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MORAN CHILD S KILLED ON HIGHWAY

Year-Old Tot Dies Instantly When Hit by Automobile

Funeral services for 4-year-old Maude Collinsworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Collinsworth, who was killed on Highway 23 about a mile north of Moran yesterday, were to be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the Christian church at Moran. The accident occurred yesterday afternoon.

The tot died instantly when struck by a car occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hart of Albany. Mr. Hart was driving. Witnesses said that the child ran suddenly across the highway and that the accident was unavoidable.

Registered Gilt to Be Given Club Boys

Eight purebred registered gilts will be given to 4-H club boys of Blaine county by Sears Roebuck and company, according to John A. Wright, assistant county agent.

In order for a 4-H club boy to qualify for one of these gilts, he must write and submit an essay entitled, "Advantages of the Sears Roebuck and Company's Cowdog-Hen Plan." The essay must have a maximum of 500 words. Each essay must be accompanied with an agreement blank, which is available in the county agent's office. The agreement blank must be signed by the boy and his parents in which they agree to feed, care for, breed the gilt properly, and return to the county agent for similar distribution the following year one choice lamb of North Hill from the first litter on or after New Mexico over the age of ten weeks.

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'Yugoslav Street Demonstration in Belgrade'



The above caption, approved by German censor, accompanied this, the first picture to reach the United States on the tense situation in Belgrade following overthrow of pro-Axis government. Radioed from Berlin to New York.

CRASH VICTIM IDENTIFIED AS MARION COX

The name of the man, driver of one of the cars, killed in a collision of automobiles just east of Cisco early Monday morning has been definitely established as Marion Cox, the Green Funeral home announced today. The man, driver of a Wright Travel bureau car in which six persons were riding, was first identified as L. L. Morrison from papers carried in his pockets. Last night, however, a Mrs. Wright and a truck driver, James Adams, who had known Marion Cox for a long time, identified the body as that of Cox.

Two sons of the dead man, Wayne and Glen Cox, left Los Angeles last night to come to Cisco. They are expected sometime Sunday. Disposition of the body awaits their arrival.

All-Negro Flying School Progresses

TUSKOGEE, Ala., April 4 (AP)—Collegians swiftly sprouting wings at this old institute are convinced they'll win most of the 33 pilot assignments when the army's first all-negro air unit—the 99th pursuit squadron—is activated here Oct. 1.

The 99th is moving a long step nearer reality this month with the recruiting of the 276-man ground crew from among high school graduates who must pass special aptitude tests. Selection of these men is expected to take only a few weeks.

Choir Practice At Church Tonight

Members of the choir of the First Baptist church were reminded of a special rehearsal at the church this evening at 7:30. Every member was urged to attend.

HAIR 'POISON' SOUGHT

WASHINGTON, April 4 (AP)—Federal agents moved swiftly Thursday to clear beauty salons in an undetermined number of cities of a heatless permanent waving preparation declared by the federal food and drug administration to contain a "dangerous poison."

WORKER CHARGED

HOUSTON, April 4 (AP)—A charge of sabotage with intent to injure or obstruct national defense was filed here Thursday against Tom Bolton of Galveston former chief civilian mechanic in the construction of Camp Wallace at Hitchcock, Galveston county.

Ford Company Gets Injunction Against Strikers

(By the Associated Press) A federal judge issued last night a temporary injunction forbidding the CIO and its United Auto Workers affiliate from interfering with or molesting workers going into or leaving the huge River Rouge plant of the Ford Motor company.

The injunction, which said that there was a "great emergency," was issued a few hours after violence again had occurred at the gate of the strike-bound plant.

In granting the injunction, Judge Arthur J. Tuttle denied a second plea of Ford motor company that the injunction also name the communist party. The union protested that company charges made in the application were incorrect because at the time mentioned there was "no interference with anyone."

The court order was issued at a time when reports were current that a basis for "successful mediation" of the dispute had been reached.

There were indications during the day that an agreement also was near for resumption of soft coal mining.

In Washington, meantime, Secretary of War Stimson hinted that the government was studying the question of taking over and operating the strike-bound Allis-Chalmers plant in Milwaukee which has \$45,000,000 in defense orders.

He expressed belief the war department was "equipped" to operate the plant, and after asserting that strikes were "getting rather worse," declared that "Uncle Sam's patience" should not be misconstrued for weakness.

