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## AS IT LOOKS TO ME

### COMMENCEMENT WEEK

By Jack Ainslie.

Many heads are going to be held higher and many hearts are going to beat a little faster than usual throughout the country this week.

The glow of the light of satisfaction and expectancy shall brighten the faces of many fathers and mothers.

Boys and girls of the teen age shall have in their eyes the fire of joy, on their cheeks the flush of victory, in their steps the snap of enthusiasm.

For this is Commencement Week in American high schools. And what a train of memories, of longings, of hopes commencement week brings.

To the minds of the old folks it recalls days long gone by when they, too, had "finished school" and had "said their pieces" in a country schoolhouse.

For the parents of the boys and girls of today, it means hearts surcharged with pardonable pride in the accomplishments and achievements of sons and daughters.

For these same sons and daughters, it means the end of years of tedious study, the severing of happy and delightful associations—and a diploma.

For the youngsters in the lower grades, it means the laying aside of pencils, pens and books and three months of sweet freedom.

But pre-eminently, commencement week means just what the word implies—the beginning of things. For most of the thousands of young men and women, who this week shall receive their high school diplomas, are commencing the fascinating experience of a life career.

With the banner of hope at the mast-head and the sails of ambition spread, they shall embark on life's sea.

Bon voyage to them.

## Personal Pointers

Mrs. F. A. Sharp, following the completion of her school work at Llano, came in the first of the week to join her husband, F. A. Sharp, barber at the City Barber Shop.

J. L. Goodykuntz and family left this week for El Paso, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Rooney Cartwright and daughter of El Paso are visiting her husband, Rooney Cartwright, fireman on the west end.

Mrs. H. B. Nutter and children of Girvin are visiting her mother, Mrs. E. C. Farley.

Misses Elizabeth Alfred and Delma Harper were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Doak on their ranch near Langtry.

F. B. Carter spent several days in El Paso this week with his wife, who is ill in Providence Hospital.

P. R. Gorman was a visitor in El Paso this week with friends and relatives.

Joe Kerr left Sunday for San Antonio where he was called on account of the serious illness of his cousin, Miss Anna Campbell.

Mrs. D. B. Kilpatrick and children of Sheffield were visitors with her mother, Mrs. V. J. Sheffield, and other relatives over the week-end. They returned home Tuesday accompanied by Euster Kilpatrick, who has been attending high school the last year.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist Church will meet in a social session Monday, May 23, with Mesdames Down and Parsons as joint hostesses, at the home of the latter.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Presbyterian Church will postpone their meeting from Monday May 23 to May 30.

Mrs. Joe Graham and daughter, Miss Chieora, and son, Bill, and Miss Thelma Hankamer all of Del Rio spent Tuesday as the guests of Mrs. Clyde Mills.

Rev. Father Bertrant has returned home after several weeks in San Antonio recuperating after his serious illness.

Blackstone, Slaughter & Lackey shipped 3000 head mutton sheep to Kansas City Thursday. Clothes cleaned in Naptha look fresh and have no disagreeable odor. The Model Tailors.

## P. T. ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE COMING YEAR

At the last regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association the following officers were elected to serve the coming year: President, Mrs. J. W. McKee; first vice president, Mrs. Sims Wilkinson; second vice president, Mrs. James Kerr; third vice president, Mrs. A. Mitchell; secretary, Mrs. A. D. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. D. A. Pollard; musician, Mrs. J. A. White.

Mrs. H. D. Williams is the retiring president and has held the office the last two years. During her term of office the association has made progress and has helped the school in every way possible.

## O. E. S. ELECT NEW OFFICERS

At a meeting held last Tuesday night the local Chapter Order of Eastern Star elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Willora Chastain, worthy matron; Sims Wilkinson, worthy patron; Helen Duke, associate matron; conductors, Ima Wilkinson; Johnny Williams, associate conductors; Sidney McKee, secretary; Ida Bodkin, treasurer.

Installation of these officers will be held Tuesday night, May 31.

## S. P. TO SHOW FREE LIVESTOCK PICTURE

Under the auspices of the Southern Pacific Dr. Rogers, assistant veterinarian of the Western Weighing and Inspection Bureau of Chicago will be in Sanderson on Tuesday, May 24. He will give a moving picture program, educational in its motif, on livestock handling, sheep and goats, and domestic science, interspersing these with comies.

These pictures will be shown at 8:30 p. m. sharp at the High School auditorium and will be instructive and entertaining. There will be no admission charge and no collection.

This has the endorsement of the Rotary Club and Chamber of Commerce and we hope Dr. Rogers will have no reason for complaint as to the size of his audience.

## SUMMER SCHOOL

Those desiring to take a Summer School Course will please be at the High School Monday morning, May 23 at 9 o'clock. This course will be a six weeks term.

T. L. WILLIAMS.

## BASEBALL SUNDAY

The local nine will cross bats Sunday with the fast Marfa club. Marfa has played nine games this season and have lost but one of them. With death of the jinks the past week Sanderson should be able to Sunday.

The game is called for 2:30 sharp.

Mrs. J. H. Lemons and grandsons, J. W. and Maurice Spears, of Marathon are visiting relatives in the city.

Clyde Mills spent several days this week in Del Rio on business. B. P. (Panch) Franklin was over from San Angelo this week visiting his family.

## Baptist Services.

There will be Baptist services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening at usual hours, to which you are cordially invited. I shall not be able to reach there on Friday as I usually do on account of having to deliver the graduating address at Barstow on Friday night. The theme Sunday morning will be "The Final Judgement." This is a theme that should be considered carefully as it will have to be met at last by at least some. Come and worship with us at these services.

D. E. ADAMS, Pastor.

Mrs. M. F. Bodkin and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Llano. They were accompanied home by Miss Stella Bode, who will visit here for some time.

We dry clean suits, fancy and plain dresses of any material, hats, caps, gloves, lace curtains, furniture upholstery, automobile seat covers.

EMPIRE TAILORS.

## MRS. CLYDE MILLS IN MUSICAL RECITAL

The class recital presented last Saturday night at the Presbyterian Church by the music pupils of Mrs. Clyde Mills was well given. Opening with medleys of National and Southern airs by the orchestra, each number that followed held the attentive audience to the last. Each pupil presented, whether in solo, duo, trio or sextette, showed careful training and wonderful development of technique. This is the close of the second year of teaching here for Mrs. Mills and she has developed several good musicians. A number of the pupils that were presented last Saturday night had played before in recitals, while for some this was their first time in public. An any rate all showed credit and did fine.

## The Baccalaureate Sermon.

The following baccalaureate program and sermon was given last Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church:

Invocation, "Lead On O King Eternal," choir.

Hymn, "Faith of Our Father," choir.

Scripture Reading, Rev. W. H. Strong.

Sermon, Rev. Strong.

Prayer.

Recessional.

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# Supplement to SANDERSON TIMES

SANDERSON, TERRELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1927

## A JOINT RESOLUTION.

S. J. R. No. 33.  
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

Section 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided until otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and actual traveling expenses from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law; and provided that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner," and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if qualified vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.  
(A Correct Copy)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 32.  
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 69, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites; providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section to be known as Section 69, Article 16, to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 69. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit: The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties, and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites as now provided by the Constitution.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For amendment to the Con-

stitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, and commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," and "Against amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

Sec. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927.  
(A Correct Copy)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 25.  
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1a therein, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes only; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1a, as follows:

Section 1a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for State purposes from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1a, providing for the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1a, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and set forth herein shall be adopted, as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

Approved March 11, 1927.  
(A Correct Copy)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

S. J. R. No. 24.  
Proposing an amendment of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1: That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five Judges shall be necessary to the decision of a case. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court until he has attained the age of thirty years and shall have been a licensed lawyer for seven years and, during that time, shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a court of record, or such practicing lawyer and Judge

together. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualify, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy shall be filled by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. When this amendment takes effect the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justices of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and upon the expiration of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 3 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in which the Courts of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts, in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, the said Court and the Judges thereof may issue writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warrantum and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capitol for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the Court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 4 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five, and a majority of the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary to the decision of any case. Said Judges shall have the same qualifications and receive the same salaries as the Judges of the Supreme Court. They shall be elected by a general election, and shall hold their offices for a term of six years. The Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and laws.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of the State in all criminal cases of whatever grade, with such exceptions and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and the Legislature may confer original jurisdiction upon it to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo and certiorari in criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power to issue such writs as may be prescribed by law, and shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The Legislature shall, from time to time, divide the State into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as to it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to re-district the State at any time,

and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said Districts, which Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associate Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein prescribed for Justices of the Supreme Court, provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty-six. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of their respective districts, which shall extend to all civil cases of which the District Courts or County Courts have original or appellate jurisdiction, under such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the decisions of said Courts shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Such Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said Courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a Clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of the Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States, and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he is elected for two years next preceding his election, who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special law, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any County for the dispatch of business. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent or is, from any cause, disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may assign any District Judge to any District in the State other than that for which he was elected, with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 8: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

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"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

