

# The Lynn County News

"I wholly disapprove of what you say but will defend to the death your right to say it."—Voltaire.

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## Criminal Docket Is Up In District Court

### CONVICT EIGHT IN COURT HERE

Criminal Docket Is Being Cleared Rapidly; Cattle Theft Cases Are Postponed

Judge J. E. Garland of Lamesa is here this week holding court for Judge McGuire, who recently suffered a heart attack and is not able to hold court.

A number of criminal cases have been disposed of.

Frank and Louis Contreras, Mexicans, were tried Monday for the theft of a trailer, and each drew a sentence of two years in the penitentiary.

J. B. Castleman and J. D. Davidson were tried separately on an indictment for chicken theft. Davidson was given a two years suspended sentence, but Castleman had served a term in the penitentiary before and was not eligible for a suspension of the sentence. He was sentenced to one year at Huntsville.

Willie Banks, colored, was found guilty of burglarizing another negro's residence, and he got a suspended sentence of two years.

J. F. Millman Jr., a youth of 19, was adjudged guilty of burglarizing a store here in town, and he drew a five years suspended sentence.

Y. S. Barnett was convicted of incest, the State's witness being his niece, and he must serve two years in the pen for his crime.

Texas Taylor was given a year in the penitentiary for the forgery of a check on a Wilson merchant.

Two cases charging Oscar Summers with cattle theft were continued on account of the illness of the defendant, who is in a Lubbock hospital.

Two cases against Buck Brewer were reset for Thursday of next week on account of the illness of Tom Garrard, his attorney.

Two cases against B. E. Garrett, who is charged with burglary, have been set for next Monday.

Sheriff B. L. Parker is to leave today with four convicts for the penitentiary; Frank and Louis Contreras, J. B. Castleman, and Y. S. Barnett.

### Court Of Honor At Lubbock Friday

Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock the local Boy Scout troop plans to attend a special court of honor to be held at the court house in Lubbock.

A special program is to be given in the way of awards. Mr. W. C. McMillan, Lubbock contractor, is to show pictures of his trip to Alaska in connection with the court. All Scouts and Scouters, as well as parents, are urged to attend.

Orvis Weathers arrived Tuesday from Quanah to spend the remainder of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Weathers.

## Luncheon Club Entertained By Phebe K. Warner Club, Centennial Program

With six flags decorating the tables, representing the six sovereign powers that have ruled Texas, the Phebe K. Warner Club Tuesday provided the luncheon and rendered the program for the Tahoka Luncheon Club at the American Legion Hall.

Since Monday, March 2, was the 100th anniversary of the adoption of the Texas Declaration of Independence, and since a great Centennial exposition is to be held in Texas this year, the program given by the ladies Tuesday was of historical nature.

The first flag that ever floated over Texas was that of Spain, Cabeza de Baca and a crew of Spaniards having been shipwrecked on the Texas coast in 1528 but he made his way back to Mexico City. A few years later Coronado made an expedition into Western Texas, marching under the Spanish flag and claiming the country for Spain.

Then came La Salle at the head of a French expedition in 1685. The boundaries of Texas were then un-

### Post Office Will Close Saturdays

Upon instructions from Washington, the Tahoka post office will hereafter be closed each Saturday afternoon, beginning with Saturday of this week. A post office inspector was here this week and insisted that Postmaster W. C. Wells comply with the Government regulations in this respect.

Furthermore, according to a recent regulation, the clerks in the post office here are each allowed to work only 40 hours a week. If you don't like these regulations, don't blame Mr. Wells or the post office employees.

### Pioneer Business House Is Closed

The decision of Karr and R. C. Wells to close out their grocery store here last Thursday must have brought a pang of regret to many citizens of the town and county.

J. S. Wells and Sons opened a general mercantile store in Tahoka in January, 1903, and this store has been in continuous operation until the Wells brothers closed the doors last Thursday, a period of thirty-three years. For many years it was a prosperous concern. Several years ago it encountered difficulties, however, and then came the depression. It weathered the storm, however, until it seems that more prosperous times are here. However, they doubtless felt that the game was not worth the effort, and decided to quit. Harley Wells, who was operating a market in connection with the grocery also closed.

They have not announced their plans for the future but will remain here.

### Local Students On Tech Honor Roll

Eight Lynn county students with Tahoka as their home address made the fall honor roll of Texas Technological College, according to information furnished The News by that institution. The records being made by these students is a compliment to the type of preparation they received in Tahoka and other Lynn county schools.

The following students made an average grade of "A": Jane Tinsley, daughter of M. L. Tinsley; Cleveland Littlepage, son of R. L. Littlepage; and Sylvester Reese, son of J. L. Reese. The latter made all "A's".

The following made a "B" average: Margaret Wetsel, daughter of Jim Wetsel; J. D. Donaldson Jr., son of J. D. Donaldson; Esther Smith, daughter of J. H. Smith, Rt. 4; Jewell Pitts, daughter of A. P. Pitts; and Velma McManis, daughter of E. E. McManis, Route 4.

### League Meet IS MARCH 20-21

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## File Three Names For City Aldermen

The names of the following gentlemen have been filed as candidates for city aldermen, according to Miss Rosemary Nelms, the city secretary: C. E. Woodworth, Homer F. St. Clair, and J. L. Heare.

The terms of Mr. Heare and Otho Thomas expire, while Ed Park resigned a few months ago.

The election is to be held on Tuesday, April 7.

## Littlepage Asking For Commissioner

After much solicitation from his friends throughout the precinct, R. L. (Bob) Littlepage, who lives at Midway in the heart of the precinct, announces this week as a candidate for commissioner of precinct No. 2, which embraces the southeast quarter of Lynn county.

Mr. Littlepage has been a resident of Lynn county and of precinct No. 2 for more than twenty-three years and has resided in various portions of the precinct during this time. He came to the county in 1912, and since then he has resided at Grassland, at Joe Bailey, and at Midway. He spent five years in the Grassland community, three years in the Joe Bailey community, and the past several years he has been residing in the Midway community. He has the utmost respect of the people of every community in which he has resided. He is one of Lynn county's best citizens, honest, efficient, and progressive, and if elected to the position to which he aspires, there is no doubt but that he would serve the people of his precinct and of the entire county faithfully and well. His announcement follows:

To the Voters of Precinct No. 2: I take this method of announcing my candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

If elected to this important office, I promise to perform the duties thereof in an economic and efficient manner.

I have had four years experience in road-building in Lynn county, and am in other ways familiar with the responsibilities and duties of a County Commissioner.

Your vote and influence in behalf of my candidacy will be greatly appreciated. Yours for ECONOMY.

R. L. (Robert) Littlepage.

## G. W. DOUTHIT DIED MONDAY

Native Texan, Born Year Civil War Started, Buried Tuesday; Here Eight Years

G. W. Douthit, native Texan, born in the first year of the great Civil War and named in honor of the Father of his country, died at his home here in south Tahoka late Monday afternoon, March 2, on the one hundredth anniversary of Texas independence.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Baptist Church, of which deceased was a member and a deacon, and the remains were laid to rest in the Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of Harris & Applewhite, undertakers.

Mr. Douthit had been in bad condition apparently did not become serious until three or four weeks ago. For several days before death, he lingered on the very brink of the grave.

George Washington Douthit was born on November 4, 1861, in Anderson county, Texas.

He was married to Miss Bettie Garner on December 18, 1884, and to this union one son was born, Henry Douthit, who has long been a resident of Lynn county, his home being a few miles east of Tahoka.

In middle life Mr. Douthit united with the Baptist Church, and for about twenty years he had been a deacon. For the past eight years he had been residing in or near Tahoka. Practically his entire life was spent as a farmer. He was an honest, humble, God-fearing man, who tried to do his duty to his family, his friends, his country, and his God.

He left surviving him his faithful companion of many years, one son, and four grandchildren, all of whom were present at the time of his death.

A good man has gone to his reward.

## 4-H Club Boy Calf Show Date Is Set

The second annual Lynn County Boys' Fat Calf Show will be held in Tahoka Saturday, March 7, according to V. F. Jones, county agent.

Entries in the show will be from 4-H Club boys and from Vocational Agriculture boys of Tahoka and Wilson high schools. The judging of the calves will take place about 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon on the street between Harris & Applewhite's and the Court House square.

Premiums contributed by the business men and other citizens of Tahoka will be awarded to the winners.

The public is invited to attend this show and see the work the boys are doing.

## Fred House Out For Commissioner

F. E. (Fred) House is ambitious to serve Lynn county as one of her commissioners. His name appears in the proper column of The News this week as a candidate for commissioner of precinct No. 4, the New Home precinct.

Born and reared in Bell county, Fred got a whiff of these plains breezes a little more than ten years ago and immediately made up his mind to make his home in Lynn county. For almost ten years now he has followed the lucrative occupation of farming in the New Home and Dixie communities.

He is a man of fine common sense, has a happy disposition, and knows how to get along with the public. Genteel and accommodating, thoroughly acquainted with the needs of his precinct, and a man of the strictest integrity, Fred House is good material for county commissioner. His educational qualifications are above the average, having graduated in the Temple High School and having taken two years of college work in the A. & M. College of Texas.

He has many friends here, and throughout the northwest quarter of the county who will give him their earnest support.

## Construction Starts On School Building

### Oil Company Is Making Survey

The Continental Oil Company, we are informed, has a crew here making a geo-physical survey of Lynn county. The crew consists of three men.

Geologists and oil men may know something of the value and significance, if any, of such a survey, but it is all Greek to most of us.

It is probable, however, that some of the big oil companies will make another test for oil in Lynn county within the next year or two.

### Little Prospect For P W A Aid On Water Works

Mayor Jim Dye and Aldermen Otho Thomas and Joe Bovell, accompanied by County Judge W. E. Smith and County Commissioner George Small, made a trip to Big Spring Wednesday to interview district officials of the WPA respecting Tahoka's application for aid in laying a water main from the new wells a mile north of town to the city reservoir.

This project has been approved by WPA officials, we understand, but the Tahoka officials received little encouragement Wednesday to the effect that the promised aid would be forthcoming. They were informed by the district office that the chief trouble is lack of available labor in Lynn county. With two highway projects under construction it is claimed that there is not enough relief roll labor here to do the job. The Tahoka people were notified that definite announcement would probably be made about March 15, however.

Mr. Thomas stated Thursday that if WPA aid is not forthcoming, the City will undertake to make some kind of shift whereby the new wells can be connected with the city plant.

### English Is Giving Will Rogers Photos

D. B. English of the English Theatre has been passing out beautiful tinted photographs of the late Will Rogers to patrons of his show the past few days.

Will Rogers' last picture, "In Old Kentucky" will show here Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday.

### Prominent Attorney Here

Dayton Moses of Fort Worth, attorney for the Texas Cattle Raisers Association, is here this week assisting District Attorney Truett Smith in the cattle theft charges against Oscar Summers and Buck Brewer.

## Thomas Bros. One of Oldest Firms In City, Bought By Wynne Collier, Post

The people of Tahoka were greatly surprised when Messrs. C. A. and W. O. Thomas announced last Friday that they had sold the Thomas Bros. Drug store to Mr. Wynne Collier of Post; and that the latter gentleman would take charge of the business on March 1.

Thomas Brothers have been actively engaged in business here longer than any other concern in town with one or two exceptions. The Thomas Bros. Drug store opened here in September, 1907, with A. I. Thomas in charge. A. I. and C. A. were the proprietors, but A. I. also owned a drug store in Lamesa established in 1906 and C. A. remained in Lamesa in charge of that business until September, 1908, when he disposed of the business there and joined A. I. in the operation of the store here.

For a number of years W. O. was the manager of a string of drug stores in Mexico owned by a copper mining company. In 1914 he gave up this position and came to

### ASK BIDS FOR LAST PROJECT

Work Expected To Proceed Until School Building Is Completed; Started Monday

Preliminary work on the new grade school building was begun Monday, getting the grounds and the material ready. On Wednesday afternoon the excavation work was begun, about fifteen men being employed on the job.

V. D. Shell of Lubbock is the contractor, the contract for the construction of the foundation having been awarded him soon after the bonds were voted. S. B. Haynes of Lubbock is the architect who planned the structure.

Mr. Shell states that he will probably have as many as 25 men at work before the job is finished. He estimates that it will require about fifty days to complete the job of laying the foundation, with good weather prevailing.

Notice of bids for the construction of the brick work is being published in this issue of the News. It is contemplated that work will proceed continuously until the building is completed. About \$72,000 is available for the construction and equipment of the building, bonds in the sum of \$40,000 having been voted by the people of the district and a grant of more than \$32,000 of PWA funds having been made by the Federal government.

## New Grocery Is Opening Saturday

We call attention to the announcement of the new Guarantee Food Market on another page of this paper heralding the fact that this store will be open for business Saturday.

The proprietors of this new store have had much experience in the grocery business and they are establishing this store here as a permanent enterprise.

Mr. Olen Stewart for ten years has been connected with the wholesale grocery business at Lubbock, while Mr. J. O. Garlington is the successful manager of a Piggly-Wiggly store in Littlefield.

The third member of the new firm, Mr. Lloyd Reid, has also been connected with the Littlefield Piggly-Wiggly Store for several years, and he will be the manager of the new store here.

Tahoka already has some progressive and up-to-date grocery stores, but it is believed that another one of this type will serve to extend Tahoka's trade territory and to draw many people this way who have been doing much of their shopping elsewhere.

# News Review of Current Events the World Over

## Japanese Rebels Slay Four Statesmen and Dictatorship Is Rumored—Hagood's Removal Starts a Row—Vandenberg Won't Enter the Ohio Primary.

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MILITARISTS of Japan, led by a group of young army officers who were impatient with the government's policy of economy and restraint in the matter of advances in China and Mongolia, suddenly staged a revolt in Tokyo with the avowed purpose of eliminating liberal statesmen whom they considered obstacles to the restoration of a military dictatorship under imperial rule. Seizing certain government buildings in the capital, they rushed to the homes of the listed statesmen and succeeded in assassinating four—Premier Admiral Keiske Okada; Admiral Viscount Makoto, former premier and lord keeper of the privy seal; Gen. Jotaro Watanabe, chief of military education, and Koryeiko Takahashi, finance minister. Several others were wounded, and several of all of them were killed.



Emperor Hirohito

Emperor Hirohito immediately took charge of the situation, called a council of state and made Fumio Goto temporary premier. Martial law was proclaimed in Tokyo and the loyal army forces, largely outnumbering the rebels, surrounded the latter in the building they had taken. Meanwhile the second fleet, also loyal, moved up to the mouth of Tokyo bay, its guns dominating the city.

During the first day of the uprising an agreement was reached that the rebel troops should return to their barracks, but this they refused to do. Then the censorship, temporarily raised, was clamped down again. Diplomatic quarters in Shanghai received a report that Gen. Sadao Araki, former minister of war, had established a military dictatorship. He has been the most chauvinistic of all Japan's high army officers.

Political observers in Tokyo believed that the emperor's advisers would urge the right wing elements to be given a chance to form a cabinet, to see whether they would be able to conduct the government.

Even liberal political sources shared this belief, confident that such an experiment would produce a strong public reaction to the left, permitting early restoration of a normal government.

SENATE and house conferees patched up the new farm bill, substitute for the invalidated AAA, both houses accepted the revised measure and it was sent to the White House. Senator Borah argued in vain especially against the so-called "consumers" amendment, which authorizes the "re-establishment" at as rapid a rate as the secretary of agriculture determines to be practicable and in the general public interest, of the ratio between the purchasing power of the net income per person on farms and the income per person not on farms that prevailed during the five-year period August, 1909, to July, 1914.

Speaking of the extraordinary delegation of power to the secretary of agriculture, Senator Borah said: "We are now asked to confer upon him a task which would require omniscience. It is manifestly on the face of it an absurdity.

"This idea that even by divine power you can go out and equalize the purchasing power of the producer and equalize the purchasing power of the laborer, when above them both is a power which is fixing a rule under which they live, is to me inconceivable."

