# 橉 Coryell County News 

## - <br> "I'm An Old Cowhand"Is Theme Song for Rodeo

COLLEGE STUDENTS RETU
HOME FOR SEMMER
MONTHS .

Six Weeks' Preparation for Rodeo and Home-Coming
Consummated as Gates Open at 2 P. M. Today
Conoco Buik Station Burglarized Sat. Of Twenty=One Cases 0ilTeachers College, Denton, come
Doyle Preston, Mary Scott;fron
Texas Technological School in
Lubbock comes Miss Beverly
Lubsfrom Weatherford Junior Col-
lege, Grady Dickie and Donaldf Burkburnett who
College
Albert Mickie, who Phite.$H_{a_{r d i}}$ was $^{2}$ Very popular in byrom,have returned home. Curtis Maynard, A \& M Student and MisseIrma Lee Rutherford, RubyMerle Hopson, and C. L. Kirby
who have been attending Howardwho have been attending Howar
Payne in Brownwood andPayne in Brownwood and Erie
Powell, student in T. W. C.
Fort Worth and Miss J.cher, student in S.T.S.T.C.
San Marcos have returned.Bernard Laudermilk, sonMr. and Mrs. O. P. Laudermilkpopular graduate of Laudermilkversity, Waco has accepted ${ }^{2}$position as coach in Grapevinas his wife on June 6, MissSome of these students, afte
a visit with home folks, havmer term, others have gone onkacations with their families employn.
months.



## BABY DROWNS IN CROCK WATER NEAR STRAWS MHL; FENERAL THER.




Beginning today at noon, or the corner of Lutterloh and
shortly afterward, the parade
East Main will probably be the
will form composed of bands,
ther there or near the schoo
uilding, which would probably
donated
TWO YOUNG COUPLES ARE EARL HLDDLESTON SAYS THF
INJURED WHEN CAR
OVERTURNS
Misces Bonnie and Jimmie $\int_{\text {resentative from this District }}^{\text {Earl }}$
Misoes Bonnte and Jimmie
Young, sisters of Pancake, and
their escorts, Alec Hodnett of from this District
composed of Hamilton and Co-
Jonesboro and W. G. Sellers of
Turnersville were injured Wed-
to the News, that "I regret that
nesday
overturned at the junction of
the Gatesville-Turnersville Road
the Race Horse bill, which wa
submitted by the Governor, as
the rain.) The car ekidded a
the sharp turn off a bridge
will pass the bill out today,
(June 1), and I hope the Sen-
ate will at least
and relieve the people of fur-
know whether the Governorwill submit any other subjects
this session or not, but I do
know that I am in favor of at-people as quickly
and returning home"THE RED HAWK PROGRAM"T SEX-THIRTY A. M. TOInformation has been furn
shed by the local Chamber ofCommerce to the "Red Hawk
Program," which will be broad-cast over WBAP and WFAA
ville and the vicinity
etter," which is promoted and
patient to be at home and tofinish up the business of the
State at Austin, and in this hehas been a valuable member othe House in representing this

one cases of lubricating oil. Each
cace of oil either contains, 24
one quart eans or four 5 quar
loas between four and five hun-dred quarts of oil. So far, no
arrests have been made, and nopositive elues picked up. TroIt is understood the oil was int.sured by the company.
A large truck was used inbacked up to the oil house,
burlars unloaded and reloaded
the oil and left town between
day morning
Sheriff Joe White thinks this
is operating
state, moving
DR. KERMIT JONES ELECTED
At the $\overline{\text { regular }}$ Wednesday
ident of the club for the coming
Painter, Bill Weigand and GeneAlvis, First, Second and ThirdVice Presidents respectively;Horace Jackson, Spizenrincter;W. E. Lasseter, Secretary andOtis Ray, Hurl directors., Dr.
J. MalelenOtis Ray, Hurl J. McClellan,
W. C. Guggolz and Dr. JohnA most interesting progamCrist and two of her pupils,Misses Frances MeCoy and Pat-sy Olsen, who were presentedn brief skits of the poem, "Hia-wathia" accompaniedpiano by Jack Reesing.
Willis Jones was a guest atCOMMISSIONER'S COURT ISREQUESTED TO BUYHWY. 7 RWY
Request has been receivedway 7. No length or distancewas given, and it is not known
whether the complete right ofway will be complete right ofnot, but some will be boughtNo information was given aslo when the actual work wouldbegin, but negotiations for the
purchase of this right of waywill be started sometime in thenear future. There seemed to
be no apparent rush for this
REGISTER" AT THE NEW
GROUND
To check up on the visitors,who come to Gatenville for the
Coming.mance,
visitorster, a
them.
Anyone,
not, may register and get thesouvenir book which the Newswill have for you in the unmis-veniently located for the public.

