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## P. T. A. MEETING

The meeting of the P. T. A. was held on Thursday November 5. After the opening of the meeting the following program was rendered:

Piano duet: Lillie Mae Lea and Linette Robey.

Reading: Lillian Halley.

Reading: Melvin Pollard.

Piano Duet: Mildred Appel and Mattie Rue Newton.

Reading: Mary Ferguson.

After the program a business session was held. Mrs. Mitchell read an attractive offer from the Holland Magazine offering the Club commissions for securing subscriptions to the magazine. The club accepted the offer and Mesdames J. C. Green, Luella Lemons, C. H. White, B. C. Farley and C. D. Strange were elected to carry on the campaign. The campaign ends November 30.

Following the meeting the economic girls served a plate lunch of verona salad, cheese straws and hot tea to the members. The next meeting of the Association will be held on Thursday, December 3, at 3:30 o'clock.

## Mr and Mrs. Clyde Griffith Entertain Friends

A delightful party was given Saturday evening by Mr and Mrs. Clyde Griffith. Flowers of the various fall colors gave a charming touch of color to the rooms where the players gathered. Six tables were conveniently arranged in the living room and dining room.

After six enjoyable games Mrs. Max Bogusch was awarded a maderia vanity set for high score. Mr. H. R. Laurence linen handkerchiefs for high score. Mr. J. C. McKinney, Bridge set, for cut prize, and Mr. P. R. Burn was consoled with a trump indicator.

Refreshments of salad, sandwiches and tea were served. Those enjoying the pleasant evening were: Mesdames and Messrs. Max Bogusch, P. R. Burn, J. C. McKinney, R. S. Wilkinson, M. P. Lester, M. A. Cavender, W. H. Savage, H. R. Laurence, John Stovell, Lewis Lemons, Miss Bengta Aikenson, Judge G. J. Henshaw and the hostess' mother Mrs. Annie Ware.

## Home Economic Girls Entertain

The second year home economic girls, under the supervision of their teacher, Miss Kalaja, served a luncheon to their mothers and a few invited guests last Friday.

In the center of the center of the dining table was a huge bowl of yellow and white chrysanthemums, with white and yellow candles at each end of the table. The girls in white aprons served the guests the following menu: Fruit Cocktail in Orange Cups, Creamed Chicken on Toast, Stuffed Candied Sweet Potatoes, Perfection Salad, Lemon Tartlets, Hot Tea.

Those present at the luncheon were: Mesdames Roy Harrell, Luella Lemons, J. C. Green, C. H. White, Frank K. Harrell, W. E. Lea, W. J. Ferguson, Clyde Mills, Ed Chastain and E. F. Howard.

## Nimrods Busy out on the Trail For Big Game

With the opening of the deer season nimrods have been scattered far and wide over the hills the past week in pursuit of the fleet footed animals. Nor will their menu consist solely of venison, for quail on toast will be equally popular with the opening of quail season on the same day.

Carrol Harper and Vernon Buchanan were the first to bring in a buck, it being a five point animal.

## SANDERSON EAGLES TIE THE FORT STOCKTON

The Sanderson Eagles came back and unexpectedly, as far as Ft. Stockton was concerned, battled the more experienced team of Ft. Stockton high school to a scoreless tie. The game was hard fought and clean through, the only penalties being for off-side, and most of these were chalked up against the local team, due in the main to the eagerness of the Eagle backfield when carrying the ball.

The day was windy and would not permit either team to use anything other than straight football. In the first quarter the local boys were threatened with a safety when Fort Stockton punted with the wind and Franklin, playing safety for the Eagles, was unable to get under the ball before a Stockton player caught the ball on Sanderson's one foot line. But on a series of three bucks, the Eagles made it a first down, and soon after punted out of danger.

At no time did either team threaten their opponent's line, and during the game few runs for long gains were made.

It is difficult to pick the stars in this contest, for considering the conditions under which the game was played, every man on the squad played well. The writer is not familiar with the names of the visiting men, but the Panther fullback deserves credit for his stellar work in backing up his line on defense. For the Eagles Jansa, Landers, Wade and Kendrick Harrell, Mitchell and Newton starred on the defense, with Landers, Grigsby and Morgan starring on offense.

## RESOLUTION.

Whereas, in the obedience to the will of the Master, there has gone from us, the father of our beloved brother, Laurance Erwin

And whereas, there is left to mourn his loss, a son, for whom we have the kindest fraternal love and friendship, therefore,

Be it resolved, that the Sanderson Chapter No. 135, Order of Eastern Star extend sincere sympathy and condolence to the sorrowing one in his great loss.

We pray that God in His infinite goodness may bring speedy relief to his burdened heart, and inspire him with consolation and faith in the future that God gives even in the shadow of the tomb.

J. C. STANSELL,  
LIZZIE GREEN,  
IDA BODKIN,  
Committee.

## Ladies Auxiliary to Meet Monday November 23

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Presbyterian church will meet Monday, November 23, at the home of Mrs. W. E. Lea at 3 p. m. for a business and social session. Mesdames Lea and Charlton as hostesses. All members and friends invited to attend.

Correspondent.

## W. M. U. to Meet Monday

The W. M. U. will meet Monday, November 23, at the home of Mrs. Lee Grigsby with Mrs. Leroy Grigsby add Mrs. Gray hostesses. This is our regular social meeting, and a special program is being prepared for this occasion.

—Contributed.

The members of the Epworth League will please meet at the Presbyterian church, Friday evening, November 27, at 7 o'clock, to go to the "weinnie roast."

Mrs. Roy Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cargile and son returned last Friday from a visit with relatives in Los Angeles, California.

## TWO MEN HELD HERE FOR BREAKING INTO GARAGE AT LANGTRY

Sheriff Bud Whistler of Val Verde county wired the local officers to be on the look out for two young men in a Packard touring car Thursday. They were wanted in Langtry on charges of breaking into and stealing tubes, gas, oils and various small accessories out of the Brown Garage.

The men were arrested by sheriff Joe Nance Thursday evening about eight o'clock and immediately notified the Del Rio officers. Sheriff Whistler and Hugh Brown, proprietor of the garage, came in Friday morning and returned with the men and car.

## EAGLES HAVE BUT TWO GAMES LEFT

The Eagles have only two games remaining for this season, Marathon on November 21, and Alpine on Thanksgiving Day. Both of these games are to be played on the local field, and should be worth the time of any supporter of our high school. Help the boys win these last two games by your presence.

Mr. and Mrs. Alph Harrell and children of Fort Stockton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Laurence Tuesday.