ON THE ground that the seed loan requirements of farmers can be met from relief funds on hand, President Roosevelt vetoed the \$50,000,000 crop production bill passed by congress. In his message he called attention to his budget message urging that congress provide additional taxes if it enacted legislation imposing charges not covered in the budget. He said he expected, last year, that such loans as the seed loan would be tapered off. He realizes they still are necessary but added:

"I am fully convinced that the immediate and actual need to which I have referred can be met during the year 1936 by an expenditure of funds materially less than that proposed in the bill under discussion."

SUMMARY removal of Maj. Gen. Johnson Hagood from his command of the Eighth Corps area because of his critical expressions concerning the WPA and other New Deal activities stirred up a pretty row in Washington. Gen. Mallin Craig, chief of staff, signed the order to Hagood, by order of the secretary of war and the President. The Republicans in congress, backed up by Tom Blanton of Texas and some other Democrats, assailed the action vigorously, and Senator Metcalf of Rhode Island introduced a resolution for an inquiry into the incident on behalf of "free speech."

Breaking its "usual role of silence," the War department made public a let-

ter from General Craig to Secretary Dern, declaring Hagood's record was "marked by repeated examples of lack of self-control, irresponsible and intemperate statements."

Hagood had told a house subcommittee that it was "almost impossible" to get WPA's "stage money" for "anything worthwhile." These remarks, said Craig, "can only be characterized as flippant in tone and entirely uncalled for and designed to bring ridicule and contempt upon civil agencies of the government."

Accusing him of "thinly veiled" opposition and "contempt" toward War department policies in the past, Craig pointed out as "contemptuous" Hagood's references to CCC activities as "hobbies," "collecting postage stamps" and "taking an interest in butterflies." Seeking a quick settlement of the controversy, Senator Byrnes, Democrat, and Representative McSwain, Democratic chairman of the house military affairs committee, both of whom hail from Hagood's home state of South Carolina, arranged a conference with Secretary of War Dern. This had no result.

SENATOR VANDENBERG of Michigan has formally declined to enter the Ohio Presidential primary, but does not bar himself from consideration for the Republican nomination. Writing to the Republican state committee of Ohio, in reply to an inquiry as to whether he would run, Vandenberg asserted his "sole interest" in the Republican convention was that it should make "the wisest possible decisions respecting both party leadership and party policies."

To conform to Ohio law, the Borah forces have found the required "second choice." This is Frank E. Gannett of Rochester, N. Y., publisher of a chain of newspapers, who has agreed to fight alongside the Idaho senator for Ohio's 52 delegates, to receive the votes of those pledged to Borah should the nomination of the latter be blocked in the convention. Mr. Gannett has expressed the belief that Borah is the one member of the party "most likely to recover the upstate New York vote," and he also holds the view that the Idahoan would be the strongest candidate in the agricultural states.

WHILE waiting for instructions as to what to do in the matter of taxation, the members of the house—and many others—directed their attention to the investigation of the Townsend pension plan promoters.



J. Jasper Bell

Speaker Byrnes appointed on the probing committee of eight two avowed Townsendites—John H. Tolan, Democrat, and Samuel L. Collins, Republican, both from California. The chairman is J. Jasper Bell of Missouri, Democrat, author of the resolution for the investigation. It was understood that Mr. Bell had already gathered a mass of information to substantiate the charge that the Townsend plan has become a huge racket. The leaders of both parties in congress have been getting rather nervous over the growth of the Townsend movement and are glad to see it attacked; but some impartial observers call attention to the fact that the way the committee is going after it smacks of unconstitutional abridgment of the right to petition.

It was expected that one of the first questions to be considered by the committee would be the salaries received by Dr. Francis E. Townsend, author of the scheme, and R. E. Clements, former California real estate operator, co-founder and general manager.

SENATOR NYE of North Dakota is determined that the war profits bill devised by his munitions committee shall be brought up for consideration at this session. Indeed he more than threatens a filibuster to bring this about, if necessary, to get the measure out of the hands of a finance subcommittee which is headed by Tom Connally of Texas, one of Nye's bitterest opponents.

The Nye bill provides for stiff taxes on earnings and virtual confiscation of individual income above \$10,000 a year in time of war. In addition it would empower the President virtually to conscript industrial leaders to maintain production of essential war supplies.

UNEXPECTEDLY revolting against administration direction, the house voted down, 172 to 164, the bill to exempt from state and local taxation bank stocks held by the Reconstruction corporation. A similar measure passed the senate 38 to 28 the day before. The defeat was surprising because the measure had been unanimously supported by Republicans and Democrats on the house banking committee. Democratic leaders expressed the belief that the measure would not be revived.

The legislation was written after the Supreme court held in a Maryland bank case that the stocks held by RFC were subject to taxation.

## BRISBANE THIS WEEK

If Five Dictators Unite England Is Feverish Wealth for a Good Girl Gen. Mitchell Finds Rest

Rome hints that Mussolini and Hitler have arranged a protective treaty with Austria, Poland and Hungary. Five countries under dictators, united against England and France, still experimenting with the old "democracy," would be interesting.



Arthur Brisbane

Also, Hitler will remember that in 1914 Germany thought she had Italy in a "triple alliance"—Italy-Austria-Germany—but Italy did not stay. Had she stayed, the war might have ended otherwise. That increases Mussolini's bitterness with England trying to cause Italy's defeat by barbarous Ethiopia.

Mr. Eden, young foreign secretary, tells England modern conditions are "dreadfully" like conditions before 1914. England must arm herself to the teeth and have, for final objective, "a world-wide system of collective security which embraces all nations in an authority which is unchallenged and unchallengeable."

That might be done by two or three countries closely united, although the airplane makes everything in war uncertain. It might destroy a capital city and an alliance in one morning, as a pistol destroys the strongest man.

Countess Barbara Hutton Haugwitz-Reventlow has a new baby boy weighing seven and a half pounds, and twenty million dollars; that in gold at the present price would weigh more than thirty thousand pounds. Ask Barbara Hutton Haugwitz-Reventlow, as she holds that small baby, its eyes not focused, one small hand holding her finger, whether she would rather have the baby or the \$20,000,000, and she will think your question silly. She would not take a million millions for the baby.

This proves that any good young woman who marries a kind young man may be richer than any "five and ten" heiress.

Gen. William F. Mitchell was buried in the family burial plot in Milwaukee, not in Arlington cemetery.

Having fought all his life against the enemies of his country and the stupidity of his superiors, he wanted peace at the last.

He lies beside his father, a United States senator from Wisconsin.

General Mitchell has gone wherever patriotic, brave men go; some that opposed him will not follow him there.

At Greenwood Lake, N. Y., a mail-carrying rocket went 2,000 feet from New York to New Jersey over Greenwood lake, while spectators smiled in derision.

Other spectators smiled when Fulton tried his first steamboat.

In Madison, Wis., death masks of Indians, more than 3,000 years old, found in burial grounds, lead back to savages of the Eskimo type that hunted mammoths near the beautiful Wisconsin lakes 15,000 years ago. Those ancient savages, instead of burying the dead, cleaned the skeletons neatly, covered the skulls with lifelike masks of clay, kept their relatives with them for years.

The human race has done queer things always. Russia has Lenin, embalmed, exhibited in the great Red square of Moscow.

The world becomes gradually democratic. In King George's funeral procession everybody walked. At his father's funeral, the great all went on horseback, including King George's cousin, the former kaiser, on a prancing white horse.

Now King Edward VIII orders simpler uniforms, less fancy dressing in Buckingham palace.

President Lewis, fifty, head of the miners' union, plenty of cash on hand, offers William Green, American Federation of Labor head, \$500,000 for a campaign to organize 500,000 men in the steel industry. Mr. Green, a long-time union man, has not accepted the offer. He knows how easy it is for one man to become a fall for the other man's kite.

Dr. Alfred Adler, competent psychologist, says the Dionne quintuplets "should be separated, for their own good."

Mothers will wonder how any psychologist could suggest separating the five small angels, Yvonne, Annette, Cecile, Emilie and Marie.

Mrs. Watson Davis, for Science Service, says the world needs just now: A remedy for the two greatest "killers of men," cancer and organic heart disease; a substitute for power, developed in primitive fashion from oil, coal, etc. That means harnessing the sun to one end of the scale, the atom at the other.

## Claim Victory for Roosevelt

### Observers Believe President Growing in Strength; See Big Fight Ahead

WASHINGTON.—Roosevelt has been President for three years now, and if an election were to be held today he would be elected again with about 294 electoral votes out of the 531 in the electoral college. That means he would have 33 states as the line-up develops now, whereas he had 472 votes in 1932, to Hoover's 59. Roosevelt had the majority in 42 states, and the only large state Hoover carried was Pennsylvania, which both parties now are claiming.

Popularly, Roosevelt now—rates about 55, contrasted to 70 when he was inaugurated; but he has been through a gruelling battle with the opposition propagandists, who have had the advantage of a surly and unfair city press. This combination had Roosevelt down to the 50 mark about two months ago, when the Power Trust filled the air, mails, press and whispering galleries with the sort of mid-trout that every President has to stand for. But by dint of letting the truth come to light, Roosevelt is again on his way upward. By the time he gets into his stride and the country is applauding him for the fighting candidate he is, there is not a Republican now mentioned for the candidacy who can lick him, although two or three of them could give him a stiff battle.

Washington observers believe Roosevelt will grow in strength from now on, and that he will be re-elected by a majority sufficient to mark a genuine victory—but only after a terrific campaign in which every ounce of strength will be used. The poll attracting the most attention here gives to the Republican party the six stalwart states: Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and Delaware as definitely G. O. P., and Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Colorado, Ohio and Illinois as veering Republican. These states have 157 electoral votes out of 531, but Democrats here are confident that Pennsylvania, with its 36 votes, will be carried for Roosevelt. Three great states, with a total of 80 votes—New York, Michigan and Indiana—are listed as 50-50. On the borderline, but veering Democratic with a total of 55 votes, are West Virginia, Maryland, Kansas, Wyoming, Minnesota, South Dakota and Wisconsin.

The 26 remaining states, with 239 votes, are listed definitely Democratic. These are the indications that Roosevelt would be elected today with 294 electoral votes out of 531. My opinion is that he will do better in November, but the situation presages a fierce battle for border states.

### GAVE WORKERS A BREAK

Roosevelt should not have lost the decisions on NRA and AAA, but he did; and not only that, he lost a lot of prestige with the collapse of NRA. He should not have given the Supreme court a lecture—and I think he realizes that now. The NRA was a tremendous and bold experiment, and it gave the employed classes the first good break they had experienced in years. And Roosevelt got a bad break when they knocked it out. Organized labor will not forget what NRA did for its people.

I think the loss of AAA strengthened Roosevelt's position, because he sat still, said nothing, and let the agricultural sections do the yelling. Both parties thus began to see that something constructive had to be done, and they saw the futility of arguing with a court that took agriculture as a local matter.

Of course, prior to that the New Deal shivered with fright until the Supreme court upheld the President's bold stroke in burying all the government's gold in vaults and refusing to pay bonds in the yellow metal. To my way of thinking Roosevelt took a chance on that act which was much more of a dare at the Founding Fathers than in either the NRA or AAA—but you can't guess this Supreme court of ours.

However, the court which smashed the New Deal flat as a pancake in these two great devices for restoring normal times, went completely pro-New Deal in the Tennessee Valley Authority case, and thereby upheld Roosevelt in one of the most New Dealish of all the reforms instituted by him. The opposition to Roosevelt would have left him have NRA, AAA, and a dozen more like 'em, ten times over, if they could have induced the Supreme court to render TVA's power program unconstitutional.

### THE TVA PROJECT

The Power Trust was counting on ruining TVA because in the dams and waterwheels of the Tennessee river there lives the power that will some day render the Power Trust powerless, and return the resources of this country to the people as a whole.

In the vast creative scheme of things the country known as the "Tennessee Valley" was left as it has been, so that some "Gabriel Over the White House" could point the way to the experiment which will lift America into the higher order destined for its people. It is an empire of seven states, through which the Tennessee river and

its tributaries drain; and it is so situated economically, socially, politically and geographically, that it lent itself ideally to the Roosevelt experiment.

For a full century the government has eyed the possibilities of the Tennessee river. In the World war the government developed Muscle Shoals as a power plant, and when Roosevelt became President the government started to make the rivers navigable—to make the country more livable—the soil more productive; to stop the erosion of the hills and mountains which were sliding millions of tons of soil into the rivers every year. In addition, the government started several large dams, miles long, hundreds of feet high. Water dammed up behind these walls and then, swishing through huge turbines, will make electricity enough to furnish cheap power to every home and factory in the entire seven-state area.

The opposition attacked the TVA, stating it was socialistic, communistic, crazy, brain-trusty and flighty. But the real objective of these attacks was to keep the government from showing up the high rates of the electric power business.

A suit was entered against TVA by stockholders in the Alabama Power company, was upheld in a federal court by a judge named Grubb; reversed in the Federal Court of Appeals, and became the case which the Supreme Court of the United States upheld for the New Deal. It means that the government can sell its excess power from these tremendous dams; and that, in turn, means that from now on the people of America are going to have the benefits of more and cheaper electric power. It means that now the same vast TVA scheme will be worked out for cheap and plentiful electricity in the whole Mississippi valley, and possibly the Columbia river valley in the Northwest.

Private power companies can do better than they have been doing. The Alabama Power company, which brought the TVA suit, woke up under government competition and, in the year just past, did its best business and recorded its greatest increase—an achievement for which the Edison institute warded this concern its annual prize.

### GOES NEUTRAL BY LAW

I think the best way to tell the intricate story of the government's sincere effort to be neutral in wars in years to come is to recall the three mistakes made in the case of the Lusitania, British ship torpedoed by Germans. These three mistakes helped drag us into the World war. First, she carried a cargo of ammunition to England; second, she carried that ammunition sold in America by American munitions makers on credit; third, she carried 159 American citizens joy-riding a belligerent ship toward the war zone—and 124 of them went to the bottom of the sea.

Had we then been as neutral as we now want to be, we would not allow warring countries to borrow our money to buy munitions from our gun and powder makers; we would not permit American citizens to stick their necks out and have them shot off by foreign countries.

But tremendous commercial interests, pulling great strings at Washington, make it difficult for this government to be as neutral as the people would like. I think most Americans would want the President to insulate and isolate the United States from all touch of war; to prohibit the shipment of anything to anybody connected with a war; not only an embargo on arms and ammunition, but on those necessities which warring countries need in the way of goods, clothing and raw materials—particularly oil and gasoline.

But we are not going quite that far because there is danger of being completely unfair—and so the government now goes neutral by law, extending its temporary neutrality again for about fourteen months. We will not ship ammunition to a warring country, unless it be an American country warring against a foe somewhere else (we have to father the South Americans). We will not permit a warring country to come here to raise money for slaughter and thus have a pocketbook hold on our sympathy.

### PROCESSING TAXES

When Henry Wallace, secretary of agriculture, said that returning the processing taxes to the packers and millers was "The greatest legalized steal in history" Representative Treadway of Massachusetts declared that Wallace should be impeached. But Wallace knows, and after Treadway again insisted on impeachment, Senator George Norris of Nebraska called for the facts.

They show that returning three hundred million dollars to packers and millers will be an outright gift of public money several times as large as the net incomes of the industries involved for a period of several years.

The largest refunds go to a group of cotton millers, who will get \$97,000,000; meat-packers who will get \$98,000,000; and wheat millers \$80,000,000. These huge sums have already been collected by these manufacturers from the public who, in many instances have been charged retail prices several times as large as the processing taxes, until the cost of living has pyramided and has become a political issue. The packers and millers particularly have objected publicly to the payment of the processing taxes; and have declared in most instances that they were not able to pass on the cost to the public. However, an examination of the business of most of these concerns shows that some of them used the processing tax as a reason for unjustifiable increases in prices to the public.

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# MAIDEN VOYAGE

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### CHAPTER XXIV—Continued

Presently, suddenly, the sun was out hot between showers, and then again a soft fall of rain was blown warmly against their faces. Again came the sparkle and shine and steaming heat of the sun, and Tony asked, wrinkling her face:

"Will they come?"

"Who?"

"The smarties. Your friends."

"Oh," Joe said ruefully, "they may. It may be clear up in the city. They may be on their way now."

"It's three. Maybe we ought to go back and clean up and be ready for 'em. And I'll tell you," Tony said in her animated way, as he gave her his hand for the last hard steps to the cliff, "if they aren't coming, let's telephone Benny and Alvin and have them come over for supper. All that chicken, you know, and the delicious asparagus."

