## "By Helping Business You Help Yourself" The Floyd County Plainsman

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he Lockney city gov an't offer you a restranded seamen. Capt. Wilhelm Lockney Monday. through Mayor there. But public

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MUNITY UPSET under such circumcople didn't want the

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Swastika communi-Dison of the Lockney a Swastika switch Fe Railroad. But it's and that's all. No Further, the switch was ika long before Hitler

no German settlement

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Fort Worth, Cleburne, other places in Texas sed proposals to intern n their vicinities.

ESENT QUARTERS INADEQUATE

mbus, a luxury liner which ed between New York ean points, was scuttled tic last September when

plea to the Lockney city the ship's master said, my crew are men with They have been working he steamship company. ald be under ship's disciing internment."

en are interned on Annear San Francisco. The aid the present quarters equate.—The Amarillo

### Fire Boys ended Meetof Assn.

tams from the local fire deattended the Panhandle Association Convention day night, Tuesday and night in Dalhart. men were included in the

om Floydada and competed other teams from over the for three prizes offered association in the pumpers esday evening. Out of seven entered Floydada placed Three cash prizes of \$65. \$10.00, went to the winning Claude and Pampa tied for

ttending the Dalhart gathom Floydada were: Verne chief; Carl Nelson, Carl Roy Neighbors, Ed Dunayan Hinkle, Virgil Orman, th, and E. A. Thomas. session of the associaheld Tuesday morning and banquet and speaking was lay evening. The associa-

ed to hold its next gather-

anaugh do your Printing

NYA Aid Will

### Help 16,000 Students

Austin, September 11 .- More than 16,000 high school students in Texas are being enabled to return to school this month as a result of part-time jobs provided by the National Youth Administration, according to J. C. Kellam, state NYA administrator.

During the entire school year now starting 22,078 different school students in Texas will be given part. time work for wages which mean the difference between being abe to continue their education and dropping

### 746 Enroll In Floydada Public Schools Monday

public schools was held Monday morning. The juniors and seniors reported Friday morning and regis tered. A meeting for all of the teach ers in the school system was held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the high school building. On Saturday evening following the meeting a reception for the teachers and school board was held at 8 o'clock at the high school.

Three new teachers have recently been added to the personnel of the school faculty to fill two vacancies at Andrews Ward school caused by resignation of Misses Jana Hughes and Nancy Ann Hadsell, and an assistant coach at high school. They are: Miss Bessie Lou Mathews, of Crosbyton; Miss Margaret Stuart, of Sterley, and W. V. Hale, of Lubbock, was elected assistant coach and wil teach science at high school.

360 high school students were en rolled at the Floydada High School, Texas as a stop on the and 386 were enrolled at Andrews Ward School.

The program Monday morning ever heard of the place. Which started at 9 o'clock, was a the ship's brief talk by local ministers of the immigration service various churches of the town. Folo find a place to intern lowing which Superintendent Walter Travis introduced to the students the teachers for the term, and explained the rules of the school for the term to the students for the benefit of

the new students. High School Faculty are: Superintendent, Walter Travis; Principal, Robert iLnden; Coach, Odell Winter; Assistant Coach, W. V. Hale; Gayle Hemphill, M. T. Camp, H. G. Bar-. Hopes of such action

Rees. Reba Copeland. Andrews Ward School: John H. nisota, Monday morning. Myers, Principal; Howard Amick, Coach; Misses Merle Eaton, Maurine Hoyle, Vera Meredith, Carolyn West er, Beryl Busby, Rita Rhodes, Ruby Norton, Elizabeth Caldwell, Fannie Mae Bail, Dorothy Hoyle, and Margret Stuart.

#### South Plains Fair **Directors Place** Tickets on Sale South Plains Fair Directors an

nounced early this week that an advanced ticket sale would begin immediately and continue until Saturday, September 28, thereby giving residents of the South Plains an opportunity of securing special rates to visit their fair.

