

Here In HICO

The life of country newspaper folks is indeed anything but a path of roses. The term country newspaper is used, not to convey the meaning that small newspapers are not possessed of average or above-the-average intelligence, but is merely a term that has come into universal use when describing newspapers in towns not to be classed as metropolitan. But what we started to say was that running a newspaper in a town the size of Hico is, when averaged up, the good with the bad, a pleasure, but at the same time is no snap. There are many things that come up which could not be anticipated by anyone, and some things happen which are regretted sincerely, but which we have not found any sure way to avoid.

It seems that try as hard as one can, it is impossible to say the right thing every time, and keep from ever saying the wrong thing. For instance, last week, when this humble editor and his loyal assistants had put in hour after hour of searching for news, spent much time in preparing same for printing, and then by the sweat of their brows and toil of their hands set same up in type and run the paper off on the press, our appraising eye scanned the fifty-six columns of reading and display advertising and we think we are pardonable for the pride we felt in the fact that our efforts were justified by the finished product. There was nothing startling or unusual contained therein, but it is natural for a person working at a task that his heart is in, to feel a pride in his work. Several nice comments were heard on the issue, which were appreciated, but which we claim no credit for, due to the fact that we were not alone responsible for them—our good friends who are so loyal and co-operative make the newspaper what it is to a large extent, and if the News Review faithfully represents Hico and this territory, they are due the credit—not the editor.

No sooner were we off the press, however, than we began noticing things that should have been said by all means, and what hurt more than anything else, found that in one instance the wrong thing had been said. It is better to leave out an article altogether, than to have one in the paper which contains a statement that would be the least offensive to a reader and cause him or her to think that we were taking undue liberties with what he or she had said or done. We were innocent of any ill intentions and would rather mail out the whole paper blank than to have a single reader think we would take undue advantage of our position and use the News Review as a medium to confer a "dirty dip." Nevertheless we can understand how it might seem to one reading the paper that the editor sometimes tries to get cute and be a party to a practical joke, and in this instance it seemed that this was what we had done. However, we want it understood here and now that this is not the policy of the present owner.

Of course we are approached now and then with some suggestion of what to say, and sometimes there might be no harm in following the suggestions. But we learned a long time ago that it is not the mission of a newspaper to aid in practical jokes, and in no instance where we can judge between right and wrong do we allow same to go into the columns of our newspaper. We take this business seriously, and while we realize that sometimes we get personal with some of our citizens in a joshing sort of a way, it is not done with any intention of causing embarrassment to the one referred to. We also have our beliefs on various subjects, but we have never thought that it is right or proper to voice personal opinions or promote our likes and dislikes through the columns of the people's newspaper, be the subject religion, politics, aviation, business or what-not. This has been our course in the past, and unless we change our mind will be our procedure in the future. When we pull a bone, and say something we shouldn't have, we regret it more than the one who takes offense, and our first impulse is to tender our apologies, but so many times this is impossible, and in a number of cases only serves to aggravate the grievance.

So we have decided the better course is to keep a stiff upper lip, and try to conduct our business in such a manner that when something of this nature occurs, our past and future performances may make amends for whatever accidental breaks we make. We wish to restate here and now what we have said before, these mistakes are errors of the mind and not of the heart, and be they either errors of commission or omission,

TERRACING DEMONSTRATION AT HICO NEXT WEDNESDAY

DUNCAN BROS. FALL STYLE SHOW WEDNESDAY EVE WELL ATTENDED

The largest crowd ever to have been in attendance at a similar event was declared by T. A. Duncan of the Duncan Brothers store here to have been present at the Fall Style Review staged at Hico City Park last Tuesday evening. The affair was held in the newly constructed pavilion which furnished an ideal setting for such a showing as was assembled there, and from beginning to end the show went off like clockwork, the models performing like veterans in the game, and the many pretty items of wearing apparel furnishing them an opportunity to appear at their best.

The stage and interior of the building had been arranged for the proper display of the models, and large spotlights added a touch of showmanship. The center background of the stage was a panel of huge modernistic flowers, hand-painted in vivid shades of red, green, yellow, orange, purple, lavender and blue. The colors of black and silver were used in the modernistic archways, with black and white draperies.

The runway which was about 70 feet long, came to a diamond point at the center of the pavilion, with huge spotlights down each one.

A home orchestra under the direction of M. S. Knott furnished music throughout the program, and added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The pages, who were Misses Marie Pirle and Mayo Hollis, wore black satin shorts, green silk blouses, black velvet tans, and carried silver trumpets to announce the numbers.

The review began when the pages uttered ribbon bows on huge hat boxes and out came two of the models, Misses Doris Sellers and Lola Mae Williamson.

Mr. T. A. Duncan, manager of the store, announced each model with appropriate comments, by means of a radio amplifier.

The children who acted as models were little Misses Helen Louise Gamble, Mary Ella McCullough and Carolyn Holford. They modeled wash dresses, shoes and berets.

Models were Misses Marie Aycock, Doris Sellers, Katherine Randall, Johnnie Copeland, Katherine Smith, Lola Mae Williamson, Emma Dee Hall, Marguerite Fairie, Zella Mirm Duncan, Martha Porter, Laurel Persons; Mmes. E. E. Lynch, Frankie Forgy and Roland L. Holford.

The models made their initial appearance in sport and dress coats. Other garments modeled were wash frocks and pajamas, sport and street dresses of woolsens, travel prints and crepes; afternoon dresses and evening gowns and shoes, hosiery, millinery and accessories.

Feature numbers were four Maud Muller models in hats which were featured at the Ambassador Hotel Millinery Style Review in Los Angeles, Calif., August 19, and which were brought to Hico by Duncan Brothers for their style show.

During an intermission Miss Martha Porter gave a fine exhibition of tap dancing, which was a delight to the audience.

City Council Meets And Disposes of Routine Business

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held in the City Hall Monday night, September 1, with two members absent. Reading of reports and allowing of bills composed most of the business before the meeting, together with the transaction of routine business.

The matter of an allowance on street sprinkling came before the house, and a resolution was passed that the city should pay \$10.00 per month toward this work, beginning with July 15th and ending when the council sees fit to discontinue it.

It was also moved, seconded and passed that camping not be allowed in the City Park, since this has been a cause of annoyance in the past, and the body declared themselves against this procedure.

City Secretary J. R. McMillan was given instructions to look after the lights at the park, and see after it in a general way, and it was moved that the park be turned over to him for custody.

Other minor matters came before the meeting, among which was a discussion of the advisability of securing insurance on the new pavilion, and the proper amount of coverage and at what rate.

Our intentions are good toward everyone so far as what we say in the paper is concerned. We ask the cooperation of our readers in helping us to make the News Review the kind of a paper they would have it be.

Snake Swallows the Wrong "Egg" and Mystery Is Solved

When a snake just decides to swallow an egg, that's not news, for most everyone is aware of that habit that snakes have. But when a snake thinks he has a nice large egg spotted, which is out of the ordinary in shape, and which he figures will make a juicy morsel, only to discover later that he has misjudged the article, and his dinner consists of a rusty door-knob which is harder to masticate—then it is just too bad.

That is exactly what happened about two weeks ago at J. J. Smith's place. They had been missing eggs, and knew that a snake was getting away with some of them. But when they missed a door knob they did not suspect the snake until this week when Mrs. Smith noticed a small chick-neck snake acting peculiarly in her back yard. She called her husband, who after watching the convulsions and antics of the animal for a little bit, killed it, and extracted the missing door knob.

Many Planes Visit Local Airport In Course of A Week

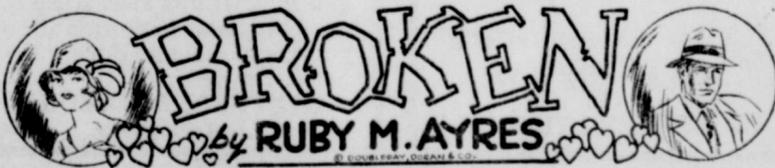
Since the opening of Blair Field on Wednesday of last week, there have been several airplanes to land, some staying only a short time, while at least one other was put in the hangar there overnight.

There has not been a day that there was not at least one plane to land on the field, and Thursday at noon three ships, two money planes and one biplane, were in evidence there.

It is thought that as soon as the local field gets the proper publicity and designation is made on air maps, Hico will be visited by a number of pilots who will find in the local airport the fulfillment of a long-felt need.

Two firemen and a traffic officer were injured and damage estimated at more than \$250,000 was caused Tuesday by a fire which originated in the plant of the Lingo Lumber company in Oak Cliff, a Dallas suburb, and swept an entire block before it was brought under control.

A Brand New Serial Story Starting In This Issue...



So this was Julie Farrow! a woman whose love affairs were notorious although she was said to be only eight and twenty, a woman for whose worthless sake only six months ago a young fool, had, in a moment of hysterical disillusionment, taken his life. Giles Chittenden put down his ice drink and shifted his position a little in order to get a better view of her.

She was very plainly dressed. She was entirely without jewelry of any kind, without even a wedding ring. Rodney had complained that Julie Farrow was not interested in diamonds.

"She won't let me give her anything. She says she hates diamonds. She won't take anything from me. I only wish to God she would."

This woman was certainly unique; there was nothing of the stereotyped adventures about her, and possibly therein lay her chief attraction.

Rodney at any rate had adored her, adored her so madly that one night, convinced at last that she would have nothing to do with him, he had upped a skiff near the weir at Maidenhead and put an end to his life.

Rodney was a powerful swimmer, but a coroner's jury had brought in accidental death, and only Chittenden knew the truth, only Chittenden ever saw a letter which the boy had posted to him in America an hour before his death, declaring his intention.

"She's done with me. She's tor-bidden me to go near her again."

Chittenden had destroyed the letter as soon as he had read it. Of what use to stir up muddy water when Rodney was gone?

Chittenden had been out of England for nearly two years looking after interests in South America, and he had only returned

Keeping Up With TEXAS

Texas citrus industry, little more than a decade old, now represents an investment of \$100,000,000. Shipments in 1931-32 are expected to total 12,000 to 15,000 cars.

A call of the members of the Texas Women's Democratic Association to meet in Galveston on the afternoon of Sept. 8 on the eve of the main session of the State Democratic convention was issued Wednesday by Mrs. Edward Hodges of Houston, first vice president and chairman of membership.

A local burglary mystery was unraveled Wednesday at Colorado, Texas, when H. S. Hickman, chief of police, took into custody five girls and one boy all under 14 years of age, who have been baffling officers with daylight burglaries for several months. The youngsters would knock or ring at a residence and if answered, inquire the time of day or some street number, but if unanswered they would enter and ransack the house.

Texas is second among states in number of airports with 115. Ohio and Pennsylvania with 85 each tie for third place.

Removal of the Santa Fe Railroad's division offices from Cleburne to Fort Worth will bring an annual pay roll of \$144,000 to Fort Worth, Superintendent E. E. Taylor said Tuesday.

It is announced by President Joseph J. Rhoads of Bishop College that plans are under way for the accommodation of twenty-five students from Harrison and adjacent counties at that institution this fall for approximately one-half of the cash usually required. The plan provides accommodations for twenty-five girls to do their own housekeeping on the campus under the supervision of a special matron.

The high salinity of the waters of the gulfs caused by the lack of fresh water from inland streams owing to the drought has retarded the growth of Texas oysters materially and shipment of sea food will not be started until the latter part of the month. J. G. Burr, research director of the game, fish and oyster commission said Tuesday at Austin.

SCHOOL NEWS AND LAST-MINUTE MESSAGE FROM SUPERINTENDENT

Two Clifton People Hurt In Car Wreck Near Hico Tuesday

Two Clifton people were injured when the car in which they were riding left the road on the corner just beyond Hico Cemetery, throwing them into the windshield. Truett McIlhany and Miss Mary Coston were brought to town and given emergency treatment by Dr. J. D. Currie.

Miss Coston's arm was badly lacerated, and her father, Dr. Coston, was immediately called from Clifton. Upon his arrival he dressed the wounds as best he could at the time, and took her to a Waco hospital, where she is reported to be resting very well Thursday.

Mr. McIlhany's skull was fractured by the accident, and he was taken Tuesday night to the Scott & White Sanitarium at Temple. It later became necessary to remove a piece of the skull and put in a silver plate. The extent of his injuries is not known, but the news reached here Thursday that he was expected to recover.

There were three other occupants of the car, none of whom suffered any great injury. Mrs. C. R. Duncan and two other young ladies whose home is at Clifton. Mr. McIlhany was driving the car, a Buick roadster, and the party was enroute to Hico to take part in and witness the Duncan Brothers Style Review. They were driving rather fast, they stated, and came upon a car parked near the corner, the lights blinding the driver.

