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We are going to give \$5.00 in Cash for the first five best reasons why Magnolia Kerosene is the best; \$4.00 in Cash for the second five best reasons; \$3.00 in Cash for the third best five reasons and \$1.00 in Cash for the next seven best full reasons. There will be three judges to decide the winners. Contest closes August 15th.

There are many reasons why Magnolia Kerosene is best, therefore you will have no trouble giving five good reasons. Address all communication to Magnolia Contest, Brownfield, Texas. Nobody barred, age or sex.

### Magnolia Petroleum Co.

Phone 10.

Tom May, Agent

#### BROWNFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS ELECTED

The six room addition to the high school building has recently been completed, for which \$25,000 bonds were voted early in the spring with which to build and equip. At another election recently, \$100 on the \$100 valuation was voted or so much of it as needed, to maintain the school, which insures a full nine months term. Our school now has full state affiliation, being classified as a high school of the first class. As a consequence, many are transferring into the Brownfield district, or preparing to build and move here for the benefit of our excellent schools.

The following teachers have been elected for the next term, the majority of which were here last year and have been proven:

J. D. Rankin, Supt.; J. B. Jackson, principal and mathematics; Miss Minnie Freese, Spanish and Latin; Mrs. R. L. Bowers, English; Miss Espie Castleberry, History; Douglas Carver, 7th grade and athletic director; Miss Kathryn Terrell, 6th grade; Miss Lucille Blackstock, 5th grade; Miss Thelma Noll, 4th grade; Mrs. H. D. Heath, 3rd grade; Miss Mozelle Treadaway 2nd grade; Miss Lois Noll, primary.

#### BAPTIST MEETING TO BEGIN SUNDAY AUGUST 5TH

Local Baptist will begin a meeting, which will continue for two weeks, at the eleven o'clock hour, Sunday, August 5th. Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor at Crosbyton, will do the preaching. The song service will be conducted by Bro. J. D. Rankin.

Every person in the community of every faith and no faith is cordially invited to attend these services. The outstanding thought in conducting this meeting is to make it a soul winning campaign. The chiefest need of mankind is not money, land, cattle, education, but Christ. He will be upheld in the meeting as man's only hope. Pastor Shepherd has a record for loving and winning to Christ. He has been successful to a large degree in conducting evangelistic campaigns. We expect every Baptist to co-operate, and confidently hope that every Christian will assist in every way possible in the meeting. Bring all your musical instruments and help us maintain a good orchestra.

C. E. Ball, Pastor

#### SCATTERING SHOWERS

Rains fell over Terry county again last Saturday morning and evening that amounted to 28-100 of an inch, but some portions of the county received none while others received a good shower, much more than fell at Brownfield. For instance, beginning in the northeast portion of the town and extending some distance in the country, a regular little flood was received.

It is being debated here now whether these showers will be beneficial or a detriment to the cotton crop. All, however, admit that a general rain, with a few days of cloudy weather, would benefit the crop.

It is believed that these showers, followed immediately by the hot sunshine causes the cotton plant to shed some of the fruit.

Why not get in the Magnolia contest as outlined in their ad. This is an easy way to make some easy dollars if you are clever with the pen. Full instructions in their ad.

TRY OUR HOME PACKED bologna sausage and lunch meats.—Enterprise Market & Grocery.

#### LUBBOCK GRANTED FREE MAIL SERVICE

Lubbock, July 29.—Announcement comes from Washington that the Postoffice Department granted Lubbock's application for free mail delivery, beginning October 1 with three carriers on the regular routes. This application has been pending several months and its final favorable action is the result of the cooperation of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the local postmaster, Dr. Deering.

What? chicken sandwiches? When? Saturday, picnic day. Where? East of Brownfield State Bank.—Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

Good gentle work stock and good milk cows for sale, cash or time, worth the money. See or write J. F. Davis, Tokio, Texas.

REMEMBER—Good shows at the Legion Theatre every Friday and Saturday night.

#### FOURTH GIN TO BE BUILT HERE IN NEXT 40 DAYS

The oldest gin here, the West Texas, has only made four seasons, and is practically a new gin yet. Last year the second was erected. The large cotton acreage planted this season demanded the third, which is now about complete, and the crop is now advanced so far that the fourth gin is assured to take care of the crop, and work on it will start in a week or two, with hands enough to finish in 40 days.

This gives one an idea of how the South Plains country is developing toward a cotton growing region, as this makes three new gins to be put up in Terry county this year, the other one being at Meadow, which already had one gin, making six in the county.

Either one of these gins will gin more cotton than our one lone gin did on its first year run.

#### NATIVE MELONS AND ROAS'NEARS ON MARKET

The first load of water melons of the season were brought in from the Union community, and placed on the market, and while rather high, the purchasers seemed to be game. Also we understand that some canteloupe have been placed on the market.

Old corn is now in roas'nears, and what have been placed on the market are large, well filled out and free from corn worms.

The editor and force were favored last week with a big mess of corn from the field of W. J. French, of the Pride community, and one of the oldest settlers in the county, for all of which we return thanks. They were certainly fine.

While a heavy cotton crop is assured the old corn in portions of the county that has not received rains recently, are suffering.

ROOMS for rent. Young men preferred. See J. D. Rankin, City.

#### M. B. SAWYER PUSHING SALE OF HIS BIG RANCH

The time has passed when grazing cattle will pay in this part of the State, and especially when one takes into consideration that the South Plains are producing as much cotton per acre as the high priced black lands of Central Texas, and also when it is remembered that one man can easily cultivate 100 acres or even more here, and the further fact cotton is bringing around 25c per pound middling basis now.

