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## This Week

by Arthur Brisbane  
Horse, Dog, Mustache, Wife  
Steel Profits, One Billion  
A Wall Street Necklace  
Two Billions of Us

The rules of West Point forbid the cadet to have "a horse, dog, wife or mustache."

Cadet Paul Capron, Jr., found he could get along without the horse, dog or mustache. But when he saw Marguerite Gillespie, Cadet Capron decided that the academy rules were too strict.

Miss Gillespie is now Mrs. Capron, and Mr. Capron, no longer at West Point, is now looking for a newspaper job in Boston.

Ancient Sparta had rules similar but more severe for young men. It is wise to bar mustaches that gather germs. Horses and dogs are not necessary. But why shouldn't a young West Pointer marry if he wants to marry?

If you have a steel business, and run it well, you can make money in America, with help of a protective tariff.

Income tax reports of the leading steel companies show that in six years past they have paid income tax on one thousand million dollars of profit. A billion in six years is good profit, but no more than a great industry should make in a prosperous country.

The benefit of buying at home from your own people, even if you pay a little more, resides in the fact that the money stays here, goes into other American enterprises, more factories, more production, more prosperity.

Where a few persons are gathered together, only the stock market is discussed. A Fifth Avenue jeweler in New York lets it be known that he has for sale a \$300,000 pearl necklace, which can be bought for \$100,000. But it must be all cash. Some lady apparently expected prices to go up forever.

Wall Street names a speculator alleged to move from the ticker to his automobile surrounded by five men to guard him. He started a bear pool two weeks ago.

A few friends each invested \$100,000, and each has thus far taken out in profit \$1,500,000.

The five body guardsmen are hired on the assumption that angry losers might plan evil for the head of the bear pool.

The rain falls on the just and unjust, and a market slump falls upon the good and bad stocks.

Of millions that rushed to buy stocks when they were going up, only a few, the wise minority, will know enough to walk in carefully and buy them when they fall below what they are worth.

Wise was old Rothschild, who said he made his money "selling too soon."

The human family is bigger than it thought. The league of nations' statistical department shows that earth's population is only 50,000,000 short of 8,000,000,000.

Two thousand million human beings is a big crowd, of whom the majority never think, and a minority think occasionally.

The wonder is not how slowly we progress, but that we progress at all, the few dragging the many along with them.

Uncle Sam, you will be glad to hear, has started a really big dirigible for carrying passengers and for fighting purposes. A golden rivet, driven by Admiral Moffett, completed the "master ring" of the new dirigible.

The lighter than air ship, 785 feet long, 140 feet high, will carry 6,500,000 cubic feet of helium gas. The Los Angeles carries 2,500,000 cubic feet, the Graf Zeppelin, 8,700,000.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cobb of El Dorado visited relatives at Ft. Chadbourne this week.

## Frances Jane Turney

Little Frances Jane Turney, five year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. K. Turney, died at the San Angelo Hospital Monday morning at 3:30.

The child had been troubled all its life with asthma and enlargement of the heart. For several days prior to her going, she suffered more than usual, and Dr. Turney, aided by other physicians, did all they could, but God saw fit to take her away, regardless of their skill.

A sweet little flower, she was only transplanted to the ever-blooming garden of God.

Funeral services were conducted at the Robert Lee Methodist church by Rev. Grady Timmins, pastor of the Methodist church at San Angelo, Tuesday afternoon at 2 p. m., assisted by Rev. Albert Turney, pastor of the Methodist church at Rising Star, and Rev. Turner, formerly pastor here.

Interment took place at the Robert Lee cemetery at 3:30 Johnson's Funeral Parlor of San Angelo, had charge of funeral arrangements.

The Observer joins the many friends of the bereaved ones in extending a word of sympathy in this sad hour.

Weep not, loved ones—she's free from pain,  
A few more years and then again  
You'll see her face in Heaven fair,  
And there will no parting there.

## Heads or Tails

Fred McDonald and Frank Perciful got together Saturday and flipped a half-dollar to see which of the two ginners would finish the ginning season, the other to shut down. McDonald won, and will finish ginning balance of the season, which is estimated to be about 80 bales.