"Must we?" he said, as they walked along on the soaked new grass of the cliff.

"Well—"

"It's so nice when it's you and me and the dog."

Shedding their wet outer garments and leaving their soaked shoes at the door, they went into lifeless warmth, to sudden almost stunning silence after the riot of the winds and the sea.

"There's a telegram from Joe. Probably they're not coming, and we might have finished our walk! Dibs on the shower!"

Not waiting until he opened the yellow envelope, she ran upstairs to the chilly spare room, changed into her velvet frock, and came down decorously 20 minutes later with her still damp hair brushed into shining rings. The sitting room was deserted and the fire burning, the guests just descending from a big parked car at the door.

With a call upstairs to inform Joe of their arrival, Tony went to the door and did the honors. The world was one wide glitter of hot sweet light now, and the young garden and the red-flagged terrace and the backdrop of blue sea looked their loveliest. Tony introduced herself to Professor and Mrs. Unger, and Dr. Herrmann, and Frau Dr. Knecht.

"You had lunch all ready for us!" lamented quiet little Mrs. Unger.

"We only turned it into dinner," Tony explained. "And then we went off on a hunt. It's all here, waiting for you. We could sit out here on the terrace," she added, "if it weren't so horribly wet underneath. I'll tell you—"

And she went quite simply for a broom, and quite simply surrendered it to young Doctor Herrmann when he offered to take it.

"Yes, swish all that water off," she said, "and all those leaves, and we'll move the chairs back—that one, Professor Unger—and those two, that's it."

When Joe presently came hurrying down, with his round face moonier than ever and his hair very sleek, she took the women upstairs.

"No, I live in San Francisco with a brother and aunt," she explained to them. "I'm a newspaper woman. But my sister lives in Monterey, about 10 miles from here—you must have passed through it on your way down—and I come to her nearly every Saturday, and manage usually to be with Joe on Sundays. Usually there's Sunday company, Tony went on, laying out a comb and powder and wondering what they thought of her, "but today was so stormy—"

When it began to grow cold on the terrace they went in to the fire, and Joe propped the kitchen door open so that they could all talk together. He looked tired, somehow, and Tony stole a moment to ask him in an undertone if he felt well.

"Fine!" he assured her cheerfully. The chicken was bubbling again in its rich creamy gravy now, and Tony's fluffy biscuits were in the oven. The little house was filled with the pleasant smell of baking, of asparagus, of wood smoke.—Brenda telephoned: had the company come? If not, she and Alvin were going to suggest—Oh, they had come? Was Tony coming back that night?

"Yes, Tony would sleep at Benny's. Joe'd bring her back early. And had the cuff link shown up?"

"Yes, he didn't eat it after all, the darling," Brenda reported of her first-born. Tony went back to dinner preparations, pleased that the little interlude had come along to answer any curiosity Joe's friends might have about her. Not but what the Ungers appeared completely indifferent to the state of her morals, and Dr. Herrmann the least imaginative soul in the world. As for the big German doctor, she looked as if she were entirely unconscious of the minor details of life about her; anything could happen without disturbing Frau Dr. Knecht.

Dinner was a succession of compliments for the cook. They were all hungry; they had never tasted such a salad, such chicken, such new potatoes. The German woman spoke, and Tony turned to Joe.

"What did she say?"

"She asked if you could such bread machen," said Joe.

"Ach, ya-a-ah!" Tony laughed, and

Doctor Knecht said "Gut!" approvingly.

When they were putting on their wraps upstairs at nine o'clock for the long run home, Mrs. Unger said shyly to Tony:

"May I hear it, if it's good news?"

The look in her kind brown eyes, the infection in her voice, told Tony what it was she asked. The girl flushed as she answered regretfully:

"No, it isn't Dr. Vanderwall. I wish it were. We like each other so much! But—but it happens there's somebody else."

"Does he know it?" the other woman asked in quick concern.

"Oh, yes. He knows the man."

"Oh-h-h?" Mrs. Unger murmured in disappointment.

"I'm glad you would have liked it, for I know you like Doctor Vanderwall," Tony said. "I love him, of course; there's no one like him. But—but it so happens that I'm not—"

"Heart whole and fancy free?" Ellen Unger finished it with a little philosophical shrug of her shoulders. "Well, never mind, my dear. We have to take these things as they come."

Then the guests had gone and Tony was alone with Joe. The sitting room, where they had had so good a dinner and so satisfying a talk, looked somewhat disordered, and the fire had burned low. Joe, returning from farewells at the door, threw on another log—two, three logs. The flame started up again, and Tony said:

"Ah, don't let me get warm and lazy! We have to go right out into it again."

Joe had seated himself in a low fire-side chair of shabby leather; he seemed to be paying no attention to her, and for the first time in the course of their friendship Tony had a moment's uneasiness about him. What did this abstracted, unsmiling manner mean? Surely Joe wasn't going to frighten her, to make her feel that this constant coming to his house, this easy intimacy, was not quite as safe as she tried to persuade Benny it was?

"Sit down a minute," he said.

"Nine-twenty, dear. And you know my big sister. She'll telephone in a few minutes."

"No, sit down," he said. And then suddenly: "That telegram that was here when we came in. It wasn't from the Ungers."

"Wasn't it?"

"No."

"Oh—?" She looked at him expectantly. "And am I to know what it was?" she asked, in the tone of a good little girl.

"I have to tell you," Joe said, looking at the fire, his voice devoid of expression. "It was from Larry."

"Larry?" Her voice was only a whisper; the quick blood came up into her suddenly radiant face. "Tell me—"

"No, it was from Baltimore. I said it was from Larry," Joe said; "it was signed by them both. It was signed 'Caroline and Lawrence.'"

For a long minute Tony looked at him steadily. The color slowly drained from her face, leaving it drawn.

"How—d'you mean?"

"I mean—there!" He stretched a long arm, and she took the folded yellow paper from him as if she were afraid to touch it.

"What is it? What does it say?" she said thickly. Her eyes fell on the printed words, but the message made no sense to her, it danced about crazily and she could only see the signatures: "Caroline and Lawrence. Caroline and Lawrence. Caroline and Lawrence."

"He says that they were married today," Joe said flatly. Tony put the telegram down unread, leaning over to the table to shove it well on; sat back and looked at Joe.

"I don't know what that means," she said faintly.

"I don't blame you," said Joe. "I think it's rotten. I'm sorry. I'm damned sorry. I had no more idea of it than you had."

He crossed the floor, and knelt down beside her chair, and she laid one hand on his shoulder and stared into his eyes in puzzled questioning. Her look was a child's pleading look.

"Oh, no—," she breathed. "It doesn't—let me see it—"

The crumpled telegram lay on the floor. Joe made no move to get it.

"That's what it says."

"That Larry—" she whispered.

"They were married today."

"I don't believe it!" Tony said suddenly, panting. Her cheeks flamed.

"It's hard to believe."

"Oh, but Joe, no! Not without a letter—not without a line—"

"Caroline!" she said, breathing fast. "She's—she's beautiful, yes. But she's older than he—much older. He told me so!"

"No, she's not so old as Larry. She's about thirty or thirty-one, Caroline. She's only two years younger than I am."

"She's older than you are! She's had two husbands! She wanted him because she knew I—she knew I—"

"I hate her," Tony said weakly, bending forward to rest her head against his own, as he knelt beside her, with one arm about her. "I hate her. I do."

Her voice broke into wretched tears. Weeping she got to her feet and be-

gan to pace the room, her knotted fingers at her lips.

"Oh, why didn't I think of this! It would have made it easier—it would have made it easier! Oh, Joe, I have no shame, to let you know I love him, when he loves her—and they're happy—they're going somewhere together in his car—they're having their wonderful time—!"

She sat down on the fire-side settle and put her forehead into her hands.

He saw her shoulders shake and knew that she was crying; suddenly, in a rage, she was on her feet again.

"How dared he—how dared he do that!" she said, her eyes glittering dark blue in her white face. "How dares a man treat a woman who loves him that way! Ah, but she wanted him," Tony said, crumpling, speaking gently, hopelessly again. "She wanted him, and Larry's so kind—so generous—"

A silence, during which the man smoked and watched her. Then, suddenly, she looked up, spoke quietly, as if she were very tired:

"I'm sorry to treat you to these fireworks, Joe. You're awfully kind to me. I'm all right now. I think maybe you'd better take me to Benny's; I'll have to tell Benny, and Alvin will smile his smug little whisky doctor smile at what happens to girls who fall in love with married men."

"I'll get used to it after a minute. You do. Even when a man's arm is cut off, or his leg, they say he gets used to it like that—in a second. I wish I could hate Larry. I wish—"

For a moment her whole body was in revolt, as if touched by a hot iron, her arms flung up, her head thrown back, and her mouth opened as if to find breath.

"I couldn't do a thing like that to a dog!" she whispered, collapsing again. "I could not, Joe. It's me—it's me—it's me! It's happening to me, no, I couldn't do it to anyone! I'm sorry. I'm really all right now. I'll get my things. Benny'll worry if I'm too late."

"No, you just lie there on the settle and think about it for a while, and I'll tell Brenda, if she telephones, that the

company's leaving and that I'll bring you home. Lie there a while and get your breath, and you'll be all right."

His big hands punched pillows behind her back as Tony obediently stretched herself on the fire-side seat. She lay there passive, her eyes on the fire, her breast still occasionally rising and falling on a great sigh.

"It doesn't somehow seem like Larry," Tony presently offered in a weak little voice.

"Larry was never what you thought he was."

"It hurts me—somehow it hurts me horribly to have you say that."

"I suppose it does."

"Larry is the only man—the only one—who ever—whom I ever—the girl began confusedly, and stopped.

"And that hurts me horribly, so honors are even," Joe said.

"It is impossible for me to believe that you think of me what I think of Larry," Tony presently recommenced.

"We're all playing a lone hand in this life, aren't we, Joe?"

"I don't think of you what you think of Larry," Joe said flatly. Tony's ringed eyes moved to him in weary inquiry.

"Don't!"

"No, I know you, Tony, and you don't know Larry. I'm not knocking him, mind you," Joe said. "But I say you don't know him. I do know you. I know every lovely inch of you. I know that you're the woman for me, and that I'm the husband for you. We're alike. We like the same things. We talk the same language."

"You and Larry aren't alike. I'm not saying this to make you feel any better. I know you feel rotten tonight. And you will feel rotten; it'll take you a long time to get straight about it. But I say that you love—well, this place, and the ocean and the kitchen and Benny's kids and the dogs, and all

that. He doesn't. He's Lorenzo the Magnificent."

The girl laughed weakly; her face crinkled into tears.

"Oh, he is," she said in a whisper. "Ruth was rich; Larry's probably inherited a fortune. She may have left a dozen legacies, but Gran was rich, and Ruth would have inherited Gran's money, and he gets it all, or certainly most of it. He's rich now; he likes it that way."

"Ah, that's not quite fair."

"Maybe not. But about things like that you and Larry never would have seen eye to eye."

Tony was not listening. Her long wet lashes glittering in the soft lamplight, she was looking thoughtfully at the fire.

"Oh, Joe, why did I have to happen this way? Why did I have to be the woman to live through this?"

There was a long silence.

"I don't know," said Joe then, pulling on his pipe, and Tony's unhappy little laugh died away into another long pause when neither spoke. Where his thoughts went the girl neither knew nor cared. To Tony all the world was composed of just two persons, a beautiful woman, sinuous and jeweled in the exquisite thin robes of fine batiste and delicate laces that Caroline especially loved; a tall, brown man with his arms about her.

"You women are strange," said Joe. "Are we?"

"You bet your life you are."

"I suppose we are strange to men."

"You know—you know damn well that what you feel for Larry is excitement, curiosity. You think it would be thrilling to have him carry you to a suite at the Fairmont hotel, make love to you."

"Thank you," Tony said drily, as he paused, pondering over his pipe.

"Well, isn't it true?"

"It is not true!"

"Knowing," Joe continued, as if there had been no interruption, "knowing that whatever lasts in marriage, that doesn't. Knowing that it isn't that thrill that he gives women, that makes them say, 'I'd rather have him mean to me in that magnificent way of his, keep me waiting, despise me, throw me down, than not have him at all!'"

Tony swallowed; spoke lightly.

"Is that the way women feel to him?"

"You know it."

"I do not know it," she said, in a low, hurt tone. She lay silent, staring at the fire. After a while she stirred and said that she must go, and Joe making no protest, she pulled on her old gloves, and they went out into the cold sharpness of the night together. At the door she leaned against him.

"I wish I could stay here, alone with you, forever, and never see any of them—any of them, again!"

"Why don't you?"

"You could go into town on Mondays, Joe, and come back on Thursdays. I'd be completely happy alone with the dog and Rita. She'd come over and sleep nights if I was frightened."

"Stay, if you like," Joe said.

"You're so tremendously comforting to me," said Tony, her eyes shut, her head resting against his shoulder for a moment. "I'm so sorry about all this!"

"I'm going up to town tomorrow early—about nine. Shall I stop for you?" he asked practically, after a moment.

"Will you? I think I'll not tell Benny tonight. I'll wait until Alvin's gone tomorrow and tell her then. I'll have to face every one—Aunt Meg, Mary Rose; she'll pity me so that I'll want to kill her!"

"Married!" Tony breathed to herself in an almost inaudible undertone, out of her own thoughts. On the trip to Brenda's house she did not speak again.

### CHAPTER XXV

"Do you still feel that you want to see him again?" Joe asked, Tony's face dimpled as she looked thoughtfully down at the sand she was marking into even ridges with a bit of silvery smooth driftwood.

"Not as I did," she said, coloring a little as she smiled.

"Almost willing to take a chance that half your children will be Dutchy-look-like little blonds?"

"Almost. I love Dutchy little blonds."

Joe lay silent for a while in the warm sand. Presently he said:

"Well, I imagine you'll have your chance soon."

"My chance?"

"To see him."

"Oh, yes, that. Now that your grandmother's dead they'll probably come West."

She felt to musing, and Joe pulled his cap a little farther down over his eyes and appeared to dream.

"After the office yesterday this is heaven," Tony presently said. "Is there anything in the whole world more wonderful than an autumn sea, and gulls, and waves coming in, and sunshine like this?"

"It's swell," Joe murmured ineloquently.

"Autumn sunshine," Tony went on after a space. "Pure and thin—and sad, somehow. Cosmos instead of lilacs, and figs instead of cherries, and that soft vell over the sea." And unexpectedly

she concluded with vigor: "I adore it!"

Joe laughed lazily.

"You almost had me in tears, Tony. You were going on into the sere, the yellow leaf, your voice getting sadder and sadder. I thought you were going to end up with the death of Little Nell."

Tony laughed, too, a "fife" shamefacedly.

"Well, I do love it—autumn." She reddened deeply. "Spring first," she decided, "then autumn. Then winter, and then summer."

"Summer last of all?"

"Oh, yes—don't you think so?"

"Well, I like corn on the cob."

"Yes, and peaches," Tony conceded. "But there's something so cocksure about summer."

"Winter's one long revel of dragging wood in, down here."

"And wet walks, and rain slinking down, and pancakes for breakfast!"

"Not that you often touch them."

"I know. But I love that warm kitchen smell of hot butter and sirup and hot cakes on a freeing morning."

"If they come through with the Rio offer—"

"If they come through! What nonsense! Why, they're begging you on their knees."

"Well, then, if I accept the Rio offer—No, but what do you suppose they eat for breakfast in Rio?"

"Coffee and melons and sour bread and fried chicken," Tony answered readily.

"Will you go to Rio with me, Tony?"

"Do you want me to, Joe?"

"Ye' reckon ah do, honey."

"I reckon yo' does."

They basked on in the mild sunshine, and the lazy waves came punctually in a smother-of emerald and ivory over the nearby rocks, spread in interlocking circles on the strip of sandy beach, and went away again, leaving the little pools brimming, and the silky mussel shells glittering and dripping.

"You're easy on my old eyes," the man said presently, glancing up.

"I love to have you think so. We ought to go up pretty soon; Benny was going to telephone about dinner."

"I thought they had company."

