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CITY PROJECT FOR LOWER FIRE RATE

While the first concern of the new city waterworks extension and fire prevention project seeks to insure an adequate supply of water for all portions of the city and looks to the future, the fire prevention side of the project is more immediate in effects.

The project, now well under way, calls for the extension of water mains to many sections of the city now without adequate water supply or fire hydrants. The installation of these fire hydrants will mean a reduction in fire insurance rates to the city. The expansion project is made so as to cover the city thoroughly, the plan having been approved by State Fire Insurance department engineers. Thirteen new fire hydrants will be installed.

A reduction in fire rates will be possible because of the new waterworks pump and suction line to be installed in the waterworks department.

Still another reduction will be secured by the recent purchase of a new pumper fire truck at a cost of \$4,500.00. Retention of the old truck will help in the general rate reduction.

All told, our fire insurance rate is due for a substantial reduction from its present key rate of 48 cents to about 41 cents and will mean a good saving to the people of this city, better fire protection and a more efficient waterworks department.

Some sections of the city, paying penalty fire rates because of lack of adequate fire protection and fire hydrants, will benefit the most.

Range Plans

The 1939 Range Conservation practices will be substantially the same as that used in the 1938 program, official sources recently advised interested parties. Kinney County ranchers engaged in the 1938 range practices are making good progress and it is both profitable and successful. They drink only water.

Laughing Around the World With IRVIN S. COBB

Where Men Were Men

By IRVIN S. COBB

ACCORDING to Hap Ward it was in the old wide-open days. Into a barroom in Vancouver stalked a stranger of a formidable aspect and extensively hairy-over. On a chain he was dragging a half-grown mountain lion.

The creature was evidently newly-caught. It snarled and snapped and fought with its tether. Then, finding itself inside four walls, it grew desperate and crouched and, with claws and teeth out, leaped for the throat of its owner.

The woolly man struck it in mid-air with a brawny fist, knocked



it to the floor and kicked the beast into subjection while the awed barkeeper looked on. Then advancing to the bar he called for and drank in rapid succession three large and brimming glasses of raw whiskey.

As he was downing the third drink, a huge rattlesnake protruded its venomous head from the breast pocket of his coat, with its jaws gaping and its fangs exposed.

"Git back there where you belong," ordered the stranger, dealing his deadly pet a slap with the flat of his hand. Cowed, the monster crawled back into hiding.

"Gimme about three or four more slugs of that red-eye," commanded the newcomer.

"Mister," inquired the barkeeper in a respectful tone of voice, "Where do you come from?"

"Tombstone, Arizona," answered the other.

"Sort of. They made me leave there."

"Who made you leave there?"

"Them fellers in Tombstone. They run me and a lot of other cake-eaters out of town—claimed we was sissified."

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Range Newslets

Norther Comes

After some West Texas ranchers and private trappers had failed to catch a double "peg-leg" coyote which caused hundreds of dollars damage to live-stock, an unknown and un-named government trapper snared and trapped him after short study of the animal's habits. At a coyote is brainy is born out by this story: The coyote, watched by a woodsman was seen to get rid of his fleas by biting a piece of moss from a tree, then backing slowly into the waters of a nearby creek until only his nose and moss were visible, and when the fleas had jumped to the moss he let it go and came out of the water wet but flealess. It has been proved you can make a pet out of any kind of animal, showing animals are no so particular. Many fish outlive man, but then

of cold in it. While the norther did not do any good amount of damage, it did not do any good to ranges, which have not done any too well in the past few months under drought conditions. So far this season, we have not had a prolonged spell of cold weather—or rain. It has on the whole been more like August summer weather. Up to the middle of November gardens presented a summer appearance.

HUNTING SEASON IN FULL SWING

NEWS MEMORIES OF THE YEAR 1906

(Brackett News, Nov. 23, 1938)

They had a Post winter school at this time, and soldiers who were deficient in education were compelled to attend the school.

Troop D had a pet monkey in their quarters at Fort Clark, and it got loose, causing such a commotion that the mascot had to be disciplined.

Hunters were in the field at this time and hunters were evidently having good sport and lots of luck bagging turkeys and deer.

In both the Mud Creek and Nueces locals there was Nueces of the proposed planting of more cotton the following year, and urged a cotton gin be constructed in Brackettville.

The News at this time purchased the plant and business of "The Brackett Mail", rival newspaper and as a result was in good shape to put out all sorts of job work at this time.

Martin Keys has sold his restaurant and ice cream parlor to George Ray. George is a young man with good business qualities and there is no doubt what he will make a success in his new venture.

There was an interesting editorial against bull-fighting. Apparently the writer had been down to Piedras Negras, Mexico, on one of the regular train excursion trips to see his first bull fight, and his dislike for the "sport" prompted an article in protest thereof.

Among those in the personals were Mrs. Reed (mother of Mrs. Rosa G. Perry), W. W. Young of Sanderson, Miss Pearl Steel (telephone operator), J. F. McCormick, commissioner of precinct 4, Martin Keys, Geo. Kuff, holz the laundry manager, J. M. Murphy, Lieut. Col. McClellan, and many others.

WOOL SCOURING PLANT NEEDED

A wool scouring mill of some kind for Texas has been talked about for a long time. A few attempts have been made to start one, but without success. Some argue that wool can not be scoured in Texas for the lack of the right kind of water; some think that it takes a river of soft water running through the bowls to properly scour wool. This is a fallacy, as it is very rare for any natural water to be pure and soft, and water treating plants are very common, easy to install, and are found at all scouring mills. There are numerous locations in West Texas that can furnish an adequate supply of water suitable for treating and using in wool scouring.

Textile machinery has become quite automatic and one needs of products being manufactured completely without being touched by human hands. That can almost be said of the scouring of wool.

One or two imported experts can quickly instruct beginners to operate the machinery, under the supervision of the expert. Our laborers in this this part of the country, taken as a whole, are of a superior intelligence to those of the Northeastern States, and are more adept at learning as was shown by the cotton industry when it moved from the New England States to the South and Central Atlantic States.

Texx produces a very fine grade of wool, and ninety per cent of the monair grown in the United States is grown in Texas. Statistics show that in 1937 Texx raised more than 75,000,000 pounds of wool. The Del Rio and Kerrville wool scours out from 18 to 20 per cent grease and approximately 40 pounds of dirt with freight rate to Boston via water from Houston being \$1.38. The aggregate total of freight paid on the 1937 clip is \$1,085,000.00, all of which was of course paid by the Texas growers.

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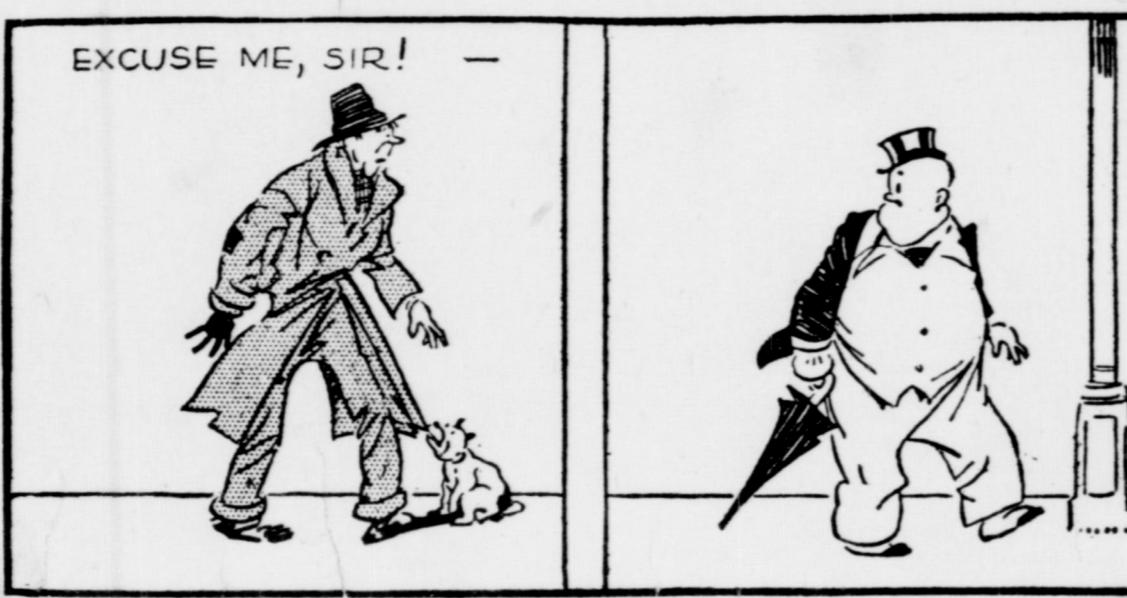
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COMING OUR WAY
Prosperity will soon be here.
Did you say prosperity or posterity?"

She Understood

Lawyer (to woman on witness stand)—Now, Madame, please bear in mind that you are under oath. Do you understand the nature of an oath?

Witness (hesitatingly) — Well, I would think that I do. My husband has tended the furnace for 30 years, my father has dabbled in the market for the last 40 years and my oldest son is taking up golf. Yes, I would think I understand.

