

SANTA ANNA NEWS

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Farmers Busy Solving Army Worm Situation

Mississippians Like Coleman County Polled Herefords

One of the recent indications of the progress of the breeder-feeder movement in the cotton states was the purchase of a car load of registered double-standard Polled Hereford bulls from the Gill Ranch, Whon, Texas, by Mr. Ray Lum of Vicksburg, Mississippi. Mr. Lum is one of the leading stockmen of his state and this is the fifth load of registered Polled Herefords that he has purchased from the Gill Ranch.

These bulls were shipped to Meadville, Mississippi where they will be sold to the farmers thru the co-operation of James W. Harrison, County Agent for Franklin county Mississippi.

In this load Mr. Lum secured bulls mostly sired by Mack, a Repeater bred bull from the Merl T. Waggoner herd, and by Foundation 51st. The latter was bred by the Renner Stock Farm, Hartford City, Ind. and represents a combination of two National Grand Champion bulls. He was sired by Foundation 25th out of a dam by Bullion Garfield.

Local Quartette To Be On The Air

Those who listen in Sunday afternoon at 1:30 to 2:30 to the program broadcast from Station K. F. P. L. will have the pleasure of hearing Santa Anna's best talent perform. Messrs. Lock, Day, Ward and Parrish, the Lion Quartette have prepared a program that they will present at that time. No Santa Anna radio fan will miss this opportunity to hear them.

The station has a wave length of 228.9, and is 1310 kcs.

One of the most spiritual meetings ever held in the town was closed Sunday evening, at the Church of Christ. Large congregations had attended the services every night during the week. It is the opinion of those who heard Elder Watkins, that he is indeed a man called of God.

E. S. Jones of Rockwood was a business visitor in Santa Anna, yesterday.



A. G. Weaver and Fred Faulkner who are Co-Validictorians in the Graduation Exercises tonight.

William Earl Ragsdale, will be Salutatorian.

Irene McCreary is girl honor student.

JOE GISH FREE AIR

NO MAN CAN BE AS IMPORTANT AS SOME MEN LOOK

MRS. BARNES ACCEPTED AS CANDIDATE FOR POET LAUREATE

The committee appointed to select candidates for the state poet laureate has been searching all over Texas for the best talent. From the great number who submitted poems, only a few were considered "good" enough honor. Mrs. Leola Christi Barnes had the honor to be requested to enter her poems. This week she was notified that she had been elected a candidate to this high honor. The decision will be made this fall at the State Fair.

We are sure that she has a wonderful chance for the final honors and others seem to be sharing our opinion in the matter for she had a sonnet accepted by the national poetry magazine, The Twilight, published in Oklahoma City, recently.

Large Attendance At Nurses Meeting

About 500 nurses, representing all districts of the state, and a number of out of state visitors attended the twenty-fourth annual convention of Graduate Nurses' Association of Texas at the Crystal Ball Room at the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth from Wednesday through Saturday of last week, according to Miss Oltha Neal, local nurse who attended the meeting.

Nurses from other town is district 16 also attended. The discussions, exhibits and in fact the entire meeting was said to be the best in the history of the organization. In the business meeting Miss Ellen Louise Breint of San Angelo was re-elected president of the state organization. Every district in the state made reports of work done during the year.

EUZELIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SOCIAL

Mrs. Judge Woodruff was hostess for the Euzelian Class last Thursday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. W. Wallace.

New officers were elected for the class after which a social hour followed. Then coffee marlow topped with whipped cream and angle food cake was served to the following class members: Mmes. Smith, Farris, Griffin, Howard, Maxwell, Gober, Williams and the hostess Mrs. Woodruff, Miss Jewel Harvey and Mrs. Wallace were visitors with the class.

LAKE CISCO OPENS

The largest swimming pool in the world will be opened for the season, Saturday, May 23rd, at Cisco, when the Lake Cisco Amusement Company has the formal opening. Boating, picnicking, bathing, fishing and dancing are all arranged for the day.

The nice thing about this is that the Santa Anna people are asked to come and spend the day swimming as often as they like and it will be absolutely free!

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Purdy were down in the Valley for a visit with friends at Harlingen and Lorado the first of the week. They enjoyed a trip over into old Mexico to the radio station XED.

Miss Velma Sealy was in Abilene, yesterday.

JUST HUMAN

By Leola Christie Barnes
I am an erring human
With many faults to blame.
And the failures that illumine
I would take a book to have;
I've stumbled and I've blundered
And hit far from the mark;
Many times I've wondered
Why I've made some such remark.

I have bowed down in despair
At faults perverse of mine;
And I've fully been aware
That I'm far from divine;
But I'm glad that I'm errant,
Perfect habits I would ban;
For above all else I want
To be like my fellow man.



Sam H. Thompson (right) retiring president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, now on Federal Farm Board, is greeting his successor, Edward A. O'Neal.

FIRESTONE DEALERS PREPARED TO BEAT MAIL ORDER TIRES IN PRICE

In a new campaign against inferior tires and Mail Order habits the Firestone Manufacturing Company asserts that Firestone is using its immense resources to support the principles that the prosperity of the local dealer and merchant is vital to the growth of every community.

Mr. J. E. Gray, their local distributor here is very clear on this point. He gives as his reasons and the reason of this company for their stand that the company's national tire distribution of 26,000 outlets is built around local organizations which are part of the community, in contrast to mail order houses.

"Values are on the side of the manufacturer and the local dealer. The mail order houses buy their tires from a manufacturer who will not put his own name on them. Firestone makes its own products, puts its name on it, and sells it through local dealers who spend their money locally. There is no jobber or middleman or mail order system involved.

"Our sales are promoted by local newspaper advertising supported by national advertising, and the mail order houses thru an expensive catalog, which isn't even printed locally. The mail order houses have maintained central warehouses just as Firestone does, and they have to keep large organizations tabulating, corresponding and shipping at distant points, which is a much more expensive way of operating than through a dealer organization."

According to Mr. Gray, the average motorist is beginning to understand that he can do better for himself as well as for local business by walking into a reliable dealer's service store.

