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REAL FOOD VALUES FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Well, folks, the good rains have put everybody to smiling. Buy your groceries here and you will keep smiling.

Flour, Royal Arch, 48 lb.	\$1 69
Sugar, 25 lb. cloth bag	\$1.37
Coffee, W P, lb. pkg.	22c
Syrup, Bud, corn and cane blend	57c
Crackers, 2 lb. Crispy Flakes	19c
Prunes, 10 lb. box 50 60 size	73c
Dried Peaches, choice fruit, 4 lb.	49c

Canned Sweets	
Sweet Potatoes, No. 2 can	10c
Pumpkin, 2 for	19c
Fresh Prunes, can	10c
Pears for Salad, 2½ size, 2 for	35c
Peaches, 2½ can, 2 for	29c
Apple Butter, qt.	21c
Pure Apple Jelly, qt.	23c
Church's Grape Juice, qt.	35c

Tuna Fish, can	15c
Armour's Corned Beef, can	18c
Corned Beef Hash, can	17c

Market Specials	
Steak, good and tender, lb.	18c
Liver, lb.	15c
Pork Chops, Ham, Sausage, lb.	25c
Lunch Meat, several kinds, lb.	22c
Belogna, lb.	15c
Cheese, full cream, lb.	22c

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Hedley Schools Close

The Hedley schools closed Friday after a successful term. Most of the teachers are going to summer school to be ready to take up their work this fall. The faculty for next year will be: W. C. Payne, superintendent; V. H. Harmon, principal; Virgil Gregg, coach; Malcom Bridges, grade school principal; Mrs. Lula B. Owan, Misses Beryl Hixson, Mary Lou Hawkins, Alice Bishop, Wilhelmina Olsiek. Mesdames Robt Watkins, Myrtle Tinsley and Mary Reast. Mr. Gregg of Quitaque, Mr. Bridges of Floy dada and Miss Olsiek of Canyon are new members of the faculty.

Warning

All boys having air guns are cautioned to be careful when they shoot, and not to aim at cars, livestock or other property. A glass was broken recently in a Donley county car by a shot from an air gun. The next such accident might result seriously. Please be careful when you shoot
Guy Pierce, Sheriff

Planting wanted, any kind
C F Simmons

Cigarettes are not always sharpened. Sometimes they are allowed to go out alone. Play safe and carry adequate fire insurance with C. L. Johnson Insurance Agency.

Miss Ola Ruth Wells of Hedley was a graduate of the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon Monday, receiving her B. S. degree. She has been a member of the Choral Club, Young Women's Christian Association, Madrigal Club and Puidias Art Club.

Rev. Wells and family attended the graduating exercises.

NOTICE

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Warning

According to a decision of the Texas Supreme Court, beer is considered as liquor, and it is therefore illegal, in dry territory, to possess more than one quart. Please take warning.
Guy Pierce, Sheriff

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones are visiting in Houston this week. Their son, Ivan, who has been attending Rice Institute, will return home with them.

Rev. M. E. Wells and Miss Ola Ruth and Fred Wells are attending the State Wide Pastors' Conference in Ft. Worth this week.

A Combest and wife of McLean spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the Penn Johnson home. Mr. Combest suffered a paralytic stroke early Wednesday morning.

Miss Lola Ruth Watt has returned from Canyon, where she has been attending W. T. S. T. O.

Rev. Ansel Lynn and family of Estelline visited in Hedley Monday.

O. E. S. Installs Officers

Chapter 143 of the O. E. S. held its installation of officers Monday night, at which time the following officers were elected:

Worthy Matron, Katie Mae Moreman

Worthy Patron, E. H. Watt
Associate Matron, Nell Land
Associate Patron, C. E. Johnson

Secretary, Teenie Masterson
Treasurer, Lula Johnson
Conductress, Lola Hooker
Associate Conductress, Jennett Everett

Chaplain, Minnie Mendenhall
Marshal, Anne Mitchell
Organist, Byrda Watt
A. S. Ruby Glass
Ruth, Ruth Duncan
Esther, Hossie Moreman
Martha, Mary Newman
Electra, Sadie McCants
Warder, Lela Watt
Sentinel, Roscoe Land
Visitors were Ralph Moreman, Zeb Mitchell and Misses Paulsen and Aileen McCants.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 9:45 A. M.
Preaching, 11 A. M., 8:00 P. M.
Missionary Societies
Circle 1, Monday 8 p. m. Circle 2, 8:00 p. m.

