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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM OVER THE STATE

Hillsboro.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed practically all the stock and fixtures of the H. Simon & Sons dry goods store here early Monday, entailing an approximate loss of \$10,000.

Wichita Falls.—A verdict of not guilty was returned by a jury in Federal Court Monday after evidence and arguments were heard in the case of Mrs. Ella Lyon, charged with possession of about 18 gallons of whisky.

Austin.—Requisition of the Governor of Virginia for extradition of Enoch Marvin Terry, wanted at Richmond, Va., on a criminal warrant, charging desertion and non-support of his wife and four minor children, was honored Monday by Governor Ferguson. Terry is in jail at Galveston.

Wichita Falls.—A fine of \$100 was assessed Monday in Federal Court against the Vernon Cotton Oil Company, when a plea of guilty was entered to violation of the pure food and drug act. This was the first of several charges of a similar nature involving cotton oil mills in North Texas.

Wellington.—Sheriff McKinney and Deputy Sheriff Cook brought in one of the largest stills captured in this section late Saturday night, when they made a raid northeast of Wellington. Three men and two women were arrested and brought here. About 65 gallons of whisky and 500 gallons of mash were found.

Houston.—Yeggmen who early Sunday morning broke into the safe of a theater and escaped with \$700, the proceeds of ticket sales for the day before, are still at large. After failing to open the safe through knocking off the combination, the box was overturned and a large opening chiseled through the bottom.

Wichita Falls.—Steps toward securing a free bridge across Red River near Burk Burnett advanced further Monday when County Commissioners' Court here awarded a contract for the construction work to A. R. Mackey of Denver. Work will not begin until litigation involving the State Highway Department is successfully settled at Austin.

San Antonio.—Sheriff's department of Bexar county joined Atascosa county officers Monday in a widespread search for a man and wife suspected of having murdered Francisco Trevino, Jourdanville farmer, with an ax, concealing the body beneath his home.

Beaumont.—The body of Albert S. Gaidry, 68, who disappeared from his home nine days ago, was found buried in an open field a mile from Voth, 20 miles north of here, shortly after noon Monday. The man had been shot through the head and the head hid in a gunny sack. He had \$2,100 on him when last seen, according to reports made to the sheriff's department. An arrest has been made.

Beaumont.—Embodiment of approximately \$50,000 of the funds of the First National Bank of Center, Shelby County, now insolvent, is charged in an indictment brought by the grand jury of the federal court Monday against John S. Kennedy of Center. He was cashier of the bank from November, 1922 to November, 1923.

NOTICE TO METHODISTS

It is my pleasure to be associated with you as pastor for another year, having been appointed at the recent session of the annual conference. I am praying that we may have a great year. Let us expect it, and work to that end, trusting the good Providence of God that conditions will be more favorable than they were the past year. I hope to have every member present next Sunday at 11 a. m. The subject will be: "Go Forward"—Ex. 14-15.

There will be no service at the Methodist church at the evening hour. As this will be the last day for Rev. H. R. Whitley, pastor of the Baptist church, we will attend services at that church in the evening.

B. J. OSBORN, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hobart returned this week from a several weeks' visit in Vermont and other sections of New England.

UNION SERVICES ON THANKSGIVING DAY

Thanksgiving will be duly observed here next Thursday with union services at 11 a. m. at the Christian church. Rev. James Todd, Jr., will preach a special sermon at that time, and special music appropriate to the occasion will also be rendered.

A cordial invitation is extended everyone in this community to attend this union service.

DINNER HONORING RETIRING PASTOR

The Woman's Missionary Union of the local Baptist church honored their pastor, Rev. H. R. Whitley and family, Friday night of last week with a six o'clock dinner at the church, followed by an enjoyable program.

The dinner was served in the basement of the church, and the program rendered in the auditorium, as follows:

- Prayer—W. B. Henry.
 - Friendship—C. S. Barrett.
 - Piano solo—Sarah Barrett.
 - Solo, "The Sinner and the Song" with quartet accompaniment—Ernest Barrett.
 - Piano solo—Margaret Schmidt.
 - Fellowship—Mrs. S. L. Anderson.
 - Burlesque, "See Yourself as Others See You"—Intermediate department.
 - Song—Congregation.
 - Reading—Virginia Rose.
 - Love—T. B. Solomon.
 - Piano solo—Euritha Henry.
 - Short talk—W. B. Irvin of Perryton.
 - Vocal quartet, "The Old Wayside Cross"—Mesdames Rose, Barrett, Van Carter and Solomon.
 - Presentation of Bible in behalf of the church—T. B. Solomon.
 - Presentation of a quilt from Circles 2 and 3—Mrs. J. S. Carter.
 - Presentation of silverware by Dorcas class—Mrs. Van Carter.
 - Presentation of pair of blankets from Circles 1 and 4—Mrs. T. W. Johnson.
 - Response—Rev. H. R. Whitley.
 - Out of town guests at the dinner included Messrs. and Mrs. W. B. Irvin and R. C. Johnson and R. J. Cook of Perryton.
- The enjoyable occasion was attended by about 300 persons.

BUSINESS ROMANCE TOLD IN DETAIL

The list of original stockholders in the Ford Motor Company, with the amount of stock subscribed by each was as follows:

Henry Ford	\$25,500
Alex Y. Malcomson	25,500
John S. Gray	10,500
John P. Dodge	5,000
Horace E. Dodge	5,000
Horace H. Rackham	5,000
Albert Strelow	5,000
John W. Anderson	5,000
C. H. Bennett	5,000
C. C. Frey	5,000
James Couzens	2,400
C. J. Woodhall	1,000
Miss R. V. Couzens	100

Of this sum only \$28,000 was paid in cash. Ford put in his car for stock and let Malcomson have \$25,000 worth of stock for guaranteeing \$7,000 worth of bills. The Dodges paid no cash, but agreed to furnish materials for the amount of their stock. Most of the others put up notes, in whole or in part.

Strelow sold out for \$25,000 to Couzens in order to invest in a gold mine in British Columbia. Had he stuck his stock today could he sell for \$25,000,000. The gold mine was a failure.

Malcomson sold to Ford for \$175,000. His stock, it is estimated would today be worth \$250,000,000.

Bennett, Woodhall and Frey sold up soon after Malcomson. Bennett and Frey each received \$25,000 for their stock from Ford and Couzens. Ford bought Woodhall's stock for \$5,000.

Mrs. R. V. Couzens, sister of James Couzens, took out \$255,000 from her investment of \$700.

James Couzens took out \$25,000,000.

The Gray estate sold its stock for \$20,250,000, after drawing dividends of \$10,250,000.

The investment of Rackham and Anderson attorneys, yielded each of them \$7,435,750.

The Dodge brothers took out a total of \$24,871,500.—Amarillo Globe.

DeLoe Vickers transacted business in Amarillo Wednesday.

L. H. Roll, former merchant of this city, but now a pastor at Mobeetie, was a visitor here Wednesday.

OIL FIELD ACTIVITY IN THIS LOCALITY

Wilcox Oil & Gas Company is moving the boilers and rotary tools from their Jud Wilson well north of town to the Combs & Worley field south-east of town, where they will soon start drilling on their No. 3 well, which is located 1300 feet west of the No. 1. The company already has a string of standard tools, and it is their intention to drill the well most of the way with rotary tools and then standardize to bring it in.

The Empire Oil Company's No. 1 Heitholt, on section 152 block 3, was spudded in Monday, and Thursday at noon had reached a depth of 300 feet. This is the Empire's first well to be drilled in this part of the state. They are employing standard tools, and have one of the best standard outfits seen in this section. Gas is piped over three miles from the Tipton-McConnell gas well, and water for drilling is secured from the well at the Burleson farm residence, half a mile away.

Young & Patrick's No. 1 Byrum, being drilled in section 188 block 3 by Cady & Conners, picked up the big lime Wednesday afternoon at 2460 feet, some 300 feet deeper than it was encountered in the Tipton-McConnell gas well two miles southwest. This would indicate that the McConnell is high on the structure. The Byrum No. 1 is being drilled with standard tools, and at noon Thursday was approximately 2500 feet deep. Good progress has been made on the well thus far.

276 BALES GINNED THURSDAY NOON

Up until noon Thursday the local cotton gin had turned out 276 bales of the fleecy staple, and is now running full time, and often late at night to keep up with the work.

Quite a few farmers have finished picking, while many others still have considerable to pull yet. The early freeze this year cut the yield down very materially, as many bolls were killed before they had reached maturity, yet yields of half bale per acre are not uncommon.