Two Real Estate Deals This Week

Two deals were consummated this week, it is announced, whereby Tullus Randsals acquired the house where C. G. Masterson has been living. Mr. Masterson later made a deal for the house known as the Fred Wolfe home, just west of the business section.

It is understood that Mr. Randsals and Mr. Masterson will move to their newly acquired properties as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made.

As previously announced through these columns, the fall term of the Hico Public Schools begins next Monday morning, at which time children of Hico and vicinity will begin their studies in earnest.

Superintendent C. G. Masterson has been kind enough to furnish us with a number of news items about former and prospective students, together with information which will be valuable to students and parents alike. His article follows:

Instructions to Grammar School Students

Students are again reminded that school opens at 8:45 a. m. The first four grades will be seated in the usual rooms downstairs in the grammar school building. The fifth and sixth grades will be seated in the rooms used by the fifth and sixth grades. But the seventh grade will be in the northwest corner room upstairs of the grammar school building. Children who received promotion on summer school work must report to the grade to which promoted.

A list of students who were promoted in summer school will be furnished the teacher in charge. Children not promoted last May must report to old room. There will be no promotions "on trial" or "on condition." If it is found that a student's work is too easy for him he will be advanced when that fact is determined by teachers in charge.

Children should not come to school before 8:30. They must immediately go to their rooms and be seated. Teachers will issue books and make assignments of lessons for Tuesday. On that day the class work will begin in earnest. It will not be necessary for children to be at school later than noon Monday, September 8.

On Wednesday, September 10, Assembly will be held in the auditorium at 8:45 a. m., to which the public is invited.

Book covers may be had at Leach Variety Store and at N. A. Leach's Grocery Store. All books to be issued are in good condition and books damaged, lost or destroyed will have to be paid for. It is required by law that books be covered and be kept covered. A child may cover his own books with covers that he makes but it is best to buy covers already prepared for the sake of convenience.

Children who are coming to this school from another school for the first time must bring book cards and report cards.

High School News

The following students will be in Hico High School for the first time this year: Oleta Duncan, J. N. Simpson, Grady Atkinson, Mike A. Strain, Mona Beth Strain, John Owen, Maurine Sumerall, Thelma Tolliver and Lee Shaw.

W. H. Gandy, Hector Hollis, Herman Segrest and Haidor Duncan attended John Tarleton Summer School at Stephenville.

Jessie Miller Pool will attend school at De Leon and be with her Grandmother Miller.

Woody Bee Looney is in summer school at Baylor College, Belton, Texas. She will be a member of this year's Senior Class.

Of last year's graduates Mabel Nix, Alfred Persons and Lillie Mae Adkison will attend college at Stephenville. Harold Boone will attend A. & M. College.

S. J. Cheek, Jr., has a position with the First National Bank, at Hico.

Marguerite McMillan will attend Texas Woman's College at Fort Worth.

Johnnie Copeland will continue her work at Texas Woman's College, where she studied this summer.

Up to date 110 students have registered for high school work.

July and August Hottest Months, Says Weather Observer

July and August have been the hottest months on record for 17 years, according to a statement made to the News Review by Local Weather Observer John A. Eakins in giving his monthly report. The records only go back that far, to the time of the establishment of the Hico station.

His report in full follows: Maximum temperature, 108 on August 19th. Minimum temperature 63 on August 28th. Mean maximum 98.3. Mean minimum 71.6. Mean 84.9. Precipitation 2.62 inches. Greatest precipitation in 24 hours, 2.34 on August 25th. Thirteen clear days, 14 partly cloudy and 4 cloudy. Seventeen days during the month that the temperature registered 100 and above.

Will Be Held on the L. N. Lane Farm, South of Town.

200 MEN WANTED

Latest Devices to Aid Soil Conservation to Be Demonstrated.

An opportunity that should interest at least two hundred, and perhaps a larger number of farmers of Hico and vicinity, will be offered next Wednesday, September 10, when a terracing school will be held at the farm of Mr. L. N. Lane, known as the old Medford farm, about a mile out, the Hamilton road.

County Agent C. E. Nelson and County Judge P. M. Rice were in Hico Wednesday making preliminary arrangements, and upon interviewing a representative number of business men were promised the limit of cooperation to make the affair a success.

The terracing demonstration will start at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, and instruction will be given in setting up farm level and in running terrace lines. This work will be under the supervision of M. R. Bentley, terracing specialist of A. & M. College and A. K. (Dad) Short, soil conservation agent of the Federal Land Bank at Houston, cooperating with County Agent C. E. Nelson.

Representatives of implement companies with terracing machinery will be present and will actually construct model terraces for the inspection of the visitors on hand.

This work will consume the time before dinner, and after lunch a program is planned which will also be interesting and instructive. From 1 to 2 p. m. Mr. Bentley and Mr. Short will address a group of business men and farmers at the pavilion in the City Park. While their main interest will be along the line of the work announced, all business men as well as farmers will find their talks interesting, as they always command large audiences and unusual interest at every point where they give demonstrations and programs.

Plans are about complete for the details of the school, and all that is needed to make it a success is the cooperation of everyone in Hico territory in getting the announcement before the people and working to the end that much good can be accomplished.

Farmers of this territory are familiar with the advantages of terracing and also know about the work Mr. Bentley and Mr. Short have been doing in other sections. It is an unusual opportunity to have them put on a demonstration so close at hand, and it is hoped that a large delegation from every community will be present at the Lane farm and at the pavilion in the City Park next Wednesday.

Palace to Show On Regular Schedule

Manager E. H. Elkins of the Palace Theatre announces that beginning next Monday night, he will resume the regularly nightly programs at his theatre, and has booked a number of pictures which should prove attractive to theatre-goers.

At the same time he is announcing in his ad in another column some special reduced rates for next week, which should also prove interesting.

The new movie season is at hand, according to Mr. Elkins, and he has his house and machines, which were recently equipped for talking pictures, in the best of shape.

NEW HAMILTON COUNTY AGENT PAYS HICO VISIT

C. E. Nelson, who recently accepted the position of County Farm Agent in Hamilton County, was in Hico Wednesday afternoon making the acquaintance of some of the farmers and business men, and preparing for the terracing demonstration to be held near here next Wednesday.

Mr. Nelson comes to Hamilton County from Glen Rose, where he held a similar position with Somervell County for two years, and is highly recommended for his excellent work there.

Hico is close to the edge of the County, but Mr. Nelson promised his cooperation in full to citizens of this end of the county, stating that he would endeavor to cooperate with farmers and land owners in every way possible. The fact that he has already begun to make a showing on work near Hico, although just arrived in the county, seems to indicate that he means just what he says.

Mr. Nelson was accompanied on his trip to Hico by County Judge P. M. Rice, who also promised a continuation of his usual interest in affairs at this end of the county, being interested in seeing the work of the county agent produce as great results as possible.

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You Will Recognize Superlative Values In These

Trade Merit Specials

To Be On Sale at Hico Stores
This Week End

— NO. 4 —
SPECIALS
6 boxes matches 15c
K. C. Baking Powder,
10 lb. can for \$1.00
6 cans Armour's Potted
Meat for 25c
J. E. BURLESON

— NO. 9 —
MERIT SPECIALS
8 lb. bucket Magnolia
Lard 98c
Salmon, 2 cans 25c
Bananas, per lb. 5½c
G.M.CARLTON BROS. & CO.

— NO. 16 —
BRING YOUR FAMILY
Here For Their Meals
During these hot days, es-
pecially on Saturday and Sun-
day. You will find it cheaper
and much more convenient.
MIDLAND HOTEL

— NO. 13 —
BARGAINS GALORE
Throughout this store, every
day of the week and especially
on Merit Days. Don't miss the
savings we offer.
LEACH VARIETY STORE
PHONE 262

— NO. 11 —
Specify
HOME BAKED BREAD
When ordering from grocers.
You will find it fresher and
better, day in and day out
HICO BAKERY

— NO. 5 —
VERY SPECIAL PRICES
On
GAS HEATERS
And
OIL STOVES
Bargains
HICO FURNITURE CO.



— NO. 18 —
Friday and Saturday Only
With each purchase of \$1 or
more we will give one Gillette
Safety Razor—
FREE
Only one to a customer
C. L. LYNCH HARDWARE

— NO. 3 —
SPECIAL COUNTER
School Supplies of All Kinds
All school children are invited
to buy their school supplies
here.
PORTER'S DRUG STORE

— NO. 2 —
Your Dollar Goes Farther
HERE
TRADE WITH US
20 lbs. Pure Can Sugar \$1.00
3 lb. can Maxwell House
Coffee \$1.10
L. L. HUDSON
"Better Foods For Less"

— NO. 7 —
SPECIAL
For Friday and Saturday
2 Good Pencil Tablets for
5 Cents
Less than Cost!
CORNER DRUG STORE

— NO. 15 —
We will clean and press 1 pair
of Trousers with each 3-piece
Suit cleaned and pressed, suit
and trousers for price of suit.
CITY TAILOR SHOP

— NO. 14 —
MERIT SPECIALS
\$1.89 Wash Dresses for \$1.50
\$1.89 Hats for \$1.50
HICO MERCANTILE CO.

— NO. 17 —
Visit our fountain for cold
drinks of any kind. Ice cream
and milk drinks also. A clean
and cool place. Make our place
your headquarters during the
Merit Days.
CAMPBELL & HARDIN
Confectionery

— NO. 12 —
FOR MERIT DAY
We will have some very spec-
ial offerings on school sup-
plies. Come in and see what
we have to offer you.
Will redeem Soap Coupons
N. A. LEETH & SON

— NO. 8 —
Highest Prices Paid for
CREAM AND EGGS
— At the —
HICO POULTRY & EGG CO.
Plenty Ice Water — Come in!

— NO. 6 —
WALL PAPER
Attractive patterns, suitable
for any room.
Per Roll 5c
Cheaper than you can buy
it anywhere.
BARNES & McCULLOUGH

— NO. 10 —
For Vacation
Be sure to take a Kodak with
you. For your convenience we
have some rent Kodaks.
WISEMAN STUDIO
Plenty of Eastman Films

Trade Merit Sales Days
Will be a regular two-day feature every two weeks in Hico. Thrifty
shoppers will be on hand early to get their share of these bargains.
Prices advertised on this page guaranteed only Friday & Saturday
Watch This Paper For Future Announcements.

— NO. 1 —
Humming Bird Hose
Service or Chiffon, full fash-
ioned pure thread silk, \$1.50
value for \$1.00
Oil Cloth
30c quality, light and dark
patterns, special 19c yard
"Better Dry Goods Cheaper"
DUNCAN BROTHERS

These Merchants are Earnestly Striving to MERIT Your Patronage

NEWS FROM IREDELL COMMUNITY

By MISS STELLA JONES

Miss Eugenia Pike went to Stephenville Wednesday and had her tonsils removed and is doing fine. Mrs. Farmer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jones, of Memphis, Texas. She came after her. Mrs. Maude Appleby of Meridian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris here this week. Mrs. James of O'Donnel is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Newsom. Mrs. A. D. Barrow and daughter, Mayme, of Marlin visited Mrs. Pike here this week. Mrs. Muse of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Newsom. Miss Fern Carter returned Monday from Waco where she visited some college chums. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory are living on North side in the camp houses of Mrs. Wellborn. Walter Chaffin and family have moved to town and are living in the house vacated by Brit Ogle and family. The Sunday School class of the Methodist Church, taught by Mrs. A. N. Pike had a watermelon feast in the Hurt Park Monday. Good crowds from both sides were present and all had a fine time. The melons were fine. Miss Annie Mae Turner of Hico visited here a few days this week. Mrs. C. A. Gregory and daughters have rooms with Miss Stella Jones. Hayden Dawson of Rice, Texas, visited his aunts, Mesdames Scales and McAdden. Miss Alma Rogers was taken to Fort Worth this week for treatment. Her mother is with her. Mrs. J. H. Holmes and son Enza, Mrs. Johnny Mae Comes and baby, Mrs. Myra Schuman and niece, all of De Leon were pleasant visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lawrence on Monday. Mr. McKenzie has finished up a well for Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin. Raymond and Joe Newman are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart of Cresson. Mr. Hudson, Misses Viola and Hortense Rhodes were in Dallas Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Simpson have bought the Roberts home-stead and moved to it Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin visited in the Spring Creek community this last week. Delia Bum Main of Dallas spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Janie Main. Mrs. Dalton Estine and Misses Winifred Wylie and Margaret Steward all of Walnut were here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Sadler and Mrs. Walter Sadler visited in Austin and San Antonio this week end. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Milton McClintock and baby and Miss Opal Laurence spent the week end in Denton. Mrs. Billings and daughters of Union Hill visited her sister, Mrs. J. L. Newsom this week. Mrs. Oliver is visiting in Dallas. Master Billie Royce Newsom of Dallas is visiting here. Misses Ruth and Mae Phillips of Hico visited Mrs. Echols here last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Kincannon and children of Glen Rose spent the week-end here. Several from here were in Hico Wednesday to the opening of the airport there. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hudson, a daughter, August 28. Weight, nine and one-half pounds.

