

## BRISBANE THIS WEEK

One Big Catch  
War Comes Closer  
More Houses Needed  
Would Not Eat Ladies

President Roosevelt, interrupting his journey to attend to official business, did a little



Arthur Brisbane

fishing from a whale boat off Port-of-Spain. It was poor fishing, but the President did not complain; he caught something worth while on election day—to catch forty-six out of a possible forty-eight fish is good fishing.

Europe and Asia seem to be getting a little closer to war, although many wise ones think it still far off.

Germany admits willingness to side with Japan in a fight against bolshevism. Practical Stalin, man of few words, tells Jawah what he thinks of her pact with Germany by refusing to renew a treaty that permits Japan to fish in Russian water off the coast of eastern Siberia.

That fishing privilege is vitally important to the feeding of Japan's surplus millions, increasing at the rate of one million new Japanese every year.

Langdon Post, New York's commissioner of housing, tells the American Federation of Labor that a great national shortage of houses exists, because there has been no building New York City, especially, is in a bad way according to Mr. Post; here the shortage in housing "may have tragic consequences."

That is good news for the building trades, and temporarily good news for landlords; they will not overbuild. As usual, politicians will seize the opportunity to raise taxes, and presently money lenders will be once more selling real estate under foreclosures.

Life is a brief game of seesaw—now up, that is prosperity; then down, that is depression. The budget is not the only thing that needs balancing.

Our neighbor, Nicaragua well advanced in modern intelligence, establishes a military flying school, orders fighting planes from the United States, hires a first class instructor. There is progress everywhere.

and you realize it when you read in chapter 26 of Westermarck's "The Origin and Development of the Moral Ideas":

In ancient Nicaragua women were held unworthy to perform any duty in connection with the temples, and were immolated outside the temple ground of the large sanctuaries, and even their flesh was unclean food for the high priest, who accordingly ate only the flesh of males.

What a jump from a civilization in which the high priest would not eat "adits that had been slaughtered to a modern air school in which young Nicaraguan women once excluded from the temples, will be allowed to fly planes and learn how to release bombs!

Schumann Heink, artist of the operative stage, and a fine example to all women, is dead at seventy-five.

Young ladies who say "I can't have children because I must have a career," and sometimes have neither, please observe that Mme. Schumann Heink had a magnificent artistic career and many children also, including two boys killed in the big war, and one on a submarine, who survived.

Winston Churchill, able Englishman, thinks Great Britain, France and the United States should remain "one in support of democracy," and calls the United States "a child of our blood and ideals." This country is the child of many different kinds of blood and ideals. Greater New York includes the biggest Italian city in the world, bigger than Rome or Milan; more than a million of Italian birth or descent. The same New York contains two million Jews, many more than ever were in Palestine.

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## One Crop Not Affected by the Drouth



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## Fire Destroys The Atkinson Rock Building

Mathis Chevrolet Saves All Its Stock, But T. E. Carr Lost All His Household Furnishings

### SAN ANGELO COMES TO ASSIST

Last Saturday afternoon, the stone building on the west side of the court house plaza and owned by W. B. Atkinson, was destroyed by fire.

The second story of the building was occupied by T. E. Carr and family as a home. The ground floor was used by R. M. Mathis as a sales room for Chevrolet cars and accessories.

Fire was first discovered in the north west part of the building in the ceiling. The Carr family were all absent, and no one had been in the apartment since about the breakfast hour, so far as we can learn.

In a few minutes after the fire was discovered, flames broke out in the roof and the ceiling below at about the same time. The Fire Department was on hand in a very few minutes, but before the boys could get into action, the flames had gotten under such headway, it was seen that the building was doomed, and they confined their efforts to save the Lowe Hardware building which only a stone wall separated it from the roaring furnace. In this they were successful.

In the meantime the San Angelo Fire Department had been notified and in about 40 minutes, a company of those boys came roaring in on their big fire fighting machine, and in less than a minute they had a powerful stream of water playing on the fire.

While our boys had fought the flames heroically, and were holding on manfully, with the help of the San Angelo boys, the battle was soon won and the fire was brought under control—saving the Lowe

Hardware Company building and its immense stock.

For awhile, the News-Record plant was threatened by the flames, and somebody shouted, "don't let the News-Record burn, we can't do without that." Soon the boys sprayed the roof and walls, and two men mounted the roof to extinguish the flying sparks, but in a little while the danger was over.

The Carr family lost most everything they possessed, because the smoke was so thick that it was impossible to get but few things out. All their wearing apparel was destroyed.

