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COGITATIONS and APHORISMS of

I was talking recently with a usual day of issue. mighty good friend of mine, and he This was done in order that our thought, or, in other words, started are TRULY THANKFUL. thought not common to me.

themselves and their friend, they most of them in this issue. jury to these same dear friends?

to this friend of mine. He was not number of errors in the make-up numbers, variously estimated at from Howard Denny, Bovina F. F. A., 3ru. the direct sufferer from the claim Titles got over the wrong items, and 1,000 to 2,000 people. direct victim who was dearer than that it was the case in this instance EXTENSIVE REVIVAL MEETINGS hibits were of outstanding merit. but such claims are frequently made under the guise of religion, then

objections to any man's religion, so Evangelistic Chairman of Tierra a few buyers present. from my line of thinking, just 10 other 907 Associations of the South- drew top price at \$11.60 per cwt. illustrate by example.

snake to bite his arm, was willing Mission Board, of Atlanta, Ga. such a rash act, that was verraps, Wayland College at Plainview will those who heard it. his own affair; but, had he induced conduct these sixteen meetings, un- The annual banquet that was held serve champion, Graham Thornton, ceived the prize some of his friends or other fellow- der the direction of Prof. C. E. Roark in the basement of the Congrega- Individual class winners: men to allow him to practice his who has the Bible Chair of that in- tional church on Friday night was Rambouillet Graham Thornton, ter and the prize went to Betty Lou faith on him, and suppose the friend stitution. The Castro schools are: also a decided success, in every way. Farwell, 1st; James Ford, Farwell, Niece. had not been so fortunate as was Arney, Bethel, Blue Ridge, Cieo, Eas- The limit of tickets was sold out 2nd; Clyde Merriott, Lazbuddy, 3rd. the man, in his experiment, and in ter, Jumbo, and Rance. The Swisher completely, and all who had tickets Muttons-James Ford, Farwell, friend had died from the effect of schools are: Center Plains, Childress were present to enjoy the banquet, the snake's bite. What then?

Would it have been criminal, and View. the practitioner and made him suf-meetings will be held. with a final tive and interesting features inter-way, 3rd. would he have been allowed to go weether on Sunday afternoon, on H. Graham, editor of the State Line of the women's show were: scott free" under the guise of prac- the 27th of August. ticing religious faith?

I am a firm believer in religion, but it must be a common-sense religion, or I have less use for it than Thomas Crawford, who died at his awarded: no religion at all, and, it occurs to home in this city, on Tuesday of last me, that the greatest part of any week, February 28, was born in the true religion lies in our treatment of State of Arkansas in the year 1880 and dealings with our fellow man; and died at the age of 59 years. and, perhaps-who knows-the next At the age of 12 years, he moved greatest part lies in our treatment with his parents to Briscoe county thony Jesko. of dumb creatures and the vegetable Texas, where he spent the greater

pleasure from the visit of an old-with his family to Friona. time friend, who was one of my boy- He was married in 1917 and was Duroc-Jersey—Dave Chiles, Bovi- Spotted Poland-China — Robert he suddenly came in sight.

and has traveled a great deal, and free-hearted and liberal men who buddy, 1st; Arthur Lee Hicks, Lakejust a few months ago had visited are never too busy nor too tired to view, 2nd; James Seaton, Lazbuddy at our old home town and seen a lot give any and all assistance in his 3rd. teresting things to tell me that car- and kindly disposition. ried me, in memory, back to the days The funeral was held at Silverton Vernon Weiss. of long ago. Our whole household on Thursday, under the direction of Individual class winners: enjoyed his visit with us, and it Wallace Brothers, funeral directors. che to be mutual. At least, I hope with interment in the Silverton ce- Floyd, Bovina, 1st.

Then he left us to wander alone FOUR for an interim before reaching his habitation which he had not seen for several months, and here's hoping he has reached it safely. Lew ducted last week during the two days third, France Welch. Harry was always a good boy, not a of the Parmer County Lievestock Individual class winners a boy who minded his own affairs awarded by the Friona Star friends and neighbors, and he has scription to the oldest person to re- ner, Friona, 1st; France Welch, Fri- Foster, Okla, Lane, 2nd, ripened into just that sort of a man, gister, the person having the largest and 2nd It was a pleasant meeting, but his number of children, and to the pergoing again, has caused, as the immortal Longfellow has expressed it: son living farthest away from Friona. Grand champion, J. W. Roberson;

A feeling akin to pain; And resembles sorrow only As the mist resembles rain."

Now, you fellows out here on the street do not get the idea that I am getting doaty, for I am not, and

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TO OUR READERS

In getting out last week's issue of the Star, we did the work of four days in just three days, in order that the Star might get to its readers on Thursday instead of Friday, our

told me of some experiences of his readers might have a chance to read own, and they were not pleasant ex- the nice list of advertisements, which periences-not by any means-and the business places in Friona had what he told me started a train of placed with us, and for which we

It was something like this-Why Wednesday and were thus unable to nounced as in many respects the will people tell their friends that get in the paper, and for which we best that has been held. they would be morally honest with contributed them, and are using the occasion, and Saturday was fine W. C. Reed.

ANNOUNCED

ong as no evil effects from it shall Blanca Baptist Association for the Clarence Veazey, who sold his 5th. ern Baptist Convention, under the The Home Demonstration Depart-

J. N. Campbell.

THOMAS CRAWFORD

part of his life, where he lived, with

hood companions and school mates, the father of four children, all sons, na, 1st; C. H. James, Lakeview, 2nd Leach, Jr., Rhea, 1st. He came upon me unanrounced and who with his widow survive him. Hampshire—Anthony Jesko, Midunexpected, and I had not seen him They are: Thomas B., Jr., Joe Ed. way, 1st. for several years, but I recognized Don and Rex, all living at Friona | Spotted Poland-China — Henry 1st. him with my first glance at him as He is also survived by one brother. Wilkerson, Bovina, 1st; Merrill

three sisters, all living in California. Bovina, 3rd. He is a man of sound intelligence Mr. Crawford was one of those Poland-China-Earl Prather, Laz- Bull Over One Year, Under Three of my life-long friends and former power to a fellow being in distress neighbors, and thus had many in- from any cause, and was of a jovial

ARE AWARDED FREE ona, 2nd. SUBSCRIPTIONS

In the registration contest con- reserve champion, Calvin Bradley;

gister, the person having the largest ona, 2nd. J. W. Ashcraft, of A. ... reserve champion, Ray Ford; third. 'A feeling of sadness comes o'er tered 77 year, thus warmen subscription for oldest person; John R. Silvertooth registered 11 children. Individual class winners: thus securing the second; and there Chester White and O. I. C .- Ray were two registering the same num- Ford, Lakeview, 1st; D. W. Cleveland Rambouillet - Otho Whitefield, ber of miles from Friona, so we are Lakeview, 2nd; C. F. Knowies, Far- Lakeview, 1st. sending each of them a year's subscription. They were J. T. Guinn well, 3rd.

PARMER STOCK SHOW SUCCESS

WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Bred Sow (any age)

Fat Calf (all breeds)

(Calved after March 1, 1938)

Fat Lambs

Pen Fat Lambs (3 in class)

Junior Boar Pig

Junior Heifer Calf

Bull Over Two Years

Senior Heifer

Cow Over Three Years

Bull Over Three Years

Senior Bull Calf

Calved after March 1, 1938

Horse (female)

Foaled between March 1, 1938

Foaled before March 1, 1938

and March 1, 1939

Graham Thornton, Farwell, 1st.

Horse (male)

J. Frank Foster, Okla. Lane, 2nd.

Lakeview, 1st.

Foaled after March 1, 1938

Rams, One Year and Under

Rams Over One Year

Ewes One Year and Under

G. T. Watkins, Okla. Lane, 1st

Templar Bros., Midway, 1st; Eu-

G. T. Watkins, Okla. Lane, 1st.

G. T. Watkins, Okla. Lane, 1st;

1st; F. T. Schlenker, Rhea, 2nd.

Shorthorn Division-

gene Leach, Rhea, 2nd.

Templar Bros., Midway, 2nd.

Poland-China-Eawin Foster

Hub. 3rd.

Individual class winners:

Individual class winners:

me to cogitating along a line of However, in the rush and the early The fitth annual Parmer County berson, Farwell, 1st; Henry Wilker- siana, and the past few weeks with This question might be a very issue, we received several nice news Livestock Show, which was held here son, Bovina, 2nd; Glenn Williams, a niece at Lubbock, leaving there good one for many of us to raise in contributions, which came in on last Friday and Saturday, was pro- Farwell, 3rd.

until near noon, when the wind be- Individual class winners: they know that their failure to make printing business, there was an un-agreeable for people to be about, na F. F. A., 2nd; Doyle Mandergood must result in irreparable in usually large number of typhogra- but notwithstanding this disagree- scheid, Lakeview 4-H, 3rd. phical errors, which, perhaps, would able condition, the people of the Poland-China - Durwood Kim-This is just what had happened time for proofing. There was also a the show by attending it in large nior Dotson, Lakeview 4-H, 2nd; Grand Canyon of the Colorado.

that had been made, but, in a sense, items got under the wrong head- While there seemed not to be quite Beene, Friona F. F. A., 1st; W. C. Harry is an ardent reader and a way of providing trouble for ourhe was practically as great a suffer- lines. This may have occurred any so many cattle on exhibition as was Reed, Friona 4-H, 2nd; Keith Black- deep thinker, and is endowed with selves. er from it. He, himsell had not been time, but we feel sure we would have here last year, the quality was as burn, Friona F. F. A., 3rd. misled but was in a way powerl ss caught most of them had there been good, if not better, than any previto prevent the awful results to the more time. But for all these we do cus year, and the number of entries Grand champion, Edwin Foster; reads, and is, therefore, an interest- about. It consists of the regular and direct victim who was dearer than most humbly beg your PARDON. In the hog department excelled that reserve champion, Robert Leach, Jr.: of any previous year, and all the ex- third, James Watkins.

There was one added new feature Poland-China-Edwin Foster, Okin the fact that an auctioneer was la. Lane, 1st. the application of a little judgment Revival meetings will be held in present, and the calves exhibited by Spotted Poland-China - Robert and common sense, if not experience, sixteen rural school houses in Castro the 4-H boys were sold at auction Leach, Jr., Rhea, s1t; James Watshould convince the one making the and Swisher counties the week of on the grounds at the close of the kins, Priona, 2nd claim, that their claim is impossible. Aug. 20-27, according to arrange- show Saturday afternoon, and it is I have no "crow to pick" with any Campbell of the First Baptist es were obtained for each of the ani- A. V. Warren, Friona 4-H. 2nd; Jack by those visiting the fair. man's religion Beither have I any Church of Dimmitt. Mr. Campbell is masl sold, although here were but Waltman, Midway 4-H, 3rd and 4th; The City Drug Store received 286 When the Spanish fleet was des-

fall upon another, but this he has "South-Side Baptist Revival of 1939" grand champion fat barrow, topped no right to do, however much ne Revivals are to be held at the same the price in this division, drawing may suffer from the practice him- time in the churches. Similar cam- \$8.55 per cwt., while A. V. Warren, self. And I will digress just a little paigns are to be conducted in the who sold his reserve champion calf.

direction of Dr. Roland Q. Leavell, ment also had a new feature, in the the man who allowed the rattle- Sup't. of Evangelism of the Home person of an expert cheese maker, kins, Oklahoma Lane 4-H, 1st; Ver- ter and Mrs. J. M. Moody received right with me, providing the one so who gave a lecture on cheese mak- lin Talkington, Friona 4-H, 2nd. to suffer the dire consequence of Thirty-two young ministers from ing, that was greatly enjoyed by

1st: Glenn Williams, Farwell, 2nd. Elkins, Sunnyslope, McGuire, Red at which Wilson Cowen, of Amarillo Tribune, and President of the Pan- Quart Milk-Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, handle Press Association, was also Okla. Lane, 1st; Mrs. R. F. Jones, one of the speakers. Hub. 2nd; Miss Ruth Brown, 3rd.

Following is a list of the prize win- Cottage Cheese-Mrs. John Crim. ners, with the places they were Midway, 1st; Mrs. C. E. Foster, Ok-

Boys Division-

Fat Pig Class Grand champion, Clarence Vea- ton, Okla. Lane, 1st. zey; reserve champion, Henry Wil- Cream-Mrs. Helen Potts, Rhea.

3rd. Individual class winners: Chester White and O. I. C .- Clar- Winners in the men's division: the exception of a few years in Ari- ence Veazey, Lakeview, 1st; B. C. I have just experienced a great zona, until 1933, when he moved Harper, Lakeview, 2nd; Clifton Harla. Lane, 1st. per, Lakeview, 3rd.

Dr. J. N. Crawford, of Tulia, and Gough, Bovina, 2nd; Cecil Floyd,

Fat Litter Grand champion, Carl Hoffman; reserve champion, Cecil Floyd: 3rd.