4 SDCIETY
Mrs, f. I Pollant

## Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chestnu

 Mrs. L. L. Potlard's 78 moth birth. day annivensary Sunday, May 30 of relatives and friends to thei home in honor of the oceasionAll nine children were pres ent: Mr. and Mrs. Brian Jones McKinney: Mrs. F. A. Harris Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pol-
lard. Killeen; Mrs. Ida Black. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pollard, Mr and Mrs. A. D. Chestnut, all of Gatesville; Mrs. York Duncan, Killee. Mr and Mr. Guy Erent

| THE LAW <br> The birth of every child in this state thall be registered within 5 days with the Local Registrar of the district in which the birth occurred. A physician, midwife or person acting as midwife in aatendance upon the birth, shall file the certificate. (Sec. 12 and 13. <br> A. SHIRLEY <br> Juatice of the Peace. |
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NICARAGUAN CANAL
Japan has under consideration a plan calling for construction of battleships of 50,000 tonnage carrying 18 inch guns and capable of 30 kots. The maximum tonnage of battleships now afloat is 35,000 tons; the largest
guns, 16 -inch.
Obviously, if Japan constructs
four of these super-battleships, four of these super-battleships,
as planned, the other major naval powers will do likewise in order that their slower, battleships will not be antedater The United States will surely follow suit, entailing continued expenditures for the naval branch of the defense in the years ahead.
But
But in this article we are
concerned with only one proconcerned with only one pro-
blem arising from the blem arising from the almost certain construction of larger
warships in the immediate future. This is a problem which is, of as much interest to commerce as it is to defense: the construction of a canal through the Central American Republic of Nicaragua.
Let it be emphasized at the caginning that a Nicaraguan As far back as 1926 Henry Clay. Secretary of State Henry a commission to investigate the possibilities of a canal connecting the Atlantic with the Pacific and receiving a favorable report on a canal through Nicaragua In 1876 a commission reported greater advantages and few difficulties" than any oth-
er link between the two oceans, In 1916 the United States won treaty rights to a naval base on Corn Island, in Nicaragua's Gulf of Fonseca, and canal option for $\$ 3,000,000$. Ten years later the Seventieth Congress authorized the Corps of Engineers of the Army to survey possivle Nicaraguan routes. After two years Army topographers of the Twenty-ninth Engineer Battalion emerged from the heated jungles with their miles long and costing $\$ 722$, 000,000 . Ten years would be required for the completion of the project.
fense and the length of time required for the construction of the canal ,the need is for an immediate authorization of surveys and construction by this
session of Congress. Two bills have been introduced which would accomplish these aims In the House, Rep. Carl Vinson, Chairman of the House Naval Affair Committee, and in the Senate, Senator David I Walsh, Chairman of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, are pressing for enactment of their identical bills.
The Panama Canal has permitted the navy to be seperated any potential danger spot. But there is no assurance this route could be kept open and free from destruction in time of combat 'with some Pacific or European state. Destruction of the canal lwould mean that the navy must travel 13,000 miles around the strates of Magellan
to reach the opposite ocean. could put the Panama Canal out of commission for weeks, fleet would be fsolated in either the Pacific or the Atlantic, while along the proposed Nicaraguan route flat rolling plains preclude the possibility of earthquakes. The greatest argument for a Nicaraguan Canal is not the Canal to attack from the air or from the sea, or the possibility

of its being rendered useless by Aside from the great naval natual causes A truth which
nadvantage which would acerue no one can get around is that from the construction of the battleships larger than those
afloat cannot travel through the
Nercial and panal, there are com-
melitical advanta-
 Panama Canal.
The Americn aircraft carriers Lexington and Saratoga are of to San Francisco route would the maximum width and length and freight vessels, and the that the Panama Canal can ac- heavy pressure of commercial commodate. None of the battle- traffic on the Panama Canal
ships afloat today exceeds 35 , 000 tons. Yet the practicability al would be another tie of friend of 50,000 -ton warships has been ship binding this country wit possibity if not probability of strengthening the aims of Pres their immediate construction in $\begin{aligned} & \text { strengthening the aims of Pre } \\ & \text { ident Roosevelt and Secretary }\end{aligned}$ the shipyards of Nippon. Is Hull in this direction. there any doubt that the U. S. We hope the bills of Reprewill follow the course of the sentative Vinson and Senator Land of the Rising Sun in build- Walsh are not pigeon holed ining 50,000 -ton, 30 -knot battle- definitely, and that when they powers will that the ather world are presented on the floor this is din likewise? And if whether at this session of Conships to show are these gress or not, they will receive ships to be shifted from one ocena to another as is com-
mon practice? Barring the canstruction of a canal through Nicaragua, there are only two alternatives for the Navy Department to follow: construct two fleets, one for the Atlantic and another of the Pacific, which of course would be prohibitive in cost; shift the fleet from one water body to the 5 day route around the
ern end of South America.

