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## Church of the Nazarene

Sunday was a great day, enjoyed by our congregation. Showers of blessings from the presence of God came upon the people. Sunday school convened at 9:45 under the leadership of our good superintendent Mr. Hickey. After the entire school reading the lesson together, the teachers arranged their classes and enjoyed a season of study of the subject Peter delivered from prison.

At the close of the Sunday school, the song service was conducted by Rev. Garrison of Clarendon. People were blessed by singing the old time songs that stir the soul to do more for God and lost humanity. Immediately following the song service, the pastor brought the morning message from the subject, The Attitude of Obedience. God blessed the folk under this searching message and we feel moved to higher ground.

In the afternoon at 2:30 the good singers met and had a song feast, using the new Stamps Baxter book. Out of town folk helped to make this singing a success.

As the shades of night began to fall, folk came to worship God in our little church. We could feel that hallowed feeling that God was there. The Edwards String Band came to make it a most enjoyable service. Sacred, harmonious strains and melodies floated through the building. People's hearts were drawn closer to God by the singing of the choir, ably directed by Golden Holland. The orchestra played that beautiful song, In the Garden for a special. The pastor brought the closing message of the day from the subject, The Tragedy of Disobedience. Old time conviction came upon the sinners, for which we thank God.

We are beginning a revival meeting March 24, with the pastor doing the preaching. We want to urge all the folk to come and help make this a great gathering of souls.

The Edwards string band and other will play for our services, also every other Sunday night they have promised to be with us, for which we are thankful. The Pastor, Walter Patterson

## W. M. SOCIETY

Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. Watkins Mar 15. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by those present.

The society will meet with Misses Ola and Bala Card Mar 20. The following program will be rendered on Thank You and Farewell:

Leader, Mrs. Masterson  
Song, Come Ye Thankful People

Devotional, Mrs. Bowlin  
Love blossoms into generosity,  
Mrs. Watkins

A lesson in contentment, Mrs. Edwards

The things which were sent from you Mrs. Ruth Kompen  
Farewell, Mrs. Masterson  
Song, Day is Dying in the West

Any kind of donations will be very much appreciated for the missionary box, as we are planning to send it off this quarter.

## NOTICE

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By Order of City Council

## Parent-Teacher Assn.

The game tournament sponsored by the P. T. A. at the high school auditorium was enjoyed by a large number of people from grown ups to children.

The evening passed away very quickly with the playing of 42, dominoes, Chinese checkers and ping pong.

Every one enjoyed the good pie and coffee before going home.

The P. T. A. appreciates the cooperation shown the society by the people of our community.

## New Library Books

The high school library is the fortunate recipient of some new reading material; fourteen new books to be exact. These books were bought with the \$15.00 allowed by Parent Teacher Association, and to that Association we express our gratitude for this new reading matter.

Although these books are not recent publications, most of the copies were not on the shelves in our library; however, some of the titles are replacements.

These books are Porter, The Honest; Dorsey, Why We Behave Like Human Beings; Alcott, Little Women; Canfield, The Best Twig; Bok, A Dutch Boy; Conwell, Acres of Diamonds; Macdowell, The Boy's Life of Edison; Dickens, David Copperfield; Crane, The Red Badge of Courage; Bolton, Famous Men of Science; Twain, Tom Sawyer; Massfield, Jim Davis; Wharton, Ethan Frome; Wiggins, Mother Carey's Chickens.

We have enough money left to buy one more copy, as one book that was ordered failed to come.

We the students of Hedley high school wish to thank the P. T. A. for our new piano.

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A. F. Bilderback had the misfortune to break his arm when he slipped and fell one day last week.

A. G. McDougal of Wasilla, Alaska, visited his nephew, Tom McDougal and family this week.

Mrs. J. E. Geocer left Saturday for a visit with her parents at Sunset.

R. W. Ferrell of Vernon was a Hedley visitor Monday.

Mrs. Robert Watkins spent the week and in Melrose, N. Mex.

