

Two prizes go to the winner, a thousand dollars in cash and a specially-made saddle. The race will end on the Southwestern trails, the roads which circle the Lagoon at the Ford building. The Ford Motor Company is presenting the saddle as a special prize.

Riders will assemble on the Lampasas courthouse square at 8 o'clock Friday morning, June 5. Sheriff John B. Davis of Lampasas County from the courthouse tower will fire a pistol and the race will be on. It will be a one horse, one man race. No change of horses or riders is allowed. A chuck wagon will supply food for the horses along the route. Riders will hustle their own grub. Many bets are being made as to the speed in which the 180 miles can be covered. Some horsemen are betting that it can be done in 24 hours. Others gamble that 30 hours is the minimum.

The race has been routed along paved highways which have wide strips of grass on each side so the horses will not be on the pavement until the cities are reached. The race is routed through Hico, Iredell, Walnut Springs, Cleburne, Alvarado, Midlothian and Duncanville to Dallas. Some of these towns are offering cash prizes to the first rider to enter their city limits which will increase the speed of the race. Entries are being received by L. A. Parton, editor of the Lampasas Event-News, chairman of the committee in charge of the race.

Miss Evelyn Evans returned home Friday after a seven weeks visit in Midland. Misses Mary Nila and Bernice Hannaford returned with her to spend about a month in the Evans home.

Mrs. Frances Adams of Austin came Friday for a short visit with relatives. She returned to Austin Monday.

VARIED ENTERTAINMENT PLANNED FOR NATIONAL FOLK FESTIVAL WEEK

DALLAS, June 2.—Lumberjacks from Michigan, sailors from Connecticut and Galveston and Cherokees from North Carolina will vie with cowboys, Mexicans, Indians, Negroes and Germans of Texas in a jamboree of entertainment during National Folk Festival Week at the Texas Centennial Exposition June 14-21.

Oldtime performers on the dulcimer and other instruments strunge to the modern day will be presented along with square dancers, Sacred Harp Singers from the crossroads all over the South; Kiowa, Tigua and Cherokee dancers; a Mexican Tipica orchestra and Spanish dancers, singers and actors in a folk play from Santa Fe. There will be fiddlers from nearly every state in a fiddlers festival.

Enthusiasts for the oldtime music, dancing and legends, the participants will continue almost without let-up from 10 a. m. each day to midnight during the week. And besides the main performance in the Amphitheatre, there will be sporadic gatherings of fiddlers, square dancers and story-tellers in Judge Roy Bean's Saloon, around a chuck wagon and at the Texas Rangers Ranch-house.

In the Hall of Horticulture will be a display of handicraft, including such diverse things as whaling equipment, patchwork quilts, paintings done by Kiowa Indians and hand-made musical instruments. Here, too, Mrs. Cinderella Kinnaird, 82, of Willow Springs, Missouri, will show girls who can't sew or darn how their great-grandmothers spun cotton into cloth, then wove their homespun clothes and comforts.

Negroes from Dallas "Deep Ellum" and Elm Thicket will do the cake walk, East Texas negroes will sing spirituals as they do in their camp meetings and canebreak churches, and a chorus of 1,700 negro children from a Dallas high school will sing while old-time slaves recall plantation days. Acadians and Creoles from Louisiana, miners from Pennsylvania, cowboy singers from Colonel W. T. Johnson's 6-Bar Ranch, here for his rodeo, and singers of British ballads from Austin will be on the program.

TYPHOID CONTROL COMMUNITY DUTY

Austin, June 2.—"It is a well known fact that typhoid fever may result from the use of water, milk, or other food contaminated by bodily discharges of patients or carriers who harbor germs," stated Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

"The fact that we know the source of infection and the means by which infection may be controlled, emphasizes the importance to all communities of providing water and milk of the highest quality.

"Texas is being host to many visitors this year, and all communities should put forth every effort to see that no epidemic occurs which will put an unnecessary blot on the health record of this State.

"Typhoid fever may be controlled by the use of pure water, pasteurized milk and clean foods, by the proper disposal of sewage, by screening homes against flies, by protecting food from contamination by flies, by destruction of the fly and its breeding places, by search for and care of carriers, and by anti-typhoid vaccination.

"Excreta from persons ill with typhoid should be carefully disinfected to prevent the germs from polluting the soil and thus being carried into streams or wells and contaminating the water supply. Where there is an efficient system of water purification, typhoid fever has greatly decreased.