Next Sunday is regular communion day. We are hoping to have as near the entire membership of the church present as possible. We shall try to have a message that will be helpful.

We are looking to the evening hour as a great service. We shall try to make it evangelistic, and a service that the Lord can honor with the outpouring of His Spirit. Please do not fail us and be present on time, at each service.
B. J. Osborn, Pastor

The Gleaners Class

On Friday afternoon at 2:30, the Gleaners met with Mrs. M. G. Whitfield as hostess.

A devotional was led by the teacher, Mrs. Frank Kendall, after which Mrs. Whitfield, the president, called a business session. Old business dispatched and new business called, the chair appointed the following committees:

Absentee, Mesdames Jones and Meeks.

Social, Mesdames Webb, Bowlin and Edwards.

Visiting, Mesdames Hershler, Whitfield and Keeninger.

A social hour was spent after which Mrs. Webb, the birthday honoree of May, was presented gifts from each one present. Mrs. Webb, in her own sweet way, thanked each one.

A most delectable refreshment was served to Mrs. Hinds of Tye, guest, Mesdames Kendall, Webb, H. L. Whitfield, Edwards, Lee Meeks, Richmond Bowlin and hostess.

After a most profitable and pleasant afternoon we adjourned to meet with Mrs. Bowlin Friday June 11, at 2:30. All members are urged to be present.
Mrs. Richmond Bowlin, reporter

V. H. Harmon and family attended the West Texas State College graduating exercises in Canyon this week.

Mrs. A. A. Cooper is visiting relatives in DeKalb.

J. S. Hinds and wife of Tye left Tuesday after a visit in the Frank Kendall home. Mrs. Kendall returned home with them for a visit.

Fri. & Sat. Specials

Flour, 48 lb Western Sun guaranteed \$1 35

Baking Powder, Gold Label, 2 lb 20c

Corned Beef, 12 oz 20c Pumpkin, 2 1-2 can 10c

Vinegar, pure apple, 1-2 gal water bottle 24c

Spaghetti, 3 cans 25c Cocoa, 2 lb can 14c

Corn Flakes 10c Hooker Lye, 3 cans 25c

Jello, any flavor, 2 for 14c Tapioca 12c

Swans Down Cake Flour 35c

Black Pepper, 1-2 lb 25c Red Pepper, 1-2 lb 28c

Seibert's Fly Paper, 3 pkgs 10c

Pen Jell, 2 for 25c

Matches, Diamond, 6 for 25c

Cookies, all kinds, lb 20c

Ice Cream Salt, per package 10c

Jello Ice Cream Powder, per package 10c

Camay Toilet Soap, 3 bars and bottle perfume 24c

Spuds, fresh, peck 40c

Rice, 4 lb 25c

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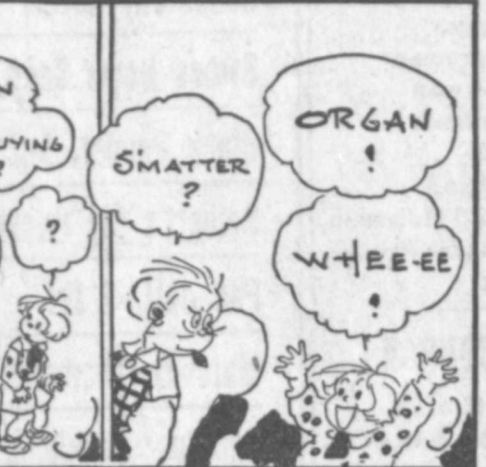
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By Osborne



'SMATTER POP— Whee, Kids! Encourage Your Folks to Like Organs

By C. M. PAYNE



MESCAL IKE

By S. L. HUNTLEY



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin



BRONC PEELER—Pete's Conclusion

By FRED HARMAN



The Curse of Progress



He Gets 'Em Up

"That," said the native proudly, pointing out a passer-by. "is Jonathan Bell, native of Squash Center, and the man who has aroused more people than any other man in the country." "You don't mean to tell me that quiet-looking man is some great communist or radical, do you?" inquired the stranger. "Not at all," was the reply. "He's a retired alarm-clock manufacturer."

