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Coke County Quarterly Singing Convention

AT FORT CHADBOURNE Oct. 13th.

Cards are being sent out to noted singers in all of the territory adjacent to Coke County and general preparations are now in progress for an all day session of the County Singing Convention which meets at 10:00 a. m. at Fort Chadbourne October 13th. Coke County song lovers are urged to come and bring a lunch and be prepared to spend the day.

Sam L. Williams, Pres.
J. C. Jordan, Sec.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our grateful appreciation to every one for the kind consideration, sympathy, and floral offerings during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. M. J. Cryer,
and family

Homer Barger and family visit ed his parents last week end.

Mrs. Eric Conger returned from Sterling City later part of last week where she had been visiting for several days.

The publishers of the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News advise that publication will be discontinued on December 31, 1940. They have already quit taking orders for new or renewal subscriptions.

Letter to Judge Wylie

Judge McNeil Wylie,
Robert Lee, Texas.

Dear Friend:

I know you will be happy to know that the Commission will soon announce for an early program the construction of 7.6 miles of Highway 158 from Bronte West; this will take care of the gap between Bronte and Robert Lee and the project will provide grade and drainage and surfacing.

It has given me much pleasure to work for and with you good people in working out your highway problems and one of my regrets is leaving the Highway Commission before many of the projects in which I have been interested have been completed.

With kind personal regards,
I remain, Sincerely
Harry Hines

Mrs. Hickey Stone an old time resident of Coke county is visiting in Robert Lee this week.

Mrs. Tom Rives of Friendship was a pleasant caller at the Observer Office Monday.

J. F. Kaeding and Lee Roland Latham of John Tarleton, spent the week end in Robert Lee.

Football Going Good

Our boys play Bronte at Bronte Saturday. This should be a good game. So far our boys are bringing home the bacon, so be generous and give Bronte a goose egg.

Rites Held In Robert Lee For Barbara Cryer

The funeral of Barbara Cryer was held at the Methodist church Friday Oct. 4th at 2 p. m. and body carried to the Old Fort Chadbourne Cemetery for burial. Barbara Alice Cryer Born Dec. 22, 1907 Fort Chadbourne, Died Oct. 3, 1940 at 4 a. m.

She lived at Fort Chadbourne until five years ago then she moved to Robert Lee where she has resided since.

Survivors are: Mother, Mrs. L. F. Cryer; Brother and family, E. R. Cryer, Ballinger, Tex. C. G. Cryer and daughter, Bronte Tex. T. F. Cryer Jr. and family, Junction, Texas; Sister Mrs. Ellen Watson and daughter, Clovis New Mex.; Mrs. Annie Wright, Graham, Texas.

Pallbearers:
Roy Lee Cryer,
Albert Cryer,
Robert Cryer,
Albert Cryer,
Delco Cryer,
Elmo Bell.

Flower Girls: Ida Belle Eaton, Winnie Ruth Boone, Shirley McDonald, Ethel Pearl Cryer, Doris Pettit, Lurlyne Pettit and Ruby Faye Cryer.

Visiting Over the Week End

Lois Bradford at San Angelo with home folks; Rose Fisher in Paint Rock with friends; Ruth Hopkins in Brownwood and attended the Howard Payne East Texas State T. C. ball game; Eunice McClure with relatives in San Angelo; Margaret Brown with sister in San Angelo.

Don't forget where you get that good coffee.

Ratliff's

Renews Subscription

Joe Fields renews his paper. L. E. Smith of Edith subscribes for Observer and pays the office a visit.

Mr. Smith says that the Observer left him in the river last winter but he got out just the same.

Ed Hickman sends Observer to his son Ed Hickman Jr., at 1015 South 5th St. Waco Texas.

Mrs. M. R. Puett renews her subscription.



Rev. D. E. SIMPSON
THE NEW PASTOR OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WHO BEGAN HIS WORK HERE SUNDAY OCT. 6

ALL STORES WILL Close Friday

From 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. On account of Football Game at Bronte so far our boys have not been scored on.

The Observer Force Takes Vacation at State Fair

The editor and wife attended the opening day of the State Fair at Dallas, Saturday, which was press day. Over 111,000 people entered the grounds breaking all records.

There is no better place to be found where you can see as much educational features as at this State Fair of Texas.

The live stock exhibits, poultry and such like were beyond our description but suffice to say any boy or girl could not spend their money better than attending this Fair. It is pre-eminently a young peoples show. The features for entertainment are the best that can be had. The live stock exhibit is the best ever. The poultry department is complete.

If you want to take a real vacation worth your money go to the State Fair.

While there had a pleasant visit in the home of Mrs. M. C. Bishop in Oak Cliff and with the daughter in law Mrs. Horace B. Young. Horace B. having gone to Baltimore Md. a few days previous.

C. C. C. NOTES

Five thousand Texas boys will have opportunity to enroll in CCC camps October 17-18, it is announced by Washington and Austin authorities. Every county in the State will be permitted to enroll some of its boys.

The popularization and enlargement of the CCC program, its approval by President and Congress, have caused enrollment to be eagerly sought by youths all over the Nation.

Admission to the CCC camps does not make a boy more liable for military call. Nor are the enrollees given distinct military training. The training is of a non-combatant type, calculated to aid the country in case of a national emergency. But it is primarily intended to fit the boys for profitable places in civil life.

Vocational and business training of many types are given in the camps, as well as regular school work for those needing it. A competent staff of technical and academic teachers is on duty at each camp. Instruction and books, as well as good food, shelter and medical care are provided the boys in the CCC.

The purpose behind the Civilian Conservation Corps is not chiefly to keep boys off the streets, but to make of them good American citizens. Right leadership, work habits, and sportsmanship combine to develop these boys.

F. S. A. NEWS

A decrease in forced sales and bankruptcies of Texas farms during the past seven years while voluntary sales and trades have increased due largely to increased purchasing power is reported by Samuel F. Malone, county supervisor for the F. S. A.

Farm bankruptcies in Texas dropped from a total of 199 in the year ending June 30, 1933, to only 81 in the year ending June 30, 1939. The number of forced sales dropped from 32.8 per thousand and to 14.2 per thousand during the same period. Voluntary sales and trades increased from 16.3 per thousand to 28.2 per thousand.

Debts of low income farmers in Texas were reduced \$6,103,044 through the farm debt adjustment service of the FSA by voluntary agreements between debtors and creditors. The supervisor said that cash income for Texas farmers was up 80 per cent above the 1932 level, and that farm purchasing power was up 166 per cent, due to prices of things the farmer sold increasing more rapidly than the price of things the farmer had to buy.

PROCLAMATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF COKE
CITY OF ROBERT LEE

BE IT REMEMBERED, that I, F. C. Clark, Mayor of the City of Robert Lee, Texas, and acting in the capacity as such do by these presents proclaim and designate the week beginning October 15th, and ending October 19th, as "PATRIOTISM WEEK," and do request all Citizens of said City to observe said week in the manner best suited for such purpose.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I hereunto set my hand, and have affixed the Official Seal of the City of Robert Lee, Tex. on this 9th day of October A. D. 1940.

Mayor, F. C. Clark
Attest Fred O. Green,
City Sec'y Robert Lee, Texas.

