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## Lariat To Get New \$25,000 Elevator; Contract Let Soon

Our neighboring city of Lariat is going to get a bulwark program. It is understood. We learn from reliable sources that a contract will be let within the next thirty days for a \$25,000 grain elevator at that place. Modern machinery is to be used with electric power. This plant is being placed in one of the richest farming sections in the West. W. K. Adams, of Amarillo, and Mr. T. E. Arnold, of Muleshoe are the builders.

## Judge Clement's Address To The Grand Jury

The following is Judge Clement's address to the Grand Jury as reported to the Journal:

The District Court of Bailey County met in regular session on Monday, June 4th, with a large number of present. The first business of the day was the selection of the Grand Jury, which was done by the District Judge. E. E. Booth was appointed foreman, and I wish that it had been possible for every citizen of Bailey County to have listened to the address that our District Judge gave to the grand jury of men. Men who are selected as the law abiding citizens.

Hon. Charles Clements brought to the jury ideas of cleanliness, bravery, truthfulness and above all an instant call, a demanded call, to enforce the laws of our country. "It is quite often we have men who are willing to enforce some laws, and neglect others, but it is my desire that the jury that is now being selected see that all laws are obeyed." In his address he struck every chord of the question of prohibition. He condemned the bootlegger, and asked that the grand jury do every thing in their power to stop such work in our county. "We want to make Bailey County a place for our children," said the judge. "We have moved to the West, and under the hardships that we might have a home and grow up with the West. If that is true, which it is, then we want to make Bailey County a responsible place, a place where it is not dangerous for our boys and girls to go to and fro, and not molested by the awful results of a bootlegger."

The man who was charged the jury that it was the duty of all officials and good citizens to see that a decrease was had in the manufacture, sale and transportation of the damnable liquid that is today ruining our boys and girls, causing crimes that would otherwise not be committed, making criminals of the people that would never be, were it not for its effects. "There are men who will drink once in awhile, but I am not attempting to say that these men should be classed with the man who is running loose over this land and country, trying to demoralize the youth of the land. The man who every good citizen should feel it his duty to outcast, is the man who is making, selling and transporting."

It was a fine thing to note the man whom we have in the District Court, the man that the people of Bailey County, and other counties as well selected to sit as judge in our Courts, commanding the jury to consider all violations, regardless of malice, hatred, vice, etc., and regardless of love, friendship or any other indebitness that a person might claim.

"The people of Bailey County are glad that they have a man in their midst, sitting in the judge's chair, that they feel to confide in and that after due consideration, receive the justice that is due everyone."

"Another point stressed by the Judge was the rapidity with which he insisted the jury to act. "It is a noticeable case in some courts that a case can be carried from term to term until finally it has weather-worn the evidence until there is little left to work on. If a case is bad enough to have in court, it is bad enough to try, and after the trial, if guilty, let the guilty suffer, and if innocent, help to give the innocent a better standing."

We believe that the people of Bailey County are proud of our District Judge, who stands for the uplifting of humanity.

## BUBBLES

Bubbles, floating gently, quietly on the blue. Like dainty fairy buoys on enchanted lakes. Darting over wavelets—into sunlight—quickly changing. Back again to rocky crevice where a leafy shadow shakes. But now the pool grows gray; turning blue to brown; The boy beside looks for filtered light—there is none. And on his tiny, shining faun's face comes a frown. For the bubbles, dainty glowing fairy buoys, break one by one.

—W. Madison Daniel

## Muleshoe Ball Club Has Winning Streak

It is a general thought in the minds of the people of Muleshoe that their boys cannot win a baseball game. Just a few such games as were played at Amberst Sunday, the 27th, and the game that many visitors of Muleshoe witnessed last Sunday at Farwell, will change the opinion of the people. Muleshoe took the Amberst nine to a cleaning with a score of 16 to 15, with Mr. Eddie Moore pitching and Jim H. Dyer catching. Then the Farwell game was not quite so interesting, as Lefty Hollinsworth let the Farwell club down with only five hits and the Muleshoe boys winning that game 15 to 5. Now, that looks like the boys mean business, so let everyone join in, get on the go, and support one real ball team in Muleshoe. The game with Farwell might not have been won so easily had it not been for the great number of fans that accompanied the boys over there, and besides, Judge Pressley was along to lend the case. That might account for some of the winning. Just to know that the home folks care, is an incentive for every player to work, fight and win. Sunday the 10th, Amberst comes to our doors. Can't you come out and let the boys know that you are interested in them and their winning. Let everyone who can, be present to see the winning. Come early and get the boys going right.

## District Court Now In Session Here

The District Court met in regular session, beginning on the 4th day of June, 1925, with a large number of people present. The Court was called to order by Judge Clements at 10:00 o'clock. The grand jury was empaneled and the docket read. The docket were getting things in readiness for the "courtroom times" in the history of Bailey County. The following is a list of legal talent which is on hand for the session:

Chas. Clements, Presiding Judge.  
Meade F. Griffin, District Attorney.  
P. F. Sapp, Amarillo.  
W. A. Alexander, Court Reporter.  
C. Williams, Plainview.  
M. J. Baird, Plainview.  
W. W. Kline, Plainview.  
H. D. Payne, Floydada.  
L. G. Mathews, Floydada.  
J. E. Dryden, Sudan.  
E. D. Thomas, Farwell.  
J. F. Loke, Farwell.  
W. A. Benson, Littlefield.  
E. A. Bills, Littlefield.  
W. D. Benson, Lubbock.  
J. E. Vickers, Lubbock.  
C. W. Benson, Lubbock.  
P. F. Sapp, Amarillo.  
Wales H. Madden, Amarillo.  
Howard Anderson, Amarillo.  
George Dupree, Hillsboro.  
J. B. McGee, Clovis.  
John H. Woods, Amberst.  
L. P. Robbs, Muleshoe.  
Pat R. Bess, Muleshoe.

## W. M. S. MEETING

Mrs. Harden's was hostess to the Methodist Women's Missionary Society (Wednesday, June 6). The program was as follows:

Business Meeting  
Lesson—Led by Mrs. Stone  
After the benediction, dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames Wallace, Haney, McCarty, Hollard, Faulkner, Arnold, Morris, Mardis, Nina Elrod, Stony, Hicks, Harold Weyer and Mrs. Beth Mackintosh.  
Our Society meets with Mrs. Haney next week.  
The Methodist Missionary Society will have a Bake Sale next Saturday, June at Gupton Grocery.

## What's Doing In West Texas

Miles—The Rannels County Bankers Association will meet here in July. Big Spring—Final arrangements have been made for the West Texas Press Association meet in this city June 13 and 14.  
Tulla—Through efforts of the chamber of commerce, posters showing Tulla scenes will be available here soon.  
Portales, N. M.—Capacity of the local cheese factory is to be doubled upon arrival of new equipment.  
Mineral Wells—Sam Miller is new president of the Texas Press Association and his city is host to the 1925 State Convention.  
Mobeetie—The annual celebration at Old Fort Elliot is scheduled for June 6 and 7.  
Perrytown—The insurance key rate of Perryton has been reduced from 56 cents to 47 cents.  
Wink—The oil town of Wink has been incorporated with J. T. Ostrum as first mayor.  
Turkey—A mammoth rail celebration is planned for opening of the Spivey Plains extension.  
Midland—A beautiful site for Midland's new grade school building has been donated as a memorial to the late John M. Cowden.

## School's Out



## Olton Star Route Extended To Big Square On June 1

The Star Mail Route from Muleshoe to Olton was extended to Big Square, beginning June 1st. This route has been considered for some time by the Post Office Department, but only recently was there any action taken. The new extension is something like twenty-one mile s and makes the entire route about one hundred miles, serving a large number of people. Earl Harris is the driver on the route.

## W. M. S. MEETING

The W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Walker Tuesday afternoon. Seven members and one visitor were present. On account of some of the members being absent who were on the program, we did not have our Missionary program in Royal Service magazine. The program will be next week. After a short business session, we adjourned to meet with Mrs. Winn next Tuesday afternoon.

## J. A. BAKER ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4

I wish to announce to the voters of Precinct No. 4 that I am a candidate for the office of Commissioner. Your support and influence is respectfully solicited and if elected, will render faithful and impartial service to the Precinct and County.

J. A. BAKER

Mr. J. C. Weaver was visiting in Roswell last week, returning Monday with his wife. Mrs. Weaver is principal of the Roswell High School. She will leave this week for Galveston, going via boat to New York, and then to Kingston, Rhode Island, where she will spend two months with her daughter, who is a teacher of bacteriology in the State College at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Barron left Sunday for Bryan, Texas, from which place Mr. Barron received a message that his father had died. Hershell Alsop accompanied them to drive the car. The Journal joins with friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. Neil Roeky moved his family here Monday and Tuesday from Portales, N. M. They are occupying the home recently vacated by Mr. Welch.

Word has been received that Mrs. Adington, who has been at San Antonio, Texas, for the past week for her health, is doing fine. The people of Muleshoe rejoice at such good news.

## Slate of Democratic Candidates For Important State Offices.

Georgetown, June 5.—The list of candidates for places on the democratic primary election of July 28, was closed here today with three candidates, William E. Hawkins of Eastland, Mrs. Edith Wilmons of Dallas and L. J. Wardlaw of Fort Worth, down to oppose Dan Moody for the office of governor.

The race for lieutenant governor promises to be full as existing with six avowed candidates in the scramble for the office now held by Barry Miller.

The withdrawal of O. B. Colquitt was something of a surprise and left seven candidates in the senatorial field.

The complete list of names filed with the state chairman are as follows:

For United States Senate: W. A. Rowe, Houston; Tom Connally, Marlin; Thomas L. Blanton, Abilene; Earl B. Mayfield, Austin; Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, New Waverly; Alvin, Wesley, Denton; Jeff McLeone, Rockwall.