City Federation Has Interesting Meeting

The Federation of Clubs had a profitable meeting Tuesday afternoon with 17 ladies present, all cooperating organizations being represented. Many good reports were made. Both P. T. A's reported arrangements made for Public School Music in the school next year. The Cemetery Association reported much work and improvement done. The U. D. C. delegate told of a number of markers being placed on the graves of Confederate soldiers. The Methodist Missionary Society delegate told of plans for a birthday party for Grandma Thomason next Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Thomason will be ninety years old.

It was decided to have a story hour twice a week for children at the city park.

The federation is interested in all civic improvements and although it has been in operation only a few months, it has accomplished several worth while things.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Braeg of Dimmitt are here for a visit with relatives.

Willie Priest of Pear Valley was a business visitor here, Thursday.

Two Leading Spokesmen for Farmers

DIRECTORS NAMED FOR COLEMAN COUNTY FAIR

Board Will Select New President At A Later Date

Coleman, May 18.—That the Coleman County Fair Association is planning already for the 1931 fall fair was manifested when, at a recent meeting, directors for the ensuing year were elected. Directors will elect a president later to succeed Howard Kingsbery of Santa Anna. Directors will elect a president later to succeed Howard Kingsbery of Santa Anna. Directors chosen are Henry Horne, W. C. Gay, H. Kingsbery, E. C. Edens, Press Morris, Arthur Young, Will Gregory, Sam Gray, Walter C. Woodward, Leman Brown, J. Lee Mayes, George Younglove, Jess Smith, Charles Wilson, George Pauley, Leon L. Shield, C. C. Burns, R. L. Bates, John W. Cox, J. C. Dibrell Jr., B. B. Fowler, Mrs. J. A. B. Miller, J. R. Duncan and R. L. Steward.

Most of the directors believe that this is an ideal year for a fair.

Cattle and sheep are sleek and fat, garden vegetables will be abundant and field crops will show to advantage. In many places oats and wheat will make surprising yields, there will be an unusual corn crop and the outlook now is for a cotton crop that will break a record.

Many recruits have been added to the bee industry and it is likely that there will be a honey exhibit that will compare favorably with those shown in Uvalde and Atascosa Counties.

The fair last year, from a financial standpoint was a success because all the exhibitors are interested in its continuance and this year it is believed some money can be made.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Cumberland)

Rev. F. A. Brown will preach at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and night. A cordial welcome to all who will worship with us.—Henry Campbell, Clerk of Session.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO

Utilities Construction Extends From Winters Into Panhandle

Abilene, Texas, May 22.—The extension of dependable transmission line electric service to two towns, the building of an enlarged water system, and general extension and maintenance work are the highlights from the construction report of the West Texas Utilities Company, made available from the offices of the company here.

Initial electric service will be made available to the towns of White Flats and Four Corners through the building of a ten-mile, 11 Kv. transmission line northwest from Matador. The new line will carry service to twenty residential customers, fifteen commercial customers, ten small power users, one cotton gin and several rural homes.

At Sunray, in the Panhandle territory, a twelve-inch water well will be drilled, a 150 gallons per minute vertical pump installed and a 35,000 gallon steel water tank erected. Sunray is growing rapidly and the old water system has become inadequate.

Other construction activities included in the report are:

The addition of twenty-four suspension type, 4,000 lumen street lighting fixtures to the whiteway system at Quanah; improvements to distribution systems at Dalhart, Rotan and Chamberlain; extensions to serve new customers made from Rochelle, Winters and Crowell, and the installation of a three-phase, 11,950 volt transformer rack and 2,250 feet of three-phase 460 volt secondary line to serve the Lido Oil Company lease in the South Vernon oilfield.

According to the construction bulletin, work on these improvements and addition is going forward at the present time, completion dates being scheduled for the immediate future.

Use cotton materials.

On Icy Mountains



Augustine Courtauld, British aviator, whose plane crashed on Greenland's ice cap and he had to walk back.

Poisoned Bran Mash Is Worm Defense

DEMONSTRATION ON BEST METHOD OF DESTROYING THE ARMY WORMS

Mr. R. R. Reppert, entomologist from A. & M. College and County Agent Robinson and J. M. Binion Vocational Agriculture Teacher of Santa Anna put on a demonstration near Coleman concerning the control of the army worm that has been so destructive to fields of small grain in Coleman County. Mr. Reppert came to Coleman Co., to assist in the control of the worms due to seriousness of the situation. He gave some very practical advice in the preparation of poison bran mash, which is the same mash as that used for grasshoppers and pointed out some of the insect enemies of the army worm. One of the most noticeable of the enemies of the worm is the big black ground beetles and their larva.

Mr. Reppert thinks that we will not be bothered with a second generation of the worm due to the fact that by the time they are ready to come forth again the insect enemies will be here in such large numbers that they will devour them. He pointed out that the worms eat grain in the shock as badly or worse than they will while it is still standing in the field. Where they are bad in the fields at this time Mr. Reppert suggests scattering poison bran mash there, even in rank grain this has been found to be almost 100 per cent effective.

Worms of the most destructive varieties have been very active in the fields and gardens here and in the country surrounding County Agent C. V. Robinson recommends a poison bran mash to meet the situation.

The mash is made by mixing dry 25 pounds of bran and 1 pound of white arsenic or Paris green. Thorough mixing is needed to insure a little poison on each flake of bran. After mixing 2 quarts of old molasses (oldest and cheapest you can get) is stirred into one and half gallons of water and this liquid is stirred into the poison and bran. Add 6 old lemons or oranges. Here again thorough mixing is necessary. Only enough liquid should be added to make a crumbly mass that will fall apart when sown on the ground. The poison bait may be sown broadcast, or scattered along the rows at the base of the plants. This is best done in the evening, so the bait will not dry out before the worms start work for the night.

This receipt should cover about 5 acres. Sow where there is any sign of the worm working. For continued on page four

for the Graduates

After graduation, gaining a foothold in the business world is oft a question of "have you a Savings Account?" Executives recognize Thrift in young people as a symbol of determination the will to succeed.

The First National Bank

OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS.