## New Preacher

At the sixty-fourth annual conference of the M. E. Church South, which was held at Hillsboro Tuesday, ordered the Rev. M. A. Turner to Joshua, and the Rev. B. B. Edmiston, of Falpa, was sent here.

## Waterworks Bonds Carried Over 5 to 1

Exactly one hundred voters went to the polls Tuesday and voted on whether or not Robert Lee was to issue \$30,000 worth of bonds to build waterworks for the city.

It carried a little over 5 to 1, the vote being 84 for and 16 against. This shows that the people of this town wants water 57 men and 43 women voted, out of a probable 150 voters in the city.

Work will begin as soon as the bonds can be sold, and the lowest bidder on the job.

The Joe B. Winsett Company of Dallas is in charge of preparing the bonds for the market, and will also be bidders on the job.

## A Word From Congressman, C. B. Hudspeth

We quote below a letter we recently received from C. B. Hudspeth, representing the 16th Congressional District of Texas, which is self explanatory. Read it!

Mr. A. W. Puett,  
Editor, Observer,  
Robert Lee, Texas.

It has been my great honor and pleasure to represent the 16th District of Texas in Congress since 1919, having previously served my people in the Legislature for 16 years. It is only on account of failing health that I have decided to retire at the end of my present term.

Judge C. C. Belcher, of Del Rio, has made announcement of his candidacy to succeed me, and I have endorsed him. Judge Belcher is a native Texan. He is a successful rancher and lawyer. He has served his home county as County Judge, is a live stock raiser and manager of one of the largest wool and mohair companies of the State.

Judge Belcher is eminently fitted by education, experience and temperament to represent our District in Congress. He has all the qualities requisite for success in the work and adds to these attainments perfect physical health. It may be that you know him personally and if so, I need not further assure you of his honesty, ability and fairness. He is thoroughly conversant with the needs of the entire District, which, as you know are many and varied. He has worked closely with me in many matters of deep and vital interest to the District ever since I came to Congress.

Doubtless you have already decided to support him. I earnestly hope so. You have been generous enough to commend my service during the years that I have held this office, and Judge Belcher, if elected, will serve you ably and fearlessly. I should be grateful if you would write him at Del Rio, Texas letting him know the sentiment of your locality and giving him the benefit of your advice and suggestions.

With kindest regard and best wishes, I am

Very truly your friend,  
C. B. Hudspeth.

## Wool Growers To Meet

On November 20 to 22, The National wool growers convention will be held in San Angelo. According to a letter received by the Observer Editor from Mr. Kincaid, President of the Sheep and Goat Raisers association, at Ozona Texas recently. The association, thru Mr. Kincaid, urges all wool and mohair raisers to be present.

There will also be a wool and mohair show during this convention.

## Where The Money Is Going

Right here is where we hand you a few facts and figures as to where the money went. The State figures \$350,000 a mile for the grading. If we get by that cheap, there is enough money left to reach the Mitchell County line. This report covers all expenses on the north end up to date. Will report south end next week.

