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R. 'Jake' Honea Out for Re-election

sain wish to take this method of Mag myself as a candidate for he office of Sheriff-Assessor-Collector of Briscoe County for the term of

I have had in the past that I am in God's will.

ings I remain

Your "Hired Hand" N. R. (Jake) Honea.

Agricultural Briefs

By County Agent

Xmas Carde Just prior to and during the holidays this office passed out Xmas greetings from Uncle Sam in the form of parity checks in excess of 25000.00. It seems that our ole Uncle knows what it takes to make Christ-

With few exceptions all the rental and parity checks have been received and delivered for Briscoe County. Our 1935 cotton program is almost wound up and all contracts completed. If you happen to be one of those who were not made happy during the holidays by a check from Uncle Sam, you still have reasons to be happy—you have a check coming and will have money when every one else is broke.

Wheat

The State Grain Board has called for our 1936-39 wheat applications and they have been mailed to College Station for review. To date no 1936-39 contracts have been received, but as soon as we do receive them everyone who signed an application will be notified. It will be remembered that the applications which we signed a few weeks ago were not contractshey were options on contracts. We when it is presented.

To date no definate word has been viewed with tear dimmed eyes the rereceived on just what per cent of the mains of a life long friend. tags sold that were placed in the Special Pool. We have received infor- lights to lead us on to a "Better Life." mation to the effect that there are some papers for each of us to sign in order to transfer our unsold special pool tags over to the National Pool. All these papers have been signed and returned to Washington. So if you had any tags in the Special Pool you don't have but two worries left. One is, when do we get a check for what was sold in the Special Pool and the other is when if ever will we get any Total

the National Pool. And as smart as this office is we cannot answer either of those questions.

1935 Cotton Tags

the National Pool until January 15th known in and around Silverton, havin order to allow every one in the ing spent some time here last winter. county to finish gathering their acorn crop—or as we say out here "the "You're the Other Fellow" remember. give everyone enough time to complete his "pulling" early enough so Mathew Watley of Anton, were here that he can guess awfully close to the with home folks during the holidays. exact poundage of certificates needed to gin on. Be sure to pool the rest, if you want to.

Inventory Time

As we come to the close of an old Peacock. year and the opening of a new one it ould be well for us to pause long For SALE-I have for sale 50 good enough to reflect a bit on the past. We should take inventory of what we spiritual possessions as well.

vorn-out implements or bad Texas. vhich cannot be used at a greater building in future profit :

new years resolution to A goo a better one to keep) is, make (a) we will survey our past resolve tha to the worthwhile there in, and use our ings we fir ping stones to a high Vstakes as profitable life in the

r Fellow" remember. of Silverton, IRVIN F. ALLEN. You're the

Mother of R. E. Douglas Buried at Bronte, Texas

Mrs. L. C. Douglas mother of R. E and W. W. Douglas passed to her re-I am not unmindful of the support | ward on Dec. 20th at her home at nd cooperation given me by the citi- Whitely, 9 miles south west or Silverenship of the County and for this ton. Mrs. Douglas had been seriously reason it has been a real pleasure to ill for four weeks, during which time be in position to serve you. I wish to she suffered greatly. But never was assure you of my appreciation of this her suffering so great that she was help and ask for a continuation of it not kind and thoughtful to those who during the remainder of my term in were ministering to her needs. By nature she was of a kind disposition, I feel that with the experience that and accepted her suffering as but

better position to be of real service to Mrs. Douglas had not lived in this the County and its people than ever vicinity long, and many did not know her personally, but those who knew Again assuring you that your sup- her best knew her to be a sweet genport and influence will be deeply ap- the person who had mellowed into old preciated and with the Seasons Greet- age with all the sweet qualities of her younger life. She was a daughter of the old south and she along with many others pioneered in this western country when there was no conveniences, and helped to drive back the Indians and plant a civilization that you and I enjoy today.

> Services were held at the Metho dist church Saturday afternoon, with Rev. Peacock assisted by the other pastors of the town, were in charge. Members of the Harmony Club sang a number of familiar hymns, after which comforting words were spoken by Rev. Peacock and Burnam. The many beautiful flowers sent by friends were but another demonstration of the high esteem and love held for her. Her body was taken to Bronte, for its final resting place, and placed beside that of her husband, the sweetheart of her youth, who had

preceded her in death by 19 years. And there on Sunday afternoon hundreds of her old friends who had known her during her years of active life, gathered and shed tears as they tenderly placed her tired and fragile body away for its last resting place. Many beautiful tributes were paid to her beautiful life, and reference was made to it as a life of ministering to others. She was widely known in that vicinity, having been the first postmistress in Coke county, and maintaining a post office for 26 years, part of the time in a rock dug-out; and to it came settlers and cowboys from a

distance of 30 miles and more. The body lay in state in the home may or may not sign the contract of a niece, Mrs. Floyd Modaling, Sat. night and Sunday, during which time many friends passed silently by and

The memory of such lives are but

TOPASIDEDS DEPORT

INDASCRERS RELOW!	
of the expenses of the wheat A	ssocia-
tion up to December 1, 1935.	
Committeemen	\$41.00
Clerical help	99.00
Treasurer	9.00
Secretary	81.00
Office supplies	1.95

money on the part that was put into | Signed, R. E. DOUGLAS, Treasurer Briscoe County W.P.C. Association.

Mrs. Lon Blackwell received word from Greenville, of the death of Or-We have decided to extend the ville McEntire, her nephew, who passtime of acceptance of 1935 tags for ed away December 24th. He was well

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watley and

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Readheimer of Plainview, spent a few days last week in the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. A

pigs, see me at once. George Lee.

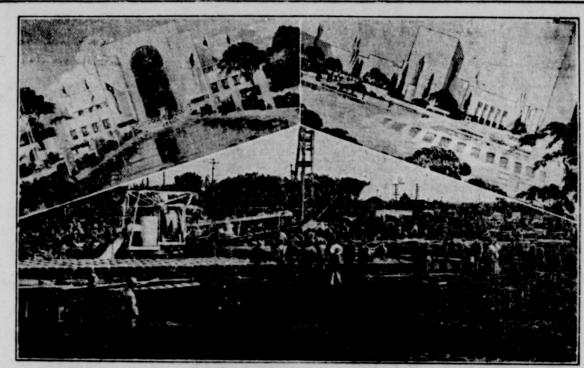
have on hand. This inventory should LOST-Left in the men's rest room include not only the physical possess- at court house Monday of this week, ions that we have, but our mental and one 21 jewel old gold case Hamilton watch, had breast chain doubled. s a good time to discard those watch No. 1358068, will pay liberal hat we possess, (whether they reward, Notify B. G. Sherrod, Tulia,

> NOTICE-Will pay up to \$50.00 for Indianhead pennies dates before 1910. Send 15 cents (coin) for large illustrated price list. Chas. Duval, Oxford, Nebraska.

NOTICE-Get your mattresses renovated now, \$3.50 and up. See Hugh Lusk.

FOR SALE-Bundle hegari and fetirets, with grain, six miles northeast

What \$10,000,000 Will Do Before June 6



Here are two extremes—below the Products Building, right, and the Ad-Texas Centennial Exposition grounds in Dallas as it looks today; above artists' conceptions of the Petroleum approximately \$625,000, which will 000,000 before the opening date, June 6.

MR AND MRS A. P. DONNELL **ENJOYED BIG CHRISTMAS DAY**

The following letter was received bors, who are spending the winter in Hereford with their daughter.

happy season, we wish you would or a little better. print this letter, so we can answer them, in this manner.

very happy here and enjoying life. 13; for liquor 12, against 16; San Ja-Tell Old Charley that I'm still going cinto No. 4, for beer 0; against beer Spratt and a lot of old boys who hang beer 25; for liquor 2, against 26; out at his place of business and we Court house No. 7, for beer 21, against have some good times talking.

and expect all of you to come to see for liquor 35 against liquor 35; againus. If you should come up be sure to st 31. bring Old Jake Honea with you.

it's the water, as we have no more to st liquor 307. eat here than we had there.

prosperous New Year, we are,

Your friends.

NOTICE

All merchants receiving disbursing from Plainview. orders from the Relief Clients must get those orders into Plainview, Texas Case Worker in Charge.