For governor: Dan Moody, Taylor; William E. Hawkins, Eastland; Mrs. Edith Wilmons, Dallas; L. J. Wardlaw, Fort Worth.

For lieutenant governor: V. E. Arnold, Houston; Thomas B. Love, Dallas; E. Marvin, Paris; Harry Miller, Dallas; John D. McCall, Beaumont; J. D. Parnell, Wichita Falls.

For State treasurer: Grover Cleveland Harris, Dallas; W. Gregory Hatcher, Dallas.

For Commissioner of agriculture: George B. Terrell, Austin.

For state superintendent: W. C. Jones, Abilene; W. F. Garner, Nacogdoches; W. W. Bennett, Groesbeck; N. H. P. Davis, Austin; S. M. N. Marrs, Austin.

For land commissioner: J. T. Britton, Houston; Ois Terrell, Austin; E. I. Flynn, Quanah; Andrew J. Robinson, Quitman.

For comptroller: Sam H. Terrell, Austin; J. C. Jones, Austin; Jefferson Smith, Austin.

For court of criminal appeals: W. C. Morrow, Austin.

For Attorney General: Claude Polard, Austin.

For Judge court of criminal appeals: Lee P. Pierson, Amarillo.

For Judge Supreme Court: T. B. Greenwood, Austin.

## Good rains Fall Here Past Week

Muleshoe and vicinity was visited by 1.28 inches of rain from Friday of last week up until Sunday night. The rain was general over most of the county and was an aid to crops. On Sunday afternoon heavy winds and some hail were on the program, but little damage was reported in this section. However, in the West Camp community it is understood that a separator belonging to J. L. Harrington was blown over and a corner of his barn damaged. B. B. Gideon's barn was almost totally wrecked, it is said.

## LEAF YEAR PARTY

A Leaf Year party was enjoyed at the L. W. Harden home last Monday evening by Mrs. Nina Elrod's class and others. There were about thirty present. Many games were enjoyed and at a late hour delicious refreshments were served consisting of hot chocolate, cake and sandwiches. Everyone had a delightful evening.

## COURTNEY-WHITE

Miss Helen Elrod and Mrs. Cooper Woodburn were the wedding guests of Miss Virginia Courtney at her home in Littlefield last Thursday evening. Miss Courtney was married to Mr. Maurice White, of Dallas. Miss Courtney and Mr. White are well known by a number of Muleshoe citizens who extend congratulations to the young couple and wish for them many years of happiness.

## Big Air Festival At WTCC Convention

Fort Worth, Texas—More than one hundred airplanes are expected here June 18, 19 and 20 for an Airplane Review in connection with the Tenth Annual Convention of the West Texas Association of Commerce in Fort Worth. B. B. Buckridge, Industrial Commissioner of the Fort Worth Association of Commerce, is in charge of plans for this event.

The program is incomplete but will include a grand parade at 10 o'clock each morning. The planes will take off at 10:01 each day and will fly over the city. In the afternoon there will be stand-jumping, automobile jumping and other features.

One of the oldest planes in use will be here, as will the very latest models. It is expected to be one of the biggest airplane reviews ever staged in the United States. Still another feature will be a barbecue for the aviators. Also, the reports indicate at least one hundred planes.

## BAPTISTS LADIES' BIBLE CLASS

The Ladies' Bible Class of the Baptist church held a class meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. Alsop. A business session was held and important matters taken care of. Everyone came out next Sunday. Let's build a big and interesting Sunday School.

## NOTICE TO PUBLIC

The City management is asking that you be more careful in parking and driving in the city streets. They are asking that you go to the corners to turn and park at the curb properly. Do not leave your car behind other park cars. Turn posts have been ordered and will be in place soon and driving and parking will be regulated by an ordinance, so get the habit of parking, turning and driving right.

IVAN MARDIS, City Sec.

## WITHDRAWAL ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to the voters of Precinct No. 2 that I have withdrawn my name as candidate for commissioner.

TOM L. SMITH

## D. W. DANIELSON ANNOUNCES COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2

Mr. D. W. Danielson authorizes the Journal to announce his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

Mr. Danielson is a resident of this county and makes no promises other than to give a fair and impartial administration of his work on the roads, in the court room, in the streets, and in the interests of the county and his precinct. He has been a resident of the county ten years and is fully qualified for the office of commissioner.

He respectfully solicits your support and influence.

## D. W. DANIELSON

Mesdames Wallace, Nina Elrod and W. B. Hicks spent Thursday in Clovis.

Mrs. Jay Weyer has been in the Sanitarium at Plainview for the past week where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Reports are that she is doing nicely and will be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma McCarty were in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday visiting A. V. McCarty Sr.

Mrs. D. O. Smith, Mrs. Ralph Snyder and daughter, Bettie Lee, Mrs. C. J. Roush and daughter, Margaret, were shopping in Clovis Friday afternoon.

## New Officers Installed By Local Chapter, O. E. S.

The Annual Semi-public installation of officers of the local Chapter, O. E. S. was held at the Masonic Hall on Thursday evening of last week. Installing officers were Mrs. Rose Stidham, Past Worlthy Matron, and Mrs. T. E. Arnold, acting Marshall.

The following officers were installed for the next year: Mrs. Dora McCarty, Worlthy Matron; R. J. Klump, Worlthy Patron; Mrs. Nina Elrod, Associate Matron; Mrs. Sybil March, Conductress; Mrs. Truma Griffiths, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Ida Stony, Treas.; Miss Lola Luscomb, Sec.; Mrs. Hattie Griffiths, Ada; Mrs. Struella Hicks, Ruth; Mrs. Bertie Taylor, Esther; Mrs. Fannie Klump, Martha; Mrs. Lora Coker, Elberta; Dr. A. R. Matthews, Warden; Ray Griffiths, Sentinel; J. B. Roberts, Chaplin; Mrs. Rosalind Kennedy, Organist.

An excellent musical program was rendered by the orchestra of the Methodist church and a solo by Master Melvin Keeney was highly enjoyed. A bouquet of flowers and a past master's jewel was presented to Mrs. Stidham, and a leather bound ritual was presented to R. J. Klump. Delicious refreshments were served to a large number of guests.

## Political Calendar

K. K. Smith, Chairman, Bailey County Democratic Executive Committee announces the following dates that are of importance to candidates as well as the voters of Bailey County.

Saturday, June 18th—Last day for County Clerk.

Monday, June 22nd—Candidates and district candidates, in districts composed of only one county, to file requests to have names placed on ballot.

Monday, June 18th—County Executive Committee meets with candidates to determine the order of names on ballot and estimate expenses of election.

Monday, June 25th—Last day for candidates to pay assessments for ballot.

July 4th—Candidates must file their first statement of campaign expenses with county clerk.

Monday, July 9th—Executive Committee meets to prepare ballot.

Wednesday, July 18th—Time for voters who are absent from county to appear before a Notary Public and request a ballot.

Friday, July 20th—Candidates must file the second statement of expenses with County Clerk.

Wednesday, July 25th—Last day for voters who intend to be absent from county on day of election to appear before County Clerk and vote an absentee ballot.

Saturday, July 28th—Primary Election Day. Polls open 8:00 a. m. close at 7:00 p. m.

Monday, August 4th—County Executive Committee meets to canvass returns.

Tuesday, August 7th—Last day for candidates to file third report of expenses.

2. An additional report should also be filed with County Judge not later than this date.

Saturday, August 25th—Day of Second Primary. Polls open at 8:00 a. m. close at 7:00 p. m.

Application of candidates may be obtained from K. K. Smith at the Valley Motor Company or from Judge Kennedy at the court house.

## MEADE F. GRIFFIN ANNOUNCES FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

The Journal is authorized to announce the candidacy of Meade F. Griffin for the office of District Attorney for the 64th Judicial District. Mr. Griffin respectfully solicits the support of the voters of the District which he has served faithfully the past term.

Miss Opal Carter, relief reporter of the Telephone Company, returned to her home in Sudan Monday.

Mrs. J. Hubenet, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Opal Carter, left Thursday for Sudan to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Carter, before returning to her home in Meloland.

Mrs. J. W. Lee and children returned Sunday from visit to Stonewall county. They were accompanied back by Miss Mildred, who has been in school at Mildred.

Mrs. and Mr. Albert Taylor returned to their home in Lubbock Friday after spending several days on their ranch here.

Mrs. Curtis Taylor left Saturday to attend the summer session of the Texas Technological College. Mrs. Taylor will teach at the school, commonly known as the Crackerbox School, this fall.

Mrs. M. P. Smith and daughters, of Mineral Wells, are spending the week here.