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Sausage
Pure Pork
2 lbs 25c

Beef Roast
choice cuts
lb. 14c

Steak
veal round
or Loin
lb 22c

Bananas large fruit 2 dozen .25 Lemons large size the dozen .19

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Binder
Twine
price right

Fresh Count-
ry butter
2 lbs 25c

Pork chops
lb 18c

TIGER EYE

by B. M. Power



Ninth Installment
Bob Reeves the Kid, was nicknamed Tiger Eye by his friends down in the Brazos country because his "gun-eye" was yellow. When his father, "Killer Reeves" died the Kid left Texas to avoid continuing his father's feuds. Reaching Montana he is forced to draw on Nate Wheeler, an irate nester. In the exchange of shots Wheeler drops dead, the Kid later learning that Babe Garner who had also shot at the same time, really killed Wheeler.

Garner gets the Kid to join the Poole outfit as a rim rider. The Kid succeeds Wheeler's widow and is interrupted by Pete Gorham and some other nesters. He shoots Gorham through both ears for coupling his name with Wheeler's widow. Later he rescues a girl, Nellie, and her dad from Gorham, wounding Pete again. The girl, in spite of her belief the Kid is an imported Texas killer, warns him the nesters will kill him.

Garner warns the nesters are planning an attack on the Poole outfit. He meets Jess Markel, a Texan who is boss of the Poole wagon crew and shoots him thru both hands.

Nellie's dad is shot from ambush and suspects Babe against his wish. The latter thinks another nester killed the old man. Babe is wounded by hidden enemies, who also shoot at Tiger Eye but miss. The Kid pulls Babe back into the cabin and wounds one of the attackers.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
"Reckon I could, Babe."
"Well, damn it, do it, then! When yuh draw a bead on a nester, git 'im right. There ain't no come-back from a dead man. You got 'em out there before yuh Tiger Eye; any jury in the world would make it self defense. Yuh don't have to worry a damned bit. Now's your chance—git 'em, kid! Damn it, don't yuh know there's a bounty on nesters? You can collect five hundred apiece for 'em, and no questions asked!"
"That the price on ole Pappy Murray, Babe?"
"Hell, it's the price on any damn nester! Didn't the Old Man tell yuh so?"
"Nevah did tell me that, Babe. Mistah Bell taken my name and wheah I'm from and all, and asked right smaht questions. Nevah did tell me anything, 'cepting I was to get my o'dahs from yo'all."
"Damn right, you git your orders from me! I order yuh right now to lay 'em cold! Kill every

damn nester you can draw bead on, out there! Save goin after 'em in the valley. Hell, they're out to kill you, ain't they? You and me both! Git 'em, or they'll git you. Git the damned—Babe trailed off into a meaningless



"Ah—excuse me, Miss Murry," he said, bashfully.

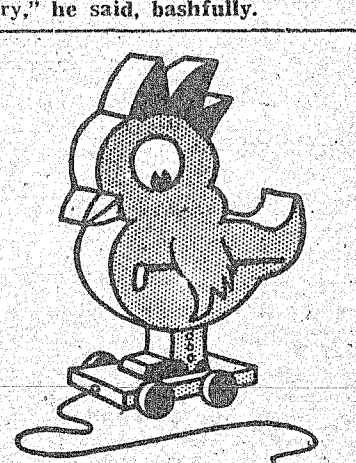
numble.
The kid sighed and goughed at the dried mud and tried to think of something else.
"Why, dammit, you come here with the dead list in your pocket!" Babe cried suddenly from the bunk, his sick brain seizing anew upon his grievance. "I know 'ed you was lyin' when you said you found that map where the wind had blowed it into a bush. You was headin' straight for the nesters with that dead list, and you knowed what you had to do."
"You made a slip-up with me when you said you was goin' to Wheeler's place because Nate Wheeler come first on the map. I like yuh, Kid, and I've let yuh make out like you're a nice little lad that wouldn't kill a m'skeeter. I ain't never asked no questions, but I ain't a damn fool. You had the dead list and that was all I needed to know. A man ain't expected to go around shootin' off his mouth about what he's doin'. Nobody wants yuh to advertise yourself."

"But, damn it, you've crippled one of the best shots the Poole has got, and you've been runnin' on me about beefin' old Murry, and yuh claim you won't kill a nester yourself for love or money. Looks pretty damn scaley to me, Kid—damned if it don't. Looks like they've got you workin' for 'em. Damn' spy, for all I know."

Once more the kid tried not to listen. In one ear and out the other—that was the only way to do with fever talk. Phibs' socialist. Babe was shoah a sick man,

not, it was unsatisfactory shooting.
"How's the water holdin' out?"
"That meant Babe wanted another drink. The kid filled the tin dipper, hoping Babe would not notice how he had to scrape the bottom of the bucket to do so. He hadn't thought of the water problem but it loomed rather large now. Couldn't get to the spring while the daylight held, and Babe's thirst was growin'. If the nesters stayed where

they were, they had him trapped. About noon, now. Seven hours and more till dark.
"Think you can git out thru the roof?" Babe tried to prop himself on one elbow and watch, but the pain turned him dizzy and sick, and he lay panting and nursing his helplessness. "Shoah going to try," said the kid grimly.
"They'll shoot yuh like a rabbit!"



Restless CHILDREN

CHILDREN will fret, often for no apparent reason. But there's always Castoria! Harmless as the recipe on the wrapper; mild and bland as its tastes. But its gentle action soothes a youngster more surely than a more powerful medicine.
That's the beauty of this special children's remedy! It may be given the tiniest infant—as often as there is need. In cases of colic, diarrhea or similar disturbance, it is invaluable. A coated tongue calls for just a few drops to ward off constipation; so does any suggestion of bad breath. Whenever children don't eat well, don't rest well, or have any little upset—this pure vegetable preparation is usually all that's needed.