Chester White and O. I. C .- Cecil Spotted Poland-China-Carl Hoff-

man, Rhea, 1st; Vernon Weiss, Fri-Sow and Suckling Litter Grand champion, Billie Turner;

"sissy" nor a "goody-goody" but jus. Show, four free subscriptions were Chester White and O. I. C.—Calvin Bradley, Friona, 1st.

Open Gilt (any age)

that Henry Wilkerson.

and A. L. Brantley. In all there were Poland-China-Frank Ford, Far- Rambouillet -- Ocho Whitefield. 15 persons registered with the Star. Spotted Poland-China J. W. Ro- Lakeview, Ist.

VISITED FRIENDS HERE

rado, arrived here Monday afternoon and remained until Wednesday afternoon, visiting in the John White ANY UNFINISHED BUSINESS? home and with other friends here.

here, and a boyhood friend and is this: "Is there any unfinished bution of the winter in Southern Loui- in many other similar matiers.

Cavern, in New Mexico. Grand champion, Robert Gore; re- He drives his own car, which he question with ourselves that we have they can do certain things, which, if humbly beg pardon of those who Friday was almost an ideal day for serve champion, Buryl Beene; third, has provided with food and sleeping a good deal of unfinished business quarters, and is, therefore, at home that should long ago have become wherever he chooses to stop. In his finished business. Many lives are Also, as is the case in most any gan blowing and carrying consider- Duroc-Jersey-Robert Gore, Frio- travels he has visited most of the cluttered with things that should especially why will they do this when line of work, and especially in the able dirt, which made it very dis- na F. F. A. 1st; Edward Hall, Frio States of the Union, and most of the have been done before today but agara Falls, Yellowstone Park, Yose. postponed to another day. Most of

> not occurred had there been more county showed their appreciation of brough, Lazbuddy F. F. A., 1st; Jii- Peak, Garden of the Gods, and the of its own duties to keep our time Spotted Poland - China - Buryl of even a high school education, Mr. should be done today is a rather sure an unusual ability for storing know- There is another kind of unfinishledge from what he sees, hears and ed business that we need to think

ing and intelligent conversationalist, recurring duties that make up so His Irienas here were truly pleased much a part of our lives. Most of us to have him with them.

HAD GOOD REGISTRATIONS

the number of registrations that attention each day to this continuwere made last Friday and Saturday ing round of unfinished tasks will ments just made by Pastor J. N. reported that very satisfactory pric- Jack Waltman, Midway 4-H. 1st; with the business houses of the city, keep them from accumulating until

Charley Thompson.

trations and Miss Cleola Hurst was word "manana", the Spanish word Grand champion, Gilbert Watkins. awarded the prize.

Jersey-John McFarland, Friona registrants and G. L. Mingus receiv- part of Spain's unfinished business 4-H, 1st; James Baxter, Friona, 2nd. ed the prize. Milking Shorthorn-Gilbert Wat- Reeve Chevrolet had 175 to regis- of a lecture or a homily, that is all

the prize

Grand champion, James Ford; re- 464 registered, and J. R. Bates re- satisfaction of his daily life.

Crawford's Store had 265 to regis-

CARD OF THANKS

Hill, Salem, Union Hill and Valley District Administrator of the Farm Rambouillet - Clyde Merriot, to our many good friends and neigh- taken from the Lubbock Avalanche Security Administration, was the Lazbuddy, 1st; Graham Thornton, bors, our sincere thanks and appre- Trophies were awarded in four would the law have taken action on During the week several Central principal speaker, with other attrac- Farwell, 2nd; Jack Waltman, Mid- ciation for the many acts and words divisions of the contest, being Meat fer the penalty for murder? Or round-up meeting and baptizing all spersed throughout the program. W. Winners in the competitive division the long illness and death of our be- Dairy Products, and Cotton Judging loved husband and father.

Tommy, Joe Ed, Don and Rex.

A SUCCESSFUL FARM SALE

la. Lane, 2nd; Mrs. Will Jones. Process Cheese-Mrs. Arthur Bol- at his farm a half mile west of Frio- high man in the contest. In the Meat

2nd; Mrs. Tom Foster, Okla. Lanc, cality. he conducted the sale.

Hereford-Karl Bender, From far and near, and being all high towns or cities in the Panhandle and quality stuff that was being offered, South Plains country, this is indeed the bidding was lively and the buy- a most worthy record for our bo s ers were liberal in their bidding, to and a really high-grade compliment Hereford-Karl Bender, Friona, the extent that good and satisfacto- to their coach, Prof. J. T. Gee, and ry prices were received for all pro- a feat and a fact that Friona people Jersey-D. K. Roberts, Farwell, 1st. perty that was offered, and the en- have a just right to be proud of. tire sale was completed in just four The trophy won by our boys was

The highest bid made for any of Mill. the dairy cows and other livestock was that of \$65.50, made for one dairy cow by Dennis White, living west of Friona. The second highest bid made for a milk cow was \$63.00 On Tuesday of last week. February litter of five pigs, and W. H. Gam-dinner. mon, of Lazbuddy, paid \$7.80 each The ladies brought the "cake" and for a litter of seven pigs.

CANNING DEMONSTRATION BY some hens. They also brought a quile Tom Foster, Okla. Lane, 1st; Tom MRS. SYLVIA GRAY ASHE The Star planned to give a sub- Spotted Poland-China Billie Tur. Foster, Okla. Lane, 2nd; J. Frank Home Economist For Ball Brothers Glass Company

J. Frank Poster, Okla. Lane, 1st; wil be held March 15 and 16, at Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Reed, Mrs Merritt, 2:00 p. m., o'clock at the Blackwell Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Hennington and Hardware company.

Rambouillet - Otho Whitefield, Every woman is invited to attend this meeting. The canning of meat, tually can meat on demonstration poultry and the preparation of same and will then give recipes that will into delicious dishes will be the fea- relieve canned meat of its monotony. ture of the demonstration.

> Meat canning has been practiced in reliable who do not can meet rexas, but the serving of canned jelly, reliables and conserves especimeat in the home has always been ally adapted to this time of the a major problem. Mrs. Ashe will ac- year will be featured.

A Minute With Lewis Harry, of Canon City, Colo- CHARLEY DEE

Mr. Harry is an uncle of Everett One of the standard questions in and Merle Harry, who formerly lived the program of many organizations mate of John White and Lo- siness?" This is a very proper quesgan Sympson and Mrs. Grace Hart, tion when committees have been Mr. Harry has spent a large por- named to act and report later and

and coming to Friona via Carlsbad regard to our personal affairs. Most of us will find when we raise that tural wonders, including Ni- that are still on hand and still being e Valley, Carlsbad Cavern, Pike's us find that each day brings enough and efforts pretty well taken up. Wnile never having the advantage Passing over until tomorrow what

pick up the next day the round of duties dropped the night before. The less efficiently these routine tasks are handled each day the more our The Star has been able to secure cares and worries increase. Faithful they become burdensome.

J. W. Gammon, Lazbudy F. P. A. registrants and the prize went to troyed off the Cuban coast during the Spanish-American War, its des-Blackwell's Store had 279 regis- tructing was due largely to one for "tomorrow". Having their bat-Rockwell Bros. & Co. had over 100 tleships in fighting condition was a If the reader thinks this is too much thinking is not letting unfinished At F. L. Spring's store there were business reduce the efficency and

FRIONA BOYS WIN HONORS

The following is an abridged account of the agricultural contests held at Lubbock three weeks ago in which 350 boys from the Plains We take this method of expressing country competed for honors, as taof help and kindness given us during Identification; Dairy Cattle Judging, Contest. The trophy for the Meat Mrs. Thomas Crawford and sons, Identification was won by the Priona team and the cup was delivered to Coach J. T. Gee for the second time. This team is composed of Duan York, B. O. Wyly, and Francis Rec-The farm sale of livestock and ma- tor. There were 21 teams entered in chinery of F. W. Reeve, that was held this contest, and B. O. Wyly was na, Monday, is pronounced by ail Judging contest, Wyly was second who attended, as one of the most man. In the high individual in the ekrson; third place all classes, An- 1st; Mrs. Will Foster, Okla. Lane, successful sales ever held in this lo- entire contest, B. Wyly, of Friona, was high man, with a score of 213.1 The sale was cried by Col W. H. credits as compared to 207.55 as se-(Bill) Flippen, and he is receiving cond place. In the high teams, Friothe compliment of his friends here na team was also winner with a for the successful manner in which score of 563.19 credits against Floydada's 560.57.

The weather was ideal for such When considering the number of an occasion and the sale was attend- teams, 107, in the contest, and many ed by a large crowd of people from of them from some of the largest

hours from the time of beginning. awarded by the Lubbock Cotton Oil

SURPRISE EIRTHDAY PARTY

made by Ralph Tedford, living in 28th, the Lazbuddy W. M. S. went the Homeland community. The high- to the home of Rev. and Mrs. Naylor est price for a calf was \$26.00, paid (Rev. Naylor is pastor of the Lazby Pete Buske. "Chunky" Morris, of buddy Baptist church) the occasions near Farwell, paid \$5.30 each for a being a surprise birthday party and

all the fixings. Also several nice personal goods and shower of food and and quilted it in the afternoon.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee, Mrs. Roy White, Mrs. George Graham and son, Roy; Mrs. A Home Canning Demonstration Leonard Kimbrough and daughter: Mrs. Truman Loyd.

For those who do not can mest-

THE LIFE OF THE PARTY

BY ELIZABETH JORDAN

O D. Appleton-Century Co., Inc.

tell me.

CHAPTER VII -18-

Hale had no desire to linger in New York. The weather was still torrid and he thought longingly of the wash of the waves on the beach | me. beyond his windows at Halcyon | this?' Camp.

On Friday he gave his attention to a few odds and ends. That noon he at Cornell. lunched comfortably at the Engineers' Club; and he took an early afternoon train for Long Island. He was ready for Ainsworth now, but | friends. I don't go in much for the he had no intention of rushing the conference with him.

Hale's plan was to see Joan as mother. soon as he returned and persuade her to go out in the motor-boat or take a walk in the woods. His statement of the Craig affair had been formally prepared, with the aid of Mr. Phelps, and impressively typewritten in that gentleman's office. It would be wise to have the signatures added to it while the memory of Craig's activities was still green

at Halcyon Camp. But Joan was not to be seen when he reached there. Indeed, every member of the group was apparently taking a siesta except Mrs. Spencer Forbes. She was stretched out on the couch hammock on the front porch, which was now in the shade, and she held a magazine upside down. She welcomed Rex with flattering warmth. He sat down on the

hammock beside her. "I never closed my eyes last night," she announced.

Somewhat wearily young Mr. Hale went into action, and assured her that such eyes should never be

"I was thinking of you," she con-

"Of course you were. You have a sympathetic heart. You realized what our hours of separation meant

For once Mrs. Spencer Forbes refused an invitation to play verbal ping pong.

"All I realized," she explained crisply, "is that in some way you've got rid of Craig. I want to know how you did it. I can't breathe deeply until I do know."

"You know why I got rid of him, don't you?" "I can imagine it, without any

"You knew exactly what was going on, didn't you?"

'Yes, I suppose I did. It seemed so incredible that I couldn't be quite sure I was right."

'You knew," Hale said firmly. "You and Ainsworth must have caught on very early in the action. Yet you'd have let it go on, without lifting a hand to stop it, till young Kneeland cracked. Lady, the discovery has been a blow to me. Where's the big womanly heart I've been trying to win? Your motto is 'Live and let live,' isn't it?'

"No, it's even stronger than that, my friend." Her strange eyes met his with an odd expression. She added deliberately, "My motto is 'Die and let die.

He nodded. "All right. That's the way you feel. You admit that you know, and have known for weeks, perhaps for months, what Craig was trying to do to young Kneeland. You've

known, haven't you?' "I think so. A good prosecuting attorney was certainly lost in you, Rex. I rather like it," she added cheerfully. "I enjoy seeing you filled with such righteous wrath that your eyes take fire and your red hair stands on end. Now be a good boy and tell Aunty how you got rid of Craig."

"It was easy. I told him the game was up. I told him I'd start proceedings to have his license revoked if he didn't clear out. Naturally, he cleared. That reminds me I've got the complaint here, to be signed by us all as witnesses. It will never be used unless he makes more trouble. Are you altruistic enough to sign it?"

She shrugged. "I suppose so. I wouldn't care to appear in such a proceeding, but of course he'll see that it never comes up. That's one of the things a doctor can't risk. Now, what are

you frowning over?" "I'm frowning because I can't make myself believe even yet that you would really have sat through the summer and watched that devil drive that boy off his head

without raising a hand to help him." Mrs. Spencer Forbes looked pa-

"You're beginning to bore me, Rex," she assured him, "but I'll play with you a little longer. You mustn't be so sentimental. Herbert Kneeland isn't a boy. He's a man twenty-two years old. But he's a for weaklings. Let's change the subject. I suppose," she added brisk-

now. "I certainly am."

She fingered her magazine. "I know Ainsworth has Casper Kneeland by the short hairs," she murmured. "I don't know how he not the grip. I suppose it's a matter of blackmail?

"Not exactly. By the way, I met | a friend of yours in New York the over."

