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SELASSIE REGAINS ETHIOPIAN CONTROL

Lions Convention Plans Near Completion

Through the
Editor's Spectacles
By GEORGE

A new and startling description of the extent to which the human body can become skinny is relayed by Henry Drumwright who heard it from his radio last night. One wisecracker of whom Henry is particularly fond, gave an extensive description of a girl he knew back home and ended with the remark that she was so thin that if she didn't have an Adam's apple she would have had no shape at all.

J. Stuart Pearce came back last night from Fort Worth where he spent the week at the Fort Worth presbytery at the North Side Presbyterian church, to read for the first time my revelation of how he got his democracy and anti-beer tendencies crossed and voted for legalization. He warned me previously that if I said anything about it, I should state that he voted for a bad thing ignorantly while I did so deliberately. I submit that I followed those instructions to the very letter. However, he invited me to get ready for an attack of summary destruction.

Pearce, who has accepted the post of superintendent of home missions for the Fort Worth presbytery of his church, will continue to live in Cisco until June 1, after which he is as yet undecided where his place of residence will be. He will preach at both the morning and evening services at the First Presbyterian church Sunday.

As superintendent of home missions, he plans as an important part of his program the promotion of the summer encampment for Presbyterian young people here. "Cisco people are encampment conscious," he said. "But the presbytery is yet to be awakened to a full conception of the value of the encampment. I hope to be able to do more for its development in this new post than before."

An item in a trade publication produces this striking thought: "If the wealth of the country were distributed, 90 per cent would be destroyed by the act of distribution." The late Huey P. Long, apostle of "Share The Wealth," and our socialist friends could well ponder that suggestion. Most of us have been trained to think of wealth as exclusively something in hand, as money or government bonds. Wealth is merely the ability to supply a demand. When the demand ceases the value of the article or service possessed ceases. Ostrich feathers used to be valuable. That was in the good old days when every hat was a thickie. Now they are valuable only for dancers.

It's up to you and me, is the result of the following mathematical wizardry which I have from the hands of Jim Collins:

It's Up to You
Pete, the front porch philosopher who thinks he is a wizard of figures, handed me the following:
Population of the United States 124,000,000
Over 60 coming under Townsend Plan 24,000,000
To do the work 100,000,000
Under 16 proposed by Child Labor 62,000,000

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Weather
EAST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; warmer tonight except on east coast; warmer northeast Saturday.
WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight; cloudy partly cloudy. Rain for month, 2 inches.

400 EXPECTED FOR DISTRICT MEET JUNE 16

Laguna Headquarters; Sessions Will Be Held at Palace

Plans for the annual convention of District 2-E of Lions International in Cisco June 16 and 17 were brought near completion in a lengthy session of the general convention committee which adjourned at 1 a. m. this morning.

H. L. Dyer, general chairman of the convention presided and heard reports from various chairmen on phases of convention preparation with which they are charged.

The convention is expected to bring at least 400 Lions and their ladies to Cisco for two days. Headquarters will be at the Laguna hotel and the sessions are to be held at the Palace theater, which is air conditioned, and the use of which was tendered without charge during the two days by K. N. Greer, manager.

Built About Lake
The convention entertainment will be built around Lake Cisco and its recreational opportunities as the central theme. Among the special events of this entertainment will be a bathing revue at the Lake Cisco pools and a big barbecue.

The business district of the city and the principal highway approaches will be decorated. Streamers will extend from the Humble Service station at Sixteenth street and A avenue along the route of Highway One to a distance several blocks out on the western approach of this highway. Streets intersecting D

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Oil Increase Is Recommended for Entire Industry

WASHINGTON, April 24. (P)—The bureau of mines today recommended that the oil industry produce daily an average of 2,326,300 barrels during May, which is an increase of 29,000 above the April recommendations. The bureau recommended that Texas produce 1,132,500 barrels during the month.

Cisco Singer Due To Enroll at TCU

Professor W. F. Bruce of Randolph college was in Fort Worth Sunday and Monday. His son, Marion Bruce, well known Cisco singer, will enter the fine arts department of Texas Christian University there shortly.

Rev. Pearce Back From Presbytery; Installs Year's Auxiliary Officers

The Rev. J. Stuart Pearce, pastor of the First Presbyterian church and superintendent-elect of home missions for the Fort Worth presbytery of his denomination, returned last night from presbytery in session this week at North Side church, Fort Worth. He attended presbytery in his capacity as chairman of women's work, and on Wednesday evening installed auxiliary officers for the new year at Fort Worth. He said he will preach in his pulpit here as usual Sunday morning and evening.

Lions Club Convention Planners



SMITH DYER BEARMAN



CONDLEY NANCE

Cisco Music Clubs to Participate in Meet

Both the Cisco high school choral and glee clubs—the former directed by Miss Ella Andrus and the latter by Miss Lucile Robinson—will go to Abilene tomorrow to participate in the first music festival conducted for the west central Texas area under sponsorship of the West Texas Music Teachers institute.

No prizes or awards will be given, nor will comparative scores be published. The clubs will sing before an adjudicator, instead of judges, who will score the performance for the private information of the teachers and clubs and given constructive criticism. Purpose of the festival is to encourage singing among students and to that end the numbers who may participate are unlimited and no competition between clubs is permitted.

Each club will sing two numbers and then the two will combine for a mixed chorus in two numbers. The glee club will take 20 members while 40 girls will go with the choral club, which recently took second place in the state contest at Mary Hardin-Baylor college at Belton. At the end of the program all participating clubs will mass for a concert. The festival begins at 8:30 a. m.

The campaign has hardly started but some of the politicians are showing evidence of being hoarse and buggy—Savannah (Ga.) Morning News.

Two Reprived As Death Hour Nears

SACRAMENTO, Calif., April 14. (P)—Governor Merriman today reprived Alexander Mackay and Joseph Kristy an hour before they were scheduled to hang at San Quentin prison. This action was taken in response to the British government's request, and the recommendation of Secretary of State Hull. Mackay is a British subject. He and Kristy were sentenced to death following kidnaping of the prison board officials in attempt to escape.

IS IMPROVING
Linda Fee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Fee, who is ill of pneumonia, is reported to be slightly improved today.

SHORTSTOP'S WIFE BURNED IN HER HOME

Mystery Blaze Takes Life of Woman As Violence Feared

FORT WORTH, April 24. (P)—Mrs. Charles Engle, wife of the short stop of the Fort Worth Texas League baseball team, was fatally burned in a mysterious fire in her apartment here today. She died five hours after her almost nude body was found. Neighbors advanced the theory that she met with violence, but police were skeptical. Blood and strands of hair were found on an inside wall.

Mrs. Engle and the wife of another Fort Worth ball player, en route home after visiting a mutual friend, noticed another car following them. Mrs. Engle took her friend home then drove to her home alone. Shortly afterward a passerby discovered the house ablaze. Neighbors said they heard a muffled explosion.

Engle, who was in Tulsa for a series of games, rushed home.

Improvements Made At Nance Station

The Nance Service Station is undergoing improvements designed to modernize and beautify it, the management announced today. Included are the installation of new electric pumps, repainting of the outside and inside, and changing of the drives in the near future.