Another Washington development was a prediction by Rep. McCormack of Massachusetts, the democratic leader, that President Roosevelt would speak out on the defense strikes situation.

At the White House, it was said that Mr. Roosevelt was "waiting and watching." He had indicated earlier this week that he would wait to see what success the new defense mediation board had before considering further action with regard to strikes.

Thus far, six strikes have been turned over to the mediation board and it has settled five. The sixth is the 10-week-old strike at Allis-Chalmers.

Selectees Called To Report April 10

The following is a list of selectees called to report from Eastland county for Fort Bliss, El Paso, on April 8: Jack Raymond Woods, 701 W. Commerce, Eastland; Willie Earl Casey, 1023 W. Main, Eastland; Raymond Arthur Long, Route 2, Cisco; Woodrow Wilson Seabourne, Route 2, Box 24, Cisco; Edgar Clayton Pence, Route 1, Cisco; Dorman Granson Loper, Star Route, Carbon; Eddie Travis Bryan, Star Route, Carbon; and William Atlas Isbell, Route 2, Gorman.

NAZI BOMBERS BLAST LONDON IN TWO RAIDS

LONDON, April 4 (AP)—German bombers sharply attacked a west country sector for several hours last night and early today and subjected London to two night alarms without bombing the capital.

Heavy anti-aircraft fire beat off the western attack, witnesses said. Other raiders fanned out over several other parts of England and Wales.

Old Paper Is Ironic Memento of Civil War

AUSTIN, April 4 (Sp)—An ironic memento of the confederacy's most tragic year—a small, single-sheet newspaper which is one of the greatest rarities of American journalism—has just been presented to the Archives of the University of Texas library here.

It is a copy of the Vicksburg Daily Citizen dated Thursday, July 2, 1863, prepared by a confederate proprietor but actually printed by Yankee soldiers on the day of the fall of the city, July 4.

It was given to the university library by Mrs. E. C. Barker of Austin, who received it from her mother, Mrs. Edith Pye Weeden.

Printed on the back of new-faded wall paper because of a scarcity of newsprint, the Barker copy has been verified as a genuine original by the library of congress and is reported to be one of the only three known copies with the name misspelled DAILY CITIZEN.

By July 2, 1863, Gen. U. S. Grant's siege of Vicksburg had almost succeeded in starving out the defenders of the city. That day's Citizen reveals the serious problem, but the editor chose to look on the bright side of it.

"We are indebted to Major Gillespie," he wrote, "for a steak of confederate beef alias meat. We have tried it, and can assure our friends that if it is rendered necessary, the need have no scruples at eating the meat. It is sweet, savory and tender, and so long as we have a mule left we are satisfied our soldiers will be content to subsist on it."

In another paragraph he remarked that two gentlemen had killed and eaten a "venerable feline" and "assure us the meat was delicious, and that pussy must look out for her safety."

He joked, too, about the boast of "the great Ulysses—the Yankee Generalissimo, surnamed Grant" that he would dine in Vicksburg on Saturday, July 4. "Ulysses must get into the city before he dines in it," the editor taunted. "The

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BRITISH ARMY QUITS PORT OF BENGASI

Withdrawal Described As In Line With Policy

CAIRO, April 4 (AP)—British general headquarters announced early today that the army of the Nile had withdrawn from Bengasi, important Libyan seaport, but had inflicted "considerable casualties on personnel and tanks" of axis mechanized forces.

A headquarters' communique said: "In face of the determined advance of strong Italo-German forces, disposing numerous tanks, and in pursuance of the policy so successfully adopted at Sidi Barrani of waiting to choose our own battleground, our light covering detachments have been withdrawn to selected concentration areas."

"In the course of this withdrawal, the town of Bengasi has been evacuated after all captured military stores and equipment had been destroyed.

"Bengasi is indefensible from a military point of view and it has not been used by us as a port.

"As in the autumn of 1940, the enemy is evidently seeking propaganda success at the expense of stretching still farther its already extended line of communications. In their withdrawal our troops have already inflicted on the enemy considerable casualties in personnel and in tanks."

Even while this was announced, British officers at the middle east headquarters were openly optimistic about the prospects of an early finish of the east African campaign, in which the Red sea port of Massaua remains the only Eritrean city still held by the Italians and the British are closing in on Addis Ababa, capital of Ethiopia, from several directions.

However, London dispatches said the abandonment of Bengasi jolted the British public and in London military circles there was unpleasant surprise at the evacuation which followed so closely British reports minimizing progress of the German-Italian column.