Tickets have been placed on sale in Lubbock and other places at a special price. Regular fifty-cent single admision tickets, four to a strip, are being placed on sale for \$1.00-a regular \$2.00 value. The regular 50c front gate admission will remain the same, officials declared. The special bargain sale makes the

cost of tickets only 25c. This special advance ticket sale will be in effect until Saturday, Sep. tember 28. After that time the regular admission price will be in effect All those interested in securing these bargain tickets may do so by writing the Panhandle South Plains Fair As. sociation, Lubbock, enclosing a money order or bank draft in the correct amount. No tickets will be sold under \$1.00. Each person may buy as many tickets as he or she

This special sale wil make possible attendance at the fair by hundreds of South Plains families who heretofore have not been able to attend as many times as they would like.

Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, Thursday, September 12, 1940

### Well-Planned Two-Story Model





FIRST FLOOR PLAN

The plan of this two-story home is simple yet interesting. The first floor is given over to the functions of living while the second floor consists of two bedrooms and a bath. Unusual in a small home is the excellent lighting and ventilation which this house can Given a valuation of this property was financed with a Federal Housing Administration insured mortgage of \$5,300. Monthly payments on a mortgage of this amount, exclusive of taxes and hazard insurance, amount

SECOND FLOOR PLAN

#### Local Boys Will WPA Expended Attend N.T.S T.C During Month At Denton

son; Ham Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith; Keith Tye, son of enroll at North Texas State Teachers College for the term.

to approximately \$30.

Edward Wester, son of Mr. and According to a report released this Mrs. J. C. Wester; Emmitt Henson, week, during the month of August employment to thirteen needy women. WPA expended \$679.84 for Sunday for Denton where they will payroll during the month. 68 famisewing, and canning.

project said.

In early Texas it went farther than just diyng with your boots on. goes the full route. Records in the University of Texas \$679.84 for Payroll library show that at least one early colonist was buried, according to his

the same period.

neering expert says.

#### Football Training Season Opened at A and M

College Station, September 11. Football came back to Texas A and the 1940 campaign under the guid-

heads" in semi-tough scrimmage. The shape yet making it unnecessary to

Another unusual phase was that the players all remembered the plays even the first year men, and all stepped through th signal drills against opponents lines with the precision of teams much longer in training. In fact it was not necessary for any of them to turn to the big blackboard where the plays were sketched for

Some of the boys arrived a few pounds over or underweight and the first day of drill took about eight pounds off each of them. However, thick steaks and sleep put it back of Floydada have a real treat in before the next drill and they had store for them in the way of a stage gained back to within a pound or so of where they were when they weighed in.

The underweight boys showed gain for the first two days and the shower baths. Add to that weight boys, game time poundage. However, bear in mind that a hard game will

Coach Norton made no change in tion will be under the personal dihis potential starting team at the rection of Mr. Dick Darling, who colonist was buried, according to his start but has told the candidates that joined the Sadler company direct own instructions, standing erect and all they have to do to get on it is from a Metropolitan engagement. in full dress, holding his rifle on his to do a better job than the man hold. Special costumes and Strobelite elec ing the assignment now.

John Kimbrough, Haskell, 220 Since 1928, University of Texas pounds, fullback; Jim Thomason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Hen the Housekeeping Aid Project gave debaters have won first place in ten Brownwood, 200 pounds, right halfout of twelce debate tournaments, back; Derace Moser, Stephenville, and have captured 71 per cent of the 180 pounds, left halfback; and Maplaces in 195 forensics contests over rion Pugh, Fort Worth, 189 pounds quarterback, at present make up the quarterback, at present make up the rank backfield. The line will have Football Material The 549-foot San Jacinto monu Bill Buchanan, Weatherford, 177 If you don't believe women can ment near Houston has settled 2.8 pounds, right end; Chip Routt, Chap-Mrs. B. A. Bolding, who has been build furniture then visit the house inches since its construction three el Hill, 205 pounds, right tackle; Eunice Howell, Sudie Miller, Bert viisting the past month with her keeping aide project located in the years ago, should sink another three Charlie Henke, Kerrville, 207 pounds, by to return the seamen to Ione Smith, Lois Wren, Fannie Mae parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jeter, courthouse. At present they are inches in the next five years, a Uni-Robnett, Klondike, 205 pounds, left guard; Ernie Pannell, Waco, 215 pounds, left tackle; and Jim Sterling, Panhandle, 190 pounds, left end.