## VATHIUTLCHES

Mrst Christian Church
ible study at 10 o'clock every
Lord's Day morning. Come and worship with us.
German Bethel Baptist Churct
Sunday School at 10 m with classes for old and young German and English speaking Americans.
Preaching service in German $1 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.
BYPU service each Sunday vening at 7:00.
Preaching service $8: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. antil further notice. The even ing services are in the language we all understand. We extend wall a very hearty welcome
W. H. Buenning Pastor

First Methodist Church Many kind words came from those who heard Rev. Lawrence M. Greenshaw deliver the two very able sermons last Sunday. Your pastor had a most in spiring occassion at East Texae State Teachers College and now we are here in full for nex
anday.
$9: 45$
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
ual Examination."
$7: 15 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. our Young People. 8:00 p. m. sermon, "The High "A Good
ture." $\overline{\text { First Baptist Church }}$
Sunday School Sunday morn-
Preaching by the pastor Sun-
Pr day morning and Sunday night The Baptist Training Union will meet Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock.
The W. M.S.
The W.M.S. meets Tuesday afternoon.
The Y .

Regular Deacons Meeting on uesday night at 8:00 o'clock. Midweek services Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.
Welcome to our church.

## Clarence A. Morton, Pastor,

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chambers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bird Hair were waco visitors Sunday Miss Hazel Loveless of Temple spent the week end with her Ments at Jonesboro.
Mr. and Mrs. James A. McDonald and son of Wichita Falls and Miss Walleda Anstin of ElMrs. W. M. Gamblin and family Tuesday and weánestalay.


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| $5.25-17$ | 8.35 | 6.10 | 7.05 |
| $5.25-18$ | 8.65 | 6.25 | 7.01 |
| $5.50-17$ | 9.50 | 6.88 | 8.03 |
| $5.50-18$ | 9.75 |  | 11.27 |
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## Perry Hale's Grocery

West Leon Street

 $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Mrs. } \\ \text { ily. } \\ \text { Mr }\end{array}\right.$ Mr. Walter Thomasson Jr., of his parentille CCC Camp, visited ter Thomasson. and Mrs. Wal Miss Rosa Faye Brown, of Hay Valley visited Misses Zorido and and Meharta Thomasson recent-
${ }^{1 y}$ Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Williams, of Turnersville, visited her parents,
Y. Meharg.

NEW GAME LAWS FOR THIS COUNTY

Some changes have been made in the fishing laws of Coryell County, and according to Mr. Earl McCracken, the Game Warden, these changes are now in
effect. effect.
The text of the changes, be ing House
follows:
follows:
Section 1. It shall be unlawful to use any seine or net for the purpose of taking the fish from
any of the waters of Coryell any of the waters of Coryell
County, Texas, provided howCounty. Texas, provided how-
ever, that this section bill shall ever, that this section bil net of
not apply to any seine or net not less than three (3) inches square mesh used for the pur-
pose of of taking suckers, carp, pose of of taking suckers, carp
shad, buffalo, or gar, now shall it apply to a minnow seine not more than twenty (20) feet
it in length used for the purpose of taking minnows for bait.
Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person in Coryell County, Texas, to take or have
in his possession any bass less in his possession any bass less
than eleven (11) inches in than eleven (11) inches in
length or any catfish less than nine (9) inches in length or niny crappie or white perch less than seven (7) inches in length. Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to take minnows from the waters of Coryell,
Johnson, Bosque, and SommerJohnson, Bosque, and Sommerville Counties, Texas for the pur pose of celling the same and
shall be unlawful for any per son to transport at any time beyond the borders of Coryell,
Johnson, Bosque, and Smmerville counties, more than one hundred and twenty-five (125)
minnows taken from the fresh waters of said counties.
Section 4. Any person viola-
ting any provision of this Act
shall be deemed guilty of a mis thereof shall be fined not less
tha twenty-five $(\$ 25)$ nor more
than two bundred and fifty than two hundred
$(\$ 250)$. laws affeqting Coryell County LICENSE. Anyone using an artificial lure must procure an
Artifical Lure License. Anyone Artifical Lure License. Anyone
selling fish must obtain a license to do so.
se to do so. OF TAKING. Or-
METHOD OF dinary pole and line, setline, trotline, or use of wire,
or gig. A minow seine tion exceed 20 feet in length be used for th
taking minnows.
taking minnows.
CLOSED SEASONS
CLOSED SEASONS. March and April closed on bass or crap-
pie, artifical lures, and seines or pie, artifical lures, and seines or
nets. Unlawful to use any seine


