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CHATTERGRAMS BY JEANE SUITS

I have just taken inventory of the family backyard coop in anticipation of a Thanksgiving dinner, but find that it contains nothing but a "fowl" smell. I certainly hope somebody invites me out to lunch or else I won't find much to be thankful over.

Many a roost, barnyard and coop will be raided by enemies of our rural feathered friends, the turks, Thanksgiving. Gobble, gobble, gobble—and so on far into the day such cries will be heard from the fowls who were left behind for the massacre Christmas or New Years. Everybody is happy and grateful on Thanksgiving but the turkeys who have to bear the responsibility of the fun. You know parents never enjoy Christmas as much as the children because they have to play Santa Claus!

In reading the exchange papers this week I noticed where Willard Bright of the Gaines County News has started a column called, "Just for Variety" (Nothing about Anything.) Now my country friend, did you really say nothing about anything or was it anything about nothing. The question is, did you have a subject upon which to say nothing or was the subject nothing upon which most anything might be said???

Archibald, the country printer, in the Hale Center American, got all inspired last week and gave some definitions of a small town that could never have been figured out by anyone but "he who has seen, heard, and tasted thereof." I might add to his list that a small town is a place where you can't even steal another man's wife without him knowing; it is a Broadway columnist's paradise—every married woman in town is suspected of a "blessed event" until she denies it before her friends and then they are still doubtful; all the faculty is just c-r-a-z-y about the school board members, especially along in April and May; it is where everybody knows what you had for breakfast and why you don't like the dairy's milk over your breakfast food; it is a place where people like Archibald and myself can write such stuff as this and get by with it!

Lockney holds a record unexcelled by any other town in four counties for having the roughest streets in the history of incorporated cities. A woman in Silvertown said the other day that she hadn't been to Lockney in twenty years because of the streets. Business men have decided to pave the streets and avenues with the aid of PWA funds so that lady can come to town with the greatest of e-a-s-e. No bumps, no ruts, no rocks, no gripping interspersed with profanity, just plain ole smooth sailing.

The Longhorns are going to produce a real game tomorrow afternoon with Quitaque in the last battle of the year. Those boys have worked diligently this season and deserve some encouragement from you. It isn't difficult to attain a worthy goal with substantial backing. Every team, organization, or town that ever does anything commendable is supported by some dynamic force.

MAY SIGN UP FOR ROGER MEMORIAL FUND
Anyone wishing to contribute to the Will Rogers Memorial Fund may sign-up on blanks distributed today to the Lockney Drug, Greer Drug, First National Bank and Beacon office by J L Suits, chairman of the fund in this end of the county. Homer Steen of Floydada is county chairman.
J W Jones, superintendent, announced at school today that any student wishing to contribute to the movement to perpetuate the memory of the late humorist-philosopher will have an opportunity to do so tomorrow at school.
Any amount you wish to give will be appreciated.

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FIRST ROLL CALL DRIVE BRINGS FIFTY MEMBERS

Another Big Drive Is Planned Before Closing Date Next Week By Committee

COUNTY COAL 600

Fifty Per Cent Of All Membership To Remain In Local Chapter Fund

Fifty members were secured Tuesday in the first big roll call drive of the American Red Cross for the local chapter as reported by Frank Perkins, chairman of the Lockney Branch.
Perkins and R C McGilvary, secretary of the local chapter worked Tuesday in getting the memberships which consisted mostly of business men. They plan to make a drive on the residential section some day next week before Thanksgiving holidays when the roll call is to end.
McGilvary reports that 50 per cent of all the money received in this chapter will be retained for local aid of the needy. In other words 50c of every \$1.00 paid in will be kept at home. The Lockney chapter secured sixty-eight members all told last year and spent every dollar of the amount retained for people in this community who were in dire need of food and clothing.

Floyd County goal for this year is set at 600. If at all possible this amount should be reached. Relief given to this county in the last few years by the Red Cross has more than doubled the membership secured. Last year relief was given to 128 disaster areas in the United States. The Red Cross is in a position to give instant and effective work in every day life of communities having 3,700 chapters and 9,000 branches all over the United States. Disaster relief stands guard 24 hours of every day and night, year after year.
Perkins and McGilvary said they had little difficulty in getting members Tuesday and almost everyone they approached was glad to have a part in the work. This chapter expects to secure as many members as last year and possibly more.
If you have not yet joined see either of these ewo men before Nov. 28 for membership.

APPOINTMENTS MADE

Rev. H H Hamilton Re-appointed to Lockney Church

The Northwest Texas conference, which was held at Plainview last week, adjourned Sunday night with the reading of the appointments for the coming year.
The Rev. H H Hamilton was re-appointed to the Lockney Methodist Church. J L Henson was transferred from Oklahoma Conference to the Lockney Circuit. The Rev. L L Hill former circuit for the Lockney circuit was appointed to the church at Earth. W L Tittle was re-appointed as the presiding Elder for the Plainview District.

Preachers who were formerly appointed to the Lockney church receiving appointments in the Northwest Texas Conference were: T J Rea, Church at Stanton; J E Turrentine, Crowell; Marvin Brotherton, Margaret and Thalia; H W Hanks, Paducah; J E Stephens, Post; and Osburn, Knox-City.

School To Dismiss For Holidays

Lockney public schools will dismiss for the Thanksgiving holidays Wednesday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock and will not take up again until Monday Morning, Dec. 2.

Beacon Want ads get results.

THE WEATHER

Lockney and surrounding territory has had generally fair weather with lower temperatures toward the close of the day around 40 degrees with 35 degrees early of morning since last Saturday.

Last Friday the weather was misty and damp, but since then every day has been exceptionally warm for this time of the year. This vicinity experienced a touch of the old time sandstorm Monday, sweeping down from the famous dust bowl where a real storm raged similar to those of last spring.

The temperature at this writing (Thursday morning) at 11:30 o'clock stands at 60 degrees.

MITCHELL BEATS OKLA. STATE CHAMPION

A Second Match Was Scheduled For Tuesday Night Nov. 19; Have No Report

Chester Mitchell, son of Mr and Mrs T B Mitchell, who is attending school at A & M College Stillwater, Okla., defeated Leonard Noel, Oklahoma 1935, 175 pound, State Amateur Boxing Champion, Tuesday night Nov. 12. He left the official champion dazed and on the ropes when the final bell, after the third round, rang, saving Noel from a knock out. Mitchell was awarded the decision much to coach Ed Phillips satisfaction.

Mitchell was to meet the State Champion again last Tuesday night at Blackwell, Okla. As yet no report has been received from that match.

Mitchell has been a member of the Varsity team for two years. It is reported that Phillips, Boxing Coach of the college has possibly the strongest boxing team in the state of Oklahoma.

THE REV. L L HILL AND FAMILY MOVE TO EARTH TODAY

The Rev. and Mrs L L Hill and family are moving today to Earth Tex., where the Rev. Mr. Hill was appointed pastor of the church by the Northwest Texas Annual Methodist Conference held in Plainview last week.

Although his family is moving he will not take up official duties until after the Thanksgiving holidays. He plans to remain here until then and will discharge his duties as teacher in high school until after six weeks' examinations. He has been circuit preacher of this district for the past few years.

The school board will not meet until after the holidays to elect a teacher to fill his place. R C McGilvary, school board member was reported to have said Wednesday.

JANITOR TO LEAVE

H. Cook To Be Caretaker At Canyon Soon

H Cook, who has taken care of the Lockney High School building since its construction in 1929, will leave Dec. 1 for Canyon where he has been elected as one of the three caretakers of the administration buildings at West Texas State Teachers College.

Mr Cook, who is loved by every student attending high school in the last six years, has been highly commended for his excellent work in landscaping of the grounds. The fact that the building has been kept in perfect condition and is good as the day it was opened is due to the efforts of him.

Lockney citizens have always pointed with civic pride to the lawn and shrubbery around the building, but not without giving credit to Mr Cook.

Mrs Taylor Golden, Mrs Oscar Golden, Mrs Joe Golden and son of Providence Community were here as Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Garland Sams.

84 BLOCKS TO BE GRADED AND TOPPED WITH CALICHE

Every Street in Town Of Any Importance To Be Worked. Will Take Six Months

110 MEN TO BE EMPLOYED

Federal Government To Furnish Most Of Funds—City Must Raise \$2,000.00

The city of Lockney has the opportunity to get every street of any importance within the city limits graded and topped with caliche without an increase in taxes or a bond issue.

The city some time back filed an application with the WPA for a street project. This project calls for the expenditure of a little over \$31,000.00. In order for Lockney to secure this \$31,000.00 for street work and to give work to our people, it is necessary that the city raise approximately \$2,000 to help meet expenses that is not allowed by the WPA.

This project will give work to 110 men for a period of six months and in addition thereto money will be expended for materials, gasoline, oil tools, etc. (Continued on Back Page)

BANQUET CLOSES LEGION MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Landrum Post 141 Will Not Sponsor Any Dances In The Future

The American Legion closed its membership drive Tuesday evening with a banquet given in honor of Captain Geo. Newman's side which won by a margin of two members. The Auxiliary members and Jim Wilson of Floydada, District Governor of the forty-first District of Rotary International, were special guests.

The opposite side was under the direction of Hugh Counts and secured twenty-seven members to Newman's twenty-nine.

The Legion decided not to sponsor anymore dances in the future as has been done since its organization, but will raise money by giving public performances. The program committee is made up of the Rev H H Hamilton, chaplain, R C McGilvary, and G B Dye.

The program consisted of a violin solo by Bobby Miller, two piano solos given by Lucy Dean Rose and Martha Margaret Griffith, and a piano duet by Hub Mason Jr. and Grayson D Tate.

Jim Wilson gave a short talk on "The Ideals of the American Legion." Robert Willard McCollum gave some interesting facts on what the Legion has done for ex-service widows and children.

The program was closed by a song service led by R C McGilvary with Mrs H H Hamilton at the piano.

Returns From Sanitarium Tuesday

Miss Vada Teaver, daughter of Mr and Mrs V Teaver, was brought home Tuesday afternoon by her parents from the Lubbock Sanitarium where she has been for a week for treatment of a broken arm. Miss Teaver received a broken arm Oct. 6 in Lubbock in an automobile accident. She returned to the sanitarium last week when the cast was removed from her arm and discovered that her injury had not healed properly.

Mr and Mrs Teaver, two daughters, Melba and Temple, and Jean Suits visited her Sunday at the sanitarium.

QUITAQUE PANTHERS AND LONGHORNS TO MEET HERE TOMORROW IN BIG GRID-IRON SCRAP OF CONFERENCE SEASON

\$33,716.01 COTTON CHECKS ARE BEING SENT TO PRODUCERS

County Agent, D F Bredthauer, is sending out cotton checks amounting to \$33,716.01 to 800 Floyd County producers this week. This is the second rental payments.

SCHOOL GROUND WORK PROGRESSING SAEADILY

40 Ft Lawn Plot Leveled, 75 Ft Of Sidewalk Opened Up, Park Space Fixed

Nearing the fourth week of construction on the \$3,653.20 PWA project at the grade school playground, 75 ft. of connecting walk on the east side of the building has been opened up for use; a 40 ft lawn plot all around the structure has been leveled, and parking space provided on the west side.

The project calls for twenty-nine men but so far only about half of that number has been secured. It is believed that the men ordinarily on the relief rolls are picking cotton and cannot be obtained for this project which is to cover a period of three months.

The crew is working this week on the connecting walk on the south side of the building and the outer walk on the west where a parking space is provided. A row of post separate the parking lot and the outer sidewalk that it to run all around the school house. By the time the project is (Continued on Back Page)

ROTARIANS HEAR VISITOR SPEAK AT FLOYDADA CLUB

A number of local Rotarians attended the Floydada club Wednesday at noon in order to hear Richard H Wells of Pocatello, Ida., speak. He is a past district governor of fifth district which includes Utah and Idaho, and is making official visits from the Rotary International to clubs clubs over the forty first district.

Those attending from here were Frank Perkins, Arch Crager, K L Canning, Joe McCollum, Dr N E Greer, Rev. H H Hamilton, and R C McGilvary.

LOCAL NYA INCREASED

Floyd County Alloted Twenty-two Students To Work

J W Jones, school superintendent, was notified Monday by Walter Travis, county superintendent, that Lockney's quota of National Youth Administration had been increased from six to eight students. Floyd County is allowed twenty-two students in all, and since the rural schools did not take up their full allotment, Lockney and Floydada will absorb the surplus.

Floydada's quota was raised from nine to eleven students.

"Leon Comer has been granted work along with the other six workers in high school," Jones said Tuesday morning. He expects to secure aid for another student within the next few days. Workers help in the library and on the school grounds for \$6.00 per month. This amount is to help defray school expenses of those who need help.

Return From Visit

Mr and Mrs Joe Golden and son, Joe Gray, returned last week from Coleman where they visited Mrs Golden's parents, Mr and Mrs C C Gray.

Lockney Has 500 Per Cent Seasonal Standing With 300 Per Cent Conference Score

LOCALS DOPED WINNER

Tomorrow Is The Last Game Many Of The Football Players Will Ever Play

Contrary to the statement made in last week's paper, tomorrow afternoon the Longhorns will meet the Quitaque Panthers on the local field in the last conference match this year. The game is called at 3:00 o'clock.

The Longhorns now have a seasonal standing of 500 per cent having won four games out of the eight played, and a 300 per cent conference standing with four defeats and two victories. If the Longhorns make the Panthers scream surrender tomorrow, their standing will be 475 per cent.

If dope means anything, it is victory for Lockney. Turkey tied Quitaque 7-7 and Lockney beat Turkey 7-6. Quitaque has tied only one conference game this year.

Tomorrow is the last game many of the first string players will ever figure in again, and Coach Cooper promises fans that they are going to put out everything they've got to bring more glory to L H S. It is the last chance many of them will ever have to make some of those plays they have been intending to go through with for some time. Every one of them are going to put up a hard scrap in honor of the close of the football season and the outgoing members of the squad.

Seniors playing their last game for Lockney High School tomorrow include Captain Bob Collier, "Fat" and "Slim" Spence, Marvin Sams, Paul Teuton, Leonard Pope, George Taylor, and J P Williams.

Coach Cooper said, however, that it was doubtful whether Taylor could play in the game because of the nose injury received in the game last week with (Continued on Back Page)

Attends Grand Lodge

D C Lowe, Thrice Illustrious Master of the local Masonic chapter, plans to leave Sunday for Waco where he will attend a two weeks meeting of the Grand Lodge of Grand Chapter of the Masonic Lodge.

Mr and Mrs C L Anderson left Wednesday for Waco to visit relatives. While there Anderson will attend the Grand Lodge.

Today's Market

POULTRY	
Hens, heavy per lb.	13c
Hens, light	11c
Light colored hens	11c
Old Roosters lb.	5c
FRYERS	
Fryers heavy, per lb.	14c
Fryers, light	11c
Stags	10c
CREAM	
Cream, No 1	29c
Cream, No. 2	27c
EGGS	
Eggs per doz.	25c
GRAIN	
Wheat, per bu.	\$1.14
Maize, threshed 100	70c
COTTON SEED	
Cottonseed, per ton	\$35.00
Cottonseed meal, 100	\$1.55
Loose hulls	\$8.00
Sacked hulls	50c
Mixed feed	80c
Cotton per lb	11.40

We Are Thankful

Although the past year has not been what all of us would like for it to have been, yet we have many things to be thankful for when one begins to enumerate them, so let us be thankful for small blessings as well as large ones.

We wish to thank our many customers who have been loyal with their support of our business the past year. It is appreciated in the deepest sense of the word. Loyal and true friends and customers is something to be thankful for, and we are.

Hamilton Bros. Grocery

Ford & Busby Garage

Extends Greetings
—FOR—
THANKSGIVING

We wish to thank the people for their patronage, their courtesy and their kindness expressed and extended during the past year.

We wish for all our friends and customers a very happy and joyous Thanksgiving, and hope that they have many things to be thankful for during the past year.

TWENTY PLAYERS OUT

Only One Lettered Girl Back On Court This Year.

Although there is only one Lockney lettered girl back on the court this year, five of Aiken's players are included in the twenty out for basketball. J W Jones, coach, reported Tuesday in commenting on the team for this season.

Glenna Whitfill lettered last year and is here again to carry on the spirit of the winning team produced by the school last season. Mary Handley played last year on the second team and promises classy playing.

The five girls playing on the Aiken squad who will play for L.H.S. are, Pauline Weathers, Louise Boedeker, Geraldine Byars, Edith Boyle, and Dorothy Jean Jones.

The other members are made up of freshmen and sophomores. The team has been practicing almost every afternoon after school for two weeks and will begin next week with regular workouts. The football schedule has interfered with the team's workouts, but after this week the football season will be definitely over.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45
The superintendent is expecting 175 in Sunday school Sunday morning, so lets have 176.

At eleven a. m. the new pastor will bring a message on the first four words in the Bible. Be present and let's start the new year off the way it should be started.

We are very happy to be back on the work and are hoping to accomplish many things that we failed to accomplish last year. We want to make much progress this year and will meet our people on the half-way ground. Let's all take up our task with renewed energy. "Many hands make light work."

Herbert H Hamilton, Pastor

Mr and Mrs W L McMinn, Mr and Mrs Ples Visage and son of Hereford, and Mrs Frank Messimer of Lockney, visited their son and brother, Mr Bud McMinn and family of Silverton, Sunday.

MONDAY DATE SET FOR ANNUAL FOLLIES

Tickets To Go On Sale Friday Afternoon For One Act Play Contest

The traditional one act play contest of Lockney High School, commonly known as follies, will be presented Monday evening, Nov. 25, at the grade school auditorium for the purpose of the library fund.

Reserve seat tickets will go on sale at no extra cost at the Lockney Drug Co., Friday afternoon.

Out-of-town judges will be secured and the class presenting the best play out of the four will be given a cash prize.

Mrs Cecil Witt is director of the senior play entitled, "Wheat Fire." Those taking part are Glenna Whitfill, Gladys Pratt, Edward Bryant, and Hall Nall.

"The Diabolical Circle", junior play under the direction of Mrs Willie Merle Hathecock, has a cast consisting of Violet Baker, Robert Lee Smith, J C Harris, and Paul Teuton. The setting is in Boston during the colonial period.

Miss June Guthrie will supervise the sophomore play, "A Dish of China Tea." It is a colonial play with Leona Dagle, Mary Beth Trussell, Georgia Belyeu, Mary Alice Baker, Lochie May Handley, Joyce Thomas, and Melba Suter taking part.

The freshman play, "When The Bus Comes In," is directed by L L Hill. The characters are portrayed by Carl Nall, Revis Neil Harris, Eldon Hill Evelyn Stalcup, G T Meriwether, Bill Teuton, Bernadine Bennett, Doris Sams, Melba Teaver, Lloyd Thompson, Grace Grubbs, W L Thomas, Hugh Trussell, Peggy Savage and Elmer Boatman.

SCHOOL ELECTS FIRE CHIEF

Civics Class Carry On Election In Official Manner

Bob Collier was elected as high school fire chief by popular vote of the student body Wednesday morning conducted by members of the Civics class.

The election was carried on in the official manner of a regular election as a project of the class.

Collier is captain of the football team and president of the senior class. His opponents were Marvin Brotherton, John Henry Alexander, and H A Brotherton. 165 votes were cast out of a possible 180.

Fire drills will be highly organized to take place twice a month this year under the direction and supervision of the fire chief and G D Tate, principal.

Wayne Coleman, who teacher school at Lakeview, is at home with his parents, Mr and Mrs H P Coleman, during the period his school is out for cotton picking.

SELLS NEW CARS

The Lockney Auto Co., Chevrolet dealers, report the following new car sales for the past week: Master Town Sedan to the Rev. L L Hill, Master Coach sold to E R Rankin, who will use it as a demonstrator.

Mr and Mrs Arch Crager, purchasers of a Master Trunk Sedan, and Mr and Mrs Olin Ridings, purchasers of a Master Trunk Sedan, will leave about December 2, for Flint, Michigan to bring back their new Chevrolets.

Try a Beacon Want ad.

CROSBY COUNTY TO GET TWO HISTORICAL MARKERS

Two historical markers, one of which will be located at Crosbyton, county seat, and the other at Estacado, have been awarded Crosby County according to Walter Woodul, chairman of the commission of control of Texas Centennial.

Estacado is located northwest of Ralls and was founded in 1880 by English Quakers, the majority of whom moved to Galveston county fifteen years later.

THANKSGIVING

It has been a long time since the Pilgrim Fathers landed in the good old U S A, but we are thankful they made that landing.

Our business has been fair the past twelve months for which we are thankful, for it could of been a whole lot worse. May the Thanksgiving holidays bring added joy to you.

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The New Fall Sweaters and Knit Dresses In Autumn Colors at—

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Thanksgiving

COMES AROUND ONCE EACH YEAR

But at this time the citizens of Lockney have their FIRST and probably their LAST, opportunity to secure the permanent improvement of practically every street in town—

Without Increased Taxes

In addition to the saving in wear and tear on our automobiles every public spirited Citizen should be interested in this Project—as a matter of personal Pride—and cooperate with the committee appointed to secure pledges.

West Texas Cottonoil Co.

"Feed "Paymaster" Cottonseed Products For Profit."

There is Much to be Thankful For

Compared with conditions in other nations, our country has much to be Thankful for this Thanksgiving.