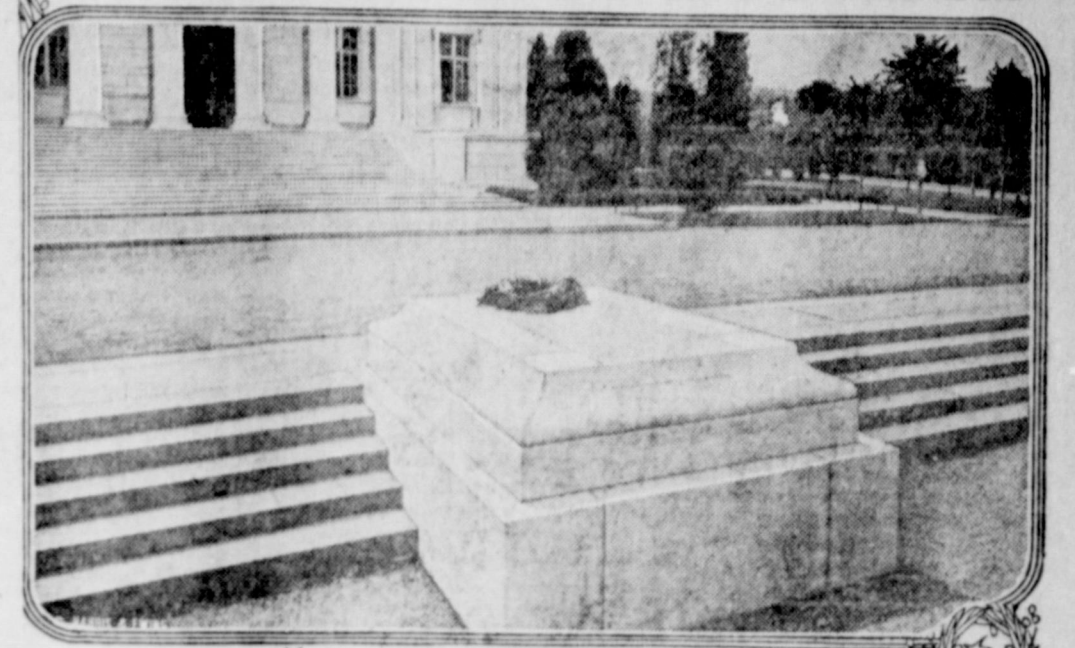
If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4: The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 10, 1927.  
(A Correct Copy)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

# Unknown Soldier



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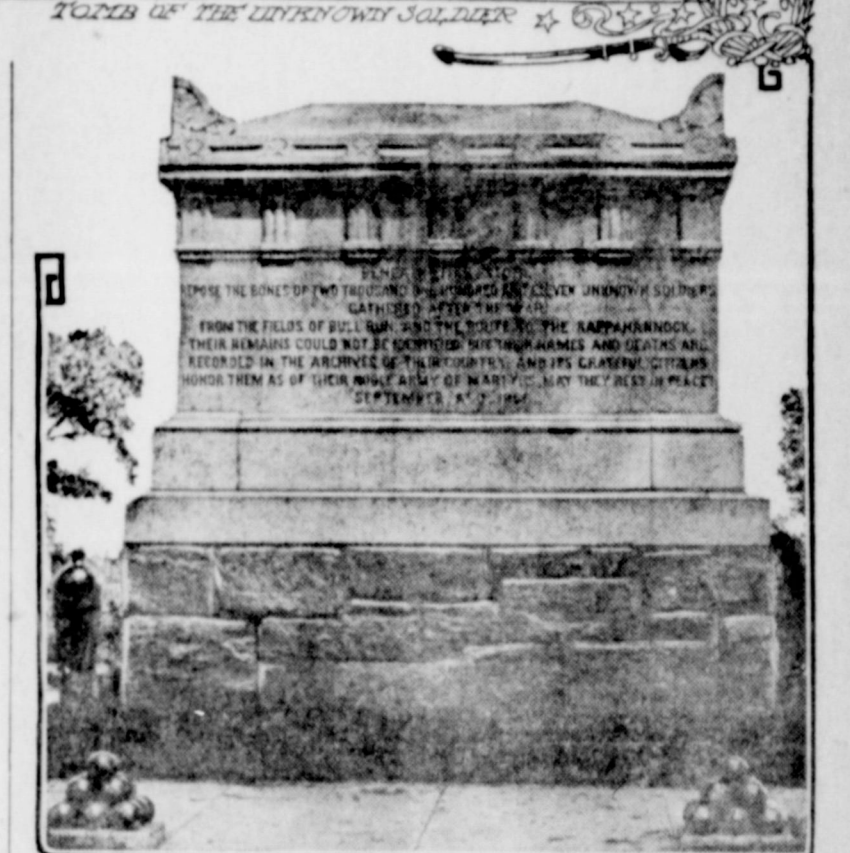
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they rest in peace." Underneath is a great vault of solid masonry, 30 feet deep and 200 feet square, in which are stacked the humble pine-wood coffins containing the bones of the soldiers. Nor are these the only unknown dead in Arlington. It was before this monument that the first formal Memorial Day exercises—although the day had not yet been thus officially designated—were held on May 30, 1868, as the result of the famous General Orders No. 11, issued by Gen. John A. Logan, com- mander of the G. A. R., calling for "the strewn with flowers or other- wise decorating the graves of com-rades who died in defense of their country."

War in its very nature is a tragedy, but sadder of all things con- nected with war is the tragedy of the unknown dead. For some soldiers war means moments of exaltation in the knowledge of a sacrifice worth while, of heroism which will send his name ringing down the years and of tender care of the poor shell of his body after the spirit has fled. But to others it means privation, pain, the same exaltation, the same heroism but with it death, his name forgot- ten, and only a headstone marked "Unknown" to show where this bit of human wreckage was consigned to Mother Earth. Hundreds of skeletons were found but there was no mark of identification. It was such "unknown dead" as these who sleep beneath the memorial in Ar- lington. And they are only a few of the unknown there. In 1872 the War department marked 18,000 graves in that cemetery with little marble headstones and of this number 4,000 bear the simple word "Unknown."

The Civil war was not the only one which added to the long roll of mis- sion men, soldiers who gave their lives for their country and of whom no trace now remains. Their last resting places, unmarked, are scattered far and wide over the United States—in the West, where Indian bullet and lance took their toll, as well as on the battlefields of the South. Memorial Day is a day for honoring their memory, too, and the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington, before which in spirit, at least, all Americans bow their heads in reverence on Memorial Day is a monument to all American soldiers who fought for the preser- vation of this "government of the people, for the people and by the people," even though all visible traces of its defenders has "perished from the earth."

parily. The fact that not all of his parishioners have radios did not keep Rev. Raymond Gonso, of the Congrega- tional church, from delivering his Sunday sermon to his flock. The sermon that he had prepared for deliv- ery was broadcast through the mails to members of his parish.

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## New Theories of Life Really Based on Consciousness of God

By BISHOP G. G. BENNETT, Duluth.

ON EVERY hand, we see evidence of the theory that the end of the church today is as an end in itself. It is not; it is merely a mere behavioristic psychology is simply a symbol of which is prevalent in business, in religion and in society.

The ability to reason is not the chief distinction between lower types of animal life. Reason is but a part of conscience the greatest factor distinguishing the human being from the lower animals. Consciousness is the common inheritance of mankind of this common consciousness is God. The search for him is carried on by many so piteously and hopelessly. They must find God in some other way and channel than the channel of life. As a matter of fact, God must be at the elbow of necessity, and the sooner we realize this, the sooner will we realize the mysteries of life.

New psychological and scientific theories may be compared to the child, who at an early age tries to run away down the street. Eventually the child must depend upon its elders for sustenance and livelihood. So theories of life all lead eventually back to the basis of a common consciousness and a common God.

## Need for Determining and Correcting of Scholastic Failures

By H. GLICKSMAN, Assistant Dean, University of V.

Principal causes of scholastic failures are: Outside mental disquiet, extra-curricular activities, social diversion of college life in general, noisy surroundings and unskillful inadequate methods of study, meager natural endowments, interference and neglect.

There are no two failing students in whom these various causes are in the same combination. In educational science, as in other sciences, we need to draw farther away from the once popular disorders are referable to single and separate causes.

More intimate contact between teachers and officials and students on the other would help to detect causes of failures, and also help us to find and apply remedies.

We need more and more to determine what students have done and what students have come merely to "go to school" and to have the enthusiasm, perception and which to derive and rejoice over a program, let us say, of fiction, elementary foreign language, medieval history and try, he is a hopeful risk and deserves careful development be afraid to say to a student singularly lacking in such perception and industry that he is not promising college material.

## Truthful and Accurate Newspaper Indispensable to the World of Today

By FRED A. WALKER, New York Publishers' Assn.

A day without a newspaper would be an inconvenience without a newspaper would be a catastrophe. Whatever the public looks first to the newspapers for information and this tribute that can be paid to the truthfulness and accuracy.

Some people unkindly and untruthfully cast reflection upon the newspaper industry as if it were a mere business. The making of the newspapers and who have a real interest in the human race in which speed and quantity is so accurately performed as the collecting of the world's news through newspaper columns.