This, together with the fact that cattle are unusually low, and that the first incoming new settlers are demanding for their children the best of schools, has put up the price of land and taxes to where grazing is out of the question, if one wants to figure any income. With these facts before them, the cattle man has been forced to place their large holdings on the market in 160 acre tracts generally. This, they are doing, however in good spirits, for the most of them are thoroughly convinced that the South Plains by nature are destined to become the leading cotton producing part of the South. In fact State and National experts are now freely predicting this openly, these men who have made a close study of the cotton plant, soils and climatic conditions. Therefore these Terry county cattlemen would not hold on to the development of this part of the great Lone Star state if they could.

To make it easy for the man of small means to get a firm hold here, Mr. M. B. Sawyer and other big land holders are putting their land on the market at from \$15 to \$35 per acre, with nothing to pay on the principal for four years, and only 6 per cent interest, payable annually. The settler, however, is expected to place \$2000 worth of permanent improvements on the land or that equivalent in cash if they prefer, within ninety days from the date of purchase.

There are thousands of acres of cotton here this year that will more than pay for the land it is planted on after all expenses are paid, at any time near the present price.

Come along and get you a good home while you can. Don't be a hand to mouth renter all your days, work some for yourself now. You are due your family a home.

#### SIMMONS TO HAVE A HOSPITAL NEARBY

Ahilen, July 31.—A \$200,000 hospital plant will be at the service of Simmons students within the next year, when the West Texas Baptist Sanitarium, within two blocks of the Simmons College campus, is completed and opened to the public. According to an announcement of the building committee, the structure will be ready for service by December or the first of next year, and the sanitarium will probably be opened some time near that date.

The building is a modern fireproof brick plant, five stories high with service wing; three elevators will be installed. There will be sixteen ward beds, and the remainder of the institution will be given over to private rooms, each one having a closet and lavatory adjoining. A suite of five rooms will be devoted to X-Ray purposes; three operating rooms and other offices will be featured. The sanitarium is to be run with an open staff, any eligible physician being permitted to conduct his practice and operations there, and bring patients to the institution.

Situated on a six-acre plot on north Hickory street, the new paved highway to the college, and just off the campus of the institution, the sanitarium will not only serve Simmons students who are ill, but will afford an opportunity for possible practical work and observation in connection with pre-medical courses which Simmons has offered for the past three years.

What? chicken sandwiches? When? Saturday, picnic day. Where? East of Brownfield State Bank.—Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

### YOUR DEPOSITS GUARANTEED

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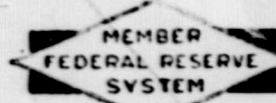
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IS IT GUARANTEED?

It is if you deposit it in the Brownfield State Bank, for our deposit slip to you becomes your insurance policy covering your deposit with us.

### Brownfield State Bank

Brownfield, Texas

CONSERVATIVE—ACCOMODATIVE APPRECIATIVE—  
"Guaranty Fund Protection"



#### PREPARE NOW FOR THE FARM LABOR UNION PICNIC

When you receive this issue of the Herald—and we are talking to Terry County people—it will not be too late to begin preparing for the Farm Labor Union picnic here Saturday, August 4th.

There is no use for us to give you a long write up on what to do about the matter, for every citizen should understand that they are expected to do their share whether they belong to the Union or not. In a thing of this kind, cooperation is need the very best we know how. Therefore, it is urged that each family in the county that aims to come to the picnic bring a well filled basket, much more than your crowd will eat, for we will have some outside visitors to be sure. This applies to the town folks as well as the country folks.

Let's all have a good time together Saturday, for we are all of the same clay after all, whether we are all of the same ideas, occupations, or opinions or not. Come.

#### SHO' DO PRESENT HERSELF

Two negroes meeting one day on the principal colored residential street of Lynchburg, had paused for a friendly chat, when they observed on the opposite side of the street a flamboyant, boxom negro woman, who was striding along with an air of proud superiority, obviously conscious of the attention which her physical charms were attracting. "Jim, who is dat pouter pigeon woman yonder, carryin' herself so pertubrant?" asked Sam.

"Why, dat's Miss Mandy Johnson, down here f'm Roanoke on a visit to Reverent Morris," replied Jim.

"Well," said Sam, "she sho' do present herself, don't she?"

Miss Valley Stapp, of Idalou, is here visiting friends.

#### THE FORD PSALM

"The Ford is my auto, I shall not want (another); it maketh me to lie down under it by the roadside; it leadeth me into much trouble; it draweth upon my purse. I go in the path of death for its sake; yea tho' I understand my Ford perfectly, I fear much evil, for the radius rod of the axle might break.

"It has a blowout in the presence of my engine; I anoint the tire with a patch; the radiator boileth over.

"Surely this will not follow me all the days of my life, or I will dwell in the doghouse forever."

Moral:—Equip your Ford with one of the new cuckoo clocks. When the thing reaches a speed of twenty miles per hour, the bird will come out and sing, "Nearer My God to Thee."—Exchange.

#### CHANGES MADE IN CICERO SMITH LUMBER YARD HERE

Several changes have been made in the last few days in the Cicero Smith Lumber yard at this place.

Fred Smith, who has been manager of the yard at this place since it was set in back in 1917, has been made district manager of the Plains section of nine yards, with a tenth soon to open at Littlefield. However, his many friends will be proud to know that Brownfield will still be his headquarters as his home is here, and also being a stockholder and director of the First National Bank, makes his interest here.

Ben Hurst, a popular employee of the local yard for some time, and an old timer here, has been promoted as local manager of this yard, which promotion his friends will be glad to hear.

Alvin Hicks, who is now employed here will likely go to the Littlefield yard as manager as soon as it is established.

These men are all AI citizens and their friends will rejoice with them in these just promotions.

#### Junior B. Y. P. U. Program

Jesus teaching about our neighbors—Mary Thelma Copeland.

Why the foreigners come to America?—Cecil Ball.

How we receive them.—Albert Ball.

What the Home Mission Board is doing for the foreigners.—Dora Dean Neill.

Good Will Centers.—Norma Dell Welch.

Our neighbors, the negroes.—Doris Bandy.

