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When the Party Is Over —the Dirty Dishes

The party is over in Louisiana. The sink is full of dirty dishes, and the people of Louisiana will have to do the washing.

It is an old, old story, told again and again in the history of American politics. But we never learn. Each time we think we know which shell conceals the political pea, "we pay our money, and we take our choice." And each time the deft hand of time whisks away the pea, leaving table and pocket equally bare.

In order that as much as possible of the lesson shall stick this time, let's set down the lessons of Louisiana:

1. Beware of the people who promise too much. Miracles happen in politics just as seldom as they do in any other realm. In politics, as in everything else, the hard way, the slow way, is the best way.
2. Beware of the fellow who says, in politics, "Just leave everything to me. I will take care of your interests." It almost never happens. The people must guard and take care of their own interests, or it will be just too bad for those interests.
3. Beware the one-man machine. No one man is big enough to check the operations of a whole government, even if his intentions are the best.
4. Beware the man who makes obviously unfit appointments just because the appointees are "good fellows."
5. Beware the man who makes obviously unfit appointments. When you see obviously unqualified men slipping into offices, you may be sure they aren't going in for their health.
6. Beware of too strong and too well-oiled a party machine. It makes the pickings too good for any but the strongest to resist. Beware the man who uses strong-arm methods; he's hiding something.
7. Beware of indifference, arch-foe of republican government, Achilles heel of democracy, and the only thing that permits the Louisiana kind of party to happen at all.

Huey Long is dead, and there is no use in inquiring at this date whether or not he had his hand in the till. But the fact can no longer be questioned that he gathered around him a lot of high-binders and large-scale moochers who did.

At the time when these things were brewing, many astute newspaper reporters wrote the truth. They were abused as destructive critics, envious scandalists, and detractors of a great regime which was the people's friend. Now they are vindicated. The people's friends had their hands in the people's pockets all the time.

Louisiana, grimly washing the greasy pots and pans in the cluttered state kitchen, can only reflect ruefully to itself, "Well, I voted for it!"

The important thing about the charge that Bill Terry intimidates umpires is not whether he does or not. It's how in the world he'd do it.

What a Campaign This Would Be!



Mrs. Little Is After Big Fish



Mrs. Lawson Little is as expert with a fly rod as her famous husband is with golf clubs. Barefooted she fishes for trout in lower falls of Ammonoosuc River at Bretton Woods, N. H.

Sewing Rooms In Ft. Worth District To Be Continued

By United Press
FORT WORTH, Aug. 2.—Approximately \$1,500,000 will go to WPA sewing room projects in this 21-county district, under the \$9,549,000 allotment for Texas, announced in Washington, Major Karl Wallace, district director, said here today.

Seven Boy Scouts Killed In Mexico In A Truck Crash

By United Press
CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico, Aug. 2.—Seven Mexican Boy Scouts were killed instantly and 21 other persons injured, 11 seriously, when a bus in which they were returning from a camping trip collided, last night, with a heavy truck, 15 miles south of here, the Chihuahua Federal Hospital reported today.

Archaeological Research Started Over West Texas

LUBBOCK, Texas.—Impetus to archaeological research of a large section of West Texas was given recently when final approval was stamped on a \$16,596 WPA appropriation for such study under the sponsorship of Texas Technological College.

Work will begin immediately on the project, which will include 11 counties of the area, according to Dr. W. C. Holden, dean and director of anthropological, historical and social science research of Tech.

Supervisor for the project will be Joe Ben Wheat of Van Horn, graduate of the department of anthropology of the University of California. Assisting with the preparatory plans this week were Mr. R. H. Lawrence of San Antonio, a state supervisor on special educational projects, and Miss Evelyn Richey of Lubbock, district supervisor.

Included in the plans for important study are excavation, removal, and restoration of items of archaeological nature and collection of data pertaining to such material. Such work will be carried on in the counties of Borden, Crosby, Floyd, Garza, Hockley, Jones, Kent, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, and Motley. Location and staking of plots will begin Monday, July 31, and actual excavation is expected to begin Tuesday.

The fund will include all the necessary details such as cataloging and interpretation of materials, preparation of models, building exhibit cases, and mounting. In addition to future excavation and restoration, the fund includes cataloging and displaying material already accumulated in the West Texas Museum on the campus in which all discoveries are to be placed by special terms of the grant.

