

Shoplifting with 'Jots'

A satisfied customer that she thinks Carmen Shelton...

Children were in the hospital...

Mr. L. W. Short's... Mrs. J. W. Walbridge...

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DAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1939. Includes various short notices and advertisements.

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Sheen-Glo. Advertisement for Sheen-Glo.

Suits & Dress. Advertisement for Suits & Dress.

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Binding Council of State Government

Free day for opening coffee... Photo shows, left to right: Frank Bane, Director of the Council of State Governments...

COMMUTERS AND SONS... The Commuters and Sons have been together...

P. O. LEASE... Awarded to Rodgers... Government to Re-Lease Present Quarters With Improvements and Additions...

Singing Next Sunday... Regular first Sunday singing has been announced for next Sunday...

ARE YOU A GOOD DRIVER? THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF ARTICLES BY A HIGHWAY PATROLMAN. Reckless Driver... Birthing danger... Hotel... Birthing danger... Birthing danger...

VACCINATION

Against Smallpox Will Prevent Illness and Death... Austin, Feb. 2.—Smallpox can be eliminated as a cause of illness and death if every person would be vaccinated against this disease...

Representative Visits... Kal Segrist, who claims Hico as his home...

Repaints Residence... Mrs. Hattie Norton is having her home repainted in a cream color...

CONGRESSMAN... From This District Named On Several Committees... In his weekly news release from Washington...

HIGHWAY

From Dallas - Del Rio... AUSTIN, Jan. 26.—Seeking construction of an airline highway between Dallas and Del Rio...

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WEATHER... Report For Past Week Submitted By Local Observer... The following report, submitted by L. L. Hudson...

Keeping Up With TEXAS

Gene Howe, who pilots the "Tactless Texan" column in the Amarillo Globe...

Twenty-seven dollars in dimes arrived at the White House Monday from "the bunch" around the John A. Weeks Drug Store...

Betty Jean Gundy, 4, was recovering from exposure and a bad case of frost last Saturday after an all-night trek almost under the feet of 500 searching posse-men...

Every girl in sight would be taxed a dollar a year under a bill proposed for introduction in the Texas House Wednesday...

Ann Freeman, whose age is estimated at 96 and who will be on the Baylor University campus this week as the institution does honor to its founder and her "massa"...

Federal narcotics agents, investigating reports of narcotics being circulated in prison, Wednesday arrested Dr. George R. Taylor, Texas prison system physician...

Vaccination against smallpox as a statewide measure was urged Wednesday by State Health Officer George W. Cox after a report indicating an increase of more than 100 per cent in cases of the disease in the last week...

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

As your Representative, I take this opportunity to give you a general view of the issues confronting this Legislature. As you remember during my campaign I promised the people that I would not evade any outstanding issues that confront the people of Texas. Therefore, I believe that you will have the understanding that my views may not be exactly in accordance with your views; in that case I am asking you for your viewpoint and I will certainly consider it. But in order that the people may have a thorough understanding of what I am doing here, I intend to be frank so you may criticize accordingly. It appears that I have gotten a break in getting on the committees which concern my campaign issues. I am confident that this opportunity given me by the Speaker, Mr. Morse, I am proud that I am in position to be effective in legislation concerning truck load limit and all other carrier legislation, which I think is the most important issue concerning Hamilton and Coryell counties. We have set a hearing date on truck load limit for February 7, and I take this opportunity to ask all those concerned in the raising of the 7,000 pound load limit to come to Austin on that date. We are going to have a fight on this and we are out to win. I am confident that the Committee in the House will give a favorable report.

It appears that the renowned "Transaction Tax" has dominated the issues up to the present time. Mr. Petch, of Fredericksburg, volunteered to introduce the Governor's tax proposal, though he is not going to support it. The reason being, he has a proposal of his own. As I stated many times during my campaign that I was not the smartest man in my district, but I am smart enough to know that the tax plan proposed by the Governor cannot be levied upon the people without burdening those most that are less able to pay. I am not here to throw logs in front of the Governor, but I had rather throw one in front of the Governor than to throw one in front of the common people of Texas. After studying this plan of taxation from every angle, I am confident that you will be opposed to it because it does not tax the man who is able to pay. I do not believe in taxing a man who borrows money instead of the man who loans it. I do not believe in taxing an article only once, coming through chain organizations and taxing it from one to three times coming through independent dealers. I realize that we have to have more taxes to pay this Old Age Assistance, but I am not in favor of letting natural resources of this State go practically untaxed and at the same time placing the entire burden upon the consumer. I want you to please understand that I am not against Old Age Assistance, nor am I vetoing the ad valorem tax entered into this issue and I will say that I am not in favor of my proposal as stated in his message. However, I believe in raising the exemption to a higher figure on real estate; I say this because I believe that outside interest, whose home offices are out of the State should be compelled to pay taxes on their property in Texas. I believe in abolishing the State ad valorem tax on farms and ranches if they are independently owned by citizens who live in the county in which the real estate is located.

As the proposal submitted by the Governor for Constitutional Amendment now stands I will state that I am not going to vote for this proposal. As there are amendments and changes entering into this through the Committee, which it will be referred to, I might consider to submit it to the people for a vote as I do not want to take the full responsibility of voting on this far-reaching tax question; but as citizen, I am not going to support any manner of sales tax.

On August 27, 1938, I was nominated your Representative. Up to that time, I will admit, I was working for the interest of my election; at the present I am directing my attention to the needs and welfare of the people.

I wish to invite your opinion on any subject or issue that concerns our District and the State of Texas. Whether you agree with me or not I will welcome your letter and criticism.

Sincerely your Representative,
(Signed), WELDON BURNETT.

The Fairies

Editors: Daphne Hoover and Katharyne Cunningham

Like Calls to Like

If you walk as a friend, you will find a friend.
Wherever you choose to fare,
If you go with mirth to a far,
strange land,
You will find that mirth is there.
If you walk in honor, then honest men
Will meet you along the way,
But if you be false, you will find
men false.
Wherever you chance to stray,
For the good breeds good, and the
bad breeds bad—
We are met by the traits we show,
Love will find a friend at the
stranger's door.
Where malice would find a foe,
For each of us builds the world
he knows.
Which only himself can spoil;
And an hour of hate or an hour
of shame
Can ruin a life of toil.
And though to the utmost ends of
earth
Your duty may bid you fare,
If you walk with truth and a
friendly heart,
You will find friends waiting
there.

—Edgar A. Guest.

Seniors

Tournament! Tournament! Basketball! Basketball! That seems to be the general topic of discussion. Every girl is razing anxiously at those gold basket balls and the trophy and hope, hoping they stay at home where they belong.

The Seniors are planning on selling lots of candy, peanuts and cold drinks. We have them all ordered and we'd better sell them or else! We also plan to sell sandwiches. So you see we'll have dinner right there at our stand. A sandwich, a cold drink, potato chips, a bar of candy, and some peanuts. Who could ask for more? The Fairy girls are really excited over this tournament, so come out and enjoy it with us.

News and Views

The Seniors sure have the big head bad today. Four out of five that were to be selected from the Fairy High School for the "Who's Who" book were selected from the Senior class. They are as follows: Daphne Hoover, Katharyne Cunningham, Joe Betts, and John Russell. We wish that they could have used all of us, but we are proud of the four that represent our wonderful class.

The F. H. S. basketball club has won seven straight games to date. We expect to win two more straight.

We hope the girls win those beautiful trophies we have for the county tournament.

Well, I guess this is all the foolishness I know for this week—or at least this is all the loafing time I have to write this. J. D. R.

Seventh Grade News

We are very sorry Mr. Columbus is not with us. We miss him a lot, and hope he is soon back at school.

The grammar school girls are very happy because they now have their indoor hall. Miss Cook is sponsor. Peggy Ruth Allison is captain. We have nine good players, as follows: Wynell Parks, Ila Ruth Parks, Jimmie Ruth Thompson, Imogene Jamerson, Oneta Stephens, Lola Mae Todd, Norma Ruth McGlothlin, Oleta Mae Grimes, and Elsie Lee Parks. If you don't think that is a team, just try us and see.

Third and Fourth Grades

We are sorry to hear about Mr. Columbus, one of our teachers, being on our sick list. He has been sick a week, and we certainly will be glad to see him come back this week.

Mr. Swindle has been teaching our classes in Mr. Columbus' place.

We elected three students from our room to make a radio. They were Barbara Anderson, Louise Parks and Thomas Staten. This class room project will be completed as soon as possible.