THREE horses for sale; cash or credit. Good ones.—Dock Powell.

J. F. Davis, prominent young farmer of the Tokio country was in one lay this week and informed us that he had sold his land and crop two miles over the line in Yoakum county, and that when he sells out his stock he may leave for Colorado, as his wife is not having good health. Frank has long been a resident of old Terry and we hate to see he and family leave.



### How to Get Better Milk Prices

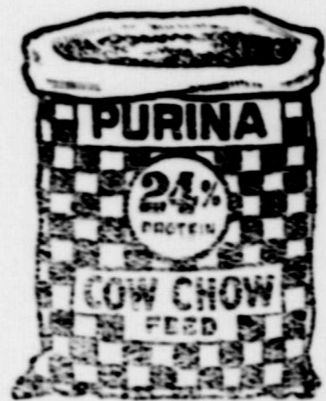
Now is the time to feed a real milk producing ration.

By raising the average of your winter milk deliveries with Cow Chow during the winter months you can expect better prices, and more milk accepted in the spring and summer.

The dairy farmer who brings in twenty gallons a day in the winter and then tries to deliver 40 gallons in the summer, gets the regular price for only 20 gallons, and the surplus price for the other twenty.

The dairy farmer who has a big fall and winter production establishes a high average for himself and gets a good price in the spring and summer on grass for as much milk as he made last fall.

Cow Chow now means more winter milk and more summer income.



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### BUILD YOUR HOUSE UPON A ROCK

Land with an unsearcher title is as the shifting sand.

You may have no reason to think there is anything wrong with the title. The previous owner may have no reason to think there is anything wrong with the title. But all the time there may be a flaw. If there are any taxes, mortgages or liens existing against the property—whether you know about them or not—they may make trouble or inconvenience to you when you least expect it.

BEFORE YOU BUY, insist that the present owner have us make an Abstract of Title, so that he can adjust any irregularities before he attempts to pass his title on to you.

If there is any flaw anywhere, you can be sure it is clear, and go ahead and build your house UPON THE ROCK.

C. R. RAMBO, Abstracter  
BROWNFIELD, (Terry County) TEXAS

### PURINA CHICKEN FEED

Purina Startina, for starting baby chicks, 8 1-3 lbs. 60 cts.

Purina Baby Chick Chow, to follow Startina, 8 1-3 lbs. 59 cts.

Purina Baby Chick Chow, to follow Startina, 50 lbs. \$2.10.

Purina Hen Chow, for hens, 50 lbs. \$1.75.

Purina Chicken Chowder, for hens, 8 1-3 lbs. 55 cts., 50 lbs. \$2.25.

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Make up your mind to get the full milage out of that car of yours. Give it TEXACO GASOLINE, the "Volatile Gas," then see the difference. You get your moneys worth of motor action every time you stop at a TEXACO pump. There is added power, easier pick-up, easier starting less shifting and more milage per gallon in TEXACO GASOLINE.

And ask for TEXACO MOTOR OIL, clean, clear, golden color and full-bodied. One name for both: TEXACO.

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BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

**THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD**  
Brownfield, Texas  
A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor and Prop.  
Subscription Rates  
One year: In Terry county, \$1.00; rest of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, \$1.25; all other states, \$1.50.  
The six month rate on the above will be 50c; 6c and 75c.  
The three month rate will be 25c; 3c and 40c.  
Advertising Rates on Application.

A British politician who was a candidate in Australia, addressed a meeting of the electors, and sought thru his speech, to discover the prevailing religion tendency of the constituency. "My great-grandfather," he said, "was an Episcopalian" (stony silence), but my great-grandmother belonged to the Presbyterian church of Scotland" (continued silence). My grandfather was a Baptist" (loud applause). "and—and I have always followed my grandfather" (loud and prolonged cheering). He got in.

The Herald thought it had at last found a real country editor's magazine recently, when he unwrapped a neatly printed magazine branded with the above title. There are lots of printers and publishers journals on the market, but none of them appeal to the small shop or the small work paper. Most of them cater to the big printing establishments and the metropolitan dailies. It is true we have one weekly and one monthly that appeal occasionally with an article or two to the country newspaper, but they are both trade journals. We hastily unwrapped this magazine, but alas! found it the Country Editor only in name, for every article in it was a disguised editorial upholding the railroads, the steel and coal barons and other mighty corporations. We thought of a book we read years ago entitled "Uncle Benjamin Morgan's experience with the Hypocrites."

Has editor Loomis of the Canadian Record made a discovery? Is he another Luther Burbank in the grave of a country editor? Will the annual planting of cotton soon come to an end? Can cotton be "grafted"? But read the article.

Jack Stricklin of the Brownfield Herald qualifies and says that he chopped cotton one full day in the field that the Church of Christ of that town is raising and he got along alright with the frequent lanches that the ladies provided to keep the men at work, until the sun located itself against a cloud and couldn't move any further west. However, they declared a moratorium about seven o'clock, ate supper, and then Jack cut shinnery bushes all night in his sleep. Take the advice of some of the rest of the editors, Jack, and graft the cotton plant onto the perennial roots and make the crop a perennial that doesn't need so much attention.

Not all the human population with a surplus of gall are dead yet. Only this past week the editor got a long communication from a gentleman down cast, the copy covering four pages of closely written typewritten paper, and wanted it printed in

early issue of the Herald. If that had been all, we would not have thought very much about his thrilling message, which, like all others of like nature was politely pitched headforemost in the waste basket. But this one contained a supplementary request to "please send him a market copy of the Herald containing the article." We fashioned the writer to be an Adventist, who demands freedom of conscience, and freedom of will to worship as his religion directs as provided by our constitution. The Herald heartily agrees with the writer in this, but can't savor the fact that it must give ten or twelve dollars worth of space and a free market copy to carry on this man's propaganda. But such is the life of an editor. This bird wouldn't dare go in even a neighboring store and as the proprietor to give his pair of shoes, son, shirt and necktie, and then deliver them to his residence.

