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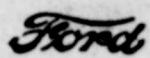
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Last Friday, Oct 25 the Ex-Seniors gave a pie supper and free program in the high school auditorium, sponsored by Hedley merchants. The object of the program was to help pay the expenses of the Ex Senior banquet. A large crowd attended, and about 40 pies were donated and sold. The highest price paid for a pie was 80c. The pie was baked by Mrs. J. B. Pickett and bought by Pearl Hunt. The Home Bakery of Clarendon and the Good Eats Bakery of Memphis donated two large cakes which were given as prizes for the two best numbers. They were won by Hilda Ruth Burden and Leneita Hickey. Shake Davis, Waples Platter representative, donated coffee.

The Ex Seniors wish to thank the merchants and people for their donations and help.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS

The regular monthly meeting of the Young Democratic club of Donley County was held in the District Court room Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Judge J. E. Porter, in the principal address of the evening, gave a very interesting discussion of the several phases of the "New Deal" as they pertain to the different industries of the country, and especially of the agricultural program and its effect on the South and West. Judge Porter clearly outlined the part played by the Supreme Court of the United States in deciding the constitutionality of different phases of the "New Deal." Other members of the group took part in the interesting round-table discussion that followed.

The membership committee reported that several prospective members had been interviewed and expressed the hope that there would soon be many additions to the club. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone interested in the Young Democratic club to attend the meetings.

FISH POND

The ladies of the First Baptist Church will have a fish pond Monday, Nov. 25, at the Rev. Wells home. A program will be given in connection. Every lady of the church is invited to help provide fish for the pond.

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THREE BURN TO DEATH AT BALLINGER HOME

The many friends here of the family were deeply grieved and shocked Tuesday when they learned of the death of Ara Duckworth and A. J. Stiles, both formerly of this community, who were burned to death early Tuesday morning when the Duckworth home at Ballinger burned. The terrible tragedy occurred when Mr. Duckworth came home from work at the oil mill in Ballinger about one o'clock Tuesday morning, and attempted to start a fire with kerosene. The kerosene exploded, setting fire to his clothing, and in a few moments, to the entire house. He snatched up his 7-day old babe and attempted to save it, but it too was burned to death. Others in the house, who were all painfully burned, included Mrs. Duckworth and Mrs. Stiles, their sister, Miss Tyler, and the 16 month old Stiles baby.

Ara was the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duckworth, and was born and reared in this community. Last April he went to Ballinger to work in the oil mill, together with A. J. Stiles. A. J. was the son of J. F. Stiles of this community. He was born and reared in Paducah, and lived here about two years. Ara was 24 years of age, and A. J. about 26.

Funeral services for Mr. Duckworth were held today (Thursday) at the Methodist Church here, with Rev. A. V. Hendricks, pastor, officiating. Services for Mr. Stiles were held today in Paducah, his old home.

The Informer joins the entire community in extending deepest sympathies to the bereaved ones of these fine young men and this innocent babe.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Maxine Carter entertained a number of her little friends with a party at her home Saturday Oct 26, it being her ninth birthday.

The afternoon was spent in playing games and singing songs. Several readings were given which all enjoyed very much. Quite a few lovely presents were received by the little miss.

Cake and hot chocolate were served to the following guests: Mary Frances Meeks, Mary Lane Hendricks, Gertrude LaDean Golliday, Glora Jane Webb, Joyce Jean Webb, Dorothy Brinson, Gwyneth Davis, Margaret Beach Joy Blankenship, Brownie Man Lamb, R. L. Beach, Bucky Everett and the little hostess.

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Evidence that people killed by lightning or by other shocks of high-voltage electricity die because their brains or blood vessels have exploded has been reported by Dr. Macdonald Critchley, nerve specialist of the King's College hospital in London.

This is believed to be why shock victims who recover report that the sensation of such a shock is that of a violent blow. Specimens of nerve tissue taken from people who have been shocked, Doctor Critchley finds to be shredded or "ballooned," as though an explosion had occurred inside them. Blood vessels in the brain are found to be burst so that blood has run out much as it does when one of these blood vessels bursts spontaneously and causes apoplexy. Small hollow spaces in the brain tissue frequently look as though they had been burst by violent explosions inside them.

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SYNOPSIS

To the town of Heron River comes Anna ("Silver") Grenoble, daughter of "Gentleman Jim," formerly of the community, known as a gambler, news of whose murder in Chicago has reached the town. She is to live with Sophronia Willard, Jim Grenoble's sister. Sophronia's household consists of her husband, and stepsons, Roderick and Jason. The Willards own only half of the farm, the other half being Anna Grenoble's. On Silver's arrival Duke Melbank, shiftless youth, makes himself obnoxious. Roderick is on the eve of marriage to Corinne Meader. Silver declares she wants to live on the farm, and will not sell her portion. She tells Sophronia ("Phronie," by request) something—but by no means all—of her relations with Gerald Lucas, gambler friend of her father. Roddy marries Corinne. She has a maid, Paula, who attracts Jason. Silver again meets Gerald Lucas, who has a gambling resort. She is compelled to introduce him to Corinne Willard, much against her will. Friendship between Lucas and Corinne develops. Duke Melbank insults Silver. Roddy's solicitude brings her to the realization that she loves him. Roddy is offered a position at the University farm, but to Corinne's dismay, he declines it. To break up the over-friendliness of Lucas and Corinne, Silver tells Roddy she has decided to sell her portion of the farm. Not understanding, he reproaches her for her "treachery." Silver witnesses a meeting between Lucas and Corinne which convinces her Corinne is in danger. Corinne absents herself from Jason and Paula's wedding, going into the city, shopping. She returns, with purchases little suitable for farm life. Roddy's mild reproaches are met with contemptuous references to "counting pennies." Roddy tells Silver he is sure Lucas and Corinne met in the city. While Silver is alone, Duke Melbank enters the house, drunk and abusive. Roddy's arrival frightens him away, and in her perturbation Silver unwittingly reveals her love for Roddy. He responds, ending all doubt as to their mutual feelings. Grasshoppers devastate the Willard farm.