Those in charge of the project say that the study will add invaluable information to the archaeological knowledge of this section of Texas.

BRUCE CATTON — IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—A storm which may have profound effects on next year's political campaign is gathering strength over the country's meat packing industry. If it breaks in the shape of a nationwide strike—as it seems likely to do—its political implications are apt to be far-reaching.

Hearing Deadlock On Oil Allowable Still Continues

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—A deadlock between Railroad Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson and Jerry Sadler over the scope of a hearing on East Texas oil field allocations, remained unbroken today.

44 Are Missing In A Launch Mishap

MANILA, P. I., Aug. 2.—Forty-four persons were missing today after a motor launch capsized in high seas off Cape Capines.

Thirty-six of the 80 persons aboard, passengers and crew were saved.

The Federal Communications Commission has been asked to stop censoring short-wave broadcasts. These are the things that we buy a set for, and then never listen to.

Full Pensions To Be Paid For Aug.

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—August age pension payments will go on time, August federal mail funds already being on hand, Texas Old Age Pension Commission announced today.

LONDON HUSHES SKY SHOTS

LONDON.—"Sky-shooting" form of advertising in which speakers or planes tell people the ground to buy certain goods, will no longer be allowed, it is announced by the air ministry. The practice of aircraft towing advertising banners is also stopped.

Hitler may have a lease Trieste, Italy. If so, it's the time he ever paid rent on a quitter.

FOREIGN DIPLOMAT

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Constantine _____, diplomat serving in Washington.
- 8 He is the new _____ ambassador.
- 12 Gold house.
- 13 Like ale.
- 15 Tennis point.
- 16 Small herring.
- 17 Perfume.
- 19 To do wrong.
- 21 Melodist.
- 22 Sound of surprise.
- 23 Mocks.
- 25 You.
- 26 To shout.
- 27 One who does.
- 29 He has acted _____ of his embassy for some time.
- 31 Note in scale.
- 32 You and me.
- 34 A declining.
- 36 Health spring.
- 38 Behold.
- 39 Cow's call.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

SUBMARINE DEPTHS APPROVED PROCURE SIBERIAN NORIA SHIP SELECTS SHALOW RICHMOND AMTOW ALCAR VERMONT SUBMARINE CAPTIVE LOKE LOTUS LAMP

VERTICAL

- 2 Referee.
- 3 To wed.
- 4 Genus of ducks.
- 5 Negative.
- 6 Senior (abbr.)
- 7 Sweet potato.
- 8 Undine.
- 9 Go on (music).
- 10 Frozen desert.
- 11 Tamed.
- 13 Field.
- 14 Religious ceremony.
- 17 Pronoun.
- 18 Dregs.
- 20 Severed.
- 22 Yellow bird.
- 24 Room.
- 28 Metal corrosion.
- 30 Duet.
- 33 A helix.
- 35 Demure.
- 37 Tiny particle.
- 41 Pound.
- 42 Obstructed.
- 44 To hoist.
- 46 Shaft surface.
- 47 Mohammedan judge.
- 48 Species.
- 50 Ye.
- 52 Deity of war.
- 53 Nothing.
- 54 To befall.
- 56 Pair.
- 58 Street.

'Tark' at 70



Still turning out fiction that makes him one of America's best-known authors, Booth Tarkington is pictured at Kennebunkport, Me., on 70th birthday.

Two Children Are Fatally Burned

BOWIE, Aug. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bodford and their five surviving children today mourned the loss of Robbie 4, and Jane 3, who were burned to death late yesterday.

MIKE JOE DOUG PHIL FRANK

America's No. 1 Golf Family
THE FAMOUS TURNESA BROTHERS tee up with

Chesterfield
America's No. 1 Cigarette

FOR MORE SMOKING PLEASURE
Straight down the fairway for what smokers want, Chesterfield gives you *real* mildness, a different and better taste and a more pleasing aroma.

Chesterfield's blend of the world's best cigarette tobaccos is the topflight combination for more smoking pleasure. You'll enjoy every one you smoke.

They Satisfy

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STARTS THURS. 9 A. M.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY-SATURDAY

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STORE OPENS 9 A. M.
THURSDAY

PENNEY'S END OF SEASON - BARGAIN - DAYS -

LADIES RAYON
SLIPS **39c**
COLOR T. ROSE
SIZES 32 TO 44
STOCK UP

Selling Continues Until
Last Item Sold!