Drilling For Oil

In 1883 the first rotary drilling rig was put into use in South Dakota. In 1895 when oil was discovered at Corsicana it was moved there and used. Now it has been set up in Fort Worth to drill a wild cat oil well to celebrate the 45th anniversary of the discovery of oil in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Hart-graves of Maryneal were in town this week.

Saturday's Game

Robert Lee added another feather to their cap in Saturday's game with Mertzon 19-0. Mertzon failed to get any where near our goal. This gives our boys three wins and have not been scored on.

The blitzrig cold spell hit us right in the weakest spot of the almanac.

ALAMO THEATRE

"THE BEST IN SCREEN ENTERTAINMENT"

ROBERT LEE TEXAS

Friday and Saturday Oct. 11-12

BILL (Hopalong Cassidy) BOYD RUSSELL HAYDEN IN

"RANGE WAR"

Extra! "Spoils of Conquest" Latest March of Time
Also Comedy

Sunday 2 P. M. Matinee and Monday Oct. 13-14

Gary Cooper-Walter Brennan IN

"THE WESTERNER"

STORY OF WEST TEXAS FILMED IN WEST TEXAS
Gary Cooper is The Westerner, Walter Brennan Judge Roy Bean (The Law West of The Pecos)
Also Cartoon and Latest News

Wednesday only Oct. 16 Money Nite

Carole Lombard-Fredrick March IN

"NOTHING SACRED"

Also Comedy

TEXAS THEATRE

BRONTE, TEXAS

Friday and Saturday Oct. 11-12

Gary Cooper - Walter Brennan IN

"The Westerner"

Comedy and News

Tuesday Only Money Nite Oct. 15

Jackie Moran - Grant Withers IN

"TOMBOY"

Also Comedy

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Roger Shaw

Japan, Italy and Germany Sign Pact Establishing 'A New Order' for World; U. S. Places an Embargo on Scrap Iron; Senate Ratifies Pan-American Treaty

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

THE WAR: Axis Pact

Germany, Italy and Japan agreed to a pact. It amounted to this: If Russia or the United States interfered in the Anglo-German war, or the Chino-Japanese war, by force of arms, all three of the axis partners would go to work as one. The Kremlin at Moscow did not like the pact. Neither did the state department at Washington.

One school of thought in America said they had known it was coming for a long time, and had been prepared for it. Another school of thought said: No. This school said that our meddling in European and East Asiatic affairs at the same time had forced Germany and Japan into one another's arms. These two schools of U. S. thought did not exactly like each other, and Secretary Hull came in for some pretty severe criticism.

Divided?

The basic military principle, at all times, in all places, is this: Don't divide your forces, and don't fight on two fronts. The Germans lost the last war because of this basic principle, and in this war they have been careful to respect its potentialities. We do not yet have a two-ocean navy, and won't have for several years. What would become



AMBASSADOR SABURO KURUSU, Japan's envoy to Germany, who signed the tri-partite consultative pact, linking Germany, Italy and Japan for his government.

of England, if we were off chasing Japan? Some of the military critics said there had been rather inept diplomacy.

There was great talk of wooing Russia. Wooing Russia was poison to the conservative ruling class in Latin America and to some elements in the U. S. And yet, it seemed necessary to woo Russia, as the English had thought for a long time.

Meanwhile, the French had beaten the British navy in an action off Dakar, in West Africa. It raised a storm in England, and did not add to Churchill's prestige. There was talk of another British government purge, and the French Vichy regime gained prestige. Swarms of French aviators peppered British Gibraltar from the air, and the Japs moved increasingly into French Indo-China. Hull wisely embargoed scrapiron destined for Japan, and the general muddle grew apace.

SCRAPIRON: Great Stuff (!)

What you can do with a ton of scrapiron, fresh from your favorite automobile graveyard, is truly astonishing. The Japanese knew that, and had a word for it. They will sadly miss their American scrapiron, which the U. S. now has embargoed. Some critics said this measure should have been taken back in the redhot summer of 1937 when the Japanese attacked North China and began the endless Chino-Japanese war.

U. S. ordnance officers declared you could make the following with an average ton of scrapiron:

- One "75" field gun of the standard French or American type.
- One carriage of a "75" gun.
- No less than 12 death-squirting machine guns.
- Nine 500-pound "demolition" bombs, a la London.
- One 2,000 pound, 16-inch, battle-ship-piercing shell.
- In short, what a devilish trade, as the missionaries could have told us over three years ago!

SOLID? Maybe

The United States senate did a sensible thing. It finally proceeded to ratify the recent agreement made at Havana de Cuba, whereby America and the other 20 American republics made an out-and-out agreement on diplomatic fundamentals. It is pretty hard to get the 21 to agree about anything, but this time they did, the Argentine (as usual) dragging along a bit behind. Secretary Hull is not liked in the Argentine.

The agreement that our senators ratified specified this: That no non-American country can transfer territory in this hemisphere to any other non-American country. Hence, and thereby, the Germans cannot get ahold of the Dutch or French West Indian colonies. That bit of news seemed to cheer everyone of the 21, including even the Mexicans, Argentines, and other Latins who do not cherish their kindly old Uncle Sam as perhaps they should.

CAMPAIGN: Tidbits

There was a good deal of comment around New York, coming from (perhaps) catty Republican circles. It amounted to this. It hinted that the state department's fussing with Japan was intended to panic the American voters around election time. These same Republicans, and others, had been predicting an international crisis (of some sort or other) before the election, just in time to tilt the balance. They had said as much, months back. They reminded the American public that both the British and the Nazis had experienced such artful dodges, in the celebrated cases of the forged Zinoviev Letter (British) and the fake Reichstag fire (German).

Democrats did not seem particularly worried about this type of political bickering. Candidate Roosevelt's campaign moved along according to schedule, still out in front.

Willkie

Some of the Republican campaigners and party men were very outspoken along these lines. But Willkie's attack on Roosevelt, as a variety of Munich appeaser, seemed to go too far for many of the critics to stomach. That particular attack seemed to do Willkie more harm than good, and Wendell had to be soft-peddled by his own following. The British empire (aside from Ireland and India) were cheering for Roosevelt to a man. Reports from London showed F. D. R. to be better liked than the king, the queen, or Mr. Winston Churchill. Woodrow



Lieut. Col. Lewis B. Hershey (above) has had powers of the director of selective service conferred upon him by an executive order of President Roosevelt. His appointment is effective immediately and will continue pending the appointment of a regular director. 47 years old, Colonel Hershey is a veteran of the last war and has been preparing and studying conscription plans as his assignment in the regular army for the past several years.

Wilson, it will be remembered, had some such brief experience of international popularity back around 1914 when British, French and Italian crowds loved and halo-ed him as a St. George who had slain the Teutondragon. Historical minded people remembered that it didn't last, once the 1919 peace conference had actually gotten to work.

Washington Digest

President in Power Holds Many Advantages Over His Opponents

Political Party in Office Receives the Most Publicity Because It 'Makes' the News; Opponents Are Merely 'Talking Politics.'

By CARTER FIELD (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

WASHINGTON.—This idea of his being too busy for politics—having to devote his every energy to the national preparedness program—is working out pretty well for President Roosevelt so far as publicity is concerned. This goes for the newspapers, for radio news and comment, and for the newsreels. It is perhaps better for the Roosevelt candidacy in the newsreels, proportionately, than in other mediums of reaching the public.