So here's hoping the traditional holiday of our Pilgrim forefathers finds every family in Lockney and community content and happy. Yes and THANKFUL as it gathers 'round the festive board.

We are thankful for the many customers that have been ginning their cotton with us for many, many years.

We want you to know this business is appreciated, and that we will continue to give you just as good, if not better service, in the future.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Beacon will be corrected gladly upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Out of the depression, which we now have almost passed through, comes such politicians as the late Huey P Long, who have their ear to the ground listening to the rumblings of discontent of 130,000,000 people, all caused by the "free hand of capital" the past dozen years. Capital has resisted New Deal changes since March 1933. They have and are heaping upon their heads many woes. Many wrongs were inflicted upon the people during the boom days, and they have not forgotten those wrongs. Capital burdened people during those boom days with stock market gambling, fleeced investors, paid large salaries and bonuses, issued loads and loads of worthless bonds, have dodged taxes, pyramided utilities, and goodness knows what else they have done to plunder the public, all of which has caused them to turn against capitalism and its leaders. No wonder we are seeing radicalism taking a firm hold in this country. Big business seems to be satisfied with raising a howl about all New Deal measures and denouncing those who put them forth. This attitude has a tendency to create more radicalism. Big business has just claims, so why not present them in a way to bring about a more fair and equitable compromise of view. Public confidence must be restored and made to understand that there are honest men in the capitalist system. Big Business must take an interest in a mild form of socialistic legislation such as old age pensions, bank insurance, unemployment insurance, etc., based upon fair and reasonable terms, and unless things of this nature come about, the capitalist system will be scattered to the forewinds of the earth and they will bring the wrath of an outraged people down upon their heads. Such politicians as the late Huey Long will mobilize public discontent into regiments, and if we don't watch our step, such a man will be elected president. Therefore Big Business should not attempt to block decent legislation, but should at least show an attitude to be fair and above-board and we are sure those in control of governmental affairs will give them a break. Capitalism must drop the belief that it is superior to the mass of humanity. When millions of men and women are upon the dole and are without hope of ever having a property interest in anything, they have but little reason to be readily regimented in support of Big Business. Capital should do some serious thinking.

speech. But Senator Black, that Old Warhorse Democrat from Alabama, has this to say about Hoover's speech: "Mr Hoover proposes now, since we are recovering from the malady (depression) to turn the patient over to the very crowd that brought about its near fatal illness. The people are not going to stand for that." Somebody is always stopping Hoover at the line of scrimmage.

WHAT WE SEE IN THE PAPERS

The uncivilized Ethiopian's have evaded photographers thinking they will lose their souls if their pictures are taken. Alas what a difference in the uncivilized and the civilized, who are vain enough to feel that their souls will be lost unless their pictures adorn every nook and corner.

We noticed that after much debate in the Legislature managed to pass a few bills before packing up and leaving the state to get along the best it could. The Old Age Pension Act was passed but as yet no adequate means for paying the pension has been considered. Gov. Allred signed the Liquor Control Act, permitting liquor to be sold only by licensed dealers. The Legislature thinks it has left the state in a better condition at the price of \$1,500 per day. The tax payers probably realize by now what an expensive state Texas really is.

Mae Gordon, who wrote the words for the song hit, "Did You Ever See A Dream Walking" entered a hospital and asked that his 300 pounds be reduced one-third. The next thing we will probably hear is that Lural and Hardy are having their faces lifted. What is the old world coming to when even the song writers must have a figure fit for the Gods.

We see by the papers that Dave Nelson the new prison manager at Huntsville, whose theories of handling convicts promised to bring drastic changes in the Texas prison system, died Sunday Nelson will be greatly missed by the State as he was a successful administrator and leader.

Recently Chicago predicted that coloring in men's apparel is a sign of business recovery. If that be the case we can judge the prosperous ones. If a gentleman wears a dark suit we will know that he is dodging the Big Bad Wolf while those wearing gaily colored

garbs are financially at ease. Ramsey McDonald, of the English House of Commons, after being defeated, stated he was a "completely done in old man," and was retiring from politics and taking up writing. If come of these worn out politicians that are acting as disturbing elements would declare themselves "out" and take up writing as a past-time it might not prove as great a disaster as they would have you believe.

"SHARPSHOOTER" He'll Get You Next

Up at Chester, N. Y. the other day the president of one of the banks was showing a friend how the tear gas system they had just installed to prevent robberies worked and a high-jacker walked right in and robbed the bank. It was done so quickly no one had time to set off the gas. That is the way with a lot of businesses we know of, too much system to work properly.

The Sharpshooter was oozing down the street the other day very slowly—kinder cruising around. Two out of town men came out of a cafe. We trailed 'em down the street a short ways and this is the conversation they were carrying on: "When that cafe finds out about that 1,000,000 year old egg recently found in Africa, it won't be so proud of its collection."

Our old folks are going to have a dull Christmas. The Legislature put the Old Age Pension in cold storage until a later date, hoping the Governor will call them back about January 1st to re-hash the matter. But remember you have a vote this next election and you will have an opportunity to put a few of the members of the Legislature in cold storage.

We slung our rifle over our shoulder and walked into the Cozy Cafe Monday. We were looking for a "pot shot." We heard quite an argument going in the kitchen, we snuck up closer and closer, and this is what we heard Gerland Sams, the chef say: "Fred, didn't I tell you to notice when the soup boiled over?" Fred Beall came right back at him: "I did, it was half past ten." We ducked just in time. The frying pan went sailing over our head toward Fred, who skipped out the back door.

Cars parked on Main Street Saturday looked like a country picnic. Boy, Oh, Boy, they sure were a jumbled mess. We will be going to a funeral—some of these days, all caused by a car accident on this street. We didn't know before you could make a Jig-Saw puzzle out of cars, but it can be done, but the hard part comes in untangling them, not the putting together.

Its a doggone shame that Sally Rand has decided to wear clothes just as the Dallas Centennial is about to open up for business. That will handicap their song and dance affair.

They say that "love makes the world go round." Did you ever swallow a mouth full of topacco juice? Well, the world lacks a whole lot standing still then.

Walter Childers, deputy sheriff and E. S. Randerson, the sho nuff sheriff were up at Kansas City week before last. They were in a large hotel and decided they would go out on the street and take a stroll. They walked down the hall and turned a corner, thinking a door leading to the street was at that exact spot. The elevator shaft was open. Walter, thinking he was stepping out on the street, stepped into the opening and fell about eight feet. He fell all over himself, got up and called back to Randerson: "Watch your step Sheriff that first step is a bear-cat."

"BRAIN JEWELS" FROM OUR EXCHANGES

The cry of the wolf wolf! from Herbert Hoover and one of the Washington dailies about the country going to the bow-wows, seems to have gotten a boom-erang in the same issue of that paper, and it became a laughing stock all over the east. In the same issue in which they were hanging so much crepe about the New Deal, there appeared at least seven articles from various sections of the United States, telling how much more farmers were getting; telling of the advance in stock, bonds and merchandise; of the railroad having more car-loadings, and other items of such nature.—The Terry County Herald.

Ex-governor Francis of Missouri once said the following about newspapers: "Each year the local paper gives \$600 to \$1,000 in free lines to the community in which it is located. No other agent can or will do this. The editor in proportion to his means does more for his own town than any other tenmen and in all fairness he ought to be supported, not because you like him or admire his writings, but because the local paper is the best investment a community can make. Today the editors of the local papers do most for the least money of any

people on earth."—Missouri Press News.

Wrong thinking is to the mind what gangrene is to the flesh, poison to the blood or rust to metal.

The egotistical, tyrantical man is not a thinker, if he were he would not possess those characteristics.—Uncle Fred, the columnist.—Colorado Record.

Judging from the rate of speed and high nervous tension of the average American citizen of today, one would conclude that the uppermost thought in the mind of two-thirds of the people is: "get out of my way."—The Crosbyton Review.

Definition of a small town: A place where the merchants are always yelling "Trade At Home" so they can get enough money together for their wife to spend in the big town (Ouch!)—Archibald, the Country Printer—Hale Center American.


"What is a huzzamaguzza?" It seems that everybody is asking this. And very few seem to have the right answer. Some have said that it's what a boondoggler makes in his spare time. But that isn't it. Others have ventured that it might be an Ethiopian dish, a Hawaiian musical (?) instrument, one of those knit dresses, an auto speeder who dashes by you, or a Mid-West political hesitating to decide which side of the political fence he will be on. But these are all wrong. A huzzamaguzza really is a rear Pan-handle Pelican that flies backward in order to keep the dust out of its eyes.—Claude News.

Here From Tech

Gerald Ramsey and Herman Thornton, Texas Technological College students at Lubbock, spent the week-end visiting their parents. Ramsey was accompanied by his roommate.

Here From Phoenix

Mrs Carl Reed of Phoenix, Ariz., is here visiting her sister, Mrs E. E. Dyer. She arrived last Thursday afternoon.

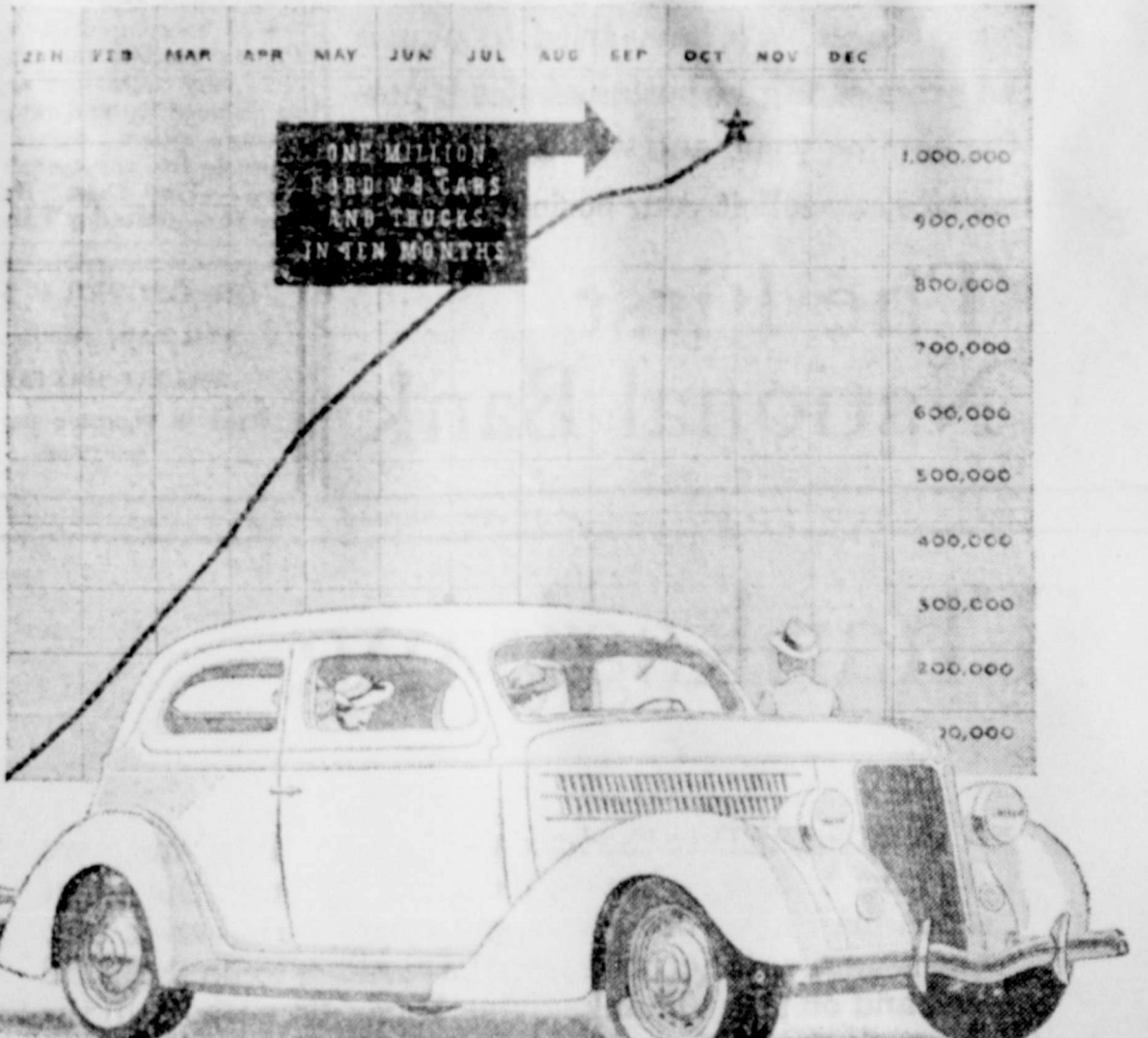


SHE'S THE GIRL WHO HANDLES YOUR TELEPHONE CALLS

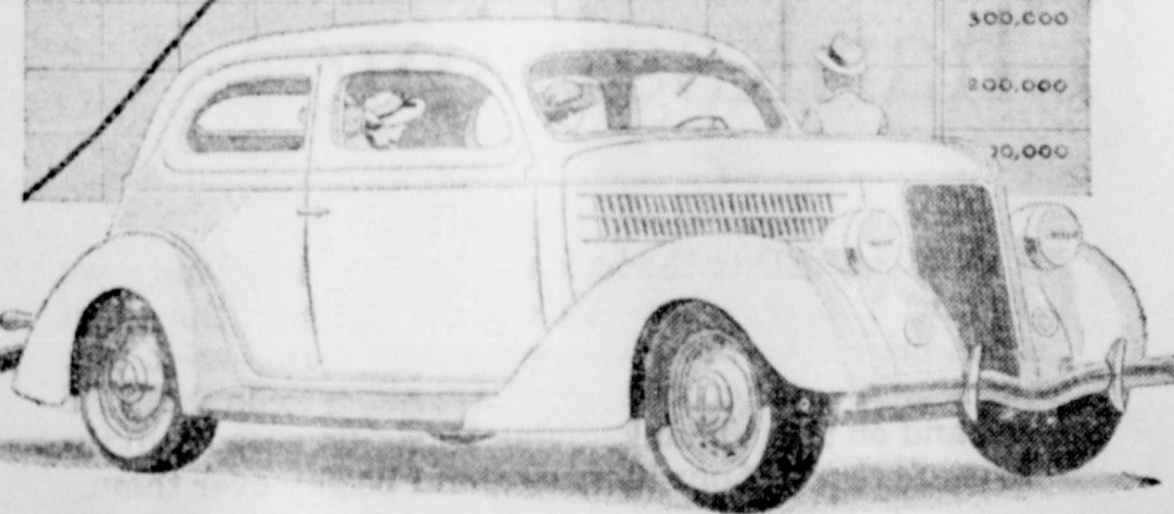
This is the girl who handles your telephone calls. Every part of the far-flung Bell System organization exists largely to help her do the best possible job of connecting you with the people to whom you want to talk. Linemen cling to icy poles to keep the voice-paths open to her touch. Staff experts of American Telephone & Telegraph Company, parent company of the System, hunt better methods for her to use. Scientists of Bell Telephone Laboratories seek new inventions to place at her finger-tips. And the factories and shops of Western Electric, supply unit of the Bell System, are busy making the insulators, the wires and the equipment she needs to flash your voice around the block, across the state, or across the nation. It is largely because this group of specialized organizations stands behind her... and has done its job so well for her... that she is able to give you the good, economical telephone service you receive today.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

V-8 LEADERSHIP



Month	Production
JAN	20,000
FEB	30,000
MAR	40,000
APR	50,000
MAY	60,000
JUN	70,000
JUL	80,000
AUG	90,000
SEP	100,000
OCT	1,000,000
NOV	1,000,000
DEC	1,000,000



ON OCTOBER 31 of last year, Henry Ford announced his intention to build a million Ford V-8s in 1935. We are pleased to report that this goal was reached in exactly ten months instead of a full year.

One million cars and trucks is an impressive total. But figures by themselves mean nothing. It is what they represent that counts. Selling a V-8 at a low price has brought a new kind of automobile within reach of the people. Producing it has provided steady work for hundreds of thousands of men in the Ford plants, in associated industries and on the farm.

These million Ford V-8 cars and trucks have helped to make things better all around. In the first ten months of 1935 the Ford Motor Company paid out in the United States alone, \$140,119,326.00 in wages and \$523,111,389.00 for materials.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
BUILDER OF FORD, LINCOLN AND LINCOLN-ZEPHYR MOTOR CARS

THE NEW FORD V-8 FOR 1936 IS NOW ON DISPLAY. THE CAR THAT LED ALL OTHERS IN 1935 HAS BEEN MADE STILL BETTER FOR THE NEW YEAR

Buy New Plymouth
W R Sams bought a new Ply-
mouth coupe from the Miller
Company last week.

Are you going to have a sale?

Call Us Collect

**Seale
&
McDonald**
General Auctioneers

W. H. SEAL
Floydada, Texas, Phone 120
JNO. W. McDONALD
Plainview, Phone 1143

**MISS DICKINSON LEAVES
FRIDAY**

Special Home Economics Meet-
ing Held In San Antonio

Miss Harriet Dickinson, home
economics teacher, plans to leave
tomorrow for San Antonio where
she will attend a special state
meeting of home economics
teachers Monday, Tuesday and
Wednesday. She will remain
until Sunday and attend the
State Teachers' Convention held
over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr and Mrs Rhyborn Neal,
formerly of Lockney, have re-
turned from East Texas to make
their home in Floyd County.

McMURRY CHANTERS SING

Choral Singers Introduced by
Dr. C Q Smith

Thirty McMurry Chanters of
Abilene gave a program at the
grade school auditorium Friday
afternoon at 2 o'clock accompa-
nied by Mrs Gypsy Ted Wylie,
dean of the Fine Arts Department.
Dr C Q Smith, president of
McMurry and recently elected as
vice-president of S M U in Dallas,
introduced the singers.

The program consisted of
choral singing, solos, and quartets
Two spirituals, "Steal Away,"
and "Gonna Shout All Over
God's Heav'em" were sung by
the boys' quartet. "Roses of
Memory" and "Green Eyed
Dragon" were sung as solos.
Special arrangements of "Away
Down South" and "Little Orphan
Annie" were given by the girls'
quartet "Bohemian Girl" and
"The Sun Is Waiting For The
Sunrise" were rendered as group
selections with a featured verse
solo of the latter song.

The choral choir attended the
Northwest Texas Methodist Confer-
ence at Plainview, giving several
programs in that city, as well as
Tulla and here.

During Dr Smith's introductory
speech he said the college had a
glee club besides the Chanters
here with him.

"McMurry is a 31 year-old
Methodist institution and has 600
students this year," the president
revealed.

The entertainers were late and
Glenna Whitfill consented to
give a reading entitled, "The
Cremation of Sam McGhee."

Adventure's exotic perfume is
gone from my old valise. The
once sleek and polished leather
sides are drooping and wrinkled
as the flabby cheeks of a tired
old man. The thrill of lurching
taxi cabs in the bright tinsel lanes
of strange cities which ended
miraculously where hissing mon-
sters made temporal berths, sleep-
ing with one eye open, amid the
smoothing aroma of coal smoke,
oil and steam, goes without ben-
efit of attorney as a heritage to
memory. Scooting on the tile
floors of hotel lobbies, clinging
to soft carpets of Pullman ease,
the valise carries scars of futile
battles with the handle broken in
New Orleans, and the brass cleat
missing at Tampa, a deep scratch
from St Louis and the hair oil
that spilled in Albuquerque follow-
ed by a mysterious peeling near
Los Angeles.

Like a grizzled veteran dream-
ing of bursting shell while lean
fingers motion the cradle of a
child, my valise has surrendered
to domesticity and reposes in an
obscure closet corner as a re-
ceptacle for unseasonable under-
wear.—Trail Dust, By Douglas
Meador—Matador Tribune.

DR. GROVER C. HALL
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND
THROAT SPECIALIST
Office In Plainview Sanitarium
and Clinic

Thanksgiving Time

As the Thanksgiving Day arrives we are thankful to you for the nice volume of business you have given us this year: Old customers have been loyal and we have made many new customers. All have helped to make this one of the biggest years in Lockney.

Our policy has always been to give honest, dependable service at the lowest possible price consistent with good business principles, and a service that would meet with the approval and please the vast number of our patrons on all of our lines. That the service is better each year can be accounted for by the constant endeavor of all our forces to meet the demand for service and to please the customers.

We confidentially pledge to you that we will attempt at all times to give you the best service that can be had, for our goal in business is an opportunity to serve you and merit your good will.

Ozark Service Station

Dwight Jackson

Turkey Dinner FOR THANKSGIVING

Menu

- BAKED TURKEY
- OYSTER DRESSING
- CRANBERRY SAUCE
- ASPARAGUS TIPS
- CREAM PEAS
- CREAM POTATOES
- FRUIT SALAD
- PUMPKIN PIE WITH WHIPPED CREAM
- COFFEE
- MILK

One Dinner - - 35c
Three Dinners 99c

Cozy Cafe

Hugh Counts

Thank You

Thanksgiving day will soon be here again, and we have many things to be thankful for, and we are especially thankful to our many friends who have intrusted us with their banking business. We have tried to please you and promise to give better service if possible the coming year, and on the basis of good service, we solicit your business.