"They have. But it was only Cliff and Mary Rose. And if Patricia was all right they said they might all come over."

"I hope nobody comes!"

They climbed the great ridges of rock up to the cliff level and were at the garden's end, where the new brick paths and the tall roses and chrysanthemums were rustling in the afternoon air, and the slender beeches sent trim shadows across the lawn. In this setting, and with the descending sun flashing in every window, the square-cut house did not look too awkward; there was a pleasant air of green-and-white seaside hospitality about it and its open windows and awning terrace.

"I love this house," Tony said, as they went in. "It was my escape in the darkest hours of my life from everything—even myself. I used to come down here from the office, beaten, broken, and the silence of it, and your not questioning me, not watching me. I'm very fond of you!"

In that last phrase she was addressing the fireplace; she laid her cheek against it. She had helped him build it.

"Do we need a fire?"

"We will, as soon as the sun goes down. We might as well, for if they're coming the room's bound to seem cool."

"You know, Tony," said Joe, on his knees with logs in his long brown hands, "you were bound to run into something like—like what you did run into. I wouldn't grudge it, if I were you."

"Grudge it?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Quaternary in Geology: Quaternary in geology is the time division which comprises all the time which has elapsed from the end of the Pliocene to the present day. The term, says the Washington Star, was proposed by J. Desnoyers in 1829. The Quaternary is thus the fourth of the great time divisions in the geologic scale—the primary, or Paleozoic; the secondary, or Mesozoic, and the Tertiary, or Cainozoic, being the first three—but it represents relatively such a small space of time that some geologists hesitate to give it equal rank and regard it merely as a subdivision of the Tertiary. Broadly, as the Tertiary may be called the age of mammals, the Quaternary may be called the age of man. Although man or his ancestors were evolved during the Tertiary, it is in the Quaternary that man becomes the dominant animal.

The Meadowlark: The upper parts of the Meadowlark are light brown, streaked with brownish black. The head has a dull, grayish, straw-colored patch with streaks of brownish-black. The sides of the head are grayish white. The throat, breast and belly are bright yellow, fading into gray-white beneath the tail. The black markings on the upper breast is very showy. The outer tail feathers are white, the center-most, brown with small, blackish spots. The upper, forward curve of the wing is tinted with a light ashy color.

### Barrels Hid Noted Papers; Queen's Tears Damp Stains

When Grant Duff visited the Register house at Edinburgh in 1862 he was shown a number of valuable and important state documents, including the list made by Mary Queen of Scots of her jewels, and was told that this, with many other valuable papers, had been taken to London in the time of Cromwell "and not sent back to Edinburgh till recent times. These valuable papers were packed in hogsheads and suffered much from the damp."

Joseph Robertson, the greatest of Scottish antiquaries of the period, had a good story about Mary's list of jewels which was one of the documents that suffered from the damp. He declared that Miss Strickland mistook the damp stains for the queen's tears and wrote a pathetic little passage accordingly.—Manchester Guardian.

### U. S. Fingerprints

The largest collection of finger print data in the world now reposes in the federal bureau of identification of the Department of Justice in Washington. The fingerprint records of 5,154,254 persons were on file there July 31, 1935.—Scientific American.

### Week's Supply of Postum Free

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### Lazy Natives

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**CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT**

The Fathers of this country, in  
convention assembled, over which  
George Washington presided, in  
their wisdom conceived of and  
planned a great form of government  
consisting of three branches, the  
Legislative, the Executive, and the  
Judicial; and in order to keep one  
branch from encroaching upon the  
rights of another, and in order to  
keep the federal government from  
encroaching upon the rights of the  
states, and in order to preserve in-  
violable the rights of the individual  
citizens, they adopted a Constitu-  
tion.

This Constitution defines the pow-  
ers of the Legislative Branch, which  
is the Congress of the United States  
consisting of two Houses, the Sen-  
ate and the House of Representa-  
tives. It defines the powers and du-  
ties of the President, who is the  
head of the Executive Branch. It  
defines the duties of the Supreme  
Court, which is the head of the Ju-  
dicial Branch.

It is the duty of Congress to en-  
act laws. It is the duty of the  
President to execute the laws which  
Congress enacts. He may also make  
suggestions to Congress as to legis-  
lation but it was never intended  
that he would dictate the policy of  
Congress. He may veto any law en-  
acted by Congress but Congress in  
turn may pass it over his veto. It  
is the duty of the Supreme Court  
to interpret the laws enacted by  
Congress.

In passing on the constitutionality  
of laws enacted by Congress, the  
Supreme Court, it seems to us, is  
merely performing its normal con-  
stitutional functions. Congress is not  
a court. It is not its province to  
construe the laws it enacts or to  
pass finally upon their constitution-  
ality. It is not the function nor the  
province of the President to do so.  
The only authority that can do so  
is the Supreme Court, and the  
other courts of the land. If there  
were no authority clothed with this  
power, some one branch of the gov-  
ernment might gradually encroach  
upon the powers of another branch  
until it made itself supreme.

We believe our form of govern-  
ment is the best ever devised by  
man, and it is our written Constitu-  
tion that guarantees the perpetua-  
tion of this form of Government.  
But if Congress should be permitted  
at will to override the provisions of  
the Constitution, unrestrained, we  
would in fact have no constitution.  
The same is true as to the Presi-  
dent. With a written Constitution  
and a Supreme Court to interpret it  
and the laws enacted under it, we  
are assured that no Hitler, no Sta-  
lin, no Mussolini can arise in this  
country.

**LINCOLN SPOKE SENSE**

"This country with its institu-  
tions belongs to the people who in-  
habit it. Whenever they grow weary  
of the existing government, they  
can exercise their constitutional  
right of amending it or their revolu-  
tionary right to dismember or  
overthrow it." Sounds like a rank  
anarchist speaking, does it not? At  
least there are strong indications  
that the speaker did not believe in  
the infallibility of the constitution  
and the existing order of govern-

**For Bad Feeling  
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that bowel activity has slowed up or  
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sands prefer Black-Draught for the  
refreshing relief it has brought them.  
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writes: "My husband and I both take  
Theodor's Black-Draught and find  
it splendid for constipation, bilious-  
ness, and the disagreeable, aching,  
tired feeling that comes from this  
condition." With reference to Syrup  
of Black-Draught, which this mother  
gives her children, she says: "They  
like the taste and it gave such good  
results."

**BLACK-DRAUGHT**

ment. These words were uttered on  
the 4th of March, 1861, by Abraham  
Lincoln in his first inaugural ad-  
dress. Perhaps no man believed  
more firmly in constitutional govern-  
ment, yet had less sympathy for  
those who believed the constitution  
was unchangeable to meet the needs  
of the times.—Canyon News.

No, that does not sound like the  
speech of an anarchist at all. It  
sounds like the very soundest of  
good common sense. It sets forth  
the very doctrine that the defenders  
of our Constitution have been pro-  
claiming in recent months when so  
many seem inclined to discredit or  
belittle it. Lincoln pointed out to  
the people, at any time they desire,  
can exercise their "constitutional"  
right to amend their constitution.  
He did not suggest that anybody  
had the right to disregard it or  
to evade its provisions unless the  
people as a whole decided to junk  
it entirely and set up a different  
form of government, as they cer-  
tainly have the right to do, but  
which they certainly do not wish  
to do.

Furthermore, we have never heard  
anybody claim or even intimate that  
our Constitution is infallible, or  
that it will exactly fit every con-  
dition that may arise, but it is a  
marvelous document just the same  
—and it is the supreme law of the  
land. As such, it should be observed  
and respected—by Presidents, Sec-  
retaries of Agriculture, Secretaries  
of Commerce, Congresses, and peo-  
ple—not deliberately violated nor  
evaded nor belittled. Lincoln was  
exactly right.

**A FORGOTTEN FUNDAMENTAL  
DEMOCRATIC DOCTRINE**

We are indebted to the Texas  
Weekly for the text of the tariff  
plank in the Democratic platform  
of 1912, on which Woodrow Wilson  
was first elected to the Presidency.  
It "is a clear statement of the tra-  
ditional Democratic view of the  
tariff," remarks the Weekly. A sim-  
ilar plank had been inserted in every  
Democratic platform for many  
years. We simply give it to show the  
time-honored position of the Dem-  
ocratic party, from which we seem  
to have departed in these latter  
years but to which, we believe, we  
would do well to return. Here it is:

"We declare it to be a funda-  
mental principle of the Demo-  
cratic Party that the Federal  
Government, under the Constitu-  
tion, has no right or power to  
impose or collect tariff duties  
except for the purpose of reve-  
nue. . . . The high Republican  
tariff is the principal cause of  
the unequal distribution of  
wealth. It is a system of tax-  
ation which makes the rich  
richer and the poor poorer.  
Under its operations the Ameri-  
can farmer and laboring man  
are the chief sufferers. It raises  
the cost of necessities to them,  
but does not protect their prod-  
ucts or wages. The farmer sells  
largely in free markets and buys  
almost entirely in the protected  
markets. In the most highly  
protected industries, such as  
cotton and wool, steel and iron,  
the wages of the laborers are  
the lowest paid in any of our  
industries. We denounce the Re-  
publican pretense on that sub-  
ject and assert that American  
wages are established by com-  
petitive conditions and not by  
the tariff."

Why in the world don't we return  
to this "fundamental principle"  
of the Democratic party, Mr. Presi-  
dent and Gentlemen of the Congress?  
Why in the world don't we make  
an assault upon the tariff wall that  
the Republican party has built up  
around this country, thus hamper-  
ing our commerce with other coun-  
tries and destroying foreign markets  
for our cotton and wheat and other  
farm products? Instead of experi-  
menting with a dozen un-Demo-  
cratic and unconstitutional nos-  
trums, instead of undertaking to  
grant special privileges to every-  
body, why don't we hike back to  
vocate the protection of the Constitu-  
tion—"fundamental principles" and in-  
tention against class legislation, privi-  
lege, and greed?

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The Hon. E. I. Hill pilot of the  
Tahoka News, attempted a rejoinder  
last week, and like most of his su-  
preme court decisions, was too  
lengthy to reproduce herewith. But  
altogether, most of his article was  
complimentary, and we pass it up—  
all but the last part. He thinks be-  
cause there is lots of corn raised in  
Terry, some of it should surely be  
liquified here, and invited us over,  
with or without the little quart fruit  
jar, we know not. But from evidence  
we see nowadays, E. I., they've all  
quit the fruit jar, which left the  
telltale mark on the nose, and these  
days use the little pint bottle of  
bottled-in-the-barn which is de-  
veloping a sucklike mouth on the  
devotees. And those detailed to keep  
the highways clean of bottles and  
other breakables, Bro. Hill, tell us  
according to a late Ambulance-  
Shurnal that more bottles are found  
on the Tahoka-Lubbock highway  
than any other. So, we judge then  
Bro. Hill is not ignorant concerning  
these things, if we are sorter allowed  
to half-hammer a quotation from  
the Apostle Paul.—Terry County  
Herald.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed proposals addressed to E.  
G. George, President of the Board  
of Trustees, New Home Independent  
School District, New Home, Lynn  
County, Texas, for the construction  
of an addition to school building, in  
accordance with plans, specifica-  
tions and instructions to bidders  
prepared by S. B. Haynes, Architect,  
will be received at the office of the  
Superintendent of Schools, in the  
school building, New Home, Lynn  
County, Texas, until 2:00 P. M.,  
March 20, 1936, and then publicly  
opened and read. The owner has  
available for this contract approxi-  
mately \$23,000.

The successful bidder will be re-  
quired to enter into a contract with  
the New Home Independent School  
District, which will contain provi-  
sions conforming with the require-  
ments of the Federal Emergency Ad-  
ministration of Public Works, as  
set out in PWA Form No. 166 or  
179, issued July 22, 1935, and re-  
visions thereof, and the special re-  
quirements of the State Director,  
PWA.

A cashier or certified check,  
payable without recourse to the  
order of the New Home Independent  
School District, or an acceptable  
Bidder's Bond in an amount not  
less than five percent (5%) of the  
largest possible total bid, including  
consideration of alternates, must  
accompany each bid as a guarantee  
that, if awarded the contract, the  
bidder will promptly enter into a  
contract and execute a bond on the  
forms provided, as outlined in the  
specifications and instructions to  
bidders.

A Performance Bond, in an amount  
not less than one hundred  
percent (100%) of the contract  
price, conditioned upon the faith-  
ful performance of the contract and  
upon the payment of all persons  
supplying labor or furnishing mat-  
erials will be required.  
Attention is called to the fact  
that not less than the prevailing  
rates of wages established by the  
New Home Independent School Dis-  
trict, approved by the State Direc-  
tor, PWA, and as herein set forth  
must be paid on this project.  
In case of ambiguity or lack of  
clearness in stating prices in the  
proposal, the Owner reserves the  
right to adopt the most advantage-  
ous construction thereof, or to re-  
ject the Proposal.

**Labor Classification and Minimum  
Wage Scale**  
The Labor Classification and Min-  
imum Wage Scale below have been

predetermined by the Owner in ac-  
cordance with the statutory and  
PWA requirements and the prevail-  
ing local wages, and shall govern on  
all work performed by the Con-  
tractor in connection with the con-  
struction of the project covered by these  
specifications. The bids submitted  
are based on not less than the rates  
of pay indicated in this predeter-  
mined Labor Classification and Min-  
imum Wage Scale. In no event shall  
rates of pay be lower than those  
established by recognized unions op-  
erating in the community at the  
time of the bid opening.

**Skilled Mechanics Whose Minimum  
Rate Shall Be 80c Per Hour:**  
Acetylene Cutter, Welder.  
Arc Welder.  
Bricklayer—Building.  
Carpenter—Finish, Forms (Building)  
Rough.  
Caulker — Boat, Steel plate or  
Building Openings.  
Cement Finisher—Building Works.  
Curb and Gutter.  
Curb Setter—Stone.  
Electrician: Fixtures, Maintenance  
Lineman.

Forman—Trade.  
Form Setter—Buildings, Steel Form  
—Building.  
Gas Fitter.  
Glaziers.  
General Foreman.  
Iron Worker—Structural, Orna-  
mental, Riggers, Tank Erector.  
Riggers.  
Sheet Metal Worker.  
Lather—Metal, Wood.  
Machine Setters.  
Marble Setters.  
Mason—Stone.  
Metal Trim Worker.  
Operators: Crane (Dragline Clam-  
shell), Crusher Plant Engineer, Ex-  
cavator and Hoisting, Mixer Oper-  
ator (over 5 bags).  
Painter—Paperhanger.  
Plasterer.  
Plumber.  
Roofer—Composition, Sheet Metal,  
Slate and Tile.  
Reinforced Steel Worker, Build-  
ing Construction.

Shut Builder.  
Steam and/or Pipe Fitter.  
Stone Cutter—Ornamental.  
Terrazzo and/or Tile Layers.  
Waterproofers.  
**Semi-Skilled Workers**  
(Rates per hour)  
Apprentices (all trades)

First year 40c  
Second year 50c  
Third year 60c  
Carpenter's Assistant 55c  
Caulker—Pipe Water or Gas 60c  
Electrician's Helper 60c  
Gas Fitter's Helper 50c  
Hod Carrier 45c  
Kettlemen—Asphalt, Pipe, Joint-  
ing material and/or tar for  
roofing 50c  
Labor Foreman 65c  
Pipe Fitter (Cast Iron) 60c  
Pipe Joint Material Worker 60c  
Plowman 40c  
Reinforcement Placer and/or Tier  
Pavement, Bridges (all bridges  
except types noted under  
"Skilled Classification") Dam  
Concrete (all types) costing  
\$20,000 or less 60c

Roof—Tar and Gravel Mopman 55c  
Teamster—more than three up 50c  
Loader—Two Wheel Scraper,  
Fresnoe Four up 50c  
Fresnoe less than four up and  
slip scraper 45c  
Mortar Mixer (Brick Plasterer) 50c  
Operator:  
Blasterer - Powderman 75c  
Cement Gun 75c  
Power Saw 60c  
Truck 1 1/2 ton and over 50c  
Under 1 1/2 Ton 45c  
Waterproof Mopman 55c  
Window Cleaner 40c

Serving Labor (Laborer who de-  
livers material to a mechanic  
as the last operation prior to  
installation or assists the me-  
chanics without using tools on  
Union Projects) 40c  
Handy Man 60c  
Mixer Operator less than 1 yard 60c  
**Unskilled Workers**  
Camp Assistant, etc., under 30

hours per week 30c  
30 to 40 hrs. per week \$12.00  
Common Laborer 30c  
Pipe Handler (Water-Gas) 30c  
Teamster less than four up 30c  
Watchman (under 30 hrs. per  
week) 40c

Waterboy, Messengers, Cook (30  
to 40 hrs. per week, \$12.00 per  
week over 40 hrs per week) 30c  
**Clerical Force**  
Clerical Force—under 30 hours  
per hour 40c  
30 to 40 hours weekly \$12.00

The award of the contract shall  
be conditioned upon funds being  
made available, and the New Home  
Independent School District shall  
have the right to hold the bids for  
a period of sixty (60) days from the  
date of the bid opening. No bid may  
be withdrawn within thirty (30)  
days after the date of the bid op-  
ening.