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Every day find you miserable with backache? Buffer sharp, stabbing pains? Feel lame and stiff—always tired, nervous and dispirited? Then look to your kidneys! Your kidneys are the blood filters. Perhaps they have failed to properly rid the blood of body poisons. Naturally, then, you suffer the injurious effects of this slow poisoning. Don't risk neglect! If your kidneys need help, use Doan's Pills. No other kidney diuretic is so well recommended nor so successful. Ask your neighbor!

**A Texas Case**  
Mrs. W. L. Scott, 1619 St. Charles, Dallas, Texas, says: "Backache was the first sign of kidney trouble. In my case, I suffered most of the time with a dull ache in the small of my back. I felt nervous and irritable and often had headaches. It was not until I took my strength. My kidneys acted irregularly, too. After using Doan's Pills I was relieved."

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**NEWS HAPPENINGS**

**What Has Transpired This Week the World Over.**

**AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL**

**Short Mentioning of Interesting Happenings From Day to Day Throughout the World.**

**WASHINGTON NEWS.**

Italy, the third largest was debtor of the United States, came to an agreement in Washington Thursday on terms of settlement, after 10 days of intensive campaigns. An accord was reached which will permit its obligation of more than \$2,000,000,000 on terms materially easier than have been granted any other debtor nation, these concessions being necessary because of the admittedly weak position occupied by Italy in finance and commerce.

The Mitchell court-martial refused Friday to strike out the testimony of Mrs. Margaret Ross Lansdowne or to hear out of order Captain Paul Foley, judge advocate of the Shenandoah navy court of inquiry, in reply to her charge that he had sought to influence her testimony in the statement she was to make before the naval court.

Recommendations to congress, on permanent postal rate legislation, to replace the existing temporary statute, will be deferred at least until next February by the joint congressional postal commission. The commission was instructed at the last session to report early next month, but since the postoffice department reported this week that it could furnish no accurate estimates on the operation of the temporary rates, until after the close of the present quarter, the members decided that their recommendation would have to await that information.

Combined sources of the national banks of United States are approaching the twenty-five billion dollar mark. A statement of the banks' condition September 23, issued Wednesday by Comptroller McIntock of the currency, showed aggregate resources of the 8985 banks at \$24,569,527,000. The total is nearly one and a quarter billion dollars greater than a year ago.

**STATE AND DOMESTIC NEWS.**

Louisiana's quarantine against Texas for foot and mouth disease was lifted Thursday, it was announced Thursday by Jerry Thiers, Lake Charles, who had charge of enforcement of the quarantine in Southwest Louisiana.

Irrigating an ordinary bottom land plot from a small creek, Marvin Hall and Lee Kay, working a farm between Tyler and Troup, Texas, will produce 500 gallons of ribbon cane syrup to the acre, which at present prices will return a gross yield of \$700 per acre.

Seizure of approximately 20,000 rounds of revolver ammunition which had been placed in an automobile near the Rio Grande preparatory to transportation into Mexico, was made Thursday night by customs inspectors at Laredo, Texas.

The rice crop of Texas has been damaged about 30 per cent by the recent rains, and has been reduced from an expected value of \$5,400,000 to between \$3,900,000 and \$4,000,000, in the opinion of Rufus Hoffpauir, manager of the American Rice Growers Association.

Creation of an irrigation district on the Colorado River in Coke County and damming of that stream to water probably 100,000, was the objective of a conference at Robert Lee, Texas, Friday.

Stringent regulations on importation of citrus nursery stock into the Rio Grande Valley were adopted Friday at a conference participated in by George B. Terrell, agricultural commissioner; Oscar Dancy, Cameron County judge, and A. W. Cameron, Hidalgo County judge.

The population of the Texas prison system decreased 48 in September. There were 3,491 on the rolls Sept. 1 and 3,443 Oct. 1, the prison commissioners' report to the governor shows.

Atlanta, Ga., was chosen as the 1926 convention city Wednesday by the Southern Medical Association in session at Dallas, Texas.

**FOREIGN NEWS.**

The inner, human-shaped coffin of Tut-Ank-Amen has been found to be of solid gold, embossed with intricate artistic designs. It is said to be the largest piece of gold work discovered in the annals of archaeology.

The Italian dreadnaught Doris and four destroyers have arrived at the base of Le Ros Dodecanese Islands where they will remain ready to proceed to Syria if developments warrant.

The Mexican chamber of deputies at Mexico City, Friday, after first accepting President Calles' modified bill for the enactment of constitutional articles 27 later decided to eliminate the section giving foreigners 10 years in which to dispose of their property in forbidden zones along the frontiers. Foreign Minister Saenz, for the president, accepted the amendment.

A capital levy, described as a 15 per cent tax on securities, was defeated Wednesday in the finance committee of the chamber of deputies at Paris, France.

**Iowa's Triple-Threat Back**



Sport critics say that Iowa has just one chance of winning the Western Conference football championship this season. This is it. It is Nick Kutsch's triple-threat half-back, who weighs 180 pounds, runs cleverly, starts fast, passes accurately and is a decent kicker.

**"Snooks" Dowd Ran Two Hundred Yards**

"Snooks" Dowd, Jersey City International League infielder, ran 200 yards for a touchdown back in the palmy days when he was playing quarterback on the Lehigh team. Inches from his opponents' goal line, he became confused on the plunge and started running the wrong way. He ran the entire length of the field in the wrong direction before regaining his sense of direction. Circling his own goal posts, he retraced his steps down the field through the eleven opposing players for a touchdown, the longest run in the history of intercollegiate football.

**Collins Leads Again**

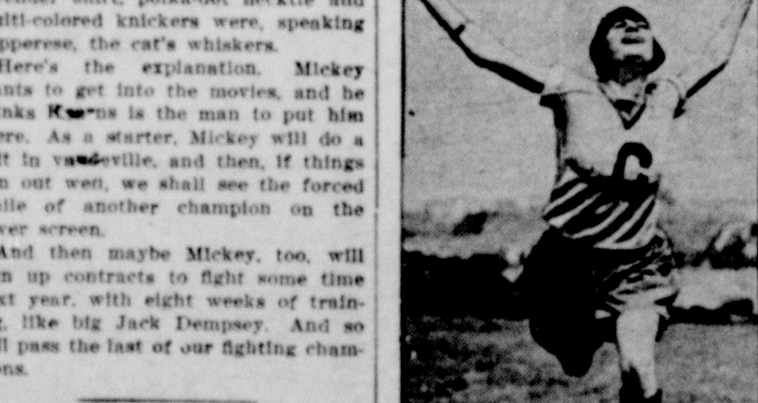


Chicago's White Sox are no longer city champions, but Eddie Collins, who led a forlorn hope, is still manager. Before leaving for his home in the East he had a conference with the Sox officials and agreed upon terms for next season.