The First National Bank

Thanksgiving

COMPARED to the hardships of the Pilgrims, we Americans are fortunate indeed. Though the short crops may have brought some considerable stint into our usual day's activities, we have much to be thankful for, and on this Thanksgiving Day, let us sum up the large measure of our blessings, and be gay over them.

Taylor's Grocery & Market is very thankful for the patronage they have received in this community during the past year, and hopes to be of better service to their Patrons in the future.

Taylor's Grocery and Market

WATCH YOUR SHELLED PECANS

Pecans, the favorite nut of thousands of people, may be a source for the spread of disease, according to E. C. Koerth, Director, Food and Drugs. The pecan itself is not to blame, but the manner in which it is handled is the cause for this warning.

The shelled pecan industry has assumed large proportions in the last few years and the shellers in other states have attacked the Texas product on the ground that the shelled nuts are not handled in a sanitary manner. The large packing houses that have the nuts shelled in their own packing plants maintain a satisfactory standard of sanitation. The evil of the shelled pecan industry is where pecans are taken into individual homes where no supervision is possible.

Many Mexicans, Negroes, and a few whites do this work at home, with at times the neighbors coming in to help them out. It is possible for the communicable diseases to spread by shelled pecans, and for that reason it will be to the public's advantage to ask where the pecans were shelled and under what conditions. The food inspectors of the State Department of Health have investigated the home shelling of pecans for hire and report that many homes where this work is done are most unsanitary.

All persons engaged in shelling pecans should have a health certificate the same as any other food handler. The purchaser should demand that the pecans they buy shall have been shelled by such a person and handled in a sanitary manner and under supervision to lessen the chances for the spread of tuberculosis, colds, dysentery, typhoid, and other diseases.

LET'S TALK ABOUT CLOTHES

Fashions come and fashions go. One year we must pull our hair back, gracing it with waves only, and the next year we must fluff it out and insert anything from a rhinestone clip to curled plumes for chic.

One year our evening gowns must have a long train, the next a mere suggestion of a train, and still the next we appear with a hem cut evenly all the way around. Last season our dinner dresses were long, fussy and almost formal in style, but this year girls at Texas State College for Women (CIA) suggest a dinner dress of street length that answers every purpose when the young man says "Let's don't go formal."

The old stand-by, black silk crepe, in a novelty weave makes the fundamental part of the ensemble. It has a smooth hipline, flared skirt, youthful neck and shirring over the shoulders to give fashionable fullness and drape to the blouse. Its sleeves are of the dolman type, but short and new looking. A crimson scarf or ascot adds a finished touch to the neck.

The little jacket which is worn with the dress is of white faille shot with silver threads. It is fitted and buttoned all the way up to the tiny collar. A small peplum finishes the waist and has a box plete squarely in the back. The

sleeves are slightly puffed and the red scarf underneath shows just enough to add a brilliant touch.

In keeping with this frock, wear a black velvet hat that fits the head snugly and supports a huge bunch of red and fuchsia violet flowers on the top. Gloves should be a soft rich black velvet dressed up with a tiny brilliant clip to complement the huge rhinestone ornament on the black velvet bag.

Beacon Want ads get results.

Intermediate B Y P U Program Nov. 24, 1935

Subject—The Bible and Gratitude.
Introduction—Leland Turner.
Gratitude in the Old Testament
Part 1—Mary Dean Carroll
Part 2—J B Woods
Gratitude in New Testament
Part 1—Genell Allen
Part 2—Claude Brown
Part 3—(Sponsor) Harold Huggins.

Try a Beacon Want ad.



Thrill

A New Styling, and voila!—a new Personality

GABRIELEEN GLO-TONE
COMBINATION
PERMANENT WAVES

The combination wave that brings out the true beauty of your hair with supreme artistry.

SPECIALS

\$3.75 Waves for \$1.95
\$1.75 Waves for \$1.00

VOGUE BEAUTY SHOPPE

Consultants in all Beauty Requirements



Have Your Eyes Examined

The slightest eye strain of today means the serious visual trouble of tomorrow. My examinations with the aid of modern scientific instruments is interesting and pleasant.

DR. C. M. CLOUGH

715 Broadway—Mrs. Clough, Assistant—Plainview, Texas

At This Thanksgiving Time

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks for the business given us the past year, and take this opportunity to express our appreciations for the good year that we have had, and wish for the people of this section happiness and plenty.

We have enjoyed an excellent business during the past year for which we are very thankful.

**SPEEDY SERVICE—
—COURTEOUS DELIVERY**
"SERVICE THAT SATISFIES"

Leave word at the Baker Hotel
Floydada Steam Laundry

Acceptance

Do come and spend the evening with us," said Mrs. Hi-class. "My daughter will play and sing, and we'll have dinner at nine o'clock."

"I'll be there promptly at nine o'clock," answered, Mr. Jones.

Mrs. R. C. Bennett left Wednesday for Miami, Tex., in response to a call that Mrs. John Kuhn was at the point of death.

Organize New Chapter

Mrs. Carl McAdams will leave Thursday night for Bovina by way of Lubbock, where she will visit for two days.

At Bovina Mrs. McAdams, District Deputy Grand Matron, will assist the Worthy Grand Matron in organizing a Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Baird and family of Waco were here this week visiting Mrs. Baird's sister Mrs. N. H. Humphries.

THE STERLETTE

PAULA HOWARD
STUART DRAUT
HOWARD MOSLEY, MYRTLE NEAL
RUTH DRAUT
General Reporters—Gail Gregg, Sallie Myrtle Bobbitt, Dortha McDaniel.

EDITOR
ASSOCIATE
SPORTS REPORTERS
JOKE EDITOR

Miss Griffith's room rendered a very interesting program at the general assembly Friday afternoon. The visitors present for the program were: Mesdames Beedy, Martin, Howard, Reeves, Thompson, Jim Johnston, Clayborn, Clinton, and Hugh Griffith.

School to Celebrate Thanksgiving General Assembly

The Sterley school will dismiss on Wednesday afternoon for Thanksgiving, and school will resume work again on Monday. A Thanksgiving program consisting of numbers from each of the rooms will be given on Wednesday.

Sterley Box Supper Successful

This occasion of the evening of Friday 15th drew a merry assembly to Sterley auditorium. The failure of the expected musical group to appear furnished an opportunity to begin the program with a play which was given by Miss Griffith's room the foregoing afternoon. This play was followed by the singing of the Williamson trio, composed of Misses Nanny Lou, Hazel and Dorothy Byn Williamson. Both the play and the singing drew much applause. Mr. Reed, of Lockney, after briefly addressing the house, proceeded to auction the lunch boxes, some of which, from the exterior appearance, were competent exhibits of the particular art at its height of beauty.

In order to make the occasion more interesting, two contests were formed; one for the most beautiful girl and the other for the most homely man present. The former contest was won by Miss Hazel Williamson, and the latter by Jack Williamson. For both a cake was awarded.

The box supper, including the various contests, raised \$32.00 to be used, as Mr. Jones then explained, as funds for our school athletic and library equipment. Thus equipped, Sterley will be enabled to set high standards next spring while competing for the various championships in the Interscholastic League Meet.

Hopes In Life

When William Cullen Bryant wrote "Thanatopsis" he had no hope of life—only a vision of death. He felt that he had rather die than live. People in the same

Spangler's G. O. P. Job



CHICAGO . . . Harrison E. Spangler (above), of Iowa, the strong man of the Western division of the National Republican party, is now directing the G.O.P. work from new headquarters opened here.

condition are numerous today. There are many things which cause people to feel this way. Whatever the cause, when a man feels that fate is dealing unfairly with him the light in his soul and mind goes out, and he sees nothing but blackness. Death and despair are his companions.

A condition of this sort is a sad scene in anyone's life. There is so much in life to look forward to, that it is touching to see people so un-hopeful. It is not surprising, however, to see people all about us downcast and uncheerful, because there has been so many incidents in the past few years to cause people to give up hope. Starvation has been threatening and war is now threatening the world with its evils and horrors. There is, on the other hand, in this age much to be hopeful for, and even though we see no reason to hope for better life we must remember "while there's life there's hope."

There are people who always bear this in mind. They are able to make the best of conditions, look on the bright side of life, and remain hopeful throughout life. From these people we should take a lesson, and when worldly affairs are dark and our hopes are almost gone may we do the best we can and face it all with hope. By doing this we will gain the wealth of the world.

Paula Howard

Laff
(For The Sake Of Politeness)

Marvelous!

Teacher: "Can you give me an example of how the human body adapts itself to changed conditions?"

Pupil: "Yep. My Uncle gained fifty pounds one month, and his skin never even cracked!"

Well, Why Not

Butcher: "Well, madam, what do you want today?"

Mrs. Youngbride: "Two pork chops and one quart of gravy, please."

Of Course!

Wit: "It's all over the school!"

Halfwit: "What?"

Wit: "The roof."

Honor Roll

First Grade—Thurman Davis, Margaret Claborn, Juanita Tinsley, Billy Gene Johnston, Boyce

Miserable with backache?

WHEN kidneys function badly and you suffer a nagging backache, with dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination and getting up at night when you feel tired, nervous, all quiet . . . use Doan's Pills.

Doan's are especially for poorly working kidneys. Millions of boxes are used every year. They are recommended the country over. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

Thanksgiving

Will soon be with us again, and we wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the business accorded us since we have been in business in this community. Although crop conditions perhaps have not been as good as they could of been, still we have many things to be thankful for if we will but pause and reflect back over the past twelve months. It is the small things that come into our life that we should be thankful for, and so often over-look them.

Cox Hardware & Furniture

Bargains In Farms

McAdams & Childers are offering the following farms at exceptional prices.

197-acres sandy loam located in the shallow-water belt in Floyd County. 180-acres in cultivation. Suitable for irrigation. Small house and well. This can be bought for \$21.50 per acre on easy terms.

160-acres in Floyd County in five miles of good town. Two two room houses, sheds and well. Shallow-water. All in cultivation. \$2500.00 in loan company. This can be bought for \$21.00 per acre, small payment down balance long time 6 per cent interest.

375-acres in Briscoe County near Silverton. 130 in cultivation, balance clear pasture with about 45-acres in flat lakes. Improvements:—Six room house, sheds, well etc. \$8,000.00 in loan company. Priced at \$21.50 and a down payment of \$1500.00 will buy this farm. Long terms at 6 per cent on balance.

193-acres all in cultivation in mile of town and schools. Extra good improvements. Large house, barns, sheds, lots, well, etc. Can be bought for \$6,500.00. Small payment down Balance long time 6 per cent interest.

100-acres near Lockney, all in cultivation in shallow-water belt and can be irrigated. Good five room house and sheds, well, etc. Priced at \$27.50 per acre. Small payment will handle this deal balance on good terms at reasonable interest.

Half section seven miles of Silverton on hi-way. 90 per cent tillable. Good six room house, sheds, well etc. Gas line across farm with taps for two sets of improvements. One half mile from school can be bought for \$20.00 per acre, \$1500.00 down and balance on long time at 6 1-2 per cent interest.

320-acres of red cat-claw land 250-in cultivation with five room house, sheds, well etc. This is located in Hale County six miles from gin, one mile from good school. This place is in the Federal Farm Loan and can be bought for \$21.00 per acre, \$1,500.00 down.

130 acres in Floyd County 120-acres in cultivation, five room house, barn, sheds, well etc. Three miles of town, school and elevator & gin. Shallow-water. Federal Land Bank loan 4 1-2 per cent interest. This farm is priced at \$35.00 per acre. \$1,500.00 will handle deal.

66-acres all in cultivation good house and other improvements in shallow-water five miles from town in Floyd County. \$35.00 per acre. \$1500 down easy terms on balance.

329-acres in Floyd County near two good towns. Well improved all in cultivation. In shallow-water. \$35.00 per acre is price on this farm. \$2000.00 down balance long time at 5 per cent interest.

112-Acres close in all good. In shallow-water. Improvements are old. An extra nice smooth piece of land and in good shape. Southwestern loan. Can be bought for \$32.50 per acre. \$800.00 down.

320-acres in Crosby County, 280 in cultivation. Five room house also two room house, sheds, granary, garage and other improvements. Federal loan. Three miles from school. Seven miles from gin. Priced at \$24.50 per acre. Party wants \$1500.00 cash.

160-acres in Floyd County. 135-in cultivation. Good house, barn, sheds well and other improvements. In mile of good school, gin, elevator. Priced at \$25.00 per acre, want \$850.00 down balance in Southwestern loan. A good buy.

640-acres, 400 in cultivation in Floyd County. 12 miles from town, 2 1-2 miles from school, 2 1-2 miles from elevator. Good seven room house, barns, sheds etc. This land is clear and party wants all cash. It is priced \$25.00 per acre.

200-acres in Floyd County, 175 in cultivation. Good house, barn, and other improvements. Federal 4 per cent loan. Farm is eight miles from town 2 1-2 from school 2 1-2 from elevator. Priced at \$36.00 per acre. Owner \$1700.00 down payment.

160-acres choice land in shallow-water, well located. Federal loan 4 per cent. Good six room house barn and sheds, well etc. One mile from town, two miles from school \$45.00 per acre will buy this farm. \$360.00 down.

Also we have several desirable residence properties in Lockney which will be sold at rock bottom prices. If you want a home in town now is the time to buy as we have terms on these homes that anyone can handle. Small payment down and balance like paying rent. These homes are priced from \$500.00 to \$2000.00. See us about them soon as we expect to close them out within the next thirty days.

McAdams & Childers
Beacon Bldg. Lockney, Texas

Do You Ever Wonder

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE?

Ask Your Doctor and Find Out

Don't Entrust Your Own or Your Family's Well-Being to Unknown Preparations

THE person to ask whether the preparation you or your family are taking for the relief of headaches is SAFE to use regularly is your family doctor. Ask him particularly about Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN.

He will tell you that before the discovery of Bayer Aspirin most "pain" remedies were advised against by physicians as bad for the stomach and, often, for the heart. Which is food for thought if you seek quick, safe relief.

Scientists rate Bayer Aspirin among the fastest methods yet discovered for the relief of headaches and the pains of rheumatism, neuritis and neuralgia. And the experience of millions of users has proved it safe for the average person to use regularly. In your own interest remember this.

You can get Genuine Bayer Aspirin at any drug store—simply by asking for it by its full name, BAYER ASPIRIN. Make it a point to do this—and see that you get what you want.

Bayer Aspirin

Mosley.
Second Grade—Joan Reagan, Forrest Casey.
Third Grade—Ernestine Williamson, Earlie B Johnston.
Fourth Grade—Valnette Claborn, Anna Mae Gullede, Paul Wilson.
Fifth Grade—Dorothy Williamson.
Sixth Grade—John Brewer, Norma Dene Mosley, Veranel Stovall.
Seventh Grade—Irene Jones, Aileene Howard, Kenton Davis.

Howard Mosley,
Eighth Grade—Sallie Myrtle Bobbitt, Ina Joe Casey, Ruth Draut, Joe Williamson.
Ninth Grade—Gail Gregg, Montie Gregg.
Tenth Grade—Stuart Draut, Paula Howard, Dortha McDaniel, Lorene Neal, Lucille Wilson.

Senior: "Why is an empty purse always the same?"
Freshman: "I dunno. Why?"
Senior: "Because nobody can see any change in it."

Thanksgiving Dinner

Thursday, Nov. 28

What a treat is in store for you by bringing the whole family here for this delicious Thanksgiving Day Meal.

30c

Menu

- Turkey with dressing
- Cranberry Sauce
- Vegetables
- Choice of drinks
- Dessert

Baker Hotel

Let Us Be Thankful

Remember some boy or girl when you make a purchase at this store.

Give your votes to your little favorite

Lockney Drug Co.

The *Jexall* Store

Thanksgiving The American Holiday

This essentially American holiday had its inception three hundred and fourteen years ago, in the grateful hearts of the Pilgrims, in Plymouth colony, Massachusetts.

The Pilgrim fathers had none of the conveniences that make life so pleasant today. Natural Gas for instance.

We express the wish, that as the families in the communities we serve gather about the family tables they will find much to be grateful for, on this great American holiday, and that they will find in the glow and comfort of natural gas service, a cause for genuine Thanksgiving.

West Texas Gas Co.

"Good Gas With Dependable Service."

Enters State Contest

Miss Mildren Klein, who taught tap dancing here in the winter of '33, will represent District 19 in the piano division of the Texas Music Teachers Association in the state contest to be conducted in during Thanksgiving at Corsicana

IT WORKED FOR ME

Women should take only liquid laxatives



MORE people could feel fine, be fit and regular, if they would only follow the rule of doctors and hospitals in relieving constipation. Never take any laxative that is harsh in action. Or one, the dose of which can't be exactly measured. Doctors know the danger if this rule is violated. They use a liquid laxative, and keep reducing the dose until the bowels need no help at all. Reduced dosage is the secret of aiding Nature in restoring regularity. You must use a little less laxative each time, and that's why it should be a liquid like Syrup Pepsin. Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and if it doesn't give you absolute relief, if it isn't a joy and comfort in the way it overcomes any sluggishness or biliousness, your money back.

"PAGE MISS GLORY" IS TO FEATURE AT FLOYDADA THEATRE SUNDAY

"Page Miss Glory" with Marion Davies will be the Saturday pre- view, Sunday and Monday attraction at Palace Theatre in Floydada. Miss Davies is supported by Dick Powell, Pat O'Brein, Mary Astor, Frank McHush, Lile Talbot, Patsy Kelly, Barton MacLane, Allen Jenkins and Hobart Cavanaugh.

Miss Davies, one of the screen's most beautiful women, wears some gorgeous gowns especially designed by Orry-Kelly.

The Palace is featuring George O'Brien in "Hard Rock Harrigan" for Saturday matinee only from 12 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m. Many of the scenes were taken from the interior of the 18 mile Coahella Tunnel of the Colorado River Aauduct project.

"The Bishop Misbehaves" with Mauree O'Sullivan and Norman Foster is coming up for Tuesday night. Bargain day with matinee and night feature Wednesday. You will see "Red-heads On Parade," with John Boles who is one of the most versatile actors in screen-dom.

On Thanksgiving night at the pre- view Warren William in "Case of the Lucky Legs" will be shown beginning at 11:30 o'clock p. m.

Mrs H A Suiter and son J J were in Plainview Monday on business.

School for Brides Formally Opened



NEW YORK... A school for scientific housekeeping has been opened here with the most efficient "kitchen troussou" to be had, it is said. The school is not only for brides-to-be but also brides of yesterday disconcerted by domestic problems. Photo shows Charlotte Patterson Griffin, as bride, and Mrs. Edward Boardman, President of the school.

CALVES PLAY BREEZERS ON LOCAL FIELD THIS AFTERNOON

The Calves of the Lockney High School and the Floydada Breezers, third teams, are scheduled to meet on the local gridiron this afternoon at 3 o'clock. This is the Calves second game of the year, having played Plainview Junior High three weeks ago. They were defeated 6-0. The two teams will play next Tuesday afternoon at Floydada. No charge will be made for the game.

Rayburn Spence, Bob Collier, Robert Lee Smith, Bill Whitfill and J B Reece were among those attending the Amarillo-Plainview football game at Plainview, last Saturday.

New Janitor Elected

The Lockney School Board met last night and elected Ben Reece as janitor to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of H Cook, who is going to Canyon where he will be caretaker at W T S TC.

Mr and Mrs Charles Carver of Wiley, Col. parents of Mrs Joe McCollum, are here visiting. They plan to stay through the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mayor Goes On Stage



PITTSBURGH, Pa. ... Mayor N. McNair (above), is getting \$500 for one week on the stage at a local theatre as master of ceremonies. He took the job because his city council would not supply funds for him to carry on a fight to clear his street of illegal peddlers.

Offered U. S. Post



WINNIPEG, Can. ... John W. Dufoe (above), editor of the Winnipeg Free Press, has been offered the post of Canadian Minister to Washington by Premier King of Canada. Mr. Dufoe is also Chancellor of the University of Manitoba.

Mrs L. L. Savage of Channing and her daughter, Mrs Roland, were visitors here Sunday. They are former residents of Lockney having lived here fifteen or sixteen years ago.

Mrs H A Brotherton left last Wednesday for Olney, Texas.

A new daughter, Mary Hellen, was born Nov. 18 to Mr and Mrs Vincent Kunkel of Olney. Mrs Kunkel was formerly Miss Maurietta Brotherton of Lockney.

Delmer Ashworth, of Pampa, Tex. was here this week visiting Mrs Doyle Greer.



Rev. I. N. Demy says:

I have found nothing in the past 20 years that can take the place of Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills. They are a sure relief for my headache.

Sufferers from Headache, Neuritis, Toothache, Backache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia, Muscular Pains, Periodic Pains, write that they have used Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills with better results than they had even hoped for.

Countless American housewives would no more think of keeping house without Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills than without flour or sugar. Keep a package in your medicine cabinet and save yourself needless suffering. At Drug Stores—25c and \$1.00

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS



"For Colds - Salicylate Alkaline Medication"

That's what modern doctors say. That's what Alka-Seltzer is. Instead of being administered in two disagreeable doses, Alka-Seltzer furnishes this medication in one pleasant drink. If you ever used anything more effective than Alka-Seltzer for Acid Indigestion, Headache, Muscular, Rheumatic and Sciatic Pains, we will refund the money you paid for your first package. Your druggist sells Alka-Seltzer.

BE WISE - ALKALIZE!

The Thanksgiving Season

is with us again and we take this occasion to express to our friends and customers our sincere appreciation of their patronage.