Her lips curled "You would. They swarm around Which of the multitude was

"George Stuyvesant. Like Ainsworth, he was a classmate of mine

Her cold face warmed a trifle. "George is a nice boy," she testified, "and Honore is one of my best

softer emotions, but I get quite mel-

low when I think of George and his "I asked him what there was about you that I didn't understand," Hale grinned. "He told me to ask He said you would certainly

Her face hardened again. "I'm not sure I'll do anything of the sort," she said curtly. "I don't see why I shouldn't have a few feminine reserves, even if you have

"Yes, I'll sign, since the show is

She wrote her negligent scrawl under Kneeland's name, made a blot, swore mildly, and handed back the pen and the statement. Then she looked up at the young man with a malicious light in her eyes.

"I shouldn't have said that I was bored this afternoon," she suddenly admitted. "I was interested. I am still. I'm very much interested." Rex folded the complaint and put

it in his pocket. "Something warns me this is not a compliment," he admitted. "What

interests you?" Mrs. Spencer Forbes shook her head. Her eyes had in them the flickering lights of a pale star sap-

"Your myopia," she said sweetly. "My myopia?" Rex was mysti-

"Yes. You think you're seeing

an arm and came face to face with Joan. She had been out for a walk. She looked warm and tired but her face brightened when she saw him.

"What you need," he said prompt-

"Toss you from here to the beach

ly, "is a cool swim before tea. Get your bathing suit and come along. "What a masterful young man it she murmured admiringly. "What would you do to me if I didn't obey?"

with one easy, graceful swing." "That wouldn't be so bad. I've walked all I want to, and the woods were hot. However, go on, Signor Mussolini. I will join you on the

"I'll wait here till you come, and carry your bathing suit. Something warns me you would sag under the weight of it.

His eyes were anxious as they followed her. She looked "all in." The discovery had an extraordinary very clearly. You think you're see- effect on him. It puzzled and deing a whole lot. As a matter of pressed him, to a surprising de-

AFFAIRS CARTER FIELD

President's appointment of Amlie to I. C. C. regarded as poorest he has ever made . . . Seems certain of defeat . . . Roosevelt long bitter against independent commissions . . . Talk of barter with Germany brings up difficulties . . . Rumor that Morgenthau will resign bobs up again.

NATIONAL

WASHINGTON. - Harry L. Hopkins tells a story about a herring fisherman who had a great deal of trouble keeping his fish alive in his tanks, and finally hit on the device of putting a catfish in each tank. The catfish, Hopkins says, kept things so stirred up that the herring did not succumb to ennui or whatever was the trouble before.

The story is apropos now because it is being used as an explanation of why President Roosevelt appointed Thomas R. Amlie to the interstate commerce commission, an appointment generally regarded as one of the poorest, from the standpoint of practical politics, entirely aside from any merit or demerit it may have, that Mr. Roosevelt has ever

It is pointed out by those telling the story that the President has long been bitter about the independent commissions. He does not approve of these bodies which are not "integrated" with the administrationor, in short, those which the administration cannot control.

There is nothing new about Mr. Roosevelt's feeling in this particular. He did not like the federal trade commission, and "threw a catfish" into that body after removingillegally, as the Supreme court later held-William E. Humphrey. The catfish thrown into the Supreme court was Justice Hugo L. Black. Frank R. McNinch has been the catfish for two bodies, the federal power commission and the communications commission.

Marriner S. Eccles has been a particularly effective catfish. He not only has kept the federal reserve board stirred up but has tangled with various other government units.

Public Defeat for the President Almost Certain

It is understood on Capitol Hill to have been Aubrey W. Williams, late lieutenant of Harry Hopkins in WPA, and now head of the youth administration, who originated the Amlie idea, which has proved as much of a catfish for the United States senate as the Supreme court enlargeyouth, beauty, money, and the fig- parently almost as great a certainty of accomplishing a public defeat for the President.

Roosevelt began his practice of tossing a catfish in every tank he could before he began his aggressive fight to "co-ordinate" these independent agencies. In the government reorganization bill as he originally planned it, it was proposed that most of them be "co-ordinated" by the simple process of putting them under the White House.

The President made no secret of his ideas in this connection. What on Capitol Hill and in certain other quarters was regarded as a move which would so tremendously increase the powers of the Chief Executive as to be a step toward dictatorship, Roosevelt himself saw as a move toward reform and efficiency. He talked about his ideas in press conferences long before his bill was sent to the Capitol. In fact. he talked so persuasively, and so many sympathetic articles were written about the efficiency of his ideas, that later he had to begin soft pedalling on this angle.

Difficulties Face Barter Agreement With Germany

Talk of barter with Germany, primarily to move such agricultural products as cotton and lard into the 'vacuum' which exists in Germany, brings up the essential objections that the men working under Secretary of State Cordell Hull on the reciprocal trade agreements have to face. They are the same objections which resulted in George N. Peek being thrown out of the administration in the early days of the trade agreements, though with variations.

For example, the first objection to barter with Germany is that the particular trades proposed were not barter at all. They involved payment for American raw materials in a special type of German marks, which could be spent only inside Germany. Acceptance of them of course made impossible any threeway type of trade.

The latest proposal does not contemplate the use of these special marks, but the acceptance of German products, mostly steel, wire, etc., in exchange for the cotton and lard which complicate America's agricultural problem. Of course the steel and wire industry does not like this idea at all. For every pound of German steel and wire imported as a result of this proposed barter agreement, obviously, there will be just one less pound of steel or wire fabricated inside the United States.

It is the same sort of thing which makes any barter agreement so difficult, which makes any reciprocal trade agreement run into so many domestic objections, and which made the Chinese-wall type of tariff so easy in the old days.

Everybody is for exports. Nobody is for imports-that is nobody except Mr. Ultimate Consumer, who is never organized and therefore does not have much influence with congress or the government.

There Must Be Imports if There Are to Be Exports

In fact, the chief difference between the old tariff system and the new reciprocal trade policy is that, for the first time in American history, there is actually somebody directing the policy with respect to imports who realizes that there must be imports if there are also to be exports. Somebody, in brief, who is charged with the responsibility of encouraging imports in order to provide for exports, instead of merely throttling imports, as the old-time tariff bills did, with merely wishful thinking as to exports.

The chief objection to straighten out barter agreements by Hull's lieutenants is that in effect this takes international trade out of private hands and makes it a government matter. Also it takes the movement of goods out of the established channels of trade.

The government agent anxious to swap cotton for something, in order to get rid of a cotton surplus, is not going to worry too much about whether the kind of barbed wire he accepts in its place is the sort that the farmers of this country really want. If he happens to get the right kind, he not only displaces workers in American wire plants but he is compelled to get the wire to the farmers in some new way, which plays havoc with the merchants who formerly supplied the farmers.

But the chief objection the trade experts have to barter is more fundamental. Every time there is a barter agreement, anywhere in the world, it tends to restrict free trade all over the world.

Rumor Morgenthau Will Resign Bobs Up Again

The little boy who cried "Wolf, wolf," when there was no wolf has nothing on the rumor that Henry Morgenthau Jr. will resign as secretary of the treasury. The first rumor of Morgenthau's resignation came within a few months after he had succeeded William H. Woodin at the head of the treasury department. It has been bobbing up ever since, on the average of not less than once every two months.

So when the real time comes probably no one will believe the warning. But there are actual reasons this time for believing that Morgenthau is on the verge of resignation, and for two perfectly understandable reasons.

Well-informed sources say that the President and Morgenthau have finally reached just about the breaking point on the chief issue on which they have so consistently differed. It can be summed up in the words 'balanced budget." But it includes much more than just spending more than the government's income year after year. It takes in also the continual movement of the President toward the left, whereas Morgenthau has clung to the original conservative views he entertained when he came to Washington.

When Morgenthau became secretary of the treasury he was perfectly willing to follow instructions because he realized that he did not know very much about Treasury problems. By dint of hard work and long hours, however, he has learned a great deal about public finances. The more he has learned the more outspoken he has become in his advocacy of his original conservative viewpoint.

This does not mean that Mr. Morgenthau has at any time been disloyal to the President. On the contrary there is scarcely a man in the administration who has been so steadfastly devoted to every whim and wish of the President.

But inside the cabinet he has fought for his own ideas, on the budget, on spending, or harassing business, etc.

Secretary Worried Over Plan for More Spending

Right now the same old battle is being waged again with the group which advocates more spending and which worries not at all about the mounting size of the federal debt, headed by Marriner S. Eccles of the federal reserve board. Morgenthau is said by friends to be more disturbed than ever before on this particular issue.

First, the secretary is much surer that he is right now than he ever was before. Second, he has always yielded before because the argument was made that the need for letting spending run above receipts was only temporary-that with the passage of time the spending could be reduced, as private employment increased, and that actually the budget could be balanced.

Now Morgenthau believes that such an objective will never be attained so long as the present advice the President is being given from the other camp is heeded-that the men who want more spending and more pump priming now will also want it next year, almost regardless of any conceivable set of events in the meantime, and that they will want it the following year, and the year after that. @ Bell Syndicate.-WNU Service.

THE WITH THE BUILDING



"I know Ainsworth has Casper Kneeland by the short hairs."

them to me tonight and I'll prob- | erick Ainsworth you have been | it at once. Why should a girl with | ment proposal did, though with apabble all you want to know. Hale met her eyes squarely.

"I don't need to," he told her in low voice. "I know, now." She could not be said to change color. Her color never changed. But her expression became harder and very watchful. She spoke, however, as lightly as before.

"My life is an open book. Who directed your attention to Chapter

"A most unpleasant person who answers to the name of Jim Haines. I kicked him out of the woods back of here the other day."

She frowned. "Now, you really are becoming annoying," she said sharply. don't allow any interference whatever with my private affairs. Please remember that. If you've kicked Jim Haines out of this neighborhood kindly kick him back again,

and be quick about it." Hale kept his eyes on hers. "You don't really want him," he said gently. "Confess that you don't. You're too level-headed. Why should you play with hell-fire? And why the devil should you drag poor

Miss Hosanna into it?' Mrs. Spencer Forbes sat up very straight and faced him with a complete change of expression.

"Now, see here, my lad," she said incisively, "this isn't amusing any more. Surely you're not fool enough to believe that Hosanna Kneeland

"No, I'm not and I don't. I want her to stay as she is. Tell me something. Is there any really normal human being at Halcyon Camp, aside from Miss Hosanna and Joan and me?"

Mrs. Spencer Forbes sent him an odd little smile. 'Normal human beings are hor-

ribly dull," she observed. "I haven't much use for them myself." Hale got up abruptly.

"I think I'll have a swim before tea," he announced. "Where is everybody, anyhow? Mrs. Spencer Forbes laughed.

"They're all having their beauty sleep except Bert. He has gone out in his boat with the Nash Cub. The others won't be down for an hour. You'll have plenty of time weakling, and I haven't much use for a swim. I'd go with you; but I'm all freshly enameled in preparation for your return, and I'd crack. "you're going after Ainsworth don't mind adding," she ended depressedly, "that you've been a sad disappointment to me this after-

> "Bury the memory of it under a good deed." Hale took out his legal I name. He signed last night."

olind as a bat to something more important than either of them. It has been going on right under your eyes. I've been watching it for two months. It is developing quite fast. But you, my little Star of Bethlehem, you who have been lighting up all our dark corners, haven't the least suspicion of it. You're as blind as the proverbial bat."

Hale took a quick turn around the foom and then walked back to her. "Be a good sport," he urged. "Tell me what you're driving at."

"Not for the wealth of Ormus and of Ind," she quoted. 'That would be a flat contradiction of all my theories. I'm the innocent bystander in this matter. I'm going to keep on being that. Pleasant reflections in the water, O Star of Bethlehem!"

Hale hurried off to his room to get his bathing suit. He was deeply disturbed. He had developed no faith at all in Mrs. Spencer Forbes during their association. But he had a strong impression that for once, at least, she was really saying something.

His mind was full of this surprising theory when he descended the front steps with his bathing suit over

ure of a young Amazon go about looking like the last survivor of a Greek tragedy? She came down almost at once.