**Champion Mickey Walker Latest to Go in Movies**

This movie invasion of the prize ring is sad, sad business. Look who's fallen now. Mickey Walker, the Toy Bulldog and fighter par excellence. When the news was broadcast that Champion Mickey had signed a contract to appear under the direction of Jack Kearns the public was mystified. Mickey won the title without Kearns' aid, and was making a good job of it, since Jack Buger's death, by acting as his own manager.

**To Meet World's Best**



According to a writer, football crowds more action into five minutes than any other game. And in addition to that, it is a certainty that a chrysanthemum crowd the most flower into a buttonhole.

Whenever you contemplate changing the farm program of a community, you immediately bring up a marketing problem in which you have a direct responsibility. Whenever farmers produce more feed, more vegetables, more fruit, or more grain, then the necessity of their farm requirements, they must find a market for their surplus, and it is the duty of all commercial organizations to assist in working out this marketing problem.

I fully agree with the remarks made by your president at the noon meeting that the cotton producers of the South should produce the food for the families and feed for the livestock, and that there is need of a greater diversification of farm crops.—yet, diversification in itself on the part of the farmer without considering the question of utilization of crops and market facilities will not solve the problem of the farmers. The solution of the problem rests with your organization and mine.

Another great problem that should receive our careful consideration and attention is the question of land settlement and development. Irrigation has been heralded as the great magic that will convert the prairies and pastures of Southwest Texas into a veritable garden of Eden. I am just as enthusiastic over South Texas as anyone, but I am not unmindful of the great responsibility ahead of us, with respect to the welfare of the people who are located on the land.

**LATE FARM NEWS**

(From S. C. Hoyle, Editor of Extension Service Publications, A. and M. College of Texas.)

Improved agricultural practices in Texas were greatly advanced at the meeting of the chamber of commerce secretaries of Southwest Texas, held in San Antonio, October 26, 1925. This meeting was called for the purpose of studying the various agricultural and industrial problems for that part of the state and two of the leading agricultural authorities of the state appeared on the program and gave valuable information on the subject under consideration. Mr. R. A. Lee, a banker of Cisco and president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, gave valuable information regarding the possibilities of improving poultry production on the farm and emphasized the value of diversification, stressing the importance of the production of more feed and forage as well as supplies for the family on the cotton farms of Southwest Texas. He gave interesting figures, showing heavy expenditures for the purchase of the commodities produced outside of the state which might just as easily be produced at home. Among these were Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, meat, poultry, feed, etc.

The message from Mr. Lee was especially impressive because of the fact that while he is president of a bank, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and one of the leading business men of West Texas, yet he has found time to develop one of the most extensive poultry interests in the state on his farm near Cisco, and the results were so impressive that people throughout that section have greatly improved their poultry practices on the farm while he has proved to his own satisfaction and the satisfaction of those who know him that this is the best system of farming. His talk was not theoretically surmised but consisted of facts gained from actual experience.

**Sporting Squibs**

A permanent home for football coaches will be built by Cornell at Ithaca, N. Y.

It is reported that Jack Dempsey, upon his retirement from the ring, will go into the brokerage business.

Stanley (Bucky) Haggis, manager of the Washington Americans, paid an income tax of \$2,778.57 last year.

Every article of football attire of the University of Pennsylvania's squad is specially fitted for each player.

The race course at Richmond, Yorkshire, one of the best known in England, is situated on the top of a high hill.

Battling Nelson staged the shortest prize fight on record when he knocked out William Rossier in two seconds, April 5, 1902.

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Uncle Sam's split on the 1925 world's series amounts to \$118,285, according to the figures made public by the internal revenue bureau.

Notre Dame, in South Bend, Ind., has not lost a football game on her home lot in 20 years. The last defeat was by Washburn, on October 21, 1905.

Pensacola voters authorized a \$100,000 18-hole golf course at the Osceola club. It will be a boon to the sport already popular along the Florida coast.

Dan O'Leary, the veteran pedestrian, now in his eighty-fifth year, has covered a total of 282,000 miles on foot during his career as an exponent of walking.

Golf players in Williamstown, Mass., are carrying shotguns to protect themselves from crows, which are stealing their golf balls. Every time you wing a crow it counts as a birdie.

Tokuna Moriwake has the distinction of being the first Japanese woman tennis player to participate in an American tournament. She recently competed in a meet in southern California.

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This woman's experience is typical of thousands. Ask any physician.

**"And to think I was poisoning my own Baby!"**

"I couldn't see why he didn't gain. I never dreamed that my constipation was responsible until the doctor told me.

"He explained that faulty or slow elimination of waste matter allowed poisons to form and be absorbed by the blood—and this meant tainted milk for baby.

"He prescribed the Nujol treatment and it made a world of difference to both of us. Now that I know how dangerous constipation is and how easily it can be prevented, I am never going to allow myself to get into that bad condition again."

Mothers are the best friends of Nujol. When precious new lives are at stake they seek the remedy that medical authorities approve because it is so safe, gentle and natural in its action. Constipation is dangerous for anybody. Nujol is safe for everybody. It does not affect the stomach and is not absorbed by the body.

Nujol helps in Nature's own way. Nujol simply makes up for a deficiency—temporary or chronic—in the supply of natural lubricant in the intestines. It softens the waste matter and thus permits thorough and regular elimination, without overtaxing the intestinal muscles.

Nujol can be taken for any length of time without ill effects. To insure internal cleanliness, it should be taken regularly in accordance with the directions on each bottle. Unlike laxatives, it does not form a habit and can be discontinued at any time.

Ask your druggist for Nujol today and begin to enjoy the perfect health that is possible only when elimination is normal and regular.

**Nujol**  
THE INTERNAL LUBRICANT  
For Constipation

**Wintersmith's Chill Tonic**  
Chills and Fever, Dengue, Malaria. A fine general tonic. Used for Sixty Years

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Wife—If I were to die what should you do?  
Husband—Oh, the same as you would yourself.  
Wife—You wretch! I have always suspected it.

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Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 25 years. Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

**Keen Girl**  
He—I consider her a pretty keen girl.  
She—I heard you'd been cut.

**Date Bars**  
1 cup sugar; 3 eggs  
1 cup flour; 1/2 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. Calumet Baking Powder  
1 cup dates chopped  
1 cup nuts chopped  
1/2 cup milk; 1 tsp. vanilla  
Beat eggs; add sugar. When well mixed, add all the rest of the ingredients. Pour into a square pan, and bake in a moderate oven 25 minutes. Cut into squares or bars and roll in powdered sugar.