The newspapers are the eyes, the ears and the mouth of the world. They perform the functions of seeing, hearing and telling of every day in the year. Upon the publicity afforded by depends the prosperity of a thousand different forms of return on millions of dollars invested. Indescribable the if the newspapers were suspended.

## Modern-Day Extravagance of Both Young and Old Needs to Be Checked

By W. R. MOREHOUSE, American Bankers' Assn.

The American people are becoming more and more extravagant. It isn't so much the high cost of living in these days as the lack of appreciation of the value of minor coins. To a penny on the sidewalk you almost hesitate to pick it up; a nickel or a dime in your office, you are tempted to remain and get it.

Young America is being reared in this environment of extravagance. Our children are demanding liberal allowances; instead of taking lunch to school, as we did years ago, the children today insist on an allowance of a dollar a day.

To offset the tendency toward extravagance in children, bankers to encourage children's accounts and welcome the pennies and nickels. Stock salesmen and promoters are getting the savings accounts with promises of high returns, and this is an evil in so far as it encourages the purchase of luxuries.

## Immense Wealth of Nation Is Threatened by Spiritual Integrity of the People

By DR. JOHN A. MARQUIS, Presbyterian General

America in her 150 years of history has had to face many problems. Some were the foundation and interpretation of the acquisition and organization of her immense wealth and many others. But she never has had to face problems that those she faces now; economic, industrial, international. Her people have gotten so wealthy their spiritual integrity has been sacrificed.

Wealth has sapped the moral vigor of every nation that has possessed it. Will it be the ruin of us? It depends upon us. The task of our missionary boards is to create a spirit that can handle the complex situation. A great nation is watching how we spend our wealth.

The church plays a vital part in the answer.

## Personal Pointers

Clarence Taylor of Rock Springs is now working in the City Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knox and children left last Friday for a vacation trip through California and other points of interest in the West.

Mrs. C. D. Strange left the first of the week for Fort Worth where she will be in attendance at the Woman's Benefit Association convention which meets in that city this week.

Mrs. M. F. Beckin and children visited relatives in Llano this week.

Johnnie Whistler Jr. of Del Rio is a new employee at the Royal Barber Shop as a barber.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Jones of Arbec, Texas came in Wednesday and they will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdams.

Mrs. W. Van Syckle of Alpine will be in the city Wednesday, May 18 for the purpose of explaining and discussing a Study Club. Those who are interested and would like to see a Women's Study Club organized in Sanderson are urged to be at the Masonic Hall, Wednesday morning, May 18, at 10 o'clock.

**Mothers' Day Observed.**  
The Sunday school observed Mother's Day by rendering the following program:

Invocation, Rev. J. A. McMillan.  
Every Day, Mother's Day, Dorothy Holmes.  
Song, "Mother's Love," Mrs. J. A. White's Class.  
Mother's Flowers, Elmer Haas.  
Song, "Oh, Motherhood the Beautiful,"

Mrs. T. L. William's Class. Musical Reading, "Somebody's Mother," Miss Louise Williams.  
Guess Who, Mrs. Sims Wilkinson's Class.  
Reading, "Muvver's Love" Mary Ferguson.  
Song, "Blest be the Tie That Binds," Congregation.  
Benediction, J. A. McMillan.  
The program was well rendered and enjoyed by a large congregation.

The Women's Benefit Association gave the following program on Mother's Day at the Presbyterian church:

Songs by the Congregation.  
Prayer:  
Origin of Mother's Day, Mrs. W. E. Lea.  
Song, "Mother Macree" Mrs. M. A. Cavender.  
Prairie Mother, Mrs. Strange.  
Solo, Mr. McAdams.  
Piano Solo, Mrs. Grigsby.  
Song, "We Meet Again," Congregation.  
Benediction, Mr. McAdams.

The parts were well rendered and enjoyed by a full house. Mrs. Sims Wilkinson presided at the piano with her usual grace. The committee, Mesdames Dixie Schuppach, Cecil Fletcher and Addie Lee Boling are to be commended on their work for keeping in memory this Day of days. —Contributed.

## Ladies Auxiliary Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Presbyterian Church held their Bible study and short business meeting with Mrs. D. A. Pollard May 9 with 20 members and 2 visitors. The president notified all members to expect a surprise. We went bubbling over with curiosity, and was justly repaid when a little messenger, Melvin Pollard invited the ladies to follow him, using a string as guide which lead us around to the side gate of Mrs. Frank Cochrane where hung a sign to "Come In." Mrs. Cochrane greeted us in her usual affable manner after seeing all were seated we were served cool lemonade, ice cream and cake, favors were handiwork of the

hostess. The ladies voted Mrs. Cochrane a lovely hostess and hoped these pleasant surprises would come oftener. The next meeting will be business and social at residence of Mrs. Pollard with Mesdames Mills and Pollard as hostess.

## ROTARY CLUB INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Last Wednesday evening the Rotarians and Rotary Anns assembled at the Kerr Hotel, the occasion being the installation of the officers elected for the coming year. Following a sumptuous banquet a very enjoyable program was given.

The orchestra of Mrs. Clyde Mills music class rendered several selections which was very much enjoyed. Miss Louise Williams gave several delightful readings and Mrs. M. P. Lester entertained with vocal selections.

Short talks were given by Hy Laurence, Jesse Henshaw, Clyde Griffith, Al Creigh, Jim Kerr, J. C. Stansell, Mrs. M. A. Boling and Jo. Kerr.

The fitting climax of the evening was when Al Creigh, in a flowery and eloquent speech, presented, in behalf of the Club, to Hy Laurence, the retiring president, a set of cuff links, and to Clyde Griffith, the retiring secretary, a bill fold.

The following officers were installed for the following year: President, Jesse Henshaw. Vice Pres., Harry McAdams. Secretary, Al Creigh. Treasurer, Jim Kerr. Directors, J. C. Stansell and Frank Harrell.

## PUBLIC NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF TERRELL. Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Carroll M. Breeding, Mason Johnson and Lee M. Kokernot, all of the County of Terrell, State of Texas, under the firm name of Breeding-Johnson Construction Company was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of March, A. D. 1927.

All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by Carroll M. Breeding and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to said Carroll M. Breeding for payment and that the said Carroll M. Breeding for the purpose of liquidation of all debts due to and from the partnership shall have the name of the Breeding-Johnson Construction Company, Dated March 1, 1927.

C. M. BREEDING, MASON JOHNSON, LEE M. KOKERNOT.

## NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF TERRELL.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of R. A. Stewart, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of R. A. Stewart, deceased, late of Terrell County, Texas, by G. J. Henshaw, judge of the County Court of said county on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1927, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Sanderson, Terrell County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 6th day of May, A. D. 1927. W. D. HUNTER, Administrator of the Estate of R. A. Stewart, Deceased.

## PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE

An inspection will be made of your outdoor buildings and premises on May 21, and if found in an unsanitary condition your name will be passed to the proper officer.

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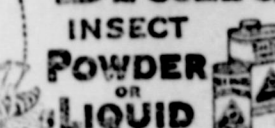
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# The GIRL in the MIRROR

By  
ELIZABETH JORDAN

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## CHAPTER IX—Continued

"You mean"—Laurie was staring at him incredulously—"you mean you don't intend to let me leave here?" Shaw shrugged deprecatingly. "Oh, surely! But not immediately." His guest turned and addressed the fire. "I never listened to such nonsense in my life," he gravely assured it. Shaw nodded. "It does seem a little melodramatic," he conceded. "I tried to think of something better, something less brusque, as it were. But the time was so short; I really had no choice."

"What do you mean by that?" Laurie had again turned to face him. "Exactly what I say. Think it over. Then let me have your decision." Laurie moved closer to him. "Get up," he commanded. "I am very comfortable here."

"Get up!" The words came out between the young man's clenched teeth. Shaw again shrugged deprecatingly. Then, with another of his sharp-toothed grins, he rose and faced his visitor. At the desk across the room the big blond secretary rose, and also fixed his pale blue eyes on his employer.

"Now," said Laurie, "tell me what the devil you are driving at, and what all this mystery means."

"What an impulsive, high-strung chap you are!" Shaw was still grinning his wide grin.

"You won't tell me?" "Of course I won't! I've told you enough now to satisfy any reasonable person. Besides, you said you had something to say to me."

He was deliberately goading the younger man, and Laurie saw it. He saw, too, over Shaw's shoulder, the tense, waiting figure of the secretary. He advanced another step.

"Yes," he said, "I've got three things to say to you. One is that you're a contemptible, low-lived, blackmaling hound. The second is that before I get through with you I'm going to choke the truth out of your fat throat. And the third is that I'll see you in—before I give you any such promise as you ask. Now, I'm going."

He walked over to the couch and picked up his hat and coat. The secretary unobtrusively insinuated himself into the center of the room. Shaw alone remained immovable and unmoved. Even as Laurie turned with the garments in his hands, Shaw smiled his wide smile and encircled the room with a sweeping gesture of one arm.