"That must weigh all of two ounces," she jibed as he took the bathing suit from her. She added without giving him time to reply. Bert told me what you had done for him." "Did you realize what was going

She stopped short to stare at him. "What a question," she brought out indignantly. "Do you think I'd have let it continue another minute if I had? I saw that Bert was losing ground all the time, and that Doctor Craig wasn't helping him. I thought it was wholly a case of nerves. I didn't dare to interfere. Doctor Craig has been his closest friend. I'm sure I'd have caught on to it long ago, except that we all seemed to be under the harrow. Whichever way I looked there was somethingsomething-well, depressing is the mildest word for it. I thought it was my own condition. I thought I was imagining things. But thank God that horror is out of the way."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Draft Colts' Comeback on Farms in Maryland Now Reality, Shows Reveal

country as well as town, but for all the evidences of the mechanical age, the fact remains that draft colts are kicking today on Maryland's hillsides, writes Ruth S. Hopkins in the Baltimore Sun. For the heavy horse is returning to the farm. At the latest state and county fairs, in farmboys' colt clubs, at sales, officials have noticed greatly quickened interest in the animal which had almost been outmoded by

a gas-driven motor and a war. The pinch of a national farm problem has made more effective the influence of the University of Mary land and the Maryland Horse Breeders' association, which preach the economic wisdom of using drafters to balance farm income with farm output, and our bluegrass counties' natural advantages for raising

horses. Bluegrass country begins in northern New Jersey, swings down in a long, gentle curve through Mary- of the country. Since the Japanese land, the Virginias and Kentucky. The horses' own terrain, its lush Hungarian, the bees would find . papers and his fountain pen. "Sign pastures and mineral streams be second gathering season when the come rich blood and hard, strong blossoms of the native trees had bones: its rolling hills develop the fallen

The roar of the motor is heard in | heart, lungs and muscles of a young horse. These regions, noted for thoroughbreds, are as well suited for drafters.

Obviously, there is a difference between the horse which over night makes you a millionaire and the one which overnight delivers the milk. But one is no poor relation of the other. Both may be blooded animals-one "thoroughbred," the other "purebred" - both boasting pedigrees that reach back through generations of aristocrats.

Shady Roads in Hungary

The highroads of Hungary are likely to be much enlivened if the agricultural chamber goes ahead with its proposal for planting Japanese acacias. There is a utilitari an design in this project, also for Hungary is famous for its honey, especially the pale scented acacis honey, which is the only tree that prospers in the flat and sandy parts acacia flowers rather later than the

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WHO'S **NEWS** THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK .- Is the "czar" on his way out? Before and since the elevation of Judge Landis and Will Hays we have hired benevolent

autocrats, Impartial Ump times of stress Pushing 'Czar' and confusion, but now the New Into Discard? York city hotel

industry hires, instead, an "impartial chairman," with labor concurring, as he will represent both employers and labor. Is this a precedent, or is the title just a euphe-mism for "czar"?

ward P. Mulrooney gets the umpir- them there's a lovely shaggy chrysing job, at \$25,000 a year. He also is now entitled to his \$6,000 yearly pension, as a former police commissioner, withheld while he held public office. In 1933, he became chairman of the state alcoholic beverage control board, and later state commissioner of correction, from which office he will resign to accept the hotel post.

He started pounding a beat in West street forty-eight years ago, when Theodore Roosevelt was police commissioner. He first hit the headlines by rescuing women and children in a small boat when the Slocum burned. As a "waterfront flatfoot," he was known as a "cop's cop," always having his mind on his work.

He became police commissioner in 1930. He gave his men orders to shoot to kill, and set shotgun squads patrolling the city. He roughed up the racketeers a lot, and, when he was switched to the Albany liquor control job in 1933, the word was out that certain antisocial, anti-cop elements had desired the transfer and helped bring it

At 68, his reddish hair is turning brindle. His ferrety eyes reveal a penetrating alertness of mind. He looks a great deal like General Pershing. It would seem unlikely that anybody in the hotel business here will be giving the umpire any back-

NEWS reports from Havana are that, when Colonel Fulgencio Batista, Cuba's strong man, visited Mexico, he was regarded by some

tracks." There was particular displeasure over his fraternizing with President Cardenas of Mexico. and business representation at his welcome-home ceremonies was conspicuously lacking. He told the crowd of cheering workers that "if capital does not wish to respect the desires and rights of the people, the resulting confusion will work against its own aspirations."

This is one of several recent signs that the one-time cane-rustler, barber, buck private and stenographer who now runs Cuba is veering left, after a wide swing to the right. Soon after his seizure of power, with the downfall of Machado in August, 1933, he reassured the 'law and order" elements, and left-wingers have been pasting him as the "Hitler of Cuba." He made peace with foreign and native industrialists, and, from all accounts, they are jolted considerably by his getting clubby with Cardenas, the 'Expropriator." He is circulating much more than he used to, and there is talk that he aspires to be the "Napoleon of the Caribbean."

His hole-card is the army, which commands efficiently as chief of staff. A big, reticent, swarthy man, 37 years old, he says little and keeps a sharp, wary eye on his soldiers.

WITH a bullet in his shoulder and one heel shot away, Dr. Oswaldo Aranha, foreign minister of Brazil, is an effective emissary of peace in the Aranha Thinks western hemi-It Time to Stow sphere, and the

Shooting Irons white hope of our State department, as he visits this country. He was the leader of five revolutions in eight years, including the one which established Dr. Getulio Vargas, the present president of

His present mission is mainly financial. It is possible that a central bank of Brazil will grow out of it, with the United States supplying \$50,000,000 capital. He is 43 years old, the son of a wealthy hidalgo in Rio Grande do Sul. His life activities have been the army, law and politics. When President Vargas set up his one-man state last year, Doctor Aranha's co-operation was taken in this country as reassurance against European fascism in that country. Consolidated News Features WNU Service.

Plain Fabrics Prove Best in Special Room

By BETTY WELLS

T'S all very la-de-da to have a room done entirely in plain colors, and there's something to be said for such a plan to be sure. A room in monotones without any pattern has a lot of style, and it usually has a pleasant serenity.

But somehow, it gets a little tiresome after a while, so perhaps the good rule is to save such ideas for special rooms kept for company For everyday well-used rooms, it's just as well to include a pleasant patterned fabric—somehow they are more restful to live with, and design-interest most definitely by now has established its place in the decorative sun.

I've been looking at new fabrics for spring refurnishing and as usual those bright yards have set me all a-flutter with ideas for pretty rooms.

On my desk, I have a tempting pile of samples of the new patterns Granite-faced, tight-lipped Ed- that appealed most to me. Among



Figured fabrics for spring curtains.

anthemum design-the color combination I liked best has dusty lavender pink flowers on white ground with dull green for leaves, but there are many other colors in the same pattern. Another sample has a deep blue ground with big bouquets of old-fashioned flowers and white shells-this is called "Queen Anne Shell." A linen that seems friendly and usable to me has an oak leaf design-it's available in many autumnal colors, but my pet has an almost white ground with the design in three shades of blue grading to quite a dark blue. A cheery chintz is an intricate new stripe based on Persian motifs. Another unpretentious, but versatile pattern is called "Turkey Berries," with sprays of green leaves and red berries. Quaint and pretty is a fern and flower garland tied with a ribbon bow. A scenic that will go places is "Robin Hood," and for boys big and little there are some salty sailor design chintzes. And many many more than I've space to talk about

Cuban Business tive supporters for signs of spring—remembering Frowns on Left as having gone for signs of spring—remembering that most all this spring crop of fabrics, even the inexpensive ones, will be washable color fast, prewill be washable, color fast, pre-shrunk and all of that.

By Betty Wells .- WNU Service.

Talking Dislocates Jaw

PASADENA, CALIF.—Pasadena's Community playhouse had a demonstration of its success seldom accorded to even the most famous theaters of the world. Miss Elda home was. He was lost! Yes, sir, McEwen, member of the box office

GIRL HOUSE PAGE



Pretty Gene Cox, 13-year-old daughter of Representative Cox of Georgia, proves she is just as adept at wielding a gavel as her father. when she appeared as a page in the house recently. Gene is the first girl to get a job as a congressional

i wish-i wish i'd minded. And hadn't run away. If I were only safe at home Right there I'd always stay.

ITTLE Mite, the smallest and

meant every word of it. He had

foolishly anxious because he had in-

sisted that it was not safe for any

of his children to show them-

selves outside of the pile of old corn-

stalks in the middle of which was

Mite, Smallest Meadow Mouse,

Meets Farmer Brown's Big Cow

By THORNTON BURGESS

Cleveland Boy Operates Odd 'Department' Store

Youthful Business Man Stocks Everything From White Rats and Razor Blades to Bath Salts.

CLEVELAND. - Busy Benny Kaufman, 16-year-old business man, goes to school, operates a store, repairs bicycles, sells old magazines, cares for ailing pets, supports himself and gives excess profits to his father.

In his store the young man, who has accepted no money from his parents since he was 10, sells white rats, razor blades, white mice. toothbrushes, statuary, perfume pigeons, work gloves, wallets and lints for cigar lighters.

"I also have," said Benny, ringing up a sale, "bath salts, furniture polish, lovebirds, dog harness, hair tonic, goldfish-the best, and only 10 cents-bicycles, talcum powder, electric light bulbs, and bird

Benny said that if that doesn't include what the customer wants, he attested to by all the riders in the neighborhood.

Expert Cycle Repairer.

bike," said one customer, who had dropped in to have a flat tire repaired, "and when he gets it fixed it's better than a new one.'

since September 30, 1937.

rats," Benny said, beaming. Seven months after the opening of the pet shop, he added the bicycle business and operated it in

Three months later the used-magadded.

'4 to 70, not including my little 3-year-old brother Howard. comes in all the time wanting mice

Bicycle Business Grows.

Benny goes to school until 12:45. He gets to his store at 1 p. m. and remains until 9 in the evening. When he isn't there, his father takes

in business for himself.

He prefaced his present experience by working in a butcher shop, and after that operated a weight guessing concession at the Great

'I guessed 'em, too," Benny said. "I think my butcher-shop experi-



Mite hadn't believed that the Great World was big enough to hold such a huge creature.

their home. He had said, and really thought, that he was smart enough t he had run away to see the Great World.

"Of course, I can run back home any time," he had said to himself, but when at last the time came when he wanted to run back home he found that he couldn't. In fact, he hadn't the least idea where his he was lost, hopelessly lost. Now, staff, answered the questions of so after running until he couldn't run many ticket buyers and telephone another step and finding that the callers that she dislocated her jaw. path he had been following just end-

ed in the middle of a lot of tall grass instead of under the pile of old cornstalks, as he had hoped little Mite realized that he was insmartest of the four babies of deed out in the Great World and that he might never, never see his Danny and Nanny Meadow Mouse. dear home again. Big tears rolled down his nose. Somehow now he thought that Danny was silly and didn't feel a bit smart-just very. very small and helpless. How he did wish he was at home! But wishing wouldn't get him

there. The first thing for him to do was to find a safe hiding place. He wiped away his tears and started back along the little path that had led him nowhere. He took the first branch he came to and followed that. It seemed as if there would be no end to the green walls of grass stems and overhead the green roof made by the meeting of the grass blades. Of course, he couldn't see where he was going or what was going on in the Great World. But neither could any of those who might be looking for a tender young Meadow Mouse see him. He didn't think of that, however, and presently he decided that somehow he would have a look around. A tall mullein stalk close by the path gave him the chance. It pushed its top 'way above the grassy roof. Mite scrambled up. When he pushed his head through the grass roof the bright light of jolly, round, bright Mr. Sun made him blink.

Hardly did he used to the bright light and really begin to see something of the Great World when he discovered a tremendous great creature close beside him. Mite hadn't believed that the Great World was big enough to hold such a huge creature, and he nearly lost his balance and fell from sheer fright. Perhaps it would have been better for him if he had, for just then a terrible thing struck him and knocked him ever so far. He fell on his back in the tall grass with all the breath knocked out of nim and feeling very faint and dizzy. He knew that whatever had hit him had had something to do with that terrible creature he had seen, but that was all he knew.

"Oh, dear," he sobbed, "I wish I was home! I wish I was home! am so frightened and lonesome. And all the time Bossy the Cow, who had found the bars down and ad wandered into the tall grass of the Green Meadows, drove away the bothersome flies by switching her tail back and forth, and didn't know at all that she had knocked all the wind out of a poor, wee, little, lost Meadow Mouse.

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Finds 4 Per Cent of Americans Illiterate

BERKELEY, CALIF.-Illitera cy in America is far greater today than in any of the more important European countries, according to Dr. Fletcher Harper Swift, of the University of Cali-

Illiteracy in America, he said, is in excess of 4 per cent as against .34 in England and practically nothing in the Scandinavian countries.

He said that in Sweden, Norway and Denmark only those who are insane or mentally incompetent are illiterate.

His ability to repair bicycles is

"Why, he can take the worst

The pet shop has been flourishing

"I started with \$5 and two white

the basement of his home.

azine business was incorporated and a little later the specialties were

The customers range in age from to play with.

The bicycle business also was

started with \$5 capital. "Now." Benny said, "it's worth

charge

Young Kaufman was not always

"For years," he said, "I worked for others before I found out how much better it is to work for your-

Lakes exposition.

ence helped me there."

HE LEARNS HOW



Sir Kingsley Wood, British air minister, operates an automatic armoured fire position in a Tolworth, England, aircraft plant. The units are being installed on fighting

Storekeeping Safest Job;

Mining Is Most Perilous LONDON .- The safest of all jobs is that of the storekeeper's assist-

ant and the most dangerous is that of the tin or copper miner who works below ground. These and many other facts are

revealed in an analysis of occupational mortality in England and Wales which has just been issued by the registrar-general. For mortality in general the best

record was given to storekeeper's assistants, agricultural machine workers, wireless operators on shore, makers of non-metalliferous mine and quarry products, draftsmen and costing clerks and bank and insurance officials.