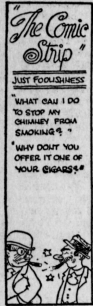
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By F. O. Alexander

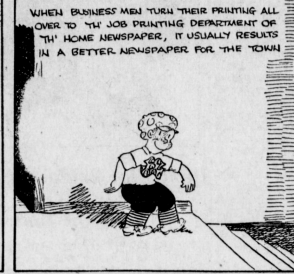
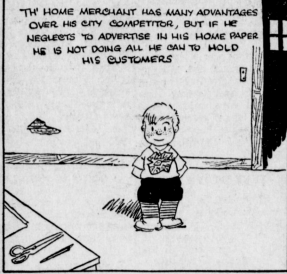
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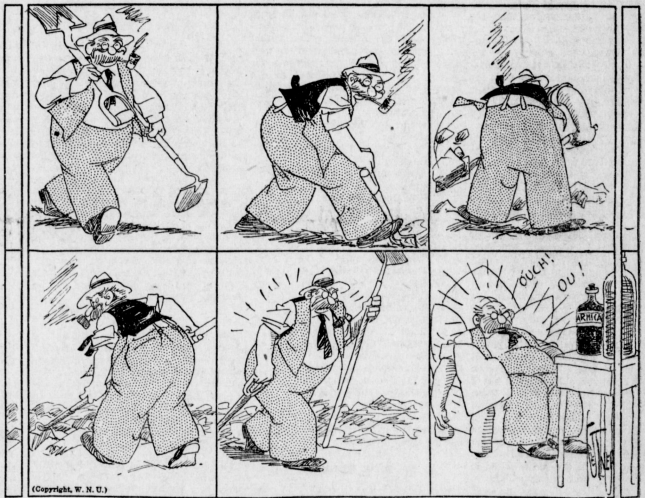
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Shop Talk



Off the Concrete

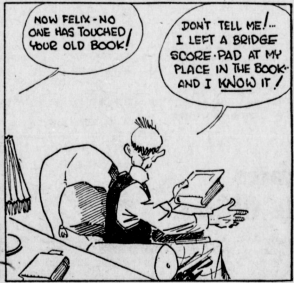
Our Pet Peeve



THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne

Correct



DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS

Far be it from Father to make a fool of himself





# The Red Road

## A Romance of Braddock's Defeat

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Illustrations by  
**IRWIN MYERS**

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### SYNOPSIS

Impoverished by the open-handed generosity of his father, Virginia gentleman, young Webster Cromit is serving as a scout and spy for the army under General Braddock, preparing for the advance on Fort Duquesne. He has just returned to Alexandria from a visit to the fort, where, posing as a Frenchman, he has secured valuable information. Braddock, bred to European warfare, fails to realize the importance of the news. Braddock is sent back to Fort Duquesne, also bearing a message to George Croghan, English emissary among the Indians. Braddock, his friend and fellow scout, Round Paw, Indian chief, and the party encounter a group of settlers on the way. They are the Elsie Dinwiddie, whom they accuse of witchcraft.

### CHAPTER II—Continued

"There are two or three men in this valley and us many more in Little Cove who will not work. They pretend to be with-masters, and they get their keep by pretending to be the mischief the Dinwiddie women would do to. After my mother's death and after they named this place 'Her Honour' my sisters would not live here. They knew men were showing our pictures on stumps and pointing with silver bullets; and they went away, and only I was left. Those fools down there burn marks on their dogs and cattle to cure them of my spells. Every time a worthless scoundrel strips an order they say I milked their cows. God help those who must live among fools!"

"I had let her talk herself out, and now said:

"This valley isn't safe for you. Isn't there any place where you can go? Back to Carlisle, Piddalphia, or to some Maryland town?"

"It isn't easy to get to a help-less man," she fiercely reminded me. "I glanced at the cripple. He did not seem to be hearing our talk but his face was flushed and his breath came more rapid."

"Get your uncle inside," I whispered to the girl. "He's unwell. The excitement has upset him."

"She put her arm round him and petted him, and murmured things I could not hear, and aided him to enter the cabin. The people down the hill noted her disappearance and began advancing up the slope. "Calling to the Onondaga in English I directed:

"Scalp the German and the red-faced man if they attempt to back." In his own tongue I added:

"Scare those fools away." Round Paw threw aside his blanket and glided toward the oncoming settlers. Cromit hurried to his knife and kept at the Indian's side. The latter sounded his war-whoop and charged. The married settlers gave way in a panic and raced back to their cabins.

"Elsie Dinwiddie you must get away from this valley. Once we're gone there'll be no one to protect you. Your uncle must risk it. He will surely die if he stays here."

"I'll get a horse and get him out of the Cove if it kills him. I never saw him like a horse. We have three cows and two oxen. No one here will pay what they are worth. Will Braddock's army buy them?"

"Gladly. Fresh beef will be needed at Will's creek. But you can't drive them there, and my business won't let me do it. There must be some one in the Cove who will buy them at a fair price. I'll send the man Cromit up here to get them and find a buyer like as stirred as a red-headed devil'll drive a good bargain. Now let me see your uncle."

"He was on his bed, breathing rapidly and hiccupping at intervals. My experience with death had been largely confined to men dying from mortal wounds, but I knew that this man was about to enter a longer and deeper valley than that of Great Cove. I patted the girl's bowed head and promised she should not be disturbed. She knew the truth, for she had followed me to the door and whispered:

"He must die."

"I fear he is dying now," I told her. "I will stay with you. I never saw—" "No!" There was a flash of fierceness in her refusal. More gently she added:

"We've been without kindness a long time. We'll bide the rest of the way together and alone. Please go now."

I descended the hill to where Cromit and the Indian were awaiting the settlers' return. Men were hurrying up with axes and muskets, eager to scold the sifting straggle had received. I went to them and announced that Dinwiddie was dying and that the



young man would leave the valley very soon, and that her departure would be hastened could she find some one to buy her cattle. My words sobered them and took the edge from their anger. A man said:

"If she will swear on the Hot Book that they are not bewitched, I'll take them off her hands."

"We three men will drive them to Braddock's camp, or will sell them here. We can get more for them on Will's creek. The man (Cromit of McDowell's mill will make the trade if you care to buy."

"Bewitched, or bewitched, I care not. I'll buy them and cure them and then sell them to Braddock. Let the young man stop showing his views and his teeth and we can make a trade."

Much pleased at the outcome of what had threatened to be a serious affair, I returned to Cromit and gave him his instructions. I told him the Indian and I would spread our blankets in the path south of the hill and for him to take the money to the cabin, if he made a fair bargain, and then come to us.

In less than an hour Cromit came through the darkness to us and an ounce of gold.

"She's got the money and says I made a good bargain. But the man—"

"It isn't easy to travel with a helpless man," she fiercely reminded me.

"Mr. Croghan came into camp a few hours after our arrival, and I delivered Governor Morris' letter. After reading it, he told me:

"The belts were sent on the twenty-second of last month. I fear we'll get scant help from the lake tribes. Many of the Indians are waiting to see who's in the 'win. They'll flock in to join the winner. It's lucky we have to get French's help already, for the slow work of getting the army here had made me uneasy."

"If a thousand men, or even less, could now march swiftly to Duquesne the place would be ours without any fighting. The Indians have taken hold of the French, but if the French quit Duquesne, the assembly but us when I refused to fee them as three hundred Iroquois. After keeping them all winter, they should have held on for a few weeks longer. Now the three hundred are back with the French. I have forty fighting men here, and sixty women and children. They've taken up the hatchet against the French. But if they ain't handled right, they'll accept a bloody belt from Duquesne."

"General Braddock hasn't any notion of handling red men. Dinwiddie or Morris should have looked after the Indians. But the French will lick the French easy enough. They're licked already. Worst is we'll have to smooth some of the Indians down after the French are back in Canada."

"Then you must go to McDowell's mill, and from there start for the Eastern settlements. We will go with you as far as the mill. Later we will plan just how and where you are to travel. I can give you an order on Charles Swatke at Shillensburg, and I know he will be pleased to serve you."

"Wait till I get a bundle from the cabin and I will go with you, mister. God knows there are those at McDowell's mill who will not be glad to see anyone from Her Honour. Let I will go there because you have been good to me. Wait for me at the foot of the hill."

"She was so long in the cabin that I started back to bed but she had vanished. In vain did we beat about the woods and call her name."

"She is a witch. She rides through the air," muttered Round Paw as we took the southern path.

A shrill cry caused us to halt. The Widow Crox was coming after us, waving something in her hand.

"I found this after you called. It had been left at my door and the wind must 'a' blow it one side."

It was a small piece of dressed deer skin, (to one side of the deer skin) was written:

"For Braddock scout if he asks For Elsie Dinwiddie."

Amazed I turned it over and read: "I told you I was for a maddoctor's mill I didn't say Youd see Char E. D."

### CHAPTER III

#### On Braddock's Business

We commenced our journey to Will-creek with the Onondaga leading the way and his watchful suspicious gaze scanning from side to side of the narrow path as alertly as if we had been in the Huron country.

After traveling a short distance the Onondaga halted and dropped his knees. He had found eight marks of his spears. Holding them up he said:

"So many Indians stopped here to see this morning. They are so-called the Left Leggers. They are some of the men Croghan has been hunting for. They have traveled to see the Big Knives on the path. Now they go to Will's creek to be there when the Big Chief comes with his warriors."

If his reasoning were correct, the Delaware had journeyed east and they beheld Braddock's army on its march; and by the same token our campaign against the French would soon take us to Duquesne. I was soon to press on.

We made Will's creek early on the ninth of May and were surprised to find none of the army there except Barber's and Clark's Independent companies on foot, ordered to the creek from New York in the preceding summer; and Denarie's Independent company from Maryland.

The three companies had wintered on the creek in huts and were mighty weary of the monotony of it all. We were quickly surrounded by an eager mob and piled with questions as to Braddock's whereabouts, when he would arrive, and how large an army he would bring. Had the French already abandoned Duquesne, as had been reported by some of the Delaware scouts? And if so, why the delay? Were his majesty's Independent companies being held in fildness at the creek and made to miss all the fun?

Mr. Croghan came into camp a few hours after our arrival, and I delivered Governor Morris' letter. After reading it, he told me:

"The belts were sent on the twenty-second of last month. I fear we'll get scant help from the lake tribes. Many of the Indians are waiting to see who's in the 'win. They'll flock in to join the winner. It's lucky we have to get French's help already, for the slow work of getting the army here had made me uneasy."

"If a thousand men, or even less, could now march swiftly to Duquesne the place would be ours without any fighting. The Indians have taken hold of the French, but if the French quit Duquesne, the assembly but us when I refused to fee them as three hundred Iroquois. After keeping them all winter, they should have held on for a few weeks longer. Now the three hundred are back with the French. I have forty fighting men here, and sixty women and children. They've taken up the hatchet against the French. But if they ain't handled right, they'll accept a bloody belt from Duquesne."

"General Braddock hasn't any notion of handling red men. Dinwiddie or Morris should have looked after the Indians. But the French will lick the French easy enough. They're licked already. Worst is we'll have to smooth some of the Indians down after the French are back in Canada."