Boys Sport News

The Fairy boys are really looking forward to be the champions of the county tournament.

We played Carlton last Tuesday night and beat them 13-14. Come back to see us, Carlton.

We went to the Iredell tournament last Friday and Saturday. We came back with the trophy and all that went with it. Thank you, Iredell!

The Fairy boys have played very hard lately. We have won the last seven games we have played.

Memorial to John A. Mings

By IDA MINGUS CLAY

It's hard to realize that he's gone away from this enticing world; for while sojourning here, he bravely carried on by vital vim and stimulative smile. His loyalty to home and those most dear was often shown in gracious, glad-some ways; Also to friends was shared a cup of cheer, With recompense of love and priceless praise.

The summons came for him to cross the bar, A sweet appeal was in the Master's voice— At journey's end the gates were held ajar, With welcome warm that made his soul rejoice; And from recurrent pain he found surcease For Over There abounds in perfect peace.

Salem

By MRS. W. C. ROGERS

Several in the community have had bad colds, but with pretty weather like Monday I am thinking they will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Driver and son, Bud, of Johnsonville, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Currier and daughter, Beverly Ann, of Bluffdale and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Koonsman visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott and sons, Wendol and Von, Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Bright is in Glen Rose for treatments. She was taken there Sunday by Mr. Bright and son, Keith.

Elvis Bramblett and Eldon Rogers attended a party in the Selden community Saturday night.

Mrs. H. Koonsman visited her brother, Mr. Jim Edwards and family Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Polly Rose took dinner with Miss Sallie Craig Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mib Giesecke of Millerville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and children.

Misses Naro Mae Driver and Tina Rogers were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Daugherty Sunday.

The children of Mrs. D. L. Nolan surprised her with a birthday dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Noland. All the children were present except one son. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Noland and children, Louise, J. D., Nelda Joyce and Fred Ray of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Noland and daughter, Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Noland and children, Truman and Lilavern, of Clairette, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Noland and children, Mary and sister of Salem and the host and hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Noland and children, Uvon and James Weldon, of Selden. All brought dinner and a lovely time was enjoyed by everyone. We wish Mrs. Noland many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knight and daughter, Peggy Jean, of near Stephenville were visitors Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bramblett.

Mrs. Polly Ross visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mib Giesecke at Millerville.

Greyville

By NELLIE V. MULLINS

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lambert and little daughter of Agee, and Mr. Floyd Bush of De Leon were visitors in the J. Z. Bush home over the week end.

Mr. J. W. Dunlop of Hamilton visited Mr. Homer Wilson this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Doty and family of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell Sunday.

Donald and Harold Russell of this community, and Noel and Waylen Douglas of Dry Fork visited Alfred and Wilfred Bush Friday night.

Miss Nellie V. Mullins spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Greer of Olin.

Mrs. Tom Johnson spent a while Saturday afternoon with Miss Irene Ables of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and little daughter, Donnie Nell, of Olin spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks.

Flag Branch

By HAZEL COOPER

Henry Burks spent Wednesday with Ernest Hanshaw.

W. B. Smith visited Jess McCoy Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hilborn of Walnut Springs spent Wednesday in the N. L. Mings home.

Juan Burks and family spent the first of the week with his brother, Henry Burks and family.

Bud Dotson and family spent a while in the J. M. Cooper home Saturday night.

Most all the people around here attended the basketball game at Iredell Saturday night.

Miss Carrie Virginia Burks spent the week end with her aunt, Miss Juanda Lee Hanshaw, of Rocky.

Mrs. R. S. Graves spent Thursday morning with Mrs. Jerine Graves and children.

Mrs. and Mrs. Nathan Mings were shopping in Hico Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClary and little daughter spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thornton and daughter, Beanie Jo.

Frank Craig and family visited in the J. M. Cooper home Sunday.

Miss Madeline Harper of Iredell spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Eloise Craig.

Bob Moore visited Will Hobday Tuesday morning.

R. D. Ford was in Walnut Springs on business Friday.

Claud Stacey of Chalk Mountain and Clarence Moon of Oden's Chapel spent a while with Jess McCoy Saturday night.

M. H. Burks and daughter Carrie went to Marion Friday after Juanda Lee Hanshaw, who has been there for treatment.

Will and Ernest Hanshaw were in Kopper Thursday on business.

IREDEMS

By MISS ST

Marie Whitmore was in Fort Worth Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips and daughter, Merle, visited here Friday from Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Laswell were in Hico Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell of De Leon visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry and son were in Stephenville Saturday.

John Tidwell was in Valley Mills Monday.

Mrs. Hark Harris was in Stephenville Saturday.

Ed Greer of Dallas is here looking after his business.

Mrs. Bertha Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Henderson and son, Meridian attended the funeral of Mrs. Bertha Henderson's niece in Sherman a few days ago.

Mrs. Yella Harris and daughter, Helen, visited in Walnut Springs Saturday night.

Mrs. Emma Houston and Mrs. French were in Stephenville Friday.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benson, who has been here for some time, has returned to his home in Louisiana.

Joe Newman has resigned his place at the T. Mitchell store and has gone to Curo.

T. M. Tidwell was in Walnut Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Denton accompanied her brother Steve and family to their home in Lakeview and will make her home there.

Miss Mittle Gordon is visiting in Fort Worth. Her brother, Willie, and wife came after her Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baine and baby of Dallas visited here this week.

Mrs. Louie Sonntag of home were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dawson were in Hico Sunday. Mrs. Scates, Carl's home and has improved.

Key Williamson of spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tidwell son went over to see her.

Mrs. Strickland, and from Mexico started to Cranfills.

Sommas Hay was in the back of the car. The door came at him he fell out, cutting a noon on the back of his head.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tidwell also got some bruises, small cut over one eye. The attend Cranfills' Gap sewed up lamination on the back of his head, required only one stitch.

They reported that the boy will be all soon.

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In Fort...
 Mrs. Louie Sonntag...
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BRENT

by Grace Linn

First Installment

Wetherill had always...
 she was an adopted child...
 she was told when she was...
 that it meant nothing at...
 And as the years went...
 she was surrounded by...
 and luxury, she thought lit...
 when she was in high...
 she had asked about her...
 people casually, more out...
 of than because of any felt...
 and she had been...
 that they were respectable...
 who had been unfortunate...
 didn't afford to bring her...
 they would like to have...
 brought up. It was all very...
 But Marjorie was very hap...
 and her foster mother greatly...
 the fact that while Mar...
 had not been born her own...
 had been chosen because they...
 her at first sight, and that...
 more even than if she had...
 born theirs.

Wetherill was a devoted...
 and she and Marjorie were...
 companions.
 When Mr. Wetherill died Mar...
 she was still in her school life...
 and her mother were...
 but even closer together, so...
 when Mrs. Wetherill was...
 only stricken with an illness...
 they both knew would be...
 and fatal, the girl spent the...
 months of her foster mother's...
 in utmost devotion. It was...
 as it was over and she was...
 she felt utterly desolate and...
 seemed barren indeed.

There were many friends of...
 for the Wetherills had a...
 pleasant social circle, and...
 were instant invitations for...
 frequent visits here and there...
 Marjorie had no heart to go...
 longed for someone of her...
 The world seemed empty and...
 interesting.

One morning about ten...
 before Christmas, because...
 could not settle to anything...
 and because she had been...
 tending to go over her beloved...
 her mother's intimate papers...
 she went bravely to Mrs. Wether...
 at a desk and began to look...
 over the papers in the pigeon...
 holes. As she went from drawer...
 to drawer, emptying every pigeon...
 hole, and burning in the fireplace...
 such things as had to be destroyed...
 she came finally to the little...
 chest drawer, and there she...
 found several other important...
 papers, a thick letter for herself.

"Dearest Marjorie," it read.
 I have never told you much...
 about two years ago. My husband...
 now much myself to tell until...
 about two years ago. My husband...
 arranged everything about the...
 adoption.
 I never told you that you were...
 twins.
 You were a very beautiful baby...
 and so was your twin sister, yet...
 she had a frailer look than you...
 and we found upon questioning...
 that she had little chance to live...
 unless she could have an opera...
 tion and special treatment, which...
 your parents were unable to give...
 her.