"It is the responsibility of each community to establish adequate safeguards against the consumption of contaminated products at all times and in all places.

"It is the responsibility of each individual to further control the occurrence of typhoid fever by establishing immunity for himself by vaccination."

Those visiting in the H. F. Waldrop home Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Waldrop and family from Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Priddy and son of Norton, Mrs. R. W. Waldrop and children of Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd and family of Mozelle, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pirtle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Price and family, and Miss Bernice Patton of Coleman and Miss Margaret Patton of Norton. Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue and family and Misses May and Bettie Blue were in Goldthwaite Sunday to attend the first services in the new Methodist Church there. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stiles spent last week in Houston and Galveston.

JUNCTION CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. PEARCE

The Coleman Junction H. D. Club met with Mrs. John Pearce Friday, May 22.

Miss Young met with us. Our present yard demonstrator was unable to entertain the club so we met with Mrs. Pearce, our second year yard demonstrator.

Mrs. Pearce's yard is very beautiful. At a glance one would think there was no room for improvement but she showed us several things she intended to change or improve. Her outer back yard and outer front yard will be her next improvement. She is also going to remodel the front of her house and plans to add an outdoor room in her back yard. She added a modern bath room last year.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Buck Woodard, Friday, June 5. Every member is urged to be present at this meeting as we will have a grab box. Visitors are cordially invited to come and partake of every activity in the Club. We invite anyone to come and join our club. The hostess served fresh berry

ple topped with whipped cream, and iced tea to five club members, five visitors, and nine children. —Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Leuders and Abilene. Mrs. Kent Martin and son Tommy Chap returned to Santa Anna with them to visit Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eads.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook of Loraine returned home Wednesday after visiting several days with Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eads.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Godwin moved to the Buffalo community last week, where Mr. Godwin will start his work as agriculture teacher in the Buffalo school.

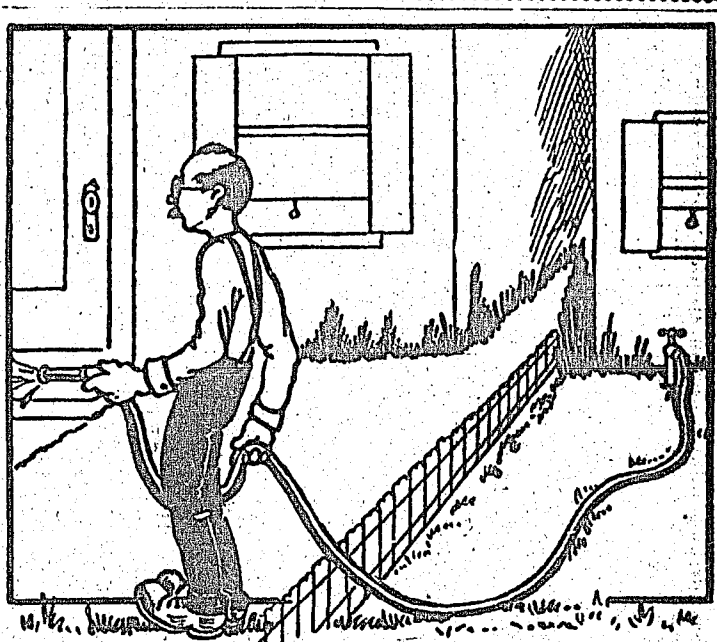
Miss Francine Merritt came home Saturday from Hardin-Simmons at Abilene, to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Merritt.

Winston Hall returned home Saturday to spend the summer with his parents. He has been enrolled in McMurry College at Abilene.

Horace Tabor of Kilgore visited his parents here over the weekend.

Bud Crump Gulf Service Station. Bring Your Car to BUD'S STATION. For quick Service on Washing and Greasing. Let us check your car for Summer Driving and fill your tank with that GOOD GULF GASOLINE. GULF "It's Fresh" Gulf Gasoline and Oils Tire Service

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GOOD HAMBURGER 5c
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TRADES DAY and SATURDAY
Sheer Printed Silks and Solid Color Chiffons 98c
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TRADES DAY SPECIAL
NEW BATISTE
4 yards for 50c

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Make Our Store Headquarters
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Begin preparing now for the Big Free Fall Fair in Oct.

This being the Fifth Anniversary of the Coleman Unit These 15 stores are celebrating with a Store-Wide 3 Days Sale You can not afford to miss. We urge you to come.