SUMMER MERCHANDISE MUST GO! WE'VE PRICED IT TO GO FAST!

FINAL MARK DOWN!

MEN'S

\$ 7.

SUMMER SUITS

AT THE PRICE OF TWO PAIR PANTS!
Odds and Ends Sure But Everyone A Grand
Buy! Hurry! Only 11 To Sell!

MARKED DOWN

ENTIRE STOCK LADIES' BETTER QUALITY SUMMER

D-R-E-S-S-E-S

2⁰⁰

None reserved! Every one of our Better
Dresses received before July 1st will be sold
at this low price! We never use comparative
prices . . . But the values are obvious! COME
EARLY!

TAKE THEM FOR A SONG!
MEN'S WHITE

SHOES

ODDS AND ENDS—BROKEN SIZES
BE HERE
WHEN THE
DOORS OPEN!
S-A-V-E!
1⁰⁰

MEN'S and BOYS' SHIRTS AND SHORTS

Hurry!
Buy **15^c** Going
Now! **15^c** See 'Em! Fast!

MARKED DOWN!

ENTIRE STOCK LADIES'

Summer Hats

REGARDLESS OF
THEIR FORMER
PRICE THEY'RE GO-
ING TO BE SOLD
NOW!
25^c

Reduced

BETTER SUMMER

SHEERS

THIS COLORFUL AS-
SORTMENT ARRIVED
JUST THIRTY DAYS
TOO LATE. HENCE
THIS SENSATIONAL
REDUCTION!
12¹/₂

HERE'S A BARGAIN!

Two Big Tables

ODDS - ENDS

HURRY!
DON'T
MISS
THIS!
25^c

MARKED TO SELL QUICK!

TWO ODD RACKS "WHAT NOTS"

OVER 100 DIFFERENT
DRESSES, SUITS AND
COATS TO PICK FROM!
SOME SLIGHTLY SOILED
BUT GRAND BUYS!

100

No Refunds!
or
Exchanges!

CLOSE OUT--MARKED DOWN!

WOMEN'S - CHILDREN'S

SHOES 38^c

BROKEN SIZES!
HURRY! THEY WON'T
LAST LONG!

HERE'S BARGAINS!

Two Big Tables

ODDS - ENDS

HURRY!
DON'T
MISS
THIS!
50^c
NO REFUNDS! NO EXCHANGES!

YOU HAVE NEVER SEEN SO MANY
FRIDAY MORNING 9 A. M.

Remnants Remnants

IF YOU CAN GET THROUGH THE CROWD AND GET HERE EARLY
ENOUGH YOU'RE GOING TO FIND SOME OF THE RAREST
VALUES YOU'VE EVER SEEN!
SHOP PENNEY'S! COMPARE!

10^c

A SURPRISE BARGAIN!

500 YARDS ALL NEW SUMMER

S-H-E-E-R-S

BE HERE EARLY! STOCK UP!

6^c

yd

FLOUR SACKS 5^c

UNHEMMEED, BLEACHED
ONLY 150 TO SELL!

FRIDAY MORNING 8 A. M.

Colored Wash Rags—
LADIES' White Hdks.—
Limited Quantity!
Priced To Sell!
They'll Go Fast!
1^c ea.

THURSDAY 2 P. M.

We will start selling 81 x 90

HAND TORN

SHEETS 29^c

UNHEMMEED
UNBLEACHED!
HURRY! ONLY
75 TO SELL!

FRIDAY MORNING 8 A. M.

Women's Slips

FULL CUT - TAILOR-
ED SLIPS MADE FROM
FINE QUALITY MA-
TERIAL - YOU WILL
BE SURPRISED AT
THIS VALUE! BE
HERE EARLY!
25^c

HURRY! DON'T BE LATE!
TABLE ODDS - ENDS

HUNDREDS OF ITEMS
TO PICK FROM! BAR-
GAINS THAT WILL
STARTLE YOU!
10^c

WHILE 10 DOZEN LAST!
LADIES' NOVELTY RAYON

Panties 14^c

COLOR—TEA ROSE
SIZES, ASSORTED

CLOSE OUT!
LADIES'
WHITE
PURSES **10^c**

IF YOU'RE A BARGAIN
HUNTER -- BE HERE
Thursday - Friday - Saturday

STOCK UP HERE!
MEN'S LIGHT SUMMER
Ties 10^c
Marked Down
To Sell!!