The kid shook his head and stepped up on the foot of the bunk where he could bring his
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THE SENIORS FLIVVER 1931

Body, the big part—William Ragsdale. Carburetors, distributors of hot air, Wilburn DuBois and Mary H. Simpson. Brake, always handy, Velma Alexander. Cut-out, source of noise, Clete Pope. Crank, always trying to start something, Ouran Pieratt. Tail light, lighted only at night, Vera Horner. Motor, medium of motion, A. G. Weaver. Clock, time keeper, Irene McCreary. Horn, louder than cut-out, Charles Turner. License, a necessity, Sylvia Byrd. Oil, another necessity, Aline Harper. Gas, always out, Elton Ferguson. Springs, lively parts, Geneva Atkinson and Geneva Caldwell. Spare tire always behind but ready in case of emergency, John F. Turner. Exhaust pipe, with muffler, James Gipson and Audas Smith. Spark plugs, essential parts, June Bond and Ona Mae Smith. Windshield, the great protection, William Earl Ragsdale. Running board, person who is always getting stepped on, Max DuBois. Choker, always hard to find, Jewel Hill. Spot light, confusing to those meeting him, Fred Faulkner. Paint, the pretty part, Wilma Stacy. Driver, one who guides, Mrs. J. C. Scarbrough. Back seat driver, Mr. J. C. Scarbrough.

S-A-H-S GRADUATING

All the Seniors will agree with me on the thought of these terms "graduating" what it really means to us. We'll admit that our thoughts weren't so wrapped up in these terms at the first of this year as they have been recently. But we are now realizing what it will mean not to go to school here anymore. However, wherever we go, to college or to the business world, we are going to try to make the best of our lives in the years to come.—Senior Reporter.

S-A-H-S SCHOOL DAYS

School days, School days, Dear old golden rule days. Readin' and writin' in 'rithmetic Taught to the tune of a hickory stick; You were my queen in calico, I was your bashful barefoot beau When you wrote on my slate "I love you Joe." When we were a couple of kids.

S-A-H-S JUNIORS TO THE SENIORS

We, the Juniors wish to show our appreciation of the fellowship and friendliness given to us by the class of 1931 in cooperating with us in every event in which they were concerned. Our

wish for you is that you may mount the ladder of success, rung, by rung, and never falter until you reach the top. May you ever live up to your motto, "Dependability and Service."—The Juniors.

S-A-H-S JUNIOR PICNIC

Who? The Juniors
 What? Picnic
 When? May 21, 1931.
 Hour? 8:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.
 Where? Chaffin's crossing, on Colorado River.
 Why? Just because.
 How—and how!

S-A-H-S JUNIOR CLASS FAVORITES

Most popular girl, Annie Wilson. Most Popular boy, Edwin Rollins. Neatest girl, Kathryn Rose Pinney. Neatest boy, Weldon Clark. Prettiest girl, Frances Louise Adams. Best looking boy, Billie Barnes. Best all round boy, Carl Flores. Sweetest girl, Lena Bob Pillow. Sweetest boy, Ernest Harrod. Smartest boy, Jessie Lee Sparkman. Smartest girl, Any of them.

S-A-H-S JOKES

Francis Louise: "Did you ever talk before a large crowd?"
 Leon: "Yes, once."
 Francis Louise: "What did you say?"
 Leon: "Not guilty."

Mrs. Scarbrough: "If I were to die would you marry again?"
 Mr. Scarbrough: "No I'd have more sense than that!"

S-A-H-S The Function of Insurance

The function of insurance, according to Thomas H. Anderson, president of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, is to absorb shock, to minimize the results of disaster and to make that disaster's result temporary where, without insurance, it might be permanent.

This was never better exemplified than in the great San Francisco fire of April 1906. In the space of a few hours the city was almost entirely destroyed. The fire insurance industry paid to policyholders in that city the gigantic sum of \$200,000,000. Two years later, in 1908, the city had been largely rebuilt. This magnificent recovery from ruin was not only testimonial to the spirit of the people but a testimonial to stock fire insurance whose soundness in the face of an almost unimaginable catastrophe made recovery financially possible.

S-A-H-S

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith announce the arrival of a fine boy, on Thursday of last week.

Au Revoir!

"Still sits the school-house by the road,
 A ragged beggar sunning;
 Around it still the sumachs grow,
 And blackberry vines are running."

The last day of school. To some that phrase may bring gladness, but to the hearts of some it brings only pain. Especially to the Seniors is it sad, because they are leaving Santa Anna High, never to come back as a student in her classes. Vacation, play, fun, good times, all these for three months, yet a feeling of sadness pervades. Yes, it is that loyalty that rests deep down in the heart for our school; that dauntless spirit and love which can not be crushed down by the most unreasonable criticism. Though the Seniors leave us never to return and the classes scatter during the vacation months, may that spirit of loyalty always remain with you, Au revoir!

S-A-H-S

BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Last Sunday night a pretty service was rendered in the Santa Anna High School auditorium. The Juniors prepared the program for this occasion and sat on the stage. Annie Wilson, the efficient, charming president of the Junior class presided in her usual pleasing way, introducing the speaker of the evening, Dr. M. E. Davis, head of the Greek Biblical department of Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

Forty-four Seniors, attired in the conventional gray caps and gowns proved that they had run a good race these four years and were entitled to the honors shown them. What could be more inspiring than to see a group that large, prove that it had won?

The faculty, students and the town at large feel justly proud of this efficient graduating class.

Dr. Davis gave a symbolic sermon in which he vividly portrayed monsters and monopolies of the temporal world with their devastating ideas in contrast with the terrors of sin that attack our spiritual welfare. He especially stressed that:

"The measure of a life is its service and that loving kindness and faithful service will overcome the temporal terrors and lift one into a realm of spirituality."

The Seniors feel that they made no mistake in selecting this Christian gentleman for our sermon.

S-A-H-S

SOCIAL MEETING OF THE W. M. S. MONDAY, MAY 25th

Hottess—Mrs. Percy Snook
 Leader—Mrs. T. R. Sealy
 Subject: Poland, Our Lost Foreign Enterprise.

Scriptures: Luke 22:42
 "A meditation on Facing Reality" by Leader. (Look in April Missionary Voice).

Poland:—Mrs. Jodie Baker
 The Land of John Huss:—(See May Voice)—Mrs. J. F. Turner.
 Social Hour.

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full strength into action, prying and pushing at the dirt-covered poles of the roof.