We feel that we may well be thankful that all is well with us and the community as we find it.

Patterson Gin Co.

We Too, Are Thankful

Although we have only been in business for a short time in this community, we have a great many things to be thankful for.

We are thankful for the nice business given us since we moved to our new location.

We are thankful that we are able to offer to the automobile buying public two fine automobiles that gives dependable service, the Chrysler and Plymouth.

We could go on and enumerate many, many more things for which we are thankful but space does not permit.

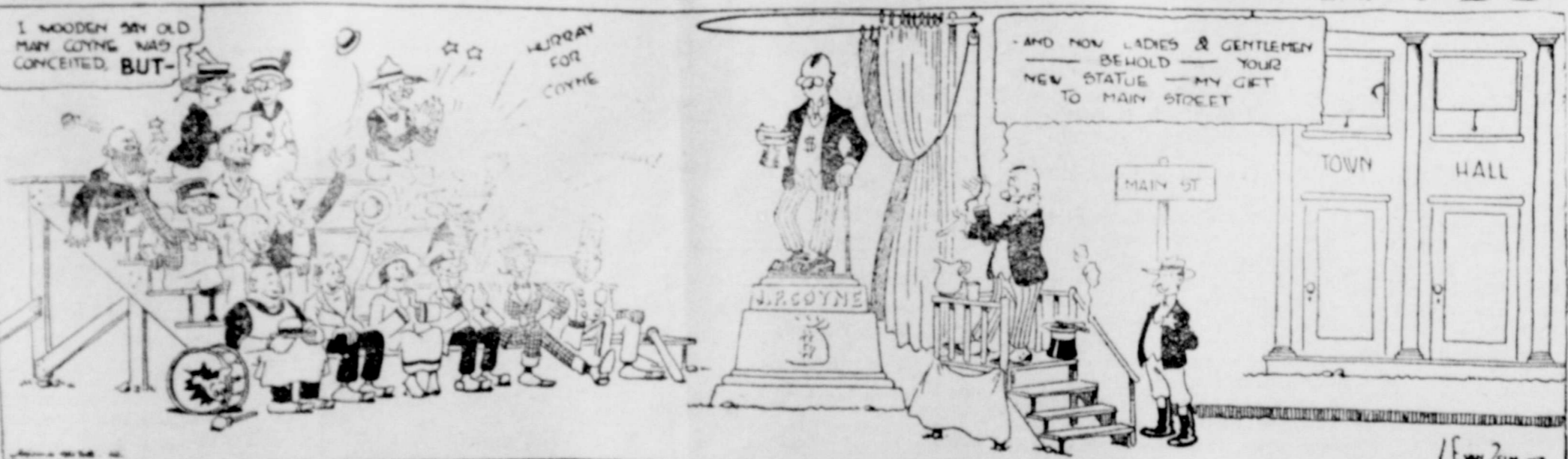
We wish for you and yours a delightful Thanksgiving holiday, and may prosperity and happiness be yours in the years to come.

Miller Motor Co.

—CHRYSLER AND PLYMOUTH SALES AND SERVICE Sinclair Gas and Oil

"THE MAIN THING ON MAIN STREET"

Daily Buzz MAIN STREETS LEADING NEWSPAPER STATUE UNVEILED WHILE THE CROWD FILLS THE GRAND STAND J.P. COYNE, OUR LEADING BANKER UNVEILS THE STATUE WHICH HE HAS SO GENEROUSLY DONATED TO MAIN STREET. BEHOLD IT IS A STATUE OF J.P. COYNE HIMSELF.



By L. F. Van Zelm

SNOODLES



By Cy Hungerford

SOCIETY In LOCKNEY



THANKSGIVING SOCIAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH FRIDAY

The Baptist Church will give a Thanksgiving social in the basement Friday night. The program will consist of numbers present-

ed by each department of the Sunday school. The women of the church are to serve refreshments of pie and coffee. Contests and games are planned for entertainment during the evening

SHOWER GIVEN FOR MRS CROWFORD EILAND

A stork shower was given for Mrs Crowford Eiland of Tula, the former Miss Melba Hadley of Lockney, at the home of Mrs Joe McCollum Wednesday afternoon. As each guest entered they signed their name in a baby book. Later a paper was passed on which they wrote their favorite name for a boy and girl. The guests then embroidered their initials in the corner of a diaper. Refreshments of cake and tea

NOTICE!

For a Smooth Shave And a Stylish Hair Cut Go to Woods Bros. Barber Shop

Front Drape Featured



NEW YORK . . . The feature of this new two-piece afternoon dress is the front drape of the skirt of plum purple silk crepe which starts, it will be noticed, in the silk lame overblouse of antique gold. The hat is of gold lame.

were served to the following: Mesdames Charles Carver, Geo. Newman, E D Jackson, Mrs A T Eiland, Ethel Stevenson, Dezzie Hadley, Virgil Teaver, Nat Waller, Buck Sullivan, R D Marland, T B Brooks, W N Alford, Louetta McGoughron, C B McCollum, and the hostess Mrs Joe McCollum.

APPROACHING MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED WEDNESDAY

The approaching marriage of Miss Edel Weiss, daughter of Mr and Mrs E E Weiss of Plainview, to Gerald Sams, son of Mrs W H Counts of Lockney, was announced last night when the Iva Wheeler Circle met in the Weiss home. The wedding is to take place on the evening of Thursday, Dec. 12 at 8:00 in the home of the bride's parents.

Blue and Gold were the colors used in the dining room where the announcement was made at the close of the evening. The dining table was covered with a lace cloth over blue and two cakes with yellow icing and blue rosebud decorations centered the table. On top of one cake was a miniature figure of a bride. A bridegroom topped the other cake.

Gold colored candles in silver holders lighted the table. The silver coffee service was presided over by Mrs Ed Weiss, Jr. of Plainview.

Gerald Sams is now employed in the Lockney City Bakery.

WESTERNS TO BE SHOWN EXCLUSIVELY ON SATURDAY

This week the Isis Theatre will present for the show-going public some practically new releases which are now showing in the keynote cities.

Saturday a player that you have been wanting to see will be presented at the Isis Theatre in the picture, "Western Courage." This player is Ken Maynard. This is one of the new releases that is showing for one of the first times in Texas.

Mr Jenkins announces that he will return to the Western pictures exclusively for Saturday matinee and night shows, upon request of the public.

For a Saturday night preview, Sunday matinee and Monday, there will be a picture of wide appeal to all types of show fans. "Red Salute" is the name of this picture, in which Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Young are teamed to create an absorbing dialogue. It concerns primarily the romance of Miss Stanwyck and Mr Young and their wild transcontinental dash. It also presents an other angle, that of the patriotic uprising on the part of the students against the invasion of the New Thoughts" idea. This is a current topic in newspapers and periodicals, and a subject much in the minds of America's population.

Next Tuesday and Wednesday Bank night show, "Special Agent" will be flashed on the screen with George Brent and Betty Davis starring.

For the Thanksgiving show the Isis Theatre shows "She Couldn't Take It", with George Raft and Joan Bennett playing the lead. This picture has just been released and is now playing in the larger cities. To carry out the Thanksgiving motive there will be the Popeye cartoon "A Football Hero".



...AT TODAY'S PRICE, THE BIGGEST WASHER VALUE YOU CAN BUY

When you compare Maytag quality and price with any other washer you see why the housewives of this nation have bought more Maytags in one half of 1934, than during the whole year of 1933.

■ This is proof that American women today are insisting upon genuine quality. ■ Visit the Maytag dealer and see this Maytag for yourself.

For homes with no electricity, any Maytag may be had with Gasoline Multi-Motor at slight additional cost.

Baker Merc. Company

Grabbed An Ear



SEATTLE . . . Marian L. Petrie (above), stenographer, heard cries for help while swimming last summer. She rushed to the rescue, remembering "Y" life-saving advice to "grab 'em by the hair." But the distressed had no hair, so Marian grabbed an ear . . . and has now received a Carnegie medal and \$500.

BULLDOGS GROWL AT LONG HORNS IN NIGHT GAME

Cleat Rips Taylor's Nose On Fourth Play of Game; Eight Stitches Required

The Spur Bulldogs snarled and growled over the Longhorns last Friday night at Spur with a final score of 40-6 in the roughest and toughest game the local squad has played this year. This gives Lockney a 300 per cent conference standing with four defeats and two victories.

On the fourth play of the game a flying cleat on the shoe of a Bulldog slashed the nose of George Taylor, 160 pound Long horn tackler. Eight stitches were required for the injury and it is believed that he will not be able to play in the Quitaque game here Friday.

After the accident the whole squad seemed to lose that old Longhorn punch and pep. Later on in the game "Fat" Spence is reported to have made the most sensational run of the entire game by going right down through the line side stepping all tacklers for a 55 yard gain.

Spur has only been defeated once this season, as well as Floydada. Matador is the only team in the district that has not been defeated.

Sells New Cars

The Miller Motor Co. announces two sales this week. A Dodge pick-up purchased by Clarence Stalcup and a Plymouth de luxe coupe purchased by Raymond Rucker.

CLINIC NOTES

Mrs Maynard Fields, of South Plains underwent a tonsillectomy on Nov. 15.

Oleta and Eudara Winston, daughters of Mr and Mrs W R Winston of Sterley, underwent tonsillectomies on Nov. 16.

Mrs Lloyd Farrish, of Sterley, who was a patient in the hospital for several days last week, has been discharged, improved.

Mr and Mrs Tom Wells of the Lone Star Community, are the parents of an eight pound girl born Nov. 17.

Donald Duane, son of Mr and Mrs Olson Allison of Lockney, was born on Nov. 13.

Mrs Gip Hudson and baby Io Ann, are in Mountain View, Okla. visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs E D Usery. They will remain for an indefinite visit.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE— WITHOUT CALOMEL

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

If you feel sour and sick and the world looks punk, don't swallow a lot of salts, mineral waters, oil, laxative candy or sleeping gum and expect them to make you suddenly sweet and buoyant and full of sunshine.

For they can't do it. They only move the bowels and a pure movement doesn't get at the cause. The reason for your down-and-out feeling is your liver. It should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily.

If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. One block up your stomach. You have a thick, bad taste and your breath is foul, often often breaks out in hives. Your head aches and you feel down and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

It takes those good, old CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS to get those two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up." They contain wonderful, harmless, gentle vegetable extracts, amazing when it comes to making the bile flow freely.

But don't ask for liver pills. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills. Look for the name Carter's Little Liver Pills on the red label. Beware of substitutes. See at drug stores. © 1931 C. M. Co.

SCHOOL LIBRARIAN PWA PROJECT APPROVED LAST WEEK

J W Jones, superintendent, was notified last week of approval of the PWA project for high school librarian, and he received official notice Tuesday that the work is to begin this morning and continue for twelve months.

Miss Beatrice Nicholas of Lockney has been selected to have charge of the high school library beginning today and will dispose of all business concerning the books.

Isis Theatre Program

Sat Matinee and Night Nov. 23



Episode No 9 "Miracle Rider" With Tom Mix

—DOUBLE COMEDY—

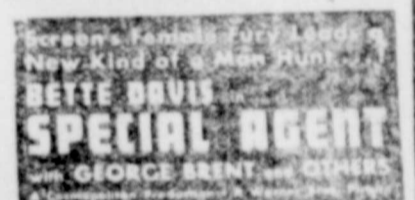
Sat Night Preview, Sun Matinee and Mon. Nite Nov. 23-24-25

She . . . JOINED UP WITH A ONE MAN ARMY!



Double Comedy and Cartoon

Tuesday and Wednesday Nov. 26-27



—DOUBLE COMEDY—

Thurs. and Friday, Nov. 28-29

She could hand it out . . . but SHE COULDN'T TAKE IT!



Comedy and Popeye Cartoon

THANKSGIVING



We wish to take this method of thanking each one who has been so loyal in patronizing us through the year of 1935. We assure you it has been a great pleasure to serve you in the capacity of your bakeryman, and ask a continuance of your highly esteemed patronage for the year 1936.

City Bakery

G H Phenix



Thanksgiving, 1935, is a far cry from the days of 1635, but the spirit is the same.

Like any occasion, the spirit we put into the day determines pretty largely our returns. We know a great many things for which we are thankful and express the sincere wish that you may put in a lot and get out a full measure of Thanksgiving pleasure.

Our Home Economist Makes These Thanksgiving Suggestions:

DINNER

Cranberry Juice Cocktail
Roast Turkey with Chestnut Dressing
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Buttered Pears
Lima Pear Salad
Pumpkin Pie with Whipped Cream
Cakes

Serve Your Left-Overs Attractively . . .

Frozen Tomato Juice Cocktail
Cheese Straws
Turkey Hawaiian in Macaroni Ring
Mixed Vegetable Salad
Ice Cream Puffs
Foamy Cranberry Sauce
Coffee

Electric Cooking Goes Modern

TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY

PALACE FLOYDADA

FLOYD COUNTY'S GREATEST SHOW VALUE

SATURDAY—Matinee Only
WE LOVED A GOOD FIGHT!

And when he found it—dynamite lists flew!



GEORGE O'BRIEN
in
HARD ROCK HARRIGAN
A 4000 ft. picture with
IRENE HERVEY
PLUS GOOD COMEDY

SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY

"Gracie, You're Nuts"
Oht Thanks, Georgie!



Those ace laugh digger-uppers, Burns and Allen, and thirteen top vaudeville acts. Adolph Zukor present.

'Here comes COOKIE'
A Paramount Picture with
George Burns—Gracie Allen
George Barbier
Betty Furness
THEATRE

PLUS GOOD COMEDY
SAT. PREVUE 11:45
SUNDAY and MONDAY



Come On, Everybody!
MAKE MERRY WITH
MARION In Her First
for Warner Bros.

MARION DAVIES
in
'PAGE MISS GLORY'
PAT O'BRIEN
DICK POWELL
A Cosmopolitan Production

WEDNESDAY BARGAIN DAY
MATINEE 5 & 10a
NIGHT 5 & 15c

WHIRLY-GIRLY!
REDHEADS ON PARADE!

Midnight THANKSGIVING Nov. 28th 11:30



THE YEAR'S BIG SURPRISE HIT! THE CASE OF THE LUCKY LEGS WARREN WILLIAM PATRICIA ELLIS

PLUS 2 SNAPPY SHORTS
COME!
MAKE WHOOPEE!
WITH US

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—A brick and cement building 30 x 100 feet, cement floor, good for most any business.—Geo. T Meriwether 10 2tc

LOST—in Lockney, pair of black kid gloves. Leave at Beacon office and receive reward. 10 1tp

FOR SALE—One bay horse 6 years-old; 1 black mare smooth-mouth.—1-2 mile east brick school house.—O A Lucas 11 1tp

FLOYD COUNTY ABSTRACT CO.—Let us show you that we can save you money on your Land Bank or any other Abstract & Title work, 30 years experience Floyd County Abstract Co.—R C Scott, Mgr. 50 4tc

FOR SALE—New crop of New Mexico Beans—M H Ragle. 9 2tc

WANT TO BUY—Laying white Leghorn or white Minorcas pullets—Phone 918F13. 11 2tp

FOR SALE—3,000 bundles of bigeria—good heads. 5c per bundle.—J C Colvin 9 4tc

Leave you flower Orders with Mrs E E Dyer.—Hollums Floyd-ada Florists. 7 7tc

FOR SALE—Light tan Overcoat, for boy about 13 or 4 years of age.—Call at Beacon

LARD CANS for sale.—City Bakery. 10 2tc

ARTHUR B. DUNCAN ABSTRACT COMPANY Oldest and most complete Abstract plant in Floyd County. Prepared to transfer prompt, efficient service on everything in the line of land titles.—S E. corner of public square, Floydada, Texas Mrs. Maud E. Hollums, Manager.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Pony and saddle suitable for school child.—Earl Bell, Silverton, Rt 1 11 1tp.

FOR SALE—No. 1 good 6 foot one-way—cash or terms. Also '28 Chevrolet coupe, one-row cultivator, and binder.—Roy Ragle. 11 2tc

NOTICE — Please return all fresnos, plows and post-hole diggers and other tools of the county to the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., yard in Lockney.—E R Harris, Commissioner. 11 2tc

We know the party who took the bell from the hotel lobby counter Halloween night, but if they return it like they took it, nothing will be said about it, otherwise you will have to take the consequence.—Baker Hotel. 10 1tc.

84 BLOCKS

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that will be used in the construction and improvement of the streets. All of this work will be under the supervision of an engineer.

As all know, the city is not financially able to supply this \$2,000 due to poor tax collections that has been brought about by economic conditions and crop failures in this community. We also know that the Federal Government has stated that all Relief to our unemployables will be cut off the first of January, and States, county and cities will be expected to care for the needs of their own citizens. After taking all of this into consideration, a plan has been devised to raise this necessary \$2,000 in order to secure this \$31,000 for street work, to begin about the first of January, if the project is finally approved by the WPA and the money is made available.

The city has been surveyed, divided up into streets, and committees appointed for each street to secure pledges from individuals in the amount of \$2.00 a month for six months, and in this manner the necessary fund can be raised as requested by the WPA.

This is a very simple plan and one that will not work a hardship on anyone, yet it will raise the necessary money. If we do not have some kind of public work in this community, we will be asked to donate a considerable larger amount during the next six or eight months to care for those unable to secure work.

The following have been appointed by the City to be responsible for the street assigned to them in securing these pledges of \$2.00 per month for a period of six months:

A P Barker, Main Street; R E Patterson, East 1st; G B Harris, East 2nd; Robert Smith, East 4th; Floyd Huff, West 1st; H M Mason, West 2nd; Dr P C Anders West 3rd; Arch Crager, West 4th; C A Wofford, College Street; J C Taylor, Bryant street; K L Canning, Popular street; Dr N E Greer, Spruce Street; Geo. Meriwether, Locust street, Executive committee: Ed Whitfill, chairman, H M Mason, and J C Taylor.

The members of the above committee will begin work Friday, and when they approach you, do not hesitate to sign a pledge, the amount is small, and this is the greatest opportunity that we will have to get our streets put in first class shape at so little cost to our citizenship, and at the same time furnish work for our people. Do not expect and think that the city should put up this money, they do not have it and will not have it. We are facing a crisis and this is an easy way to avoid it. These pledges must be secured within the next three or four days if we are to realize any benefits from this WPA street project.

Monday night at 7:30 at the City Auditorium a mass meeting will be held to check up on the result of the campaign. Every man and woman within the gates of the city are expected to attend this meeting. It is a meeting that interests you. It makes no difference if you are a millionaire or a pauper you be at that meeting for if it don't interest you now, it will more than likely interest you before next spring, and in no small way at that.

The question has been asked many times if the streets will be as rough as our Main Street when completed. We say emphatically NO. An eight inch coat of caliche will be put on the streets and rolled down to six inches and they will be just like a State Highway before it receives hot topping.

SCHOOL GROUNDS

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completed 145 cubic yards of concrete walks will have been completed.

A carload of cement and four carloads of gravel have been unloaded at the Home-Grain Elevator and will be brought to the scene of construction as needed. L A Holland is local foreman of the project and Albert Sherrill is supervisor and timekeeper.

Mrs Z T Riley and son, Winn left Monday for the Valley where they plan to spend the winter.

QUITAQUE PANTHERS

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Spur.

The conference standing now is as follows: First, Matador; second, Floydada and Spur, one defeat each; third, Paducah, two defeats; fourth, Lockney, four defeats; fifth, Turkey tied two; sixth, Quitaque, Flomont and Silverton, each tied one.

Officials for the game will be Finis Vaughn, Plainview, referee; Scalings, Plainview, head linesman; Fred Biffle, Silverton, umpire.

Coach Cooper announces the following possible lineup: Williams, l e; Sams, l t; Pope, l g; Collier (capt.), c; Alexander, r e; Cope, r t; "Slim" Spence, r e; Teuton, q b; H A Brotherton l h b; "Fat" Spence, f b; Marvin Brotherton, r h b.

Mr and Mrs R B Groves and family of Amarillo, were here Sunday visiting Mr and Mrs Tom Rives.

Mr and Mrs Garland Sams moved from the home of Sams' mother, Mrs Hugh Counts, to the W L Whitt apartment.

Bill Booth and family and Kirk Parker were in Sweetwater Sunday and Monday visiting Mr and Mrs Roy Perish.

Thanksgiving

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks for the business given us the past year, and take this opportunity to show our appreciation for the good business that we have had, and to wish for the people of this section happiness and plenty

We have enjoyed an excellent business during the past year for which we are very thankful.

Sinclair Service Station

JOHN MANNING

SPECIALS

FOR THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS

APPLES

DELICIOUS—No Better Eating Apple, Dozen 20c
WINESAP, they are fine ones, Bushel 90c to \$1.25
All of these apples are from Colorado.

Pinto Beans	Colorado, The kind that will cook, 20 Lbs.	\$1.00
PECANS	Nice Ones, 10 Lbs.	75c
COLORADO HONEY	bring your bucket gallon	\$1.00
YAMS	East Texas, pound	2 1/2c
	BUSHEL	85c

Prunes, Dates and Figs for your holiday cooking at Special Prices
We receive 225 bushels of apples from Colorado every week.