A new lighting system may be installed shortly, although definite plans have not yet been worked out.

Gables Building Is Sold to J. F. Alsop

Sale of "The Gables" on West Seventh street to J. F. Alsop was announced today. Alsop was reported to have purchased the building and fixtures to be wrecked. The transaction was through the E. P. Crawford real estate firm.

A few days ago Alsop purchased the Bob Key farm on the Abilene highway three miles west of the city, where he will erect a modern home and dairy.

ARTIST TAKES TO KITCHEN

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (P)—Artist Clifton J. Long found the kitchen was the only room having sufficient light to enable him to do his best work on a painting of General Robert E. Lee. So Mrs. Long cast pots and pans aside until her husband completed the painting.

Cisco High Seniors to Make Trip to Hardin-Simmons Event Tomorrow

Seniors of Cisco high school will visit Hardin-Simmons university tomorrow, along with 2,500 seniors of other high schools of West Texas. High school senior day, an annual event at Hardin-Simmons, is sponsored by the Women's Missionary society of the Abilene Baptist churches. The W. M. S. of Cisco is cooperating to issue a large attendance from Cisco. It was estimated today that between 60 and 70 of the Cisco seniors will go to Abilene tomorrow for the event, which includes a barbecue on the university campus and a tour of inspection designed to familiarize the high

National Honors Awarded Ciscoans For Journalism

Two Cisco high school pupils have been given national honorable mention in "Quill and Scroll," national journalism publication, for articles which appeared in "The Lobo," high school paper here. Howell Stubblefield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stubblefield, was ranked high for his editorial on "We Graduate—So What?"

Miss Lurline Poe was awarded the honor for her feature story on "The Yearbook Lobo." She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Poe.

Both of the high school writers are members of the graduating class.

PUERTO RICO MAY BE FREE

WASHINGTON, April 24. (P)—Senator Tydings, D-Maryland, today introduced a bill under which Puerto Rico could win her independence, if desired. He claimed the Puerto Ricans are ungrateful, and pointed to the recent assassination of Col. Francis Riggs, insular police chief, as an evidence of such ingratitude.

The bill provides when and if a commonwealth is established, spending United States funds there shall greatly diminish.

Fireman Off Duty Can't Escape Job

SPARTANBURG, S. C., April 24. (P)—Assistant Fire Chief Ike Miller had a job drop right at his feet—on his night off. Out for a stroll, a burning ember dropped at his feet and he looked up to discover an awning ablaze. He handled it alone.

FUGITIVE MOTORISTS HIT

SAN FRANCISCO (P)—The net has been tightened around autoists who dodge damage suits arising from accidents by fleeing to another state. Laws in 42 states now permit service of processes on the head of the motor vehicle department as the offender's "true attorney." The defendant is notified by registered mail and judgment may be taken unless he fights the case.

100,000 CONVERTS IN CHINA

NEW YORK (P)—One hundred thousand adult conversions to the Catholic church were made in the past year in China, according to a report received at the national office of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. This is the largest increase in 22 years, the society says, and brings the Catholic population of China to a total of 2,818,839.

Attend Meeting Of College Professors

President J. T. McKissick and Registrar E. B. Isaacks of Randolph college left yesterday for San Antonio where they are attending the Association of Colleges convention. They will be there until Saturday noon.

EASY ONES TRIP SPELLERS

DALLAS, (P)—Such words as "wreath" and "proceeded" played most havoc among contestants in a recent Dallas interscholastic league contest, whereas such formidable appearing hurdles as "pusillanimous" and "noisome" were taken with the greatest of ease. Correctly spelled were "petard," "picnicked," "excruciating," "impeccable," "blatant," "vagary," "contemptuous," and "staging."

MUTINIES BY HIS SOLDIERS ARE DENIED

Guerrilla War Due If Addis Ababa Taken By Italian Armies

(By Associated Press)
A large scale offensive against Sasa Baneh, Ethiopian city forming one of the outer fortifications for Harar, got under way today under personal direction of Gen. Graziana, Italy's southern commander. It was considered the crucial struggle in the effort to capture Harar, second largest city in Ethiopia.

An Ethiopian government spokesman today said that Emperor Haile Selassie was again in control of all Ethiopian territory outside of the Italian lines. He denied reports of mutiny in the Ethiopian army, and said that Ethiopia is prepared to defend Addis Ababa to the last man. He claimed that a large scale guerrilla warfare would start if the capital is taken.

The Italians are in full drive toward the capital, according to a communique from the northern front. Airplanes continued bombing the Ethiopian defenses around Harar, the second largest city of the empire.

France, through the British foreign secretary, Anthony Eden, is preparing to demand whether Germany intends retaking her colonies lost in the world war to effect "German equality." Observers believe Hitler's next major move to be for the restoration of former colonies.

Reports from Bombay said that 85 persons were injured in rioting between Hindus and Moslems. Machine gun-armed guards have been posted to protect the famed temples.

Parker Is Termed Real Conspirator In Wendel Kidnap

BROOKLYN, April 24. (P)—Ellis Parker, Jr., son of the Burlington, N. N., detective chief, was characterized as a real conspirator in the kidnaping and torture of Paul Wendel, today by District Attorney William Geoghan.

Wendel repudiated any confession to the Lindbergh kidnaping. Parker, indicted with four others yesterday, remained at large today, although it was rumored that he was en route from New Jersey to surrender. Geoghan said today that "he concocted the whole plot."

SOCIETY and CLUBS

MRS. C. W. TRAMMELL, Editor
Phone Numbers 535 and 608

Mrs. A. C. Green Hostess at Two Bridge Parties

Mrs. A. C. Green entertained with two beautifully appointed bridge parties on Monday and Wednesday afternoons at her home, 1900 West Seventh street. The hostess chose a green and rose color theme for her floral decorations and refreshments. Bowls of roses interspersed with ferns were artistically arranged about the rooms and a vase of gorgeous rose peonies decorated the desk in the living room. High scores were won by Mrs. Charles George and Mrs. L. C. Moore, second highs by Mrs. R. C. McCarter and Mrs. Vance Littleton and high cuts went to Mrs.

Charles Trammell and Mrs. Jack Phippen.

The colors were repeated the refreshment plate where containers of rose crushed ice, the tops decorated with green lace frills, held the dessert course.

The guest list included Meses Dexter Shelley, J. H. Brice, Guy Dabney, Charles Trammell, E. P. Crawford, Charles Brown, R. C. McCarter, Leon Maner, H. S. Drumwright, J. A. Bearman, Geo. Atkins, R. L. Ponsler, T. F. O'Brien, Charles George, Talbert Lockheed, Oscar Cliett, George P. Fee, Charles Kleiner, Nick Miller, Will St. John, Homer McDonald, Alex Spears, E. L. Graham, Paul Wood, J. C. Hanrahan, F. J. Borman, Karl Armstrong, W. J. Armstrong, E. H. Phillips, L. C. Moore, J. B. Pratt, H. L. Dyer, Vance Littleton, S. E. Hittson, Charles Sandler, Jack Jones, H. Seale, Rex Moore, E. L. Smith, K. N. Greer, L. A. Warren, Sam Kimmell, H. Brandon, J. E. Moriarty, Jack Phippen and Jack Anderson.