MEN'S DRESS PANTS SENSATION!

83 PAIRS PRICED SO LOW YOU'D HARD-
LY BELIEVE US! BROKEN SIZES, ODDS
AND ENDS! THEY'LL GO FAST! HURRY!

75^c

'FOLLOW' THE CROWDS
THEY'RE HEADED HERE

J. C. PENNEY CO.

SERIAL STORY

WAR AND A WOMAN

BY BETTY WALLACE

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Yesterday Jimmy confessed that he no longer loved Marcia, that Linda is consistently in his thoughts. Angry Linda burst in on him, and she said: "I'm a woman, I hate your work, and I hate you for being in it!"

CHAPTER VI

SHE hadn't meant to hurt it out like that. His eyes, stunned and stricken, were like holes in his face as he gazed down at her. She laid her hand on his cheek and said: "I'm sorry, but I'm a woman, I hate your work, and I hate you for being in it!"

She rushed on, "You Naval men—Army men, too—professional war mongers—don't realize what's going on in the minds of the rest of us. That's what Marcia tried to tell you that morning on the field. These planes here drive me mad! I read the papers, I see the danger our country's in. I don't want us to be dragged into war, and I can't stand the thought of people being killed. But you're teaching young boys how to kill more effectively, Jimmy! That's your work, and it's part of you, and I hate it! So I hate you!"

She darted from his arms, her breath coming fast. She ran into the lighted room where people were dancing. Peter stood by the door, "My dear, Miss Storm!" Linda saw Marcia's eyes raking the room for Jimmy, and she was fiercely glad that here she was, right under Marcia's nose, dancing with Peter.

She couldn't think about Jimmy—mustn't think about what he was going through now. At last she saw Marcia heading for the porch. "I've had enough," she murmured to Peter. "I've a headache. Would you mind taking me home?"

"Gosh, I'm sorry," he led the way to his car, parked outside. They passed Marcia and Jimmy, but Marcia's back was turned. Linda knew that Jimmy had seen her. Her chin went up. She took Peter's arm.

On the way home, with Peter driving, she tried to get control of herself. "Sure you're all right?" he asked her. "Perhaps we ought to stop at a drug store and get me a headache fix."

"No, thanks. I'll be fine. But when you get back to the club, please tell Marcia... I forgot to say goodbye to her."

He hadn't noticed the two people on the porch as they left, evidently. "He's glad to," he said. When Linda entered the house, Marcia's mother was sitting under a lamp, busy with a piece of knitting. "How early you are, child."

"It's just me," Linda said miserably. "I didn't feel well."

"I'm sorry. Is there anything I can do for you?"

"No. I—I'll be all right."

THE telephone rang. Mrs. King rose to answer it. She came back quickly. "Lucky you happened to come in right now. That's long distance, for you."

George! Linda experienced a surge of thanksgiving. George had not written because he was so busy getting ready to leave, and now he was waiting to tell her. "I'll be there day after tomorrow. I'm taking the train right now."

"Hello," she said into the phone. "Hello, George." How good it was to hear his voice! Just the sound of it brought back Queensville and Daddy and home. All the safe, solid, everyday things that had been slipping away from her in the confusion of these past few days.

"George, you're coming down, aren't you?" she cried eagerly. "Oh, I'm so glad! When will you be here?"

Instead of answering that, he was asking, "What happened, Linda? Your letter sounded so queer, it alarmed me. What's the matter?"

"Nothing's the matter. I just missed you and I—I thought it would be nice if you could come and I—oh, George, surely you can leave the laboratory just for once! Surely I'm just as important to you as those experiments."

"But why do you need me, Linda? She had forgotten how matter-of-fact George could be. Forgotten the solid common sense which always motivated him.

"I miss you," she said despairingly. "Isn't that enough? I—I'm lonely here. I—I wanted to go back, but Marcia wouldn't let me. Please come down, George."

"It's out of the question, Linda. I can't afford a jaunt like that now. I'm up to my ears in work and I simply haven't the time, my dear."