But though neither of you were...
 candidates for adoption, yet I had...
 set my heart upon you. All the...
 other babies looked common to...
 me. So, my husband set about it...
 to see what he could do. He dis...
 covered that your father was not...
 the country where he could have...
 light work and be out of doors...
 My husband finally put it up to...
 your mother while she was still in...
 the hospital, that she should give...
 her consent to our adopting you...
 Mr. Wetherill agreeing to finance...
 the treatment of both your fa...
 ther and little sister.

have...
 its sure. Mother left...
 me about my people...
 her that I might want...
 up and see if there...
 would do for them...
 mother say, "Let sleeping...
 dogs lie." And...
 her hand once more...
 possessive way as if...
 that...
 and...
 cared anything for...
 wouldn't have sold...
 first place. And now...
 ing of another world...
 here, and they have no right...
 to your life and try to...
 party away from you!

Hamilton visitors from this...
 community Tuesday were Mr. and...
 Mrs. Aubrey Smith and G. C. Dri...
 ver and daughter, Opal.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ables of Hico...
 spent the week end with Mr. and...
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 on home Sunday included Roy...
 Thompson and son, Delbert, of...
 Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tol...
 liver of near Clairette; Mr. and...
 Mrs. E. B. Thompson and S. S...
 Johnson and family of this com...
 munity.

J. L. Boyett and wife were in...
 the Clairette community recently...
 visiting and attending to business...
 matters.
 We are happy to welcome to our...
 neighborhood Mr. and Mrs. Gerald...
 Clepper, and Mr. and Mrs. Newell...
 Russell. They are occupying the...
 Beatty farm.
 Arthur Pingleton of Stephen...
 ville was visiting his parents, Mr...
 and Mrs. Ole Pingleton, Monday.

relieves...
COLDS
 first day
HEADACHES
AND FEVER
 due to colds
 in 30 minutes
 —A Wonderful

done you will let me handle it for...
 you. Will you promise?
 Marjorie was still for several...
 seconds, looking down at her...
 hands clasped tightly before her...
 then she said slowly, seriously:
 "I will promise to think over...
 what you said. Everything that...
 you have said."
To Be Continued

Dry Fork
 By
OPAL DRIVER

Grandmother Douglas of near...
 Hamilton is here visiting her son...
 Jesse Douglas and family, and...
 other relatives.

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Altman
 By
MRS. J. H. McANELLY

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ballard and...
 children, Bryce and Clyde, of Lan...
 ham spent the week end visiting...
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E...
 Hyles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton and...
 children, Myrl and James Horace...
 attended a box supper at Honey...
 Grove Friday night, given by the...
 H. D. Club of that community.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Waldrop and...
 daughter, Valine, Mr. and Mrs...
 J. H. McAnelly and daughter...
 night in the home of Mr. and Mrs...
 E. Burnett at Carlton.


Mr. and Mrs. Grady Land and...
 daughters moved to Altman Wed...
 nesday and the Calder family...
 moved to the place vacated by...
 them.

J. W. Waldrop of Hico was a...
 visitor in this community Sunday...
 Several from this community...
 were in Carlton Saturday night...
 attending the ball games.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton...
 Myrl and James Horace, visited...
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis and son...
 Jub, at Honey Grove Wednesday...
 night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bingham...
 spent several days last week in...
 Hico at the bedside of their bro...
 ther-in-law, J. H. Goad, who is...
 ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Manning of...
 Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Andy...
 Brown of Purves visited Mr. and...
 Mrs. O. R. Clifton and family...
 Sunday.



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"POSTALIZING" THE RAILROADS

The plan put forward by John A. Hastings, a former New York state senator, for "postalizing" railroad transportation, is said to be receiving serious consideration among railroad men and in Washington.

The idea, briefly, is to charge a flat rate for a passenger fare over a distance of, say, a thousand miles, twice as much for 2,000 miles, etc. Mr. Hastings' idea is that it would pay the railroads to carry full loads of passengers between New York and Chicago, or Chicago and Denver, or Denver and San Francisco, for a dollar a head. The same rate would apply to passengers who got on and off anywhere along the line.

If it pays to carry a letter anywhere for three cents, whether the next town or the other end of the continent, why can't the same idea work with passengers? They are easier to handle than letters, because they load and unload themselves and don't have to be stamped and postmarked.

The railroads have already discovered that reduced passenger fares increase revenues. They made more money while the two-cents-a-mile rate was in effect than they have made since it was raised to 2 1/2 cents. They have learned that the cost of hauling a passenger does not depend directly on the number of miles traveled. If the train is going through, it can carry excess passengers without any appreciable extra cost.

COL. LINDBERGH'S SERVICE

It turns out that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh is not a traitor to his country after all. That terrible accusation was made against him, along with Henry Ford, when these two men received medals from the Nazi Government, for their achievements.

As we read the story from Berlin about Col. Lindbergh's medal, it was planned on him without asking his permission when he was calling on Chancellor Hitler, in the course of his inspection of the German air forces on behalf of the United States Government. He could hardly have thrown a well-meant tribute back in the giver's face, under the circumstances.

It is amazing the currency that has been given to criticism of Col. Lindbergh recently. The story was widely published after the medal incident that he and his wife intended to live in Berlin. Now it turns out that they have taken a house for the winter in Paris. It is hard to blame them for not wanting to bring their two young children back to America, after the horrible experience of their firstborn.

But Col. Lindbergh is still an officer of the United States Army Reserve, and it turns out that instead of betraying his citizenship, he has been collecting information on the air strength of the European powers for our own Government.

The Russian press denounces him roundly for revealing that Russia's vaunted air force is a good deal of a joke. But his disclosure to our Government and by Washington's permission to that of Great Britain, that the German air force is really a formidable fighting machine, has had much to do with the course of military preparedness by both great democracies.

"Lady" has never been one to talk much about what he was doing, but we never had any idea he was ever doing anything that did not measure up to the best standards of honor and courage.

Texas Is Ranked Fifth AUSTIN, Feb. 1.—Texas ranked fifth among states in traffic death reductions for the last year. Director Homer Harrison Jr., of the state police, was notified today the year's life-saving was set at 474 by the National Safety Council.

Very Latest



Apron Dress

Take princess lines in enough gay print to cover, add peaked sleeves, a youthful round collar and bow, garnish with two patch pockets and ric-rac braid. Draw into a tiny waist by means of side belts, and serve breakfast in the most becoming dress you ever owned!

For this pretty apron frock, choose percale, calico or broadcloth, in a bright, colorful print. Plaid gingham will be charming made up this way, too.

Pattern No. 8199 is designed for sizes: 14, 16, 18, 20; 40, 42 and 44. Size 16 requires 4 1/2 yards of 35-inch material. To trim as pictured you'll need 2 1/2 yards of ric-rac braid.

PATTERN 8390—Here's the type of semi-tailored two-piece dress that you can't live happily without.

Make this of tweed, flannel, wool crepe or the silk, and vary it with different accessories. An afternoon version will be stunning with a lame blouse and velvet or broadcloth skirt.

Pattern No. 8390 is designed for sizes: 12, 14, 16, 18, and 20. Size 14 requires 1 1/2 yards of 39 inch material for the blouse and 2 1/2 yards for the skirt.

For PATTERN, send 15 cents in coin (for each pattern desired) your Name, ADDRESS, STYLE NUMBER and SIZE to Pagella Dow, Hico News Review Pattern Dept., 115 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

HEN FACTS

One hundred hens give off from 5 to 11 quarts of water each day as vapor in their breath. Proper ventilation removes this water from the house by taking the moisture-laden air out above the heads of the birds. The distance the moisture-laden air must travel should be kept to a minimum. If too far the moisture in the air will condense and drop back into the house.

Hens must be comfortably housed and well cared for if they are going to ring up a profit for their owner. Expensive equipment is not necessary, however, and often it is possible to remodel old buildings to make satisfactory laying houses. Plans for the remodeling of old buildings into any one of three types of laying houses are obtainable for the asking by writing Purina Mills, St. Louis, Missouri.

Common red mites are one of the worst enemies of a laying flock. These are found around roosts, in cracks, on dropping boards and in nests. When discovered, the laying house should be cleaned thoroughly and sprayed with a solution of one-half pint of Cresofloc and one quart of kerosene in one gallon of water. Every crack where mites are likely to hide should be thoroughly sprayed. The birds should be kept out of the house until the spray is completely dried.

The Shadow



THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, Feb. 2.—The new Congress is already beginning to feel the pressure of organized lobbyists who want Federal funds spent for their pet projects.