Most everything in the Mathis Chevrolet sales room was saved.

A part of the equipment of the News-Record was carried out, but when the roof of the burning building fell in, it was seen that the danger was over and the work of salvaging ceased. The only thing lost was the bottom out of a high stool and a clawhammer marked K. left in a truck after being used to loosen a cap on a water tank.

We learn that the Atkinson building was insured, but for how much, we did not learn. Mr. Atkinson was at Denton at the time of the fire.

Every true Sterling citizen's heart beats with gratitude for those splendid boys who so nobly took their lives in their hands and stood upon those walls and fought back the threatening flames that were eating their way to other buildings. They are truly grateful to that fine group of San Angelo fire fighters who came so promptly and did such heroic work for us. We shall always love those boys.—Uncle Bill

### Mrs. Cope Entertains

Mrs. J. I. Cope entertained the Ko-Shari Bridge Club Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Gene Phillips.

High score award for members won by Miss Bob Hooker, and Miss Archie Marie Garrett won high for guests. Mrs. Jimmie House held the roaming prize when the four games of bridge had been finished.

Others present were Mesdames Robert Foster, Taylor Garrett, Gene Phillips, Clel Ainsworth, Maude Louis of Fort Stockton, Misses Ann Cotton, Mildred Simpson, Anna Lee Pearce, and Veva Welch.

## A. C. Carper, Died At Ft. Stockton Last Saturday

Had Undergone Operation And Was Thought To Be Recovering. Buried Here Monday

A. C. Carper, Jr. died last Saturday, Nov. 28, in a hospital in Fort Stockton and was buried in the Foster Cemetery in the afternoon of the following Monday.

Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church by Revs. Raymond Collier, pastor of the local Baptist church and George M. Sullivan, pastor of the local Presbyterian church.

The pallbearers were: Taylor Garrett, V. E. Davis Foster Conger, J. I. Cope, Virgil Brownfield and Herbert Cope.

The Lowe Undertaking Co. had charge of the funeral and burial program.

Deceased had undergone a surgical operation a week before, and apparently was recovering. His death was unexpected.

A. C. Carper Jr., son of Mrs. A. C. Carper of Sterling City and the late A. C. Carper, Sr., was born on the Carper ranch south of Sterling City, Feb. 18, 1907 and died Nov. 28, 1936.

He was married to Mary E. Daves May 28, 1933. He is survived by his widow, a two-months old baby; his mother, Mrs. A. C. Carper; four brothers, O. L., J. L., Elbert and Francis Carper; three sisters, Mesdames W. H. Meyers and A. C. Gaily of San Angelo, and Mrs. Douglas Watson of Big Spring.

He was a good neighbor and a splendid citizen. We are with those who mourn his passing.

### Mrs. Claud Collins, Jr., Hurt in Fall From Horse

Mrs. Claud Collins, Jr., was painfully injured last Sunday when the horse she was riding ran away and threw her. She was taken to a hospital at San Angelo, and is reported to be recovering rapidly.

## "TWO CAN LIVE AS CHEAPLY AS ONE"

The question of two living as cheaply as one, is at least as old as the story of Adam and Eve.

God answered the question when He placed Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. Of course the manner of living is somewhat changed in these modern days, but the purposes for which a man and a woman assume family relations are about the same.

Yet, there are those who still ask the question. While this important question is now being studied at at some of our great universities with various conclusions, I claim that the problem which applies to the average couple with honest purposes, is merely a problem in arithmetic and common sense.

For illustration, we will consider and study the case of John and Mary. They came from average and respectable families who might be termed of the middle class.

John and Mary are sweethearts and wish very much to marry, but they have misgivings as to whether their income will justify their marriage.

They are both well educated, but they both have to work for a living. John is a good trained mechanic and has a job of \$100 per month with prospects of a raise in salary.

Mary works as a book keeper in a bank at \$90 per month, but may lose her job if she marries.

John draws \$1,200 per year, and Mary draws \$1,080 per year, making their combined earnings \$2,280 a year.

They were determined to get married when they could afford it. So one night John said: "Mary, I have been figuring on whether we can afford to get married, and my figures tell me that with a little self denial and head work, that we can live as cheaply as a married couple as we could if we remained single."

"How is that John?"

"Well, it is like this: The combined earnings of the two of us is \$2,280 a year. The first big items is food, shelter and clothing. Each of us spend for furnished rooms \$20 per month, a total of \$40. We pay for food \$25 each per month making a total of \$50. Our clothing \$15 each making \$30 a month. These total \$120 per month. During the year we spend for these items \$1,444 leaving us a net of \$836 for other items and a small saving.