Get your typewriter ribbons at the

BRISCOE COUNTY WENT DRY QUITAQUE FAMILY IN BAD

The voters of Briscoe county decidfrom our old time friends and neigh- ed to have a dry spot in this part of and a young man by the name of the great Plains country and put their "Mrs. Donnell and I have received urday in a county wide elction. The highway 86. They drove around a deso many cards of best wishes for this results show the drys went two to one

The results of the election were as follows: Silverton Precinct No. 1 for We can't tell you how we appreci- beer 36, against 71; for liquor 36, aate all the cards and nice messages gainst 72; Quitaque No. 2, for beer 27 written on same. We would like to against 95; for liquor 15 against 104; Hospital, where they were given medsee you and be with you, but we are Rock Creek No. 3, for beer 15, against all of my Silverton friends to shake, Antelope No. 5, for beer 2; against but we are finding a lot of friendli- beer 10; for liquor 3; against liquor 9; ness here. I have found the real Jack Gasoline No. 6, for beer 2; against rapidily. |40; for liquor 21, against 40; Court We plan to be home in the spring house No. 8, for beer 33, against 31;

Total vote for the county for beer I have gained eight pounds, guess 136, against 296; for liquor 124, again-

Wishing all of you a Happy and PREACHING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Announcements are going out that 605 E-3rd St. Hereford, Texas services will be held at the First Baptist Church both morning and evenpulpit will be filled by a preacher trip to Floydada and Lockney Friday. State after said date are required to

. All school patrons who are interest by January 8th, 1936 for payment; ed in organizing a P. T. A. for the otherwise these orders will have to be Silverton school are requested to be paid from the state office and there present Friday, aJn. 3, at 3:30 p. m. will be some delay in getting payment at the Home Economics Cottage. At from them. Signed: Kate McKinney, this time plans will be made and the necessary steps will be taken to organize a P. T. A.

"You're the Other Fellow" remember.

IN SATURDAY ELECTION

Texas Exposition Steelwork Rises



Livestock Building No. 2 for the Texas Centennial Exposition at Dallas can be seen above as it rapidly takes form. With the \$260,000 Livestock Building

the greatest exhibit of livestock in the nation's history when the Exposition

CAR ACCIDENT CHRISTMAS EVE

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams and son Womack all of Quitaque, were driving Earl Malone, John Lee Frances, H. C. foot down on beer and liquor last Sat- west this side of the Cap Rock on tour sign and drove off into a deep cut where a bridge had been taken

They all received broken bones cuts and bruises. Roy Teeter happened along and took them to the Turkey ical treatment.

The accident happened about ten or eleven on the morning of December around with my hand stuck out for 11; for liquor 0; against liquor 11; 24th. They were driving a V-8 Coach, which was badly damaged.

At this time they are all improving.

ROCK CREEK NEWSETTES Mrs. R. N. McDaniel, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corder were LATEST ATTORNEY GENERAL callers in the R. L. Johnson home

Those taking dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel Sr. Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Guffee and Mrs. tants and in Rural Districts.

W. T. McDaniel of Tulia.

to spend Xmas with his mother. Mr. Cobb and boys made a business and those who have moved into this Mr. A. R. Hill is visiting relatives obtain an exemption certificate.

in Erick, Okla. this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spillman spent es moving from one precinct to an-Christmas with her mother at Child- other must present their certificate

Sunday night.

with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel were expects to vote. dinner guests in the Cross McDaniel 4. Exempt voters living outside a

to hear of the marriage of two well emption certificates, but may conknown couples, Lois Rowell and Miss tinue to vote as they have in the Laura Wallace, and Mr. Fred Rowell past. and Miss Luretta Wallace. The brides 5. Young people who are now wish for them many happy years to- fore February 1st.

Miss Glenna Bell Campbell celebrated her third birthday with a big dinson Raymond.

Thursday from Pampa where they you. spent the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Lemon and Mrs A. M. Davenport of Hagerman, N. M. spent Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Gunter returned to their home in Swisher county Whiteside and the R. E. Douglas famafter spending the holidays with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno.

"You're the Other Fellow" remember friends.

Miss Lizzie Gregg Out for Re-election

Miss Lizzie Gregg has authorized us to make her announcement for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the Democratic primaries.

Miss Gregg, needs little introduction, to the people of this county, as she is our present treasurer. When we say she has made us a good hand, we mean just that. She has been constantly on the job, and is congenial, accomodating and knows her stuff, around her office.

With her experience in this office she will be a very valuable county official the next two years. With all the work in progress we are going to need experienced and efficient people in the county offices.

When the time comes to cast your vote, if she should have an opponent, take into serious consideration, her outstanding qualifications. She will appreciate your influence and sup-

DIST. COURT WILL CONVENE HERE JAN. 6th., LIGHT DOCKET

Briscoe County's January term of District court will convene on Monday January 6th.

Following is the list of persons drawn by the Jury Commission to serve on the grand jury. Otis Wilson, W. O. Williamson, J. H. McMurtry, Mercer, Crass McDaniel, J. F. Jago. . L. B. Patterson, C. T. Rucker, John Arnold, Dewey Beavers, W. E. Helm, M. E. Craven, J. C. Bullock, and J. B.

Second week Petit jurymen: J. W. Brown, Eugene Long, Ellis Gurrie, Orville Turner, E. L. Strange, J. W. Ewing, John Durham, C. M. Jasper, R. F. Williams, Ed Vaughan, Victor Hall, John McCloud, Clarence Anderson, Bill Spillman, G. Mayfield, W. A. Rowell, John Sanders, Ira Bean, Frank Anderson, O. P. Frakes, F. M. Barton, W. M. Malone, G. W. Blair Elmer Sanders, E. A. Puckett, H. R. Brown, H. S. Crow, P. C. Hamilton, F. A. Fisch, H. J. Bailey, Boone Mc Cracken, M. C. Tull, Ray Persons, N. L. Bedwell and John Felton.

RULING GOVERNING EXEMP-TION CERTIFICATES

In cities of less than 10,000 inhabi-

1. Only those voters exempt be-Mr. Marvin Reed was greeting cause they were not twenty-one years the year for which the levy was made

2. Certificate-holder of these classto the Tax Collector for endorsement Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker and fam showing the new residence.

ily of Olton were here Sunday. Mr. 3. Such certificate holder moving Tucker preached at the school house into another county must present the certificate to the Tax Collector of Mr. J. D. Nall spent Sunday here that County for reissue or registration and endorsement at least twenty Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and days before any election at which he

city of 10,000 inhabitants who are Watch out folks! Cupid is at work permanently exempt from the payin these parts. Friends were surprised ment of poll tax need not obtain ex-

are the twin daughters of Mr. Offic twenty one years of age and those Wallace of the Wallace community who may become twenty one years of and the grooms are sons of Mr. Elzie age during the poll tax year should Rowell of this community. Friends obtain their exemption certificate be-

CARD OF THANKS

ner for her friends. Those present We can not find words in our vocawere Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney vulary to express our appreciation and son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Seaney for the every kindness shown us durand children, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. ing the illness and death of our Dear Strange and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mother. We were mindful of every Bud McMinn and family, Mr. and kind deed shown us, and we pray that Mrs. Lowell Rowell, Mr. and Mrs. when sorrows come your way, that Fladger Fitzgerald, Mrs. Bradley and you will find the same kind hands to minister to your needs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Biggs returned May God bless and keep each of

Katherine Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Douglas, Mr. & Mrs. Watson Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Donnell.

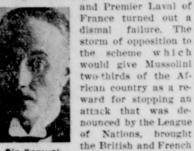
Miss Loverne Terrell of Lubbock spent the holidays here with her brother Cecil Terrell. Mr. and Mrs. Temp ily. Mrs. Douglas took her home Men-

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry and childs were in Plainview Sunday vist

CURRENT EVENTS IN REVIEW Edward W. Pickard

Franco-British Peace Plan Killed; Hoare Resigns

IF IT really was intended to bring about peace between Italy and Ethiopia, the plan proposed by British Foreign Secretary Sir Samuel Hoare



Hoare

point of collapse. To save the Baldwin cabinet, Hoare resigned on the eve of a parliamentary battle in the house of commons, and Baldwin frankly told parliament that the peace plan was an error. Despite flerce attacks by the Laborites and Liberals, the prime minister was given a vote of confidence. Several days later he announced the appointment of Capt. Anthony Eden as foreign secretary

governments to the

In Paris Edouard Herriot, member of the cabinet without portfolio, resigned as president of the powerful Radical Socialist party whose support is needed by Laval to maintain his majority in the parliament. Herriot's action, in the opinion of some observers, presaged Laval's early downfall.