FULL LINE OF DAIRY AND POULTRY FEED

Roberson Feed & Seed Store

A Pledge For Thanksgiving

The deepest satisfaction is always found in giving rather than receiving. We are thankful for the privilege to give. It is gratifying to know that we have tried to serve the Public well. Public confidence is a rich reward. We need no other incentive to strive towards ever higher standards.

Our entire personnel makes a Thanksgiving pledge of Service. We wish to thank our many customers for the splendid business given us the past year.

This is your business, and its success depends on the patronage you give it.

Consumers Fuel Association

Floyd Barber, Manager.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

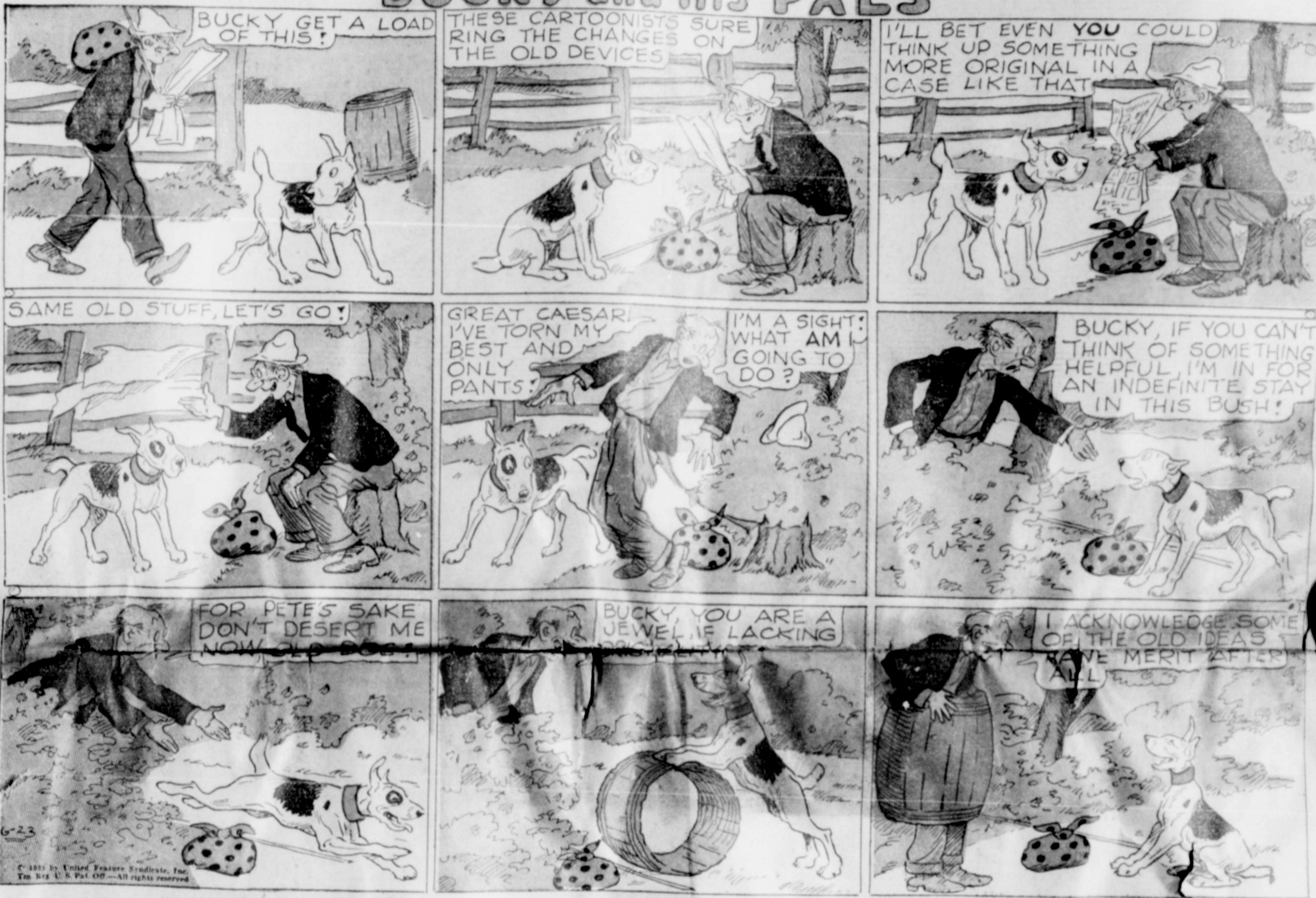
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BUCKY and his PALS



FRITZI RITZ

By Ernie Bushmiller



LOOY DOT DOPE

By John Devlin



Jeff Turner, the Indian Hater and Killer

As Told by BIG FOOT WALLACE
Texas Scout and Indian Fighter.
(From Wilbarger's History of Texas Indian Raids and Depredations).

WAS one of eight men who had been out on an exploring expedition up the Nueces river, in Southwest Texas. While returning, we camped on the banks of the Lavaca river the last night and all of us went to sleep without the usual precaution of putting out a guard. We were near enough to the settlement to be safe, we thought, from Indian attacks. I told the boys it was a great risk not to put out a guard, as I had found where you least expect to meet Mr. Indian there is where he shows up. Tired with their long day's ride, the men said they didn't think there was any danger and if so they were willing to take the chances. After eating a hearty supper and staking out our horses, we wrapped our blankets around us and were soon fast asleep.

I was the first one to wake up, about daylight and, looking in the direction we had staked our horses, discovered that they were all gone. I got up quietly, went out to reconnoiter and had gone but a little way on the prairie when I picked up an arrow. A few yards further on I came across one of our horses lying dead with a dozen arrows sticking in various parts of his body. This satisfied me at once that Indians had paid us a visit during the night and, with exception of the horse they had killed (he was an unruly animal), had stolen and made off with all of our other horses.

Afoot and Ten Miles From No Where

I went back to camp, aroused the men and gave them the astounding information that we were ten miles from no where and "flat afoot." There was no use crying, so we held a "council of war" to decide what was best to do under the circumstances. We all agreed that each man should shoulder his own saddle, blanket, rifle, etc., and make a bee line for the Zumwalt settlement, 10 miles above on the Lavaca river. Hastily eating breakfast, each man shouldered his load, and we put out for the settlement. This was a fatiguing tramp, hampered as we were with guns and "rigging," but we made it in good time. Fortunately for us, a man had just come into the settlement from the Rio Grande with a large herd of horses, and when we made known our plight he generously told us to go into the corral and select what horses we pleased. The animals were about half wild, so it took fully an hour for each of us to catch, bridle and saddle a horse. When all were ready, we put spurs to our steeds and galloped back to our camp of the previous night, determined to follow the Indians and recapture our stolen horses. We took the trail of the savages, now plainly visible in the rank grass, accompanied by five more men who lived in the settlement and who volunteered to go along with us. This brought our number to 13 men, all armed and mounted.

Curious Looking Specimen

As long as the Indians kept to the

valley we had no trouble in following their trail. After we had traveled 8 or 10 miles, I had to halt and dismount for the purpose of fixing my girth, which had become unfastened. While thus engaged, I heard the tramp of horse hoofs behind me. A man, riding rapidly, reined in his horse when he got near me. He was a curious looking specimen of humanity—tall, spare built, dressed in a buckskin hunting shirt, leggings and a coonskin cap. He had a long, old-fashioned flint and steel Kentucky rifle on his shoulder and a scalping knife stuck in his belt. His hair, matted together, hung below his shoulders and his eyes peered out as bright as a couple of mesquite coals. I have seen all sorts of eyes—panthers, wolves, catamounts, leopards and Mexican lions, but I never saw eyes that danced and glowed like his eyes.

As soon as I had patched my girth I remounted my horse and rode along with this curious individual a mile or so without a word passing between us. Although I felt a little skittish, I at last asked if he "was a stranger in these parts?"

"Not exactly," he replied. "I have been about here off and on for the last three years and I know every trail and every water hole from here to the Rio Grande, especially the ones that are used by Indians in going and coming."

Lived to Scalp Indians

"Ain't you afraid," I asked, "to travel alone so much in this wild country?"

"He grinned a bit and then said, as his fingers clutched the handle of his hunting knife: "No, I live only for one thing in life and that is Indian scalps. I want 100 before I die. I now have 40."

"My name, he continued, is Jeff Turner and you must think strange of me. Ten years ago I was as happy as any man in the world, but now I am miserable except when I am waylaying and scalping an Indian. It's the only comfort I have. I had a small farm in Kentucky, not far from the mouth of Beech fork and, though I had little money, my family and I lived happily and comfortably. We had nothing to fear when we laid down at night.

"A stranger stopped at my house one day, on his way to Texas, and told me about the rich lands, the abundance of game and the many fortunes which had been made in this new country. From that time on I grew restless, and resolved that I would seek my fortune in

the 'promised land' of Texas.

"Next fall, having sold my farm for a good price, I moved my family to Texas, and settled on the bank of a beautiful little stream known as Chicolete creek, that flows into the Guadalupe river.

"My wife had left Kentucky unwillingly, but the spot we had chosen for a home, the rich lands, the picturesque country and the mildness of the climate, all reconciled her to our new abode. One lovely morning in May I took my rifle and went out for a stroll in the woods. When I left the house my wife was at work in our little garden, singing as gaily as any of the birds, and my three little boys were laughing, shouting and trundling their hoops around the yard. That was the last time I saw them alive.

Unsuspecting of Danger

"I had gone perhaps a mile unsuspecting of danger, when I heard guns firing in the direction of my home. Instantly I felt that the Indians were



"I live only for one thing in life and that is Indian scalps."

murdering my family. Hurriedly I retraced my steps, rushed through the open door of my home, and the first thing I saw was the dead body of my wife, lying pale and bloody upon the floor, with the lifeless form of my youngest boy clasped tightly in her arms. She had evidently tried to defend the boy to the last. My two eldest boys lay dead and scalped near by.

"The Indians were about to depart for some purpose, now returned. Before they knew I was there I shot one of them through the heart with my rifle and, drawing my hunting knife, rushed upon the others like a tiger. There were at least a dozen, though it would have made no difference if there had been a thousand Indians, for I was desperate and thought only of avenging the cruel and cowardly murder of my wife and children.

"I have but a faint recollection of what happened afterward. I remember hearing savage yells and that some of the Indians gave way as I rushed upon them, cutting and stabbing right and

left with my knife. Then all went blank with me and I lost consciousness.

"I suppose some of the Indians fired on me from the outside and gave me the wounds that rendered me unconscious, but they must have fled, otherwise they would have taken my scalp and carried off their own dead Indians.

Found by a Neighbor

"Sometime during the day one of my neighbors passed by the house and, seeing no one move about, he suspected something wrong and came inside. He found me lying on the floor across the dead body of an Indian, grasping his throat with one hand and in the other hand my knife buried to the hilt in the savage's breast. Near by lay the bodies of three other Indians, cut in pieces by my knife.

"The kind neighbor took me to his home, dressed my wounds and did all he could for me. For many days I lay at the point of death and it was thought I would never get well, but gradually my wounds healed and strength returned—although for a long time afterward I wasn't exactly right here (tapping his forehead), and even now I am more like a crazy man than anything else when I have to go a long time without lifting the scalp of an Indian."

The tragic story of the man touched me deeply. He had paid the price, along with many other brave men and women, who had emigrated to Texas and had tried to civilize the West.

In order to change the subject, I asked him which way he was traveling, although I knew very well he was going along with us. He replied: "I'd just as soon go one direction as another; I always travel on the freshest Indian trail. You and your company may get tired and quit this trail without overtaking the Indians, but I shall stick to it until I get a scalp or two to take back with me to my camp on the Chicolete."

Picks Up Lost Trail

By this time, having come up with our companions, we all rode on in silence. At last, we came to a hard rocky piece of ground, where the Indians had scattered, and here we lost the trail, for not the least sign was visible. You see, at that time none of us had much experience in trailing and fighting Indians. We soon discovered, however, that Jeff Turner, the Indian hater, knew more about following a trail than all of us put together. We

let him take the lead, following wherever he went. Sometimes he hesitated for a little while as to the right course, but soon he would pick up the trail again, and be off at such speed that we trotted to keep up with him.

About half an hour before sundown Turner halted, and as all of us gathered around him he said to keep a sharp lookout and make no noise. He proceeded cautiously, and we had gone about 300 yards further when we saw treetops at the edge of some post oak timber. We spurred our horses, and in a few moments dashed among the Indians. They did not see us until we were within 50 yards of their camp, but they had time to bring their guns and bows into action, giving us a volley as we charged up. The volley only wounded one of our horses.

We dismounted and began pouring a deadly rifle fire into them. Just as I leaped from my horse to the ground, a big Indian stepped behind a post oak tree and shot an arrow at me that barely grazed my head and tore a strip of bark from a tree. I drew a bead on him as he started to run, but his arrow had so unsettled my nerves that the bullet missed him. The fight kept pretty hot for about 15 minutes. Finally the Indians soured on it and retreated into a thick chapparal, leaving several dead warriors.

A Grim Smile

Jeff Turner was a busy man all through the fight. He knew how to protect himself from enemy bullets and arrows while his rifle fire was deadly. Always cool and deliberate, he never seemed in a hurry. It was astonishing the ease and rapidity with which he would scalp an Indian. A grim smile overspread his features all during the fight.

As the Indians retreated, one of them jumped on a horse which had been tied by a rope to a post oak tree, near the camp. In his hurry this Indian forgot to untie the rope. Round and round the tree the horse and the Indian went until both were wound up close to the tree. Jeff Turner plugged the Indian with a half ounce ball and scalped him before he was done kicking.

The Indians had killed a fat buck deer and were roasting the choice pieces when we attacked them. After the fight we found the meat done to a turn. We now seized upon the venison as lawful spoils of war, and it, with some hard-tack we had brought along, tasted mighty good to fellows who had not eaten a bite all day.

Next morning we rounded up our horses the Indians had stolen from us. Some of the boys were wounded, but none seriously. With careful nursing, all of the wounded men recovered in from one to six weeks.

Jeff Turner, the Indian hater, left us for his camp on Chicolete creek, and I never saw him again. Later I was told that he occasionally came into the settlement for supplies of ammunition, etc., always bringing with him four or five fresh Indian scalps. He finally disappeared, leaving no trace. I wonder if the Indians caught him napping and lifted his scalp. I doubt it.

Modern and Ancient Arms Meet in the Ethiopian Conflict

By SHEPARD STONE
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WITH the outbreak of war between Italy and Ethiopia, two vastly different armies meet each other. In equipment and appearance it is as if a military juggernaut of the twentieth century were seeking to annihilate an army arising miraculously out of a page of ancient history. On Ethiopian soil the military world of 1935 and that of centuries ago present a strange contrast.

Modern Equipment

Besides the advantage of long training for war, the Italian soldiers in Ethiopia possess the most modern engines of destruction. Airplanes, tanks, tractors, poison gas, motor cars and trucks are all being used in the attack on Haile Selassie's forces. It is estimated that Italy has 350 of her most modern bombers and other planes in East Africa.

Well trained, inspired by the martial philosophy of fascism, determined to revenge the defeat of 40,000 Italians incurred at Adowa in 1896, equipped with all the implements of war that science has discovered, the Italian colonial army is battering its way into Ethiopia.

How many men are involved in the struggle? There is no exact count for either side. It is estimated in Rome that approximately 250,000 troops are now operating in the colonial war on behalf of Italy. Of these, 150,000 are white soldiers, not so well acclimatized to the heat of the East African coast, and 100,000 are native troops drawn from Eritrea, Italian Somaliland and Libya.

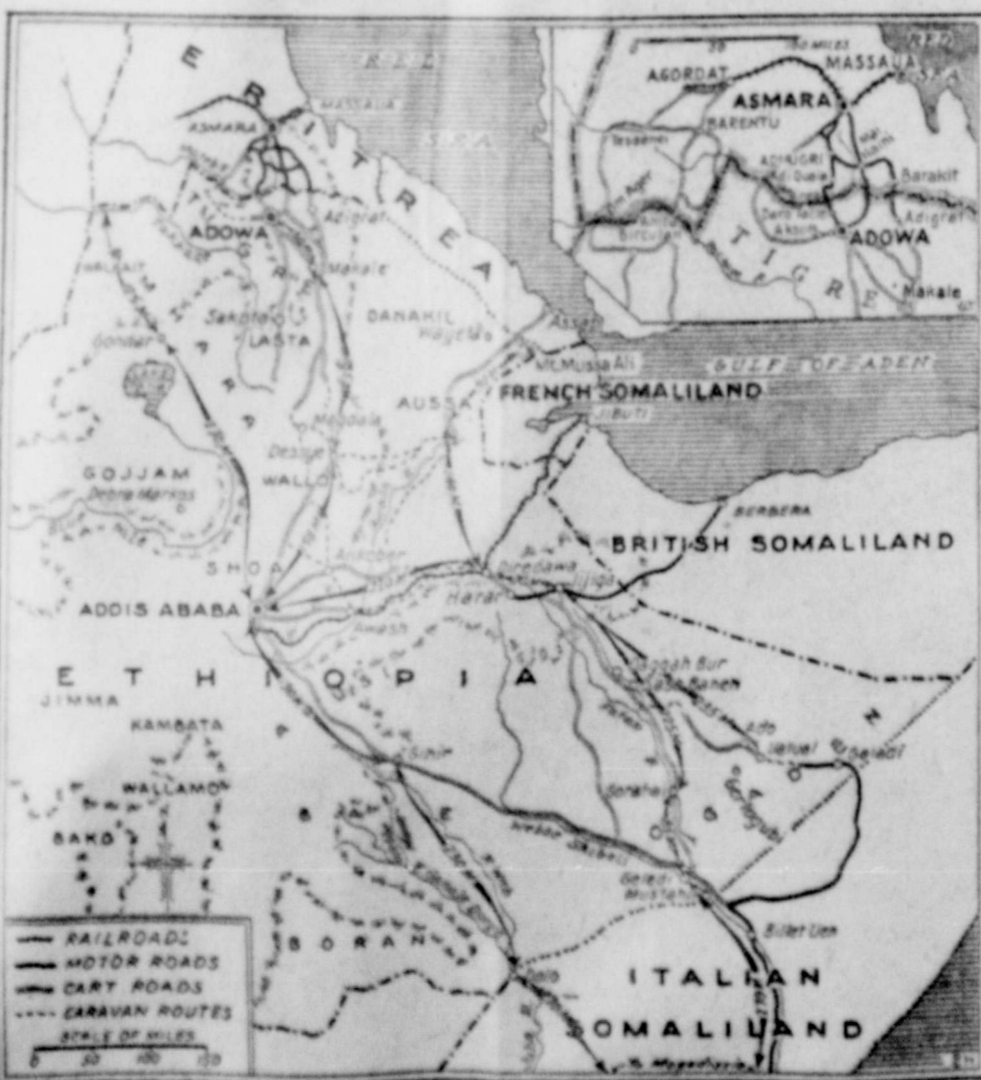
In addition, workers of all kinds, laboring at wartime occupations for the high wages paid, number 40,000. Numerically the Lion of Judah has more warriors at his disposal than has

General Emilio de Bono, the Italian military chief in East Africa; according to a recent estimate there are 1,166,000 men ready to oppose the Italian military machine. But there are neither the food supplies nor the transportation facilities to support such a host; it is more likely that the effective Ethiopian force is not much larger than Italy's.

Of this force 5,000 belong to the Emperor's bodyguard and comprise the only modernized part of the Ethiopian army. Since 1929 these men have been trained by Belgian and Swedish instructors. Unlike most of their kinsmen, they wear uniforms (though they decline to put on shoes), carry up-to-date arms and drill in accordance with Western military principles.

Primitive Weapons

Most of the Ethiopian warriors are entering battle with long swords and razor-sharp spears as their fighting equipment. They fight as their forefathers fought, hand-to-hand with a savagery that knows no quarter. The typical Ethiopian goes to war



Map of Ethiopia, showing roads, caravan routes, Italian, English and French possessions.

dressed in a voluminous white robe, warm but not cumbersome. Around his legs he wears a pair of tight-fitting trousers. The warriors despise the uniform of the European. They prefer

their own robes and their shields of elephant and hippopotamus hide. For equipment, outside of swords and spears, Haile Selassie can boast 500,000 to 600,000 muskets and rifles; most of these are antiquated, some having been picked up on the battlefield of Adowa four decades ago. The army also has a few hundred machine guns, about 40,000 Mauser rifles (not modern rifles) and a few dozen cannons of the kind one expects to see in a military museum instead of on a modern battleground.

Technologically, the Ethiopian army cannot compete with the Italians. It has, for example, no airplane, tank and motor car armadas. When Italian planes rained bombs on Adowa there were no Ethiopian planes to combat them; the Italians had their own way.

Worse still, Ethiopia has almost no facilities for the manufacture of munitions.

However, since the League of Nations has recently lifted the arms embargo against Ethiopia, more modern fighting equipment is now available for Haile Selassie's warriors.

Allegiance to Chiefs

Haile Selassie faces other difficulties of which Il Duce is free. Though in theory all Ethiopian warriors owe their ultimate allegiance to him, in reality they do not. Most braves are devoted followers of their local chiefs. These are jealous of one another, and in many cases their devotion to the Emperor is not complete.

The Ethiopian Emperor must cope with another enemy in the overconfidence of his army. Ever since their triumph at Adowa in 1896 the Ethiopians have boasted of their ability to overwhelm legions from Rome. They do not realize that the army of Mussolini is not the Italian army of 1896 and that spears and shields are no match for airplanes flying 200 miles an hour and dropping bombs.