That possible starting team is composed of nine seniors and two juniors, all lettermen, and averages 197 pounds for the line.

From now until school opens the team will have two drills daily but are: Gordon Patterson, Bruce Foster, after registration on the nineteenth LeRoy Chowning, Arthur Womack, they will have but one practice pe-

fans, Coach Norton ordered temporary bleachers set up along t he sidelines so that the visitors can be com- J. D. Morrison, J. W. Grigsby, Doyle fortable while they watch the 1940 Walls, Harold Sparks, Bill Ferguson, Aggies go through their training. Morning sessions begin at 9:30 and Conway, Roy Latham, Cardinal, Elthe afternoon drills at 3:30. Coach Norton has extended an invitation to Aggie followers to come and see Griffith. how the team looks to them.

The opening game will be against Texas A and I Javelinas here on Kyle Field, Saturday, September 28.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hatley and Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Glover visited October 4, Crowell at Floydada; Oc-Sunda yin Abilene with Mrs. Hat | tober 11, Ralls at Floydada; October ley's brother, Bill Cardwell, and her mother, Mrs. J. R. Cardwell, of Lela, who is visiting in the home of her son at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Williams, and at Floydada. son, Tommie, of Hamilton, visited from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones and family Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Jones are sisters.

United States farmers have enough | Conway. grains in 1940, including Ever-Normal Granary reserves, to produce 78 pounds of pork for every one of the 132,000,000 people in the nation or 14 pounds more than each person ate in 1939.

A man with a hoe is the best weed.



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#### Harley Sadler and His New Stage Show Coming

find an ad hearalding the coming of America's oldest and leading stage shows. For something like 25 years this popular company has been play. ing here each season, and this year according to Mr. Sadler, the people corners of America for talent, which musicians, dancers, the best that ones at their regular weights have lines. Many new features will be introducted. Special scenery will be Lovable Old Grouch," a brand new the approximate 15 pounds their full play that the Sadler company has equipment weighs and you have the never presented before. An outstanding feature this year will be take 10 pounds off each player who presented by 30 minute presentations trical effects which might be termed technicolor in vaudeville will be used, a feature not seen before in the southwest. The doors will open at 7:15. The vaudeville program starts at 8:10. Popular prices will prevail.

### Is Plentiful Says Coach Winter The Floydada Whirlwinds have

been fighting hard this week to show Coach Winter they really have fight and are vigorous. Coach winter reports that he has a larger group of boys out this year than ever before. The players are as follows:

Co-Captains R. E. Golightly and Dillion Patterson; other squadsmen Jr., Maurice Steen, Joe Rushing, Royce Turner, Norman Goen, Jess Instead of locking the gates to the Miechol, Archie Muncy, Bob Patterson, Robert Warren, Bennie Crawford, L. B. Cosby, Buddy Norman, Fred Lloyd, Virgil Boetler, Junior ton Reasoner, Hubert Gray, John Colville, Dewin Fyffe, and Robin

WHIRLWIND'S 1940 SCHEDULE

Following is the schedule of games to be played during the coming season: September 20, Slaton at Slaton; September 27, Tulia at Floydada; 18, Open; October 25, Paducah at Paducah; November 1, Lockney at Floydada; November 8, Matador at Matador: November 15, Crosbyton at Crosbyton; and November 21, Spur

Miss Florrie Conway left today for Fort Worth and from there she will go to Waco, where she will enroll as a junior in Baylor University. Miss Conway is a daughter of Mrs. O. M.

Misses Lanelle Harmon and Jane Clark left Sunday for Abilene, where they will enter Abilene Christian College. A. B. Clark carried them to Abilene.