Roderick poured the arsenic mixture over the pile of bran while Roddy and Steve turned the mash over and over with scoop shovels.

Each then took a corner of the tarpaulin and lifted it into the truck. Roddy climbed up and seated himself at the wheel.

"You get into the house and lie down, Phronie," Silver commanded severely. "I'm going out and help spread it."

She climbed into the seat beside Roddy, while Steve and old Roderick stood up on the truck floor behind them.

"You'd better put these gloves on then," Roddy said, tossing a pair of white cotton gloves into his lap. He did not look at her as he started the engine and drove the truck down over the bumpy slope.

Silver drew the gloves over her hands.

"And don't let any of this stuff get on your skin," he admonished further. "It burns."

"I'll be careful," she promised.

They bumped along for some distance in silence.

"Is there something I have to learn—about scattering the bran?" Silver ventured finally.

"There's a right way and a wrong way," Roddy told her. "Scatter it in flakes—not in lumps. We don't want the cattle to get a dose of it. They might uncover it in the fall and cattle don't thrive on poison, as a usual thing. Just watch the way Steve does it."

"Cripes!" Steve exclaimed in an awed voice as they came to the edge of the field. "The little devils are on the job, for sure!"

For more than three hours, Roddy drove slowly over the fallow fields and the wild-hay meadows, over sod land and weedy ground, and back and forth at regularly spaced intervals across the great cornfield, crushing down stalks that must be sacrificed. Old Roderick, Steve and Silver, standing up in the truck, cast the flakes of mash into the wind with a sharp snap of the wrist as Roddy had cautioned them to do.

The air had become infested as though by a swift, green-brown hail which swept horizontally along the earth. The hysterical sound of the advancing hordes of insects individualized itself hideously on the senses, and in the scorching heat seemed, to Silver, to be burrowing into her brain. The grasshoppers, in their insane, headlong flight, battered themselves against the sides of the truck, dashed with the sting of pebbles into the very faces of the riders. And constantly, up and down the succulent stalks of corn, the appalling myriads moved with small, ferocious alacrity, incredible greed.

From age to time, Roddy swore softly under his breath, or burst out anew in futile wrath at the lackadaisical farmers to the westward who had not done their share in helping to stop the advance of the plague.

"There's not much use in losing your temper, son," his father observed. "You can thank your stars that pet field of yours is far enough south of here to get the tail end of the business. They'll be half dead by the time they get over there."

"They'll do enough, anyhow, even there," Roddy replied dolefully.

"You sprinkled it good and plenty last night, didn't you?" old Roderick asked.

"Plenty," Roddy replied. "I was at it until after midnight."

"Well this tribe won't go far past our own land, that's a cinch," Steve put in. "Old man Flathe will thank us, if nobody else does."

Roddy glanced up at Silver and saw that her face was white and drawn under the superficial flush caused by the heat.

"Here, kid! You look about ready to drop!" he cried with dismay. He turned the truck about and started more rapidly in the direction of the pasture below the hill. "You get out here, now," he said, "and run home. I don't know what I've been thinking about! Beat it!"

Silver got down unsteadily and started off.

"Look in on Corinne," Roddy called after her. "She wasn't feeling so well when I left the house."

Silver found Corinne in her room upstairs, in a pitiful huddle on her bed, the counterpane drawn over her head and shoulders.

"Corrie!" Silver said gently as she seated herself on the side of the bed. "You'll die here, in this heat."

There was no response save for the muffled sound of the girl's sobbing. Silver's patience suddenly left her.

"Here—pull yourself together!" she said severely. "It's no worse for you than it is for the rest of us."

The counterpane was flung violently aside and Corinne sat up. Her tear-stained face worked spasmodically. She pointed to a ragged object on the floor.

"Look at that sweater!" she stormed. "I left it out on the lawn. Look at it! They've made a sieve out of it!"

Silver picked up the garment and began to laugh.

Corinne turned upon her. "Laugh! What's so funny about it?" she shrieked. "My G—d—I feel as though my very

eyes have been eaten out! And you can laugh!"

"I can't help it, Corinne," Silver confessed. "I was just thinking of what they're doing to Roddy's cornfield."

She threw the tattered sweater into a chair.

Corinne clutched her cheeks. "Oh, my G—d, what a life! Listen to them—banging against the windows. I can't stand it—I can't—"

But Silver had seized her wrists and, with a choking gasp, Corinne's frenzied cries stopped.

"Listen to me, Corinne," Silver said firmly. "You get out of bed and take a cold shower and come down to the other house. You can't go on like this. Everybody feels crazy enough without your carrying on like a two-year-old."

But Corinne recoiled in sullen obstinacy. "I'll not stir out of this house today. Go away and leave me alone."

After a moment, Silver got up from the bed and started toward the door.

Corinne sprang suddenly to her feet. "What do you mean by going to Gerald Lucas and talking to him about me?" she demanded. "I know you did."

Silver paused and turned to look at her. "Did Gerald tell you that?" she asked.

"Why shouldn't he tell me?"

"I thought he'd have more sense, that's all," Silver replied.

Corinne laughed contemptuously. "I should think you'd have more sense than to interfere in my affairs. It's really funny—you and Roddy—the salt of the earth—trying to reform me."