Nature, not man, has given Ethiopia one great advantage in the war. Topographically the East African country which the Italians have invaded is one of the most difficult in the world for a modern army to conquer. Terrible desert country, where the sun's rays are unbearable for whites and natives alike, alternates with high mountain ranges which present their own peculiar type of barrier to invasion. Hidden among the peaks and passes of these mountains the Ethiopians are expected to attack the Italian lines of communications and indulge in guerrilla warfare.

Lack of Water

Lack of water may prove to be the most formidable obstacle that the Italian troops will have to overcome in Mussolini's threatened subjugation of Ethiopia. An apparently well-informed engineer writes that shipping water to Eritrea and Italian Somaliland has

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CURRENT COMMENT

By HOMER M. PRICE

Marshall, Texas
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Niggardly Reward

LITTLE incident in St. Louis a few weeks ago found its way into print. A small messenger boy found \$39,000 in negotiable papers on the street. He examined the package, ascertained to whom it belonged and delivered it to the owner. The owner looked over the papers carefully to see if all were there, put his hand in his pocket and drew out some small change. He scrutinized the coins, picked out a buffalo nickel, started to give it to the lad, reconsidered, and then selected a thin dime which he placed in the boy's hand, accompanied by a lecture on the subject of "honesty is the best policy."

But a Tennessee Boy Didn't Get a Dime

During my youth in Tennessee there was a similar incident, only in this case about fifty lives were at stake. A torrential rain had fallen and a bridge on what is now the Southern railroad had washed out. A lad of 14 heard the crash of falling bridge timbers, hurriedly dressed himself and went up the track to flag a through passenger train that he knew was almost due. Providing himself with a lantern, he rushed out in the raging storm. Going as fast as his legs would carry him, he swung the lantern across the railroad track as the headlight of the locomotive rounded a curve. There was a loud whistle for brakes (it was before the time of air-brakes), a grinding of wheels and the train came to a stop. The boy explained that the bridge had gone out on Fox creek.

No further attention was paid the boy as the train backed up to the next station. No inquiry was made as to the boy's name, or address, no word of thanks. A few years after saving this train from wreck the boy was a student at the Tennessee University. Each Saturday week-end he walked along that same railroad track 15 miles to his home. A friend, unknown to the boy, wrote the president of the railroad, telling him of the stormy night, how the train was saved from plunging into a swollen stream by the boy's prompt action. He also told of the boy new walking 30 miles along the company's track on week-end trips to his home, suggesting that a pass to the lad would be greatly appreciated. The friend's letter was never answered. Honesty and fidelity is the best policy, I am sure, but how poorly it is rewarded sometimes. More reason for believing that a Heavenly Tribunal rewards those who have failed to be rewarded here on earth.

A New Parole Method

Governor Allred is inaugurating a new method in an effort to return paroled convicts back to society. He is appointing what he calls "County Parole Boards." He selects in each county three men from the Rotary, Kiwanis or other civic organizations and when a convict from that county is paroled he is paroled to this board to whom he

must report at stated intervals. This board is expected to extend encouragement to the paroled man and make every effort to help him go straight. Also the board serves as friend, counselor and reporter to the Governor on the man's conduct. It is something new in penology and should be a great factor in rehabilitating and restoring to society those who have erred and who show a disposition to reform. As one editor puts it: "Whether the Governor is acting by law or Grace, we do not know—but we feel that every humanitarian, every one possessing any of the 'milk of human kindness' will approve the Governor's motives and look upon the experiment with well-wishing concern."

Red Cross and First Aid

The Red Cross has secured the consent of practically all oil companies that maintain filling stations to have in these stations first aid in case of accidents and the operatives of stations are to be given instructions how to administer first aid. As we are killing around 34,000 people every year and wounding nearly a million on our highways, this movement is timely and beneficial. First aid treatment will save many lives and prevent much suffering to the injured. All stations that adopt the plan will be furnished a sign by the Red Cross organization, indicating that this particular station is equipped for giving prompt and efficient aid in case of accident.

Uncle Gus

A. M. (Uncle Gus) Wilson died last month at his home in McKinney, Texas. He probably gave more to charity than any Texan who has ever lived. His benefactions are conservatively estimated at \$800,000. He had his own ideas how to dispense aid. He did not turn his money over to an organization, but hunted out individual cases, who needed help and made an individual matter of helping them. He knew where his money went. His favorite deed was to find some bright, industrious boy who wanted an education, but no opportunity to get it, and give him his chance. Learning that some worthy family was about to lose their home, he would buy the mortgage and cancel it. A thrifty family awoke one morning to find a bright, shining automobile in their yard with his compliments. Thus through a long, useful life, Uncle Gus spent nearly a million dollars in this way. He never once thought of bestowing charity and only helped those who were making an effort to help themselves. He was criticized, of course, by some folks who were giving little or nothing themselves. These said he should have fed the hungry and clothed the naked with all his money, but A. M. Wilson kept the even tenor of his way and didn't bother about critics, knowing that there would always be criticism of those who do things worthwhile. He may have remembered how a woman once poured a bottle of alabaster ointment of great value on the feet of a

Man who was soon to faint under the weight of a cross he was carrying—a cross on which he was to be crucified. The idle who stood by murmured, saying, it was a waste; that the ointment should have been sold and the money given to the poor. But the Man who was anointed commended the woman and said: "The poor ye have with you always." Uncle Gus had his own way of helping the poor and needy, and those of us who want to do likewise have the same opportunity.

Costly Neutrality

It is mighty hard to be altruistic when that altruism affects the pocket-book. At the time this is being written the war between Italy and Ethiopia has begun and President Roosevelt is ready to issue an embargo on the shipment of arms, munitions and war materials that can be used by the combatants in prosecution of the war. There is where our selfishness comes in. The wheat farmers of the West and the cotton farmers of the South are bringing strong pressure on the President that he does not include wheat and cotton in the embargo. Yet, wheat means food for the army and the civilian population in order that they may prosecute the war. Cotton is an important element in the manufacture of high explosives besides being used for clothing soldiers and citizens. It looks like we might forego any profit if by so doing we can hasten the time of peace. It is said in justification of our selling commodities to the nations at war that if we don't sell them these commodities other nations will do so. That is a false idea of doing what is right. Judas could have claimed had he not betrayed his Master someone else would have betrayed Him. Benedict Arnold could have said if he had not sold his country that someone else would have committed treason. Many things can be used in the prosecution of a war. Ex-Secretary Bernard Baruch upon his return from Europe, just when the war was starting, recommended to this country to neither buy nor sell to the belligerent nations. That if we bought from them our money would be used to help finance the war. Let our nation maintain strict neutrality—let not the blood be upon us because we want to profit while thousands die.

Will Oil Be Exhausted?

There is consternation in certain quarters because a body of learned geologists, after studying the question for many years, have announced that the supply of petroleum will be exhausted in 14 years. They claim that all known sources of oil will have been used by 1949. It may be true. Nevertheless new fields are being found every year and the search for oil has extended only to limited parts of the earth. No doubt in time oil will play out, but that is many years ahead and when the time comes ingenuity of man will provide another fuel to take the place of gasoline. Electric development is in its infancy and no one can tell the possibilities of this latent power. The learned

ones tell us that petroleum is the result of decaying vegetable and animal matter. Only a few years ago the scientists proclaimed that this oil came from dead fish and animals, but of late they have added that it also comes from decayed vegetation. This world must indeed be old that such vast accumulations of crude oil is available. Anyway, you need not be in a hurry to sell the old flivver for fear that gasoline will run out.

The "Vinegar" Bible

It is strange what a typographical error will do. In 1717 a Bible was printed in Dover, England, and the printer who set up the word "vineyard," made it read "vinegar." It got by the proof-reader and one copy of the Bible was printed before the error was discovered. This Bible was sold and name of the buyer forgotten. A search has been made for the lost Bible for more than 100 years. It was wanted by the church at Dover, which claimed it was misleading in scriptural meaning and should not be allowed to circulate. A month ago it was found in a second-hand London book store. It seems the bookseller had some idea of its value, for he made the church pay him five pounds for it, which in our money was something near \$25.00. It is now locked up in the church in an iron box. There are other Bibles which have contained much more glaring mistakes, and some of these may have been intentional. For instance: "Know ye not that the unrighteous shall inherit the Kingdom of God." (I Corinthians 6:9), which appeared in a Bible issued in 1653. This change from the original is said to have been made by a Royalist typesetter who had a vein of sarcasm and wanted to take a fling at Cromwell and the Puritans, then in power. Another printer, in an early edition of the Bible, added a new sentence to St. Peter's remarks on the duties of wives to husbands. An investigation, after the Bible was printed, showed that this printer had a shrewish wife. His added sentence read: "And if she be not obedient and helpful unto him, endeavor to beat the fear of God into her head that thereby she may be compelled to learn her duty and do it."

Important Decisions Expected

Practically all the New Deal legislation will come before the United States Supreme Court during the next few months for a decision as to its constitutionality. The processing and slum clearance, the Tennessee valley improvement, the loaning of money by the government to cities for the purpose of constructing utility plants in competition with privately owned plants, the Bankhead cotton law, the entire agricultural plan to limit or control the production of crops and the slaughtering of hogs and cattle, the Wagner labor bill and many other minor New Deal legislation—all these have been more or less declared unconstitutional by various Federal district courts and have been appealed to the nine men who sit

on the Supreme Bench to decide. Many lawyers, such men as John W. Davis, Newton D. Baker and numerous others declare that when the court declared the NRA contrary to the constitution that the entire New Deal toppled. But the nine men composing the U. S. Supreme Court give no indication as to what they will do. There is a growing opinion that the best way to settle the constitutionality of any legislation would be to submit the matter to the court in advance of passage. It would certainly prevent costly litigation and uncertainties in the business world. The Department of Justice states that there are in the various Federal courts more than 400 suits to test the validity of the different New Deal bills. All this causes hesitation in business that could have been avoided if the court of last resort had been asked for its opinion before the bills were passed.

What If It Becomes Permanent?

If the cotton reduction plan of the AAA is to become a permanent policy it will mean a great change in the social and industrial life of more than five million people in the South. It is not my purpose to discuss the wisdom or "unwisdom" of this plan, but it is bringing about serious conditions that must be met. Tenant farmers crowd the relief stations from the Potomac to the Rio Grande. In one county in Alabama there are 811 tenant farmers on relief. In my own county of Harrison, here in Texas, there are more than 400 tenant farmers registered on relief rolls. The land owners have rented every acre possible to the government which means the tenant has less cotton land to plant. Government statistics show that in Harrison county the tenant farmers averaged producing last year 3.2 bales of cotton each. This cotton was sold for \$166.50; the landlord got \$83.75 for rent, leaving the tenant an average of \$82.75 for his year's work. And Harrison county is no exception; it even makes a better showing for the tenant than many other Texas counties.

How Old Is the Universe?

The astronomers have new evidence that proves (so they say) that the universe is ten thousand billion years old. The new way of figuring the age of the heavens and the earth is the result of observations made at the Lick Observatory in California. I have tried to follow Prof. Aitken in his explanation of how these calculations are made and how certain he is of being correct. No person can, of course, have the least conception of what ten thousand billion years mean, and so I just go back to the first verse in the first book in the Bible to ascertain how long these stars and suns have been spinning around each other. I find: "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." There is no intimation of the beginning, and I suspect my guess as to the age of the universe would be as good as the most learned scientist. Some things are past finding out.

What Has Become of the Old-Time Jokester and Prankster

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WHAT has become of the practical joker that once flourished in every town back in the "horse and buggy days," when men grew whiskers, wore celluloid collars and drank coffee out of a saucer?

I once lived in a town that was overrun with practical jokers. Most of their pranks were harmless and left behind no bitterness, but sometimes they would go too far and apply the third degree. A case in point was when a wild-eyed Socialist was speaking to a large Saturday crowd from the tail end of a wagon. Every time the speaker landed hard on capitalism or the Democratic party his political followers would whoop and applaud vociferously.

Things Happened Fast and Furious

The funny thing happened when said Socialist was clawing the air, beating his hairy chest and daring any one within the sound of his voice to come forward and deny what he had said about a capitalistic form of govern-

ment and the Democratic party. The faithful were still applauding this bold challenge and oratorical outburst when some joker (possibly a Democrat) squirted hot drops high up on the tails of the little mules hitched to the speaker's wagon. Then things happened fast and furious. The little mules lunged against the traces, the impact throwing the speaker out on his head, and before the animals could be brought under control they stood up on their front legs and kicked the end gate of the wagon into splinters, after which they stood on their hind legs and pawed and snorted at the crowd.



"The impact throwing the speaker out on his head."

Eventually order was restored, the speaker got back in the wagon and again started to shout and beat the air with his fists. But the crowd, augmented by the curious who had witnessed the antics of the mules, laughed and jeered so loud that no one could hear what the Socialist orator was saying. He finally quit in disgust.

Versatility of Jokers

I used to wonder at the versatility of practical jokers—how they could think

up so many pranks to pull on unsuspecting victims. One of the funniest sights I ever witnessed was a tall Yankee, wearing a frock-tailed coat, trying to outrun a jackrabbit that he thought was crippled. This tenderfoot Yankee wanted to take back East with him a live jackrabbit. The jokers around town told the tenderfoot that there was a "crippled" jackrabbit in Jake Johnson's pasture that could be easily caught by any good runner and that they would be glad to drive him out to the pasture if he wanted to capture the rabbit. He thanked them profusely, and in conclusion said he would be ready to go any time.

When it was whispered around town that a joke was being pulled on the Yankee sucker, a lot of buggies and hacks showed up loaded with fellows who wanted to see the fun. Of course, everybody in the crowd but the Yankee knew that most jackrabbits, when flushed, will use but three legs in bounding away and that it took a pretty swift dog to make the little animal lay down the fourth leg.

Flushing the "Crippled" Rabbit

As luck would have it, we had driven but a few hundred yards into the Johnson pasture when we struck the "crippled" rabbit. Without hesitating or asking any questions, the victim of the fun-makers jumped out of the back and started in mad pursuit of the rabbit. When both disappeared over a hill the victim seemed to be gaining slightly on

the rabbit. Then everybody yelled, laughed and slapped each other on the back. It was a sight worth going miles to see.

After waiting about fifteen minutes for the Yank to return, the boys who had staged the affair became alarmed; they were afraid he had broken a leg or had run into a barbed wire fence. All of us were about to go in search of him when he showed up coming from a different direction. He was chasing what we thought to be the same rabbit, since it was running on three legs. But the rabbit must have become scared when it heard us yelling, for it veered from its course and quickened its pace by using all four legs, which seemed to discourage the poor Yank and made him quit the chase.

"Say, Mr. Hammond, (the Yank's name was Hammond) was that the same rabbit you started with," Jim Meadows wanted to know.

It was sometime before he replied, while he kept trying to catch his breath.

"No—no—indeed, Mr. Meadows; that's—that's—the fourth rabbit I have chased. And there is something else I want to say: It is my opinion that these little beasts are not crippled at all, but just pretend to be crippled, for each of the four I chased used all their legs the moment I crowded them."

When he said that the crowd laughed uproariously, gathered around him and shook his head.

ing vehicles but with a capacity of only 500 gallons each. Huge water reservoirs at Asmara and Massaua holding each 5,000 cubic meters of water are to be the sources of supply.

Thus stated the problem does not seem insoluble. But springs must be cleaned, new wells and cisterns built, the mains and conduits of Massaua and

Asmara enlarged and improved. Where the water available cannot be drunk distilling plants must be erected. Distilling being slow, Italian research engineers are working at high pressure in the hope of quickly discovering another way of removing the salt from sea water.

It is gigantic, this matter of supply-

ing water to about 220,000 troops—gigantic as a technical feat, gigantic as the mountains in the interior among which the Ethiopians will hide when they are driven back from the coast.

What will happen as the struggle goes on between one army, aided by the weapons of modern science, and another aided mostly by nature, will be of

extreme interest to the military experts of the world.

Peace negotiations have been carried on by Premier Laval of France, aided by other members of the League. These negotiations may result in ending the war at any time, or the war may continue and eventually involve Great Britain and other nations.



R I E F T E X A S N E W S

FROM OVER THE STATE

ENGINEER DIES IN CAB OF LOCOMOTIVE

Luther Phillips, engineer of the Cotton Belt, on the Waco Corsicana run, died in his cab from heart failure. His death occurred at Mt. Calm. Mr. Phillips had the presence of mind to stop the locomotive and tell the fireman something was wrong before he died.

FRENCH WOMAN FINDS TEXAN'S NOTE IN BOTTLE

A French woman, Mme. Tastevin, who lives in Bieux Bourg, France, wrote a letter to Miss Alice Monrad, Seattle, Wash., and Amzi Farrington, Dallas, Texas, informing the couple she had found a wine bottle with a letter from them in it. Farrington and Miss Monrad had written a letter and placed it in a bottle while on board a ship recently and threw it overboard.

GIRLS TO WORK WAY THROUGH SCHOOL

A group of girls, who desire to attend college and who live around Eastland, have organized a club to pool their resources and work their way through school. Taking the idea from a group of boys who did the same thing last year, the girls announce they will accept practical nursing, care of children, sell magazines, home-made candy and many other tasks.

STAMPER SCHOOL RICHEST AND SMALLEST

Twenty-five pupils attend the Stamper school in Nolan county, the smallest though richest. The school district is made up of only 12 square miles, but the valuation is \$138,190 or \$1,160 per section. This is brought about by two railroads crossing on the property, the fact that large deposits of gypsum, owned by United States Gypsum Company are there, and that a pipe line and a power line cross it.

NEGRO FINDS POT OF GOLD

A negro, W. F. Jackson, found a pot of gold coins in his backyard at his home, near Calvert, recently. The coins were all \$20 pieces and were minted about 1850. The find totaled \$840. Jackson kept the treasure find a secret for several days as he was fearful of being prosecuted as a gold hoarder. He has lived at the place where the gold was found for the last 17 years.

GIRL SAYS "PLEASE" 5,000 TIMES A DAY

The animal who took a little time off to figure it out, the operator of the information telephone at Kerrville, says "please" 5,000 times a day. Of course, that isn't so every day, the writer says, but the operator had been timed at 500 "pleases" an hour and many 10-hour days will find her setting that average. At 500 times an hour, the young lady would pronounce the word 96,000 times each month.

SHEEP, GOAT RAISERS TO MEET IN SAN ANTONIO

The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers will meet in San Antonio December 6 and 7, according to a decision of the executive committee at a session in Ozona recently. In former years, conventions have been held at Del Rio and San Antonio and occasionally at Brady and Kerrville. Members of the convention entertainment and program committees will include Tom Bond, Weaver Baker, G. W. Cunningham and E. S. Mayer. It is the first time the group has gathered in one of the larger cities of the State.

HALF MILLION POUNDS OF JUNK IRON SHIPPED FROM SNYDER

Since January 1, Ralph Ross, Snyder junk dealer, has shipped more than six carloads of junk metal from this and adjoining counties. It is claimed to be a record for junk metal shipments from a town the size of Snyder.

PIECE OF HISTORY CABLE ON DISPLAY AT U. OF T.

A piece of the first Transatlantic cable is now on display at the University of Texas physics building. It is part of the shore end piece stretching from Duxbury, Mass., to France. It is owned by C. L. Clark, son of a professor at the university.

CHILDRESS JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO SPONSOR BAND

Eighteen experienced men have signed up to play in a municipal band organized at Childress. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is the sponsor and Johnny Payne is director. Ten selections of music have been ordered and practices started.

OLD SINGER FEATURES HOME-COMING

Two hymns sung by "Uncle" Cyrus Hubbard, age 92 of Jacksonville, featured a homecoming held at Mt. Pisgah near Jacksonville. He was the oldest person present, but according to reports, was one of the most active in the celebration.

METALIC PIECES MOVED FROM MILLS COUNTY HIGHWAYS

The State Highway Department magnetic nail picker, operated by J. W. Whiteaker, removed a large quantity of pieces of metals from Mills county highways. After working a week, the following harvest was reported: On highway 74-A, 170 pounds; on highway 7, 250 pounds; on highway 81, 263 pounds.

TEXAS UNIVERSITY STUDENTS MAY STUDY BIBLE

Bible classes for the first time are open this year to freshmen students at the University of Texas. The courses are taught by the various denominational Bible chairs in the university and may be taken for regular credit. Not more than 12 hours or the equivalent may be counted toward any one degree.

OBSERVATORY LENS BEING GROUND

The giant lens for the University of Texas observatory to be located on Mount Locke, near Fort Davis, is now being ground. Most of the rough grinding on the huge disc is completed and workmen are now giving the sphere a final polishing. The lens is 82 inches across and will be installed in the McDonald Observatory under direction of the university.

CUSTOMER'S APPETITE AMAZES RISING STAR CAFE MAN

A cafe man at Rising Star is wondering if someone wouldn't like to have this man's appetite. A customer came in, ordered and ate six fried eggs. He sent the waiter back for another order of bread, butter, potatoes and incidentals. He then asked for a bowl of butter and bread, which he consumed. For desert, he had one-fourth of a large cherry pie topped with a big dipper of ice cream. He then ordered a double malted milk and topped it with a pint of ice cream. Apparently still hungry, the customer purchased three candy bars, got in his car and drove off.