Cotton Thursday morning was bringing 19 1/2 cents on the local market.

Wheat is looking excellent for this season of the year, and is up to a good stand. There is an increased acreage, and a fine season now in the soil, which makes the growers feel that they have a good chance for a bumper crop in 1924.

ENGLISH CLASS THEME

Following is the English class theme for this week, which was written by Vera Kretzmer, English IV:

My Mother

I am now, in the prime of life, and dependent upon my own judgment, to lead me along life's narrow path. I no longer have my mother at my side to prompt and guide me along my way. But, oh! what price would I not pay to have her near me now, just once, to see her sweet, consoling face. She, who never grew tired of guiding and directing me, in those sweet, immortal days of my youth and childhood.

I can now look back over those days, and see my mistakes shine out clearer and brighter than ever before. My mother prompted me at those mistakes, as all good mothers do, but I could not see the mistakes then, as I see them now.

Now, when great problems confront me—problems that ask for the best that is in me, I go to my mother's picture. There I always find the answer, the answer to all questions, which is patience. It shines forth from her eyes, her face and the very pose of her body.

Ohed, when I see that of the turmoil of the world, and of life itself, I go to my mother's picture, to find the peace and quietude, for which I am seeking. Now, and here only, I find what is called "true peace." I spend many hours at a time, not gazing at my mother's picture, and I always come away with a newer hope, light in thought, and a resolution to do better than ever before.

Dear friends, you who have had your mothers spared to you, appreciate her while you can; for she will not always be with you, and some day you must console yourself by looking at only her picture.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM BURNING CAR

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ross narrowly escaped serious injury or death Wednesday afternoon when their car overturned two miles west of White Deer.

The car, a Studebaker closed model, caught fire soon after turning over, barely allowing the occupants to get out from under it.

Fortunately, they were able to get clear of the burning car, but had not sufficient time to save several articles they had with them. Only minor scratches were sustained by Mr. and Mrs. Ross, but the car was completely destroyed with the exception of a front wheel. Passersby aided them in trying to extinguish the blaze by throwing dirt upon the fire.

Mr. Ross is a scout for the Prairie Oil & Gas company, visits Pampa often. They ate dinner here Wednesday and started for Amarillo, when the accident occurred.

FURNITURE SALE OPENED THURSDAY

The G. C. Malone Furniture opened a storewide sale Thursday morning to a good attendance of buyers.

This is the first special sale put on by Mr. Malone since he has been in business here and is attracting considerable interest and favorable comment. He advertises that the reduced prices apply to any and everything in his large stock and asks everyone to call in and inspect the many bargains. See his double-page ad in this paper.

TEXAS TECH GETS ITS FIRST DEFEAT

The Howard Payne Yellow Jackets defeated the Texas Tech Matadors at Brownwood Wednesday afternoon 29 to 0, giving the heretofore undefeated bull fighters an insight on how it feels to trail an opposing aggregation.

The Yellow Jackets had the Matadors at their mercy from the early part of the game and the Jackets soon had the Matador line working out of order. Not once during the game did the Tech eleven have the ball near the Howard Payne goal.

CITIZENS UNEASY OVER GAS LINES

(From Wheeler County Texan)

Many Shamrock people are becoming alarmed, and probably with reason, over the report that the Upham Gas Company of Mineral Wells has purchased outright a number of tracts of land scattered over the local gas fields. They see in these purchases a project to drain the field of gas for the benefit of towns and cities to the south and east, leaving Shamrock and the landowners high and dry.

The Upham Company proposes to lay a pipeline from the gas fields in Wheeler County to Childress thence east to Wichita Falls. By the purchase of land in the field, it could be drained of gas without the payment of any royalty whatsoever. It is also claimed on good authority that the Upham Company is closely associated with the Lone Star Gas Company, the powerful corporation which supplies Dallas, Fort Worth and many other Texas cities, and that the former intends to connect with the Lone Star pipeline at Wichita Falls, thus further draining the gas supply.

If such a plan is consummated, it will mean that Shamrock gas will be a factor in the development of towns to the south and east, whereas this city is entitled to the benefit of the development which a plenitude of cheap fuel is bound to bring.

If the above surmises are true, something should be done about the matter. It is doubted, however, if any effective measures can be taken to prevent the plan being carried into effect, since land has already been purchased in the field. It is useless to lock the stable door after the horse is stolen.

AMARILLO ORDERED TO PLAY AT WICHITA

This seems to have been a somewhat turbulent year for high school football teams. First one team and then another is disqualified from taking part in the championship contests only to be later reinstated and again disqualified, etc.

The latest in Class A of this district is that Pampa has been disqualified, leaving Amarillo the only contender, even though had been disqualified by Pampa and by Class B representatives. In District No. 2 Wichita Falls, which was only recently disqualified has been reinstated, and now Amarillo must go to Wichita Falls and play that city next Saturday afternoon for the Class A championship at Amarillo, Nov. 24 and No. 2.

Memphis and Slaton were slated to play sometime this week for the Class B championship of the two districts, unless one or both have been disqualified or reinstated or both, the past few days.

It's great stuff, and if every team which wishes any minor role of the Interscholastic League was ruled out, there probably wouldn't be enough teams left to play one of the finals.

R. E. Finley, president of the First National Bank, has been ill at his home the past few days.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9-45 a. m. L. W. Hark, Superintendent.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, subject, "Go Forward"—Ex. 14-15.

No evening service.

Evworth League 8:30 p. m. Sunday Women's Missionary Society meets Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. B. J. Osborn, acting president.

B. J. OSBORN, Pastor.

George Melton, scout for the Texas Oil Company, was a business visitor in Pampa Thursday.

RENOWNED ARTIST HERE NEXT WEEK

Thomas Elmore Lucey, the versatile lyceum artist, will appear at the Pampa High School auditorium next Monday evening, Nov. 23.

His program is said to be unexcelled. One moment he appears as an impersonator. The characters he portrays stand before you again as if for the time being permitted to return from the realms of the immortal. Then, in his dramatic readings the souls of all those who come under the sway of his dynamic personality are stirred within. As he turns to the easel one is amazed at the ease and rapidly with which he sketches and brings before his audience the scene that at that moment passes through his versatile mind, while he adds to its beauty with the gift of song. Three times across the seven seas of earth, among many lands and peoples, give him an abundant reserve of pathos and humor to be portrayed by the many gifts of his Creator has bestowed upon him.

Dr. Lucy is brought to Pampa by the Senior Class of the High School, that they might give to Pampa an evening of entertainment long to be remembered, and have their part in providing a program clock for the High School. Mr. Lucey is commended highly by Rev. James Todd, Jr., minister of the local Christian church, who prizes the friendship of this gifted artist.

FAMOUS ENGINEER VISITS PANHANDLE

Amarillo, Texas.—Gen. George W. Goethals arrived in Amarillo late Monday to make a survey of irrigation and power plant possibilities in the North Panhandle. He will be joined later in the week by Charles M. Ross of Detroit and a party of capitalists, who are interested in the building of giant power houses in the gas field and who may finance the project if Goethals approves the plan.

Goethals was brought here by the Board of City Development, Industrial Department, of which A. S. Stinson is chairman.

Amarillo citizens escorted Gen. Goethals to the oil and gas fields in Carson and Hutchinson counties, and later on a tour of Plainview, Floyd, Hereford and other points. Upon their return he was asked what he thought of the future possibilities of the Panhandle, and he replied:

"This country has wonderful prospects for development. You have plenty of cheap gas for fuel and industrial development if carried out in a sane way."

He was then asked what he thought relative to operating costs of a super-power plant in the gas fields compared to a hydro-electric plant, and replied as follows:

"You must have exactly the same investment cost in one as in the other. You would have the same labor and maintenance cost and with the ample gas you have, the additional cost for fuel in gas over water power per kilowatt would be very little more than that produced in a hydro-electric plant."

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KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET

CHAS. M. PIPKIN, Market Correspondent

Kansas City Stock Yards.—Trade in fat cattle Monday opened slowly but closed strong and active. Most of the offerings were short fed steers that brought \$8.50 to \$10. Cows and heifers were slightly lower than late last week. Stockers and feeders were in liberal supply. Hogs opened steady, and developed slight weakness on the medium weights. The top price was \$11.65. Lambs broke 25 cents. This eliminated the advance that occurred late last week. Fat sheep were fully steady.