Her mood changed abruptly. "I'll not have it. I'll live my own life—as I want to live it—and I don't want any missionary work on my behalf—by you or anyone else. From now on, please remember—"

"Corinne!" Silver interrupted agitatedly, and stepped toward her. "I'm not trying to reform you. I was simply trying to appeal to Gerald's decency."

"Decency! What does anyone in this place know about decency? Rod-



The Leaves of the Poplars Above Her Rustled Sharply.

dy had his chance to be decent. He could have taken me out of this hole last January—if he could have thought of anyone but himself."

Silver stared at her incredulously. "Corinne," she stammered, "does Roddy's love for this land mean nothing to you?"

Corinne, her eyes glinting, looked shrewdly at Silver. "How much does it mean to you?" she asked.

Silver's cheeks burned suddenly. "So much—that I have changed my mind about selling my land this summer," she said quietly. "Roddy can stay on as long he likes, so far as I am concerned. I'm going back to Chicago as soon as Phronie is strong enough to let me go."

A lightning change came over Corinne's face. "Well!" she breathed. "So that's the next thing. That means—we'll be here next winter and—for the rest of our lives, then. What made you change your mind?"

In the parched air, Silver felt strangely cold. "Nothing made me change my mind, Corinne," she said haltingly. "I—I just couldn't go through with it."

Corinne sank down upon the bed. "Oh—what's the use!" she sobbed. "I've done my best—but you're all against me—because you all hate me!"

Silver looked at her half in sympathy and half in anger.

"Don't be such a fool," she said, then stepped to the edge of the bed and laid a hand gently on Corinne's shoulder. "Does Roddy's affection mean nothing to you?"

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"Won't you come down to the other house later?" Silver persisted.

"I'm not going anywhere. Don't talk to me!" Corinne shrieked.

And Silver, thinking of Sophronia, went without a word out of the room.

But that evening, before the men had come in from the fields, Silver saw Corinne getting into Roddy's car in front of the big house. The details of her dress became instantly vivified against the soft glow of the descending sun. Corinne, in her drooping leghorn hat and her sheer batiste frock, was, to Silver, a design of beauty suddenly superimposed upon a wry background of disaster.

CHAPTER XIV

In less than two days, the invading army of locusts had been almost completely destroyed and the hot, brooding air was full of an awesome peace. But it was the peace of death. The Willards' huge cornfield had been converted into a shambles of maimed and ugly stalks, and every green thing had been at least partially gnawed and worried as though with a pair of small blunt scissors, although—as Roddy kept repeating with grateful emphasis—enough of the ears had been spared to provide seed for another year.

On the following Friday evening, Jason and Paula drove down in time to have dinner with the old folks. Sophronia, feeling more like herself now, determined to make their visit an occasion for bringing the family together.

"We'll celebrate!" she announced. "There's been enough grief around here the past two weeks, Lord knows! What with me dyin' and the crops burnin' up and the hoppers eatin' what's left, there hasn't been much celebratin' in this place. I'll ask Roddy and Corinne to come down for supper and bring old Steve along."

Paula and Silver and Sophronia went to the kitchen to prepare the meal and left Jason and old Roderick to themselves in the living room, where they reviewed the ravages the district had suffered from the plague. Silver herself delivered Phronie's invitation to Corinne and returned at once to help with the supper and to talk with Paula.

When they were ready to sit down at last, Sophronia went to the window and looked out.

"There they are now," she said. "We'll get the things on the table, Silver." She hesitated and thrust her face closer to the window. "Where's Corinne, I wonder? She isn't with Roddy and Steve."

"Probably putting on her nest dress for the occasion," old Roderick suggested.

In a moment Roddy stepped into the house and greeted Jason and Paula.

"What's keepin' Corinne?" Sophronia inquired. "Supper's ready to go on."

Roddy frowned. "She's not coming," he said.

Sophronia folded her hands in her apron. "She's not comin'? What's the matter, then?"

Roddy made a gesture of dismissal. "Don't ask me, ma! Gosh, I give up trying to understand women."

"Do you mean she's goin' to stay up there at the house by herself?" Sophronia persisted.

"She was ready to come down with me when she told me that she would have to leave immediately after supper to go over to Harry Richter's place. I told her it might be a good idea if she moved her things over there—and she went off into one of her tantrums. I can't do anything about it."

Steve slumped into a chair. "We'll get along without her, I reckon," he grumbled.

"Well!" old Roderick rebuked him. "Well—let's sit in, then," Sophronia ordered.

They took their places at once and Sophronia forbade any talk of the plague or the hard times that loomed ahead.

"We might give our ideas of what kind of a grandfather we're going to make out of pa," Jason suggested, with a wink at Paula.

"He'll be pretty green at it for a while," Roddy laughed.

"I might have had a little practice, my lad," old Roderick retorted, "if you'd done your duty."

Silver glanced at Roddy and caught the look of embarrassment that darkened his face as the others laughed.

"Hold your tongues, now—all of you!" Sophronia spoke up. She turned to Silver. "I clean forgot the jar of pickles I set out. I wish you'd bring them in. I'm fair run off my feet."

Silver was grateful for the opportunity to leave the table.

"How are those young Hereford's standing the hot weather, Jase?" Roddy asked.

And so the talk turned easily to the small concerns of the farm.

On the following morning Silver went to the Michener farm to spend the day with Freda. She left before anyone in the stone house had heard of what had happened in Gerald Lucas' "back room" the night before.

But when she stopped for a moment in Heron River to buy some peppercorns for old Grandma Michener, Haber's store was buzzing with the news. Dave Erickson, who was in the store at the time, drew Silver aside.