W. E. Newton, lumber.....	\$21.68
J. J. Vestal, blacksmithing.....	1.00
Robert Lee Hardware Co. hardware.....	19.00
C. H. Bridges; surveying road.....	130.50
J. C. Jordan, helping surveyor.....	60.75
E. O. Higgins.....	81.50
C. M. McDugle.....	44.10
H. T. Barger.....	81.00
Roy Taylor.....	15.75
Lewis Patten Co., oil.....	121.88
Probandt Printing Co., mdse.....	7.50
Robert Lee Ice Co., ice.....	6.00
Clay Cook, one day's work bringing in tractor.....	5.00
Magnolia Petroleum Co., oil.....	10.61
W. R. Thomason, moving fence.....	15.00
Mr. Belcher, work on highway.....	85.00
Bob McFarland, moving fence.....	22.88
W. F. Denman, digging post holes.....	5.00
Herbert Conner, grubbing.....	27.00
J. W. Caulder, moving fence.....	30.00
W. E. Newton, lumber.....	65.88
Lewis Patten Co., tractor and grader.....	4,000.00
Jim Greer, moving fence.....	26.00
C. H. Bridges, engineering road.....	184.05
J. C. Jordan.....	91.00
E. O. Higgins.....	59.15
C. McDugle.....	60.55
H. F. Barger.....	109.80
Roy Taylor, office work.....	17.20
Robert Lee Hardware Co., hardware.....	9.95
G. H. Denman, moving fence.....	20.50
G. S. Arnold, writing highway contract.....	10.00
G. A. Harmon, assessing taxes.....	40.68
J. A. Phillips, highway work.....	42.00
J. M. Stewart.....	12.00
W. D. Latham.....	15.00
Clay Cook.....	152.50
J. J. Vestal, blacksmithing.....	38.00
Onie Beesent, work on highway.....	80.00
E. E. Caudle.....	185.00
Dan Hale.....	75.00
Vernon Shackelford.....	42.55
R. H. McFarland.....	84.50
W. E. Newton Lumber Co., lumber supplies.....	81.20
Tom Varnadore, work on grader.....	100.00
J. K. Lofton, road work.....	85.00
H. T. Barger, work on road.....	89.00
Probandt Printing Co., supplies.....	17.42
J. W. Caulder, road work.....	34.20
A. J. Sparks, work on road and bridge.....	17.89
C. H. Bridges, road work.....	163.85
J. C. Jordan.....	44.20
Roy Taylor.....	80.00
E. O. Higgins.....	81.70
Vernon Shackelford.....	18.55
Elbert Hurley.....	5.48
Bibo, one day on highway.....	5.00
Austin, Western Road Machine Co., plow.....	81.88
J. D. Adams & Co., repairs.....	2.20
Robert Lee Hardware Co., hardware.....	8.95
L. M. Keenan, work on highway.....	10.50
Lewis Patten Co., for balance due.....	185.50
Magnolia Petroleum Co., oil.....	187.48
Gulf Refining Co., oil.....	29.70
J. W. Walls, blacksmithing.....	2.85
Gulf Refining Co., oil.....	65.15
A. J. Adkins, land for highway.....	300.00
J. L. Carwile.....	155.00
J. G. Berryman.....	40.00
S. W. Lord.....	100.00
Lewis Patten Co., repairs.....	143.08
Dan Campbell, land for road.....	350.00
Henry Briscoe.....	800.60
J. J. Vestal & Son, blacksmithing.....	45.15
C. H. Bridges, work on highway.....	98.50
J. C. Jordan.....	10.40
Roy Taylor.....	71.68
E. O. Higgins.....	9.10
H. F. Barger.....	4.25
E. E. Caudle.....	12.00
J. James, watching camp.....	16.00
Clay Cook, work on highway.....	115.00
Dan Hale.....	110.00
W. D. Latham.....	88.00
R. H. McFarland.....	8.00
Sam Fowler.....	88.00
E. O. Higgins.....	8.00
Robert Lee Hardware Co., hardware.....	8.80
Gulf Refining Co., oil.....	182.65
Lewis Patten Co., repairs.....	5.57

TOTAL..... \$9,088.88  
Add for bridges promised but not yet paid..... \$30,900.00  
\$39,988.88  
Amount left out of the \$40,000.00..... \$10,011.12

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### Some More Dandies From the Greenville Messenger

You editors who are not on the exchange list with the Greenville Messenger are missing something that you need, whether you think you do or not. J. A. Phillips, editor and publisher of this country weekly, can get more horse sense crammed into one editorial than any writer in Texas, except Bill Kellis, editor of the Sterling City News-Record. If you are not getting both these papers, you are missing something you need.

We need men like them in every country newspaper shop in America. Read the following from the Messenger.

You pledge breakers who would like to kick this writer for being a common, stickfast Democrat will possibly be happy to know that we've been getting it from the pulpit, pew and down to the Junior colleg pupil. We say lightly but regular and talk sassy and "bluff" our way thru to a seat with the "politically righteous" on Sunday. Sometimes we remind a "brother" that our Methodist organization is autocratic, just like the Catholic. We Democrats, who go to church, sit under the "drip pings" of some of the richest "self-conscious" righteousness this country produces. Occasionally we now find one not so cock sure that he is absolutely perfect. Just a little more falling from "self-conscious grace" would help though. That's merely the opinion of a man who refuses to take a pledge that he does not expect to keep.