Hoare's position became untenable when he learned that the peace plan was about to be buried at Geneva. Capt. Anthony Eden, probably never enthusiastic for it, practically repudiated the scheme in a public meeting of the league council. Laval also spoke, more reservedly, declaring that even if the plan were rejected, the council must continue to seek conciliation. After the session, however, he admitted to French newspaper men that the plan, for the time being at least, is

The council received from Addis Ababa a note in which Emperor Haile all right with the veteran from Idaho. Selassie bluntly accused Great Britain and France of having violated the league covenant by seeking "to impose upon Ethiopia a predominant control by Italy with the certain aim of entrusting to Italy the administration of the capital and a large part of the territory. The League of Nations in consenting to lend itself to such dissimulation would violate article X of the

In view of all the opposition and ject the proposals, the league council killed the plan entirely, softening its action by formally thanking Great Britain and France for their "preliminary efforts" toward peace. A perma- the party out there, and in my name." nent committee of 13 councilors-all. He had agreed, he said, to "go along but the Italian member-was named with them to study the Italo Ethiopian crisis.

How close Europe is coming to a men general war is apparent with the reveither Greece or Turkey, both allies of Britain, and Rumania has promised the British that she will attack of Bulgaria: Czechoslovakia would be the tactics. drawn in against Hungary, and Poland probably would take the field against the Czechs. Germany is allied to Poland, and Russia to Czechoslovakia. European capitals.

Senator Schall Dies of Auto Accident Injuries

S ENATOR THOMAS D. SCHALL of Minnesota, who was struck by an

automobile and across the highway near across the highway near and in Maryland, suched to his injuries. had been one of the bitterest opponents of the New Deal and President Roosevelt. He had started his campaign for re-election, and Gov. Floyd Olson of Minnesota had announced he also would seek the Senator Schall



Schall's seat. The governor said after the senator's death that he would soon appoint his successor; that he had no intention of resigning in o.der to be himself named to fill Schall's

Mr. Schall, who was born in 1878 in Michigan, lost his sight in an accident after he had been practicing law in Minnesota four years. He continued his work, and served six terms in the house of representatives before he was elected to the senate in 1924.

Supreme Court May Be Divided on TVA

WHEN the Supreme court passes on the constitutionality of the Tennesse Valley act, its opinion will nimous, is the prediction of

those who were present during the oral arguments. The case was taken up to the highest tribunal by fourteen

preferred stockholders of the Alabama

Power company.

During arguments by Forney Johnson, Birmingham, Ala., attorney for the stockholders, and by John Lord O'Brian, New York attorney, for TVA, justices shot many questions at the

Justice McReynolds, known as a "conservative," appeared to challenge the TVA lawyer to defend the right of the government to sell surplus power produced by Wilson dam at Muscle

On the other hand, Justices Brandels and Stone, who are known as "liberals," inquired into the right of minority stockholders of the Alabama Power company to bring the suit which led to the Supreme court test. The stockholders sought to enjoin performance of a contract under which the company was to sell lines to TVA for transmission of power.

Federal Judge Holds Wagner Labor Law Invalid

FEDERAL Judge Merrill E. Otis at Kansas City has held unconstitutional the Wagner labor dispute act which gives employees the right to organize and bargain collectively. The judge granted the Majestic Flour mills of Aurora, Mo., a temporary injunction against a National Labor board complaint which cited it for alleged refusal to bargain concerning a wage and hour agreement with a union of its em-

Declaring congress had exceeded its constitutional right "to regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states . . ." the judge sald, "the conclusion is that the whole act is unconstitutional."

Senator Borah's Hat Is Almost in the Ring

WISCONSIN Republicans wish to IF WISCONSIN Republication and make Senator Borah their candidate for the Presidential nomination, it is State Senator P. E.



and former State Senator Bernhard Gettelman of Milwaukee called on Mr. Borah in Washington and asked permission to circulate nominating petitions for him in their state. This was

Mr. Borah told reporters that Nelson

Senator Borah and Gettelman had sted a campaign for "a delegation representing the liberal forces in

Later Mr. Borah issued this state-

"My primary objective is a convenelation that Britain is lining up the tion of liberal delegates which will coutries of the Mediterranean region | write a liberal platform and name a for support in case she is attacked liberal candidate. To that end I shall by Italy. Most of them are believed devote my efforts. If in any state or to have given this pledge. But Bul- district the liberal forces think that it garia, a close friend of Italy, would will help the liberal cause to pledge be expected in that case to attack delegates to me, I shall co-operate fully with that plan. If, however, it is thought better to pledge the delegates to some other liberal. I shall co-operate the Bulgarians in that case. This just as fully. In other words, inflexwould arouse Hungary to the defense lible as to the objective, flexible as to

"As I see the political situation in this country, a man would be seeking political immolation to take a nomination upon any other than a liberal plat-Such is the realistic view of the situ- form. So the first thing to do is to get ation held by competent observers in a convention committed to liberal principles. So far as my efforts count, I am not going to permit personal matters, either my own or those of others, to interfere with the main purpose,"

Kidnaping Threats Drive

Lindberghs to England REPEATED threats of kidnaping have driven Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh from the United States, They have sailed with their boy, Jon, for England, and plan to establish a residence there, though they will not give up their American citizenship. Where they will live has not been revealed to even their closest friends. It is believed the colonel will not sever his relations with the two air transport companies for which he is a technical adviser but that his active work for them will cease.

Government Ownership of Railways Is Urged

GOVERNMENT swnership of Amer-ica's railroads is the objective in a campaign which has been started by the Railway Labor Executives' association. Describing the carriers as "chips in a financial poker game," the executives, in a circular to members of congress, ask for government ownership as "the only way out of the morass in which the roads have been placed by the bankers."

Senator Wheeler of Montana Intro duced a resolution for government ownership in the last session but did not ask for immediate consideration of the measure.

War Department Lobbying Brings Indictments

Two grand juries, a house commit-tee and an army court martial have been investigating lobbying at the War department for two years. The climax came with the indictment in Washington of a dismissed army officer, a former member of congress, and two alleged lobbyists on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government.

Those named were former Brig. Gen. Alexander E. Williams, one time acting quartermaster general of the army, who was convicted by a military court last spring of accepting an improper loan and ordered dismissed from the service: Thomas Jefferson Ryan, lawyer and former representative from New York, and the well known Silverman brothers, Joseph, Jr., and Nathan, surplus army goods dealers.

The four men were charged with conspiring to prevent the house military affairs committee from questioning Frank E. Speicher, "mystery witness" of the long inquiry by hiding him out in New York city while federal agents were hunting him throughout the nation.

Gomez, Long Dictator of Venezuela, Is Dead

DICTATOR of Venezuela for twentyseven years, during most of the time president of the country. Gen. Juan Vicente Gomez died in Caracas

of an old malady at the age of seventyeight years. The cab iner named Gen. Eleazar Lopez Contreras, minister of war, as provisional president to hold office until his successor is elected by congress. While guns boomed in salute Gomez was buried on the anniversary of his

Gen. Comez assumption of power in 1909. On that day he executed a coup d'etat by which he seized the government while President Cipriane Castro was in Europe seeking health. During his regime there were many inciplent revolts but he crushed them all with an iron hand; and even when the presidential chair was occupied by others his control of the government was absolute.

Among Gomez's greatest contributions to Venezuela were the establishment of friendly relations with foreign nations and peace within the country, the building of a fine system of automobile highways, and development of natural resources.

He made the most of the great petroleum deposits at Lake Maracaibo. granting many concessions to foreign oil companies, but placing an export tax on oil. The industry in Venezuela grew until it now holds third rank in

Gomez succeeded in paying off the entire debt of his country, amounting to nearly \$40,000,000, and at the same time accumulated a great fortune for

Army Air Corps Orders New Bombing Planes

CONTRACTS have been awarded for the army air corps. The Douglas Aircraft company, Inc., of Santa Monica, Calif., was given an order for 90 all-metal. low wing, twin-engined monoplanes, costing a total of \$6,498,000.

Thirteen glant four-motored "sky cruisers" were bought from the Boeing company of Seattle, Wash. The price for the Boeing craft was not given in the announcement by Harry H. Woodring, assistant secretary of war,

North China Autonomous Council Installed

DESPITE the rictous opposition of students and other youth of Peiping the Hepei-Chahar political council, supported by Japan, took over the affairs of the autonomous North China provinces, with Gen. Sung Cheh-yuan is its chairman. That gentleman in his first official announcement declared that opposition demonstrations were being promoted by Communists, against whom he would take drastic action.