"This Lucas used to be a friend of yours, didn't he?" he asked with some embarrassment.

"Yes," Silver replied. "What has happened, Dave?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Males Stay Home Nights.

Male ostriches of the Old world type believe in staying home nights, especially during the brooding season. Adult ostriches take turns sitting on the eggs, the male sitting at night and the female doing the day trick.

Mayflower Became Barn, Says Retired Sea Captain

Historians have long tried to learn what became of the Mayflower, the ship that carried the Pilgrim fathers to America. An old retired sea captain, Henry D. Smith, of Atlantic City, declares that on a trip to London years ago, he learned of a tradition believed to be true that the old ship came to an ignominious end. After being tied up at Plymouth Rock a long time, serving no useful purpose, farmers of the struggling colony dismantled it and pulled the hull ashore. Doors were cut into its sides and it served as a stock barn for their cattle and pigs.

What a shrine this old vessel would be now had it been preserved. Also it would make it possible to check on its capacity, which, judged from the number of persons who came over in it purportedly, must have been unusually large for a ship of that time.

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But as a defender of our freedom, the Supreme Court building with all that it represents is many times more valuable than any dreadnaught.

The battleship guards us against dangers from without.

The Supreme Court—as protector and interpreter of the Constitution—guards our government and our freedom against dangers from within.

It is the Supreme Court that says "Stop" when our personal liberty or the safeguarding provisions of our Constitution are violated.

It is the citadel of our freedom.

There have been efforts—both past and recent—to weaken that citadel. There have been attempts to transfer the powers vested in the Supreme Court to other branches of government. Firmly the people have resisted such proposals. Emphatically they have demonstrated that they want no stone removed from the fortress that guards their constitutional rights.

And they are right. They know that when that fortress falls the freedom assured them under the Constitution can perish with it.

Remember, it was the Declaration of Independence that won our freedom; it was the Constitution that preserved it; and it is the Supreme Court that protects it.

Grammar Grades Enjoy Various Activities

SEVENTH GRADE

Only 17 out of 20 pupils were back Monday, which leaves 13 in the cotton patch yet. Those that returned had earned \$29.84, plus 25¢ earned by one of the pupils in selling a box of Clove-line salve which made a total of \$30.09.

Mr. Trestle went to Shamrock to visit his parents last week.

The Seventh Grade were entertained at the Trostle home with a class party, Friday evening October 18. The following were present: Glennie Mae Wall, Ralph Alwine, Kenneth Bell, Billy Hart, Wilmoth Smith, Max Webb, Janette Cooper, Louise Dean, Doris Marie Everett, Fay Leach, Norma Jean Hart, Della McLaughlin, Virginia Huffman, Dorothy Luttrell, Inez Steek, Doris Sherman, Willie Mae Stone, Geraldine Tollett, LaVerne Wade and Mrs. W. A. Luttrell, the room mother. The seventh grade sponsored a booth at the Halloween carnival.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Frank E. Chism will preach in Hedley, at the Church of Christ, the second Sunday of each month.
Everybody is invited to come out and hear him.
Bible Classes every Sunday morning from 10 to 11 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The Informer, \$1.00 per year.

SIXTH GRADE

Mr. Thomas has made a rock garden on the southeast side of the high school building. He and his class have worked very hard to improve the looks of the Hedley school ground and we are very proud of our rock walks, sand box and a nice fish pond. Mr. Thomas has spent much time with this work. We will obey the rules that Mr. Payne announced. If we obey the rules maybe we will have something we can be proud of.

After the two weeks vacation twenty one students in the Sixth Grade reported how much they made picking cotton. In all they made \$51.53. Each one averaged a most \$3.00. Don't you think that's a good record for the weather to be bad and the cotton poor?
In improving our school ground Mr. Trostle and Mr. Wood are making things for us to play on. They have put up a pipe which we slide on, and they are planning to make a giant slide and things to play on in side on rainy days.

The following was composed by Mary Lane Hendricks
Ding Dong! Ding Dong!
The bell has rung for a fire drill,
The pencils drop,
They all jump up,
And hop along like bunnies.
They all go down,
Just scared to death,
And say they're out of their

THIRD GRADE

When school opened Monday morning there were only seventeen present in the Third Grade. When they all are here there are thirty three.

Mary Francis Meeks

Vernadine Sasser from Plaska visited the Third Grade Monday. She is a cousin of Brownie Nan Lamb—Browsie Nan Lamb.

HEDLEY LODGE NO. 991



A. F. and A. M. meets on the 2nd Thursday night in each month.

All members are urged to attend. Visitors are welcome.

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wits,
They march back up and sit right down,
And pick their pencils up.

SECOND GRADE

The boys and girls of the Second Grade are happy that 'My Weekly Reader No. 2' is coming each week to their room. They can now read for themselves the important world news.

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Hedley Chapter No. 413, O. E. S., meets the first Monday of each month, at 7:00 p. m.

Members are requested to attend. Visitors welcome.
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Katie Mae Moreman, Sec. Pro Tem

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Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sundays and on Saturday before the 2nd Sunday. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Evening service 8:00. Visitors are always welcome.
B. Y. P. U. and adult Bible Sunday at 7:00 P. M.

NEW DEAL BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. W. C. Payne was hostess to the New Deal Bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Black cats, witches and jack o'lanterns made the rooms festive. The Halloween motif was further carried out in the tallies, napkins and refreshments. A large lighted jack o'lantern centered the dining table and at the close of the games was found to contain gifts for all present.

Players included Mesdames Alva Simmons, Harrison Hall, George Thompson, Sid Thomas, Homer Simmons, Ross Adamson, Ray Moreman, Felton Camp, Lake Dishman, W. C. Payne, and Misses Oley Watkins and Myrtle Reeves.