FALL BREEZES

Lily Firefly—Do you really love me?
Jimmy Bug—Sure you are the light of my life.

Lovely Crush-Resistant Velvet Graces the Mode

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



ONE of the most gratifying fashion developments of the present season is the widespread use of lovely crush-resistant velvets. In a time of elegance and glamor, reflecting as it does the opulence of pre-war days, velvet, rich and supple, ever regarded as the aristocrat among fabrics, becomes the outstanding medium for dress-up gowns designed in the grand manner. For daytime, dinner or evening wear youthfully streamlined or picturesquely bouffant, velvet declares high fashion and crush-resistant velvet means the added blessing of as complete practicality as serge or any other dependable material offers.

With the trend toward a more gracious mode of living reflected in the current luxurious fashions, it was inevitable that the floor-length velvet dinner gown should come into its own as an important part of the fall and winter style picture. Because of the beautiful draping qualities and lovely glowing colors of these fine crush-resistant velvets, designers have been inspired to new heights in the creation of this type of gown.

There are no hard and fast rules of period or line observed in fashioning the new velvets. You may express yourself in a youthful dirndl or you may go gracefully Renaissance in a trailing gown whose heart-shaped decolletage is cut low to show a De Medici yoke of lace, or you may adopt the new swirling skirt and high fitted bodice that gives you a nipped-in waistline with a becoming square neckline. See the illustration herewith and be convinced of the versatility expressed. Glimpsing a group of

gowns done in velvet as here shown one cannot but be impressed with the fascinating necklines that are so flattering.

The dirndl idea gains increasing momentum this season through its adaptation to soft-draping velvets which lend new allure to styles with fitted bodice and full skirt. The dinner gown pictured to the right, with softly shirred sleeves, square neckline marked by jeweled clips, slim waist and floor-length full-cut skirt shirred on in gleaming soft folds, is an excellent version of this new vogue. It is not too expensive for college clothes budgets, and remember the velvet is crush-resistant. The amusing little dinner hat with this dress is made of two ostrich plumes with curled tips falling forward to accent the tip-titled

hat. To the left in the illustration lace and velvet are beautifully combined in an entrancing dinner gown which has a fine alencon yoke set in at both back and front, making an exquisite background for the heart-shape silhouetted decolletage. The high-shouldered short sleeves, fitted waist with soft shirring at the front, and sweeping full-cut skirt reflect the vogue for romantic styling a la Renaissance. The velvet is also one of the practical crush-resistant weaves, equally lovely in black or in jewel colors.

Centered in the picture is a moderately priced dinner gown available either in rich colors or in sooty black. The soft crush-resistant velvet that fashions this ravishing dress glories in a becoming, squared neckline accented by little loops of self-velvet at the front. The fitted waistline, full cut skirt and brief puffed sleeves are modish features of this dress, which in its classic simplicity is a perfect foil for smart accessories. This adorable gown is glorified with one of the very new tiny dinner hats made of a single swirled ostrich plume.

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Silk-Metal Weave



Of course if you are dating up for cocktail and matinee parties, for teas, after on receptions or other social events, you must have at least one really scrumptious frock that is not too formal but just formal enough to fit into the picture. The mode here shown is just such. It is of rich herringbone silk-and-metal weave "set off" with brilliant buttons. The skirt is box-pleated and the entire costume down to the slightest detail is meticulously styled.

Black Antelope High Style Note

Women in the smart set are selecting accessories of black antelope to wear with their colorful wool frocks, also with a black frock, for the all-black costume with striking gold costume jewelry is still a reigning favorite. Shoes, bags, hats, gloves, belts and hats of the "sooty" black antelope suede, impart an air of elegance and refined taste to any costume. It adds to the voguishness of the antelope suede ensemble if the bag milady carries be of enormous size for the larger bag is a this-season hobby with the fashion-wise.

Muffs Are Smart For Evening Wear

Evening chic this season includes fur-trimmed toques and matching muffs. A long black broadcloth evening coat is accompanied by a large muff of chinchilla and a chinchilla trimmed toque. With an evening fichu of white ermine goes a melon shaped ermine muff, both accented with the small black tails.

Lanvin shows an evening muff in white fox, with a white fox cape, to wear with a dress of plaited white chiffon.

Gold-Striped Frock

A smart black wool dress of Long's has vertical stripes of gold and a plaid panel down its front. Brilliant red velvet collar and cuffs give it a youthful air.

Dartboard Hat Is Fad

The dartboard hat, with top laid out like a dartboard and three darts for hatpins, is becoming a craze among women in England.

Uncle Phil Says:



And Keep Their Sorrows

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Out of His Shape

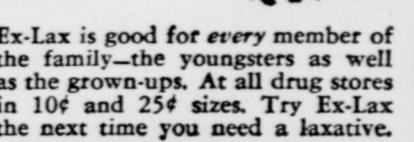
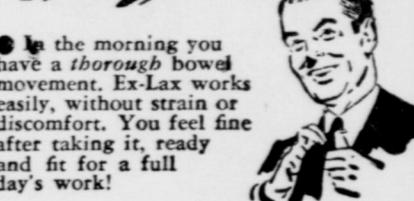
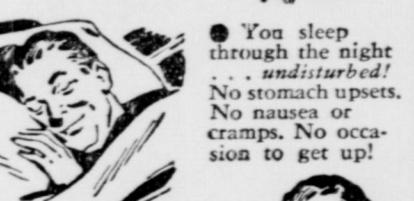
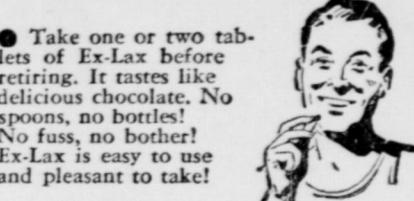
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How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men

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Bruckart's Washington Digest

President Promises Legislation To Relieve Railroad Situation

Thoroughgoing Re-Examination of Rail Problems Essential to Finding Reasonable Solution; Competition Cuts Earnings; Public Has Responsibility to Bear.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART
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WASHINGTON.—I believe it can be said that most readers of newspapers "digest" their news rather slowly. It is not their fault entirely that the full significance of a news story escapes them even though it may be spread under black headlines on the front page. Nor do I mean to say that all readers are lax. It seems to be true, nevertheless, that days or weeks or even months and years may pass sometimes before the intangible personality that we call "the public" has considered fully the significance of reported events.

Existence of this condition, however, is warrant for an attempt at analysis of what has happened, what is happening, and what is likely to happen in the railroad industry. Perhaps that statement should have added to it the suggestion also that there will be something affecting the public, too, in connection with the recent series of incidents and events directly concerning the rail industry. Indeed, prospective developments portend even more.

There were, of course, the many dangers of a financial character with which the railroads were beset. There followed the attempt of railroad management to reduce expenses by a program cutting wages of the workers by 15 per cent, and there came almost immediately thereafter the dread specter of a strike threat by the million or more rail workers who are highly unionized. After that, in the sequence of events was President Roosevelt's utilization of the law providing for consideration of the differences by a fact finding commission for the first time.

It is necessary only as a further review to recall that the fact finding commission heard days of testimony and reported to the President that a wage cut was unjustified. But the commission made no constructive suggestions. As a matter of fact, it added nothing to the total of human knowledge, but it got a lot of publicity for its findings.

Legislation to Relieve Railroads Up to Congress

The problem was, thereupon, left in Mr. Roosevelt's lap. He called in the representatives of the rail managements and the leaders of the unions. The rail executives were willing to call off the proposed wage cut, if there were any way to be found to keep the railroads from going bankrupt—more than half of the mileage being already in the hands of receivers. Union leaders reiterated they did not want to strike and they did want the railroads to get on their feet, because it meant jobs. J. J. Pelle, spokesman for the rail lines, asked then what the railroads were permitted to charge more than a rate approved by the I. C. C. While the competitors were creeping forward, under governmental blessing, the I. C. C. was saying to the rail lines: "You fellows obey our orders, or else."

Subsidies out of taxpayers' pockets have gone to build up another competitor, also. I refer to inland waterways and to coastwise shipping. This means of transportation has a value that hardly can be measured. It is as much a part of our national economic life as the highways and the attendant motor transport. But it exists, and it is able to operate as a competitor of the railroads, because of a paternal government that made things easy and gave a helping hand wherever it could do so.

Air Transportation Now Steps Into the Picture

Lately, air transportation has been expanding with remarkable rapidity. No nation in the world has such efficient air service, nor as safe air service, as is to be found in the United States. It is carrying increasing amounts of freight and express; it is transporting thousands upon thousands of passengers. These passengers are of the type, generally speaking, willing and able to pay for the luxury train service which is profitable when the trains are filled. These air lines are benefiting from government subsidy in several ways. The air mail doesn't begin to pay its way; the government makes up the difference by contracts that call for stated payments. And consider the scores of great air fields throughout the country! The bulk of them are built at public expense. True, the air lines pay for the privileges of the field, but does anyone think that the air lines could afford to spend \$40,000,000 to build such a field as that which serves metropolitan New York? Funds for it came largely from a federal government grant. The same benevolent Uncle Sam is putting out several millions at the doorstep of the national capital here to build a proper airport.