General Sung said he would do his best to promote good relations with neighboring countries "which treat us with equality and reciprocity" (Japar and Manchukuo).

Hopkins Sees That WPA Workers Get Paid

WORKS Progress Administrator Harry Hopkins issued an order that made happy about 3,500,000 work-

ers under his unit. "I desire that every regular WPA pay check earned be in the hands of the worker by December 24." Hopkins said, in telegraphed instructions to state program directors. "The law does not permit advance payments, but no effort should be spared to deliver checks due by Christmas eve.

"Overtime work by administrative employees handling pay rolls should be ordered where necessary and courier service should be arranged if necessary to overcome transportation delays caused by congestion in the mails."

President Roosevelt entered on a new round of conferences on the relief program to be provided for in the budget for the fiscal year beginning next July 1. New Deal officials associated with relief were summoned to the White House to offer suggestions for keeping the relief program down so that the administration can point to budget balancing efforts in the 1936

Plans for organizing the Civilian Conservation corps on a smaller but permanent basis were discussed with Robert Fechper, CCC director, and a group of cabinet officers. Under the program the CCC enrollment would be cut from 460,000 to 300,000 men by

BRISBANE

THIS WEEK

The Greatest Deed The Richest Man 8.000 Planes for England What! the Whole World?

Universal Service lists the "ten greatest scientific achievements in 1935," and puts first the artificial heart "for keeping or-

gans alive when separated from the This invention.

credited to Colonel Lindbergh and the learned Doctor Carrel of Rockefeller institute, may be important, letting scientists study the progress and nature of cancer and other diseases.

But that is not the year's greatest scientific achievement, although it is gratifying to know that Colonel Lindbergh, while so young, with no more "air" to conquer, has turned his concentrated mind toward science.

Vastly more important than any invention for studying human disease is the new 200-inch telescope lens that will enable men to study the universe more intelligently. That universe is more important than any cancer or

The Nizam of Hyderabad, one of the numerous rulers whom the British keep on their thrones, in return for a servility that delivers their subjects to the British, is about to celebrate his silver jubilee as ruler.

He interests Americans, because he is called absolutely the richest man in the world, richer than Rockefeller,

His income is put at \$50,000,000 a year, which might be possible, although his real fortune bears no in-

He has 14,000,000 Hindu subjects under his rule, thanks to the toleration of Great Britain, and after England has finished with the 14,000,000, they might well yield an average per year of \$4 to the Nizam, which would give him \$56,000,000 a year of new

The British, who realize what airplanes mean, as they study Italy and Ethiopia, have more than 2,000 planes ordered for immediate use, with full equipment and men ready, and, for every plane in the air, England will

have three on the ground, ready to replace losses. Thus Britain's program is 8,000

planes, compared with our retail buy-

Senator Pittman thinks Japan plans to conquer the United States and the rest of the world. He says Japan will "selze the Philippines as soon as the opportunity offers." That is probable; the Philippines are in Asia.

After the Philippines Japan will take Mexico, then the west coast of the United States, according to Senator Pittman, who wants to know whether this country will withdraw within itself as Japan advances, or make a definite stand somewhere.

The west coast would give him a definite answer about that.

There is an aristocracy even in crime. You read, "Hauptmann sings carols in death house."

Five other murderers in the same house sang the carols with him, "Jingle Bells," and also "Heilige Nacht" ("Holy Night"), which must have had a strange sound coming from the throats of murderers.

There are six murderers in the death house, and all sang together, but the other five are merely "also present," no names mentioned.

Their murders were not sufficiently interesting.

"Japanese airplanes bomb Kuyuan in China; many killed"-including civilians and soldiers.

Japanese ordered China's soldiers to evacuate the city, dropped bombs when they refused

What will kind-hearted England and the League of Nations do about that? Not much. Premier Baldwin, justify ing the sudden decision to carve up Ethiopia to satisfy Italy, reveals the fact that British ships feared to visit Italian ports during the recent un pleasantness. That brings danger too

The country has inflation now, with its 59-cent dollars and double the amount of cash circulating compared with prosperous 1929.

Inflation is not realized, because bankers, their vaults bulging, do not dare lend, not knowing what is good security or what upstanding 100 per cent American will be "flat broke" six

Mussolini calls those trying to starve his people with sanctions "egotistical. hypocritical," says Italy can go on in spite of them. Tall Queen Elena, the king's wife,

orays at the tomb of the Italian Unknown Soldier "for the triumph of Roman civilization in Africa." If it is possible to talk or think in

the tomb, that Unknown Soldier may

have murmured: "So, they are still

Washington Digest National Topics Interpreted
By WILLIAM BRUCKART

NATIONAL PRESS BLDG WASHINGTON D. C. CORPORTED Washington.-There has been much |

discussion lately concerning the liquidation of the doz-Spending ens of New Deal Must Stop emergency agencies. It is a discussion that is timely because, first, Mr. Roose-

velt in his plans for the forthcoming government budget contemplates a shrinkage in the vast outlays represented in the emergency agencies, and second, it is a matter of political import. Whether Mr. Roosevelt is reelected or whether there should be a Republican succeed him in the White House in January, 1937, somebody must clean up the wreckage of the alphabetical soup-which is what all of these various agencies eventually must become. They cannot go on; an end must be had to the expenditures and be continued for several years yet bethat will conclude the operations of these agencies and, further, something in the way of permanency for agencies

that may be kept must be worked out. It is one of the real problems of government. Those who have been in Washington any length of time recognize that it is much easier to establish a government bureau and populate it with bureaucrats of a political hue than it is to put an end to the agency and send the political patronage boys back home. It is really an old story to observers here and, I believe, all of them recognize how difficult if not dangerous it is going to be to dynamite the alphabetical agencies out of existence.

Some of them undoubtedly have served and are serving a useful purpose. Undoubtedly, some of them were needed long before Mr. Roosevelt brought his New Deal to Washington. Instead of that fact making the wrecking job easier, it makes the job more difficult. It is very hard to convince plum pickers that their job is a temporary one, even though they were so informed when they were appointed. It is more difficult to convince that type of individual that their agency is not all-important or that it is of less consequence than a neighboring agency bearing another set of alphabetical

In addition, the plum pickers have their patronage backers at the capital. The representatives and senators interested in building up their own poilt'cal machines back home naturally put people in the political jobs who will be most helpful in assisting that particular representative or senator to be re-elected. Thus, it becomes rather obvious that even if Mr. Roosevelt seriously tries to liquidate the various alphabetical bureaus, boards, commissions and administrations, he has a chance a Republican should be elected and Mr. Roosevelt retired to private life, he, too, will find himself criticized, cajoled and threatened when he seeks to squeeze the water out of this structure known as government which was expanded so much in Mr. Roosevelt's plans to meet the emergency.

Frankly, I believe it will take the full four years of the next President's term to unseat all of

Long, the excess job hold-Hard Task ers and eliminate from the government all of the surplus alphabetical agencies, In the very nature of things it cannot be done more quickly. The answer lies in the fact that these agencies embark upon ambitious programs that cannot be halted. The government becomes committed to certain propessions and, except in war time, most of them must be executed. So, however you examine the situation, Uncle Sam is well hooked.

To illustrate how difficult is the job of getting rid of a government agency after it is once established, one need not go further than the late NRA. Six or seven months have elapsed since the Supreme court unanimously clipped the wings of the famed Blue Eagle. That decision did the work of wrecking NRA as completely as a bombshell can wreck a boat when a direct hit is scored. But, whether you realize it or not, we still have in Washington an NRA organization of almost 2,500 employees. It is true that number is probably only about one-fourth of the total number on the NRA pay roll when General "Crack-Down" Johnson was at the helm and guiding the flight of the Blue Eagle but it was assumed at least that the Supreme court decision made payments for the NRA pay roll illegal at the same time. However, it has happened that the administration has found money some place with which to pay this regiment of employees who, as far as most observers in Washington can ascertain, have very little constructive work to do.