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THE HOUSEWIFE

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Racketeers Long Ago

One hundred years ago, the passenger traffic between Spain's two large cities, Madrid and Cadiz, was efficiently "racketed." One line of stage coach insured its travelers against bandits, at, of course, triple the usual charge, the efficient bandit gang of the district protecting its own line against other bandits as well as joining to despoil all competitive business.

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Happiness

Happiness is the silver in the gray hair of Suffering.—V. D. Ventris Field.

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BLACK-DRAUGHT

Bowling at Midnight

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More Velvet Than Ever in Fall Mode

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



WE ARE going to be more elegant in dress this fall and winter than ever. All the pre-showings of advance fashions declare for greater luxury in jewels, in furs, in fabrics, in costume design. Where there is luxury and elegance in apparel there is velvet. Which leads to the message we would convey—the outstanding importance of velvet in the mode.

There is simply no limit to the enthusiasm which style creators are expressing for velvet this fall. It's velvet everywhere this season.

Apropos of the craze for velvet which is sweeping throughout the world of fashions Paris cables the news of tailored cloth suits which are styled with velvet collars and revers. Several suits shown in early contour showings have velvet skirts with cloth jackets often of rough surfaced, bright colored novelty woolen.

The girl planning her going-away-to-school wardrobe will adore the new velvet-plus-woolen outfits. Consider, for instance, the cunning ensemble shown to the right in the picture. It is a style-elet when it comes to assembling the college girl's wardrobe. The dress is of stiff deep red (red of the Italian master paintings) velvet. The bodice is designfully stitched in squares. The cloth cape in matching red has velvet buttons and velvet flowers at the throat.

Black velorganza, which is a thin velvet pile on an organdie base, fashions the handsome costume to the left in the group. Note that the flaring jacket is lined with the same gay printed organdie as makes the blouse. Lin-

ings which correlate the ensemble into an harmonious unit is a pet theme with fashion this season.

There is a boldly picturesque note about the so-named "pirate" dress centered in the trio. The unique bodice is of green mat velvet. The skirt is of non-crushable heavy white linen strikingly printed in green.

Velvet has become almost inseparable with black when it comes to talking from the viewpoint of daytime fashions. However, it is a little newer this year to introduce color—any of the dark warm colors that are booming for fall, particularly the wine purple and rich green range reflecting the Italian renaissance influence.

The favorite velvet suit for all-around wear during the daytime activities is linked with fitted lines. The very short jacket is apt to have almost a basque trimness, with its neatly buttoned-up-the-front closing, and intricate seaming and gores for the skirt.

The shirtwaist in velvet, begun by Mainbocher, is contributing a subject of exciting interest to the new style program. Speaking of color in velvet this trend is particularly noticeable in many of the early fall hats which are of velvet in delectable warm autumn hues. The little chapeau in the inset here shown is an ultra smart plaid velvet toque with a green feather curled to the left. The new berets of deep wine green or purple velvet are decidedly picturesque, some of them big floppy affairs "flipping down over one eye, others with the new triangular and squared contours which are decidedly smart and effective.

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READY FOR SCHOOL

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Coat fashions for the junior miss should be considered as "first aid" to preparedness in the matter of school girl wardrobe needs for fall. The model pictured is highly significant as to certain style trends that are outstanding in the new autumn and winter modes. Note a slight flare from the hipline. Double-breasted in somewhat of a coachman style this coat takes on a new note of chic. The fur-bordered collar carries a capelike air. The material for this attractive coat is a checked velour woolen. The hat is included in the ensemble, being made of the same smart wool weave.

Style Trend

Bows of ermine are being worn instead of buckles on evening shoes in London.

DRAPE BRIDAL VEIL IN MANY NEW WAYS

New ways of draping the bridal veil are offered the girl who is planning an early fall wedding. While in general these may be said to derive from the Russian tiara effects, they should more properly be credited to the Renaissance period. This includes the Italian, the Russian, and the Hungarian periods of corresponding dates.

One of the most charming of these diadem effects was recently constructed by Worth. Of tulle and old lace, over a stiffened wire foundation, it gains in width clear to the ears and is softened by incrustated draperies at the top in crenellated fashion.

Chanel has made a bridal head-dress which starts with a cap of tulle, embroidered in crosslines of dull silver. This silver note is recalled in the tordade which divides the upturning and downturning sections of the slightly circular-cut aureole, diminishing to nothing at the back of the head and giving full sweep to the simple tulle veil.

Knitted Evening Gown of Cellophane Is the Latest

A knitted evening gown of cellophane yarn is one of the sensations of the current mode.

We have seen knitted evening gowns before, introduced first at Palm Beach and taken up by New York and Paris. But the idea of using cellophane yarn is new.

The glittering cellophane, in black, follows the dictates of the season as to brilliance and glitter, and fits the figure like a mermaid's scales.

Knitted suits are blossoming forth in faultlessly isolated models, with contrasting linings and a distinct swag ger.

Glossy Lace for Gowns

Glossy, transparent lace is used for gowns in black, navy and dark red. A pale shaded flower trims the corsage, and mittens of the lace go with the dress.

Popular Handbag Easy to Crochet

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



No doubt our readers have noticed the popularity of crocheted handbags. They are easy to make, cost very little and make a smart accessory to any outfit.

This bag is made of cream color crochet cotton in the attractive waffle weave stitch and measures 5 1/2 by 9 inches when finished.

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Sugar From Wood

Raw sugar made from wood has been planned for production on a large scale in Sweden. The sugar, however, is not for human consumption, but for use as feed for cattle, for alcohol distillation and also as a material for making yeast. This wood sugar is a timely source of alcohol, as Swedish laws make it compulsory that all imported gasoline for use in motor cars be mixed with alcohol in the proportion of three to one.