Life's Little Trials

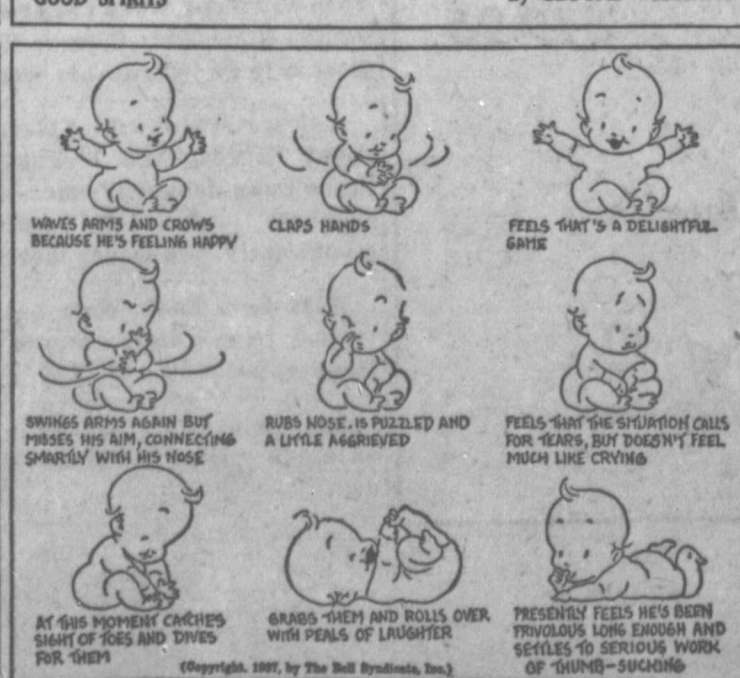
"Pa, what's the difference between a hill and a pill?" "I don't know, my son, unless it's that a hill is high and a pill is round—is that it?" "Naw! A hill is hard to get up and a pill is hard to get down."

Substitute

"Tommy, what is a synonym?" the teacher asked. "A synonym," said Tommy wisely, "is a word you use when you can't spell the other one."

GOOD SPIRITS

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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Smiles

To Fit the Need Patient—I understand fish is good for the brain. Can you recommend anything special? Doctor—Well, you might begin with a whale.

Learning Fast Officer—Hey! Pull over to the curb, lady. Do you know you were doing seventy-five? Cute She—Isn't it marvelous!—And I just learned to drive yesterday.

Never play with fire unless you have money to burn.

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Origin of Wickedness All wickedness comes of weakness.—Rousseau.

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Burning, scanty or too frequent urination may be a warning of some kidney or bladder disturbance.
You may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eye—feel weak, nervous, all played out.
In such cases it is better to rely on a medicine that has won country-wide acclaim than on something less favorably known. Use Doan's Pills. A multitude of grateful people recommend Doan's. Ask your neighbor!

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HEDLEY LODGE NO. 413



Hedley Chapter No. 413,
O. E. S., meets the first
Friday of each month,
at 2:30 p. m.

Members are requested to attend.
Visitors welcome.
Jennette Everett, W. M.
Ella Johnson, Sec.

Notice to Chicken Owners

There is a city ordinance pro-
hibiting chickens running at
large. There have been several
complaints made that the neigh-
bor's chickens are destroying
flower beds and gardens. Those
who have chickens will please
keep them on their own premises
By order of the City Council

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Circle 1, Monday 8 p. m. Cir-
cle 2, 8:00 p. m.

B. J. Osborn, Pastor

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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.

Roscoe Land, W. M.
C. E. Johnson, Sec.