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#### Texas Bankers In Educational Meeting at Austin

extending credit for crop and live- of the borrower and the land which

the program of the second annual Bailey cautioned. Texas Bankers Educational Confer-

key topic for the four-day school, forts of a practical character, under Hambleton, executive vice president, serted. and Gus S. Blankenship, president,

of view is Texas' major problem." Dr. vicinity of Jacksonville needing only

quires very efficient business orga- | would also include advances on pro-

deevloping this system of agriculture Banks and similar agencies." Texas at this time is to get the bankers to back the farmers who have the knowledge and the desire to ceiving treatment for the past two develop a permanent, efficient farm weeks in the West Texas Veterans unit. We have all too many bankers | Hospital, Amarillo, returned home who still think of security farm Sunday. Mrs. Covington went to loans entirely in terms of acres of Amarillo after Mr. Covington. cotton or heads of livestock, rather than in terms of the farmer and his farm as a permanent uith of production. This type of farm credit spent the week end with Mr. and must bear a large share of the re. Mrs. Wilmer Jones and Mr. and Mrs. sponsibility for the bad state of our agriculture, and the bankers have the responsibility and the golden opportunity to take the leadership in and Mrs. W. C. Sims, has enrolled in developing permanent agriculture in Wayland College, Plainview, for the

Bailey urged the country banker to seek to obtain the fullest information possible about the financial, business in the area served by the bank.

"It is hardly fair," he pointed out. "that the farmer's approach for credit should be to one who gives thought solely to the pledge of security which guarantees payment, and cry. It is entirely possible for the Austin, September 11 .- Farming is these chattle mortgage borrowers the backbone of rural economics, and into a higher grade or class of clicountry bankers are "cutting ents, with whom business becomes their own throats' 'by failing to rec. more permanent, by a study of their ognize their obligations to idnividual farming plans, and a previously farmers and to their community in gained knowledge of the credit worth

country bankers" who appeared on lity than to his individual client,

"It has been demonstrated repeat edly that movements for diversified farming programs, or pioneering ef as one hour class daily was devoted the leadership of country bankers those which carried the sponsorship Bank, Clarksville, Tenn.; Howard of some civic organization," he as

fact that Texas farmers require less A fourth speaker, Dr. A. B. Cox, financing to operate than do those University cotton expert, likewise of neighboring states. He said the average production credit loan in West Virginia is in excess of \$800, "The building of permanent farm in Arkansas less than \$500, while in mits instead of makeshifts for effi- East Texas the average is not more cient production of farm products than \$300. Tenant farmers of East and people with a wholesome point Texas require even less, those in the

more of the farmer's income be cash. should be limited to crop loans, cat. an oil company in Wichita Falls. of agriculture I am talking the and other livestock, trucks and Texas. about is highly commercial and re- farming equipment," he stated. "This nization. Instead of having just one ducts which can be stored, such as cash enterprise the modern farm cotton, wheat, tobacco, etc. The purchase of land and improvements "The second biggest problem in should be given to Federal Land

J. C. Covington, who has been re

Mr. and Mrs. Dorris W. Jones and daughter, Linda Gay, of Matador, W. O. Jones and family.

Miss Jean Sims, daughter of Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Norman and son, Leeman, went to Norman, Okand moral reputation of every farmer lahoma, Sunday where Leeman will enter college for the term.

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2,300 dry holes were drilled in Texas year at a cost of nearly 60 million do

Since oil was discovered in Texas, 52,000 holes have been drilled in all sections of State at an expense of more than one bu dollars.

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Whether the oil man wins or h





HOULD HELP

am's center-forward Time and time again a pass right in front out on each occasion cicked or sent the ball

entually failed to score a penalty kick the parowd reached break-

infuriated home-"Here's a halfthat you want." I want that for?" asked enter-forward.

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graphy Gone Mad ho just recently started ol feels that any comletters should spell . d been coming in and ther what "obl" or

eplied mother, as usu-David exclaimed, "I nev-

any ways to spell 'noth-

NDISPENSABLE



I could have Teddy." Not Eligible

e the matter, lad?" asked won't play Red Indians with

mind," said his grandfa-

ng to please the child. "I'll Indians with you instead." stayed his tears and ightfully at his grandald head.

ou won't do," he said; een scalped already."