There are other things that could be taken up and set apart to show how the government has helped competitors of the rail lines in most practical fashion. Questions of taxation, grade crossing construction of an expensive character forced upon the carriers, requirements for terminals of luxury-type construction and so on. I believe it unnecessary to recount them. Those that have been enumerated serve to show where the trouble is. It does not show the answer, but I believe it points the way to an answer. The answer, as I have mentioned above, certainly can not be found, however, unless there is genuine study of an unselfish sort undertaken by congress.

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Ideal Woman Is Matter of Man's Taste

By PATRICIA LINDSAY
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EVERY man cherishes in his heart a vision of an Ideal Woman. Naturally this woman is beautiful! Beautiful according to his individual estimate of feminine loveliness. She is usually a vision of perfect contour, lovely stature. Her skin is fresh and radiant and her hair is lustrous. Her hands are soft and capable while her eyes sparkle with vitality and silent wisdom!

Yes, Man's Ideal Woman is a composite of all beauty and all the feminine graces. Not only does her physical beauty satisfy his eye, but her voice is music to his ears. The quality of her mind intrigues him,



Men currently are favoring the more feminine type of Olivia de Havilland. Her physical beauty and gracious personality make her alluringly charming in the eyes of the modern man. She comes close to being his ideal woman.

and her soul—that intangible something every person possesses—is his inspiration.

Through life, Man seeks this creature of divine loveliness. For her he lives, works and plans. This Ideal Woman is the animating power behind progress and activity, and the closer you resemble her, the more joyous and abundant will be your life!

If you wish for love, admiration, success, happiness—Be beautiful! Delight in the joy of feminine power which comes from the knowledge that you are a creature of charm and that your personality is compelling!

Analyze Your Beauty Assets

Success in whatever you desire from life lies in your determination to make the most of yourself—to glorify your birthright!

So many women give up too easily. Just because they were not born with permanent waves in their hair, or with legs like the famous Dietrich's, they let themselves grow discouraged. They don't take time to analyze their own beauty assets.

Perhaps a woman has a crooked nose which causes her no end of dismay. But her voice might be so beautifully pitched that by concentrating on it she could so fascinate others that they wouldn't be aware of the crooked nose! Impossible?

Not at all!

Every woman is born with some physical beauty and a few compelling characteristics. The Perfect Woman does not exist. Each woman should strive to accent her good points and to dim her less glamorous ones. She who does that successfully comes near to being one man's Ideal Woman. The art of keeping the external You beautiful, and the inner You lovely at the same time, is worth striving for. Look around you. Isn't the woman who has mastered that art getting pretty much what she wants from life?

HINT-OF-THE-DAY

Most of us have some opportunity for getting out-of-doors and being active one way or the other—playing games, being interested in a sport for exercise, gardening, or bicycling. There are numerous ways to work off that excess poundage and bring your measurements down to appealing lines.

If you are not active out-of-doors, then you must do daily calisthenics, preferably in the open air, simple corrective ones planned for the particular parts of your body which you wish to proportion nicely.

Stretching Man's Lifetime

A French anthropologist credits civilization with stretching man's lifetime far beyond that nature allowed under wild conditions. The average man can expect to live about sixty years. For women the average lifetime is sixty-four. In other words, the average person lives longer than the longest-lived humans in the good old Stone age.

Growth of Norway Pine

A Norway pine tree 35 years old will average about 7 inches in diameter at breast height; under average conditions such a tree will be about 40 feet high.

Household Hints

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BY BETTY WELLS

I'VE several bones to pick with architects and builders. Because so often you'd think from the layouts of the houses they'd plan, that they didn't really care much about how a woman would want a house. Oh, please don't get huffy. I must admit that the more recently built homes are very well planned.

But most of us have to live in houses that have been built for a long time. So we sit around wondering where in the world we can find an inch or two of wall space for the sofa or the buffet in rooms that are all cut up with too many openings. Then, too, I'm death on having several different sizes of windows in one room. Especially those almost-impossible-to-drape windows that so often go above built-in bookcases on either side of the fireplace. And give me big closets and a good traffic route through the house.

The other day I perked up my ears when I heard a famous woman architect talk about house-planning in a woman's language. Plenty of closets and plenty of places to put things away in were her tenets of faith. She also likes lots of light through well-placed windows, so bay



Women architects have good ideas about houses.

windows are her hobby. She believes there should be an entrance hall instead of having the front door come right into the living room and that every house should have a small playroom on the first floor if possible. A house should reflect the interests of the owner, she insists also, and recalled a recent house she built with a study for a literary member of the family—it had a built-in desk, built-in files, drawers and shelves that make it an ideal writing room. Another house she built recently had an attic playroom with a skylight to let in all the winter sunshine. While in the home of a teacher of elocution and dramatics this architect included a small theater on the second floor for theatrical performances. She thinks that would be a nice idea in a home where amateur movies are a family hobby.

A Den Is a Man's Room.
"I'm making a den out of an attic room," writes Florence N., "and I'd be grateful for some help about arrangement and colorings. I have a desk, couch, two rockers, one straight chair, a table, bookcase and radio to fit in the room. The wall paper is beige with a pink tint, the woodwork white and the rug is a two-toned soft green. The draperies are maroon with a pink flower design and the curtains are white ruffled tie backs. The two rockers have heavy striped sateen coverings in maroon and blue-green. We have quite a nice collection of old Currier and Ives prints that I'm using here. What would you do about furniture arrangement? Also what about the couch cover? And have you any other ideas or criticisms?"

I'm sketching in roughly an arrangement of the furniture, with couch (1), end tables (2), radio (5), rockers (3 and 4), bookcase (6), desk (7) with straight chair (8). Now then about the colors—since this is to be more of a masculine type of room, I am a little dubious about the flowered draperies and the heavy striped sateen coverings in maroon and blue-green. We have quite a nice collection of old Currier and Ives prints that I'm using here. What would you do about furniture arrangement? Also what about the couch cover? And have you any other ideas or criticisms?"

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of the News-Mail will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Local News

V. G. Deason was in Del Rio Friday on business.

Mrs. L. A. Kamps of Del Rio visited relatives here Friday.

Mrs. F. M. D. Hill of Del Rio visited home folks here Sunday.

T. J. Martin was a Del Rio business visitor Saturday.

Miss Carlyle Holhouse is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents in Ballinger.

We had the unusual experience last week of having two of our "southern" northerns pay us a visit, one crowding on the heels of the other. Although there was little frost and no ice locally the nights remained cool while the days for the most part were warm.

Jim Sprott was in Abilene the past week end visiting his son, Quinn.

Miss Ellie Perry, of Del Rio, spent Sunday visiting her mother Mrs. Rosa G. Perry.

Rev. Francisco of San Antonio has been the guest of Rev. Peter Tongon the past week.

Mr and Mrs. G. O. Rhone of San Antonio were here several days the past week visiting with relatives.

The Fort Clark hospital team won the Service Troops baseball pennant the past week end in the post series.

Capt. and Mrs. R. E. Ireland and children of Fort Reno, Okla arrived here Sunday for a visit with friends here.

W. H. Golemon, who was taken to San Antonio seriously ill last week, is reported recovering. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Golemon.

W. B. Higginbotham of Denver, Colorado, arrived here the latter part of last week and will make an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Hunt.

A crew of workmen arrived in Brackett Wednesday evening to overhaul and repair the boiler and heating system in the High School building during the present holiday period.

Rev. and Mrs. Herman E. Weston and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Quemado, and on Sunday Rev. Weston filled his regular appointment in the Methodist Church there.

Otto Stadler was a San Antonio visitor the past week end.

Miss Nelle Jo McCate and Otto Stadler were visiting in residence has been completed.

Albert Sargeant Jr. who is several days in San Antonio this week with her parents.

Eryan Hunt and Judge Elliott

of Sonora, Texas, were here on business several days last week.

Mrs. Otto Postell returned the past week end from San Antonio where she visited for several days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. W. Bailey and children of Cline spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fritter and other relatives.

Mrs. Faye Archer and son, Sam, left Wednesday for San Angelo where they will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their relatives.

A young negro, Sam Barker, was taken into custody last week end as an alleged suspect in several recent robberies here which had been under investigation by local officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slaughter and children of Pearsall were here last Sunday, the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowe, and Mrs. Lula Anderson and son, George.

A large number of Brackettville fans braved the norther and near freezing weather last Friday night to go with the high school team to Eagle Pass and watch the locals play their last game of the season.

Mrs. E. Webb was a Del Rio visitor Sunday.

Game Law Violations

Several persons have paid fines or gone to jail resulting from game law violations. One of our local ranchmen after finding out

female deer and turkeys were being killed, decided to make a round up of persons who were illegally entering his pastures, and his efforts resulted in catching three persons who were making illegal entry upon his ranch.

He states that all persons who persist in entering upon ranches illegally will stand a big chance of getting caught and fined, and

that he has found that the catching of such persons is a lot more fun and more exciting than hunting the average game, common to this country, and also both kinds of hunting can be done at the same time; with exception of catching headlighters at night, which latter is easiest.

