TWENTY-NINTH YEAR.

FARWELL, PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS,

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1940.

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Slow Rain, Sleet and Snow Bring Relief to Wheat Fields

County-Wide Meeting Called to Discuss Conservation District

County Agent Jason O. Gordon re- Elm Seeds May vealed early this week that a county-wide meeting had been called to meet Be Planted at the Oklahoma Lane school house on Thursday night, April 11, for the purpose of discussing the creation of a Soil Sonservation District in Parmer County.

Judge W. G. Kennedy, state Soil Conservation man, will be present to iscuss and explain the various phases of the State Soil Conservation Law, enacted last year, Mr. Gordon

The county agent stressed the importance of having every land owner in Parmer county present at the meeting, which will be called to order at 8 o'clock in the high school

Soil conservation districts are springing up all over the entire Southwest, particularly in New Mexico, and the far-flung benefits School Trustees Are that are available to land owners in these districts will be revealed at the meeting, Agent Gordon said. A soil conservation district cannot be that purpose.

Floyd Francis Opens Garage in Texico A. Berry.

Floyd Francis, local mechanic, Schleuter, W. H. Graham. eral repair shop in the Texico Hotel fred Berggren. building. Francis said the business would be operated under the name of the City Service Garage.

Mr. Francis has had a number of years of mechanical experience and for the past 16 years most of his work has been confined to repair of lis, J. R. Wilson. Chevrolets and Fords. Since last fall he has held the position as shop Hamlin. foreman in one of the leading shops | County trustee, precinct No. 4: in Fort Sumner.

He said that it would be several days before he would have his com- Former Texico Lady plete equipment installed, but stated that he would be equipped to do body work as well as mechanical work when his equipment arrives. He will handle a complete line of Vesta bat- Texico resident, died at Beebee, Ark.,

ATTEND HIGHWAY MEET

sociation at Dimmitt on Tuesday of have lived since that time. this week. The next meeting will be held in Bovina on May 14th.

MARKETS

fluctuations.

Grain Quotations

00
83
88
\$1.90
\$1.60
110
70
160
110
260
70

For the benefit of those who might not know such a thing is possible, local residents are reminded that Chinese elms may be grown from the seed.

An unusually heavy crop of seed has been produced this year, making it possible for the growth of multiplied thousands of small trees within a short

The seeds should be gathered off the ground and planted in good, loose soil at a shallow depth and kept well watered. Next year, or the year after, they can be transplanted to their permanent locations. And how they do grow!

Selected Over County

created, however, Mr. Gordon added cept Lazbuddy, County Superinten-lumber is being hauled here by truck. By Freeze further, without a two-thirds majo-dent Lee Thompson announced to- he said. rity vote at a referendum called for day the following had been elected as school trustees in their respective districts, in the election held last Sa- Lease With Brunson

Oklahoma Lane: Jack Roach, E.

Farwell: E. M. Deaton, Olen this week opened a garage and gen- Bovina: W. V. Cunningham, Al-

> Rhea: Roy Bearden. Friona: Lonnie Baxter, R. H. Be-

Lakeview: Dudley Robason. Black: F. W. Lookingbill.

Midway: J. R. Harris, Luther Hol-County trustee at large: J. D.

Roy White.

Dies in Arkansas

Mrs. W. M. Robertson, 70, former sell, each of whom was allowed \$125. on March 31st, and was buried there Highway 86 include M. Wilkerson as the following day, according to information received here this week.

Members of the Parmer County a produce business in Texico for 12 along the route. Commissioners Court, with the ex- years, disposing of the business here

BUILDING GRAIN STORAGE

Jack Dunn has begun construction on a large grain storage elevator The following prices were being on his farm just north of town. It offered by local buyers Wednesday is understood the elevator will have All prices are subject to market a capacity of 40,000 bushels and will for handling the grain.

Brick Bullock completed the erection of a smaller storage on his farm near Lariat recently.

NEW ICE BOX

W. W. Hall at Hall's Grocery and Market has just completed the installation of a new and larger ice box for storage purposes at his market. The new box is being cooled with alectrical refrigeration.

Of Interest to Farmers

By Garlon A. Harper, Sec'y Parmer County AAA

are classed as sweet sorghum and, after being classified as layout. therefore, may be used as non-de- In addition to sweet sorghums, On Tuesday night of next week,

soil depleting when planted: Milo, and classified as "layout." Blackeyed the county. Hegari, Darso, Fargo, Kaffir, Freed, peas harvested green and sold as a Shallu, Wonder, Kaoliang, Premo soil depleting.

as millet will be classified as deplet- or contact this office.

inquiries regarding the crops which tee has recommended that all sor- evidence that they have applications Postmasters' convention at Marshall To the later union two children, may be used on land not included in ghum or other crop which is allowed for 120 mattresses, and officials this last week. Mrs. Lokey is postmaster both of whom are still living, were the soil depleting allotment to a to mature seed be classified as soil week were doubtful if that number of the Farwell office. Postmaster born. They are: Mrs. Estell Curry farm, or in other words, the crops depleting unless the crop is used for of families in Parmer county were General James Farley was among the of Alhambra, Calif., and Mack Nobles which may be grown on "layout silage. This step is necessary in view living on less than \$400 per year, sta- distinguished visitors at the conven- of Amarillo. None of the children of the fact that in the past much ting that unless the ruling could be tion this year. The following varieties of sorghum sudan and cane have been threshed changed, it was not likely that any

pleting crops: Honey (seeded ribbon sudan, and millet, layout may be the committee is to make a report Schrock, Bishop, Fererita, Chiltex, commercial crop will be classified as

For further instructions regarding John Honts, candidate for district fairs of the local school. The farmer should keep in mind these crops the farmer should con- attorney of the 69th judicial district, that any sorghum or sudan, as well sult either the local committeeman was here from Dalhart last Friday in The population of South America In Africa, lions are generally individual demonstrations over the

Double Capacity for Local Elevator Soon

R. A. Hawkins, manager of the Henderson Seed & Grain Company, this week announced that plans were being made to double the capacity of the local elevator at an early

He said that actual work could not be expected to get under way for "about a month" yet, explaining that nothing would be done until the present seed sesason is passed. He said it was the aim of the firm to have the enlarged elevator ready for the wheat harvest, which can be expected to get under way shortly af-

least eight more storage bins in the elevator and the installation of a new cleaning plant in the warehouse Some of the building material has already been placed on the ground and more lumber is expected to ar-With all districts heard from ex- rived uring the next few weeks. The

Renewed by County

One of the important matters to receive action by the Parmer County Commissioners Court, in session here Monday, was the renewing of the lease on several thousand acres of school land belonging to Parmer county, and located in Gaines and Andrews counties.

The lease, which has been held by W. W. Brunson, large cattleman of Midland, Texas, was renewd for five years for grazing purposes.

Highway matters, pertaining to Highway 86, also came in for a considerable share of attention with the purchase of two small tracts of land in the southern edge of Bovina, to be used as a location for a warehouse of the Highway Department. The land was purchased from the Capitol Freehold Land Trust and W. E. Hall-

Right-of-way purchases along trustee for Wilkerson church property, and the payment of \$100 to H.

ception of T. E. Levy, attended the a little more than a year ago and moving a building, digging a cess- will be taken to Hobbs. monthly meeting of Highway 86 as- maving to Arkansas, where they pool, and relocating a water line along the same route.

Cotton Mattress Meet

be equipped with electrical devices plus cotton for mattresses for indi- success of the supper. gents in Parmer county was held in Friona on Tuesday of this week, at which time a good representation of officials and others interested was recorded.

that families eligible to receive the in this issue. cotton for mattresses must have an income of not more than \$400 per year, both from the farm and otherwise, and a committee was appointed report the number of such cases.

cotton could be secured locally.

JOHN HONTS HERE

the interest of his candidacy.



FIFTY YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE was observed on Tuesday, April 9th, by Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Nobles, shown above, who for the past 32 years have been residents of

ter the middle of June. Mr. Hawkins said that present plans called for the addition of at Farwell Coupe Wed Fifty Years, Tuesday and all the way to the mountains in New Mexico.

Fruit Not Hurt

The local fruit crop is still safe, in the opinion of many local farmers and orchardists, and, barring further damages, there will be an abundance of fruit here this year, they declare.

Shrouded with a heavy coating of ice, snow and sleet, fruit trees in full bloom withstood the frezing weather without serious cultural experts, who explain that the ice coating gave the tender blossoms a protection to withstand the sub-freezing wea-

Drilling for State

putting his fire boys through a series struggles of their married life. of drills and workouts during the A fire destroyed their business in

state meet and Chief Sellman stated face of adversity and as they stood today that he expected his boys to at their 50th milepost in wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson operated Crowell for right-of-way privleges continue to make good showings in Uncle Benny related that he had the various contests. He said that a "never been a hand to grieve over of last year. E. L. Elliot was allowed \$25 for team of five men from the local crew anything that couldn't be helped."

evening as a means of raising funds usually active. Both of them observed to pay the expenses of the trip to their 81st birthday early this year. Hobbs, was only lightly attended on Mrs. Nobles continues to do all her account of the bad weather, but Sell- housework and takes an active par-Held Tuesday, Friona man said that the returns were very in church affairs. satisfactory. He has asked The Tri- Mr. Nobles continues to serve as A meeting for the purpose of dis- bune to express his thanks to those justice of the peace for the Farwell cussing the possibility of using sur- who contributed in any way to the precinct, a job he has held for the

MOVES BEAUTY SHOP

four-door business location of Mrs. street. County Agent Jason O. Gordon Florence Wallace was Mrs. Estellene Before his marriage to Aunt Josic. More Improvements stated that the drive to use surplus Billington's beauty shop, which Uncle Benny married another young cotton through mattresses is being moved to the new location this week, girl when he was 21 years old, who sponsored over the South by the Fe- Mrs. Billington said that she would died only a few years afterwards. To deral Surplus Commodity corpora- hold her formal opening on Thurs- the first union, two children were tion, the AAA, and the Extension day of next week. During this month born, both of whom surrvive. They she is offering special prices on per- are John Nobles of Midland, Texas, In this connection, it was learned manent waves. See her advertisement and Mrs. Lola Pierce of Vernon, Tex.

ATTENDING STATE MEET

to make a survey of the county and pected to return home this week from sweetheart back in Tennessee, whom a week's visit to points in the lower Uncle Benny jokingly claims "follow-According to the ruling, the coun- part of the State, after attending ed me all the way to Texas to be my At this time we are receiving many ing if threshed. The county commit- ties accepting the cotton must show the annual meeting of the Texas second wife."

BOARD VISITS SCHOOL

is 87,915,000.

city, observed their golden wedding greatly benefitted by the timely rain. anniversary no Tuesday, April 9th. Spring plowing, which had been in They spent the day at home, receiv- operation for some two weeks, was ing congratulations from their many just about at a standstill on account friends and acquaintances of long of dry weather, and the rain will standing, which culminated with a enable the row crop farmers to begin surprise reception in their honor at in earnest getting their soil ready for the Methedist church, Tuesday planting operations, which usually

as, on April 9, 1890, and came to done, is also wearing a smile. The Farwell in 1908. For many years Mr. moisture means early grass for his Nobles was engaged in the grocery stock. Encouraged by the warm weaand dry goods business here, dispos- ther of the past two weeks, pastures ing of his stock about 18 years ago had already begun to "green up" and to retire from active business. Prior stockmen declare that the moisture to coming to Farwell, he was en- will insure good grazing at an early gaged in the dry goods business at date. Deport, where he suffered a heavy fire loss in 1906.

"We've gone through two fires and Calls Attention to Firemens' Convention four bank failures, yet we have lots to be thankful for," Mrs. Nobles re-Fire Chief Ira Sellman has been called in detailing some of the

past few weeks, getting them in con- Farwell in the early 20's and followdition for participation in contests ing that their savings were further that will be held at the State Fire- reduced by four bank failures withmens' convention at Hobbs in May. in three years. All these seemingly The local team is being drilled unsurmountable odds have not dimtwice a week in preparation for the med their spirit to carry on in the

Although well along in years, both The box supper given last Friday Uncle Benny and Aunt Josie are un-

permitting he makes his daily trips at once. He said that children who past 16 years. Weather conditions to the postoffice afoot, some five blocks away, and drops in for short The last business to occupy the chats with business men along Main

Following the death of his first the water tower this week. wife, but after a period of some two or three years, he was married to his present wife. Oddly enough, the sec-Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lokey are ex- ond Mrs. Nobles was his boyhood

were here for the celebration.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Members of the Texico school The Santa Fe System carloadings his father's repair shop in the near cane), Sumac (red top), Dwarf Ash- planted to soybeans or cowpeas. Soy- of its findings to a general meeting board, including Sam Randol, Rupert for the week ending April 6, 1940, future. It is not considered likely burn, Orange, Coleman, Gooseneck, beans are not classified as depleting in Friona. Those on the committee Paul and F. E. Thompson, were were 17,244, as compared with 18,354 that the body shop will be ready for Sourneck (African Millet), Amber. regardless of the use of the crop include all community agricultural guests of the school on Tuesday of for the same week in 1939. Received operation before the first of May, Mr. The following varieties of sorghum | Cowpeas (of which blackeyed peas chairman, and all presidents of the this week, when all classes were open from connections were 5,367, as comare classed as grain sorghum and are are a variety) may be harvested dry various home demonstration clubs of for inspection, acording to school pared with 5,431 for the same week head L. A. Hartley. Various depart- in 1939. The total cars moved were Miss Onah Jacks, state 4-H girls ments were visited by board members 26,611 as compared with 23,785 for club agent, was in Parmer county during the day, and officials reported the same week in 1939. The Santa on Wednesday of this week, and, acthemselves well pleased with the af- Fe handled a total of 22,997 cars du- companied by Miss Ruth Boyd, Parring the preceding week of this year. mer demonstration agent, visited the

classed as vermin.

A cold rain that gradually turned into a peppering sleet then to a heavy snow brought joyous smiles to the farmers of this entire section last Friday, and rapidly changed the prospects of wheat crop from a rather dismal picture to an encouraging outlook.

The combination of snow, rain and sleet fell throughout most of the day and gave new hope to wheat farmers who were becoming discouraged by continued dry weather and high winds. The local rain guage registered slightly under one inch of moisture, all of which fell in such a manner that it found its way into the dry earth.

The moisture belt seems to have been general in its scope, covering this entire region with readings that ran as high as three inches. However, for Parmer and Curry counties, the maximum rainfal has been estimated at about one and one-half inches.

Farmers in the Oklahoma Lane section believe their moisture amounted to at least one and one-half inches. Lazbuddy reports about the same precipitation, along with the rest of the county.

The rainfall is said to have exten-

While the moisture will be of inestimable value to growing wheat Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Nobles of this fields, row crop farmers, too. will be begin here around the first of May.

They were married at Deport, Tex- | And the stockman, not to be out-

Importance of Census

T. A. McCuistion, who has been designated as the census enumerator of the Farwell school district, today called attention to the importance of having every child of scholastic age within the district listed.

He said the time was nearing a close for the fliing of his final report and figures compiled this week show that the scholastics in the district this year are considerably below that

"This situation," he explained, 'threatens to lose the school many dollars of State money, which is made on the pasis of \$22.00 for each

Mr. McCuistion said that he had canvassed the district thoroughly and so far had been able to list 219 scholastics in the district, as compared to 242 last year. He appealed to school patrons who might have been overlooked to list their children would be of school age next Fall at the opening of school should be included in the count now being made.

At Water Tower Site

A number of young Chinese elm trees and more than 200 California privet hedge plants have been set out at the little park site surrounding

An additional half block of land, surrounding the new well which was drilled last Fall, is being beautified with trees and shrubs. R. V. Hamm, caretaker, stated that improvements were being added as funds for such work were available, and during the past three years many trees and a large section of grass have been add-

TO OPEN BODY SHOP

Karı Gast announced this week that his son, Buster, who is now connected with the Gateway Auto company in Clovis, planned to open & body shop here in connection with

Homeland club, along with several



ing it anyhow," she told the Senator

"You can't really blame him, my

he argued mildly. "Everybody likes

her looks. You know, Ollie, to tell

the truth," he continued hesitantly,

"I like her looks better than Adele's

Olympia groaned. That was the

Her distress was so great that the

Senator decided to speak to Cecil

himself, without telling her anything

about it; for the Senator was de-

voted to Olympia and would humili-

ate himself to almost any depth to

spare her distress. He had Cecil

"See here, Cecil," he began, mat-

"Cecil rose right up out of his

ter-of-factly; "I want you to stop flirting with Limpy."

chair to answer that. "Flirting with

Limpy, sir! I'm not flirting with

"You're not! You're not flirting

with Limpy? . . . Well, what do

"I don't call it anything, sir. But

"Well, stop it! Her aunt and I

will positively not permit anybody

to be crazy about Limpy until-after

"I wouldn't dream of flirting with

"Well, you've got her aunt all up-

"But what have I done, Senator?