**ENTERPRISE MARKET** for fairs cuts of all kinds of fresh meats.  
Miss Edith and Queenelle Speagle sisters of Mrs. Arthur Sawyer, who have been visiting here for some weeks, left last Friday for Chicago to join their father, and where they will make their future home. We hope their success in their far north home.

**FEDERAL FARM LOANS** at 5 per cent interest and 24 years and 6 months term for them. For particulars, see C. R. Rambo.

J. W. Smith, of Ralls, Texas, was here over Sunday, visiting with his son, Big John and family of Wolfman community.

**SELL YOUR** beef, cattle, porker and poultry to Enterprise Market Grocery.  
Walter (Smoky) Deall and family are here visiting their father, Uncle Joe Deall and family in the Meadows country. This is the first time Smoky has been here in several years, and says he sees a wonderful progress made here, and that he has much rather live here now than where he resided here before. He lives in the Pecos valley near Carlsbad, N.M.

**TRY A SACK** of our flour. It has a full guarantee to please you—Bro & Brothers.  
Messrs. Albert Sutton and C. E. Edleman and Miss Majorie Young of Fort Worth, were here last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Matthews.

Lum Whisenant finished building the furnace for the English gin on day this week, then grabbed a hot and went for the cotton patch. Lum don't believe in idleness. If he hasn't got one job, he has another.

**NOTICE**  
This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted and everybody is forbidden to hunt, fish or in any way trespass on our property—GREEN & LUMSDEN.

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Brownfield, Texas



## The Secret Adversary

by Agatha Christie

**SYNOPSIS**  
**PROLOGUE**—Realizing that she has a specific charge of being named in the Louisiana is making a stranger give a letter to the American Embassy in London. She is a woman in England. She is a woman.

**CHAPTER I**—In London, former lover, Tommy Herdshaw, and Miss Prudence Tuppence, who had been separated since their marriage, are reunited. Tuppence makes a business appointment with her lawyer, and Herdshaw, who is a man of means, is employed, but to give her name as Jane Fenn, which she has done on a street. Whistington shows agitation and Tuppence is told to return to her home.

**CHAPTER II**—In the morning the girl, Whistington's office deserted, is answered to an advertisement signed "Jane Fenn" the two weeks before from "Jane Fenn" and "Jane Fenn" Herdshaw's name is a mystery. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means.

**CHAPTER III**—Next day the pair visit Herdshaw's office. He is looking for his cousin, Jane Fenn, who had disappeared after leaving from the London office, and employs them to search for her. They discover a certain Mrs. Vandemeyer is a Louisiana woman. She is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means.

**CHAPTER IV**—Whistington leaves for Paris. Tuppence and Herdshaw are summoned to his office. Herdshaw is a man of means, and Tuppence is a woman of means. Herdshaw is a man of means, and Tuppence is a woman of means.

**CHAPTER V**—Tuppence and Herdshaw are in a room. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means.

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**CHAPTER VII**—On her way off, Tuppence goes to see Herdshaw. He is a man of means, and Tuppence is a woman of means. Herdshaw is a man of means, and Tuppence is a woman of means.

**CHAPTER VIII**—The news has reached London. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means. Tuppence is a woman of means, and Herdshaw is a man of means.

**CHAPTER IX**—In the house in Soho, Tommy is imprisoned for three days. He is a man of means, and Tuppence is a woman of means. Tommy is a man of means, and Tuppence is a woman of means.

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**CHAPTER XI**  
**The Telegram**  
Bemled for the moment, Tommy stumbled into the restaurant, and ordered a meal of surpassing excellence. His four days imprisonment had taught him anew to value good food.

He was in the middle of covering a particularly choice morsel to his mouth, when he caught sight of Julius entering the room. At the sight of Tommy, Julius was so shocked as though they would pop out of his head.

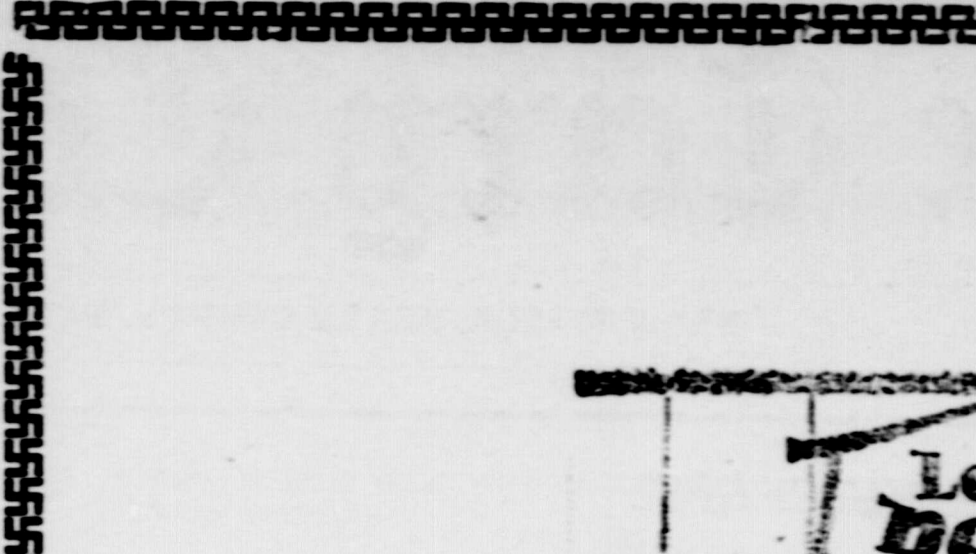
"Holy snakes!" he ejaculated. "It is really you! Say, man, don't you know you've been given up for dead? I guess you've had a sudden relapse for you in another few days."

"Why thought I was dead?" demanded Tommy.  
"Tuppence."  
"Where is Tuppence?"  
"Isn't she here?"