GORDON NEWS

G. W. Chaffin and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chaffin at Meridian. Homer Lester and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanshaw and family. Mr. and Mrs. John Hanshaw and Earnest went Monday to the Kaylor park where the Lester reunion was held. G. W. Chaffin and wife went to see Billie Chaffin at Ireddell Monday afternoon. He is ill. Mrs. Fannie Sawyer spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Wence Perkins. Bryant Smith and son, John D., spent a few hours at G. W. Chaffin's Tuesday at noon. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and children spent Tuesday at Ireddell at Mr. and Mrs. Harris'. Miss Lorain Tidwell spent Wednesday at Ireddell with Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell. G. W. Chaffin has had a new well drilled and he now has plenty of water. Bryant Smith and family and Miss Lorain Tidwell spent Sunday at Ireddell with Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell to meet Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Tidwell and wife and baby of Dallas. Robert Kincannon and family of Glen Rose spent Sunday with Wence Perkins and family. Misses Jewell and Pearl Billings, her two nieces of near Meridian, and Inez Newsom of Ireddell, spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Loraine Tidwell and Mrs. Bryant Smith. Mrs. Doba Strickland and daughter, Erlene, spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. Chaffin. Little Jack Perkins spent Wednesday afternoon at G. W. Chaffin's watching them drill the well. Homer Lester and family went to the reunion at Kaylor park last Monday. Fred Flannery and family spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Hanshaw and son, Earnest. Weston Newton and family spent the week end at Ireddell with Mr. and Mrs. Houston. Frankie Dawson and family spent a few hours, Tuesday evening, at Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Smiths. Mrs. Scott of Ireddell is spending a part of the week with Mrs. G. W. Chaffin. Those who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Smith were Bud Smith and family, Wick Simpson and family of Black Stump, G. W. Chaffin and wife, Doba Strickland and family and Mr. McKinley, who all enjoyed ice cream. Mr. and Mrs. Bang Newland and daughter, of Glen Rose and Willard Newton of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Newton and daughter, Ima, last week.

"No Medicine Ever Helped As Did Konjola"

Stabbed And Painful Stomach Ailment Readily Yields To Power of Famed Compound.



MRS. EDNA BARNETT

"Each day for a year I was in misery," said Mrs. Edna Barnett, 713 North Pearl street, Dallas. "My system had become weak and run down from indigestion. Food failed of digestion and I had a constant burning sensation in my throat and stomach. Gas formed and I often belched violently. My nerves were upset and little things upset me terribly. I did not sleep well at night. "The number of local people getting results attracted my attention to Konjola. I noticed a change for the better in my condition after I had taken the first bottle. I have taken four bottles to date and my health is again normal. I eat what I wish without a trace of indigestion or bloating. My nervous condition is much relieved and I sleep well at night. No medicine ever helped as did Konjola." The files of Konjola contain thousands of such statements. It is recommended, however, that this medicine be given a thorough trial, in the average case over a six to eight week period. Konjola is sold in Hico, Texas, at Porter's Drug Store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

FAIRY ITEMS

We are enjoying cooler weather since the rain, already the balmy days of autumn seem to be making their appearance. The Baptists of Hamilton County gathered at Agree Wednesday and Thursday of last week for an association. Several of the Fairies were there including the scribe, and "Believe it or not," but the good things to eat and the people were there. Fairy was entertained with a picture show last week, not the late talkies of course, but one of the good old type conducted by Mrs. De Wolf, whether Mrs. De Wolf is a descendant of the historical Beowulf of mythical fame and the name was slightly altered in crossing the sea we did not learn, however Mrs. De Wolf is quite an accomplished woman, a writer of some note and her pictures were clean and of the instructive type evoking cheer and enthusiasm from the Fairies present and they were most all there. The new school building is completed and has been accepted by the school board. The Epworth League members are planning on giving a play there in the near future, which will be announced later. Mrs. Licit was home for the week end, but she informs us that she has two more weeks of school yet. Grady and C. E. Brummett of Abilene are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Diltz of Oklahoma, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Garren are guests of their parents now. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Vaughn and son of Otten are visiting relatives and friends of this place. Miss Maggie Brummett and Annie Allison left Sunday for Anton and Plainview where they will secure work for the winter months. Jack Blakley and Joe Hutton went to Waco Thursday. Miss Millie Crow spent the week end with Mrs. Grimes. Misses Lorene and Myrtle Burden of Ballinger have visited friends and relatives of this place and Olin for the past two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crist of Hico and Mrs. R. E. Warren of Fort Worth, parents and sister of the writer, paid us a short visit Sunday afternoon. Mrs. W. A. Shelton and children, Mrs. Walter Whitson and son also Dorothy Hackett visited Mrs. M. E. Parks and children Saturday evening. Mrs. Newt Adams has been on the sick list the past week or two. The death angel has again visited our fair land and took as his toll Mrs. Eric Garren, who has been in ill health for several months and on last Friday night

WHAT - KNOTS

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H. E. McCullough Editor M. E. Bell Assistant Editor EDITORIAL A local man says: "The prize optimist is the one who takes things easy for fear he will work himself out of a job." AMERICANISM Being immensely thrilled this afternoon; being greatly bored because nothing thrilling happens this evening. WALL PAPER Wall paper — we have it. All kinds and patterns and at any price. Our prices will fit your pocketbook. If you don't think so, come in to see for yourself. If a city radio booster would listen to a rival perhaps he would understand how his line makes others feel. BUILD A GARAGE We know a rent house that is standing vacant because it doesn't have a garage for the tenant. This house has stood vacant enough on account of not having a garage to have paid for one several times. NOW ON FILE A filing cabinet is a place in which to put away 9,000 different things you hope you'll never see again. Mr. McKnight, who lives near Chalk Mountain, has just finished painting his home. Mr. Mc said that DUPONT Paint is the best paint he has ever put a brush in. He also said that it was easier to apply, and covered more to the gallon than any paint he has ever used. FABLE He quit smoking months ago but he never brags about it. Barnes & McCullough HICO, TEXAS "Everything to Build Anything"

SALEM NEWS

Everyone is getting ready for cotton picking. Some have already begun. Mrs. Hiram Baggett and family of Abilene and Miss Amy Rogers of Clyde were visiting in the home of her brother, W. C. Rogers and family Thursday night. Miss Ila McElroy has been quite sick the past two weeks but is improving at this writing. Miss Adena Elkins of Miller-ville spent Sunday with Miss Lillie Gay Davies. The young folks enjoyed a party at Alvie Moore's Saturday night. Miss Martelle Koonsman spent Saturday night with Maude Lambert.

COUNTY LINE

Everyone is busy picking cotton. Odell Luckie and Misses Stella Ross and Meder Cole spent last Friday in Bangs with Mrs. Gaines and Miss Myrtle Gaines. The latter was former Home Demonstration Agent of Bosque County. J. H. Ragsdale and family and Mrs. Crabtree spent Sunday in Walnut Springs with Mrs. Ragsdale's niece. She will visit a while in Walnut before returning to Meridian. Jim Chaney, Johnnie Ragsdale, Odell Luckie and J. N. Simpson were in Waco Tuesday. Mr. Sullivan of Help was in the Ross home Friday. Fred Ross spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Stanley of Falls Creek. Walter Tolliver and family of near Hico spent Monday with Mrs. Mary Blue and family.

COTTON MAY BE KING BUT THE

COW

Remains Queen!

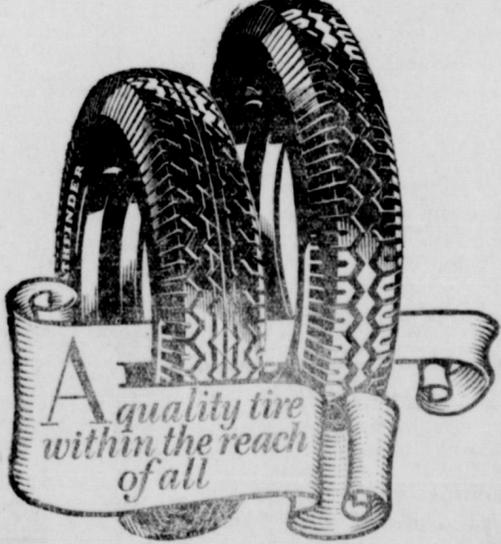
Even though low prices on all products have made tough sailing the fact remains that we can't eat cotton. And yet the boll worm can. We can, however, and do, eat the products of Queen Cow. If it comes to the worst we can get back to wearing the fig leaf for clothing instead of cotton, but what substitute can we go back to for the products of the cow? STAY WITH THE COW—SHE HAS STAYED WITH YOU

More Cows in the Pasture, More Milk in the Pail, More Money in the Till

Bell Ice & Dairy Products Co.



Are You Perplexed By One Of These Common Beauty Problems? I ALWAYS answer personally every beauty inquiry I receive, but so many of you have written to me about the same beauty problems that today I want to answer a few of these typical questions here. I know that many of you who have not written to me yet also must be bothered with the same problems: E. B. writes: "The skin on my eyelids and under my eyes is drawn and dry. What can I do about this?" Reply: Never go to bed without applying plenty of tissue cream or skin food all around your eyes. This cream will be absorbed during the night, and will help the oil glands in your skin to perform their natural function of keeping your skin soft and lubricated. Nothing shows age so quickly as this dried-up condition of the eyelids, and nothing is so easy to prevent if you will use tissue cream or skin food every night. M. R. P. inquires: "What can I do about my elbows? They are becoming rough and hard." Reply: Brush your elbows with a firm but not too stiff hand brush when you bathe. This will remove the little hardened bits of skin that tend to form. Every night put a bit of skin food or tissue cream into the palms of your hands and rub it into your elbows. This will keep your skin soft and smooth. Then, before going out in the evening apply powder lotion to your elbows. T. D. S. writes: "My skin is very dry, and I am afraid that frequent bathing, especially during cool weather, will take too much oil out of my skin." Reply: Be sure to use a pure, mild soap. Then after your bath always rub your body with neric oil. This will stimulate your skin, and help to prevent it from becoming too dry. M. S. G. asks: "How can I prevent a shiny nose?" Reply: Shiny noses often occur because the skin is inclined to be oily. After cleansing your skin thoroughly with cleansing cream, wash your face with warm water and a pure, mild soap. Then tighten your pores with a mild astringent before applying foundation cream, powder and rouge. A good astringent will tighten up your skin and prevent too much oil coming out on your face to spoil the lovely, smooth effect for which you are striving. Besides this external treatment, oily skins usually require some definite treatment from the inside. Incorrect diet has much to do with oily skins, and as a rule cutting down on sweets and starches will help to cure this condition. I would not advise you to begin a strenuous diet without first consulting your doctor, but you can safely use a little care in selecting your food.



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UNEMPLOYMENT AND CHARITY

It would be interesting if anybody could find out, to know how many families and individuals in the United States habitually live on charity.

Poorhouses are disappearing. In most sections of the United States the town pauper is a thing of the past. But there are hundreds of thousands, perhaps a million, of grown-up people who do little or no useful work, who earn nothing which can be measured in dollars and cents, and still manage to survive, somehow.

The nation-wide agitation of the past few months over the unemployment situation has revived interest in this subject and has disclosed some interesting and peculiar conditions. The total number found to be out of jobs, when compared with the total number usually employed, showed a wide discrepancy. Investigators, particularly in the large cities, discovered that most of the unemployed didn't really want work. They either wanted a particular kind of work, which was not available at the time and place, or they wanted charity.

In several parts of the country large farmers were trying to get labor, and were willing to pay high wages, but the unemployed of the cities would not go to the country. In all probability more real distress and suffering has been caused by the wide-spread drought than by the industrial slump which followed the Wall Street crash. There are more people on the verge of starvation in the drought-affected districts than were brought to that condition because of unemployment.

This is a situation in which charity is called for, in many instances. The policy under which the Federal Government is planning relief measures will mingle charity with business-like methods. Federal funds will not be given away loosely, nor will they be lent on insufficient security if President Hoover has his way about it. Each case of suffering will be judged on its own merits. A man's neighbors know what sort of a man he is. If he is shiftless, a poor farmer, the type which can never get ahead, it would be a waste of public funds to lend him money with which to get a fresh start. Better let the Red Cross stake him and his family to food enough to tide them over until he can get another job. That is charity.