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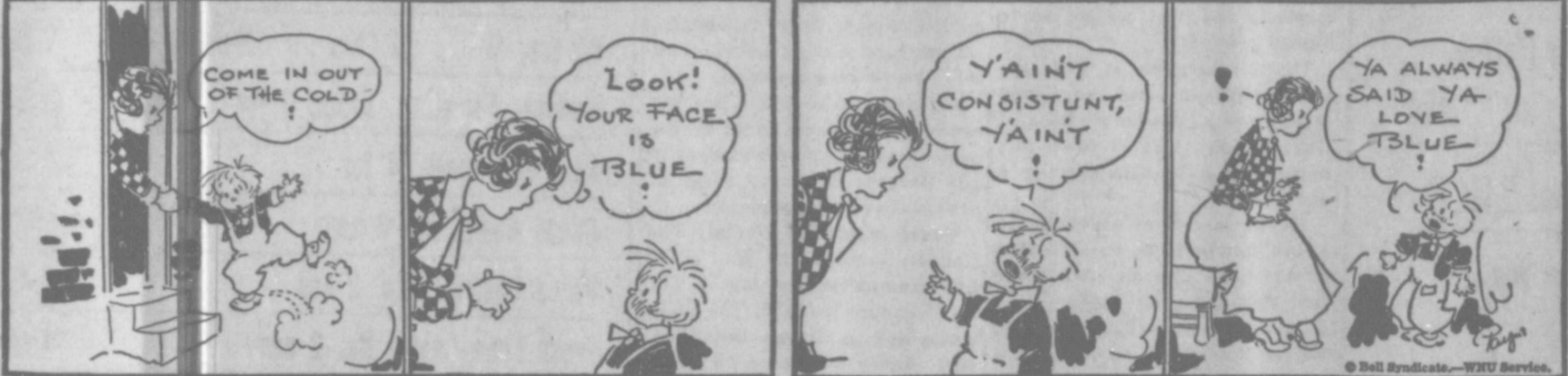
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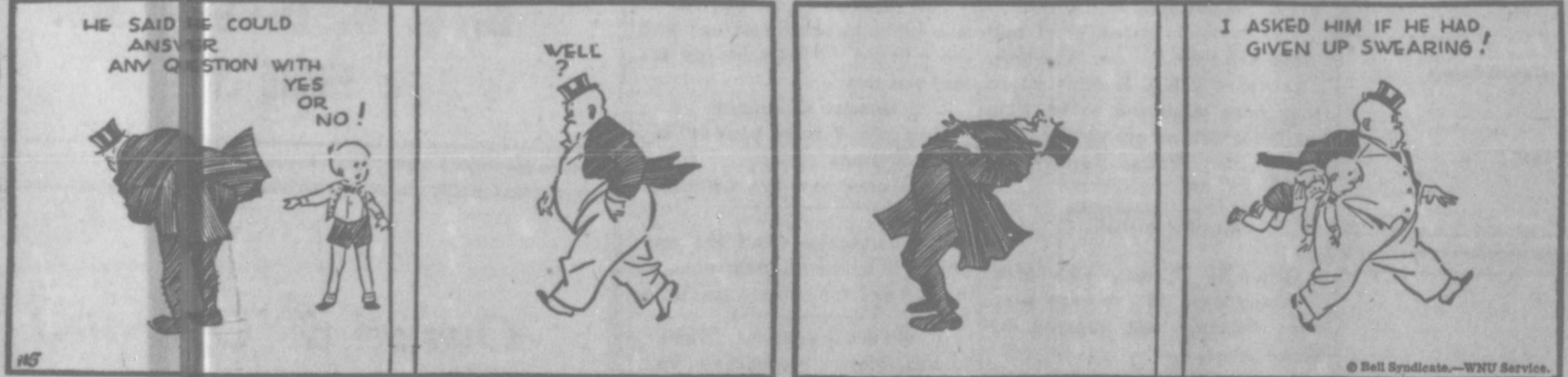
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# CREDIBLE

By BEN AMES WILLIAMS

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## CHAPTER XIV—Continued

Phil smiled happily; and then he turned to Mary's letter, and sobered again; and for a moment he held it in his hands, remembering their last word from Mary with bitterness. He was tempted to destroy this letter unopened; but at last, like one performing an unpleasant duty, he tore off the end of the envelope and drew out the letter inside and began to read.