All over the country opponents of the third term, whether Democrats or Republicans, are complaining that when they go to the movies they are treated to too high a percentage of Roosevelt propaganda which they have no way of avoiding unless they want to miss the rest of the show. They complain further that the New Dealers in the audience get plenty of chance to applaud their hero, but very frequently there is no showing of Wendell Willkie at all.

Presidents Have Many Advantages

Apparently this is just one of the little perquisites which modern invention has given to the man who happens to be in the White House. Obviously it might be true no matter whether he were a Democrat or a Republican, a man seeking merely his second term or a man seeking his fifth.

Whatever the President of the United States does is news. There is no getting away from that. If he dedicates a new dam, or park, or if he talks to a group of friends who visit him at his country estate, it is still news. But when Wendell Willkie talks, he NOT being the President but merely a candidate for the office, that—to the minds of the gentlemen who decide what goes out in the newsreels—is just politics.

This is manifestly unfair, but it is difficult to see what could possibly be done about it. Mere existence of the situation might be a good point against a third term, though it would exist if the race were merely for a second term.

It is interesting to note that every modern development with respect to publicity has increased the advantage of the man in office as against the man trying to get in. In the good old days the sitting President was sometimes thought to be at a slight disadvantage. It was considered undignified for him to go barnstorming, and that was the only way he could reach the people.

Man in Office Given Publicity

Press conferences, in which the President, twice a week, pours out through the Washington newspaper correspondents just what he wants the country to read that afternoon or next morning, were unknown. Virtually no President until Theodore Roosevelt had the gift of publicity. Presidents did not have press agents, either on the public or national committee pay rolls.

That day has gone forever. Now the government at Washington has a corps of publicity men running well up into the hundreds, all of them on the government pay roll. In addition, the national committee has a staff of publicity experts. In the case of the present administration, it has the advantage of having perhaps the greatest political publicity man of all time, Charles Michelson.

If Wendell Willkie is elected, HE will have a tremendous advantage over his opponent four years hence, even if he should decide to eliminate the government press agents. Then what HE did would be news, while what his opponent said would merely be politics.

WASHINGTON WEEK

WASHINGTON.—Reports coming in from all parts of the country indicate the strong possibility that the first quota of 400,000 men to be mustered into the army by January 1, 1941, will be filled by volunteers, without resort to the nationwide draft.

This comes as a surprise to some of the draft officials, but old-timers point to the huge enlistment figures prior to the enactment of conscription during the World war.

Until October 16, prospective

doughboys must enlist under regular army regulations—that is, for a three-year period. After that date, under terms of the Burke-Wadsworth conscription act, the army will accept volunteers for the one-year enlistment period. Many applications for one-year enlistment have already been received and have been deferred until after "registration day." Scattered figures give rise to the opinion that the enlistments after October 16 will show a rate of 62 men to each conscription district, which would fill the required quota.

Official sources have not commented on the reasons for this trend but it appears to be a healthy situation. Men who join the army of their own free will should make better soldiers. While it is argued by some commentators that many of the young men planning to enlist are doing so merely to avoid waiting two or three years before their number turns up in the draft, nevertheless their attitude will be better for they have joined the ranks on a decision made by themselves, and have not been actually "forced" or drafted.

Will over-confidence defeat the Democratic ticket in November? That is a question being rather freely tossed around the nation's capital city by political observers these days. Administration leaders here seem to be very confident that the race is as good as over; that their man is "in."

But many experienced observers, while admitting that the President has shown real strength in the various polls, are inclined to point out that election day is still some time away.

Major factors that might give the Democrats a real jolt, say these observers, are (1) the third term issue and (2) the "huge independent vote." They point out that the first factor—the third term issue—hasn't been given a real airing by the Republicans. While the President has been the object of numerous potshots for his precedent-making decision, it hasn't been the shining light in the Willkie "crusade" that many people were sure it would be. It may be that Republicans are saving this vital and highly inflammable issue for their final drive down the stretch.

The second factor—the independent vote—is equally important in forecasting the results of the election. Neither the Republicans nor the Democrats can "claim" it until the ballots are counted. Roosevelt backers know it was this vote which elected the President in 1936 and feel sure he will hold it again in November. Republicans, of course, feel that Wendell Willkie has captured the imaginations of this great bloc of independents and when the imagination is captured, they argue, the ballot is so marked.

Small towns throughout the nation have an important stake in current defense plans, judging from the information issuing from the offices of the Civil Aeronautics authority here in Washington.

This is the story: It is quite generally conceded that one of the major weaknesses in the nation's defense system is the lack of airports equipped to handle large bombers. And in any plan to strengthen this nation's defense these airports must in some way be provided.

The CAA is attempting to work out a program whereby this can be brought about and at the same time commercial aviation can be given a real boost.

This would mean a network of airports reaching to every section of the nation, all able to handle the largest of U. S. army bombers. Thus these same airports could also accommodate the large commercial airliners. Commercial aviation would be given its needed impetus in many now "remote" sections, and the defense of the nation would be strengthened.

Selective service officials in Washington have announced that plans call for the employment of about a million persons to serve without pay in carrying out provisions of the conscription act. These unpaid workers will consist of various local draft boards, their medical, legal and business advisers and other administrative aids.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for October 13

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THE BOYHOOD OF JESUS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 2:40-52. GOLDEN TEXT—And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.—Luke 2:52.

One brief but revealing glimpse into the earthly life of our Lord is all we have from His birth to the time when he entered upon His public ministry at His baptism in the Jordan. How appropriate it is that he was permitted to live those years of His life behind the curtain of divine silence.

The incident in our lesson shows Jesus at the age of responsibility, and in His Father's house. This is preceded by one verse which reveals Him as the growing child, and is followed by another verse which tells of his advancement from boyhood into manhood. Luke, who is the only one who presents this story, thus fills out the picture of the divine-human personality of the One whom he purposes to reveal as the perfect and universal Saviour.

I. The Child Grows (v. 40).

Like every other child in the world (apart, of course, from any sin or blemish), Jesus grew during the first 12 years of His life on earth. One rightly regards that growth as the normal, happy development of every child, a time of physical development, of carefree play, of learning obedience.

Jesus came into the world to die as the Saviour of sinful men, but for these childhood years we are glad that He just grew, waxed strong in body as well as in spirit, developing mentally, and that in it all "the grace of God was upon him." May our children have a similar opportunity and privilege!

II. The Boy Meets Life's Responsibilities (vv. 41-51).

Soon enough came the day when as a "son of the law" Jesus reached the age of accountability and went with His parents to keep the feast of the Passover. He entered the temple, and there took over the responsibility for his own religious life, which until then had been borne by His parents. Such a day is of vital importance in the life of every boy and girl, and in the case of Jesus was of special significance.

Acting for Himself, He tarried in the temple. As a good learner, He asked and answered questions, at the same time amazing those who heard by His understanding.

To Him it was the natural and expected thing that He would be in His Father's house, going about the business of God. He recognized the special relationship between Himself and the Father—His very own Father—and He began to assume the responsibility of His divine mission on earth.

He was about to turn the corner from boyhood and start toward manhood, but there were yet 18 years that He was to show His perfect submission to the will of God by His obedience to His parents.