Mrs. Ralph Garrett Is Circle Hostess

Mrs. Ralph Garrett was hostess to Group 2 of the Women's Council of the First Christian church Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. H. L. Dyer, chairman, presided and W. F. Bruce taught the Bible lesson. Mrs. J. T. McKissick gave a talk on missionary work. Refreshments were served to Meses Rex Moore, Joe Burnam, J. T. McKissick, Sam Kimmell, C. B. Powell, A. S. Nabors, L. C. Moore, H. R. Garrett and W. F. Bruce.

Mrs. Brown Honors Miss Armstrong

Complimenting Miss Jourine Armstrong whose marriage has been announced May 8, Mrs. Charles Brown entertained with a breakfast Thursday morning. Pink and orchid irises in a crystal bowl centered the breakfast table, which was laid with lace cloth and appointed in silver and crystal. The honoree's place was marked with a gift wrapped in pastel shades.

When the plates were removed a paper was found under each, telling the fortune of one of the guests present. Each guest was asked to guess the name of the person described on the fortune at her place.

Those present were Meses Armstrong, Dellfrancis Miller, Harriett Angus, Lillian Shertzer, Mary Elizabeth Cliett, Adele Anderson, Helen McKissick and Mesdames W. J. Armstrong, W. M. Miller, and Karl Armstrong.

VISITING HERE
Simpson Kelly and Sherman Davis, brother and nephew of G. B. Kelly, were guests in the Kelly home Wednesday. They were en route from Oklahoma to their home in Nappa, Cal.

Personals

Mrs. Raby Miller left today for her home in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Graham have returned from a visit in Fort Worth.

Misses Elizabeth McCracken and Muriel Whittaker have returned from Dallas where they attended the International South-west Beauty show.

Mrs. Etta Hart who has been confined to her home for several weeks has sufficiently recovered to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hilgenberg of Abilene have returned home after a visit with friends here.

There's nothing basically wrong in a country where the outs can raise a million dollars to prove there has been no recovery—Portland Oregonian.

The Notebook

FRIDAY
The Cressett Bridge club will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. R. C. Hayes, 710 West 8th street.
Merry Wives Forty-Two club will meet with Mrs. C. H. Fee, at 3 o'clock.
Community Choral club will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the First Baptist church.

East Baptist Church Will Start Meeting

East Cisco Baptist church will start a revival meeting Sunday morning, April 26. Rev. W. T. Hamor, pastor of the First Baptist church of Winters, was to do the preaching, but due to illness of his wife will not be able to come. Rev. Ben Morrison, former pastor of the church, will do the preaching. Rev. Mr. Morrison needs no introduction to the people of Cisco.

Joe Buzze's Band To Play for Dance

Joe Buzze and his orchestra, "Radio's Royalty of Rhythm," will play for a dance at Lake Cisco tonight, it has been announced by the Lake Cisco Amusement company management. Featured will be Betty Wharton, popular singer of radio and stage. Originally from the northern states, this orchestra has played engagements at Casino Park at Fort Worth, the Rice Hotel at Houston, and other leading hotels and ballrooms.

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Brother Vince Talked Joe di Maggio Into First Job --- And Lost His Own

By SAM JACKSON

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22. (AP)—Joseph Thomas di Maggio, the New York Yankees' celebrated \$75,000 rookie, got his first real ball playing job less on his merit than by dint of hard talking by his big brother Vince—and the deal cost Vince his own berth with a ball club.

This fateful episode occurred only two years before the Yankee purchase. It illustrates how quickly the unknown boy from San Francisco's Italian quarter soared to the big top.

At the time—1932—Vince was an outfielder with the San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast league. His younger brother had learned baseball on city playgrounds, played a little in high school, and was then batting 'em out in the midwinter league, a local semi-pro organization.

Headed For Fishing Fleet
Joe was not attracting any special attention and it looked as though he were headed for the Italian fishing fleet, in which his father and another brother operated a crab boat.

But Vince recognized Joe as a real ball player. Vince went to the owners of the Seals and talked him up. Although given no encouragement at first, he kept plugging. Finally, the management agreed to take the lad down to spring training at Monterey.

The trout had unexpected results. Joe made the team and Vince was released. Vince now is playing with the San Diego Padres.

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- SYRUP, Brer Rabbit, Gallons, 59c; 1/2 Gallon 32c
- SOAP, Crystal White or P. & G., 5 Bars 19c
- BIRD SEED, French's, 2 pkgs 22c
- MATCHES, Rosebud Brand, 6 Bx., 23c; Good and Cheap, 6 bx. 18c
- PEAS, Kuners, Tender Garden, 3 Cans 25c
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Party Field Marshals' Troubles Grow as Convention Harmony Sought

By ALEXANDER R. GEORGE
 WASHINGTON, April 24. (AP)—Field Marshals Henry P. Fletcher and James A. Farley are rallying their forces in an effort to achieve rousing party solidarity during the republican and democratic national conventions in June and the campaign to follow.

Farley, the democratic national chairman, credited with knowledge of the political situation in every county in the nation, is working to line up overwhelming delegate support for President Roosevelt's renomination at the Philadelphia convention. He knows thousands of party workers by their first names.

Republican Chairman Fletcher, who took over the shattered republican forces two years ago and now boasts a formidable G. O. P. phalanx, is working strenuously to weld all elements of the party into a harmonious unit.

Fears Convention Fight

One of Mr. Fletcher's big worries concerns a possible fight in the Cleveland convention. This might lead to a serious split in republican ranks. The insistence of Senator Borah and some of his lieutenants that the old leadership be turned out and "more liberal leaders" be installed presents a definite challenge to the chairman's diplomatic skill.

"Smiling Jim," always avowedly optimistic, has his troubles, too. Besides the threat of Alfred E. Smith to "take a walk" and the defection of John W. Davis, Bainbridge Colby, Governor Talmadge of Georgia and other prominent democrats' serious factional fights loom in at least four states.

A major worry is the bitter battle between Governor Horner and Mayor Edward Kelly of Chicago, which threatens to cleave the Illinois democracy. Others are the WPA squabble between the youthful Senator Rush Holt of West Virginia and Harry Hopkins; EPIC democrats versus the McAdoo forces in California and a Minnesota intra-party fight where two democratic factions are holding separate state conventions.

In addition to a national political organization rated by some old-time observers as the most powerful in the nation's history, Farley has the advantage of democratic ascendancy in a vast majority of the states. All but 11 governors are democrats.

Easier for Farley

Chairman Farley and the democratic national committee can concentrate their attention on the single job of keeping Mr. Roosevelt in the White House. Chairman Fletcher and his committee colleagues, however, must build up a strong party organization for future support of a standard-bearer whose identity is now unknown.

Prairie Schooners Being Constructed

DALLAS, April 24. (AP)—Genuine prairie schooners, stage coaches and ox carts are so rare in the southwest today that Texas centennial exposition directors, collecting "properties" for the \$150,000 historical pageant, are forced to reproduce most of the frontier-day vehicles they need.