Had the ridge beyond the little flat been higher, the nesters over there would have seen him when, at last with a final avalanche of clods and dust on the bunk, his head poked through into the sunlight. But the cabin stood on a little ridge of its own and only from the bluff opposite could one look upon the farther slope of the roof.

"Maybe when they bust in tonight you can drop down outside and make a run for it—but I can't. It's all day with me, anyhow. But God I'm dry! Glimme a drink before yuh go, will yuh, Tiger Eye?" Babe muttered. "Shoah will, Babe, I'll get a bucket of watah directly."

"You stay inside. They'll fill yuh with lead, kid."

"Neveh will see me, Babe. Gully back of the cabin goes to the spring and beyond."

He poured all the water into one bucket and set it on a box close to the bunk where Babe could reach the dipper if he had to.

He kindled a small fire in the stove and let the smoke advertise a live man's presence. An old trick, but so natural a one that so far as he knew it always worked.

Shots from the ridge answered that challenge. The kid waited until the firing ceased, then took his bucket and crawled through the roof, dropping noiselessly to the ground and sliding at once into the brushy little gully that separated the cabin from the bluff behind it.

He did not feel that he was taking any risk, but all his life he had been drilled in caution, so he went sneaking along, keeping close under the bank and stopping every few feet to listen and peer ahead. He could not see anyone and it was so quiet that he could hear a lone mosquito humming over his head. Yet he felt a human presence near him. He stood still and waited two minutes, and his quick eyes caught a quiver in a drooping branch. Some one was hiding in the bushes just above the spring, lying close under cover and watching the cabin and the open flat beyond.

"Yo'all bettah crawl back out of that brush." The kid spoke with an ominous kind of calm. "Come damn' careful, lessen yoah hungry foh lead."

Immediately the bushes shook as if swept by a sudden gale. A pair of legs with blue overalls tucked into worn riding boots came squirming backward into view. The kid reached out and

grabbed one and gave it a vicious yank, and the form it belonged to came sliding down and landed pretty much in a heap at the edge of the pool. The kid stepped back, his gun sagging at his side and his other hand going up mechanically to claw at his hat.

"Ah—excuse me, Miss Murray," he blurted, crimson to his collar.

Nellie Murray, in her father's clothes, and with her father's gray stetson tilted over one eye at a most rakish angle, stared up at him with astonished blue eyes.

"Ah—good evenin'," the kid stammered again. "I hope yo'all will excuse me—"

"I never even heard you!" she gasped. "I thought you were in the cabin. Wasn't it you shooting?"

"Yes'm, I reckon it was." The kid was trying not to look at her. Shoah did look cute though. He dared one swift glance from under his hat brim and looked away, gully but entranced.

But Nellie Murray was not

thinking of her appearance. "I had to come and warn you if I could. I know you didn't shoot my father, but they'd kill you just the same. They're out to kill any Poole man they find."

"It shoah was kind of yo'all, but I wish yoah hadn't come, Miss Murray." The kid's face was grave, his eyes more tender than he guessed. "Babe's shot, and I'm almin' to get him outa heah tonight. I was awn my way to the stable to get hawses."

"I'll help. I'll go crazy if I don't have something to do." The kid tried to persuade her to stay under the bank by the spring, but he was secretly glad she wouldn't do it.

The kid led the way, thrilling to the sound of Nellie Murray's footsteps behind him. The stable door was sheltered from view of the ridge by the small haystack and by the clump of service-berry bushes where the nester had hidden that morning. There really was no danger of being seen at the stable. But

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Editorial

INDUSTRY AND GOVERNMENT.

That government is dependent upon industry is shown in a forceful manner by the tremendous deficit that now faces the Federal Treasury as a result of the falling off in income taxes.

This tax loss is due to the slowing up of industrial activity with reduced output from factories, smaller incomes for the wage earners, executives and investors.

It is obvious to a school child that industrial prosperity and government stability go hand in hand. Any measures which discourage or destroy industry immediately react on all the people by heaping additional burdens on the tax payer at a time when he is least able to pay.

Up to the present time, instead of retrenching on governmental expenditures to correspond with the ability of the people to pay taxes without real hardship, we have gone meretriciously on increasing public burdens.

Just suppose our public utilities and railroads, which pay upwards of a billion dollars a year in taxes, were tax-exempt, publicly owned properties as many of our socialist friends would have them. What would happen to the tax payer?

Pressure is being brought to bear from various sources to inject the government more and more into business competition with private citizens and taxpayers. Carried to its ultimate conclusion—the elimination of private enterprise—who would finally pay the taxes under such a policy?

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MRS. LUTHER C. BELL

Mrs. Luther C. Bell died at her home in Shields last Sunday, after a short illness.

Mary Offie Wheatley was born in Franklin county Mississippi, May 5th, 1885. She was married to L. C. Bell, November 29th, 1904 in Rosebud, Texas. They moved to Coleman county more than twenty years ago, since that time making their home here and in Brown County. They settled at Shields two years ago.

She had been a devoted member of the Methodist church since childhood. Mrs. Bell was only 45 years and 12 days old, just in the best part of life. Her life had been one of inspiration to her children, a shining light to her companion, a joy to her parents and an example of love and service to her neighbors.

She is survived by her husband, two sons, Olton L. of Houston, and A. Coby of Shields; a daughter, Mrs. W. M. Johnson of Brownwood; three sisters, Mrs. R. E. Wheeler of Ft. Worth, Mrs. John Dillingham of Shields and Miss Minnie Wheatley of Shields and Tom Wheatley of Waco; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wheatley of Shields.

Other relatives attending the funeral services which were held at the Methodist church here by Rev. O. A. Jones of Rockwood Methodist church were: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bell, Miss Eva Bell and Mrs. Alfred Harper of Arden; Mrs. P. E. Allison and children of Houston; Mrs. Oscar Butt and children, Mrs. Vernie Horner and Elmo Elliott of San Angelo; Mrs. Jim Howard of Mertzon; Thomas Wheatley of Waco and little 20 month old grandson, Walter Kelmond, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnson of Brownwood.