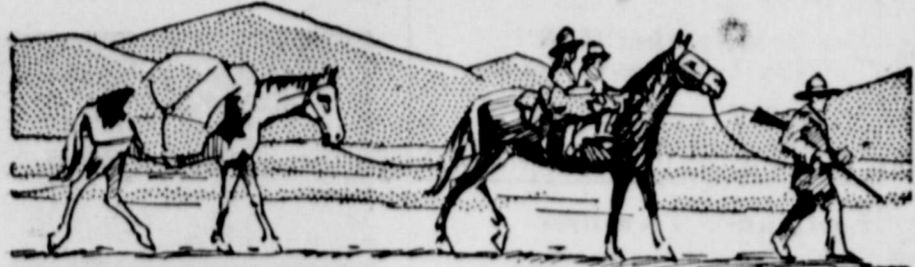
III. The Youth Goes On to Manhood (v. 52).

The curtain is drawn again, and the boy Jesus develops into the man; yes, the man who was to bear on Calvary's tree your sins and mine. What do we know about these years when a boy with the consciousness that He must be about His Father's business went forward and watchful eye of the mother who "kept all these sayings in her heart." Jesus "advanced," the word being entirely different in meaning from the "grew" of verse 40. The child grows without any thought or purpose of doing so, but the boy pressing on to manhood has to beat his way forward, cutting a path through life to his goal.

The fact that Jesus did that should encourage every young man and woman who is doing the same in a difficult and hostile world, and cause them to seek the daily companionship and help of the Son of God and Son of Man who has passed that way before them.

The development here puts the mental first, then the physical. The latter is important, but must be under control of the former. Crowned them both is His growth in grace, fellowship with God and fellowship with men, the latter glorified and made useful by the former.

Here again we may learn of Him who, though the Son of God with power, was obedient to the limitations of the humanity He had taken, and yet advanced "in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man" (v. 52).



CARMEN OF THE RANCHO

By FRANK H. SPEARMAN © Frank H. Spearman WNU Service

CHAPTER XVII—Continued

At length the renegade rode up to the tower for a talk with Felipe. He explained that the party were squatters from the Melena and had no grudge against the mission if they were treated right. The only man they wanted to square accounts with was Bowie, and if he were sent out they would leave.

Felipe, less shrewd than the renegade, told him at once that Bowie was not there. This was really what they wanted to know, inasmuch as he was the only man they were afraid of. The renegade rode away, and presently the attack on the gates was renewed. Fortunately, a few of the young Tularian Indian mission boys, inflamed with the spirit of their warlike ancestors, had seized muskets from the guard-house, and they fired at the raiders through the portholes. They did little damage, but they scared the cowardly squatters enough to hold them off.

The renegade, after a long time, rode back to the tower for another talk with Felipe. The party, he said, were ready to leave, provided the padre would set out a cask of wine as a gesture of good will.

Felipe sent the message downstairs. Padre Martinez had retreated to the sacristy. He called in Padre Gomez, his assistant. The assistant was for the proposal, the padre, against it. Carmen was called in. She listened to all that was urged and without hesitation sided with the assistant. "Only," she added coolly, "set out a cask of brandy, not of wine. Those wretches will be less dangerous drunk than sober. If it should occur to them to set fire to the quarters, heaven knows what would happen to us."

Her counsel was followed. The gates were opened. A cask of brandy was rolled out, and a basket with drinking gourds was sent along. The renegade, with a heavy stone, broached the cask, and an orgy of drinking began. It absorbed the interest of the revelers for a time, to the exclusion of all else.

For an hour that was long and anxious to the mission defenders the drunken yelling and singing went on. Then there came a knock at the sacristy door. Panic seized the little group. A whispered consultation followed. Knocking, growing momentarily more impatient, continued. Only a wax candle lighted the room and, with faces blanched as they listened to the pounding, Carmen was told in whispers to slip out and hide in the house. Padre Martinez had already given absolution to his assistant and received it from him, firmly believing their hour was at hand. The venerable man now blessed himself, asked for protection from above, took up the candle in an unsteady hand and, summoning St. Michael to his aid, threw open the door.

From the dark came a tart question: "What is the matter here?" And Bowie, booted and spurred, stalked into the room. "Why did you not open the door?"

"An angel from heaven!" exclaimed Padre Martinez.

"Padre Martinez," demanded Bowie, "Senorita Carmen has not come home. She was here. Where is she?"

"Still here, senor!"

"Thank God for that!"

"She left this room when your knocking began."

"Why so?"

"We feared it was the drunken raiders in front. They know she is here. What shall we do, senor?"

"Where are your soldiers?"

"San Jose was threatened this morning by the same men, and they went down to offer protection. They have not returned."

"And they won't," predicted Bowie, "till this fight is over."

"What shall we do, senor?"

"We will wait for two more angels, Padre Martinez," suggested Bowie. "Pardaloe and Simmie will be here any minute. What I want to do is to find the senorita quick, to quiet her fears."

It was only his searching voice in the house that drew Carmen from her hiding place to find refuge in his arms. "We've been frightened to death at home, my dearest," he whispered. "Tell me what's happened? Carmen, you are safe, darling, safe. Tell me."

A gleam of light flamed through the high window.

"What is that?" whispered Carmen.

"Nothing to worry about. They were getting wood together for a bonfire when I scented the outfit. You see, my precious one," he continued gravely, "this is what this beautiful country is coming to. These ruffians are as bad as the savages and with no more regard for women. Come back with me to the sacristy. Pardaloe and Simmie will be here very soon."

But Pardaloe and Simmie, arriving soon, brought disquieting news. The disturbance in the plaza had all been made by six or eight of the



To square accounts with Bowie.

backwash from the squatters. The two scouts in their search for Carmen had reconnoitered the river and the Melena. From a squatter straggler they had learned that Blood was back with his friends but that supplies were low and they were talking of raiding the mission that night.

"If Blood undertakes this tonight it's not a good place for our Senorita," said Bowie in the sacristy conference that followed. "He won't leave without plenty of fight. But—we'll see."

The Texan declared that Carmen should be spirited away. "We'll have our hands full to take care of the Indian women if Blood starts in on brandy."

They had scarcely finished their talk when a chorus of cheering yells out in front gave notice of fresh arrivals. Had there been any doubt as to this, a loud knocking came at the outer door. The padres looked to the Texan for guidance. He whispered to Carmen. She disappeared from the room. The knocking grew violent.

"Put out the candle, Padre," said Bowie. "Then open the door."

"Open the door?" echoed the blanching man as it was pounded loudly from the other side.

"Don't be afraid," murmured Bowie. "No one will come in. Stand back, the rest of you, and keep out of range of the door."

The Texan took his place just to the side of the door itself. "Throw it wide open," he directed.

Open went the door. A flicker from the bonfire outlined the burly figure of the man who was knocking; other eager ones stood behind him.

"Who's in there?" demanded the raider loudly.

"Nobody's that's deaf," retorted Bowie. "What do you want, Blood?"

"Oh! It's the rancho pet, eh? Well! I'm glad you're here."

"Don't waste your breath. You may need it. Say what your business is, or get off this property."

Blood laughed truculently. "My Texan friend, I'm here to tell you you'll get off this property before you are a half-hour older. I talk to Padre Martinez."

"Here he is. Say your say."

"Senor Blood," asked the padre, "what do you want?"

"I want supplies for twenty-five men—flour, bread, meat, wine and brandy—presto."