Truth is always strange, stranger than fiction.—Byron.

**Green's August Flower**  
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Relieves that feeling of having eaten unwisely. 30c and 90c bottles. AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

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**Appropriate**  
"Why did you name the baby Bill?"  
"He was born at a summer resort hotel."

**A Marvel**  
"Madge carries her age well, doesn't she?" "Yes; I wonder she's stood the burden so long."

A torpid liver prevents proper food assimilation. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills tone up the liver. They act gently but surely. 312 Pearl St., New York. Adv.

Grasshoppers are such a pest in South America that the government maintains a special department to cope with their migrations.

**DR. W. B. CALDWELL AT THE AGE OF 83**

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Does the laxative you now give your baby or child promote regularity for weeks and often for months—or must you "purge" and "physic" the little one every little while to keep the system clean, fresh and sweet?

Even a cross, feverish, sick baby or child will love the taste of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and one dose will establish natural, healthy bowel movement for weeks at a time, even if the child was heretofore chronically constipated. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin not only causes a gentle, easy bowel movement but, best of all, it is often months before another dose is necessary.

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# Neighbors

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## CHAPTER XIII—Continued

"You suppose," she repeated. "That's right. It just supposition. Nobody knows. But what is their happiness? An ox-like acceptance of the routine. Breakfast, work; dinner, work; supper, work; sleep; breakfast—the whole circle over again. I couldn't stand it. Frank, there's no use pretending I could. I'd—I'd run away with some one!"

"Jean!"

"Yes, I know what you're thinking. But it would break the routine, anyway. It wouldn't be that way I would lose my soul; perhaps that way I might save it."

"You're a strange girl, Jean."

"Yes? After all these years? I am so glad. As long as I am strange you will be interested in me. That's the trouble with you; you're not strange. I know all about you. And I wouldn't be your housekeeper for life for the sake of being your lover for a week."

"Jean!"

"Sticking isn't it? But true. Don't you know that's what happens, nearly always? It must happen, unless there are new points of interest always arising. I have the misfortune to think, and so I see these things in advance, and try to shield you from them."

"The misfortune to think?"

"Of course. Otherwise I could accept the ox routine and grind out my soul in the treadmill of three meals a day. I suppose that's what people call morality—ideal wife and mother, etc. I'd run away from it all."

I, too, punched the snow with my heel. "I never heard you talk like that, Jean," I said at length. "I didn't think you thought—along those lines. You wouldn't excuse people who run—who disregard their marriage vows?"

"The first of which is to love," she shot back. "When that falls, all falls. Why make a mockery of it?"

"But I would love you, always—always. You would be to me the only—the only possible girl in the world!"

Slowly she turned her face toward me; she had been giving me an opportunity for profile study during this dialogue. Her eyes found mine; her lips—in them again I saw the resplendent beauty of her childhood. When she spoke her voice was low and tremulous and musical.

"You dear boy! You think so. I only wish it were true!"

The last words came with a catch in her breath. I thrust forward and clasped her hands in mine.

"You mean that? Oh, Jean, if you do."

"Yes, I mean it. That is the great difficulty. It isn't true. You wouldn't love me always. I wouldn't always be the only girl."

"Jean, you would. I swear it!"

"Then I must reverse it. I wouldn't love you always. You wouldn't always be the only man in the world."

My spirit, which had gone pounding upward, fell like a burst balloon.

"Why?" I demanded.

"Because your vision is too small. Because it is bounded by the corner posts of fourteen. Because I couldn't live penned up in such a pasture."

"You'd be breaking out—toward section Two."

"Frank!" It was her turn to exclaim.

"Yes, toward section Two. You've done some plain talking, Jean; now it's my turn. It is Spoo! that has upset your mind—put all these wild notions in your head. It is Spoo! that you are thinking about, not me. I suppose you think you could marry him and not drop into the routine; you would be less an ox, as you put it, on Two than on Fourteen. Perhaps that would be best, after all. Perhaps if you were fenced in on Two, you might break out toward Fourteen!"

"Frank! Please don't be unkind—and unfair. . . . I am thinking about Spoo!, and it is just because he is not bounded by section Two. You and Jack and Jake think he's a greenhorn, and you play your silly little tricks on him, but his world is the world, and yours is Fourteen, and Jack's is Twelve, and Jake's is—whatever his section is. He's so big so big!"

"I see. Spoo! has traveled more than we have. He has seen more of the world. He has met more people. And so he is big! I bet I grow more out to the acre than he does—you should see his plowing; looks like—'he guess and be d—d,' as Jake says."

"Quite an elegant remark; suitable to Jake, hardly to be expected from you. And your argument would be irresistible—if I were an ox."

"You're sharp, aren't you? Well, something to eat is not to be despised, even by big people, like you and Spoo!. Even the soul, which you are afraid of losing on Fourteen, will pick up and leave you on Two, unless you feed that body in which it lives. That's what the soul itself thinks about people who don't hustle for a living; it gets up and leaves them."

"Good for you!" cried Jean. "You are actually thinking. I have goaded you into it. Now—where are we?"

"We're at Spoo!. You say you could love me for a week, and him forever."

"I didn't say that."

"You as much as said it. Spoo! may have advantages—I admit his travel, and all that—but will those things keep him big? Won't section Two bound him in a year or so, just as you say? Fourteen bounds me now? Is he different clay; less ox, more soul?"

"Section Two can never hold Spoo!, because he—because he is big, don't you see? He reads, he thinks, he sings, he dreams. No section can hold one who does those things."

"Does he write poetry?" I inquired, innocently.

"I—I don't think so," said she, not scenting my trap, "but he is very fond of it. You should hear him read—"

"Hear him read? Come to me. . . . Spoo!?"

She turned to me fairly again. She had withdrawn her hands from mine and was crushing little crusts of snow between her mittens. Now she dropped the snow, shook her hands free of its powdery residue, then linked them about her knee. For a long moment she held me under her eyes without blinking.

"So you saw that, did you?"

"Jean—I'm sorry. I apologize. I saw it by accident—I couldn't help that. I could have helped speaking about it. I apologize."

Then her eyes dropped. "It was very foolish," she murmured. "You have a right to be amused."

"But I'm not amused," I protested. "And I'm not sure it is really foolish. At any rate, I'll confess something, Jean; when I found it I tried to write a poem—to you—but I couldn't. The only rhymes I could think of were Jean and Jean."