Poison Stops Bleeding

Venom obtained from the most dangerous viper in India is being used in Calcutta to stop excessive bleeding after operations.

BASKETBALL SAFE SPORT FOR GIRLS PHYSICALLY FIT

"Is Basketball a Girls' Game?" Under this title Frances Kidd discusses in Hygeia the physical dangers and benefits of basketball for young girls.

Basketball is a fast, hard game for girls, and unless it is properly coached and supervised, it has as many disastrous physical results as any game can have. The main objection to basketball is that physical examinations are not demanded of every girl participating. There is no other way of knowing who should play and who should not. Not all girls are physically equal; what is sufficient exercise for others. In some cases, basketball can make too heavy a demand on the organic vitality of a growing girl.

Collisions and bumps occur in nearly every phase of life, and basketball is no exception; but good coaching attempts to limit these accidents by teaching balance and co-ordination along with agility and the proper method of managing one's body.

There are several health aspects of basketball that are worthy of mention. The vigorous large muscle movements stimulate the functioning of the internal organs that care for the needs of the body. Basketball is also of value in posture work and, like other physical education activities, it attempts to develop agility and to foster co-ordination of the eye, hand and body by means of "body control."

If young girls of high school age are physically fit, that is, if they have passed the doctor's inspection, they should be given an opportunity to play. With careful coaching in the fundamentals of the game, un-

der the watchful eye of a competent leader, no disastrous results will prevail; for it is a real game with real fun for real youngsters.

Gossip

There are a set of malicious prating, prudent gossips, both male and female, who murder characters to kill time; and will rob a young fellow of his good name before he has years to know the value of it.—Sheridan.

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BILIOUSNESS

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A forest 60 miles long has been discovered in the Kara-Kum desert of Russian Central Asia.

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MARTHA!—DID YOU ASK THOSE PESKY KIDS OVER HERE?—WELL, I CHASED 'EM OFF! AND LET ME TELL YOU...
IF IT'S MORE GUFF ABOUT COFFEE, TELL HER TO GO BACK IN THE HOUSE!
BEFORE YOU TELL ME, HENRY, MAY I TELL YOU SOMETHING?
HELLO, BOYS! WHAT DO YOU SAY WE FIX UP A PLACE TO PLAY HORSESHOES IN HERE?
WHAT A DIFFERENT MAN HE'S BEEN... SINCE HE SWITCHED TO POSTUM!
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Alberta Tries the 'New Economics'

DEAL ME IN! I'LL BE BACK AS SOON AS I CAN CASH MY DIVIDEND



"SOCIAL CREDIT PROPOSES TO TURN UNEMPLOYMENT INTO LEISURE BY THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE NATIONAL DIVIDEND"

By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

With pen sketches by the author.

PROMISED a dividend of \$25 a month for every citizen of the province, Alberta, the political wild mare of Canadian provinces, has elected as its premier William Aberhart, Calgary high school principal, radio mogul and evangelist.

Premier Aberhart, with the advisory aid of Maj. Clifford Hugh Douglas, Scotch economist who has championed the cause of his own Social Credit scheme since early days of the World War, will attempt to set in operation in Alberta the first practical experiment with a government in the "new economics."

New only in actual practice, Social Credit is based upon the economy of plenty rather than our more familiar economy of scarcity. Its premise is that there is plenty for all these days in the world, or more specifically in a nation like the United States or like Canada. We are capable of producing everything that everybody in the country needs; the reason that some of us are in want is that the purchasing power—money—is not distributed properly. Social Credit claims to have a means of distributing purchasing power without expropriation of any kind, without taking anything away from him who already possesses it.

Social Credit abhors as evil:

1. The private control (control, not ownership) of money.
2. The basing of money on a commodity (gold).
3. The "automatic" shortage of purchasing power resulting from present economic practices.
4. The theory that income should only become by honestly through wages and salaries for work done.

What They'd Do Instead.

For these "abuses," Social Credit would substitute:

1. Control of money by the nation—not the bankers.
2. Money based upon the national wealth, that is, the real wealth or the ability of the nation to produce goods and services where and when and as required.
3. Creation of purchasing power which will buy everything we want as fast as we produce it.
4. The means to look upon release from unnecessary work as a blessing rather than a calamity as it is now.

I quote from "The ABC of Social Credit" by E. S. Holtzer:

"Social Credit proposes to turn unemployment into leisure by the distribution of the national dividend."

This national dividend, which is explained as an expression in cash of "our common cultural inheritance"—the cultural benefits handed down to us by the inventions and ideas of our ancestors and therefore necessarily equal to rich and poor alike—is the idea which Premier Aberhart used to capture the imagination and the sympathy of Alberta voters.

The Cultural Commonweal.

Alberta's common cultural inheritance is worth, in round numbers, say about \$25 a month, according to Mr. Aberhart's platform, so within about 18 months everybody in Alberta (of voting age, of course) is going to get a monthly dividend book worth \$25 in any bank, bootery or barrel-house in the inspired province.

That Mr. Aberhart apparently is going about raising the dough for so handsome a stake in a manner neither exactly in line with Major Douglas' Social Credit economics nor even resembling it like a first cousin, and that Mr. Aberhart and the major had quite a little falling out a short time ago, probably over that very fact, are matters of little consequence to Albertans.

Most of them do not know what Social Credit is.