And at the first words, his eyes widened, and his breath came hissing and he sat up sharply in his berth. The letter was from Paris. Mary had written:

Dear Phil: Gus Loran killed Miss Wines. He has told me so. I'll try to tell you just what happened. I think I told you he was here. His wife was getting a divorce. We met by accident; but he seemed fascinated by me. My Argentine and I weren't getting along very well. He's gone back to South America now. I bent over to realize that Mr. Loran had something on his mind. He was drinking a lot, and looking sick; and then he began to give me presents, pretty valuable ones, and I asked him why, and—he was drunk most of the time of course—he began to talk

he reached soon after dawn—he said nothing to Mrs. Sentry. When she saw his high spirits and asked some question, he said evasively, "Oh, just looking forward to seeing Barbara, that's all!"

They alighted at the Cleveland station, and Dan and Barbara were there to greet them, and Barbara was quick in her mother's arms, while Phil pumped Dan's hand. Then Barbara came to kiss Phil, her eyes dancing; and she linked her arm through his, and Mrs. Sentry and Dan were close on their heels, and they came to Dan's car. Phil, watching Barbara, thought she was becoming beautiful. It had never occurred to him that his sister was beautiful before. He had thought of her as a nice-looking youngster; but now she wore a subtle radiance of glowing eyes and clear skin and steady lips that were strong even when they curved in quick laughter.

Phil said, "Dan, you've made a beauty out of Barb!" "Old Doctor Fisher," Dan chuckled. "Every treatment guaranteed. A ravishing beauty after three

"But mother, how did you know?"

She smiled. "I am not blind! You and Linda wore it like banners, that day you came back to York."

"And you don't mind?"

"I've minded your not trusting me enough to tell me about it, that's all."

"When will you be married?" Barbara challenged. "Soon?"

Mrs. Sentry said smilingly: "Yes, soon, I hope." And to her son: "I wasn't sure I could—let you go, till we saw Barbara so happy, Phil. At home I had too much the feeling that things were ending; that there was nothing to look forward to. But things are just beginning here, with Barb and Dan. And you and Linda can make a fine new beginning too."

Phil's throat was full; he thought: This is the time to tell them! He reached in his pocket for Mary's letter. But then Dan came into the room. He came quietly enough; yet his very quiet made them look at him in sudden attention.

Phil saw Dan's face white and set; and Barbara saw Dan's face too, and was in his arms in one swift movement, staring up at him, crying: "Dan! What is it, Dan?" Dan said in a low tone: "It was the office that called, Mrs. Sentry. They've just had an A. P. bulletin, with—great news! Gus Loran has confessed to the French police that he killed Miss Wines. The Governor says Mr. Sentry will be pardoned at once, will be free today."

Trains are tedious things; but planes move swiftly. Yet to Mrs. Sentry, that day while they seemed to hang motionless in a cloudless sky alive with sunshine so bright she thought it could never be obscured, the swift journey homeward appeared to be interminable.

But it was not. The panorama below them, moment by moment, changed; the mountains beneath them slid behind; new cities far

ahead came quickly into view, and then, distant yet beautiful, the sea...

Before they landed at East Boston, Phil had seen Linda waiting, far below. In his arms, held close, her lips tight to his, she whispered only his name, Phil, Phil, Phil, her lips moving against his. And then:

"He is waiting for you, Phil. For you all to take him home together. Eli is here with the limousine, and I've my car—"

He rode with her through congested streets to the shabby portals of the prison; and the limousine pulled up behind them. Upon arrival there she said:

"Dan and I will go on ahead, Phil. Just you, whom he loves, to meet him here and bring him home."