The loss of Bengasi made incongruous reading alongside the news reports of spectacular east African triumphs over Italy.

Neutral military observers in Lisbon termed the Italo-German operation in Cirenaica primarily a diversion but said that it might develop into a major drive if the axis found British resistance weak and if the Germans were able to substantially reinforce troops sent to Africa.

Before announcing the withdrawal from Bengasi, the British said imperial forces had given up the town of Agedabia, some 80 miles south of Bengasi, and between 75 and 80 miles of worthless desert.

Bengasi, capital of the province of the same name, is a railroad and communice center, and one of the best African harbors on the Mediterranean. The Italians considered it part of their national territory.

In Berlin a military commentator declared the axis thrust was "the first time German land troops have had a real tussle with the British army since the days of Dunkerque." However, the Berlin announcement said only the axis force was about 20 miles north of Agedabia, or some 60 miles from Bengasi.

Knights Templar To Have Special Services Easter

The Cisco Commandery Knights Templar will hold special services at the temple on Easter Sunday morning, dismissing early so that members may attend their own Sunday school and church services.

The message will be brought by W. F. Walker, and a special song service will be under the direction of George Boyd.

It was emphasized that the meeting is open to the public.

Violence Continues at Ford Plant



Four C. I. O. U. A. W. strikers administering a beating to a non-striking Ford Motor company worker to prevent his entering the huge River Rouge plant at Detroit.

Class Observes Annual Senior Day In Ft. Worth

The high school senior class, accompanied by the sponsors, Miss Billie Bishop, Mrs. Minnie Hill, Miss Elizabeth Daniel, and C. C. Duff, left early this morning for Fort Worth, where they will observe annual "senior day."

They expect to make a tour of Mrs. Baird's bakery, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram plant, W. B. A. P. broadcasting station, Globe Laboratories, and the airport. Plans have also been made to attend some picture show and skating rink during the afternoon.

The return trip will be made tonight.

Brother Arrives In Nick of Time

WACO, April 4 (AP)—Will Rogers, Baylor university psychology teacher, was explaining to members of the forum, a Baylor law school organization, how to influence a jury.

"If my brother were here," he said, "he could explain it more in detail."

The door opened and in came Hamilton Rogers, his brother, a graduate of the Texas university law school and a practicing Fort Worth attorney, whom he had not seen for over a year.

Camp Bowie Area Is 'Invaded'

SAN ANTONIO, April 4 (AP)—The maneuver area of the Eighth army corps, 25 miles south of Brownwood, was "invaded" Wednesday by 3,000 officers and men of the 23d infantry, under command of Col. C. K. Nulson.

The regiment rolled out of Fort Sam Houston early Wednesday in 107 trucks, and a command car.

The regiment will be in the field until April 19. The exercises are part of a series of maneuvers for smaller units in preparation for the third army maneuvers at latter part of the summer.

Religious Education Director Arrives

Miss Ruby McDurmon, formerly of Fort Smith, Arkansas, has arrived to assume the position of director of religious education for the Fort Worth and Brownwood Presbyteries. While directing the two districts, Miss McDurmon will make her home in Cisco.

ONLY THREE CANDIDATES FOR TRUSTEES

School Officials Hope for Large Vote Despite No Contests

Only three candidates are on the ballot for election tomorrow to as many places on the school board which became vacant with the expiration of the terms of Mrs. N. A. Brown, Mrs. Sam Kimmell and Mrs. P. R. Warwick. The three retiring members are candidates to succeed themselves.

The election will be held at the city hall and R. W. Mancill will be judge. Assistants will be Mrs. R. B. Carrwell and Charles Hartman.

School officials expressed hope today that, despite the absence of any contest, there would be a large vote cast. They pointed out that the size of a vote has a great deal to do with the confidence of the board in the public sentiment behind the operation of the schools and that a large vote would be encouraging to the board.

The polls will open at 8 o'clock and close at 7 as required by law.

LORRAINE MAN TO BE CISCO ASSISTANT

LORRAINE, April 4 (Sp)—Clemmons (Beans) McCasland, for two years head coach at Loraine high school, resigned this week to accept a position as assistant football mentor at Cisco.

He is expected to assume the reins at Cisco this week. A successor will be named here within a few days.

McCasland came to Loraine after graduation from McMurry college, where he was a three letter man both in football and basketball.