Now if we got married and lived like other couples in our station, we would rent a little furnished apartment with water, lights, and kitchen-ett for about \$40 per month. Our groceries should cost around \$20 per month.

By doing our own repairing & c, our clothing would be about \$10 per month each. For these three main items, we would spend \$960 per year, leaving a balance of \$1,320 per year for other items and savings, so you see, Mary, the two of us can live cheaper than one."

"Yes, but John, if I marry, I will lose my job," said Mary.

"Then in that case I would have only \$240 for other expenses, but I have thought of another way.

"I have an option on a cosy cottage on two good lots with trees, a vegetable garden and chicken lot for \$3,000 cash. I also have the option on a loan of \$3,500 for ten years at 4 per cent interest.

"You see, I would invest \$3000 in

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**GREAT DOMAIN IS NOT POPULAR WITH NEIGHBORS**

There is a mighty lot of trouble brewing on the King and Kleberg ranches down in Kenedy and Willacy counties.

These big pastures cover all of Kenedy, and part of Willacy and other counties, in fact it is about the largest system of cattle pastures in the U. S. A.

Captain King and the Klebergs were the founders of this vast estate. They were wise in their day. They realized that this vast area could not be peaceably held without the grace of their neighbors, and they acted accordingly. With few exceptions, these wise old ranchmen, retained the good will of their neighbors.

By and by, the Kings died and left others in charge. These new bosses fenced the land up, and put up "keep out" notices. This didn't suit some of the neighbors who were used to hunting on some of the lands. They saw a few privileged hunters from the cities hunting on the preserves, and they could not see why they should be denied, inasmuch as the vast thickets and swamps in the pasture bred and harbored predatory animals that preyed on the crops, poultry and flocks.

If a wolf or puma seized a kid or lamb and made off with it, they could pursue it to the King pasture fence, but no further, and woe unto the man who crossed that fence.

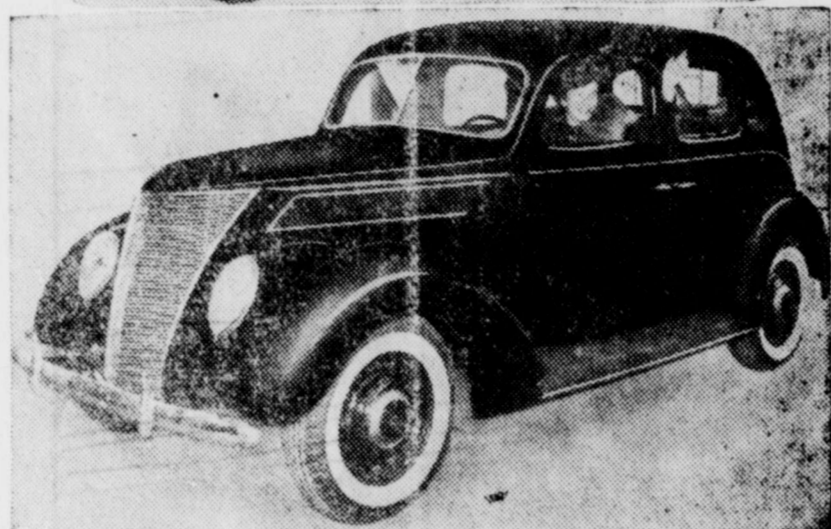
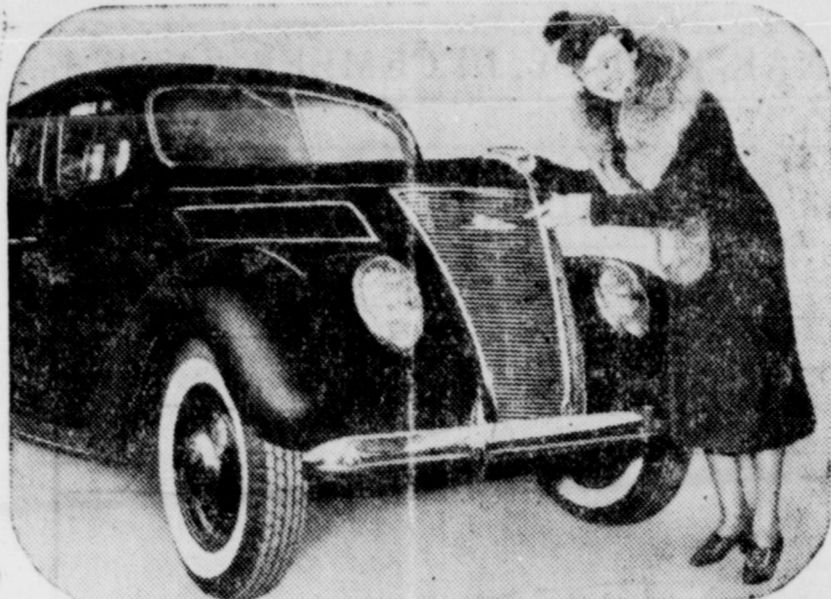
Some who had the temerity to cross the fence were never heard from again. A few weeks ago, a father and son crossed the fence in quest of wild ducks that frequented a lagoon about 500 yards from their home. Presently, three shots rang out in the direction of the lagoon. That night a car was heard running away from the lagoon and next morning car tracks were seen, but so far, these two men have never been seen or heard from.