"Then you must go to McDowell's mill, and from there start for the Eastern settlements. We will go with you as far as the mill. Later we will plan just how and where you are to travel. I can give you an order on Charles Swatke at Shillensburg, and I know he will be pleased to serve you."

"Wait till I get a bundle from the cabin and I will go with you, mister. God knows there are those at McDowell's mill who will not be glad to see anyone from Her Honour. Let I will go there because you have been good to me. Wait for me at the foot of the hill."

"She was so long in the cabin that I started back to bed but she had vanished. In vain did we beat about the woods and call her name."

"She is a witch. She rides through the air," muttered Round Paw as we took the southern path.

A shrill cry caused us to halt. The Widow Crox was coming after us, waving something in her hand.

"I found this after you called. It had been left at my door and the wind must 'a' blow it one side."

It was a small piece of dressed deer skin, (to one side of the deer skin) was written:

"For Braddock scout if he asks For Elsie Dinwiddie."

Amazed I turned it over and read: "I told you I was for a maddoctor's mill I didn't say Youd see Char E. D."

## An Evening With the Spirits

By RING LARDNER

To the Editor: The other day I was a bunch of us in Yonkers talking about what terrible spirits you get around N. Y. now days and I of the birds in the city name Herb says he knew where they was some beautiful spirits and we said lead us to it and he took us down to 58 st. and 5 ave. and there was a doctor's name on the door and I said to myself this guy will probably give us a prescription that will knock us for a goal. But the doc took us in a inside room and introduced us to a fellow who they all call Medie, which I learn was short for Medium so we see the kind of spirits we got and the kind we thought we was going to get. Well, pretty soon Medie and the doc and our party went still another room yet where they was about 20 other guests mostly female that looked like the end of a perfect wash day. A alma mater of Oberlin college came to look at a kind of a close line that was stretched across the room and on the wall were a bunch of boys such as dolls and the other witch Medie had told her was for the baby spirits to play with when they got cross.

It was all put around in a circle like well, learning their signals in the 4th quarter. I set next to Jack and his Mrs. from Yonkers and the rest of we skeptics was scattered around about the hallways.

"Is there somebody here name R? says Medie so I says yes it was me. This is Edward," says the spirit and Medie says if I had a brother Edward I'd say yes. So Medie says "This is your brother Edward that was killed in a accident a long while ago. The Left Leggers, they are here ago. This Edward was 3 yrs old and I said hello Edward how are you and he said hello there and I couldn't see him so he left the held with the last word and give his megaphone to a Irish comedian."

"Oh, here's Pat O'Brien," says the doc. "He is a funny Irishman that is with every night, get his license. So then Pat told a Irish story that died even longer than Edward, but you don't feel like razzing the doc, so everybody laughed the right amount."

Before the darkness had fell I had noticed a bird setting over to the left of me that was a countryman of Nora Holman and she was to talk to me. I saw her was saying hello Knut hello there and etc. Pretty soon Medie turned to the live old Jaeger and told him he had a message to give him. "She was all right the last time I seen her," says Elliott. "Well she is going to die," says Medie and personally I think she was right as she was around 45 yrs old and when a message that age their mother is seldom never trying out for the Vassar basket ball team."

"Here's a beautiful spirit, who does he want," says Medie next. "He says dear boy."

"Lots of people call me that," says Herb the guy that had brought us there at \$2.00 a crack.

"Yes it is your father and he says he was on the river once in a boat when he was 12 yrs old and he was saved from drowning and he says something about a dog. Did a dog ever swim out and save your father from drowning?"

"Well no," says Herb after a terrible pause. "But a dog barked and roused up the neighbors and they come to the rescue and saved my father."

"There that's evidential," says the doc and several female voices says wonderful.

"Shit!" says Medie "I hear someone say 'I did'," says Jack from Yonkers. "Hello sweetheart," says the spirit. "Hello Kate," says Jack. "Hello sweetheart," says the spirit. "The must of forgot my name," says Jack in my ear.

"She is a beautiful spirit," says Medie.

A long about this time I got restless for a smoke and began rattling a cigarette paper and a new spirit whanged me on the knee cap with a megaphone and says what have you got there and to my manum and thank you."

"That's Bright Eyes talking," says Medie. "She wants to know what you have got."

"Well her got a sore knee," I says. "The serious," says Bright Eyes. Well they was a lot more of them that give us all the latest news from Over. There like hello dear and hello there and to my manum and thank you. Medie came to and turned up the lights and we all shoved off to 58 st.

"Well," says Herb. "Did you have a brother Edward that ought to be been killed 3 yrs ago but what about the other witch Medie had told her was for the baby spirits to play with when they got cross."

"Well," he says "Part of it is true. We use to have a dog once and he use to bark."

"Look Mrs. Jack from Yonkers called Jack out and we all thanked Herb for taking us to where they was nothing but beautiful spirits and he says it was the best bed king you can go to a Medie evil."

(By the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

## The KITCHEN CABINET

(By 1224 Western Newspaper Union.)

"Not by appointment do we meet Delight and Joy: They lead not our expectancy— But round the corner In the streets of Life They, on a sudden, clasp us with a smile."

WE ALL LIKE CHICKEN While the early chickens are still too expensive for the family, we have the fat and tender fowl of a year to satisfy our appetite for chicken dinner. Here is a way out of the ordinary which some will like:

Chicken Pot Roast, Italian Style.—Clean and scrub a fine fowl, dry and dust with a little flour. Brown slightly all over in a deep frying pan, using butter, which adds both color and flavor. Add a few small onions and let them brown. Remove the fowl and onion to a deep kettle and add boiling water to come half way up, rinsing out the frying pan with the water. Add two or three teaspoonfuls of salt, a half cupful of diced celery and a few dashes of pepper. Cover tightly and cook for three hours in a moderate oven. Turn once during the cooking and uncover the last half hour. Remove the fowl which should be beautifully browned, and pour off the broth. Take a cupful of the broth and add it to a pint of cooking water. Use it to finish cooking a cupful of rice. Use a bit of the broth for gravy. Surround the chicken with a stuffed egg cream. Delicious Luncheon Dish.—Spread rounds of buttered toast with minced mushrooms steamed in a little butter or cream and thickened slightly. On this place a good spoonful of diced chicken moistened with white sauce and top with a layer of egg garnished with a whorl of mayonnaise.

Sutherland Fritters.—Mix together one cupful of canned corn, one-half cupful of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of paprika with one beaten egg yolk. Fold in the finely minced white and green onions in rounds in a hot frying pan. Lay on a hot platter and just before serving heap on some nicely seasoned cream chutney and garnish with a chopped pimiento has been added.

Westford Chicken.—Slice the entire breast of a boiled fowl very thin, cut into strips, and mix with a little of a large mushroom. Select the finest from a half pound of mushrooms, remove the stem and saute the peeled caps in a little butter and salt. Add the mushroom and keep hot. Make rounds of toast and stew the remaining mushrooms in the same sauce, holding through egg cream to make a pint. When the mushrooms are tender thicken with flour and butter and serve, using four of flour and three of butter. Pour over the sauce after placing chicken and mushrooms.

Summer Foods. The salad dressings for various summer salads are tremendously important. We have all been served the combinations which with a good dressing would have made a most delicate dish, entirely spoiled by an insipid and carelessly prepared salad dressing.

In the first place a salad dressing should be appropriate to the salad combination it is to serve. A rich cresson or thousand island dressing is not fittingly served with fruit, which should be dainty, light and the dressing only enhancing the flavor of the fruits.

When preparing french dressing which is always so good with fruit, add lemon juice, orange juice, pineapple or grapefruit juice instead of vinegar.

Fruit Salad Mayonnaise.—Beat two eggs until light, add the juice of one lemon and beat again until thick; season with one-half teaspoonful of salt, a dash of white pepper and a tablespoonful of sugar. Cook over hot water until creamy, then add a tablespoonful of butter and one of cream beat until cool. Add a tablespoonful of currant jelly whipped into this dressing, which makes it quite different.

Parfait Fruit Salad Dressing.—Whip a cupful of heavy cream until smooth and thick, then add two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, two tablespoonfuls of orange, lemon and pineapple juice, also a teaspoonful of the juice of marshmalo cherries and a few of the berries cut fine.

Fruit Salad.—Salt dried puffed grain and lay them open flat; spread with cream cheese softened with thick cream, roll up and cut into slices. Arrange on lettuce and serve with lemon butter; garnish with plumped raisins.

Lemon Butter.—Beat two eggs, add gradually the juice of a large lemon, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and one of butter, beat until thick. Cool and fold in one cupful of whipped cream. This is an especially refreshing salad dressing.

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Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

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G. S. HOLLAND, Editor

Entered as second-class matter at the Muleshoe Postoffice under the Act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

Resolutions, Cards of Thanks, etc. are charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line.  
Classified ads, 10 cents per line.  
Advertising Rates on application.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**

In Bailey County, 1 Year ..... \$1.50  
Outside of County ..... \$2.00

**SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS KNOW THEIR ADVERTISING**

According to newspaper reports, one of the biggest manufacturers of automobiles has decided to take down its advertising along the highways and byways of the nation. No doubt you have read these signs many times in your travels, together with signs calling your attention to the best soap to use, what to do in case of cramps, the kind of spark plugs Mr. Whozis used on his Patagonia trip, and a thousand and one others which make "Seeing America First" a nightmare.

These manufacturers have two reasons for taking down their road signs, it is said, and they seem to us to be very sound. First, they wish to co-operate with the civic clubs and other organizations of the country in beautifying the highways. Second, they are convinced that road sign advertising does not get the results in their line that it should. Consequently they are going to use the advertising that is read by ninety per cent of the people—the country newspapers.

These men have made a study of country newspaper advertising and they know what they are doing. Many other large companies have realized this long ago, and put it into practice with profitable results that are astounding if you could read the figures on their yearly business.