RED & WHITE STORES

5th ANNIVERSARY SALE

RED & WHITE FOODS have the distinction of having more items tested and approved by the Bureau of Health, Food & Sanitation of Good Housekeeping Laboratories than any other brand of food products on the American Market. Buy Red & White and be assured of the best. Over 90 Red & White items have been tested and approved by this Laboratory.

SALE STARTS JUNE 5 - ENDS JUNE 8

Over 25 manufacturers cooperating with us to make this the outstanding selling event since the beginning of Red & White in this territory. Sale starts Friday, June 5th and ends June 8th. Be sure to visit your nearest Red & White store and buy a generous supply of this quality merchandise at exceptionally low price.

SALE STARTS JUNE 5 - ENDS JUNE 8

Coffee Early Riser, Fresh Ground, 1 pound 15c

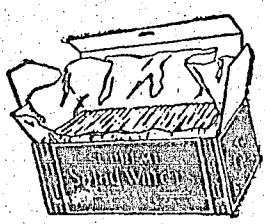
Coffee Mart, a mild blend Guaranteed, 1 pound 23c

Coffee Red & White, Vacuum Packed, 2 pounds 57c

Tea R & W, fancy Orange Peko, 1/4-lb. package 19c

Flav-R-Jel Six Real Fruit Flavors, pkg. 5c

Baking Powder Calumet, 16 oz. can 20c



SALAD WAFERS Pound 17c
VANILLA WAFERS, 10 oz. 14c

Grape Juice

PURE PRESSED FROM RIPE FRUIT PINT BOTTLE



14c

QUEEN ISABELLA Olives "Queens" buy a jar for your picnic. They are economical. Full quart for only 35c

RED & WHITE Cherries Maraschino type. Our stock is fresh, they are wholesome. 3 oz. bottle 9c

MORTONS TABLE Salt Plain or Iodized. When It Rains It Pours. 26 oz. pkg. 8c

MORTONS Ice Cream Salt In handy package with spout to pour. 5 lbs. 9c

HERSHEYS KISSES Candy 1 lb. Cello Bags 23c

BLUE & WHITE Red Beans Packed In Chili Sauce Medium can 9c

THRIFT-FRESH Blackeyed Peas They are Wholesome Medium can 9c

SOAPS
Crystal White Giant Bars 5 for 19c
Super Suds Washes dishes clean Med size large size 9c 17c
Palm Olive Bar For Your Complexion 5c

Macaroni Yankee Doodle brand 3 pkgs. 13c

No. 1 Sliced or Crushed 2 for 19c



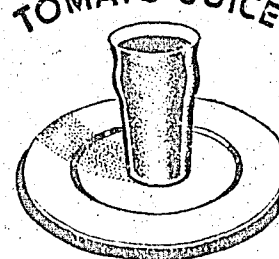
Our Most Popular Salad Dressing. It's Rich and Pure. Pint Jar 19c



Pickles DEL DIXIE Genuine Dills or Sours. They are fresh and crisp. Full Quart 15c

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TOMATO JUICE Tomato Juice 12 1/2 oz. cans RICH Refreshing 3 for 23c



Large Package Fresh and Crisp 2 for 19c



Prunes Fresh, they are good, No. 10 can .. 29c

Salmon Nile Quality. Tall Can, 2 for .. 23c

Mackerel Tall Can 2 for 19c

Pork & Beans B & W Tall Can 5c

Meal 20 lb. sack, Texo Fresh Ground 45c

Black Pepper R & W, reg. 9c size 5c

24 Pound Sack 89c
48 Pound Sack \$1.67

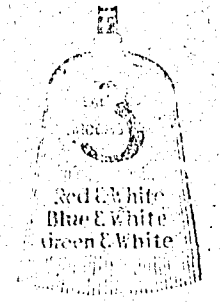


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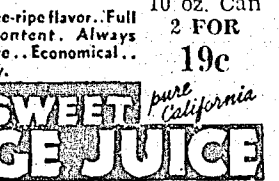
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BROOMS Guaranteed To Last 6 Months! Red & White 85c Blue & White 75c



Used and praised by Mrs. Hogue in her Cooking School

Delicious, tree-ripe flavor... Full Vitamin C content... Always ready to serve... Economical... Special today. 10 oz. Can 2 FOR 19c