"No, the fellows at the office said she'd just gone out."  
"Once shopping, I guess. But, say, can't you shed that British calm of yours, and get down to it? What on God's earth have you been doing all this time?"

"If you're feeding her," replied Tommy, "order now. It's going to be a long story."  
Julius drew up a chair to the opposite side of the table, summoned a hovering waiter, and dictated his wishes. Then he turned to Tommy.

"First of all, I guess you've had some few adventures." "One or two," replied Tommy modestly, and plunged into his recital. Julius listened spell-bound. At the end he heaved a long sigh.



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"I heard her tell the Driver, 'Charing Cross and to look sharp.'"

Tommy stared at him, his eyes opening wide in surprise. Emboldened, the small boy proceeded. "So I thought, having asked for an A.B.C. and a Bread-and-butter."

"When did she ask for an A.B.C. and a Bread-and-butter?" "A telegram!" "Yes, sir?" "When was that?"

"About half-past twelve, sir." "About half-past twelve, sir?" Julius came back. He held an open letter in his hand.

"I say, Herdshaw—Tommy turned to him—'Tuppence has gone off something on her own.' "Shucks!"

"Yes, she has. She went off in a taxi to Charing Cross in the space of a hurry after getting a telegram." His eye fell on the letter in Julius' hand.

"Oh, she left a note for you. That's all right. Where's she off to?" "Almost unobtrusively, he held out his hand for the letter, and Julius folded it up and placed it in his pocket. He seemed a trifle embarrassed.

"I guess this is nothing to do, was it? It's about something, isn't it? I asked her that she was to be me know about. See here, I'd better put you wise. I asked Miss Tuppence to marry me this morning."

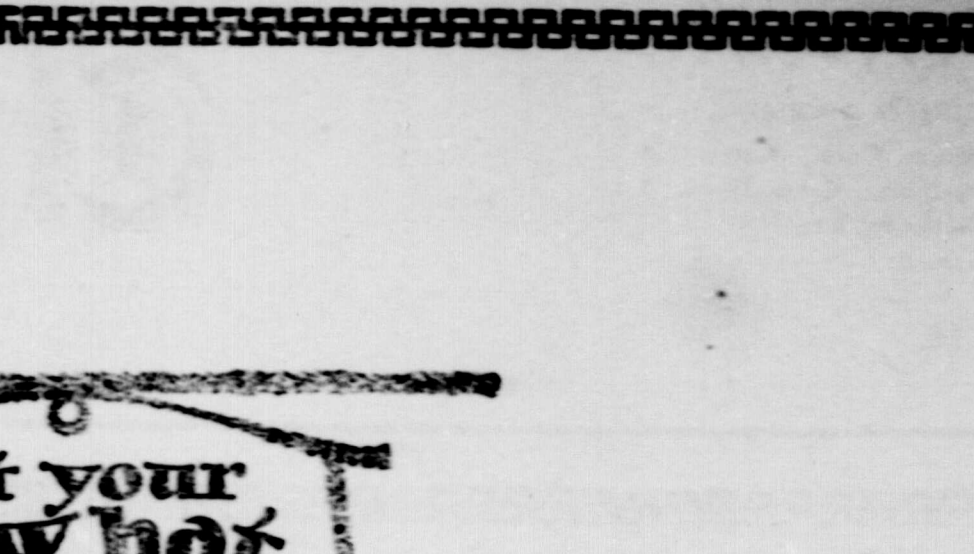
"Oh!" said Tommy mechanically. He felt dumb. Julius' words were totally unexpected. For the moment they dumfounded his brain.

"I'd like to tell you," continued Julius, "that before I supposed anything of the kind to Miss Tuppence, I built in in any way between her and you."

Tommy roused himself. "That's all right," he said quickly. "Tuppence and I have been pals for years. Nothing more." He lit a cigarette with a hand that shook ever so little. "That's quite all right, Tuppence always said that she was looking out for—"

He stopped abruptly, his face crimson. But Julius was in no way discomposed.

"I guess it'll be the dollars that'll do the trick. Miss Tuppence put me wise to that right away. There's no humbug about her. We ought to be along together very well."



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**TUDOR SALES CO.**  
BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

Mrs. E. G. Alexander carried her mother to Sweetwater last Wednesday, where she took train for her home in Henderson, Texas.

**BEST LINE** of staple and fancy groceries on the market—Brothers & Brothers.

Ross Renfro and family, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Shelton, made a trip to Silver Lake near Crosbytown for the last week end.

John A. King, popular proprietor of the Hill Hotel came down one day recently to have a lot of cards printed, and informed us that he was going to mix it with the crowd that sets around his place and tells people he does not serve meals.

**SUNDAY** Mail Car leaves at 8:00 o'clock; arrives in Lubbock at 10:30. Fare \$2.00; round trip \$3.50.

Mrs. J. B. Russell left last week with her mother, who had been visiting her, for Slaton, where her mother will visit another daughter.

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**BUILD**

If you are thinking of building a mansion or a pig-pen, come around and we can fix you up with the proper credentials and materials. In other words when you say "BUILD" we have the stuff to do it with, makes no difference as to what it is.

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## The Secret Adversary

By  
**AGATHA CHRISTIE**

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"They wandered round the deserted house. Everywhere the signs of life. Thick layers of dust apparently undisturbed."

"We'll go over to the garage," said Tommy. "I've got a key in the desk."



He Gave a Sudden Cry, and Stopping Picked Something Up From Among the Leaves.

On the morning they took up the search once more, and were reluctantly forced to the conclusion that the house had not been intruded for some considerable time. They might have left the village altogether but for a fortunate discovery of Tommy's. As they were retracing their steps to the gate, he gave a sudden cry, and stooping picked something up from among the leaves, and held it out to Julius. It was a small gold brooch.

"That's Tuppence's!"

"Are you sure?"

"Absolutely. I've often seen her wear it."

Julius drew a deep breath.