But the farmer who owns his land and will put it up as security for a loan from the Federal Farm Loan Board, or whose neighbors will endorse his notes to the Federal Intermediate Credit banks, is on a different footing. He is entitled to a loan, and will be able to pay it back in time.

THE COST OF LIVING

Living costs have come down nearly a quarter since the end of the war, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. They are still two-thirds greater than they were in 1913, however. Stated another way, a dollar today will buy only as much of the necessities of life as 60 cents would have bought 17 years ago.

Reduction in the average cost of many of the items which enter into the cost of living is still going on, however. In the past eight months average food prices have declined more than 6 percent, and they are still falling in some commodities. Just now, for example, meat prices are very low, because the drought has forced many farmers to rush their cattle, sheep and hogs to market. Milk in the large cities, on the other hand, is up a cent a quart, because of the short supply.

The biggest increase in living costs since the war is in the items of fuel and house furnishings. The latter average nearly double the cost of 1914. Food is less than half again as expensive as it was before the war, clothing only slightly higher than that.

There are a lot of things on which the average family spends money today which did not figure in the domestic budget before the war. However, radio sets are one of these. Automobiles are another. So are electric refrigerators and a good many other kinds of electrical household equipment, which were luxuries for the very rich only a few years ago.

Maintenance and operation of cars, radio, electric equipment, telephone—things which were luxuries only recently but which most

people now look on as necessities—run family expenditures up, but those things are not officially classified as "cost of living," since we could get along without them if we had to. However, we have set a standard of living in America to which in time we shall have elevated the whole nation, and that includes the upkeep of bobbed hair, the price of golf balls and numerous other items which do not figure at all in the average citizen's budget anywhere else in the world.

WE ALL PAY FOR FIRE

In 1926 fire accounted for the greatest loss in our history—\$560,000,000. The following year there was a decrease to \$464,000,000, and in 1929 the waste totaled \$473,000,000. Loss for the first part of 1930 has been higher than last year.

But one conclusion can be derived from these figures—that a large part of our people are careless in regard to fire and indifference to the results of their carelessness. This has bred the attitude of "Let the insurance company pay for it"—as if insurance companies had some means of getting funds with which to pay losses other than collecting them from their policyholders.

It is said that the factor of ignorance is responsible for an appreciable part of the waste. Yet any number of public and private organizations have given unremitting efforts, culminating each year in a "Fire Prevention Week" to educate the public in proper use of electricity, the danger of poor building construction, the need for care in handling refuse and the like. It is a telling commentary that often during "Fire Prevention Week" the loss will fall below the average, only to rise immediately after.

Our fire loss will go down permanently when the public realizes that every member of a community is financially penalized by every fire. Every citizen must pay for fire in higher insurance rates, in unemployment, loss of taxes, business depression or some similar way. We all contribute our share to America's gigantic annual fire waste.

LOOKING AHEAD

To meet the constantly increasing demand for better and more extensive telephone service, telephone companies must plan, not only for each year's improvements and expenditures, but in some cases, for their growth 15 or 20 years ahead. A type of service that fulfills the world's telephone needs today must be wholly inadequate in another decade or two.

Some of the factors that must be considered in the industry's estimates for future service are growth and distribution of population, expected changes in wage levels and of service which can be installed under probable future rate conditions. It is no wonder that the telephone is generally regarded as one of America's most progressive industries.

Another Record Topples In Recent Coast-to-Coast Trip

Right on the heels of Captain Hawley's record-breaking coast-to-coast flight in the Texaco No. 13, comes a new champion, a champion of the highways—"Stu" Hawley. Driving a stock Buick Eight, Hawley crossed and recrossed the continent in 141 hours and 44 minutes. This is 17 hours faster than the fastest train time, and 15 hours under "Cannon Ball" Baker's record.

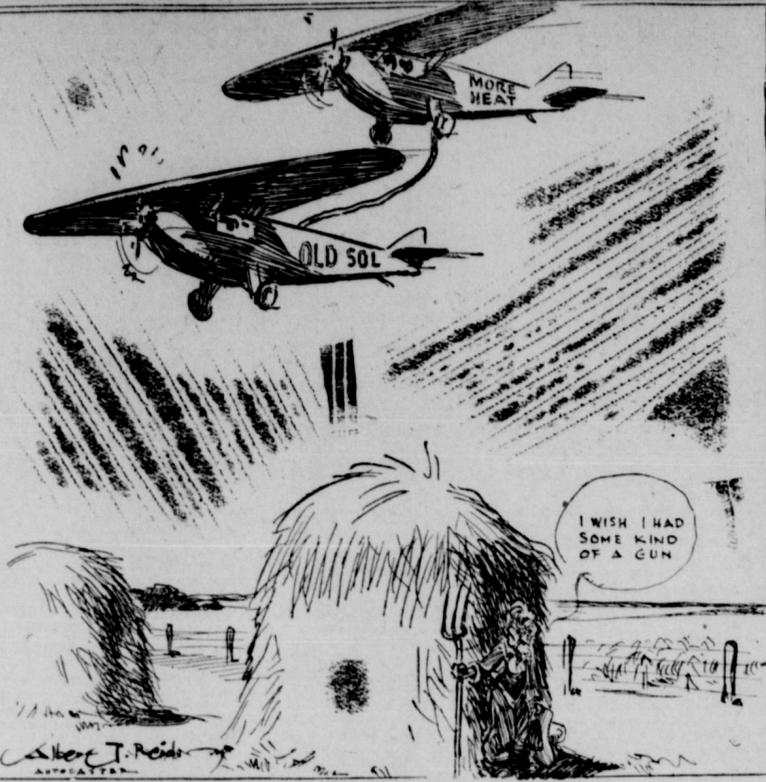
Hawley left New York City at 12:01 A. M. (East Standard Time) on August 14 and arrived in Los Angeles at 4:39 P. M. (Pacific Standard Time) August 16. The total time for the western trip was 67 hours, 38 minutes. After resting only 4 hours, 46 minutes at Los Angeles he began his return trip. Unfavorable weather conditions prevented him from equalling the splendid time made in the journey west. His time from Los Angeles to New York was 69 hours, 20 minutes, almost two hours longer.

Asked if he would become a professional driver, Hawley laughingly said "No." He believes that any capable driver could equal his time if he knew the roads as well, and enjoyed the advantages of a modernized lubricant such as the new crack-proof Texaco Golden Motor Oil which he was testing. Broke No Speed Limits. Neither in his trip east or west did he break a speed law, is Hawley's claim. He kept his speedometer always at the highest limit permissible, and did not let it fluctuate above or below when out of traffic. Having long been engaged in national highway and automotive work, Hawley's knowledge of detours and large cities stood him in good stead. He knew how to pick the roads to avoid waits and delays. "Give any professional driver the road knowledge and the superior lubricants that I had," said Hawley, "and he will snip as much off my record as I clipped off Baker's."

Not a Professional Driver. Hawley's purpose in making the trip was to test the ability of modern lubricants to withstand constant high speeds in high compression engines. Hawley attributed much of the glory of his achievement to the crack-proof endurance of the new Texaco Motor Oil he was testing at the time. This lubricant is a revolutionary new oil developed by The Texas Company expressly to resist the heat and pressure of modern high speed, high compression automobile engines.

Another of Those Endurance Contests

By Albert T. Reid



HEAVEN

A town in which there will be no bootlegging, no gambling, no vice, no filth, no unsightly billboards, no uncollected garbage, no disorder, is being built on the banks of the Colorado River. It is the town which will be occupied for seven or eight years by the engineers and laborers engaged in building the Boulder Dam. It has been planned and designed by the U. S. Engineers, who will administer the new town and control the conduct of its inhabitants.

Those employed on the Boulder Dam job who don't like to be restricted in their hours off duty can live somewhere else if they choose. Most of the ten or twelve thousand men who will be employed on the dam, however, will live in this new town which hasn't been named yet.

The name of "Heaven" has been suggested for it, but people's ideas of Heaven differ so from each other that no all will agree as to the appropriateness of that title.

MONEY

More than a thousand million dollars—\$1,336,000,000, to be exact—of the "old" paper money is still in circulation. At least, that much has not been turned in at the U. S. Treasury for exchange for the new small-sized bills which were put in circulation a year ago. Washington officials estimate that probably half a billion dollars of this outstanding money never will be turned in. Some of it has been

burned, some lost, some hidden where it may never be found. Sixty million one-dollar bills are still outstanding, and a great many \$5,000 and \$10,000 bills.

There are still tens of thousands of persons who have no faith in banks and keep their money in the house or buried in the ground not realizing that they are tempting thieves. The only safe place for money is in a sound bank.

LOCKS

In the Arabian Night story of Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves, the door of the robbers' cave opened when one stood before it and pronounced the words "Open sesame." In the Westinghouse laboratory a door has been built which will open when those words are spoken in a certain pitch, and which will not open by any other means. Now the General Electric laboratory has built a door which opens only when knocked upon in a certain way, at certain points, and which cannot otherwise be forced.

The first thing one thinks of is that such doors would be useful for lodge rooms and private offices. But there are many other uses to which they could be put.

PNEUMONIA

Curing pneumonia—actually curing it—by the use of electricity, is the latest medical achievement. It must be taken seriously, since it comes from one of the highest authorities in medicine, Dr. William A. White, head of the Government hospital for the insane at Washington.

According to Dr. Herbert C. Woolley of Dr. White's staff, in the past eighteen months practically all of 200 cases of pneumonia have been positively cured by passing a high frequency alternating current of 70 volts through the patient's chest. This has the effect of heating the lung tissue without burning the outside skin. Other hospitals are beginning to use this treatment. If it works as well elsewhere, the world will hail

it as one of the great medical discoveries. Pneumonia is one of the three or four most common causes of death, especially among the elderly, anything which reduces the death rate from this cause adds to everybody's expectation of life.

WINDOWS

Will the home, office or factory building have windows or not? Scientific architects and engineers say not. Temperature control, with abundance of fresh air is already a demonstrated possibility in buildings whose windows are never opened. Everybody who works in those buildings work at the same temperature the year around. Modern lighting is better than sunlight, even if it doesn't exactly match it; in addition, artificial sunlight can produce ultra-violet rays, which do not penetrate through window glass, and make indoor conditions more healthful than they are now.

Perhaps man's conquest of Nature may make up again a race of literal cave-dwellers, creating our own climate.

To Plant Alfalfa.

La Grange.—Fayette county farmers plan to sow about 2000 acres to alfalfa this fall and winter as a result of seven successful alfalfa growing demonstrations. On a recent alfalfa tour organized by the county agent, farmers saw spring-sown alfalfa on the Fritz Lampey Farm making its second cutting this season, and the same record from last November-sown alfalfa on the Fred Page Farm. Another field on this latter farm that had been in alfalfa three years had given two good cuttings and was ready for the third.

Alfalfa should be sown here in early fall if moisture will permit, W. H. DuPay, county agent says, and the seed bed should be well prepared and very firm. Seed sown in this county is to be inoculated with bacteria before planting to insure the development of the characteristic legume root nodules which store the nitrogen fixed by the plant from the air.

It's Cool Work.

Many women distinctly dislike to make sandwiches. They would rather go to the trouble to make cakes or cookies than bother with the complexities of sandwiches. And yet no cooking is needed to make most sandwiches. It is cool work for a summer's day even if it is a trifle fussy.

Use firm bread, preferably twelve hours old. Cut with a sharp, rather wide-blade knife. Most people have better success with a smooth blade than with the usual saw-tooth bread knife.

Cut the crusts from the bread before slicing it.

Cream the butter before spreading. To do this take butter that is cold enough to be quite firm and work it light with a silver fork. It may then be spread without breaking the bread.

MARRIED

Miss Thelma May Smith and Mr. Edgar Bullard, who reside in the Falls Creek community, were married at the home of Elder John M. Alton Monday morning, when Mr. Alton performed the ceremony. They will make their home in the Falls Creek community.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News Review is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the General Election in November:

For Congress, 11th Congressional District: O. H. CROSS (Re-Election)

For Associate Justice, Tenth Court of Civil Appeals at Waco: J. A. STANFORD (Re-Election)

For County Judge: P. M. RICE (Re-Election)

For County Tax Assessor: W. B. HURLEY

For County Tax Collector: SHADE REGISTER (Re-Election)

For Sheriff: MACK MORGAN (Re-Election)

For County Clerk: H. W. HENDERSON (Re-Election)

For Clerk, District Court: L. A. (Lon) MORRIS (Re-Election)

For County Treasurer: MRS. J. E. KING (Re-Election)

For County Superintendent: O. R. WILLIAMS

For Commissioner, Precinct 3: S. A. CLARK (Re-Election)

For Public Weigher, Precinct 3: L. J. (Jones) JORDAN (Re-Election)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3: M. A. COLE (Re-Election).