PURE CANE Sugar In Cloth Bags, 25 lb. sack 1.25

MARKET SPECIALS

Bacon Dexter Sliced. Breakfast. This is good. lb. 29c

Cheese No. One Full Cream Pound 17c

Bologna Large Pound 12c

Roast Fancy Seven Pound 15c

Steak Choice Round or Loin Pound 25c

BLOCK SALT 50 lbs. Plain 39 Sulphurized 49c

JAR LIDS Kerr Self Sealing 2 packages 19c

INSECT POWDER Bee Brand No. 25 can 19c

POTTED MEAT Red & White 4 cans 17c

RED—Joan of Arc

Kidney Beans 9c For Quality and Economy, FULL NO. 2 CAN

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

Bananas Golden Fruit, lb. 5c

Lettuce Firm and Crisp, 2 for 9c

Limes For a refreshing drink, Dozen 12c

Oranges Choice California, large size, dozen 31c

Tomatoes Fresh Pinks, 2 lbs. 15c

FOOD STORES RED & WHITE FOOD STORES

Camay One Bar 6c
Oxydol Large Size 19c
P. & G. Giant Bars Five for ... 23c

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Geo. M. Johnson was a patient in the Hospital Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week. Mr. Earl Carter, who has been a surgical patient in the Hospital, was able to go home Tuesday. Mrs. H. T. Vanderford of Gouldsburg is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. J. T. Watkins of Brownwood is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. N. E. Slides of Coleman was able to go home Saturday. Dr. A. S. Craver of Rotan is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. Anna are the pleased parents of twins born May 29. Mrs. Clyde Bays of San Angelo, who was a surgical patient in the Hospital, was able to go home Monday. Mrs. A. D. Bullard of Goldthwaite was a patient in the Hospital Saturday and Sunday. Mr. J. A. Scarborough of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital. Rev. J. W. Cundieff of Lamesa is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. O. B. Sires of Lamesa is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. A. R. Ayers of Odessa is a surgical patient. Mr. J. D. Kimbrell of Idalou is a patient in the Hospital. Mr. Homer Hill of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. H. H. Woodard of Big Springs is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Miss Glenda Williamson is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Elise Adams of Baird is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. Jodie Baker of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital. Mr. N. M. Harpole of Snyder is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. H. C. Estes of Baird is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. Clifford Oder of Coleman is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. E. A. Lancaster of Norton is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. J. M. Vercher of Gouldsburg is a patient in the Hospital. Mr. W. W. McDonald of Dallas is a patient in the Hospital. Too many hold-up and not enough hold-on men, is one of the things that troubles the world. Good manners and good looks should be twins, but they don't always go together.

HORNED TOADS TO BE ON EXHIBITION AT CENTENNIAL

DALLAS, June 2.—The horned toad's first claim came half a decade ago when one was found alive in the cornerstone of the Eastland county courthouse, alive and well after being buried forty years in a cement block. "Old Rip" was nationally prominent for weeks. His second national notice will come at the Texas Centennial Exposition which opens here on June 6 and continues through November. Horned toads of every size, variety and description will be included in a large exhibit. Besides that, the exposition has sent out thousands of the toads to editors, mayors and other dignitaries all over this country, Alaska, Hawaii, the Philippines and Cuba. For years these little "varanids" have scurried over the rocks and sands of South and West Texas. Regular inhabitants took them for granted. Visitors glanced at them curiously. And that was about all. The horned toad was the forgotten fellow. That's all over. He will be stared at and examined by millions of visitors to the Dallas exposition. And those visitors will be told that despite his broad head and body, his thick, horned skin, the toad is quite harmless. He eats flies and he will clean out an ant hill in short order. Plant lice are a favorite part of his diet. He needs a little water—let it drip in a sink—and he's a harmless member of the lizard family. And he positively won't give warts to small boys.

DALLAS, Texas, May 30.—The first contingent of troops to arrive at the \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial Exposition was "C" Company, Ninth Infantry, the famous Balangiga company. The name is derived from the massacre of "C" company at Balangiga, Philippine Islands, by treacherous natives. Only four men survived.

Proof that an ostrich will eat almost anything that comes its way was produced in a post-mortem of an ostrich in the London zoo which died. The contents of the big bird's stomach included, 3 handkerchiefs, a pair of gloves, four pennies and a half crown, 13 nails, a lead pencil, 5 screws, staples, 6 washers, 4 yards of string and 3 buttons.

When you think you have "put one over" on someone, remember that the whale thought he had turned a good trick when he swallowed Jonah.