Local sentiment is for the preservation of such game as we have within reasonable bounds, and several kinds of game are on

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A Trench Silo Meeting Held

Fourteen ranchers were present at the trench silo meeting held on the Langston Dairy farm on November 10th. Mr. Hico Eudaly, extension dairyman and specialist on trench silos, made a talk on the value of trench silos and their adaptability to this area.

"The silo is the best form of feed insurance we have on the farm or ranch," said Mr. Eudaly. When you put feed in a silo you not only have it protected from fire, wind, rodents, insects and the elements of nature that cause feed deterioration, but you have a supply of feed on hand to fall back on when the occasion arises. It takes about 30 days for feed to properly cure in a silo, and the quality of the feed remains constant thereafter. In a silo that was opened 11 years after filling, the feed was as good as the day it was put in, so we know ensilage will maintain its quality and feeding value for a period of 11 years.

Feeds put in a silo will retain the same amount of minerals, vitamin A, and proteins, while the same feeds if cured in the field, and then stacked, will lose all or a large portion of these elements. Minerals, proteins, and vitamins are all essential in rations for successful results in fattening or maintaining a body of any animal and these elements are absolutely indispensable for the ewe carrying a lamb or the cow carrying a calf.

Silage is a cheap feed, costing approximately \$5.00 per ton to put it up. This would make the cost of feeding a ewe 1 cent per day. This is not only cheap feeding but will guarantee a better lamb crop with stronger and healthier lambs.

Mr. Langston said his silo contained partly home grown feed and partly feed that was purchased in the Quemado Valley and all the feed is of excellent quality. The feed that was purchased in the Quemado Valley was laid down at his silo for \$4.00 per ton which is considerably cheaper than his home grown feed.

The farmers in Quemado Valley raise their feed under irrigation and get a large tonnage per acre. The practicability of ranchers in this area raising their own feed has proven a failure in most cases. If the Kinney County ranchers and the Quemado Valley farmers could get together on this feed problem both would be materially benefited.

There isn't a rancher in Kinney County that doesn't need at least two years feed supply stored up in advance and the only practical way to do this is by using the trench silo method of storing. The storing of feed is good drought insurance and one of the most important range management practices on the ranch, and should be given consideration by each and every rancher in the county.

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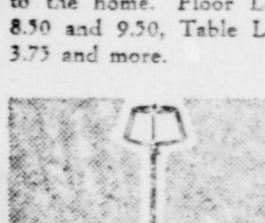


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Social - Personal

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Game Party

Miss Frances Bursey issued clever, personal invitations last week to a group of her young friends, inviting them to a Game party for last Saturday evening at the Parish House.

Prizes were awarded to Mimi Beidler, Elaine Beidler, Lloyd Utterback, and Allan Dennis Williams. Two course refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games.

The guests included Misses Althea Duzan, Margaret York, Mary Dean Woods, Irene Pearce, Frances Wickham, Mickey Morgan, Mimi, Elaine, and Gita Beidler, Evelyn and Virginia Schubach, Phyllis Crandall, Mary Sue Walker, Ida Mae Hudson, Mary Jo Nolan, Dorothy Zinsmeister and Leona Rosenow; Messrs Cleigh Nease, Bobbie Racer, Mickey Tinsley, Marvin Vancleave, Junior Moy, Bob and Frank Stallknecht, James Kelly, Chester Speed, Lloyd Utterback, Buddy Pierce, Allan Dennis Williams, and James Pace.

Contract Club

Mrs. V. G. Deason was hostess for the Contract Club last Wednesday afternoon at her home. Mrs. J. B. Hudson and Mrs. O. R. Davis held high and second high scores, respectively.

Members and substitutes present included Mrs. A. R. Davis, Mrs. Harold Toft, Mrs. J. B. Hudson, Mrs. Homer Hesa, Mrs. O. R. Davis, Mrs. Mills of Spofford, and Mrs. Glenn Deason.

Farewell Compliment

As a farewell compliment to Mrs. E. W. Bennett, who is leaving Ft. Clark soon with Capt. Bennett for his new station in Hawaii, St. Andrew's Bible Class entertained with a lovely party last Wednesday evening at the Parish House. Mrs. Bennett has taught St. Andrew's Bible Class for several years.

Chinese checkers were played during the evening, after which a buffet supper was served. The table was laid with an exquisite Point Venice lace cloth, and centered with three silver ships a-sail upon a blue mirror reflector. On either side of this, were crystal candlesticks holding pink lighted tapers.

Mrs. Bennett was presented with a beautiful Sterling silver creamer and sugar, and a crystal lemon plate bordered with silver with an accompanying silver fork, from the class.

In addition to the honoree, and her husband, Capt. E. W. Bennett, the guests included Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Deason, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stadler, Mr. and Mrs. Ill. sister of Capt. Bennett,

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bartberger, Mrs. N. P. Petersen, Mrs. W. Fred West, Mrs. Ogden Dooley, Mrs. E. Webb, Miss Bessie Fitz, Miss Dorothy Johnson, Miss Besie Mae Wilson, Miss Viola George, Karl Bartberger, and Grady Hester.

Bunco Party

Mrs. E. Sauer and her daughter, Miss Else Sauer, entertained members of the Bunco Club at their ranch home last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Beulah Carr received high score prize, Miss Mittie Jones, low score prize, and Mrs. Maud O'Mara, the cut prize. Following the games, the hostesses served a delicious turkey supper.

As a birthday compliment to Mrs. Sauer, the guests presented her with an array of gifts. Miss Else Sauer was also presented with a "belated" graduation gift. Miss Sauer having received her B. A. degree last summer from Southwest Texas State Teacher's College in San Marcos, and being among a group of honor students.

Members present were; Mrs. Roy Baxter, Mrs. W. F. Sampson, Mrs. Beulah Carr, Mrs. Maud O'Mara, Miss Margaret Filippone, Miss Mittie Jones, Miss Julia Jones and Miss Mary Jones.

Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. C. A. Bitter entertained with a pretty lawn party last Thursday afternoon, from 4 to 6, honoring her young son, Clarence Joe, on his ninth birthday anniversary. Various games were played, and the long refreshment table on the lawn, was centered with a green crystal bowl filled with yellow and white chrysanthemums. At one end of the table was the birthday cake, a beautiful white confection, embossed with pastel roses, and surmounted by nine pink candles. Colorful balloons and lollipops were given as favors.

There were 43 guests, including Clarence Joe's teacher, Miss Besie Mae Wilson.

Night Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Davis were hosts to the Night Bridge Club last Tuesday evening at their ranch home. Dinner was served preceding the games. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hudson were awarded the prizes for ladies' and men's high scores.

Members and guests included Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Deason, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stadler, Mr. and

Mrs. J. B. Hudson, Miss Mildred Gault, Miss Mary Katherine Nipper, Jack Jones, and Lloyd Davis.

Dedicate Service Club

The enlisted men's new Service Club was formally opened last Saturday night with a reception from 8 to 11, to which the entire garrison was invited.

General Kenyon A. Joyce made a short presentation speech, and Master Sergeant Jack Bock, head of the Board of Governors for the Club, made the acceptance speech. The Fifth Cavalry band played during the receiving hours and refreshments were served on the lawn, which was brilliantly lighted by electric lights strung over-head. General John R. Richardson, Jr., of Ft. Bliss, Texas, who was formerly stationed here, was also in attendance.

The Club which has recently been completed, is a very spacious building overlooking Las Moras Creek and Park, and is equipped with all the modern conveniences and comforts that go to make an ideal Recreation Club for the enlisted personnel.

A number of the Officer's wives supervised the furnishing and decorating of the various rooms, and the beautiful draperies were presented to the Club by Mrs. Kenyon Joyce.

The first dance in the Club will be held Saturday night, November 26th.

Afternoon Auction Club

Mrs. Maud O'Mara entertained the Afternoon Auction Club last Friday afternoon at her home. Mrs. L. A. Nease held high score, Mrs. V. Christensen low score, and Mrs. J. H. Lowe cut high, for which they received prizes.

Members present included Mrs. N. P. Petersen, Mrs. L. A. Nease, Mrs. J. H. Lowe, Mrs. V. Christensen, Mrs. A. E. Bartberger, Mrs. C. D. Covington, and Mrs. Alex Wickham.

Guild Notes

Mrs. H. B. Dugan was hostess for St. Andrew's Guild Tuesday afternoon at the Parish House.

An article from Spirit Of Missions, entitled, "One Thousand Sioux Indians in the Church Convention", was read and discussed by the members; after which a social hour, with sewing, crocheting, and refreshments, was enjoyed.

Members present included Mrs. F. M. Dudley, Mrs. Herman Schafer, Mrs. V. Christensen, Mrs. N. P. Petersen, Mrs. J. H. Stadler, Mrs. A. A. Bitter, Mrs. J. K. Portreza, Mrs. R. J. Weir, Mrs. Maud O'Mara, and Mrs. A. E. Bartberger.

Mrs. O. W. Zuehl, Miss Elizabeth Hays and Misses Bess and Gertrude Zuehl, spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Reynolds and family in Uvalde.

