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### OBJECTIVES IN ENGLISH TEACHING

Mrs. Elvia Davenport

The objectives in English teaching may for convenience be held to the narrow confines of the following: (1) A working knowledge of speaking and writing English. (2) A development of the individual by arousing interest in problems of social content, and (3) a broadening of sympathies and deepening of appreciation of life interpreted in terms of truth and beauty. Nevertheless, it must be held in mind that what is commonly regarded as English teaching embodies two very distinct divisions of subject matter, each with its own specific aims. I refer to the teaching of grammar and the teaching of literature. Literature cannot be successfully taught and be regarded as a mere basis for linguistic study; nor must emphasis on language be minimized for the sake of literature. The exaggerated modern idea of feeling the necessity to correlate associate as well as unrelated subjects produce the tendency to overlook the thin partition dividing the two. Briefly I shall attempt to discuss first the language aims, then the more obscure objectives in literature teaching.

The pupil should acquire an ability to gain thought from the printed page as well as to develop the power to express thought in logical sequence. However, before expression there must be impression, and since it is impossible to acquire all knowledge from actual experience, it behooves us to improve by careful observation of construction and painstaking selection the component parts of the machine we must use in acquisition of the desired information. To further this aim, the careful teacher will remember that an extensive vocabulary, one of the immediate aims in language study, is not only necessary to graceful expression, but is the basis upon which thought is built. Without an extensive vocabulary extensive thinking cannot be done. So often pupils may have what may be called a "passive vocabulary." In other words, the meaning of certain phrases taken in context may be fairly well comprehended but apart from their association of other known material becomes vague and indistinct. The conceptual idea runs away from the verbal; the imagery becomes blurred. It is the duty of the teacher to make, so far as is possible, the "passive vocabulary" of the pupil an "active vocabulary." The words they recognize on the printed page should be made their own by constant use. That this intensive language study has a social as well as cultural value will, I think, hardly be questioned; that combined with extensive study it may have also a vocational value is, I dare say, not to be gainsaid. That it is a time saver, too, I think we will have to admit. "Brevity is the soul of wit." Few of us like to spend hours perhaps in securing a single jewel

from page after page of rubbish, lovely doubtless as a "wreck of Paradise," but certainly as useless,

So we may readily see the threefold aim in language teaching is (1) the ability to gain thought from the printed page, (2) to exercise power in thought construction, and (3) to express thought clearly and concisely, observing unity, coherence, and emphasis.

In our study of literature, as has been stated, not the least important aim is to develop the individual by arousing interest in problems of social content. Worthy home membership, and good citizenship, closely related objectives of general education, lend themselves very readily to the English teaching aim. Legends of Greek, Roman and Saxon heroes as given in the grades arouse in the enthusiastic readers a desire for emulation of the deeds of the heroes. Good is rewarded, evil punished, and so unconsciously ideals are formed that can never be destroyed.

It has been said that an educated man, in other words, a good citizen, "hates dirt spiritually and physically." It does not seem to me that I would strain the credulity of my readers to assert that it is one of the English objectives to participate in this physical and spiritual cleansing of the individual. To me it seems incredible that one could mark the magnificence of "the heavens declaring the glory of God," or with understanding hearts find "the pleasure that lies in the pathless woods"—and have no care for the eighteenth amendment, or the ten commandments. The study of English deepens, if not actually makes possible, this appreciation of what is best in the literature of all ages, and with magic alchemy turns it into the gold of good citizenship.

The individualistic avocational aim has for its basis the acquisition of breadth of view, many and varied interests, distinct pleasure accruing therefrom. Growing appreciation for the best in literature very naturally creates a distaste for the cheap and low. So a study of these subjects included in the best literature of all nations is a big step forward toward that end of education as given by Comenius: "Education is the development of the whole man." And since education is not finished, but a process of growth, worthy use of leisure hours as involved in the individualistic avocational English teaching aim places higher the goal of final achievement.

In conclusion, it might not be inappropriately said that the objectives of English teaching practically embody all the fundamental aims of general education. Do you think I lay claim to too much for English teaching? But what does it matter? "Our reach must exceed our grasp. Or what's a heaven for!"