When Marcia came in, hours later, Linda pretended to be asleep. She heard the other girl rap softly on her door. She heard her whisper, "Linda? Linda?" The footsteps went down the hall.

In the morning, Marcia's mother told her over the breakfast table, "That long distance call came through again last night. But you didn't answer when we called you."

Linda crumbled her toast. "Did it?" There had been nothing further to say. George wasn't coming, and any excuses would only make matters worse.

"What ailed you last night?" Marcia wanted to know. "Peter said you had a headache and asked him to take you home." Her eyes narrowed. "You're still just a little seedy this morning. Want to go back to bed?"

"No. I'll be all right."

There was the sound of the telephone again. That's Jimmy, I guess, Marcia smiled. But it wasn't Jimmy. It was long distance, once more, for Miss Linda Storm.

She was glad the telephone was in the foyer, away from the others. When she picked it up, she felt the same cold anger sweeping through her that she had experienced last night. "Listen, George, if all you want to say is—"

"Linda," George's voice was excited, different. "Linda, something terrible has happened. Last night after you hung up on me I was worried about it a while and then decided to go over and tell you last night. He didn't answer, the doctor."

Her fingers on the instrument stiffened, chill foreboding clutched at her. "Had? Oh, George, quick! Tell me!"

"I got in through the back way. He was in the study. He'd had a heart attack."

"Heart attack?" she echoed dully. "Why didn't you call me right away?"

"I did, but I couldn't get you. And I had no time to hang on the phone. I had to go for the doctor. There was so much to be done."

"How—how is he now, George?" "They can't tell yet, Linda. You'd better come straight home."

"Yes. Yes, I'm coming. I'm coming on the first plane."

(To Be Continued)

get along." She took a deep breath, urged on by some malevolent impulse she did not fully understand herself. "Goodbye, George!" Of its own volition, her hand slammed the telephone back on its cradle, and she was getting up, walking unsteadily to her room.

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"OUT OUR WAY"

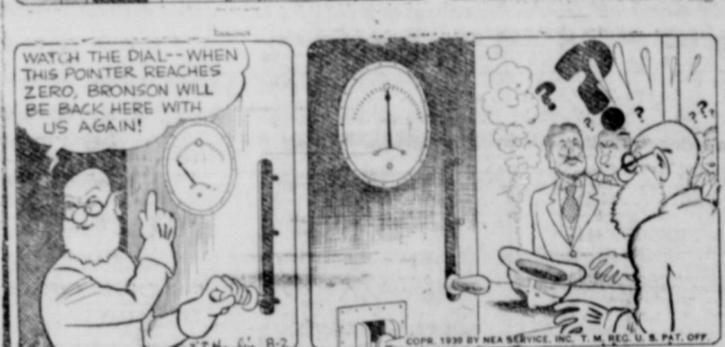
By Williams

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



France prohibited photographing of a military parade. What a relief. That's one set of tanks, soldiers, and rifles we won't have to look at.

Future well-being of women depends on democracy, says a feminist. Say, men, do you suppose we're really going to get it in the home, too?

Men are beginning to wear hats as odd-looking as those of the ladies. Well, they can't fight a losing battle forever.

reporting member banks in leading cities in this district, loans on July 12 were in larger volume than at any other time in recent years and deposits rose to an all-time high level.

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El Paso Is Seeking Livestocks Building

By United Press
EL PASO, Texas—Funds for constructing a \$100,000 livestock building to be used in connection with the Southwestern Livestock Show will be sought in an application by the El Paso Chamber of Commerce for a grant from the Public Works Administration. The new building would include an arena for a rodeo. It would replace a corrugated iron building torn on the show grounds.

COW VICTIM OF BRIGHT LIGHTS

SANTA ROSA, Cal.—Even a cow can become a victim of glare of the bright lights. Proctorokoff, rancher, to the fine points of his pet. He had her stall draped with electric lights. The glare of bright lights attracted Betty, a cow. The effect was the same as the death chair.

Report of quintuplets, born to Mexican journalist's wife, turned out to be false. Imagine the chagrin of the newspapermen if he garbled his own blessed event story.

TRY Our Want-Ads!

Wanted on any refrigerator washing sewer Montgo Service

NOTICE of all d Thursday n House--Se

FOR SALE fixtures, r tion. Been Veta Peery

FOR SALE used. L. F. WATERM

FOR REN modern hot

FOR SALE of or tru school--O.