Contract will be awarded subject  
to the approval of the State Direc-  
tor PWA.

The Owner reserves the right to  
reject any and/or all bids and to  
waive any and/or all formalities.

Plans and specifications may be  
procured from S. B. Haynes, Archi-  
tect, Myrick building, Lubbock, Tex-  
as, upon the cash deposit of Fif-  
teen Dollars (\$15.00), which will be  
refunded upon the return of plans  
and specifications in good condition  
within five days after the date of  
opening bids.

New Home Independent School  
District, By E. G. George, President  
Board of Trustees. 29-2tc



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I just want to tell you that if  
you're not already enjoying a  
HOT WATER HEATER you're  
missing a WHOLE of a lot of  
comfort. And they're SO econ-  
omical on the new low gas  
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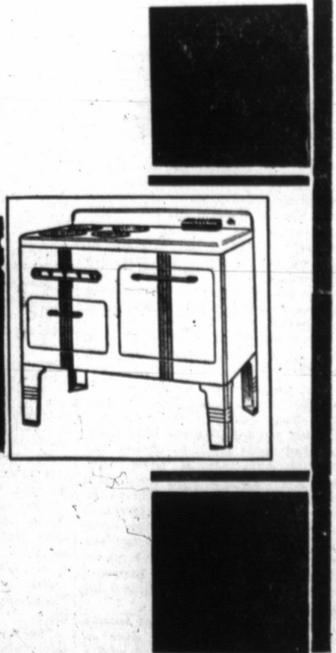
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## The Growl

Mrs. J. H. Tunnell, debate sponsor, reports the following people contesting for debate: James Minor, Clifton Rogge, Carol Holloway, Pansy Tankersley, Lottie Stephens.

The question for debate is: "Resolved that the Government Should Control Cotton Production." The debaters are working hard and they intend to have an interesting debate.

Mrs. Eddie Jordan, one of the school librarians, attended the play given by the Seniors of Lubbock High School. The play was entitled "My China Doll" and was given on February 28. According to Mrs. Jordan it was very good.

The Tahoka High School annual is progressing rapidly. The order for the pictures, which were taken some time ago, has been sent off. According to Mr. Barrett, the pictures may soon be here. Interesting class histories are being written by the different grades. The Seniors elected Eva Douthitt to write their class history; James Minor and Johnnie Janak were chosen to be the business managers; Carol Holloway, editor; and Pansy Tankersley as writer of the social calendar.

The Seniors report that the order is being made to be sent for the invitations and cards.

Mrs. Assiter, volleyball coach, reports the following girls are contesting in volleyball: Bessie Mae Perkins, Joe Alice Brooks, Lottie Stephens, Alma Fay Warren, Geneva Spruelli, Faye Brewer, Helen Ruth Bell, Beulah Jones, La Verne Jones, Alene Spruelli, Serina Gates, Isla Bartley, Joe Bell Milliken, Doris Lawler, Laverne Hoover, Percy Dean Tippit, Faye Bishop, Rosa McKenzie, Maxine Floyd, Paulina Mae Harper, Doris Connolly, Adina Morgan, Polly McCord.

Last Wednesday in chapel, Mr. Barrett urged the school students and teachers to attend Sunday School and church. Each class was asked how many would promise to go, to some Sunday-School the next Sunday, which was March 1. Out of the Sophomore class, 28 promised to go to some Sunday School on the following Sunday; 49 Freshmen Seniors. The Baptist Sunday School reports a seventy person increase in attendance. Sunday, March 1, there were 269 present, and the Sunday before this there were 199 present.

Altha Wayne Jennings, Junior, represented Tahoka Baptist Church, at the Young People's Sunday school convention at Wayland College in Plainview Saturday.

Sylvester Reese, graduate of Tahoka High School in 1934, is now in school at Technological College at Lubbock. Sylvester is working his way through Tech, and, also, he is taking six subjects. For the first semester, Sylvester made a straight

A card, which shows that he is really studying.

Entries in the Centennial Woodul historical contest for \$200 prizes are: Lois Montgomery, Noel Alphin, and Wells Edwards.

The chemistry class had an experiment Tuesday afternoon dealing with Hydrosulfuric Acid, and Hydrogen Sulphide. The other classes thought that someone had broken about a dozen rotten eggs, for, in the preparation of H<sub>2</sub>S, an odor is given off that will even make rotten eggs blush with shame.

The Spanish 311 class has charge of the chapel program March 18th. A very charming little play is being gotten up, dealing with the knowledge which Juniors have derived this year from their Spanish course. The play is to be about the family of Alarcones and about their friends and children. The children will perform several vocal solos. This is an activity on the part of the class which is being done in the form of a unit of work covering two weeks of time. It is a kind of experiment, and if it is any good Mrs. Bludworth says she will submit it to the State Department.

The Sophomore girls are glad to report that Maxine Floyd, Louise Barnes, and La Verne Jones are now back in school after illness.

Mary Ellen Conway, Bessie Mae Perkins, Percy Dean Tippit, and Pearl Rogers are absent due to illness.

The following Sophomore boys participated in the chapel program last Wednesday:

"Beautiful Texas" and "Home on the Range", quartet, David Weathers, Hiram Snowden, George Wright and Henry Young.

"Down the River of Golden Dreams," saxophone duet, Dale Gildersleeve and Reginald Frazier.

"Red Wing", harp duet, Henry Young and Carl Godsey.

Talk, Paul Casebeer.

Two people have already passed the course in typing. They are Eunice Mullins, who wrote 30.5 words a minute with four errors. Beatrice Estes has passed the course having 31.9 words a minute with four errors. Mary Jane Weathers wrote 35 words a minute and had seven errors. Carol Holloway wrote 31.6 words a minute with seven errors. Robbie Milliken wrote 29.7 words with eight errors. It is a happy event in the life of a student to achieve this minimum requirement (30 and 5), and he is inspired then to try for forty and no errors.

### PLAY AT DRAW

"The Bandit and Roberta" is the title of a play which will be presented in the auditorium of the Draw School Friday night, March 6 at 8 o'clock, by an all-star cast. Everybody invited, especially candidates. Admission 10 and 20 cents, and the proceeds go to the Draw Methodist Church.

## Family of W. C. Cowan Leaves City

Having sold her household goods, Mrs. W. C. Cowan left Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Harter of Happy, for a stay of several weeks. She expects to make her home hereafter with the children. They were accompanied by another daughter of Mrs. Cowan's, Mrs. G. B. Warren, who has been here since her father, the late W. C. Cowan, became seriously ill. She returned to her home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Humphries and their daughter, Etha, also left Saturday for a brief visit with a sister, Mrs. W. S. Cain, at Canyon, who is seriously ill, and with a sister of Mr. Humphries at Hereford, after which they expected to return to their home at Overton, Rusk county.

Thus removes from Tahoka the last member of this pioneer family. As noted in these columns upon the death of Mr. Cowan a little more than two weeks ago, he was one of the first citizens of the county, helped to organize it and to locate the county seat. Also he was the first subscriber to The Lynn County News, while Mr. and Mrs. Humphries were the first couple married in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finley, residents of Wilson for many years, have moved into the Cowan home.

### WARMTH FILLS WILL ROGERS' LAST PICTURE

All of the romance, the rich down-to-earth humor and kindness that mark Will Rogers' performances have been captured in the picture which marks the climax of the great star's career, "In Old Kentucky" at the English Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Adapted and modernized from Charles T. Dazey's play—for thirty years America's favorite—"In Old Kentucky" presents Rogers as a philosophical, humorous horse trainer who breeds colts into champions and smooths the course of love for youngsters in the sunny south.

The plot of this colorful romance revolves about the rivalry between two feuding Kentucky families, both anxious to produce champion horses.

Rogers is the trainer for the wealthy Shattucks first, then for the Martingales. And the Shattucks replace him with a young man from the East, Russell Hardie, who immediately falls in love with Nancy Martingale, played by Dorothy Wilson.

Through plot and counterplot, the two families vie for advantage until the day of the big race arrives. It is then, in the smashing surprise climax, that Will Rogers proves his craftiness and his ability as match maker.

Bill Robinson, king of tap dancing, is Rogers' sidekick in "In Old Kentucky", and heads a supporting cast which includes Charles Sellon, Louise Henry and Alan Dinehart.

### Beauty Inspector Here This Week

Mrs. Sam McAdams of Amarillo, state beautification inspector, is here this week inspecting the beauty shops of the city.

Her duties are to inspect all shops as to sterilization of their equipment, to determine whether or not proper equipment is being used, and to see that all operators have license required by law.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. English returned Wednesday from a visit to Dallas and other points east.

## Sunday School Revival Success

A week's Sunday School revival at the Baptist Church came to a close Sunday morning with a program conducted by the Beginners Department with Mrs. H. A. Riddle in charge.

The revival resulted in quite an increase in attendance, 269 being present Sunday morning as compared with 199 on the preceding Sunday. G. H. Nelson is the general superintendent.

On Friday night, at the close of the program, refreshments were served by the Church, and the members desire to publicly express their obligations to Judge W. E. (Happy) Smith, who contributed a couple of cases of soda pop for the occasion.

Mrs. A. P. Edwards returned last week from Fort Worth, where she had been visiting her mother.

Mrs. W. H. Thornhill has been quite seriously sick the past week, suffering from high blood pressure.

## HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL BOYS GET SWEATERS

At a recent chapel meeting in the high school auditorium, sweaters were awarded members of the Tahoka High School football team.

An inspirational talk was made by Supt. W. G. Barrett and the sweaters were presented to the boys by Coach Prentice Walker. The sweaters are white with blue stripes and a blue T.

Boys receiving sweaters with the number of stripes thereon are shown by the names and numbers below: A. J. Thompson 3 stripes, L. A. Forsythe 1, Clifton Rogge 1, Jim Woods 1, Delton Pemberton 1, Eby Dyer 3, Champ Perkins 3, Herbert Hoover 1, James Minor 4, Bonnis Brower 2, Homer Parker 2, Joe Edwin Brown 1. The number of stripes indicate the number of years each boy has lettered.

At a later meeting Delton Pemberton was elected captain for next year.

Mrs. D. H. Goodnough and daughter Miss Aletha are both reported to be sick of the flu.

## FIVE ENLIST IN ARMY

Among fifty men recently enlisted at Fort Bliss, El Paso, were several Lynn county boys: Charles A. Tuttle and William R. Pursler, Tahoka; Fred Murphy, Edgar H. Lambert, and John G. Smith, O'Donnell.

Mrs. T. H. Grisso and daughter, Miss Louise, are here this week visiting the former's brother and sister, C. W. Conway and Mrs. Roy Poer. They are on their way to their home in Fort Worth after a visit with relatives in Los Angeles. They are accompanied by Miss Blanche Conway, a niece of Claude and Mrs. Poer.

Mrs. E. N. Weathers suffered severe bruises in a fall at her home last Friday, but is able to be up and enjoy the visits of her many friends.

Lee Wood, who has been in a hospital out in California for the past several weeks, has been relieved and is reported to be much improved. His father, R. C. Wood, has been informed.

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Quality Food—Quality Fresh Meat!  
Compare These Quality Foods—Always Fresh!

## Fresh Garden Produce

Green Beans, New Potatoes, Mustard Greens, Turnips, Carrots, Beets, Bell Peppers, Hot House Cucumbers, Cauliflower



## Apples

Extra Large Delicious, doz.—35c  
We guarantee each apple to weigh 1/2 lb. or over.  
Small Lunch Apples Dozen—10c

Lettuce Firm Heads, Each—4c

Lemons Medium Size California DOZEN—17c

PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Can Red & White Fancy Whole Mammoth Halves or Sliced PER CAN—15c

Green Beans No. 2 Curtis 2 for 15c

Corn Iowa Club No. 2 Can 2 for 19c

Peas No. 2 Economy (That good one) Each—14c

Coffee

Tomatoes No. 2 Tin 3 for 21c

Pork & Beans Brimful 1 Lb. Tin 5c

Mackerel Fresh Canned In 1 Lb. Tins 3 for 25c

OUR GRAIN-FED BABY BEEF IS BETTER!

Rib Roast or Stew, lb. 12c

Picnic Hams No Fat, No Bones, Lb.—27c

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Celery Crisp, White Bunches EACH—8c

Breakfast Juices Can—Med. Size 9c

Pickles Quart, Sour, Whole—15c

Salad Dressing Sunspan 16 Ounce 22c

Mustard Quart, Prepared—13c

Maxwell House 3 Lb. Sealed Tin—78c

Our Own Fresh Roasted, ground while you wait, Pound—23c

Special Blend

Chipso Small Size—9c

Camay Soap 2 for 13c

P & G, Crystal White, 5 Giant Bars Red & White Naptha 19c

Pork Chops Lean, Tender Pound—19c

Sausage Pound—Country Style 16c

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# SOCIETY

## Club and Church News

**WOOSLEY-CALVERY**  
On Sunday, February 23, Mr. F. E. Calvery and Miss Lou Woosley drove to Roswell, New Mexico, and were married, the nuptial vows being read by Elder Lorts, pastor of the Christian Church at that place. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. Seth Bertram of Lubbock, who were witnesses to the ceremony.

Following their marriage they drove back to Tahoka and went about their accustomed duties in such an unpretentious way that few people learned of the happy event until near the end of the week. That accounts for the fact that there was no account of the wedding in this paper last week, though the parties thereto made no special effort to conceal the fact.

Mr. Calvery is the proprietor of Calvery's Hatchery here. For the past few years he has been engaged in this business and as a salesman in Tate's store. He formerly resided at Lamesa.

The bride, daughter of Mr. J. K. Woosley, has been a saleslady here for a number of years. As a business woman she has come in contact with many people and made many friends throughout the county.

The News joins the many friends of both the bride and groom in wishing them many years of happiness and prosperity.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

I had the pleasure of preaching at O'Donnell last Lord's Day. Interest was good there and also here. In my absence the brethren carried on in a fine way.

"Some Better Things," copied from the Baptist Standard:

It is better to be good and not great than to be great and not good.

It is better to be a poverty-stricken Christian than a rich infidel.

It is better to be an honest beggar than a "grafter".

It is better to be a good member of the Church of Christ than a member of the United States Senate.

It is better to go through life hungry than eat dishonest bread to the full.

It is better to be blind than to see nothing but ugliness.

It is better to be an idiot than to know nothing but evil.

It is better to die for the right than to live in the wrong.

I will fill the pulpit here next Lord's Day both morning and evening. Don't forget our meeting the last two Lord's days in May.

Come, worship with us at the friendly church—R. P. Drennon.

## PHEBE K. WARNER CLUB

With a called meeting for our District President on Thursday, regular program on Friday, and the Centennial dinner on Tuesday, the Phebe K. Warner Club has been quite active the past week.

Mrs. W. P. Avriett, District President, commended the Tahoka club on its past record and urged a full attendance at the Seventh District meeting of the G. F. W. C. in Lubbock the last of the month.

The next meeting is to be on March 27 with Mrs. E. I. Hill.

## PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

**SUNDAY**  
The second Sunday of each month is our regular preaching day. Occasional sand storms, snows, bad colds, coughs, financial embarrassments, court procedures and nothing else interferes with this service. Our folks come. And like every house and home, we enjoy having company and friends with us always. Remember our preaching day and try to tune in with us next Sunday. You are cordially invited.