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The Largest Paid Circulation in Coryell County


The republican membership of administration of relief be returned to the states through a system of federal monetary been advocated by this writer as the only apparent means of halting the continued huge outlays for rellef by the federal government.
Representative White, a Republican of Onio, proposed that federad grants to states be made on a non-partisan basis, that ad-
ministration of relief be vested in state and tocal authoritie and that each state contribate of its relief
There is nothing unsound impracticable about this propu-
sal, which the eighty-seven Republican members of the house have endorsed and will submit to the entire membership. Th
immediate cry from who favo a continuance of the prezen trol state and iccal relief ad-

## by fumentary proofs of plain politics and political diserimin- ation in the disbursement of

 relief funds in ail New Deal Those familiar with true con ditions in the reiis $i$ agenci fear that politics coula reign more supreme in stete reliefagencies than tas been the case in the federel agencies since If federal grants were made to states for relief, the dis be checked and supervised by federal officials to prevent and abolish those evils inherent in the federal set-up since the
wholesale distribution of relief funds began with the Roosevelt

Considerable criticism has been placed upon governors an
mayors for demanding the mayors for demanding expenditures of federal funds for relief and public fund in their locales which resulted get. National headquiters of th United States conference of maysaying any reduction in the $\$ 1,500,000,000$ relief request able.'
and states put $\$ 1,244,953$ It is known that placing th states and cities would impose an unbearable load for them t this is not the purpose of thos in relief expenditures for al branches should be fortheoming. The first remedy to be for the relief business, but aid the states financially in providing narrowing the administration o relief down to states, counties and cities, it is believed tha tion of relief funds could be exercised; that those on relie funds could be exercised; that those on relief who have maintenance could be dropped, and relief load the government must

Another remedy is one which
present administration has een unwillig to undertake. That is a census of the unemployed,
discussed in detail in a previous discussed in detail in a previous of the jobless would provide for needed classification of the
obless as to age, sex, jobless as to age, sex, reason
for unemployment, and ability
or one ansume any prospective job.
to and
With this classification it would With this classification it would
be much simpler to place the anemployed in the jobs which rivate industry is rapidly ere atng for them under the stima lus of the economic boom.


## Will Rogers' <br> Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS SOME women don't like to wea)
glasses for fear they'll look old
They don't really look old, you

know, but they think so, and that may be worse. Barnes tried to talk che doetor out of making her wear
klasseen, but the doc zays, "Wear em all day. Otherwise you're goSo she came back in a few weeks and her eyes were worse.
"Do you wear 'em all day, like Do you wear em all day, lik
told you " says the doc.
Yes, and no, Doc. I wear'em all ght, which is Just wear long, and
hat, way nobody gets to see how ld I look. But although I been
vearing 'em ast as long as you vearing 'em just as long as you
old me to, they ain't dolng me no
pood."
$\qquad$
Boys and girls of Myddle handbell ringere.

## Bryan Arnold Invites People of This County to Graduation Exercises

With June and graduation the people of the United States dead ahead, it is only natural we have been given an expensive and reflect on his past years edives. With our diplomas we of cechooling. However, my get also a job. How thoroughly thoughts run farther back than I appreciate my good fortune just to that day of July nearly when I realize that hundreds of four years ago when I first college men and women must reported to West Point. I am graduate this year to only unthinking now of Texas, of Gates- employment
隹e, and of the many friends Sincerely I regret that world conditions make it necessary activitios acterize June Week, I wish that to defend it. To the people of see the final could be present t class of 1937. The awarding of prizes, the reunions of old grads, the rythmic gymnastic evening parades set against th background of spring in the Hudson Highlands, will create brilliant pageantry. That is why
I am writing this letter1 am writing this letter-to tell
you that I should like to have all of you as my gue Two hundred ninety-n us will receive our diploma and second lieutenant's commis sions on June 12. Thanks to In The WE KS NEWS


THE DUKE AND THE DUCHESS-His brother fo world's foremost lovers pose for a photograph on the lawn of their bridal rendezvous. Hereafter they w
pose as the Duke and Duchess of Windsor.