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wirthday again! They're Both Right the young couples next agree-that they take an

lew about their first kiss. he says he let a kiss fool alle she says she let a fool

IDENCE TOO STRONG



bad butter? Was there no him to get out of it?" the evidence was too

U R? said the teacher reyou misspelled most of n your composition." explained Johnnie; "Tm a dialect writer."

In Between ween two fairs, ast trains to and fro; "East," one says, "West," tbook says, "No."

And Pocketbooks ish I was a Scotchman.



A man was charged with shooting number of pigeons, the property of a farmer. Counsel for the defense tried to frighten the farmer. "Now," he remarked, "are you

prepared to swear that this man shot your pigeons?" "I didn't say he did shoot 'em."

was the reply. "I said I suspected "Ah! Now we're coming to it

What made you suspect this man?" "Well, firstly, I caught him on my land wi' a gun. Secondly, I heard gun go off and saw some pigeons Thirdly, I found four o' my pigeous in his pocket—and I don't think them birds flew there and committed suicide.

The sergeant had 20 recruits lined up for fatigue duty. They were not as energetic as the sergeant thought they should be; so he tried to cure

job for the laziest man pres-Will the laziest man raise his right hand?"

Nineteen men raised their right

with the rest?" inquired the sergeant of the remaining one.

"Too much trouble," was the re-

STATUESQUE

"Jane is a statuesque beauty.

Sleep Walker

Sister Gladys-Didyou dream that you were out riding with Alford last Sister Harriet-Yes. But how did

you guess it? Sister Gladys-I saw you walking

in your sleep.

One Hundred Per Cent "Gassoway's speeches have improved a lot since he got somebody

else to write them for him." "Yes, and they'd be improved a lot more if he could get somebody else to deliver them."

Reason Enough

"He married Sylvia because she's different from all the other women he knows.

"Different! How?" "She's the only one who would

A Little Drowsy "Do you think they approved of my sermon?" asked the newly appointed rector, hopeful that he had made a good impression. "Yes, I think so," replied his wife.

"They were all nodding." Unsentimental Patron-Say, waiter, this steak

isn't very tender. Tired Waiter-Well, did you expect it to put its arms around your neck and kiss you?

NO OBJECTION



Tramp-I don't lady; but I've always found so many other things

Onion Breath "I see food is so scarce in Germany that a man has lived on onions for two weeks alone." "Any man who lives on onions

ought to live alone!"

He-I can give you 10 reasons why you should marry me. She-Have you that many bank

Limited Gangl-The person who tells of our faults is our best friend. Tyte-You're right. But he won't



NOT FAR OUT

In a recent county court case one laughter by describing the defendant's chauffeur as a "chiffonier"!

On repeating the blunder, he was pulled up by counsel for the defense. "Chauffeur, my friend, chauffeur!" corrected the latter. "A chiffonier, you know, is an ornamental,

'Oh, well," interrupted the wit ness, with a nod in the direction of like. I dare say we're both pretty near the mark!'

Not Very Hopeful

The new curate was keen on getting up a concert in the village hall. The first problem was the piano. He was told the cobbler had one. So

"Lend the planner?" was the

Then he went to the door of the back room and shouted:

Back floated a voice from the

kitchen: 'Why, ain't they in the garden?"

Efficient "I'm specializing in nerve treatment," said a young doctor.

"Have you had any success?" asked a friend. "I should say so," was the reply. Why, when I had finished with my ast case the patient asked me to



What plans have you made yet for camping out?"

"Only tentative ones."

I see you I have to laugh.

Woogy-And you? Why you're so funny that every time I see you I have a guilty feeling that I'm doing the government out of entertainment

Before or After

At a family party the men were discussing raspberry ple. "I can't eat it," said one, "the seeds get under my false teeth."

"Well that is easily solved," said lege. his brother-in-law. "Just remove your teeth before you eat the pie."

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First Player-Yo' gotta give it to our pitcher-he pitches wif his head! Second Player-Yea, bo, dat he do! Ah sin't seen him do anything lak dat wif his hands yit!

Modest Why is a watch the most modest thing in the world? Because it is forever holding its hands to its face and, no matter how good its works, is always running itself down!