For Constable, Precinct No. 3: PERRY CLEPPER



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Super Suds, large package,	3 for 25c
Penick Syrup, per gallon	59c
Lifebuy Soap, 2 bars for	15c
Iona Peas, No. 2	2 for 25c
Mother's Aluminum Oats	27c
Iona Salt, 4 lb. package	10c
Daisy Cheese, per lb.	27c

(Personal)

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Tasty Peanut Butter, 1 qt.	34c
Sour Pickles, per qt.	23c
Iona Cocoa, 2 lb. can	25c
Log Cabin Syrup, med. size	52c
Tomatoes, No. 2, per can	10c
A. & P. Bird Seed, 12 oz. package	12c
Bulk Rice, 4 lb. package	25c

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Pinky Dinky



Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrod were visitors in Glen Rose Sunday.

Guy Aycock was a business visitor in Austin Tuesday.

Harry Hudson was in Austin Tuesday of this week.

Harry Alexander of Garland was here over the week end visiting with friends.

Mrs. Willie Platt has just returned from a short visit with her son, A. Platt at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ragsdale and Mrs. Mont Young spent Sunday in Mineral Wells and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bell and two daughters, Janette and Annette, spent Sunday in Waco.

Mrs. C. A. Thies spent a few days in Dallas the first of the week with relatives and friends.

Miss Lola Mae Williamson was a week end guest in Gatesville and Clifton.

Mrs. Earl R. Lynch spent Wednesday in Hamilton with her mother and sister.

Mrs. Geo. Taber, who resides northeast of town, was a dinner guest of Mrs. Betty Parker Thursday.

L. L. Hudson and daughter, Miss Saralee, and Miss Charlotte Mings were visitors in Dallas Tuesday.

Mrs. R. M. Bowles was in Fort Worth the first of the week visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Boustead and family.

J. B. Youree left Monday for points in California for an extended visit with his children who reside there.

Mrs. J. E. Leigh of Dallas, State W. M. U. Secretary, is a guest of Mrs. Clarence Allen Morton here this week.

Miss Bonnie Duke spent the first of the week in Dallas buying fall ready-to-wear for the Vogue Shop.

Mrs. Mack Phillips is in Lampasas spending a few days with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips.

The price of admission at the Palace Theatre will be only 25c and 10c during next week until Friday night. Good programs are scheduled for every night.

Mrs. John Locker of Joshua is spending the week here with her brother, L. S. Jones, and her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

Roscoe Purdom, who is connected with a newspaper at Olney, was here over the week end visiting his mother, Mrs. R. W. Purdom.

Miss Ida Chandler, Mr. Young and Bill Matheny of Eastland were here Sunday, guests of Miss Chandler's sister, Mrs. R. W. Copeland and family.

Don't forget Dr. C. C. Baker, the dentist, is in his Hico office every Friday from 9:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. Lady assistant. Office over the Ford Sales. Phone 276.

Rev. and Mrs. Edmond Early of Center Valley were here over the week end, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wade. Rev. Early is pastor of the Center Valley Baptist church.

Mrs. Artman Daniel and two children of Wichita Falls came in Sunday after the Misses Earline and Sara Jo Daniel, who spent the summer here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Barto Gamble and sons, Doris and Emory, were in Dallas Monday making arrangements for Doris to enter the Baylor Medical College there which opens the first of October.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith and family of Houston were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith. Carroll Smith accompanied them home for a short visit.

Dr. F. C. Cathey, eyesight specialist of Hamilton, will be in Hico at Dr. Russell's office every fourth Friday in each month for the purpose of testing eyes and fitting glasses.

Mrs. Mary Olson left Thursday for Richland Springs to assist in the formal opening of the new power plant recently completed by the Texas Louisiana Power Company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Killough of La Grange and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mulloy of Houston were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sadler. They were enroute home from points in Colorado where they spent the past few weeks. The former are parents of Mrs. Sadler, while Mrs. Mulloy is her sister.

Miss Mettie Rodgers, who spent the summer attending the State University at Chicago, Ill., returned home Sunday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rodgers and Ernest Rodgers, met her in Cleburne. She plans to be here about ten days before going to Waco to resume her duties as English instructor in the Baylor University.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Jones and daughter have returned home from Cisco, Waco and other points, where they spent the past two weeks on Mr. Jones' vacation. He is section foreman here.

Miss Grace Brandon of San Antonio returned to her home the first of the week after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Brandon. She is employed in the clerical department of the U. S. Corps there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dahony of Rotan who spent a part of last week here in the H. J. Leach, A. A. Fewell and John Leach homes, left the first of the week for Altavado and Fort Worth to visit other relatives for a few days before returning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Waddell and son, Junior, of Houston, spent the week end with Mrs. Waddell's mother, Mrs. Kathryn Sawyer.

Ernest Simpson left Sunday for Hobbs, N. M., after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Watt Ross and family.

Dr. Renfro and Mrs. J. H. Roberts of Greenwood were week end house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Woodward.

Mrs. Jessie Duncan, Miss Zeila Mirm Duncan, Miss Lola Mae Williamson and Mrs. Mary Olson were Sunday visitors in Clifton with relatives and friends.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell will leave the latter part of the week for Brownwood where they will enter Howard Payne College for the winter term.

Clyde Hughes will leave soon for Denison to teach the winter term in the schools there. He taught the past two years at Winters. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hughes of Hico.

Mrs. T. G. Hughes, son, J. A., and daughter, Miss Oleta, have returned home from Pecos County, where they spent a few days with Mrs. Hughes' brother and family.

Mrs. H. F. Sellers and daughter, Doris, and Mrs. Earl Lynch were in Hamilton Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. S. R. Allen.

Miss Christine Fewell who has been employed in Waco, but who spent the past few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fewell, is spending a few days in Alvarado and Fort Worth with relatives.

Rev. Roy Langston, presiding elder of the Gatesville district, was a week end guest here in the H. W. Copeland home. He filled the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday at both the morning and evening hours.

Miss Zeila Mirm Duncan left Wednesday for Clifton to spend a few days coaching models to appear in the style review for the Duncan Bros. store at Clifton, which will take place on Tuesday evening of next week.

Dr. O. N. Lackey of Conway, Ark., is here spending a few days with his brother, John Lackey, and other relatives. His sister, Miss Deffie Lackey, who spent the past few weeks here, will accompany him home within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hollaway and three daughters of Tulsa, Oklahoma, were dinner guests here Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Daniel. They were enroute to their home from points in West Texas where they had spent several days. Mrs. Hollaway is a sister of Mrs. Daniel.

Mrs. C. A. Morton, Evelyn Anderson, Annie Mae Turner, Robert Jenkins, Artie Fay and Mildred Turner, Austin and Loraine Fellers, Edwin Campbell, Christine Fewell, Ruby Rodgers, Morris Shelton and Lorene Burlison were among those from Hico to attend the B. Y. P. U. Social at Carlton Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Henry and daughter, Katherine Mary, of Dallas, are spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newsome. They have just returned from Colorado, having spent the summer where Mr. Henry was councillor of Camp Audubon. They will return to Dallas in a few days as Mr. Henry is instructor in a Dallas school.

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DAIRYING Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S. Dr. LeGear is a graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-eight years of veterinary work. Eminent authority on diseases and raising of dairy cows, other livestock, and poultry. Nationally known lecturer, writer and author.

WHEN SCIENCE STUDIES THE COW'S STOMACH Modern Feeding Methods are the Results of Experimenting to Find the Proper Combinations

Editor's Note—This is another story in a series of articles on dairying written by the well known national dairy and poultry authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis, Mo. The entire series will appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for future reference.

The expression is frequently used that we are living in a laboratory age. Nearly everything we eat and wear and use must first go through several experimental stages.

A few years ago, I visited the factory of a well known high-priced automobile and was told that every part of the engine was inspected every forty-five minutes during the process of manufacture. Finally, the engine was placed on a testing block and run at full speed continuously for four hours before it was ever put into the finished car.

The average public is not aware of the fact that similar methods have been employed for years in the study of the care and feeding of cattle.

Recently I visited a well-known State experimental station. As we went through one barn I was shown a new-born calf and informed that within twenty-four hours it would not be alive. In fact, it was doomed to die before it was ever born. The reason for this was that its mother had been fed a certain ration and had not produced a single calf which lived. In every case the offspring would be undersized, abnormal, and, in many cases, blind. The ration was wheat straw, wheat meal, wheat gluten and common salt.

The interesting thing about the experiment was that in this same barn the cows fed with the same ration plus the bone meal and cod liver oil produced healthy calves which later became large producers of milk.

All through this experiment station similar tests were being made on various combinations of food. By this means the correct feeding of dairy cattle was being reduced to a science. The result of this scientific knowledge are now available to every farmer, and there is little excuse today for the owner of dairy cattle not knowing how to keep his herd on a profitable production basis.

MILLERVILLE

The fields and pastures are getting green after the good rain last week.

Roy Nix of Abilene spent the week end with homefolks, W. J. Nix and family.

S. S. McCollum spent Sunday with his son, Wes, at Hamilton.

J. B. and D. E. Everett left Sunday for parts unknown to pick the fleecy staple. May their efforts be crowned with success.

Jess Pringle and family of Waco spent the week end with her sister, Nat Goodman and family.

Herbert Miller and Teddy Nix came in Monday from Mt. Calm, where they had been the past several days picking cotton.

Mrs. H. A. Ramfield and children, Joe Ramfield, wife and son, Joe Jr., of Fort Worth, spent the week end here visiting the Giescekes.

This community enjoyed a singing at the church Sunday evening, there being several visiting singers present.

C. W., L. B. and Austin Giescecke and Joe Ramfield were in Stephenville Monday on business.

Elder John M. Aiton of Hico will preach here the second Sunday. Members are expected to be present and visitors have a special invitation.

THE JOURNEY ONWARDS

By Thomas Moore As slow our ship her foamy track Against the wind was cleaving, Her trembling pennant still looked back To that dear Isle 'twas leaving. So loth we part from all we love, From all the links that bind us; So turn our hearts, as on we rove, To those we've left behind us! When, round the bowl, of vanished years We talk with joyous seeming, With smiles, that might as well be tears, So faint, so sad their beaming; While memory brings us back again Each early tie that twined us, Oh, sweet's the cup that circles then To those we've left behind us! And when, in other climes, we meet Some isle, or vale enchanting, Where all looks flowery, wild, and sweet, And naught but love is wanting; We think how great had been our bliss If Heaven had but assigned us To live and die in scenes like this, With some we've left behind us! As travelers oft look back at eve When eastward darkly going, To gaze upon that light they leave Still faint behind them glowing, So, when the close of pleasure's day To gloom hath near consigned us, We turn to catch one fading ray Of joy that's left behind us.

New State Mark Set by Cow In Johnson County

Cleburne, Texas.—The State record in an official production test for a Jersey cow has again come to Johnson county. This time it is in the 12-year class and Chevy's Fairy Girl, owned by L. C. Jones, of Bono has set the record. In a ten months register of merit test, which means 365 days, the cow produced 10,975 pounds of milk and 633 pounds of butter fat.

Old Marks 595. The previous record was held by a cow owned by the late Ed Lassiter, one of the leading Jersey breeders of Texas and at one time president of the Jersey Cattle Association of the United States. The Lassiter cow produced 595 pounds of butter fat in the same length time.

Mr. Jones has owned Chevy's Fairy Girl for 10 years and she furnished the foundation for his noted herd. She now has four heifers in milk. The record production of Chevy's Fairy Girl was established officially by the American Jersey Cattle Club of New York and the cow has fulfilled all requirements for a gold medal in production which requires a minimum of 610 pounds of butter fat in the time the record amount was produced.

The Southern Farm Bureau training school and conference opened in Marshall Wednesday with representatives from Texas, Louisiana, Wyoming, Illinois and Maryland present. At least five more States will send delegates.

COURAGE

(By Ida Mings Clay) I saw a humble cottage, that contained A lonely wife, and children there were four, Some trailing vines were growing 'round the door, Where blue and waving flowers still remained. All furnishings were old, but kept in place, Pine floors were bare, but oh! so shining bright, Each urchin neat, with clean and happy face, With Mother brave to see a Kindly Light. Such Faith and Love to bear fate's cruel hand, Implored God, to keep her home from harm, Renewed my weakened courage, to withstand The melancholy days, that have no charm; It is a noble soul, who seeks relief Courageously, though filled with poignant grief.