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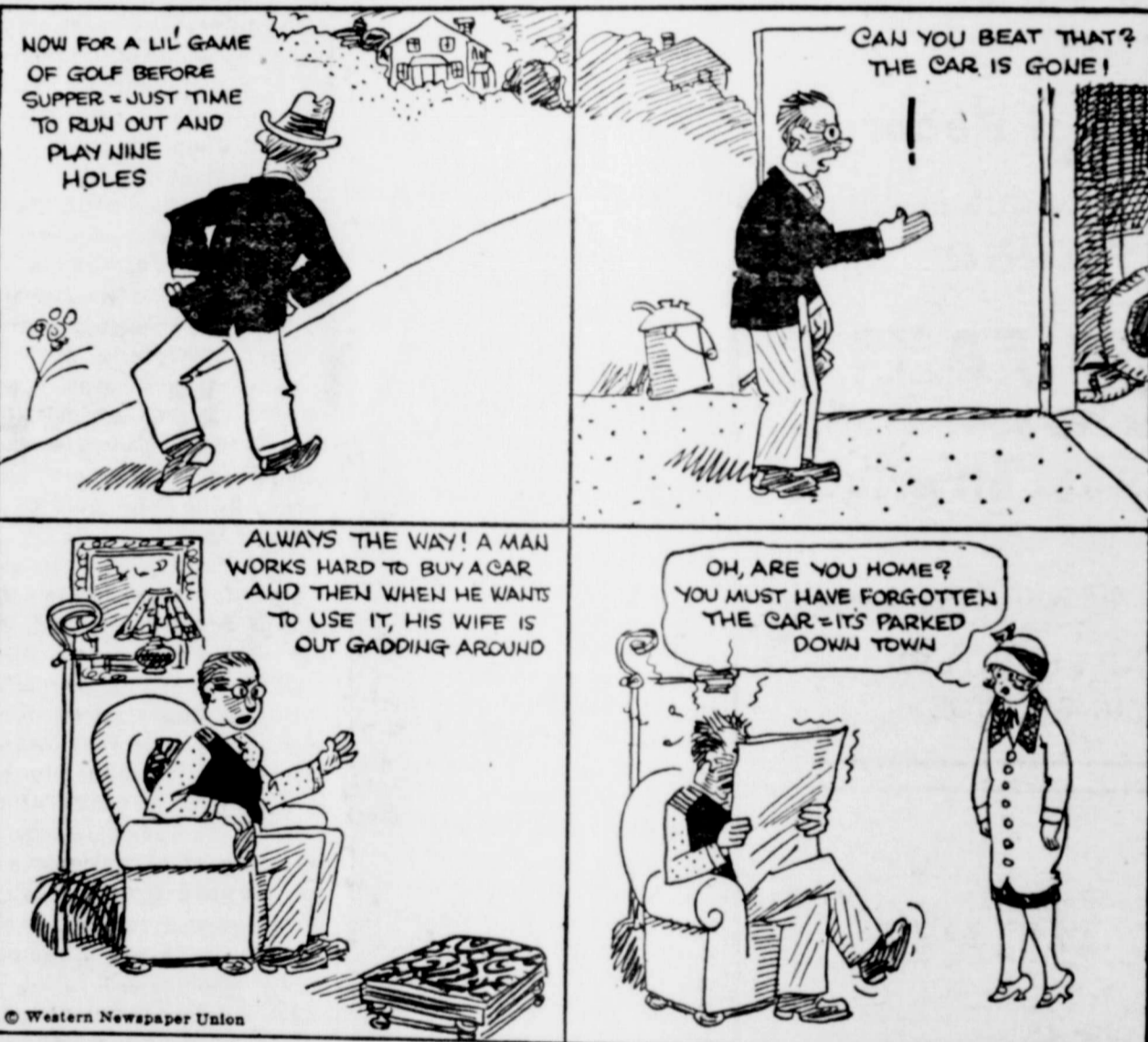
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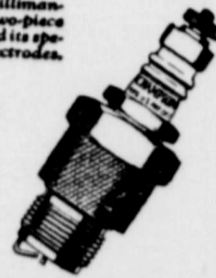
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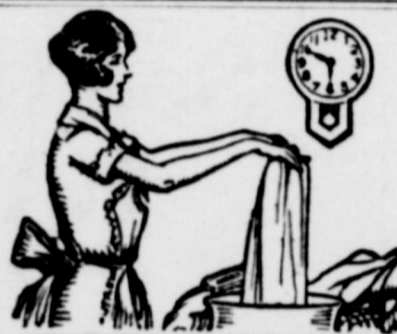
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On Sunday, June 12, at the First Christian Church in Clarendon will be held a "Resurrection Service" in his honor. Brother Dubbs and his grandson, E. Dubbs Jr., will speak at this service, and there will be other special numbers to make up an interesting and inspiring program.