I've been very careful . . . I only

gave her that pin-and everybody

wears Sloppy pins . . . And Mrs.

Slopshire asked me to be nice to

"To the girls, yes. Not to Limpy.

Just to Helen and Adele. They're

as good as married anyhow. Not

"You know, Senator," Cecil con-

fessed shyly, "I could get married

myself if-she was old enough. With

my political experience in this cam-

paign I'm sure to land a good job

somewhere. And I've got money

enough to take care of a wi-a

woman. I could do a lot better for

"You've got to stop looking at

"But Senator, you must realize-

there's no place else to look when

Limpy's there," remonstrated Cecil

"I'm sorry, Cece, but you've got

to stop it. Pay attention to your

work. And when you are discuss-

ing the campaign with us, you

needn't address your remarks to |

Limpy. She's not running for office

"I'll try, Senator," he said un-

happily. "I don't want to upset

Mrs. Slopshire and I do want the

campaign to go through all right.

But Senator, you must see how im-

possible it is to look at anybody else

much as I can," promised the Sen-ator, kindly. "You keep your eyes

glued to Mrs. Slopshire. Discretion

is the best policy-at your age. When

you get to be my age, a glance or

two at Limpy won't hurt you. It'll

even set you up a little. But for

the time being, you stick to Mrs.

CHAPTER XI

During the first week of October.

the trailer entourage established

Baystown as headquarters and were

giving parking facilities in the Com-

munity Center. From this base, the

campaigners went off daily on fly-

ing junkets by automobile with a

hard week, for this was the begin-

ning of the Senator's state-wide

On Saturday, Aunt Olympia ex-

hibited a degree of nervous energy

for which not even the hard week

could be held entirely accountable.

She spent the morning relaxing in

bed and studying manuscript. She

spent the afternoon having a facial,

a wave, a mud pack and a hot

bath. The Senator had gone off with

Dave and Cecil to attend a picnic

of the Young Democrats at Hard-

castle, planning to return to Bays-

town in time to address the big rally

in the Auditorium at eight o'clock.

He had wanted to take the girls

to get rested up so they'll be pretty

"I'll keep her out of the room as

when Limpy's in the room.'

a girl than Len Hardesty.'

desperately.

and I am."

Slopshire."

sweep for votes.

her," said the Senator firmly.

Limpy," said Cecil, aggrievedly.

"Any time. The election has noth-

set about it and we can't worry

I know it isn't flirting. I'm cra-

you call it?'

zy about Limpy."

ing to do with it."

the same time.

gall and wormwood of it. She did,

savagely. "But I'm making every

effort to wait till after the election.'

dear, for liking the child's looks,'

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"You'd think Del was some sort of a heathen," said Aunt Olympia the day after they arrived at Shires. "And I'm not sure but in some ways he is," she added thoughtfully. "Seems to me even a heathen would have the nerve to speak to that worm about his conduct."

"My dear," remonstrated the Senator, "that is one thing that can't be done in any sort of political

"What can't be done?"

"Speaking to your opponent about

his conduct." "Who's talking about your opponent? I'm talking about Cece Dodd. I want you to tell him to keep away

from here. I've got trouble enough." "My dear, he was supposed to stay with us. That's what you hired him | the door. for, wasn't it?"

"Well, I didn't hire him to go calf-eyed over Limpy. You tell him to quit looking at Limpy. Every time I glance up I see him looking at Limpy. It's getting on my nerves. You tell him to stop it."

"My dear," he said in a pained voice, "I can't do that. He isn't a boy, you know. He's doing a good job. You can't tell a man what he's to look at, even if he's working for you. They'd have me up before Wages and Hours in no time."

"Do you see any sense paying a man wages to spend his hours looking at-at an-infant? Is that what | the election." the N. L. R. B. stands for?"

"My dear, you're making too much of this. Limpy is only a child. And a nice child. I like to look at her myself. She's a mere child." "You silly dunce! Don't you know

children aren't what they used to about Limpy and win an election at

Thus frustrated on every hand, Olympia conceived the notion of dropping a few delicate hints herself. She couldn't come right out in the open about it, because she realized that even if Limpy herself felt no personal interest in Cecil, she did enjoy being admired, and open opposition would arouse her and her sisters with her to her own defense. So Olympia decided to be diplomatic.

"Well, Cece," she began pleasantly, when she finally cornered him alone, "what do you think of our girls?"

"I think they're lovely," he said, with a warm smile; maudlin, Olympia called it. "Just lovely, in fact. When I think of poor Len stuck with those brats, I think I struck it pretty

Olympia ground her teeth, but si-

"Isn't Adele beautiful?" she asked, leading him on. "They all are," he said generous-

"Adele's the most beautiful and

you can't deny it," she persisted, doggedly. "I don't agree with you." He light-

ed a cigarette, looking worldly and sophisticated. "Beauty, you know, is entirely a matter of taste."

"It is not!" she said rudely. "It's a matter of complexion and features and hair. And it may interest you to know that all real authorities on beauty-artists and sculptors andreal authorities-say Adele is far and away the most beautiful."

"Oh, perhaps, from their point of view," he conceded. "Personally, I don't agree with them."

"Well, what's wrong with her looks, you silly dunce?" she demanded irritably.

"Nothing. Nothing's wrong with them. Her looks are lovely. But in my opinion, her kind of beauty is-well, it's not natural. It's not spontaneous. It looks artificial, almost theatrical."

Aunt Olympia could hardly believe her ears. She was speechless.

"Now, you take beauty-well, like Limpy's for instance," he said, warming to his subject. "Now Limpy's beauty is honest and clean-cut noisy escort of police. It had been a and straightforward. There's nothing stagy about it. It's just plain, unvarnished, straight-to-the-heart

"Adele's not varnished, either," she said feebly. "I've seen her come straight from her bath. I've watched her make up. I know what I'm talking about." "Oh, probably not," he said in-

differently. "But the effect is the same. It looks made-up. Limpy's different."

'Do you realize," began Olympia, half-choking, "that Limpy is-is-a perfect-infant? A mere child?" "To a man of my age and-gen-

eral experience," he said gently, "there is nothing in the world so beautiful as a brave, glowing little foot down on that. "No, I want them voting public.

Aunt Olympia got up and walked and fresh tonight," she said. "And straight out of the room. She had if Limpy were off with you and Cece to. She was afraid if she remained I wouldn't be able to concentrate. she would choke him with her bare You go, and keep your eye on Cece. hands and that would end the cam- If he gets back here ahead of you. from the platform to assist them to more applause. I'll have him arrested " paign in a hurry.

wiches ready for their refreshment on their return. "I want you to wear your pretti-

est frocks tonight and look your sweetest."

"Our wind-up costumes?" asked Limpy eagerly, for those fetching gowns had been kept under lock and key all summer.

"No; not those. The next-to-pret-

"Is this a special meeting, Auntie?" asked Adele.

"Well, it's apt to be," admitted Aunt Olympia nervously. "And it's my policy to be prepared for anything. You see-very possibly-this may be the night the Senator will be late and they'll call on me for my extemporaneous speech. That's why I ordered these little corsages for all of us. Rosebuds. I prefer orchids but they look too expensive for a campaigner."
"But why do we have to wear

corsages and look nicer than usual? They won't call on us, will they?"

"Oh, no, dears, of course not. But you will have to sit on the platform and look nice and take a bow or two."

"But we always do that!"

"Yes, but when I make my extemporaneous speech we always have extra photographers on hand . . 'Ladies and gentlemen,' " she murmured, working on her chin and smiling urbanely.

At six o'clock, groups began streaming into the park. Microphones had been set up all over the grounds, so that those unable to crowd into the auditorium might sent up to his library and closed hear. At seven, floodlights were turned on, and the band struck up. "We'd better dress now," said

Aunt Olympia. "It's very crowded for four to dress in here," objected Adele. 'Can't we take our bags and dash over to the hotel?"

"No. It's more effective for them to summon us from the trailer; in case they call on us, of course.



"Adele's not varnished either," she said feebly.

You'd better take the full-length mirror, Adele. It doesn't make so much difference about the rest of

Aunt Olympia's words were prophetic. At eight o'clock, after preliminary speeches and introductions, Jim Allen, the state chairman, shouted into the microphone:

'Attention, attention, attention! Ladies and gentlemen! We have just received word that our good friend, Senator Slopshire, has been unavoidably detained at Hardcastle. 'He will not waste a moment getting here, but in the meantime, out here in the trailer just finishing their quiet supper, we have that grand old trouper, Olympia Slopshire, the Senator's wife, and her young nieces. Shall I try to induce Olympia to make a few remarks until the Senator gets here?"

A roar of applause went up. "Jim's probably mentioned trying to induce me," said Olympia, blandly, dusting her face with powder and tucking back a nervous curl. Jim Allen banged on the trailer

door. Olympia opened it. "Mrs. Slopshire, the Senator is unavoidably detained a few minutes. | know he can be trusted; we know past sins, but will cause their pres-Won't you come over and just say howdy to the folks? Just pass away the time till the Senator gets here?"

"Now, Jim, you know I don't know a thing about politics! I leave all that to the Senator!" protested Aunt Olympia.

"Well, they want to see you anyhow. Just hear them cheering over there! You don't have to make a speech— just give them a smile! Come on, Mrs. Slopshire! Come on, kie had better understanding in the Lebanon (v. 5) is strength and sta-

"Don't forget any of those extemporaneous wise-cracks you've been thinking up all summer," whispered Limpy.

"If I do, you can prompt me," said Aunt Olympia, in high good

The auditorium was packed to the door; packed a hundred feet beyond the doors, in fact, there was a rear platform, but Jim Allen forced a one vote he can count on!" way through the crowd to lead his

ladies, God bless them."

mount. Olympia Helen. Adele and

Aunt Olympia made the girls take | Limpy. The applause continued for a brisk walk. She had tea and sandten minutes, while the ladies, looking very pretty, stood bowing, smiling, waving their hands. Limpy, remembering the brats, threw

> Then Jim Allen roared for silence. "Ladies-ladies-and gentlemen!-This lady needs no introduction to you! She's your lady! This is our old friend, Olympia Slopshire! She won't make a speech, she just wants to say howdy!-Your lady, ladies and gentleman, Olympia Slopshire!"

Olympia advanced, smiling, to the rostrum and put her handbag and gloves on it. Then she turned and shook a playful finger at Jim.

"Now, Jim Allen, you only asked me to come and take a bow! You didn't say a word to me about making a speech," she protested gaily. "I can't make a speech; I don't even know how to begin. Especially on politics. I always say one politician in a family is enough. Sometimes I think it is more than enough! Now if you wanted a speech for canning fruit and making preserves, I could talk till election.

politician to call you constituents!" the microphone. "You're not constituents to me! You're just friends, all I know about politics.

"Now because you are only my friends and neighbors, I want you to meet these three dear little children of mine who have made me hands so full this year . . . Girls, come on, stand up! I want them to see what you look like."

The girls tripped up and stood, smiling, grouped about her.

"Now those of you who have families," she went on, "understand that between providing nourishing meals, doing the mending and darning, superintending the laundry, safeguarding the health of my husare mine . . . This is Helen! . . . This is Adele! . . . And this is fellowship. my little Limpy! . . . Stand up on | Come, O sinner, and meet the can sit down now, girls.

impression about my attitude," continued Aunt Olympia with sudden earnestness. "I am interested-just as you are-in every detail, every movement, every law, every national policy, that affects our state and our country. Women are concerned with politics, because all problems that touch the home, the family, the school, the church, the health, are women's problems! What is there that concerns our na- (6:3-7). tion that does not eventually lead straight to our homes, your home and faithful in His dealings with of 35-inch material without nap for and mine? Labor, relief, flood control, wages and hours, taxation, ev- and tenderness if they permit Him en war itself, rearmament, a naval to do so, but if necessary He can policy, the affairs of commerce and also use the rod of punishment or agriculture-all these are powerful the storm of unpleasant circumelectrical currents by which our stances to drive them to Him. Rehomes are made safe and sweet, or member that both the tenderness are destroyed!

"And since by our American sys- sions of His love. tem of government-the most glorious system ever devised! May it as the gentle, reviving rain from never grow less!-since by our sys- heaven (v. 3), but because of their tem, all these delicate problems of government, of justice, of fair play, and of protection, must be worked out through politics, then, yes, I am | breaking down and destroying He is interested in politics! What woman, worthy the name of wife, of mother, could remain uninterested and indifferent to the system by which food, clothing and shelter are provided for | sin. her children, which gives them education, which safeguards them from the ravages of war, which insures the security of their future, and endows them forever with the sacred right of freedom?

"So yes, to that extent, I am interested in politics. Well, now, in this campaign, you may be surprised to know," she said with a light laugh, "that these girls and I are for Senator Slopshire!

Senator!" The girls applauded pret- ready to meet them and to heal all tily. "And why are we for the Sen- of their sins and backslidings. Obator? Because we know him; we serve that not only will He heal their he understands our needs, our probent position to be such that He may lems, and will work day and night. and give his lifeblood if necessary, their future will be one of great for our well-being and the well-be- glory. God is infinitely gracious ing of our friends and neighbors and pours out His love without

-say some dentist or some-gro- turns to Him. cery clerk-or even, say, Brother you and me, my friends, and for our children-why, then I'd come right out and vote for Brother Wiltor. But I also know that Senator

Olympia sat down in a storm of along, but Aunt Olympia had put her smiling contingent right through the applause and was obliged to rise for every Christian, that is, for evand take a dozen or more bows. The ery sinner who will repent and turn "There she is!" "There they are!" girls had to rise and bow, too, and to Him through Christ, and for every "Good evening, Mrs. Slopshire!" the committee had thoughtfully, al backslider who will return to Him "Rah, rah, rah, the ladies!" "The most prophetically, provided great today. bouquets of flowers for every one o' Half a dozen hands reached down them, which were presented with

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IMPROVED" UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL CUNDAY CHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for April 14

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HOSEA TELLS OF GOD'S FORGIVING LOVE

LESSON TEXT—Hosea 6:1-7; 14:4-9.
GOLDEN TEXT—If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteous-

God loves sinners! This is the message of the Bible. God hates sin, but He loves sinners and is on keeping the house, on running eager that they should repent and the family budget, on cheap recipes | receive His forgiveness. God even loves the backslider, the one who has been in fellowship with Him, "Why, I am not even enough of a tasted the joys of the eternal promised land and then turned back to she cried, keeping well in range of the fleshpots of the world. This is the special message of the book of Hosea, for he deals with a backslidold friends and neighbors. That's ing and rebellious Israel, so determined to turn against God's love that they are described in 11:7 (R.

V.) as being "bent on backsliding."
Israel failed to heed God's warning, did not respond to His loving so happy and kept my heart and call, and went on to judgment. May none of us be so foolish and stubborn. God is now calling sinners in love and compassion, doing everything in His power to lead them to repentance and spiritual healing. "Today, if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts" (Ps. 95:7, 8).

I. God Calling Sinners (6:1, 2).

The great loving heart of God longs after wayward men. Though band and these three children, I they have in deliberate unbelief wouldn't have time to meddle in turned from Him, yet He sends His politics if I wanted to. But the messenger to bring them His gragirls mean more to me than poli- cious invitation. No more beautiful tics. That's why I want you to be word can be spoken than "Come." their friend and neighbor, as you It speaks of an open door, of a forgiving spirit, of a desire for renewed

a chair, Limpy! So they can see Saviour. He it is who by both life you!" Limpy was boosted, blushing, and death has revealed the fullness upon a chair, but she rose to it gal- of God's love to you. In Him you lantly and threw more kisses. "You will find entrance into eternal life and joy. He says, "I am the door, "But I would not give you the by me if any man enter in he shall be saved" (John 10:9). Observe also the word "return."