"Go, then, by all means, my young friend," he cried jovially, "but how?" Laurie's eyes followed the gesture. He had already observed the absence of windows. Now, for the first time, with a sudden intake of breath, he discovered a second lock. Seemingly, there was no exit from the room. Of course there was a door somewhere, but it was cleverly concealed, perhaps behind some revolving piece of furniture; or possibly it was opened by a hidden spring. Wherever it was, it could be found. In the meantime, his maneuver had given him what he wanted—more space in which to fight two men. With a sudden movement Shaw picked up the silver-framed photograph and ostentatiously blew the dust off it. This done, he held it out and looked at it admiringly.

"You will stay here, but you will not be alone," he promised, with his wide, sharp-toothed grin. "This will keep you company. See how the charming lady smiles at the prospect—"

He dropped the picture, which fell with a crash on the tiled flooring around the fireplace. The glass broke and splintered. Shaw gasped and gurgled under the strangling hold of powerful fingers on his throat. Lamp and table were overturned in the struggle that carried the three men half a dozen times across the room and back.

Laurie, fighting two opponents with desperate fury, could still see their forms and Shaw's bulging eyes in the bright light. Then he himself gasped and choked. Something wet and sweet was pressed against his face. He heard an excited whisper:

"Hold on! Be careful there. Not too much of that!"

A moment more and he had slipped over the edge of the world and was dropping through black space.

## CHAPTER X

### A Bit of Bright Ribbon.

When Laurie opened his eyes blackness was still around him, a blackness without a point of light. But as his mind slowly cleared, the picture he saw in his last conscious moment flashed across his mental vision—the dim, fretful room, the struggling, straining figures of Shaw and the blond secretary. He heard again the blessed caution, "Not too much of that!"

He sat up dizzily. There had been "too much of that." He felt faint and mildly nauseated. His hands, groping in the darkness, came in contact with a brick floor; or was it the tilting

around the fireplace? He did not know. He decided to sit quite still for a moment, until he could pull himself together. His body felt stiff and sore. There must have been a dandy fight in that dingy old room, he reflected with satisfaction. Perhaps the other two men were lying somewhere near him in the darkness. Perhaps they, too, were knocked out. He hoped they were. But no, of course not. Again he remembered the hurried caution, "Not too much of that!"

He decided to light a match and see where he was, and he fumbled in his pockets with the first instinct of panic he had known. If those brutes had taken his matchbox! But they hadn't. He opened it carefully, still with a lingering suggestion of the panic. If he had been a hero of romance, he reasoned, with a dawning grin, that box would have held exactly one match; and he would have had to light that one very slowly and carefully. Then, at the last instant, the feeble flicker would have gone out, leaving it up to him to invent some method of manufacturing light.

As it was, however, his fat matchbox was comfortably filled, and his cigarette case, which he eagerly



Shaw Gaped and Gurgled Under the Strangling Hold of the Powerful Fingers on His Throat.

opened and examined by touch, held three, no, four cigarettes. That was luck! His spirits rose, singing. Now for a light!

He lit a match, held it up, looked around him, and felt himself groggy suddenly limp with surprise. He had expected, of course, to find himself in Shaw's room. Instead, he was in a cellar, which resembled that room only in the interesting detail that it appeared to have no exit. With this discovery, his match went out. He lit another, and examined his new environment as carefully as he could in the brief interval of illumination it afforded.

The cellar was a perfectly good one, as cellars go. It was a small, square, hollow cube in the earth, not damp, not especially cold, and not evil-smelling. Its walls were brick. So was the floor, which was covered with clean straw, a discovery that made its present occupant suddenly cautious in handling his matches. He had no wish to be burned alive in this underground trap. The place was apparently used as a sort of storeroom. There was an old trunk in it, and some broken-down pieces of furniture. The second match burned out.

He began to experience the sensations of a trapped animal. So vivid were these, and so overpowering, as he measured his helplessness against the girl's possible need of him, that he used all his will power in overcoming them. Resolutely he reminded himself that he must keep cool and steady. He would leave nothing undone that could be done. He would shout at intervals. Perhaps sooner or later some night watchman would hear him. He would reach that trapdoor if the achievement were humanly possible. But first, last and all the time he would keep cool.

When he had exhausted every resource his imagination suggested, he sat in the straw, smoking and brooding, his mind incessantly seeking some way out of his plight. At intervals he shouted, pounded and whistled. He walked the floor, and re-examined it and the cellar walls. He looked at his watch. It was three o'clock in the morning. He was exhausted and his body still ached rackingly.

Very slowly he resigned himself to the inevitable. Morning would soon come. He must sleep till then, to be in condition for the day. He found Shaw's blankets, threw himself on the straw, and fell into a slumber full of disturbing dreams. In the most vivid of these he was a little boy, at school; and on the desk before him a coiled box constrictor, with Shaw's wide and sharp-toothed grin, ordered him to open on his slate an excellent photograph of Doris.

He awoke with a start, and in the next instant was on his feet. He had heard a sound, and now he saw a light falling from above. He looked up. A generous square opening appeared in the ceiling, and leading down from it was the gratifying vision of a small ladder. Up the ladder Laurie sprang with the swiftness of light itself. Subconsciously he realized that if he was to catch the person who had opened that door and dropped that ladder, he must be exceedingly brisk about it. But, quick as he was, he was still too slow. With a grip on each side of the opening, and a strong swing, he lifted himself into the room above. As he expected, it held no occupant. What he had not expected, and what held him staring now, was that it held not one stick of furniture. Bare as a bone, bleak as a skeleton, it had the effect of grinning at him with Shaw's wide white grin.

His first conscious reflection was the natural one that it was not Shaw's room. He had been carried to another building. This room had a window, which, of course, might have been concealed behind the letter files. Yet, bare as it was, it looked familiar. There was the fireplace, with its charred logs. There, yes, there were the splinters of the glass that had protected Doris's photograph. And, final convincing evidence, there, forgotten in a corner, was the worn bedroom slipper he had noticed under the couch the night before.

With eyes still bewildered, still incredulous, he stared around the empty room. Before him yawned an open door, showing an uninviting vista of dingy hall. He stepped across its threshold and looked down the winding passage of the night before. But why had he seen the door? He moved back into the empty room. A glance explained the little mystery. The room had been freshly papered, door and all. The surface of the door had been made level with the wall. When it was closed there was no apparent break in the pattern of the wall paper.

If there had been a chair in the room, young Mr. Devon would have sat down at this point. His body wanted to sit down. In fact, it almost insisted upon doing so. But just as he was relaxing in utter bewilderment, he received another gentle shock. Above the old-fashioned mantel was a narrow, set-in mirror, and in this mirror Laurie caught a glimpse of the features of a disheveled young ruffian, staring fixedly at him. He had time to stiffen perceptibly over this vision before he realized that the disheveled ruffian was himself, a coatless, collarless self, with shirt torn open, cuffs torn off, hair on end, features battered and dirty, and bits of straw clinging to what was left of his clothing.

For a long moment Laurie gazed at the figure in the glass, and as he gazed his mingled emotions shook down into connected thought. Yes, there had been a dandy fight in this room last night, and he had the satisfaction of knowing that his two opponents must have come out of it as disheveled as himself. He had "had them going." Beyond doubt he could have handled them both for their internal chorioform. Again he recalled, with pleasure, the feeling of Shaw's thick, slippery neck as it choked and writhed under the grip of his fingers. Incidentally he had landed two blows on the secretary's jaw, sending him first into a corner and the next time to the floor. It was soon after the second blow that the episode of the chorioform occurred.

Straightening up, he began the hurried and elemental toilet which was all the conditions permitted. He removed the pieces of straw from his clothing, smoothed his hair, straightened his garments to conceal as much of the damage to them as possible, and gratefully put on his coat, which lay neatly folded on the floor, with his silk hat resting snugly upon it. It required some courage to go out into the clear light of a January morning in patent-leather pumps and wearing a silk hat. He would find some one around the place from whom he could borrow a hat and get the information he needed about the late tenants of this extraordinary office. It was half-past seven. He had slept later than he realized. He had slept while Doris was in peril. The reminder both appalled and steadied him.

With a last look around the diamond-tiled room, he closed its door behind him and went out into the winding hall. He hurried up and down its length, poking his head into empty storerooms and dusty offices, but finding no sign of life.

Affluent though he was in matches, it was no part of the young man's plan to burn his entire supply at one sitting, as it were. For half an hour he crouched in the darkness, pondering. Then, as an answer to certain persistent questions that came up in his mind, he lit a third match. He greatly desired to know where lay the outlet to that cellar, and in this third illumination he decided that he had found it. There must be some sort of a trap-door at the top, through which he had been dropped or lowered. Those wide seams in the white-washed ceiling must mean the cracks due to a set-in door. Undoubtedly that door had been bolted, also, even assuming that it was not fastened, the ceiling was fully eight feet above him. There was no ladder, there were no stairs. His third match burned out.

In the instant of its last flicker he saw something white lying on the straw beside him. He promptly lit another match, and with rising excitement picked up the sheet of paper and read the three-line communication scrawled in pencil upon it:

"Out tomorrow. Flashlight, candles, cigarettes and matches in box at your left. Blankets in corner. Be good."