The organization has no official status except such as is given it by Mr. Roosevelt's various executive orders. It has no authority. Anything it does or says has no more force than a zephyr. Yet thousands of dollars are being paid its workers on the first and fifteenth of every month-and there is no sign that these payments will be

For another example let us go back to the war days. In order to successfully prosecute America's part in the World war, the government took over and eerated the railroads. A gigantic

organization was built up here Washington and representatives of the railroad administration were scattered far and wide throughout the country. Commitments were made that continue even to this day. Credit in the form of government loans was extended to the rail lines and several hundred million dollars of that amount remains uncollected to this day. And with all, after 18 years we still have a railroad administration operating in Washing-

ton at government expense. Another wartime agency about which little is heard but which still is in existence is the War Finance corporation. It floated bonds and made loans to private interests and those commitments have forced retention of a skeleton organization that probably must fore the job of liquidation is complete.

One could go on and on in illustrating how a government agency becomes a parasite on the government structure to remain, long after its usefulness has ceased, a burden on the taxpayers. It is hardly any wonder then with the knowledge of what has happened in the case of other governmental agencles that there is a question of how long it will be before the present emergency alphabet can be eliminated. It is likewise a matter of concern what the total cost is going to be before the mess is finally eradicated.

We have had evidence lately of how efforts are initiated to maintain these agencies even when Thumbs Down they are legally dead. on NRA Recently in Wash-

ington there was held a much ballyhooed meeting to which some three thousand representatives of business interests were invited. It was called by George L. Berry, the top man in what is left of the NRA structure. The purpose was to find out what business wanted in the way of a revived NRA. Business did not want NRA revived and the meeting turned out to be a genuine flop. There was nothing like three thousand representatives in attendance and the meeting itself gave a good many persons the impression of being staged for the benefit of the American Federation of Labor,

to which the old NRA catered, Mr. Berry, until lately the head of one of the large union labor organizations, did not convince business that it needed more governmental interference, Indeed, if business went away convinced of anything beyond the fact that Mr. Berry's meeting was a flop, it left Washington with a deep feeling that it did not want NRA in any form nor did it want any other governmental man-sized task on his hands. If by agency messing around with its efforts

> The circumstance illustrates better than anything I know how parasitie agencies in the government seek to perpetuate themselves. One must realize in considering such a condition that all of those employees obviously want to keep their jobs.

In the case of the attempted revival of NRA, the political factor is important. Mr. Roosevelt said, it will be remembered, that when NRA was organized it must be regarded as something of an experiment and that if the experiment failed to work, he would be the first to say so. He has not made that announcement yet for, it is considered, if he admitted that the NRA experiment failed to work he would be admitting defeat for one of his earlier pet projects right in the face of a Presidential -campaign. Politicians do not like to make admissions of this kind.

It will be recalled as well that after the Supreme court held the business codes of NRA to be Business unconstitutional and Fights Back the business codes

were the vitals of the NRA structure, there was much pressure exerted on congress from the White House for reconstruction of some sort of a program to succeed NRA. Business did not want it any more then than it does now and it fought back while the legislation was pending. The result was that congress passed a law permitting lines of commerce and industry to organize and frame their own voluntary codes.

Jurisdiction of these codes was placed in the Federal Trade commission. That agency was supposed to work in co-operation with business and to exercise a judicial function in determining when the codes were properly within existing laws against mo-

The Trade commission in the last year has blossomed forth as a rather sound agency in its consultations with business and, I believe, merits the respect which business generally has for it. But with all of that respect and the knowledge that the Trade commission tries to be fair, only five lines of industry have presented codes of fa

practice for commission approval. The details of the futile attempt breathe life back into the Blue Ea have been related at this length show what the future holds in the w of barnacles on our structure of go ernment. If we have many more t result is liable to be a cancer an

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HGTILE VALLEY BEN AMES WILLIAMS

SYNOPSIS

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"I can see a-plenty," she said crisply. The sheriff said, floundering: "I'd like to talk to this Zeke. Might be At a gathering in the vill erty, Maine, Jim Saladine lis history of the neighboring E ley, and the mysterious, ent dy," wife of Will Ferrin. he drives to the Valley for fishing, and to see the glame Ferrin. "Old Marm" Piero nineteen-year-old arandom. he'd know something. Maybe Will, he'll fetch him. Looks like I'd have to talk to that man."

But when Will and Jenny presently dld return, they were alone.

This hour she spent with Will was for Jenny deeply comforting. Huldy's accusation had faded into a cloudy unreality, like the substance of a dream. But Jenny now, more than any other emotion, felt a grievous sympathy for Will, for the remorse she knew he must endure; and she strove in small ways to reassure and comfort him. not by words, but by her steady supporting presence at his side.

They tramped in silence through the woods, the lantern swinging in Will's hand making the black shadows of the comes the subject of unfave sip in the Valley. Entering unlooked for, Will finds damning evidence of his wife fulness as a man be known through the orchard to the barn, and while Jenny held the lantern, Will west akes the subject of the subject o let the cows into the tie-up and seleath, although Humphre let the cows into the tie up and sehay for them, and went to the kitchen for the pail and returned to mik. Jenny stood silently by, while he sat his head against the warm flanks of the cows, the lantern here beside him on the floor.

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promised him. "It's all right, Will." But her own words faintly startled her; since clearly, if Will must live with the secret knowledge that he had killed Huldy, the world could never be all right for him again; and she wished suddenly to take him in her arms, and tell him that she knew, and held him blameless. But she perceived that to do this, to confess her knowledge of his guilt, would be to open between them a gulf never to be bridged.

So she was silent; and later, when they came back through the wet woods together, she decided that this was a matter none should ever know. And thus resolving, she found strength for the task before her, and was at peace again. Huldy was dead. Let it be by accident. The world would presently forget that Huldy had ever lived. When with Will she came back to the little house in the Valley, she had somehow stilled her fears.

Till she saw the sheriff there. When they came in, she felt her strength drain away. But then, and by Will himself, her foreboding was turned into fearful certainty; for Will said to this man:

"Why, Sheriff, what fetched you here?"

The sheriff hesitated. "I kind of hoped you'd bring this Zeke Dace back she realized suddenly that she was no with you," he said, evasively.

Will shook head. "I dunno where Zeke's got to," he admitted in troubled "He wa'n't to home." And he persisted: "But Sheriff, what fetched

Jenny was breathless, waiting for the answer. Then Saladine said gravely: "I sent for him, Will."

Will stared at Saladine, "What for?" he protested, bewildered. And then the sheriff said: "Why

Will, the thing is, it looks to everybody as if maybe Mis' Ferrin didn't just fall off of that ledge. They think someone maybe throwed her off." Jenny's throat constricted strang-

lingly. The hounds were on the trail. As though from far away she heard she was hurt cruel. She like she'd fell on her he. Will stammer: "Killed her, you mean?" There was scratches and Something like that." her: and a deep bad cut

Will stood with his head bowed. "I guess not," he said firmly at last. "Who'd do that?"

"I was thinking maybe this Zeke Dace." Sohler suggested.

But Will shook his head. Sheriff," he insisted. "Whatever did happen, it wa'n't Zeke. He wouldn't go to hurt her." And he continued, half to himself: "There might have been some to hurt Huldy; but not Zeke! Why, I'd as soon think I did it myself," he said.

Jenny felt the shock of a great blow. Then Bart chuckled; and Will turned to look at him. "What's the matter, Bart?" he asked. "What's funny?"
"What you said," Bart told him. "That's a joke, Will. I mean, to think you'd hurt Huldy," he explained, and he added hotly: "Not that anybody'd ot to pieces, he had to th's neck or get anon blame you! She needed it!" He spoke to the sheriff. "Anyone around

here will say the same!" Will moved a little toward him. "I don't take that kindly, Bart," he said. "I don't want that kind of talk from you or anybody. Not about Huldy. Not now."

There was, briefly, silence; but after a moment the sheriff said, half to himself, in almost querulous tones:

"It's a pity she didn't come to long enough to tell what happened to her!' And it seemed to Jenny suddenly that this familiar kitchen was very small, and crowded, and stifling hor. She felt strangled, and her hand flew to her lips, and stark terror choked watching her with eyes suddenly keen and shrewd; and she felt smothered. and shrank back into the corner by

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sllence for a moment; then Jenny him, long as we're setting here!"
had a respite for Joe Matthews, the "Nor you can't find him out undertaker, came out of the dining room. He spoke to Will.

"There, Will," he said. "I've done all that needs doing tonight; and if He you want. I'll carry her home." hesitated, added: "But if you take my advice, let her lay here tonight. I can 'tend to everything a sight better in

Marm Pierce sald: "She's welcome to stay, Will!"

Will nodded. "Well, likely that's sensible," he agreed.