Pallbearers were: Tom Wheatley, Thomas Wheatley, John Dillingham, Kahler Wheatley, Dan Wheatley and Walter Johnson.

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

School is out! We are happy as nearly all of our group passed but we hate to leave our friends in the other classes.

The last few weeks have been very busy for us. One great event was the Seventh Grade reception given by Mrs. Ford Barnes. We wish to take this opportunity of thanking Mrs. Barnes and Beth for a very pleasant time. It will be long remembered by the Seventh Grade.

Another important event was the May Fete, the queen of which was Francine Merritt, who is one of our number. Francine, we are proud of you. The seventh and sixth grades represented the exercise and sports in the Health program. Some of the Seventh grade girls made up the chorus which sang several pretty songs. We wish to thank Mrs. Stafford Baxter and Mrs. McMillian for helping us.

An item of interest overlooked in last week's paper was the crowning of Francine Merritt as Health Queen in the Santa Anna Grammar School Health Pageant! She was attended by the God of Youth, Ernestine Thames. Francine was elected by popular vote in the grammar school.

Her costume was a beautiful creation of yellow net and lace which blended in with the many beautiful costumes of the bees, birds and butterflies. There were many other interesting features of the health program as represented by the air, sunshine, milk exercise, sports, fruits and vegetables.

Thanks are due to the ladies of the Grammar School P. T. A. who gave their time in putting on the program.

MARYLAND WOMAN

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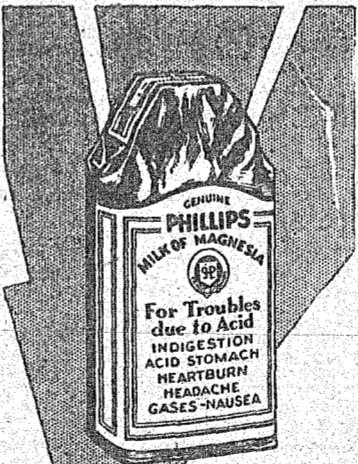
QUEEN THEATRE

Mystery and comedy combine to make "The Gorilla" the feature that comes to the Queen Theatre this week-end one of the outstanding pictures of the year. The picture is really a hair raiser, but the comedy is so cleverly inserted that thrills turn to laughs. The cast is exceptionally fine.

George Arliss, is the main attraction in the picture that comes to the Queen, the first of next week. "The Millionaire" his latest vehicle portrays him as the self made business man who needs to be made over. What ever the role, Arliss acting invariably approximates perfection. The theme of the story is How-to-be-happy-though - rich. It is a delightful comedy-drama with appeal for all of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilfred Rennels of Byron, California and Miss Jessie Valera Griffith of Indianahoma, Oklahoma, a sister of Mrs. Rennels, visited their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Griffith of Santa Anna. They also visited Monday with their aunt Mrs. T. E. Strange of Bangs and on Tuesday they visited with friends and relatives at Coleman and Abilene, leaving Tuesday evening for Indianahoma, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of Bristow Oklahoma are here this week, with their son, H. B. Martin.



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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for all the kindness and sympathy, the beautiful flowers and many helpful deeds, during the illness and death of our beloved wife, mother, daughter and sister, Mrs. Mary Offie Bell. May God bless and reward you for every thing you did, and be with you through life.

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"ROUGHAGE"

We hear it, read it, sense it in the very air, "roughage." It's the slogan of the swivel-chair patriot, whose colon has been on a strike for the last twenty rubber-tired years. Treat 'em rough, these tired, lazy-stuffed colons; just got to have roughage!

Well, the prodigal son ate the husks which the swine didn't take—and repented of his sins right away,—the first victory for roughage, so to speak. Then he lost no time getting back to the fatted calf—the smooth diet.

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I have not found one in twenty-five routine investigations, upon whom bran had the least effect in obstinate constipation. I have tested carefully in my own case; I might as well have taken that much Portland cement, so far as laxative effect was noticeable.

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One of the latest and best books I have found, condemns "roughage" as a routine procedure in lazy colons—a practice that may actually do serious harm, and I agree most emphatically. The "smooth diet" is far more rational to coax the weary organ back to normal function; I do not believe in whipping the tired horse to restore his vigor. If commercialism were taken

out of this country, and our people used a real food and exercise instead of substitutes, we'd live longer.

W. J. Hoosh and son, Pat, left Saturday for Fort Worth, where they visited with relatives. They spent Sunday with Mr. Hoosh's brother, whom he had not seen for twelve or fourteen years, and his family, in Henderson county, with a nephew and niece who live in Rice and with a nephew and niece who live in Maybank, in Kaufman county. Mr. Hoosh says the crops look fine in that part of the state, especially the oats in Ellis county, which were the finest he had ever seen. They spent Monday buying some new furniture for the store, returning that night.

Ogden Brown was a business visitor in Abilene, Thursday.

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Mrs. R. B. Griffith, is visiting with her daughter and family of Bangs for a few days.

Mrs. Jake Ables of Kaufman is visiting relatives here.

MRS. DAY HONORS SON

Little Robert Day was seven years old Tuesday and his mother gave him a party to which fifteen of his playmates were invited. They remembered him delightfully, making the day one of the high lights in the little fellow's life. The afternoon was quite merry for the other youngsters also.

When the refreshments were served the birthday cake "took the eyes" of the children, for it looked too good to eat.

The guests would like for Robert to have a birthday much oftener than once a year, and so would Robert.

Mrs. J. L. Boggus returned Monday from a visit with her sisters, Mesdames, G. E. Vaughn and Ed Price in Fort Worth.

Mrs. I Williamson spent the week-end in Legion, with her husband. Mr. Williamson's health is improving as rapidly as can be expected.

Misses Odell Brown, Anne Stiles and Velma Sealy visited in Kerrville over the week-end.