The invitation from God is not only to those who have never known Him. but also to the backslider. How many miserably unhappy backslidden Christians there are in the world! Friend, if you are one of them, this invitation is especially for

II. God's Dealings With Sinners

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With Israel God wanted to come unrepentant attitude (v. 4) He had to come forth as One who hews down and destroys (v. 5). Even in thus only preparing to rebuild. As the surgeon must first hurt in order to heal, God must sometimes cut deeply in order to remove the blight of

These lines will probably be read by many who have wondered at the dealings of God with them. Perhaps they have been inclined to condemn Him as being unkind or severe. Let them be assured that God is love and that back of all of His dealings with men there is His tender purpose to bring them unto Himself for salvation or, for blessing.

III. God Healing Sinners (14:4-9).

When sinners come to Him with Aren't we, girls? Aren't we for the words of repentance (14:1) God is to be.-La Rochefoucauld. "love them freely" (v. 4), and then Now if I thought someone else measure upon the sinner who re-

Verses 5 to 8 give a beautiful pic-Wilkie!-" She was silenced by a ture of God's blessings on the life of roar of boos-"Yes, say even Broth the regenerated man. The lily (v. er Wilkie! If I thought Brother Wil- 5) speaks of stately royal beauty. ways of statesmanship, or more ex- bility, even as the great cedars of perience in the affairs of govern- Lebanon were treasured for their ment, and could do more for us-for strength. The spreading branches (v. 6) tell of expansion and growth. The olive tree (v. 6), the corn and the vine (v. 7), all speak of fruitfulkie. I know Brother Wilkie makes a ness and usefulness. The smell of good preacher and I'd be glad to Lebanon (v. 6) is the smell of cedar have him in our pulpit as my pas- and bespeaks a life so fragrant that it spreads around it the "sweet savor Slopshire is a great statesman and of Christ" (II Cor. 2:15). The everentrance giving easy access to the a cracking good Senator and here's green fir tree (v. 8) speaks of constant freshness and beauty.

God has all these things in mind

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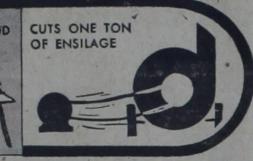












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LARIAT NEWS

the weekend in Dallas at a ginner's bertson. convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Billingsley of son accompanied them to Los Ange- bock, Sunday evening.

with Mrs. Zona Harmon.

have returned from a business trip Sunday evening.

after several days illness of measles. Edd Meeks was a business visitor localities because their former homes Juanita Harmon, of Clovis, spent ta Lariat, Monday.

and relatives. The singing at the Church of home, Sunday.

ding communities, Sunday.

Wednesday evening.

Smith spent Monday evening with states are credited with a greater Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deaton spent the former's mother, Mrs. J. C. Ro- total in contributions.

(Too Late for Last Week) Bakersfield, Calif., departed for their Mr. and Mrs. Oswell Jones attend- the newspaptrs continue to keep home, last Monday. Maxine Robert- ed the singing convention at Lub- their columns open for subscriptions

Mrs. Ernest Smith of the Oklahoma Doug Jenkins, Clarence Meeks, Max- Capt. Lucey concurs and is asking Lane community spent Saturday ine Robertson, Welley Baker, and a these agencies to keep their facilinumber of other young people spent ties open for further contributions. Gordon Harmon and L. D. Rundell a pleasant outing at the Clovis park, "Fnland needs help as badly now

Bryan Smith, an employee of the Ramm and family left Saturday for of thousands of the Finnish people Austin Food Store, is back at work a pleasure trip to Hot Springs, N. M. must seek new homes in different

the weekend here visiting friends Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Jenkins and starting from scratch as their housefamily visited in the C. M. Baker hold effects were destroyed in the

Christ was well attended by surroun- Cecil Robertson and family visited equipment." in Lariat and Farwell, Sunday. Alfred Allison and Brent Deaton Don Bruns, Kenneth Briscoe, Ce- national headquarters in New York, en people whi were fighting against

have returned from a business trip cil Robertson seem to be good chas- the Hoover organization has been overwhelming odds and gave liber-Lou Ellen Billingsley visited with coyote and chased it down. Now the volunteer workers and Mr. Hoover I am proud of Texas and her people Mrs. Dolores Eubanks, of Farwell, problem is what to do with it.

A large cattle truck valued at \$3,-000 burned early Monday morning near Lariat. The fire started from a small leak in the gas tank.

Gordon Harmon, accompanied by L. D. Rundell, left on a business trip to Paulsvalley, Okla., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deaton and Betty are going to spend the next few days in Dallas, attending a ginner's convention.

Mrs. Brather Shelly visited in the Robertson home, Sunday,

Mrs. Lester Vincent and sister, Miss Frances Smith, visited in La riat, Saturday evening

Texas Ranks High in Finnish Relief Fund

DALLAS-Texas contributed \$83,-302.87 to Finnish relief aside from corporation contributions made direct to Herbert Hoover's committee by the home offices of many concerns having branches in this state These figures were released by Capt. J. F. Lucey, Texas Director for the Finnish Relief Fund, this week from his office at Dallas. At the same time Capt. Lucey said the state headquarters and the state organization are being discontinued.

The Texas director was profuse in his compliments of the subscription campaign conducted by Texas newspapers. "If we had not had the marvelous cooperaton of Texas newspapers," Capt. Lucey said, "we never could have got the job done." He also paid his respects to workers at state neadquarters and the local committeemen over the state.

While Texas donations were not the largest, nor did Texas lead the states in number of donations, Capt. Lucey said, yet it was one of the ranking states. Only New York, Illi-Mrs. Don Bruns and Mrs. Bryan nois, California and one or two other

In a recent communication from Herbert Hoover, national director of ihe fund, a request was made that and that local committees continue Mrs. Boone Aflison, Dana Jenkins, their organization. In this request

as ever," Capt. Lucey said. "Rehabi-Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rundell, Mr. litation must be carried on. Hundreds are now a part of Russia. This means war. They are penniless and without



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keep in touch with the New York of- farm. fice. Because of the new setup all donations should be mailed direct to

the national offices in New York. Texas fulfilled her pledge, Capt. Lucey said, in that every cent of the collected funds went 100 per cent to Finnish relief. Expenses of the cam- is arable. paign were taken care of by private donations made by friends of the cause—largely the membership of

"The people of Texas responded magnificnetly," said Capt. Lucey. According to information from "They stepped to the side of a strickers. At least, they surprised a grown skeletonized to a few workers. The ally of their wealth and sympathy. are returning to private life and and am glad to be one of this great family. I cannot say more."

ANCIENT ART

COLLEGE STATION—The ancient art of leather tanning was revived on 380 Texas farms in 1939.

Farmers tanned 185 hides for string leather, 251 for harness, and 141 for rugs and furs, M. K. Thornton, Jr., agricultural chemist of the Texas A. & M. Extension Service

The work was in the nature of a demonstration of the processing

business, although Mr. Hoover will and utilization of leather on the Rabbits are such a nuisance

assessed a monthly fine for not keep-Indians in Canada are minors un- ing their numbers down. der the law.

Babe Ruth played in 2,502 games

Only one-fifth of the area of Greece in his major league baseball carear for a batting average of .3422

New Zealand that landowners

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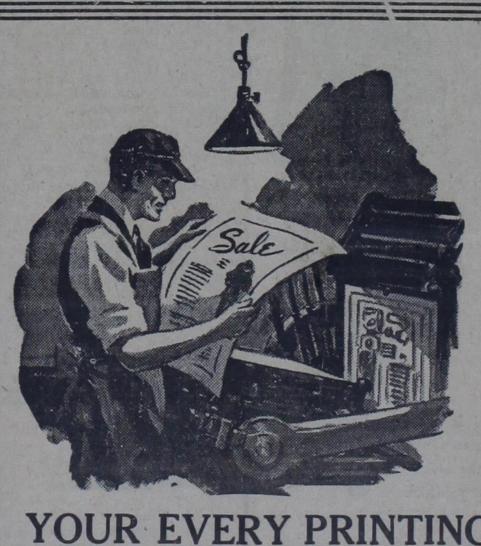


Second from left is Pierce Brooks, President of the Texas Safety Council, being awarded the 1939 plaque for outstanding service in the promotion of safety. Those in the picture are officials and directors of the Council. The award was made in Brooks' Dallas office.

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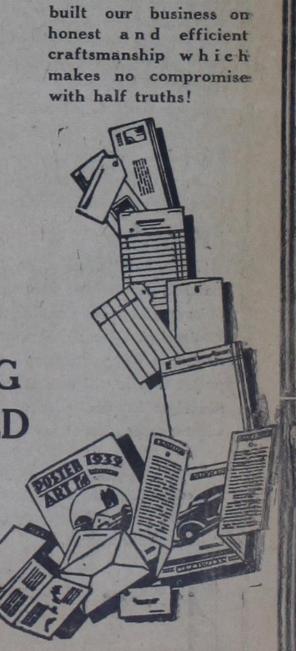


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J. E. McDonald, left, Commissioner of Agriculture, is being presented a plaque by Pierce Brooks, President of the Texas Safety Council. The plaque was awarded by the directors in recognition of Mr. McDonald's work in behalf of safety and the general welfare of the people.

DKLAHOMA LANE blood poisoning in his foot.

Given Stork Shower

Magness, Monday evening. She re- in Clovis, Sunday. ceived many beautiful gifts Ice crean was served as refreshment.

Seth Rollins, Billie Sudderth. Genewa Henson, Banks, E. W. Harper, W. Hardage, Alton Berry, Earl Bil- list this week, but is some better. lingsley, C. Christian, Sam Billings-Summers, Willis Magness, C. E. Foster, J. O. Nix, M. Magness, Herman Henson, Clyde Perkins, Edd McGuire son, of Tahoka, Texas, were visitors church. Leon Billingsley, Robert Rundell, J. T. Hanna, Jim Billingsley, J. R. J. R. Caldwell and family, Caldwell, G. W. Atchley, Tom Foster, Ellis R. Barry, G. A. Harper, Tom

Those sending gifts were: Mmes a head. Ernest Smith, E. A. Hromas, G. W. Atchley, Julia Hillock, John Keiffer, Alta Roberson, Loren West, and Cecil Roberson.

Mrs. Levi Johnson is getting along one. Visitors at her home. Sunday, were: Mrs. Tom Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hubbel, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gennings, Mrs. Muggs Magness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Young and son, Denzil, left for Hot Springs, N. M., where they are taking the hot baths and are reported doing fine.

A. B. Wilkerson was reported to be on the sick list this week, with

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Mrs. Bill Hanna was given a stork Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hubbeil and evening. shower in the home of Mrs. Clyde Wilfoul Johnson attended the show | Hershel Mangham of Denton, Tex-

Mr. and Mrs. S. H Sides, W. J ney, at this time. Sides and Mrs. Ellis R Barry were Mr. and Mrs. James Watkins were Levi Johnson home in the Oklahoma Those present were. Mmes. Bill shopping in Amarillo on Friday Friona visitors, Wednesday evening Lane community, Saturday after-Hanna, Claude Watkins, J. M. Pruitt Went up to attend the ball game | Jess F. Vestal and son, Pete, were noon. Anna Bell Hillock, H. C. Henson, but the bad weather cut the game business visitors in Clovis, Saurday

Mrs. W. E. Verner is on the sick Revival Meetings Held

ley, Janie Sides. John West, Charlie the Okla. Lane demonstration club, ing at the Methodist church, by Rev Thursday at 2:30.

over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.

Levy, Will Foster, Vasti Fowler, hamshire, England, provide hot mid- tives in Fort Sumner, N. M., Sunday, Joe W. Magness, and Clyde Marness day meals to students at four cents Mrs. D. H. Wilkerson and small of the latter, Saturday evening. The

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Bovina Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Vassey, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, lant, of Odell, Texas, visited in the Marvin Hambrick home, home of Mr. and Mis. Lawrence Starr the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison, who have been attending business in Griffith and Ray Davies are fishing Duncan, Okla., returned home Wed- in Hot Springs, N. M., at this time.

Mrs. Claude Barker of Texico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Eual Hart, Wednesday.

Mn and Mrs. R. F. Lloyd and Dollie Morris, of Hereford, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lloyd, Sunday. sitors in Clovis, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crook made The singing class will meet with a business trip to Clovis, Saturday. King were Friona visitors, Saturday

as, is visiting his cousin, Joe McKin-

Two revival meetings are being There will be a called meeting of conducted here at this time, one be-Peterson of Lubbock, the other be-Mr. and Mrs. Eedford Caldwell and ing at the Pentecostal Holiness

(Too Late for Last Week) Mr. and Mrs. Pete Queen and Elementary schools of Bucking- daughter, Doris Ann, visited reladaughter visited her sister, Mrs. N. evening was spent playing "42" Brand, in Farvell, last weekend

> Mrs. Lillie Rhodes and son, Lyn don, were Clovis visitors, Saturday

> Wentworth's funeral. his daughter, Wilma Dee Ivy, here. Saturday.

> Friona, spent the weekend with Wanda Womack.

Mrs. Mary McGee and Mrs. Jess

in the Jess Vestal home. to make their home on a farm south- friends in Oklahoma.

Imogene and Murlene Horton, Lil- of measles. Thursday evening.

companied her to Lubbock and end. spent the weekend.

his mother, Mrs. H. T. Hastings and bock, Friday and Saturday. family, over the weekend.

ed to business in Friona, Friday. Lovejoy Raburn, of Texico, visited friends here, Saturday afternoon.

Chester Watkins and son, Bill, of Farwell, transacted business here Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Harold Turner and Mrs. El-

don Ward visited in Clovis, Thursday, with Mrs. Byron Turner. Otis White and William Hastings made a business trip to northern

New Mexico, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vestal spent the weekend in Colorado City, Tex.

Bertrum Gunn, of Amarillo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gunn, the past weekend. Among the Friona visitors Satur-

day evening were: Earl Black, Imogene Horton, Herbert Gaines, Aurora Pesch, Joe McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Mrs. John Stagner, Mrs. Maud Trimble, Murlene Horton

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and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lovelady. Several local people attended the Stamps-Baxter quartet's concert at Oklahoma Lane, Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rury of Fri-

cna, were visitors here, Sunday. Earl Eates, of Clovis, was a visi-

tor in Bovina, Saturday. Margaret Barron of Amarillo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Barron, the past weekend.

Mrs. Leon Mayes and Mrs. Luke Tal- of Farwell, spent Sunday in the

Edmon Vaughn, of Friona, was a Bovina visitor, Sunday.

Joe Langer, Fred Langer, Tom George McKinney made a business trip to Tolar, N. M., Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Goodnight was confined to her bed most of last week. due to illness.

A new building is being construc-Mr. and Mrs. Bud Queen were vi- ted by C. R. Elliott. Bill King is also erecting a new home beside his present dwelling.

Lloyd McWhirter made a business trip to Lubbock, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crook were Clovis visitors, Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Free visited relatives in Friona, Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Goodnight and Mrs. Lillie Rhodes visited in the

Mrs. Frank Ayres was a business visitor in Clovis, Tuesday afternoon. W. J. Parker received medical treatment in Farwell, Monday.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wilkison was a visitor in Bovina, Saturday. Jess Vestal made a business trip to Amarillo, Saturday.

Sruprise Birthday Party

W. J. Parker and Lee Osborne were pleasantly surprised with a birthday party given in the home

Refreshments of fruit salad, cake, and coffee were served to: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kembell, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Wheeler and Holland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Queen were in ker and Jacquetta, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mel Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Par-J. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Doc Ivy of Portales, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Osborne and daughter,

Lakeview

Mrs. Travis Henson and baby son, Vestal were Clovis shoppers, Monday, of California, visited a few days last Burlin Houlette left for his home week in the J. D. Henson home, beat Denver City, Texas. He had been fore leaving Saturday for Norman. employed here, and was also visiting Okla., to visit her parents. She was accompanied from here by Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neil West- Mrs. Fred Dennis and small son, moreland, of Central Texas, are here who will also visit relatives and

Leon Harper and J. C. Mears have Mrs. Joe Langer, Marie Langer, been absent from school on account Given Shower

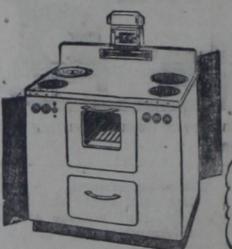
lian Venable, Lilvus Rhodes and Her- Mrs. Pearl Hand, Irene, John, Mr. bors met in the new home of Mr. and Robason and children, Patsy, Lila bert Gaines were Friona visitors, and Mrs. Monk Hand and baby, and Mrs. Dudley Robason, April 1, sur- Wanda, D. O. and Jimmy. Johnny Hand left early Friday morn- prising them with an "April Foo!" at their old home in Oklahoma.