WEST BAPTIST CHURCH

V. A. Hansard, pastor
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching 1st, 2nd, and 4th
Sundays. Morning services at
11 a. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m.
Visitors are always welcome.

Revival

A revival meeting will begin at
the Church of Christ Aug. 29.
Tillitt S. Teddlie of Dallas will
do the preaching. The public is
cordially invited.



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M. E. Wells, Pastor
Morning Services:
Sunday School, 10:00, Edward
Boliver, Supt.
Song Service and Preaching,
11:00

Evening Services:
Training Service, 6:30, Win-
field Mosley, Director
Preaching, 7:30, by the pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Frank E. Ghism 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.

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THERE'S

Two women were "Mother" to
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ONE



The Hoot



Senior Graduation

Another happy moment in the
lives of the 1937 Seniors took
place at the high school audi-
torium Friday night May 28.
There were seventeen in this
graduating class; seven girls and
ten boys. These students sad-
dened, yet rejoiced, to graduate
because they felt that another
milestone in their lives had been
passed, never to be recalled.
The address "More Sky" was
given by Wayne Eubanks of Am-
arillo. This was a splendid ad-
dress that stamped lasting im-
pressions upon the minds of
these students as they parted
from their high school career.
They leave their ability, honors,
and good wishes to those behind
them, and may we, as a commu-
nity, wish for them happiness and
great success in the future.

Joe, the noted Morgan horse,
will make the season at my place
1 1/2 miles east of town.
T. R. Moreman

For Sale—Oliver two row lister
and two row godevil, also some
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For Sale—2 good milk cows,
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See Mrs Zeb Mitchell.

Tomato plants for sale
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Best All-Around Students Selected

Sybil Holland and Bruce Ed-
wards received medals for being
the best all around girl and boy
in high school during the past
year. They were selected by
popular vote of the student body
and faculty on the basis of cour-
tesy, scholarship, school spirit,
extra-curricular activity, sports
manship, and leadership. The
awards were presented by Supt.
Payne at the Commencement Ex-
ercises last Friday night.

Additional medals were given
Theresa Bain, valedictorian and
for best Senior scholarship; Syb-
il Holland, salutatorian; James
Smith, Junior scholarship; Eddie
Mae Land, Sophomore scholar-
ship; Etha Davis, Freshman
scholarship.

The English department pre-
sented reading awards to Mary
Rains Bridges, Clay Plank, Cal-
vin Reed, James Smith, Theresa
Bain, Sybil Holland, Eddie Mae
Land, T. J. Hansard, and Ste-
phen Milner.

Each of the above mentioned
students is to be highly com-
mended for his outstanding
achievements of the past year.

Warning

Some complaints have been
made about stock running loose
in Rowe cemetery. It is a vi-
olation of the herd law for stock
to run loose in any public place,
and all violators will be prosec-
uted to the full extent of the law.

Gay Pierce, Sheriff

Where the H H S Faculty Will Spend the Summer

Mr Payne will vacation in dif-
ferent parts of Texas for the
first six weeks and spend the
last six weeks in school at West
Texas State.

Mr. Harmen will work in a
grain elevator again this summer
at Happy.

Mrs. Owen is starting to
school at Canyon this week and
will remain in school for the re-
mainder of the vacation period.
Miss Hixon will continue her
school work at Ames, Iowa.

Mr. Leggett will be at home
in Wellington.

Mrs. Cannon will spend the
summer on her father's farm
near Levelland.

NOTICE

All those who own cows will
please remember that if they get
out and are impounded it will
cost \$1 for impounding fees.

NAZARENE CHURCH

W. Hickman, Pastor
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Preaching Service, 11:00
N. Y. P. S., 7:00 p. m.
Preaching Service, 7:30

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on your
getting mileage
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ness is mine, and their oil has to show my
customers a heap longer mileage and cool
smooth operation, or I wouldn't make near
as safe a living. I'd rather have my good
trade on Conoco Germ Processed oil,
than just getting people to change here once,
and always be worried about new ones show-
ing up. A lot of my trade comes from clear
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THE GARDEN MURDER CASE

by S. S. VAN DINE

CHAPTER XIV
—19—

I wandered into the den, the door of which was ajar, and walked aimlessly about the room, looking at the various pictures and etchings. Just then Vance entered. As he came in he threw the door open wider, half pocketing me in the corner behind it, where I was not immediately noticeable. I was about to speak to him, when Zalia Graem came in.