Our Women's Auxiliary in the Tahoka Church is doing a fine work this year, and will have a good report for the April meeting of Presbytery and Presbyterial, the Lord helping us. The laymen's meeting, called for this section at Lubbock last Friday, was well attended. Good attendance for these extremely busy times, with laymen who farm, etc. Good reports from the Churches represented, and a most excellent and inspirational program. Wish more of our men could have attended. Our brethren will please be on the lookout and miss as few of the best things of life as possible. Sunday School 10 a.m. Preaching service 11 a.m. No services at night.

Morning theme: "The Stewardship of Life." Every life is a plan of God. Not to be lost or wasted. Don't miss this service. You are invited.

—W. K. Johnston, Minister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Callaway left Tuesday to be gone several weeks, visiting relatives and friends at Meridian, Cooleage, and other central Texas points.

## MINOR BATON MEETS

The Minor Baton met Monday night in the Counselor's home.

During the business hour one new member was admitted and plans made for a St. Patrick's party for which Miss Maxine Connolly will be chairman of hostesses. This will be a guest social and will be held in the home of Miss Marie St. Clair.

In lieu of a program the Counselor conducted study on the annual hymn contest which will be conducted in a special meeting next Monday night.—Reporter.

## ALL-SEW CLUB

The All-Sew Club met in the home of Mrs. Rafe Richardson on Thursday, February 27. The club voted to have their annual husband's evening at the American Legion Hall on or before St. Patrick's Day, March 17th.

Pie a la mode and hot coffee were served to Mesdames H. C. Story, V. L. Jones, C. A. Thomas, A. I. Thomas, Roy Leslie, Kary Mathis, Belton Howell, C. E. Woodworth, J. A. South, and Mrs. W. O. Thomas as a guest.

The club will meet with Mrs. E. I. Hill Thursday, March 12.—Reporter.

## W. D. Smiths Hurt In Car Accident

A car driven by W. D. Smith and occupied by his wife and by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reid was sideswiped by another car on the highway just beyond Tatum last Saturday night, causing it to turn a somersault and fracturing two of Mrs. Smith's ribs. Other occupants of the car were only slightly injured but the car itself was badly damaged.

The driver of the other car did not stop. The Smiths and Reids were on their way to Roswell.

## MILT'S CAFE SOLD

Hugh Hart and Norvell Redwine announce the purchase of Mil's Cafe. They took charge Tuesday night. We have not learned Mr. Finch's plans for the future.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF TAHOKA AND VICINITY

For many years we have served the people of Tahoka and Lynn County in our chosen profession to the best of our ability and have enjoyed the work, and we again thank you for the wonderful support given us and which has built this business up to one of the best Drug Stores in the best part of Texas.

In turning this business over to this young man, Mr. Wynne Collier, we do so knowing that he is honest, competent and well qualified to run a successful business of high standards and we are sure he will be a very useful citizen among us.

Yours truly—C. A. Thomas and W. O. Thomas.

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to Alvin Hicks, President of the Board of Trustees, Tahoka Independent School District, Tahoka, Texas, for the construction of a Grammar School Building, in accordance with the plans and specifications and instructions to bidders, prepared by S. B. Haynes, Architect, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Schools at the High School Building, Tahoka, Texas, until 2:00 P. M., March 25, 1936, and then publicly opened and read. The Owner has available for this contract approximately \$58,000.

Separate proposals will be required and separate contracts will be awarded on the GENERAL CONSTRUCTION work, PLUMBING & HEATING, and ELECTRICAL work. A combination bid covering PLUMBING, HEATING & ELECTRICAL WORK will be acceptable.

The successful bidders will be required to enter into a contract with the Tahoka Independent School District, which will contain provisions conforming with the requirements of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, as set out in PWA Form No. 166 or 179 issued July 22, 1935, and revisions thereof and the special requirements of the State Director, PWA.

A cashier's or certified check, payable without recourse to the order of Tahoka Independent School District, or an acceptable Bidder's Bond in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible total bid, including consideration of alternates, must accompany each bid as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the Bidder will promptly enter into a contract and execute a bond on the forms provided, as outlined in the specifications and contract document.

A performance bond, in an amount not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price conditioned upon the faithful performance of the contract and upon payment of all persons supplying labor or furnishing materials will be required.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the prevailing rates of wages established by the Tahoka Independent School District, approved by the State Director, PWA, and as herein set forth must be paid on this project.

In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating prices in the proposal, the Owner reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the Proposal.

Labor Classification And Minimum

Wage Scale	Rate
The Labor Classification and Minimum Wage Scale below have been predetermined by the Owner in accordance with the statutory and PWA requirements and the prevailing local wages, and shall govern on all work performed by the Contractor in connection with the construction of the project covered by these specifications. The bids submitted are based on not less than the rates of pay indicated in this predetermined Labor Classification and Minimum Wage Scale, in no event shall rates of pay be lower than those established by recognized unions operating in the community at the time of the bid opening.	
<b>Skilled Mechanics Whose Minimum Rate Shall Be 80c Per Hour:</b>	
Acetylene Cutter, Welder.	60c
Arc Welder.	60c
Bricklayer—Building.	60c
Carpenter—Finish, Forms, (Building), Rough.	60c
Caulker—Boat, Steel plate or Building Openings.	60c
Cement Finisher—Building Works, Curb and Gutter.	60c
Curb Setter—Stone.	60c
Electrician: Fixtures, Maintenance Lineman.	60c
Foreman—Trade.	60c
Form Setter—Buildings, Steel Form—Building.	60c
Gas Fitter.	60c
Glaziers.	60c
General Foreman.	60c
Iron Worker—Structural, Ornamental, Riggers, Tank Erector.	60c
Riggers.	60c
Sheet Metal Worker.	60c
Lather—Metal, Wood.	60c
Machine Setters.	60c
Marble Setters.	60c
Mason—Stone.	60c
Metal Trim Worker.	60c
Operators: Crane (Dragline Clamshell), Crusher Plant Engineer, Excavator and Hoisting, Mixer Operator (over 5 bags).	60c
Painter—Paperhanger.	60c
Plasterer.	60c
Plumber.	60c
Roofer—Composition, Sheet Metal, Slate and Tile.	60c
Reinforcing Steel Worker, Building Construction.	60c
Stair Builder.	60c
Steam and/or Pipe Fitter.	60c
Stone Cutter—Ornamental.	60c
Terrazzo and/or Tile Layers.	60c
Waterproofers.	60c
Semi-Skilled Workers (Rates per hour)	
Apprentices (all trades)	

First year	40c
Second year	50c
Third year	60c
Carpenter's Assistant	55c
Caulker—Pipe Water or Gas	60c
Electrician's Helper	60c
Gas Fitter's Helper	50c
Hod Carrier	45c
Kettlemen—Asphalt, Pipe, Jointing material and/or tar for roofing	50c
Labor Foreman	65c
Pipe Fitter (Cast Iron)	60c
Pipe Joint Material Worker	60c
Plowman	40c
Reinforcement Placer and/or Tier	60c
Pavement, Bridges (all bridges except types noted under "Skilled Classification")	60c
Concrete (all types) costing \$20,000 or less	60c
Roof—Tar and Gravel Mopman	55c
Teamster—more than three up	50c
Loader—Two Wheel Scraper, Fresnoe Four up	50c
Fresnoe less than four up and slip scraper	45c
Mortar Mixer (Brick Plaster)	50c
Operator:	
Blaster - Powderman	75c
Cement Gun	75c
Power Saw	60c
Truck 1 1/2 ton and over	50c
Under 1 1/2 Ton	45c
Waterproof Mopman	55c
Window Cleaner	40c
Serving Labor (Laborer who delivers material to a mechanic as the last operation prior to installation or assists the mechanics without using tools on Union Projects)	48c
Handy Man	60c
Mixer Operator less than 1 yard	60c
<b>Unskilled Workers</b>	
Camp Assistant, etc., under 30 hours per week	30c
30 to 40 hrs. per week, \$12.00 per week	30c
Common Laborer	30c
Pipe Handler (Water-Gas)	30c
Teamster less than four up	30c
Watchman (under 30 hrs. per week)	40c
Waterboy, Messengers, Cook (30 to 40 hrs. per week, \$12.00 per week over 40 hrs per week)	30c
<b>Clerical Force</b>	
Clerical Force—under 30 hours per hour	40c
30 to 40 hours weekly	\$12.00

of the bid opening. No bid may be withdrawn within (30) days after the date of the bid opening. Contract will be awarded subject to the approval of the State Director PWA.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive any and/or all formalities. Plans and specifications may be procured from S. B. Haynes, Architect, Myrick building, Lubbock, Texas, upon the cash deposit of fifteen Dollars (\$15.00), which will be refunded upon the return of plans and specifications in good condition within five days after the date of receiving bids.

**SPECIAL THIS WEEK**

## Handy - BAKING SET



**3 Pc. 25¢**

- Oblong Biscuit Pan
- E-Z Out Jelly Cake Pan
- 8 Cup, Deep Muffin Pan
- All for One Price
- Regular Value 50c

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# Mack's Food Store

Prices For Friday Afternoon and Saturday, March 6th and 7th:

## —FRESH VEGETABLES—

Tomatoes, Green Beans, New Potatoes, Spinach, Turnips & Tops, Mustard Greens, Green Onions, Radishes, Bell Peppers, Cauliflower.

Apples FANCY WINESAPS 9c | Oranges CALIFORNIA Full of Juice Dozen— 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c

<p><b>Tomato Juice</b> Cross &amp; Blackwell 3 cans for— <b>29c</b></p>	<p><b>CANNED GOODS SALE</b> No. 2 Can <b>Turnip Greens</b> 16 Oz. Can <b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> No. 1 Can— <b>Hominy</b> Perfection Brand <b>5c</b></p>	<p><b>SOUP</b> Cross &amp; Blackwell Asst., 16 oz. can 2 cans for— <b>25c</b></p>
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**BANANAS** GOLDEN FRUIT Dozen— **15c**

<p><b>COCOA, Our Mothers, 2 lb box</b> 15c</p> <p><b>PEANUT BUTTER, qt. jar</b> 25c</p> <p><b>BEANS, Colorado Red, 5 lbs.</b> 19c</p>	<p><b>SALT SALE</b></p> <p><b>BLOCKS</b> Plain 39c Medicated 49c</p> <p><b>TABLE SALT, 25 lbs.</b> 29c</p>
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**Free! Free!** ONE HEAD of LETTUCE With a Quart of Shur Good SALAD DRESSING, **29c**

**Oats** 3-MINUTE With Kitchen Tool 2 for 35c | **Crackers** SAXET SODA 2 LB. BOX— 15c

**SYRUP** BRER RABBIT No. 10 Can— **50c**

<p><b>Texas Girl, 1 lb.</b> 17c</p> <p><b>3 lbs</b> 49c</p> <p><b>H &amp; H Coffee, 1 lb.</b> 25c</p> <p><b>3 lbs</b> 73c</p>	<p><b>CHEESE, full cream, lb.</b> 18c</p> <p><b>SAUSAGE, country style, lb.</b> 18c</p> <p><b>LOAF MEAT, pork added, lb.</b> 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c</p> <p><b>BOLOGNA, Swift's Quality</b> 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c</p>
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J. S. Weatherford, who visited his daughter, Mrs. Webb Williams, at Sierra Blanca, returned home Friday. Jim is one of our oldtimers, and it always seems like something is wrong when he is not to be seen around town.

**Morgan**

Rev. Hester, Methodist pastor at Southland, preached here Sunday afternoon. Everybody is enjoying the warmer weather.

There are a number of sick folks in the community.

Mr. Holland returned from Mineral Wells Friday night where he has been taking treatment.

Mrs. Don Milliken and baby spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Skinner, near O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McGehee were Lubbock visitors Thursday.

The Junior baseball teams from Southland came over Friday and played our Juniors. The Morgan girls were defeated but the boys came out victorious.

Mrs. E. N. Milliken and granddaughter Joan spent Tuesday with Mrs. Clyde Shaw at Wilson.

Miss Mollie Cato of Slaton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cato.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rhoads and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henrick Perkins and Mrs. Lucian Sloan and daughter spent Sunday in the A. L. Perdue home.

Ouida Thompson who is attending school at Slaton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson.

Ralph Milliken of Slaton spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here.

Visitors in the Fred Davidson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Bartlett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Robbins and family, and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McGehee.

Pete Rhoads spent the week end with William Cato at Slaton. Elizabeth Cato visited Doris Wilson Saturday night.

**STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 8:30. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.**  
 M. O. Canaday, W. M.  
 W. S. Anglin, Sec.

**Get Rid of Poisons**

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 A cleansing laxative—purely vegetable Black-Draught—is the first thought-of-thousands of men and women who have found that by restoring the downward movement of the bowels many disagreeable symptoms of constipation promptly can be relieved. . . Mr. J. P. Mahaffey, of Clinton, S. C. writes: "I have found that Black-Draught is very effective in the cleansing of the system. When affected by the dull headache, the drowsiness and lassitude caused by constipation, I take Black-Draught."



**Political Announcements**

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election to be held on Saturday, July 25, 1936.

**For Representative, 119th Dist.: CREDE J. RHEA of Levelland.**  
**Fir District Attorney, 106th Dist.: TRUETT SMITH**

**For County Judge: P. W. GOAD W. E. SMITH (re-election)**

**For County Clerk: H. C. STORY (re-election) ROY O. NETTLES HERSCEL D. COLLINGS**

**For Sheriff: B. L. PARKER (re-election)**

**For County Attorney: ROLLIN MCCORD.**

**For County Treasurer: VIOLA ELLIS (re-election)**

**For Tax Assessor and Collector: A. M. CADE (re-election) EDGAR EDWARDS.**

**For Commissioner, Prec. 1: GEO. W. SMALL (re-election)**

**For Commissioner, Prec't. 2: WILLIS PENNINGTON H. W. CALAWAY SAM HOLLAND R. L. LITTLEPAGE**

**For Commissioner, Prec't. 3: WALDO McLAURIN (re-election)**

**For Commissioner, Prec't. 4: TOM N. HALE C. H. (Claude) REAGAN L. N. HANCOCK F. E (Fred) HOUSE**

**For Public Weigher, Prec. 3: (Draw-Grassland) A. W. BRATCHER H. W. (Dutch) CRAWFORD**

**For Public Weigher Prec. 3 (Wilson) CLYDE SHAW (re-election)**

**FOR CITY OFFICES (Election April 7)**

**For City Secretary: MISS ROSEMARY NELMS**

**New Lynn**

Martha Chancellor, Reporter

Preaching Saturday and Sunday night was well attended at the Baptist Church. Rev. Roberson, pastor, filled his regular appointment for the first Sunday. Everyone is welcome to attend Sunday School and church on first and third Sundays. Folks, singing is picking up. Mr. R. W. Barton, our president, has been on the job. He is needing our cooperation and interest. Let's all attend singing Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walker and little daughter of Coleman visited Mr. C. L. Walker and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Baker were visitors in our community Sunday. Miss Ila Edwards spent Sunday with Miss Pauline Gary.

Mrs. (Marie) English, our primary teacher, spent the week end at Lubbock.

Mr. Burl Jones is visiting his brother, Mr. Douglas Jones, at Ropesville.

Mr. Jerrell Chesser spent last week at New Home visiting his sister Mrs. Leath.

Mr. A. Gray and Bernie Bingham spent several days at Carbon this week. Mr. Gray was visiting his parents.

Miss Sue Young spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richards. Plans have been made to paint the Baptist Church soon. We are sure all help will be appreciated.

Next Sunday is the regular preaching day for Mrs. McMahan, pastor of the Nazarene Church. Everyone welcome!

Members of the Methodist church are planning to move their building to a better location.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cade were guests at an open meeting of the Masonic Lodge at Slaton Saturday night.

**Nervous, Weak Woman Soon All Right**

"I had regular shaking spells from nervousness," writes Mrs. Cora Sanders, of Paragould, Ark. "I was all run-down and cramped at my time until I would have to go to bed. After my first bottle of Cardui, I was better. I kept taking Cardui and soon I was all right. The shaking quit and I did not cramp. I felt worlds better. I gave Cardui to my daughter who was in about the same condition and she was soon all right."