LOCALS

Mrs. Ogden Brown left Thursday of this week for Winters and Mr. Brown will join her there later as he clears up business matters here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bays of San Angelo came Friday to have Mrs. Bays treated in the Sealy Hospital. They returned to San Angelo Wednesday accompanied by Miss Kathryn Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williamson. They plan to leave soon for the state of Colorado.

Report was made Monday that E. L. Jones of Shield had wrecked his truck near Weatherford, on his way home from Fort Worth. Mr. J. W. Barton of Shield went to Fort Worth Monday night to assist Mr. Jones. One lot \$1.95 wash dresses for \$1.50 at Mrs. Shockley's Store.

Tommie Johnson went to Fort Worth Friday where he has employment. He is a graduate of Santa Anna High School, class of '36.

Miss June Kirkpatrick spent the weekend with friends in Coleman.

Miss Kathryn Baxter of Waco has returned home for the summer.

Miss Kathryn Wylie was one of twenty-six women students of John Tarleton College at Stephenville receiving athletic "T's" for the 1935-1936 session, according to the list of awards just passed through the physical education department and the office of Dean J. Thomas Davis. Miss Wylie received her award in volley ball.

Vernon Ragsdale of Hardin-Simmons at Abilene has returned home for the summer.

The following girls, under the supervision of Mrs. Charles Hale, are spending Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in Brownwood attending a house party for girls of the Girls Auxiliary age: Misses Wylone and Arabelle Ragsdale, Alice Jane Lovelady, Mary Jo Gregg, Joyce Hensley, Henrice Ashmore, Vesta Evans, and Elsie Haynes. Mrs. J. R. Lock attended some of the convalescents Thursday.

Miss Armenta Ragsdale returned home last week from Belton where she has been enrolled in Mary Hardin-Baylor.

Miss Ora Alice Newman returned home last week from Belton to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newman. She has been enrolled in Mary Hardin-Baylor Wayne Durham, who has been attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville, is back in Santa Anna for the summer.

Miss Orene Alford, of Pampa is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Allie Tabor.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ford have returned to Stephenville to enter the summer session of John Tarleton Agricultural College.

C. E. Eubank of Van Court is here this week visiting his children and looking after business matters.

Mrs. Baskett left last week to visit for about a month with relatives in Hill county.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes spent the weekend in Waco and Miss Beth and Billie Barnes returned home with them to spend the summer. They have been enrolled in Baylor University.

Jimmie Harvey of Cisco spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

Samuel Hart, who moved to the Mountain City last week from Comanche, is a frequent and pleasant caller at this office, and is making his home at the Kirkpatrick boarding house. By oversight, his name was omitted from our personal column last week.

Jack Price, star athlete of the Santa Anna High football and track teams for the past year left for Lubbock last Saturday to enter school this summer.

Jesse Brown returned home last weekend from Stephenville where he has been attending John Tarleton College.

Mrs. O. E. Davidson of Elmot returned to her home Sunday after visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Ford.

Mrs. W. L. Alford is visiting in Pampa with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Alford.

DALLAS, Texas, June 1.—Grapefruit are now growing in Dallas. The Rio Grande Valley exhibit at the \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial virtually moved heaven and earth to establish an orchard on the Exposition grounds. Even the soil in which the trees grew in the Rio Grande Valley was transported to Dallas.

The world's richest community is in the United States—the Klamath Indian tribe on a 1,000,000-acre reservation in the mountains of southern Oregon with a potential per capita wealth of \$28,000.

Nutmeg used to be prized as one of the most fashionable perfumes.

The Price Of A Flame Dance

A night club in a large western city featured a "flame dancer." The decorations of the club were of inflammable materials. In the course of the flame dance the performer swung lighted oil-soaked torches.

The exhibition went on night after night. And then one night recently when the club was crowded, the inevitable happened—the decorations were ignited by the torch. In the resulting conflagration, four persons were burned to death.

The captain of police in the city announced that it was criminal for such a dance to have been put on under the circumstances. The local fire marshal agreed, and promised swift prosecution of those responsible. But, as a newspaper observed, "They are up to the old business of solemnly closing the barn door after the departure of the horse." All the indignation in the world and all the court trials and punishments, won't bring those four charred bodies back to life.

There is a lesson in this for every community—and that lesson points to the hideous dangers that cannot be avoided unless towns have adequate fire-preventative ordinances, rigidly enforced. Such ordinances are as essential to the protection of life and property as are laws against banditry, confidence games, or crimes of violence. Some of the most hideous fires in the history of this country could have been prevented by the passage of a simple law, plus adequate enforcement by zealous officials.