And she whispered, "But hurry to me, Phil."

Phil nodded, his eyes blurred so that he could not see. Of what followed he remembered little save the strong grasp of his father's hand. Then they were in the limousine, Phil on one of the small seats, half turned to face Barbara and his father and mother in the seat behind. They crossed the bridge above the murky railroad yards, and Phil saw how pale his father was. But beyond, driving beside the river where the sun shone clear, Phil thought: It will put color in his cheek again. It will not take long.

And he thought: We are all very silent. And then he nodded, understanding. There was too much to say; and yet there was nothing that was not already being said by Barbara, her hands tight clasped on his father's arm; by Mrs. Sentry pressed close against her husband's side.

They crossed the river, passed familiar corners. Soon now they would be at home. And Linda would be waiting...

Phil turned in his seat to face forward, he turned to look ahead. (THE END)

### Among Bothersome Dusts, Silica Said to Be Cause of Disease Known as Silicosis

Dust is never a pleasant thing to breathe, but some dusts are far worse than others. Coal dust, for example, may color a miner's or coal heaver's lungs as black as night, but it rarely does anything more serious, states a writer in the Chicago Tribune. On the other hand, the repeated inhalation of freshly ground silica dust (silica is a general name for the compound that makes up sand and quartz), frequently results in a disease known as silicosis, characterized by an extensive scarring and destruction of lung tissue.

This disease has come to be recognized as a serious industrial hazard. Since sand and quartz are obviously quite nonpoisonous as found in nature, the fact that they are more dangerous than other dusts when finely ground, led to the suspicion that silicosis was a result of some hitherto unrecognized property of silica.

Tests on rabbits appear to have shown that the danger can be greatly lessened if the silica dust is mixed

with a trace of metallic aluminum dust.

Silica is a compound of the elements of silicon and oxygen, and the atoms of these elements are so arranged on the surface of freshly broken silica that the oxygen atoms possess a small but definite part of the combining power of free element.

Presumably this is responsible for the fact that freshly ground silica is more soluble than other forms of the material. This in turn suggests that the deadly effect of silica dust is the result of its actually combining chemically with the lung tissues, and not of mere mechanical irritation.

If this were true, the way to denature silica dust would be to bring it in contact with something that had a greater affinity for oxygen, so that the latter would be completely saturated before it had time to attack living tissue. Theoretically, aluminum should have such an effect, and tests with it have borne out these predictions.

**BEN AMES WILLIAMS**

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## FARM TOPICS

### GET HIGH YIELDS IN USING HYBRIDS Attention Must Be Paid to Soil Fertility.

Called a miracle crop by some producers, hybrid corn is not miraculous enough to produce increased yields without making increased demands on soil fertility, according to C. M. Linsley, extension specialist, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

As farmers start thinking of their supply of hybrid corn for the coming cropping season, Linsley suggests that some thought be given to adjustments in soil and cropping management to care for the increased drain on soil fertility made by high-yielding hybrid corn.

"The growing of hybrid corn is justified by the fact that high yields are essential to low production costs," Linsley said. "However, it is essential that there be some reduction in acreage and more attention paid to soil fertility and the use of legumes. By growing more corn on fewer acres at less cost, the land taken out of corn can very well be devoted to soil-building legume crops.

"Use of adapted hybrid corn on a reduced acreage coupled with a sane program of mineral and organic matter replenishment fits well into the AAA farm program and the program of soil improvement that has been fostered for more than a quarter of a century by the College of Agriculture.

"There may be some difference between hybrids in the amount of minerals utilized, but miracle hybrids that can produce bumper yields without taking anything from the soil are yet to be produced. If such a hybrid should be discovered, it would have little value for feed or commercial use."

It is estimated that the 361,673,000 bushels of corn produced on Illinois farms in 1938 used up phosphorus from the soils of the state to the equivalent of 217,000 tons of rock phosphate or 4,300 carloads of 50 tons each.