The neighbors of the two missing men called in the Rangers to help to search for them. In the fear that some of these neighbors lose their heads and do something they should not do, forbid them to join in the search, but later, they were permitted to search the grounds where they suspected that the bodies of their murdered friends were concealed.

A few days later, a Mexican who had been employed to guide people over the pasture, was found murdered. He had been stabbed and shot to death, and of course this aroused more feeling against the managers of the great ranch.

To add to all this trouble, some of these people have been trying to get a highway built through these pastures instead of being forced to detour 70 miles around them, but so far the owners of these lands have proved themselves bigger than Kenedy and Willacy counties or even bigger than the state of Texas, for they, so far have been able to defeat every effort that has been made to

**Buys Texas' First 1937 Ford V-8**



When Faye Cotton, known as Texas Sweetheart No. 1 and star of the Fort Worth Casa Manana Revue, saw the new 1937 Ford V-8's, she became Texas Owner No. 1. In these photographs she is shown, above, in a close-up pointing proudly to her new Ford, and in the lower photograph she is shown about to take off on her first trip in the new model, a de luxe Fordor touring sedan, delivered to her in Dallas.

put this much needed highway through, and the public is still forced to detour 70 miles around these pastures.

With these facts coupled with a lot of unadulterated cussidness and selfishness are going to stir up unhurted Sheol among those people.

No doubt those big ranchers have been annoyed by some bad neighbors who would cross their fences, leave their gates open, shoot game and maybe some thief among them would steal a beef or a load of wood and at the same time tread on the grass. But instead of returning good for evil and showing the quality of good neighbors, they retaliated with what is suspected to be cold blooded murder, they think the mysterious disappearance of a few of them, that it would put such fear in their hearts that they would have no further desire to cross that fence again.

But they are mistaken. The murder of these people will out. Suspicion of these foul murders will rest upon the management of the ranch until they shall exculpate themselves.

Then again, when the owners bought this land, the purchase carried with it the constitutional right of Immanent Domain in favor of the public use for easements, such as roads and other things. When the owners per force of their wealth and influence, caused the public to be denied these precious rights, they brought upon themselves the ill will of their neighbors which adds more fat to the fire of the feud. You can not hold down a big ranch and prosper when all your neighbors are down on you.

Unless the owners of this princely domain can make up their minds to play the good neighbor by changing the dispicable policy of the feudal lords to that of good neighbors, they had just as well make plans to move on, because it is through the grace of their neighbors that they are there. — Uncle Bill

The News-Record family is indebted to C. C. Ainsworth for a generous portion of fine venison for its last Sunday's dinner. Clel, in company with Warren and Kenneth Garms returned a few days before with a big, blacktail buck which he bagged in the Big Bend country and saved us a portion. Many thanks, Clel

**"TWO CAN LIVE"**  
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the home, \$300 in a modest set of furniture and \$200 in a good, used car. for you know we must have a way to get about.

"By all means, I am going to have a jersey cow along with that garden and chickens. We would make the cow, chickens and vegetables pay our grocery bill, besides we would always have the luxuries of fresh milk butter, eggs, chickens and vegetables. We could live at home and board at the same place. Others are doing it and with your help, Mary, we can do it too.

"As time goes by, if I don't get into business for myself, they are going to raise my pay. As it is, my present wages will take care of the situation, so I figure that if we work and use our heads, the two of us can live as cheaply as one of us, so Mary, lets get married."

"When John?"