KILLING RATTLESNAKES IS A THRIVING BUSINESS

Since Taylor county began offering a bounty for rattlesnakes on April 1 of this year, 2,723 of the reptiles have been killed, reports County Treasurer Roy C. Fuller. The bounty is 5 cents for the first five rattles and two cents for each additional one. In April, \$4.68 was paid out. In August, county residents collected a total of \$259.46. With September and October payments, a large total is expected.

MAN CUTS THIRD SET OF TEETH

Bowie dentists are befuddled as they wonder if its the Texas climate that is responsible for the condition of M. L. Smith, 69. For Smith is cutting his third set of teeth. Recently he had several of his second set pulled, preparatory to having false ones made. Then his gums began to swell. He thought it was only the sore spots from the extractions, but several days later three teeth poked their way through, giving him a good start on his third, and what he hopes to be, a permanent set.

TREASURE HUNTERS STILL ACTIVE AT MONAHANS

The age old tradition of buried treasure is attracting many persons to Monahans who are anxious to make a little money for nothing. Frank Tatom, realtor, remembers as a boy seeing the ruins of a wagon train which was destroyed by Indians. A member of the caravan is supposed to have escaped from the murderous redskins and to have taken \$500,000 in gold with him. The money, according to the legend, is buried in the hills around Monahans.

FAMOUS OLD DOG PASSES ON

Jake, one of the famous old bird dogs of Hamlin, raised by the late D. J. Payne, passed to the happy hunting grounds for canines recently. Older than most people can remember, Jake had been friends with many of the town's citizens when they were youngsters. Since the death of his master, Jake had been the constant companion of the widow, Mrs. Payne. Old age and rainy weather were too much for the faithful animal.

BLIND MAN RECEIVES BASEBALL FROM "DIZZY" DEAN

B. F. Peevy, a blind man, of Cross Plains, is the proud owner of a baseball autographed by Jerome "Dizzy" Dean, erratic and efficient member of the St. Louis Cardinals pitching staff. Sometime ago Peevy whittled a wooden ball from a solid slab of cedar to the exact dimension and approximate weight of a regulation baseball. He sent it to the pitcher with his best regards, Dean, apparently in appreciation, forwarded the autographed sphere.

STUDENT'S WARDROBE BURNS IN TRAILER

Three students from Goldthwaite, en route to the University of Texas, lost most of their school wardrobe when fire broke out on the trailer in which the clothing was being carried. About two miles south of Lometa, one of the trio discovered the trailer was ablaze. Despite frantic efforts of the boys, the clothing was mostly destroyed and matriculation at the university was postponed until a trip home for new clothing could be made.

SNAKE INVADERS CITY BATHROOMS

Two Fort Worth residents of the city's exclusive Park Hill addition were more or less terrified recently to observe a snake peering at them while they were taking baths. A negro maid beat at the serpent with a stick, but it escaped. It had crawled up the drain pipe and was peering out from the overflow opening when observed. Several minutes later another resident reported the same snake invading his bath room. Later several officers visited the houses and succeeded in killing the reptile.

MERIDIAN COURTHOUSE CLOCK AGAIN AT WORK

Residents of Meridian no longer are going about town with that worried look on their faces, for the old courthouse clock has been put back to work. Removed when the courthouse was being torn down for rebuilding six months ago, citizens could never become accustomed to missing the 50-year-old timepiece. Now that the building is finished the clock, minus the old hand winding system, but with a new electrical drive device and only one face, is ready to begin watching hours for another 50 years.

Great Sons of Texas



DAVID CROCKETT

David Crockett (better known as Davy Crockett), was born in Limestone, Tennessee, August 17, 1786. Widely known for his skill as a huntsman, he was reputed to have killed seventeen bears in one week. In the Creek War of 1813-14 he commanded a battalion of mounted riflemen under General Andrew Jackson. He served as a member of the Tennessee legislature from 1821 to 1831 and from 1835 to 1835. His eccentric humor attracted nation-wide attention. One of the best known of his mottoes was: "Be sure you are right, then go ahead." But his independence led to a breach with his party. Immediately after the breach he announced that he was going to Texas and his party could go to hell. A document purporting to be his autobiography was published in 1834. He came to Texas in 1836 and was killed at the Alamo only a few weeks after his arrival. Though he did not live long in Texas, he gave his life for the infant republic. The sixth largest county in the State is named for him and also the county seat of Houston county.—From "The Book of Texas."

WACO MAN GETS STATE POST

Fred Martin, of Waco, was named a member of the Industrial Accident Board of Texas by Gov. Alfred. Martin has been living in Dallas lately for business reasons.

HICKMAN IS SENIOR RANGER CAPTAIN

L. G. Phares, acting head of the newly created Department of Public Safety, announced the appointment of Ranger Captain Tom R. Hickman, as senior captain of the ranger division. Hickman, 49, entered the services as a private in 1919 and was commissioned captain in 1926. After participating in many spectacular cases, he left the service when Miriam A. Ferguson became Governor but returned under the Alfred administration.

FARMER TO MOVE FOR FIRST TIME IN 30 YEARS

Raymond Spraberry, of Harmony, has rented a 350-acre farm, known as the old Clyburn place, two miles east of Hawley, where he will move this fall. Spraberry was born in the Harmony community more than 30 years ago and the move will be the first one since he was born.

CAT TRAILS RATTLE SNAKE

A black cat that might spell bad luck to some folks is being hailed as a good luck piece by Tom Smith of Eldorado. Hearing the animal "raising Cain" in the backyard, Smith went out to investigate. He saw Mr. Cat after something that was hiding in a brick wall. After taking the wall down, piece by piece, Smith located a four-foot rattler which he promptly killed.

TEXAS RESIDENT FOR 86 YEARS DIES

A. M. "Uncle Gus" Wilson, age 90, who had been a resident of a farm in Collin county, near Fisco, for the last 86 years, died recently. He was buried in a cemetery adjoining his old home beside his mother and father. "Uncle Gus" was the outstanding philanthropist in Collin county, having given away hundreds of thousands of dollars in lands, deeds, stocks and bonds.

PECANS TO BE MARKETED EARLY

With the arrival of the first load of pecans at Ballinger, several weeks ahead of last year's early arrivals, produce men predict the crop in 1935 will be cleaned up in record time. Dealers also are predicting the crop will be much shorter there than usual and that prices will probably be somewhat higher than in 1934. Early native tree quotations ranged from 6 to 10 cents, depending on the size and quality of the nuts offered.

MAN CLAIMS HE IS JESSE JAMES

An elderly man claiming to be Jesse James, the noted outlaw, caused much excitement by appearing on the streets of Morton, Cochran county, and pressing his claim. The man gave a lecture at the school house there in support of his contentions. He was dressed in a suit that was fashionable 50 years ago and he carried documents, setting forth that persons who were in a position to know, swore that he was Jesse James.

10,000 AUTOS ENTER PARK

A total of 10,134 cars have visited the Palo Duro State Park, near Canyon, in the past summer, officials announced recently. In addition, several thousand people paid admissions over and above the five members of a party permitted in each machine. In addition to the representation which comprised autos from nearly every Texas county, 17 other States sent tourists there. Officials estimate that more than 50,000 persons have enjoyed visiting the park, which is one of the show places of the Western part of the State.

TEXAS STUDENTS FIND ODD SKELETON

Two students of Texas Technological College uncovered a skeleton with a knife in its back and an iron arrowhead in its side while excavating with a party at the Glorieta Pass, N. M., school. The estimated height of the skeleton was six feet. It was probably a woman, the two decided, after an examination of the pelvic cavity was made. Authorities with the party were puzzled about the origin of the find as the pass was not occupied by Indians at the date iron arrowheads and knives were used.

East Texas Is Shipping 7,000,000 Rose Bushes Annually

By HENRY EDWARDS
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THE East Texas Rose Festival, held at Tyler, was to commemorate a Texas industry that has gained international prominence during the past few years through the cultivation of roses. The fifty thousand visitors who crowded into Tyler during the four-day festival from October 3 to 6, were rewarded with a sight unsurpassed in color and beauty—that of hundreds of acres of flowering rose bushes, filling the air with their delicate fragrance. Some had traveled clear across the nation to attend the event.

The East Texas area, with Tyler and Smith county as the hub, had already achieved a national reputation as the world's greatest oil field and a good many skeptics found it hard to believe that the same rich land which had brought millions of dollars in "black gold" to fortunate land owners, is also the perfect soil for the wholesale production of America's finest roses.

500 Varieties Grown

Tyler and surrounding area are now producing about 7,000,000 rose bushes annually and nurserymen report a decided increase in demand for the East Texas product. More than 500 varieties

are grown, including the newly developed Texas Centennial rose, the ever-popular Talisman and the famous Nigrette, or Black Rose. More than 150 nurseries are licensed to do business within 15 miles of Tyler with approximately 1500 acres devoted to the cultivation of roses. The Tyler area produces nearly one half of the nation's supply.

Probably the most widely publicized rose in America today is the Texas Centennial, which was developed by a Tyler nurseryman in commemoration of the hundredth anniversary of Texas independence. It is vivid red in color. This new rose traces its origin back to October, 1932, when its originator, A. F. Watkins, discovered a blossom entirely different from the Hoover plant upon which it was growing. From this one twig, Mr. Watkins, through a process of careful bud selection, produced an entirely new variety with the identical habits of growth and foliage of the parent Hoover rose, but with an entirely different coloring.

Intertwined With Texas History

It was named the "Texas Centennial," out of respect for the Watkins family connection with Texas history for more than 100 years, and as the developer's



Section of a typical rose nursery near Tyler, Texas.

contribution to the Texas Centennial anniversary. Mr. Watkins is the great-grandson of Jesse Watkins, who came to Texas in 1833 and figured largely in the history of the Republic of Texas. Jesse Watkins was used by President Sam Houston in skillful diplomatic work with the Indians.

The nursery business had its beginning in this area nearly seventy-five years ago and today ranks as one of the oldest industries in the State. Among the pioneer nurserymen were the McKees and the Shamburgers, whose descendants are now listed among the more successful rose growers of the State.

Shortly after the Civil War nurserymen were attracted to Smith county and the adjoining counties by the excellent soil and climate. These pioneers devoted their efforts almost exclusively to fruit stocks and developed some outstanding varieties, especially the peach. Though a few roses and shrubs were raised, the growers continued to lay stress on fruit trees, and the industry had grown to rather large proportions when it was almost paralyzed by a series of severe setbacks.

From Fruit Trees to Roses

Soon after the turn of the century

there was an invasion in East Texas of San Jose scale, brown rot and various root troubles which affected fruit trees. These difficulties, along with several unseasonable years, proved a severe blow to the cultivation of fruit trees. Shrewd nurserymen gradually turned from fruit trees to roses and ornamental shrubs. As the demand for East Texas roses grew, the number of rose nurseries increased. Buyers flocked in from the North and East. Without realizing it, Tyler had begun to attain nation-wide prominence as a rose center.

Today, Tyler and Smith county, hold the unquestioned leadership in rose production. Particularly within the past two years, East Texas roses have become widely publicized. They are to be found in gardens of discriminating rose lovers all over the United States. It is not now a secret that certain commercial rose firms of the North and East formerly bought East Texas rose bushes by the carload but dared not offer them to their trade under the geographical designation which their East Texas origin entitled the goods to bear. Such dealers offered them as "hardy Eastern-grown" rose bushes. But that practice is now wholly disappearing since the true merits for quality and hardness of East Texas roses are more generally known.



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HUGE TELESCOPE REVEALS 40,000 PLANETS
Using the 100-inch telescope, on Mt. Wilson Observatory, California, scientists have already estimated the number of small planets of the solar system to be at least 40,000.

That is, with this powerful telescope this enormous number of minor planets can be photographed. With the 200-inch telescope, when completed in 1938, the probable number of the minor planets might be markedly increased on the photo-plates.

Dr. Walter Baade, of Mt. Wilson Observatory, has just finished counting the minor planets on the photographic plates of the observatory, and conjectured the enormous number of the planets to be 40,000.

These minor planets revolve around the sun, just as do the planets, our Earth, Venus, Mercury, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Neptune, Uranus and Pluto.

The astronomical name of the minor planets is "asteroids," and they are to be found between the paths of Mars and Jupiter, moving around the sun.

One theory is that there was a planet here, a large one of the type of Mars or bigger. Pulled roughly by Jupiter this planet burst, its fragments making up the minor planets or asteroids.

Latest of the asteroids to be studied with interest is one discovered recently by Dr. Edwin B. Hubble, using the 100-inch Mt. Wilson telescope. It takes 7.16 years to go once around the sun. Ceres, discovered more than a hundred years ago, was only 480 miles in diameter. Most of the asteroids are perhaps no more than 10 miles in diameter.



Cigarette rolling contests are the new sport of local roll-your-own experts as a result of public attention won by James Whiteman (above) of Clarksville, Texas, who rolls a perfect cigarette in nine one-fifth seconds. Rolling with one hand and rolling "Indian fashion" or backwards adds variety to speed trials. Whiteman prefers Prince Albert tobacco, he says, because it rolls easier and stays rolled.

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Greatest of Miracles
A negro preacher addressed his flock with great earnestness on the subject of "Miracles," as follows:
"My beloved friends, de greatest ob all miracles was 'bout the loaves and fishes. Dey was 5,000 loaves and 2,000 fishes, and de twelve apostles had to eat 'em all. De miracle is, dey didn't bust."

Another Little Carr
Mrs. Murphy was leaning against the doorpost of her house, when her friend, Mrs. Carr, happened along, bearing in her arms her twelfth child.
"Arrah now, Missus Carr, and there you are around again so soon with another little Carr."
"Yis, Bridget, another little Carr it is, begorra, and as far as I'm concerned, I pray the Lord he's the caboose to this train of Carrs."

Advice to Husbands
Don't kick because you have to button your wife's dress. Be glad your wife has a dress, and doubly glad you have a wife with a dress to button. Some men's wives have no dresses to button. Some men's wives' dresses have no buttons on to button up. Some men's wives' dresses which have buttons on to button up don't care a button whether they are buttoned or not. Some men don't have any wives with buttons on to button. You wouldn't like to live in a buttonless and wifeless world, would you?

The Black Sheep
A Philadelphian who was formerly a resident of a town in the north of Pennsylvania recently revisited his old home. "What became of the Robinson family?" he asked an old friend.
"Oh," answered the latter, Tom Robinson did very well. Got to be a actor out West. Bill, the other brother, is some thing of an artist in New York; and Mary, the sister, is doing literary work. But John never amounted to very much. It took all he could lay his hands on to support the others."

He Drew the Line
An Irishman one day went into a barber shop to get shaved. After he was seated and the lather about half applied the barber was called to an adjoining room, where he was detained for some time. The barber had in the shop a pet monkey which was continually imitating his master. As soon as the latter left the room the monkey grabbed the brush and proceeded to finish lathering the Irishman's face. After doing this he took a razor from its case and stropped it and then turned to the Irishman to shave him.
"Shtop that," said the latter firmly. "Ye can tuck the towel in me neck and put the soap on me face, but, begorra, yer father's got to shave me."

Poultry Facts

By F. W. KAZMEIER
Poultry Breeder, Bryan, Texas

Don't Sell Unfinished Turkeys
The turkey grower is a producer, not a speculator. It is impossible to properly finish turkeys until they are all full grown. Early hatched turkeys may be finished for the Thanksgiving market. To bring the best prices they should be well feathered and fully fleshed. Nobody knows, what the price will be, for either Thanksgiving or Christmas at this time. We do know, economic gains can be made on growing turkeys. Feed is more abundant and lower in price, therefore, it will pay to properly finish a turkey. A properly finished turkey brings more per pound, and also has a tendency to hold up the market, as well as increase the consumption. Market only first class, well selected turkeys, especially if it is important to grade your turkeys carefully, when sold either by live weight or as dressed. One inferior turkey in a lot will lower the sales value of all. Grade your turkeys carefully before bringing them to the market.

Eggs Will Be Sold By Weight
In the State of Michigan, after November 1st, eggs will be sold on retail markets by weight and not by dozen. Just how this will work, in actual practice, will still have to be proven. Selling eggs by weight brings up problems, not encountered in the selling of the usual commodities out of a grocery store. Ordinary eggs weigh about 22 oz. to a dozen, standard eggs about 24 oz., and large eggs about 25 oz. Will the retail grocer break an egg, put in a small one, or extra large one, to fill a customer's requirements in regard to weight requirements? I am sure a way can be developed to enable retail selling of eggs by weight, but it will take a little time to work it out, as we are educating the consuming public on what to call for. We are glad to see it tried, and will watch the new plans progress.

Flavor and Quality of Eggs
A hen cannot make something out of nothing. A feed deficient in the life essential, vitamins, when fed to laying hens, can only produce eggs deficient in the same. It so happens that succulent green food is very rich in the important live creating and protecting vitamins. Texas, with its warmer climate, and almost year around outdoor supply of green food, should be able to produce a superior quality in eggs. We undoubtedly could, if we were more interested in real quality of eggs instead of numbers. I believe some producers think the shell will hide a multitude of sins; they forget, all eggs are broken sooner or later, before being consumed. Sometimes I think if every producer would be expected to stamp his name, or picture, or finger print on the egg it would do much to interest him in making a greater effort to produce a quality egg. It might, also, greatly increase consumption and this, indirectly, the price. No doubt egg stamping machines for the purpose could be developed to do the work quickly and economically. I just made the statement showing that succulent green feed has value from the vitamin standpoint, is not only desirable to produce good eggs, but also to keep the hen healthy. May be that statement needs some qualifications. It has been found that too much of such green feeds as cabbage and rape, gives the egg an undesirable flavor, or at least a distinct flavor not desirable by most consumers. Yes, a correctly balanced ration is very important. Too much green food, may not be the most desirable or best, but the proper amount is necessary. A controlled amount of green food, in a ration, is the proper way of putting it. There is really a great deal still to learn, about what constitutes the ideal white and yolk of the egg.

Valuable
Visitor: "Is your son who has just graduated from college a help to you on the farm?"
Farmer: "Yes. If it wasn't for him the language which I address to the livestock would be terrible ongrammatic."

Who's the Joke On?
A stranger in town asked a fellow where he could find a barber shop, and was told down the street two blocks, and also that the barber was deaf and dumb. The stranger went in, made a few motions over his face with his hand, meaning he wanted a shave. The barber laid him back in the chair and proceeded to shave him. About the time he got him shaved a fellow yelled in at the barber and said, "Hey, Bill, you going to dinner?" Bill said, "Yes, soon as I get this dummy shaved."

Neighborhood News
For Sat. afternoon only the Royal movie theater will admit free all children accompanied by one or more parents under 13.—Owens Herald.
The sewing club will meet at the Baptist church parlors Wednesday morning. Bring thimbles, scissors, needles and sandwiches for lunch.—Winston Argus.

A. K. Roble was found dying on the pavement with his legs broken and his skull crushed by a passing woman.—Morton Advocate.

Only One Instance
Justin McCarthy used to tell a story of Henry Ward Beecher, the noted preacher. Mr. Beecher entered Plymouth Church one Sunday and found several letters awaiting him. He opened one and found it contained the single word "Fool." Quietly and with becoming seriousness he announced to the congregation the fact in these words:
"I have known many an instance of a man writing a letter and forgetting to sign his name, but this is the only instance I have ever known of a man signing his name and forgetting to write the letter."

Two Nickels Make One Dime
My friend Casey had a friend named Sullivan, who was very sick, and as there was no one else available Casey told the physician that he would sit up with him. Well, the doctor told Casey to administer a powder at 10 o'clock and to give him just what he could get on a dime and no more. In 1908 a dime from his pocket and showed Casey the necessary portion and cautioned him against giving an overdose. Casey said he understood and the doctor left—of course, without leaving the dime. The next morning when the doctor called he found the man dead. He said to Casey: "Did you give the dose I prescribed?" Casey said: "To be sure I did. But I didn't have a dime so I put it on two nickels."

Snuffing Hens
Are your hens snuffing and sneezing. Have they colds, or may be roup. If they have, first make sure they are not infected with intestinal worms. In the case of common round worms, a good treatment for two weeks is the feeding of a mash containing two pounds of tobacco dust to 100 pounds of mash. The diet to contain at least 2% nicotine. In severe cases it may be necessary to use some of the better worm capsules or pills manufactured for the purpose. It is important, however, to remember that a flock full of intestinal parasites, cannot be cured of colds, until these parasites are removed. A damp-poorly ventilated house is undesirable.

AIR PASSENGER SERVICE BETWEEN U. S. AND EUROPE MAY START SOON
There is a possibility of the early inauguration of transatlantic air service between the United States and Europe as aircraft especially designed for it are nearing completion.

The famous Short Brothers, a London firm, is building a number of new large flying boats which are expected to be used first on the route the Imperial Airways will operate between New York and Bermuda in conjunction with the Pan American Airways. One of them is a four-engined, 3,000-horsepower craft carry-

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Acquired in the days of Powhatan, the Indian chief, by Richard Lee of Stratford-Langston in Essex, England, the land was transferred to him by the Crown in 1650. The present house was built in 1729-30 by Thomas Lee, grandson of Richard. Stratford was the birthplace of five patriots of the Revolution—Richard Henry, Francis Lightfoot, William, Arthur and Duldwell Lee—and also the home of General Washington's favorite officer, Light Horse Harry Lee, whose tribute to his leader, "First in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen," will live forever.