In addition to the phosphorus, even larger amounts of nitrogen, potassium and lime were taken from the soil by the 1938 Illinois corn crop.

### More Profit in Selling Only Fertile Eggs

By producing only fertile eggs for market, Illinois farmers have a chance to boost their poultry profits by thousands of dollars annually, according to H. H. Alp, poultry extension specialist, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

"It is almost an impossibility to market eggs of high quality when they are fertile," he said. "This is especially true during hot weather since a fertile egg will start incubation at a temperature slightly above 65 degrees Fahrenheit. Blood rings are a natural result of partial incubation in fertile eggs."

"A high percentage of fertile eggs will eventually be thrown away as rots. This loss backs up to the producer and is one of the biggest losses he suffers."

"There is only one way to eliminate fertile eggs and that is to remove all males from the laying flock immediately following the close of the breeding season."

### Balanced Fertilizer

To make a balanced fertilizer, manure should be reinforced with phosphates. Experiments show that 25 to 30 pounds of 40 per cent phosphate added to each ton of manure will balance the plant food supply. Others use the lower analysis rock phosphate applying 60 to 100 pounds to a ton of manure. The manure and phosphate may be spread together at one operation. The phosphate may also be applied to the manure in the bin at the rate of one pound per day for each head of mature live stock, says A. W. Klemme, Missouri college of agriculture.

### Feeding the Dairy Cow

Dairy cows have whimsies, and for that reason the palatability of Bossy's feed may mean the difference between profit and loss. This is a situation that may run up against you when dairy corn is used along with mixed dairy feed, or when inferior dairy rations are mixed with home-grown grain. In short, observes a writer in the Farm Journal, one of the primary tests of a good dairy ration is: "Does the cow like it well enough to eat all she needs?"

### Minerals for Bone Growth

The growing bird needs minerals for bone growth, particularly calcium and phosphorus, about twice as much of the last as the latter, advises a poultry expert in the Rural New-Yorker. The ordinary mash will contain enough phosphorus to fill the bird's requirements but for the other, calcium, a supplement to the mash is needed. This may easily be supplied to the flock by the addition of ground limestone, or oyster shells.

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about some great wrong he had done me, and about making amends. This went on for weeks, and he's been sort of cracking up all the time. I asked him questions, but he'd shut up like a clam. But when my husband left me to get married, and I wept about what was happening to me, and blamed himself, and finally, night before last, he begged me to forgive him and I asked for what, and I finally got it out of him. He had Miss Wines in Maine in August. The guide led for him. And he says she tried to blackmail him, and his wife was already threatening to divorce him and collect big alimony, and he was scared. Then Miss Wines sent word to him to meet her in the office that night at half-past eleven. He was going to New York, anyway; and he decided to try to scare her so she would let him alone. He had a pistol he had carried in the War, and he took it to scare her with. He says he took out the magazine, thought it was empty. He got on the New York train and put on his pyjamas over his clothes and called the porter and told him he was going to sleep, and then slipped off through another car, and went out a different gate, and went to the office and she was there. She'd stolen father's key, he says. He offered her the money there was in the safe, and she said she wanted a lot more than that, and she said she was going to tell Mrs. Loran, and started out. And he jammed the pistol against her back as she passed him in the doorway, thinking it was empty, intending to scare her, and it went off.

months of marriage, or your money back."

Then they were stowing themselves in the car, and Phil saw that it was new, and thought Dan must be prospering, and wondered what their home would be like. It was an apartment, he knew; and when they were arrived, the apartment, though small, proved to be reassuringly sunny and comfortable, and the furniture could not be objected to.

Phil saved his great news, relishing the anticipation of their great happiness. Barbara, through breakfast, did most of the talking, only appealing to Dan for corroboration now and then, relating her arrival in Cleveland when she came to join Dan, and the first days in a hotel when, while Dan was at work, she sought for apartments, till she had a list for his inspections and how they moved in here with nothing but twin beds, a few towels and some linen, and so began house-keeping.