Dean Hastings of Clovis, visited Dorothy Sue were visitors in Lub-Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pittman, Jo some of them uninhabited.

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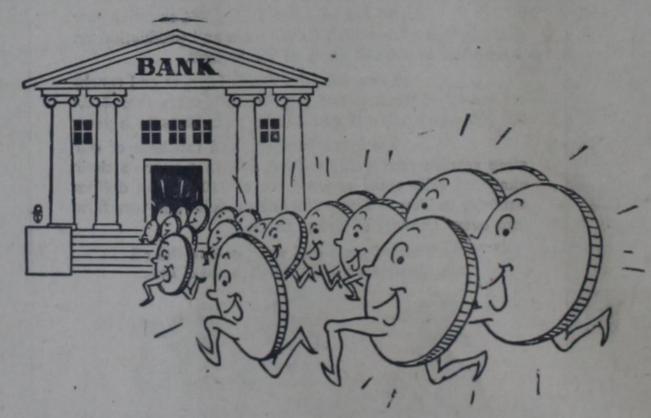
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Mrs. Edward Massey, and the host A number of friends and neigh- and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Refreshments of cake and lemonade families in New Mexico. home in Lubbock, Saturday. She had yon, Saturday, bringing back Misses Cummings, Doyle and Dorothy Sue; supper at the Lakeview school house, been visiting Bob Johnstons, who ac- Delitha and Lillie to spend the week- Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and baby Friday night, April 26, at 8 o'clock. son, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Habbinga. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Bev Buchanan and The Bahama islands number 20, Nell and Judy Beth; Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs James Watkins received me ing to spend the weekend visiting bathroom shower. The evening was Miss Elmina Crow spent last week dical treatment in Clovis, Wednes- relatives and attending to business spent in playing "42" and visiting her brother and sister and

Mrs. Saumault returned to her Everette Sparkman went to Can- were served to: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. You are invited to come to the pie

H. A. Melton and Seth Rollins C. A. Guinn and John Charles, Mr. | Christmas tree ornamentation is Jess Vestal and son, Pete, attend- went to Amarillo, last Friday, for the and Mrs. Seth Rollins, Miss Wana said to date back to the time when Vestal, Mrs. Mary Durstine, Mr. and honors were paid to Odin's sacred fir.



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Government Ownership of Land Creates Serious Taxing Problem

Revenue Formerly Collected From Private Property Now Unavailable to Local Units Because of Extensive Federal Holdings.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON. - Through some six weeks, the house committee on military affairs has been holding earings on a question that is vital the entire nation, but yet it has racted little attention outside of areas directly concerned. The

r oblem is one of taxes which six outhern states are not collecting. That is, taxes which they used to collect from private property but are not available to those states now because the federal government has taken over the property.

To be more specific, these taxes once were a fine source of revenue for running the state and county and city governments and the schools and the policing and the building of highways and such like in the states of Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky, North Carolina, Mississippi and Georgia. But along came the idealism of Sen. George Norris of Nebraska, who wanted the government to drive out all private ownership of electric power, and along came TVA, the Tennessee Valley authority that has grown like stomach ulcers within the economic body of the southland. When it came, it took over millions upon millions of taxed by the state and local governments. So, after some seven or eight years, the governments of those states and cities and counties want money with which to pay the cost of legitimate government.

The original TVA laws provided that this gigantic government-owned octopus should contribute to those state governments-certain sums in lieu of taxes, but this was directed only in the case of Tennessee and Alabama. The others were not mentioned. Those states were to receive 5 per cent of the gross proceeds of the sale of power by TVA. As stated, the money was to be paid | ing to the house of representatives to the state governments, alone. or the cities or smaller towns that must have tax revenue upon which

Operation of TVA Program Would Set Basic Power Rates

But the omission of the counties in Alabama and Tennessee was only one phase of the trouble that was to come. You see, the TVA boys and the dreams of the government-ownership crowd wanted to expand the functions and the capacity and the scope of TVA. It was to be, in the words of President Roosevelt, a great yardstick by which the country was to be able to measure the cost of electric power. From the TVA were to come basic rates by which you and I were to know whether private electric companies were charging you and me and the rest of us too much for lighting our

So, it was only natural that the TVA and its backers soon were promoting something bigger and better in the way of its operations. Like some dread disease, the pressure of TVA on privately owned power companies became too heavy to bear, and they were swallowed up. In one gulp, for instance, the government-owned TVA took over the vast properties of the Tennessee Electric Power company for \$100,-000,000. I understand that TVA got quite a bargain, but the sale of the property to TVA was no bargain for the taxpayers in the areas it served and, moreover, it was a terrible blow to the state and county and city governments in those regions. They had been receiving vast sums each year as taxes on these properties. In one scratch of a pen, the TVA almost put the local governments on relief, for all of the millions of taxable property became non-taxable when the federal agency-the TVA-took title to the prop-

The government ownership crowd which is driving hard now for government ownership of a lot of other things were as happy as a kid with a new toy train. But like that same youngster, they did not stop to figure out just where their train was going. Certainly, the honeyedwords of the TVA promoters in the southland did not disclose to the taxpayers of those areas what the deal was going to cost them, ulti-

Taxable Property Reduced In Areas Served by TVA

It took several years of operation, actual practical experience, for those taxpayers and the officials of

LOST TAX DOLLARS

Government ownership of land in six southern states is causing a serious tax situation for state, county and local taxing bodies, according to this article by William Bruckart, Washington correspondent. Taxes formerly collected from private property (now owned by the federal government) are now unavailable. Congress is at the present considsidering remedial legislation.

their state and county and city governments to get hold of the horrible facts that are now being facedthe same facts that have brought scores of officials and others before the house committee on military affairs, seeking relief.

The cold facts are that scores of those counties in the six states mentioned have had their taxable property so reduced in quantity by the continued expansion of TVA that they are almost undergoing tax starvation. The committee record is replete with testimony showing tax rate increases in almost every area served by TVA, and evidence of expectation of further tax increases. It is a simple statement, in most instances. The witnesses - governors, county judges, mayors, spokesmen for groups of citizens-told almost identical stories. TVA had taken over so much taxable property that there was nothing left to tax for use of those local governments. The governments had to have running expenses. Thus, the tax rates were increased.

Members of the committee on military affairs are quite well aware of the job that confronts them in trying to write legislation that will solve the tax problem for the various areas. The states want the dollars of property that had been money paid to them; the counties want a share paid direct to them, and the cities are squealing, too.

But there is much more to the problem than just the TVA area. You see, the government ownership gang has fought for and brought about construction of scores of other publicly owned dams and power projects. On the West coast, in the inter-mountain area, in Nebraska, where Senator Norris lives, in the eastern and southern sections-exactly the same tax problem confronts those taxpayers or will come up to haunt them, soon. Whatever the committee does, it is presenta precedent-making legislative prooosal. No one can envision its far reaching possibilities.

Legislation Will Provide Compensation for Tax Losses

There will be a bill of some kind, undoubtedly, that will provide that TVA pay more money to the regions where it operates. They ought to have it. But the thing that makes my blood boil is that the people of those areas have been lied to and propagandized so thoroughly that they were not able to understand how a scheming group was selling them down the river. That is, they did not see it until too late.

Right now, they are in the position where they cannot run their thumbing his nose at the Ickes list own affairs. They must come to congress and beg on bended knee | pected that Cong. Lee E. Guyer will for help which they ought to be able to give themselves from their own resources which are their own no longer. They have surrendered again to the federal government which, in the nature of things, is planation of their own wishes.

There was included in the committee a set of figures which I am going to list here. The figures show that 441 of the principal, privately owned power and light companies paid \$317,742,200 in taxes in 1939. This tax, the record showed, amounted to 15.5 per cent of the total revenue of those companies.

Here are the amounts, by states, that these companies paid: Maine, \$2,189,000; New Hampshire, \$2,484,-300; Vermont, \$1,226,500; Massachusetts, \$17,017,400; Rhode Island, \$1,-824,200; Connecticut, \$5,324,000; New York, \$61,996,900; New Jersey, \$17,-494,900; Pennsylvania, \$25,002,100; Ohio, \$16,960,200; Indiana, \$7,988,-100; Illinois, \$26,422,000; Michigan, \$10,624,000; Wisconsin, \$8,817,000; Minnesota, \$4,904,700; Iowa, \$1,892, 900; Missouri, \$5,859,900; North Dakota, \$721,400; South Dakota, \$509,-500; Nebraska, \$1,731,600; Kansas, \$1,862,700; Delaware, Maryland and District of Columbia, \$7,120,500; Virginia, \$3,152,200; West Virginia, \$4,-294,200: North and South Carolina. \$8,971,000; Georgia, \$2,392,800; Florida, \$2,461,000; Kentucky, \$3,093,200; Tennessee, \$4,374,400; Alabama, \$3,-734,800; Mississippi, \$1,212,600; Arkansas, \$1,353,500; Louisiana, \$3,as, \$8,237,300; Montana, \$2,009,900;

557,300; Oklahoma, \$3,311,000; Tex-Idaho and Utah, \$3,383,500; Wyoming, \$263,100; Colorado, \$2,419,300; New Mexico, \$154,800; Arizona, \$678,300; Nevada, \$285,200; Washington, \$3,850,900; Oregon, \$3,443,800; California, \$21,134,000.

Study of these tax payments (and they do not represent all of the privately owned companies that are eventually be able to deal with any paying taxes) ought to show even the most stupid person that gradual expansion of government ownership means the slow but sure destruction of another source of funds for time. With uncertainty over the outpaying the cost of government. And come of this war and the final line- lines burns at Baltimore, but it was Intercollegiate Flying club, \$300. this slow destruction is taking place at a time when every government when every government at a time when every government when every government at a time when every government when every government at a time when every government when every government at a time when every government unit from the small village to the pan—a two-ocean problem is a pos- and his fleet is expanding. He came of Flying." Judges of the contest state and federal governments are in debt up to their necks and the within the time-limits involved. here last October, from a Nazi jail, where a tangle over the mysterious Trust-busting Assistant Attorney taxpayers are being bled white by There undoubtedly is, therefore, a blocked marks had landed him. At General Thurman Arnold is writing current taxation methods.



Several letters have come in asking: "How about reports of Mr. Ickes' highly successful peace mission in California?"

I didn't know. It seems a marvel to me, but I have no leg-man who legs that far and later press reports have been scant and inconclusive. However, a volunteer scout has just air-mailed me the following French cabinet, and successor to which is better than I could do-so Premier Daladier, put through the quote it almost verbatim:

Your sparring partner, 'Donald Premier Desires Duck" Ickes has had little luck in British-French playing the pigeon of peace in the Monetary Union Democratic dovecote in California.



SECRETARY ICKES—"'Donald Duck' has had little luck in playing the pigeon of peace . . ."

cessful, that the liberals and the together like Isaiah's lamb and lion. "Ickes departed. The fog lifted.

fall from discontented doves. Manchester Boddy, Los Angeles publisher, was the first to have himself included out. Too much Washington influence, declared the liberal Angeleno. J. Frank Burke, California radio station owner and political commentator, who was the governor's campaign manager, was the next to go. C. I. O. and Workers' Alliance members next prevailed upon California's lieutenant governor, Elli E. Patterson, to get off the 'harmony ticket.'

"Popular Patterson is now heading a slate of his own and the ticket could not have been redder if the names were illuminated with crimson neon. With Patterson now of harmony loving lads, it is exbe the next to take a walk. (He has already done so since this was written.) Finally, word had come from McAdoo himself. 'I'm out of politics and am unwilling to re-enter.'

"The self-elimination of McAdoo New Arms Plants very difficult for them to reach for from the Olson-McAdoo slate now Are Being Built expression of their needs and an ex- leaves the ticket headed by Governor Olson and Olson is headed for political oblivion what with a recall staring him in the face: more than 200,000 signatures of the necessary 300,000 have been secured on recall petitions demanding a new gubernatorial election. With leading Democrats and Republicans secretly backing the movement, the election will be coming along-about July.

"In other words, the old quackwack-Ickie, has waddled himself into about the worst situation imag- the land of the pampas. inable. He has left at the head of his Roosevelt-for-third-term-ticket a governor whom more than 200,000 registered voters have expressed a desire to yank out of office before his term expires.

"As if that were not enough, two million ham and eggers, seeing a chance for more nationwide attention, have entered their own slate to contest the nomination.

"When Horrendous Harold first came to California, there was a possibility of only two slates, the Garner delegation and the proposed Roosevelt ticket. Now there are four: Garner, Olson, Patterson and ham and eggs."

'LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE'

Unless the country becomes more alert, congress is going to cut the heart out of the appropriations to modernize the army. That could result in national tragedy, but the derella and little Orphan Annie in our house. The navy gets what it

On present plans, our navy will possible combination of naval enemy powers in either the Pacific or Atlantic, but not against any possible combination in both at the same | Nazi line. A freighter of the Ameriof defense.



WHO'S **NEWS** THIS

By LEMUEL F. PARTON (Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

JEW YORK. - Paul Reynaud, who was asked to form a new French - British monetary and economic accord of last

December, 'High in the fog, at the Mark and, even before the start of the Hopkins hotel on Nob hill, he gath- war was an advocate of a close ered the lads together, the Olsonites financial union between the two and the McAdoodles. Much to ev- countries as the first bulwark of eryone's surprise-it was announced their joint defense. For several that the waddling one had been suc- years, he has been studying English finance and history, insisting that both nations must abandon their old plan of remaining apart in the matter of monetary and economic relationships.

He is a lawyer, financier and economist, minister of finance since October, 1938. In the chamber of deputies, he represents a "big business" section of Paris and has contended vigorously against "governmental meddling in business." In 1935 and 1936 he made a courageous fight for the devaluation of the franc, an issue which is always loaded in France and always sidestepped by more cautious politicians. His business sagacity was demonstrated in the summer of 1929, when he warned all and sundry that a big smash was coming, and withdrew all of his securities from the mar-

He is as direct, decisive and fiery as Daladier is ponderous and meditative, and for many years has been making prophecies more gloomy than cassandra's foredoom of Troy, as he urged France to prepare for conservatives had agreed to lie down the worst. He parts his hair in the middle, strings with the Alliance Democratique, a center group, and supply the insurance company with The fun began. Feathers began to has never been classified as either right or left. He is said to be "too intelligent to be liked," and does not seem to mind. He is small and alert, only slightly gray at 60, carefully groomed and the master of a verbal short jab which seldom invites a return engagement for anyone inclined to mix with him.

> He was a holdout on Laval's deal to give Mussolini a green light in Ethiopia and in this connection warned France that it had better be looking to its empire. In politics since 1919, in the chamber since 1928, he was previously minister of finance in Tardieu's cabinet. He comes of a family high in the mountains of Barcelonnette, of a clan which has extensive holdings in several foreign countries, including Mexico.

> B UILDING more stately mansions for his soul, Fritz Mandl, the Austrian munitioneer, runner-up for Zaharoff, was interrupted by Adolf Hitler. In a New York municipal court, an Aus-By Fritz Mandl trian archi-

tect sues Mr. Mandl for payment for designs for a new wing on his Alpine castle, when he was married to Hedy Lamarr, the screen star, now the wife of Gene Markey, Hollywood producer. The castle and the plans were a war casualty, but Mr. Mandl is sitting pretty in Argentina, the hidalgo of a great estate, and getting a fast running start with new steel and munitions plants in

He fooled Hitler. His great arms plants, including the Hirtenberg plant, were supposed to be worth about \$60,000,000. That was a nice, fat grouse for the Nazi nimrod, but when Der Fuehrer moved in, he found the great plants just a hollow shell, the securities long since liquidated and Mr. Mandl at a safe nose-thumbing distance with his former fortune remaining more or less intact.