"Senor Blood, you know no hungry man is turned from this door, for you have been fed here more than once. But I have not such

supplies in the mission tonight for five men, much less twenty-five."

"I demand these supplies right now, in the name of the United States of America."

"And what will you do if you don't get them?" interposed Bowie casually.

"Shut up, Bowie! My men must be fed. Padre, you've got tons of food. If you can't find this food in your old mission, I can and will find it for you!"

"It's a dark night, Blood," suggested Bowie. "Better wait till morning."

Blood stamped ferociously on the tile pavement. He roared at Bowie. He stormed at the padre.

"Don't depend on me to hold these hungry boys back. I can't do it. They want money and they want supplies and they'll burn this place to the ground if they don't get both."

"Blood, you're wasting your breath," intervened Bowie. "If you or your ruffians try to touch so much as a strip of bacon here tonight somebody will get killed. Now I'm going to shut this door and go to bed, and I advise you to do the same."

"Bowie, I've got a long score to settle with you—"

"Wait till daylight, Blood. I'm going to bed." He slammed the door shut. Clamor outside grew to a roar. A hasty conference took place in the sacristy—the despairing fathers, the Texans and Felipe, with Carmen anxiously listening.

Bowie did not seek to disguise the situation. With twenty or thirty men behind him, Blood's boast that he would clean the mission out might be a serious one. Simmie noticed that Bowie looked grave. He knew the Texan was not squeamish about facing odds. But Carmen's presence was another matter. Should anything happen to him in the fight, what might happen to her?

He asked Carmen to step outside a moment. He then spoke to Padre Martinez. "I'm put in an awkward position, Padre. I don't like to seem to run away from you in face of these drunken devils. But my first responsibility is for Senorita's safety, and if they made good their threat to fire the mission, she might find herself in the worst kind of danger."

Padre Martinez laid his hand on Bowie's arm. "I understand perfectly, my son. I ask you to take, before all else, whatever measures are necessary to protect our Senorita—for, as our benefactress, we feel that she is ours as well. Whatever may happen here, it is your duty to protect her."

Bowie called Carmen into the conference. He laid the situation before her. Padre, his hands clasped in anxiety, listened. She looked from one to the other and back to Bowie in confidence. "You know best, Don Henry," she said trustfully.

He called in Pardaloe and Simmie and told them what he meant to do. Felipe he dispatched to scout the quadrangle and search for an opening not covered by Blood's men. Felipe came back with no good news. He shook his head. "Those men are everywhere."

"Ben," he said to Pardaloe, "when the big gate is thrown open by Felipe, fire your pistols, you and Simmie and Felipe, straight into the crowd outside. I'll be shooting both pistols from the saddle while we dash through the bunch before they can shoot back. Cover Felipe with your rifles, boys, while he shuts and bars the gate after us. Is it all clear?"

"Clear as daylight, Henry," mumbled Pardaloe. "Just say when."

Felipe, aided by a neophyte, was bringing up the horses. Bowie began to check over the cinches. "Felipe," he said in surprise, "what's the matter with these horses? They are trembling with sweat."

"Senor, I know. I saw it. Quien sabe? All the horses in the stable are sweating and nervous. I do not know why." Padre Martinez came out with Carmen.

"Padre," said Bowie, "what does this mean—these horses? See how they sweat and tremble!"

"Hasten, hasten, my son! Something may happen. They know more than we do. Hasten!" exclaimed the agitated padre.

Bowie mounted his restive horse. Pardaloe passed Carmen up into his arms to face him. "Clasp me under the arms, querida, so as to leave my arms free. Hand me the hackamore for the Senorita's horse, Felipe."

Bowie fastened this with knots for some play to the horn of his saddle. With Carmen snuggling low against him, he drew his pistols.

"When the gate is opened," he said to the scouts, "send your pistol fire straight into their faces and yell like Indians. Then poke our horses hard, and away we go. Are you ready? Open!"

The dash out was a shock to the score of men, some on foot but most in the saddle, who were crowded around the big gate. The pistol fire, the yelling, the two horses prodded and spurred, trampling and

charging into the raiders, threw them into momentary confusion.

Bowie, yelling, discharged his pistols to the right and left. The raiders ducked and dodged as their horses reared on one another. A volley of oaths, an enraged yell from Blood, went up; a scattering flash of rifle and pistol fire lighted the plaza for an instant. But the gate had clanged shut, and the phantom riders had melted into the darkness of the night.

Long afterward Bowie learned that no two of the stunned guerillas agreed on who had ridden out through the big gate or just what had actually happened. Bowie did not slow the almost uncontrollable horses until they had reached cover in the doubly dark alameda. Carmen parted from his embrace slowly; it seemed such a natural place to rest her head, and in her ear close to his breast she had heard his heartbeat.

Suddenly she remembered herself. "Darling, are you hurt? Tell me quick!"

"No, vida mia, no. But you?" he whispered.

She laughed low and cautiously. "I am not. Thank God, we are safe."

"I think so, but we may be pursued. I hope not. Now I will give you a more comfortable seat."

"What is that, 'Quito mio?'" Carmen spoke from her own saddle and her voice betrayed her acute alarm.

Bowie noticed the low sharp rumbling. But he was so alert to the danger of pursuit that he did not at first comprehend.

He was not left long in doubt. The rumbling grew instantly louder. The horses became unmanageable. They shook with terror. A deafening roar burst on the ears. Of a sudden Carmen and Bowie were rocked in their saddles—the earth was heaving in terrifying



Towering trees whirled in circles.

waves. "Temblo!" gasped Carmen. "Temblo!"

Bowie seized her bride. The feet of the frantic horses sprawled, their legs sank toward the ground. So abrupt was the halt that Carmen was pitched over her horse's head as he scrambled to keep his legs under him.

The savage roar of the temblor as it wrenched the earth was ear-splitting. Bowie leaped from his horse to raise Carmen from the ground, and he stood with her trembling in his arms, trying to keep his own feet while he supported the half-conscious girl.

Nature tossed and heaved in an agony of convulsion. Towering trees whirled in circles, whipped to the ground, now prostrate, now upright, or snapped like matches at the base. And over the moaning and crashing of the troubled darkness there spread a faint ghastly light such as never has been looked on save at moments such as this. In a fearful instant a silent and peaceful landscape had been flung into an inferno of appalling destruction. Shock followed shock as the mighty temblor shook the earth in a cataclysm and tore yawning gulfs across its face, as if bent on making horror complete.

Bowie, breathing hard and completely unstrung, held Carmen's head against him as she shook from head to foot, praying low and beseechingly.

Bowie pulled himself somewhat together. "Surely the worst is over, Carmelita," he exclaimed. "Let's look for the horses."

But the search, punctuated by receding quakes, was in vain. "There's nothing for it, Carmen, but to go back to the mission for horses."

"But 'Quito,'" said Carmen, fearful, "we shall be killed by those guerillas."

(TO BE CONTINUED)
Carmen of the Rancho—19

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LIONS ROAR

At their regular meeting Oct. 1st the Lions Club of Robert Lee voted unanimously to support Patriotism Week as proclaimed by our mayor Hon. F. C. Clark. Emblems are being sold by members of the Club to all who desire to purchase them.

Action was also taken to aid the Robert Lee Band in a material way as well as by moral support.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gramling and daughter, visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday. The family moved from Bovina to Sweetwater two weeks ago where he is employed as a mechanic in a garage.