Mr. and Mrs. Wray Zuehl and little Jessie Lou McCartney of Eagle Pass, and Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Reynolds of Uvalde, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. O. W. Zuehl, Sunday.

Miss Betty Jean Hybarger who is attending Texas Christian University in Waco, Texas, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Hybarger and Mrs. Rosa Perry.

Mrs. Mary Hunt is spending Thanksgiving with Mrs. George Chamberlain in San Antonio. Later in the week, she will go to Denton, Texas, to visit her granddaughters, Misses Mary Helen and Eloise Hunt, who are attending Texas State College for Women there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wickstrom of Eagle Pass visited Miss Bess Fitz Sunday.

Miss Mary Jo Nolan and Miss Phyllis Crandall were week-end guests of Miss Mimi Beidler at her ranch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nolan returned the first of this week from Austin, Texas, where they spent several days visiting with friends.

Mrs. C. A. Bitter and son, Clarence Joe, left Wednesday for San Antonio, where they will spend Thanksgiving and the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Tiller.

Miss Annie Lee Jamison of Abilene, Texas, arrived Tuesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jamison, at their ranch home.

The Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring a Rummage Sale in the Handy Andy Building with hours of sale from 9 A. M. to 11 A. M. and from 1:30 P. M. to 5 P. M.

Mrs. E. Sauer and daughter, Miss Else Sauer, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown in Sanderson, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis of San Angelo arrived last week for a visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Davis, at their ranch home.

Mrs. Emil Graff and daughter, Mrs. H. G. Boehle, Mrs. H. J. Boehle, and Mrs. A. Eckhart, and their families of Hondo were guests Saturday morning of Mrs. Graff's sister, Mrs. E. Sauer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bartberger left last Sunday week for Brady, Texas, where Mrs. Bartberger spoke at an Episcopal Church convocation. Mr. Bartberger returned home Monday, and Mrs. Bartberger continued to Goliod, Texas, where she again spoke at an Episcopal Church convention, returning here last Wednesday noon.

Christmas Seal Sale**CHRISTMAS SEALS**

Help to Protect
Your Home from
Tuberculosis

The sale of Christmas Seals will open officially Thanksgiving Day and continue until Christmas. This will be the 32nd annual sale of Christmas Seals. Accompanying the sale will be an intensive educational campaign to direct public attention to the problem of tuberculosis, and the modern methods of combating the disease.

The work of preventing tuberculosis and promoting good health which is made possible by the red double-barred cross Seals, is so well known here that we can count on a generous response.

In this campaign the local association is joining with 1,500 other organizations and 1,200 smaller committees in the United States, all affiliated with the National Tuberculosis Association in the campaign to eradicate the White Plague, which annually takes 70,000 lives in this country.

Mrs. W. Fred West will be general chairman for the 1938 Christmas Seal campaign, according to announcement made this week by the Texas Tuberculosis Association.

Lose Final Game

The Brackettville Jackrabbits played their last game of the season against Eagle Pass, at that place, last Friday night, resulting in a 14-0 victory for Eagle Pass.

The cold weather hampered the playing, and two bad breaks on kick-offs cost Brackett much advantage and gave the Eagles their scoring opportunities. The Jackrabbits were further handicapped by injuries, and especially lack of reserves, taking only four extra players along.

Although this was an unfortunate season for the Jackrabbits, it revealed this team as the most determined and spirited yet produced here.

Spofford News

R. L. Nickell was in Del Rio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Calhoun shopped in Del Rio Saturday.

Mrs. F. M. Mills was in San Antonio for the week end.

Mrs. E. M. Vancleave spent the week end in San Antonio.

Bill Vincent of LaCoste spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. H. C. O'Dell and daughter, Mrs. R. C. Cross visited in Del Rio Sunday.

Miss Nina McDuff returned to San Antonio after visiting Miss Leonie Rosenow several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Clark and son Austin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe York and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. York.

Those attending the football game at Eagle Pass Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pearce, Irene Pearce, Margaret York, Buddy Pearce Marvin Vancleave, and Nipper Drug Co.

Sincere Appreciation

I appreciate the splendid vote of confidence accorded me, by loyal friends, during the recent general election of November 8th, 1938, at which time I was re-elected to an office of public trust here in Kinney County, Texas. I shall honestly strive to render both loyal and efficient service in said office in the hope of fully meriting such confidence and trust.

Especially do I appreciate the kindness of the committee of my Kinney County friends who so graciously sponsored my candidacy through an "Open Letter To All Qualified Voters Of Precincts Number 1, and 8, of Kinney County, Texas" as published in the November 4th, 1938, issue of this newspaper wherein I was referred to as an "esteemed fellow citizen and efficient public official" and, in this connection, I shall earnestly endeavor to always prove myself worthy of the unexpected compliment.

Sincerely,

P. H. FRITTER SR.
Commissioner, Precinct Number 1, Kinney County, Texas

Turkey Shoot

A large crowd attended and thoroughly enjoyed the annual Turkey Shoot held at the Fort Clark target range last Sunday. There was plenty of friendly competition and a number of fine turkeys were given to successful contestants.

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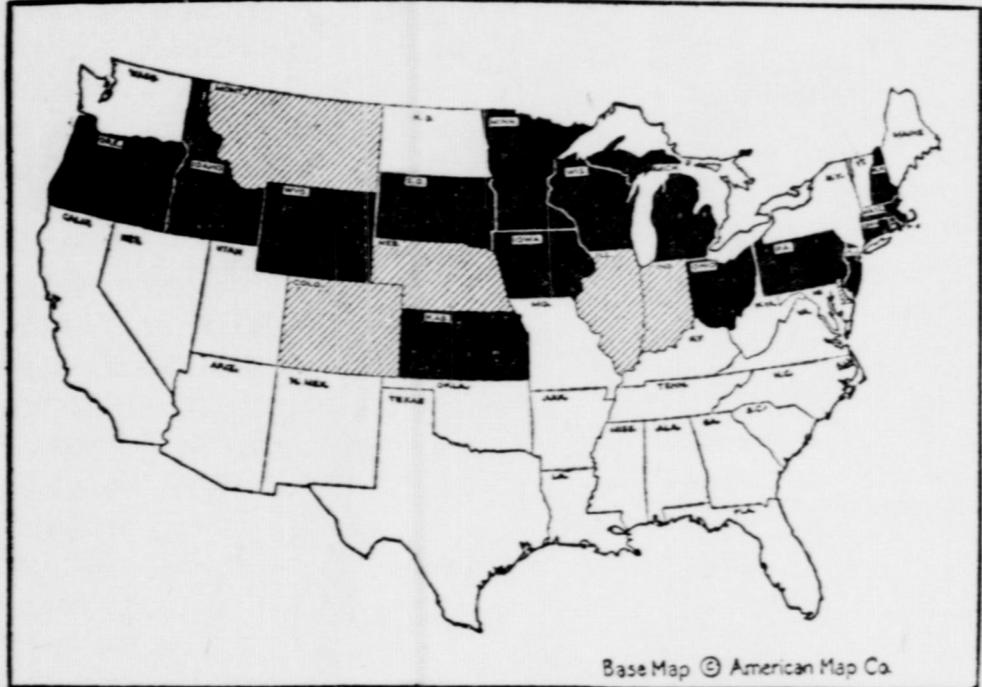
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REPUBLICAN GAINS IN NOVEMBER ELECTION
 States shown in black showed definite swing away from Democratic party by giving victory to Republicans in two out of possible three divisions (governor, senate, house); states shaded gave Republicans minor victory in house or gubernatorial election; states shown in white failed to record substantial change in political status or (Maryland, California, North Dakota) showed Democratic gains.

Politics

Like all natural phenomena and many not so natural, U. S. political fortunes run in cycles of liberalism and conservatism. Thus every lengthy Republican administration has been succeeded by a shorter Democratic one, attesting to the American people's inherent conservatism. Since the Republican party reached its latest low ebb under Candidate Alfred Landon in 1936, none but the most optimistic expected anything but a minor gain so early as 1938. But it has proved otherwise, thanks to (1) a growing belief that the Roosevelt administration's expensive recovery efforts have been unsuccessful, and (2) a fear that New Deal policies were encouraging the growth of radicalism.

Moreover, it has been apparent that the public must eventually protest against the political corruption which unavoidably gathers around so large a financial project as WPA. Though the Roosevelt administration may be blameless in this respect, such political machines as that of Pennsylvania's Gov. George H. Earle have unsavory reputations.

Another consideration, one that received less attention than eventually proved justified, was dissatisfaction among America's numerically important farmers. Since the agricultural vote can control congress, it looked bad for the administration when this year's highly touted farm program failed. Despite Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace's sincere efforts, New Deal farm legislation has left producers in northern states without permanent relief.

Almost without exception the November general election has therefore made the U. S. return to its most normal political alignment in 16 years. (See Map). Always Democratic, the "solid South" has clung tenaciously to tradition. But this tradition does not mean the South will line up 100 per cent behind President Roosevelt, for South Carolina, Georgia and Maryland elected senators partially unsympathetic with the New Deal. Several other southern senators and congressmen, not up for re-election this year, are also unsympathetic.