"As soon as we can get a license and see a preacher."

"Oh, John."

Down with the curtain quick. Imagine the rest.

**THIS WEEK**  
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Colombia has written a new constitution, authorizing its government, among other things, to confiscate private property without paying the owners. Conservative citizens of Colombia call that "communist," which seems hardly an exaggeration.

More pay increases, more bonuses, more distribution of accumulated surplus by big corporations. Sixty-five thousand workers in textile and shoe industries learn that they are to have Christmas bonuses and better wages.

Two young female geniuses, Misses Fanny Hurst and Agnes Reppier, disagree about book writing. Agnes Reppier says it is "perilously easy"; Fanny Hurst says no, it is hard.

Publishers say all depends on the kind of books you write and the brain you have.  
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## Local Items

For flowers see or phone Mrs. E. B. Butler

For flowers, for all occasions, see or phone Mrs. W. N. Reed.

Mrs. Joel Barton is visiting her daughter at Lubbock.

S. D. Guimarin sold his home here to Mrs. Minnie Thomas this week.

T. Jeff Davis went to San Antonio the first of the week for clinical examination and treatment.

Walker Morgan Floral Shop guarantees satisfaction on all orders.  
Mrs. J. A. Revell

For Sale: Four work horses, 2-row planter and cultivator, and one jersey cow. See W. B. Welch 4t

The rains that have fallen this week have greatly benefitted the range. The total rainfall was nearly an inch.

Mrs. J. C. Brown returned last Tuesday from a six week visit with relatives at Houston, Corpus Christi, Victoria and Goliad.

The wet weather that has prevailed during the last week is proving of immense benefit to the winter forage plants on the range.

Mrs. Ben Findt and daughter Miss Lina Findt spent last week end visiting Mrs. Findt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thiers near Sonora.

Mrs. Logan Mims who was confined in a hospital in San Angelo for several weeks, is at home in Sterling City and is improving in health.

Our good friend A. E. Ballou is reported ill and unable to be down in town as usual. His many friends are hoping that he will be out soon.

E. L. Bailey was a substantial caller on the News Record last Wednesday. Mr. Bailey says his range is fine and his stock is in good condition.

Mrs. Harley Williams and son, Harley Jr. of Golden, Colorado, and Mrs. Kirk Perry and son, of Del Rio, are visiting Mesdames Williams and Perry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ballou.

Miss Prebble Durham returned last Sunday from Austin where she visited her sister, Miss Annie Lee Durham, and Kilgore where she visited her sister, Mrs. Clyde H. Davis at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atkinson returned last Monday from Denton where they visited their daughter Miss Mildred Atkinson, who is a student of the College of Industrial Arts at that place.

Rev. Wilson Fielder, 21 years a missionary in China, will speak at the Baptist church Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Fielder is one of the outstanding missionaries of the Southern Baptist Convention.

In the name of all the people of Sterling City, the News-Record extends deepest gratitude and heartfelt thanks to the Fire Department of San Angelo and those splendid boys who came to our rescue during the fire last Saturday and rendered such noble and unselfish service in helping to subdue the destructive flames.—Uncle Bill speaking for the whole town.

## With The H. D. Clubs

Everyone is invited to attend the Home Demonstration achievement day program Saturday, Dec. 5, and to see the exhibits placed in various show windows in town.

The program beginning at 10 a. m. will be held at the Baptist church. House dresses made by club members from their foundation pattern will be shown and judged. Those ranking highest in fit, design and construction will be placed on exhibition, in Sharp and Bailey's store with the foundation pattern.

A miscellaneous program has been planned for the remainder of the morning. At noon a covered dish luncheon will be served. In the afternoon a business meeting of the county council will be held. All club women are invited to attend this meeting. The matter of federating the Home Demonstration clubs will be decided upon.

Exhibits showing adequate diets will be placed in several grocery store windows.

L. R. and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reed, Worth Durham and Misses Prebble Durham and Delene Reid were among those from Sterling attending the University-A. & M. football game at Austin on Thanksgiving day.

W. S. Nelson, driller in the Chalk oil field near Ross City reports they are deeping the old wells from around 1800 feet to 3200 foot levels. W. S. says the production of the wells is vastly increased by picking up the lower oil bearing stratum.

Among students who spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home here were. Wm. Foster, Don Bowen, Joel Barton, Jr., and Reggie Pearce, of A. & M. College; Roger Williams, of Texas Tech; Misses Cecile Irene Reed and Rulene Foster, of Abilene Christian College.