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REAR ADMIRAL LATIMER issued a warning to all armed forces in Nicaragua that they would have to surrender their arms peacefully to the American troops there or submit to disarmament by force. This order applies to the Conservatives as well as Liberal rebels, and the latter are receive from the Diaz government of \$10 for each rifle or machine gun surrendered. The possibility of force might be required to persuade some of the belligerents led Admiral Latimer to ask that 800 more rifles be sent him. Four hundred were started at once from Quantico, 400 were embarked at Charleston, S. C. and Port-au-Prince, Haiti. An aviation detachment and six airplanes sent from Quantico, and another aviation detail with three planes was to proceed from San Diego by commercial transportation.

to assist General Moncada, Liberal commander in chief. In persuading his troops to lay down their arms, Henry Stimson, personal representative of President Coolidge, wrote the general a letter after their conference at Itapa:

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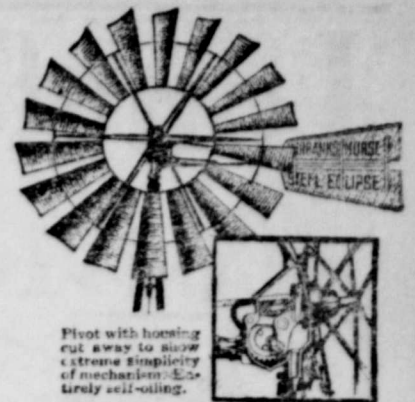
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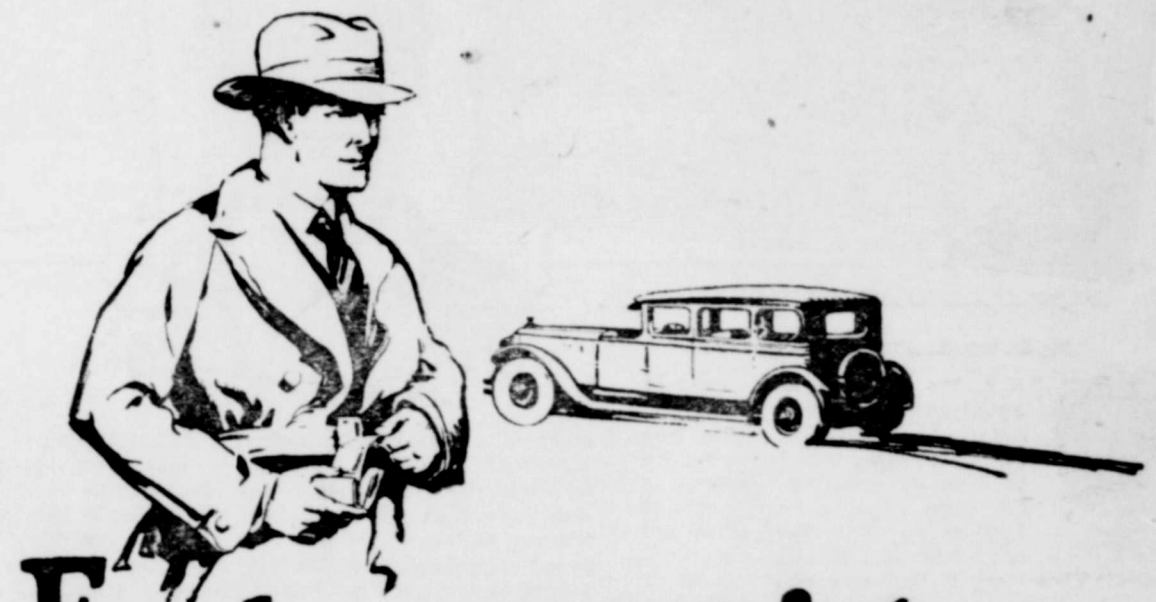
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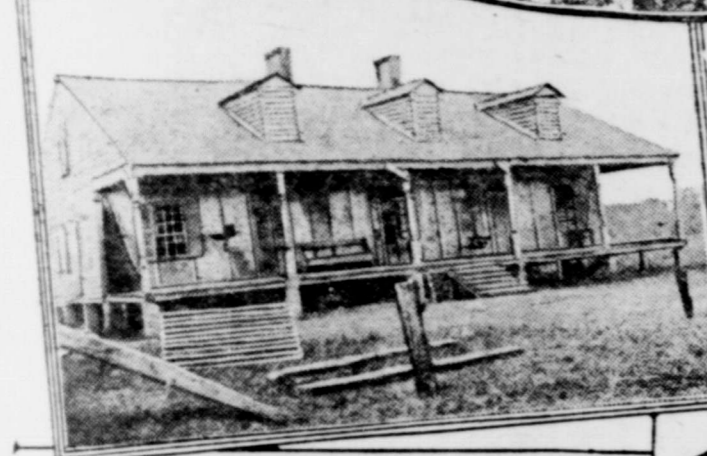
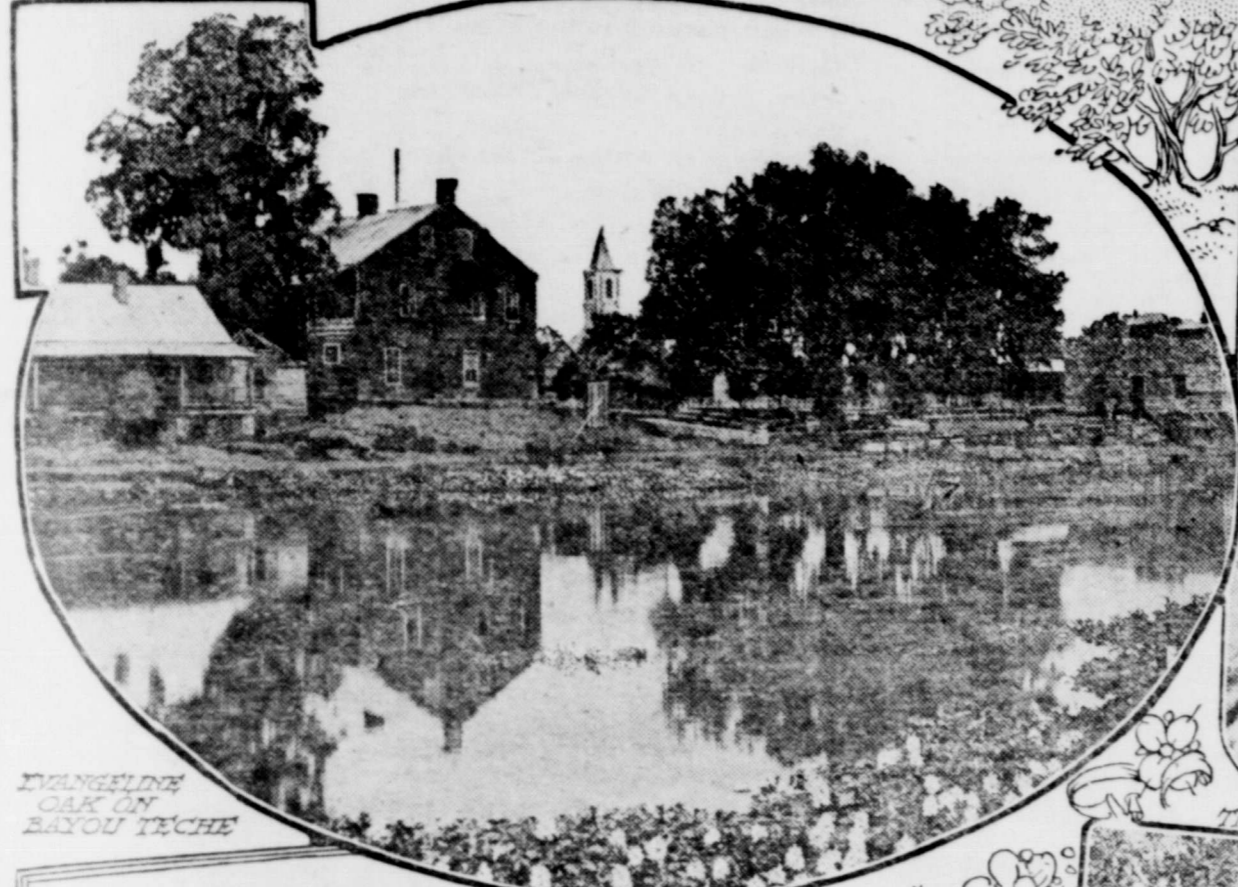
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# Longfellow-Evangeline National Memorial