School officials said here that selection of an assistant coach had been delegated to a special committee of the school board and that employment of Mr. McCasland probably had been done by this committee, subject to formal approval of the board at the next meeting. No official announcement of the selection has been made here.

The new coach would succeed Johnny Edwards, resigned to become athletic director for the Ranger NYA center.

Revival Starts At Church Of Christ Thursday

A spring revival series, to continue through Easter Sunday, began Thursday evening at the Church of Christ, with a splendid attendance. Services are to be conducted each evening by Leroy Brownlow of the Vickery Boulevard Church of Christ in Fort Worth.

Subject of the sermon last night was "Christian Growth," and tonight will be "The Treasure in Earthen Vessels." Interesting subjects will be chosen for the duration of the meeting, and special song services each night will be under the direction of Roy Tuggle.

The local minister, D. Lee Hukel, is in Gorman, where he is conducting revival services scheduled to end Sunday night. After that time he will work with the meeting here. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

Miss Jewel Smith plans to spend the week-end with her father in Texarkana.

Weather

EAST TEXAS: Generally fair over south, partly cloudy to cloudy and cooler over north portion Friday. Saturday partly cloudy, gentle to moderate westerly to northerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with scattered showers east and north portions Friday. Saturday mostly fair. Cooler south and central portions Friday.

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We Are Not at War, and May Not Be

It is not a time to assume, as some impulsively do, that the United States is now practically at war, what with the Lend-Lease act and the seizure of European shipping in American ports.

We are not at war, and we may not be, though there is no longer any question that to support our principles we are taking a desperate risk of war.

We are not neutral in the sense that was understood toward the end of the last and the beginning of this century. At that time, an idea of neutrality began to be built up which meant a rigid impartiality to both sides in a war amounting to indifference.

The World war taught us the extreme difficulty of maintaining any such position.

But Attorney General Robert H. Jackson set before the Inter-American Bar association at Havana the manner in which the concept of neutrality has changed. Grotius, the founder of international law, was cited by Jackson as writing in 1625: "... it is the duty of neutrals to do nothing which may strengthen the side which has the worse cause, or which may impede the motions of him who is carrying on a just war."

Thus the original concept of neutrality was no tone of indifference or even of rigid impartiality. This legalistic idea grew up later with The Hague conferences and other discussions in the late 19th century, out of which grew the idea that once a war was started, the whole world was somehow bound to pass no judgment on which side was right, but to treat both precisely the same.

The years from 1930 to 1940 were a fine demonstration of the folly of such a view of neutrality.

TODAY, any major war affects every country in the world. It is idle and unrealistic for neutrals to pretend disinterest. And until the time comes when a potential aggressor is restrained by the thought that he will find the whole neutral world against him, either actively or passively, there will be small chance that aggressive wars will cease.

We do not approve military aggression. While neutral, we propose to help victims of aggression, and help them effectively. It is not war as we see it. It may, admittedly, lead to war. That is the risk we take, but unless some are willing to take it, there is no road to a world free of the constant overhanging fear of aggression.

Germans are getting a big kick out of the German war film, "Victory in the West." British predict a bigger kick.

An Indiana man was caught with imitation books containing liquor. Probably picked from the best cellars.

That's the Way It is With Timetables, Adolf



Soil Conservation Law Makes General Attack on Erosion Problem Possible

The state soil conservation law enables farmers and ranchers of Texas to launch a cooperative attack on the problem of erosion which for many years has been claiming the state's greatest resource - the soil.

The forces of erosion—wind and water—already have extensively damaged 64,500 acres of Texas soil, according to survey findings. More than 67,500,000 additional acres are suffering slight erosion. All of the 132,000,000 Texas acres attacked by soil erosion should be protected by a complete and coordinated conservation system.

Landowners are authorized by the law to organize and control soil conservation districts for the either fence or catch-as-catch-can. I write shorthand so fast that I have a specially prepared pencil with a platinum point and a water-cooling attachment, noted made of asbestos, ruled with sulphuric acid and stitched with catgut.

purpose of conserving soil and water and adopting good land use practices.

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In 1936 the soil conservation service made a detailed survey of the entire Green Creek project area of 30,235 acres, located near Dublin, which was selected as typical of some 15,000,000 acres of similar land in the Cross Timbers-Grand Prairie soil areas and is representative of conditions in this district. This survey revealed that 44 per cent of the area showed moderate erosion, or less than 25 per cent of the top soil gone; 25 per cent showed serious erosion, or from 25 to 75 per cent of the top soil gone; 12 per cent of 3,620 acres had become eroded to the extent that it was completely destroyed for cultivation.