The County Clerk tells me that an Act was passed by the Legislature extending the time for Principal Payments on all School Lands purchased from the State prior to November 1, 1901 to September 26 1944. This will be good news to many purchasers.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. McWhorter came over from Mertzon last Monday to attend the funeral of A. C. Carper. Brother McWhorter was recently returned by the Methodist Conference to continue another year's service as pastor of the Methodist church at Mertzon.

To Fire Chief R. P. Brown and his splendid company of fire fighters and every one else who had a hand in saving the News-Record from destruction by fire last Saturday. The whole News-Record force including "Uncle Bill", extend their heartfelt thanks for this noble and unselfish service.—The News-Record force

J. D. Lane paid us a visit that we very much appreciated last Tuesday. J. D. and Mrs. Lane are temporarily retired from the ranching business and are making their home in Sterling City. John was mistaken when he thought he would have time to do a of, for loafing. The first thing he knew they had him on an errand of mercy taking up a collection for some folks in distress. He worked on his job like an old stager and so far as I know, none had the heart to turn him down.

The News Record: One Dollar and two bits a year,

## COUNTRY MEATS

Its hog killing time now for many who live in the country. We have a fresh stock of Morton's and Myles Salt Co's 'Kiln dried, smoked, flaked meat salt in 10 lb. bags. Old Plantation Sausage seasoning in packages sufficient for making 25 lbs. real country sausage and bags of Myles flaked butter or dairy salt. See our display of these items when next you are in San Angelo.

## CHRISTMAS CANDIES

By Dec. 15th all of our Christmas candies will have reached us; direct from the factory. Special prices will be made on large quantities for, schools, Sunday schools, and other entertainments. These candies come in pails, cases, in bulk and in 1, 3 and 5 lb. boxes. Plan on seeing our stock and getting our prices before you buy your Christmas candies, nuts, fruits, etc.

## SATURDAY

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## SCHOOL LUNCHES That Ring The Bell

THEY don't creep like snails "unwillingly to school" any more. Watch them. It's a sunny day in September. There's a campus and an athletic field around even the most humble school house. There's a basket ball game to be played before school; there's an orchestra rehearsal scheduled before the nine o'clock bell rings; or there's a marble game tournament to be decided, or something else nice that's very, very important. Modern educators have seen to that. And they've done a good job of it. They've made school not merely a preparation for life, but a life right now—living in a big, big way.

### Give Mother a Hand

Mothers, too, have done their part. They have organized Parent-Teacher's associations to co-operate. And they've studied the problem of dietetics, so that the foods which this important generation eats will best equip them for these interesting and healthful activities.

Lunch boxes are no longer carriers of something to merely "hold you over" until the evening dinner hour. They are exciting little adventures in themselves containing good things that you devour. It is easier today than it used to be, to prepare these lunches. There are canned fruit juices and thermos bottles to keep them cold; there are canned sandwich spreads and sliced bread to spread them on. There are even such new foods in cans as Brown Betty, or baked apples. There are wooden or paper spoons to eat these delicious desserts with, so that even

boys who don't like to carry spoons back home again can enjoy eating desserts and toss away the spoons.

### Hot or Cold?

If you live near enough the school, or the school bus, a hot home lunch is better, as a regular thing. But if not, it isn't difficult to prepare a carry-lunch that will rival the home-served noonday meal. Here are some menu suggestions for both sorts:

### MENUS FOR HOT HOME LUNCHES

I  
Puffy Omelet with Tomato Sauce  
Creamed Corn Raisin Bread  
Cocoa Malted Drink  
Home Made Cookies Fruit

II  
Clear Soup (with "letters")  
Corned Beef Hash  
Fruit Salad  
Chocolate Pudding Milk

III  
Cream of Pea Soup  
Chicken Baked Potatoes  
Whole Wheat Bread and Butter  
Apple Sauce Brownies Milk

### MENUS FOR SCHOOL LUNCHES

I  
Date Bread Sandwiches Spread with Butter or Cream Cheese  
Cocoa Malted Drink  
Fruit Cookies Orange

II  
Lettuce and Tomato Sandwich  
Stuffed Egg Sweet Pickle  
Milk Baked Apple

III  
Peanut Butter Sandwich  
Buttered Fruit Muffin  
Tomato Juice Celery Hearts  
Chocolate Bar Milk