Now 40 years old, round-faced and merry, he was a playboy in his youth, but stayed on the job in his later years. The munitions works were a family holding, founded by his grandfather, Sigmund, and expanded by his father, Alexander. He was an associate of the fallen Prince Ernst Ruediger von Starhemberg in the Vienna putsch of 1934-not at all interested in politiarmy is a sort of combination Cin- cal ideologies, and smarter than the prince in both making a get-away from Hitler and from Germany as asks for. The army takes what it | well as being able to save his for-

> TOT a refugee fortune, but the makings of a new one appears in the operations of Arnold Bernstein, who also found a hole in the gets a new start



FAIR WEATHER FRIENDS

The congressional hullabaloo over the census questionnaire was a sad disillusionment to census bureau officials, many of them career Republicans.

When the questionnaire was being flowers. So the breeder encloses drafted last year, Secretary Hopkins called a conference of business, labor and statistical experts, including Dr. Louis Dublin of Metropolitan Life; Gen. Robert E. Wood of Sears, Roebuck; Noel Sargeant, secretary of the Manufacturers association; and Dr. Stacy May of the Rockefeller foundation.

Among the questions discussed were those regarding income, now the cause of congressional uproar, and the conference went on record as endorsing them. "Satisfaction was expressed, particularly with the inquiries relating to migration, employment, unemployment and economic status," the statement said. Later, the National Bureau of Economic Research, among others, did

the census bureau needed friends,

ness census in Jan-

Wood

uary, requested that its letter be kept confidential. Note - Because of its secrecy rules, the census bureau cannot make public the name of a Texas business man for whom its January census saved a large sum of money. Shortly after the census his establishment burned and all his records were destroyed. He asked the bureau for a copy of his questionnaire and as a result was able to a comprehensive inventory on which o base his recovery claims.

A. F. of L. Peace.

There was a lot of hidden significance in that statement of John P. Coyne, head of the A. F. of L. building trades department, urging his unions to agree to a flat \$9 to \$10 a day wage on small home con-

Behind the scenes the A. F. of L. is trying to make peace with the justice department on its anti-trust prosecutions of a number of big-shot A. F. of L. moguls.

Despite the blasts of some of the leaders, the inside fact is that the rank-and-file are strongly behind the justice department. It has received hundreds of letters from A. F. of L. unions and individual members voicing approval of the prosecutions, and some of the central labor councils have asked the department to come to their cities and launch grand jury proceedings against local A. F. of L. chiefs.

This undercover support extends right up into the A. F. of L. executive council. It's an A. F. of L. secret that an effort was made at the meeting of the council in Washington last December, and again in Miami in February, to pass resolutions denouncing the justice department, but both times they were turned down.

Chief obstacle to an agreement with the government is William Hutcheson, aged czar of the carpenters, who is under three indictments.

Hull on Hull.

Is Cordell Hull a candidate for President?

Newsmen have asked the secretary of state this question so often that it has become a standing joke. Hull always has the same answer, something like the President's "Go put on the dunce cap."

Hull says, "I will ask Mr. Fitzmaurice to give you a statement on that." And he smiles a thin

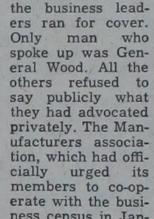
Walter Fitzmaurice is a newsman who first tried to smoke out Hull on his plans. Failing to get a direct answer, he got from a source close to Hull a statement that he was more interested in his trade agreements program than anything else in the world, and would give no encouragement to any movement to make him a candidate.

Fitzmaurice wrote the story and it has become the standard reference on the subject. Once a week, someone raises the question in Hull's press conference, but the old hands know what the answer will be.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Few know that Civil Aeronautics Chairman Robert Hinckley, to promote interest in aviation among students, offered three prizes at the canized Arnold Bernstein shipping last annual meeting of the National possible great gap in our first line 51, a tall, pale, thoughtful man, he a book on the history of the Sherman Anti-Trust law.

But when the shooting started and the business lead-



General



Lowly Maggot an Aid

flower breeding.

'selfing."

crop of seed.

To Flower Breeders

USE of the loathsome maggot in the development of more

lovely flowers for the gardeners

of the world constitutes a littleknown phase of the science of

Often in his work the flower

breeder obtains outstanding, sin-

gle-plant specimens which give

promise of becoming sensational,

new flower creations. This re-

markable plant individual must be

protected from contamination

(cross-pollination) by neighbor

it, as it grows, in a muslin cage.

erly and produce seed, however,

its flowers must be pollinated, but

only with the pollen grains of that

plant itself. Scientists call this

caged plants on a flower breeding

plot would be long, tedious work,

so Gordon Morrison, Ferry-Morse

Seed Station hybridist, enlists the

aid of the maggot. It is the mag-

got of the objectionable blowfly,

moreover. Blowfly maggots in

the pupae stage are placed in the

flower cage, subsequently matur-

ing into flies. The insects are ex-

tremely active and they fly from

flower to flower on the caged

plant, doing an excellent job of

spreading pollen from one blos-

som to another. The plant then

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Farwell Boys Attend Contests at Lubbock

T. A. McCuistion, accompanied by nine members of the Farwell vocational agriculture department, spent Baturday of last week in Lubbock, ittending the combined Area 1 and 2 judging contests, which were entered by the local F. F. A. chapter.

farm shop team, composed of W. H. invited to attend. was third high in terracing.

cond, Lazbuddy third, and Farwell sults. wurth.

test, in a group of 56 teams, but dic commercial feeding in this county." Ledbetter, Pearl Martin. not place in the top five:

, the week.

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The State Line Tribune Ag Boys Win Places In State Contests

Returning home Sunday from the tate F. F. A. judging centests held ranking in the shop contest.

Richards stated that there were were given recognition, he added.

On the trip were: Paul Grant, El- thenselves, he added. Richards.

Demonstration to be Given on Feeding

County Agent Jason O. Gordon stated the first of this week that a held at Texas Tech, in Lubbock, on dents were listed on the honor roll at deducted from the payments. Highest ranking taken by the lo- in feeding out beef and sheep for of the past six weeks' work, accordcals was the fourth place given the commercial purposes are cordially ing to Supt. L. A. Hartley, who gave vide farmers with a return for their cheaply established, and the results Spurlin.

Cleve Dixon. Shanks was second high ted by W. L. Stangel, head of the Reeves, Wanda Pearce, individual in soldering, while Dixon animal husbandry department at Thompson, Geraldine Thomas. Tech, and promises to be of great in- Juniors: Dorothy Mae Dixon, Mary people. Of interest to the locals was the terest to feeders. Various types of ra- Jo North. fact that out of the 13 teams entered tions have been fed different ani- Sephomores: Murray White, Doroin the shop contest, three of the high mals at Tech, and those visiting the thy Paul, Kenneth Miller, Lila Boss. placements went to Parmer county, inspection tour will be given an op- Freshmen: Bettie Lee Williams, Friona taking first, Floydada se- portunity to judge the separate re- Pearl Martin. Aileen Ledbetter, Billie

"Parmer county is an ideal center The following were listed on that The crop judging team, composed for feeding purposes," Agent Gordon perfect attendance record: of Jack Dunn, Glenn Hightower Jr., said, "due to the fact that we have Seniors: Nettie Bell Martin, Gerand Paul Cranmer also competed an abundance of feed in this sec- aldine Thomas. against 25 other teams, but did not tion. We are hoping that sufficient, Junior: Frieda Martin. place in the first five. Scott Billings- men will become interested in mar- Sophomores: Dorothy Paul, Edna lev. Charles Holland and Earl Lut- keting their surplus grain through Earle Thompson. trell entered the poultry judging con livestock to start a movement for Freshmen: Aileen Ledbetter, Dors

Agent Gordon and Thos. G. Moore, More than 100 schools were repre- Farm Security supervisor, have alsented at the meet, with a total of ready made plans to go to Lubbock. 957 boys competing in the various and it is urged that a large number County Agent Jason O. Gordon dido, California, after receiving word contests. McCuistion said the first of of Parmer county men likewise plan and Home Demonstrator Ruth Boyd on Thursday of the death of Gene

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"It is also commendable to note," ton Vaughn, Walter Baldock. Kenneth Miller, Jack and Leonard Flye, the agent remarked, "that a large Murray White, Chester Rierson, Tru- number of breeders over the county luction of feeder calves."

Texico High School

feeding demonstration was to be A total of fifteen high school stu-Friday, at which time men interested the Texico school at the conclusion the names as follows:

Shanks, J. C. Hughes, and Jim The demonstration will be conducted Senions; J. D. Thompson, Lillian as possible and thus to place the farther the trouble.

Nell Thompson.

TO DISTRICT MEETING

and K. J. Edwards, district agents. to return home

Wheat Parity Checks Begin Month Earlier

Around 25 calves are to be fed out | COLLEGE STATION - Running program.

some 46 teams represented at Cru- on feeder projects in view to learn- into the state office was Fisher ces, with over 400 boys and their ing to judge for themselves an "ultra-county, closely followed by Nolan. sponsors present. The local boys also finished animal," the agent said. Va- The applications were audited, certi- trees are found to be growing in postmaster, good housekeeper, two took in the banquet Friday night and rious rations will be fed, with the fied and sent to the General Ac-spots where water has collected into boys, 9 and 11, wants housekeeping results next spring speaking for counting Office in Dallas from pools long enough to sink into the anywhere. Reference. Mrs. M. Walkto the counties.

All wheat parity payments should itt Goss, J. C. Boone, and Stewart are willing to cooperate with the be completed by June 1, B. F. Vance, boys, in offering their herds for se- assistant state administrator, predicted. In Texas approximately 50,000 checks, amounting to \$3,500,000, will be paid to wheat producers cooper- and small lakes in Curry County this ating with the program. The payments are computed at the rate of Honor Roll Given 10 cents per bushel of the normal yield of a farm. Premiums on 1940 trees. These trees will later be very M-M salesman, Farwell. crop insurance contracts have been

crop as nearly equal to parity price obtained will be many times worth mers' income on a more equal footing with the incomes of non-farm add to the range, they will also pro- Mrs. Martin Kriegel, Lariat, Tex-

TO ATTEND PRESS MEET

and daughter, Miss Abie, will be in value in controlling insects, particu-Amarillo Friday and Saturday of this larly grasshoppers. This is particuweek attending the 31st annual larly true during winter months, establish such areas, in locating the meeting of the Panhandle Press As- when the various birds which live in sociation, which convenes at the Her- the county can be seen opening the proper planting material for the ring Hotel at 10 a. m. Friday mor- pods on grasshopper egg beds, eat- most favorable bird cover. nig. This year's program promises to ing the eggs, and destroying many be one of the most interesting in the young. history of the association.

BROTHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cain, of Texico, departed the past Friday for Escento be on hand at the demonstration, were visitors in Lubbock, Saturday Gallagher, brother of Mrs. Cain, of of last week, attending the distric that city. Details of his death and bumeeting of such workers, which was rial were not available here. It was presided over by Miss Lida Cooper not learned when the Cains planned

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CLOVIS-Farmers and ranchers last weekend at Las Cruces. N. M. by 4-H club boys over the county nearly a month ahead of last year's throughout the High Plains have Stewart Richards and his Texico ag during the current year. County schedule, the state AAA office al- been able to raise trees for years boys proudly claimed second place in Agent Jason O. Gordon said today, ready has certified the first wheat when they have been planted in spots the crop judging, along with ninth following a survey of the various parity payments under the 1940 where water stands after rainfall. In traveling through the High Plains The boys are being urged to take First county to get applications Area, many old, successful tree plantings can be seen in which the trees are large and thrifty. Usually these LADY, forty, former merchant and which point the checks will be mailed soil, later to be used by the tree er, Tuskahoma, Okla, roots. Most tree roots will renetrate deeply into the soil to obtain this FOR SERVICE-Registered Spotted moisture. This means that successful trees can be grown where such mois- house, Farwell. ture is stored.

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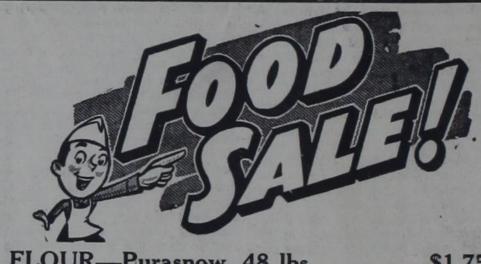
sites, and securing information as to

John Wesley founder of Methodism The Curry County Game Protec- made it a practice to rise at 4 o'clock tive Association is assisting in this, in the morning. In late life he reand will cooperate with and assist marked that he had risen at that

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trip to Dimmitt last Friday.

Wednesday.

and son-in-law for some time.

son were visitors in Amarillo, Friday been spending the winter. and Saturday of last week.

and W. S. McDaniel were Bovina visitors, Monday evening.

received medical treatment in Farwell, the past Thursday.

ing at Alamogordo dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Knight, of BANQUET DATE SET Mrs. V. F. Miller, near Texico.

Mrs. J. A. Floyd returned home Tuesday from Los Angeles, Califor- GIVE ASSEMBLY PROGRAM son, R. B., the past few weeks.

Miss Lida Cooper, district home led to attend. demonstration agent, was a business visitor in the office of Miss Ruth ATTENDS AMARILLO SOCIAL Boyd, Parmer demonstrator, Tues-

being a visit from the Grand Master held in the Amarillo Hotel. She re- Miss Alice Mae McCoy presiding. of the Texas Lodges.

rillo, Sunday, visiting his family, and White and Loyce Hammonds. during the day, Mr. and Mrs. Neelley and Marilyn were in Plainview, Tex- HOME FROM CALIFORNIA four-year-old son.

anniversary.

during the month of April.

na, moved to Santa Fe, N. M., this ther some time in the future. week, where both of them have em-Willis Magness and J. H. Martin ployment. They have many friends TEXICO 4-H CLUB MEETS made a business trip to Amarillo, here who wish them well in their The Texico boys 4-H club met on Gordon; Mrs. C. F. Elliott, of Sweetnew location.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McDaniel week from Odessa, Texas, visiting be with Murray White, April 22nd. friends and attending business matters. Mr. and Mrs. Davis moved to BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD Odessa some three weeks ago, where IN FLETCHER HOME Mrs. W. H. Kistler, of Muleshoe, he is now associated with his father in building contracting work.

VISIT IN MISSOURI

24-tf the past Thursday by the serious ill ray of lovely gifts were given. ness of Mrs. Aldridge's father. She At the close of a delightful evening Sumner, N. M., and enjoyed an out- dridge returned to Farwell the first cake were served the guests present. dy discussed a short story by O. Henof the week.

Mrs. S. C. Smith, mother of Mrs. announced today. At this time, it is Thomas as assistant hostess. O. C. Sikes, arrived here the latter expected that 100 plates will be laid. Mrs. E. J. Sloan was in charge of was laid for serving, with Mrs. J. D Miss Eunice Graham.

nia, where she has been visiting her A number of West Camp school a sandwich plate and coffee was THURSDAY NIGHT students will present the assembly served by the hostesses. program at the Farwell school, on Mrs. Thurman Terrell, of Lubbock, Thursday morning of this week, at HAVE STYLE SHOW AT the former Miss Iona Lovelace, was 9 o'clock, Supt. Leo Forrest stated SCHOOL, TUESDAY here over the weekend visiting her At this time, the rhythm band will Members of the senior class of the week at 8 o'clock, it was learned toparents, and other relatives and give several numbers, the choral de- home economics department of the day from Supt. Leo Forrest. partment will sing, and two declaim- Farwell school, sponsored by Miss At this time, 'Play and Recrea- of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Williams, of

Miss Hazel Anglin, proprietress of The girls modeled the dresses made rents are urged to attend. ports" an enjoyable and instructive evening. Miss Anglin was accompa- LAZBUDDY SCOUTS MEET Lloyd Neelley was here from Ama- nied by Misses Irene Sachs, DeAlva The Lazbuddy Scouts met April 1

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various points in California for the with boquets of cut flowers. past fifteen months, arrived here last | Attending were: Mesdames John Friday to spend some time visiting R. Armstrong, Albert Thomas, Hamhis son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Her- lin Overstreet, S. C. Hunter, Dick and friends. He stated that he had mas, W. B. Hill, Pearl Grady, Pearl enjoyed his visit with relatives in Stewart, Anne Overstreet, Aubrey Supt. Leo Forrest made a business, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Belew of Bovi- California, and planned to return Sprawls, E. E. Booth, Jack Dunn,

Monday evening in the home of water, and the hostesses. Donald Miller, leader, with around Regrets were received from: Mes-Mrs. B. N. Graham has gone to Mrs. Jim Lyons of Waverly, Iowa, 15 boys attending. Preston Martin, dames Baylor Triplett, Bess Mans-Pampa, Texas, to visit her daughter and Mrs. Etta Kelly of Plainfield, president, was in charge, and plans field, Marty Ezell, W. W. Vinyard,

About 40 guests gathered in the FOR WOMAN'S CLUB home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Flet celebrate his 70th birthday.