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HOTEL MAYFAIR the SAME PRICE for ONE OR TWO Guests 200 250 300 SINGLE OR DOUBLE DALLAS

Agriculture Has Better Outlook In The Southwest

DALLAS, Texas—Further improvement in the agricultural outlook for the Eleventh Federal Reserve Bank District was noted in the bank's monthly business review issued today. The review stated that heavy rains in most sections of Texas during June and the first half of July were very beneficial to growing crops. The moisture supply in most sections of the state, the review said, is now generally adequate for current needs, but there are some localities where additional precipitation is needed to overcome the accumulated moisture deficiency. In much of New Mexico and southwestern Arizona, according to the review, the shortage in rainfall and high temperatures have resulted in drought conditions and general crops are urgently needed for ranges and crops. The review also said: "Although department store sales declined by more than the usual seasonal amount in June, they were about as large as in that month in 1938. Wholesale distribution was well sustained and the volume of sales was 3 per cent in excess of that sustained and the volume of sales was 2 per cent in excess of that for the same month last year. The value of construction contracts awarded declined further by 13 per cent from May to June due chiefly to the smaller volume of residential building, but total awards for all classes of construction during June were 6 per cent larger than in the corresponding month last year. Daily average production of crude oil declined moderately in June and then increased somewhat during the first half of July; nevertheless, production during the six-week period was at a substantially higher level than in that period of 1938. At weekly

RED RYDER By Fred Harman



She Laughs-- at Germany



"Ha, ha!" answered Vera Hrubis, pretty Czech ice star, when German consul general in New York suggested that she cease going skating act in hotel to Czech national police.

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WEDNESDAY... News of this column... Editor's clock... possibility... overlooked... copy news... paper only... Approaching At Mineral... The engaging marriage... Mrs. J. C. Wells to Mr. Joe Har... nounced Mo... met after h... mother at h... Wells... The home... of the groom... The buff... with lace... radioli... were used... A the gu... the two co... Brady, son... and Brady... entered, cal... care newsp... engagement... ring date, J... tributed an... Miss Gene... ing, "A Nev... CLA... 0-LOGG... STA... ger 3... A. F... ight at 8 o... degrees... D... (R... 1-120ST... FOUND-K... seven keys... wrench. Ow... applying at... ing for this... LOST-Lig... taining in... reward. N... turn to Hi... 3-HELP... SPECIAL... Women. E... your own d... maging. G... FASHION... 2057, CINC... 4-SITU... Wanted... on any r... efrigerat... washing... sewer i... Montgo... Service... 7-SPEC... NOTICE... of all d... Thursday... n House--Se... FOR SALE... fixtures, r... tion. Been... Veta Peery... FOR SALE... used. L. F... WATERM... 11-APAR... FOR REN... modern hot... 13-FOR... PEACHES... Cook, Cadd... FOR SALE... of or tru... school--O... C... FI... Low... As... A str... REI... Low... As... PHO...

Society

News which is to appear in this column should be given to the editor not later than 12:00 o'clock noon of the day it is to appear. In order to avoid the possibility of any news being overlooked persons bringing in copy are requested to write their news on one side of the paper only.

Approaching Marriage Announced At Mineral Wells

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Georgia Beal Burchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burchell of Mineral Wells to Mr. Bruce Harris, son of Mr. Joe Harris of Kilgore, was announced Monday evening at a buffet supper given by the bride's mother at her home in Mineral Wells.

The home was attractively decorated with gladioli, a gift from the groom-elect.

The buffet table was covered with lace and held a centerpiece of gladioli. Silver appointments were used on the table.

As the guests were being served the two course supper, Norman Brady, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Brady, posing as a news boy entered, calling, "Extra." Miniature newspapers announcing the engagement and carrying the wedding date, August 31, were distributed among the guests.

Miss Geneva Elders gave a reading, "A New Pattern of Life."

CLASSIFIED

0—LODGE NOTICES

STATED MEETING Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738 A. F. & A. M. Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Examination in all degrees. Visitors welcome.

D. L. Jameson, Sec.
R. H. West, W. M.

1—LOST, STRAYED, STOLEN

FOUND—Key ring containing three keys and Remy magneto wrench. Owner can have same by applying at Times office and paying for this ad.