A few weeks ago the editor of the paper met with a business man of the town and a representative of one of the largest manufacturing companies in the United States to discuss some advertising. In the course of the conversation, the business man mentioned the cost of the advertising contract. "Cost?" said the representative. "It does not cost. It PAYS." Today, this business man will tell you the same thing.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF BAILEY.

WHEREAS, by virtue of authority vested in me, as trustee, named and appointed in a certain deed of trust, recorded in volume 7, page 60, of the Deed of Trust Records, Bailey County, Texas, executed and delivered to me on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1928, by R. L. Faulkner for better securing the payment of one certain promissory note of Two Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$2,500.00) and duly described in said deed of trust, executed by the said R. L. Faulkner, payable to the order of J. E. Aldridge, at Muleshoe, Texas, due on the 1st day of January, 1928, bearing 6 per cent interest per annum from date until paid, interest due and payable annually as it accrues, provided that failure to pay said note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, shall, at the election of the holder thereof, mature same and it shall at once become due and payable and subject to foreclosure proceedings under said Deed of Trust, and also providing that all past due interest on said note shall bear interest from the maturity thereof until paid at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and further providing for the payment of 10 per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest then due as attorney's fee, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, said deed of trust conveying to K. K. Smith, Trustee, the following lot or parcel of land, to-wit:

Being part of the Northeast Quarter of Section No. 39 in Block "Y" of the W. D. & F. W. Johnson Subdivision No. 2 in Farmer and Bailey Counties, Texas, BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of the Original Town of Muleshoe; THENCE N. 35 deg. 58 min. East with said Townsite Line, 720 ft.; THENCE N. 84 deg. 2 min. W. 380 ft.; THENCE S. 35 deg. 58 min. W. 720 ft.; THENCE S. 54 deg. 2 min. W. 380 ft.; containing 6 5/100 acres of land.

AND WHEREAS, Mrs. W. C. Bucy, Guardian, is the owner and holder of said note, and the said R. L. Faulkner has made default in the payment of said note above described, and the same is now past due and unpaid, principal, interest and attorney's fees, by reason thereof and as provided for in said note and in said deed of trust, the said Mrs. W. C. Bucy, Guardian, has declared said note, and all interest thereon, due and mature; said note now segregating, principal, interest and attorney's fees, \$2,955.00; and WHEREAS, I have been requested by the said Mrs. W. C. Bucy to enforce said trust, I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M., at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1928, the same being the 1st day of July, 1928, at the court house door in the town of Muleshoe, in Bailey County, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

A part of the Northeast Quarter of Section No. 39, Block "Y" of the W. D. & F. W. Johnson Subdivision No. 2 in Farmer and Bailey Counties, Texas, BEGINNING at a monument, the

Southwest Cor. of the original Town of Muleshoe, Texas, as shown by a plat of such Townsite recorded in the Deed Records of Bailey County, in Vol. 8, Page 598; THENCE N. 35 deg. 58 min. W. with said W. Townsite line 720 ft. to a stake for cor.; THENCE N. 84 deg. 2 min. W. 380 ft. to a stake cor.; THENCE S. 35 deg. 58 min. W. 720 ft. to a stake for cor.; THENCE S. 54 deg. 2 min. E. 380 ft. to point of beginning, containing 6 5/100 acres of land; with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging. WITNESS my hand this 6th day of June, A. D. 1928.

K. K. SMITH, Trustee.

**TELEPHONE FACILITIES INSTALLED FOR HOUSTON DEMOS**

Houston, Texas, June 4—Approximately one quarter of a million dollars has been added to the usual telephone facilities improvement budget in Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma as a direct result of Houston obtaining the Democratic National Convention in June. It is learned from engineers of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

With the Southeast Texas division alone an additional expenditure of \$175,000 has been authorized Twenty-six thousand dollars of the allotment will be expended in Beaumont. Hundreds of smaller towns throughout the states will share the work, because relay points in all sections are to be built up.

Houston, the center of the activity, will get new equipment valued at more than \$35,000. Not the least important of the scheduled improvement locally will be a gigantic switchboard which will be installed in the Democratic building to handle an information service for the convention. Sixteen operators will be on duty twenty-four hours a day to handle calls through the special board.

Improvements, all of which now are well under way, will not be temporary in the main, according to engineers. They will be permanently placed as a foundation for future growth of the telephone business in the Southwest, thus giving this section a toll telephone system that will be the equal of Eastern metropolitan sections.

The copper wire circuits now are being strung from Houston to Dallas, two to Meridian and Shreveport, La., from Houston, more extra lines from Dallas to Texarkana, then to Little Rock, Poplar Bluff, St. Louis and other points to tie-in with systems now in use. Carrier current systems, too, are being installed. That means equipment which will allow the sending of scores of calls over one wire simultaneously.

Much of the activity has centered between Houston and New Orleans with scores of small towns between sharing in the work. Relay points and build-up sections all are to be strengthened.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Edmonds and Messrs. R. L. Brown, J. E. Adams and Pat R. Bobo, attended the closing of the Gaddy and Goodland schools last Friday.

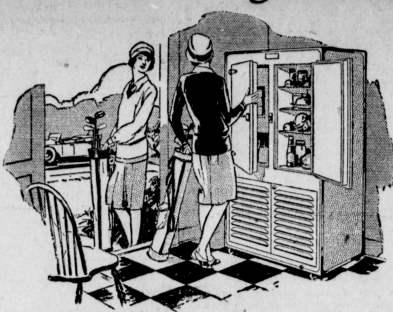
Mrs. Lula Harris, of Dimmitt, was here Friday looking after property interests.

Miss Beth Mardis returned Thursday from Millford where she has been attending the Texas Presbyterian College.

Mrs. H. C. Hennington returned from White Deer Thursday, leaving her mother slowly improving.

Herman Haberer, of the Big Square community, was in town Saturday afternoon.

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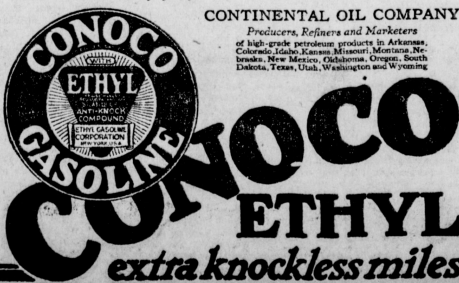
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**Peaches** No. 2½ cans in syrup **22c**

**Coffee** 2½ lb. cans. Fruit Bowl free with each can **1.48**

**Fly Swatter** 4 for **25c**

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## Announcements

The following political announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1928.

Fees for all announcements must be paid before announcement is placed in this column.

**For Representative, 120th District**  
A. B. TARWATER

**District Atty., 64th Judicial District**  
MEADE P. GRIFFIN

**For County Judge**

PAT R. BOBO

J. E. ADAMS

R. L. BROWN

**For Tax Assessor**

MRS. W. C. BUCY

**For County and District Clerk**

C. C. MARDIS

J. L. ALSUP

**For County Treasurer**

MRS. VIRGIE MAE CLARK

MRS. J. W. LEE

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector**

HENRY C. EDMONDS

H. A. DOUGLASS

H. STERLING

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1**

M. A. GOODSON

Wm. S. F. MATTHESEN

A. J. HICKS

A. L. DAVIS

**Commissioner Precinct No. 2**

P. N. HOOD

A. E. ROBINSON

A. BAKER

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 4**

A. L. CARPENTER

J. M. BELL

W. R. CARTER

J. A. BAKER

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 2**

C. E. DOTSON

D. W. DANIELSON

Mrs. C. C. Mardis and daughter, Miss Beth were shopping in Clovis Thursday.

Mesdames Buck Lee of Rotan and Oude Lee of Aspermont are visiting relatives in Muleshoe this week.

Rev. W. B. Hicks is in Seminole, where he is conducting a ten day revival.

Mrs. Cooper Woodburn, who has been visiting in the home of her parents, returned to Amarillo Friday.

It is reported that the son of B. B. Citeum, of the West Camp community is improving.

J. D. Bayless of Fairview, was in town Saturday attending to business affairs.

Messrs L. C. Jones and M. P. Smith returned early Saturday morning from a business trip to Odessa and various parts of New Mexico.

## Mail, Passenger and Express Service Car

Leaves Muleshoe 9:15 A. M. Via. Big Square, Earth and Arrives at Olton 12:45.

Leaves Olton 2:00 P. M. Via. Earth, arrives Muleshoe 4:30 P. M. Any business Appreciated

Earl Harris

**MARCELLE.** Soft water shampoo. One dollar. Mrs. Daniel. Phone 8. 1-1c

**FOR SALE**—Wind mill and tower, elevated tank and tower. D. A. Dodson. 17-2tp.

**WANT TO TRADE**—A good cream separator, good as new, for a good work horse or mare, weight about 1000 pounds. T. G. Lewis, 2 1-2 miles west, on Clovis Highway. 15-4tp

**I CAN COLLECT YOUR COLD CHECKS.** Sam Hoffman 15-41tp

**FOR SALE**—Herrick Refrigerator. Same as new. 50-pound ice capacity. White enamel. If you want a real refrigerator don't miss this one. Inquire at Journal office. 3-tp

**FOR SALE**—At once, Jersey heifer, fresh soon with second calf. Should make splendid milk cow. See her at Long's Dairy, 5 miles Northwest Muleshoe. \$50.00 cash will buy her. R. B. Boyle, Plainview, Texas, Box 1044 2tc

**FOR TADE**—House and two lots in Amarillo for land in Bailey county. Prefer raw land. See T. E. Arnold Muleshoe, Texas. 17-1c

## Lubbock Sanitarium (A Modern Fireproof Building) and Lubbock Sanitarium Clinic

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Surgery and Consultations

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**DR. J. H. STILES**  
DR. L. P. SMITH  
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**General Medicine**  
**MISS MABEL McLENDON**  
X-Ray and Laboratory

**C. E. HUNT**  
Business Manager

A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

## HOTEL MULESHOE

(Formerly the James)

Is now open for business. Your patronage will be appreciated. Try our Sunday Dinners—family style, and plate lunches

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## C. H. BUZARD DEPLORES PRESENT DAY POLITICS

Harkening back to Jeffersonian democracy, C. H. Buzard, of Muleshoe, who was here Monday said he deplored the trend of modern politics with its tendency to abandon the old principles which he knew as a boy back in Missouri. Officeholders who ask for more than two terms, and such deviations, do not meet with the approval of Mr. Buzard who is eloquent in his adherence to the old Jeffersonian principles. He has one of the best farms in Bailey county and his home is modern from every standpoint—Clous Journal.