Monday's Receipts

Receipts Monday were 21,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 6,500 sheep, compared with 21,000 cattle, 6,000 hogs, and 4,000 sheep a week ago, and 35,300 cattle, 15,425 hogs, and 2,875 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle

Receipts of cattle Monday were the smallest on any Monday, on American Royal show week in a number of years past. The decrease was principally in the fat classes, though stockers and feeders in both carload and open market were less than normal. Trade opened slowly but became more active as the day advanced. Some choice yearlings made the top at \$12.50. Other good steers brought \$9.50 to \$10.50, weights ranging from 850 to 1,280 pounds. The bulk of the short fed steers sold at \$8.50 to \$10. Some grass fat steers brought \$6.50 to \$7.50. Cows and heifers were quoted weak, but the supply was cleaned up closely. Veal calves were down 50 cents, top \$10.50.

Stockers and Feeders

Trade in stockers and feeders moved slowly, early, but toward noon there was a fairly large volume of trade. Prices were not notably changed from last week's close. Many prospective buyers are here, but most of them were busy lining up prices.

Hogs

Hog prices averaged close to steady. The lighter weight classes showed some weakness and there were strong spots in the weighty kinds. The top price was \$11.65, and bulk of sales \$11.25 to \$11.60. Packing hogs were 25 cents higher at \$10.50 to \$11. Stock hogs and pigs brought \$11.50 to \$12. Receipts are falling materially short of normal.

Sheep and Lambs

Lambs were quoted at 25 cents and sheep were steady. At the outset lambs sold slowly, but as soon as the decline was established there was a free movement over the scales. The bulk of the lambs brought \$15 to \$15.10. Fat ewes sold at \$7.85 and wethers \$8.65.

Horses and Mules

Receipts of horses and mules remained light. Best grades were stronger, and plain and medium classes fell.

The American Royal Show is in full swing with some 9,000 head of live stock on display.

LIKES THE BURNETT VARIETY OF COTTON

George Bishop states that he planted Burnett cotton, Hall and Hall, and Nebase this year, and finds that the Burnett is far superior for the Plains.

He has been swapping his cotton and states that out of 1700 pounds taken to the gin he got 425 pounds of "net." This is a high percentage of production and one that is seldom equaled.—Randall County News.

EXPRESSION RECITAL

The class in expression, of Mrs. James Todd, Jr., will appear in a Thanksgiving recital next Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, at 8 o'clock in the Bible school room of the Christian church building.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The evening service Sunday will be organized that we may unite with the Baptist church in the evening service of the presence of the Whitley.

The subject announced last Sunday, "The Man of Sin to Set Himself Forth as God Before the Second Coming of Christ," will be discussed one week later.

Bible school at 10 a. m. with departmental conferences at 9-45, and preaching of the word of God at 11 a. m. You are cordially and urgently invited to these two services. A welcome awaits you.

JAMES TODD, Jr., Minister.

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One of our friends recently remarked that money was a small thing in life after all—especially after the first of the month.

The re-election of William Green of Coshocton, Ohio, and other officials of the American Federation of Labor on a conservative platform, is an indication of industrial peace.

It was only recently discovered in France—the most hopelessly bureau-ridden nation of Europe—that a soldier who had been ordered on guard at the back door of the parliament house during the revolution of 1830, for a few hours' temporary duty in emergency, had been succeeded by another and by all his interminable successors for 95 years, day and night.

Small towns often complain that big cities draw all the business from rural communities. This is a mistaken idea. All over the country there are shining examples to prove that manufacturers, publishers, writers, motion picture producers, mill operators and numerous other productive enterprises are established, thrive and distribute their products more economically from a small town than from a populous center.

All over our country there is a growing demand that agricultural colleges minimize training in professions and do more training of students in real farming. There will always be a percentage of young people from the farms entering the professions, but it should not be the business of the farm colleges to train them in that direction.

The story of the landing of our Pilgrim fathers and the hardships they endured in establishing a colony in the new world is too old to need repeating. But now that we are about to observe a holiday established by them, we can all well afford to think about the true significance of the day.

Among Our Exchanges

Friona Star: Another combination that helps to fill up the newspapers and also the cemeteries these days is a "nut" at a steering wheel, a "peach" by his side and a sharp bend in the road.

McLean News: In Emerson's day the world might have beaten a path to the door of the man who made the best mousetrap, but today it takes advertising enough to convince the people it is the best, with street and house number given, and mention made of parking space for cars while the trap is being examined.

Claude News: Evolution of an orator: First he says a word; then he utters a few remarks; soon he gives little talks; in the course of time he makes speeches; before long he delivers addresses; next he propounds lectures, and finally he eloquently orates. By this time he is either in chautauqua, in congress, or in the bug house.

Higgins News: The world is getting better. Things may seem as though the worst was upon us, but the worst never yet has happened. The folks who see blue are not really the ones to judge. Let the folks who see the best things of life cast the ballot that decides the question. Crime is prevalent, it is true, but why dwell on the bad deeds of humanity when there are so many good deeds being done in this funny old world of ours?

Clinton Post-Dispatch: Democrats should be democrats this year, just as republicans are republicans. This is no time to apply the acid test of party loyalty. This is a year for party building, party rehabilitation. There isn't any independent party to join, if one wanted to be independent, therefore, why should any person seek to proselyte a democratic woman into the republican party because at one time it was necessary that the democratic woman scratch her ticket? Why pull scabs off of old sores? Why resurrect unpleasant experiences?

Wellington Leader: This is the kind of a year that makes a county and develops a community. The price of cotton, which is fairly good for an average year, has set many farmers to thinking about the need of diversification. There will be less cotton planted next year. There will be more feed, hogs, poultry and garden stuff grown and it is upon these that the permanent prosperity of any county is founded. Cotton will always be the money crop in Collingsworth County, but it costs too much to raise a cotton crop and buy butter, milk, garden products, pork and poultry. These things should be grown on the farm. With a fair amount of these products a farmer can clear more money from 15 to 20 acres of cotton than he can make from 100 acres of cotton under the one-crop system.

EXCHANGES
Panhandle Herald: The Brownsville News calls attention to the fact that while our Federal Government is in debt \$20,467,000,000 it is all owed to American citizens. In other words, the American government became heavily involved during the late world war, but fortunately the indebtedness is held by American citizens. Other nations participating in that cruel and expensive war are heavily indebted to other nations, a large portion of which is due the United States. In fact if all foreign debts could be promptly collected we would not owe ourselves but about half the amount now on the debit side of our government's ledger. And another point in our favor is when we loaned this money to foreign countries the entire amount of it was invested in American manufactured goods. All of which accounts for the fact that the United States is the money center of the world and will continue to be so for an indefinite period.

ANYBODY SEEN THIS MAN?
Members of the sheriff's department are in a quandary as to just what kind of looking man to be on the lookout for following a message from officers in Clinton, Okla., who say a stolen car is being driven toward Amarillo. The message received by the sheriff says: "Be on lookout for Ford touring car, driven by old man, about 35 years old, with bumpers on both ends."—Amarillo Post.
John D. Rockefeller has agreed to give a dime to every charitable trust he can be connected with. If John D. has always used such methods in handling his money, we now understand how he became the world's richest man.

THE PROFITS OF DECENCY

The biggest discovery of the twentieth century is the soundness of the principle of live and let live.

Other generations were convinced that "dog eat dog" was the hard rule of business. A man sought prosperity by outwitting or destroying his rivals. That spirit lingers in places but it is dominant no longer. Instead of fighting to undermine competitors, men co-operate to promote the general prosperity. The growth of this habit of mutual helpfulness during the last few years is one of the remarkable developments of American life.

It is an outcome of another important discovery, the profit to be made out of multiplying and satisfying the wants of the average man.

Plato, the great dreamer of ancient Greece, described his ideal republic in that the fortunate citizens were kept prosperous and free by the labor of slaves. He could not imagine a state in which the men and women who performed the heavy labor of civilization also shared in its fruits.

The discovery that there is room enough for all is one of the epochal advances in human history.

The United States has learned the lesson first. Our rich natural resources developed by scientific industrial methods have provided wealth inconceivably abundant.

Forty years ago many business men were possessed of the idea that they could prosper only as they took business away from their competitor.

The fact is that the capacity of the human race to consume and consequently to produce has never been fathomed. Nobody can bound the possibilities of consumption.

The man who predicted that the money value of products manufactured in the United States would increase six times in 20 years would have been considered a lunatic. Yet that happened between 1899 and 1919 and the present rate of growth is even faster.

America has expanded miraculously because we are at last recognizing the fact that there is room enough for all. We have proved that high wages pay handsome dividends. We have seen the prosperity of one establishment open opportunities for others in the same industry. There is no room for jealousy or destructive competition.