Jenny, while their attention was thus turned away from her, opened the door and stepped out on the porch, grate ful for the taste of cool, moist air. In the kitchen she heard the sheriff say doubtfully: "I guess, Joe, you'll want to go along home now. I don't know as I ought to leave yet, though. I'd like to see this Zeke Dace, first. But I wish't you'd bring Doc Harris in the morning. I want him to look her over."

When presently the undertaker ame out to depart, Jenny drew aside out of his way. Sohier and Saladine crossed with him to where his truck



Jenny Stood Silently By.

stood, spoke with him there. Then Bart came out, and said to Jenny casually:

"Hot in there, ain't it." And in a lower tone: "Don't you worry, Jen! Nothing to be afraid of." He too had seen her terror then!

It must have been plain, for them all to see. But even as she thought this, longer afraid, and wondered why. And then, without speaking to Bart, she came quickly back into the kitcher where were Marm Pierce and Will. Her hand touched Will's sleeve, and peace filled her; and a deep enlightenment and certainty, like a revelation,

Then the truck departed, and Bart and Sohier and Saladine returned indoors. After a moment the sheriff appealed to Saladine. "Jim," he said. "Looks like you could figure something out of this business. I guess you was the last one to see Mis' Ferrin alive."

Saladine shook his head. "I don't see into it at all," he confessed.

Bart turned to Will, "How about you, Will?" he urged. "Didn't you hear her screech when she fell? I'd have said everybody in a mile could have heard that. It sounded mighty loud to me."

Will shook his head. "The noise wouldn't carry up to the farm, with the hill between, and the trees." He looked at Saladine. "I mind." he said. "when you went off with Huldy, Zeke he come out of the shed like he'd go along after you. I stopped him, made him stay behind." And he continued after a moment: "Seems like I kep him there a sight longer'n it'd take you to get down to the brook. Supposing you didn't stop any time on the ledge.

"I didn't." Saladine said: There was silence for a moment: then Will spoke again, gropingly.

"By the time I figured you'd be gone," he explained, "I left Zeke and went into the house; but when it come on to rain, I wondered where Huldy was. I come out on the porch and yelled for Zeke, but he didn't answer, so I went hunting them. I started to go down the path to the brook. But then I decided there wa'n't any use in that." He added with a glance at

Saladine: "I see tracks where you'd gone down, where your boots had slipped. . . ."
Saladine spoke quickly. "Boots! I've got shoes on. It was someone else," he insisted. "It wa'n't me." Will said stubbornly: "It was boo

tracks that I see. Somebody with poots on had gone down the trail." And Bart spoke. "Guess Zeke had boots on, didn't he?"

Will considered, and he nodded. "Like "Yes, he did. I mind. The sheriff stirred. "The way it looks to me," he decided, 'Zeke's the

After the sheriff spoke, there was one to find; and we ain't likely to find

"Nor you can't find him outside," Marm Pierce cried sharply. "Show some sense, Sheriff! You couldn't see Zeke ten feet away, a night like this, if he was a mind to hide. Set down. Use your head, 'stead of your feet! Use your eyes!"

"What good's my eyes going to de me here?" he urged.

"There's been enough to see, if you wa'n't blind," she told him; and she looked briefly at Jenny "Jenny," she said sharply. "You were almighty scared a while ago. I think you know something more'n you've told. You was down brook this morning. Did you see anything, hear anything at all?" Her ones were insistent.

Jenny, though her heart was pounding, spoke after a moment steadily The way was clear before her now, all doubts resolved. But she Jesus. Isalah, more than 700 years only said: "I told you I heard someone talking, in the woods,"

Marm Pierce protested frascibly: came closer to the girl. "Jenny, I can see more than most; but I can't see | markable courage and devotion. To be everything. What was it scared you, a told that she was to be a mother was while ago? When the sheriff said that nothing startling, for this was the about wishing Huldy had come to, before she died? What was it, Jenny?" she demanded.

The girl smiled slowly, as at some secret thought.

"Go on, Jenny," said old Marm Pierce. "Tell the truth and shame the devil!"

Jenny look at Will's bowed head and her smile suddenly was radiant as the sun. "It don't mean a thing to me now," she protested softly. "Because I can see it wa'n't true."

"What was it, Jenny?" the old woman insisted. "Huldy did come to, for a minute,

before she died," said Jenny then. Marm Pierce cried in a deep incre dulity:

"Jenny, she never did!" And Bart exclaimed: "She couldn't Jenny! Why, she was as good as dead before ever I got her here!"

Jenny repeated slowly: "She did. anyway!" And for a moment she said no more. She stood near the cabinet over the sink, where knives and forks and cooking dishes were stowed away. Bart was b, the door into the shed-Marm Pierce was between Jenny and the stove; and Sheriff Sohier sat in front of the oven with his greatcoat loose about him.

Will was beyond the stove, mear the other door, impassive, waiting.

Saladine, watching Jenny, thought she seemed in this moment to wear # mantle of grace. She looked at Will. and her eyes held his, and her tone was gently mirthful.

"She told me you did it, Will," sald

Bart uttered a low ejaculation; but Marm Pierce spoke in brisk insistence. "How come you didn't call me?"

"I didn't want you," Jenny told her "The more fool you!" said Marm

Pierce briskly, her patience near the breaking point. "What happened?"

The sheriff spoke heavily. "Mis' Pierce, you let her tell it her own way," he urged. So Marm Pierce was silenced; and Jenny's eyes turned again to Will. The big man shook and swayed where he stood, as though this that Jenny had to say had struck him nerveless.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Mastiff Is Considered British Isles' Oldest

There may be older breed of dogs than the mastiff but not so in the British Isles for here this dog is considered the oldest of them all, its orl gin dating back to the Sixth century B C. At that time, writes Albert Stell, Jr., in the Detroit News, it was brought into Britain by the adventurous Phoenician traders and was adopted by the Britons for hunting and is

hunt the larger wild animals and a bear baiting but as the centuries passed it was adopted as a guardian for property and as a canine companion for those who fancied the

larger breed of dogs. Mastiffs may be either fawn with a dark face or brindle. They weigh from 150 to 170 pounds and stand about 28 inches high at the shoulders According to the American standard of perfection they should be large, mas sive and powerful with a well-kni; frame. The legs should be wide anary and squarely set. The coat is short and close-lying but not too fine over the shoulders, neck and back.

International Childishness

In February, 1920, at the first plenary meeting of the inter-allied commission and the Germans, a pretty farce was played out when the German chief insisted on opening the meeting. In spite of the fact that the allies were imposing terms and the Germans accepting them, a compromise on pro-cedure had to be made wherein the German and the allied delegations emtered the council room simultaneously

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL CUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

Lesson for January 5 MARY'S SONG OF PRAISE

LESSON TEXT-Luke 1:46-58. GOLDEN TEXT—My soul doth mag-nify the Lord, and my spirit hath repoleed in God my Savior. Luke 1:46, 47.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Why Mary Sang.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Why Mary Sang.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC-What Our Mothers Have Done

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—A Mother's Vision and Influ-

Mary was a Jewish maid of the town of Nazareth. The first information we have of her is that she was engaged to be married to Joseph, a carpenter of the same village. It seems that the custom among the Jews was for betrothal to take place a year before marriage. 1. The Occasion of (Luke 1:26, 27).

1. Gabriel's announcement (vv. 26-37). During this interval of betrothal, God sent the angel Gabriel to announce to Mary that she was to be the mother of before, prophesied that a virgin would give birth to a son, whose name should be called Immanuel, "God with us" 'Nothing in that to scare you!" She (Isa. 7:14). Though at first perplexed, she accepted the annuncation with renormal desire of every married Jewish woman. Under the circumstances, she accepted motherhood at a tremendous cost. She was conscious of her virgin purity. She knew that to become a mother under such circumstances would expose her to suspicion and shame (John 8:41).

Mary's response (v. 38). Her faith was such that she responded with remarkable courage. She said. Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it unto me according to thy word." She accepted motherhood under these circumstances as God's command. It was made clear to her that the begetting was by the Holy Ghost and that the Most High would embody himself with humanity divinely begotten and tha: the resultant thing born would be holy and called the Son of God.