All of them know what \$25 is. Schoolmaster Aberhart got the job. Already the idea of Social Credit—as interpreted by Major Douglas, not Premier Aberhart—has caught hold in the United States. The formation of a Social Credit party, which claims a membership of 10,000 persons, mostly in California and New York, is under way in Detroit. Its platform contains the stipulation of an annual income of \$1,200 for all persons over forty years of age.

In Alberta, as Mr. Aberhart has stated, the dividend will be merely a split of the government's "take" from a general sales tax. That is not the way true Social Credit would create such a dividend.

There is much more to the Social Credit scheme than merely the distri-

bution of the dividend, but, since an explanation of this dividend necessitates an outline of practically all the "new economics," let us attempt an explanation.

It would be difficult to explain the part of the banks in creating a shortage of purchasing power more concisely than Mr. Holtzer does in his book: "Money flows in a definite course. The source is the banking system which starts the current by making loans to the producer, who through the process of industry, distributes it directly or indirectly to the consumer. The consumer buys with it the product of industry over the retail counter. At this point the money is started on its homeward journey, for after it has passed through the producer's hands, it is returned to the bank in repayment of the original loan. Under this system it is obvious that if a part of the money which enters into the producing channel fails to reach the consumer, or if any of the money which does reach the consumer is not actually spent, a shortage of purchasing power will result."

Shortage of Purchasing Power.

The idea is that under the present system the amount of purchasing power of a community at any given moment is never sufficient to buy back the total production of industry "if any charges are made in respect of 'capital' production."

New producers today, if they are going to stay in business very long, must get back all of the costs which go into an article in prices. Social Creditors divide these costs into two classes, (A) all payments that a producer makes to individuals—wages, salaries and dividends; and (B) payments to other organizations for raw materials, machinery, maintenance, bank charges and other external charges.

The only money distributed directly to consumers comes under the "A" heading. Yet when the finished article appears on the market the consumer must pay a price equal to at least A plus B. So the amount of purchasing power which the community is short is the amount represented by industry's B costs.

Certainly much of the B costs eventually appear in the form of purchasing power, for bankers and wholesalers have to eat and clothe themselves. The point Social Credit makes is that this purchasing power appears too late or too early, because industry's B payments may be completed at a time irrelevant to the cycle of production for which they were issued. Money which a factory paid for raw materials would be largely spent by the time the finished article appeared; being spent, it returns to the banks. There is a fresh supply of goods to be bought, but much of the money which should have gone to buy them is canceled out of circulation.

Only further bank loans to industry, new inventions which founded new industries, wholesale sabotage like the plowing under of wheat and the kill-



"AN ARTIST... WOULD NOT BE DRIVEN BY ECONOMIC CIRCUMSTANCES INTO BECOMING A BANK CLERK"

ing of pigs when some of the populace was hungry, have kept the system going as long as it has been, say the Social Creditors. And it cannot keep up that way forever.

As a remedy, Social Credit proposes to take the control of money and the monopoly of its creation (as economists admit that it exists today, despite the Constitution's provision that only congress shall have supervision over the coinage of money) from the banks. The banks would still be indispensable in the administration of

credit, and as clearing houses, but with a National Credit authority would rest the power of the creation of all money. Such money would be based not upon a commodity such as gold, but upon the country's "real" wealth, which, as has been said, is the ability to produce goods and services when and where and as required.

Under this scheme, factories and their potential capacity for production; land, roads, bridges, buildings, media of transportation, water schemes, minerals, semi-manufactured materials and the like, would become capital assets and money would be issued against them. It would be the duty of the National Credit Account to appraise these things every three months. As Social Credit interprets it, the money in the country should never exceed the amount of the community's ability to consume and would be regulated to keep pace with it.

To create purchasing power where it is lacking today, the National Credit authority would do away with the necessity of the consumer's having to pay industry's costs, both A and B. In the price of retail articles. The consumer would be given a discount on all retail articles equal to the estimated B cost of producing them. This discount would be repaid to the retailer by the National Credit authority upon his presentation of the sales slip showing the discount allowed. The discount thus allowed would enable the consumer to pay the "just price" of any article and would raise his purchasing power.

The National Credit authority would control the prices of articles at retail by furnishing periodic estimates of the current ratio of production to consumption, and inducing retailers to sign pledges to hold the "just price" at a level with the fluctuations of the production-consumption ratio. The retailer who would not sign such a pledge would not be licensed to issue the retail discount and therefore would not be able to survive against competition.

If at any time in the dim, distant future, consumption should ever catch up with production, the retail discount could be removed, for it would no longer be necessary.

Another duty of the National Credit authority would be that of distributing the national dividend. This is because part of man's cultural inheritance from past ages has been an evil one. The very machines which man's mastery of science has developed to relieve him of work have also relieved him all too



William Aberhart, Alberta's Premier.

often of the salary he used to receive for doing such work. In compensation for this, every unemployed person would be given a monthly check which would be paid out of the National Credit account, just like the retail discount.

None of us then would have to do distasteful work. "An artist, for instance, would not be forced by economic circumstances into becoming a bank clerk."

"From the Social Credit viewpoint, it (unemployment) . . . is a very decided symptom of health," writes Mr. Holtzer. "If our nation is capable of producing in abundance all those things which we need and desire, through its industrial equipment, with less and less effort on the part of man, we are clearly getting nearer the day of increased freedom from manual work. Present unemployment is a lap on the way, and is in itself, apart from its ugly associations, far from being an evil. The only difference between leisure and unemployment is that one is paid and the other is not."

Source of the Dividend.

That the national dividend will be paid with new money and that the retail discount will be paid with new money will cause absolutely no inflation, according to the ideas of Social Creditors.

Social Credit hangs to the theory that since the new money is issued only after prices have been lowered through the retail discount, it could not be accompanied by the only real evil of inflation, which would be a simultaneous rise in the level of prices.