LOST—Light brown bill fold containing important papers. \$10.00 reward. No questions asked. Return to Hi-Way Eat Shop.

3—HELP WANTED, FEMALE

SPECIAL WORK for Married Women. Earn to \$21 weekly and your own dresses free. No canvassing. Give age and dress size.

FASHION FROCKS, Dept. 2-2057, CINCINNATI, O.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

Wanted: Repair work on any make or model refrigerator, radio, washing machine or sewing machine.

Montgomery Ward Service Dept.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE—Country Club meeting of all directors and officers Thursday night, 8 o'clock, at Club House.—Secretary.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Cafe fixtures, reasonable. Good location. Been cafe site for 20 years. Veta Peery, 1121 Spring Road.

FOR SALE—Windmills, new and used. L. E. Clark, Desdemona.

WATERMELONS ice cold. Traders Grocery and Market.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—4-room furnished modern house. 1109 Foch Street.

13—FOR SALE, Miscellaneous

PEACHES FOR SALE—L. M. Cook, Caddo Road.

FOR SALE Grapes in juice, bush or truck load; near Colony school.—O. C. BOWEN.

The bride's mother was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Conrad Brady and Miss Elders.

Guests from Ranger who attended were: Misses Gladys Larson, Nelma Robinson, Priscilla Miller, Mary Jane Todd and Mrs. Charles Talley.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the Mineral Wells High School and spent last winter studying in Ranger Junior College. She has many friends here among the younger social set.

Mr. Harris is a graduate of the Ranger High School and is now employed by the J. E. Matthews Oil Well Supply Company.

American Legion Auxiliary Elects 1940 Officers

The Carl Barnes Unit No. 69 of the American Legion Auxiliary met in regular business session on Tuesday evening, August 1, 1939, at the Legion clubrooms, with president, Mrs. J. D. McClister presiding.

The election of 1940 officers was conducted and the following elected:

President, Mrs. H. T. Schooley. Secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Grace R. Taylor.

Chaplain, Mrs. Carrie Brady. Historian, Mrs. R. H. Hansford. Sargeant at Arms, Mrs. Con Hazard.

Members at Large: Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mrs. Preston Burks, Mrs. L. R. Herring.

Delegates elected to attend the state convention were Mrs. H. T. Schooley and Mrs. Preston Burks.

Alternate delegates to the convention were Mrs. R. H. Hansford and Mrs. J. D. McClister.

There were ten members present and one guest.

Former Ranger Resident Married at Pharr

A wedding of interest in Ranger was solemnized at 10 o'clock last Thursday morning at the First Baptist Church in Pharr, when Miss Verna Mae Brown, daughter of Mr. Oliver C. Brown, became the bride of Mr. Edd M. Boler, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boler of Pharr. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. O. M. Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The bride who is a graduate of the Pharr High School, was honored at a number of pre-nuptial parties.

Mr. Boler attended Ranger High School and was at one time in business here. He is now engaged in fruit and produce shipping.

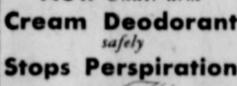
After a trip to Monterrey and other places in Old Mexico the couple will make their home in McAllen.

Dorcas Class To Meet

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the

New Under-arm Cream Deodorant

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- Does not irritate skin—does not irritate skin.
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- Instantly stops perspiration for 1 to 3 days. Removes odor from perspiration.
- A pure white, greaseless, stainless vanishing cream.
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15 MILLION jars of Arrid have been sold. Try a jar today!

ARRID. 39¢ a jar. At all stores selling toilet goods (also in 10¢ and 50¢ jars)

IT'S TRUE!



New York, N. Y.—"IT'S TRUE!" that Ian Hunter discovered that it has been costing him more to keep a boat in England than himself in Hollywood, so he put his 54-foot schooner up for sale," says Wiley Padan. "Hunter also is interested in television. He recently ordered a set for his home."

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Northeast of Desdemona visited Mrs. Northeast's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Marchbanks, Tuesday.

Miss Betty Sue Blanton has returned from a two month visit with her grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Blanton in Bowie. While there Miss Blanton studied voice under the direction of Miss Inez Rudy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hunter left this morning for a vacation trip to Austin, San Antonio and Corpus Christi. Their son, Reid, who has been visiting his aunts, Mrs. W. H. McMillan and Mrs. Eula Hunter in Fort Worth will join them for the trip.