A great thing has happened. The material advantages of a decency have been demonstrated and a wide and promising vista has been opened. This, too, is America's gift to the world.—Collier's Weekly.

A girl in Oklahoma advertised for a husband and got him. The total expense for advertising, wedding outfit and so forth was nine dollars. He died within a year, leaving her a life insurance policy of \$11,000. And yet there are some dealers who say it does not pay to advertise.—Louisiana Motorist.



HOME MADE CANDY
Cold Drinks and Cigars
Complete Line of School Supplies
PAMPA CONFECTIONERY

SANITARY BARBERSHOP

—first class Barber Work Baths and Laundry Agency

WISE & BROWN

SALESMANSHIP VS. ORDER TAKING

Paul Ivey of the University of Nebraska tells it. Says he: "I went into a store and asked for a hammer. The salesman brought me a hammer and said: 'That's a mighty fine hammer. You can't go wrong on it.' I looked it over and waited for him to tell me something about it. 'That's a mighty fine hammer. That's a real hammer. We sell lots of 'em.' "I looked it over again. 'That's a mighty fine hammer' he said, 'a real hammer. You'll like it. We sell lots of 'em.' "And then," says Ivey, "I went and got a mail order catalog and in it I found an attractive picture of a hammer and the following description of it: 'This hammer is made of the best crucible steel, full nickle plated. The face and claws are tempered just right for service and the claws are split to a fine point. They grip firmly and will not break. The handle is made of selected second growth hickory, mahogany finish, and is fastened in with iron wedges so that it will not work loose.' "

That's the difference between the order taker and the salesman—the difference between good and poor advertising. The average ladies' shop will say: "We are showing an exquisite line of fall modes." Another ad will read "Our fall wraps set off woman's charms." Ask the women which advertisement has the strongest pull.—Inland Printer.

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A new high level in peace time membership of the American Junior Red Cross is recorded for 1925—its ranks numbering 5,738,618 school girls and boys—a gain of 142,000.

This unique and powerful children's organization started as a war measure, but today is one of the greatest influences for peace ever known. An increasing participation in local programs of service has featured their year's growth. It is indicated that to a greater degree than ever pupils in the schools are performing individual and collective acts of service in a true Red Cross spirit.

The success of the Junior swimming program, launched last year through co-operation of the Life-Saving Service of the Red Cross, has led to a determination to make it a regular feature of both these branches.

An outstanding feature of the Juniors' work this year was the participation for the first time of a Junior Red Cross worker in the disaster relief operations following the tornado in Missouri, Illinois, and Indiana. Schools in many more fortunate localities displayed a keen interest in sending toys and books for the use of the children in the disaster area.

The Junior Red Cross program has flourished not alone in settled communities, but has been extended to Indian schools, and to native Alaskan schools where many Eskimo children undertook Junior work. In addition the international correspondence between schools is proving more and more popular. American schools are now corresponding with those in thirty-four countries.

Strong Membership Appeal in Red Cross Disaster Relief

Asking themselves "What if disaster should visit our city?" the leading citizens of many communities of the United States have adopted the Scout motto to "Be Prepared."

Impressed by the frequency and the wide range of peace time calamities in their country, they have organized their communities with the thoroughness which normal conditions permit, and the possibility of a time when there will be no chance for thought or plan. Red Cross chapters in many localities are similarly prepared.

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WATER SPORTS SAFER FOR RED CROSS WORK

Expert Life-Savers and Many Thousand Swimmers Reduce Annual Water Toll.

Water sports in the United States have never been so safe as they are today, a survey of the work done by Life-Saving experts of the American Red Cross in the past year indicates.

Thousands of adults and young people were taught to swim proficiently by these experts during this period. In addition, 5,681 men, 4,187 women, and 12,024 juniors successfully passed the rigid tests of the Life Saving Service of the Red Cross. The total thus trained during the year—22,892—is 5,041 more than last year's results. The total membership of the Life Saving Corps of the Red Cross on June 30 was 72,810 persons.

Meeting the demand for qualified instructors and counselors in these camps, are the college men and women of the country, many devoting whole or part of their annual vacation periods to this field. Meeting the need of standardized instruction in Life-Saving, First-Aid, and kindred subjects, the American Red Cross conducted nine First-Aid and Life-Saving Camp Institutes this year with a total attendance of more than 600. In Maine, Massachusetts, New York, North Carolina, Indiana, Wisconsin, Oregon, and California. Representatives of Red Cross Chapters, summer camps, life guards at municipal pools and beaches, directors of physical education in schools, and others of this calibre made-up the student body.

A number of city or regional institutions were conducted also during the winter at indoor pools to develop local experts. The aquatic school conducted by the New York Chapter was especially successful. It is stated, inspired by this system, many camps, pools, bathing beaches, etc., have adopted in whole or in part, the Red Cross Life-Saving and water-safety program. In the New England states alone, more than 100 camps employ counselors trained in these methods. A partial survey indicates more than 20 cities using the Red Cross instructor as a minimum requirement for their municipal life guards. Educational institutions have turned to it with enthusiasm.

The widespread instruction besides creating well-qualified numbers of expert life-savers, is developing a vast body of Americans who are at home in the water. All contribute to safety the year-round, by swimming in or recognizing all-year sport today, records show.

The danger to water swimmers is ever-present however where proper safeguards are not taken and to women the valuable Red Cross service is one of the reasons why its increased membership in the Red Cross is urged. The Annual Roll Call, during which the opportunity to assist all Red Cross work in many lines of endeavor is extended, will be held from December 1st to Thanksgiving, November 21-25.

Large Volunteer Work of Red Cross
Volunteers under the Red Cross all over the United States are doing constantly for others, among their products being more than 90 per cent of the strangle reaching matter for the blind, and a vast production of clothing and surgical dressings.

SELLING TEXAS TO TEXANS

By Phebe K. Warner

A few days ago I was strolling down the streets of Chicago. Mr. William Bush of Amarillo and Chicago was chaperoning me through the Wall Street-of-the-Windy-City-on-the-lake-shore. True, I was just getting the outside view of Wall Street. Its commercial skyscrapers, its monuments of stone and brick. Some time we turned a corner and suddenly I came to a standstill in front of a Panhandle scene. I had not noticed the name of the place. But a home-like sensation came over me as my eyes caught a glimpse of a big stalk of cotton, a watermelon and a huge pumpkin. And to my complete surprise when I read the card on the cotton it said "From the farm of W. P. Bennett, Claude, Armstrong County, Texas. Below the cotton was a row of fine white corn with a like card on it. And would you believe it? I felt like shaking hands with him, my home county, and one of my home people.

Oh, yes, it was a real estate office. But why not? Could there be a better place for a Texas real estate office than in the center of the business district of the second largest city on this continent? Is there a place anywhere where more opportunities are going to waste for life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness than right here in Texas? And where will you find a place where more people are stacked up on top of one another than in the city of Chicago? It simply looks foolish to a Texas citizen to see folks so crowded as they are in Chicago and know there is so much good soil going to waste in Texas. Soil just as good as Illinois soil and just as valuable as Illinois soil was 75 years ago. Seventy-five years ago Chicago was not much larger than Memphis, Wellington, Mundy, Greenville, Delhart or Big Springs. It was not as large as many of our West Texas county seats. In 1871 when Chicago was almost swept away by fire the city was not much larger than some of our West Texas cities. But what has made Chicago the commercial and the human beehive it is today? The development of the country for 2,000 miles on every side save the lake shore side, and even that side has been one of her greatest assets. Chicago hasn't anything that Texas does not have. Neither has Illinois.

Our development and our growth is merely a question of time just as the growth of Illinois and Chicago has been. But there is one thing we will all have to help do in Texas before we can rank with Chicago in skyscrapers and commerce. We will have to sell Texas to Texans first of all. We will have to get better acquainted with the immensity of our own State. We will have to stop using our money to develop every industry in the nation except our own. We will have to do more for our own roads and our people first. This is no lack of national patriotism. This is merely a little bit of Glen Frank's idea of selfishness. How can Texas do her best for the Nation and the world until she makes the very best State of herself and her people and her children? That should be our job first of all as a State of five million men, women and children. Are we doing it? Yes, we are working at the job a little. But we are doing more for the people outside of Texas than we are for the people inside of Texas. Look at the money Texas spends in Colorado every year going to school and sight-seeing. And the very first gallon of gas a man buys after he crosses the Colorado line he begins to help build up the roads he wears out sight-seeing. We keep our rural children out of

school to pick cotton so that the railroads and the people of hundreds of other parts of the country may have big business when we ought to do more diversified farming that the children can do before and after school that would bring a pay check every week into the home and keep the children in school. Then we waste about half of our school year on empty seats, the same as we waste about half or three-fourths of the preacher's salary every Sunday night on empty seats.