It is too early to predict whether the present Congress will prove more immune to such pressure than its predecessors have been, but if history repeats itself, as it usually does, the determination to economize with which the 76th Congress started out will go the way of most New Year resolutions.

There is no question about the sincere desire of that block in Congress, which is composed of anti-Administration Democrats and the 171 Republican members of the House, to cut down Government expenditures. But it is extremely difficult for any Congress to resist appeals which purport to come from a preponderant mass of their constituents.

The first illustration of the way in which public sentiment is manufactured, for the national legislators, was made for the benefit of the members of this new Congress on a matter which did not concern the subject of spending, as it happens. In response to a radio speech by Father Coughlin literally hundreds of thousands of telegrams and letters were received by Senators and Representatives, urging them not to repeal the embargo on munitions shipped to the participants in the Spanish Civil War.

Received 12,000 Telegrams One of the new Republican Senators reported that he had received some 12,000 telegrams and more than that number of letters from voters in his own state, urging him to follow Father Coughlin's advice.

It so happened that he was opposed to lifting the embargo, anyway, so these communications were so much wasted ammunition.

But this Senator's comment, based upon wide political experience and intimate understanding of the people of his state, was that he was certain that the question of the Spanish arms embargo was one to which his constituents were entirely indifferent and that this was an attempt to fool him into believing that the voters were all stirred up about it.

The demand for "liberalizing" Old Age Pensions is likely to be one of the most hotly-debated and long-drawn-out discussions on record, before this Congress adjourns.

The hearings on the Social Security Act amendments, concerning which there is as yet no general agreement except that the law as it stands is clumsy and difficult to administer, will become the forum for the discussion of the Townsend Plan and probably other plans to give everybody over a given age a liberal living pension at the expense of the taxpayers.

Will Study Schemes Enough pressure was put on candidates during the election campaign to induce many of them, Republicans and Democrats alike, to commit themselves to at least a study of these various pension schemes. The extent of public sentiment in the nation for Federal assumption of responsibility for the support is unknown, but that efforts will be made to represent to Senators and Representatives that they will forfeit their political futures if they do not fall in line with the Old Age Pension program is not doubted by any experienced Washington observer.

The Townsend Plan lobby is rapidly becoming one of the most powerful pressure groups in Washington. Old-timers liken it to the Anti-Saloon League lobby which put over the Prohibition amendment. It operates in much the same way with local clubs or groups exerting pressure in their respective states and Congress districts upon legislators.

They are not yet as well organized as was the Anti-Saloon League, and they have no such

astute political leader as Wayne B. Wheeler, but even the first hospital ever built for the benefit of sick and women was erected in England, and the year 1861.

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It was brought out at the "monopoly" hearing before the Temporary National Economic Committee the other day that a new, quick way of building aircraft has been developed, which holds the possibility of bringing the aerial fighting force up to full quota within a year or so.

This is an application of the pioneer discovery by the famous chemical engineer, Leo H. Baeke-land, of a method of making plastic materials which are water-proof, fireproof, and insulated against electric currents. The application of the Bakeland plastic resins to moulding airplane bodies and wings in a single piece, quickly and cheaply, was reported to have been so successful that it could be predicted that the new process would supersede present methods.

The Administration is more internationally-minded than any since the World War. The calling home of Ambassador Johnson from China is the latest in a series of recalls of America's foreign representatives for information and consultation.

It seems certain, however, that so far the new Congress does not share to the full the concern of the White House and the State Department over international relations, possibly because Congress does not fully understand them.

Hospitals

Gradually the of hospitals for the sick extended into Greece and Rome, Greece famous for its numerous equipped, sanitary hospitals, including water for baths.

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How about your breakfast- tion? Why do you think get along without food w- insist on the other mem- the family eating a day? we need fresh air, too. In a- this is not much of a pr- but in winter we are incli- and too much time indo- in the morning. Then j- luncheon I open all fl- wa, stretch flat on the fl- cover up snug and w- completely relax both m- muscles for ten or fif- It does wonders for y- Women of today need to- for look for "outside fr- but don't ride your hob- too many clubs and p- as bad as too few. o- over and above all thi- on mental attitude. For- may be splendid, satis- repetition of endless ta- you think about it.

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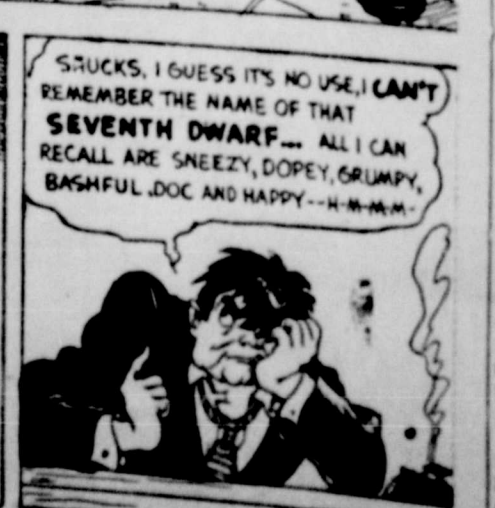
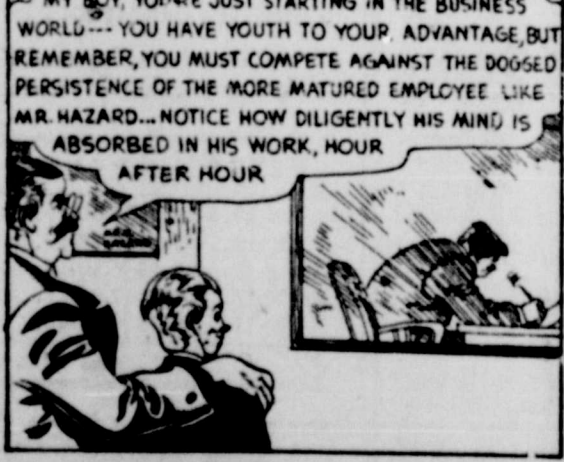
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The House of Hazards

By Mac Arthur



Sunday School Lesson

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The DOCTOR: Dr. E. Aughinbaugh, M.D.

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DOCTOR
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W. A. Auchinbaugh, M.D.

houses for the diseased, it was thought impossible to cure. Later as Europe progressed and modern hospitals were built, it was difficult to get physicians to practice in them, and the caretakers were forced to do whatever they could for the inmates.

Then in 400 A. D. in Rome, a hospital specially built for the care of the sick, equipped with beds and attending physicians and surgeons, was formally opened and in 500 A. D. the City of London, France, did the same thing.

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Local Happenings AT THE FAIR

MISS IRENE FRANK spent Wednesday in Abilene visiting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gandy and daughters, Rita and Joyce, spent the week end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold were in Stephenville Sunday visiting his brother, Truett Arnold.

Miss Kitty Beth Christian spent the week end in Dallas visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. G. C. Keeney and son, Curtis, Jr., were business visitors in Abilene Monday.

S. O. Shaffer and J. S. Gray were business visitors in Stephenville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis of Stephenville were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisner, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Leeth and Mrs. Hamilton were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Coston.

Mrs. Raymond Pederson and daughter, Nancy Jo, of Clifton are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. P. Coston, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Simpson were guests of her mother, Mrs. J. N. Simpson, in the Unity community Sunday.

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JERRIE MAE

Mr. and Mrs. Goad and Mrs. Jack Lewis spent the week end in Dallas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goad. Mr. Goad has been seriously ill for several weeks but was much improved Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Barrow of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Scott and son and Willie Barrow of San Antonio were here Sunday to see their cousin, Grady Barrow. Mr. Barrow had not seen them for several years.

A. J. Bommer and Mrs. Holland have returned to their home in Dallas after spending a week visiting Mrs. Holland's sister, Mrs. Roland L. Holford, family. Mr. Bommer and Mrs. Barbara Jane, and another of Mrs. Holford's sisters, Joe Gladney, of Henderson after them and spent the week end.

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Russell
Roger and Ma

goes fishing with Lon Ross, who is an expert at cooking them. However, he says he believes the reason he eats them then is that Lon usually waits until nine to eat and by then he is so hungry anything would taste good.

The most faithful followers of Hico athletic teams are probably Mr. and Mrs. Thurward Lane, who during football season were enthusiastic supporters of the team, and now since basketball season is going good they have been making all the basketball games. They were in Iredell Saturday night with the boys, who played in a tournament there. And don't think that all the interest is on Thurward's part. Mrs. Lane is an ardent fan herself.