"Splendid! Oh, Frank, I'm beginning to be afraid to hope—that I didn't quite know you, after all. Fancy you trying to write poetry—and about me! Let's write a verse now. I'll help you."

She whipped a mitten from her hand and sat with her fingers lightly drumming on her lips, summoning the muse.

"You'll have to write it," I said. "I'll sign it."

"All right!" she exclaimed at length, and turning to the huge drift behind us she traced on its hard surface with her forefinger this inscription:

If you will only be my wife,  
No matter what the past has been  
I'll take a broader view of life  
And try to keep you guessing, Jean.

"Oh, you used my rhymes!" I exclaimed. "But isn't that last line slangy?" I said, when we had it well laughed over and I had added at the side an idealistic sketch of Jean's face under a bridal veil. My drawing rather lost its point in the fact that I had to explain what it was.

"No, not slang—poetic license. That's a great advantage poets have; anything that isn't quite good English can always be called poetic license. Now sign it."

I signed it in bold, printed letters, and then we fell into silence.

"What's the answer, Jean?" I said at length.

"Oh, Frank, I can't give you an answer—not now. That may have been slang, about keeping me guessing, but it goes a long way down in one's nature. If you would only read, and study, and think, and learn to appreciate beautiful things—"

"Oh, Jean, I do! I appreciate you."

"Rather clever, Frank, but that isn't just what I mean. I mean like Spoo!; we might as well be frank about it. I've seen him watch the sunset in the pond; watch the colors change and blend and run in little ripples with a touch of breeze as though the water had been stirred with a feather; I've seen him sit for hours watching the ambers and saffrons and champagnes of the prairie sunset, and—"

"And that's why he got so little plowing done."

"Stop it! And he knows every flower on the prairies, and all you know is pigweed, and he takes note of little things, like when I worked a new strip of lace into the yoke of my dress, and when I put a dash of scarlet ribbon in my hat he said it gave me just the touch of color that one needed on the prairies and it was no wonder that the Red Indians loved color, and how much wiser, in some things, they were than we, and—"

"He was spoo!ing you, Jean."

"Then he was making love to you."

"Perhaps. But it was very nice. You never noticed my lace or my ribbon. You didn't even notice this cap I have on today; I made it out of an old muff, all myself, and I just said to myself, I wonder if Frank will notice it, but you didn't."

"I did, too. I saw it first thing, and I thought how nice it looked on you."

"Spoo! would have said how nice it looked under it!"

"Oh, d—n Spoo!!"

"Spoo!'s an artist, Frank. You're not."

"Nor yet a poet. But I reckon I'll make a good farmer."

"We thrashed out the ox question a while ago. Let's keep on new ground."

"Very well. Here's some new ground. When did Spoo! tell you all these things? I understood he hadn't come into the house all the time we were away."

"He didn't either—hardly. But he

used to come over regularly to see that everything was all right about the place and to have his 'bawth,' and he had the handsomest bathing suit—white and yellow trimmings—and Marjorie and I fixed up bathing suits, too, and we used to go in—"

"Together?"

"Of course. Only Marjorie only went in once or twice; she said she was afraid of the frogs. . . . Marjorie is a knowing girl."

"My own sister! And she would conspire. . . . I crunched a clump of crust viciously under my heel."

"Well, seeing that you have confessed, I suppose I should own up, too," I said, after a silence. "I never told you that there was a girl out where I worked this summer."

"No? What was she like?" Jean's voice was steady, but I caught a new note in it. I argued well for my first attempt at romancing.

"Oh, she was a nice girl, all right. Her folks thought she would make a good ox, but she didn't quite fall in line. She had that broader vision you set so much on. Sort of hinted that she and I might do well running a rooming house at Moose Jaw; they say things are humming at the Jaw. Rather suggested—"

"Oh, Frank, she never did! . . . Wanted you to marry her, I suppose?"

"No, she didn't just say that. But she's big, you know; takes a big view of things. Of course, it might have come to that in time. I remember one afternoon it rained and we couldn't work in the fields and that night she and I went to a dance—"

"Does she dance well?"

"Oh, quite well. And free. You know—nothing staidish, or anything like that. Well, the storm came up again during the night, and we couldn't get home, and it was only a small farm house so some of us had to sleep in the hayloft, and Nellie said she'd be a dead game sport—"

"Now, Frank, don't tell me any more. I don't believe it. . . . What happened next?"

"Oh, nothing much. It was about noon when we got home, and the old man was pretty sore, but I told him I thought a good deal of Nellie and wouldn't mind marrying her if it came to that, and I asked her to come over here and visit us next summer—"

"You're lying, Frank. Let's go home."

As we walked home in silence, trailing our sleigh, the nip of the late afternoon stung our cheeks to roses and our breaths trailed behind like the gaseous tail of a very young and leisurely comet. Jean complained that one of her hands was growing cold so I took the mitten off it and drew the hand down into my deep, warm overcoat pocket, where we took all precautions against frostbite. The other hand had to take a chance.

We walked along the bottom of the gully for shelter from the wind which was rising with sunset. As we neared Twenty-two Jean stopped.

"Frank, I want to ask you a question," she said. "There was no truth in that story you told me?"

"You care?"

"Of course I care. Tremendously."

"Don't you want me to be big?"

"Not that way. I've been talking about intellectual things—spiritual things."

"I suppose Spoo!'s bathing suit, with the white and yellow, is quite spiritual?"

"That isn't fair."

"Oh, yes it is. It is merely the other ox getting bored."

"Anyway, your story wasn't true? You made it up to tease me?"

"If I answer your question will you answer mine?"

"I can't, Frank. I can't—not now. I haven't seen Spoo! since Christmas. Perhaps he's sick. Perhaps he's dead. Something awful may have happened."

"His smoke goes up every morning just the same."

"Oh, you've been watching it, too. But something has happened. I—I can't answer you now."

At the door of Jack's house we paused again. We were in the shadow there, and as she turned on the step her form swung close to mine. For a moment I seized her, no longer able to play the semi-Platonic. . . .

"But there was no truth in it, was there?" she whispered.

"There was some truth in it," I confessed, as I turned toward the empty shack on Fourteen.

**CHAPTER XIV**

Next morning I was stirring my oatmeal and water when the door opened and in burst Jack. His attire gave evidence of haste; he had thrown a pea-jacket about a somewhat incomplete toilet. I was about to summon up a jocular remark when something in his face silenced me.

"Have you seen Jean?" he demanded.

"No. Why?"

"She's not in her room. Gone. Was there last night—part of the night—"

"Sure she's not in the house?"

"Hard to lose her in our two-by-four. Frank, not at the stables—I've hunted. It's snowing, and the wind is biting; there's no trail."