A Good Reason Soph-Aw, whatcha wanta be a doctor of philosophy for? Frosh-So I can be a professor and walk on the grass.

Texas Has Eight Capitals in Ten Years

Austin, September 11.-Any school oy can tell you Austin's the capital of Texas, but it was a different story 00 years ago, University of Texas records show.

In fact, the capital of the Republic of Texas was moved so frequently there were probably times when even ome of the nation's officials coulan't of the witnesses was a man who did lay their finger on it. In the ten not deny that he had "little love for years before it joined the U. S., the motor-car." He raised a roar of Texas had eight capitals, and juggled the honor ebtween them eleven

The eight capitals, according to Iniversity of Texas records, were san Felipe, Washington, Harrisburg, Galveston, Velasco, Columbia, Houson and Austin, in that order. After 1839 to 1842, Houston and then the chauffeur, "call him what you Washington each had the honor a second time, but in 1945, when anexation took place, the capital of the new state was established at 1872 made that site permanent.

It was at San Felipe that the settlers of Texas, under the leadership of Stephen F. Austin, set up their first independent government; and cheery reply. "With pleasure. It's it was there that Sam Houston was in the cellar, but I can soon get it made commander in chief of the regular army.

At Washington, on the Brazos River, the general convention, March "Liza, where's the works of the 2, 1836, declared Texas "a free, sov. ereign and independent Republic." The Alamo fell four days later.

Harrisburg had probably the short. est reign of all, as well as the most hectic. During the month of March it was established as the capital, evacuated and burned by Mexicans who were so close on the heels of the flying government that they dropped annon balls all around the boat which was carrying David G. Burnet, president of the provisional gov-

In May, the government moved rom Galveston to Velasco, where the reaties with Santa Anna were signed, and Texas was first recognized ormally as an independent nation. By October, the capital was Columia, in Brazoria County, and by May f 1837, Houston, which had just een laid out. There it remained until October, 1839, when it was noved to Austin.

When Mexico again invaded Texs, in March, 1842, President Houson moved the capital once again to Washington in November, University ty library records show. But in 1845 it was returned to Austin perma-

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth and son, Larry Joe, visited in Ama-Boogy-You're just about the fun- rillo Sunday with their daughter, niest guy I know. Why every time Mrs. Jim Bandy and son, Mr. and Mrs. Somer Hollingsworth.

> Preserved in Texas Memorial Mueum on the University of Texas campus is the tomahawk used by Moses F. Austin and, later, his son, Stephen Pv Austin.

Garnett Ezell, Pat Collins and Jack McIntosh, are leaving this week end to attend Texas A. and M. Col-

Billy Burk Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry, will leave this Texan-Yes, indeed, Texas is a week for Kerrville, where he will

Miss Sappho Ward has gone to Miss Smalltown-Yes, we've got Lubbock where she will enroll in Tech College. Miss Goria Hammonds, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Hammonds,

will attend Tech College at Lubbock this year. James Fry Gibbs, Carl Arnold, and Miss Alice Bell, left this week for Stephensville, where they will at. end school at John Tarleton Col-



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#### Being Secret Agent Not Life of Immaculate Ease Spy . . . secret agent . . . espi-

We have to admit that there is about these words something which, for want of a better name we must

call glamour.

Much of that glamour, of course, is false-built up by books, films and plays in which the secret agent is shown leading a life of immaculate ease in a luxury hotel, or shooting his way to freedom in a sinisterlooking street.

Fiction never shows the spy as he really is-a lone wolf, working in surroundings where no man can be called his friend; working for a government which, ready to reward his services if successful, must entirely disown him if he is discovered and sentenced to death-or worse.

In the quarter of a century that has elapsed since the last war, much has been revealed about the workings of the secret service; the ways in which vital information has been transmitted. Clever, ingenious-yet how old-fashioned many of those methods seem now! Modern warfare is a matter of lightning decisions, swift moves, and the message written in the hem of a handkerchief or concealed on a coin definitely has its limits.