"So first I furnished the kitchen," Barbara explained. "Just buying each day the things I actually needed. And then the bedroom; and then I began on the living room. After I had things picked out, Dan would go see them before I decided. And I made all the hangings myself, by hand. I'm as good a sempstress as Miss Simpkins right now, mother. And when we had everything in, I began to monogram our linen—Why mother! You're crying!"

Mrs. Sentry said through tears: "It's all right, Barbara. I was just being sorry for myself because I missed sharing all that fun with you. I should have been here, helped, done most of it." She spoke to Dan. "I'm afraid your bride didn't come to you as well equipped and prepared as she should have been, Dan."

Dan grinned. "I haven't any complaint," he declared. "But maybe it was hard on Barb."

"You idiot!" said Barbara gently; and to her mother: "It's been fun. Perfect! I shouldn't have wanted it any other way."

Mrs. Sentry looked toward Phil, and suddenly her eyes twinkled. "I'll do better by you and Linda, Phil," she promised; and Phil's heart leaped, and Barbara cried delightedly:

"Phil! You and Linda? Honest? Oh, that's grand!"

Phil could not speak, staring at his mother. Barbara was kissing him hard and happily, and Dan was shaking his hand, and then the telephone rang in the hall, and Dan went to answer it, and Phil said shakily:

Phil read this letter through with racing eyes; and when he had done, he read it again more slowly, till every word was fixed on his brain. And there was great triumph in him, and a deep jubilation. His first thought was to rouse his mother, tell her. But—she was asleep, and if she knew this tonight, she would not sleep again. She would insist that they leave the train, go back to his father... And he thought of Barbara; Barbara, who of them all had never faltered in her faith. And in the end he hugged this secret close. It could wait, he decided. Wait till tomorrow. Wait till they were with Barbara. Barbara had a right to be the first to know. So... morning—they were in Cleveland would



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### BABY CHICKS FOR SALE

Red Chain Starter, nuggets or mash, 100 lb. **\$2.95**

Yukon Best Lay Mash, 100 lb. **\$2.00**

Lard, 8 lb. cartons	73c	Peanut Butter, qt.	25c
Flour, Yukon Best, 48 lb. sack	\$1.35	Prunes, dried, 4 lb.	25c
Flour, Western guaranteed, 48 lb.	95c	Rice, bulk, 4 lb.	25c
Corn Flakes, 3 boxes	25c		
Macaroni, 8 boxes	25c		
Meal, 20 lb. bags	38c		
Soap, laundry, 7 bars for	25c		
Soap, hand, 7 bars for	25c		
Tomatoes 4 cans 25c Gen 4 for 27c			
Peaches, Gold Bar No. 2 1-2 can	16c		
Peas, Brimfull, 2 1/2 cans for	25c		
Beans, pinto, 19 lb.	98c		

## Market Bargains

<b>ROAST</b> Chuck, lb.	17c
Rib or brisket	15c
Prime rib	23c
<b>STEAK</b> Round, lb.	28c
T-bone	25c
Chuck	18c
Pork Chops, lb.	22c
Bologna, 2 lb.	25c

# M System Grocery

### NOTICE

If you live in one county and buy your license plates in another county, and although you are carrying these license plates, 1939 issue, it is the same as though you did not have your car registered; you are subject to arrest and fine of \$20 and court costs.

Guy Pierce, Sheriff

### Charm Beauty Shop

I have bought the Charm Beauty Shop from J. W. Reese, and do different branches of beauty work, such as permanent finger waves, facials, manicures, etc. Your patronage appreciated.

Wynona Kyte, owner and operator  
Phone 23

### Legal Notice

In the County Court of Donley County Texas at the January term 1939

In the matters of the estate of J. M. Bosman, deceased, No. 775  
To All Persons Interested In The Estate Of J. M. Bosman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of April, 1939, at the door of the courthouse in Clarendon, Donley County, Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., in obedience to an order of sale entered in the above estate on the 28th day of January, 1939, and now appearing in Volume 10, page 280, of the Probate Minutes of said court, I shall sell at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, 73-109 acres of land out of Section 64, Block C 8, G O & S F Ry. Co Survey, Donley County, Texas, and known as the J. M. Bosman place; the terms of sale to be as stated, all cash.