## Celebrates Tenth Birthday

The tenth birthday of Billye Lynn Lipps was observed at her home on Tuesday, December 1, between four and five-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, with a party. Games were played by all those present. The color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the decorations and in the refreshments. Those who helped to make her happy on her birthday were: Billy Charles and Frances Mae Hudson, Billy Vern Davis, Marjorie and Lora Mae Humble, Alma Lawson, June, Clara Mae and Tommy Augustine, Hal Burns and Gwendolyn Lane, Annie Lou and Dixie Knight, Neal J. and Trenibeth Reed, Winston Churchill, James McMillan, Joe Emerson and Tommie Jean Conger, Ewing Fowler, Jamie Sue, and Billy McEntire, Freda Hodges, Dick Bailey, Carolyn and Ross Foster, Arlene Abernathy, Joan Higginbotham, Nan and Leua Findt, Mrs. D. P. Glass, Mr. Clarence Mogford, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Butler and Mrs. J. J. Mason of Uvalde. Mrs. Walter Lipps was very graciously assisted in serving the refreshments by Mrs. Seth Bailey.

## Trenibeth Reed's Fifth Birthday

Little Miss Trenibeth Reed celebrated her fifth birthday with a party given by her mother, Mrs. N. H. Reed, in the Reed home, November 28.

Five pink candles, set in rosebud

holders, decorated a two tier white cake. The cake was cut and served with jello and whipped cream to the following small guests: Hal Burns and Gwendolyn Lane, Sandra and Connie Ainsworth, Jacqueline Everitt, Carolyn Foster, Carleen Ballou, June Augustine, Billy Vern Davis, Billy McEntire, Don House Roy Longshore and Dick Bailey.



## Betty Has a Beau

The young fellow she met Saturday is calling to suggest a movie. There used to be long, lonesome evenings. But since Dad got a telephone . . . well, Betty has a beau.

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### ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Songs, "Silent Night" "Joy to the World" "O Little Town of Bethlehem"—Assembly  
 Lord's Prayer—Assembly  
 Reports on how they spent their Thanksgiving holidays by Louise and Marie Atkinson, Georgina Demere, Mary Frances Emery, Roy Tom Foster, Phil Mahaffey and all the teachers.  
 Reading, "The Toy Store"—Joe David Crossno  
 Imitation of the model "T" Ford—Billie Jean Meyers

### JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Class of the Sterling High School will present its annual play, "Tomboy, on Thursday, Dec 10, at the High School auditorium at eight o'clock.

TOMBOY is a comedy of family life, with sparkling humor and a variety of characterization. Mr. Abbott, a lawyer and sportsman, is played by G. W. Augustine, who will be remembered for his excellent performance as Jim Rose in "Climbing Roses." His favorite daughter, Jacqueline, a harum-scarum tomboy is played by Marie Atkinson. Nell Davis takes the role of Mrs. Abbott, a motherly soul who feels herself to be a golf widow. She is most anxious about the marriage of her two older daughters, Dorothy and Eloise, very feminine young ladies, played by Maxine Tweedle and Georgina Demere. Their fiancés are a serious young doctor and a model young banker who "never touches a drop" played by Pug Garrett and Finis Westbrook. Larry Salisbury, played by Reynolds Foster, is the tomboy's pal, who develops an alarming case of heart trouble before the final curtain.

Violet Onstott is a pessimistic aunt, Mary Frances Emery a timid dressmaker, Jack Mathis a go-getter news photographer, and Vera Jo Dearen, Marie Phillips, and Lucille Springer are high-powered saleswomen. Miss Little, the sponsor of the class, is directing the play. Prices will be ten cents for grade children, twenty-five cents for high grade students, and thirty-five cents for adults. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### FIRST GRADE NEWS

Glen Collier spent his holidays in Abilene at the B. T. U.  
 Lora Mae Humble had a visit from her grandparents,  
 Dixie Strickland visited in Abilene.  
 Bonnie Ruth King went fishing at Ozona.  
 Joy Marie Long visited in Big Spring.

### THIRD GRADE NEWS

The boys and girls in the third grade have organized a Citizenship Club that will meet every other Friday afternoon for half an hour. James Long was elected president, Ansel Reed vice-president and Iris Dorsett secretary.  
 Iris Dorsett spent Thanksgiving in Westbrook.  
 James Long went to Big Spring during the holidays.

### JOKES

Mr. Jones: "If you subtract fourteen from a hundred sixteen, what's the difference?"  
 Finis: "Yeh. I think it is a lot of foolishness, too."  
 As the years pass—evolution of a man's ambition—  
 To be a circus clown.  
 To be like dad  
 To be a fireman.  
 To do something noble.  
 To get wealthy.  
 To make ends meet.  
 To get the old age pension.