Mrs. Charles Ogley, Catherine and Frank left this morning for a visit with their son and brother, Richard in Borger. From there they will go to Oklahoma to visit.

Pickpockets got \$706 which a Vermont resident had been carrying in his pocket for six years. If he went that long without spending it, he'll never miss it.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Tommy Martin underwent a tonsillectomy this morning at the City-County Hospital.

Mrs. Leola Martin has been removed from the West Texas Hospital to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Myers.

Mrs. W. P. Bryant who recently underwent an operation at the City-County Hospital will soon be removed to her home.

Mrs. Herman Dempsey and young baby are reported to be resting well.

Lloyd Miller is expected to be removed from the City-County Hospital to his home, soon.

BLUNDER TURNED TO USE

NEW ORLEANS—A construction blunder will be turned into a recreation center for New Orleans' youth. The city purchased an immense unused street transit garage from the Public Service, Inc. The site will be made into a huge skating rink and playground, one of the largest in the United States.

Past and Present of Umberson Stock To Be Sold Before New Store Opens

Ken Umberson, Ranger jeweler, has decided to close his store in Ranger and has sold the location and fixtures to Mrs. Lois Johnson and J. D. Heyes, who are to restock the store and continue to operate it with a new stock of fine jewelry, silverware and china, it has been announced here.

A big auction sale will be conducted, beginning Thursday, by Col. H. McCall, head of the Imperial Auction Company, who has a contract with Umberson to sell out the entire stock at auction before the business is turned over to the new owners. The store is closed all day today in preparation for the sale, which starts Thursday, Aug. 3, and will be conducted in two periods daily, starting at 2 p. m., and 7 p. m.

Umberson will be represented by the new owners, until he has completed all transactions with his former customers. All accounts due Umberson will be paid at the same location as he will still keep his collection office here.

Mrs. Johnson and Heyes are both well known in this part of the country, as Mrs. Johnson has been connected with the firm for many years and Heyes has been with it for some time.

Col. McCall stated today that he will sell every item in the store before he quits. He comes to Ranger well known throughout Texas as an auctioneer.

Mental Health Meet Scheduled Aug. 3 At Teachers College

DENTON, Texas—Through the cooperation of the State Department of Health, a two-day mental health education conference will be held at the North Texas State Teachers College August 3-4. President W. J. McConnell has announced.

At a general college assembly, at 8:30 Thursday morning, August 3, Dr. Harmon will give the principal address which will be followed by a panel discussion in which Dr. Harmon, Dr. B. H. Harris, dean of the College and head of its biology faculty, and several other specialists will participate. At the close of the panel the speakers will answer questions from the audience.

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Not one Item Will be Left

OUR CONTRACT SAYS WE MUST S ELL THE ENTIRE STOCK!

Auction



SALE

DELIGHTED!

We were delighted when news came that we had been chosen to sell this beautiful stock of fine jewelry and china.—Imperial Auction Co.

SALE STARTS AT
2 AND 7 P. M.
DAILY

A WORD TO MY CUSTOMERS:

I have decided to close out my entire stock of fine Jewelry in Ranger, Texas. Therefore I wish to extend my personal invitation to the public to take advantage of this Great Sale.—Ken Umberson, Owner.

REGARDLESS OF COST, WE ARE GOING TO SELL THE GOODS.

THIS IS THE OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME TO BUY THE FINE PIECES OF CHINA, SILVER, OR GLASSWARE AND OTHER ITEMS IN THE JEWELRY LINE THAT YOU HAVE LONG WANTED!

SPECIAL

Included in this stock there are nine Navajo Rugs, also one lot of Gladstone Traveling Bags, Ladies' Suit Cases, one show case full of Dainty Infant Wear. And many beautiful gifts too numerous to mention!

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A FREE DIAMOND AT EACH SESSION!
Starting 2 and 7 P. M. Daily!

NOTICE

We are pleased to announce to the public that Mr. Ken Umberson has sold his location and fixtures to J. D. Heyes, and Lois Johnson, who have been employed in this store in the past, but as the new owners, will open up this store with a brand new line of high class Jewelry, Silver and Chinaware, and will continue to serve their many friends, as they are well-known in this territory.

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OWNER---PHONE 610