What we need in Texas most of all is to get a good case of Texas fever right here at home. We need more boosters for Texas in Texas as well as in Chicago. One of the strange things is to find many people outside of Texas who know more about our big country—people who are making a closer study of its soil and its rainfall and its schools and its products than hundreds of thousands of our own folks. The world is full of homeless people. The pioneer spirit is not dead. The home instinct is as strong in human nature as it ever was. Folks love home and want domestic freedom today the same as they did when the Pilgrim Fathers crossed the Atlantic. But there are more temptations to stay in the old States than there used to be. Oh, these old States are so full of comforts. The people and the towns are so close together it is easier to scare up a crowd. You can go to market with your live stock in less time. But it did not used to be that way. My uncle used to haul his oats to Chicago in a wagon, 120 miles away. But every load of oats he took to Chicago and every carpet, vest and pair of shoes he brought home to his family helped to build Chicago! Listen, folks! Texas should be and will be long before another half century the Illinois of the Southwest. And do we dare say it? Houston will soon be the Chicago of the Southwest just as Chicago is the commercial center of the Northwest. Why not? Nature has designed it that way. All we need to do is to work and pull for our own Texas. All the possibilities are here that are centered around the city on the Great Lakes. But what we need most of all to bring this day to pass in our day is a closer unity of purpose within our own borders. A better understanding right here at home of our opportunities to not only serve ourselves but out State and the whole world. We need a more heart-felt interest in everything good and great in all Texas. We need to be ready to boost the whole State and not just our particular corner of Texas. There are enough people in the old States needing homes of their own to almost fill all parts of Texas if they only knew about our country. And if the day ever comes when all Texas is thoroughly SOLD to its own people then we will not have to import foreigners by the ship load to settle on our vacant land. There will be millions of Americans seeking our broad Plains and sunny skies.

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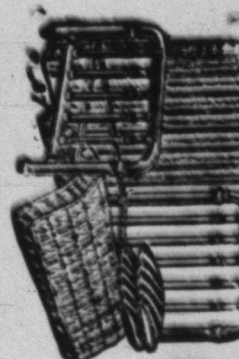
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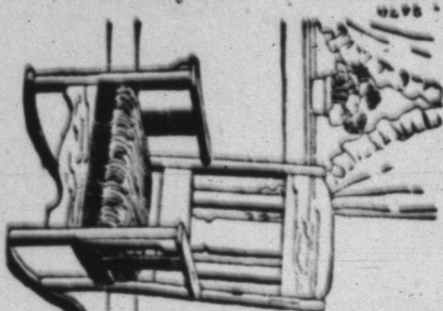


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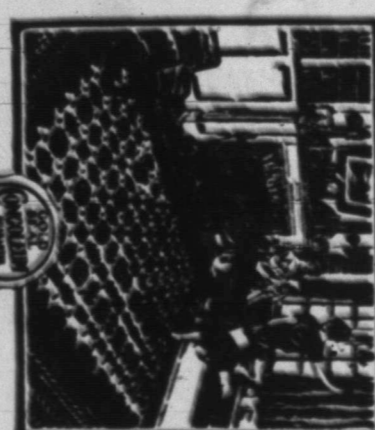
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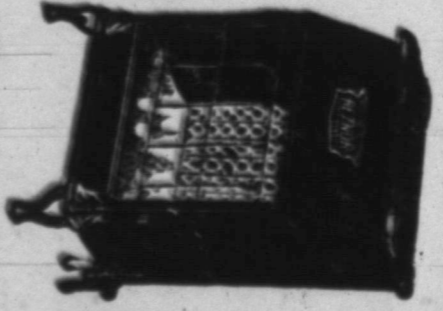


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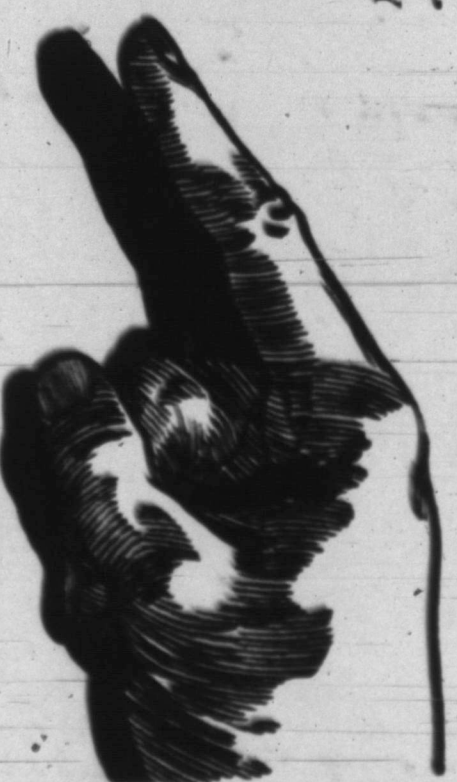
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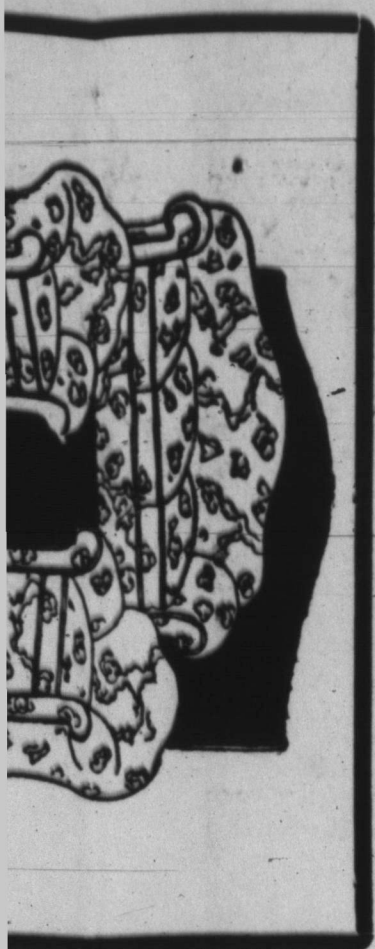
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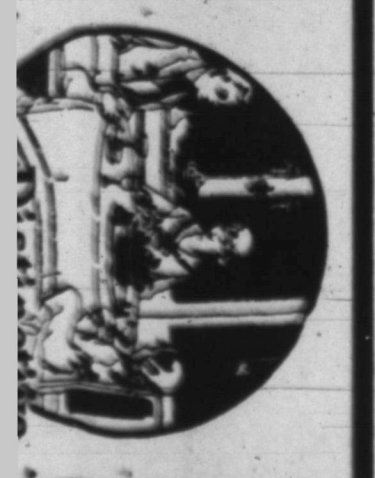
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CURRENT COMMENT

By J. H. LOWRY

I am not given to homilies, but, like most mortals, I occasionally fall into a mood that makes me want to preach, and when I do I can't get back to normalcy—perhaps—santly—until preach. Like all other people, I sometimes, when alone, try to think seriously, and at such times I find myself asking, "What should be life's highest ambition; what should men and women seek to do and be in order to contribute most to their own peace of mind, the betterment of the world, and the sum total of human happiness? I do not answer that question now as I would have answered it in days gone by. At the age of 20, no doubt, I would have said that man's highest ambition should be to dress well and be a social lion. At 30 I would have said man's highest ambition should be to make for himself a great name and write his name in glowing letters upon the scroll of fame. At 40 I began to think that he had wrought best who had builded a plethoric bank account and barred his door safely against entrance of poverty. But with youth past, and the serene and yellow leaf approaching, I have reached the conclusion that the greatest, the highest ambition of man should be to be friendly—friendly toward all of God's creatures—and if I may be permitted to say it, I am now trying hard to practice that very thing.