Did you know that next summer you can buy a \$90 railroad ticket that will take you to the New York World's Fair, across the continent to the San Francisco fair and back home again. If the railroad companies will offer one for a dollar that will include meals and hotel bills and take us to the Stock Show at Fort Worth, we might be able to take a big trip this spring.

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Mrs. E. F. Porter spends her spare time at the drug store making beautiful rugs from burlap and old "toe" sacks, which she dyes different shades, cuts into strips and then sews back together. Mrs. Porter has just finished one in shades of brown, tan and blue.

I know a Hico lady who couldn't attend the Birthday Ball, but three of her dresses went to the same dance.

Imagine Ray Brown's chagrin when he discovered the shirt he had borrowed and then paid a tailor thirty-five cents to clean had originally cost thirty cents.

T. A. Randals says he rarely ever eats fish, except when he

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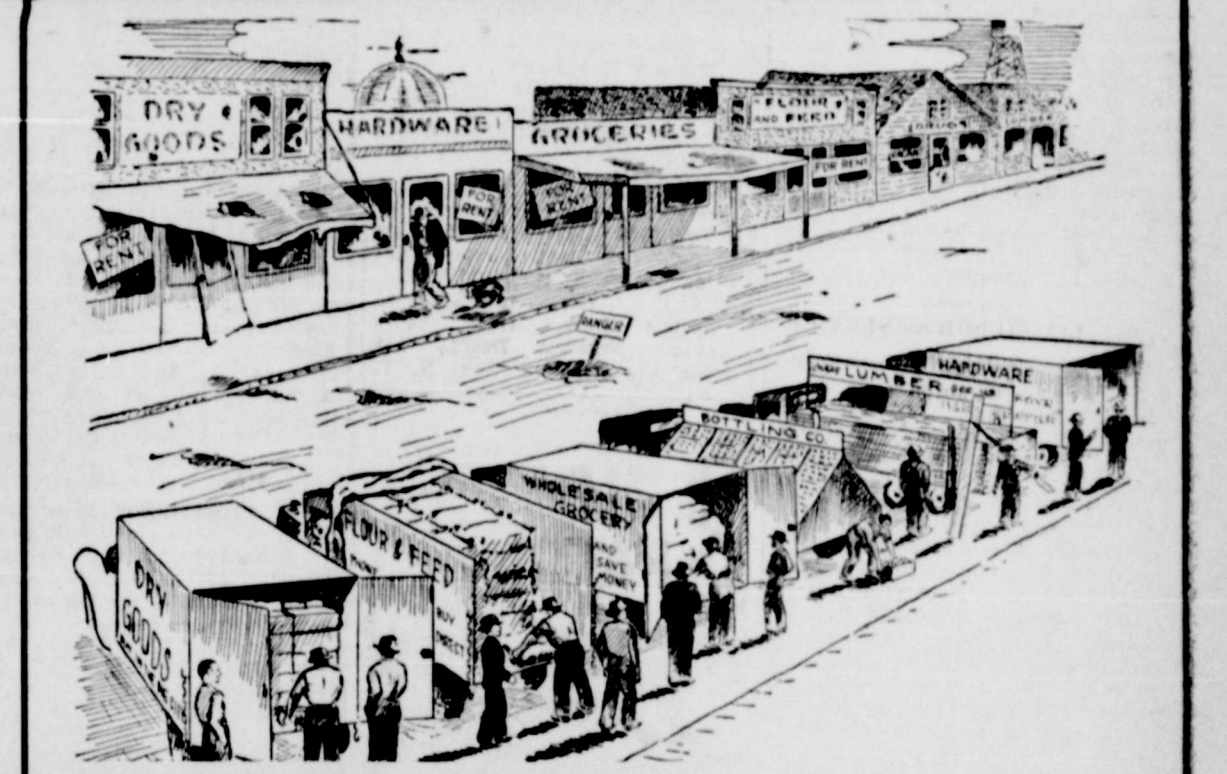
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What Does the Future Hold for The Smaller Towns in Texas?

What must inevitably be the fate of the small towns and communities in Texas?

This question is being asked in literally hundreds of interior places over the state where today "For Rent" signs clutter the windows of numbers of empty business buildings! It is a question of increasing serious importance, not only to these small towns and communities, but to the state as a whole.

These once busy places of community life, around which has largely grown the progressive development of Texas, are being dried up by the operation of heavy trucks over our highways. Their local business firms and enterprises, the dry goods, hardware, drug and fruit and vegetable stores, retail lumber yards, wholesale greener houses, bottling plants, feed mills, oil mills, grain elevators and cotton compresses are unable to meet the competition of the larger business centers because of the almost unrestricted and promiscuous use of Texas highways in the delivery of goods by trucks from the larger cities holding the quantity-purchase advantage.

The absorption and manipulation, in varying degree, of the cost of transportation by highway for competitive purposes, if not restricted, will inevitably drive dealers and wholesalers in the smaller towns and communities out of business. They must succumb to the inequality of opportunity with which they are burdened and thus contribute further to our growing economic chaos.

The plea now being made by certain interests to increase the load limit on trucks operating over Texas highways, who seek no favors and advantages, but who willingly pay their own way to render efficient, dependable and economical transportation service to Texas communities, have felt the ill effects of unfair and subsidized competition in the same way and measure as the small town business men and, in the interest of our mutual preservation, join with them in urging that existing legal truck load limits be not increased!

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It is particularly important that dairy cows not only be protected and well fed, but that they should also have plenty of water at a drinkable temperature. Most of the falling off in milk is due to the cows failing to drink enough icy water to supply the fluid in milk—nearly nine-tenths by volume. The cow can convert feed into heat to keep the body temperature normal, but she cannot turn dry feed into water. It costs a good deal more in extra feed and care to bring the milk flow back than to hold it in the first place, and if the cow is in the latter part of her lactation period the shrinkage may never be overcome.

Cows heavy with calf and ewes bred for early lambing also require extra consideration if one is to have "good luck." "Roughing them through" on just anything that will fill them up is poor economy, when they must nourish the developing embryo in addition to their own bodily requirements. A little grain, cottonseed cake, or even whole cottonseed in limited quantities, and in most cases some lime and bone meal, should be added to the roughage ration. Less of the proteins and minerals will be needed if alfalfa or other good legume hay is fed.

The minerals are especially important during the period of gestation. If an adequate supply is not in the daily ration the young cannot develop good bone structure. Lime may be supplied in the form of limestone flour or ground oyster shell, and bone

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WILLIAM PENN ROGERS He Was Paid \$333 A Minute to Talk On The Radio

Who do you suppose was the man who, a few years ago, made the largest income of anyone in the United States merely by use of his own talents, without any business, without any investment, without having a lot of people working for him.

Charlie Chaplin? No! Greta Garbo? No! Amos'n Andy? No! Rudy Vallee? No!

No! This biggest money-maker was a man who never had very much education. He used bad English. He wore old clothes, he was lazy, he was almost always late to an appointment, and he loved to chew gum. His name was Will Rogers.

He got \$375,000 a year for making three pictures; and he got \$400 a day or \$2,800 a week for his newspaper column. He got a thousand dollars for merely making a funny speech. He got \$333 a minute for talking over the radio. Why, he could just pause between sentences and make ten or fifteen dollars.

He was born on Election Day and he made half a million dollars cracking jokes about Congress.

He was born in the Indian Territory near a little place called Oologah.

During the first part of his life Will planned to go into the ministry. His mother was a great admirer of William Penn, so she named him William Penn Adair Rogers.

Both of his parents were part Indian—his mother one-fourth, and his father one-eighth. For years his father sat in the councils of the Cherokees as one of their wise men.

The first time Will ever came to New York he rode a freight train with a load of cattle. He fed and watered the cattle and slept sitting up in the caboose of the train all the way from Oklahoma to New York City.

He walked up Broadway with his cowboy boots and his country clothes and of course people laughed at him. One man snatched off his hat and jeered at him.

The last time he came by airplane, stopped at the Waldorf-Astoria, and when he walked along the street, people stopped and stared at him and crowded around him, begging for his autograph.

When he was a young man, Rogers wanted to see the world, so he went to South America, traveling steerage to save money. He got a job there punching cattle at four dollars a month.

When the Boer War broke out, he went to South Africa on a cattle boat and got a job breaking wild horses for the British Cavalry.

When the war was over, he was so hard up that he had to live with the soldiers in the army barracks and eat handouts that the cook gave him. Wanting to get back to America, he joined a small traveling circus as a trick rider and roper under the name of "The Cherokee Kid." And that was the way Will Rogers broke into the show business.