Thousands of school children have been cremated alive because towns lacked proper laws concerning exits and other hazards, or did not enforce their laws. So have thousands of adults, in theatres, public buildings and various places of entertainment. This recent disaster in the western night club should focus national attention on a problem that can be literally termed "burning."

THE HINDENBURG FLIGHT

The Hindenburg, newest and largest of Germany's zeppelins, completed its round trip flight from its homeland to America, in a blaze of glory for its designer and builder, Dr. Eckener, and the prowess of German ability with these lighter-than-air craft.

The flight was the first of a series of scheduled trans-Atlantic trips for the ship, which bid fair to mark the dawn of a new era of ocean travel.

The trip both ways was accomplished without unfavorable incident of any kind. Passengers were treated to palatial accommodations which were a part of the service of the new craft and they thoroughly enjoyed the unusual features of the new mode of ocean travel, so smooth and certain was the course of the zeppelin.

Records for speed were smashed both ways on the journey. The westward passage was completed in less than 62 hours, clipping some 33 hours off the old mark established by the Graf Zeppelin. The return flight was made in the amazingly short time of 49 hours.

Such a successful adventure with lighter-than-air craft reminds this country of its dismal failure in its ventures with such ships. Many millions of dollars have been wasted on construction and unsuccessful efforts to operate them, and many lives have been lost in the accidents that have destroyed them.

The success of the Hindenburg should not be taken for reason for further such disastrous experiments. Rather, we should let Germany take the lead as at present, and learn from that country how to build and operate them. It is now plain that Germany knows how, for such continued success cannot longer be attributed to luck.

LABELS FOR PEOPLE

It has been predicted that within a few years every citizen will be required to carry a card bearing his photograph, fingerprints, name, address, occupation and other items of information of interest to the police. In other words, every individual, in a sense, would be considered in the rogue's gallery, so to speak. The plan is offered as one against the crime wave, which strikes at the larger cities and may be useful in those communities.

We have laws against false labels on money, food and drugs; laws against false advertising of any kind of merchandise, laws protecting the registration of livestock and poultry. Nearly everything from the outside world admitted to the American home is in some way guaranteed by law to be genuine. The sole exception is

the stranger.

It can be said for the plaintiff that no honest man will object to it except on the basis of inconvenience. The roving crook, the motor bandit, the confidence man, and every other unworthy man who picks a living outside the law will condemn the identification card as an unwarranted assault on personal liberty. But the plan might drive more crooks back to honesty than all the prisons in the country. At least, it would be well worth trying.

CLEAN SWEEP FOR THE LAW

From May 1 to May 11, the Federal department of investigation made a clean sweep of the major public enemies wanted by that organization.

Alvan Karpis, so-called public enemy number one, and co-leader of the notorious Barker-Karpis gang, was captured in New Orleans on May 1. He was wanted for the kidnaping of two St. Paul business men, and was noted as a vicious killer. A member of the same gang, Harry Campbell, was taken in Toledo on May 7. The same day, William H. Mahan, kidnaper of George Hunt Weyerhaeuser, was nabbed in San Francisco.

The climax of the sensational eleven-day round-up of criminals came with the apprehension of the elusive Thomas H. Robinson, kidnaper of Mrs. Alice Speed Stoll, who was taken into custody at Glendale, California.

All four were captured without a single shot being fired, which fact it noteworthy in the face of recent criticism of government men for shooting down their quarry. The trio, Karpis, Campbell and Mahan were noted as the most dangerous trio at large.

Such commendable work on the part of the G-men should command the public acclaim that is due. Only such relentless hunting down of dangerous criminals will rid our society of the menace that they constitute and discourage further activity of the kind for which these men were noted.

Speedy and efficient justice should be reflected when these men are brought to trial in court. Every precaution should be exercised in eliminating all

technicalities whereby disreputable forces might contrive to elude the fate which certainly should await each of these men.

Miss Ora Alice Newman of Santa Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newman, received a major honor at Mary Hardin-Baylor, at Belton, when she was elected pianist of the Home Economics Club for next year. Recently she was given formal installation with an impressive

candlelight service. Mary Hardin-Baylor has a strong department of Home Economics. Their work is divided into four general divisions: Clothing, Foods, Household Administration and Home Economics Education. Graduates from that department are in constant demand for teachers and home demonstrators.