To be friendly means to feel and manifest an unselfish interest in all. Some of us have not the means to show our friendly feeling in a material way. We would like to banish the pinch of poverty, make a comfortable environment for those to whom fate has been unkind, and place educational advantages within the reach of those without means, but our purses are too slim to permit great activity in these laudable undertakings, and we perhaps can not do more than sympathize. But we can be friendly. We can speak a friendly word that will curl frowns of despair into smiles of hope, and show a friendly sympathy that will kiss away the tears from sorrow's cheeks. In some way—to some a way that is large and broad, to others a way that seems small and insignificant, all may find an outlet for a manifestation of the spirit of friendliness. I am not accustomed to introducing the words of others here, but I just read in a western paper a paragraph so well attuned to my present mood that I beg permission to present it:

"Men love wife and children and intimate friends. But love so confined and made exclusive lacks the social instinct. We must love our fellow men in the mass. We must aspire to help the mass social movement toward a better world. Then life becomes useful in the broadest sense, and sweet peace, even in personal sorrows, will be our portion in life. The man whose ambition in life is to be helpful to others, when health and strength to cope with life's problems are his, will find like producing like, and when his hour in the dark valley comes, myriads of friends will be offering help and sympathy. And what a balm the sympathy of friends can be when the heart bleeds! He who ruthlessly tramples on others in his heartless climb to wealth and power must expect cold indifference and bleak isolation in his hour of grief. A great inevitable law of compensation forever rules the world. So he who would have a friend must be one."

I have in mind two men, whom I knew well both having passed on after living to a ripe old age. One seemed to care nothing for those about him, was hard to approach, and spoke only when it was necessary to drive a bargain or give a command. He made a great success, in a financial way. The other had a kind word and a friendly greeting for all. He spent much time at the bedside of the sick, or inquiring about their condition, and never failed to attend a funeral and speak gently to those in sorrow. Both were ill many months before the golden bowl of life was broken and the spirit was called from the tenement of clay. One had few visitors at his couch of pain, and few stopped to ask regarding his condition. The other, though he had gathered parting gifts of the world's goods, was soothed and comforted by the presence of many friends, and the entire populace asked day by day how he had fared.

That one is not only repaid for friendliness given in return. The richest reward is the consciousness of knowing that one has been a real friend to all, and rendered a helpful service. If we may know, as life's sunset approaches and life to us becomes a fading shadow, that our words and deeds have not been like knives that gash, or as the sting of scorpions, but rather as balm to broken hearts and water to the thirsty—yes, if we may know that an aching heart has ceased to throb, or an eye

has shone with new lustre where a tea drop stood, or a weary fellow-traveler has been cheered along a rugged way by words, or smiles, or handclaps of ours, there will come to our hearts a joy that material things and ministrations can not give as life's evening falls.

Progress and Luxury

As the wheels of progress turn we go deeper into luxury—and debt. This is about the order in which most of the people, especially those in the cities and towns, have turned their backs on drudgery and plunged into luxury the last three decades:

- 1890—Quit bathing in a wash tub and bought a bath tub.
- 1892—Threw aside the candles and lamps and put in electric lights.
- 1896—Quit running all over town to gossip and subscribed for a telephone.
- 1902—Threw away the old broom and bought an electric carpet sweeper.
- 1904—Bought an electric washing machine and electric iron.
- 1910—Put in sewerage.
- 1912—Bought a phonograph.
- 1920—Bought a Ford car.
- 1924—Swapped the Ford for a Buick.
- 1924—Had to have a radio.
- 1925—Put in natural gas.
- 1925—Just dying for a Cadillac.

And still our bank accounts are just as they were 30 years ago—overdrawn. We don't know what inventive genius will bring forth next, but whatever it is we'll have to have it. We don't have to work so hard now to make a living, but we have to work a little harder than ever before to pay for the things that save us work.

November! Think of it! Pumpkin pies, persimmon beer, new country sausages, fat possum and candied yams, spare ribs and back bones, Thanksgiving turkey and all its concomitant glories! And yet only a few weeks ago we were all covered with prickly heat and swearing life wasn't worth living. It was awful, but as surely as Italy lies beyond the Alps so does November follow summer's awful roasting. Knowing this, I am perfectly willing to live through another summer.

A neighbor who is nursing a very "bad cold" complains that he doesn't care for anything to eat, and that everything he tries to eat tastes just alike. I sympathize with the sufferer, of course, but would remind him that since one thing tastes as good and as bad as another, he should seize this splendid opportunity to eat all of his squashes, carrots and parsnips. This may be the only opportunity he will ever have to devour these things without punishing his taste and doing violence to his innards.

Political fame is largely a matter of climbing up on an eminence so that the crowd can throw mud at you.

DOINGS IN WEST TEXAS

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Sagerton.—The Southwest precinct of Haskell County voted bonds in the sum of \$100,000 for hard surfacing the highways through this corner of the county.

Clovis, N. M.—This city was able to greatly reduce city taxes by the sale of the water and light plant which has been municipally owned, to a private corporation. City taxation has been reduced from \$64,050 to \$33,499 as a result of the sale.

Baird.—Callahan County now has a county farm demonstration agent. Farmers and townspeople of the entire county joined in petitioning the commissioners' court of the county to appropriate the necessary funds to secure the work and the court allowed the petition.

Littlefield.—This town claims to have more memberships in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce per capita than any town in West Texas. B. P. Bennett who was here this week secured 62 memberships here and was told to call again if that was not enough. Littlefield is awake to the benefits derived from loyal support of the organization and is unanimously behind the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Robert Lee.—A big irrigation meeting was held here Nov. 13. Eminent men in irrigation were here and high officials of the Orient Railroad were present to encourage the project. A Lincoln Fellowes, head of the United States Reclamation Bureau, made the principal talk. The project here is located on the Colorado River, and is potentially one of the greatest projects of the country. It will be entirely located in Coke County.

Floydada.—A direct highway from Post through Floydada to Clarendon connecting the Glacier to Gulf with the Colorado to Gulf is now assured. Crosby county has let the contract.

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for the road down the cap rock leading to Post. This road will be a great asset to Floydada as well as a convenience to tourists.

Midland.—The ordinary "pie melon" which grows wild throughout West Texas is the best medium known with which to poison rabbits. Experiments here have demonstrated this fact. Farmers of the Midland country are being urged to haul in and preserve these melons for use in fighting the pests. The melons ordinarily considered valueless are meeting with ready sale for this purpose.

"SOME POTATOES"

Some time last summer L. H. Johnson, who lives 12 miles west of town planted a patch of ground to sweet potatoes. He did not pay much attention to the vines, and owing to the dry weather, he just supposed that they had amounted to nothing. A few days ago he decided to do a little fall plowing, and it so happened that he decided to break his potato patch. He had scarcely put his plow into the ground until it hit a "snag." He loosened the plow and tried again, and he hit another "snag." He began to wonder how the snags managed to get into his potato patch, so he got a shovel and a grubbing hoe and began to investigate. He soon discovered that the "snags" were nothing more than enormous Porto Rico Yams. By using his shovel, hoe and plow, he managed to dig out several, one of which

weighed 6 1-4 pounds. He is now selling them by the dozen, as he has discovered that it takes only 12 to make a bushel. Next!—Scurry County Times-Signal.

see a few of our little tubers that require two men to load one on a wagon.—Lynn County News.

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ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Miss Donna Lee Stroope delightfully entertained a number of friends Saturday evening, in honor of Herman Whatley. Forty-two and other games were enjoyed and delicious refreshments of hot chocolate, cherry pie with whip cream were served the following guests: Vera Cruz, Lull Peters, Juanita Montgomery, Ethel Wilson, Susie Mae Meador, Emma Lasater, Helen Anderson, Euritha Henry, Ruth Henry, and Ernest Medkief, Calvin Whatley, Robert Montgomery and Geo. Hodges the latter of Miami, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Irvin of Perryton and the honor guest, Herman Whatley.

W. M. U.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met Wednesday in their general monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. S. Barrett. The house was beautifully decorated with autumn colors. The business session was in charge of the president, Mrs. W. B. Henry, and this was followed by a contest. Mrs. H. R. Whatley resigned as vice president and Mrs. Tom Lane was elected to fill the vacancy. A program in Royal Service was led by Mrs. J. E. Seltz. As this was the last meeting which Mrs. Whatley would be able to attend, the ladies presented her with a gold W. M. U. pin as a token of love and esteem. Delicious refreshments of pie, whip cream and coffee were served the 38 persons present.

WAYSIDE CLUB

The Wayside Club met Tuesday with Mrs. George Inman as hostess. A business meeting was held for the purpose of planning the social Friday night at the home of Mrs. Keahy. The members received a letter from Mrs. L. R. Taylor, saying she was well and would be home soon. Hominy was made during the afternoon. Eight members were served sandwiches, tea, and doughnuts. The next meeting will be held Dec. 1 with Mrs. F. J. Hudgel.