Though in many cases the Republican trend is not so great as the above map might indicate, practically all northern states have shown a surge back to conservatism. This was especially marked in Minnesota and Wisconsin, where Farmer-Labor and Progressive partisans were ousted after long incumbencies. Michigan swung away from Democratic Gov. Frank Murphy largely because he sympathized with the radically tinged Committee for Industrial Organization. In all northwestern states the swing to Republicanism was due partly to agricultural dissatisfaction. New England's industrial population rebelled against allegedly oppressive taxation and the C. I. O., while this territory's traditional conservatism also played an important role. Substantially the same explanation can be made for votes in Ohio and Pennsylvania.

The only important New Deal gains have come in California, where a rock-ribbed Republican governor was ousted; in North Dakota, whose notoriously unsettled political situation has freakishly placed a Democrat in the governor's chair, and in Maryland.

But such a resume does not tell the entire story, for even those states which remained Democratic have shown an amazingly strong Republican upsurge. New York's Gov. Herbert H. Lehman won by only 70,000 votes over his Republican opponent, youthful Thomas E. Dewey, whereas two years ago Mr. Lehman had a 500,000 margin. Illinois, which remains predominantly New Deal, increased its Republican house representation and returned a much larger conservative vote than in 1936.

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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—Much sought after these days is Col. Fulgencio Batista, chief of staff of the Cuban army, who, in addition to accepting a invitation to attend Armistice day ceremonies in Washington, has replied favorably to the suggestion of Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho, secretary of Mexico's national defense that he visit that country next January.

In both instances the underlying diplomatic motif, viz., "a gesture of co-operation between factors responsible for the development of democracies in our hemisphere," is officially set forth in Mexico and in Washington, tacitly, while, incidentally, the interests of reciprocal trade relations in sugar and tobacco have not been overlooked.

Commanding an army of 25,000 men, Colonel Batista is not only a soldier, but an economist and politician so dynamically and efficiently engaged in Cuba's rehabilitation in both spheres as to have gained for himself the sobriquet, "Cuba's Strong Man." And, also, "The Napoleon of the Caribbean."

First barber, then tailor, carpenter, sugar cane worker, railroad hand, army buck private, stenographer—and now dictator, his course was written in the stars and so predestined; so he says and believes. Now, at the age of 37, he has been responsible for the rise and fall of seven Cuban presidents, controls the Cuban congress and dictates the policies of President Federico Laredo Bru. Of his army, a nippy body of men, he says it is committed to peace; but is ever at the service of the United States in whatever armed issue the great northerly republic may ever enter.

Foreign
 That a state visit can hold much international importance is sometimes hard to believe, since state visitors make a studied effort to avoid shop talk with their hosts. But diplomatic Great Britain refuses to minimize the significance of King George's visit to the U. S. next summer, and every sign indicates the English reasoning is correct.

Coupled with the U. S. visit is an invitation for French President Albert Lebrun to drink tea in Buckingham palace next spring, thereby returning the honor accorded by George's visit to Paris this past summer. While all this sounds like social pother, it really means that France and England are desperately trying to give the world a spectacle of democratic solidarity, offsetting the trumpeting of Premier Benito Mussolini and Chancellor Adolf Hitler. Though King George's visit will not result in a U. S.-British pact, it will certainly tighten the bonds between England and America.

This means that next spring and summer Italy and Germany will go into eclipse, while world democracy stages its show. There is every



KING GEORGE VI

How important is his visit?

reason to believe the Fascist-Nazi nations appreciate this and realize they must gain their concessions from France and Britain within the next six months. That is why Hitler is pressing his demands for a return of British-mandated colonies, and why Mussolini is urging internationalization of the Suez canal.

People

The death of Turkey's dictator, President Kemal Ataturk, removes the most colorful totalitarianist of our era. A man whose passion was violation of every accepted rule of human behavior, he customarily stayed up all night, ate every food that disagreed with him, had an amazingly large capacity for raki liquor and champagne, was Turkey's champion cigarette smoker and drank gallons of coffee every day. He detested exercise. More benevolent and less anxious for self-aggrandizement than most dictators, Mustapha Kemal established a model nation out of the post-war debris of Turkey. At his death, the nation he founded looks in bewilderment for a successor, while Europe fears southeastern-bound Adolf Hitler may seize the opportunity to establish his economic strength in the Dardanelles.

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WHAT to EAT and WHY

Feed Adolescent Correctly or Tragic Consequences May Result, Warns C. Houston Goudiss; Teeth Must Receive Special Consideration

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

OFFHAND, it may seem as if there could be very little connection between a deficient diet during adolescence and painful childbirth in later years. Yet it has been demonstrated clinically that there is a definite link. It has likewise been determined that the kind of food which is fed adolescents has a significant and far-reaching influence upon their teeth in later life, and in the case of girls, upon the teeth of their children when they in turn become mothers.

Preparation for Parenthood
 Adolescence is a difficult period at best. And if a girl takes an unbalanced diet at this time, the result may be an unstable nervous system, poor physical development, lowered vitality and inability to fight off infections. This lack of strong resistance may open the way to dental disease and to a variety of other serious infections as well.

It has also been established that if a girl is poorly nourished during these years of rapid development, there may not be the slightest indication of that fact until she first becomes an expectant mother. Then she will pay for her mother's lack of nutrition knowledge.

Results of Calcium Deficiency

If her diet has been deficient in calcium, for example, her pelvic bones may be imperfectly developed, so that she suffers unnecessarily during the birth of her child. And if liberal amounts of calcium have not been stored in her body, she may be called upon to make needless sacrifices from her own body in the interests of her child. It is well known that if an expectant mother's diet is not abundantly supplied with calcium, the substance will be withdrawn from her own bones and teeth in an effort to meet the needs of the developing child.

An Aid to Dental Health

For although expectant mothers are not always aware of this important fact, it is true that the first or "baby" teeth are devel-

oping within the jaw during prenatal life, and the foundations for the second set are also laid at this time.

Unless the expectant mother's diet is very generously supplied with calcium, so as to allow adequate amounts for the baby's teeth and bones, nature will endeavor to meet the child's requirements by sacrificing calcium from the mother's own body. If she has no adequate reserve, then she may be forced to lose a tooth for every child, or suffer even more serious dental ills.

Calcium-Rich Foods Required

Leading nutrition authorities hold that the average American diet is more deficient in calcium, perhaps, than in any other single nutrient. This is especially likely to be the case in the diet of the adolescent. For at that time, boys develop prodigious appetites and a tremendous capacity for carbohydrates or energy-producing foods, while girls become extremely finicky. Either they do not take enough food at meals, or they tend to eat too many rich mixtures between meals. As a result, the diet of both boys and girls is likely to contain an abundance of meat, fish, highly milled cereals and other refined foods, with inadequate amounts of the foods rich in calcium.

The Adolescent's Diet

To balance the diet properly, these necessary protein and energy foods should be supplemented by milk and cheese which are rich in calcium; by green leafy vegetables which are also a good source; by eggs and fruits, valued for their minerals and vitamins; and by bulky foods which supply sufficient cellulose to help promote regular health habits.

Mothers of adolescent children should make a conscientious and determined effort to feed them a diet rich in calcium and vitamins A, C and D—the substances required, especially, for maintaining sound, healthy teeth. If milk and succulent fruits and vegetables

figure prominently in the daily menus of the adolescent girl, they will go a long way toward helping to correct the "choosy" attitude toward food from which many older children suffer.

And if careful attention to diet is coupled with careful attention to sound hygienic habits, the health of our teen-age boys and girls will be greatly improved, and they will be more adequately prepared to assume the duties of parenthood.

Correct Dental Hygiene

It is vitally important that the proper care be given to the teeth and mouth. But it is quite unlikely that a correct routine will be followed unless mothers offer factual advice and suggestions very frequently. For while the tiny child has his teeth brushed for him, and the young school child has his tooth-brushing ritual supervised, too often the adolescent is left to his own devices in this respect. That is a great mistake, as adolescents are sometimes careless in the care of their teeth.

Mothers must see to it that there are two toothbrushes, one for night and one for morning, so that it is never necessary to use a soggy brush. They must watch when the supply of tooth paste or powder runs low, and see that it is replaced. For it is surprising how few children can be persuaded to brush their teeth properly without an agreeable dentifrice! Mothers should take care to choose a dentifrice that will preserve or restore luster in the teeth. For adolescents are extremely sensitive about their appearance and they must not be allowed to permit dingy teeth to spoil their smiles.

If mothers will feed their adolescents a correct diet and supervise their daily dental care, the coming generation will not only be more attractive to look at but should enjoy more abundant health.

—WNU—C. Houston Goudiss—1938-38.

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Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., Room 1020, 211 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each.