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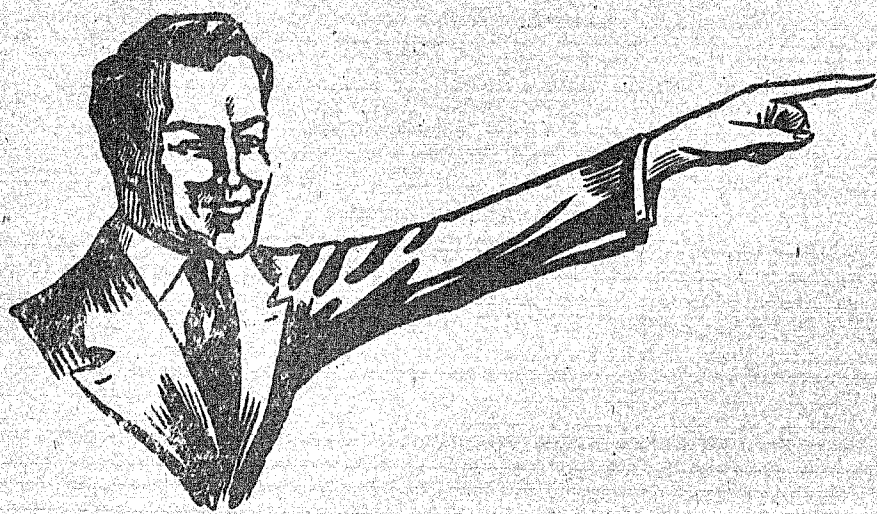
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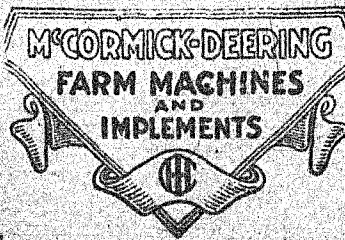
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Farmers and dairy owners are welcoming the newest service of the state department of agriculture, the inspection of butterfat tests at cream stations, according to M. S. Frazee, chief of the weights and measures division.

The first few weeks of inspection, Frazee said, found all creameries cooperating with state inspectors to the fullest. The state operations, he said, favored the tests because they gave farmers who sell cream renewed confidence in the stations.

Four inspectors have been assigned to the work, instructed to cover as much of the state as possible before the beginning of the next biennium on Sept. 1. They are operating under an emergency measure passed by the present legislature.

The inspectors make original tests of the butterfat content from cream brought to the station while they are present; up on the methods and devices regularly used at the stations they visit; and check their findings against the previous tests made by each station.

Mrs. Mike Johnson of Brownwood was here Saturday for a visit with friends.

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TIGER EYE

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while the horses were drinking thirstily from the pool, the crackle of more shooting reminded him that the battle was still going on.

"Reckon I bettah get back to the cabin and answer those shots with a few of my own," he said uneasily to Nellie. "I'll take the watah bucket. If yo'all would follow along with Babe's hawse I'd be much obliged, Miss Murray."

Nellie, coming along behind him, with never a whimper of fear for herself, filled him with a great wonder.

Shoah complicated matters too having her along. Going to be bad enough, making a run for it, with Babe. Never planned on having any one else to look after—Nellie Murray, least of all. They'd need another horse, and they'd need somebody that could shoot and hold back the nesters. The kid didn't see how he was going to make it, but it never occurred to him to change his plan. There wasn't any other plan to change to; not unless he just rode off with Nellie and left Babe—

"Reckon yo'all bettah wait down heah with the hawses." The kid turned and set down the water bucket. "I'll tote Babe out and put him awn his hawse."

"Through the roof? You can't do it alone. I'll have to help." "You've got to have help, and you may as well own it first as last." She must have thought his silence was plain stubbornness, for she gave his arm an impatient shake. "You can't do it without me."

"Yo'all can't go in, Miss Murray. They keep awn shootin' at the cabin. Bullets come through the doah and window like bees into a hive in a plum thicket."

"I wouldn't get hit any quicker than you would." But she let

her fingers slip from his arm. "Well, all right—you go on and boost him through, and I'll stay outside and ease him down to the ground. But do be careful, won't you—Bob?"

"Shoah will—Nellie. I kaint say what I want to say," murmured the kid helplessly. "I nevah did see a girl like yo'all—"

Babe lay with his eyes shut and his face twitching with the pain of his wound, and he did not pay any attention to the clods of dirt that rattled down on the blankets. The kid picked up one of the rifles, rushing from one loophole to another to make it look as if two men were handling the guns.

The air was thick and acrid with powder smoke. The kid looked at his old silver watch and saw that the afternoon was half gone. No use moving Babe yet. He'd die on the horse before they could get him out of the gully. It would have to be dark when they made it.

Nellie out there—she must be hungry, hiding in the brush since dawn. Mighty hungry himself, now he got to thinking about grub. The kid reckoned it would be safe to have a little picnic out back of the cabin in the shade just him and Nellie. Babe was all right. Nothing to do for him but let him lie quiet as long as possible.

The kid wrung out a folded towel in cold water laid it across Babe's forehead before he crawled out through the roof with a picnic lunch for Nellie. The men on the ridge would have been astonished to see the two sitting there with their backs to the wall of the beleaguered cabin feasting contentedly on cold sourdough biscuits, cold bacon and dried blackberry sauce.

The kid was holding his mouth organ between his cupped hands watching Nellie from the corner of his eyes. He played "The Mocking Bird" softly. Nellie sat curling the end of her yellow braid absently around her fingers, her eyes downcast and her lips half smiling.

"Dammit, Tiger Eye, why don't yuh shoot to kill? What yuh so damn' chicken-hearted for?"

Damn' cow thieves—
Continued Next Week

INCREASING COTTON USE IS PLANNED BY STASE ASSOCIATION

The Texas division of the Association for Increased Use of Cotton, projected as a tangible means of reducing the greatest cotton surplus in the history of the south, was formed as a climax to Houston's three-day cotton festival this week.

Backed by such prominent Texans as Governor Ross S. Sterling, John W. Carpenter, president of Progressive Texans, and Will Clayton, prominent cotton broker, as well as many others, leaders in every line of industry, the association plans an educational campaign to open new markets for cotton in every conceivable direction.

J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, who has charge of organization work as vice-president of the national organization, declared it was imperative that the people of the south awaken to the seriousness of conditions.

In the face of abnormally low prices for cotton, he said, consumption of American cotton is far below normal, as shown by statistics from the American As-

sociation of Cotton Textile Merchants.