BERMUDA BY PLANE-A quick ocean hop to the island of Bermuda will be posalble hereafter for time-pressed vacationiota.
Here the new Bermuda Clipper takes off on a survay night prior to the opening of regular service.

the United States we owe an untold debt of service-service of all kinds, Always, I hope,
we shall repay that debt in the true-ringing coin of peace of war. Also, like those men of the Revolution, who first built their campfires at West Point in 1775, we shold always Euard jealously the ideals of this government is founded. Still in political matters the final word must come from the tongues of the people. For the
constitution provides that the civil authority shall never be subordinate to the military. If it should happen that in the
typhoon of -isms that is sweeptyphoon of isms that is sweep-
ing the world to-day, we should be led astray, then the people follow their desires Our fate as soldiers denend $z$ on the will of
Congress, and through that body Congress, and through that body
on the will of the people. May
there ever be good faith between us. On the eve of graduation I greet you and send my sincerest
wishes for your peace and hapwishes
piness.
$\qquad$
JESSE POWELL TO PREACH CHURCH OF CHRIST in big reviva
The meeting at the Church
of Ehrist is still in progress.
Interest and attendance are increasing. Rev. Mr. Powell is
bringing us fine ind bringing us fine lessons from
God's word. Come and hear him God's word. Come and hear him
each moring at 10:00 o'clock each moring at 10:00 0 'clock
and each evening at $8:{ }^{\prime} 00$ and each evening at $8:{ }^{\prime} 00$
o'clock.
Bible Bible School at $100 . \mathrm{m}$. Sun-
day; Preaching at $11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{ll}8 & \text { p. m. Sunday and Communion } \\ \text { at } 11: 50\end{array}\right.$ at $11: 50 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Sunday.
Your presence will be appre-
ciated.
The artist Leonarda da Vinci, in 1490, constructed an ornithopter, or nying machine moti-

For 50 year $\mathrm{Mr}^{2}$
Cook have sung in Sissinghurst
church, Kent, England.

| This <br> Week <br> Oglesby |  |
| :---: | :---: |
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## SAMUEL GOLDWYN

## WOilin chlas man Minham hoimans JOEL MCCIEA




Chapter Three
In the
Virgrary
Kinna
a piece
 paper exploded with a mild flare. Cost, twenty-Ave thousand pluw
Alawsit setlod out of court, ilve
thousand, making a total of thirty thousand,
the next:-
It was a strange, complicated mechanism, a combination foldin
ruler, microscope and cock.
Kenneth laughed mirthlessly Kenneth laughed mirthlessly. "I
don't exactly remember what you
do with it," he said, "but it cost dwenty-five thousand."
He showed her still another item
desk with stickless drawers th a desk with stickless drawers that
stuck. $\mathbf{B}$. J., he added, was stuek
forty thousand for it. With one two other gadgets, the grand total Was one hundred and twenty thou-
sand. In demonstrating the stickless
desk, the drawer flew open, hitting
Virginia and pitching her backwards. Her neck was wrenched.
Kenneth helped her up and insisted on massaging her neck. Meanwhile
he continued: Heights brought these items to my mind. To puther - god bless him - is
m bit of a screwbal!" credulowsly. "Now, I don't mean to imply that my father is goory. People who ap ple who are screwballs are nice to
have around as long as it doesn't cost $\$ 120,00$. Now No
can 't invest in Nolan Heights?'"
Virginia was silent. Kenneth con tinued to massage her neek and most lover-like posture. Virginia
looked so crestallon that Kenneth
folt felt terribly sorry for her. His
mother, he told her, had made him
promise to keep Dad from wasting
money to keprectical radwets


She's a lovely thing, isn't she? So
He paused, looking deeply into
"- because every once in a whrid that I could be like
my father tather only worse. And
then I'd never be sensible again."
Nina appeared. She observed Vir-
ginia and Keneth with patent sus-
picion. Virginia rose in embarrass-
ment and made a hasty exit. In the drying dishes. B, Bome was oo contraption she
with some sort
hadn't seen before. "Would you kids mind if I talked
to Mr. Nolan alone?" she said. Observing Virginia's interest in checks at once." bitterly,., "How much did you lose on that?"
"Only eight thou-" he began. Say, has my son ecen tain abot this, invented it. I played it on the nose