The PALACE Theatre ANNOUNCES

The opening of this new Modern equipped Theatre to full time—and as the new Movie season ushers in Theatre goers will have a chance to see and hear most of the Big VITAPHONE Hits.

Saturday Matinee and Night EVELYN BRENT In "FRAMED" MICKEY'S CHAMP COMEDY Admission 15c and 35c

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday A First National Attraction "Playing Around" PARAMOUNT SOUND NEWS

Thursday-Friday BEBE DANIELS In "Alias French Girtie" PARAMOUNT COMEDY

NOTICE We specially urge everyone to attend the Theatre the coming week—and at a SPECIAL PRICE OF 10c and 25c Beginning Monday up to Saturday.



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BOY SCOUT COUNCIL PLANS EXPANSION CAMPAIGN TO BUILD THEIR NEW CAMP

Leaders of the Heart O' Texas Council, Boy Scouts of America, have approved plans for a three-year expansion program, including the purchase of a camp-site and the building and equipping of a permanent camp for the Scouts of the eight counties in the Council, viz: Bosque, Coryell, Hamilton, Falls, McLennan, Milam, Robertson.

It is planned to increase the membership to 2,500 Scouts in the three-year period by the organization of new Scout troops in many towns at present not represented in the Council.

Mr. F. E. Jackson of Cameron, President of the Council, has appointed the following campaign committee: Mr. R. Y. Eckols, Temple, chairman.

Mr. George O. Jones, Waco, Mr. John Young, Cameron.

This committee will appoint a General Chairman and Vice Chairman for the entire Area, and will work with them in building up a Campaign Organization to carry Scouting to the 69 towns in the Area. In connection with this expansion program, an intensive Finance Campaign will be put on during the period September 29th to October 11th in every town in the Area.

The Campaign Committee has divided the Area into seventeen districts, and a chairman will be appointed to have charge of each of these Administrative centers for the enlisting of volunteers for the organization and servicing of the Scout troops, and to call on prospective subscribers to the Camp and Operating Fund.

Campaign Headquarters are being opened in Temple, in charge of Virgil Williams, formerly Scout Executive of Oak Park, Illinois, who is assisting Scout Executive A. J. Lawrence and his staff in handling the details of this campaign.

The objectives of this campaign are fourfold—the development of a total of 1,200 adult leaders to better serve the boys of every town in these eight counties; an educational program for the general public to better acquaint the people of Central Texas with the aims and ideals of the Scout program; the intensifying of the Area organization so that all communities will be represented in the Area Council organization, rather than working independently in each town; to provide for the building of a very necessary permanent camp and to provide operating funds for the Council for the next three years to service existing troops and to carry Scouting to every possible town.

To accomplish these objectives efficiently and economically will require \$25,000 a year for the next three years. The Community Chest of Waco has already pledged a minimum of \$5,000 a year for the next three years to the operating expenses of the Council so that no intensive campaign will be staged in Waco during the present campaign. In the other towns of the Area a canvass will be made of every one who may be interested in supporting the Scout program, and it is anticipated by the leaders of the Heart O' Texas Council that the necessary funds will be forthcoming to carry out the plans of the Council.

Bus Runs Amuck, Rams Tree, 40 Injured



International News Photo

AN UNSCHEDULED STOP! Missing on two cylinders but hitting perfectly on a lamp post and a fire hydrant this East Orange, N. J. bus gave its forty-five passengers an exciting down-hill flight until stopped by a tree. Forty persons were injured by shock and severe lacerations from flying glass before a rear emergency door was opened. Newer buses of the Public Service Company, it is said, are equipped with safety glass to avoid such unpleasant results. According to the driver, J. A. Mercer, the brakes failed as he approached Grove St., an important cross-town thoroughfare in Newark, and he cut into Roosevelt St. to avoid traffic.

HOG JAW NEWS

Mrs. John Higginbotham spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. P. E. McChristal.

There were several of the boys from here left to pick cotton Monday.

Miss Alta Cashon of Hico spent Saturday night with Miss Lula Land.

Miss Adena Elkins spent Sunday with Miss Lillie Gay Davis.

Miss Nellie Roberson and Mrs. Sherman Roberson of Hico spent the week end with Oma Roberson. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moore entertained the people with a party Saturday night.

Mr. L. A. Jagers and family spent Sunday with J. W. Roberson and family.

Misses Edith and Inace Edwards and Miss Nona Mayfield, all of Claiborne spent Sunday with Miss Elta Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Burks of Johnsonville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land Tuesday.

Cows Tested in Galveston County.

Aradia.—H. Stoneking, who is one of the Galveston county dairy demonstrators who weigh the food and milk of each cow daily, finds that he has one cow that pays him an income over feed cost of \$20.79 and another out of the same herd, purchased for the same price, that pays only \$7.51 for the same period of time. If the entire herd were like the first cow he estimated that he would get \$9.48 per day for his labor and interest on his investment while if all the cows were no better than the last one he would net only \$3.00 per day.

HICO METHODIST CHURCH (Put God First)

The Church is the greatest institution for moral and spiritual ends in existence. The Church is the body of Christ, and her mission is to carry on to completion what He in the days of His flesh began both to do and to teach. The Church is the pillar and the support of the truth. The Church is to speak for God. The Church is to teach man what to do and be saved from sin, and how to conduct themselves in all relations of life. You need the Church. You are given a cordial invitation to attend all services of the Hico Methodist Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. J. C. Barrow, Superintendent. All Methodists are expected. Strangers, friends and all who have no Church Home are given a cordial invitation.

Morning Worship 11:00 o'clock. Prelude.

Invocation Sentence, by the Choir. Hymn No. 31, "Holy, Holy, Holy" Dykes

The Apostles' Creed. Prayer.

Hymn No. 35, "Close to Thee" Vail

Old Testament Lesson. The Gloria Patri

New Testament Lesson. Announcements and Offering

Dedication Prayer. Hymn No. 171, "God Will Take Care of You" Martin

Sermon, "The Encompassing God" Rev. A. C. Haynes

The Lord's Supper. Invitation Hymn No. 91, "Only Trust Him" Stockton

"Sweet Hour of Prayer" Bradbury

Benediction. Postlude.

Senior Epworth League at 7:15 P. M. This is a young peoples service.

Evening Worship 8 o'clock. Prelude.

Hymn No. 242, "I Must Tell Jesus" Hoffman

Prayer. Hymn No. 203, "Beulah Land" Sweney

Prayer. Scripture Lesson

Announcements and Offering. Doxology. Franc

Hymn No. 167, "He Is Able to Deliver Thee" Ogen

Prayer. Sermon, "In the Clutches of the Devil" Rev. A. C. Haynes

Invitation Hymn No. 13, "Just As I Am" Bradbury

"Abide With Me," by the choir. Monk

Benediction. Postlude.

Activities For The Week

Monday 4 P. M., The Woman's Missionary Society.

Tuesday 4:00 P. M. The Junior Epworth Society.

Wednesday 8:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting. The Senior Epworth League will give a program. Come to this service and feed your soul.

FLAG BRANCH

Oral Bowman was the guest of Chester Gosdin Monday night.

Mrs. Belle Hanshaw and daughters spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. J. C. Hanshaw of Gordon.

Johnnie Flanary spent the first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Flanary.

W. K. Hanshaw and family, L. L. Flanary and family spent Sunday evening with Fred Flanary and family of Jordan.

J. D. Craig was the guest of Lynn Sawyer Sunday.

T. C. Bowman of Dallas spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Davis and son, Henry Bill, were visitors in this community Monday.

Henry Burks and family were visitors at Stephenville Sunday.

Homer Lester and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grant and son spent Sunday with Walter Hanshaw and family.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

International Sunday School Lesson for September 7. JOSIAH—A ROYAL REFORMER II Kings 22:1,2,8; 23:1-3, 21-25. Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

The way in which the record of good and evil mingles in the Bible indicates that it is a very human book. Some of the kings were fearfully bad, as was the case with Manasseh and Amon. It is stated that Manasseh led the people into more ways of sin than did the surrounding heathen nations. The temple courts were debased with altars that urged to most licentious abominations. Acts of worship among the sons had a loose record also. There seemed little chance for the next in line—Josiah but from the earliest years he showed different qualities for righteousness.

Thus from base environment one can rise to better things. The mother's name is mentioned and the doubtless exerted right influences as did Hildah and Kilkiah, prophet and priest. But why not give the boy credit for a willingness to be good? It is not necessary for any youth to first sow his wild oats before he finds himself. From the start it can be natural for him to delight in rectitude.

Genuine common sense was manifested in one of the early conclusions of King Josiah. If the people were to be good they needed a centralized place of worship. The temple in Jerusalem had been grossly befooled and this place should be made fit once more for the worship of Jehovah. Money was sought for renovation and the king's spirit had been so caught

that an audit was not required. People can worship God as individuals but history has shown that when they do this there is an urge to worship Him also with others of like precious faith and the church and synagogue become necessities to meet this conscious need.

While the work of renovation was proceeding a great discovery was made in the debris. The scripture rolls came to light once more. These were probably the Pentateuch though some say that only the book of Deuteronomy was found at the time. It was an intense moment when Hilkiah said to Shaphan the scribe: "I have found the book of the law in the house of Jehovah." At once king Josiah is notified and his joy is unbounded. Now he has the very word of the Lord to go by and need not depend on tradition handed down by word of mouth.

The Bible is a book for use, that its content may be put into practice for daily living. The Hebrews are summoned to a conclave or great School for Reading in the temple courts while king, scribes and priests read the divine law to the people. Children must have been present also for the record for attendance is "small and great." Youth is never an indifferent part in and audience for right construction in early years is far more resultful than a latter attempt at the reconstruction of adult wreckage. At the conclusion of the reading the people showed how deeply they were impressed when they "stood to the covenant" and thus promised obedience to the commands and teachings of God.

HUSBAND, WIFE BOTH RESTORED

"My husband and I both had to live almost entirely on liquids on account of stomach trouble; and constipation, biliousness and head-



MRS. W. J. HEATH

aches bothered us continually. We were both extremely nervous, and many a day Mr. Heath was unable to work and I was too badly rundown to even do my housework. Sargon corrected every ailment we both had, filled us with new strength and energy and we are now in splendid health. "Sargon Pills completely ended constipation and biliousness with out the slightest upsetting effect." —Mrs. W. J. Heath, 1626 Illinois St., Dallas. Porter's Drug Store, Agents.

produced an average of 177 eggs during this period at a feed cost of \$1600. Total sales of eggs culls and fryers amounted to \$2606.48, leaving Mr. Grow profits of slightly more than \$1000. Expenses included the raising of 500 baby chicks for replacement purposes. Four other demonstrators reported by Mr. Gentry show net profits of about \$1 per bird for the first five months of the year.

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TOO MUCH PITY

A man who has won high distinction in his chosen field of labor came into my office not long ago. He walks with a limp, for one of his legs is shorter than the other.

He told me that for years he went around on crutches. "I finally threw them away," he said, "and I'll tell you why. I got infernally tired of having people stop to ask me what had happened. I didn't want sympathy. It did me no good and slowed up my operations. I'm lame. I'll never be any better. But I can stand the lameness better than I can stand being pitied."

There is a great waste of pity in the world. I know, for example, a couple who seem to be curiously mismatched. The woman is ten years older than the man. She is argumentative. She is not a very good housekeeper.

At least a hundred times I have heard somebody say: "I'm so sorry for Joe. He might have picked out a lovely young girl, and see what he went and did."

Now, the simple fact is that the man and woman are exceedingly happy. I personally can't see what he finds attractive in her, nor why she should have chosen him. But it is none of my business, and I certainly am not going to waste sympathy on two folks who seem to like each other and to be perfectly satisfied.

I live part of every year in the middle of Manhattan Island, and the rest of the time in a New England village. My Manhattan friends say: "What a terrible bore it must be to live in a little town. No theatres, no art galleries, no excitement. How I pity country people."

My village friends say: "I like to go to New York for a visit, but

what a frightful place to live! Noise, and crime, and rush and expense! The poor folks who are crowded together in those big apartments just don't know what real living is. How I pity them."

What an absurd situation. What an emotional waste! This seems to me to be a pretty good idea—don't weaken your emotional nature by pouring out pity unless you intend to do something about it.

Pity the sick and relieve them. Pity the poor and divide with them. Sympathize with the struggles of youth, and lend a helping hand.