Mrs. Laura Buxter of Clovis was visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. McAdams this week. She was accompanied by Mrs. A. C. Cokerley.

A. L. Stringer, of Longview, was in town Saturday trading.

## History of Human Race Directly Contradicts the Theory of Evolution

By DR. W. B. RILEY, President Fundamentalist Association.

History reveals the fall of man, and the decay of civilization instead of telling a story of evolution and human progress. The history of the human race reveals the reversal of the theory of evolution. History, the one science dealing with the subject involved in the controversy between the fundamentalists and the evolutionists, favors the story told by the Scriptures.

According to the prophet Daniel, man is degenerating, and governments are going down and civilization will end in catastrophe. According to Darwin, the evolutionist, man is coming up toward the superman, and civilization is improving. I would predict the ultimate failure of human government and the second coming of the Messiah to inaugurate a world kingdom under the reign of the Son of God.

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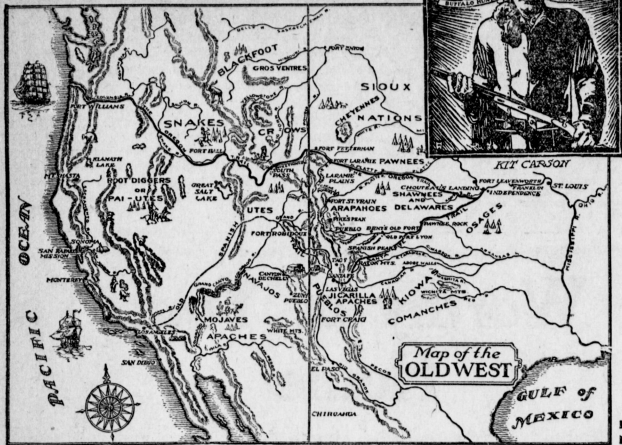
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# A Happy Warrior of the Old West



By ELMO SCOTT WATSON  
On Christmas day in the morning, 1869, an under-sized, low-browed, beady-eyed, blue-eyed boy arose into the world squalling lustily with an uncontrolled excitement such as no other adventure could arouse in him. Small, bony-legged, blue-eyed, and sandy-haired he remained the same to his days, and to this unimpressive appearance the sun added freckles. Yet this boy, typically backwoods as he was, and apparently no different from other lads of his family and community, was to exhibit such character, display such competence, and achieve such a fame to distinguish few other lone adventurers in history.

HUS begins the saga of a great American frontiersman as recorded in a book, "Kit Carson—The Happy Warrior of the Old West," recently published by Houghton Mifflin company. The author is Stanley Vestal, otherwise Walter Stanley Campbell, a professor of English at the University of Oklahoma and a man who has had an unusual opportunity to write the real story in a Kit Carson biography. For, as he says in the preface, "I am familiar with much of the country Kit ranged over, and with that Southwest which he made his life-long headquarters. I grew up among the Cheyenne and Arapaho Indians, the tribes with which he was most intimately associated and from which he took his two Indian wives. And I think I seldom missed an opportunity to talk with an old-timer who could tell me about the days and ways of America's heroic age."

Among these original sources of material he lists such persons as George Bent, son of Col. William Bent and Owl Woman, and grandson of the Keeper of the Cheyenne Medicine Arrows; Left Hand, Washoe, Watine and Watson of the Arapaho Indians and Wolf Chief, Burnt All Over, Tomon, Nose Thunder, Edmond Guerrier of the Cheyennes. In addition to these and his stepfather, James Robert Campbell, who served on the staff of Bancroft, the historian, and spent much of his time in making investigations in the Southwest, the author of this book has made use of the resources of such historians as George Bird Grinnell, Edwin L. Sabin, H. M. Chittenden, R. L. Thwaites, and Henshe C. Grant, who has been published for the first time Carson's own memoirs.

As one of the "Big Four of the American Frontier"—the other three are Daniel Boone, Davy Crockett and Sam Houston—Kit Carson has been much-written about. But as Mr. Vestal points out "Kit's first biographers made him out a striking but unaccountable hero. They placed him in a spotlight which threw all the background of his age in shadow, representing him as at once blameless and colorless. The effect was to make the man incredible, and to leave the reader with a hunch that the evidence had been doctored. To make matters worse, the Western Hero became commercialized, and the country was flooded with shoddy and cheap consideration—posed and postured and made of the Old West a cheap burlesque. This sickening spectacle made us all more skeptical than ever, and Kit Carson seemed about to go to the way of the noble Red man in popular favor. For there was no readable 'life' to relate the man to the character of the times he lived in, no cred-

ible account of the typical product of that heroic age when trick cowboys and professional hunters were as yet unknown. As research moves up the corners and corrects the errors of the earlier accounts of his career, it is to become more clear that the legend needs reworking. It is time to retell the adventures of this great little man."

And that is what Mr. Vestal has done—retold Kit Carson's adventures and projected the action of the epistolary against an authentic background of the Old West in which Kit Carson, himself, first chapter he offers an interpretation of Kit Carson, the man and the frontiersman, which sums him up as follows:

Dispassionate comparison will demonstrate how worthy he is of a rank even with the best of legendary heroes. Kit Carson's endless journeys through the wilderness make the faded Mediterranean wanderings of Odysseus seem week-end excursions of a stay-at-home. His humanity rivals Robin Hood's, in readiness to fight and in ability to women. He was a great soldier at the Round Table, his courage and coolness against hopeless odds may be matched only by surpassed by the Old Norse heroes; while his progress in life which these "unconscious empire-builders" had Indians and mulling treaties with good ones, trapping, hunting, dancing, drinking and loving. For instance Carson did not go with Fremont to "bury the Stars and Stripes" to the summit of the Rockies and who that territory for his country," as the sentimental-historians would have it. "Kit went with Fremont" says Mr. Vestal, "because he loved Josephina (his third and last wife) and wanted to better himself. Like most people who do things in the world of affairs, he was moved by no grand scheme or highfalutin sense of service or honor, but simply set his heart on a woman and a little money." And that is sound common sense.

His manner of dying was as simple as the manner of his living. The end came May 23, 1869, at Fort Lyon, Colorado, where he was under the care of a young surgeon. He was tired of the food that had been given him.

"Cook me some fast rate delish," said the old scout, "A buffalo steak and a bowl of coffee and a pipe are what I need."

The surgeon warned him that the meat would probably be fatal. But Kit insisted and the surgeon, knowing that he was going soon, did not oppose him. The doctor followed. Kit called out "I'm gone! Doctor, comrade, adios!" The end was swift.

So died Kit Carson, brave, unaffected, self-sufficient to the last puff of his old gut-stem, a valiant frontiersman, with the bull meant under his belt, and the old gaiters in his tired eyes, blowing smoke into the jaws of death, whom he had flouted so often. "This is the happy warrior; this is he. That every man in arms should wish to be."

N. M., with the wagon train of Bent St. Vrain and company, Indian and Mexican traders, which was to launch him upon his amazing career as a mountain man, scout, guide for General Fremont, Indian fighter, Civil War leader on the New Mexican frontier, guardian of the Santa Fe trail and "Father Kit" in the government's dealings with the Indians.

Such a career, of course, with its multitude of thrilling incidents gave the "Wild West" type of writer a chance to do his best (or worst) and few of them failed to make the most of the opportunity in writing of Kit Carson. The result has been a jumble of truth and absurdity which fully justifies this latest Carson biography's criticism of its predecessors. But he has explored many of the old legends and in their place substituted either the facts, or theories which can be accepted as logical and reasonable.

For instance, Carson has been painted as a man with a vision of the vast empire of the West which he was to help open up. This new picture of Carson shows him as an empire builder, all right, but not because he intended to be one but because he liked the life which these "unconscious empire-builders" had Indians and mulling treaties with good ones, trapping, hunting, dancing, drinking and loving. For instance Carson did not go with Fremont to "bury the Stars and Stripes" to the summit of the Rockies and who that territory for his country," as the sentimental-historians would have it. "Kit went with Fremont" says Mr. Vestal, "because he loved Josephina (his third and last wife) and wanted to better himself. Like most people who do things in the world of affairs, he was moved by no grand scheme or highfalutin sense of service or honor, but simply set his heart on a woman and a little money." And that is sound common sense.

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Protecting Investors  
Though differing slightly in some of the states, the blue-sky laws are much alike in their essential features. They are designed to regulate the sale of stocks, bonds and other securities, but in practice their application has been extended to a wide range of investment enterprises. The law usually contains a penal clause prescribing penalty for fraud in the sale or negotiation of securities and vests in a certain officer or body the power to investigate all transactions of this kind.

wasted an hour trying to quiz him, the dean of the scribblers complained: "You have remained absolutely silent on some of the most important public questions."  
"In these days," replied the senator, "the man who can remain resolutely silent, demonstrates that he holds a rather important position in public affairs."

An alligator's nest contains about 30 eggs.

## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### THE REWARD

Over in a corner of a hut sat many fairies in very dark colors. They wore hoods which were dark too, and carried little wooden buckets.

"They had old wrinkled faces but under the wrinkles one could see they were smiling."

Their eyes looked young, very young and jolly and twinkling.

"Are they witches?" asked the brownies who had arrived with the other fairies and asked for the party being given by Witty Witch.