It was also found that the combined acreage of cultivated land and idle land amounted to 14,126 acres that had at one time been in cultivation. Of this amount 3,926 acres, or 25.6 per cent had been destroyed or damaged by

erosion to the extent that the land could no longer be profitably cultivated.

The damage is not confined to the land which is washed or blown away. Erosion debris from upland cover fertilizes the lowlands and wash into streams, lakes and harbors. Streams and creeks filled with sediment increase flood hazards and streams are rendered unfit for navigation. Spawning beds of fish are destroyed, and the fish population is decreased.

White Rock lake at Dallas during 25 years reduced the storage capacity from 18,158 acre-feet to 14,276 acre-feet, the same agency reported after a survey in 1935.

Both life and property are endangered by road ditch erosion, which tears out raw gullies, bridges, culverts and road surfaces are damaged by runaway water.

Wind erosion is a problem on the soil if it is not protected by crops which leave the soil bare after harvest are grown.

Wind erosion, it has been found, reduces the organic matter two-thirds in the remaining soil.

Surveys have shown that yields have declined when erosion carries away the productive top soil. Lowered production has resulted in reduced farm income and in lowered standards of living.

Economic and erosion surveys were made in 1933 and 1934, respectively, on 187 farms in a Texas watershed. It was found that 58 per cent of the entire area had lost more than half of its top soil.

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BRUCE CATTON'S AMERICAN ROUNDUP

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Construction of food and bird life is another loss occasioned by erosion damage and proper land use.

Improper use of the land brought about erosion and attendant ills, the soil conservation law sets out in listing consequences of erosion.

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I Give You TEXAS

By BOYCE HOUSE

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Despite its brevity, the Cona is declared to have the greatest flow of any stream in the state. Fed by springs, it never fails in the driest season but pours forth an estimated 300,000,000 gallons of water daily, and always at a temperature of 70 degrees.

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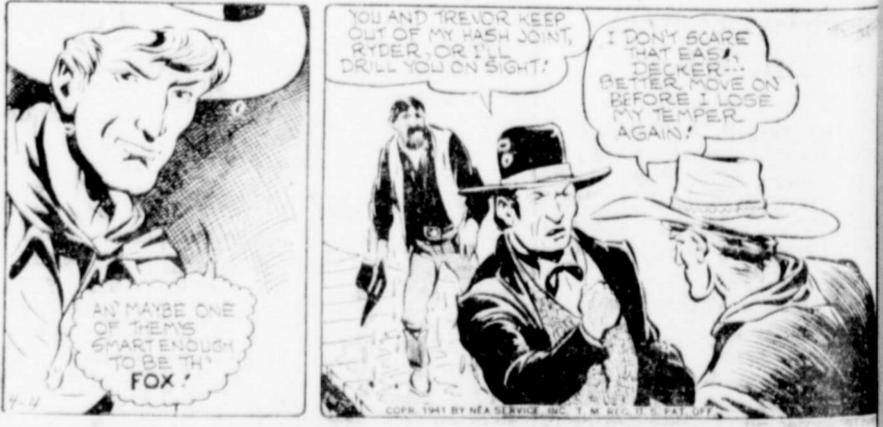
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Jap Minister Confirms With Axis Salute in Rome



Japanese Foreign Minister, Matsuoka, foreground, gives fascist salute to honor guard upon arrival in Rome March 31st. Step behind is Italian Foreign Minister Ciano. Wired Rome to Berlin; radioed Berlin to New York.

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By Ham



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SERIAL STORY DOLLARS TO DOUGHNUTS

BY EDITH ELLINGTON

YESTERDAY: Bee successfully avoids meeting Jenkins but catches the full impact of Miss Dane's anger when she returned to the floor. Bee knows she can't be fired now, pleads for her job. Suddenly Miss Dane bursts into tears, condemns the management that makes her act so sternly, and to Miss Getz: "It wasn't like this in the old days, was it, Getzie?"

DEFEAT FOR AN IDEA CHAPTER XXI
BEATRICE HUNTINGTON DAVENPORT backed off, slowly and unbelievably, from the spectacle of Miss Dane sobbing like a baby, her head on the capacious bosom of Miss Getz. Miss Dane's tortured words rang in her ears. "It wasn't like this in the old days, was it, Getzie?"