You're, ${ }^{\mathbf{a}}$ screwbal!",
"Aha, said B J. "He has bee
talking! "What's talking! " What's happened to you?"
he continued plaintively, "Yeste he continued plaintively. "Yester
day you were on my side. Nor
you you're on his
"I hadn't heard his side of th.
story then. No, B. J., I couldn't help
you run thr you run through his money." "His money!" B J. was indignant
"And where do you think he go And where so you ther he grom his mother. And wher.
it?
did shie get it? I'l tell you where
I did she get it? I'll tell you whers
I made a million in Florida. And
my wife dragged half a million for my wife dragged half a million for
a rainy day. I made a million in
O Oklahoma and my wife dragged an
other for another rainy day. Two
million!And now million! And now, when it's rain-
ing, my son has the only umbrella.ing. my son has the only umbrella
All right. He has one millio.
What What became of the other one?"'
B. J. looked unhappy and deflated B. J. looked unhappy and deflate
" oint it," he admitted weakly. "On gadgets!" "Wait a minute, Virginia!" he sais
heatedy. "Are you saying that Noheatedly. "Are you saying that No-
lan Heights is a gadget? Clean lit-
tle homes instend of tle homes instead of crowded tene-
ments. Healthy little children piayments. Healthy little children piay-
ing in the country instead of on
dirty strests. Sunshine, fresh air dirty stre ts. Sunshine, fresh air,
happy femilies. .. Is that a gadVirginia's eyes were moist. "No,
B. J. Nolan Heights is a fine noble
年 B. Nolan and I believe in it."
the nobl
"Yesterday," continued "Yesterday," continued B, J. with up. Then you brought in a lot of
youth and enthusiasm and I started living again. I thought there was
a chance to do something, not so
much for the sake of Nolan Heights,

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { but for the good it would do Ken- } \\
& \text { neth - to gave him, while he's }
\end{aligned}
$$ neth - to save him, while he'

still young, from turning into
colorless old voucherclipper can't save him, but I thought you could. He's scared to do anything
by himself. He'll marry gome dull sy himself. He'll marry some dull,
safe, sensible girl. Is that what you want ?" light of battle shone in Virwant B., J!!", cried B. J. warming to "Then," cried B. J. warming to
his argument, "save him from him-
elf! self! If you could only get him
started on Nolan Heights he'd be a different man. He'd have ideas
he'd have fun! He'd like different people - he'd even approve of me
and he'd probably fall in love with you!", probably fall in love
"Are you sure Nolan Heights is "Honestly, Virginia, it can't miss. If we can get his namee on a check
for a hundred thousand, he'll have it back double in no time - and
be a different, happy man. Now how are we going to get his name
on a check?" "I don't know," She paused
thoughtully. Suddenly she spied
the Writograph. "Yes, the Writograph. "Yes, I do know!
not for you, not for me, but to
save him from himself - we will swinsave him from himself - we'11 swin-
die him! Out of the old life tnto "Yippee!" cried B. J. Ten years
dropped from him in that moment.
Before retirin Henri cornered Kenneth. Ning he he
explained, was a gentle. sensitive flower. Her feelings were easily
bruised. She was. he told Kenneth
nervously, sensitive about Miss "The way she looks at you, Ken-
neth! She 10 at
much lascif - that is in with very
English, forget the time a beautiful woman
looked at me concupiscently in Al seing at all but anxious to ter"Goodnight," maid Goodnight." Henri an "Did you warn him?", she de-
manded. "Did you put it to him Yes, but he cannot throw he
out house in the middle of
he night, Nina." the night, Nina. impatient gesture.
Nina made an in
Henri was a dope. After breakfast tamorrow, she would have a long cided. At all costs, he must get rid of Virginia. Some way, any way.
She didn' care. Below in the Hi-
brary, Kenneth was busy at the dictonary. He read.
"Con illicit, un-
lawful appetite for that which is agreeable."
With some alarm he walked to a
mirror and examined his face moughtfully. "Coneupiscent," he (To be continued.)


- SPRING HILL NEWS © $\begin{aligned} & \text { home in Houston where he ha } \\ & \text { a good job. }\end{aligned}$
 Parker home were Mr, and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Parker and children.
Aubrey Edwards spent Mon-
day night with Mr day night with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Manning. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Manning and Mrs. Levy Manning were in Gatesvile Monday
Miss Louise Whaley has returned home from Gatesville
where she has been going to school.

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