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Mrs. Ed Roane left Saturday for McCamey for a visit with Mrs. Frank Robins.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Warrington and family of Memphis Tenn are visiting Mrs. Warrington's mother, Mrs. J. A. Waldrop and other relatives.

For County Sheriff, & Tax Assessor-Collector
FRANK PERCIFULL
(re-election)

For County Treasurer
Mrs. B. M. GRAMLING
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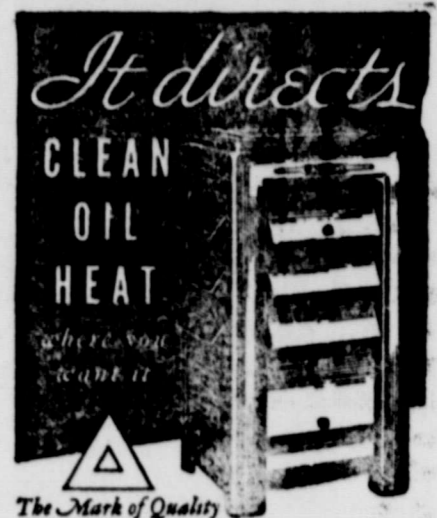
Peru Extends Oil Area
The government of Peru plans to extend its oil development program.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received and Opened by The Commissioners Court of Coke County, at the Court House at Robert Lee, Texas, until 10:00 o'clock a. m., on Oct. 14th, A. D. 1940., for the purchase of One Power Control Maintainer not less than 45 Horse Power and One No. 2 West-Tex. Scarifier, and notice is given that Warrants will be issued in the maximum amount of \$3250.00, payable serially not later than February 15th, 1951, bearing interest at the rate of not more than Five Per cent Per annum and interest payable semi-annually.

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Uncle Sam's Selective Service

1. Q-What is the purpose of the selective service program?

A-The program's purpose is to train a body of reserves capable of meeting any military emergency that may confront this nation, and to select the men for this national duty by the fairest method possible, an enrollment of everyman between the ages of 21 and 36, regardless of wealth or influence or social position. From this enrollment the United States army will choose those men whom it deems best fitted to receive a years training.

2. Q-Is the selective service program a newly developed plan?

A-No. The selective service program was put into effect during the World War after the volunteer system of recruiting soldiers had failed to supply the nation's needs. After the war in 1926 the United States Congress instructed the Army and Navy to work out a comprehensive selective service plan and the program now being put into effect is the result of years of active planning by the nation's military authorities.

3. Q-How many men will be affected by the selective service program?

A-Military authorities estimate that approximately 16,500,000 men between the ages of 21 and 36 will be registered under the program in the United States and its territorial possessions. In Texas approximately 900,000 men are expected to be available for the training program.

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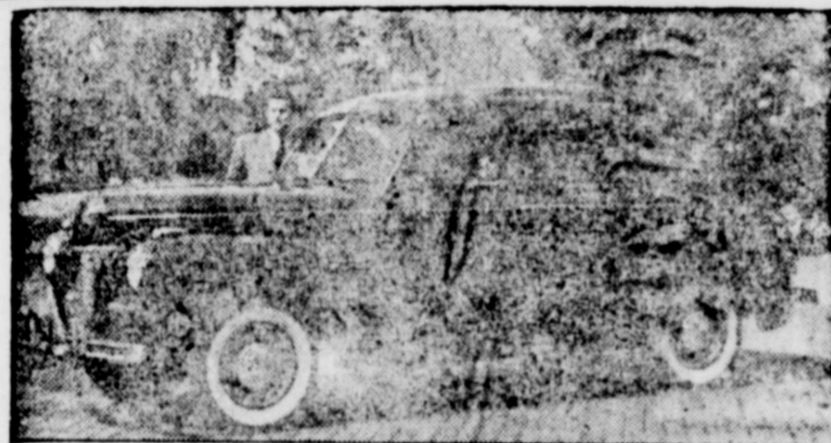
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"Be it ordained by the City Commission, the City of Robert Lee Texas, that it shall hereafter be unlawful to vend and peddle wares, goods or merchandise in and upon any of the streets or alleys embraced within the incorporate limits of the City of Robert Lee, Texas; Any person violating this ordinance shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars.

F. C. Clark, Mayor
G. C. Allen
Joe Dodson
City Commissioners.
Attest: Fred O. Green
City Secretary, Robert Lee Texas.

(Seal)

Seventh Grade Report

The seventh grade students have a very large class this year with fifty enrolled. Two were promoted and one other student enrolled which gives us forty-nine in the class now. We have organized a class club. President, Jamie Bilbo; Sec. Mable Jay, Vice pres Ray Mndell; class favorite boy Ray, girl Mona Mundell, sponsors: Mr. Stark Mr. Mullins' Representatives Mabel Jay, Martha Smith Ruls com. Dora Richardson, Billy Carroll Green, Barbara Ross; Social com. Mona Mondell, Martha Smith, Bill Rial Denman. Class colors- Blue and White Class reporter- Reba Fay Woods.

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New York's Skyscrapers Half of the 400 American skyscrapers are in New York city.

"Song of the Turtle" The "song of the turtle" is a bird song—that of a turtle dove.

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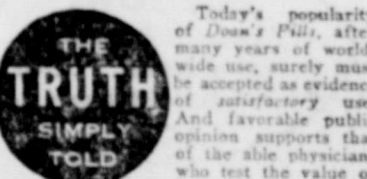
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IN THIS PAPER

Children's Outfits Have Style, Durability for Every Day Wear

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



IT IS a delight to shop for children these days. More than ever in the history of juvenile fashions, mothers owe a debt of gratitude to designers who specialize in little folks' apparel for having so completely analyzed and sensed the needs of youngsters not only from the esthetic point of view but decidedly from the angle of service and wearability. Let what may arise in weather, fair or foul, outfits are now so comprehensively constructed, so all efficient within themselves they are ready to meet any emergency of varying temperature. This idea of many-purpose wear expresses itself in such contrivances as linings that zip in and out, of coats and even dresses that are made reversible, detachable hoods, matching hats, two skirts with one jacket, mittens and leggings made to match for tots—the list is endless. A judiciously selected outfit constitutes a wardrobe of clothes within itself. The practicality of juvenile costumes designed with "latest improvements" for all-purpose wear was repeatedly stressed at a recent preview of children's fashions held at the Merchandise Mart of Chicago. In the foreground of the illustration is pictured one chosen from among many of the junior coat-and-dress "sets" shown.

Shawl to Match



A perfectly charming fashion is that of cunning little evening shawls made of the identical material that fashions the dress. The beautifully styled gown pictured is of black chiffon distinguished with an artfully skirred bodice that has an unusual halter-neck treatment and a graceful gathered-at-waist skirt. The little shawl of matching black chiffon is finished with hand-tied fringe. A black velvet dress with scarlet chiffon shawl is also a suggestion. The newest white jersey evening frocks have matching fringed shawls.

For this "glamour teen-age" coat and skirt the designer combines gay plaid with handsome monotone wool cloaking. The coat offers multiple service, at the same time proving a constant source of joy to the wearer. By reversing it you can have a coat as shown in the picture one day, and the next day little daughter can "go stepping" in a stunning all-plaid ensemble. Then too, the plaid skirt calls for a collection of blouses so that little Missy can come forth looking different each day. Headgear is provided in the plaid lined hood that can be worn either side out, can be adjusted to wear as a deep collar and may even be detached altogether when wanted.