Lawyers who win by prejudicial pleas in court and then for office on same score are just fooled about the quality making them capable in business just like a few rattle-brained preachers are fooled about political dishonesty being righteous. This country needs a dose of a wfully common, plain, everyday, corn dodger, common sense

One man's "conscience" tells him there is no law against his breaking a voluntary pledge while another man's "conscience" tells him there is no law against buying illicit liquor. One cultivates disrespect for the truth, the other disrespect for law. Tut! Tut! Boy, both wrong.

Be it known to all who read that these columns are open to those who grow righteous in breaking pledge if you desire to give this editor a few jabs. Don't start off by saying: "I

Men may be different, but Husbands are all alike.

FULLER PEP



### Women Like To Learn

And those who drive their own cars like to deal with us because they learn something about gasoline and oil economy.

They know we are in business for their welfare as well as our own.

### Clift Service Station

stayed out of the primary." It is the hit dog that howls and nobody is throwing rocks at the sissie who lines up with no party

Seems to be a lot of bootleggers from the way the grand jury is bringing them in. "You better watch out are you will be tee next one. Violate the law to sell whiskey and you will get caught some time. Reform, follow the straight and narrow path and you will always have a clear conscience.

The pledge breaker declares his own righteousness, the whiskey drinker sits in a preferred pew and looks sanctimonious. Aren't we plain, pledge keeping Democrats a sorry lot? If we are not careful we will get turned out of the church too, Buddy.

When you get too righteous to be honest you are just too righteous for service. The world does not need that kind. This covers everyday life, including politics "Brethren."

### Bargain Days

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### Olive Needs Special Soil

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### Mussolini Abolishes Trial By Jury In Italy

Rome Italy, Nov. 4.—By order of Mussolini, trial by jury has been abolished in Italy and capital punishment has been restored. Penalties for other crimes, particularly all activities against the Fascist regime, have been greatly increased.

Anyone blaspheming the state will get one to three years in prison, as will members of any unauthorized organizations.

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### Boudoir Sulking Place

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### Mediterranean Climate

The climate of the Mediterranean region is warm, almost tropical. The mean temperature for the year is 57.5 degrees Fahrenheit. The winters are mild, but the summers are hot and almost rainless. The heat of the summer, however, is tempered in many localities by the sea breeze. It has been said that the climate of the Mediterranean resembles most closely that of southern California.

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**Shelves Constitution For  
Economy's Sake**

Judge Clark M. Mulligan,  
sitting in the district court at  
Lubbock, last week set aside  
that provision of the Federal  
Constitution which guarantees  
freedom of the press.

Clay Lester, charged with  
wife murder, was about to be  
arraigned. Attorneys interven-  
ed with habeas corpus proceed-  
ings and witnesses were placed

on the stand and under oath  
testified to certain facts.

Judge Mulligan issued an  
order instructing the Lubbock  
county papers not to print any  
of the testimony on pain of  
punishment for contempt. He  
also announced that any out-  
side papers which carried the  
testimony would be excluded  
from the county.

The judge's excuse was that  
by suppressing the testimony  
in the habeas corpus hearing  
he might avoid granting the

defendant a change of venue  
and thus "save the state a con-  
siderable sum of money."

This is probably the first  
time that any judge has taken  
the position that the Consti-  
tution of the United States  
can be "junked" in the inter-  
ests of economy.

**Marriage and Divorce**

Divorces granted in the  
United States in 1928 totaled  
195,939, compared with 4,735  
in Great Britain. Marriages  
decreased 1.5 per cent in the  
same period, according to  
statistics made public by the  
Department of Commerce.  
Marriages performed in 1928  
numbered 1,182,497, compared  
with 1,201,953 in 1927.

**Operator Part of Machine**

That a typist is a part of a type-  
writer was decided by a Vienna court.  
The court ruled that, if a person  
writes a libelous letter to another  
person and dictates it to a typist, there is  
no criminal libel, since only two per-  
sons have knowledge of the letter's  
contents, namely, the writer and the  
recipient, the typist being merely a  
part of the typewriter.

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wise trespassing in my pasture  
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### Tornado "Season"

Tornadoes are more numerous in May and June than any other time of the year in the Middle West, according to records of the United States Weather bureau.