The Lee family contributed to Virginia one Governor, four members of the Council of State and twelve members of the House of Burgesses, and to Maryland two Councilors and three members of the Assembly. Four Lees were members of the 1776 Convention.

General Robert Edward Lee, the Confederate leader, was born at Stratford, and the room in which he was born and the adjoining nursery are being restored by gifts from the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

ing about twenty-four passengers and a big mail load, with flaps to aid the take-off and alighting, and controllable pitch propellers. Details of the performance expected are not yet revealed, but top speed, it is believed, will be in the neighborhood of 200 miles an hour.

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THE Jessie Home Demonstration Club, of Hill county, has voted for each member to donate a chicken, proceeds from which will be used to purchase year books. Mrs. Fred Harvey and Mrs. Chester Middleton will be in charge of collecting the fowls.

Pinto beans, spinach and blackeye peas with lettuce to come later, have been planted in fall gardens at Nocona under direction of Mrs. Seibold, president of the Dye Mound Home Demonstration Club.

Cattle and calves in the Western States and Texas are generally reported to be in better shape this year than for sometime in the past, according to the Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates at Austin.

A total of 150 trench silos have been built in Brazoria county since 1932.

W. W. Newton, of the Bunkerhill community, has been using the same tractor on his farm for the past seven years. He is just completing a new eight-room residence. He says that methods of farming may change, but that the life of an agriculturist is the richest in all respects that can be found anywhere.

Miss Mable Ellis, of West, is harvesting a fair sized crop of English walnuts from a tree in her yard at West. The nuts are large and as nice as are those shipped in from California. Miss Ellis stated her father budded an English walnut to a black walnut tree seven years ago.

George H. Sweney, manager of the Western Produce Company, has announced that a cheese plant with a capacity of 1,000 pounds a day will be opened in Abilene by January 1, 1936. This will give an additional outlet to dairymen of this and surrounding communities.

John Colvin, farmer near Stamford, who operates on a tenant basis, has provided all of his children with an education from his work on the farm. Several of his children are regarded as among the best rural school teachers in Texas. He has lived in this section for 10 years.

Congressman Marvin Jones, speaking before a crowd of 1,000 at Hereford, compared the AAA with the first electric light and automobile. "They were not perfect at first," he pointed out. He said the AAA would be experimented with and built upon until a perfect or near perfect plan of aiding the farmer would be evolved.

E. H. Tatum, Denton county farmer, has profited greatly through his corn-hog contract and is co-operating in a big way with the Extension Service on his 580-acre farm. "I fattened 152 home-produced shoats in 1933 but made very little money on them," he said. "Since making my corn-hog contract, I have reduced my number of brood sows and have fattened only 52 shoats. They made me a larger profit at \$11.25 per 100 pounds than did the entire 152 raised in 1933." Tatum produced barley, corn, wheat and grain sorghums for grain and used grain sorghums and Johnson grass for pasturage. He buys only a little protein feed to balance his ration.

Plans are being made to care for a jack in Ector county and a morgan stallion in Andrews county to improve the breed of work stocks there, according to County Agent H. L. Atkins. When crossed with the lighter types of mares, the morgan stallion will produce with the mare, a lighter type of horse suitable for cow work or for the army remount service. If a heavier mare is used, the result will be a horse suitable for farm work.

Arrangements have been made at Crosbyton for operation of the canning kitchen established for relief work, for the benefit of the citizens of Crosby county, by the city commission. The city will furnish utilities, water and access to the kitchen free of charge. The client will receive all that he or she cans, as the only thing the city in after is good will. Mrs. H. T. Snider will be in charge.

TEXAS FARM REPORTS

A cluster of 12 pecans were recently presented to a publisher at Christoval. They came off a native tree and all of them were rather small.
 The Van school band led the parade at the Future Farmers Day of the East Texas Fair in Tyler. A total of 1,500 farm boys marched in the procession.
 "Peas should be canned while young and tender as then their food value is better," Miss Maries Ludwick, Ochiltree county home demonstration agent, advised farm women near Perryton.
 Peaches, beans, cucumbers, peas and other things have been canned in the classes of home economics under direction of Mrs. Franks, the teacher at Sudan high school.
 Forty-four boys are earning part of their way while learning the science of agriculture at West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon by working on the T-Anchor farm near Canyon.

The lowly goat has come into its own this year with prices of 50 cents for grown hair and 60 cents for kid hair being paid at Brady. Goatsmen in that section are expected to earn at least \$130,000 for their clip this year. This does not include the sale of mutton goats.

Germination tests have saved farmers in Lipscomb county a large amount of reseeded and much time and expense, County Agent C. M. Gray said. Due to the low tests of much of the wheat produced in the county, tests were made of the seed before it was planted.

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When a veterinarian was called to treat some sick cows at Dalhart, he diagnosed their illness as a simple "hangover" caused from eating stunted corn. The animals had been turned into a field where the peculiar atmospheric conditions had caused the growing corn to ferment.

Sixteen boys compose the Collinsworth county A. & M. Club. The boys will live in a co-operative manner while attending the A. & M. College. The boys took two truckloads of food-stuffs from their home pantries, on which they will subsist while attending school.

From 1,680 feet of garden space, Mrs. Lee Marek, of the Pantry Demonstrator of the Honest Prairie Club, canned 540 containers of vegetables and stored 254 pounds of dried beans, potatoes and onions. Members of the same club had put up 26,250 quarts of preserves in the last month.

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Curtis O. Roach, farmer living north of Perryton, has completed work on two trench silos and had farmers in the neighborhood study his methods of filling them with feed. From studying his methods, farmers in the vicinity were able to learn how to prepare the silos properly.

Twenty-six vocational agricultural boys of the Willis Point high school are to feed out 37 hogs as projects. Thirty-seven of the boys and equal parts of tankage and cottonseed meal to 25 hogs. Ten of the boys will feed corn and milk to 11 of the hogs. Results of the feeding projects are expected to furnish much interesting information.

A 500-ton trench silo is being filled with feed on the ranch of G. R. White near Brady. The large trench was dug with a tractor and wheel scraper in six days. It is 400 feet long, eight feet deep and eleven wide. Mr. White does not expect to use the stored feedstuffs until another drought year appears, similar to 1934.

Cotton growers in the black land section are giving approval to the one variety communities cotton plan, according to Roy Saunders, Greenville, bureau of plant industry of the Department of Agriculture. The Acala variety is finding most favor in meetings in this section, he pointed out.

D. M. Guinn, of the Sager-ton community, is showing some large Mahan and Stewart pecans grown on his place this fall. According to a local editor they are like the large fish. "The fellow who caught it is a liar. Fish don't get that big." Guinn with his boys is working more than 300 acres in feed, grain and cotton, using a tractor to cultivate with.

A turkey grading school was held in Plainview for the benefit of growers in the Southwest under direction of officials of the United States Department of Agriculture. The purpose of the school was to discuss with the growers the proper procedure for raising better turkeys and dressing and finishing them for the market. According to officials, turkeys that meet certain standards net the producer an average of 5 cents a pound more than do birds not properly prepared.

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The movement of Italian troops and workmen through the Suez Canal for Italy's military campaign in Ethiopia exceeded 2,000,000 men on October 11. Apart from the cost of commissioning and running the ships, Suez Canal dues amount to a respectable sum. Official aggregate figures are not available, but a rough calculation based on typical cases can be made.

The average transport with full load pays between \$10,000 and \$15,000, while a big ship like the Saturnia, carrying 4,000 men and cargo, costs more than \$45,000 canal dues. On this basis the total bill paid by the Italian government to the canal company must be approaching \$3,500,000. Clearly, this sum will have to be multiplied several times before the campaign is finished and the troops are withdrawn.

Incidentally, Italy's checks referred to have been paid to the canal company by French banks—a fact which is not being allowed to pass unnoticed.

OUR EXPORTS TO ITALY

American exports to Italy totaled \$44,044,203 during the first eight months of 1935 as compared to \$40,344,564 during the same period of 1934, according to U. S. Department of Commerce figures, which differed slightly from those of the League of Nations. Imports from Italy were \$21,078,111 during the first eight months of this year as compared to \$22,923,616 in 1934.

As for her world trade, Italy's total imports during the first eight months of 1935 were \$411,841,666 and her exports \$270,450,000, according to computations made by the Department of Commerce. No official Italian figures were available for this period. For 1934 Italy's imports were \$423,600,000 and her exports \$286,541,666.

Thus did Italy have an unfavorable world trade balance of \$141,391,666 during the first eight months of 1935.

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month, please fill it in and return promptly. I certainly hope we will have a 100% answer, "yes," to the Roll-Call this year. Never was your word of cheer so needed as it is today—do not fail your club and your friends—NOW. Continue the wonderful work you have been doing and resolve at this Thanksgiving season to do even more in bringing happiness to others. We close wishing you all the gladness and happiness of the holiday season. May we all pray for the peace of the world and that as a nation we will cling to the highest of ideals in whatever may happen. With love and best wishes to all members and friends of the Sunshine for Shut-Ins Club. Sincerely, (Signed) AUNT MARY.

SUNSHINE FOR SHUT-INS CLUB NEWS

We are going to make the club news short this month so as to leave room for the Thanksgiving story I have written and dedicated to the Shut-Ins of the world. Mattie W. Crites, Morganton, N. C., a new Shut-In member, sends love and wants us to know how happy she is to be with us. Mattie has been ill for 13 years and tries to bear her affliction with as much cheer as possible. Margaret Wallis, Stroud, Okla., sends love and best wishes to all. Mollie Parker, Carthage, Texas, sends greetings to all members and thanks for your kindness as it is impossible to write very often. Aunt Susan, Galveston, Texas, sends love to all and a wonderful letter I wish I might print. Mrs. T. B. Bensen, Gonzales, Texas, wants to thank all who have been so kind to her husband as he has been bedfast for 8 years and the letters mean so much to him. Mrs. Lucy Newman, Woodleigh, N. C., who has been bedfast for 11 years and yet she finds many things to be thankful for among them are the letters from friends and the sunshiners. Aunt Agnes Pick, Berkley, Calif., sends love and greeting to all the Shut-Ins and members while on a glorious vacation in the mountains of California. We rejoice Aunt Agnes is having a good time as she is so thoughtful of others. Thanks, for your nice letter. This is a general greeting to all new members this month. We are so happy to have each and everyone of you. Bring in your friends to share this joy, too.

JERRY'S APPLE CART

Dedicated to the Shut-Ins Old Jerry, that was the only name he had ever had since he came to peddle apples on Biddison street, was as much a part of the street's life as the paving there. Just when he had started to peddle apples no one seemed to remember. In fact no one tried to remember. They took him for granted, just like the air and the trees. Jerry made his rounds with such regularity that housewives almost set the clock by him. Weather made little difference to Jerry. Hot or cold, in the rain or the sunshine, his little bell tinkled merrily as he pushed the cart and sang his same old melody: "Appfuls—appfuls, merry little appfuls. One for a penny, two for a pence, Buy a baker's dozen, Doesn't that make sense?" Over and over again he sang the weary little tune—day after day, up and down the street.

At eight in the morning and four in the afternoon he would appear at the corner which marked the beginning of the street which was lined on both sides with glowing maple trees that sheltered modest little homes. Each boasted its full quota of happy kiddies. In fact, Biddison street was known as the street of children. The heads of the households, for the most part, worked in the nearby garment factories. There was that common tie that comes from having the same work, for the most part the same play. Saturday afternoon when the weather was good, the time was given over to baseball games between dads and their boys. Mothers taught their daughters how to cook steaming hot dinners with cool delicious desserts. In fact, it was the busiest street in this large town and was known far and wide for its generous hospitality. One of the most interested spectators at afternoons ball games was Old Jerry. Always he cheered for the boys and often rewarded them with large, shiny apples when they won. Little was known about Jerry except that he peddled apples. His cherry manner and happy smile had won him the love of every youngster within sound of his voice. In fact, little was thought of him until he stopped coming one day. "Where's Jerry?" was the question up and down the street. "Perhaps he is sick," offered Widow Smaltz. "More than likely he is just laying off for a day," put in Papa Brown. "Where does Jerry live, anyway?" asked Maggie Smith. "I don't know, I don't know," came the answer from everyone present. "How long has he been coming here?" asked Mrs. Houseman, who was a newcomer to the street. "I don't remember. I do know that he has been peddling apples here ever since the factory went up and that has been a long time ago," put in Grandpa Browning. So the conversation went back and forth, about Old Jerry, the apples. Everyone seemed to know Jerry, but no one knew about his home.

As the days wore on and Jerry didn't return there was a note of sadness on Biddison street. Something was wrong with the life of the street—everyone missed Jerry with his twinkling merry bell and the foolish little song he sang. Autumn was almost over and the crisp, cold winds of winter were sweeping little furies of snow up and down the land. Long ago the gold and red leaves had fallen from the trees and Biddison street had gone indoors to pull candy and make big fluffy popcorn balls. It was the Widow Smaltz again who was thinking about Jerry. "How good apples would go with popcorn," she suddenly said. "Oh, if only Jerry would come back. His apples were so sweet and mellow. Ach, Mine Goodness! how I miss his fine appfuls," she wailed. "Ma, too; me, too," came the chorus of voices. Just then they heard the tinkling of a bell and dozens of doors were flung open; the children came dancing and running into the street. "Jerry is back; Jerry is back," came the cry from far and near. Sure enough, Jerry was back—but not the same laughing, merry Old Jerry they knew so well. Somehow, all at once he had grown old and bent—the twinkle was gone from his eyes and he didn't sing his merry little song. "Where have you been, Jerry?" asked everyone who had come to greet him. "We have missed you, oh, so much." "Trouble, trouble—plenty trouble," he replied. "But who buys appfuls today. They art large and fine and cheap. Who will buy?" What a scramble—Jerry sold out without having to move a block. His apples were fine and large and juicy. Jerry hurried away without so much as a good-bye. But the kindly folk had griefs and sorrows of their own and could understand. Next day, Jerry came again, but the housewives were so busy getting ready for the Thanksgiving dinner, they were slow to buy and Jerry hurrying as he never did before, went away with only half the apples sold. Thanksgiving eve the cruel winds of winter came howling with all the fury of the north wind. Mothers held their children tighter—dads shook their heads and mumbled, "God pity the poor." Thanksgiving morning found the storm still raging. The wind howled and moaned, the snow piled higher and higher. Only the very brave and those who must, tried to face the storm. All at once above the roar and howling storm was heard the tinkle of a bell. "Jerry—could it be Jerry," asked the folk of Biddison street. Papa Brown stuck his head out of the door. Sure enough there was Jerry pushing his cart with apples down the street, his head held low against the wind. As he looked and pitied the old man, a large car lurched out of a side street. Horror stricken, he saw Jerry push his cart right in front of the oncoming car. There was a sickening dull thud and Jerry lay under his cart, a broken old man. "Jerry is hurt—Jerry is hurt," quickly passed the word along the street. Then there were helping hands tenderly carrying him into the Brown home. Out of the car stepped a woman, finely dressed, wrapped in furs, whose face was kindly yet lined with sorrow. She followed the kind friends into the house. "Who is he?" she asked one of the women. "A look of scorn was turned upon her. She had hurt Jerry, their Jerry—maybe killed him. Who was she to even come in here?" (Continued top next column)

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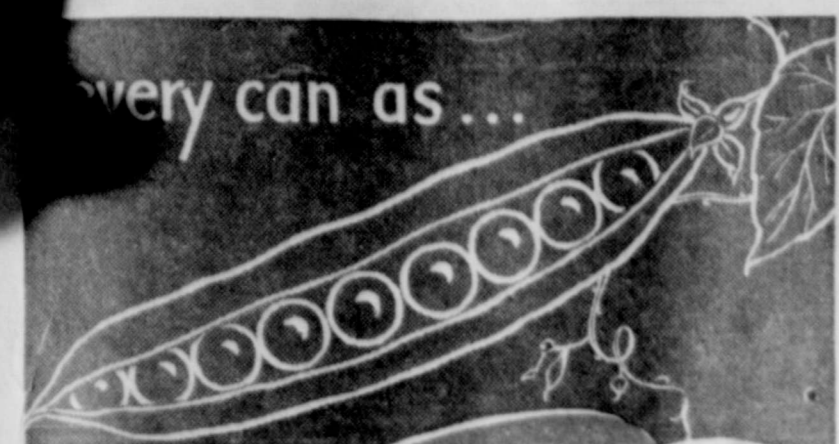
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BEING THANKFUL

This year, as we gather with our families around the Thanksgiving festive board many thoughts fill our minds.

First, we realize how very many things we have to be thankful for. Surely it is a fine thing to have us to be thankful for.

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THE GLORIFIED TURKEY

For many years the turkey has been our national Thanksgiving dish. It is a bird of good omen and at once we think of glorification, brown gravy and all the trimmings.

However, so many wonderful birds become a miserable failure through improper cooking. Some few years ago I printed on this page my special recipe for cooking turkey and recently some interested readers have requested I tell them again of my method.

How often we hear today: "Food doesn't taste the same as it did a few years ago." Perhaps this is due to many housewives cooking with gas, and I believe most cooking experts will agree that a wood range, especially a wood range, has a more palatable flavor when cooked in a wood range.

When it is possible to cook a turkey on a wood range, it is a Thanksgiving bird with wood. However, with what

HOLIDAY GOODIES

At the Thanksgiving season our appetites are whetted by the tingling cool, autumn weather. Here are some delicious recipes suggested by some of the leading cookery experts of the nations.

Plum Pudding

1/2 cup apple, chopped
1/2 cup small, chopped
1/2 cup molasses
1/2 cup well beaten
1/2 cup milk
2 cups sifted flour
1/2 cup figs, chopped
1/2 cup raisins
1/2 cup currants
1/2 cup citron, sliced
1 cup candied cherries, quartered
1 tablespoon candied orange peel, chopped
1/2 cup almonds, blanched and chopped
2 teaspoons Calumet baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon allspice
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

Combine apple, currants, molasses, eggs and milk. Sift flour, sugar, measure. Mix 1/2 cup flour with fruit and nuts. Combine remaining flour with baking powder, salt, soda and spices and sift again. Add to molasses mixture. Add fruit. Turn into well-greased mold, filling them 2/3 full. Cover tightly. Steam 4 hours. Serve with hard sauce. Serve 12.

"Courtesy: General Foods Corporation. From their book, 'ALL ABOUT HOME BAKING.'"

Collegiate Pie

Make apple sauce flavored with lemon and nutmeg or cinnamon. Mix thoroughly 1/2 pound butter with 28 graham crackers (usually a pound box) rolled. Using half of cracker mixture make a layer in pie pan, press firmly—add apple sauce. Then press remaining cracker mixture, forming a firm crust on top. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) about 15 minutes or until brown and firm. Let stand in cool air (not in the box) over night—cut same as pie. Serve with whipped cream.

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oven WITHOUT the top and brown flour in a quick hot oven (425 degrees F.). Do not salt bird until after it is seared and browned thoroughly; then remove from oven; salt as desired (also pepper if you like, but I don't) and add 4 or 5 cups of boiling water and place cover in position, return to oven.

The next and final steps are to keep an even slow fire. Turn the bird over in the roasting pan every half hour until it begins to get tender, then baste by pouring the gravy over bird with spoon frequently. The basting is important to insure a juicy bird.

If the gravy cooks too low more hot water may be added as desired.

When a bird is not extra fat two or three tablespoons of butter may be added to the gravy. Never use salt pork or bacon on turkey if you wish an even, delicious flavor. Cook until very tender. Do not rush if you wish something good. It is well worth getting up a little early to turn out a perfectly cooked turkey.

By browning at the start of cooking all the natural juices are locked in the meat and it is important to have a very hot oven for this browning.

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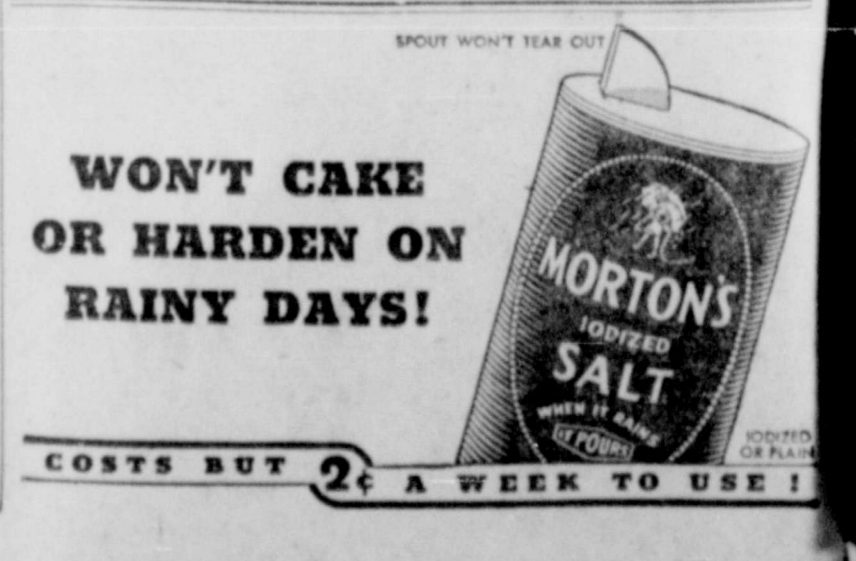


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