"These facts," he declared, "bring us to a blunt realization of the fact that if Texas agriculture is to be revived, uses for the enormous carryover of cotton now on hand must be found."

"Texas must awaken to the fact that with the low rate of consumption now existing, another large cotton crop would bring indescribable disaster and suffering to our people."

"If the people of America could only be induced to use cotton where cotton is suitable, we would soon be able to consume our entire crop in the United States and this consumption would relieve us of the constant threat of foreign competition."

Objects of the Association for Increased Use of Cotton, as set forth in the by-laws are: to encourage and promote the use of cotton in the wrapping of cotton bales; for sacking fertilizer, flour, sugar, feedstuffs, cement and other products in cotton bags; to encourage the use of draperies, house furnishings, wearing apparel, paper, twine, rope and all other ways in which cotton of its by-products may be suitably used.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sheppard of Colorado City were week-end guests in the Altus Bowden home

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parker and children visited in Brady, Sunday.

Debs Conlee was a business visitor in Fort Worth the first of the week.

E. M. Niell and son Lucian,

are in East Texas and different parts of Arkansas this week, looking after business interests.



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Poisons absorbed into the system from souring waste in the bowels, cause that dull, headachy, sluggish, bilious condition; coat the tongue; foul the breath; sap energy, strength and nerve-force. A little of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will clear up trouble like that, gently, harmlessly, in a hurry. The difference it will make in your feelings over night will prove its merit to you.

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Potted meats, 6 for	23c
SPUDS Sound	
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COFFEE that good kind	
3 pounds	.38
ORANGES Nice size	
dozen	.10

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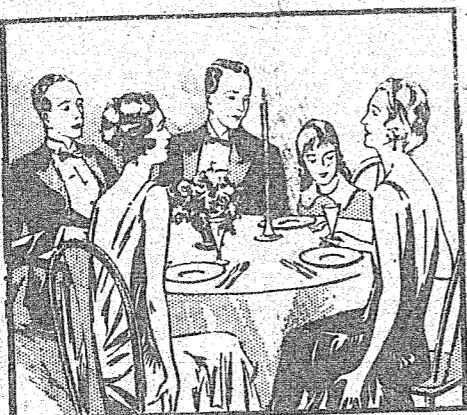
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 per dozen
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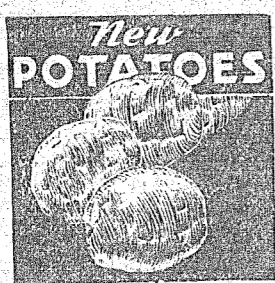
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CLASS NIGHT

"Of all the classes since the birth
 of time,
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 class of mine,
 They're good, they're kind, inter-
 esting too,
 And they always have been
 true."

We initiated the idea of "Class
 Night" to show you some of our
 talent and give you some valuab-
 le information concerning our
 achievements.

Our dependable class presi-
 dent, William Earl Ragsdale, pre-
 sided at this meeting in his cap-
 able way, giving our purpose for
 the program and presenting the
 class gift. This gift is a regula-
 tion flag pole and flag, two more
 tennis courts and a Bible. Wil-
 liam Earl has been called upon
 hundreds of times and has never
 failed to respond cheerfully.

Irene McCreary gave the his-
 tory of the class throughout its
 high school career, recording the
 actual accomplishments which
 may be found in and around the
 building. She conclusively pro-
 ved that our class has been a co-
 operative asset to old S. A. H. S.
 The classic "Overture to Zam-

pa" was impressively played by
 Aline Harper and June Bond.
 To all lovers of classical music,
 this was a real treat.

Sylva Byrd's musical reading,
 "Counting Daisy Petals" scored
 a round of applause. Her ability
 as a reader was re-affirmed.

What is more beautiful than
 the rose? The class song, "Only
 a Rose" was in perfect harmony
 with the class flower.

All friends, foes and loved ones
 were remembered in the class
 will by Aline Harper. She ex-
 pressed many earnest hopes for
 various groups but "Hope springs
 eternal in the human breast," so
 why shouldn't we leave such
 lasting gifts?

Mr. J. C. Scarbrough graciously
 accepted the bounteous gifts
 which were presented by William
 Earl Ragsdale and in behalf of
 the school board, students and
 community, expressed sincere
 appreciation for the fine spirit
 manifested in the unselfish

ideals of the glorious class of
 1931.

Mr. Lock, presented the awards
 to outstanding students in each
 class. Twenty-three Seniors re-
 ceiving thirty-four twelve
 juniors won fifteen; 14 soph-
 mores won nineteen; and 14
 freshmen won fifteen.

"College Capers" proved to be
 a real comedy. Those seniors
 taking part have done extra work
 from seven thirty in the morn-
 ings until nine o'clock at night
 during these trying times of ex-
 aminations and so has our spon-
 sor, but we can't be bothered
 with hardships—they can't mas-
 ter us—because we overcome
 them! We don't even mind the
 weather. Why, if it rains, that's
 just what we wanted.

After the play the cast enjoy-
 ed a real picnic with all of the
 trimmings, having a wonderful
 conclusion to a perfect day.

Buy it in cotton bags.

Hull House Head



Jane Addams, famous sociologist,
 won a \$5,000 prize in recognition of
 her great achievements.

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From Headaches
 Colds and Sore Throat
 Neuritis, Neuralgia

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 headaches, or any other pain. There
 is hardly an ache or pain Bayer
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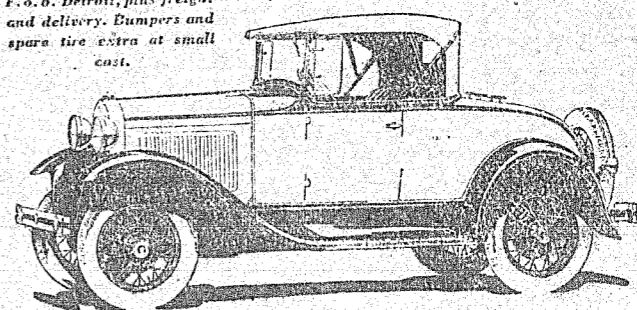
It may be only a simple headache,
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