He married Miss Betty Blake, a girl who was born in Arkansas. The first time he ever saw her, she was sitting on a front porch in Claremore, Oklahoma, drinking lemonade. He had just bought a new bicycle and wanted to show off; so he tried to do a bit of trick riding and fell off and hurt himself.

Miss Blake rushed out and picked him up and helped wash a cut on his hand. That is the way he met Betty Blake.

There were many astonishing things about Will Rogers; he met kings and queens and was entertained by the high and mighty of this earth—and yet he never owned a long-tailed coat.

He wore old, dilapidated clothes and he frequently drove into Hollywood or Los Angeles without a necktie and wearing boots and old blue denim overalls with brass rivets in them.

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WHO WROTE IT?

"Moon Over Miami"
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DEFINITE proof of how little attention we pay to the creators of music is contained in the history of the man who wrote not only "Moon Over Miami," but over a dozen of the leading songs of the last few years, and hundreds of others popular before that.

He was born in Philadelphia, and lives in Drexel Hills, Delaware County, Penna.

Among his fellow craftsmen, members of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, he is regarded as an ace composer. In recent years, he has written "On Treasure Island," "A Little Bit Independent," "In A Little Gypsy Tearoom," "Dancing With Tears In My Eyes," "Tip Toe Through The Tulips," "Robins and Roses," "At A Perfume Counter," "If It Rains, Who Cares?" and "Gettin' Some Fun Out Of Life."

His favorite collaborator, an old boyhood friend, is Edgar Leslie, A.S.C.A.P.; and he commutes to New York twice a week. And nobody knows much more than that about him.

His name is Joseph A. Burke

What's your favorite song? Do you know who wrote it? Ask us.

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JOE GISH



THERE'S SOMETHING HE LOVES ABOUT THOSE OLD-FASHIONED CANS

Jack Dempsey Goes to Jail



RALEIGH, N. C. — The former world's heavyweight boxing champion is seen, left, as he addressed a throng of prisoners whom he came to see at the State Penitentiary here, during a southern tour. He's still champion to a lot of his audience—many of whom have been in prison since the Manassa Mauler won his title.

MOTOR MEMOIRS

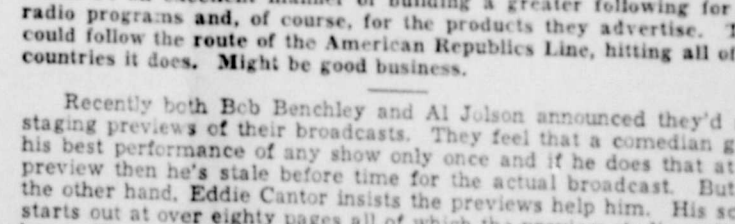
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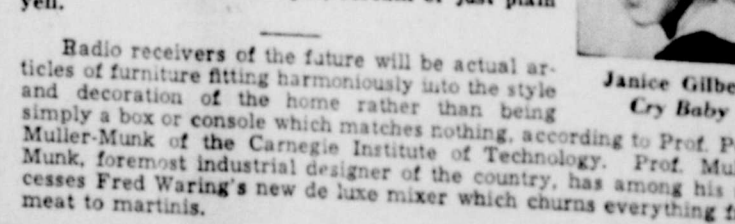
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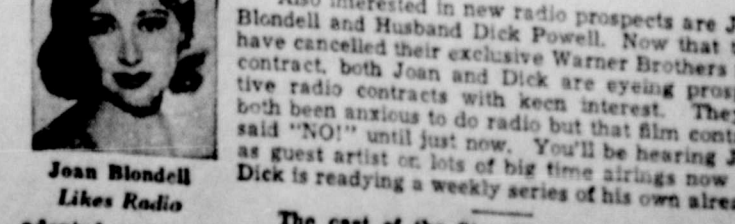
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LISTEN TO THIS
By TOM FIZDALE
Broadcasters and business in general might take a tip from the motion picture industry which is looking forward to the development of South American markets with the diminishing demand for their products in Europe. Broadcasters are already developing definite schedules of programs to South America, but wouldn't it be a good idea to send some of our popular radio stars on a personal appearance tour of the Latin American countries? It would be an excellent manner of building a greater following for our radio programs and, of course, for the products they advertise. They could follow the route of the American Republics Line, hitting all of the countries it does. Might be good business.

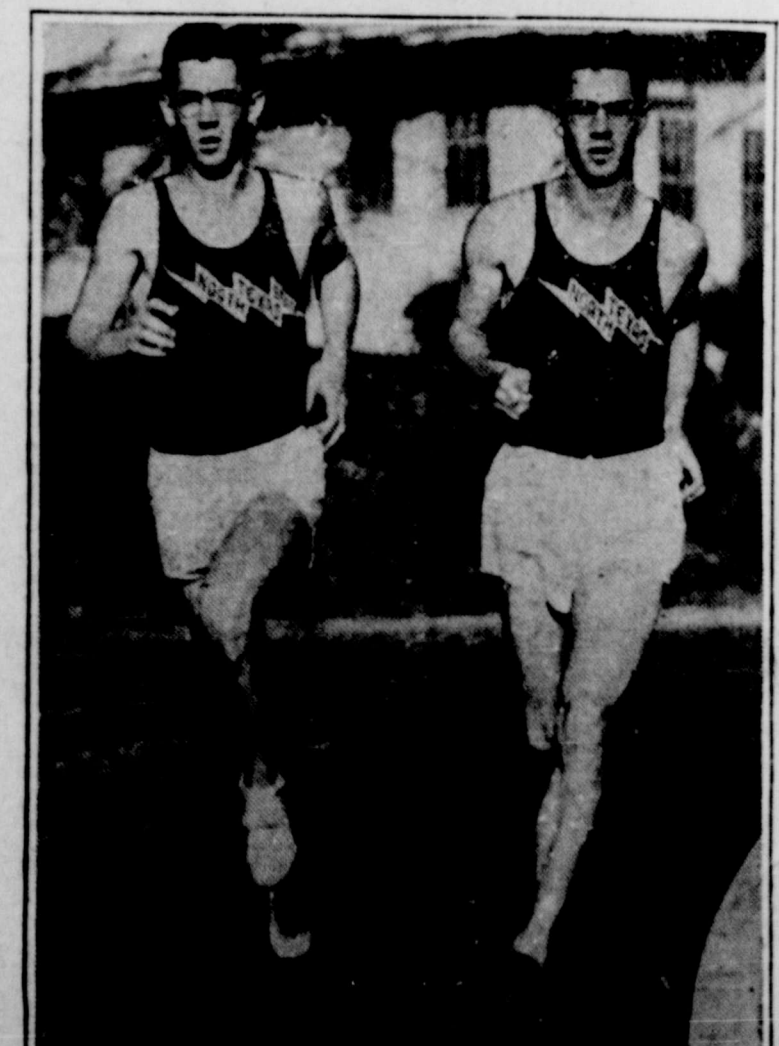


Recently both Bob Benchley and Al Jolson announced they'd stop staging previews of their broadcasts. They feel that a comedian gives his best performance of any show only once and if he does that at the preview then he's stale before time for the actual broadcast. But, on the other hand, Eddie Cantor insists the previews help him. His script starts out at over eighty pages all of which the preview studio audience cuts more than half of his script keeping for the broadcast only those gags and situations which pleased the preview audience most. So, like any other discussion, there're two sides to this one.



Add Odd Occupations: Janice Gilbert, who is the baby in "Her Honor, Nancy James." Crying babies are Janice's specialty. She can cry in all styles and degrees, whimper, scream or just plain yell.
Radio receivers of the future will be actual articles of furniture fitting harmoniously into the style and decoration of the home rather than being simply a box or console which matches nothing, according to Prof. Peter Muller-Munk of the Carnegie Institute of Technology. Prof. Muller-Munk, foremost industrial designer of the country, has among his successes Fred Waring's new de luxe mixer which churns everything from meat to martinis.
Among the radio shows being renewed this time of year are the Don Ameche-Charlie McCarthy offering which is contracted for another fifty-three weeks; the Sunday Handwagon, Good News and Little Orphan Annie for another year and the Hour of Charm for an added thirteen weeks. Although new shows being planned for early airing bring to radioland such stars as Walter O'Keefe, Cary Grant and Carol Lombard almost all of your present favorites will remain on the air.
Also interested in new radio prospects are Joan Blondell and Husband Dick Powell. Now that they contract, both Joan and Dick are eyeing prospective radio contracts with keen interest. They've both been anxious to do radio but that film contract said "NO!" until just now. You'll be hearing Joan as guest artist on lots of big time airings now and Dick is readying a weekly series of his own already.
The cast of the Star Theatre radio show has adopted as mascot the two-weeks-old baby of Jimmy Wallington. "I hope that doesn't mean we'll have to take turns diapering the baby," growled Ned Sparks.
"Not any more than it means he's got to smoke your cigar," repeated Jimmy.