**Edith**

Ruby Payne, Reporter

Mrs. Campbell and daughter of Hermleigh are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sanders and family this week. Mrs. Sanders is the daughter of Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Owens made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Payne and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Martin of Draw.

Mrs. Jim Dyer returned home Sunday from Carter, Okla., where she attended the funeral of her father.

The following visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Owens Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Lindley of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nowlin of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sanders and Mrs. Nora Sanders.

Miss Parker spent the week end at her home near Berryflat.

J. W. and Marie Owens attended the wedding dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Claude James at the home of the Inmans near Dixie Sunday.

Mrs. James was Miss Mary Ellen Inman before her marriage Saturday. Many in our community wish them success and happiness in their future life.

The South Ward boys and girls baseball teams played games with the Edith boys and girls Friday. South Ward girls won 12 to 9, and Edith boys won 16 to 2. Edith will return the games soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis and baby returned Monday night from Seymour, where they visited relatives.

**CITY ELECTION PROCLAMATION**

By authority of law in such cases made and provided, I, J. E. Dye, Mayor of the City of Tahoka, Texas, do hereby issue this proclamation ordering an election to be held at the Courthouse in Tahoka, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, 1936, the same being the 7th day of April, 1936, for the purpose of electing three aldermen and a city secretary for said city.

The present terms of office of aldermen W. O. Thomas and J. L. Heare expire at this election, and one alderman shall be elected to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of E. A. Park.

I hereby appoints Condy Carmack presiding judge of said election and W. O. Henderson and Mrs. E. S. Evans associate judges of said election, and the said Condy Carmack, with the assistance of said associate judges, is hereby authorized to appoint two clerks to assist in holding said election.

The polls shall be opened at 8:00 o'clock, A. M., and closed at 7:00 o'clock, P. M., on said day, and said election shall be held and returns thereof made in accordance with law in such cases made and provided.

Witness my hand officially, at Tahoka, Texas, this 25th day of February, A. D. 1936.  
 J. E. DYE, Mayor.

**STOMACH SUFFERERS**

AT LAST MEDICAL SCIENCE OFFERS YOU A DRUGLESS COMPOUND FOR ACID STOMACH ULCERS AND COLITIS.



GAS-TONS—is a new drugless compound for various gastro-intestinal ailments—for stomach and duodenal ulcers and inflammations—For irritable colon and ulcerative colitis—for acid stomach (hyperacidity) etc.

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Call at your home town druggist and ask him about the iron clad guarantee, also what this remarkable compound is doing for others.

Gas-Tons are sold in Tahoka by Tahoka Drug Company and by leading stores in other towns. If your druggist does not have Gas-Tons, send money orders payable to Tahoka Drug Co., Tahoka, Tex. (adv)

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(Effective March 1, 1936)

This old established business institution which has seen Tahoka grow from a shack town of only a mere handful of people to the present beautiful little city, is now in charge of the undersigned. We hope to carry out the past policies of this store in serving the people of Lynn County in drugs and drug sundries, etc. We wish a continuance of patronage from present and past customers, and always shall welcome new customers. We want the people of Lynn county to feel at home here. Come in and get acquainted.

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 Prompt Prescription Service

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MARCH MEANS WINDS to most folks. But March brings higher temperatures, too. Average temperatures are up 5 to 13 degrees over February. If a gasoline isn't made to suit the season, you don't get the best mileage. Try That Good Gulf—it's refined to give you top mileage now. Because Gulf is "Kept in Step with the Calendar," all of it goes to work . . . none of it goes to waste!

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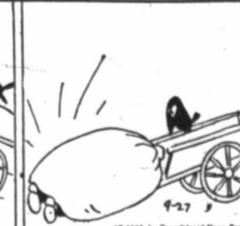
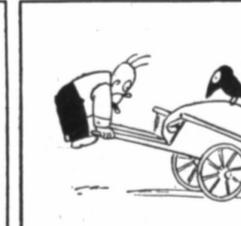
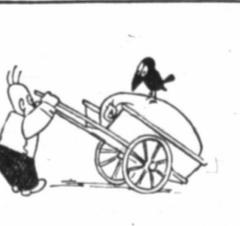
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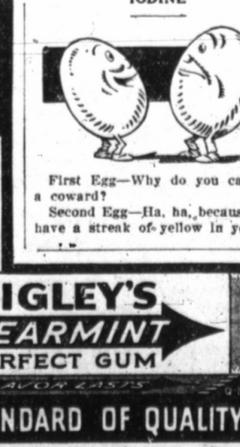
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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for March 8 JESUS AND THE LAWYER

LESSON TEXT—Luke 10:25-37. GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbor as thyself.—Luke 10:27. PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus' Story of a Good Neighbor. JUNIOR TOPIC—Who Is My Neighbor? INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How to Be a Good Neighbor. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Whose Neighbor Am I?

The subject, "Jesus Teaches Neighborliness," chosen by the lesson committee, deals only with one side of the question; namely, man's duty to his fellow men; whereas, his first duty is to God.

1. How to Inherit Eternal Life (v. 25-28). 1. The lawyer's question (v. 25). The term "lawyer" here means "one versed in religious law, the Scriptures," not "lawyer" in our modern sense of that term. It more nearly corresponds to our theological professor. The lawyer's object was to trip Jesus, to induce him to take such a stand as would weaken his influence as a teacher.

2. Jesus' question (v. 26). "What is written in the law?" He sent him to the law, the field which was familiar to him. Jesus thus robbed him of his own weapon. Though Jesus knew the motive of the lawyer, he did not evade his question.

3. The lawyer's reply (v. 27). He made an intelligent answer, declaring that the entire content of the law was embraced in love to God and man.

4. Jesus' reply (v. 28). The straightforward answer went to the heart of the lawyer. Perfect love to God and man is truly the way of life. No man has yet had or can have such love. His sinful condition precludes its possibility. The lawyer keenly felt this thrust. He was defeated on his own grounds and, therefore, convicted of guilt.

II. "Who Is My Neighbor?" (v. 29-37). 1. The lawyer's question (v. 29). "Who is my neighbor?" This question reveals the insincerity of the lawyer. Christ's answer had reached his conscience and now he seeks to escape the difficulty by asking a captious question.

2. Jesus' answer (v. 30-37). Jesus' reply more than answered the lawyer's question. In the parable of the Good Samaritan he makes clear who is a neighbor, and also what it means to be a neighbor and what loving a neighbor means. Christ's answer had a double meaning. He not only made clear "Who is my neighbor," but also that the lawyer was not playing the neighbor.

a. This destitute and wounded man, left on the wayside by the robbers, is a man who needs a neighbor. My neighbor, therefore, is the one who needs my help, whether he lives next door, or on the other side of the world. Love does not regard locality, nationality, or blood relation. Those who have the spirit of Christ can see their neighbors on every hand.

b. What being a neighbor means. Our supreme consideration should not be, "Who is my neighbor?" but "Whose neighbor am I?" To be a neighbor is (1). To be on the lookout for those in need of help (v. 33). Love is always on a journey. It is keen to discern the needs of those with whom it is brought into contact.

(2). To have compassion on the needy (v. 33). Christ's compassion was aroused as he came into contact with those who were suffering and in need. Those who are Christlike will be likewise moved.

(3). To give to those in need (v. 34). Love does not calculate the cost of its actions. Whenever there is the calculation of cost there is the expression of selfishness. Many are willing to give money to help the poor and needy, but are unwilling personally to minister to them. Many times the personal touch is more important than the material aid.

(4). To bind up wounds. If we have eyes to discern we shall see many wounds about us that need attention.

(5). To set the helpless ones on our beasts while we walk (v. 34). This is the proof of the genuineness of our love. Those who are like Christ will deny themselves in order to have something to give to those in need.

(6). To bring to the inn and take care of the unfortunate (v. 34). Genuine love does not leave its service incomplete. Much Christian service is partial, leaving the man to take care of himself.

(7). To give money (v. 35). It costs a good deal to be a neighbor. Love is the most expensive thing in the world. It cost God his only Son; it cost Jesus Christ his life.

Goodness There is an idea abroad among moral people that they should make their neighbors good. One person I have to make good; myself. But my duty to my neighbor is much more nearly expressed by saying that I have to make him happy if I may.

Our Road We cannot always choose our road in life, but we can choose whether we walk along the shady or the sunny side of it.—G. A. Steel.

DOCTORS KNOW

Mothers read this:



Why do people come home from a hospital with bowels working like a well-regulated watch? The answer is simple, and it's the answer to all your bowel worries if you will only realize it: many doctors and hospitals use liquid laxatives. If you knew what a doctor knows, you would use only the liquid form. A liquid can always be taken in gradually reduced doses. Reduced dosage is the secret of any real relief from constipation.

Ask a doctor about this. Ask your druggist how very popular liquid laxatives have become. They give the right kind of help, and right amount of help. The liquid laxative generally used is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It contains senna and cascara — both natural laxatives that can form no habit, even in children. So, try Syrup Pepsin. You just take regulated doses till Nature restores regularity.

Failings of Others If we had no failings ourselves we should not take so much pleasure in finding out those of others.—Rochefoucauld.



No Time to Fail In the opinion of the rulers of states, marriage is never a failure if there are plenty of children.



True Friends Only a few will share your sorrow; but if they care for you, they are enough.



No Need to Suffer "Morning Sickness"

"Morning sickness"—is caused by an acid condition. To avoid it, acid must be offset by alkalies—such as magnesia.

Why Physicians Recommend Milnesia Wafers These mint-flavored, candy-like wafers are pure milk of magnesia in solid form—the most pleasant way to take it. Each wafer is approximately equal to a full adult dose of liquid milk of magnesia. Chewed thoroughly, then swallowed, they correct acidity in the mouth and throughout the digestive system and insure quick, complete elimination of the waste matters that cause gas, headaches, bloated feelings and a dozen other discomforts.

Milnesia Wafers come in bottles of 20 and 48, at 35c and 60c respectively, and in convenient tins for your handbag containing 12 at 20c. Each wafer is approximately one adult dose of milk of magnesia. All good drug stores sell and recommend them. Start using these delicious, effective anti-acid, gently laxative wafers today. Professional samples sent free to registered physicians or dentists if request is made on professional letterhead. Sealed Product, Inc., 4402 23rd St., Long Island City, N. Y.



Adorable Pantie Frock That Is Easy to Make

PATTERN 2556



2556

Here's an adorable frock for a two-to-ten-year-old, and one very easy for mother to make, too. It wears a young round-collared neckline, puffed sleeves for irresistible little girl charm, and roomy pleats for agile youngsters who want "free action."

Pattern 2556 is available in sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10. Size 6 takes 2 3/4 yards 36 inch fabric. Illustrated step-by-step sewing instructions included.

Send fifteen cents (15c) in coins or stamps (coins preferred) for this pattern. Write plainly name, address and style number. Be sure to state size.

Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., 367 W. Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

Human Life Precious Thing; Recklessness Not Courage

There is deep truth in the lines: We never can begin to live Unless we dare to die.

We never have measured life up to its highest and fullest, never learned its deepest meaning until we have learned that there are causes in which it should be risked, sacrificed if need be, unhesitatingly. No one has really learned to live until he has learned that life here is but a beginning, and is for a purpose. When he really believes that, he is ready for high enterprise even though it bring him face to face with death.

Find Out

From Your Doctor if the "Pain" Remedy You Take Is Safe.

Don't Entrust Your Own or Your Family's Well-Being to Unknown Preparations

BEFORE you take any preparation you don't know all about, for the relief of headaches; or the pains of rheumatism, neuritis or neuralgia, ask your doctor what he thinks about it—in comparison with Genuine Bayer Aspirin.

We say this because, before the discovery of Bayer Aspirin, most so-called "pain" remedies were advised against by physicians as being bad for the stomach; or, often, for the heart. And the discovery of Bayer Aspirin largely changed medical practice.

Countless thousands of people who have taken Bayer Aspirin year in and out without ill effect, have proved that the medical findings about its safety were correct.

Remember this: Genuine Bayer Aspirin is rated among the fastest methods yet discovered for the relief of headaches and all common pains... and safe for the average person to take regularly.

You can get real Bayer Aspirin at any drug store—simply by never asking for it by the name "aspirin" alone, but always saying BAYER ASPIRIN when you buy.

Bayer Aspirin



Spring Hat Bright Spot on Horizon

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



BUY yourself a new spring hat and turn the dirge of winter into a joyous spring song. Bright spots on the horizon are the fashion "brims" now showing in millinery previews.

It is to smile at the wee size of many of them. Not much larger than your hand, are early arrivals from Paris. Go hat hunting and prove it for yourself. The less the hat the more the chic, so designers are telling us. How to anchor these diminutive yet eye-filling bits of millinery on the head at just the most fetching tilt and tilt, eye, that's the trick. Ask your milliner. It takes experience to acquire the knack, we admit.

But cheer up. Come veils, to the rescue! They tone up a hat no matter how diminutive and make it look "fit." Veils in countless number adorn the new hats. It is a frolicsome mood they are in, flying every which way, sometimes pretending they are veils when they are really trimming. They make pretty headgear look prettier to the point of fascination.

Flowers, too! Which is important news. To be sure there have been rumors and rumors of flowers but this time milliners declare they are a sure thing. It is not only that "flowers in flowers" on the new hats, but really and truly news about them is their novel positioning—perk bouquets dropped atop crowns or slanted athwart forehead lines at dashing incline.

or posing on bandeaux or standing at attention at the front, thus the new "flower treatments repeat and repeat.

While we started out telling of the fineness of some of the new hats, please do not conclude that every new spring model has been reduced to postage stamp size. On the contrary some of the smartest numbers on the style program have brims. Shallow-crowned, sailors are all the go, especially the Breton types which are shown in felt or stitched silk, and the latest swag ger note is the Breton made of gay patent leather. Then, too, the hat with a visor made of silk, quilted or stitched, is very popular. Young girls are charmed with the idea of the new "Rose of the Ranch" hat with its wide round rolled-up brim and that which captures fancy most of all, its chin strap of fancy cord. Also in this class is the new Argentina type which likewise boasts a chin strap. As to the newer softer mannish felts, their vogue is assured.

We are following up our statement about hats of Lilliputian size by including two such in the accompanying illustration. To the right in group is a Paris model which goes to verify this new trend. It is a toque of dotted grosgrain, trimmed at the back with a feather and a veil which is not a veil. However, this bow of open mesh conveys an important message of veiling tied in bows and we might add matching bows at the throat are cited in fashion reports. To the left is another we toque as fashion decrees for spring. A flange of geraniums and the inevitable little veil do the trimming act.

The off-the-face hat above proclaims the existing flair for gay color. It is a bright Chinese red straw. Band and bow are of black belting ribbon. The print gown is black and white.

A very smart shallow navy straw Breton concludes the group. The bouquet atop the crown and the inset about the headline are made of multi-colored leather.

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DINNER JACKET By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Wear a dinner jacket with your slim-skirted formal print frock if you would look up-to-the-instant good style. White cotton pique is considered ever so smart for the dinner jacket. Indeed, these white washable jackets are proving quite the fad of the immediate moment. A white cotton pique dinner jacket, flared at the hips, adds a tailored note to a printed silk crepe frock as here shown. The dress has splashy flowers of red and blue on white with a decolletage cut high in front and low in back.

New Hats Exhibit Varied Sources of Inspiration

The new hats exhibit very definite but also varied sources of inspiration. A collection of one designer will show the influence of several different periods and contrasting styles. Talbot, for instance, while seeking ideas for her new berets in supple shirred rayon velvet from the portraits of Dante, has adopted for her new fur toques the Russian and Asiatic styles with a pointed and sometimes folded crown.

CHINESE MODERN SEEN IN PARIS FASHIONS

China put an oriental sign on the new spring mode shown in 1936 fashion displays.

Chinese lacquer red appeared in trimmings, Chinese motifs marked belt buckles and Chinese figures were stamped on prints.

Many black afternoon frocks were designed along simple, high-necked lines, suggestive of oriental suavity. Some black dinner frocks were topped by knee-length coats of flower printed black crepe silk, whose cut showed Chinese inspiration.