"Every penny issued on behalf of the national discount would be debited against the sum standing to the national credit in the National Credit account," says the doctrine of Social Credit.

That is Social Credit, if it can be explained in a few hundred words. Is it just another of those wildfire schemes for sharing the wealth? Is it Communism, Socialism or just plain lunacy? Or is it sound economics and the true way out of the world's depression?

That you will have to decide for yourself.

Djibouti, French-Owned African Port, Livens Up

A key port of France's colonial empire, set down in a desolate desert that is one of the hottest spots on the globe, is the dazzling white little city of Djibouti, French Somaliland now thronging with adventurers, refugees, and French colonial troops.

"This small settlement, with less than 12,000 population in normal times, now occupies world attention not only as a French outpost commanding the Red sea next door to Italy's Eritrea, but as the terminus of the only railroad connecting Ethiopia with the ocean," says the National Geographic society.

"Djibouti is a city of strange contrasts. It boasts movie theaters, cafes, and a radio station, though its normal white population is less than 700; and in the desert behind it wander tribes not far removed from savagery. Night, when the blistering sun has disappeared, is Djibouti's busy time. At midday, from eleven to three, white and black alike shrink into whatever shade there is, and activity slows to a minimum.

"The only French port of call on the Suez route to Madagascar, French Indo-China, and other French colonial possessions in the east, Djibouti is of considerable strategic importance. French Somaliland, of which it is the capital, shares command of the entrance to the Red sea with the British protectorate of Aden, 150 miles opposite on the coast of Arabia.

"Djibouti lies on a coast consisting chiefly of sand and volcanic rock, with here and there a patch of low scrub. The Gulf of Tadjoura, on which it stands, bites into the coast to a depth of 30 miles. Cliffs of volcanic stone form the shores of this gulf for some miles. Five miles inland from the tip of the gulf is Lake Assal, Somaliland's 'Little Dead Sea,' nearly 500 feet below sea level. Its shores are encrusted with salt deposits, and the gathering of this salt is a major industry.

"France has held part of Somaliland since 1884, when the Port of Obok was bought. The colony achieved real importance, however, only with the completion of the railroad from Djibouti to Ethiopia's capital, Addis Ababa, about 500 miles away.

"The railroad was built at tremendous cost, and before the World war its passenger fare was about 25

cents a mile. The first locomotive was attacked with spears by ignorant natives along the route, in the belief that it was some sort of 'super-lion.' Until recently trains were operated only in the daytime.

"Since the World war, rail-borne commerce to and from Ethiopia has brought considerable prosperity to Djibouti. Chief exports in normal times are coffee, hides, skins, ivory, animal wax, and salt.

"Back from the coast, French Somaliland rises in a long incline toward the heights of Ethiopia. Inland the boundary is about 56 miles from the sea. To the north of Djibouti, toward the frontier of Italian Eritrea, is the country of the tall, proud, Danakil people. They look with disfavor upon white men, and a sort of armed truce prevails between them and the French authorities.

"Also living under the French flag are Somalis, Gallas, Arabs, and East Indians, a total population of about 68,000. France interferes as little as possible with their customs and religions, so for the most part they are peaceful.

"Along the coast fishing and pearl-diving are important industries. In the desert the natives subsist chiefly on rice, dates and goats' milk.

"Modern Djibouti has a good harbor, with up-to-date facilities for loading and unloading ships."

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The bridge built in 1772 which carries the western highway over the Seine at Neuilly-Sur-Seine, France, has become inadequate for modern traffic and is to be replaced. The new bridge, however, is likely to be more costly than the old. Accounts still preserved show that the contractor in 1772 paid his masons 46 cents, carpenters 45 cents, and laborers 26 cents a day, and they were not 8 hour days, either. But living was cheaper then.

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YES, BUT WHY SHOULD I? COFFEE NEVER HURTS ME!

OF COURSE NOT! PAY NO ATTENTION TO SUCH TRIPE!

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THEN—I SUPPOSE I'LL HAVE TO TRY POSTUM!

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Program for Sunday, Nov. 8.

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Jesus was sure of God and that
God was his father, J. D. Shaw
Jesus was sure that He was
God's son and ambassador to
mankind, and that all men are
children of God, brothers one of
another, Geraldine Howard.

Jesus was sure that evil brot
punishment, Opal Wood

Jesus was sure of the power of
loving kindness, and of His power
to heal, Mable Maness.

Jesus was sure of the power of
prayer, Mrs. Weldon Bennett,

Epworth League special pro-
gram for Sunday at 2 p. m.

Leader, Sybil Holland.

Opening song.

Prayer.

Scripture, Mr. Trostle.

Specials will be announced

Sunday afternoon.

A problem we face today, and

why is the liquor problem a ser-

ious one, Woodrow Rushing.

What are the effects of drink-

ing and how is drinking being

stimulated, Marjorie Davenport.

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school dresses, see the new pep-

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Pete Newman visited in Quail

Monday.

Mrs. T. R. Moreman returned

Saturday from a week's visit in

Sau Antonio, where she was a

delegate to Grand Chapter of the

Eastern Star lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Caldwell

announce the arrival on Wednes-

day, Oct. 30, of a fine baby boy.

He has been named Gene Wilson.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

When Christians Worship To-
gether

Memory verse: Where two or
three are gathered together in my
name, there am I in the midst of
them.—Matt 18:20

1. A morning prayer, Jo Wells

2. Why have public worship

A. Billie Huffman

B. Doris Sherman

3. Purpose of public worship

A. Theresa Bain

B. Eddie Mae Land

C. Dorothy Land

D. Margie Luttrell

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