"Philo Vance." She called his name in a low, tremulous voice. He turned and looked at the girl with a quizzical frown.

"I've been waiting in the dining-room," she said. "I wanted to see you before you spoke to the others."

I realized immediately, from the tone of her voice, that my presence had not been noticed.

Vance continued to look squarely at the girl, but did not speak. She came very close to him now.

"Tell me why you have made me suffer so much," she said.

"I know I have hurt you," Vance returned. "But the circumstances made it imperative. Please believe that I understand more of this case than you imagine I do."

"I am not sure that I understand," the girl spoke hesitantly. "But I want you to know that I trust you." She looked up at him, and I could see that her eyes were glistening. Slowly she bowed her head. "I have never been interested in any man," she went on—and there was a quaver in her voice. "The men I have known have all made me unhappy and seemed always to lead me away from the things I longed for. . . . She caught her breath. "You are the one man I have ever known whom I could—care for."

So suddenly had this startling confession come, that I did not have time to make my presence known, and after Miss Graem finished speaking I remained where I was, lest I cause her embarrassment.

Vance placed his hands on the girl's shoulders and held her away from him.

"My dear," he said, with a curiously suppressed quality in his voice, "I am the one man for whom you should not care. There was no mistaking the finality of his words."

Vance smiled wistfully at the girl. "Would you mind waiting in the drawing-room a little while? . . ."

She gave him a searching look and, without speaking, turned and went from the den.

Vance stood for some time gazing at the floor with a frown of indecision, as if loath to proceed with whatever plans he had formulated.

I took this opportunity to come out from my corner, and just as I did so Floyd Garden appeared at the hall door.

"Oh, hello, Vance," he said. "I didn't know you had returned until Zalia just told me you were in here. Anything I can do for you?" Vance swung around quickly.

"I was just going to send for you. Everyone here?"

Garden nodded gravely. "Yes, and they're all frightened to death—all except Hammie. He takes the whole thing as a lark. I wish somebody had shot him instead of Woody."

"Will you send him in here," Vance asked. "I want to talk to him. I'll see the others presently."

Garden walked up the hall, and at that moment I heard Burke speaking to Markham at the front door. Markham immediately joined us in the den.

"Hope I haven't kept you waiting," he greeted Vance.

"No. Oh, no," Vance leaned against the desk. "Just in time."

Markham had barely sealed himself when Hammie strutted into the den with a jovial air. Vance nodded to him brusquely.

"Mr. Hammie," he said, "we're wholly familiar with your philosophy of minding your own business and keeping silent in order to avoid all involvements. A defensible attitude—but not in the present circumstances. This is a criminal case, and in the interest of justice to everyone concerned, we must have the whole truth. Yesterday afternoon you were the only one in the drawing-room, who had even a partial view down the hallway. And we must know everything you saw, no matter how trivial it may seem to you."

Hammie gave in.

"First of all, then," said Vance, without relaxing his stern gaze, "when Miss Graem left the room, ostensibly to answer a telephone call, did you notice exactly where she went?"

"Not exactly," Hammie returned; "but she turned to the left, toward the den. You understand, of course, that it was impossible for me to see very far down the hall, even from where I sat."

"Quite," Vance nodded. "And when she came back to the drawing-room?"

"I saw her first opposite the den door. She went to the hall closet where the hats and wraps are kept, and then came back to stand in the hallway until the race was over. After that I didn't notice her either coming or going."

"And what about Floyd Garden?" asked Vance. "You remember he followed Swift out of the room. Did you notice which way they went, or what they did?"

"As I remember, Floyd put his arm around Swift and led him into the dining-room. After a few moments they came out. Swift seemed to be pushing Floyd away from him, and then he disappeared down the hall toward the stairs. Floyd stood outside the dining-room door for several minutes, looking after his cousin, and then went down the hall after him; but he must have changed his mind, for he came back into the drawing-room in short order."