The worst rates were shown by underground miners of metals, sand-blasters, stevedores, slate miners and quarry workers.

Clergymen were near the top of the list with the best record; judges and lawyers had eighty-third place, authors and editors, ninetieth; doctors 123rd; while hotel keepers were very low on the list-190th.

More drug store owners commit suicide than any other class, with judges, lawyers, bookmakers, hairdressers, waiters, dentists, estate agents coming next in that order.

Further examination of the pis-

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Juicy Lemons .- Lemons soaked 10 minutes in warm water will yield more juice than unsoaked

Oil in Time .- If your home is equipped with casement windows, oil the hinges occasionally. This will prevent their rusting.

Rickrack Trim .- Old-fashioned rickrack will add an attractive finish to the neck, sleeves, and pockets of the bungalow apron.

Keep Down Dust .- If the carpet sweeper must be emptied indoors, empty it into a dampened newspaper to prevent dust from scattering.

White Linens.-Linens that have become yellowed will lose that ugly tint if boiled in water in which a tablespoon of borax has been dissolved.

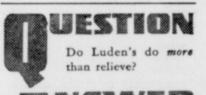
How Women in Their 40's **Can Attract Men**

Here's good advice for a woman during her change (usually from 38 to 52), who fears she'il lose her appeal to men, who worries about hot flashes, loss of pep, dizzy spells, upset nerves and moody spells.

Get more fresh air, 8 hrs. sleep and if you need a good general system tonic take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made especially for women. It helps Nature build up physical resistance, thus helps give more vivacity to enjoy life and assist calming fittery nerves and disturbing symptoms that often accompany change of life. WELL WORTH TRYING!

Dangerous Play

Men are apt to play with their healths and their lives as they do with their clothes .- Temple



Yes, their added alkaline factor helps build up your alkaline reserve.

LUDEN'S 5°

MENTHOL COUGH DROPS A Serious Mind Out of suffering comes the seri-

OR SPREAD ON ROOSTS

Helpless Laws What can laws do without morals?-Franklin.

FEEL GOOD

Without Risk!

Nature's Remedy

AND MUNACOND

QUICK RELIEF INDIGESTION

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Watch Your Kidneys! Help Them Cleanse the Blood

of Harmful Body Waste

Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fall to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder may be burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

ANCIENT ARMY PISTOL REV one which resulted in the attack by

of Gen. George Custer to one of of many in his father's collection. found here in the butt of an old ten in pencil, which read:

army pistol.

The discovery was made by

Could it be possible this little attendant is that sorry for the bride

groom? Regardless of the cause, he burst into tears during the recent

wedding ceremony of Miss Heromoine Llewellyn and the Earl of Ran-

furly at St. George's in London. His shy bridesmaid tries consoling him.

'Weddings, Bah!', Says Young Attendant

CHICA, CALIF, -A written order | rusty old cap and ball pistol-one his officers in January, 1876, and From the corner of the metal which is believed to have a direct frame fell a folded bit of paper. result on the historic "Custer's Last | yellowed with age. A magnifying Stand" four months later has been glass brought out the message, writ-

"January 28, 1876. "General Crook: Hold regiment Charles Billick, 15 years old, who, two days before attack Sioux enthrough idle curiosity removed the campment.—General Custer."
walnut strips from the sides of a The order is believed to be the

General Crook on February 7, 1876 on a Sioux encampment along the Missouri river. It was this attack, historians believe, that and troops of the Seventh cavalry

tol has revealed the fact that it belonged to a Capt. C. A. Newton, whose name is written in pencil on spurred the Sioux tribesmen to the the under side of one of the walnut foray of June 25, 1876, which re- slabs. An effort is now being made sulted in the massacre of Custer through the war department at Washington to ascertain to what The writing on the note has been unit Newton was attached. Comestablished as that of Custer, by pleted findings will add an imporcomparison with other existing | tant chapter to U. S. history.

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JODOK

to the publisher.

what I have just written is no sign and exercised by ALL. thereof, but there is a lot of sentiment in it, and I am not ashamed of being termed sentimental. The Church school at 10 o'clock, J. M. fact is. I do not believe anyone can W. Alexander, superintendent. get the whole enjoyment out of life. Church services at 11 o'clock. who is not sentimental to a percep- Carl Dollar, minister; Mrs. F. W. tible degree. The world would be Reeve, pianist; Milford Alexander, much better off if a whole lot more chorister. of us were more sentimental than we Young People's meeting held each are. And I just wondering if a lot of Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. you other old-like myself-derelicts. Monthly business meeting, Monday have not had some similar exper- night after each third Sunday. ience to the one I have just narrated and have experienced pretty much the same sensations that I have just depicted. But, enough sermonizing, or eulogizing, whichever you may be pleased to call it.

That was another mighty good livestock show we had here last Friday and Saturday, and I repeat it-My hat is off to the men who made it possible-and they are deserving of praise for their efforts. I mentioned this fact to Jason Gordon, Monday afternoon, and he said they were not due the praise, for if it had not been for the boys of the 4-H clubs and the men of the county to supply the exhibition stock there would, have been no show. Then I told him that, no matter how much good stock there may be in Parmer County, if he and those other men who helped him had not had interest, skill and energy back of it, there would have been no show, and that it was a privilege rather than a duty of the boys and breeders to have the opportunity to exhibit their stock.

I admit it is one of those rules that will work both ways which makes it a good rule, for it is a 10:00 a. m. ways". but I still insist that I am third Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and roads, so we went on foot. right in my first expression on this 7:30 p. m

understand also that the promo already making plans for a larger and better show next year, and they understand it, the lots have already services. been secured, and the building plans are such that it is believed the building can readily be financed

It occurs to me that this means business on the part of those interested in perpetuating the show from year to year indefinitely, and I am 10:00 a. m. still of the opinion that it is one of the best institutions that has ever been made for the pleasure, progress and economic welfare of the ach Sunday. people of the county.

Resolve To keep my health!

To do my work!

To Live!

To see to it that I grow and gain and give! behind me for an

hour

in power

the light Always and always facing toward the right.

Robbed, starved, defeated, fallen,

wide astray-On with what strength I have!

Back to the way!

REPORT FOR LAST

WEEK The Woman's Missionary Union met in its various Circles, on Tues-

day, February 28th, at 2:00 p. m. Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. E. L. Price with twelve members present. Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. Elroy Wilson with right members present. The Bible lesson was the first twelve chapters of Job.

On Thastey, Merch 7th, Circle No. 2 will meet with Mrs. Z. M. Hol-The reporter did not learn where Circle No. 1 will meet.

The Bible lesson will begin with the 13th chapter of Job and continue through the 22nd chapter. The ladies that are not attending this Bible study are missing something worthwhile.

Reporter

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

"The Friendly Church" Weekly Calendar of Activities Sunday

10 A. M., Church School 11 A. M., Church Services. 7:15 P. M., Group meetings for all

Church Services Monday Women's Missionary So-

Wednesday Fellowship meeting.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL

CHRISTIAN CHARACTER is and of Church membership.

Each Sunday

BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCE-MENTS

Sunday Services: Bible School 10:00 a. m. Preaching Services 11:00 a. m. B. T. U., 6:45, Evening. Preaching Services 7:45, Evening Prayer Meeting. Wednesday Evening, 7:30. W. M. S., Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.

Joe Wilson, Pastor. Nettee of Services mmerfield Baptist Church Sunday school each Sunday at

10:00 a. m. Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p.

Thurman Atchley, B T. U. direc-

Rev. H. B. Naylor, Pastor, Evangelist

Lazbuddy Baptist Church

are planning to sure enough have a o'clock and preaching services at 1: one in this region, but about four o'building of its own large enough to o'clock each Sunday morning. As yet clock in the afternoon, we very unaccomodate all the exhibits. As I we have not arranged for any night expectedly came suddenly upon this

E. E. Houlette, Pastor.

SIXTH CHRIST

p. m., each Sunday.

Mid-week Prayer meeting, Wednesday nights, at 8:00 o'clock. L. C. Chapin, Minister.

ATTENDED S. S.-B. T. U. CON-VENTION

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. Harold Schlenker, Florence Baker, the ground I heard the briars as they To wait in weakness, and to walk Edna Hall and Olvis White attended scratched across his boot legs, and District Nine Sunday School B. T. U. hear the gravel crunching under the But always fronting onward toward Convention at Lubbock. March 7 horse's feet, so I awakened my fath-

and 8 All report a very profitable meet-

Miss Edith Galloway returned to Clovis Monday, after spending the -Charlotte Perkins Stetson weekend here with her father. Ben

by John Chronister V ning, when I heard him get on his horse and ride away.

tween two rival factions, over the water and father and I went further fact that two of the braves were seek up the canyon where we found aning to become the chief of the tribe, other water hole. And I went still and the defeated candidate declared further up the canyon and came upforce, which caused the war.

and his lonowers.

drive some distance off the highway running up there also. days we remained there. We learned we returned home. that the Jones men had routed the Jackson followers, and were going to kill him, but his friends nailed him handling stock for one of the resi- their work. ded by at least a thousand people, by the reporter, Bill Allen.

we next landed in the Creek Nation China bred gilt, 2nd place. territory, where I began farming. We found this territory unsettled and uncleared for farming, and it was our purpose to depend upon fishing

and hunting. There was a great scope of wilderness country on the Deep Fork Riv- place Preaching each second and fourth er, which was literally alive with Doyle Cummings, fat oalf, 6th game of many sorts and fish in the place. greatest amundance. There wasn't DeWayne Cleveland, open gilt, 4th T. Legg, Sunday school direc- any otter and beaver here, which place made that kind of a life quite lucrative. But having engaged in farming in the spring, we waited until all crops were laid by before taking ac-

tive interest in either funting or fishing and one day we, my father, two brothers and I, set out on foot for this game territory, which was Sunday school each Sunday at about 20 miles from our home across the mountains and canyons, and "poor rule that will not work both Preaching services each first and about 30 miles by wagon around the There was one Indian in that ter-

G. C. Tiner, Sunday school sup ritory, by the name of Johnson Tiger, who was a desperado and had a very bad reputation. He was a large ters and managers of this show are PENTECOSTAL CHURCH NOTES man and always went armed with a six-shooter and a Winchester rifle. Sunday school will be held at 10:00 We were not expecting to meet anybad Indian sitting on his horse in the bushes and we were right upon him before we knew he was about.

We stopped and he wanted to see STREET CHURCH OF my father's gun, but father said "No. You have plenty of guns, so use them if you want to. 'He grunted. Church School, each Sunday at We went on and camped for the night near the home of a white man. Preaching Services, 11 a. m. and by the name of Osborn, and borrowed a tea kettle from him to make our Young People's Meeting, 7:15 p. m | coffee in, we were about three hundred yards from his cabin

It was very hot and the mosqutoes were very bad, so, soon after eating our supper, we went to bed, but I could not sleep on account of being annoyed by the mosquitoes. I am sure it was after twelve o'clock, when I heard a horse's feet coming along the narrow trail, and coming in our direction. Sleeping with my ear on er and brothers and told them that "Old Johnson" was coming to see us. I then got up and rekindlde the camp fire, and we agreed that if he ever came in sight that we would do him up, for we knew that he was aiming to scalp us.