A word to the wise mother is sufficient. Instead of haphazardly buying a dress here, a coat there and a hat from most anywhere, get one good dependable ensemble carefully "thought through" by experts to meet every requirement from every angle of protection and comfort for your child as well as being infinitely chic and charming as any modern young miss could fancy.

And look who's here in the group pictured! It's brother and sister in two-piece knits. Enthusiasm for "brother-and-sister" fashions grows. The newest thing out is the cunning jersey knit jumper outfits shown here. The tiny blouse is knitted in red and white or other combinations if you choose. Plain jersey makes the tiny trousers with the big buttons for the wee boy and for little sister's flare skirt. Jersey is no-end practical for little folks to wear. This is one reason why these little suits are so popular.

The pretty little girl to the right has on a winsome jumper suit of a dressier sort which is "prettified" by dainty embroidery. There is nothing more practical than the new jumper dresses. A fresh blouse each day worn with the skirt that has shoulder straps, and little daughter is dressed for any occasion.

Many of the newest jumper dresses are made of bright velveteen and of pin-wale corduroy this season. Buy the jacketed models and you will get unlimited wear and service in a suit plus dress always ready to go places.

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Fashion Notes

Soft rabbit's hair woolens, jerseys, coverts, flannel, gabardine, tweed and serges are found now in lighter weights. They tailor beautifully into dresses, jackets or coats.

"Benedictine brown" is a glowing brown to wear with topaz jewelry with this same color available not only in slim distinctive daytime clothes but in grand assortments of costume accessories.

Collars and cuffs are the newest bit of wearing apparel to succumb to the trend for brilliant ornamentation. Pastel and white bengaline collars are beautifully embroidered with peasant designs of tiny beads.

Smart daytime outfits in vivid color are going out into circulation as fast as they can be packed. Everybody likes them for their crisp fall snap, for their stunning color contrasts, and the soft, cozy, fleecy texture of the fabrics.

Widest Avenue in World

Measuring 460 feet from side to side and with five roadways separated by grass plots and lines of trees, the Avenida Nueve de Julio, in Buenos Aires, is the widest avenue in the world.

Darwin on Survey Ship

Darwin spent five years as a naturalist on board a survey ship in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans before undertaking the scientific researches which made him famous.

First Periodical in the United States

The first periodical in the United States was Benjamin Franklin's "General Magazine and Historical Chronicle," issued in 1714 in Philadelphia.

Empire of Ottoman Turks

The empire of the Ottoman Turks reached its highest development in the reign of Soliman II from 1520-1566.

Music Matter of Opinion

"Music," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "pleases or offends and is, after all, only a matter of opinion."

Premiums for Indian Scaps

A paper published in Columbia, Warren county, Ohio, in the 1790s gave premiums for Indian scaps.

Beginning of Electric Lighting

The discovery of the arc lamp by Davy in 1800 marked the beginning of electric lighting.

Contents of White Lead

White lead is a pigment containing lead carbonate and hydrated lead oxide.

Paris Long Largest City

Paris was the largest city in the world for 1,000 years.

Many Flavors of Honey

American honeys are made in 100 different flavors.

Aged 82, She Decides To See the Sights

PITTSBURGH.—In addition to sending home 30 juveniles lured away by the circus last month, the travelers aid dealt with its oldest runaway in history. They returned to her relatives an 82-year-old woman who had read about Canada in the newspapers and, without telling anyone, was off to see the sights.

Mayan Indians Get Culture From Youth

ENID, Okla.—A one-man cultural revolution is being staged among the 50,000 Maya Indians of Central America, and its spearhead, guiding genius, director and sole motive force is 27-year-old William Bentley, a college graduate.

Bentley entered the tropical regions of Maya country as a missionary two years ago, with an ambition to translate the Bible into the Maya language.

Since then his difficulties have become almost as numerous as the people he has sought to befriend.

The Mayas have no alphabet and Bentley has set out to create one. His preliminary work, however, has been concerned mainly with learning the Maya language, a laborious task itself because the use of Spanish is required and interpreters who speak both Spanish and Mayan are rare.

When he first arrived, the language difficulties threatened to destroy his whole project. The natives were hostile and unfriendly because they were unable to converse with the missionary.

Bentley studied a long time to find a method of breaking down the barriers and finally hit upon a simple scheme, in the best movie explorer fashion, to arouse friendliness among the Indians.

He attracted a large crowd and taking a can of popcorn which he had remembered to bring along, popped it for the benefit of the Indians. They were fascinated by the process and the impasse was ended.

Bentley, a graduate of Phillips university at Enid, first planned to become a surgeon until he decided that field was overcrowded and chose instead the career of a missionary.

He has been on a leave of absence from his mission post for several months, studying languages in the United States. He plans to return some time this summer.

Signed Constitution, Declaration
George Washington and James Madison were signers of the Constitution, and Thomas Jefferson and John Adams signed the Declaration of Independence.

Across Isthmus of Panama
There is no motor road across the Isthmus of Panama—only the canal, a railroad, airplane line and a mule track unused since the Sixteenth century.

Hi Ho Defines Leadership
"Leadership," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "requires a man strong enough to accept blame as well as flattery."

Marines Established in 1775
The marines are the oldest branch of the United States armed service, having been established by Congress in 1775.

Imposing Building in Cork
St. Finbarr's cathedral, seat of the Protestant bishop, is one of the most imposing buildings in Cork, Ireland.

Catalonia Annexed to France
Catalonia, when threatened with conquest in 1640 by the nationalist Philip IV, annexed itself to France.

First European University
The first European university was founded in the Ninth century at Salerno for the study of medicine.

Wine in Austria
Wine production was introduced into Austria by the Romans in the Third century.

Lowest Land in Ohio
The lowest land in Ohio is the shore of the Ohio river near Cincinnati.

Your Defects
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Kipling Lived in Vermont
Rudyard Kipling lived for four years near Brattleboro, Vt.

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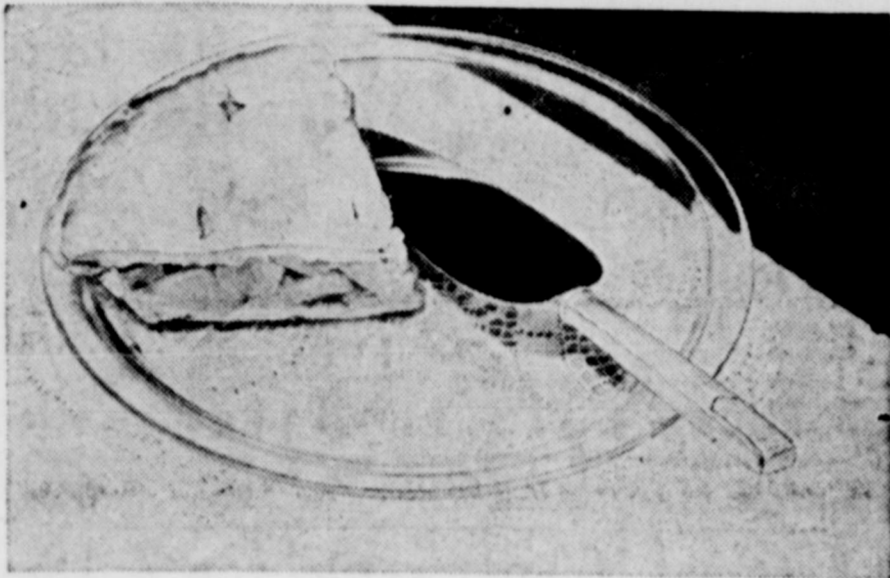
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Household News

By Eleanor Howe



LET'S SWING INTO FALL
(See Recipes Below)

Three cheers! It's fall again! Now is the time to perk up your home a bit, to scan through Dame Fashion's news notes, and to dress up your table a bit with new and old-time favorites.