Witness my hand this the 6th day of March 1939.  
Grace Sisson, administratrix of the Estate of J. M. Bosman, deceased.

### The 42 Club

The 42 club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tollett Mar. 2  
The next meeting will be Mar. 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vallance.

Those present were Messrs. and Madames Ray, Vallance, Horschler, Jones, Myers, Medtief, Mosley and Crooks of Memphis, Joe Devine, Miss Wynona Kyte and the host and hostess.

Misses Mary Harris and Oley Watkins spent last week end with Miss Minnie Ferebee in Vernon.

Mr and Mrs O R Cuiwell have returned from a visit to Frederick and Altus, Okla.

### PASTIME THEATRE

Clarendon, Texas

Fri Sat Mar 17 18

The sensation of the hour

### Girls on Probation

Are they the marked women of tomorrow?

Also Cartoon and Traveltalk  
10 25c

Fox Movietone Every Friday

Sat Prevue Sun Mon Mar 18 19 20

Claire Trevor and John Wayne in

### Stagecoach

Also Declaration of Independence and Fox News  
10 25c

Tuesday Only Mar 21

Ralph Byrd in

### Fighting Thoroughbreds

Also Color Cartoon

Bargain Day

Admission 10c to everybody

Wed Thurs Mar 22 23

Errol Flynn in

### The Dawn Patrol

Also Musical Comedy

10 25c

Coming Attractions

Mar 25 26 27 Ann Rutherford in "Four Girls in White"

Mar 30 31 Apr 1 Tyrone Power in "Jesse James"

Matinee Every Day 2:00

Evening shows at 7:15

### COZY THEATRE

Sat Only Mar. 18.

Gene Autry in

### Man from Music Mountain

Also Chapter 1 of new Serial, "Hawk of the Wilderness" with Herman Brix  
10 15c

### Gleaners Class

In rooms made beautiful by the sweet hospitality of the hostess, Mrs. D K. Hall, the Gleaners class met Friday afternoon March 10.

The house was called to order by the pres., Mrs. M G Whitfield, for a short business session; after which a most profitable and interesting program was enjoyed. Each member present gave her own selection, something on the betterment of life. The program finished, the hostess gave her special treat, a lovely and delicious refreshment. Mrs. Cecil Cooper and son of Amarillo were guests.

The next meeting will be an all day meeting in the basement of the church Friday March 24. All come; bring needle, thread and eate.

Mrs. Richmond Bowlin, reporter  
J B Masterson has been quite ill, but we are glad to report that he is better.

L P Trimble has returned from a visit at Ft Worth with his mother, who has been ill.

### NOTICE

\$10 reward for information leading to arrest or conviction of obloven thieves. Any information will be held in confidence.  
Guy Pierce, Sheriff

### ORDINANCE No. 40

An ordinance prohibiting the Auctioning or selling of goods, wares, and merchandises upon the Main Street of Hedley, Donley County, Texas or upon any street or alley within one block of said main street or upon any sidewalk abutting upon said main street or upon any street within one block of said main street in the City of Hedley, Donley County, Texas.

Be It Ordained By The City Council Of The City Of Hedley, Donley County, Texas:

Section 1: It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association of persons to auction or sell any goods, wares or merchandise upon the Main Street of Hedley, Donley County, Texas or upon any sidewalk abutting upon said main street within said distance of one block from said main street.

Section 2: Any person or persons violating provision No 1 of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not less than One Dollar and not more than One Hundred Dollars.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect upon its passage as provided in such cases.