Ivan and Herman Jones spent last and the children remained there to of visiting and musical entertain- Bobst discussed "The Necklace" by ership of the World Today," W. H. Sunday visiting relatives at Fort visit for some time, while Mr. Al. ment, refreshments of ice cream and De Maupassant, and Mrs. Tom Gra-

> WESLEY BIBLE CLASS MEETS ON TUESDAY

McCuistion, head of the department, Yoder, in Texico, with Mrs. Albert Farwell school.

part of last week and plans to make The serving is to be done by the the devotional. Roll call was answer- Thomas presiding. Guests of the afan indefinite visit at the Sikes home. home ec girls, under the direction of ed by listing the number of visits to ternoon were Mesdames Aubres neighbors to know that we are and the sick, after which names of "nut" |Sprawls and S. E. Maddux. iriends were divulged.

At the conclusion of the afternoon, P. T. A. WILL MEET

department on Tuesday.

field during this week, the occasion Beauty Supply house, which was table was daintily decorated, with 18 and 19, will also be named.

with all members present out one. The Court of Honor was called to order by Margeurite Hudnall and as, where the Neelleys adopted a W. S. McDaniel, former Farwell the following officers elected: Troop resident, who has been visiting in Leader, Joy Welch; treasurer, Margie Mars; troop scribe, Tomalene Vaugh-

> After business meeting the troop enjoyed April fool stunts and games. Some of the outstanding stunts were, an Easter egg hunt attempting to pick up coins glued to table, handkerchief pinned to rug; and, eating chocolate candy which had a cotton center. In the evening the girls were served a "nosebag" lunch.

> The nert regular meeting will be held April 10 with Venita Lilly as acting chairman.

Tomalene Vaughan, Troop Scribe.

MRS. JOHN ARMSTRONG IS GIVEN SHOWER

Mrs. John R. Armstrong was honored with a lovely stork shower on Monday afternoon, when Mrs. LeRoy Faville and Mrs. Paul Wurster entertained a large number of friends in the home of Mrs. B. O. Faville in

Various games were played during the afternoon, with Kathryn Ann Stewart playing a piano solo and Edna Ruth Thomas giving a reading.

The tea table featured decorations of pink and white, with a pink floral centerpiece flanked on either side by lighted white tapers. Small napkins, folded in the form of a bapy's sweater, with a safety pin bow in front, served as favors. Mrs. Aubrey Sprawls and Mrs. J. D. Thomas poured. The rooms were beautifully decorated

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bert McDaniel, and other relatives Hunter, Will Triplett, Claude Tho- School Day. Gabe Anderson, Thos. G. Moore, gin at 11:00. The theme, "The Im-Claude Rose, D. W. Bagley, J. D.

Thomas, Florence Golladay, Jason O.

Iawo, have been visiting in the B. O. were discussed for programs during David Harrison, Gordon Lyons, John Faville home, on their way home the coming year. A stunt, to be en- Aldridge, Minnie O. Aldridge, W. H. Chas. F. Bieler. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Moore and from California, where they have tered in the Texico stunt night, Fri- Graham, V. Scott Johnson, John day, was also planned. At the con- Porter Earl Booth, Loyd Cain, Tom clusion of the evening, refreshments Grady; Mrs. W. H. Frazier of Little- direction of Supt. Mrs. W. H. Gra-Mrs. Raymond Davis was here last were served. The next meeting will field; Mrs. Nell Jones of Childress; ham. Miss Martha Lee Pierce, of Clovis

"SHORT STORIES" PROGRAM

and Miss Abie Graham.

In a meeting held at the nome of cher, Sunday, April 7th, to help him Mrs. Earl Booth, in Farwell, Tuesday afternoon, the local Woman's Permanent Waves, \$1.00 and up. Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge and Many delightful birthday cakes Club discussed "Short Stories" with Overstreet. Mrs. W. F. Orr's Beauty Shop, Far- children were called to Moberly, Mo. were presented the host and an ar- the roll call being answered by "My Favorite Short Story."

During the program, Mrs. Roy ry. Pete Booth played a piano num-

Portales, spent Sunday visiting in The Farwell F. F. A. Father-Son The Wesley Bible Class of the Me- party was set for April 24, which will be present at these services. We exthe home of her parents, Mr. and banquet will be held at the school thodist church met on Tuesday af- be in the form of a dinner in the tend a cordial welcome to all others building on Friday, April 19th, T. A. ternoon in the home of Mrs. Lena home economics department of the who will come and worship with us.

A beautifully appointed tea table

gular meeting of the Parent-Teachers tions.—Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson. Association, Thursday night of this

ers will perform. The public is invi- Eunice Graham, entertained a num- tion" will be discussed by some of the Clovis, was buried in the Texico ceber of mothers and other visitors at faculty members, with various games metery, Monday afternoon, following a style show and tea, in the home ec beng directed during the evening to services at the Johnson-Bayless fushow the value of relexation. All pa-neral home in Clovis, conducted by

Quite a number of local Masons the annual social staged for such veral dresses and a housecoat were and a delegate to the district confer-chial pneumonia. Special music was

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"The Value of the Church School as Revealed in The Christian Lead-Graham.

Hymn, by all.

Benediction, Pastor.

We shall expect every one who The date for the annual hubands' should be in our Church School to Evening Worship, 8:00.

CARD OF THANKS

We want our many friends and will always be grateful to you for the many kindnesses extended in our behalf during the recent illness of Mrs. Johnson. We never lacked for any-The faculty of the Farwell school thing you could offer and we will will present the program at the re- always appreciate your considera-

BABY DIES SUNDAY

Jeanne, three-months-old daughter Rev. E. J. Sloan, local Methodist the Vanity Fair Beauty Parlor, was as projects, with the majority of the In addition to the program, officers pastor. The baby died in a Lubbock in Amarillo Monday night, attending models being of the sports type. Se- for the coming year will be elected sanitorium Sunday morning, of bronhave been attending lodge at Little- workers by Frank's Barber and also arranged for exhibit. The tea cnce, to be held in Memphis on April provided at the service by Wanda and Sylva Pearce and Mary Jo North, who sang, accompanied by Evelyn

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Release of Polish 'Documents' Creates Furore in Washington; Hull, Bullitt Deny Nazi Charge

(EDITOR'S NOTE-When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) _ Released by Western Newspaper Union. _

HITLER SAY:

The Roosevelt administration Indignantly denied spectacular charges by Germany. Herr Ribbentrop's aggressive Foreign Office charged that it had possession of 16 crucial documents, found in the Polish government archives at captured Warsaw. These documents had been turned in by Polish diplomats, so the accusation went, and concerned the activities of the American ambassadors to London and Paris. It seems that these ambassadors, Kennedy and Bullitt, had egged on England and France against Hitler, with the teeming promise that the United States would eventually come to the allies' help. It also was alleged that Bullitt held out false inspiration to the bellicose Poles. Unquestionably, these sensational charges were the news of the week.

President Roosevelt, Secretary Hull, and Bill Bullitt hastened to deny the accusations, as storm clouds gathered over America. Roosevelt talked about taking it all with "three" grains of salt. Hull made a flat denial. Bullitt and Potocki, Polish ambassador to the United States, both said no-no in



COUNT JERZY POTOCKI— Poland's ambassador to the U. S., whose alleged reports to Warsaw on conversations with William Bullitt, U. S. ambassador to France, were published in Berlin. Said Potocki: "I deny the allegations . . . I never had any (such) conversations . . ."

unison. But Congressman Hamilton Fish and the hardshell isolationists were infuriated, asserting that where there is smoke, there is a fire or two. Fish demanded a thorough investigation, and others defied the President to laugh it off, salt or no salt. It was a bad thing to have happen in a presidential, maybe a third-term, year.

ANGLO-FRANCE:

The allied war council met, somewhat bewildered by it all, in London. The French and English reaffirmed their unity, barred any separate peace by either, and announced that their financial, economic and imperialistic co-operation would continue after the present war was over. They intended, they

NAMES in the news

Congressman Hamilton Fish, who wanted Roosevelt's foreign activities investigated, himself led colored N. Y. troops in the last war. He fought with the French army, in the only American unit officially attached to the Gallic high command. Fish also was Harvard football captain, and a member of the Harvard crew. He is Roosevelt's unwilling fellow-townsman in Hyde Park,

¶ Dr. Thomas Parran, surgeongeneral of the U.S. public health service, declared that cancer, which caused more than 140,000 deaths last year, is on the increase and ranks as second leading cause of

The Irish Republican army of wild men demonstrated against tall, calm Eamon De Valera, pre-New York, with a Spanish father, nomic life now was closely integratand an Irish mother and sympahim from an English firing squad in

William Horlick Jr., 65, whose father started the multi-million dollar Horlick malted milk fortune, died at Racine, Wis.

a Roman Catholic. His grandfather comes of Irish Protestant stock. The boy's father is Edsel Ford.

Mohammedan Arabs in Palestine, my own heartbreak aside; it was too late then for any outbreak of boy's father is Edsel Ford.

Mohammedan Arabs in Palestine, my own heartbreak aside; it was too late then for any outbreak of mine to do any good. For days I der in your heart.

let it be known, to take a more active part in pushing the war, and

Chamberlain going the way of Daladier-into the prime-ministerial dis-

card. Due to British naval losses,

admiralty. It appeared that the neutrals would suffer, as the result of an increased war endeavor by the allies. Germany must be shut off from oil and iron, and if Norwegian, or Rumanian, or Russian neutrality suffered in consequence, that could not be helped. The special threat was aimed at iron-carrying ships, from Narvik, Norway, to Stettin, Germany, which have the habit of plodding safely along in Norwegian territorial waters, free from the frustrated allied blockade. The allied reasoning ran something like this: No Swedish iron; no German steel; no Nazi mailed fist; no Hitler.

But the neutrals were not too afraid of the allies. The Dutch shot down a British bomber that had violated their neutrality, and Rumania appeared to be turning more and more to the German camp. The Russian ambassador to France expressed rude opinions in a telegram to Moscow, and the French kicked him out on a variety of charges. France appeared to want war with the Soviets; England, most emphatically, did not, as a number of significant organizational elections across the channel showed.

Meanwhile, the Germans and Norwegians scored off one another 1 to 1. A German U-boat wormed its sinister way into Kirkwall, British base in the faraway Orkney islands north of Scotland, and "singed Churchill's whiskers, if any" by sinking a Norwegian freighter, which was "safely" held there by the British navy. This was considered another maritime coup; but the Norwegians countered by interning a stranded U-boat in Norwegian waters, which aroused the customary amount of furor Teutonicus. There refuse their small babies the freshwas sensational talk of a U-boat ness and comfort and safety small base on the Pacific, at Whale bay, babies need; who have to refuse southwest of Vladivostok, in the Siberian maritime province.

FORODDS & FORENDS:

I Tokyo, capital of the Japanese empire of Nippon, claimed a population of 7,000,000. This is said to make the Jap-cap the world's second city, with New York first, and Lonin population, has been reduced by wholesale evacuations, blackouts, and utter boredom, so the story goes. Berlin is still fourth, and verminous Warsaw has doubled its population since the war began.

With the Spanish civil war a year over, the grandees (noble families of rank No. 1) took stock. Dictator Franco recently restored them their estates, confiscated by the late lamented republic, but still they had paid a heavy toll. Records of the



DICTATOR FRANCISCO FRANCO—A year after the Spanish war ended, his people took stock.

Council of Grandees indicated that 40 ermine-clad ducal ones had been killed in the civil war, and that no less than 116 more of them had been 'assassinated." It was further reported that Spain was slowly gathering momentum in reconstruction; that her people and her leaders mier of Eire. "Val" was born in were pro-German; but that her ecoed with the fortunes of the allies. thies. His American origin saved It is typically Spanish, that the Hispanic heart does NOT follow the dollar.

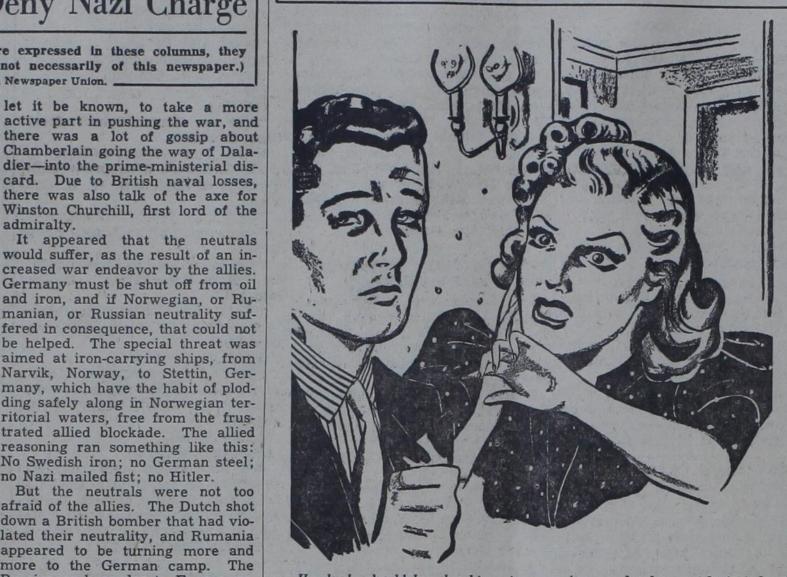
■ Pope Pius XII called for more Christianity in all nations, and for a rebirth of human decency in the face of hell on earth, ill will to William P. Buckner, who began men. He deplored the bombing of serving a two-year term for mail civilians, the violation of treaties, fraud in the Philippine railway and the whole conception of powerbonds scandal, was revealed to be politics and super-tough Realpolitik. the husband of Adelaid Moffet, night | The Mohammedans, in India, usuclub singer and heiress to Standard Oil millions.

Oil millions.

Oil merry Ford II, grandson of the or in Florida he mauled one that carried over 500 feet into a pine thicket has dealt you, as every woman beyond the field—the longest blow great Henry, is preparing to become nounced British treatment of the and to the children. I tried to put must in one way or another, pick the oldest inhabitant had ever seen,

Kathleen Norris Says:

The Unluckiest Wife Isn't Always The Unluckiest Woman (Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.)



Her husband told her that his assistant professor, a handsome girl of 23, loved him as deeply as he did her.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

THE unluckiest wife in the world isn't, of course, the unluckiest woman. There are thousands of women in this country, and hundreds of thousands in other countries, whose lot is harder than that of Marjorie Mason.

There are women in your town and mine who have been fighting poverty all their lives long, living along the boundary line of want, able to give their children only the barest necessities of life, and worrying constantly for fear that those necessities might not be always available. Women who have never known even a few days-a few hours -of luxury and beauty, of plenty and security. Women who have to their growing children the toys, the clothes that more fortunate children take for granted; who suffer a thousand deaths as the young men and women of the family demand cars and pocket money and college education as their right.

This in America. In Europe and in the Orient the situation is indon third. London, formerly first finitely worse. Civilized Christian countries still see barefoot children begging in winter streets; China knows that every winter a million of her people will starve slowly to death, and a million more fall victims to the diseases that weakness, malnutrition, cold and hunger

Comparative Misery. So when I speak of the bitter trial that Marjorie Mason has been called upon to bear I am treating only of the comparative misery and humiliation that can come to a woman who has a comfortable home, fine children, a car, a club, friends, a good cook in her kitchen, books, leisure, enough money, good health, and—she says—"a real trust that God will help me through this difficulty if I am wise enough to heed His guidance."