HOME OF LOUIS ARCEVEAUX-"GABRIEL"

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

ONE of the tenderest love stories in American literature and one of America's best-loved poets, who made that love story immortal, are to have an enduring memorial in the form of a national park of 1,000 acres. If present plans are carried forward to a successful conclusion. That story is the story of the quest of Evangeline, the Acadian maiden, for her lover, the poet is Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, who wrote her epic of love and devotion, and the project is the establishment of a national reservation near St. Martinville, La., to be known as Longfellow-Evangeline National Memorial park.

Down in Louisiana the descendants of Evangeline's people, the Acadians, have formed a Longfellow-Evangeline National Park association, the purpose of which is stated by its officers as follows: To build a great national memorial to the Acadians; to erect a splendid bronze statue, representing Longfellow and the heroine of his poem, "Evangeline," the Acadian maiden of Grand Pre; to preserve the Evangeline Oak, a tree more than four hundred years old, and the ancient trees around St. Martinville, the scene of the poem; to preserve the ancient brick building which stands near the oak and which was the trading post of the Attakapas Indians, and to build a museum in which will be kept the records and antiques used by the early Acadians and French emigrants into Louisiana, as well as a record of each donor, so that the lives of these people, whom Longfellow immortalized, may be studied by this generation and generations to come.

In accordance with this plan the association is enlisting the aid of every citizen of Louisiana to have the first national park in the South located in the Pelican state. It has already secured appropriation of \$10,000 by the state legislature which has made possible the purchase of a tract of at least 250 acres and it is asking the federal government for an appropriation of \$100,000 in order that more land—as much as 1,000 acres, if possible—may be bought. The project is more than one to foster local pride, since by it the natural beauties of that section may be made more apparent and made accessible to the thousands of tourists from all parts of the country who drive through the Acadian country every year. For that reason the park has a national significance. It also has an international significance in that French Canadians will be invited to share in thus honoring the memory of those of their people who, so many years ago, were forced to leave their homes and go into exile.

Included in the plans for the park are those for a sculptured group of Longfellow and his two famous characters, Evangeline and Gabriel. This group will be placed as nearly as possible to the spot where tradition says Evangeline kept her tryst with the lover of her youth. Near it will be built a wading pool and about this will stand the sculptured symbolic figures of Youth, Gladness, Love and Despair, as exemplified in the poem. And over all this artificial beauty will tower the gray moss-hung oaks and cypress trees which are such a prominent feature of the Louisiana landscape. One of the beauty spots in the park will be an old-fashioned garden in which will be found flowers such as Evangeline tended in her garden by the Basin of Minas and through which will run shaded walks, winding around quiet pools—a place of ancient beauty whose only modern touch will be the driveways for motorists, the gates that mark the entrance and the lighting system which will make possible the use of the park at night.

Although the park is situated in the Acadian country and will be a memorial to the Acadians, it will be no less a memorial to Longfellow, the poet. It has already won the support of many varying interests. The trades unions of America will erect there a monument symbolical of Longfellow's poem, "The Builders." The ironworkers of Canada and the United States are uniting to

erect a statuary group depicting "The Village Blacksmith." "Hiawatha" will be immortalized in bronze by contributions from the Indians of the two countries and an effort will be made to interest the school children of America in giving penny contributions which will make possible a statue appropriate to "The Children's Hour."

Although they were characters of fiction, there once did live a "Gabriel" and an "Evangeline" whose love story inspired Longfellow's poem. The name of the real "Evangeline" was Emmerline Labiche, the faithless "Gabriel" was Louis Arceveaux, and their life story is a part of the tragic tale of the simple folk of Acadia who were deported by British soldiery from their homes away back in 1755. The Acadians were French colonists who had settled in what is now Nova Scotia in 1607, and who lived a happy, contented existence in their homes in the New world until caught in the maelstrom of world politics, stirred up by the contest between England and France to decide which nation was to dominate the North American continent. In the series of wars between the two countries which began in 1689 Acadia was a pawn on the international chess-board, now held by the French and now by the British.

As for the Acadians themselves, they were in the main neutral. In fact they were often referred to in the official papers of the time as the "Neutral French." While the sympathies of most of them no doubt leaned toward their own countrymen and some of them supported the French cause, for the most part they wished to be left alone in their peaceful pursuits as farmers and fishermen. The question of their allegiance was never definitely settled after any of the treaties of peace, but in 1755, with France and England gridding for the final decisive struggle, the Acadians found themselves caught between the upper and nether millstones of British and French demands for their loyalty.

In that year the British, who then held Acadia, decided that the Acadians were "an enemy encamped in the heart of the province" and determined to force a show-down. They reiterated a demand that had been made many years before, but which had never been insisted upon—that the Acadians take an oath of allegiance to the British crown upon pain of forfeiture of their rights and lands. What followed is well-described by George M. Wrong in "The Conquest of New France" in the Yale University Chronicles of America as follows:

The thing was done in the summer and autumn of 1755. Colonel Robert Monckton, a regular officer, son of an Irish peer, who always showed an ineffable superiority to provincial officers serving under him, was placed in charge of the work. He ordered the male inhabitants of the neighborhood of Beauséjour to meet him there on the tenth of August. Only about one-third of them came—some four hundred. He told them that the government at Halifax now declared them rebels. Their lands and all their goods were forfeited; they themselves were to be kept in prison. Not yet, however, was made known to them the decision that they were to be treated as traitors of whom the province must be rid. No attempt was made anywhere to distinguish loyal from disloyal Acadians. Major Lawrence, British governor at Halifax, gave orders to the military officers to clear the country of all Acadians, to get them by any necessary means on board the transports which would carry them away, and to burn their houses and crops so that those not caught might perish or be forced to surrender during the coming winter. At the moment, the harvest had just been reaped or was ripening.