The man who stops his bicycle near a harbor and gets out his pump to pump up the tires may actually be getting out his camera. The camera spy today can be more subtle and less suspect than ever before, because of the amazing development in lenses and film emulsions which has taken place in recent years.

One of the biggest shocks we administered to Germany when the last war was over was the revelation that we had been possessed of a large number of her very secret codes, and that thousands of "condential' messages were translated for our own advantage.

#### Vanity Important for

A Pleasing Appearance Unquestionably, facial ugliness, whether due to congenital or acquired defects, even if superficial, imposes a serious handicap on one thus afflicted, which frequently destroys his happiness and endangers his chance of economic survival. Yet in nearly all cases, even the gravest, these defects can be eliminated or greatly reduced by skillful plastic surgery, and the individual can thereby be released from the bondage of abnormality.

The correction of deformity may often be likened to cutting the Gordian knot in a patient's psyche. Usually, after such a correction, there a noticeable change not only in the appearance of the patient, but in his bearing as well. The sense d inferiority disappears with the bnormality which produced it, and to place is taken by a new confidence, a fresh, healthy outlook on

It is popularly supposed that those who seek the plastic surgeon's aid are prompted by motives of vanity. But if by vanity we mean the desire to look one's best, to cultivate the good will of society, and to present to the world an attractive appearance rather than a repulsive ene, then it is important to be vain.

#### Safety for Bike Riders

Until recently very little attention was paid to safeguarding and educating cyclists but with an ever-increasing toll of fatal accidents occurring to bicycle riders, automobile clubs in many cities are campaigning to cut down these accidents. Some of the safety rules suggest-

ed by these organizations include the following: Ride in a straight line and do

not change direction suddenly; keep close to the right side of the roadway; obey officers, stop and go signals and stop signs as motorists do; ride in single file on busy streets and never more than two abreast on any street; avoid riding too fast on hills and slippery or rough roads. Never hitch on to moving vehicle;

never carry anyone on the handlebars; cross all street car and railroad tracks at right angles; keep the bicycle in good operating condition with a suitable bell and an effective brake, and for night driving have a properly operating headlight and a taillight or good reflector; be sure seat and handlebars are properly adjusted. Wearing light or white clothing at night will help prevent

#### Natural Resources

Science has merely scratched the surface so far in utilizing natural sources, according to Watson Dawis, director of Science Service. He suggests that the government lend part of its gold accumulation to be used in studying atomic breakdown.
It is his belief that an investigation should be made in the utilization of natural resources, from commercial roduction of diamonds, to obtaing power from the breaking down

#### Bad Pickers

fack Dempsey, when he was heavyweight champion of the world, picked Gene Tunney as an opponent, instead of Harry Wills. Sharkey proved Dempsey could have flatned Wills. He lost his championmip to Tunney. Spencer Tracy never has been happy with any role given to him. He is certain always part, they'd call off the picture. | county, Virginia.

#### Husband Too Sleepy So Wife Is Granted Divorce

Howard Deiley, marathon slumberer of Chicago, refused to continue with medicine prescribed by a doctor to prevent day sleeping-so he lost his wife, daughter and home. Reconciliation of Edna and Howard Deiley went on the rocks. Edna has gone back to mother and How-

ard has returned to Morpheus' comfortable bosom When she sought a divorce Mrs. Deiley had only one complaint about

Howard, to-wit:

"He sleeps all the time." The judge shrewdly suggested a medical examination. Sure enough a doctor found a glandular disturbance, prescribed some medicine, and presto! Howard stayed awake,

and Edna called off the divorce. The judge frequently pointed to the Deiley reconciliation as one of his four-star achievements-until Edna came back in court with a tale

She planked down two bottles of medicine and said:

"Well, judge, it didn't work. As soon as I went back to Howard, taking our four-year-old daughter, Donna, he refused to take any more of this medicine. 'He didn't like the stuff, he said,

and he did like sleep. "Maybe you don't think day slum-

bering constitutes cruelty, your honor, but, believe me, it's mighty em-

"We'd have guests in and start a bridge game and Howard would doze off before we even played a full game. I'd prepare a wonderful dinner-and he'd go to sleep in his chair before the soup course was

The court looked around for Howard. He wasn't there. Edna said he was probably sleeping in their \$5,000 The judge threw up his hands, decreed Edna could have her

#### Babies Are Best Crop

In Alaska Farm Colony The federally established farm colony in the Matanuska valley in Alaska has found babies are its best crop, according to Harry De Land of Palmer, who was sent here to induce the territory to buy the colony's \$150,000 schoolhouse for \$1

by the Rural Rehabilitation corporation, to the territory is desired by the colony now "on its own and determined to succeed.'