"I guess that settles it. She came as far as here, anyway. We'll make that put our headquarters, and raise hell if we don't find her. Somebody must have seen her."

Fortwith the company began. Julius wired to town for his car, and they scoured the neighborhood daily with unflagging zeal. Julius was like a bound on the leash. He followed up the slenderest clue, but as day succeeded day they were no nearer to discovering Tuppence's whereabouts. So well had the abduction been planned that the girl seemed literally to have vanished into thin air.

And another preoccupation was weighing on Tommy's mind.

"Do you know how long we've been here?" he asked one morning as they sat facing each other at breakfast.

"A week? We're no nearer to finding Tuppence, and next Sunday is the 20th. Today's the 22nd, and time's getting short. If we're ever going to get hold of her at all, we must do it before the 26th—her life won't be worth an hour's purchase afterward. The hostage game will be played out by then. We've wasted time and were no fooler."

"I'm with you there. We've been a couple of months, who've bitten off a bigger bit than they can chew. I'm going right back to London to put the case in the hands of your British police."

"Scotland Yard for me? I guess the professional always comes over the amateur in the end. Are you coming along with me?"

Tommy shook his head.

"That's the good! One of us is enough. I might as well stay here and nose round a bit longer. Something might turn up. One never knows."

"Sure thing. Well, so long. I'll be back in a couple of weeks with a few inspectors along. I shall tell them to pick out their brightest and best."

But the course of events was not to follow the plan Julius had laid down. Later in the day Tommy received a wire.

"Join me Manchester Midland hotel, Important news—Julius."

At 7:30 that night Tommy alighted from a slow cross-country train. Julius was on the platform.

Tommy grasped him by the arm.

"What's it? Is Tuppence found?"

Julius shook his head.

"No. But I found this waiting in London. Just arrived."

He handed the telegram form to the other. Tommy's eyes opened as he read.

"Jane Finn found. Come Manchester Midland hotel immediately—Fred Edwards."

Julius took the form back and folded it up.

"Quick," he said thoughtfully. "I thought that lawyer chap had quit."

(To Be Continued)

## Where Your Taxes Go

How Uncle Sam Spends Your Money in Conducting Your Business

By EDWARD G. LOWRY

Author "Washington Close-Up," "Backs and Financial Systems," etc. Contributor Political and Economic Articles to Leading Periodicals and a Writer of Reminiscences for the National Government's Customs Service.

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### UP TO YOU AND CONGRESS

At the present time it would be a misnomer to speak of the national government having a personnel system at all. The reform accomplished by the establishment of the civil service commission and the merit system has touched but one phase of the personnel problem, and that but partially—entrance into the government service. Practically nothing has been done in the way of creating the government services into careers that will attract and retain efficient men. Bad as conditions were in this respect before the war, they have become many times worse during and since that event.

The correction of these evils presents a problem of great complexity. It cannot be achieved by a half-hearted or half-way tinkering with the present system. Nothing but a thorough overhauling of the whole personnel system and the establishment of a new system covering all phases of the question and embodying the most approved principles of personnel administration will meet the needs of the situation. Fortunately a beginning has been made in this direction. It at least furnishes a starting point for action looking to the giving to the government of the personnel system that it must have if government work is to be even measurably well done.

The situation now is that there is an insistent demand on the part of the public that the whole administration of the national government be put upon a more efficient basis, and that the present waste of public funds, resulting from present defective organization and methods shall cease; that congress is alive to this demand and has made a start toward meeting it; that the fundamental defects in the existing system are well known; and that the direction efforts looking to reform should take are clearly established. The responsibility is thus squarely up to congress.

If the problem that confronts congress in securing this laudable end is analyzed it will be found that the fundamental reforms are: The reform by congress itself of its own organization and methods of procedure; the entire revision of the present system under which the financial needs of the government are determined and provided; the setting up of an agency and procedure through which the expenditure of public funds may be properly controlled and control be given that information regarding such expenditures which it must have if it is to secure itself that its agents, the administrative services, are properly performing their duties, and to act intelligently in respect to the future grant of funds; the provision of an organ through which the President may in fact, as well as in name, discharge his duties as head of the administration; the reorganization of the administrative branch of the government so as to eliminate the present widespread overlapping of jurisdiction and functions and the consequent duplication of services, organization, plant and work; and the complete reworking of the present system under which the personnel is secured, compensated, promoted, assigned to particular tasks and controlled to the end that not only justice will be done to the several classes of governmental employees, but that a personnel system will be established that will insure a maximum of efficiency in the actual conduct of public affairs.

A study of action actually had to see under way shows that steps have been taken toward the accomplishment of each of these fundamental reforms. The introduction of a budget system is a long step forward.

I don't mean in the least to give the impression that all private business is perfectly run and that only government business is badly managed, or that all the efficient people are in private employ and only inefficient in the public service. Neither of these conditions exists.

In the common phrase, you have got to hand it to Alexander Hamilton for devising a scheme that has stood up since revolutionary days. It has not been fundamentally altered since his day. There has been no readjustment of salaries in the departmental service for sixty years. That implies a certain loyalty and faithfulness on the part of the workers.

My only desire is to disclose the present condition of government employment; that good men are leaving, and that the present tendency, if not checked, will inevitably drive out of the service all of the efficient and leave only the mediocre and incompetent. I have said little myself, but have chosen to let the men working for the government tell the story. Every assertion of fact in these articles comes from some responsible source or authority within the service. I am not making a criticism or attack from the outside, but merely serving as a mouthpiece for your hired men.

We are sorry to report Ulysses Sawyer on the sick list, this week.

GENUINE Edison Mazda lamps all sizes in stock—Holgate-Enders Hardware Co.

The Primitive Baptist folks are in an interesting meeting at the tobacco this week. These good people leave all secular conditions and effects when they enter the pulpit and preach the Bible as they believe it and nothing else, whether that is popular or suits the masses or not.