"This was serious. Jack sat down,

and, as though oppressed with heat, threw open his peajacket and exposed his undershirt.

Jean gone!

In a moment he sprang to his feet again and seized me by the arm. His grip was stronger than he knew. "She's not here, Frank? Straight now, Frank, she's not here?"

I turned my open palms toward him. "If only she were!" I exclaimed. . . . "When did you miss her?"

"Ten—fifteen minutes ago, when I got up. I found my lamp out of oil, and I went to her room to borrow hers. She didn't answer, and I went in. She wasn't there. Her coat and cap are gone. How she got out without waking us!"

He turned to a window, peering through a little bare spot in the pane close to the sash. "Looks like a rough day," he said, quietly as though trying to disguise the import of his words. . . . "She's been melancholy of late; trying to hide it, but I could tell. . . . My G—d, she may have been gone four hours!"

"Then it's time we were after her!" I exclaimed, a sudden impulse for action bringing me out of my stupor. I shoved my burning porridge to the back of the stove and rushed to my room to complete dressing. And in my head was pounding one word Spoo!—Spoo!—Spoo!

"Where?" Jack demanded from the door of my room. "What's your guess?"

But I was already becoming an artist, that artist that Jean so eagerly sought in me.

"Just two places," I said. "She's gone to Mrs. Alton's or to Mrs. Brown's. I don't think she would go to Lucy Burke's—didn't know them so well."

Jack's look of relief was pathetic. I had always thought of Jack as being in some way my superior, born to rule while I was born to obey. Suddenly I found him a child in my hands. "You think so?" he gasped at my words. "You think—that's—where she's gone?"

"Nothing surer. We talked a good deal about Mrs. Alton yesterday," I added, out of the fullness of my invention, "and she said how lonely Mrs. Alton must be, and that we ought to go over and see her. She's started worrying over that in the night and it's her neighbor."

Her neighbor. "Perhaps that is the trouble," she had said.

I fingered my revolver affectionately. I was glad I had brought it.

I looked at my watch. It was twenty minutes after nine. I had been fool enough to start without noting the time, and had no idea how far I had traveled. Surely I should be near Spoo!'s now.

But our engagement had never been quite canceled. Or had it? I tried to recall, but my mind blurred. Once we were engaged; we were to have been married before this time; Jean and I were to have been married at Christmas. Then Spoo!. I was not clever enough for her. . . . Perhaps Spoo! would be, I thought, and hated myself for thinking it.

Perhaps she was right. I was a good bit of a dab. Never read much, never thought much. Bounded by the corner stakes of Fourteen. An ox. Jean had as much as called me an ox. Thinking more about oats than sunset.

Didn't even mention her new cap. When I did I turned my compliment upside down; pinned it to the cap, instead of to her. Spoo! would not have done that.

Our poem. The snow would be deep on it now. Or perhaps not. It might have whipped clear. If—if anything happened to Jean I would go to that poem, I would yearn over it, I would caress it, I would lean upon it. . . . It was snow, and would be gone in the spring. Something about keeping her guessing. I was to keep her guessing. Well, she was keeping me guessing. I tried to call Jean up in my memory, to visualize her profile, her eyes, her hair, her lips, the titling lift of her ankle, the joyous stride of her young, free limbs. It was all a mist; a picture out of focus. It was a nebulous thing, vague, indistinct, unformed. Through and beyond it I saw the gray snow falling eternally. Then about this central figure—if one may call a thing so ethereal a figure—gathered a circle of light, and it grew and glowed and brightened until it haloed about her head. . . . It was Jean!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

**How Times Change**

A good story was told by Rev. Dr. Black at the Edinburgh section of the Scottish Burns club on the occasion of the annual dinner. Doctor Kirk, on going to preach in a country kirk, was asked by the headie, "Ha'e ye your sermon written?" When the reverend gentleman replied that he had, the headie exclaimed, "I'm rale glad, because when these folk come we a paper, ye ken they'll stop when that stops; but when they ha'e nae paper ayen' the Almighty Himself' diana ken when they're likely ta' feenish." Not so long ago the written sermon was anathema to the Scotchman.—London Post.

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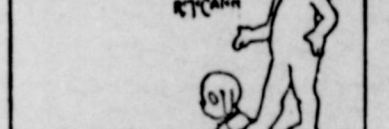


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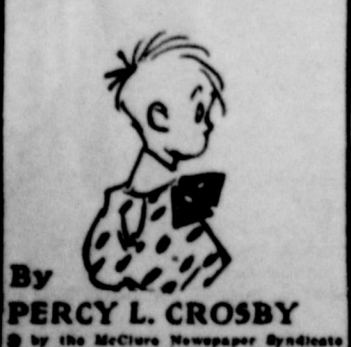


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### SPOTTED SALAMANDERS

"It makes me very angry, so angry that I don't know what to do," said the Spotted Salamander.  
"Tell me what makes you angry," said Mrs. Spotted Salamander, and I will try to comfort you."  
"Oh, I don't know whether I can talk about it or not," said Mr. Spotted Salamander.  
"My dear, it will make you feel far better to talk about it, than to keep it to yourself, thinking over it, brooding over it and making yourself quite miserable."  
"That's so," said Mr. Spotted Salamander, "but I don't like to hear a creature complain. It sounds so weak and cowardly."  
"To complain, and to talk over one's affairs with a sympathetic friend and relative are two different matters."  
"Do tell me what is bothering you, Mr. Spotted Salamander," she said coaxingly.  
"It's just this," commenced Mr. Spotted Salamander.  
"What?" urged Mrs. Salamander.  
"It is true that we can live on land or in the water, but it is not true that we can live in the fire."  
"What?" screamed Mrs. Spotted Salamander.  
"Yes," said Mr. Spotted Salamander, "it is very annoying to have such false reports get around about us."  
"They could say we came from Europe."  
"They could say we were valuable and that our skin was wet and looked as though it had been painted, though of course it's not."  
"They could say we had beautiful brown bodies and that we were decorated with bright golden and yellow bands and spots—that is why we are called the Spotted Salamander family."  
"All these facts are true."  
"But they can't say that the members of the Spotted Salamander family can stand the fire. We can't at all."  
"Most certainly not," said Mrs. Spotted Salamander. "Do you suppose they would ever try us to see if we could?" she added, in horror.  
"No," said Mr. Spotted Salamander, "they wouldn't try it on us because we are safe in the zoo, and people