Track Stars At N. T. S. T. C.



Wayne and Blaine Rideout, twins freshmen in the school. Identical twins, they often finish first and second in a race, and only inches apart when they cross the tape.

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that an improvement since last week? We are glad to have Ellis Adams back at school...

The fifth grade is really doing its part in the events for the county meet. Almost everyone in this grade is entering in some event.

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SECOND GRADE Miss Hollis' Section

Ray Johnson went to see his uncle, Ira Johnson and family Sunday.

Colleen Higgins attended Willa Dean Hancock's birthday party Saturday evening.

Betty Fern Pruitt was absent Friday due to illness.

Don Otis Eakins visited his brother, Guy Jr., in Brownwood over the week end.

Bobby Jack Rainwater visited with his uncle and aunt in the Millerville Community Sunday.

Otis Hunter went to see his cousin, Hollie Dean Holder, Sunday.

Rufus Snader visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Trodder, in Iredell Saturday.

Loyce Burcham has had the chicken pox, but is back in school now.

Billy Carter has been absent for the past week and a half. We hope he will be back in school soon.

Honey Grove By ANA LOUE MOSS

Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Jordan and daughter, Martha Isabelle, of Carlton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. King Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Randolph and daughters returned home Sunday after a ten days' visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton of Stephenville spent the week end with Mrs. Shelton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis and family.

Dee Massingill visited in the W. A. Moss home Tuesday evening.

The H. D. Club meeting to be at Mrs. W. A. Moss' on pruning with T. D. Craddock and Miss LaGrone, February 9th, will be February 10th, as Miss LaGrone had a meeting that would conflict with the 9th.

Everyone had a grand time at the Honey Grove School House Friday night, January 27th. The H. D. Club Ladies and some visitors brought well-filled, beautiful decorated boxes from the shape of a little wagon up and down.

After Mr. and Mrs. Fern Jordan and son, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Vinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. Deck Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Battershell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Davis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Roach Clifton and family of Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton and son of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sears and daughter of Altman and Rev. R. W. Call of Carlton arrived, string music by Avery Coffman, Anson Vinson, Jub Davis and Mrs. Roy Sears was enjoyed. Mr. Davis rendered several vocal numbers accompanying himself on the guitar. J. W. Jordan, Sr., gave a short talk introducing the speaker of the evening and the auctioneer of the boxes, Rev. R. W. Call.

Everyone had a delicious supper and a very enjoyable time.

If your furs look dead and lusterless comb them with a course-toothed comb lightly dipped in glycerine.

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Fairy By MRS. HOLLIS FORD

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and children, Daphne, Darwin and Patsy Ann, and James Dudley Richardson were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Porterfield and children of Waxahachie last Sunday week.

The Hoovers and Porterfields were celebrating their wedding anniversary, it being exactly 21 years, Jan. 22, since both couples were married in the same ceremony. The Porterfields were formerly residents of Fairy before locating in Waxahachie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wright were business visitors in Fort Worth last Thursday week.

Mrs. Hyima Tyler of Dallas is visiting with her mother, Mrs. W. L. Jones, while Mr. Jones and his two sons, Wiley and Meriman, are drilling for oil in Corpus Christi.

The Carlton senior boys, senior girls and junior boys played our teams here Tuesday night. The senior boys were victorious by a score of 14-13. The girls and junior boys were defeated. Many Carlton folks came over for the game. We were glad to have you. Come back.

Alman girls, boys and outsiders came over Thursday night. Our girls and junior boys were victorious. The Fairy outside team lost. We want to thank Mr. Charlie Dasher and Mr. McGlothlin, both of Energy, for playing with our outside team.

The W. O. W. Lodge met Thursday night for regular meetings for the first time since last summer.

Mrs. Pauline Burden and Mrs. Sallie Purdon of Hico visited with Mrs. W. L. Jones and daughter, Hyima, Friday afternoon.

Little Bobby Kenneth Driver and Nona Glenn Brunson, also little Eva Nell Pitts of Hamilton, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cunningham and H. S. Pitts here, have been on the sick list. We hope them much improved soon.

Mr. Lester Grisham, boys' coach, and his ball team, Arland Jacobs, Vernon Hughes, Vernon Jackson, John Russell, Osborne Garner, Gene Tinkle, Carl Patterson and Mrs. Clifford Tinkle and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ford attended the Hillsboro-John Tarleton basketball game at Stephenville Friday night.

Those from Fairy who saw the Fairy boys win the championship at the tournament held at Iredell Saturday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blakely and cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Grisham and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jackson and children, Ray Miller, Odom Russell, J. N. Pitts, W. E. Goynne, Tommie Jo and Roby Lee Allison, Clara Cook, Sam Battershell, Glenn Hutton, Mrs. Robert Hutton and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ford.

Mr. J. L. Betts of Louisiana, 78-year old father of T. L. Betts in our community, made his first visit to Hamilton County this week to see his son and family here. Mrs. T. L. Betts returned to Louisiana with him Sunday morning, where she will visit with her husband's sister there.

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TODAY and TOMORROW



ROPE treasures

After being tied to the surface of the earth for countless ages, mankind has begun in the past few years to explore both the heights above and the depths beneath.

We fly high land and sea with the ease of the birds and at far greater speed. In submarine boats we swim under water like a fish.

There are still higher heights and deeper depths about which we know nothing. While one group of scientists explores stratosphere in balloons, another group is trying to discover what lies at the bottom of the ocean's deepest valleys.

The Carnegie Institution of Washington has made a steel rope seven miles long, with which its explorers are bringing up specimens from the bed of the sea.

One of the most interesting discoveries so far made is that there are greater concentrations of radium far down under the ocean than have yet been found on dry land.

Since every river has been depositing the minerals washed down from the hills into the sea for millions of years, it is probable that the greatest store of radium on earth lies miles under water. Whether much of it can ever be recovered is a problem to which there is as yet no answer.

JEWELRY service

In awarding the American Hebrew Medal for 1938 to President Roosevelt for the most outstanding service of the year in promoting better understanding between Jews and Christians, the committee of eminent citizens and churchmen of all creeds said they selected Mr. Roosevelt.

They selected him because by all his words and actions since he has been in public service he has promoted better understanding among all races and creeds; because in the past year he took the initiative at every crisis in Jewish affairs and did everything in his power to bring about a humane solution; and because he was responsible for the Evian Conference for aiding refugees of Central Europe.

Nothing so sharply marks the difference between the concept of democracy as we hold it in America and the autocratic governments of Europe, than the complete absence of discrimination against Jews in public office or industrial and business leadership which exists in America.

There is still too much of the ancient prejudice inherited from old European traditions. It showed itself when protests were made against the appointment of an eminent Jew to a seat on the Supreme Court bench, vacated by the death of another great Jew.

LUMBER submerged

To many a New England farmer the stand of white pine timber in his woodlot is an important if not his chief source of cash income.

The hurricane which devastated the northeastern states last Fall blew down trees which would have been worth to their owners more than twenty million dollars. Eight times as much timber is lying on the ground as would be cut in a normal year.

The double problem which the people of New England and the United States Forest Service are trying to solve is, first, how to prevent disastrous fires from destroying the fallen timber and spreading to standing timber; and second, how to keep the fallen timber from rotting before it can be marketed over the next few years.

The best answer, timber experts say, is to get the logs under water as quickly as possible. Pine logs will last for years under water, where they would rot on the surface in a year or two. So all over the devastated sections of New England farmers are staking logs to the nearest ponds, and the Government is lending them up to 80 percent of the timber value as soon as the logs are safely under water.

FLYING jobs

If the present plans for enlarging the air forces of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard are carried out, there will be a greater demand for competent flyers than there are young men to take the new jobs, by the time the new planes are ready for service.

The plan proposed, to include aviation in college Reserve Officers Training Corps courses, ought to develop a large number of new young flyers in a year or two.