They have found that virtually all antiquated coaches and wagons preserved from the nineteenth century have been taken to distant states. The cost of borrowing or buying them for the Texas show would be prohibitive.

"While we can find only two authentic old stage coaches in Texas, more than 100 of them are in New York state alone," explained August Vollman, properties director.

Panhandle Winning War Upon "Dusters"

AMARILLO, April 24. (AP)—H. H. Fennell, regional soil conservation director, says the Texas Panhandle's dust storms this year are less serious than those of 1935 for three reasons:

1. More land is covered by growing crops.
2. Vast areas have been listed for erosion preventative treatment.
3. Lands are better protected by stubble left from 1935 crops.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

I will love thee, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; in whom I will trust. In my distress I called upon the Lord, and cried unto my God, he heard my voice and my cry came even into his ears.—Ps. 18: 1, 2, 6.

I lean on Love, And so walk and never tire or faint, Mount as the eagle—free from earth's restraint, I dwell on Love, So sickness, sin and death have no charms; Beneath I feel the everlasting arms. —LAURA M. DOWNEY.

There is such a thing as a worldly spirit, and there is an unworldly spirit; and according as we partake of one or the other, the savor of the sacrifice of our lives is ordinary, commonplace, poor, and base; or elevating, invigorating, useful, noble and holy.—Dean Stanley.

Cisco Students Win Honors

TWO Cisco high school students have won honors in the nation-wide contest conducted by the magazine Quill and Scroll for journalistic work in the school. One of them, Howell Stubblefield, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stubblefield, won honorable mention for an editorial which he wrote on the subject: "We Graduate—So What?" The other, Miss Lurline Poe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Poe, won similar honors for a feature article on "The Yearbook Lobo." The character of work necessary to win this recognition must be high and these students and their instructors are certainly to be congratulated. Talent comes first but proper training is essential to the development and expression of talent and the Cisco schools have reason to be proud of the records made by their students in extra-curricula activities and in institutions of higher learning which they attend after graduating here.

How Short Should a Bathing Suit Be?

THE controversy over how much a bathing suit—now more properly called swimming suit—should cover has come to the front in season. This time it is the designers whose dicta caused the outbreak. The police and public morals authorities have been scored on. But, according to the outburst from the movie capital, they have gained some alliance with the designers who aver that the imperfections of the human figure are too common and the concealment of more of the figure by less scanty beach wear restores the "glamor" that exposure takes away. The element of mystery is the chief element of this glamor, the designers assert, and wholesale exposure removes this. The movie queens who like short suits and plenty of sunlight have voiced indignation at this, and vow they will wear as little as they can get by with. The idea that their bareness is unattractive is resented.

NOW the unadorned charms of these ladies of the flickering sheets may be as glamorous in the raw as the prudish atrocities that grandmother wore were glamorous in the mystery of the angle they revealed, but the designers must design for the masses and not the individuals. Their business is to produce styles that will sell, and to do so they must contrive to heighten the charms of the average whose imperfections would be distracting if conspicuous. After all, no rule will govern the vulgar. It is its own revealer. And there is nothing more disgusting

than a vulgar woman, just as there is nothing more beautiful than a beautiful one. The sex possesses the latitude for both extremes and nothing but good taste—which involves regard for decency as well as curves—will determine what is correct.

OTHER OPINIONS

Keeping Popular Government Popular

THE contest between democracy and dictatorship is more than a clash of theories. It is a competition also in effective government.

WHETHER dictatorships actually are more efficient than democracies is a question to which no final answer can be given. When weakness develop in a parliamentary system of government they are exposed and denounced, no shackles being available for the suppression of critical opinion. If they develop in a dictatorship they can be hidden at least for a time. But the fact that inefficiency and cumbersomeness can be cited to whip up discontent among popularly governed people, and that the effect of this discontent cannot always be limited to the political party in power but may contribute to dissatisfaction with the very system of government itself, makes doubly necessary every measure that will safeguard the efficacy of popular rule.

SO the question President Dodds of Princeton University raised the other day when he spoke at the University of Virginia's services in memory of Thomas Jefferson is indeed a "basic" one: "Can we have expert administration with popular government, or must one be sacrificed to the other?"

WHILE the ink was drying on these constitutional provisions which were intended to safeguard the American system against danger of a too powerful central government, economic forces were in action which were to make a trend toward centralization of power inevitable. In the last few years federal government has assumed responsibility faster than in any similar period but without offering a corresponding degree of assurance that its added authority would be properly administered. Too many of the dangers of centralization have been risked; too few of the gains which centralization should buy have been obtained.

BUT many of the advantages are still obtainable through expert administration. The relative esteem in which the AAA was held was due in no small measure to the fact that its administration was in the hands of the trained civil servants who comprise the Department of Agriculture. Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, moreover, put up a stiff fight against Postmaster General Farley's attempts to make spoils out of AAA posts.

AN extension of the merit system of appointing government employees and the fostering of the career tradition among these workers can do much to answer Dr. Dodd's question in the affirmative. A broader purpose than the improvement of government office personnel would be served by civil service reforms; the appeal of what Dr. Dodd calls "intoxicating philosophies" would be lessened by every advance toward efficiency in popular government.

THE public should recognize that the patronage system is so useful to politics that no departure from it will be likely unless such departure can be turned into political capital. Practically every advance in the civil service system has been purchased at some sacrifice to political necessities and demands. Yet if nothing more than improved government services resulted the price would be in some measure justified.

FROM the point of view which Dr. Dodds has taken—that the ultimate success or failure of the popular system of government is dependent on such increased efficiency as only a broadened merit system can provide—the political price of such improvement seems insignificant. Dr. Dodds may seem to have overstated his views. On the other hand, it should be clear that the increase in government responsibility is not likely to be reversed unless present trends in economic development are greatly modified, and that the future will bring more urgent rather than less urgent demands for efficiency in popular government. — Christian Science Monitor.

CCC Accepts 19 Eastland Co. Boys

EASTLAND, April 24.—Nineteen Eastland county youths were accepted Wednesday for enrollment in the Civilian Conservation Corps at the camp in Dublin, Wortham Seale, intake secretary for the Texas Relief commission at Eastland, announced Thursday. The youths will remain at Dublin for several weeks and be assigned to out-of-state camps, Seale stated.

Following is a list of the youths and address: George Woodrow Allen, Cisco route 4; Henry H. Ainsworth, Ranger route 1; Robert S. Caudle, Gorman route 3; Dan Donohue, Ranger route 1; Milton Dunaway, Cisco route 4; Andrew Jack Drake, Eastland route 1; Loyd Fox, Eastland route 2; Truett Fox, Ranger route 1; Aubrey Hudson, Eastland; Orville Hughes, Eastland; Pete Hurst, Eastland; James C. Key, Nimrod route 2; J. R. McClelland, Eastland route 1; Jess W. Mathis, Cisco route 2; Albert Rice, Ranger; Melvin Dewese Roulston, Ranger; Andy John Taylor, Eastland route 2; Eugene D. Wheeler, Ranger route 2; Norman Woodall, Gorman route 1.