Not much material from which to construct an appeal to your pity, is it? And yet there is no wife alive that won't feel pity for Marjorie when she hears her story.

Marjorie is 32; she has been married for nine years to a man she deeply loves. He is a professor, handsome, popular, successful, with a comfortable little income of his own to supplement his salary." The Masons live in a roomy house on a beautiful campus; there are three children in the family; a girl of seven, and boys of five years and one year. Marjorie has as assistant the fine colored mother of one of the undergraduate girls; she is free to do her part in campus work; mothers' and alumni groups, hospital, convalescent home, Shakespeare study club, dramatics. She she belongs to a little circle of college mothers who take turns in amusing and watching the younger children on different afternoons.

Marjorie's life was all sunshine until some four weeks ago, when her husband, in one of those luxuries of confession that weak men so enjoy, told her that his assistant professor, a handsome girl of about 23, loved him as deeply as he did her. He was exultant over his conquest, and fatuously related to his | and reputation. wife the details of the affair in which the girl's great love had overcome her scruples.

Bitter Injustice.

"but Arthur was like a crowing boy

Unlucky Women

The unluckiest wife isn't always the unluckiest woman in the world, according to this article by Kathleen Norris. For while some of the trials that married women are forced to go through are difficult indeed, many times things could be much worse.

But at the same time problems do creep into the homes of families who seem to have apparent security. And so the story of Marjorie Mason is here discussed. It is the story of a young professor's wife and the problem she had to meet. Faced with an unfaithful husband she is confronted with the problem of disgracing him for life by exposing him or leaving him and tak-ing her children with her.

She is advised to choose the seclan. The emptiness of his home should bring this man to his senses.

seemed to be in a bad dream, for the thing had come upon me like a thunderbolt, and the past was all spoiled as well as the future.

"Arthur, as completely oblivious of any feeling of mine as he had been of ordinary decency and duty, asked me if I would have the girl at the house now and then, 'so there would be no talk.' This, I moral impossibility. I simply couldn't do it. On this point we had our first serious quarrel.

"Since then I have not spoken to Arthur directly. But for the children's sake a certain amount of civility must go on. Arthur continues to show nothing but complacency and high spirits. He tells me that if he and the girl had resisted temptation-or love, as he calls it-then all three of us would be unhappy. As it is, I am the only miserable one, and 'they don't expect me to understand.' The girl came to see me, and was tearful and explanatory and heroic. I don't think I spoke at all in the 10 minutes I endured her company.

"Arthur would be dropped from the faculty if this were known. His fine old father, president emeritus of another university, would die of grief. And how would my children be bettered by the shame of their father? But I can't go on as things are. These few weeks have shown me that. Tell me what to do."

Advice to Marjorie.

Marjorie, the first thing to do is get out, and take the children with you. But not with any bitterness or threats. Say to your few close friends that you are taking the baby to the mountains. Or that the small daughter had two chest colds last year and you think it wise to try the shore. Not far from you there are lakeside summer cabins which rent in winter for as little as \$10 a month. Find one and move.

This will have a triple advantage. not only teaches her daughter, but It will get you away from the immediate contemplation of an insufferable state of affairs. It will scare the complacent philandering Arthur out of his wits; he will be lonely, disorganized and possibly brought to a realization of what wealth he had, and has done all he could to destroy. And lastly, it will terrify the girl. She may suddenly awaken to the truth that she has given everything for nothing, and is in a fair way to lose position

When Arthur comes to his senses, or rather, having obviously very little sense, when he appreciates that he has made an expensive and "This sounds as nauseating to me foolish mistake, then come back, over it. I did what I could. Told You may never want to share his to be a first-class slugger. him that he must be out of his room or his affection again; he In one of the March games here



TAMPA, FLA.—A session with Clark Griffith, the Gray Fox of Washington, carries you back many a day and many a year. Outside of Connie Mack, Griff can take you deeper into the thrills of the past than anyone else in baseball.

My own first training camp thrill came in 1898 in Nashville. A tall, broad-shouldered, awkward-looking party came into the locker room, wearing a pale-blue suit with brass buttons. A short while later against Vanderbilt he showed us a buzzing medley of speed and curves that no one had ever seen before. And not so many have seen it since. He was over six feet two, weighed

200 pounds, and he was lanky in looks. In addition to blazing speed he had the fastest-breaking curve ball I've ever seen.

His name was George Edward (Rube) Waddell.

Even when he was fading out with tuberculosis he still had enough left to strike out 16 of Connie Mack's Athletics.

Griff's Top Thrill

Griff's top training camp thrill arrived in Atlanta around 1904.

Griff was waiting that morning to meet a young first baseman, just heading in from California. He had no other first baseman on his Yankee roster, so the rookie had to

"Suppose he's a flop, what'll you do?" I asked the Old Fox.

"A flop?" said Griff. "He's going to be the greatest first baseman that ever lived. You wait and see." The kid arrived around noon or a trifle later. He was well built,



CLARK GRIFFITH

on the lean side, with a quick, told him, was a physical as well as friendly smile. The personality part was all there.

> "How many days before you'll be ready to start?" Griffith asked him. "I thought you played a game today," the rookie said. "We do," Griff told him.

"That's when I'd like to start." his young first baseman countered. "I'm always in shape."

That afternoon he made at least three plays around first that left your scalp sizzling. They were plays no one but a great artist could make. With a runner on second someone laid a bunt along the firstbase foul-line. The kid was on it like a bounding kangaroo in time to nail the runner at third. It took less than his first ball game to know that another star was on his way to the headlines,

The rookie's name was Hal Chase.

Another Fair Entry

There was the day back in Augusta around the same period when an 18-year-old stripling came along.

First time up he laid down a bunt, beat it out, stole second and then third. He finished out the day with a double, triple and home run.

The Hon. Oliver Babe Hardy was among those present. Not a bad afternoon for an 18-year-old kid. His name was Tyrus Raymond Cobb of Royston, Ga.

Later on he only made over 4,000 base hits and stole close to 1,000 bases before he took off the spikes after 24 years.

There were training camp days in the old Southern league, also. I recall two outfielders who caught and held the eye. They were great ball players the first time you saw them. Looking back a long, long way, this was around 1907 as I recall time, now shrouded in mists.

One played for Little Rock-the other for New Orleans. The first was the best looking outfielder I'd ever seen in action. And one of the best hitters. His name was Tris Speaker. The other was the best looking actor with a bat around the plate anyone had ever seen. His name was Shoeless Joe Jackson.

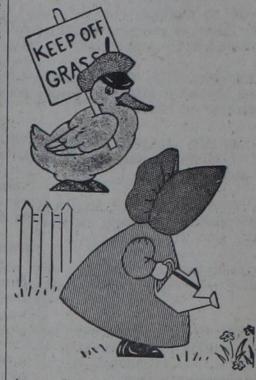
And there was the spring training season 21 years ago, back in 1919, when the Boston Red Sox decided to make a regular outfielder out of as it does to you," writes Marjorie. forgive him, and resume the outer their crack left-handed pitcher. shell of the old happy, loving life. They had an idea he might turn out

> not even barring the top hurricane. I was on that trip and I was look-

ing at a fellow by the name of Babe

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> (Of Floydada) LEGAL NOTICES

No. 1180

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS To Any Sheriff or Any Constable

residence is unknown; and you are cited the same. urther commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Edison C. Clarkson, all of whose residences are unknown, to appear at the next legal term of the 69th Judicial District Court of Parmer County, Texas, to Promtness and a better class of be held in the Court House thereof work is our motto. Dial 2131.

in the City of Farwell, Texas, on the second Monday in July, 1940, being the 8th day of July, 1940, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said court on the 6th day of March, 1940, the file number of which is The State Line Tribune is author- 1180, in which suit Daisy C. Peek. ized to make the following political joined by her husband, C. O. Peek, announcements, subject to the action is Plaintiff, and Edison C. Clarkson, of the Democratic Primary in July and the Unknown Heirs of Edison C. Clarkson, are Defendants, the causeof action being alleged as follows:

That Plaintiff, Daisy C. Peek, was in possession of the following described tract of land, to-wit:

All of the Southwest Quarter (SW1/4), and all of the South Half (S1/2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section 33 of Syndicate Block "B", being a part of the Capitol League No. 505, Parmer County, Texas, and containing 240 acres of land, more

1940; and that on the fifth day of every Wednesday night at the Me-February, A. D., 1940, the Defend-thodist church. ants unlawfully entered upon and Mrs. Finis Jennigs, who was operdispossessed her of such premises, ated on for mastoid troubie, at Luband withhold from her the possession bock, last week, was improved Tuesthereof. Defendants have occupied day. and used such premises under such | Those from here who drove to unlawful possession for a period of Littlefield to see the show "Gone fifteen (15) days, the rental value With the Wind" were Mr. and Mrs. thereof during such occupancy is C. E. Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Twenty-five Dollars (\$25), in which Julian, Mrs. Garvin Thorne, Mrs. D. amount by virtue of such wrongs. B. Ivy, Mrs. Roy Daniel, Mrs. John the defendants are justly indebted Gammon, Billie Jennings, Mrs. Roy to plaintiff; this action being White and Estelle White Mrs. B. H brought as well to try title as for Wagnon, Mrs. Frank Hinkson, Mrs.

Defendants be cited to answer such with Eunice Whitt. such other and further relief as she noon. may be entitled to, either at law or The rain and snow was enjoyed

You are commanded to summon were in need of moisture. the Defendants and serve this cita- Jack Smith, of Los Angeles, Calition by making publication of such fornia., is visiting his brother, Leocitation once in each week for four nard Smith, and family. (4) consecutive weeks previous to the Rev. N. B. Naylor held his regular return day hereof, in a newspaper day at the Baptist church Sunday published in your County, but if no and Sunday night. newspaper is published in said Coun- The third Sunday in July has been ty, then in the nearest county where scheduled as the date to begin the a newspaper is published.

Of Parmer County, Texas, Greeting: before said Court on the first day of Mrs. John Roberts and children, of YOU ARE HEREBY commanded next term this writ with your return Clovis, spent the weekend with Mrs. ford's and gave a few hints on the damentalist church Sunday morning. A number in this community saw to summon Edison C. Clarkson, whose thereon, showing how you have exe-

> E. V. RUSHING. Parmer County, Texas. By: DeAlva White, Deputy.

LAZBUDDY

The Lazbuddy study club met April 4th with Mrs. Dyck, with fifteen members and visitors present. Mrs John Gammon was director of an interesting program on 1940 census. Club will meet April 18th with Mrs W. M. Sherley.

Wednesday afternon, April 3, Mrs. Elwin Julian was hostess to a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. George Graham. Twenty-five ladies were present and several sent gifts.

It was quite an afternoon for little Miss Deanne daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Julian, who celebrated her fifth birthday with a party. Eighteen youngsters were present. They were served refreshments of ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Briscoe drove to Oklahoma to visit relatives and friends over the weekend.

on the first day of February, A. D., Bible study and choir practice

B. Whitt and Eunice Whitt. WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays that | D. Riley Jennings spent Sunday

petition, and that Plaintiff have judg- The Christian Workers club will ment for the title and possesion of have an all-day quilting at the home the above described premises, for her of Mrs. Wesley Barnes, Thursday. A damages, for costs of suit, and for covered dish lunch will be served at

by this community, as we certainly

Baptist meeting here. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you Mrs. Gladys Griffith and children.

Clerk of the District Court of Meacham returned from a trip to Ne- | Mrs. Ray Barnes, on the 18th. raska and Minnesota. Lucile and Barbara remained in Nebraska with relatives while Mr. and Mrs. Hinksor

drove to Rochester, Minnesota, where both received medical attention at the Mayo clinic.

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grade teacher, underwent an operation last week, but is reported as loing well at this writing. Mr. Gatis, her brother, is teaching in her place during her absence.

The senior play will be presented April 12th. The title is "Aunt Samanthy Rules the Roost." This comedy is full of laughs and will keep you well entertained. Let everybody come and bring or tell your friends to come Friday night.

Mrs. R. Snodderly visited in the Rhea community, last Wednesday Everyone present enjoyed theniselves at the party given in the John Donahay home, Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. S. J. Bell is under the doctor's care.

People in this community were very proud of the moisture they got last Friday from the little shower which fell and the snow which followed. The wheat was suffering from

Joe Bell and son, Durwood, and Miss Jeanett Doanhay all celebrated their birthdays Sunday, with a party, Miss Wildermuth met with the club last Thursday, at Mrs. Lang-

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stalwart American whose political honesty and integrity stem from the simplicity of his home life in Texas. Born and reared on a Blossom Prairie farm, he became a country lawyer and editor before beginning his notable career of public service. Today he still cherishes his ties with small-town life in [

proper foods to eat to keep body Bro. McDougal will fill the pulpit the eclipse of the sun, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinkson and weight even. Next club meeting will next Sunday. Everybody welcome.

The 4-H club also met last Thurs- Mrs. DeLozier. day. Mrs. Ray Barnes was in charge Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parker called The cymbal is the oldest known of the girls.

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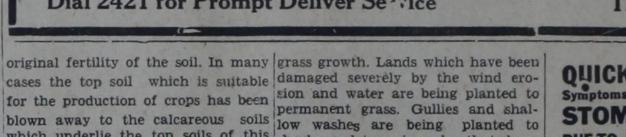
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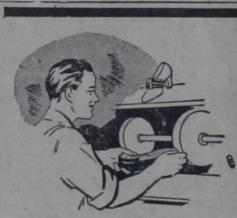
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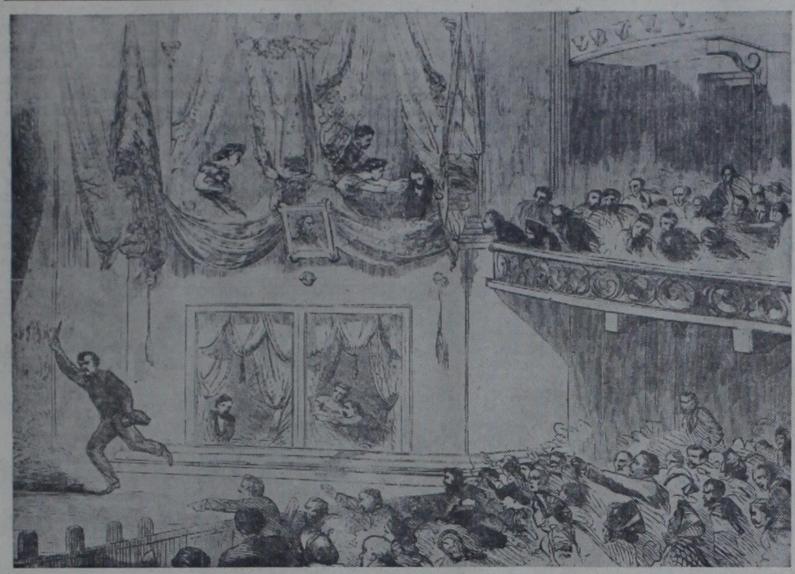
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Seventy-Five Years Ago This Month The Whole World Was in Mourning for America's First Martyred President



"STOP THAT MAN!"-John Wilkes Booth flees across the stage of Ford's theater in Washington after firing the shot which ended the life of Abraham Lincoln. (From a drawing in Harper's Weekly, April 29, 1865.)

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON (Released by Western Newspaper Union.) T IS the evening of April 14, 1865-Good Friday.

On the stage of Ford's theater in Washington the famous actress, Laura Keene, is playing in a delightful comedy, "Our American Cousin." Joining in the laughter that sweeps through the audience from time to time is a gaunt, sad-faced man sitting at ease in a highbacked, satin-upholstered rocking chair in an upper stage box. Abraham Lincoln is forgetting for a few minutes the crushing responsibilities which he, as Chief Executive of a nation torn asunder in civil war, has been bearing for four long years.

The third act of the play begins. The President leans over to whisper something to Mrs. Lincoln who sits beside him. Neither the Lincolns nor Maj. Harry R. Rathbone and a Miss Harris, who accompanied them to the theater, notice that a darkmoustached young man has slipped through the door at the rear of the box and is now standing behind the President.

The next moment there is the muffled sound of a shot. It is unnoticed by the players on the stage or the audience, still chuckling over the last funny line they have heard. But the President's head drops forward on his breast.