At present there are fewer than 2,000 Army flyers in active service, and fewer than that in the Reserve Corps. The Navy has a few more, but both services have nowhere near enough to man the 10,000 or more fighting planes which will be put into service before long.

And there is even greater shortage of skilled airplane mechanics. It takes three men on the ground servicing planes, for every flyer in the air.

Shoplifting with 'Jots'

While snooping around Petty's we discovered some cute new sweaters to freshen up a winter suit or to complete a spring one. They're made of a cotton and rayon yarn that you'd scarcely recognize from boucle in rose, blue or natural. You can afford several at the price—one of the button-up-the-front styles or the popular high boat neck.

Not being a Mexican, a Spaniard or even a Spanish scholar, we couldn't swear to the spelling, but we think they're "huaraches." If you doubt our word you can drop by Hoffman Bros. and see for yourself. They were received only this week and are going fast, so hurry and get yours while the size range is complete. They are woven of tan and white leather and boast natural wood heels.

If you don't want to buy any light bulbs, don't mention same around Ollie Davis, high-pressure salesman who will sell you the light globes and see that you have some juice to burn in them. Ollie is entering into the spirit of the "more light on the subject" campaign and is anxious to replace all those 40-watt globes with 100-watt sizes. Call him at the Community Public Service Co. for a carton and keep them on hand until the next time one burns out.

Porter's Drug Store has three new shades of Cara Nome lipstick for those who have used Cara Nome and know that there is none better. The new shades are Castanet, a dull pottery shade; Burgundy, a purplish blue; and Nutmeg, a gorgeous tone that blends with almost any skin.

Spring out when it's warm in a new spring print. Richbourg's have forseen your need for a new dress to brighten the February scene. Purchased in 3 1/2-yard dress lengths, no two alike, you are assured of a lovely new spring dress if you select one of their McCall patterns to make it by.

Jesse Bobo has secured the contract for wiring the new Kookon building in Hamilton, to begin in about a week. Mr. Bobo is to be congratulated upon his success in securing this job as there were quite a few electrical contractors from over the country anxious to land the bid. The Kookon building is a large two-story structure located near the post office and is being remodeled throughout. Jesse says his out-of-town work will not interfere with his local duties, which are varied and manifold. At present he is engaged in rewiring the Baptist Church.

Assuming that you have some money the Corner Drug has some handsome new billfolds you can put in. The price is most negligible considering their beauty, and you'll be proud of your purchase. If you have been trying to make the old one last a few more months, think it over, look over these new ones and you'll change your mind, even if you don't have anything but your girl's picture to put in it.

Frank Mingus, who has done more than his part in making attractive the burial parks and cemeteries in this section of the state, says that he has enjoyed an unusually good business the past few months. Mr. Mingus keeps well informed as to the latest trends in monument designs and his personal store of information is invaluable in assisting his customers to select appropriate designs to mark graves. Mr. Mingus has erected monuments in all surrounding counties and states that all those who have recently purchased monuments from him have been liberal in their expenditures, indicating better business conditions in general.

WANT ADS

AAA grade Buff Orpington eggs, 50 cents setting. Mrs. C. C. Simmons, Hico.

FOR RENT: Camp Joy Service Station and Cafe. Fully equipped. See Walton Gandy.

FOR SALE: Mule colt; three mares, from 1250-1400. J. L. Gosdin, Iredell, Route 2. 35-2p.

FOR RENT: Two nice rooms. See J. R. Bobo. 35-tfc.

FOR SALE: Work horses and mares. Aubrey Duzan. 35-tfc.

Bryant Mebane Pedigreed Cotton Seed, \$1.85 bu. Qualla X 2 Pedigreed Cotton Seed, \$2.00 bu. T. J. Snellings, Hico, Texas, at A. A. Powell's Shoe Shop. 33-tfc.

If you would like to reduce the payments on your auto note, or wish to borrow money to buy a car, or for any purpose, see the Ellis Insurance Agency at Stephenville, Texas. 11-tfc.

Rural Electrification Customers: When you are ready for wiring, I would like to do your work. This is done at standard prices set by law, and I guarantee a satisfactory job. Jesse Bobo. 33-tfc.

Subscribers NEWS AND VIEWS

Ray Duckworth, Route 4, was in last week to make arrangements for another year of the News-Review. Since Mr. Duckworth is such a busy man we figure he was getting the paper for that little girl of his to read. Little Ray Latrelle made her appearance recently in the Duckworth home and before long we know she will be reading the Hico paper to her father.

Mrs. J. C. Laney, Route 5, renewed her subscription through E. S. Howell of Stephenville, who is also the agent for Semi-Weeklies. Mr. Howell has been falling down on his job since Christmas, but found a ready customer when he called on Mrs. Laney for a renewal. Mrs. Laney keeps up with her Hico kinfolks through the N-R.

Charlie Meador, City, will get the Hico paper weekly for the next six months—or else we'll have to do some tall explaining to his sister-in-law, Mrs. Roy Meador, who drove by one morning last week and received curb service on the order.

When Jennie saw A. L. Ford come in the door last Friday she at first considered leaving by way of the rear door, as we noticed in perusing the paper Thursday night that we had called him "R. D. Ford." However, Mr. Ford was in his usual good humor and said not a word about our error. Instead, he showed his good faith in our humble efforts by renewing his subscription and that of his daughter, Mrs. Mable Segrest, Route 3.

Emmett Luker, Route 6, who has been without the paper for several months, and during the same time hasn't been entirely satisfied with the egg market, came in last week end to renew his subscription for luck. Besides giving him his money's worth in newspapers, we plan to see what we can do about the egg market.

A. J. Mulligan, Route 7, who visits us quite often whether in need of the paper or not, came by last week to find out about his paper. He had us renew for his Semi-Weekly at the same time. He probably would not keep such close check on the expiration dates if it were not for Mrs. Mulligan. We don't believe she'd let him come home if she missed a paper.

While looking over our list of delinquent subscribers, we noticed that the paper going to Barnes & McCullough lumber company of Goldthwaite was due to expire

will last week's issue. However, our good friends in Goldthwaite allow us to mark up their time when the subscription expires and they promptly forward us a check. Such a policy proves satisfactory since it saves them the trouble of trying to keep up with the date.

Mrs. Lena Coifman, Route 2, renewed through Elmer Carlton, postmaster at Carlton, who handles our subscriptions very well in his locality.

Frank Smith, proficient in a number of trades, did a job for the institution Wednesday, and refused pay when we tendered the dollar he estimated it was worth. Said for us to just keep it and apply it on his subscription which would be out soon. Thanks for everything.

The single issue that probably reaches the greatest number of readers goes each week to the Office of Publicity at the University of Texas in Austin. The many uses which they find for it would more than likely astonish us. However, as long as they find it necessary on their list of thousands of papers from Texas and other states, we will take pride in handling this subscription.

J. R. Tidwell, Route 3, Iredell, has renewed through another of our representatives, Leonard Howard, as did also A. C. Alexander of this city.

Application for Medicinal Pharmacy Permit, at the building known as the Dr. C. M. Hall Building at the corner of Pecan and North First Streets, Hico, Texas, by J. B. Ogle and S. J. Cheek, owners of the Corner Drug Company. 35-2t

Application for Medicinal Pharmacy Permit, at the building known as the Whittemire Building, 308 West Pecan Street, Hico, Texas, by E. F. Porter, sole owner of Porter's Drug Store. 36-2c

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9	Women's Fall Hats	.10
10	Women's 2.98 Twin Sweater Sets	1.98
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2	Women's Evening Gowns, reg. 10.95	3.95
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22	Children's 1.00 Wash Dresses	.59
14	Girls 1.00 Twin Sweater Sets	.49
10	1.98 Blanket Bath Robes	1.00
8	1.95 Esmond Indian Blankets	1.00
13	59c Single Cotton Blankets	.39
7	Boys Corduroy Jackets, reg. 1.49	.98
8	Boys Corduroy Boot Pants, reg. 1.49	.98
19	Boys 1.00 Flannel Jackets	.69
9	Boys 1.95 Rubberized Fleeclined Jacket	1.00
8	Men's 3.95 Leather Suede Jackets	2.98
9	Pair Men's Cowboy Boots, reg. 7.95	5.00
26	Men's Winter Unions, reg. 79c	.59
38	Child's Tuck Stitch Undies, reg 19c	2 for 25c
8	Children's Flannel Pajamas, reg. 59c	.39

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