Political Announcements

EDITOR'S NOTE—For the information of prospective candidates for the various offices the Daily Press will charge the following rates, which will include the Daily and Weekly Rural editions, and will be published throughout the campaign. All nominees will appear until the general election in November. Terms, cash. County and district offices...\$15.00 Precinct offices...10.00 Justice of the peace, constable and municipal offices...5.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS The Cisco Daily and Weekly Rural Press are authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, of 1936:

For County Tax Assessor and Collector— C. H. O'BRIEN CLYDE S. KARKALITS

For Sheriff— STEELE HILL LOSS WOODS A. D. CARROLL J. W. NOBLE

For County Commissioner— Precinct No. 4. JOE CLEMENTS ARCH BINT (Re-Election) CHARLIE WENDE ROBERT TUCKER

For County Judge— T. L. COOPER W. S. ADAMSON W. D. R. OWEN

For County Clerk— TURNER COLLIE (Re-Election) R. L. (BOB) DAVENPORT

For District Attorney— EARL CONNER, JR. GRADY OWEN (Re-election)

For District Clerk— P. L. CROSSLEY (Re-Election)

For Judge of 88th District Court— B. W. PATTERSON (Re-Election)

For Judge of the 91st District— GEORGE L. DAVENPORT (Re-Election)

For the Texas Legislature, District 107 (Floterial district of Eastland and Callahan Counties): E. M. CURRY CECIL A. LOTIEF

CITY OFFICERS For Justice of the Peace— Precinct No. 6. JOE WILSON (Re-Election)

For Constable— Precinct No. 6. G. C. (GRANT) DANIELS A. L. (LEE) BARTON

Records in County Clerk's Files Show History of Wet and Dry Votes

EASTLAND, April 24.—Following is a complete record of prohibition elections in Eastland county as prepared by County Clerk T. M. Colle from records in his office:

County-Wide Prohibition Elections Dec. 23, 1876—Prohibition, 36; anti, 64; wet majority, 28. Sept. 4, 1880—Prohibition, 33; anti, 98; wet majority, 65. Sept. 12, 1885—Prohibition, 333; anti, 629; wet majority, 96. March 23, 1895—Prohibition, 664; anti, 681; wet majority, 17. April 27, 1897—Prohibition, 835; anti, 1,049; wet majority, 314. Oct. 15, 1901—Prohibition, 1,381; anti, 988; dry majority, 393. Nov. 27, 1903—Prohibition, 1,249; anti, 511; dry majority 738. June 8, 1907—Prohibition, 1,708; anti, 770; dry majority, 938. July 22, 1911—Prohibition, 2,280; anti, 1,084; dry majority, 995. May 24, 1919—Prohibition, 928; anti, 525; dry majority, 403. Aug. 26, 1933—For 3.2 beer, 1,495; against, 1,666; dry majority, 171.

April 18, 1936—For 14 percent beer, 2,358; against, 2,198; wet majority, 160.

PRECINCT ELECTIONS Pre. 1, Eastland City Only June 9, 1877—Prohibition, 14; anti, 9; dry majority, 5.

March 17, 1894—Eastland city only—Prohibition, 37; anti, 82; wet majority, 45.

March 1, 1891 (Entire Pre. 1)—Prohibition, 64; anti, 78; wet majority, 14.

Justice Precinct No. 2 Sept. 6, 1881 (Merriman)—Prohibition, 29; anti, 15; dry majority, 14.

Dec. 11, 1882, (Ranger)—Prohibition, 27; anti, 28; wet majority, 1.

June 7, 1890, (Ranger and Merriman)—Prohibition, 55; anti, 66; wet majority, 11.

Sept. 3, 1892, (Ranger city)—Prohibition, 81; anti, 87; wet majority, 6.

March 26, 1898, (Ranger school district)—Prohibition, 56; anti, 32; dry majority, 24.

March 17, 1900, (Ranger school district)—Prohibition, 54; anti, 33; dry majority, 21.

Justice Precinct No. 8 April 19, 1879, (Desdemona)—Prohibition, 9; anti, 54; wet majority, 45.

Sept. 12, 1882—Prohibition, 55; anti, 44; dry majority, 11.

Dec. 22, 1883—Prohibition, 62; anti, 42; dry majority, 20.

March 14, 1885—Prohibition, 73; anti, 53; dry majority, 20.

March 18, 1887—Prohibition, 13; anti, 57; wet majority, 44.

July 21, 1894—Prohibition, 66; anti, 52; dry majority, 14.

Sept. 23, 1897—Prohibition, 43; anti, 64; wet majority, 21.

June 8, 1901—Prohibition, 71; anti, 56; dry majority, 15.

Carbon School District July 12, 1897—Prohibition, 34; anti, 43; wet majority, 9.

Sept. 2, 1901—Prohibition, 62; anti, 37; dry majority, 25.

Gorman Precinct No. 15 Sept. 4, 1897—Prohibition, 70; anti, 110; wet majority, 40.

City of Gorman April 21, 1894—Prohibition, 68; anti, 39; dry majority, 29.

Justice Precinct No. 7 Jan. 24, 1885, (Rising Star)—Prohibition, 76; anti, 60; dry majority, 16.

Justice Precinct No. 6 Feb. 1, 1894, (Cisco City only)—Prohibition, 162; anti, 144; dry majority, 18.

July 15, 1899, (Cisco City only)—Prohibition, 319; anti, 272; dry majority, 47.

(This election was held to be illegal by the county court, as the boundaries of the precinct voting were not stated in the petition for the election. A new petition was immediately presented to the court and an election ordered held on Aug. 26, 1899.)

Aug. 26, 1899—Prohibition, 330; anti, 332; wet majority, 2.

June 25, 1897—Prohibition, 230; anti, 241; wet majority, 11.

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avenue, over which Highway One traverses the city, will be decorated for a block each way. The Laguna will be decorated inside and out.

Speakers for the convention have not been definitely selected, it was announced. Information on the entertainment contest, in which each club in the district will furnish a feature of entertainment in a contest for first, second and third prizes, has been sent to all of these clubs, it was reported. Instructions for participating in the bathing revue have also been sent, the committee was told. This revue will be held at 10 o'clock on the evening of the first day and will follow a barbecue to take place at the Cisco Country Club. It will be followed by a dance.

Banquets Arranged

Menus and locations for the various luncheons and banquets were also approved. There will be two model Lions luncheons on the first day. A breakfast for presidents and another for secretaries of the various clubs will be held the morning of the second day. At noon of the second the climax of the convention program will occur with the district governor's banquet at the Lake Cisco pavilion.

Plans for registration were outlined and approved by the committee. Registration will begin at the Laguna Monday afternoon, June 15, and continue through the convention.

Lady Lions of the Cisco club will cooperate with the club in

the program for entertaining visiting Lady Lions, it was announced. This entertainment will probably include a bridge tournament at the Cisco Country club and an automobile tour of the city and environs. The women may participate in the luncheons, banquets and other sessions of the convention with the men, it was agreed.

Program Approved

The official program for the convention was approved. It will be a non-profit program, with no advertisements, and paid for entirely by the club. Pictures of the international president, district governor and others, the detailed convention program and other information pertinent to the convention will be included.