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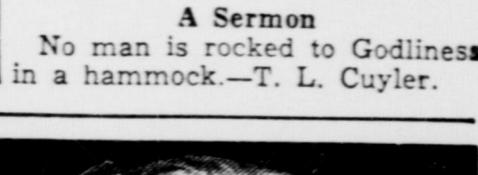
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THE LIFE OF THE PARTY

BY ELIZABETH JORDAN

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WNU Service

SYNOPSIS

Young Rex Hale calls on Casper Kneeland, friend of his father, in New York, and finds him proud, successful but strangely preoccupied. He tells Hale of his wife's death while insane, invites him for the summer to Halcyon Camp, his home on Long Island, and promises him he will be "useful" as his secretary there. Hale is joined at luncheon by Ainsworth, an unusual college mate, also at Halcyon, who leaves him with a premonition of unpleasant mystery. He is met at the train by Mrs. Wilbur Nash, whose few questions about the menage, and experiences, startle him. The premonition is briefly eased by the comfortable hospitality of Hosanna, Kneeland's elderly sister, and her friend, Ruth Forbes, middle-aged sophisticate. In his room, Hale finds a soiled paper, printed, "This place dangerous," and a photograph of a strange group—Dr. Craig, psychiatrist friend of Bert Kneeland, nervous young son of Casper, and beautiful but moody Joan Kneeland. A piece of the house, Ainsworth drops in at his room, questions him about his reactions, and tells him of Bert's hopeless love for his heiress cousin, and that Mrs. Forbes is down and out. The whole group seem to get on each other's nerves. Later, Hale sees Hosanna furiously meeting a shabby man in the woods.

CHAPTER II—Continued

"Good morning," Hale said. "Has everyone else had breakfast?" He added with his likable grin, "I'm ashamed of myself."

Rose responded warmly. She approved of the new arrival and his pleasant ways.

"Miss Hosanna hoped you would sleep late, sir. She says you've had an illness. She ordered me not to ring the breakfast gong. Everyone has had breakfast but Mrs. Spencer Forbes. Your breakfast is right here on the sideboard, sir. If you will choose what you like . . ."

She added as Rex strolled toward the sideboard, "Breakfast hours are so irregular here that we serve in the English way."

"I like that."

Hale lifted the lids from several silver dishes that simmered over electric flames, and regarded their contents with enthusiasm. "I like these, too," he added. He selected a hot plate and helped himself generously to scrambled eggs, bacon, and creamed potatoes. Rose poured his coffee and offered him hot muffins.

Hale's spirits were soaring again. His forebodings of the previous evening seemed absurd. Even that odd encounter between Miss Hosanna and the unpleasant stranger appeared normal in the light of this brilliant day. Perhaps she had been called to the aid of a sick neighbor, or something of the sort, and the man had brought her home. No doubt there was a natural explanation of the episode. Hale ate a big breakfast and told Rose how good American food tasted to him.

While his second cup of coffee was being poured Mrs. Spencer Forbes strolled in. Her pale mask brightened slightly at the sight of the young man. It developed that she was glad to have company for the meal. She had had beastly night—but then she always had beastly nights. She hadn't done any sleeping, really, since she was a girl. She prowled around the house at night a good deal. She ate sparingly of toast and coffee.

"Are you bathing at eleven?" Mrs. Spencer Forbes wanted to know.

"Of course."

"Then you can teach me to swim. You needn't waste time teaching Joan. Unless you're a wonder she can put circles all around you."

"I am a wonder. I'll challenge Miss Kneeland to a race and you can be referee. Incidentally you can take your first lesson observing our form."

"Or forms—both of which are beautiful, I know."

Mrs. Spencer Forbes sighed, and bit wanly into a slice of toast.

"I knew it would be like this," she said disconsolately. "At night when I'm in my war-paint and lit up I can still hold my own, after a fashion. But in the cold light of the morning after—"

"You're looking exactly like Lilian Russell this minute."

"I don't doubt it. She's been in her grave for years."

Hale offered her his cigarette case, held his lighter for her, and grinned into her strange eyes. They were like pale blue-gray sapphires, with odd moving lights in them. Something in their expression, as they met his eyes, sent a little chill down his spine. She was a cold-blooded creature, if there ever was one. He could not imagine Mrs. Spencer Forbes sparing anything that stood in her path. She laid her hand on his arm, as he stood beside her chair, and the touch added to the chill. He could feel the coldness of that hand through the thin sleeve of his white flannel coat.

"You're a nice boy," she told him. "You're a pleasant addition to our mixed society here. I hope you will be none the worse for it, but I'm not sure. Anyway, you're in for some jolts."

"Everyone here is so confoundedly mysterious," Hale grumbled. "Looked at en masse and on the surface, you're a delightful lot. Individually each of you seems to be . . ." He hesitated.

"Well, what do we seem to be?"

"Vultures, waiting for their prey," was the answer that came to Hale's mind. Verbally he continued to take Mrs. Spencer Forbes lightly. She had been very decent to him from the hour of his arrival.

"Very high-strung men and women, impatiently waiting for something to happen," he said.

Mrs. Spencer Forbes uttered the sinister little laugh he had heard before.

"I don't think that was what you wanted to say," she observed. "But we'll let it pass. Now I'll go and get ready to dazzle you on the beach. It's after ten."

He escorted her to the staircase and then strolled out of the house and looked around him. His earlier sense of well-being had departed. He felt restless and at loose ends. He circled the house at a little distance, taking it in from various angles. It had a long frontage, and a one-story wing excrescence on each side. He was again impressed by the strange silence that enveloped it. Even at the rear of the building all

bert was courteous in manner and expression but had little to say after the brief exchange of greetings. In his bath outfit he made Rex think of a plucked chicken. Joan looked as if she had not slept well. She made a few perfunctory comments on the beach, the temperature of the water, and the like. Hale noticed that young Kneeland kept his eyes on her face while she talked.

When they reached the beach Herbert aroused himself from the lethargy that enveloped both cousins that morning and led Rex to the men's bath-houses. There were two of these—one used by Craig and Herbert, the latter told him, the other by Ainsworth and Casper Kneeland when he was at the Camp.

"Come in to dress with us afterward, if you like," Herbert said indifferently. Hale promptly accepted the invitation. He told himself that he must not encroach on "Uncle Cass." Really, he had a strong wish to avoid the intimacy of sharing a bath-house with Ainsworth. Craig appeared almost at once. Her-

ing made me tired. This year the least thing does it. I'm paying the Piper for being an idiot last winter. I burnt the candle at both ends. I was out most of the night almost every night. All the girls I knew were doing the same thing and most of them are paying for it, just as I am. I'm certainly getting enough sleep now to build me up," she said.

"Your cousin doesn't look very well," Rex allowed himself to say.

"Bert's all right, or he would be if he thought so. His trouble is worry."

Evidently Joan Kneeland thought she had said enough. She shot forward and Hale swam by her side in silence.

"It's a revelation," he said at last, "to be perfectly well all one's life, and then suddenly discover that one is vulnerable. I've just had that experience."

"I know you have," she broke in eagerly. "I suppose that's why I spoke as I did. A fellow feeling, you know."

She had turned her head to look at him. There was an odd expression in her eyes. Hale responded to that look.

"It worries one, too," he said. "Most human beings are used to ordinary physical ups and downs. They have sensations every day that would frighten you and me. They take them as the trifles they are. We don't. We magnify them. We remember that the good die young," he ended more lightly. "We decide that we are pilgrims here. Heaven is our home."

She laughed a little.

"Of course you do understand." Her voice held vitality. She was looking at him with so much interest that his head swam a trifle. They reached the float and sat down on it with their legs hanging over the side. For a time they were silent. Hale was afraid to speak again. If he did he might shatter the odd sense of intimacy that now enveloped them. For a few moments they looked out over the sunlit sea and shining beach, down which Miss Hosanna and Mrs. Spencer Forbes were making their way to the water's edge. Three heads bobbed on a wave not far from the float. Craig's was in the lead, Herbert's next, Ainsworth's some distance behind.

Craig reached the float and climbed up beside them. Hale was annoyed but received him affably. Her little laugh and her tone had been friendly. He realized, too, that she had been observing him more closely than he had known.

This was a pleasant discovery. As if underlining it she spoke again, ignoring Craig's arrival.

"You don't know how nice it seems to have someone come among us who can laugh and joke," she said. "We're a dull lot. I usually have two or three girl friends here, but I haven't asked them this summer. They'd expect to be entertained every minute and I don't want to bother with them." Then she drew Craig into the talk. "Aren't we dull, Doctor?"

"Most of us are a bit on the sober side," Craig agreed. "But you're not, and Bert oughtn't to be."

"I wasn't, but I am. I'm afraid I'm going through the process known as 'settling down.'"

"Not a bit of it. You're too young for that."

Craig spoke with such unusual emphasis that Hale glanced at him curiously. Craig did not see the look. His eyes were on the girl between them, and Rex was struck by his expression. It was a long look—thoughtful, deeply intent, slightly puzzled.

(TO BE CONTINUED)



You needn't waste time teaching Joan.

The doors were firmly closed, though the temperature had mounted again and the morning was very warm. The woods that crowded so close to the house looked dark and mysterious, even in brilliant sunshine.

When he re-entered the house he took in its general architectural plan. There was a wide central hall on both the first and second floors, with big rooms at the right and left. The lower right wing held the living-room, the dining-room and some sort of a library or study as he discovered through its open door.