Lazy men always seek the shade of a tree, but strange to say, they seldom own the tree.

YOU WIND YOUR CLOCK REGULARLY

Or else it will not keep correct time. Your car needs the same regular attention to get the good dependable service that is built into it.

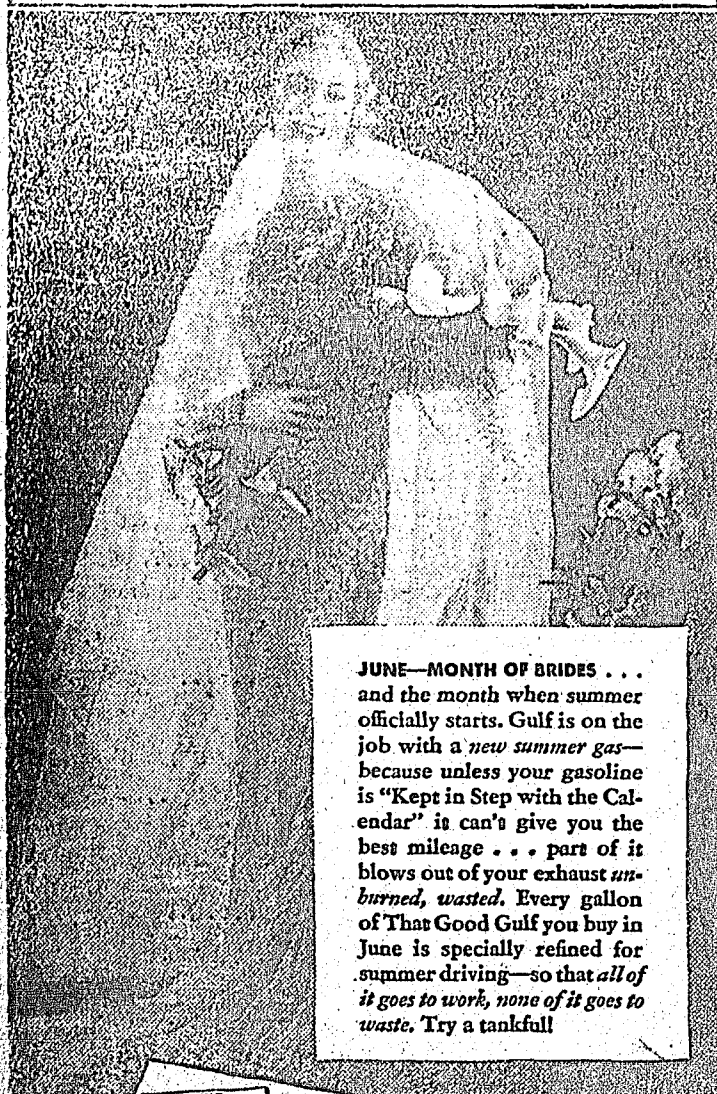
With our new equipment we are able to tune your motor to its best performance. (Electrical)

- Points — Condensers Coils — Brushes — Rotors Distributor Caps — Cutouts For all popular makes of cars and trucks.

W. C. FORD & CO.

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Why Gulf makes a new Gas for June



JUNE—MONTH OF BRIDES... and the month when summer officially starts. Gulf is on the job with a new summer gas—because unless your gasoline is "Kept in Step with the Calendar" it can't give you the best mileage... part of it blows out of your exhaust unburned, wasted. Every gallon of That Good Gulf you buy in June is specially refined for summer driving—so that all of it goes to work, none of it goes to waste. Try a tankful!

"Kept in Step with the Calendar" THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE



PIGGLY WIGGLY

Kellogg's Money Saving Sale

1 pkg. RICE KRISPIES 2 pkg. CORN FLAKES 1 pkg. PEP FREE all for .35 PACKED IN UTILITY BAG

SYRUP Brer Rabbit, gal. 54c

SPAGHETTI & MACARONI, lb. pkg. 10

CRACKERS 2-lb. Box 16c

TOMATOES 6 Small cans 25c

We have a complete line of CANNING SUPPLIES

SALAD DRESSING 1/2 pint 9c 1 pint 15c 1 quart 25c

Apples Lemons Oranges doz. 12

JOWLS Fine for boiling pound 13

Sliced Bacon lb. 27c Long Bologna lb. 12c GOOD AND LEAN

BINDER TWINE

Piggly Wiggly always makes the price