Passed and approved under suspension of the rules, this 7th day of March, 1939

O E Johnson, Mayor

J P Devine, Sec'y

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs C. W Bain entertained a group of little folks Thursday afternoon, March 9, the occasion being Anita's sixth birthday. She received many beautiful gifts. The afternoon was spent playing various games and other fun. Those present were: Gene Wilson Caldwell, Merle Bailey, Corky and Mary Alice Hunsucker, Wanda Lou Saunders, Sarah Ann Rains, Carolyn Reeves Wanda Joyce Hall, Aubrey Lee Cherry, Lawanda Cooper, Joan Ray and Jack Moreman, Blanche Sue Dudley, Bill Payne, Laura Ann and Betty Thompson, Billie and Bart Harris, Anita, Vera and Letta Bain, Mrs T E Caldwell and Miss Theresa Bain. We all wish for Anita many more happy birthdays.

### T. C. Johnson

T C Johnson, pioneer resident of this county, passed away Tuesday at Silver Lake, Texas. Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at the Methodist Church here. A suitable obituary will appear in the Informer next week.

The editor returned Wednesday from Amarillo, where he has been undergoing treatment for a sinus infection.

### Future Homemakers Club

The members of the Future Homemakers Club met March 9 for another regular meeting. Geraldine Riley, pres., had charge of the program, which consisted of a group of talks. They were given on subjects pertaining to the trip to Pampa, and were all very interesting. The titles of some were My idea of Pampa from a bus window. Did I see anklets? Unusual hair styles, Dress lengths. The most used colors. An odd costume. Did their feet hurt. Was I annoyed, and The most interesting feature of the meeting.

The group was served refreshments. The hostesses were Peggy Jo Everett, Bernice Langford, Bertie Ruth Usery and Leora Adamson.

### NOTICE OF SALE

State of Texas  
County of Donley

Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 48th District Court of Tarrant County Texas, on a judgement rendered in said Court on the 12th day of January, 1939, in favor of Anna E Bomar, a feme sole, and against W. A. Spruill and W. O. Brinkley, and each of them, for the sum of \$2440 50, together with interest and costs of suit in the case of Anna E Bomar, a feme sole, vs W. A. Spruill, et al, No 28 631 - A, on the docket of said Court I did on the 20 day of February, 1939 at 2 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Donley County, Texas and belonging to the said W. A. Spruill and W. O. Brinkley, to-wit:

All of the Southwest one-fourth (S. W. 1-4) of section No. 111, in Block E, Certificate No. 152, in the name of the D. & P Ry. Co., Beginning at a stake 954 3 varas West of the Southeast corner of said survey, the Southeast corner of this tract; Thence West 954 8 varas to a point, the South west corner of this tract; Thence North with the West line of said survey, 948 75 varas, the Northwest corner of this tract; Thence East 954 3 varas, the Northeast corner of this tract; Thence South 948 75 varas to the place of beginning containing 180 acres of land, more or less;

and on the 4th day of April, 1939, 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 Court House door of said Donley County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the rights, title and interest of the said W. A. Spruill and W. O. Brinkley in and to said property.

Dated at Clarendon this the 20 day of February, 1939

Guy Pierce, Sheriff of Donley County, Texas.

### W. M. SOCIETY

The Masterson circle of W M S met Wednesday with Mrs. Richmond Bowlin. The vice pres., Mrs. I E Biggs had charge of the meeting. A fine program was enjoyed. Conversation and quilting furnished the entertainment for the social hour. The hostess served angel food cake and spiced tea. The next meeting will be March 29, Mrs. R. E. Newman hostess. The following program will be presented: Devotional, Mrs. R Bowlin, a childless community, Mrs. Duncan, Jesus and children, Mrs. R. E. Newman.

Mental development of children, Mrs. Everett  
Mrs. E. L. Whitfield, reporter

### NOTICE

Ordinance No. 22  
Article No. 4

Any person other than the duly authorized and empowered agent, employee or representative of the City of Hedley who shall or does go into, open or enter any meter box on the City water works system within the limits of the City of Hedley, shall thereby commit a misdemeanor and will be fined in a sum not exceeding \$5 00.

By Order of the City Council

J S Edwards and family were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

### ADAMSON-LANE POST 287 AMERICAN LEGION

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