L. T. D. CLUB

The L. T. D. Club met with Mesdames John and Ewing Williams at the home of Mrs. W. C. Archer last Thursday afternoon. A short business session was held, when it was decided to entertain the husbands Thanksgiving even at the J. N. Duncan home. After several musical selections were given by Mrs. Ralph Arnold, delicious refreshments were served the following: Mesdames Walter Coffee, S. C. Pearson, Roger McConnell, B. A. Lippold, Ralph Arnold, J. Wade Duncan, Raymond Harrah, John A. Williams, Ewing Williams and one guest, Miss Anna Horn of White Deer. The next regular meeting will be held with Mrs. Raymond Harrah.

KINGSMILL GIRLS CLUB

The Kingsmill Girls Club met last Friday morning at the school house. Miss Seelbach gave a talk on poultry and new officers were then elected as follows: President—Effie Cobb. Secretary—Madaline Gantz. Reporter—Floy Stanard. The next meeting will be held the second Friday in December.

BAZAAR SATURDAY

The W. M. S. bazaar will be held Saturday at the W. P. Davis Hardware store. The ladies have been working unusually hard for several months preparing things which they hope will please the public. Lunch will be served at noon. There will be fancywork, plain sewing, novelties, candy, cooked food, baby and doll clothes offered for sale. Your patronage is solicited.

FOR LIMITED TIME ONLY

For the next few days we can offer a year's subscription to the Amarillo Daily News and a year's subscription to the Pampa News, both for \$5.00. This is a genuine bargain.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland of Miami were Pampa visitors Tuesday.

LOCAL GOSSIP

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Martin and baby of White Deer, visited at the J. S. Bothin home Sunday.

Rev. B. J. Osborn and Rev. Cecil Fox returned Monday from the Methodist Conference at Canyon. Rev. Osborn was returned to Pampa for another year, and Rev. Fox was assigned the Aspermont circuit.

Mesdames G. C. Walstad and Tom Rose were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weimar Tolbert and daughters, Burton and Mildred, spent Monday in Amarillo, visiting Mr. Tolbert's cousin, Dr. R. D. Gist, and family.

I have moved my cream station and shoe shop to the first door south of the Pampa Drug store. Bring me your cream and shoe work. C. E. Shelton. 34-21c

G. C. Malone was an Amarillo visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. R. B. Thompson, Miss Bernice Whiteley and Miss Mollie Bird Richey were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

The Pipkin Produce Company wants to skin you—wants all your chickens, eggs and hides. 51-11c

The ladies of the Methodist church will serve Thanksgiving dinner in the new church basement next Thursday. The menu will be as follows: Turkey and chicken with dressing and gravy, candied sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, salads of various kinds, cranberry sauce, peas, relishes, pie and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Davis Sr. of Amarillo, visited Dave and Clem Davis and families on Armistice Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bock left Sunday for Amarillo, where they expect to make their home. Mrs. Bock has been an active worker in the Christian church, and will be greatly missed. The ladies of the church gave her a fruit shower at the home of Mrs. De Lea Vicars a few days prior to her departure.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fox and daughter, Laura Mae, left Thursday for Aspermont to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Fox have many friends in Pampa who regret to have them leave, but wish them well in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coffee spent Sunday with relatives and friends in White Deer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clem Davis spent last weekend in Amarillo visiting Mrs. C. J. Cooper.

Mrs. A. Cole went to Amarillo Monday evening to attend a luncheon given in honor of Miss Rebecca Stickley, given by Mrs. Dr. Dawson Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cates were Amarillo visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cook of Perryton, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Frasher.

Lee Banks returned the latter part of last week from a business trip to Wichita Falls and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Irvin of Perryton were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stroope.

Mrs. L. C. McMurry and son, Lawrence, were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson and children of Perryton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Johnson of this city.

STOP! LOOK! For what? Box support? Where? Perryton school house. When? Saturday night, Nov. 28. By the way—everyone welcome. 11-11c

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS
The City tax rolls are now completed, and the collector is ready to receive taxes. The collector's office will be in the west end of the Gray County Bank building.
F. P. REID, Mayor.

To Our Friends and Patrons:
Owing to poor collections we are compelled to run on a strictly cash basis. Please keep this in mind and it will be appreciated. 32-41c
Pampa Shoe and Harness Shop.

NOTICE
The Senior Class of '26 will present Dr. Luey at the school auditorium Monday night, Nov. 23, at 7:30 p. m. The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward buying a program clock for the High School, as the gift of the Senior class. ALFRED GILLILAND, President Senior Class of '26.

The BULL'S EYE
Editor and General Manager WILL ROGERS



I see where some of the Foreign Nations say they are going to FUND their debt to America, and all the Papers are all excited about it. But the BULL'S EYE is a Paper that never misleads our readers (either one of them). FUNDING a debt means about the same thing as having a fellow that has owed you for years, come to you and say "I am going to make arrangements to take up that loan I owe you just as soon as I can collect it from some fellows who owe me." So don't by any means get FUNDING mixed up with PAYING. The two have nothing in common. These Nations are just stalling until another War comes along and the first thing you know our debt will be four Wars behind. We have enough saved up to fight again, but they are using it now to enforce Prohibition.

Oh, yes, "BULL" DURHAM. I like to forget to mention that. Well, that is what the Foreign Nations are paying us in. "BULL" DURHAM without the DURHAM.

Will Rogers
P. S. There is going to be another piece in this paper soon. Look for it.



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VELVET IS TRIUMPHANT NOTE IN MILLINERY'S LOVELINESS



IN AUGUST we slipped easily out of summer fells and into little felt and velvets hats in colorings that forecast fall, and these two themes with many variations have dominated the overture to winter millinery. This overture is leading up to a rich and brilliant climax with a new theme that velveteens fells and velvets to second place. Velvet is the triumphant new entry, launched at the opening displays of winter headgear and scheduled to introduce much splendor into winter modes.

Velvet brings in its company gold and other metallic effects, elaboration in trimmings, and lends itself to beautiful drapery. It is combined with felt and velvets and it is also used independently of them—the "splendor" due to women's hats expression by its use and its colors are glowing with purple and gold, like those of the Egyptians. All of which connotes the experienced observer that a great variety of trimmings will find place on our winter hats—plumage, flowers, painting, and ornaments.

Four out of five new examples of millinery loveliness pictured here are mainly made of velvet, beginning with

a small turban at the upper left of the group. It is covered with velvet and trimmed with two crushed loops of it—one of them in a lighter color. A knot and two ends make a finish of excellent craftsmanship. A new and favored color combination is that of black prince (a dark brown) and light pleasant color; of warm brown and pleasant, purple and fuchsia red, black and royal blue are featured. Below the turban is a small hat with velvet crown and trim of metallic cloth bound with velvet. Soft little feather quills, in three different colors mounted with colored ribbon, furnish its garniture. Above at the right, a felt hat in warm tan has a brown and gold collar and brown binding. The crown is studded in triangles which are fastened back to the brain, revealing ornate quills. The velvet hat below it in two colors takes note of the color's art, showing square patches of dark velvet set in the light, soft crown. Tonal folds of moire ribbon finish it. The velvet garnish hat at the bottom has a gleaming collar of velvet moire fabric finished with a small row of the same.

Getting Into the Game

By J. A. WALDRON

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"I WISH papa had less money," said Marjorie Paxton to Guy Martin. They had met by plan clandestinely, against parents' wishes, but they were in love. "He would be more reasonable about you, dear, if he had less!"

"Well, I've got enough money for us to start on, darling. If you want to take a chance with me."

"Oh, no! I just couldn't elope, or anything like that! We must wait. If I dared tell him we're really engaged, you might have Thanksgiving dinner with us!"

"Small chance of that, little girl! Thanksgiving is only a few weeks away!"

"But who knows? Really, though, how much money have you, dear?"

"They were having luncheon in a quiet restaurant. Marjorie, as she asked the question, sipped her tea daintily. He adored every tiny movement her rare grace formulated.

"Well, I could raise twenty thousand dollars on a pinch, from what has been left me. And I think I have a knack of getting along."

"Of course you have! But twenty thousand dollars! Papa would call that 'chicken feed'! Why, only last night, at dinner, when he had Mr. Strong, one of his partners in business, they talked of spending twenty million dollars on one spot!"

"Some spot, I should say."

"They are quietly buying that block on Green, Hudson, Clinton and Vander streets for a new soap factory—one of the largest in the world!"

"Soap! What wonders are achieved in thy name! Well, little girl—my little girl!—we shall wait a while, as you wish. But we can't wait forever, you know!"

Two weeks afterward, having sent in his card, Guy waited in the ante-room of the elaborate offices of the Universal Soap corporation of which Hiram Paxton was president. Guy hardly expected courtesy, but he was asked in.

Hiram Paxton swung in his easy chair and faced his visitor. "Well, young man, what is it?" he asked raspingly.