"And you saw no one else in the hall?"

"No. No one else."

"Very good," Vance took a deep inhalation on his cigarette. "And now let's go to the roof-garden, figuratively speaking. You were in the garden, waiting for a train, when the nurse was almost suffocated with bromine gas in the vault. The door into the passage-way was open, and if you had been looking in the direction you could easily have seen who passed up and down the corridor." Vance looked at the man significantly. "And I have a feelin' you were looking through that door, Mr. Hammie. Your reaction of astonishment when we came out on the roof was a bit overdone. And you couldn't have seen much of the city from where you had been standing, don't you know?"

Hammie cleared his throat and grinned.

"You have me there, Vance," he admitted with familiar good-humor. "Since I couldn't make my train, I thought I'd satisfy my curiosity and stick around for a while to see

what happened. I went out on the roof and stood where I could look through the door into the passage-way—I wanted to see who was going to get hell next, and what would come of it all."

"Thanks for your honesty," Vance's face was coldly formal. "Please tell us now exactly what you saw through that doorway while you were waiting, as you've confessed, for something to happen."

Again Hammie cleared his throat.

"Well, Vance, to tell you the truth, it wasn't very much. Just people coming and going. First I saw Garden go up the passageway toward the study; and almost immediately he went back downstairs. Then Zalia Graem passed the door on her way to the study. Five or ten minutes later the detective—Heath, I think his name is—went by the door, carrying a coat over his arm. A little later—two or three minutes, I should say—Zalia Graem and the nurse passed each other in the passageway, Zalia going toward the stairs, and the nurse toward the study. A couple of minutes after that Floyd Garden passed the door on his way to the study again."

"Just a minute," Vance interrupted. "You didn't see the nurse return downstairs after she passed Miss Graem in the passageway?"

Hammie shook his head emphatically. "No. Absolutely not."

Vance took another deep puff on his cigarette.

"One more thing, Mr. Hammie: while you were out there in the garden, did anyone come out on the roof from the terrace gate?"

"Absolutely not. I didn't see anybody at all on the roof."

"And when Garden had returned downstairs, what then?"

"I saw you come to the window and look out into the garden. I was afraid I might be seen, and the minute you turned away I went over to the far corner of the garden, by the gate. The next thing I knew, you gentlemen were coming out on the roof with the nurse."

Vance moved forward from the desk against which he had been resting.

"Thank you, Mr. Hammie. You've told me exactly what I wanted to know. It may interest you to learn that the nurse informed us she was struck over the head in the passageway, on leaving the study, and forced into the vault which was full of bromine fumes."

Zalia Graem was the first to enter the den. She glanced at Vance appealingly and seated herself without a word. She was followed by Miss Weatherly and Kroon, who sat down uneasily beside her on the davenport. Floyd Garden and his father came in together. Miss Beeton was just behind them and stopped hesitantly in the doorway, looking uncertainly at Vance.

"Did you want me too?" she asked diffidently.

"I think it might be best, Miss Beeton," said Vance. "We may need your help."

At that moment the front door bell rang, and Burke ushered Doctor Siefert into the den.

"I just got your message, Mr. Vance, and came right over." He looked about the room questioningly.

"I thought you might care to be present," Vance said, "in case we can reach some conclusion about the situation here. I know you are personally interested. Otherwise I wouldn't have telephoned you."

"I'm glad you did," said Siefert blandly, and walked across to a chair before the desk.

Vance lit a cigarette with slow deliberation, his eyes moving aimlessly about the room. There was a tension over the assembled group.

The taut silence was broken by Vance's voice. He spoke casually, but with a curious emphasis.

"I have asked you all to come here this afternoon in the hope that we could clear up the very tragic situation that exists."

He was interrupted by the startling sound of a shot ominously like that of the day before. Everyone in the room stood up quickly, aghast at the sudden detonation. Everyone except Vance. And before anyone could speak, his calm authoritative voice was saying:

"There is no need for alarm. Please sit down. I expressly arranged that shot for all of you to hear—it will have an important bearing on the case. . . ."