"No," said Witty Witch "they are not witches, but they are fairies."

"Fairies?" exclaimed the brownies, how does it happen that we have never met them before? We thought we knew all the fairies."

"Perhaps you will know these," said Witty Witch, "when they put on their party clothes."

"They thought it would be fun to show you their old clothes for a while."

"Their costumes were of gold and on their heads they wore crowns of gold where the black hoods had been."

Instead of looking old and wrinkled their faces were lovely and young, looking. Their skin was smooth and pink and their hair like gold with the sun shining upon it.

"You see," said the fairy who had

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Karo and Pancakes

Doc's Birdie  
Banker—Doctor, six months ago you advised me to take up golf to get my mind off my work.

Doctor—I did.  
Banker—Well, for goodness' sake, prescribe something to get it back again.—London Answers.

Another Side  
"Truth is stranger than fiction," "Yes, but they're apt to sue you for printing it."

If you use Red Cross Ball Blue in your laundry you will not be troubled by those "tiny rust spots, often caused by inferior bluing. Try it and see.—Adv.

Crusoe's Isle Tunes In  
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Even the magic word of command, "We are really very, very old."

"We're almost the oldest fairies there are. And set we look like this because we want to do so. That's because of one great thing which, we're never forgotten."

"That great thing is the understanding, and love which we do so. That's because we know what they like and what they want, and so we always keep young."

"Anyone who always understands children keeps young, you know. They may not be able to wear our glittering costumes but their voices, their eyes and their ways are young. And children don't feel they're old."

"But the ones who don't like children—they grow old, right away."

"Oh, they grow so old, because they have missed understanding the nicest of people!"

"They're the ones who say, 'Oh dear, what a noisy children do make. And what a nervous it does make me to hear children play!'"

"They're the ones who have forgotten about the time when they were young."

"They say: 'Dear me, how you've grown! Or they say, 'What do children want of those trashy old toys?'"

"But because we're always understood they call us the Fairies—who never-grow-old, and we've given the magic power of changing into these wondrous costumes because we're, ever-young."

"Isn't that a fine reward?" asked Witty Witch as she set out the big table for the games they were all going to play.

And every one agreed that it was, and that these fairies deserved the reward.

## He Had Her Number

Bobby's mother raised a surprised cat. One day a woman from the city came to visit his mother. Bobby watched her closely. When his mother went to the kitchen for refreshments Bobby followed her.

"Mother," he exclaimed excitedly, "Mrs. Blank a fine blood!"

"What makes you ask such a question?" his mother demanded.

"Well, you look when you go back out there and you will see she has tags in her ears."

## At the Races

Father—"I'd bet on Leaping Lena, but I think she's sick."

Young Son—"No she isn't. See she's wagging her tail."

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## Roman Punishments

The following punishments were meted out to the offender in ancient Rome: The multa, or fine; vincula, imprisonment; or fetters; verbera, or stripes; talia, or flogging; or crucis, similar to injury, i. e., limb for a limb; infamia, public disgrace, by which the delinquent, besides being socialized, was rendered ineligible for holding public office and deprived of other privileges of Roman citizenship.

## Roman Punishments

ship; exilium, banishment; death, either civil or natural. Natural death was brought about by hanging, scourging, strangling, or throwing the criminal headlong from the Tiberian rock, or from a place in prison, from the Robur.

## To Be Trused

Silence was one of the greatest reasons for the continued political success of the late Senator Lodge of Massachusetts. On one occasion, after the Washington correspondents had



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(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, 1221 Western Newspaper Union)

**Lesson for June 10**

**THE ARREST AND TRIAL**

**LESSON TEXT**—Mark 14:43-15:15.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—He was despised, and rejected of men (Lk. 24:34).  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—How Wicked Men Treated Jesus.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—The Trial of Jesus.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—The Trial of Jesus.  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—Jesus Facing His Enemies.

**I. The Betrayal and Arrest (vv. 43-52).**

1. The sign to the mob (vv. 43-47). With the basest hypocrisy Judas pointed out Jesus to the mob by a kiss, the sign of love.

2. Jesus forsaken by all (vv. 48-52). At the sight of His betrayal, one of Jesus' disciples attempted to defend Him by resorting to the sword but seeing that He made no attempt at resistance they all fled. Their courage failed them in the hour of trial. How little man knows of his own weakness until the crucial hour comes.

**II. Jesus Before the Sanhedrin (vv. 53-65).**

1. Contradictory testimony of false witnesses (vv. 53-60). The chief priests and all the council sought for witnesses against Jesus to put Him to death, but they found none because there was no unity of testimony. They accused Him of having declared that He was the Son of God. He would build again the temple if it were destroyed.

2. The high priest's questions (vv. 60-65).

(1) "What is it that these witness against Thee?" To this Jesus was silent, showing that no evidence had yet been given worthy of an answer.

(2) "Art thou the Christ?" To this He definitely replied, "I am," and quoted a Scripture passage which they recognized as referring to the Messiah. This claim they answered with buffetings and the most shameful treatment.

**III. Peter Denies His Lord (vv. 66-72).**

Though Peter loved Jesus, yet in the hour of supreme trial he failed. Grievous as his sin was, it was not like that of Judas. His failure was due to:

1. Boasting self-confidence (vv. 29-31).

2. Lack of watchfulness (v. 37).

3. Neglect of prayer (v. 38).

4. Service in the energy of the flesh (v. 47).

5. Following Jesus afar off (v. 54).

6. Seeking comfort among the Lord's enemies (v. 67, cf. Luke 22:50).

7. Open denial (vv. 68-72). His backsliding really began when he shrank from the cross.

**IV. Jesus Arraigned Before Pilate (15:1-15).**

In the early morning after the trial before the high priest they bound Jesus and delivered Him to Pilate. They acted freely in this according to the evil desires of their own hearts, yet He was delivered up by the determined council and foreknowledge of God (Acts 2:23). The Jews would gladly have killed Him, but they had not the authority to do so. They delivered Him to the Gentile governor, thus involving the Jews and the Gentiles in the crowning act of the world's sin. Pilate questioned Him without delay for they accused Him of pretending to be a king. "Thou sayest," was His only reply. To the stammering accusations of the chief priests and elders He made no reply, to the utter astonishment of Pilate. Pilate sought to release Him because he had no conviction of His innocence. After several unsuccessful efforts to escape responsibility, the expedient of letting the people choose between Herod and Jesus was resorted to. He no doubt thought that Jesus would be chosen rather than the notorious Barabbas.

**Cast Thyself at His Feet**

The fever of worldliness that burns in the blood, the ill-temper, the unkindness, the impatience, the dreadful mania of avarice that turns the heart to stone, the dim vision of Himself, the fretting fear, the foolish envy—how loathsome in His sight is that of which we make so little! Cast thyself at His feet until He make thee clean!—Mark Guy Pearse.

**Our Obedience**

God wants work of us. He offers His power to us if we will work with Him. Greater deeds than have ever been done do not wait upon His willingness but upon our obedience.—Robert E. Speer.

**Joy**

"Joy is there if we will set ourselves to find it—Joy in labor, joy in love, joy in the beauty of earth around us, joy that waits like a hidden well to bubble up in hearts that are open to it."

**No Sorrow Too Great**

No sorrow is too great to endure if it reveals to us some new beauty in Christ, or brings out in us some new feature of Christlikeness.—J. I. Miller.

**TAILORED LINENS FOR CHILDREN; PRACTICAL DAYTIME COSTUMES**



**VERY NEAT AND SMART**

**MECH** enthusiasm is expressed for linen this season. Both the sheer handkerchief quality and the heavier grades are sponsored. Of course, it is the latter which fashionists are using for playtime frocks.

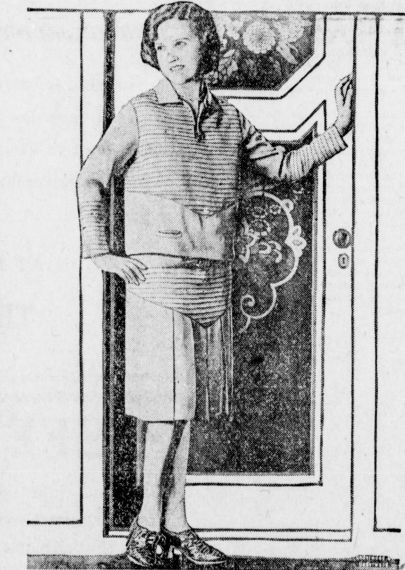
Youngsters are looking very smart and very neat in linens cut along simplest one-piece lines as shown in the picture. Clever little dresses, on the order of this one, showing a touch of handwork so as to individualize them, are the "just worn" from Paris. They need not necessarily be of linen, although linen is first choice, for cotton poplin, wash broadcloth and pique are also highly regarded.

The linen frock illustrated emphasizes its claim to up-to-date style in that its unique zigzag seams, are fastened as you see. There is a perfect craze for fingering this season. Everybody's doing it. And it's being lavished on grownups' clothes as well as children's. It shows off its prettiest on a solid-colored, sheer linen and such, also in connection with the dressier chiffons andorgettes. Now that fingering is so popular, mothers who make their children's clothes need not be in a quandary as to how to finish seams and hems, the answer is

also wear much more with red this summer. Tucks have departed from "the straight and narrow path." There is no accounting for their whims. They ramble all over one's frock and likewise one's coat, in patterns which testify to the skill and ingenuity of the modern stylist.

Tucks are apt to strike off in any direction, horizontally, vertically, diagonally, in circles, not unlikely in a "loop-the-loop" performance, or perhaps follow a course like rays from a setting sun. It all depends upon the caprice of the designer, who, this season is making it a point to use tucks in a trimming way.

It adds greatly to the interest of the theme that tucks are so trickily treated. Then, too, the vogue for self-



**TUCKS GIVE CHIC STYLING**

forgot them. Do this either with self-directed contrasting thread.