He did not come close to our camp. but remained back in the bushes until about three o'clock in the mor-

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We remained there until day light I was born in the State of Ar- and fixed our breakfast and started kansas, in the year 1871, and moved into the wilderness for a little hunt. meeting Tuesday night, February 28. with my parents and brothers and but we found it so hot that we could They are studying "Chapter Conductuary 26, a daughter, Carolyn Marie. sisters to Oklahoma, then the Indian scarcely stand it, and we decided to ting", that will be entered in the Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Taylor, March FRIONA METHODIST CHURCH Territory, in 1892, in a covered wa- return home. There was little water "County Chapter Conducting" con- 1, a daughter, Shirley Ann. gon drawn by two yoke of oxen, and except in the river and it was so test first entered the Choctaw Reserva- warm we could scarcely drink it, so They entered five or six calves. Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Owens and we started up a canyon and soon five pigs and five sheep in the Par-son, Terrence, and Mr. Dixon's When we entered the Choctaw came to a hole of water. There was mer County Livestock Show, at Frio-daughter, all of Texico, New Mexico, country, we learned that this tribe plenty of signs of turkeys and deer, na, last Friday and Saturday. was then engaged in a civil war be- so we left my two brothers at the

that he would take the position by on a big pile of rocks in the canyon, with a crevice in it as much as four The successful candidate was inches wide. There was a part of named Jones, and the defeated can-snake's body protruding from the didate was named Jackson, and crevice, filling the crevice completely Jackson raised a band of his follow- full. I whistled for my daddy and he ers and began the attack upon Jones came there also and shot the snake The firing of the gun alarmed my When night came on we were told brothers, and they, thinking we had SUFFICIENT TEST of fellowship by a white resident that if we would run onto Johnson Tiger again, came

The right of PRIVATE JUDG- and keep our two dogs securely tied We knowing his reputation, did MENT and the LIBERTY OF CON- they would not likely disturb us, and place no confidence in him whatever. SCIENCE is a RIGHT and a PRI- this we did and were not disturbed, for we knew he was a mighty bad VILEGE that should be accorded to although we saw possibly 500 braves man, so we abandoned our expedipass along the road, during the three tion, and it being well up in the day

LAKEVIEW 4-H CLUB

up in a large goods box and shipped The boys of the Lakeview 4-H club him to Fort Smith, Arkansas, and are doing some excellent work along this stopped the trouble. We remain- the line of 4-H club work, and are ed in the Choctaw country five years. getting results as an evidence of the During this time I had a job of labor and study they are putting in

dents there, and being with this tribe These boys had a number of en-I learned their language, and was tries in the Parmer County Livestock married while living there. I had Show held here last Friday and Sanever seen an Indian before coming turday, and these entries tell the there, but attended many of their story for themselves, and the boys ceremonies and sports, the most ex- are evidently quite proud of their citing of which was a ball game, accomplishments, as will be gatherwhich lasted all day, and was atten- ed from the report they have made

and all were betting on their favo- Pollowing are some of their enrite team, betting money, horses, tries and the places taken: saddles and anything they might Clarence Veazey, Grand champion

Leaving that part of the country Junior Dodson, Spotted Poland-

C. H. James, fat pig, 2nd place. Bill Buchanan, fat calf, 14th place. John Hand, fat calf, 17th place. Ray Ford, open gilt, 2nd place. J. C. Mears, fat pig, 2nd place. Doyle Manderscheid, bred gilt, 2nd

B. C. Harper, fat pig, 2nd place. Clifton Harper, fat pig, 3rd place.

LAZBUDDY F. F. A. CLUB

The Lazbuddy F. F. A. boys held a

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stowers, Feb

came over and spent the day Sunday John L. Seaton, Chapter Reporter. with N. C. Dixon, at the A. O. Drake

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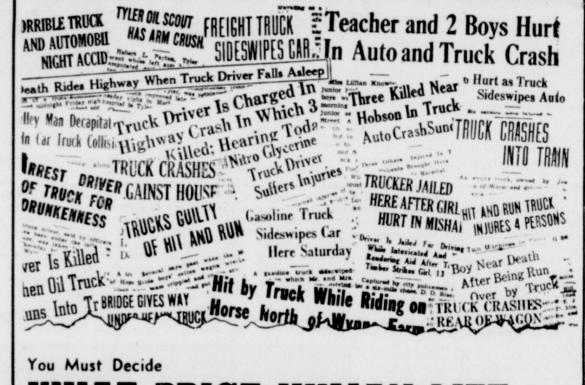
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WHAT PRICE HUMAN LIFE . . .

PRUCKING interests demand legislative authority to increase the existing truck load limit on Texas highways, arrogantly ignoring the fact that highway hazards to life and limb grow greater

On the highways of Texas in 1937, the last year for which authentic figures are available, 670 persons men, women and children . . . lost their lives in accidenta in which trucks were involved . . . and 3,360 others were injured . . . many of them permanently disabled.

In the past six years 1932 to 1937, inclusive the number of persons killed annually in truck accidents increased from 241 to 670 and those injured from 887 to 3,360. These indisputable figures . . . taken from actual accounts of truck accidents published in Texas newspapers . . . show that in the six-year period 2,936 persons lost their lives and 15,183 were injured in truck crashes on the highways of our state. The number killed is greater than the population of Odessa, Gatesville, Lampasas, La Grange, Raymondville or a score of other thriving Texas cities while the number killed and injured exceeds the population of Sherman, Marshall, Corsicana or Paris, all ranking business centers of the state.

Analysis of official records of accidents in which trucks were involved reveals a further vital fact that the heaviest and largest trucks, as a class, operating over Texas highways in 1937, showed a death rate of four and one-half times that of all trucks, large and small, and almost seven times that for all motor vehicles, including trucks

The combination of weight and size of motor vehicles is thus definitely proved to the controlling factor in fatal highway accidents the heavier the vehicle the harder it hits the more surely it kills or cripples.

The statutes now in effect have governed truck operations on Texas highways since 1931 and the ever-growing toll of truck accidents, injuries and deaths, reflects only the increasing ingenuity of the operators of overloaded trucks in evading or openly defying the laws created to control them in the interest of public safety. Large trucks use your highways only by your permission expressed through your legislature.

Texas citizens and taxpayers have have to be at the land of Texas highways. They are definitely entitled to the safe use of them and a timber it is the those who seek to operate upon them for selfish gain



West Texas Compasses

FAVORS AMERICAN PATRIOTISM

The following letters is self explanatory.

February 22, 1939

Dear Mr. Editor: quarters in connection with THE tration.

the contents of this letter. I wish to state briefly the aims of this program:

Communism).

re-employed.

PRINT ALL ALIENS in order that sities but some luxuries." we may ascertain the number of a number of Texas to be handled thru the Bureau of 175 miles of Clearing and Grubaliens in the United States and Administration loops rate the feet of th where located.

The word "Vindicators" merely cal care, 2.7 per cent. designates those who are participating in this nation-wide patriotic ass, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mex-Department to be responsible for

nor are there any dues.

me so that I may have the benefit of health of the entire family could be their cooperation and encourage-improved.

ideals, the doctrines and the insti- should be produced on the farm.

With the interest of all Americans and beef program. in mind we have adopted the slogan. "Farm Security Administration FIRST.

Respectfully yours,

FARM SECURITY NEWS

Emphasis on wise spending of the farm dollar is being made this year Julian Montgomery. State Highway vided a portion of the actual con-

ties, and even clothing.

staying clear of foreign political en- keeping record books and know how for certain destitute areas in the tributed \$5,711,182.11, while BANISH ALL FOREIGN abundant life is obtained from the mum use of labor. FOR THE NEXT TEN YEARS, or one's income is indicated in the Roads, Emergency Relief Adminis- ment has obtained needed improveuntil such time as all of our idle are amount of goods it purchases. Thrif- tration and the Texas Highway De- ment on State highways at a great-

5. DEPORT ALL CRIMINALS AND lowing break-up to the family dollar: and for equipment rentals.

movement to bring about the enact- ico and Texas, it is impossible to engineering cost and such special ment of legislation to carry out the raise fruits, thereby enlarging the labor as might be required. After well, home supervisor in the Farm different times of the carry out the expenditure of the carry out the carry out the carry out the expenditure of the carry out the car objectives stated above. Any Ameri- expenditures for canned fruits and the program was well under way, it Security Administration office, was can citizen, regardless of race, poli- citrus fruits, the food budget of the was found that the 30-70 percentage a Friona visitor, Wednesday. tical affiliation, or religious creed, farm family should be materially distribution could not be maintained Dewey Fogerson, of Clovis, was a persons who are interested in the

dicators. There is no initiation fee. "If the food budget could be cut even 10 per cent, a materially en-I am of the opinion that those larged sum could be released for eduwho have so biterly condemned this cational activities," she pointed out. movement have done so without ha- "It would mean more magazines and ving learned the facts. If there are books for the farm home. Or the any opponents to the above prog-money saved could be used for home TYPEWRITERS AND ADDING ram I would appreciate their advis- beautification, or for some of the ing me of their objections, and I small personal luxuries dear to the would likewise appreciate those in farm women. More money could be sympathy with the program writing spent for medical care and the HEREFORD TYPEWRITER EX-

"The food budget in any farm Basement of Oberthier Building vorable outcome for both mother dance. Those endorsing this movement home should not exceed 38 per cent, are striving to glorify Americanism even in regions where it is hard to and patriotism. We are endeavoring produce any gardens. The thrifty to arouse the American people to farm family will work out some DWIGHT'S GARAGE Cox, State Health Officer. the realization of the dangers of these means of successful production, wheforeign "isms". Communism, Nazism ther it be frame gardens or sub-irriand Fascism, that now infest our gation. Certainly all vegetables necountry and threaten to undermine cessary for an adequate diet should the foundation of our Republic. The be raised at home. Sugar, flour, coftime has arrived when we must re- fee, salt nad spices will have to be, kindle the flame of true American purchased; but usually these are the democracy-when we must rally and only necessary items which cannot unite to preserve and strengthen the be produced. All meat products

tutions that have made our nation "Such a program takes year-round the world's greatest citadel of free-planning. The garden should be dom and liberty. I do not conceive planned with reference to the corhow any real American would object rect diet needs. Meat supplies should to these principles and objectives. be balanced with a poultry, swine

"OUR CITIZENS, OUR COUNTRY, families do this planning when anticipating expenditures in their home budget plans. They keep ac-Robert R. Reynolds, U. S. S. count of how their money is spent in their Farm Family Record books."

TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

In view of the fact that I have by the home management supervis- Engineer, today stated that the pro- struction cost. been grossly misrepresented in some ors of the Farm Security Adminis- gram of National Recovery Works. After the creation of the Works Relief projects started in 1933 had Progress Administration in 1935, this VINDICATORS movement which I Surveys show that too much of the been completed, and reviewed brief- body took over the participation of started, I respectfully request that, money used for living expenses on ly the operation and accomplish- the Emergency Relief Administrain all fairness to me, you publish the farm is being spent on food, ments of this program. At the start tion and furnished relief labor for leaving a small sum for such things of the program it was mutually use on the various projects. as medical care, educational activi- agreed by the Bureau of Public To date there has been expended "For the first time, large numbers istration and the Texas Highway gency Relief Administration and

tanglements and embroilments; and their income is being spent," says State. This work was in connection Highway Department spent \$4,439. stop meddling in the internal affairs Miss Wynona Swepston, county with highway construction and of 436.48, of which amount \$2,513,287.- General Outlines of home supervisor. "After all, a more such nature as to permit a maxi- 40 has been reimbursed by the Bu-"ISMS" (Nazism, Fascism, and methods by which the money is Funds for the program were pro- Altho these projects consumed spent rather than the amount of vided by the Public Works Adminis- more time than the average contrac-3. STOP ALL IMMIGRATION money that is made. The true size of tration thru the Bureau of Public ted project, the Highway Depart-

ty, wise homemakers can stretch a partment, and on October 10, 1933, ly reduced cost per mile due to utili-4. REGISTER AND FINGER- small income to cover not only neces- the Public Works Administration al- zation of relief labor. This improvelocated \$2,670,000.00 as a 30% grant ment is summarized as follows:

UNDESTRABLE ALIENS and expel those here illegally or those who ar-Food, 48.2 per cent: household According to the original agreelived legally and have remained illement, and laundry, 6 per cent; medi- vide 70% of the cost of the program 439 miles of Modernization such

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portance that women early in preg-Roads, the Emergency Relief Admin- \$10.210,618.59, of which the Emernancy should have a blood test, so 1. KEEP AMERICA OUT OF WAR "For the first time, large numbers istration and the Texas Highway gency Relief Administration and by enacting strict neutrality laws; of families in Parmer County are Department to provide work relief Works Progress Administration conthat if infection is found, treatmenmay be promptly instituted." reau of Public Roads.

Administration loans gave the fol-marily for the purchase of materials 669 miles of Grading and Small Structures.

780 miles of Base work. 50 miles of Asphaltic Base Preser-

Miss Wynona Swepston, of Far-

business visitor here Wednesday

The County Agricultural Office has recently received general in-

formation regarding the payment of 1939 crop parity. Since there have been numerous inguiries for informa tion regarding these payments, it is thought that the following outline of information now available will be of some benefit to those farmers who intend to comply with the 1939 Farm Program.

HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN-"Never in history have

and offspring is available to all

lier the discovery is made the better.

However, if the examination is conducted before the end of the fifth

month of pregnancy, thanks to the

defense machanism of the body that

resists the passage of the syphilis

germ to the unborn child, proper

treatment will insure the birth of a

ted the tragedy of 60,000 syphilitic

babies being born each year in the

United States could be lessened, not

to mention the miscarriages and

83 percent of untreated syphilitic

"It is therefore, of paramount im-

1939 Farm Program

"Were this policy generally adop-

these casualties.

rormal child.

women at childbirth.

Parity payments will be made in Parmer County on wheat and cotton. These payments are aside and sepaby furnishing all labor, certain ma- as Widening Embankments, extenpayment which is made with respect to compliance with the program. The different time to the conservation payment and will be made to those persons who are interested in the . . such payments with rescrop. pect to any such commodity shall be made upon the normal yield of the farm acreage allotment established for the commodity under the 1939 agricultural conservation program. and shall be made with respect to a farm only in the event that the acreage planted to the commodity for barvest on the farm in 1939 is not in excess of the farm screage allotment established for the commodity under said program."

The main points of the regulations governing making of parity payments are (1) Dates of sale or individual sale data of the 1933 or 1939 crop have no effect on the amount of payment made; (2) Payments will be made on the basis of the normal yield of the farm acreage allotment under the 1939 program: (3) no parity payment will be made on any farm on which the individual allotment has been overplanted. regardless of whether such overplanting was knowingly or unknowingly (4) Payments on either wheat or cotton cannot be made until a compliance check has shown that the farm is not overplanted with respect to that commodity; (5) Only those farms on which the acreage allotment is planted are eligible for parity payment.