When the stern work was done at Grand Pre, at Pisiquid, now Windsor, at Annapolis, there were harrowing scenes. In command of the work at Grand Pre was Colonel Winslow, an officer from Massachusetts—some of whose relatives twenty-five years later were to be driven, because of their loyalty to the British king, from their own homes in Boston to this very land of Acadia. Winslow issued a summons in French to all the male inhabitants, down to lads of ten, to come to the church at Grand Pre on Friday, the fifth of September, to learn the orders he had to communicate. Those who did not appear were to forfeit their

## Along the Concrete



## TER'S DEVIL



By this time the Acadians realized what was to happen. The men were joined by their families. As far as possible the people of the same village were kept together. They were forced to march to the transports, a sorrow-laden company, women carrying babes in their arms, old and decrepit people borne in carts, young and strong men dragging what belongings they could gather. Winslow's task, as he says, lay heavy on his heart and hands: "It hurts me to hear their weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth." By the first of November he had embarked 1,500 unhappy people. His last shipload he sent off on the thirteenth of December. The suffering from cold must have been terrible.

In all from Grand Pre and other places more than 6,000 Acadians were deported. They were scattered in the English colonies from Maine to Georgia and in both France and England. Many died; many, helpless in new surroundings, sank into decrepit pauperism. Some reached people of their own blood in the French colony of Louisiana and Canada.

Among those who came to Louisiana was young Louis Arceveaux who had become separated from his sweetheart, Emmerline Labiche, and who settled on Bayou Teche, a stream which winds in and out like a snake, hence its name, which is the Indian term for snake. Here, too, ten years later came Emmerline Labiche, who had been mourning the loss of her lover.

And the soul of the maiden, between the stars and the fireflies, Wandered alone and she cried, "O, Gabriel, O, my beloved! Art thou so near unto me, and yet I cannot behold thee? Ah, how often thy feet have trod this path to the prairie!"

At last Emmerline found her lover, and tradition says that the meeting took place beneath the historic Evangeline Oak on the Bayou Teche, where she learned that her faithless lover had married another. It was the story of Emmerline Labiche and Louis Arceveaux, told to Longfellow when he was an instructor at Harvard by a student from Louisiana, later Judge Henry Simon, which the poet wove into his famous poem.

If you visit St. Martinville, La., today they will point out to you the house where "Gabriel" (Louis Arceveaux) once lived and they will take you to the spot near the left wing of the old St. Martin Catholic church, established in 1765 by Father Jean Francois, a Capuchin missionary, where sleeps "Evangeline" (Emmerline Labiche). It is not strictly true, as Longfellow has written it, that

Side by side in their nameless graves, the lovers are sleeping. Under the humble walls of the little Catholic churchyard, in the heart of the city, they lie, unknown and unnoticed. Daily the tides of life go ebbing and flowing beside them.

But if you go there you will still hear the soft accents of the Acadian tongue and you may learn that upon occasion

Maidens still wear their Norman caps and their dirklike of homespun. And by the evening fire repeat Evangeline's story.

For the descendants of the exiled Acadians are proud of their ancestry with its heritage of sorrow, and in this country of primitive beauty they live simply, yet extending always a hospitality to the stranger that warms the heart. It is in honor of these simple, kindly people who "have left their forceful personality, the 'gray granite' virtues of honesty and uprightness, piety and political power in the civil records throughout the United States, the country they have done so much to develop," that the Longfellow-Evangeline National Memorial park is to be established for the enjoyment of all Americans.

## PINNED BY TONS OF STEEL, SWEARS AND DRINKS RUM

### Imprisoned Brakeman Is Cheered by Liquor as Rescuers Labor to Release.

New York.—The Red Hook section of Brooklyn marveled the other day at the fortitude of Richard O'Connor, a railway brakeman who was pinned for several hours under 14,000 pounds of steel and emerged from the experience alive.

O'Connor was riding the cow catcher of a switch engine in the New York Dock company yards at the foot of Pioneer street, Red Hook, when the engine jumped the tracks and overturned a freight car loaded with steel girders. He was hurled forward under the freight car, with his back resting against the engine. Engineer James Burns and Fireman Stanley Rice heard "cuss words" coming from beneath the freight car and decided that O'Connor was not only alive but considerably annoyed.