But don't get into the foolish habit of being sorry for anybody who happens to be different from yourself. The chances are that he is spending an equal amount of his time being sorry for you.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

Kidney Beans With Tomatoes Soak one and a half cups of white kidney beans over night. Drain them and boil in water containing a quarter teaspoon of soda. Fry a tablespoon of minced onion in a little dripping. Add two cups of stewed tomatoes, season with a little salt and two level teaspoons of sugar. Barely cover with water and cook in a fireless cooker or Jouble boiler until tender. This should take about three hours.

Beef and Tomato Pie

Put meat left over from yesterday's bouillion through the meat chopper. For four cups of the beef you will need a pint of canned tomatoes. Grease a baking dish with bacon fat or good drippings and put in a layer of the tomato and a little onion juice, then a few bread crumbs and then a layer of meat. Continue in this way until near the top and then cover over the potatoes with milk and cook for thirty minutes.

Who's Who TODAY

"GOD MADE THE COUNTRY, BUT MAN PUT A MORTGAGE ON IT"



IRVIN S. COBB BACK TO SCHOOL!

Dear Children: School means learning, and learning means knowledge. Knowledge means success in the years to come. Study Hard and Save Your Money, and you will come out ahead.

Start a Bank Account with us now and see how much you can add to it by next vacation time. You'll be surprised at how much you will have next spring.

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Fill up those empty sockets now! Stop transferring lamps from one room to another, or rushing to the store when a lamp burns out. Save yourself time, trouble and money by keeping plenty of spare lamps on hand.

Phone now for several cartons at these special low sale prices. Get a toy house, store or railroad station for the kiddies. Pay over several months with your service bill.

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No. 1—One 100-watt, three 60-watt and two 40-watt lamps. Regularly \$1.35. Sale price \$1.00. Pay 50c per month

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Advertising, Like Business, Must Be CONTINUOUS

It is superfluous to say that commercial enterprises must be open every business day to be successful. Still many merchants who keep their doors open figuratively close them to a vast group of customers, whose index to buying is the News Review columns, by not advertising weekly. Without advertising that merchant's business is closed for the day to a number of potential buyers.

John Wanamaker once said, "continuous advertising, like continuous work, is most effective. If there is any enterprise in the world that a quitter should leave alone it is advertising. Advertising does not jerk, it pulls. It increases day by day, year by year, until it exerts an irresistible power. To discontinue your advertisement is the same thing as taking down your sign. If you want to do business you must let the public know it. I would as soon think of doing business without clerks as without advertising."

Avail Yourself of Reader Interest Enjoyed by Your Home Paper

The News Review commands the attention of every member of every member of the numerous families in this territory into whose homes it goes each week. Local news, special features, community letters, church and social news, and a good continued story cause every subscriber to be a READER—and this vast army of potential buyers do not overlook the advertising columns as they plan their purchases.

Figured any way you desire, advertising in this local newspaper is the cheapest form of advertising you can do, and at the same time the most effective. Business can be stimulated and built up through consistent, well-placed advertising.

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FOR RENT—The J. D. Colvin home with modern conveniences. See Mrs. Anna Driskell. 14-1c.

FOR SALE—Two used tires and tubes practically new. See Haldor Duncan or Duncan Bros. 14-1p.

MY 5-ACRE RESIDENCE one mile out Hamilton highway to trade for home in Hico.—A. C. Rieger at the Houston Shoe Shop.

FOR SALE or TRADE—186 acre farm will trade for town property. For particulars see J. R. Bobo. 14-2p.

45-BARREL galvanized water tank, good as new for \$25.—Kal Segrist. 14-1p.

Notice to the Farmer Public! We have installed new burr extractor and cleaner, so bring your snapped cotton, we can gin it for you.—Harris & Fouts, Iredell, Texas. 14-3tc.

I do oil painting, landscapes or any pictures except photographs. See, write or phone me.—Ora Lee Clepper, Rt. 2, Hico. (13-4tp).

GOOD BANK STOCK to trade for cattle or sheep. Box 278, Hico, Texas. 13-2c.

DISC PLOW and Fordson Tractor, practically new. A real bargain. See V. H. Bird. (7-1tc).

We make farm and ranch loans. No expense to borrower.—Bird Land Co.

FOR SALE—House and lot in Hico. Priced to sell.—Mrs. Mayme Burden. 13-2tp.

Will Leave Soon to Make Home in Austin

Mrs. Aften Aycock and her daughter, Miss Marie Aycock, will leave Saturday for Austin for a temporary stay. Miss Marie and her brother, Erel Aycock, will be students of the State University while Mrs. Aycock will be hostess to a number of the University boys.

Mrs. Aycock, who spent the past fifteen years in Hico, regrets very much to leave her many friends which she formed in a business and social way during the time she has resided here. In conversation with a News Review reporter, she stated that she owed everything she has accomplished to the good people of Hico. Although she does not have the courage to go to each one personally and express her regrets of departure and also to tender her deepest appreciation of the many favors extended, she feels it in her heart and shall always cherish the memory of all her friends and of the little town of Hico which she has learned to love so dearly.

This is Erel's Senior year in the University, although he expects to attend again next year as he is specializing in a law course. Miss Marie will be a Junior this year, and Mrs. Aycock's intentions are to remain with them through the completion of college work.

Miss Rosalie Eakins is taking Mrs. Aycock's place at the Bird Land Company, and in addition to attending to the office work of the company, will do other public office work.

The Midland Hotel, where Mrs. Aycock has assisted in its operation for the past year, will remain under the management of Mr. Aycock, the personnel of which will remain the same.

The entire town and community realizes they are losing one of their most worthy citizens, a faithful church worker, and one of their most competent business women, and all join in wishing her the most of success in her new undertaking.

FORMER EMPLOYEE OF THE NEWS REVIEW PAYS THE OFFICE A PLEASANT VISIT

Miss Judith Martin of Denton, Texas, was in Hico Tuesday morning enroute from Morgan to Gorman where she intended to visit a few days. Miss Martin will be remembered by several Hico people as having aided in the publishing of a big special edition of the paper three years ago, upon the occasion of the opening of the Texas-Louisiana Power plant here.

Miss Martin got a copy of the paper to learn more about her old friends in Hico, and gave us a card from the Canada Houses for Girls at the North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, with which she is now associated.

Blair Buys Airplane At Waco This Week

S. E. Blair was in Waco Monday of this week, where he purchased at public auction an airplane and other property and appurtenances. Ed Oekander, pilot, whose home is at Waco, flew the plane up Tuesday and landed at Blair Field, where the ship was put in the hangar for repainting and minor repairs and overhauling.

The plane is of the low wing monoplane type, being a Barling NB-3, manufactured by the Nicholas Beazley Airplane Co. of Marshall, Mo. It has been in use at the Cen-Tex Field at Waco, and was selected by that company because of its safety features it was said. It is equipped with a five-cylinder Velle motor, and in the few minutes spin made Tuesday from the take-off at Blair Field, performed to perfection.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday begins our new Association year. Let every member and officer be present. Sunday school at 10 a. m. L. N. Lane, Supt. Five B. Y. P. U.'s at 7 o'clock. Primary union—Mrs. Jno. Clark, sponsor. Junior union—Mrs. G. S. Schwartz, Leader. Intermediate Union—Mrs. T. U. Little, Leader. Senior union—Margaret McMillan, Leader. Adult union—W. J. Mosley, President.

MRS. HATTIE GARREN BURIED LAST SUNDAY

Hattie McGee was born January 29, 1858 in Coryell County, married to Leander Garren in July, 1883. To this union eight children were born. Mr. Garren and four of the children have passed on to the Great Reward. She moved to Hamilton County 29 years ago, and was married to Alex Garren Jan. 29, 1915. He and four children survive her. The living children are W. C. Garren, Stanton, Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Fairy, Mrs. E. C. Parks, Fairy, and Mrs. Spencer Allen, Fort Worth. She also leaves fourteen grandchildren, two great grand children, two sisters and two brothers, R. D. McGee and Mrs. Maggie Hammet, Odessa, Mrs. Alice Hoover, Stamford, Edd McGee, Phoenix, Ariz.; three half sisters and one brother. The going of this wife and mother marks the passing of a beautiful christian home loving woman. Our loss is her gain. Her home in heaven was ready. Her son took her vest hoping to improve her health but on August 29, 1929 at Odessa in her sister's home, she passed on to her reward. She was a faithful christian, a member of the Baptist Church at Fairy where the funeral services were held by Bro. B. F. White, her former pastor. There was a large crowd present and deepest sympathy was felt for the husband and children and relatives. The Barrow Furniture Company had charge of the funeral. —Contributed.

W. M. S. MEETING WITH MRS. ED FORD MONDAY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Monday, August 25th, in regular monthly social meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Ford, she and Mrs. A. L. Ford hostesses. The program consisted of: Hymn No. 123, More Love to Thee. Prayer by Mrs. J. W. Newsum. Devotional—"Reality in Worship"—Matt. 6:1-18; Luke 11:1-4. Mrs. B. B. Gamble. Confessions from The Voice, Miss Rosalie Eakins. Missionary Leaflet: "Japan and Education," Mrs. S. E. Blair and Mrs. A. C. Haynes. Bulletin presented by Mrs. Lusk Randall. Prayer from Yearbook read respectively.

Social hour, refreshments of cream, cocoanut and chocolate cake and punch. Those present were: Mesdames B. B. Gamble, S. E. Blair, Lusk Randall, J. A. Eakins, J. W. Newsum, C. W. Malone, A. C. Haynes, R. R. Alexander, A. L. Ford, Ed Ford and Miss Rosalie Eakins, with Mrs. Vernon Leeth and Mrs. J. W. Leggett as guests.

JURY SUMMONED FOR APPEARANCE NEXT WEEK IS REPORTED EXCUSED

In a telephone conversation with District Clerk L. A. Morris the first of this week, he stated that the jury summoned for next week at Hamilton had been excused, and asked that this newspaper make announcement of same. The reason for this action was not given, but those affected by this statement may make their arrangements accordingly.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and every one for all the kind deeds and words and the flowers during the sickness and death of our dear wife and mother. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.—A. Garren, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Garren, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Allen.

Change Made In Force of Employees At Local Postoffice

A transfer of two employees between the postoffices at Hico and Runge, Texas, this week takes one family to that South Texas city and brings another family from that place to Hico.

H. L. Roddy takes a position at Runge and Marvin Marshall of Runge assumes the position here vacated by Mr. Roddy. Both the families have moved, and Mr. and Mrs. Roddy left Tuesday for their new home, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall moving into the former Roddy home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy and their three charming children have many friends in Hico who will regret the change that has taken them away from their home here. Mr. Roddy came here several years ago from Honey Grove, Texas, and has made a host of friends during his residence and work here.

Mrs. Roddy is from an old Hico family, and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. They will be indeed missed in church and social circles.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall are highly spoken of, and come to Hico to make this their home in every sense of the word, they say. Their two boys, Glenn and Maynard, will be a welcome to Hico, together with their parents.

Make Johnson's New Home Is Rapidly Nearing Completion

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Make Johnson, on the farm south of town which they recently acquired from Lyle Golden, is rapidly nearing completion, and promises to be a very attractive residence when finished. They expect to move in in about ten days.

The new residence is being constructed partly from the old stone house that formerly stood there, with additions being built to make it a modern six-room house. It will be finished in stucco outside and the inside walls will be plastered. All modern conveniences are being installed, and the house was wired this week.

The surroundings are beautiful, with the many trees and the excellent location. There are more than five hundred fruit trees on the property, according to Mr. Johnson, and they expect to enjoy their new home to the utmost when they get moved in.

John Hancock is doing the rock and plaster work, while Mike Strain has charge of the carpenter work.

Telephone Company Re-Decorating The Offices In Hico

The local offices of the Gulf States Telephone Company are undergoing repairs in the way of repapering and repainting, and when the work is completed will present an entirely new appearance.

All the woodwork is being finished in white, and the paper used on the walls is of a lighter shade than previously, thereby giving more light and making the office easier to work in. Miss Fannie Wood, local manager, states that when she gets through with the improvements, she hopes to have the offices of the local exchange on a par with the best in the system.

Spalding and Graves are doing the painting and papering.

CULTIVATION MAKES DROUGHT LOSS LESS

Livingston.—4-H club boys' corn in Polk county shows 50 per cent greater yield in spite of the drought than that of neighboring fields. An estimated production of from 35 to 50 bushels per acre is expected by most of the boys. Better seed corn, better fertilization of the soil, better methods of cultivation are given the credit for this showing by County Agent J. L. Walker who says, "Most of the boys planted the Prolific variety because of its showing in the tests made at the Angleton Experiment Sub-station."