A slender silhouette, high neckline and accented shoulderline, marked by big topped sleeves gathered into the armhole, distinguish the Paris profile shown so far.

Waists are normal and busts are definitely outlined.

Smartest Black Costumes Touched With Vivid Colors

Bright touches either as trimming or in the way of accessories are dramatizing the season's smartest black costumes. Perhaps it will be embroidery done in vivid colored yarns or a row of striking red buttons or insets of red patent leather. As to accessories the most striking item is the new gloves which are being shown in high colors including red, green, du-bonnet and the natural chamois shade is especially sponsored by smart Parisiennes.

Hearts of Fur Are Now Worn on Sleeves of Stylists

A sentimental wave has overtaken fashion in Paris. Women now literally wear their hearts on their sleeves—made of fur. Hats and gowns are perfumed. You can spray the padding with your own scent or with different scents on various occasions.

For evenings, too, you can increase your femininity by wearing little frilled tulle caps, which serve as a children.

Taffeta for Evening

Lots of taffeta is being shown for evening just now. There are pencil-slim taffeta frocks, and there are billowy models. Slim, black taffeta with self-ruchings of clipped material is a favorite. Usually this is done with a very deep decolletage; both in front and back. White taffeta with glittering touches is liked, and for southern wear there are taffeta frocks in pale pink and blue.

Monograms Make Your Linens Doubly Precious

PATTERN 1126



Variety's the Spice of Life—and monograms, too, for the smartest ones today combine letters in varying sizes. That's why we included four different alphabets—a large, a medium and two small ones—that you may "scramble" your own. They work up easily and quickly, using a combination of satin, seed and buttonhole stitches with a bit of cutwork. Anyone with "Hope Chest" linens will find these alphabets invaluable. They fit beautifully into a diamond or triangular shape.

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Send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle, Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Boy Is Over Eight Feet Tall and Still Growing

Physicians say that Robert Wadlow of Alton, Ill., is still growing at the age of seventeen. That would not be unusual except for the fact that he is 8 feet 4 inches tall and weighs 380 pounds now. Wadlow is regarded as the nation's tallest man and the second tallest in history. A famous Irish giant of the Nineteenth century is said to have exceeded him.

Wadlow recently graduated from Alton high school. He wore a size 8 1/2 cap and a 32-inch gown which was 50 inches around the chest and had 55-inch sleeves. His shoes are size 30. The youth expects to enter Shurtleff college next fall to study law and wants to live in Washington university in St. Louis.

Household Questions

Oil the boys' shoes and they will last longer and become water resistant. Use castor oil sparingly on the uppers, but give the soles all the oil they will absorb.

Do not rub or wring organdie when washing. Put through three or four soapsuds waters, roll in a turkish towel and let stand for an hour before ironing. They require no starch.

When cutting a frosted lemon pie use a knife that has been dipped into cold water. The meringue then retains its shape.

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No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with anything less than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble to aid nature to soothe and heal the inflamed membranes as the germ-laden phlegm is loosened and expelled. Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, your druggist is authorized to guarantee Creomulsion and to refund your money if you are not satisfied with results from the very first bottle. Get Creomulsion right now. (Adv.)

If You Have "Acid Indigestion"

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The answer is simple. You alkalize your stomach almost instantly this way:

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That's all you do! Relief comes in a few minutes. Your stomach is alkalized—soothed. Nausea, and upset distress quickly disappear. It's amazing.

Results come so fast because Phillips' Milk of Magnesia is a potent natural alkaliizer. Everywhere people—urged to keep

their stomachs alkalized—are finding this out.

Try it. Get a bottle of the liquid Phillips' for home use. Only 25¢ for a big box of Phillips' Tablets to carry with you. Watch out that any bottle or box you accept is clearly marked "Phillips' Milk of Magnesia."

SIGNS WHICH OFTEN INDICATE "ACID STOMACH"

PAIN AFTER EATING SLEEPLESSNESS FEELING OF WEARINESS HEADACHE LOSS OF APPETITE FREQUENT HEADACHES

PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA

DAD GIVES A GOOD TIP

Comic strip panels showing a father giving advice to his son about basketball and coffee. The father says: 'I'll give you one last chance, Jack. If you lose your temper again, you're through!' The son replies: 'Well—it's a good thing you're letting me play tonight! My father came all the way from Washington to see the game!' The father says: 'I'm Jack's father, coach... can you spare a minute?' The son replies: 'Certainly, Doctor Walton. It's too bad about Jack—he's a star player, but he won't obey my "no coffee" training rule!' The father says: 'Being a doctor, I recognized Jack's trouble as coffee-nerve! But he's promised to quit coffee and drink Postum instead!' The son replies: 'Fine! You stick to that, Jack, and you'll get back on the team!' The father says: 'Curses! Switching to Postum, is he? Then I'm through!' The father says: '30 days later... wait while I wire dad... I want him to know I've been elected basketball captain!' The father replies: 'Think I'll wire him, too—and tell him what a fine disposition you've acquired since you switched to Postum!'

OF COURSE, you know that children should never drink coffee. But do you realize that the caffeine in coffee disagrees with many grown-ups, too?

If you are bothered by headaches or indigestion, or find it difficult to sleep soundly... caffeine may be to blame.

Isn't it worth while to try Postum for 30 days? Postum contains no caffeine. It is simply whole wheat and bran, roasted and slightly sweetened. It is easy to make, and costs less than one-half cent a cup. It's a delicious drink, too... and may prove a real help. A product of General Foods.

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1932 CHEVROLET TRUCK for sale, or would trade for car. Bill Balch, New Home, Phone 918X 28-3tc

FOR SALE—See me for the J. R. Penn half & half cotton seed \$1.50 per bushel prepaid.—R. Bosworth, Tahoka, Texas. 17-16tp

FOR SALE—Second-hand 2-row Oliver lister, two 1-row cultivators, one double-row slide go-devil, cheap for cash.—R. C. Wood. 28-3tc

ALL KINDS OF PIGS for sale. See R. W. Penton Jr. 20-1tc

WOOD for sale, at \$2.50 per load, 6 miles north of Tahoka on Wilson road. G. H. Spears. 1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One International oil heater and one Premier 5-burner cook stove, both in good condition. A. J. Kaddatz. 27-4tc

1936 February and March hatched cockrels from Rhode Island Red special matings will be for sale at \$3.00 a dozen above the produce market.—Fred Mathews, Telephone Grassland. 29-1tc

NU STUDIO—I now have the Waffle Studio in Lamesa and am spending part of my time there. I will be in Tahoka Thursdays and Fridays at the same old stand. So, still call for your coupons. One 8x10 tinted picture for \$1.00. Others are greatly pleased with these pictures; you will be too. Also bring me your kodak work.—C. C. Dwight.

LAND FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have 552 acres of land on line of Taylor and Runnels counties, 2 miles west of Bradshaw, 8 miles north of Withers, 1 mile from highway, 380 acres in cultivation, three sets of improvements, good water, known as Joe Poindexter place, carrying \$10,000 Federal loan; will trade for property in Lynn or Lubbock counties.—Wm. Zappe, Shiner, Texas. 28-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—C. Melody Saxophone, electric radio for battery radio. Phone or see Jack Winter, Tahoka. 29-2tp

**Rep. Mahon Is For Soil Conservation**

Washington—The work of the Soil Conservation Service in the 19th Congressional District was the subject of a conference last week between Congressman George Mahon and Mr. H. H. Pinnell of Amarillo, Regional Director of the Soil Conservation Service. Mr. Pinnell was in Washington for meetings with other Regional Directors and Administrative officials.  
 Mr. Pinnell outlined general phases of the work as it has been conducted so far. CCC Camps in Lamb and Dawson counties have served as illustrative projects in the program throughout the past year. He discussed the effort which is being made to coordinate the work of the Soil Conservation Service and the Resettlement Administration.  
 The Congressman expressed commendation for the fine work which has been done under Mr. Pinnell's direction. He said: "I consider the conservation of our soil to be the most outstanding problem confronting our West Texas farmers. The potential value of the work which Mr. Pinnell is doing is inestimable. One of the chief virtues of the new farm bill adopted by Congress last week is that it will concentrate interest in the great national problem of soil conservation. Every effort to preserve the natural wealth which lies in our soil will meet with my complete cooperation."

**DIXIE CLUB PARTY**

The Dixie Home Demonstration Club is having a progressive "42" party at the home of Mrs. V. H. Macha Friday night, March 6, charging 25 cents per couple but refreshments will be served free. Boys, bring your sweethearts; husbands, bring your wives.—Reporter.

Chester Connolly drove over to Oklahoma City Tuesday to attend a two-days meeting of Chevrolet dealers. He was due back in Tahoka Thursday night.

HAVE YOUR old furniture made new at Houston's Furniture Repair and Cabinet Shop.

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 Get Paracide Ointment, the guaranteed Itch and eczema remedy. Paracide is guaranteed to cure Itch, eczema or other skin irritations or money refunded. Large jar 50 cents at Tahoka Drug Co. 24-4tp

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 Instant relief is afforded by Ananesta Mop, the new guaranteed throat mop. Relieves pain—kills infection. Relief guaranteed or purchase price refunded by Tahoka Drug Co. 27-6tp

**CHAPMAN RANCH Cotton Seed**, State certified and pedigreed. Claude Donaldson, agent. 23-1tc

**WANTED**

WANTED—At the Nazarene Church three blocks west and two north of postoffice Sunday at 10 a. m. Every man, woman, boy and girl who does not attend Sunday School. J. Robert Hodges, Pastor.

**MEN WANTED** for Rawleigh Routes of 800 families. Reliable hustler should start earning \$25 weekly and increase rapidly. Write today. Rawleigh Dept. Tx-728-S, Memphis, Tenn. 23-10tc

WE SPECIALIZE in upholstery of all kinds.—Houston's Furniture & Cabinet Shop.

FOR SALE—A child's bed, in good condition, cheap. Mrs. John Minor.

**LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—Black horse mule, weight about 850 lbs., smooth mouth. Finder please notify A. J. Kaddatz. 29-2tp

FOUND—A girl's shoe on the streets of Tahoka. Owner may procure same by calling at News office and paying for this notice.

**FOR RENT**

FOR RENT—House in North Tahoka, 4 rooms and bath. W. L. Knight.

OUR WATER IS HOT—Come and help us use it.—Kimbrel Help Yourself Laundry, in Larkin Building.

**Live Stock Must Not Run Loose**

Mayor Jim Dye has requested that we announce that Dr. G. W. Williams has been duly appointed by the city marshal as pound keeper and has been instructed to enforce the ordinance prohibiting the running at large of live stock within the city limits.

The city council is also passing an ordinance requiring the owners of ebickens to keep them up.

It is understood that war is also to be made on dogs running at large promiscuously.

There has been considerable complaint recently of the depredation of calves, dogs, and chickens. People who are preparing to raise gardens or to have beautiful flower beds do not appreciate the frequent nocturnal visits of their neighbors' live stock nor the diurnal visits of canines and poultry.

One old hen, one old cow, or a bunch of dogs can destroy in ten minutes what it took some gardener or some lover of flowers many weeks to produce. So, if you want your calves, dogs, and chickens to retain their accustomed good health, folks, better keep 'em at home.

**AT BIG SPRING MEET**

Judge W. E. Smith, A. M. Cade, and G. A. Brasfield were called to Big Spring Tuesday to attend a meeting of county officials throughout this district, at which an explanation of the purpose, workings, and benefits of the state-wide tax survey was made. Speakers were R. B. Anderson, head of the state tax commission, A. W. Holden, director, and R. B. DeWitt, field representative.

**EVANS STORE CLOSES**

The Evans Dry Goods Store, a concern that located here last September to get the benefit of the Fall and Winter trade, this week folded its tent and silently stole away.

**LUNCHEON CLUB GUESTS OF PHEBE K. WARNER CLUB**  
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and for fifteen years the Stars and Stripes proudly waved over her wide domain.

Then came the Secession movement and Texas joined the Confederacy. For four tragic years, Texas marched under the Stars and Bars.

With Lee's surrender at Appomattox, the Stars and Stripes were again planted on Texas soil, and all now give due homage to Old Glory.

At the beginning of the luncheon Tuesday, Mrs. E. I. Hill, representing the Phebe K. Warner Club, gave a brief address of welcome to the luncheon club members, whom they regarded as their guests for this occasion.

The first number on the program was a series of three songs by a quartette of fourth grade public school boys, to wit: Jack Swafford, George Hogan III, Edwin Rogers, and Billy Baker.

"Home on the Range" and "Give me back my Boots and Saddle" were sung by Winston Redwine. Kary Mathis accompanied the boys'

quartette, and Mrs. Rubie D. Sudarth the soloist.

A very interesting feature of the program was a chalk talk given jointly by Mrs. H. C. Story and Miss Sylvia Robb, Mrs. Story doing the talking and Miss Robb making the illustrations on a blackboard. Mrs. Story gave the origin and significance of many of the famous cattle brands of Texas.

Rev. George A. Dale, the president, stated that it had been suggested that a board of directors be appointed to outline the activities and the programs of the club. A motion to this effect was adopted and the chair appointed Alvin Hicks, W. G. Barrett, and Jim Dye as a committee to nominate a board of seven directors.

School superintendent W. G. Barrett suggested that some steps should be taken to welcome the visitors to Tahoka at the interscholastic meet to be held here in April. This suggestion was also adopted and the chair appointed Kary Mathis, W. M. Harris, and C. A. Thomas as a committee to look after this matter.

Visitors present were W. J. Benson, who resides near town, and

Toward Vaughn of Lubbock. Wynne Collier, successor of Thomas Bros. in the drug business, was a new member.

It was announced that Prof. J. T. Carter and a number of high school pupils would furnish the program next Tuesday.

**The CONOCO SERVICE STATION**

Will trade gas or oil for feed, and in fact for anything we can wear, eat or DRINK!

We try to show our appreciation of your trade by the SERVICE we extend!

**J. J. BOYDSTUN**

Washing Flats Fixed Greasing

**Announcing The Opening**

OF TAHOKA'S NEWEST FOOD MARKET

On Saturday, March 7,

With the Slogan: "Every Purchase Guaranteed to Please You"

**The Guarantee Food Market**

We open this store with the firm conviction that no business is entitled to survive except those prepared to serve, and we dedicate it to that purpose.

It will be our intention to carry only nationally known merchandise, having such merit as to stand the test of time. This high grade merchandise will be well displayed, and each item will have the price tag over it so you may know exactly what grade and price you may get. In this way a child can shop as easily and safely as an adult.

*It will be our pleasure to have you come in, get a basket, and leisurely shop around for yourself, or, call a clerk who will be glad to serve you—as you prefer.*

Our Mr. Olen Stewart, who until recently has been connected with the wholesale grocery business in Lubbock for ten years, will do our buying—and he has the reputation of being a **REAL BUYER**. He assures us that he will do his utmost to bring Tahoka some **Real Values**. In doing this it will be our policy to pay cash, taking every possible discount, sell for cash on the cash-and-carry plan, and pass every possible saving on to our customers.

Our Mr. Lloyd Reid, together with his wife and little "Prune Jr.," have moved to Tahoka and will try and make creditable citizens in every way possible. He will have an interest in the store. Lloyd has been associated with our Mr. Garlington in the Piggly-Wiggly store in Littlefield for over four years, where he has built up a wonderful patronage by rendering customers every possible accommodation and "Service-with-a-Smile". He will greatly appreciate meeting you and serving you.

COME IN! LET'S GET ACQUAINTED!

LOOK AT OUR GROCERIES AND PRICES!

On Friday and Saturday  
 March 14 and 15  
 We will have our

**Formal Opening**  
 At which time we GIVE AWAY  
**Absolutely Free**  
 24 Quarter-Barrel Sacks of  
**GROCERIES**

We are doing this simply to get acquainted. These groceries will be given to persons present with out cost or obligation to anyone.

**Beginning at 9 A. M. FRIDAY,**  
 March 14, we will give one sack of groceries away, and one sack each hour thereafter until 9 P. M. Then starting on Saturday, March 15, at 10 A. M., one sack will be given each hour until 10 P. M., making a total of—

**24 Quarter-Barrel Sacks Of Groceries FREE!**

The registering for these free groceries will begin Saturday, March 7, and continue until the last sack is given away next week.

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