Burke appeared at the door. "Was that all right, Mr. Vance?"

"Quite all right," Vance told him. "The same revolver and blanks?"

"Sure. Just like you told me. And from where you said. Wasn't it like you wanted it?"

"Yes, precisely," nodded Vance. "Thanks, Burke."

The detective grinned broadly and moved away down the hall.

"That shot, I believe," resumed Vance, sweeping his eyes lazily over those present, "was similar to the one we heard yesterday afternoon—the one that summoned us to Swift's dead body. It may interest you to know that the shot just fired by Detective Burke was fired from the same revolver, with the same cartridges, and from about the same spot."

"But this shot sounded as if it were fired down here somewhere," cut in Siefert.

"Exactly," said Vance with satisfaction. "It was fired from one of the windows on this floor."

"But I understand that the shot yesterday came from upstairs," Siefert looked perplexed.

"That was the general, but erroneous, assumption," explained Vance. "Actually it did not. Yesterday, because of the open roof door and the stairway, and the closed door of the room from which the shot was fired, and mainly because we were psychologically keyed to the idea of a shot from the roof, it gave us all the impression of coming from the garden."

Zalia Graem turned quickly to Vance.

"The shot yesterday didn't sound to me as if it came from the garden. When I came out of the den I wondered why you were all hurrying upstairs."

Vance returned her gaze squarely.

"No, it must have sounded much closer to you," he said. "But why didn't you mention that important fact yesterday when I talked with you about the crime?"

"I—don't know," the girl stammered. "When I saw Woody dead up there, I naturally thought I'd been mistaken."

"But you couldn't have been mistaken," returned Vance, half under his breath. "And after the revolver had been fired yesterday from a downstairs window, it was surreptitiously placed in the pocket of Miss Beeton's top-coat in the hall closet. Had it been fired from upstairs it could have been hidden to far better advantage somewhere on the roof or in the study." He turned again to the girl. "By the by, Miss Graem, didn't you go to that closet after answering your telephone call here in the den?"

The girl gasped.

"How—how did you know?"

"You were seen there," explained Vance.

The girl turned back to Vance with flashing eyes.

"I'll tell you why I went to the hall closet. I went to get a handkerchief I had left in my handbag. Does that make me a murderer?"

"No. Oh, no," Vance shook his head and sighed. "Thank you for the explanation. . . . And will you be so good as to tell me exactly what you did last night when you answered Mrs. Garden's summons?"

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"So do I, Mom, and see how it covers up my dress all over. Good-by, Mom, have a good time."

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Ask Me Another

A General Quiz

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1. When was the "conscience fund" in the United States treasury started?
2. How far away from the earth is the nearest star?
3. From where was the inscription on the Liberty bell in Philadelphia reading: "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof" taken?
4. From where did the word "geyser" come?
5. What is the size of Yellowstone National park?
6. How many different types of holly are there?

Answers

1. In 1811, by a contribution from some anonymous person whose conscience hurt him. The fund has grown until today it totals over \$650,000.
2. About 25,500,000,000,000 miles.
3. From the Bible—Leviticus 25:10.
4. Geyser is an Icelandic word—the original pronunciation being "geiser," later changed to "gayser" and finally Americanized to "geyser."
5. It covers 3,438 square miles of territory, of which 257 are in Montana, 25 in Idaho and the remainder in Wyoming.
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Foreign Words and Phrases

Toute medaille a son revers. (F.) Everything has its good and its bad side.

Ad nauseam. (L.) To the point of disgust.

Laissez ces vains scrupules. (F.) Discard or lay aside those vain scruples.

Entr'acte. (F.) Between the acts.

Argumentum ad absurdum. (L.) An argument intended to prove the absurdity of an opponent's argument.

Chacun pour soi et Dieu pour tous. (F.) Everybody for himself and God for all of us.