3. She visits Elisabeth (vv. 39-45). In her embarrassment she set out on a visit to an elderly kinswoman called Elisabeth. Having sought the sympathy and encouragement of her friend, her triumphant faith carried her beyond the misunderstanding, the scorn and shame which awaited her, and caused her soul to burst out in the most wonderful song of praise. This is called the "Magnificat" because of the first word in the Latin version, "My soul doth magnify the Lord." As pointed out by another, three features of her character stand out in this

Her purity of heart. Only a pure heart rejoices when God has come

b. Her humility. She forgot herself and gave her heart to God's praises. primarily think of the undying honor which through the ages should be attached to her, but the blessedness which would come to others.

II. The Content of Her Song (vv. 46-58).

1. For salvation (vv. 46-49). It was salvation for herself and others. There is no suggestion whatever in this song that she thought of herself as the mother of God. She praised God for the high distinction of being the channel through which the eternal Son of God was to make contact with the race and save it. This high distinction wrought humility in her soul.

2. For the divine character (vv. 49, She praised God that he had almighty power, that he was absolutely holy and abundant in mercy.

3. For what the Savior shall accomplish (vv. 51, 52).

a. He was to scatter the rebellious, the unbelieving, and the proud. Though he is exceedingly merciful and patient, the time is coming when all who reject him shall be scattered.

He was to exalt the lowly. How wonderfully this has been accomplished through the centuries. Those who turn from sin and exercise faith in Jesus Christ are lifted up to places of hon-

orable recognition. c. He filled the hungry. It is through Jesus Christ that good is gained for the hungry, Indeed, all

blessings come through him, d. He sept the rich away empty. By the rich no doubt is meant those who have arrogated to themselves importance because of the poscessions

which he gave them. 4. For God's faithfulness (vv. 53-55). His faithfulness is shown in keeping his promises. That which was about to be realized was the fulfillment of the covenant promise made in Eden and perpetuated through Abraham.

Self-Denial

Simpler manners, purer lives, more self-denial, more earnest, sympathy with the classes that lie below usnothing short of that can lay the foundations of the Christianity which is to be hereafter, deep and broad.

Religion is the fear and love of God; its demonstration is good works; and faith is the root of both, for without faith we cannot please God; nor can we fear and love what we do not beLESSON IN PATIENCE

"Only God can make a tree," and he takes his time. Don't be impa-

ALWAYS CROSS PRAISES CHANGE



or mineral derivatives. 25c, all druggists.

Our Betters

Who are "our betters?" Those with better minds, better hearts, better manners?

Refreshing Relief When You Need a Laxative

Because of the refreshing relief it has brought them, thousands of men and women, who could afford much more expensive laxatives, use Black-Draught when needed. It is very economical, purely vegetable, highly effective... Mr. J. Lester Roberson, well known hardware dealer at Martinsville, Va., writes: "I certainly can recommend Black-Draught as a splendid medicine. I have taken it for constipation and the dull feelings that follow, and have

BLACK - DRAUGHT

Always Certain He who knows nothing, never

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"We've got to invade Murania!"

derground empire.

Gene Autry uttered the cry in des-

"Quick-the door's opened!" Pete

Gene whirled, dived for the black

hands just as the door closed behind

Many thousand feet below them,

brave little Frankie and Betsy writh-

The great metal door to the con-

trol room swung open and regal

"Shut off the beam and take them to

Giant Muranian Thunder Guards

carried the kids into the hospital-like

Meanwhile pandemonium had bro-

robots of steel, doing the labor for

"Where are the two earthlings?"

As they searched among the robots

one. When the last guard lay on the

But they hurriedly resumed the dis-

"Now for the elevator," suggested

ruler realize that the fate she was

about to mete out to this captive

claiming his revolt! But Gene had a

"There is a traitor in your court

tion-you must free Frankie and

Shaken with sudden fear, Tika

'Come with me to the control

In the control room were two ro-

bots who quickly overpowered Tika's

guard and then revealed themselves

Frankie and Betsy with Argo in rebel

"So my own chancellor is the trai-

At that moment Argo's command

The streets and castle walls were

filled with plunging, fighting troops

quarters after e desperate battle.

"Now is our chance to escape!"

sent a guard for the children.

room!" Tika ordered Gene.

headquarters.

the holidays with relatives and friends control room and made his Queen a

prisoner.

tor leader!" Cried Tika.

perhaps 500 years.

Pete and Oscar!

"The earth-children!" She cried

ed in the paralyzing grip of a radium



HARMONY CLUB ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

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The annual Christmas program of the Harmony Club held December CHRISTMAS DINNER AT 11th, in the Home Economics build- J. E. WHEELOCK HOME ing, proved to be one of the most delightful occasions of the season. The guests were received by the co-host-

following program.

Response-Mrs. Fred Lemons. Arnold and Archie Castleberry.

Musical Reading-Mrs. Ben O.

Piano Trio-Mesdames Bland Bur-

Ned Baird, and Miss Janey Schott. Chorus-Club.

berry presented the guests and Club W. Martin. members with an attractive Christ- Mrs. Cowart has been making her

A. E. Frieze, R. L. Buchanan, R. E. of this city. Burnam, Bruce Burleson, J. H. Wil- Volunteer Department. liamson, Bland Burson, Ben O. King. Summers, Louise Buchanan, Baylor with roses of the sweetest fragrance. Durham, Lettie Wakefield, Narine King, Cooley, Montgomery, Ferne Murphy and Janey Schott.

FLORAL CLUB ENTERTAIN HUSBANDS

Club entertained their husbands with dens be lightened for one and all. expressed themselves as having a worship services of your church. very enjoyable time.

be in the home of Mrs. Bob Dicker- side the church would have more reson with Mrs. Hill joint hostess.

METHODIST MISSIONARY

2:30 with Mrs. J. H. Williamson. All Methodist church.

part of the plans for the new year will be made. Visitors are welcome. Supt. Publicity.

One of the many Christmas dinners celebrated was in the home of Mr. esses, Mesdames Woodson Coffee, and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock in the Hay-Bland Burson, Theron Crass, and Miss lake community. A large prize win-Ferne Murphy; then ushered to the ning turkey graced the middle of the beautifully decorated reception room table and all the trimmings were atby Evelyne Coffee and Jan Castle- tractively grouped around the big bird, to tempt the appetites of the The Harmony Club presented the following: J. T. Thurman of Amarillo, Obe Thurman of Hereford, Mr. and Greetings by president-Mrs. O. T. Mrs. H. V. Williamson and sons Thurman and Howard of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Thurman and Quartet, "Holy Night"-Mesdames Wayne Thurman of Lakeview com-Billie Dickerson, Theron Crass, John munity, and the members of the Wheelock family.

MISS VERNELLE GRESHAM BECOMES BRIDE OF CHAS. COWART

Last Saturday evening December After a pleasant social hour, dur- 28th, Charles R. Cowart and Miss ing which delicious refreshments were Vernelle Gresham, were Quietly mar- friends served, little Misses Coffee and Castle ried at the home of County Judge W.

home with her grandparents, Mr. and

Douglas, Allen Dickerson, Jake Ho- Charley Cowart is the son of Mr. nea, A. P. Dickerson, Hallar, A. L. and Mrs. C. L. Cowart, and is em- of their children here for the holidays. mazing scientific inventions which Kelsay, H. S. Sanders, Alice Sanders, ployed in the local post office. Is one It was a happy day for the Judge and earthly science would not achieve for Fred Lemons, Dick Cowart, A. A. of our most popular and promising Mrs. Daniel. Peacock, Alvin Redin, Charley Nor- young men. Is active in all civic afrid, Marvin Tull, D. O. Bomar, H. L. fairs of the city. Is Fire Chief of the Christmas in Happy with the ladies ken loose on the upper factory levels.

The News joins the community in and Misses Carolyn Schott, Sadie may their path of life be ever strewn now located at Estelline.

METHODIST CHURCH

Many memories of nineteen thirty this and many other new years.

The ladies of the Silverton Floral past may be continued, and the bur-

a Christmas party in the home of The coming of the new year re-Mrs. Burnam with Mrs. Crawford as- minds us to remake the resolutions here. sistant hostess. After the banquet we forgot early last year, I know of was spent in playing 42. Everyone to be regular in your attending the

The next meeting of the club will by the church members the ones out

needed. If you are not attending some hurst is teaching school there. The Methodist Missionary society other church why not begin this year Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dobbs and Pete, "and we can rescue Frankie and

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rescue young Frankle and Betay Baxfair. Many new faces were seen and welcomed. We want you to come back | ber from Muranis, amazing underground nation. But the kids are hit and feel at home with us.