The recipient of this interesting document read it twice. Then, having secured the box at his left—a discarded collar box, judging by its shape and labels—he drew forth the flashlight, the cigarettes, the matches and the candles it contained. Lighting one of the candles, he stuck it securely on a projecting ledge of the wall. By its own light, aided by the electric flash, he took a full though still dazed inventory of his surroundings. The ophidian Shaw had puzzled him again.

He had handled Shaw very roughly for a time. He could still feel—and he recalled the sensation with great pleasure—the thick, slippery neck of the creature, and the way it had squirmed when he got his fingers into it. Yet the serpent evidently bore no malice. Or—a searing thought struck Laurie—having things his own way, he could afford to be generous. In other words, he was now perfecting his plans, while he, Laurie, was out of the way.

The promise of release tomorrow could mean, of course, only one thing—that those plans, whatever they were, would be carried out by them. And yet—and yet—the boy put his hand between his hands and groaned. What was happening to Doris? Surely nothing could happen that night! Or could it? And what would it be? Only a fool would doubt Shaw's power and venom after such an experience as Laurie had just had, and yet—Even now the skeptical interrogation point reared itself in the young man's mind.

One fact alone was clear. He must get out of this. But how? Flashlight in hand, he made the short tour of the cellar, examining and tapping every inch of the wall, the masonry and the floor-work. Could he pile up the furniture and so reach the door in the ceiling? He could not. The articles consisted of the small, battered trunk, a legless, broken-springed cot and a clock whose internal organs had been removed. Piled one on the other, they would not have borne a child's weight. Laurie decided that he was directly under Shaw's room. Perhaps the creature was there now. Perhaps he would consent to a parley. But shouts and whistles, and a rain of small objects thrown up against the trapdoor produced no response.

He began to experience the sensations of a trapped animal. So vivid were these, and so overpowering, as he measured his helplessness against the girl's possible need of him, that he used all his will power in overcoming them. Resolutely he reminded himself that he must keep cool and steady. He would leave nothing undone that could be done. He would shout at intervals. Perhaps sooner or later some night watchman would hear him. He would reach that trapdoor if the achievement were humanly possible. But first, last and all the time he would keep cool.

When he had exhausted every resource his imagination suggested, he sat in the straw, smoking and brooding, his mind incessantly seeking some way out of his plight. At intervals he shouted, pounded and whistled. He walked the floor, and re-examined it and the cellar walls. He looked at his watch. It was three o'clock in the morning. He was exhausted and his body still ached rackingly.

Very slowly he resigned himself to the inevitable. Morning would soon come. He must sleep till then, to be in condition for the day. He found Shaw's blankets, threw himself on the straw, and fell into a slumber full of disturbing dreams. In the most vivid of these he was a little boy, at school; and on the desk before him a coiled box constrictor, with Shaw's wide and sharp-toothed grin, ordered him to open on his slate an excellent photograph of Doris.

He awoke with a start, and in the next instant was on his feet. He had heard a sound, and now he saw a light falling from above. He looked up. A generous square opening appeared in the ceiling, and leading down from it was the gratifying vision of a small ladder. Up the ladder Laurie sprang with the swiftness of light itself. Subconsciously he realized that if he was to catch the person who had opened that door and dropped that ladder, he must be exceedingly brisk about it. But, quick as he was, he was still too slow. With a grip on each side of the opening, and a strong swing, he lifted himself into the room above. As he expected, it held no occupant. What he had not expected, and what held him staring now, was that it held not one stick of furniture. Bare as a bone, bleak as a skeleton, it had the effect of grinning at him with Shaw's wide white grin.

His first conscious reflection was the natural one that it was not Shaw's room. He had been carried to another building. This room had a window, which, of course, might have been concealed behind the letter files. Yet, bare as it was, it looked familiar. There was the fireplace, with its charred logs. There, yes, there were the splinters of the glass that had protected Doris's photograph. And, final convincing evidence, there, forgotten in a corner, was the worn bedroom slipper he had noticed under the couch the night before.

With eyes still bewildered, still incredulous, he stared around the empty room. Before him yawned an open door, showing an uninviting vista of dingy hall. He stepped across its threshold and looked down the winding passage of the night before. But why had he seen the door? He moved back into the empty room. A glance explained the little mystery. The room had been freshly papered, door and all. The surface of the door had been made level with the wall. When it was closed there was no apparent break in the pattern of the wall paper.

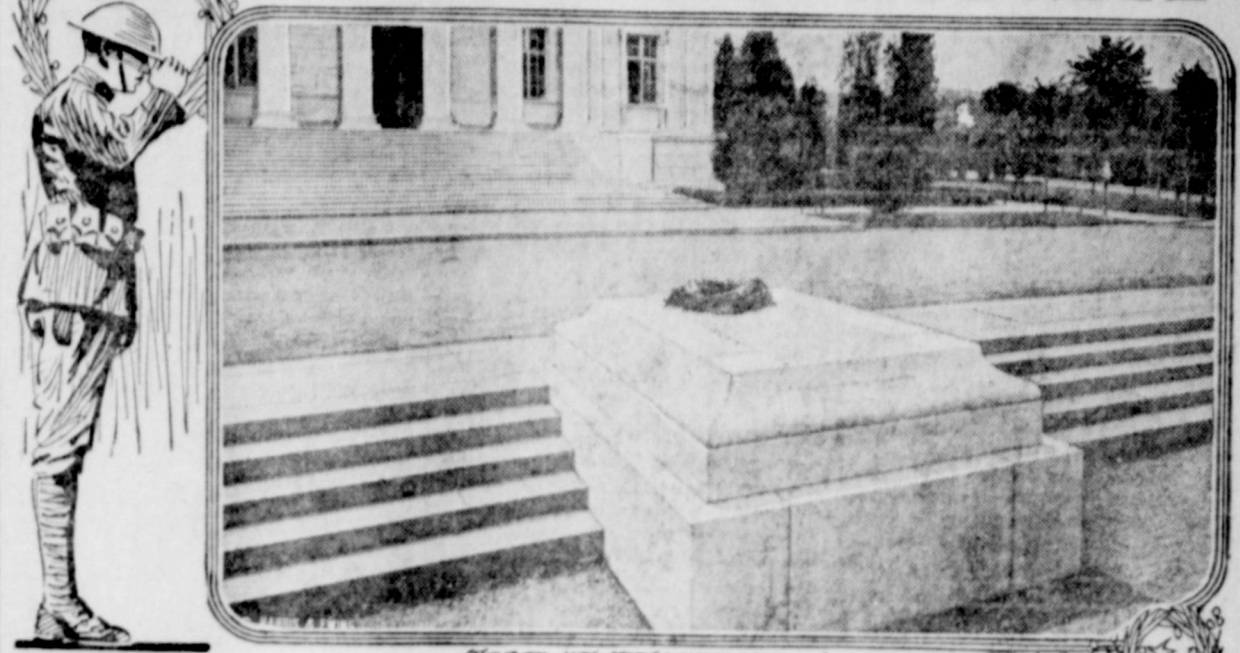
If there had been a chair in the room, young Mr. Devon would have sat down at this point. His body wanted to sit down. In fact, it almost insisted upon doing so. But just as he was relaxing in utter bewilderment, he received another gentle shock. Above the old-fashioned mantel was a narrow, set-in mirror, and in this mirror Laurie caught a glimpse of the features of a disheveled young ruffian, staring fixedly at him. He had time to stiffen perceptibly over this vision before he realized that the disheveled ruffian was himself, a coatless, collarless self, with shirt torn open, cuffs torn off, hair on end, features battered and dirty, and bits of straw clinging to what was left of his clothing.

For a long moment Laurie gazed at the figure in the glass, and as he gazed his mingled emotions shook down into connected thought. Yes, there had been a dandy fight in this room last night, and he had the satisfaction of knowing that his two opponents must have come out of it as disheveled as himself. He had "had them going." Beyond doubt he could have handled them both for their internal chorioform. Again he recalled, with pleasure, the feeling of Shaw's thick, slippery neck as it choked and writhed under the grip of his fingers. Incidentally he had landed two blows on the secretary's jaw, sending him first into a corner and the next time to the floor. It was soon after the second blow that the episode of the chorioform occurred.

Straightening up, he began the hurried and elemental toilet which was all the conditions permitted. He removed the pieces of straw from his clothing, smoothed his hair, straightened his garments to conceal as much of the damage to them as possible, and gratefully put on his coat, which lay neatly folded on the floor, with his silk hat resting snugly upon it. It required some courage to go out into the clear light of a January morning in patent-leather pumps and wearing a silk hat. He would find some one around the place from whom he could borrow a hat and get the information he needed about the late tenants of this extraordinary office. It was half-past seven. He had slept later than he realized. He had slept while Doris was in peril. The reminder both appalled and steadied him.

With a last look around the diamond-tiled room, he closed its door behind him and went out into the winding hall. He hurried up and down its length, poking his head into empty storerooms and dusty offices, but finding no sign of life.

# The Unknown Soldier



TO BE OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

ONE knows where he was born. It may have been in Maine or in California. Minnesota might claim that honor, or Louisiana. But the name of the state doesn't matter, after all. For he was an American.

No one knows in what outfit he served. It may have been the infantry, the cavalry or the artillery. Or he may have worn the silver wings of aviation. But the branch of the service doesn't matter. He was a soldier—a fighting man.