Difficult Problem. They tried to extricate him, but found the problem too difficult. When O'Connor scolded them for their delay, they scolded back at him in a scolding fashion to keep his spirits up. Two patrolmen from the Hamilton avenue station joined them, but the four could make no progress. The



Announced That He Intended to Finish the Bottle.

fire department rescue squad came, saw, but failed to conquer. The jacks could not raise the freight car an inch.

Dr. Edwin Goebel brought an ambulance and a quantity of good whisky from Long Island college hospital. Dismissing the ambulance as a thing of secondary importance, O'Connor found that the liquor made his misfortune seem slighter at every drink. He then announced that he intended to finish the bottle before they got him out.

The rescuers had been heaving and panting, and decided that they, too, could stand a drink. So the situation resolved into a race between them and O'Connor for the liquor.

A huge jack, improvised with timbers, began to lift the freight car slowly. O'Connor hurried with his drinks as the car was raised. With the bottle still unfinished, he was removed and taken to the Long Island college hospital, where he was said to have a good chance for recovery. He lives with his wife at Malverne, Long Island.

## Wife Slain in Flat She Rented as Actress

San Francisco.—Mrs. Frances Elliston, twenty-five years old, pretty blonde wife of Roy Elliston, a local resident, was shot to death by an unidentified man in an apartment which she had rented under the name of "Miss F. (Tiny) Thomas." She had lived in the rented apartment a few days and had given the impression that she was an actress.

The shooting followed a terrific struggle for life, in which the woman struck her assailant on the left temple with a sugar bowl, inflicting a wound from which blood streamed as he escaped down the hall, waving a pistol and intimidating residents who tried to stop him. The woman's husband furnished police with clues expected to result in his capture. He also said the woman was on friendly terms with a man he did not know.

## Faked Liberty Gains Insanity for Prisoners

Alamo, Tenn.—For pure "hokus pokus," Will Vaughn and James Legon, negroes, who had been in the local jail on charges of larceny and housebreaking, seem to have carried away the prize.

About ten days ago Vaughn became a raving "maniac." County authorities had him examined and he was carried to Bolivar. A few days later Legon "threw a fit" also. He became so wild that it took several men to manage him. Striking at everybody near and biting his tongue, he was adjudged insane and carried to the hospital for treatment.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas,  
County of Donley.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Donley county, of the 2nd day of May, 1927, by Mrs. F. G. White, clerk of said Honorable District Court, for the sum of Two thousand four hundred ninety-five and 22/100 (\$2495 22) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of The Kansas City Life Ins. Co. in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1530, and styled The Kansas City Life Insurance Company vs A. G. Nipper, Susan Nipper and J. T. Pearson, placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Pierce, as Sheriff of Donley county, Texas, did on the 30th day of May, 1927, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Donley county, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

One hundred and forty three acres of land out of the S. E. corner of Survey Number 127, Block "E," Certificate No. 36, D & P. Railway Company Surveys in Donley county, Texas, patented to Alfred Rowe June 3rd, 1898, by patent Number 45, Volume 84, Abstract Number 865, described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the S. E. corner of said survey; thence North with the East line thereof 950 varas to an iron rod set for the N. E. corner of this tract; thence West 840 varas to an iron pipe set for the Northwest corner of this tract; thence South 950 varas to an iron pipe in the South line of said survey which is 1092 varas East of the Southwest corner thereof; thence East with said South line 840 varas to the place of beginning, and being the same land and all the land conveyed to A. G. Nipper by G. A. Blankenship and wife by deed dated February 28, 1918, and recorded in Volume 37, page 74 of the Deed Records of Donley county, Texas.

And levied upon as the property of A. G. Nipper, Susan Nipper and J. T. Pearson, and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1927, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the court house door of Donley county, in the town of Clarendon, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. G. Nipper, Susan Nipper and J. T. Pearson.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Hedley Informer, a newspaper published in Donley county.