When a woman is told a secret she promises to tell everybody not to tell anybody.

Lieutenant (roaring with rage): "Who told you to put those flowers on the table?"  
 Steward "The Commander, sir."  
 Lieutenant "Pretty, aren't they?"

## Texan to Study In New Zealand

DENTON.—With a backward glance through the Golden Gate, Miss Winifred Jones, senior student at Texas State College for Women (CIA), will say goodbye to America on Feb. 2 for a year that promises new experiences. The Lancaster, Tex., girl will sail aboard the liner S. S. Monterrey from San Francisco, to spend a year as a foreign exchange student studying nutrition at the University of Otago in Dunedin, New Zealand.

The honor came to Miss Jones in recognition of her outstanding work in the home demonstration field. She will arrive at Auckland, N. Z., two weeks and five days after sailing, and from the capital city of the islands she will go to Dunedin, capital of Otago Province, and begin her work under the fellowship granted in a reciprocal arrangement with the University. Miss Isabel Crowe, New Zealand student, attended the College in 1933 under the same plan.

## Use Home Bread

Now all you boys who do not use Sterling baked bread, come on in and show your hand as a good neighbor by using no other except that baked at the Sterling City Bakery. This bread is as good as you can buy at the next town.

These folks who run the Sterling City Bakery, lost everything they had in their house in the fire last Saturday, including their bedding and clothing. They are left without anything to wear, or beds on which to sleep. Now is the time to help them out by using the bread they make. They are good people and are your neighbors. What are you going to do about it? As for me, under the circumstances, if I were to buy bread baked in the next town I believe it would choke me.—Uncle Bill

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# In The WEEK'S NEWS



PLANE RESCUES BOY — John Barnett, 11 years old, safely home with his aunt, after his rescue by a plane from a row boat adrift in Flushing Bay, New York City.

YOUNGEST MAYOR VISITS MAYOR OF NEW YORK — Daniel Kampan, 17, of Boystown, Neb., a village of orphan boys, who is reported to be the youngest mayor in the world visits Mayor La Guardia. The orphan boys' village has its own government.



FARM HOME EXPERT—Miss Ellen Pennell, who has been named Home-making Editor of The Country Home Magazine. She has had long experience in both home economics and editorial work, and is a recognized authority in the field.

THOMAS J. FOSTER, father of correspondence education and founder of the International Correspondence Schools, who died recently at the age of 93 at his home in Scranton, Pa. Mr. Foster organized the I.C.S. in 1891 and lived to see the Schools enroll more than 4,250,000 students.



A DESIGN showing the twinkling, jolly old face of Santa Claus, popular symbol of Christmas, was submitted by Walter I. Sasse of Brooklyn, New York, and was chosen for the 1936 Christmas Seal.



SHIRTS FOR SPANISH TROOPS—Young girls and older women sympathizers with the revolution in Spain busily and happily work at their sewing machines to make shirts for the soldiers of General Franco's army.

## Tall Tales

As told to: FRANK E. HAGAN and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

His Unlucky Day  
 "YES, sir, I believe in that superstition about Friday, the 13th, bein' an unlucky day," said the Oldest Ranger in Yellowstone park. "I recollect one of 'em in particular."  
 "I was out on patrol and discovered I didn't have a bite of food in my grub bag and only one shell left in my trusty ol' gun. Well, I sneaked through the woods till I saw a brace of quail sittin' on a bush so I maneuvered aroun' so as to be sure of gettin' both of 'em with one shot.

"I let fly an' by golly, when I went to pick up them two birds I found that I'd killed six more that was sittin' on the other side of the bush. Just then I heard a big commotion out in a little lake nearby. There was a big buck deer that had been skeered by my shot and had run out and got hisself mired down. "I run out to help him but before I could get to him he drowned. As I was carryin' him to shore, I sank down in the mud an' water up over the tops of my boots. So I took 'em off to pour out the water and derned if there didn't flop out of 'em a dozen of the finest trout you ever did see.

"Well, I strung the quail an' the deer an' the trout on a pole so I could carry 'em easier. But my struggles to get the load up on my shoulders was jest too much of a strain on my suspender buttons. Darned if one didn't fly off with such force that it killed a rabbit 100 yards away.

"When that happened, I jest decided it wasn't no use to try to do any more huntin'. Seemed like it was my unlucky day, it being Friday, the 13th."

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