Perfectly charming are this season's linen ensemble costumes for little girls. A favorite model is a plaited skirt with a sewed-on-at-the-waistline sleeveless blouse top. This may be of any tone, gray, buff, white or colors. The jacket, also of linen, to be worn with it, is made either of gray print or of some contrasting color.

Many interesting trimmings decorate these heavier linens. There is rick-rack braid, for instance. It is being cunningly worked into flowers and motifs which are then applied to the linen. Soutache braiding on plique or heavy linen is used quite a little. Appliques are particularly favored. These appear in every shape and form, although it would seem as if geometric designs predominated.

Designers of children's apparel are taking every advantage of color and design that youth will allow. The lightest-lacquered shades are combined, such as a green coat over a yellow tuck, or a lavender flowered ermine-jacket with a rose or french blue

trim encourages the use of soft fabric manipulation, such as tucks so readily afford.

It pleased the creator of the attractive frocks in the picture to run tuck upon tuck horizontally, giving the group-tucking a pointed yoke outline on both blouse and skirt. The deep tucked sleeves are in keeping with the general scheme. The medium for this dress is flat crepe, a material which always tucks beautifully.

Pintucks are a favored decoration for cloth coats, especially the furless types. So important are tiny tucks they appear not only on the coat itself but across the inevitable scarf ends which stream out from most necklines.

As every one knows, cape coats are the rage. It adds to the attractiveness of the cape if it be fitted to the neck at the back by means of tiny tucks radiating toward the shoulders in almost a cove fashion. Many of the new felt hats, also linen straw and crochets, simulate tucks, which apparently give them the desired shapeliness.

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**Adopt**  
"That fellow knows his onions."  
"He was born in Bermuda."  
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The war has made table linen very valuable. The use of Red Cross Ball Blue will add to its wearing qualities. Use it and see. All grocers.—Adv.

**Measuring Servant Time**  
"How long did your last maid stay with you?"  
"Oh, just about half a tervecser."

**Never Too Late**  
Cortlandt Bleeker nodded from a window of the Knickerbocker club toward a painted old lady with a golden bob who swaggered down Fifth avenue in very high-heeled slippers of snakeskin, flesh-colored silk stockings and a shirt that ended an inch or two above her knees.  
"It is never too late to pretend," he said.

**Determined**  
Patient—Will I get well?  
Doctor—Yes, sir. You'll get well if it costs you \$50,000.

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Messrs. Curtis Taylor and R. A. Standifer were business visitors in Clovis Tuesday.

Misses Opal Morris, Jewel Haney and Buford Butts and David Anderson spent the week-end in Lubbock, the guests of Miss Babe Green.

John Davis of the Fairview community was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Messdames A. V. McCarty, Jr., Byron Griffiths like Robinson and Ray Griffiths were in Clovis shopping Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jenkins were back in Muleshoe for a short time Saturday.

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**Texas and Texans**

By Will H. Hayes

**East Texas Optimism**  
The spirit of optimism prevailing throughout East Texas is in marked contrast with the feeling that existed two or three years ago, or before the organization of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce. Perhaps the same feeling was there then, but it lacked co-ordination, and it was the possession of the few rather than of the many about one man in every ten entertained a vague dream that East Texas would in time overcome its lastitude and become thoroughly awakened to its possibilities. The rest were either despondent or thought, "East Texas is getting along all right, thank you." It is true that there were some exceptional communities and a number of thrifty towns and enterprising small cities where these conditions did not exist--where there was hearty co-operation in purely local affairs. But these could not by themselves do much toward a sectional upbuilding, and knowing this they did not try. Almost in a spirit of desperation the scattered East Texas enthusiasts and the progressive communities and towns, stimulated by the success of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in unifying the West Texas people, got together some two years ago and organized the East Texas Chamber of Commerce. The splendid result is evident everywhere.

**People Have Changed**

Time enough has not elapsed since the work of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce was organized to bring about much change in the appearance of either the towns or the country. The traveler passing hurriedly through might conclude that it is the same old East Texas. The change is in the people themselves, in their attitude toward life and especially toward their own communities, their neighbors and the necessity for standing together and working quietly and hard for the good of all. The people themselves may not have noticed this change in themselves. We scarcely realize the progress we make in a few years. But those who see us only occasionally are quick to notice either growth or deterioration. East Texas men and women as a whole have not been so smothered under inaction. It is hopefulness accompanied by determination--a desire for greater achievement--a pride in letting others know that East Texas is coming into its own.

**Selfishness Passing**

One East Texan with whom I talked a few minutes at Longview when the editors stopped there on the way to their convention at Texarkana, said: "East Texans are now seeing that we have been too selfish and self-centered; we haven't looked far enough beyond our own little farms to study the possibilities of improving our own conditions and at the same time helping the other fellows. Perhaps it has been because we have been making a living so easily that we haven't thought it necessary, but we have at last found that even if life has been easy it hasn't been as full as it might have been if we had been more active in our own interests and in neighborliness. We have never been unfriendly to the highest development of our section, but just indifferent--that is most of us has been."

No one is optimistic enough to hope that selfishness will ever die, but there is something in organized and united effort for community, sectional and state upbuilding that helps to make us "love our neighbors as ourselves" in a peculiarly striking way--a way that reacts in our own development.

**The Longview Home**

The Texas Press Association had a part in dedicating the new \$30,000 home of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, which was donated to the organization by citizens of Longview to secure for Longview the permanent home. Many chamber of commerce secretaries from East Texas were there by invitation, as were many other citizens of all parts of East Texas. All rejoiced with the Association in having such a splendid home and with Longview in thus attesting its confidence in the future of the organization. There was no jealousy evident. The home is regarded as an East Texas and not a Longview achievement, but it is the home of the new spirit that exists in East Texas. Its beautiful architecture typifies the awakening of all East Texans.

**Most Notable Movement**

Diversification of a kind that enables East Texas to live at home is perhaps the most notable recent change in East Texas. It is no longer a cotton country exclusively, nor is corn the only other crop, as it once was. The East Texas farmer is now growing more different kinds of crops than he knew of a few years ago--and best of all perhaps, he is turning to dairying and poultry and hog raising as farm side-lines. Dairying has been made profitable by the help of the local chambers of commerce, assisted by the parent organization, in building creameries, cheese factories and other milk products plants that furnish rich and satisfactory prices for milk and butter fat. And dairying is helping the farmer to make greater profits from hogs and poultry. It is also aiding in building up much-depleted soil.

**Farm Buildings Better**

East Texas farm buildings "ain't what they used to be." Improved conditions on East Texas farms are rapidly being shown in improved homes and other farm buildings. Painted farm buildings are seen all along the roads. Shrubbery and flowers, orchards, gardens are noticed everywhere. Good roads are glimpsed near the railroads, automobiles may be seen at almost every home, and radio aerials attest the desire for wider information. The people evidently live in comfort. They travel. They enjoy life. The country is again catching up with the towns in the matter of comfortable conditions.

**People Much Alike**

What has been written here has not been with a purpose of boosting East Texas, but it has been to let you see something of the changes as I have noticed them. I am sure that the spirit now prevailing in that part of Texas is pretty much the same spirit that is found all over the state. I find that wherever I go and forth in the press from all sections. We read much of financial depression in the Northern and Eastern states. Of course people have financial difficulties everywhere, but in no part of Texas are such conditions general. Texas is unusually prosperous. Its people are living better than they have ever lived, and whether a Texan's home is in East, West, North, South or Central Texas, he is likely to think that his is the "good spot" of the state. He should think so, for after all it isn't so much where one lives as how he lives that makes for happiness and contentment.

**Knowing Each Other**

To my mind the greatest accomplishment of both the local and regional chambers of commerce in Texas has been in bringing the people to knowing each other better, in acquainting one section with another, town people with country people, rich with poor, and showing us that we are all built pretty much out of the same material.

**A LONG STEP AHEAD**

Whatever may be its shortcomings and regardless of what it should have done that it hasn't done, Congress deserves a general vote of thanks for providing Mississippi Valley flood relief. We feel safe in saying that every man in Muleshoe, regardless of what theories he may have as to other needed legislation, will admit that when it comes to something that will be a blessing to the whole country, and the salvation of a dozen states the flood relief bill stood out above all the rest. Congress has passed the bill, the president has signed it, and there probably will be little delay in starting a war to preserve our national honor by digging the Panama canal. The sum of \$225,000,000 is fixed as the cost of it, but the job will be worth a billion dollars if it brings the end to the menace caused by this unruly old body of water. We think nothing of spending billions in a war to preserve our national honor--then why quibble over a few millions spent to preserve the lives and property of our fellowmen? Flood relief is coming, and more irrigation projects for the west. They are bound to come because they are things we can't get along without much longer. It is a good idea to keep on agitating along that line but don't overlook the fact that Congress is entitled to the nation's thanks for projects America has ever attempted starting one of the most important--the curbing of the Mississippi flood demon.

**New Nematodes of Birds Described in Bulletin**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In "Nematodes of Pathological Significance Found in Some Economically Important Birds in North America," just published by the United States Department of Agriculture as Technical Bulletin No. 21, Elmer R. Cranz of the bureau of animal industry reports on eight parasitic nematodes, part of which are familiar abroad but only recently discovered in this country, and part believed to be new in science. The latter are described and names proposed. The parasites include such diverse groups as strongyles, spirurids and capillarids, and the hosts include the chicken, turkey, domestic and wild geese, wild ducks, carrier pigeons, domestic pigeons, guinea fow and quail, all economically important. "The finding within less than a year and a half that parasitic nematodes are responsible for such a variety of previously unrecognized pathological conditions in birds," says the author, "suggests that the role played by these parasites has been considerably underestimated and that other significant forms will doubtless be found in this country if sufficient search is made for them."

Technical Bulletin No. 21 may be obtained free, while the supply lasts, on application to the Department of Agriculture, Washington.

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