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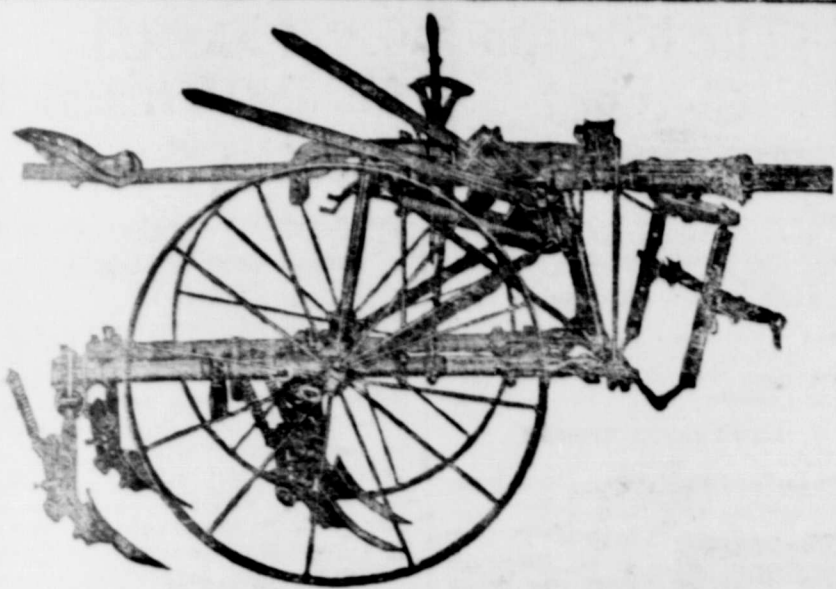
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Miss Hattie Ruth Francis, who has been teaching at Oton the past year, stopped off on the way to her home at Celina for a visit with Miss Cloeteal Moreman. These young ladies were formerly associate teachers in the Goodlett school. When Miss Francis left for Celina, Miss Cloeteal accompanied her and is visiting there and at other places in Collin and Grayson counties.

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Mrs. W. R. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Acord, of Clarendon, visited home folks and friends here Monday.

Misses Vera Harrison and Doris Pronger, from Stratford, spent the past week end with Rev. Joseph E. Eldridge and family.

J. G. McDougal and C. L. Johnson, of the Security State Bank, attended the Bankers Convention at Plainview this week.

Mrs. J. D. McCants and two daughters were here from Giles last Saturday.

Prof. J. T. Glass, principal of Pampa high school, is a visitor in Hedley this week.

Marion Shaw has returned to Hedley from a stay of several weeks at Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford of Memphis visited home folks here one day the past week.

Miss Edith Moore of Quitaque was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Eldridge. She accompanied the Eldridge family to Amarillo Monday, going from there to Canyon where she will attend summer school.

In order to relieve a considerable bit of anxiety on the subject, we inform those interested that J. D. Shaw says it's going to rain—soon. Now don't say we didn't warn you.

#### NAZARENE CHURCH

Mrs. Maud Busby will preach here each month from Thursday night to Sunday night of the fourth Sunday.

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#### MRS. CLARKE'S MOTHER DIED WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Nancy Bell Rockett, age 67, mother of Mrs. J. M. Clarke and sister of W. T. Youree, died Wednesday afternoon, at her home in Red Oak, Ellis county. Mrs. Clarke, Snookie Clarke and Mr. Youree went to Red Oak some days ago upon hearing of Mrs. Rockett's serious illness. A message announcing her death came to Mr. Clarke Wednesday and he left immediately in his car for that place. Many friends will join us in sincere sympathy to the bereaved family who have suffered a great loss.

New shipment of Children's Sox, just in, at Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

W. B. Laurence and family returned the latter part of last week from a visit to home folks at Iredell and other points. A niece of Mrs. Laurence, Miss Irma Mosch of Duffan, accompanied them home for a visit.

#### HEY, GIRLS

If you want your shoes painted Blue or red, Bring 'em to the Shoe Shop, Amos Wall said.

"Shine" Davis, whose critical illness was chronicled in last week's paper, is much better and is said to be recovering rapidly in the Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo. We are very much delighted at this news.

Don't forget that good tailoring At Clarke's.

Mrs. E. M. Ewen and daughters of Memphis, were in Hedley Wednesday and spent the day with Mrs. J. G. McDougal.

#### Field Seeds and Feed

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P. H. Crozier.

Miss Letha Masten has returned from a three weeks visit with her friend, Mrs. J. A. Hall, of Shindler, Okla. Mrs. Hall is better known here as Miss Tressia Moore. She reports a good time, although it rained most every day and night.

Mesdames W. I. Rains, W. C. Bridges and F. G. Watt visited relatives at Giles Monday.

J. W. Noel and F. E. Anderson attended the Bankers Convention at Plainview Thursday.

Mrs. Hobart Moffitt spent the past week end with home folks at Memphis.

Bill Mobley is back at home after a stay of several months at Memphis.

Mrs. J. A. Lemmon and Mrs. Harvey Stotts and little daughter visited relatives in Hedley Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Simmons of Giles visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

T. F. Heath, Jet Brumley, D. Franklin and Oscar Heath went fishing yesterday somewhere in the neighborhood of Childress. An effort to interview them in regard to the number of fish caught proved unsatisfactory, but Shorty Spalding told us in strict confidence that they got a—sight fewer than he got on his recent trip.

Miss Preacher of Lelia Lake was brought to Hedley today for treatment for snake bite. We are informed that no serious consequences are expected.

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