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 Preaching Service, 7:30

JOINT W. M. S.
 May 31, the Joint Missionary Societies held their regular 5th Monday meeting at the Methodist Church. A good plate lunch was served in the basement at the noon hour. 20 people besides a number of children were served. We regret very much that our president, Mrs. Culwell, was unable to attend because of her mother's illness. We hope for her speedy recovery. After lunch all went to the auditorium for the program. At the request of the president, Mrs. Webb took charge of the meeting, called the house to order, and after singing a hymn Mrs. Osborn led the devotion by reading the 1st Psalm and commenting thereon, as well as quoting some other passages. Bro. Ansel Lynn led in prayer. Sister Lynn then gave a splendid talk on their work in the Congo while they were across the seas. Then Bro. Lynn gave a talk on the same situation. Some phrases humorous, but mostly on the serious side. We were really glad to get some points first hand. Glad to have had these good people with us. Also their two interesting daughters. Regret the two sons could not come also. Delighted to have had an other visitor, Mrs. Green and children.
 After the program, Bringing in the Sheaves was sung, and Bro. Osborn dismissed with prayer. Then followed a brief business session to elect a secretary to take the place of Mrs. Trostle, who is leaving us. Miss Eula Curd was elected. Next meeting will be in August.
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 Notice of Execution Sale
 By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 24th day of March A. D. 1937, in favor of G. W. Antrebus and against the said T. M. Little Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little, T. M. Little Sr., J. M. Lynn, Zeb Mitchell, W. H. Huffman, Monnig Dry Goods Company, and Plough Inc., in the case of G. W. Antrebus against T. M. Little Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little, T. M. Little Sr., J. M. Lynn, Zeb Mitchell, W. H. Huffman, Monnig Dry Goods Company and Plough Inc. No. 1900 in such court, I did on the 2nd day of June A. D. 1937 at 8 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Donley, State of Texas as the property of the said T. M. Little, Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little, and T. M. Little Sr., which said property is more particularly described as follows, to wit: all of lots Nos. 22 and 23 in Block No. 2 in the Original town of Hedley, Donley County, Texas, according to the official map or plat of said town, and on the 6th day of July A. D. 1937, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title, and interest of the said T. M. Little Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little; T. M. Little, Sr., J. M. Lynn, Zeb Mitchell, W. H. Huffman, Monnig Dry Goods Company, and Plough Inc. in and to said property.
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 Guy Pierce, Sheriff of Donley County, Texas.
 By Guy Wright, Deputy.

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There is a city ordinance prohibiting chickens running at large. There have been several complaints made that the neighbor's chickens are destroying flower beds and gardens. Those who have chickens will please keep them on their own premises.
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Mrs. Mary Reast left Tuesday for Canyon, where she will attend the summer session at W. T. S. T. C.

Mrs. Mary Dishman of Wichita Falls is visiting relatives here.

Miss Emma Lowell Plunk left Saturday for Canyon to attend summer school. Miss Plunk will teach at Rance again next year.

Miss Martha Sue Noel has returned home from Denton, where she attended T. S. C. W. last year.

Miss Nita Culwell is back home from Mercedes, where she taught school last year. She will teach there again next year.

Mrs. Josie Adamson is reported very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Evans and daughter, Jackie, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watkins. Mrs. Watkins returned home with them for a visit. She plans to attend school at Texas Tech at Lubbock this summer.

A special on odd lengths of oil cloth at Hooker's

Mrs. S. O. Riebersen and daughter, Loyd, attended the Abilene Christian College graduating exercises at Abilene last week.

Miss Hope Wells returned last week from Pampa, where she taught school last year. She has been re-elected to the same place for next year.

Miss Zona Adamson came in Saturday from Canyon, where she attended school the past term.

Mrs. J. R. Adamsen and children of Turkey are visiting here this week.

Ernest Thompson of Clarendon visited here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leggett have moved to Wellington for the summer.

Robert Watkins left Monday for Spur, where he will lead the song services in a two weeks revival.

Miss Margaret Spear has been quite ill but is reported better.

Singer Machine Oil, see Kendall.

J. S. Perrine returned Saturday from a visit to Marlin.

Miss Peggy Caldwell of Toyah spent last week here. She left Friday for a visit to Chicago.

Miss Pauline Caldwell of Webster is at home for the summer.

Miss Madge Riebersen has returned home from Mebeetic, where she taught school the past year.

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