This, she thought slowly, this is what's at the root of the whole trouble with this store. Everybody's being driven. The store has become a Frankenstein—running wild on the momentum of its own strength, its own power.

The store made money for Grandfather. But he loved it, too. It was his servant, his child—never his master.

And now it's making more money. Now the love is gone, there's nothing but profit behind it. Profit, no matter what the cost.

She looked down at herself, her hands touched her sides curiously. "The store has been run to make money for me. For me. Because I was useless, because Bruce Sheldrake and the trust company thought it was what I wanted."

A moment later, she denied that to herself. "No! They were doing it for themselves. Because they had the power over it. Because it made them strong and feared. They knew I didn't care. I simply didn't count. I got the money and they had the power."

Her lips tightened, grimly. "That's all over now. I'll show them!"

Miss Dane and Miss Getz had disappeared into the cubicle where Miss Dane worked over her purchasing records. Beatrice decided, "I'm going up to see Mr. Bruce Sheldrake right now!" She marched to the elevator, the light of battle in her eyes.

It leaves him laughing." "How could you have pulled strings, Anthony?" "There are always ways . . . He was striding to the Budget department, and she had to run to keep up with him. "Never mind. Our idea's down a sewer. But I won't give up! I'll get another idea sometime."

BEATRICE realized then that she couldn't march into Bruce Sheldrake's office in the high-handed, devastating manner she had envisioned a moment ago. Something Anthony had said, a moment ago, stuck in her mind. "I want it proved."

She wanted her conclusions about the store proved, too. Just to descend on Mr. Sheldrake, screaming that this store was heartless and unjust, could too easily be put down to a temperamental vagary, she saw slowly. He'd soothe her, he'd get oily and unctuous after she had summoned Mr. Weeming and the president of the trust company. But they'd all be like grownups handling a child in a tantrum. They wouldn't take her seriously.

The indignity of realizing how richly she merited not being taken seriously was like a cold slap of water in her face. "But all they know about me is that I was wildly extravagant, and bought Giannini an airplane and suits and a string of polo ponies. They think I'm spoiled, stupid, and criminally irresponsible."

Unconsciously, she had slowed down her pace behind Anthony through the crowded aisles. She stopped at a counter, now, and stared at a shining chromium toaster. "I've got to do this the hard way, like Anthony. I must have proof. How can I get it?"

THROUGH her mind there whirled half-remembered details of financial reports, profit statements, employ turnover, loss of work hours . . . She couldn't straighten them out and realized, sadly, she wasn't fitted to cope with them.

"I need a lawyer. I need Weemie! But I can't go to him now. He'd think, too, I didn't trust his former stewardship . . . Only Mr. Weeming hadn't had anything to do with the store. That was the trust company, and Mr. Sheldrake. "I need a lawyer. I need a brilliant, honest, humane

lawyer. I need someone to go into every nook and cranny and every single detail of the organization and operation of this store. Accountants, maybe. Personnel experts. Dozens of people . . ."

Grandfather had always said, "Beatrice, the possession of great wealth is a tremendous, a solemn responsibility." She had never believed him. But now she stood at a counter of the store she owned, and tears stung her eyes. A voice inside her sobbed, "Oh, Grand-

father, you were right! What shall I do?"

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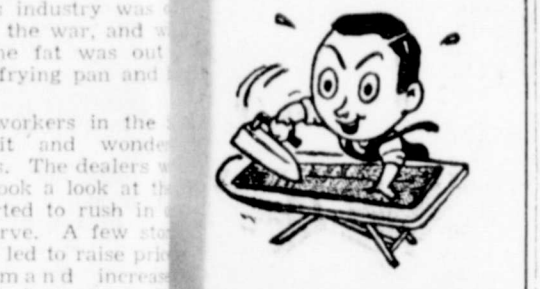
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CLEBURNE, April 4 (Sp)—Mrs. L. C. Cash, Pioneer, was elected president of the First District Congress of Parents and Teachers here Thursday afternoon...

Recent Marriage Of Cisco Girl Is Announced

Announcement has been made of the March 27 marriage of Miss Clara Alice Swiger of Cisco to Mr. Roy McKnight of Snyder...

Philathea Class Has Party At Church Friday

An enjoyable social was attended by members of the Philathea Sunday school class of the First Methodist church in the church basement Thursday evening...

Old Paper--

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