Parity payment on wheat will range from 10c to 12c per bushel of the normal yield per acre. The average normal yield for the county is 9.3 bushels per cre. Therefore, the average parity payment per acre will be \$1.02. This payment is in addition to the regular conservation payment of 17c which would aver-

age \$1.58 per acre. Parity payment on cotton will range from 1.6c to 1.8c per pound of the normal yield per scre. The average normal yield per acre for the county is 163 pounds. Therefore the average parity payment on cotton would be \$2.77 per acre. This

ment is in addition to the regular ervedion payment to 2c per ound which would average \$3.26 per acre.

per county farmers are eligible receive \$171 000 00 as crop parities gione. I should be kept in mind that this in is addition to the reauconservation payments.

this time the county office har

applications for parity payments. It is anticipated that application for

wheat parity will be made in the spring. Application for cotton parity will probably be made in the early

Garlon A. Hraper, Sec'y. Parmer County AAA. MONTHLY LEGION MEETING

there been safeguards available to protect the health of the unborn The March meeting of the 18th child as there are today. With the District of the American Legion will family physician supervising the be held at Canadian, March 22nd, mother through the expectant per- 1939, at 8:00 p. m., City Hall. There iod, essential advice influencing a fa- will be lunch, business meeting and

those who will take advantage of this protection," states Dr. Geo. W. MRS. CHARLEY HOOVER PASSED AWAY

"Unfortunately, the value of this Information reached the Star ofservice is overlooked by many expectant mothers. Indeed, negligence in fice the latter part of last week, of this regard annually is responsible the death of Mrs. Charley Hoover, not only for thousands of avoidable whose home was 32 miles northwest maternal deaths, but for the birth of of Friona.

physically and mentally handicapped The death occurred Sunday night, children, for many miscarriages and February 26th, at a sanitarium at for the majority of stillbirths. Sy- Lubbock, as the result of an attack philis plays a significant part in of heart ailment. The remains were buried at Mt. Zion, New Mexico, a "It follows that every expectant few miles west of Portales, on Tuesmother should make sure that she is day forenoon, February 28th.

free of syphilis by requesting a blood Mrs. Hoover was born in Oklahotest when she goes to her physician ma, but has lived for many years on for a prenatal examination. The ear- the Panhandle plains of Texas.

> WESTINGHOUSE Sets the Pace FOR '39



A FEW "Firsts" FOR WESTINGHOUSE

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These are just a few features wby Westingbouse continues to set the pace for '39. Any employee will be glad to explain in full any of the above items.

Texas-New Mexico Utilities Company



After the War, Whither Spain? General Franco Won't Answer

Continued Fascist Rule, Probably with King Seen Likely

By JOSEPH W. LaBINE

The scene: Spain. A final bullet ricochets from the sunbaked, blood-drenched wall. Peace returns to a land which has lost more than 1,000,000 of its best men since July 18, 1936. The civil war becomes ugly history—and then what?

The man who can answer is Francisco Franco, a businesslike generalissimo known to his Loyalist enemies as "El Carnicero," the butcher, and to his Insurgent followers as "El Caudillo," the chief. General Franco is victor, thanks to superior military strategy, plus a whip hand over Spain's natural resources, plus help from Berlin and Rome.

Spain's war needs repetition here only because things said and done since 1930 must be answered for today. Will General Franco pour awful vengeance on the Loyalist enemies who banished him to a Canary islands outpost in 1936? Will France and England pay the price of their indecision these past two years by losing all prestige in Spain? Will dictatorships rise, or fall, when Spain's final die is cast?

Man of the Hour.

Too many answers rest with Franco, a shrewd military-political genius who became a cadet in Alcazar's 'West Point" at 14, won mild fame fighting the Moroccan Riffs at 23, and became the army's youngest brigadier general at 34. Since April, 1931, when King Alfonso fled the country after republican election victories, Franco has been closely enmeshed in Spain's officialdom as

a man to be reckoned with. Once chief of the foreign legion and head of the war college, his allegiance to the deposed Alfonso was so renowned that the jittery young republic quickly made him military governor of the Balearic is-

VICTORY'S COURSE



JULY 18, 1936-Insurgent revolts, long planned, broke out simultaneously at cities shown



JULY 18 1937-Almost all western Spain (except northwestern Asturias) was under Insurgent domination.



APRIL 18, 1938-Rebels drove to the sea, severing Catatonia from the rest of Loyalist



JANUARY 30, 1939 - Catalonia's conquest was complete, removing a battleground and compacting the war-



FRANCO AND FAMILY-A rare photo of Insurgent Spain's leader with his wife and daughter, taken at government headquarters in Burgos.

1934 Franco was rushed back to the showdown. mainland to crush leftist revolts against the newly established rightthe civil war. But to rightist Spain Franco became "the man of the hour," certainly the strongest single figure in the fight Catholics, capitalists, monarchists and phalanxists (fascists) were waging against a growing Communist element.

The second banishment, to a dreary Canary islands outpost, came immediately after a leftist victory in the January, 1936, election. But six months later a mysterious civiliangarbed figure climbed into a British plane at Las Palmas, capital of the Canaries. Next day, July 18, Moroccans remembered the 23-year-old youth who had suppressed the Riffs. Within a few hours Moors were rallied under the insurgent flag and the war was on.

Franco's Course Steady.

The next two and one-half years made Spain a common battleground on which all Europe's grudges were paraded. Communist fought Fascist. while democracies stood on the sidelines hoping vainly that each would slaughter the other. In far away lands the issue of Christianity versus paganism was held a vital is-

Through all this General Franco has pursued a steady course, aided by Fascists, ignored by democracies for obvious reasons of political expediency. But when Barcelona fell in late January and the war seemed headed for an ultimate Insurgent victory, Franco began emerging in his true proportions—the man of the hour. His will shall probably be

done in Spain. He is obviously indebted to Italy and Germany. Rome admits 3,000 Fascist troops have been killed in Spain, and from Balearic island bases a giant Italian air armada has operated against the Loyalists. Germany has been equally helpful but neither nation has acted from

goodness of heart.

Iberian Peninsula Important. First, the Franco campaign has offered a chance to fight Communism, but this has been more an excuse than an end in itself. More significant are huge imports of Spansh iron by Italy and Germany, both suffering acutely from lack of metal resources. Still greater is the Iberian peninsula's importance in It aly's campaign to control the Mediterranean and force territorial concessions from France

Italy-German services have been outright gifts to General Franco, therefore he can honestly claim to owe them no monetary debt. But how about the moral debt? Can he turn on Fascism now that the war

He barely might, for one good reason. More than anything else Spain now needs money for reconstruction, obtainable only from Great Britain, the United States and, to a lesser degree, France. Great Britain is especially anxious to make these loans because Spain was once an excellent customer. Now British coal exports to Spain have dropped 37 per cent; motor cars, 95 per cent,

and machinery, 90 per cent. Greater Spain Predicted.

This is the very logical reasoning behind current British-French overtures to lure Franco from the dictators. It is emphasized still more by the growing belief that Spain will some day assume new importance among European nations, holding a whip hand over any potential Mediterranean conflict

But just as France and Britain look rather foolish in recognizing Franco after he has won his battle, so would Franco look foolish if he tossed his Fascist friends into the ashcan. For every nation concerned Most such plants are being built it would be an unnatural alliance near coal deposits or potential based on immediate expediency, and | power sites.

lands-his first "banishment." In would merely delay the eventual

Hints have already been dropped concerning Franco's governmental ist regime. It was then that As- plans. Last year an order was isturias and Catalonia dubbed him sued restoring citizenship and prop-"the butcher," a resentment which erties to King Alfonso, the alleged probably accounts for the stubborn inside story of that restoration beresistance those provinces offered in | ing this: A monarchist delegation met Alfonso in Switzerland last summer, suggesting that his privileges and possessions might be restored if Alfonso would abdicate in favor of his third son, Prince Juan. Alfonso reportedly replied he might.

Healthiest Bourbon.

Don Juan, not a great lover like the cabellero of ancient Seville, is a healthy young man of 25 who was brought up under English influence. He even served as a lieutenant in the British navy. Unlike his two elder brothers, the count of Covadonga (who died in Florida last year) and Prince Jaime, he shows no trace of the tragic maladies which have afflicted the rest of the family. He was married in 1935 to Marie, Princess of Bourbon-Siciles. They have one daughter.

Don Juan's appointment would be an important pacifier, since he would return to Spain as an outsider capable of arbitrating the differences between Insurgents and Loyalists.

The selection might meet with Roman disfavor because of the strong influence England has played on the youth during his formative sue in the war. The world's eyes | years. But Il Duce rules "under" were focused on a conflict where a king in Italy and seems to get American fought Italian and Ger- along nicely. Certainly there is no man fought Russian, where reli- reason to think Franco would regious, political and economic issues | tire without tasting the fruits of his seemed at times to far outshadow dearly gained victory. He would the mere fact of civil war in Spain. probably become premier under such an arrangement.

Anyway Prince Juan, who has spent the past few years under close surveillance of Rome, probably bears stronger Fascist leanings than most people imagine.
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Russia Discards 'Biggest' Complex In Newest Plan

Russia's "big" complex is disappearing.

The ambitious Soviet, which once decided to house its massive new industries in such centers as Moscow, Leningrad, Kiev and Gorky, has now decided to build a lot of little industries which in the aggregate will be even bigger than the original "big" idea.

This is the essence of the third five-year plan, being changed in midstream by Dictator Joseph Stalin and

Premier Vyacheslaff

M. Molotoff. Com-

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"Gigantism" will

Moscow March 10.



to sources of raw materials - and the Soviet evidently has plenty of such resources still untapped. By costly experience Russia has found her big industries to be unwieldy, attracting more population than was healthy to a few centralized points while the rest of the country went unaided.

One of the most important coming developments is creation of a "second Baku" oil base in middle Asia, where American machinery will be used to open untouched petroleum reserves. Since Baku is located at a strategic point where an invader could easily nip off the Soviet's important petroleum supply, the new development has important military significance. The "second Baku" is

far removed from enemy planes. Other small industrial developments are planned in the Ural moun tains, while a large metallurgical base is being built in central Asia where the Soviet claims it has all facilities for building machinery.

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Celia Seems Dumb

By GLORIA SINCLAIR © Associated Newspapers. WNU Service.

CELIA DRAYTON'S coming to Dashville was heralded by considerable excitement in what fondly believed itself the "younger set."

Dashville was fast emerging from villagehood and was eminently cityconscious. Celia came from New York. All the girls were prepared for ultra-sophistication.

A few came over to her aunt's farm to see her the very first evening. They found a pretty, healthy girl with a markedly simple straightforward manner.

"Dumb, she seems to me," said Violet Ray, who was in normal school, was too thin and had no "steady" boy friend.

"I've come down here to play tennis, get some swimming in a really truly lake and run wild in the sunshine," laughed Celia to her aunt "I simply won't be inveigled into bridge parties or indoor waste of time. Yes, dearest aunt, you may give one dance for me, only I really want to live in the lake, excepting when I'm on the tennis courts.'

"Evidently she can't play bridge. I guess she's not much of a dancer. either. And, gosh, that dress had no style at all. You might buy it anywhere. I thought from what Mrs. Webber said her niece was something marvelous.

boys, hoping their tennis would pass milk diet of infants. And home-

them to see you dance-that's why every individual. I'm giving a dance for you. They're all run silly with trying to be what duced, if necessary, to four eggs they believe New York is. They are just babies with new toys. Your toward spring, eggs become more uncle can't stay in the room when Milly Batt tries to smoke. He says she looks just like 'Guendolyn the family to obtain a full quota of Tame Chimpanzee' who smoked at this splendid food . . . so rich in the last circus. I know you'll for- the elements that help to build give them if they try to snub you. muscle, bone and blood. If they knew who you were they'd crawl at your feet."

"But all I want is for them to be kind and friendly," said Celia, stretching her well-molded arms. "I'm simply spoiling for a swim."

"Did I tell you that Wyatt Fischer is coming tomorrow?" asked Mrs. Webber. "Well, he is. You know he is just through the Beaux Arts in Paris. He has been offered a position in his father's office in Phila-delphia and we think he will go far." "I knew him—a little—in New York," and Celia blushed slightly.

"Well, he won't tell these good young people a word until we say he may—about anything," she said,

"There isn't anything to tell," said Celia, "excepting that I am on the

The farmhouse made a lovely setting for Mrs. Webber's dance. It was filled with fine old furniture and easy to digest. And it is the yolk boasted wide rooms which had been which is highly prized for its recently floored with polished oak. Celia looked lovely in a simple pink dress that none but her aunt knew bore a Paris label.