No one knows where or how he died. It may have been in Belleau Wood or at St. Mihiel, or somewhere on the Somme that he "got his." A hand grenade may have dealt him his death wound during some trench raid or it may have been a burst of shrapnel, or a bayonet thrust while the fighting was hand-to-hand. But that doesn't matter, either. The thing that matters is that "he died fighting" and the flag for which he died was the Stars and Stripes.

No one knows his name. It may have been Smith, or O'Brien or Cohen or Schwartz or Smedley. Or it might have been Paul Two Lances—the name by which he was once known. In the day school on some Indian reservation out West. But his name and the nationality of his parents are not things that matter. He now bears the proudest name that any man can bear.

It's "The Unknown Soldier." Five years ago they brought his body back across the Atlantic and on November 11, 1922, they placed it in a white marble tomb in a famous cemetery near the nation's capital—a soldier home from the wars. Since that time the great men of his own country have bowed their heads reverently before his last resting place. To it have come the great of other lands. A queen of royal European blood, princess, general, admiral, statesman, have laid their wreaths upon his tomb.

All of this homage is as nothing compared to that which is being offered up in the hearts of all Americans on May 30, 1927. For the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington cemetery is a national shrine to which the thoughts of all Americans are turning on Memorial day this year. It is more than a symbol of the 4,000 American soldiers killed in battle "over there" whose names and personal histories were unknown. The honor paid to this one of the 4,000, he whose identity will forever remain a mystery, symbolizes more than a nation's grateful remembrance of the thousands of men who lost their lives in the World war. It is the incarnation of the spirit of Memorial day, a festival observed by a nation in which the word "united" in its name has a new significance, a nation pausing in grateful remembrance of all the soldiers who gave their lives in all the wars in which their country has ever been engaged. And it is here in Arlington, where the Unknown Soldier sleeps, that President Coolidge, as the commander-in-chief of all American soldiers and the first citizen of the land, will voice America's tribute to her soldier dead on Memorial day this year.

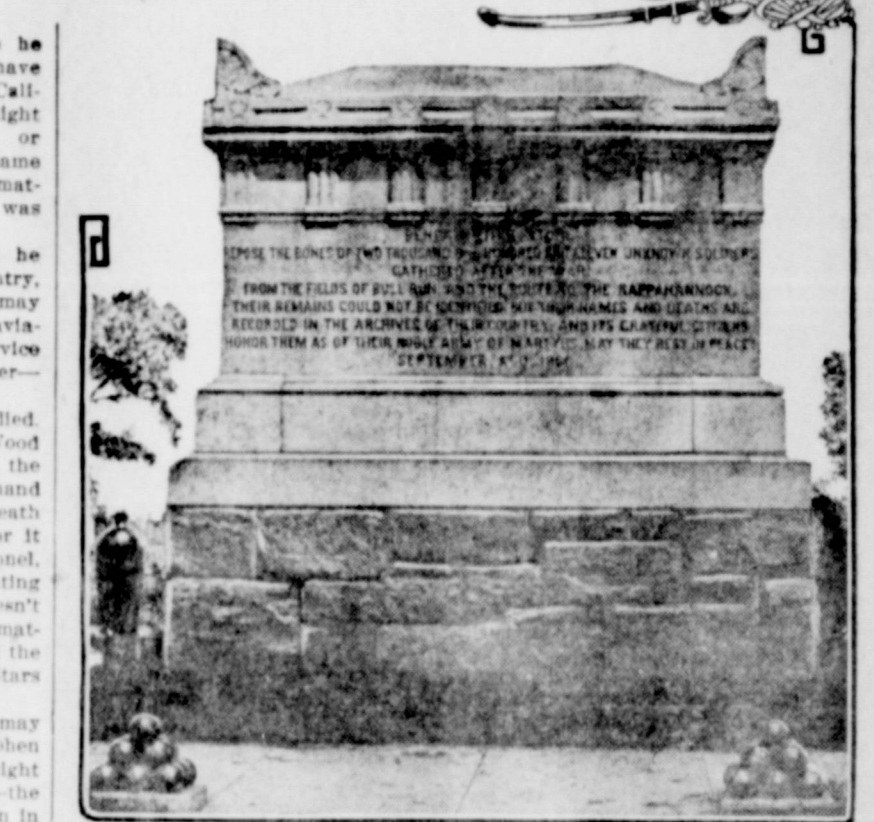
The first memorial to the unknown dead was erected in Arlington in 1866. It was the impressive monument of rough-hewn granite and polished marble (pictured above) which bears the following inscription: "Beneath this stone repose the bones of 2,111 unknown soldiers gathered after the war from the fields of Bull Run and the route to the Rappahannock. Their remains could not be identified but their names and deaths are recorded in the archives of their country; and its grateful citizens honor them as of their noble army of martyrs. May

they rest in peace." Underneath is a great vault of solid masonry, 90 feet deep and 200 feet square, in which are stacked the humble pine-wood coffins containing the bones of the soldiers. Nor are these the only unknown dead in Arlington. It was before this monument that the first formal Memorial Day exercises—although the day had not yet been thus officially designated—were held on May 30, 1868, as the result of the famous General Order No. 11, issued by Gen. John A. Logan, commander of the G. A. R., calling for "the stressing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country."

War in its very nature is a tragedy, but saddest of all things connected with war is the tragedy of the unknown dead. For some soldiers war means moments of exaltation in the knowledge of a sacrifice worth while, of heroism which will send his name ringing down the years and of tender care of the poor shell of his body after the spirit has fled. But to others it means privation, pain, the same exaltation, the same heroism but with it death, his name forgotten, and only a headstone marked "Unknown" to show where this bit of human wreckage was consigned to Mother Earth.

Considering the vast armies which the United States put into the field in the World war, there was a surprisingly small number of unknown dead. Of approximately 40,000 Americans killed in that conflict only 4,000 were listed as "unknown" at the time the body of one of them was selected for the nation's highest honors to be buried in Arlington as "The Unknown Soldier." Since that time persistent investigation has cut down the number until now the War department reports something over 1,000 still listed as unidentified.

The reason for the smallness of the list of unknown dead in this war lies in the simple little aluminum identification tags which each man in the A. E. F. wore. Two of these tags, each about the size of a silver half dollar, were worn around the neck, one suspended from the other, on each of these was stamped, in the case of an officer, his name, rank and regiment, corps or department, and in the case of the enlisted man, his name and serial number. If the wearer was killed one tag was buried with him and the other was usually attached to the cross at the head of his grave. Whenever practicable a



"UNKNOWN" TO THE UNKNOWN DEAD

cemetery was established near every battlefield and each grave was marked with a temporary headboard giving the name, rank and name of the organization of the man buried there. The company officer was made responsible for this and he was required to furnish the War department with a sketch map of the graves.

In contrast to the small number of unknown dead in the World war, the record of the Civil war is appalling. There are eighty-three national cemeteries in this country where are buried 303,714 Union soldiers. Of this number the graves of 153,414 are marked "Unknown." These totals include those who died in hospitals where identities would have been easily established. In the haste with which the country plunged into the Civil war no system for identification of the killed was adopted. After a battle the searching parties gathered up the wounded and buried the dead in hastily dug pits. Since this work was usually done at night, these detachments overlooked many of the casualties. Then the army marched away leaving these bodies to keep their lonely "bygone of the dead."

After the Civil war was over, the federal government undertook the task of making a systematic search for the Union dead on many of the Civil war battlefields. Hundreds of skeletons were found but there was no mark of identification. It was such "unknown dead" as these who sleep beneath the memorial in Arlington. And they are only a few of the unknown there. In 1872 the War department marked 18,000 graves in that cemetery with little marble headstones and of this number 4,000 bear the simple word "Unknown."

The Civil war was not the only one which added to the long roll of missing men, soldiers who gave their lives for their country and of whom no trace now remains. Their last resting places, unmarked, are scattered far and wide over the United States—in the West, where Indian bullets and lance took their toll, as well as on the battlefields of the South. Memorial Day is a day for honoring their memory, too, and the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington, before which in spirit, at least, all Americans bow their heads in reverence on Memorial Day is a monument to all American soldiers who fought for the preservation of this "government of the people, for the people and by the people," even though all visible traces of its defenders has "perished from the earth."

Cilicia was Tarsus, which was the birthplace of St. Paul. He was, as he said, with pardonable pride in his birthplace, a citizen of no mean city. About 90 years before the missionary journeys of St. Paul, Cicero, the famous Roman orator and politician, was appointed governor of Cilicia, and of the adjacent island of Cyprus.

**Resourceful Preacher**  
An outbreak of scarlet fever at Durham, Conn., made it advisable to discontinue church services tempo-

rarily. The fact that not all of his parishioners have radios did not keep Rev. Raymond Gono, of the Congregational church, from delivering his Sunday sermon to his flock. The sermon that he had prepared for delivery was broadcast through the mails to members of his parish.