A MOST COMPLETE of all kinds of standard brands of canned goods at Enterprise Market & Grocery.

W. J. Shepherd, popular manager of the Jones Dry Goods Store at this place, returned this week from a visit to his family at Merkel that he has been unable to move here on account of there being no houses to rent. He aims to move there here in the near future, we understand.

# JONES DRY GOODS COMPANY

## Extra Specials for this week only:

50 Children's Gingham Dresses, formerly priced at \$1.00, selling this week at 50c each.

200 yards of good curtain Scrim, on sale this week at 9c the yard.

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**ROY BAILEY**  
Brownfield, Texas

Chemicals do not catch insects all the time, but birds will if given a chance. Bless their dear little hearts.

Man alive! but Johnny Dumas is some cotton chopper. He accompanied Roy Collier to the Church of Christ across path Monday, and the way he went up and down those rows caused some comment and when asked why the hurry, he said: "Well, this is the first work I ever did for the Lord, and I am afraid to lay off on the job, for there is an all seeing eye watching me."

Mrs. Frank Martin was called by phone Tuesday night to attend the funeral of her uncle, and the same message said her aunt was not expected to live. No details were given. She and husband, Frank Jr., left Wed. for Big Spring where the funeral will be held. The relatives are, the Big Spring Cables.

The difference between scientific research and common everyday grave robbing is approximately 2000 years.

For rent, a five room house. See Mrs. W. J. Hastings, city.

BROTHERS & BROTHERS always has a nice assortment of fresh candies and fruits.

Mental decay is the latest verdict in a suicide case. But it does not always lead to suicide.

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A GOOD SECOND hand well drill with engine complete for sale or trade. See Tom May.

Mrs. J. C. Bohannon, Sr. has returned home after several weeks visit to her sons and other relatives in Amarillo, Dalhart and Oklahoma points.

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Mrs. Austin Anderson and children left this week for Fort Worth, after quite a lengthy visit with her parents, Pappy John and Mother Kate Powell.

R. W. Glover and Dee Hunter have purchased sites just east of W. G. Hardin on which to build homes in the near future.

A big sale, branded "Whale of a Sale" has been going on since last Friday at the Cook and Son store, that is attracting much attention and the coin as well.

A large part of the Brownfield picnic spent last Friday in Tahoka at the American Legion picnic. They reported a huge time, lots of people and plenty to eat. It seemed that several good deacons were on hand for the occasion, and this as well as the other entertainment features, were of the best.

R. L. Dowers and wife got in this week from their honeymoon in the mountains of New Mexico.

## OUR CUSTOMERS KNOW

The nature and quality of our service. If you contemplate opening an account, the officers of this bank will be glad to have an opportunity of discussing its service. We will appreciate a call at any rate.

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In The Herald

## "MOVED"

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The Quality and Service Drug Store

## THE NEWEST FORD PRODUCT

A GREAT FERTILIZER

W. B. (Red) Tudor, Ford and Ford's dealer, is now displaying in his show room the latest addition to the Ford family—Ammonium Sulphate.

Ford Ammonium is a by-product of the River Rouge coke ovens. At the present time, thirty tons daily are being obtained, and it is Mr. Ford's intention to place it in the hands of farmers sending a high-grade nitrogen fertilizer, selling it thru his dealers at a price representing cost of production.

Farmers are well acquainted with the value of applying Cotton-Seed and Cotton-Seed Meal to their lands. Some Plus of the value of Ford Ammonium Sulphate as a nitrogen carrier may be obtained by the fact that 250 pounds of cotton-seed 250 pounds of ordinary fertilizer, to equal 100 pounds of ammonium sulphate in nitrogen content.

Our most progressive farmers, merchants and bankers realize that the key is not the farmer who our

from lands, under the present system of crop growing, will be depleted of its life giving element of nitrogen. Even where crop rotation is practiced the amount of nitrogen extracted is many times greater than that supplied by plowing under legumes, etc. While nothing will supplant proper cultivation of the soil, the use of Ammonium Sulphate together with the other elements the soil may need, will insure a continuous maximum production.

Mr. Ford, himself a farmer until twenty-one years of age, and conceded by all the foremost thinkers of this age, is constantly bending his energies and the vast resources at his command to better the farmers' economic condition and make life on the farm what he says it should be—the most pleasant and profitable occupation in the world, instead of a drudgery.

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## MEADOW BRIEFS

By Aesculapius

There is still considerable sickness among our people in the way of digestive disorders, the writer among the number.

The stork continues to visit us occasionally, and he doesn't seem to worry in well doing. As a result of his visit, there is a little girl at the home of Prof. T. C. Maloch, and another at the home of M. L. Vaughan. Mr. Mack Rikard is home from the sanitarium somewhat improved, but is still unable to be up.

Mrs. Bobbie Terry and her mother, Mrs. Shuler, of Stephenville, are visiting Mrs. Luoma Moorhead.

There is quite a number of prospectors with us daily and all have a good word for the outlook of Terry county.

Our school bonds voted some time ago has been found illegal by the Attorney General due to an oversight on the part of the trustees in calling the election before the approval by the Governor of the act creating our independent District. This, indeed is regrettable, but I am sure the trustees acted in good faith. Hope we may do better next time.

The gaming company is erecting a new home for their superintendent. It will add to the appearance of the north side of town.

The Methodists have a meeting in progress here. The Rev. Meadow is doing the preaching. The congregations have been large and the preaching has been pronounced above the average. Its effects have been meagre however, so far. Confession in the membership and in the pulpit are absolutely necessary for results. These prerequisites are absolutely wanting. God has never worked through sect organizations. Bolshevism, Ka Kluxism, Fascism, and all other sect orders only take of your time and money and install into your mind and heart hatred of those who oppose such orders. The spiritual life of the nation is dead. President Wilson in a recent article has this to say: "The sum of the whole matter is this: our civilization cannot survive materially unless it is redeemed spiritually." Here is the final challenge, to our churches, our political organizations to every one who fears God and loves his country. Will the people heed the warning?