"I want to marry your daughter Marjorie," Guy bluntly replied.

"You do, eh? Rather ambitious. What is your vocation, if the question is not impertinent?"

"I'm experimenting, sir. Haven't yet fixed upon what I may really do."

"A dilly-dallier, eh? Well, young man, my daughter, for whom I have ambitious plans, may think something of you. I should worry about it if I were not convinced that a girl's fancy is ephemeral. I heard you play the piano and sing to her one evening when neither of you knew I was in the house. A mere girl thinks a lot about such things. I have casually asked her about you, though with no desire whatever that you should become my son-in-law. She says you are also a beautiful dancer. And possibly you play games as well—say poker, for instance?"

"Oh, I have played poker in a strictly social environment. And I also play tennis, golf and bridge."

"Ah! Quite accomplished! Apparently a young man of leisure. But from my slight knowledge of the arts in which you assume to be proficient, I doubt if you ever become a virtuoso in any of them. Doubtless you imagine that you can take the place of Paderewski—who has become a politician—as a pianist?"

"Oh, no, sir."

"Possibly you think you can be a Curson?"

"Hardly. I'm a baritone."

"Maybe you can dance as well as some of the persons who are said to command large salaries in that field?"

"Mr. Paxton, you'll excuse me—I'm an amateur in all those things. And I have no ambition for public applause."

"Then what is your bent?"

"I'm thinking of going into real estate."

"Going into? Is good!" Hiram laughed contentedly.

"But one has to start in anything, you know."

Hiram's laugh became raucous. "Say, young man, I'm busy, but I want to give you a pointer. You've heard of Wall Street sharks?"

"In a general way."

"Well, they're simply snuffish compared with the species in real estate. I'll tell you something: My company has been trying to get hold of a certain block on the West side of town where tax improvement has kept the prices low. We worked quietly, and bought three-quarters of the block, only to find that the most desirable quarter had been tied up on an option. There's no record of the matter yet, and we can't imagine who the devil could have got wind of our plans. You see what an excellent opportunity you have to get into real estate!"

"In the language of the Street, you mean what they call a 'fat chance'?"

"Exactly that. A fat chance."

"Well, Mr. Paxton, I'm the one who tied up that quarter of the block. I hold the option."

Exactly

"Why did you never marry, Smith?" "I thought several times of doing so, but finally decided not to."

"The victory of mind over matrimony, so to speak."—Boston Transcript.

SOCIETY NOTES

CHRISTIAN LADIES CIRCLE

The Ladies Circle of the Christian church met Wednesday afternoon in the country home of Mrs. Charles L. Thomas. The meeting was well attended, and deep interest manifested in the work of the Circle. The immediate plans for the future call for a bazaar to be held on Saturday, Dec. 12. The place will be decided upon at a later date.

At the conclusion of the business session a delightful social hour was engaged in, after which the hostess served dainty and delicious refreshments.

ELABORATE LUNCHEON

"Once upon a time," so this story should begin, for that is the way all fairy stories of beautiful damsels being sought and won by fair knights, and all the wonderful festivities that attended the prenuptial affairs always ran.

It was truly a scene of fairyland that greeted the favored guests who were invited to the formal announcement of the engagement of Miss Rebecca Stickley of Canadian, and Hon. Marvin Jones, Congressman from the Eighteenth Congressional district, which was given by Mrs. L. V. Dawson, formerly of Canadian, at the Amarillo Hotel Tuesday in the form of an elaborate 1 o'clock luncheon.

The private dining-room of the new Hotel Amarillo recently completed was chosen as the center of festivities. The tables by a square, enclosed a sunken garden effect of tall palms, India rubber plants, spargani and other hot house shrubbery with mammoth growing pale lavender and yellow chrysanthemums, their exquisite beauty shining amidst the dark greenery like stars in summer sky. Wicker canary bird cages were concealed amidst the shrubbery and a continuous serenade was kept up throughout the entire luncheon as if they too, were trying to express the joy they felt on this occasion.

The guests were arranged on the outer edge of the tables and the center edges were garlanded with bright green smilax and at every brief space a circle of white swans held masses of yellow and lavender chrysanthemums with maiden-hair fern and sprays of smilax. Lavender and yellow candles burned softly in silver and crystal holders and at the four corners were caught lavender and yellow streamers of silk tulle and tied into butterfly bows extending to the chandeliers toward the center. Place cards were tiny kewpies with bride's bouquets and daisy markers of yellow narcissus completed the charming table arrangements, and throughout the entire dining-room palms and fern baskets made a most artistic setting. An orchestra played throughout the luncheon and the canaries sang as if they intended the orchestra should not claim all the musical honors.

Shortly after the entire Miss Eleanor Rider arose and paid a most beautiful tribute to the lovely honor guest and her affianced husband, drawing a charming comparison between the Biblical story of Abraham who sent his servant back to his old home to secure a lovely bride for his son Isaac, and was cautioned that he would know the right one by a beautiful damsel who would come to the well to draw water, finding Rebecca when he arrived there.

Mrs. I. D. Cole as the next to "toast" the bride-to-be and in a most appropriate poem voiced the good luck of the honoree and offered a word of encouragement to a number of girls present.

Mrs. H. C. Phipps read a beautiful poem from the pen of Laura Elizabeth



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SMITHS MOST NUMEROUS AT STATE UNIVERSITY

Austin, Texas.—Smith's once more lead the list in the number of students of that name enrolled in the University of Texas, with 55 representatives. The family name of Johnson comes second with 38 representatives. Rivaling in their importance are the names of Williams and Moore, each being claimed by 27 collegiates. With a marked decrease in the occurrence of the names of John and Mary Smith as there are only two of each this year. Fifty of the Smiths are from Austin. Are Smith's more ambitious than students of other names? Eight of the students answering to this name are graduate students, six are potential engineers, while five are studying law.

Geo. E. Morrison and C. L. Hasie of the firm of Morrison & Hasie civil engineers, with offices at Dallas and Memphis, were visitors in this city this week. They had heard that Pampa contemplated some street paving in the not distant future, and were here to solicit the engineering if such work was in prospect.

No money, no account, no reference means no advertising for strange concerns in this paper.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving.

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Some newspapers over the state are broadcasting that they refuse advertising which is in competition with local firms. Some of these newspapers have discovered that they are violating the postal laws by doing so. A newspaper is classed as a public utility. It must have a definite and set rate for its subscriptions and for its advertising. It must accept advertising from all classes alike at the same rate. Dry goods advertising, whether from the home town or Honolulu must be accepted. Advertising may be rejected as a class or if in the opinion of the publisher it is questionable or fraudulent in nature. A public utility is made to serve the public generally, and so long as the customer pays his account the public utility must render the service for which it is created. In many instances a newspaper has published advertisements which did not agree with the editorial policy, but the publisher has no choice in the matter. —Randall County News.

Rutter, who is also from Canadian. Mrs. Rutter's poem told of Texas' lovely blossoms, but that Congressman Jones had plucked the choicest flower of them all.

The luncheon was a most delectable and perfectly prepared menu, which included several courses in heart-shaped receptacles and patty shells, carrying out the wedding suggestions. —Amarillo Daily News.

Mrs. Dr. Cole of this city was a guest at the luncheon.

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FOR SALE — PURE BRED MAMmoth Bronze turkeys, toms \$6, hens \$4. Mrs. Alta Stanard, Kingsmill, Texas. Phone 90172. 30-1tc

FOR RENT—THREEROOM APARTment, about Oct. 10. See C. L. Mulien. 28-1tc

CHRISTMAS CARDS — OUR SAMPLES have arrived and are beautiful. Drop in and make your selection and get first choice. The Pampa News, 11 LIST YOUR OIL LEASES, FARM and city property with C. S. Rice for quick action. Located in Kinison & Walker's new barber shop. 1tc

RUBBER STAMPS—IF IT IS RUBber stamps you want, The News can fix you up.

GOOD CLEAN BEDS AT THE TOURist camp, south of the railway track. Prices right—call any time of night. 4

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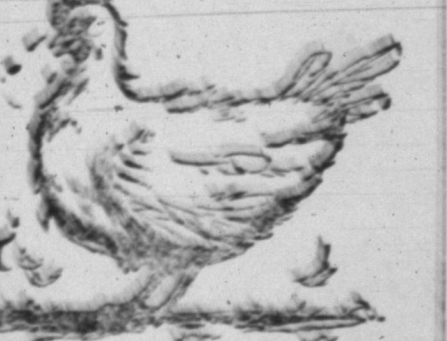
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