De Land said 200 children have been born to the former midwest farm families since they first arrived in 1935, and that the colony's to school next year.

Recent federal census figures showed a valley population-colo-

at least \$250 in field crop or live stock products per farm last year. De Land said the valley's most pressing legislative necessities are authorization of flood control for the town of Matanuska, and constructo facilitate travel and to open a

#### Marks Hand to Remember

Many a witness has been known right hand from the left under same basis. abrupt questioning of a cross-examining lawyer.

Petite Miss Mary Hicks took no chances on being confused in that perior Judge J. T. Ronald in Seattle. She took a fountain pen and carefully marked on the back of her left

hand the word "left" and similarly inked the back of her right hand with a proper identifying term for that side. Thus fortified, she took the witness stand and breezed right along in her testimony with no difficulty

whatever in telling that it was the left side toward which her host swung his automobile when he tried to avoid a crackup on the Naches Pass highway. Miss Hicks, 20, explained that she,

like many persons, cannot always remember instantly which is her right and which is her left and that inking the backs of her hands was simply a little precaution to prevent embarrassment on the witness

Titanium Extensive Product Titanium, widely used in paint manufacture, was first discovered as an element by an English amateur chemist about the time Washington was elected President. Geologists estimate that a hundred million billion tons of titanium in the form of its compounds are scattered throughout the upper 10 miles of the earth's surface crust. It is even more common than coal, copper, lead and zinc, but instead of accumulating in occasional rich deposits, it is spread quite evenly through the ground, making the mining of it more difficult. The larger sources of titanium ore are: a red crystalline rock-known as rutile-which occurs principally in Canada, Australia and Norway; Ilmenite-a mineral type of sand washed up on the shores of India and found also in hat the role is bad. If M.-G.-M. a massive rock deposit in Norway;

#### 1934 Study Club Open Years Work For Home Land-With Dinner

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A short business meeting was held with president, Mrs. Walter Travis, n charge. The new members voted

Ione Smith and Mrs. Robert Linder club. Miss Betty Newell. Several were added to the waiting

ning meeting were as follows: Misse Lider, Reba Copeland, Bert Ione Bail, Betty Newell and Messrs, M. Travis, Robert Linder, Bill Colston Jim Clonts, Virgil Shaw, Oleta Gor

the home of Mrs. Jim Clonts, with a visiting relatives and friends.

furnished the program for the even-

#### Good Cotton Will Go Into the 1940 Demonstration

College Station, September 11 .-The USDA Surplus Marketing Ad. first native-born babies will start of quality cotton from four Texas areas, Floyd Hale, Greenville, Dallas. Munday Seymour, and North Texas. Greenville, Dallas, Paris and Mun-The census also revealed there day, M. C. Jaynes, specialist in Cotwere 207 farms in the district of at | ton work with the Texas A. and M. least three acres each, producing Extension Service has been advised. at each point if enough quality cotton is available.

The program will follow the 1938 and 1939 plans except that part of tion of the proposed short cut from the cotton will go to domestic spin-Palmer to the Richardson highway ners. In the past all demonstration cotton was exported.

Marketing agencies taking part in the one variety cotton improvement program will buy the cotton net weight from growers in the areas to have difficulty differentiating the and will sell it to spinners on the

The program requires sampling at the gin, official classification of the cotton, and that the bales be comregard when she prepared to testi- pletely covered with an approved fy on the witness stand before Su- bagging and be undamaged at the

> Generally, all this simply means that the cotton will be quality cotton to start out with, and that it will be picked, ginned, and handled in accordance wih the latest approved practices.

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