Letters have been sent to all members of Lions clubs in the district inviting them to attend the convention, while the Chamber of Commerce and Junior Chamber of Commerce were reported to have agreed to sponsor similar letters of invitation. A third letter will be sent by the Lions club shortly before the time for the convention to open.

Finances for the convention and for the club regularly were reported in good condition.

Those present were Mr. Dyer, general chairman; S. H. Nance, club president and ex-officio member of the committee; J. A. Bearman, convention finance chairman; Horace Condeley, music and arrangements for speakers; A. G. Tuttle, program chairman; E. L. Smith, ladies entertainment; W. J. Leach, registration; W. H. LaRoque, publicity; Dallas Wales, banquets and luncheons; Charles Sandler, decorations, and Joe Burnam, secretary.

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Golden Rain--

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4) "As for the rest of it, Iris's act as an ingenue, ask Allan about that! Iris could go off to the Chateau with him and get back at ten in the morning, and it was just one of her sweet old-world ways."

"You really have a rather dreadful temper. If you force me to frankness, that was why I rather shielded off from our delightful friendship." He lifted an amused eyebrow at Iris, wooing her to share the joke with him. "I have never really cared whether Iris was a talented ingenue, or Madame Phina's right bower in what I agree with you is a magnificent

climbing campaign. She simply seemed to me the least boring person I ever met, and I admit it grew on me." "You gave us both to understand you wanted to marry us," said Georgia uncompromisingly. "And you feel, as usual," said Mrs. Morgan, "that there is no wrong or right, and why should people bother Allan Beckley?

Have you nothing more to say for Iris than that?" "There's nothing more he needs to say!" Iris said stonily. She pushed away Allan's outstretched, lace-ruffled hand. "I can defend myself. I supposed the whole party was going to the Chateau. The differential broke. We waited a long time for the rest. Finally I made Allan hire a car and take me home. His attitude was

that I was a little prude. I thought I was able to deal with a world I'd never lived in, and I was wrong. That's all, Mrs. Morgan." "If you have told the truth about one thing you have about all," said Mrs. Morgan. "Now go on with the rehearsal. As Camilla says, you must go through with it. Camilla can get in touch with your friends for you. If Mr. Black doesn't turn up, we will simply cut your act. Otherwise you will perform. Come, Camilla."

The old lady turned and went out, followed by the other girls. Allan lingered, both hands out, smiling at Iris.

"Iris, darling child!" Someone called down the corridor. "Miss Lanning! Miss Lanning's act!"

"It's my act," she said to Allan, as she would have to an acquaintance.

"Iris, darling—Iris, you don't understand." "I do—for the first time," she said. She put him aside and went out to the corridor, and swiftly on the stage in all her coquettish finery. The music played for her. But all she could hear, as she began to smile and sing, was Sigrid Swenson's high sharp voice saying, "Trouble? You don't know what trouble is; you won't till a man lets you down."

The twenty minutes Iris was on seemed forever. Finally she got off.

Camilla, steady as old Time, waited for her. "I got Mr. Black," she said. "I thought it would save time." (Copyright, 1935, Margaret Widdemer)

Morgan Black enters this incredible mess, Sunday.

Unlucky Sneeze Is Cause for Arrest

WARSAW, April 24.—A sneeze at the wrong moment, plus an alert traffic policeman, ruined the act for 15-year-old Jozek Teleman.

Determined to drive his father's car, Jozek purchased a false



mustache which he thought would make him look at least 17, the age limit for driving.

Everything went well until an unsuspecting traffic policeman signalled a halt and Jozek sneezed right in front of him.

The glue gave way and the mustache fell in his lap. Jozek's father paid the fine.

Interscholastic League Meet to Be Held May 1, 2

AUSTIN, April 24.—Ranking contestants from all sections of Texas will gather here May 1 and 2 to vie with each other for state honors in the 26th annual state meet of the University of Texas Interscholastic league.

The final contestants in the league, an organization sponsored in one of the bureaus of the University Extension division, are being brought rapidly to a conclusion, according to T. H. Shelby, dean of the extension division.

Nearly 6,000 schools joined the league this year, and county meets were held in 236 counties of the state, Dean Shelby said.

These initial meets were concluded during the month of March and the first week end in April. Last Saturday concluded all of the 32 district meets, which admitted only those contestants who had qualified in one or another of the county meets. The coming week end will see the district winners from the 32 district meets gather together for competitions in eight regional centers in various sections of the state. It is in these meets that high school and rural school pupils will qualify for the state meet which is held in Austin May 1 and 2.

The following contests are held in all of these meets, and state championships will be decided in the final state meet: Debate; declamation; extemporaneous speech; ready writing; reading; writing; arithmetic (called 3-R contest); one-act play; typewriting; art in three divisions: color, charcoal, and modelling; journalism—five different contests; tennis; track and field.

"There will be hardly a county in the state not represented in this great final meet, and about two thousand contestants and delegates will be assembled for two days strenuous competition," Dean Shelby said.

Some of the stories say French and German troops are within a rifle shot of each other; others, within a pistol shot. The need of the hour is to keep some fool from trying to find out which is right.—Norfolk Virginia-Pilot.

Abilene Co-Ops Name New Set of Officers

ABILENE, April 24.—Directors of the newly formed Producer-Consumer Co-operative society, in session Thursday afternoon at the co-op filling station on Oak street, elected L. A. Groene president of the board. C. F. Hill was named vice-president and E. M. McCoy secretary-treasurer. Resignation of J. Walter Hammond as a board member was accepted, and John Curb of Merkel was elected to succeed him.

The charter of the society was executed and is to be mailed to Austin today. Incorporation will be for \$100,000, divided between 10,000 shares of common stock at \$5 per share and 50,000 shares of preferred at \$1 each.

A campaign to sell stock to 2,000 farmers of this vicinity was mapped.

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Eastland High Will Graduate 52 May 25

EASTLAND, April 24.—Fifty-two members of the senior class of the Eastland high school are candidates for diplomas at the commencement which is scheduled for May 25, according to a listing released by W. G. Womack, principal.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday, May 24, in the high school auditorium by Rev. Fred C. Eastham, pastor of the First Baptist church, with Miss Wilda Drago in charge of the music.

The senior class is composed of 21 girls and 33 boys.

DEFIES SUPERSTITION SAVANNAH, Ga. (AP)—Billy Saffold likes the numeral "13" despite the legend attached to it. The number was on his sweat-shirt when he covered a three-mile course in 17 minutes, 30.5 seconds to win Savannah high school's annual cake race.

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FRESH SPINACH, Pound	7c	1 BABO, Regular Size	1c
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Golden Rain

by Margaret Wildemer

Iris Lanning, from small town Persia, Pa., is a great success in New York and on Long Island with the proper people. She is about to make the Junior League and she is an honored performer at old Mrs. Morgan's annual Charity concert. The only thing is that she takes everybody at their face value, including her climbing Aunt Phina. She believes Alan Beckley is really in love with her, and she discounts the comings of Georgia Blair, a very dangerous and waspish young woman.

Chapter 36 SCENE

As the days went on, Iris thought she saw a difference in Owen toward Camilla, a growing friendliness, at least.