The rooms were filled; some good jazz musicians gave their best. And in the middle of the evening young Wyatt walked in and smiled at

Celia. "So you're really back," was all she said.

meaningly, as they glided out on valuable for this purpose. Phos-

the floor. "Gosh, she can dance all right," said Violet, powdering her uncome- bones. It also plays an important ly nose.

who was short-winded and clumsy. "Line nothing! She's got 'it'." declared Polly Dawson, a freshman at the state university, good looking

and a first-class athlete. After a delicious supper Mrs. Webber, who loved young people and knew how to make an evening happy, rose and, nodding to Celia, said:

"We have tonight been celebrating my little niece's engagement to Wyatt Fisher, whom you all know." Consternation registered on almost ease. The appetite-promoting viall the girls' faces. "You will also like to hear that dear little Celia is 'Isolde' the dancer, whose picture I know you've seen in the rotogravure sections of your Sunday pa-She will be married from my home Tuesday next. Now, Celia, have you anything to say, dear?"

"Only that I do hope you will like me, for I am going to live here in the summertime. You see, Wyatt knows you all and I don't." The sweet, gentle voice went on: feel rather lost among you, for I am

the only stranger." Polly Dawson jumped up and ran to Celia and hugged her. "We'll be friends, for your service is fine and you can dance and you can swim.' Every one laughed, for all loved impulsive Polly. "And we won't give a darn for the eats," she whispered naughtily in Celia's ear.

A Tribute to Books

Clarence Day's tribute to books is as follows: "The world of books is the most remarkable creation of man. Nothing else that he builds ever lasts. Monuments fall, nations perish, civilizations grow old and die out, and, after an era of darkness, new races build others. But in the world of books are volumes that have seen this happen again and again and yet live on, still young. still as fresh as the day they were written, still telling men's hearts of the hearts of men centuries dead."

WHAT to EAT and WHY HOW TO SEW

C. Houston Goudiss Recommends Generous Use of Eggs: Shows How This Protective Food Helps to Balance the Diet

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

NY experienced homemaker knows the many cookery I uses of eggs. Indeed, she is likely to feel that she could not keep house without this indispensable ingredient, which a French chef once described as "the cement that holds the castles of cookery together." It is true that we should have to do without some of our most delectable dishes if eggs were not available to use as thickening, leavening, coating, binder,

clarifier, stabilizer or garnish. But even more significant than their contribution to good cooking are their splendid nutritional values.

A Notable Protective Food Eggs rank next to milk in that group of mineral-and vitamin-

rich foods that we call "protective." They contain substances that are very efficient for growth and development. And in the opinion of nutritionists, they are more nearly interchangeable with milk than any other food.

Eggs are among "Darn good looker," said the the first foods to be added to the makers who desire to give their Mrs. Webber laughed. "Never families well-balanced meals mind, Celia," she said, "I want should provide an egg daily for

This requirement can be reweekly. But luckily, as we head plentiful, and lower in price. And it is usually possible for every

A Fine Body Builder

Eggs contain proteins of high quality, and their proteins seem to be particularly well adapted to building body tissue. That is one reason why this food is so desirable in the child's diet . useful in constructing the diet for adults who need "building up." It also makes eggs a logical choice as a main dish for Lenten meals.

It's interesting to note that the proteins of the white and yolk of an egg are quite different in their properties. Egg white is almost pure protein and water, while the protein of the yolk is composed of a different assortment of amino acids, or building stones.

The volk also contains fat . in a finely emulsified form, so that like milk fat, it is comparatively mins. It is therefore considered the most important part of the egg for young children, and the white is often withheld and only

the grated yolk given. Rich in Iron and Phosphorus Eggs are notable as a source of iron and phosphorus. Iron is necessary for the formation of the hemoglobin or red pigment of the "And with a real job," he replied blood, and the iron in eggs is phorus is the mineral that pairs with calcium in building teeth and part in regulating the neutrality "I'll say she can. But she has of the blood. The phosphorus in no line," responded Mildred Batt, eggs occurs in a form that is particularly well adapted to the needs of the growing body.

Four Important Vitamins As our knowledge of vitamins has increased, nutritionists have urged that eggs be accorded a wider place in the diet, for they supply four of these vital factorsvitamins A, B, D and G. They are an important source of vitamin A, which promotes growth and helps build resistance to distamin B occurs in lesser amounts than A, but its presence helps to increase the quantity of this essential substance included in the

daily diet. Eggs are one of the few foods naturally containing vitamin D, sometimes called the sunshine vi-And it has been determined that they are rich in vitamin G, which is required for

health and vitality at all ages. Raw Eggs vs. Cooked Eggs are one of the foods that digest most satisfactorily, about 97 to 98 per cent of their protein being digested and absorbed. Moreover, the thoroughness of digestion does not seem to be affected by the method of cooking, and a hard-cooked egg, when well masticated, is as completely digested as one that is soft-cooked. Raw egg white on the other hand is not as completely utilized as when slightly cooked. This shows the fallacy of the old-fashioned idea that raw eggs were more desirable for invalids than cooked

Brown Eggs vs. White Some people have an idea that the color of the shell has a bearing upon the nutritive value of an egg. In certain parts of the country, homemakers will pay a premium for eggs with white shells. In other sections, brown eggs are in greater demand, and therefore sell at a higher price. There is no justification for attaching any importance to the color of the

Avoid "Same Old Thing" Occasionally homemakers tell me that some member of their family doesn't like eggs. It is true that some people have an allergy to eggs, that is, they cannot eat them without having some abnormal reaction. But more often. any antipathy to eggs is due to the fact that they have been served in the same way, day in and day out. There is no excuse for that, for eggs are so versatile that they may be served in dozens

of different ways, and in some dishes, their identity can be entirely concealed.

"Sunny side up" may be the most popular method of preparing eggs. But don't get into a menu rut, whether you are serving them for breakfast, dinner, lunch or supper. Cook them soft. Cook them hard. Transform them into omelets and souffles. Scramble them, plain, or dressed up with cheese, diced bacon, frizzled dried beef or sausages.

Eggs for Lenten Meal As a main dish for a Lenten meal, hard-cooked eggs may be creamed and served alone, or combined with cooked vegetables or fresh or canned fish. Use them as a binder in croquettes and loaf mixtures, as a coating for deepfried foods.

French toast is a simple luncheon dish, combining the energy values of bread with the fine nutritive values of eggs. Hearty luncheon salads or sandwiches can be made by combining chopped or sliced hard-cooked eggs with fresh or cooked vege-

tables. Since eggs admirably supple ment the food values of milk, puddings made from milk and eggs are an ideal dessert for children, and help to balance the diet of adults. Custard pies, fruit whips and cakes are also delightful dishes that bring to the diet the protective values of eggs.

Questions Answered

Mrs. B. S. R .- Pure molasses may be regarded as concentrated vegetable juice. It is rich in calcium and iron, and therefore makes a desirable contribution to the mineral content of the diet.

Mrs. L. M. G .- Raw cabbage has one important advantage over cooked cabbage. It is richer in vitamin C, as this vitamin is partially destroyed on heating.

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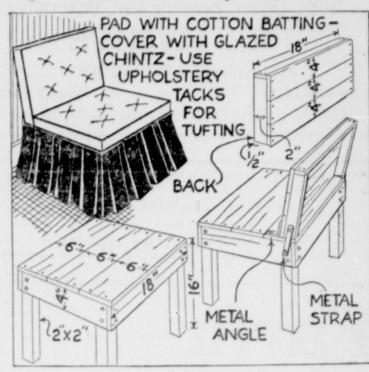
If the automobile accident you may have next week is going to do a lethal job, the chances are your car will strike a pedestrian. On the other hand, if only nonfatal injuries are inflicted, it's an odds-on-bet that you'll bump smack into another motor vehicle.

National Safety Council statistics for 1937 show that when a traffic accident produces a fatality, the collision is between a car and a pedestrian in 39 per cent of the cases. Collisions between two motor vehicles produce 26 per cent of the fatalities with other types of collisions contributing smaller numbers to the total.

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by Ruth Wyeth Spears &



Make a chair and cover it.

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Those who are not so clever about driving nails, may want to call on Dad or Young Son to help with making the simple chair I have sketched here. The metal angles and straps to strengthen the back may be bought at any hardware store along with the nails and screws. When the chair is covered in two tones of chintz with edges of back and seat piped in the darker color, it is really very smart. It is especially useful in a bedroom or hall. If covered in the right colors, it will also look well in the living room.

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TIPS to Jardeners

Know Your Herbs

HERBS are becoming more popular each year because they are easy to grow and help make everyday dishes more appetizing and flavorful. Here are important facts about the more important herbs which you can grow in your backyard garden:

Anise-Seeds used to flavor bread, cake, cookies, candy; green leaves good for flavoring

Borage-Leaves and flowers give unusual tang to fruit drinks and are good salad garnish; blossoms good cut flowers.

Caraway-Seeds used to flavor bread, cake, cookies, cheeses, baked apples. Chives-Young leaves eaten like

onions, or cut up to flavor soups and salads.

Dill-Seeds and leaves used for making dill pickles.

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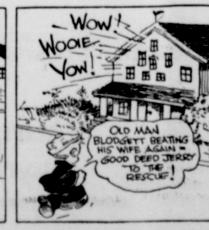
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AAA NEWS

B. P. Abbott, of Bovina, has been appointed Range Inspector in connection with the 1939 Range Conservation Program. Any ranch operator who desires to participate in the Range program should immediately make application with either the county office or Mr. Abbott.

It is very important that these applications be made now because of the fact that no application may receive consideration after the closing date. As has been previously stated ranch operators may under the program receive payment for construction of tanks and dams, digging wells, contouring range lands, and deferring grazing on a part of range land to allow natural grass reseed

Report of measured 1939 wheat acreage will be mailed to wheat farmers immediately after such tabulation is completed in county office. This report will show actual measured acreage, wheat acreage allotment and number of acres which must be

Conservation Payment and has not way. should inquire at the county office as to the status of your aplpi- over to Canyon, Sunday afternoon, cation in order that any possible and visited their daughter, Miss

receive 1939 allotments should report the legal description of land Mae Cole were married at Clovis, they will operate in 1939. This must New Mexico, Monday night. be done immediately in order to receive allotments and early parity payments. Most farm operators re- Warren were Clovis visitors, Friday ported this when they signed 1938 reported such acreage. The fact day

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intends to draw 1938 Agricultural will not obligate any person in any

Mr. and Mrs. Smiley Fulks were office immediately. If you have Amarillo and Dumas visitors, Mon-

> Mayor and Mrs. F. W. Reeve drove Ruth, who is attending college there

Miss Eva Settle and Mrs. C. P.

applications for payment. However, Bob Cantrell and Thomas Moore about 25% of the farmers have not of Farwell, were visitors here Tues-

plants of the same kind alike, but

crop well planted is half made.



HALF MADE turally. Climatic hazards affect all

The best time to cultivate the crop the yigorous ones recover quickest is before it is planted. All the things from cold, excess moisture, or other that go into the making of a good uncontrollable hazard. seed bed for the particular crop af- Every farmer knows what constifect the harvest months ahead, and tutes a good seed bed in his particuno amount of cultivation afterwards lar soil and how to make it good. He will overcome the lack of proper pre- also knows the different seed bed re paration before the seed goes into quirements of the crops he regularthe ground. Besides, putting the bare ly plants, and that some are more land in good tilth ahead of planting tolerant of unfavorable soil conditime is easier to do than to worry lions than others. This tolerance, with cloddy, trashy fields in the first however, is no excuse for placing the cultivation when the little seedlings burden on the plant. Everything that

can be done to make its start in life are sc easy to cover up. easy pays off in the long run, and out a full stand; you cannot get a controllable factors properly attendgood stand without a good seed-bed ed to reduce the danger from the and good seed; you cannot hold a uncontrollable factors-weather, etc. full stand in a rough field without Ask the most successful farmers tivation; and you can't give the tender seedlings that extra boost by early working with harrow or fine-tooth cultivator in rough land. Add it all up and it is better to delay planting a few days to prepare a good seed bed than to "nigger it in" and hope for "luck"

All the work that goes into building or repairing terraces, plowing, bedding on the contour, re-bedding and pulverizing where needed) is done more rapidly and can be done with a greater variety of implements than the work of planting and cultivating. The work of preparation also has wider limits in time, since (except for the final operation just prior to planting) it can be done as well one week as another. This is not true after the most favorable date of planting comes around on the calendar. From that time until the final cultivation, every operation must be timed to the needs of the crop if best results are to be had

The seedling stage is the most critical in the life of the plant, and the quicker the seedlings are able to establish good roots and shoot up to a vigorous stature the better the prospects of a crop and the easier to cultivate. If they have to struggle against poor soil conditions for germination and root formation they may never entirely overcome it, and if they do, they will be puny at the time they should be healthy. Whoever has painfully and slowly struggled to keep from covering up the little plants at the first cultivation knows how slow it goes, and wishes for the upstanding seedlings which spring from good seed in good soil

All seeds carry the food for starting the seedling on its way, but the food stored in the seed is soon exhausted. If soil conditions encourage rapid and vigorous root formation the plant is drawing food from the soil before the supply in the seed is exhausted, and grows off without delay. In a poor seed bed some plants die after germination for no other reason than that they were unable to establish roots soon enough; others struggle along with a partial root system and finally survive, but they fruitful, as those which grow off na1901

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