The left wing held a long library and billiard room. The kitchen, he inferred, was in the rear of these. The central hall was spacious and the living-room and library on either side of it had wide windows facing the sea.

There were evidently plenty of bedrooms upstairs, on each side of the upper hall. The screened-in verandas along the front and right wing of the house were finished as outdoor living-rooms, with gay chintz and painted wicker furniture. It was all very comfortable.

"I'm no match for you," she admitted. "Doctor Craig can give you a run for your money. I'd like to see a match between you."

"I'll suggest it," Hale promised. He was content to swim beside her, moderating his stroke to suit her and watching her face.

"I'm not doing as well as usual this summer," she told him, with a hint of resentment. "Last year nothing

Origin of 'Yankee Doodle' Is Traced to Dutch Words Meaning 'Little John's Toot'

For all our American pride and pleasure in the song "Yankee Doodle," neither the origin of the tune nor the derivation of the two words in the title has ever been determined with certainty. So Harold Davis reminds us in a recent issue of American Speech.

Mr. Davis reviews the various arguments and shows that any number of derivations have been suggested, but the real purpose of his article is to make known some new evidence.

It seems that there were recently discovered, in the basement of the Calais free library in Calais, Maine, 42 diary-notebooks which once belonged to James S. Pike. This Pike was a versatile fellow, having been a famous newspaper correspondent and American minister to Holland from 1861 to 1866.

In one of these notebooks was found a draft of a letter, written from Holland in 1864, "To the Ed. of the Boston Advertiser." This letter reports on Pike's investigation into "Yankee Doodle" and a most enjoyable letter it is. Here, we can only give you a summary:

"Yankee," Pike said, quite likely came from "Jan-tje," meaning "Little John." "Doodle" probably came from "doedel" which the Dutch used as a part of their description of a Scotch bagpipe. It meant "toot."

Thus Pike found the origins of "Yankee Doodle" in the Dutch "Jan-tje Doedel," meaning "Little John's toot." —From "The Pleasures of Publishing"—(Columbia University Press).

Insects and Flowers

Some flowers are sweet-smelling at night and scentless during the day. When this is the case one can be sure that the insects which fertilize the flowers are nocturnal in habit. Flowers which are sweet-smelling during the day are fertilized by insects which fly during the day. Some flowers close up during the day and open during the night; others do the opposite. Insects and flowers are mutual friends, but both of them have their enemies. There are insects which prey upon flowers, and there are flowers—or plants which use their flowers—to prey upon insects.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears

THERE is an amusing story about the mittens and scarf shown here. They were not hand-knitted. They were purchased rather hurriedly and sent to a young miss who was away at school. She had wanted something rather gay and a bit foreign looking to wear for skating and these were perfectly plain and pretty drab. She didn't take her dis-

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pointment lying down, but decided to brighten up that scarf and mitten set and make it speak a foreign language as well! She found the Swedish cross-stitch design shown here and copied it in all its gay colors on the ends of the scarf and backs of the mittens.

Hand knitted mittens and other knitted things in plain colors may also be decorated with this pert flower pattern. Start at the upper right corner of the large flower and make the cross stitches as at A and B. This flower is a brilliant red, the small flowers bright blue and the stems jade green.

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AROUND THE HOUSE

Economy Note.—Save all celery tops, wash and dry them and place in the oven, turning them now and then. Store the leaves in an airtight tin. Use them for flavoring soups, salads, etc.

A Scrap Book.—A large loose-top notebook is inexpensive and handy to use if you are saving the newspaper clippings of the doings of anyone in the family. More pages can be added when needed and any added data may be written on the note book paper alongside of the articles.

Germless Brushes.—Once a week pour a little peroxide of hydrogen over the toothbrushes to sterilize them. Rinse with cold water and hang up in their places. We pay so much attention to the teeth and so little to the brush these days.

Toast Animals.—Cut animal shapes out of bread with animal cookie cutters. Spread with butter and toast a light golden brown under the broiler. Serve these to the children to eat with their soup.

Washing Dingy Bath Towels.—Bath towels that have become dingy should be put into boiler of cold water, soap added and a little lemon juice. Heat water to boiling point. Rinse towels in lukewarm bluing water and hang in the sun.

Keeping Apples Whole.—Core apples before paring. They are less likely to break. A broad paring causes much waste because of the rounding surface of the apples.

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Treasurer's Quarterly Report

Commissioners' Court Kinney County, Texas, in Regular Quarterly Session, Nov. term, 1938, in the matter of County finances in the hands Mrs Rosa G. Perry, Treasurer and First State Bank, County Depository Kinney County, Texas, Nov. Term. 1938.

JURY FUND		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1 1938	979.89	
To amount received since said date	1 375.92	
By amount disbursed since said date	400.42	
By amount to balance	716.89	
Total	1 117.31	1 117.31

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1 1938	10 808.45	
To amount received since said date	532.15	
By amount disbursed since said date	4 188.76	
By amount to balance	7 201.85	
Total	11 340.61	11 340.61

GENERAL FUND		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1 1938	7 690.99	
To amount received since said date	223.91	
By amount disbursed since said date	2 535.58	
By amount to balance	5 379.42	
Total	7 914.90	7 914.90

PUBLIC BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENT FUND		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1 1938	1 395.72	
To amount received since said date	18.03	
By amount disbursed since said date	759.79	
By amount to balance	653.96	
Total	1 413.75	1 413.75

GOOD ROADS BOND FUND NO. 1		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1 1938	281.31	
To amount received since said date	18.68	
By amount disbursed since said date		
By amount to balance	299.99	
Total	299.99	299.99

GOOD ROADS BONDS FUND NO. 2		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1 1938	562.62	
To amount received since said date	35.76	
By amount disbursed since said date		
By amount to balance	598.38	
Total	598.38	598.38

TIME WARRANT FUND 1936		
Balance on hand as shown Aug. 1, 1938	866.77	
To Amount received since that date	28.93	
By amount disbursed since said date		
By amount to balance	895.70	
Total	895.70	895.70

RECAPITULATION		
Nov. 1 1938, Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day	716.89	
Nov. 1 1938, balance to credit of Road & Bridge Fund	7 201.85	
Nov. 1 1938, balance to credit of General Fund	5 379.32	
Nov. 1 1938, balance to credit P. B. & Imp. Fund	653.96	
Nov. 1 1938, balance to credit of G. R. B. No 1	299.99	
Nov. 1 1938, balance to credit of G. R. B. No 2	598.38	
Nov. 1 1938, balance to credit Time Warrant 1936 fund	895.70	
Total cash on hand belonging to Kinney County.....	\$ 15 746.09	

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS AND OTHER LIABILITIES		
Kinney Co. Special Road Bonds 1927 Issue 5 p.c. 80 000.00		
Kinney Co. Ref. Good Road Bonds 4% p.c. Iss. 1938 44 000.00		
Kinney County Road Warrants 1929 Issue 6 p.c. 3 000.00		
Kinney County Time Warrants, 1936, 5 p.c. 3 000.000.00		
Kinney County Road Warrants, Issue 1938, 5 per cent 2 500.00		
Kinney Co. Gen. Fund Reg. Warrants 67.30		
Total	\$ 131,567.30	

Witness our hands, officially, this 14 day of Nov. A.D. 1938, Jno. S. Fritter, Co. Judge; P. H. Fritter, com'r prect. 1, O. R. Davis, Com'r Prect. 2; and D G Owens, Com'r Precinct 4		
Sworn to and Subscribed before me, by Jno. S. Fritter, County Judge and P. H. Fritter, 1st O R Davis and 2nd D G Owens as the Commissioners of said Kinney Co., each respectively on this the 14th day of Nov. A. D. 1938.		
(SFAL) CHARLES VELTMANN, Clerk Kinney County, Texas		

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR

**"ORPHANS OF THE STORM"**

Fleeing a tornado near Clyde, Texas, parents of these babies were killed, their automobile tossed a quarter-mile away. Hours later a telephone lineman heard a child's whimper in a roadside ditch. There he found 3-year-old Jessie Donald Rutledge, water up to his chin, holding his 3-months-old brother Daryl's head above water. Relatives being unable to care for the orphans, Red Cross workers arranged a maintenance fund to support them until they are 16. A Texas college promised scholarships and ranchmen started a herd of cattle for their benefit. The Red Cross will help the boys make adjustments as they grow older.

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Notice is hereby given that my ranch lying on both sides of San Antonio hiway adjoining the city is posted. Any one trespassing thereon will be prosecuted. Dr. B. F. Orr.

POSTED

My ranch properties are posted according to law. No trespassing of any kind will be allowed. Violators take this notice is final warning and save yourselves from prosecution for unlawful trespass. W. G. Lackey.

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Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on the ranch owned and controlled by the undersigned, for the purpose of hunting, fishing, cutting wood or hunting hogs will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. There will be no permits issued to camping parties. A. M. Slator.

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All lands owned or controlled by the undersigned are posted and no hunting or any form of trespassing will be permitted. Absolutely NO permission will be granted any one to hunt or otherwise invade these premises—if you don't want to be flatly refused, don't ask for permission. Nolan & Postell, by Otto Postell.

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