The afternoon dress rehearsal for the Anna Lispenard concert—or revue—was nearly as important as the actual thing. In some ways, indeed, more so, for attendance was by invitation. Iris had become used enough to it all to forget its connotations. She was recalled to all it meant to Phina by seeing her sweep down the stairs.

When Phina said, taking a long cape from Honora, "This means social acceptance, Iris, I hope you realize it. I'm proud of you, dear," she only smiled.

Honora, behind them, spoke quietly.

"Only the love of God and the

will to do well count, Miss Phina."

"I don't know why I keep you, Honora," Phina said sharply.

Honora smiled. "Who would you have to cry on, acushla?" she said unperturbed, and smoothed the cape around her mistress's shoulders.

Iris knew by now how to get into her rose and black 1870 Worth costume and the others, by herself. She was standing before the glass at the hall, adjusting the quaint small hat with its bright rose and black velvet streamers, Camilla watching her from a chair against the wall, when someone knocked at the door and entered without waiting for a word.

"I've brought Miss Mary Dorrien, the cousin of a friend of mine, to meet you," Georgia said silkily, pulling forward a thin timid-looking elderly lady in dowdy black. "This is Josephine Ross-niece, Miss Dorrien."

Miss Dorrien appeared still more frightened, and murmured something.

"I've sent for Mrs. Morgan," Georgia pursued.

"Georgia—Georgia, my dear—the unhappy Miss Dorrien tried to leave, with a bleated excuse. But the door opened again and Mrs. Morgan, wearily and disheveled, with Allan behind her in the white satin of his chorus number, appeared.

"What can I do for you, Georgia?" she asked, none too cordi-

ally. "Please be quick; I want to get back to the committee. . . Ah, Mary. Back from France?"

"I brought her up here," said Georgia, getting between the poor flurried lady and the door, "because she remembers the two Ross girls and their cousin, Honora McGrath, when they came over from Ireland in the steerage thirty years ago. Honora was old Mrs. George Dorrien's housemaid and Josephine was her sewing-maid. Jean, Iris's mother, had a seamstress' position at first with some other family—I think it was the Golets—and then went out sewing by the day. As you prefer to believe Iris Lanning's unsupported word about her mother's phony Southern ancestors, to mine, I had to wait till I could catch a witness. I suppose you'll believe Cousin Mary Dorrien."

"Georgia, now, Georgia," gasped poor Miss Mary, "it isn't a disgrace to have earned an honest living. They were sweet good girls."

Iris stood for the moment frozen to silence by all this. As Georgia said, who would believe the fact that nobody ever had told her; that she had never even

known about Phina and Owen's existence until this year?"

Courage from somewhere came up to carry her. She faced Mrs. Morgan's unmoved waiting eyes, Allan's watching face under the white Colonial wig.

"It is true that I didn't know who and what my mother was. My father's people never told me, even, that I had a brother and an aunt over here. I can't expect you to take my word, a stranger among you. But I give it to you."

And still Allan stood facing her, smiling a little, silent, away from her. Allan, who had said softly, "When are you going to make me happy?"—Allan, who had singled her out, who was her lover.

But as she stood there in her rose and black 1870 finery, feeling more outcast and betrayed than she had known anyone could feel, Camilla's strong arm came around her waist, Camilla's steady voice spoke.

"Mrs. Morgan, do you want proof?"

The old lady spoke for the first time. "Under the circumstances, I have to ask for it. I disapprove

of Miss Blair's methods, but she is right."

"Iris, think. You can find someone to witness that you didn't know about all this. The uncle and aunt who didn't tell you. Could you get them here before the concert tonight?"

She raised her head. "I can do better than that. There's a man who boards with my uncle, Mr. Black. He knows I thought I had no mother and brother when he came. He was up in the attic helping me open a trunk; he heard my aunt, Miss Lanning, telling me about it when

I found the things inside. Though, naturally, after this I shall withdraw my name from the League and not sing in the concert."

Camilla held her fast. "Not you. You'll go through with it."

"Naturally you'd stand up for her, you fool," said Georgia furiously. "She did a good job for you. She managed it so Owen broke with that Silverwheels girl he is in love with yet, and flung him into your hands on the rebound."

The arm Camilla had around

Iris quivered, but Camilla spoke on steadily.

"Iris doesn't scheme. If that's true—I suppose you mean girl he brought to All— it's my fault for showing her so plainly I cared. And I deal with it later." Georgia went on more shrilly

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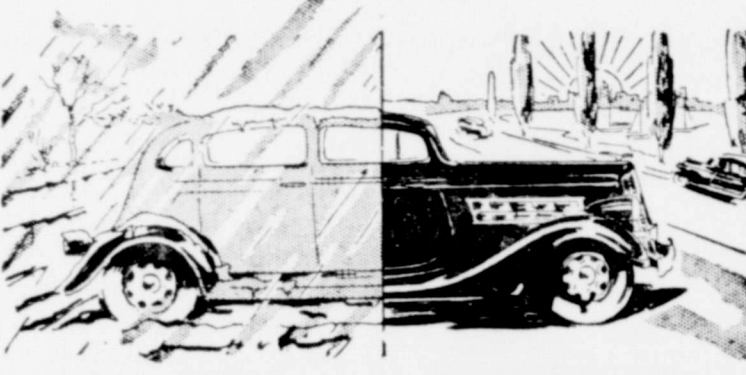
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THE CLANCY KIDS Evidently There Was No Team Work. By PERCY L. CROSBY



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Ben Webster's Page

BY EDWIN ALGER

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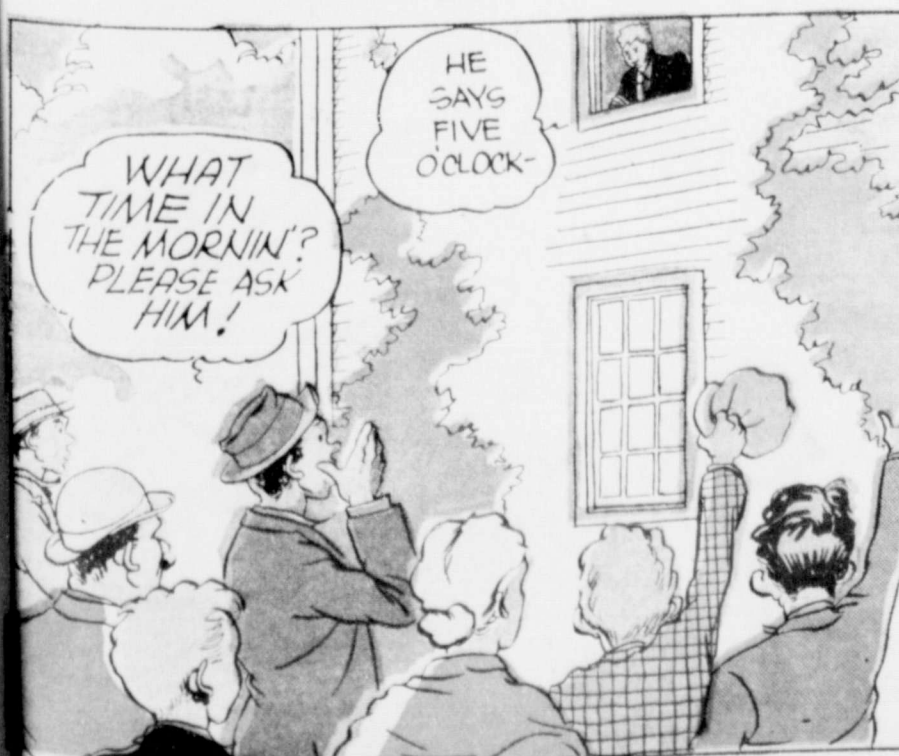
OLD CAP'N AVERY WOULDN'T TAKE SERIOUSLY THE STATEMENT OF BEN AND ELMER THAT THEY'D HAD A HARD TIME SPENDING THE MONEY HE'D GIVEN THEM—