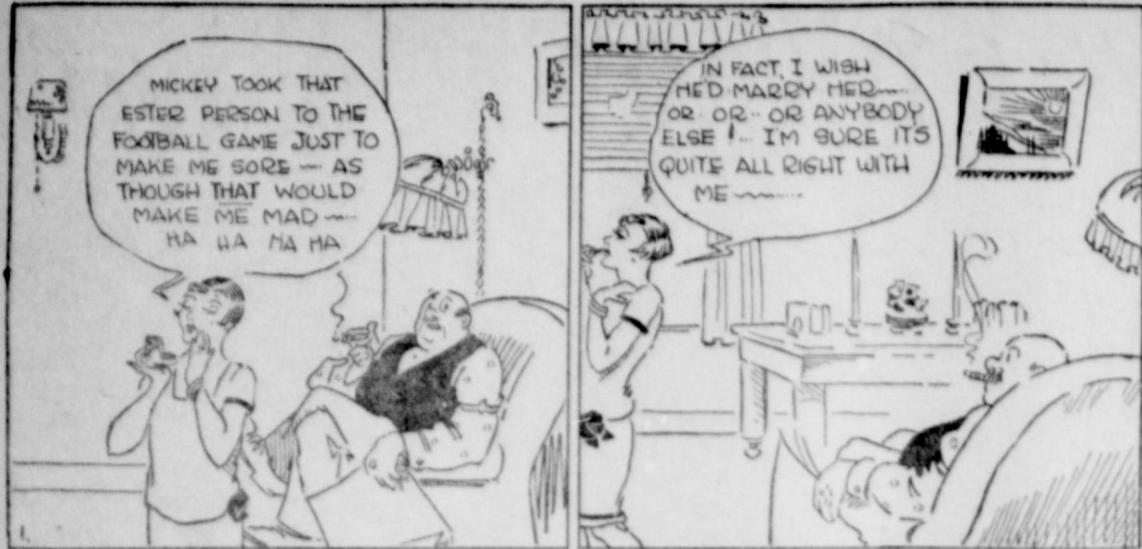
**An Important Member**  
She—Do you mix much with society?  
He—Well, I should say so—I'm a divorce lawyer.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



**FINNEY OF THE FORCE**

By F. O. Alexander  
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**She Should Worry**

**TH' OLE GROUCH**

THIS HERE CUTTING A PATH ACROSS MY YARD HAS GOTTA STOP! USE TH' SIDEWALK! THATS WHAT ITS THERE FER! D'YA HEAR?



**OUR BEST FRIEND**

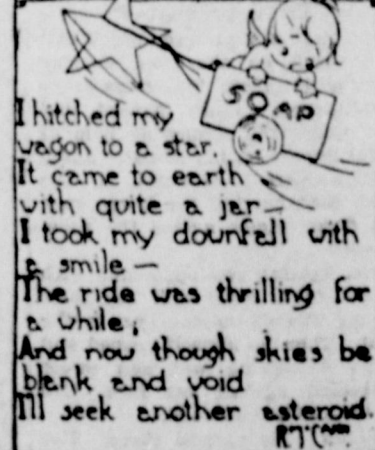


Here comes the Editor's Friend, with a Hunk of Copy, away ahead of Time. He knows that All the Type isn't set in the last Four Hours before going to Press. And when he orders Jobwork, he says, "Won't need it for a Week." He can have anything he wants, even the Office Towel.

**TURN ME OVER**



**THE CHEERFUL CHERUB**



**TOO MUCH TROUBLE NOW**



"Do Europeans still come over here for their precious metals?" "Gracious, no—they just sit back and let American travelers bring 'em to 'em."

**THE FEATHERHEADS**

By Osborn



**Felix Would Say That**

**Along the Concrete**

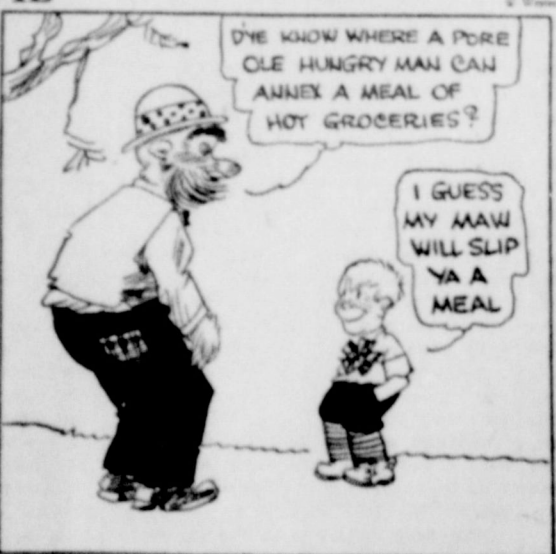
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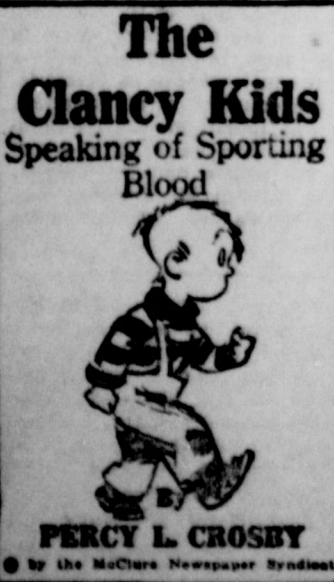
**MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL**

By Charles Sughtro

**Mickie's Corner**  
WRITTEN BY OUR ARTIST  
THE CARE AND FEEDING OF PARENTS (CONTINUED)  
IF YOUR DAD COMPLAINS HE NEVER GETS TO USE THE BAR, SET ASIDE AN EVENING EACH WEEK WHEN HE MAY USE IT. AFTER ALL PARENTS SHOULD HAVE SOME RIGHTS



**Brave, Despite Adversity**





# Supplement to SANDERSON TIMES

SANDERSON, TERRELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1927

## A JOINT RESOLUTION.

S. J. R. No. 33.  
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

Section 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided until otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and actual traveling expenses from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law; and provided that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.

(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

## H. J. R. No. 32

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites; providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section to be known as Section 60, Article 16, to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 60. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit:

The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties, and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites as now provided by the Constitution.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For amendment to the Cons-

titution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, and commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," and "Against amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars or as much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

Sec. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927.

(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State

## H. J. R. No. 25

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes, only; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1-a, as follows:

Section 1-a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for State purposes from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and counties; and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

Approved March 11, 1927.

(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

## S. J. R. No. 24

Proposing an amendment of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1: That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five Judges shall be necessary to the decision of a case. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election or appointment, a citizen of the United States and of this State, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years and shall have been a licensed lawyer for seven years and, during that time, shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a court of record, or such practicing lawyer and judge

together. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualify, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. When this amendment takes effect the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justices of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and, upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 3 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, the said Court and the Judges thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warrantum and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the Court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 4 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five, and a majority of the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary to the decision of any case. Said Judges shall have the same qualifications and receive the same salaries as the Judges of the Supreme Court. They shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices for a term of six years. The Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and laws.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of the State in all criminal cases of whatever grade, with such exceptions and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and the Legislature may confer original jurisdiction upon it to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo and certiorari in criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals and the Judges thereof shall have the power to issue the writ of habeas corpus and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, issue such writs as may be necessary to enforce its own jurisdiction. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such time as may be designated by it. Said Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he shall hold his office for four years, unless sooner removed by the Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and said Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The Legislature shall, from time to time, divide the State into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as to it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to re-district the State at any time,

and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said Districts, which Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associate Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein prescribed for Justices of the Supreme Court, provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty-six. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of their respective districts, which shall extend to all civil cases of which the District Courts or County Courts have original or appellate jurisdiction, under such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the decisions of said Courts shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Such Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of their respective Districts, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said Courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a Clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of the Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States, and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election, who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any County for the dispatch of business. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent or is, from any cause, disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may assign any District Judge to any District in the State other than that for which he was elected, with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Section 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4: The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 10, 1927.

(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

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# 6 things to understand about used car allowances

- 1 When you trade-in your used car for a new car, you are after all making a purchase, not a sale. You are simply applying your present car as a credit toward the purchase price of the new car.
- 2 Your used car has only one fundamental basis of value; i. e., what the dealer who accepts it in trade can get for it in the used car market.
- 3 Your used car has seemingly different values because competitive dealers are bidding to sell you a new car.
- 4 The largest allowance is not necessarily the best deal for you. Sometimes it is; sometimes it is not.
- 5 An excessive allowance may mean that you are paying an excessive price for the new car in comparison with its real value.
- 6 First judge the merits of the new car in comparison with its price, including all delivery and finance charges. Then weigh any difference in allowance offered on your used car.

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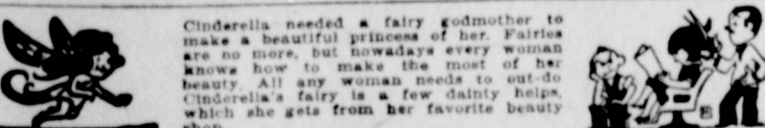
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## INHERITANCE TAX COLLECTIONS SLOW

Federal Government Collects Only \$716,361 in First Nine Months of 1927

Washington, D. C.—The federal government collected \$716,361.14 in inheritance taxes in Texas for the first nine months of the fiscal year 1927, as compared with \$1,173,161.13 for the first nine months of the fiscal year 1926, the treasury department announced this week.