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## LOCALS AND PERSONALS

**DR. W. N. JONES, Dentist** over First National Bank, San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Artell Roberts have sold their farm to Calvin Wallace and have purchased the Henry Childress place of 160 acres.

**Cherry Belle flour and Cream meal at Cumbie Bros.**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lowrance Wednesday morning, a 7 pound girl.

Special on Peter Pan ginghams Saturday at W. K. Simpson & Co.

S. J. Russell and his mother visited relatives at Sweetwater Sunday.

We pay top prices for anything in the poultry line. Phone us. W. Modgling & Co. Bronte Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Russell and Miss Nettie Russell visited relatives at Sweetwater Sunday.

Cash paid for Poultry, Eggs, Hides, Pecans. Turkeys a specialty. See me before selling. R. A. Kimberling, Concho Produce Co., 621, South Oak Street. Phone L. D. 58, Local 4422 San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Caraway are the proud parents of a seven pound girl which came into their home Sunday morning.

For well drilling at a dollar per foot for the first hundred feet, and a 25c raise per foot for each hundred feet thereafter, see me; will take trade at a fair price. B. M. Mundell.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Allie Bilbo last Friday, a bouncing baby girl.

New shipment of hose in Oakleaf, Sunbrone and Gunmetal at W. K. Simpson & Co.

Mrs. W. A. Marr of Apache, Oklahoma, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mellie Warren, and her brother, J. I. Murtshaw, and other relatives.

1 lot of ladies' felt hats for \$1.00 at W. K. Simpson & Co.

W. H. Maxwell, Jr., of Ballinger visited his parents here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess and Cue Varnadore of Texon, came over for the week end Saturday.

C. Garrett of Austin visited his sister, Mrs. W. E. Dixon last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Shackelford, and A. E. Whitely visited relatives at Big Spring last week-end.

Call us if you want to sell your eggs and chickens. W. Modgling & Co. Bronte, Texas, will buy your turkeys.

Friday and Saturday night's picture will be "Rawhide Kid" starring Hoot Gibson. Also a comedy and news reel, and next week we will have the King-Thomas players. Everybody knows King-Thomas. Come to see them.

The local W. M. S. took in \$70.00 Friday night despite the bad weather and no lights on their play, "The Old School at Hick'ry Holler."

Subscribe for the Observer.

Mrs. Geo. Clark of Ft. Chadbourne spent last week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cameron dropped by last week-end on their rounds and visited with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knight. Mr. Cameron was recently appointed State Inspector of drug stores by the State Board of Pharmacy, covering all of the states south of the T. & P. Railroad.

Jako Morrow, progressive farmer of Fort Chadbourne was a visitor here Sunday

### NOTICE

Beginning Friday, I will be running the back shop in the South Side Service Station. Any work thrown my way will be appreciated.

J. M. Cobb.

### Closing Out

The S. M. Conner Company has decided to close up and quit business, and are selling their entire stock of groceries to the public at about cost. They are not broke by any means, but have decided that they don't want any grocery business.

If you want some good cheap groceries, that is the place to get them, and if you don't hurry they will all be gone.

### House Burns

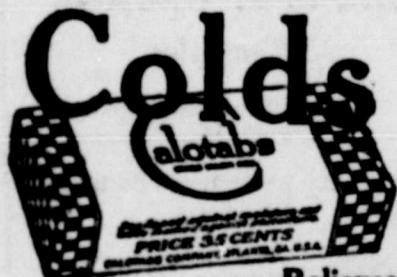
The large residence belonging to Miss Olie Green burned down about 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

She was there alone when it caught in the roof. Men rushed in and began throwing household goods into the yard without consulting her about it, and she thought it was a bunch of nuts, for some of them were strangers to her.

She had just started a fire in the stove and it is thought that a spark caught the shingles on top of the house, although she had smelled pine burning, and had went upstairs and examined the flue, but found nothing wrong, and thought it must be the fire in the stove she had just built, and went on with her sewing.

She carried \$2,000 insurance.

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### Education's True Purpose

The aim of education should be to teach us rather how to think than what to think—rather to improve our minds, so as to enable us to think for ourselves, than to load the memory with the thoughts of other men.—James Beattie.

### Just as Good

There being no vice president in Cuba, about the only way a native can lose his identity is by having himself appointed poet laureate.—Louisiana Times.