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Friendly Twelve Are Guests of C. E. Moores

The Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore Thursday evening for the regular meeting. Roses and pot plants were used to decorate the rooms and delicious homemade candies were served during the games. High scores went to Mrs. Ray Haley and E. C. McClelland and lows to Mrs. Moore and Jimmie Allen.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haley, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland, Mrs. Sam King, Jimmie Allen and the hosts.

Mrs. Dean Hostess To Thursday Club

Mrs. T. J. Dean was hostess to the members of the Thursday Forty-Two club and a few guests Thursday afternoon at her home on West Seventh street. Pink and white roses, larkspur and bluebonnets formed the floral decorations in the living room and dining room.

Mrs. W. H. LaRoque made high score for the club members and Mrs. J. E. Spencer was high for the guests. A salad course was served to Mesdames William Reagan, J. W. Mancill, Connie Davis, Charles Hale, G. M. Stephenson, J. T. McKissick, P. P. Shepard, W. H. LaRoque, J. T. Berry, J. B. Cate, H. C. Henderson, Joe Wilson, Neal Turner, George D. Fee, P. Pettit, W. P. Lee, W. W. Moore, J. E. Spencer, J. J. Butts and Miss Ardie Smith of Austin.

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Junior Music Lovers To Hold Open House

The Junior Music Lovers club will hold open house at the Woman's club house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The mothers and friends are invited to attend.

Couple Married At Home of Joe Wilson

Miss Hettie Mae Stephens was married to Earl Free at the home of Joe Wilson last night at 11 o'clock, with Justice Wilson officiating.

Personals

Joe Lattimore of Abilene was transacting business here today.

Clyde Mancill has returned from a visit in Dallas.

Mrs. Jack Dennis of Moran was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morgan of Ranger visited Mrs. Vardie Osburn Friday.

Mrs. W. S. Poe of Eastland was in Cisco today.

Ray Smith is transacting business in Dallas.

Mrs. J. L. Douglasa of Moran was the guest of friends here Friday.

Mrs. T. L. Criswell and Miss Myrtle Criswell have returned to their home in Marlin after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Henson expect to spend Saturday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Moorman and Mrs. George Smith are guests of Mrs. Ray Smith, enroute to Houston from Hobbs, N. Mexico.

Mrs. Virgil Morris and Mrs. Crawford of Moran were shopping in Cisco today.

Specs---

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Unemployed in U. S. 20,000,000
Leaving to work 18,000,000
Engaged in Public Work
Employment 10,000,000
Left to produce 8,000,000
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Miss Armstrong Is Honored With Informal Supper

One of the most enjoyable parties honoring Miss Jourdine Armstrong, bride-elect of Mr. Ray Miller, was an informal supper and crystal shower given by Mrs. Talbert Lockhead Thursday evening at her home, 1010 West Seventh street.

Throughout the house masses of red and white roses were used. The guests were seated at small tables, which were laid with linen and centered with roses in the predominating colors. The place cards were clever little double wedding rings of china on which perched a pair of doves. All appointments were in crystal and silver. During the supper hour a uniformed messenger arrived bringing an attractively wrapped gift for the honoree, her mother, Mrs. W. J. Armstrong and her fiance's mother, Mrs. W. M. Miller.

The guest list included Misses Armstrong, Lillian Shertzer, Mary Elizabeth Cliett, Marguerite Spencer, Adele Anderson, Martha Coleman, Harriett Angus, Laura Rupe, Mignon Clark, Delfrancis Miller, Olga Faye Ford and Mesdames W.

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"Sniffers" Probe For Leaks in Gas Lines

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Gas sniffers, known as members of the bar gang, constantly probe under Dallas streets and buildings for leaking gas.

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BOS'N HAL

SEA SCOUT

by LIEUT. COMDR. F.V. MARTINEK, U.S.N.R. and L.A. BERO TH

THE DIRIGIBLE IS SAILING STEADILY NORTHWARD IN THE DIFFICULT SEARCH FOR VOLCANIC ISLAND-- THAT MYSTERIOUS, TROPICAL LAND OF GOLD BELIEVED TO EXIST UP IN THE ARCTIC WASTES --

BUT ANOTHER EXPEDITION IS ALSO ON ITS WAY --- MELVIN HORN'S SHIP IS PUSHING FAR UP INTO THE ICE OF BAFFIN'S BAY

MY FEARS SEEM TO BE CONFIRMED! I'M BECOMING CONVINCED THAT JETT BLACK IS LEADING THE CREW IN A PLOT TO MURDER ME AND SEIZE THE GOLD OF VOLCANIC ISLAND FOR THEMSELVES

HOW CAN I ESCAPE?

THUMP! THUMP!

COME IN!

MISTER HORN, THE ICE IS CLOSING IN ON US AHEAD!

WE'LL SOON BE COMPLETELY FROZEN IN!

THEN THE TIME'S COME TO PLAY OUR TRUMP CARD!

GAZING INTENTLY ADMIRAL JONES MAKES OUT A STRANGE GROUP OF BARREN PEAKS IN A MOUNTAIN RANGE BELOW --

THE WEATHER IS FAIR -- WE'LL UNSHIP OUR BIG PLANE AND TAKE OFF AT ONCE ON A FLIGHT TO VOLCANIC ISLAND!

IN THE ELLEN BELL'S LOG THERE'S THIS PASSAGE, SIR -- "TODAY, HEADING DUE NORTH, WE SAW HIGH, BARREN MOUNTAIN PEAKS TO THE WEST -- THE THREE HIGHEST PEAKS LOOK LIKE HUMAN FIGURES"

THIS UNEXPECTED TURN IS A PIECE OF LUCK FOR ME -- BLACK THINKS I SUSPECT NOTHING-- I SEE A CHANCE NOW TO KEEP THE UPPER HAND!

MEANWHILE FAR TO THE NORTH A BRIGHT LOOKOUT IS BEING CONSTANTLY KEPT ABOARD THE AIRSHIP--

ADMIRAL, I'VE SPOTTED SOMETHING DOWN THERE -- ABOUT THREE POINTS ON OUR STARBOARD BOW

SPLENDID, HAL! YOU'VE FOUND A REAL LANDMARK--

WE'RE HEADED STRAIGHT TOWARD OUR GOAL-- WE'RE GOING TO WIN!

BOS'N HAL'S NOTEBOOK-- PAGE 2.

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