"Yes," said Mr. Spotted Salamander, who don't understand never get hold of us here."  
"When we are in our own land our ways our better known."  
"Many, many times I have heard the keeper telling people that we don't like the fire and that we can't live in it."  
"But there is no danger of such a terrible thing being tried."  
"So do not worry on that account, Mrs. Spotted Salamander."  
"I was simply angry to think people could make such remarks when they did not know what they were talking about."  
"But here in the zoo we are understood as we are in our native homes."  
"I do, though, hate to think how ignorant people can be about the Spotted Salamander family."  
"They don't seem to know us at all."  
"Still, let us cheer up."  
"Some time, maybe, they will know better."  
And now the keeper was coming in and the Rock Python in his cage was all excitement. "Hiss, hiss," he said, "I hear the keeper. Ah, to eat and to sleep—what else is there in life so gay and gorgeous and pleasant?"  
"You use funny words to describe your pleasure," said the next door, or next cage snake.  
"No matter," said the Rock Python, "they will do me as well as any other words. I use what I see fit to use."  
"Mrs. Rock Python lays the eggs and hatches out little Rock Pythons—and so our great and noble family continues. What strong, fine snakes we are."  
"All people don't like snakes," said the next-door snake.  
"What care I for people?" asked the Rock Python. "I could crush any of them if I wanted, but just now all I care about is my meal—the first in six months."  
For there was the keeper, ready with a meal for the great Rock Python.

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## WHAT THANKSGIVING SHOULD MEAN TO US

### Pilgrim Men and Women at Plymouth Set Example.

THANKSGIVING is a day unique in the list of holidays—not perhaps, so unique in its conception as in the meaning which the day has come to have. We think of it as a day of getting together. The dinner is its symbol. Faith in the goodness of God and a reverent and formal prayer of thanksgiving for His bounty is its avowed purpose.  
But its greatest profit to us may come from the thoughts it invokes of that little band of hardy men and women who knew what it meant to face hunger; to know hunger and stick to an appointed task. That task happened to be the opening up of that new land which was destined to provide so bountifully for you and me who have inherited it.  
They were sticklers—those from whom this heritage has come down. Hardy? Yes; but with a ruggedness that was not alone a physical attribute. They experienced the primal lessons: want, fear, and the need of strife. But they stuck. And they won. That first Thanksgiving day was for them a solemn rite. If they—that band of Pilgrim men and women—could feel so honestly thankful for God's bounty as it was measured out to them at Plymouth in 1621, what one of us in this day and generation but needs be ashamed to feel less. It was a solemn occasion, but how could they else but be happy? Let us be happy on this Thanksgiving day. But, too, let us not forget—Frank H. Sweet.  
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## A BOY'S OPINION OF THANKSGIVING

By Mary Graham Bonner



WHEN I go out to parties I never eat all I can, Yet they say that I must grow So I'll become a strong man.

When I go out to dinner I have to be too polite Yet if I don't grow a lot I'll be a miserable sight.

Once a year I get a chance And add strength and height this way.

I don't think boys could ever be men Were it not for Thanksgiving Day!

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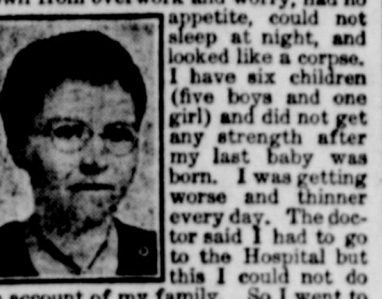
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## THE ARTIST OF THE DAY



## MRS. WILHELMI SAVED BY FRIEND

Doctor Advised Operation Friend Said Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound First



St. Paul, Minnesota.—"I was all run-down from overwork and worry, had no appetite, could not sleep at night, and looked like a corpse. I have six children (five boys and one girl) and did not get any strength after my last baby was born. I was getting worse and thinner every day. The doctor said I had to go to the Hospital but this I could not do on account of my family. So I went to a friend of mine and told her what the doctor had told me and she said, 'Now do as I tell you. Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as I have done. It helped me.' So I started taking the Vegetable Compound and I noticed after the first few bottles that I felt considerably better. After taking 9 or 10 bottles I got over my fainting spells. Everybody who sees me now notices the great improvement in my health. I am gaining in weight and strength and am feeling fine. Eat well and sleep good nights. Any woman can write to me and I will answer her letter."—Mrs. MARY WILHELMI, 309 Duke Street, St. Paul, Minnesota.

## Aggressive Measures

Donald's grandmother had her hair bobbed and grandfather didn't like it so Donald decided he didn't like it, either.  
They went to a circus recently. When they were getting out of the car, Donald looked at grandmother and said: "If any one calls you a funny sap, grandma, punch 'em in the nose."—Indianapolis News.

## Utilizing Texas Water.

Some of the large cities of the State seem to be growing fast enough and appear to have caught the spirit that will insure greater growth, but the country districts are woefully behind. If they would continue to grow, the cities must soon turn to the aid of the country and fill the country with the same spirit of progress that the cities seem to have caught.  
About the first need of the State is to harness all the water that is now going to waste and use it for power and for irrigation. If every district in Texas in which there are possibilities for irrigation, would get busy at once to make use of its water that is now wasted, Texas would, in five years, be the richest country in the world, and in ten years it would have four or five times its present population. Nature has blessed the State with a system of streams splendidly adapted to irrigation, and is inviting us to use them, by brightening our best soils with drouth as a forcible reminder of what we should do. We should be quick to learn the lesson.

## Manufacture Our Own Products.

It is a shame that we are satisfied to get so little out of what we produce. We grow about 30 per cent of all the cotton produced in the United States and manufacture almost none of it. There are 26 cotton mills operating in Texas and over 400 in North Carolina. Our cotton is sent to Northern, Eastern and foreign mills to be made into cloth for our use. We grow the wool and mohair on which the East has a monopoly, and do not manufacture a pound of it in our own State. Our 900,000 automobiles are practically all made in the North. With all our fine timber we manufacture no furniture.  
Apparently we do not try to use anything that we have to best advantage. There is even a rumor that some of the public highways in the rocky sections of West Texas are being surfaced with rock shipped from another State. Our vast lignite mines are almost idle, while we burn Oklahoma coal.

## The Waste is Appalling.

It would be an impossible task to enumerate the ways in which Texans are wasteful and neglectful of their opportunities. The individual alone can not do much to improve conditions. This waste may be accomplished through co-operative effort, and co-operation should be undertaken on a large scale. There is plenty of idle money in Texas with which to do great things and Eastern money would be available in sufficient quantities if Texas people would only show their interest.