Startled, Major Rathbone looks around. Through the smoke he sees the dark young man with a pistol in | newspapers carried this story: his hand and hears him mutter something which sounds like "Freedom!" The major leaps to his feet and grapples with the intruder, who slashes at him with a knife, tears loose from the officer's grasp and springs to the front of the box.

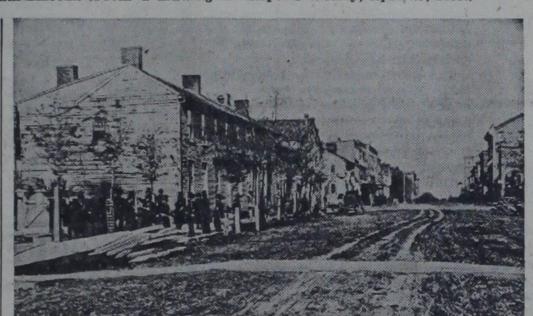
As he vaults over the railing, his spur catches in an American flag which drapes the front of the box. He drops heavily to the stage with one leg doubled under him, then scrambles to his feet. With blood streaming from his wounded arms, Rathbone rushes to the front of the

"Stop that man! Stop him!" he "The President has been shot!"

But everyone is too stunned to move for a moment. The young man, waving aloft the bloody knife, drags himself across the stage and disappears in the wings. But before he does so, the startled actors recognize in the white face and the black eyes blazing with fanatical hatred the familiar features of one of their own profession - John Wilkes Booth.

All this has taken place in less time than it takes to tell it. The next moment Ford's theater is a pandemonium of screaming women and shouting men, shoving, pushing, breaking chairs, crashing through railings and trampling upon each other as they surge toward the stage or try to climb up to the box where the moaning Mrs. Lincoln is supporting her stricken husband and Major Rathbone is trying vainly to open the door which the assassin

had barred from the inside. Now the soldiers of the President's guard come bursting into the theater and with fixed bayonets and solemn tolling of church bells, and drawn pistols they charge the mill- the still more solemn thundering of quiet. ing crowd. Their hoarse shouts of minute guns from the vast line of "And there was resti
"Clear out! Clear out, you sons of fortifications which had protected "The prairie years, the war years,



IN SPRINGFIELD-Outside the old Globe tavern, where Abraham Lincoln and Mary Todd spent their honeymoon, members of the martyred President's cabinet and other dignitaries awaited the arrival of the funeral train in Lincoln's home town.

of the theater.

Meanwhile Rathbone has succeeded in unbarring the door to the box and several people, among them a surgeon, rush in. They see the tall form of the President slumped forward in his chair, his sad eyes closed, never to open again. Someone brings a shutter, torn from a building near by, and they lay his gaunt form upon it. They carry him out of the theater to the house of Charles Peterson across the

Ford's theater is empty, deserted now. Its curtain has been rung down upon the comedy, "Our American Cousin''-and upon one of the greatest tragedies in American his-

Death at 7:22 A. M.

The next morning Washington

"The body of President Lincoln, who died from an assassin's bullet at 7:22 o'clock this morning, was removed from the Peterson residence opposite Ford's theater to the executive mansion in a hearse and wrapped in the American flag. It was escorted by a small squad of cavalry and by Gen. Augur and other military officials on foot. A dense crowd accompanied the remains to the White House, where a military guard excluded the people, allowing none but persons of the household and personal friends of the deceased to enter. Gen. Grant arrived here at 2 o'clock in a special train from Philadelphia. His presence tends somewhat to allay the excitement. The last lines penned by Mr. Lincoln were written on a card about 8:15 p. m., while seated in his carriage in front of the White House just before he started for the theater. They were addressed to the Hon. George Ashmun and were as follows: 'Allow Mr. Sherman and friends to come to me at 9 a. m. tomorrow.

'A. Lincoln.' " Leaf through the pages of James G. Blaine's "Twenty Years in Congress," published in 1886, and read there this description of the events which followed:

"The remains of the late President lay in state at the executive mansion for four days. The entire city seemed as a house of mourning. The martial music which had been resounding in glad celebration of the national triumph had ceased; public edifice and private mansion were alike draped with the insignia

"Funeral services, conducted by the leading clergymen of the city, home town, the Sangamon nearby, were held in the east room on Wed- | the New Salem hilltop nearby, for nesday, the 19th of April. Amid the the final rest of the cherished dust. hell!" rise above the tumult as they | Washington, the body, escorted by were over."

drive the half-crazed audience out | an imposing military and civic procession, was transferred to the rotunda of the Capitol.

"The day was observed throughout the Union as one of fasting and prayer. Services in the churches throughout the land were held in unison with the services at the executive mansion, and were everywhere attended with exhibition of profound personal grief.

The South in Sorrow.

"In all the cities of Canada business was suspended, public meetings of condolence with a kindred people were held, and prayers were read in the churches.

"Throughout the Confederate states, where war had ceased but peace had not yet come, the people joined in significant expressions of sorrow over the death of him whose very name they had been taught

"Early in the morning of the 21st the body was removed from the capitol and placed on the funeral car which was to transport it to its final resting place in Illinois. The remains of a little son who had died three years before were taken from their burial place in Georgetown and borne with those of his father for final sepulture in the stately mausoleum which the public mind had already decreed to the illustrious fines.-Collier's. martyr. The train which moved from the national capital was attended on its course by extraordinary manifestations of grief on the part of the people.'

As for the story of that sorrowful journey westward, no one has ever told it better than Carl Sandburg, poet and Lincoln biographer. The closing words of his masterpiece "Abraham Lincoln: The War Years," (published this year by Harcourt, Brace and company)words whose stark simplicity remind one of such writings as the Gettysburg Address-are these:

"There was a funeral. "It took long to pass its many given points.

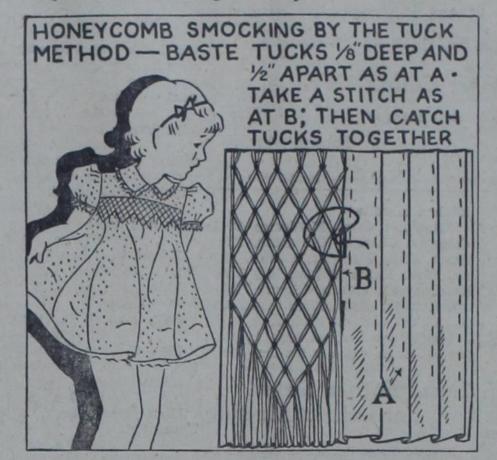
"Many millions of people saw "The line of march ran seventeen hundred miles.

"Yes, there was a funeral. "From his White House in Washington-where it began-they carried his coffin, and followed it nights and days for twelve days . . .

"Bells tolling, bells sobbing the requiem, the salute guns, cannon rumbling their inarticulate thunder. "To Springfield, Illinois, the old

"And the night came with great

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Strange Facts

The 'Soul Window' Who's a Hog? Army Aboard!

In Switzerland, the bedrooms of many houses still contain a "soul window," or a miniature window near the ceiling, which is supposed to serve as a special exit for the soul at the time of death.

Unlike such animals as dogs, monkeys and horses, hogs do not overeat when having access to

large quantities of food. =

The largest number of persons ever carried on a ship were the 14,426 American army officers, men, nurses and crew members who arrived in New York from Brest on April 2, 1919, aboard the Leviathan. On the trip 320 cooks working in three eight-hour shifts managed to prepare only two meals a day.-Collier's.

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job I've been looking for for years.

On this job the customer is al-

look at his mathematics."

form of a policeman.

ways wrong."

"I want my boy to develop his

you'll see he's

In the Cafe "Excuse me, sir, but are you Mr.

"Well, I am, and that's his coat you're that," said the teacher, "if you

"I will not say I have never items. Books are 10 cents each- gambled. I once bought a ticket

ASK ME ANOTHER

A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

The Questions

1. What country has neither army nor navy? 2. What is the difference between the rank and the file?

3. At what point in the United States do four states join? 4. The word dugout has what

three common meanings? 5. How many countries are there in South America?

6. How long have false teeth been worn?

7. An amanuensis is which: a dancer, a sculptor, or a scribe?

Kangaroo Court in Jail

About 1,700 of the 3,100 county and local jails in this country ing a log. A cave made in a hillallow inmates to hold kangaroo side. courts, or mock trials presided over by the tougher prisoners, for the purpose of "maintaining discipline," which consists merely of delegating distasteful jobs to those they dislike and extorting money from others through ridiculous

8. What famous ancient Greek was known as the henpecked philosopher?

9. Who was the first man reputed to have said that there is nothing new under the sun? 10. When a vacuum electric light bulb is broken, what causes the

1. Iceland.

3. Utah, Arizona, New Mexico, and Colorado.

4. A low shelter for baseball players. A canoe made by hollow-

false teeth. 7. Scribe.

8. Socrates. 9. Solomon.

The Answers

2. To an officer facing his company the rank appears horizontal, and the file vertical.

5. Thirteen.

6. The ancient Romans wore

10. The outside air rushing into the vacuum.

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Demonstration Club Notes

By Special Staff Reporters

Lakeview Club

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon, April 4. at the home of Mrs. Sadie Parson, with only three members and one visitor present.

of music, songs, readings, a tap partments. dance, and one-act play.

Rhea Club

day meeting. A buffet lunch was discus. served at noon, followed by a business meeting. Miss Ruth Boyd gave a For a better class of job Printing Thompson, White or J. Flye, J. D. very interesting demonstration on Phone 2131.

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Attending were: Mesdames C. L. tries, and time: Calaway, Charles Schlenker, Tom die Potts, Ralph Wilson, Roy Baer- Frank Thompson, Jack Flye. nolds, C. W. Dixon, Elmo Dean, Miss Leonard Flye. Ruth Boyd and the hostess.

The club will meet May 16 with Mrs. L. H. Hoffman in the club room.

Local Entries Slated For District Meeting

Several Farwell entries will go to Plans were discussed for the pie Canyon on Friday and Saturday of supper to be held at Lakeview school this week. April 12 and 13, for the building on Friday night, April 26, purpose of entering various divisions at 8 p. m., to be sponsored by the of the district interscholastic league club. There will be a short program meet, in both literary and sport de-

Among the literary entries will be All county candidates are especial- the following: W. H. Shanks, senior ly invited and will be introduced fol- boys' declamation: Elizabeth Lander, lowing the program. The pies will be girls' extemporaneous speech; Timy auctioned, and you are urged to Dycus, typing and shorthand; Mary come, bring a pie, and enjoy the eve- Lou Crume and Timy Dycus, girls' debate.

Please don't forget the time, April On Saturday, Coach Johnnie 26, 8 p. m., Lakeview school building Brown will take a group of boys to the district track and field meet. The relay team, composed of J. C. and The Rhea Home Demonstration Leroy Hughes, Champ Landrum and Club met last Tuesday in the home Bill Dodson will be entered, while of Mrs. Floyd Schlenker for an all- Bunk Phillips will enter-javelin and

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Invitation Track At Fort Sumner, Saturday

tending a district invitation tourna- sor, has announced. ment, officials said today.

next weekend.

the highest team at the invitation tune. Farwell, Texas I meet, with individual ribbons going | Members of the cast include: Carwinning relay squad.

9:45 a. m., MST

10:15 a. m. ray White, J. D. Thompson.

10:30 a. m. High jump: Beck, J. Flye,

Thompson.

220 yd. dsh: F. Thompson, J. D Thompson, J. Flye. Javelin: F. Thompson, L. Flye. 11:15 a. m.

Broad jump: Beck, White, J. Flye. 11:20 a. m. 220 yd. low hurdles: F. Thompson,

All of the above events are preli-The afternoon program follows:

J. D. Thompson, White.

1:30-high hurdles, pole vault, fin

1:50-100 yd. dash, final. 2:15-high jump, final; mile run. 2:30-220 yd. dash, final.

2:45-Broad jump, final. 2:50-440 yd. run, J. D. Thompson, J. Flye, L. Flye.

3:10-Low hurdles, final. 3:45-880 yd. relay, Beck, F.

Curry County Track,

Saturday of next week, April 20th, lectual male giants of the town being at which time the Texico boys will matched against ten of the smartest be among the entries competing for women, in an event which is expected top honors in the various divisions, to bring much hilarity to the audi-According to local sports specula- ence. boast the return of the 1939 squad, or old. which was barely ousted from top ranking by Hollene, when the meet Local Boys Will Go

was held in Texico last year. F. Thompson will specialize in the dashes, assisted by J. D. Thompson and J. Flye, while Beck is strong in A team of three Oklahoma Lane with White, and Baldock will enter 4-H judging contests in Plainview.

Coach A. D. McDonald stated that cattle judging division. at the county each team was permit- County Agent Jason O. Gordon, ted four entries to an event, but the sponsor of the county clubs, has anindividuals were allowed to compete nounced that this year a 4-H judgin only five divisions of the meet. ing division is being added at the

A cup will be presented the winner Plainview stock show for the first of the track meet, with medals for time, and it is hoped that the locals first, second and third place ratings, will make a creditable showing. while a baton will go to the fastect | Competing for places on the team

Farwell Senior Play Slated for Tonight

Tonight (Wednesday) the Farwell Seven members of the Texico se- seniors will present their annual nior track squad, accompanied by stage production "Marry Before Coach A. D. McDonld, will spend Sa- Midnight," in the auditorium of the turday in Fort Sumner, N. M., at- school, Miss Eunice Graham, spon-

"Marry Before Midnight" is a At this time, the local boys will be blood-curdling, rib-tickling comedyentered in the majority of the vari- drama, which brings into it all the ous track and field events, with a suspense of a fast-moving mystery, view to polishing up their perform- coupled with the comedy presented ances for the county track meet, by the plight of an heiress who must "marry before midnight" in order to A "sweepstakes" cup will be given inherit her father's considerable for-

Hurst, Charlie Rogers, Shields, Cor- 120 yd. high hurdles: Milton Beck, Juanita Stanley; Dick Haller, the learned here this week. 100 yd. dash: F. Thompson, Mur- Indian, Fern McCoy; "Storm Cloud," roll. departed Indian, Jim Cleve Dixon; Discus: Beck, F. Thompson, L. Flye. ghost of his murdered wife, Hene Mitzenfelt.

The play will begin at 8 o'clock, and admission prices are 15 and 25 cents. A good attendance is urged.

Stunts Will be Given Friday Night, Texico

Stunts of all descriptions, topped off with a queen contest, are on the docket for the annual stunt night program of the Texico school, sponsored by the seniors, which will be held Friday night, April 12th.

At present a number of stunts are in rehearsal, both from the school and outside organizations. The high school classes have nominated their queen candidates, who are: Aileen Ledbetter, freshman; Lila Boss, sophomore; Loleat Vaughn, junior; and Evelyn North, senior.

The queen contest will continue 3:20-880 yd. run, Walter Baldock. open until Friday night, with entries eligible from any club or other organization in the twin cities, entry fee being 10c. Votes sell at 1c each, and those in charge are urging local people to cast their votes for their favo-

Field on April 20th One of the principal stunts of the evening, Mrs. H. Arnold, sponsor, has The Curry county track and field announced, will be an old fashioned meet will be held at Ranchvale on "spelling bee" with ten of the intel-

tors, the Texico boys have a good The evening's entertainment will chance of coming home with honors begin at 8 o'clock, with a blanket from the county meet, since they admission of 10c per person, young

To Judging Contest

the majority of field events, along 4-H club boys will attend the district early in May, to enter the dairy

are: Gilbert Watkins, Nelson Foster, Edwin Foster, Eldon Agee, and Ed-Vatican City, the independent win Hughs. Three of the boys will state of the Pope, has a population be selected by the county agent to represent Parmer county.

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dean, Travis Brown, Henry Rey- Shot put: Beck, F. Thompson, Rickets, colored maid, Clay Jernigan; have done an outstanding job of cus- of Lazbuddy, won third place in ju-Bosco Johnson, colored gardener, tomer service. Of the company's nior high school declamation. He has Pole vault: J. D. Thompson, Beck. Morris Ed Martin; Rev. Elbert Tee- more than 50,000 employees, there called our attention to the fact that bolt Dick Bobst; Old Jen, half-breed are only about 1200 on the honor his rating was second place. Our

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