### Keep Him

According to press reports, Governor Parnell of Arkansas, refuses to release Ray Love, alias Long, now serving a 15-year sentence in Arkansas for bank robbery, to the sheriff at Ballinger, Texas, to be tried there for attempting to rob a bank at Wingate June the 9th, where, instead of "sticking 'em up" when told to, the cashier let in to shooting and crippled the hijacker, but he escaped and was later arrested, and it leaked out that he was an escaped convict from Arkansas, for the same offense. He was released to Arkansas according to Sheriff McWilliams of Ballinger with the understanding that they could get him back when they got ready to try him at Ballinger.

If you are good at reading between the lines, just read Governor Parnell's excuse for not being willing to release the prisoner to Texas

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Louis B. Choeter, Yoakum, Texas.

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Mrs. R. P. Stewart, Rusk, Texas.

Mrs. Kate Sadue, New Braunfels, Texas.

Theo. Schmedthoyst, Otto, Texas.

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Governor Parnell wrote Governor Moody and the sheriff at Ballinger that he did not believe it wise to release Love, since an acquittal in Texas would leave him free, as Arkansas would have no further claim upon him.

Governor Parnell has seen such birds as Love, aided by slick lawyers, sent up in Texas for a lot less than 15 years before, and he seems a little afraid to risk him with Texas courts.

Look at Ratiff, serving 20 years for robbery with firearms in Texas, pardoned out by the Governor, and helped kill two good men in the Cisco bank robbery, given a death sentence, and now a raving maniac. There is no such thing as reforming a criminal. The thing to do with these birds is give them a seat in the electric chair.

The hijackers and a chicken-hearted society put up a terrible howl when the Texas bankers began paying a bounty on their scalps last year, caused by the lack of the death penalty being given former cases by the courts of Texas.

Its demanded by the right thinking public, and is the only thing that will check hijacking in this prosperous country there is nothing that there is less excuse for than hijacking. In the first place, there should be but one law on hijacking and cold-blooded murder, and it should be death, and the courts job should be to prove beyond all reasonable doubt the guilt or innocence of defendant

### Robert Lee Steers Win

Saturday afternoon the Steers trampled and gored their way to 79 to 0 victory over Bronte's football team. The Steers made 66 of the score in the first half. But in the second half Bronte put up a stubborn resistance and the Steers, who had grown weary from making a race track out of the field, were able to make only two more touchdowns. This game with Bronte makes four victories for Robert Lee. They have lost only two. The crowd attending the

## This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

(Continued from first page)

This newest, greatest of air giants, built by the Goodyear-Zeppelin corporation, will have as part of its equipment five airplanes to fly around it, warding off airplane attacks in war. Let us hope that will not come. Let us also remember that we shall be much less apt to have it if we keep ourselves ready for it.

Douglas Davis flew from New York to Atlanta, Ga., in five hours, a record.

Shortly, New York, Chicago and other cities' business men, after the stores and exchanges close on Saturday, will fly south in the winter, landing in time for dinner at the beautiful resorts on the Georgia coast, in time to swim or play golf before dinner.

Treasury department statistics show that somebody is prosperous.

Two hundred and ninety Americans reported incomes over \$1,000,000 each. Combined incomes of the 290 amounted to \$600,000,000.

Eleven reported incomes above \$5,000,000 each. The income of the eleven totaled \$95,000,000.

And this gives no idea of our really big incomes. Several men in America have \$50,000,000 a year each, one at least an income exceeding \$100,000,000. Their properties are in stocks that pay corporation income tax, invest their earnings in new properties and issue stock dividends paying no income tax, in accordance with a Supreme court decision.

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### Musical Notation

The earliest attempt at notation in music was probably made by the Hindus and Chinese at a very early date. Notation was also known to the Greeks. The modern system was devised by the Italian Guido of Arezzo.

### Really Easy Matter

How to become an intellectual? Well, you call one of them a great thinker and then he calls you a great thinker, and there you are.—San Francisco Chronicle.

game Saturday was composed of of both Robert Lee and Bronte partisans.

Robert Lee has a hard game for today. They play Eden at Eden. They beat the Steers once, but this was due to a little hard luck. However, Robert Lee Steers are going in there to battle for victory.

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