As each season comes we always heed its call by planning foods suitable for serving at that particular time of the year. We try to rush spring by setting forth very crisp, cool, and fresh vegetable salads. Throughout the summer, when appetites wane, cooling beverages and light foods are most popular.

But with cooler weather that is here at last, appetites pick up, and the family is more than ready to discard their favorite lighter meals for something more substantial that will provide new energy for school and fall activities.

Many of the foods we serve are those that your mother served, and her mother before that time, but we can give new flavor to them, new and attractive ways of serving, and a 1940 style.

A tiny sprinkling of ginger over roast beef gives it a yummy flavor.

Meat loaf may be baked in a ring mold and served with parsley potato balls in the center.

Pour a bottle of gingerale over ham for baking, and baste occasionally.

When using jelly or jam as a filling for layer cake, spread each layer very thinly with soft or creamed butter first. This keeps the jelly or jam from soaking into the cake.

If you add a few drops of mint extract to whipped cream it makes a delicious topping for chocolate cake.

Apple Pie.

- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/4 cup boiling water
- 1 1/2 cups flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon baking powder
- 4 to 5 tart apples (peeled and sliced)
- 1/2 cup sugar
- Dash cinnamon or nutmeg

Place shortening in a warm bowl, pour boiling water over it and cream thoroughly with a fork. Place flour, salt and baking powder in flour sieve and sift gradually into the creamed shortening and water mixture. Mix thoroughly. Make up into a dough ball and chill.

To make apple pie, divide pastry, roll out and line pie plate with first half. Peel and slice the apples, arrange in alternate layers with sugar and cinnamon, or nutmeg. Top with pastry and bake in a hot oven (450 degrees) for 10 minutes; then reduce oven heat to 350 degrees and bake approximately 35 minutes longer. Serve warm with a wedge of cheese.

Golden Carrot Ring.

(Serves 5-6)

- 1 tablespoon onion (minced)
- 3 tablespoons butter
- 1 cup soft bread crumbs
- 2 eggs (well beaten)
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 2 cups raw carrots (grated)
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Dash pepper

Brown the onion in the butter. Remove from fire, and add crumbs. Place in a mixing bowl, and add well-beaten eggs. Mix well. Add milk, carrots, salt and pepper. Pour into well greased ring mold and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for about 40 minutes. Turn onto heated platter and serve immediately.

Stuffed Ham Steak.

(Serves 5-6)

- 2 cups soft bread crumbs
- 1/2 cup seeded raisins (chopped)
- 1/2 cup walnut meats (broken)
- 1/4 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1/4 cup butter (melted)
- 2 large slices smoked ham (1/2 inch thick)
- Whole cloves

Combine the crumbs, raisins, nuts, sugar, mustard, and butter to form a dressing. Place one slice of ham in a shallow baking pan, and spread dressing on the ham. Place a second slice of ham on top. Stick whole cloves into the fat. Bake in a slow oven (300 degrees) for about 1 hour.

Date Butterscotch Pudding.

(Serves 5-6)

- 2 cups brown sugar (light)
- 3 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 egg
- 3 tablespoons butter
- 1/2 cup dates (chopped)

Combine brown sugar, cornstarch, salt, and cold water. Add boiling water and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from range and pour over slightly beaten egg. Cook about a minute longer. Add butter and dates. Pour into sherbet glasses and chill before serving. Serve plain or garnished with whipped cream.

Cinnamon Apple Salad.
(Serves 5)

- 2 cups granulated sugar
- 2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 1 1/2 cups water
- Red vegetable coloring
- 5 medium sized apples (peeled and cored)

Bring sugar, cinnamon, and water to the boiling point and add sufficient vegetable coloring to tint mixture bright red color. Drop apples (peeled and cored) into boiling syrup and cook until apples are tender but firm. Remove and chill. Serve on bed of water cress and fill core of apple with diced celery and chopped nuts. Serve with Roquefort dressing.

Bacon Baked Spaghetti.

(Serves 6-8)

- 1/2 package spaghetti
 - 6 slices bacon
 - 1/2 cup raw onion (cut fine)
 - 2 1/2 cups tomatoes
 - 1 cup cheese (grated)
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- Boil spaghetti until tender in boiling salted water. Drain. Cut bacon in small pieces and fry until light brown in color. Butter casserole, and place alternate layers of spaghetti, bacon, onion, tomatoes, and cheese in the casserole. Season each layer with salt and pepper, cover top layer with grated cheese and dot with butter. Bake approximately 30 minutes in a moderately slow oven (325 degrees).

Household Hints.

Have you ever stopped to realize that every single one of us includes several hundred ordinary, homely household tasks in our daily routine? Miss Howe has just given you a few of her time-savers and hints; but she also wants to share her favorite home-making trade secrets with you. All you have to do is write to Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, for her book, "Household Hints," and enclose 10 cents in coin.

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Above All Things This Fellow Was an Optimist

A contractor borrowed a badly worn car from a friend for an emergency trip. With an employee he set out.

A little way down the road he noticed the brake did not work. After another mile they were rolling down a smooth road toward a bridge. A glance showed a six-foot gap between the bridge and the bank. Viciously he pulled at the emergency brake, only to find that it did not work. Then he discovered that the gas pedal had jammed down.

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3. What is a misanthrope?
4. How long does something that is ephemeral last?
5. Which is nearest the center of the earth, the equator or the North pole?
6. The President of the United States may make treaties with other nations provided how many senators concur?
7. "Don't tread on me" was a slogan inscribed on what?
8. On what date did the present century begin?
9. What would you be unable to do if you lacked lachrymal glands?

The Answers

1. Antipodes.
2. Civil war (July 2, 1864).
3. A hater of mankind.
4. One day.
5. The North pole. (The earth is slightly flattened at the pole.)
6. One half of senators present when treaty is considered.
7. Early American naval flags.
8. January 1, 1901.
9. Shed tears.
10. No. Portuguese is the official language. Brazil, the largest state in South America, began as a colony of Portugal. It is the only nation in the Western hemisphere in which Portuguese is the prevailing language.

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A missionary program was given when 12 members of the W. M. S. met Monday at the church. A supper at the church for all church members, a pounding for the new pastor and family and a sermon by the pastor on missions was planned for Tuesday night. It was decided to have the week of prayers programs on Thursday when a covered dish luncheon would be served at the church

Tuesday the Rannels Workers Council met at Pumphrey and those attending from here were: Rev. and Mrs. Simpson, Mr and Mrs. W. F. Fikes, Mrs. R. L. Read, Mrs. P. P. Fitzhugh, W. J. Cumbie, Miss Naomi Brown and Miss Daicy McCuchen.

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