Automobile taxes collected in Texas in the first nine months of both fiscal years were negligible, amounting to only \$1448.62 in 1926 and \$1866.21 in 1927.

Collections from the tax on net estate of descendants in the entire nation for the first nine months of the fiscal year 1927 amounted to \$81,992,239.02, compared with \$97,401,201.90 for the first nine months of the fiscal year 1926. The periods are from July 1 to March 31.

Collections from the tax on automobiles and motorcycles for the first nine months of the fiscal year 1927 amounted to \$46,921,229.12, compared with \$88,104,163.29 for the first nine months of the fiscal year 1926.

The revenue act of 1926 reduced the tax on automobiles and motorcycles from 5 to 3 per cent, effective March 29, 1926, and reduced the rates on the net estate of descendants with an exemption of \$100,000 instead of \$50,000 and a maximum credit of 80 per cent instead of 25 per cent for estate, inheritance or legacy taxes paid to states, effective February 26, 1926.

### Value of Humphreys' Estate.

Denver, Colo.—The estate of Col. A. E. Humphreys, who was fatally injured Sunday when a shotgun was discharged in his face, will not exceed \$2,000,000, according to Christopher Clay, who drew up the oil man's will three years ago. Clay said Colonel Humphreys had disposed of between \$10,000,000 and \$12,000,000 to charity and in personal gifts to his family during the past 10 years.

### Over 6,000,000 Acres Flooded.

New Orleans, La.—More than six million acres in seven states have been submerged by the greatest flood in the history of the Mississippi valley. Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Illinois and Louisiana each have felt the fury of the angry Mississippi and its tributaries as the streams, fed by rains and melting winter's snows turned their waters toward the Gulf of Mexico.

### School Funds Cut.

Austin, Tex.—The house by a vote of 105 to 0 passed the committee substitute for the bill making appropriation to supplement the available school fund to enable a \$15 per capita apportionment. The bill as passed carries an appropriation of \$4,500,000 instead of \$5,480,000 as proposed in the original bill.

### Bankers Elect Massey.

El Paso, Tex.—W. M. Massey, vice president Fort Worth National Bank, was elected Friday president of the Texas Bankers' Association. Frank H. Hendricks of Dallas was elected treasurer. San Antonio was chosen as convention city for next year.

### Austin Gets Pythian Meeting.

Wichita Falls, Tex.—The 54th annual convention of the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, and the 32nd annual convention of the grand temple, Pythian Sisters, closed Friday. Austin was unanimously selected as the 1928 convention city.

### Wheat Crop Estimate.

Washington, D. C.—Winter wheat for 1927 is estimated at 593,940,000 bushels compared with 625,929,000 bushels last year, the department of agriculture estimates.

### O. Henry's Daughter Dies.

New York—Miss Peggy Porter, daughter of the late Sidney Porter (O. Henry), author, died at Banning, Cal., last week.

### Many Mexican Rebels Killed.

Mexico City—More than 100 rebels have been killed in two combats with federal forces at Rhincon del Molino and San Jose de la Paz, State of Jalisco, says a report received by President Calles from War Minister Amaro Friday.

### Stage Mystic Dies.

Boston, Mass.—Anna Eva Fay, who for nearly 50 years was a leading mystic, mind reader and marvel worker, died at her home in Boston Friday.

### Heien Willis Sails For Europe.

New York.—To take up the tennis track where she left last season, Heien Willis boarded the liner Tuscania Friday, bound for Europe and a bid for international women's championship honors in the Wimbledon tennis tournament.

### Marines Ordered to Nicaragua.

Washington, D. C.—Sailing orders have been issued for the 809 marines recently selected to reinforce Admiral Lattimer's command in Nicaragua.



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### Coyotes Inspire Songs

The plaintive wail of coyotes on the lonely western plains developed many of the colorful, rollicking songs of the cowboys. The songs were intended to drown out the disturbing notes of the howlers and prevent the cattle from stampeding. Oscar J. Fox of the University of Texas told the National Federation of Music Clubs.

English, Scotch and Irish folk songs were usually the background for the compositions of the cowboys, he said, because most of them in the early days came from those countries.

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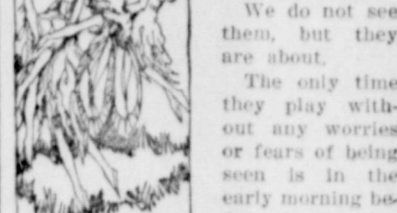
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## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### DAWN FAIRIES

You see, the chief object of a fairy is never to be seen by a human being. There are many lovely little fairies living around us all the time, but now I want to tell you something of the dawn fairies.



The Dawn Fairies.

Their dresses are made of dull gray, which looks like the early morning, and then it is that they frisk about and have the most wonderful time.

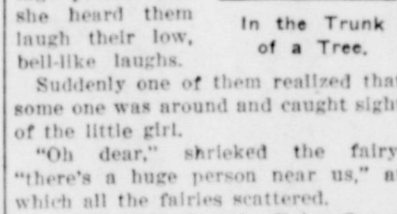
As soon as the sun rises their dresses change color and are very dazzling—just like the sun.

You see when the sun rises and the day begins all the human beings commence to get up and go about, and the fairies do not wish to be seen the Queen of the Fairies has given them all these very, very bright frocks so none of us can see them.

Once a little girl thought she would see the Dawn Fairies. She got up very early and thought she would get them playing in their own dawn dresses before they put on the very, very bright dresses the Fairy Queen had given them.

But that idea has already been thought of by the Fairy Queen, for should any little girl or boy get up before daybreak in order to see the dawn fairies the Fairy Queen, who is always watching over them, waves her magic wand and the fairies are instantly turned into mist.

The little girl who had heard of the dawn fairies who was so eager to see them that she got up long before daybreak—in fact, before many of the fairies themselves were up, for they sleep when it is really dark—and hid in the trunk of a tree to wait.



In the Trunk of a Tree.

After what seemed a long time to her the lovely gray dawn fairies came out from their sleeping places and she heard them laugh their low, bell-like laughs.

Suddenly one of them realized that some one was around and caught sight of the little girl.

"Oh dear," shrieked the fairy, "there's a huge person near us," at which all the fairies scattered.

So from that day the Fairy Queen has been careful that no one else should see the dawn fairies.

As Big as a Bean  
 Tommy is fond of squeezing tooth-paste out of his shiny new tube.

Costly, but Useless  
 The doctor found his patient in very low spirits.

Little Talks for Juniors  
 What is an even better grinch chaser than a smile? Two smiles. When you're feeling kind of blue, and the world looks upside down to you, try a smile. For the fellow really worth while is the fellow who can smile when things don't look their best. If you doubt, put it to the test.

Simple  
 "And remember, my daughter," said the wise matron, "a girl's life is simple if you understand it right."



## Leave it to Mother what's Best

WHEN I received a sample bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin I gave it to my two-months-old baby without hesitation, as I had often heard of it as the very best medicine for children. It stopped crying right away, began sleeping good and growing fast. For myself it has been the very best stomach and laxative medicine and I can't praise it too much.

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 Miss Gussie Frutczweig, Bronx, N. Y., writes: "For months I tried in vain to clear my face of horrible pimples. Once I overheard my dearest friend refer to me as 'pimple-face' and everyone laughed. I cried bitterly. I read about CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS being used successfully to clear complexion when due to the poisons from constipation and finally tried them. Well, my picture tells its own story, doesn't it?"

Ban on Certain Noises  
 Noises are civilized and uncivilized, according to law in Angora, the mushroom city established to be the inland capital of Turkey under the present administration, and edicts have been issued to end the uncivilized noises, such as the loud calls of goatherds as they drive their flocks through the streets morning and evening and the bawling shouts of the town erler advertising lost articles. Other noises, by inference, appear to be civilized and must be endured.

For the Absent-Minded  
 A new invention in the patent office is an alarm attachment to a wrist watch. The alarming is done by a small wheel with protruding points which pricks the skin when it "goes off."—Capper's Weekly.

Tracing Salmon's Travels  
 The Canadian department of marine and fisheries has marked a considerable number of Atlantic salmon, by attaching silver tags to their dorsal fins, for the purpose of tracing the movements of these fish. A salmon that was marked and liberated off Burns point, Port Madland, Yarmouth county, Nova Scotia, on June 11, was killed in the Moisie river, Quebec, in the early part of the next month. If this fish took the most direct route it traveled in the vicinity of 800 miles, but if it followed the larger indentations of the shoreline it traveled over 1,200 miles.

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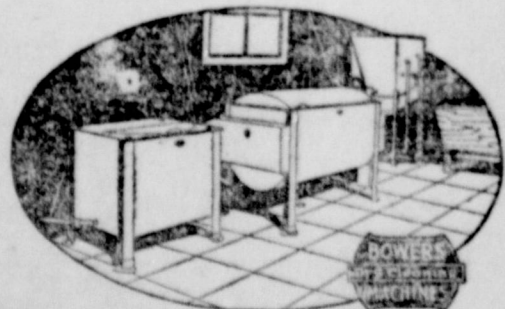


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