TEXAS LAWS

Furnished us (by J. C. Rodgers)

DRIVING VEHICLE WITHOUT CONSENT

Article No. 1341 Penal Code "Whoever willfully and in the absence of the owners drives or operates or causes to be so driven or operated upon any public road or highway any automobile, motor cycle, or other motor vehicle, bicycle, buggy or other horse driven vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, shall be fined not to exceed one thousand dollars, or be imprisoned in jail not to exceed one year, or both."

MISS NADINE HAIL WEDS MR. CHARLES LANGSTON

The marriage of Miss Nadine Hail and Mr. Charles Langston occurred Sunday morning, August 24, at 8 o'clock in Fort Worth at the home of the groom's aunt, Mrs. T. C. Robinson. Rev. Mr. Garrett, a Baptist minister of Fort Worth performed the ceremony. Paul Russell, brother-in-law of Mr. Langston, accompanied them to Fort Worth and witnessed the marriage, besides a number of other relatives of the groom who reside in Fort Worth. The bride is a daughter of W. R. Hail who resides near town. She attended the Hico High School and was born and reared in this section. She is endowed with a disposition which has acquired her hosts of friends. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Langston, who reside here. He also was born and reared in Hico and attended the Hico school. He is a young man of sterling qualities, and has numerous friends wherever he is known.

They returned home immediately following the ceremony and will make their home here, having an apartment in the same house with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Russell in the north part of town. Mr. Langston is associated with his father in the Langston Tin and Plumbing Shop here.

The following Wednesday night, while the newlyweds with relatives were enjoying a picnic on the river a number of their friends gathered at their home and gave them a shower, loading a table with gifts of all kinds. It was a complete surprise when they returned home to find their friends present, and the thoughtfulness in remembering them with so many useful things.

HICOAN PRESENT AT BIRTHDAY DINNER IN TENNESSEE RECENTLY

The descendants, relatives and friends of David Proffitt met at the home of H. H. Shults at Cosby, Tennessee, August 24th, 1930. A beautiful lunch was spread on tables on the shady lawn.

Those present were: S. L. Proffitt of Hico, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Proffitt and children, Josie Mae, Anna Fay, Edred and Wayne of Breckenridge, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shults of Cosby; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Proffitt and children, Hoe and Wilbur, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Huff and daughters, Beulah, Sara; Mr. and Mrs. Creed Proffitt and sons, W. H. and Paul, Mrs. Connie Dennis and daughter, Elizabeth, Mrs. Joe Butler, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Proffitt and daughters, Hazel and Sara, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Valentine, Mrs. Della Denton, Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Huff and children, Bobby Jean and Carolyn Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Valentine, Mrs. Walter Lindsay and sons, Sammy and Wilfred, Gerden Proffitt and Josie and Mrs. Bruce Wilson. —Contributed.

THE REVIEW CLUB TO BEGIN ITS YEAR'S WORK NEXT SATURDAY

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ent later the two men were crossing the deck together. Julie Farrow smiled and held out her hand. Lombard presented Chitttenham. He glanced inquiringly at the woman beside Julie, who was looking on with calm eyes. Julie introduced them.

"Mr. Lombard—Mr. Chitttenham—Miss Lennox." "Are you staying long?" Lombard inquired.

The two women looked at one another and smiled. "If Julie's afraid to tell you, I will," Miss Lennox said in her calm untroubled voice. "We're out here to settle a mad wager. Julie's got a car and in a moment of mental conceit she made a bet with me that she would drive from Villeneuve right up through the St. Bernard Pass and back again."

"I've been through the Pass twice," Lombard said. "And there's nothing very alarming about it if the weather's all right. I should say that you will lose your bet, Miss Lennox."

Julie took off her hat, letting the cool breeze from the lake blow through her hair, and Chitttenham saw that she had beautiful hair, a queer mixture of brown and golden and coppery shades. "Dyed, of course," he told himself, and knew that he lied.

Julie moved her chair back a little and spoke to Chitttenham. "Isn't it a perfectly glorious day?" she asked. "And don't you love these sort of places, and the blue sky, and the bluer lake and the sunshine? They all make me feel so excited and happy." Chitttenham shrugged his shoulders.

"I love Switzerland," she said dreamily. "I haven't seen a great deal of the world, but every bit I see I love a little more than the last. I love everything." "And everybody?" Chitttenham asked.

She laughed and shook her head. "No. I'm afraid I can't say that. In fact I dare say you'll be shocked when I tell you that in all my life I've never really and truly loved anybody." Chitttenham could well believe it.

"A lady without a heart!" he said lightly. "Yes." She agreed seriously. "I don't think I could have been there when the hearts were given out."

"It's not yet too late. You never know who may turn the corner of the street and present you with one," Chitttenham said jokingly. To change the conversation he said: "May I be inquisitive and ask who Miss Lennox is besides being a great friend of yours?" Julie's eyes followed the elder woman affectionately.

"You'd never guess!" she said at last. Chitttenham laughed. "I should say it would not be difficult. Probably she has a weird flat somewhere in Chelsea where people sit on cushions on the floor in preference to chairs, and smoke scented cigarettes, and eat strange foods. . . ."

Julie chuckled. "You're miles out!" she said triumphantly. "She hardly ever lives in London at all—she's got a cottage in the country, and she's not a bit rich—she's only just got enough to live on comfortably, and she writes dress articles for papers to make a bit more, and with that money she sends crippled children from the slums down to the seaside, or sometimes to her own cottage. She loves children and she's got the largest heart in the world."

Hicoan Injured In Three-Way Crash at Santone Recently

Geo. Griffiths returned this week from San Antonio, and is recovering from injuries sustained in a car wreck Saturday night, August 23, in which there were twelve people injured, with two known fatalities.

Mr. Griffiths says he was riding in the rumber seat of a light roadster, and the crash happened so suddenly that he does not know exactly how it happened. He was told, however, that the car in which he was riding and another car ran together about nine miles out of San Antonio on the Frio road, and before this wreckage was cleared away another car came along and became entangled with the other two, driving the car in which Mr. Griffiths was riding up into the other automobile.

The result of the three-way crash was that twelve people were taken to various hospitals, and two are known to have died. Mr. Griffiths was injured about the jaw and throat, and was taken to the Emergency Hospital where treatment was given and he is recovering now. Willard (Dick) Myers of Fredell was also in the car with him, and was taken to the Medical Arts Hospital where he remained several days.

Dublin Boosters Here Thursday Morning Advertising Fair

The Dublin Band and Boosters were in Hico Thursday morning, where they gave a concert on the streets advertising the 8th Annual Dublin Free Fall Fair and Rodeo, to be held September 11, 12 and 13.

The band concert was greatly enjoyed, as were the talks by Dublin citizens, and Hico will probably be represented at the affair.

Some of the attractions promised are: A big rodeo daily, promoted by Hill & Russell of Stephenville; bronc and steer roping, goat and calf racing; big water fight daily; arena attractions, band concerts and free street parade.

There will be old-time fiddling a musical and vaudeville show Friday night and a big square dance Saturday night.

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"What are you thinking about?" she asked impulsively. He brought his eyes back from the distant mountains and looked down at her. "I was wondering just how far you would allow your contempt for Mrs. Grady to carry you?" Julie raised her head with a little defiant gesture. "All the way if I wished to go

all the way," she said quickly. "We've only got one life to live, and what does it matter what people say? I've never cared."

Chitttenham turned his back on the mountains, leaning against the ship's rail. "Very well, then convince me!" he challenged her. "Convince you? How can I?"

"By taking me with you tomorrow through the St. Bernard Pass." She stared at him for a moment. "Are you daring me to take you?" she asked quietly. "Yes."

For a moment longer they held one another's gaze. "Very well, but I make one condition—that you do not tell either Jim or Mr. Lombard until we return. It is not that I care in the least what they think or say, but I have a reason of my own for wishing them not to know."

"As you please." She went on calmly. "I am leaving at seven o'clock in the morning." She turned away as if the discussion were ended and rejoined Jim and Lombard.

Chitttenham followed slowly. He felt angry and yet at the back of his mind there was an unwilling admiration for this woman. He could well understand how completely she had mastered Rodney, and how soon she had wearied a man to break her to his will, not a boy to kneel at her feet.

He looked forward to tomorrow with a kind of exultation; he had never crossed swords with a woman before; even with Sadie he had only made half-hearted protests; she had not sufficiently interested him for anything deeper. It was raining a little when they started, and the morning was grey and chill as Chitttenham waited.

Julie arrived punctually. "I did not expect to see you," was her greeting. Chitttenham glanced casually at the car. "I hope you've got good brakes," said noncommittally.

She laughed. Before they had gone very far Chitttenham discovered that Julie drove very well indeed. She was cool and quick and thoroughly understood the machine she was handling.

"Jim thinks she'll win the bet," Julie said presently and she laughed. "But she won't. I can always do a thing if I set my mind to it." "Always?"

She glanced around at him. "You think I am conceited?" she asked. "No, but as it happens to be a conceit of my own—that I can always do a thing if I set my mind to it—it interests me to hear you express the same sentiment. I wonder how we should get on if it came to a battle of wills," he added lightly.

"What do you mean?" "Didn't Rodney tell you that I am a pig-headed brute?" "No. He always spoke of you as if you were one of the seven wonders of the world." Chitttenham frowned. "You knew my brother very well?" he asked formally. Julie hesitated.

"I don't think I ever quite understood him," she answered at last. "He was such a dear boy in some ways, but in others he was almost—forgive me for saying it—unbalanced." "Chitttenham's eyes narrowed. "You mean when his affections were touched." "Yes, I suppose so."

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"What do you mean?" "Didn't Rodney tell you that I am a pig-headed brute?" "No. He always spoke of you as if you were one of the seven wonders of the world." Chitttenham frowned. "You knew my brother very well?" he asked formally. Julie hesitated.

"I don't think I ever quite understood him," she answered at last. "He was such a dear boy in some ways, but in others he was almost—forgive me for saying it—unbalanced." "Chitttenham's eyes narrowed. "You mean when his affections were touched." "Yes, I suppose so."

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ent later the two men were crossing the deck together. Julie Farrow smiled and held out her hand. Lombard presented Chitttenham. He glanced inquiringly at the woman beside Julie, who was looking on with calm eyes. Julie introduced them.

"Mr. Lombard—Mr. Chitttenham—Miss Lennox." "Are you staying long?" Lombard inquired.

The two women looked at one another and smiled. "If Julie's afraid to tell you, I will," Miss Lennox said in her calm untroubled voice. "We're out here to settle a mad wager. Julie's got a car and in a moment of mental conceit she made a bet with me that she would drive from Villeneuve right up through the St. Bernard Pass and back again."

"I've been through the Pass twice," Lombard said. "And there's nothing very alarming about it if the weather's all right. I should say that you will lose your bet, Miss Lennox."

Julie took off her hat, letting the cool breeze from the lake blow through her hair, and Chitttenham saw that she had beautiful hair, a queer mixture of brown and golden and coppery shades. "Dyed, of course," he told himself, and knew that he lied.

Julie moved her chair back a little and spoke to Chitttenham. "Isn't it a perfectly glorious day?" she asked. "And don't you love these sort of places, and the blue sky, and the bluer lake and the sunshine? They all make me feel so excited and happy." Chitttenham shrugged his shoulders.

"I love Switzerland," she said dreamily. "I haven't seen a great deal of the world, but every bit I see I love a little more than the last. I love everything." "And everybody?" Chitttenham asked.

She laughed and shook her head. "No. I'm afraid I can't say that. In fact I dare say you'll be shocked when I tell you that in all my life I've never really and truly loved anybody." Chitttenham could well believe it.

"A lady without a heart!" he said lightly. "Yes." She agreed seriously. "I don't think I could have been there when the hearts were given out."

"It's not yet too late. You never know who may turn the corner of the street and present you with one," Chitttenham said jokingly. To change the conversation he said: "May I be inquisitive and ask who Miss Lennox is besides being a great friend of yours?" Julie's eyes followed the elder woman affectionately.

"You'd never guess!" she said at last. Chitttenham laughed. "I should say it would not be difficult. Probably she has a weird flat somewhere in Chelsea where people sit on cushions on the floor in preference to chairs, and smoke scented cigarettes, and eat strange foods. . . ."

Julie chuckled. "You're miles out!" she said triumphantly. "She hardly ever lives in London at all—she's got a cottage in the country, and she's not a bit rich—she's only just got enough to live on comfortably, and she writes dress articles for papers to make a bit more, and with that money she sends crippled children from the slums down to the seaside, or sometimes to her own cottage. She loves children and she's got the largest heart in the world."

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