Come to Meadow, the land of promise.

Prof. G. F. Dummer of the University of Nuremberg, hearing about the strange case took the young man to his home—amazed not only by the "beard" but by the fact that the man who had taught him to write the words "Kaspar Hauser," which Professor Dummer believed to be a false name given to him in order to mislead the authorities and to conceal his real identity. Finally, he decided, he had been "blundered" and set into the street where the police had found him.

The young man's story naturally created a vast amount of comment in all sections of Europe and the Dummer house became the center of attraction for the curious, many of whom maintained that they were to identify Kaspar Hauser, but a line of whom were able to produce the proof of their conviction.

The best development in the mysterious chain of circumstances surrounding the youth, came about two months after Hauser's discovery by the police, when he staggered into Professor Dummer's office, half-blind and by the hand which dripped from an open gash in his forehead. It was some time before he recovered consciousness sufficiently to state that a masked man had struck him with a stick after that he had begged the man to stop and let him go, but before he could give the alarm. The man, who the police drew from the street was that the same person who had impressed the boy was now striving to kill him, but he divulged the secret of his birth.

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## HISTORY'S MYSTERIES

WHO WAS KASPAR HAUSER?

WHEN the police of Nuremberg first discovered this youth, apparently about sixteen years of age, leaning up against a wall in one of the public squares with his hands over his eyes to protect them from the glare of the sun, they at first thought that he was some idiot who had escaped from a sanitarium. But investigation soon developed that here was a case as unique as that of the man in the iron mask, and resembling it in a number of ways.

Not only was the boy's eyes weak, but his muscles were so flabby as those of an infant and the soles of his feet were covered, like those of a baby that has never learned to walk. He had to be carried bodily to police headquarters and soon thereafter the sight of the unmanly objects appeared to horrify him, while the slightest of sounds caused him to cover his ears and vibrate as if his eardrums were accustomed only to total silence. On the other hand, his face indicated that he was of good parentage, and the clothing which he wore was fashioned of the richest, finest materials.

In an effort to discover something about his identity, one of the police officials offered him a pencil which he seized and wrote the two words "Kaspar Hauser" which, as it afterwards developed, was the only one he could give to his name.

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## PROSE PESSIMISTIC EAST

TEXAS EDITORS

A committee of five is now traveling over West Texas to select a site for a technological college, for which the Texas Legislature appropriated one million dollars. The state has a number of schools, poorly supported, but large enough to provide opportunity for all the boys and girls who desire an education to get it. But Western Texas said that section must have a school, whether it was needed or not, and the Legislature appropriated the money. In the meantime the state faces a deficit of \$4,500,000, and has no idea where the money is to come from. If a man who is heels over head in debt should contract to pay a thousand dollars to have a fifth wheel on his wagon, we would call him criminally extravagant. What will you say of a Legislature and a Governor, who, with the state head over heels in debt and taxes the limit, authorizes the expenditure of a million dollars for an institution that isn't needed?—Honey Grove Signal.

We have looked upon the editorial of the Honey Grove Signal as ideas of a well informed man. But on the above subject we are forced to disagree with Editor Lowery. The remarks he made in the above editorial are a dead give away that he is uninformed about West Texas, or is just ignorant about the great rapidly developing country west of the old Trinity river, known to the progressive and well informed people as West Texas. This East Texas editor makes the statement that we don't need this school. There are hundreds of boys and girls in West Texas that are nearer five other A. & M. colleges in five other states than they are to their own A. & M. College. They are forced to go out of the state to get the proper education. When the Texas Tech. College is located and completed, they can go to school at home. If these boys in East Texas would get busy and pay up, even half of their delinquent taxes, there would be no deficit of four million dollars. The fact of the business is, that West Texas is turning in the "long green" to keep up the schools of the state. When West Texas gets her Tech. school, those South and East Texas schools will have plenty of room and buildings and some to sell. East Texas editors see and know that when the young men and women of their districts come out here for four years to attend our school, they will never be satisfied to go back to the sticks and be happy. They will remain in West Texas, the most rapidly developing part of the U.S.A. East Texas has had its day. West Texas is just now coming into its own and they hate to admit it.—Crosbyton Review.

## TOO MANY LAWS

One of the strongest political tendencies of our times is the suddenly increased faith of legislators in the power of laws to enforce themselves once they are reduced to writing. No belief has been so continuously and thoroughly discredited, yet none is so alarmingly alive. Every political philosopher from Montaigne's day to this hour has recognized that the best government is that conducted with the least law and machinery. A multitude of evils attend the false faith of legislators in the enforcement capacity of laws as represented by words on a piece of paper. One is an inevitable weakening of respect for the government born of a disregard for its more outlandish aspects. Another is the uninterrupted encroachment of government on the governed. A third and most distressing evil is the appalling expense attending the creation of multitudinous new bureaus and offices provided for.

The time may come when a candidate pleading himself to nothing but the repeal of two laws for every one created will be generally supported.

## UPS AND DOWNS

Back called out one fine evening to call on a fair young miss. And when he reached her residence, this:

like this:

Ran up like this:

For father met him at the door—'You'll never go there any more. For he went down like this:

George Black and son have taken charge of the Brownfield Sanitarium building for the time being and have opened a rooming house therein.

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Notice of application for letters-testamentary of decedents.

To all persons interested in the Estate of C. K. Morris, deceased.

George W. Neill has filed in the County Court of Terry County, an application for letters of Administration upon the Estate of C. K. Morris, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the fourth Monday in August, A. D. 1923, in the town of Brownfield, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you there and there before said Court this 10th day of July, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of July, A. D. 1923.

H. R. Winston, Clerk, County Court, Terry County, Texas. By Lilian Webb, Deputy. Aug. 1-10-17-24.