## The Country's Turkey Supply.

The Brownwood Bulletin says that Brown county will supply one out of every 200 persons in the United States with Thanksgiving dinner turkey. I am somewhat inclined to doubt the statement, but if it is true, Texas must be feeding turkeys to most of this country, for in nearly every Texas county the people are turning their attention to turkey raising. Brown county turkeys are selling at 25 to 27 cents a pound, and at the price at which dressed turkeys will be sold by Thanksgiving day, there will hardly be one person in 200 who will feel able to afford turkey even for Thanksgiving dinner.

## Roads Are Too Narrow.

Texas roads are too narrow and entirely too crooked. In the days when transportation was by wagon or buggy, narrow trails were good enough, and time was not very valuable. Narrow, crooked roads are now dangerous, and the crooks are expensive, as well as time-consuming. All new roads should be built wide and as straight as possible.

## A Substitute for Turkey.

East Texas papers are saying that there is no need for East Texans to complain about the high price of turkeys since the possum and sweet potato crops are good, and possums do not have to be raised. So long as the potatoes last and the possum hunters are active, there need be no suffering in East Texas. Almost every East Texas farm, though, now has its flock of turkeys and chickens, and East Texas has never before been quite so prosperous.

## Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

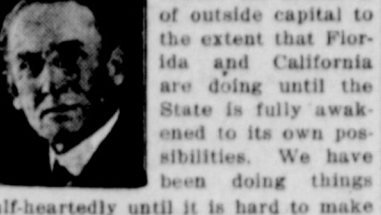
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## THE PASSING DAY

WILL H. MAYES  
Former Dean  
Department of Journalism  
University of Texas

Sell Texas to Texans.



Texas will never attract the attention of outside capital to the extent that Florida and California are doing until the State is fully awakened to its own possibilities. We have been doing things half-heartedly until it is hard to make many of us realize that we can do big things if we will only go to work on a big scale. Florida and California were as listless and slow moving as Texas until the people began to see that they would never accomplish anything worth while without an awakening of the home people. Now outside capital is being poured into those states so fast that the people are wondering where it all comes from and what they are going to do with it. Each of these states has drawn much money from Texas and from every other state in the Union, and all because we have been indifferent to the development of Texas. We would all like to see Texas grow, of course, but we are slow to put money and effort into making it grow—just waiting "for George to do it."

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### Word of Appreciation

The Ladies of Altar and Rosary Society wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to all those who so kindly came out and helped to make the pastry sale a success. Shortly after 6 o'clock every cake and pie was sold, there being about 100 pies and 15 cakes.

The Society wishes also to thank the members of the Lopez orchestra who willingly their services. Everyone present enjoyed the music.

Chairman.

Dr. Ivy Stansell, of San Antonio, passed thru Sanderson last Sunday en route to El Paso where he went to attend his sister, Mrs. Percy Grey, who is ill at that place.

—Christmas is in at the Elite. Mrs. M. A. Boling left for El Paso Sunday where she attended the convention of Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent Teachers' associations held there this week.

Fred Talbot and S. C. Bodkin returned from El Paso Sunday where they attended the Shriners reunion held there last week.

—Odd pieces of Oakwood China, just the thing for a Christmas Gift. To be sold below cost of production at the Elite.

Mrs. Annie Ware is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Griffith

Mrs. Paul Lowry returned to El Paso Sunday after visiting relatives.

—The Elite will give away a \$14.00 box of candy on Christmas eve.

Mrs. M. E. Winn and Mrs. N. J. Walton of Rock Springs are visiting their son and brother, S. H. Winn, and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Good were in from the ranch Monday on business.

—Let the Elite help you with your Christmas Gifts.

Homer Fleming and son of Junction are visiting Mr. M. Booser and other relatives this week.

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### School Notes

The Ft. Stockton Panthers met the Sanderson Eagles on the local field last Saturday. The determination of the Eagles proved successful in holding the Panthers down with a score of 0 to 0.

The Ft. Stockton basket ball girls were defeated by the Sanderson girls with a score of 15 to 2.

The rooters of Sanderson were Johnny on the spot at both games and was appreciated by the teams

### Lookout Marathon!

Eagles do your stuff!

The Marathon teams, football and basketball, will be here today, Saturday, to play the Sanderson teams.

### Beat Alpine!

We're all with you!

Thanksgiving Day, the Alpine high school squad will meet the local boys in the last game of the season. Although Alpine beat us in the last game and we hope to even it up next Thursday.

### Senior Class Party.

Last Saturday night the senior class met at Walter Grigsby's home with president Al Morgan in the chair. The motion of getting Anne Farley some flowers was made and seconded. The class voted that the next meeting be held at Malone Mitchell's home.

After the business session and this being Walter's birthday a number of friends not in the senior class came and helped surprise Walter with a birthday party. He received many useful presents. After the presents were opened, various games were played.

About 10:30 coca and cake was enjoyed by all. Then everyone left wishing all of Walter's birthdays to be as happy as this one had been.

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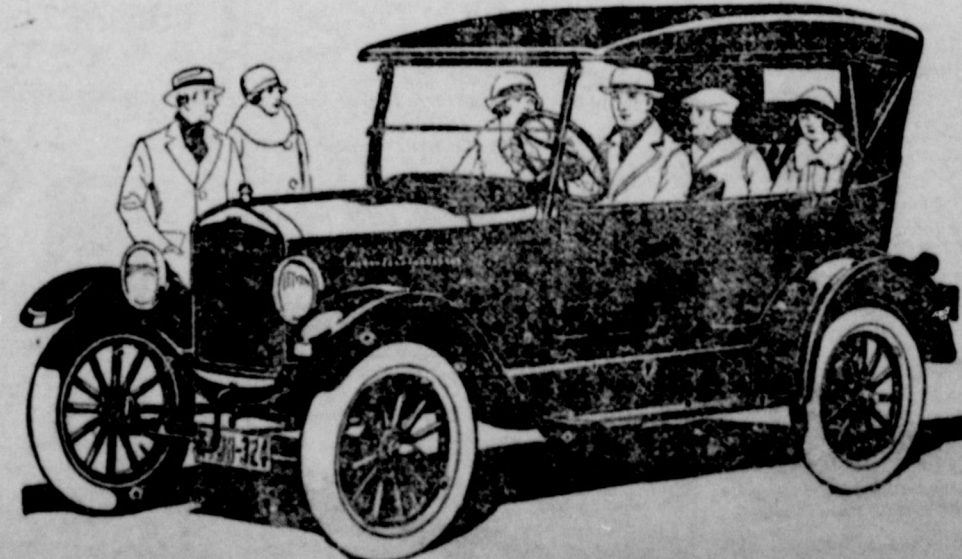
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