Pastors subject for Sunday morn- by a radium beam and apparently ing, "All things New." Sunday even- killed. ing, "I Am aware."

A. A. Peacock, pastor.

CITY LOCALS

Mrs. Bland Burson and Mrs. Dick Cowart were in Amarillo, Tuesday. Miss Lizzie Gregg spent Christmas in Quitaque with relatives and friends Dr. and Mrs. McClendon of Child- and mysterious hole in the hillside, ress, spent Sunday here with relatives and entered with the two comic cow-Tom Nichols of Tulia was here on business Tuesday of this week.

J. B. Porter is on the sick list this

Mrs. Don Skelton Whitesburo, is here spending the holidays with her beam. Frankie had managed to pull the switch opening the cave door for parents Mr. and Mrs. John Guest. Miss Francis O'Daniel of Tulia, is Gene, then had sunk into a painhere this week visiting her father J. wracked heap. Another moment and D. O'Daniel, of the Magonilia station. he and Betsy lapsed into unconscious-

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bomar ness. Christmas in Lubbock with spent

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Wood and Queen Tika entered with her retinue. daughter spent the holidays in Sagerton with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smithee and the reviving chambers! I am not The ladies enjoying the yuletide en- | Mrs. Allen of the Flomont community | daughter Betty Nell, Mrs. Ross Dick- | ready for them to die." tertainment were: Mesdames White, and is one of the popular young ladies erson all of Ropes, spent the holidays here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel, had all reviving chamber equipped with a-

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Burson spent parents Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery.

Rev. and Mrs. Lynn and children Gene Autry was captured by Lum, B. Baird, Billie Dickerson, R. L. Alex- extending congratulations to the hap- passed through here Saturday on Van and Nux. Pote and Oscar, still at ander, Theron Crass, O. T. Bundy, py young people and wish for them their way home after spending Christ- large, dashed into a huge factory Woodson Coffee, A. R. Castleberry much happiness and prosperity and mas up in the Panhandle. They are chamber filled with stolidly ominous

Miss Mildred Bean who is attending Murania. Five minutes later a group Wayland College was here for the of fierce Thunder Guards dashed in holidays, returning to her studies the with drawn swords. first of the week.

Miss Sudie Lee Foust returned to they demanded. five will linger with us throughout her school at Whiteflat, after spending the holidays with home folks, Mr. they were knocked senseless, one by My prayer is that the Joys of the and Mrs. J. R. Foust,

Miss Francis Buchanan left Satur- floor, two of the "robots" solemnly day for her home in Texarkana, after shook hands, then removed their steel a very pleasant visit with home folks heads. They were none other than

Mrs. D. O. Bomar and daughters, was served, a very enjoyable evening no better resolution than to resolve Patricia and Fay Tice and son Don guising headpieces as the second returned from Gainsville, where they party of warriors, bearing Gene capspent the holidays with relatives. Old tive in their midst, rushed into the If the sabbath day was kept holy D. O. looked plenty lonesome, during factory. Amazed at the sight of their

Warner Hayhurst and wife were Gene to the thirty-third level and spect for the church and our religion. visitors in the "White House", home leaving a lone guard behind. Another We have a class in our church of Mr. and Mrs. Finley White over the moment and the "robots" had laid school to fit the needs of every age. week end. Mr. Hayhurst is supt. of him out, too, with a well-directed If not we will form new classes as schools at Plains, Texas. Mrs. Hay- blow behind the ear.

will meet Monday January 6th, at right next Sunday by attending the daughter Patsy Ruth, of Crosbyton Betsy." were here for the holidays with the | Gene had now been dragged before members are urged to be present, as Our attendance last Sunday was ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Queen Tika. Little did the haughty

Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King have returned from Sherman, where they might soon be hears-for Argo, high spent the holidays with friends and chancellor, was on the eve of prorelatives.

Miss Doris Kirk, who has been trump card ready. working on the Briscoe County News for the past few months has resigned who threatens you with disaster," he her position and will enter Draugh- calmly told Tika. "I will reveal him on's business College in Lubbock, Jan- and save your throne on one condi-

Mrs. C. L. Oliver and family of Den- Betsy.' ton, were here thru the holidays visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Steele are the proud parents of a fine nine pound boy, making his arrival on December 27th. Mother and son doing fine.

Marriage license were issued to as the irrepressible Pete and Oscar. Lawerence Bedwell and Lois Morrison By television, the party now found on December 24th.

Marriage license were issued to Charles R. Cowart and Miss Vernelle Grisham on December 28th. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cowart, Marinez

and Marjorie spent. Christmas in started the rebellion and bedlam Chickasha, Oklahoma, visiting rela- broke loose throughout Murania. Mr. and Mrs. Boss Kenchleo and

daughter Marjory of Pampa, spent and rebels. Tike's loyal guards were the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Scott slain by rebel flame guns. Gene, Pete and Oscar had dashed out to save Smithee and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whiteside spent Frankie and Betsy, whom they fin-

part of the holidays in Blackwell with ally rescued from the insurgent headthe Whiteside family. Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Peacock spent! Now came triumphant Argo to the

at Commerce E. H. Stephen, who is working at Plainview, spent the Holidays here Gene's hopes ran high as his party reached the upper cave. Escape to the with his wife and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Syl Hardwick and son surface was almost within their Frank, Mrs. E. L. Taylor and son Bob grasp. However, there came a horde all of Decatur spent the holidays with of rebels armed with death-rays and relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daming swords. Just in time, Gene's

friends made good their escape. But Mrs. Mary Jones, who is attending the brave young rancher stayed bedays here with home folks, Mr. and | hind to battle the Thunder Guards. Ers. J. S. Watson. One of them crashed a club against

his head and Gene fell onto a convey er belt in the path of a robot who was spraying the whole belt with a sheet

(Read Chapter 11 in this new paper next week.)

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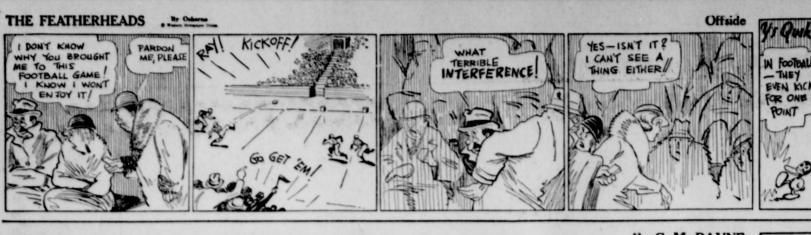
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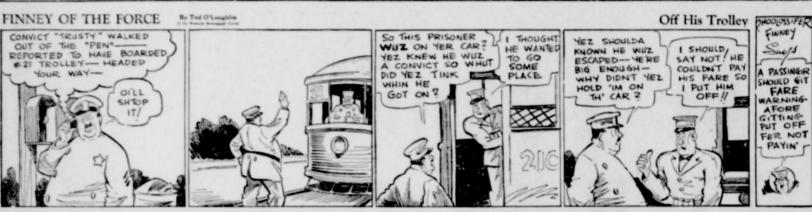
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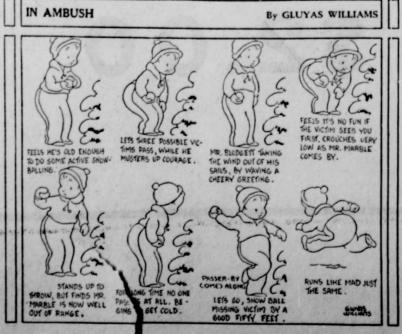


By O. JACOBSSON









Handsome Wraps of Rich

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



plays a leading role in her wardrobe. Perhaps the theme around which clings most of romance and exciting interest this season is the velvet wrap. to which designers are imparting a new grandeur and dignity such as a queen and her royal entourage might

It is not only that the velvet wrap reigns supreme by night but it is equally as high fashion by day, taking for granted of course that type be tuned to occasion. In their styling, their novelty and their departure from the ordinary into realms of untold elegance, the velvet wraps as ladies of fashion are wearing during the present social season, are reaching dramatic climaxes which are simply breath-taking to contemplate.

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Some idea of the unusualness and daring which characterize the velvet wraps that go to operas and theaters, to horseshows, to night clubs and to like society doings is given in the model centered in the picture. Schiaparelli designed the original of this very new and striking wrap of American beauty crush-resistant velvet. The big buttons are gold simulated coins. The sleeves are bulky at the shoulders and slim at the wrists. The skirt fullness is gathered in the front only.

Equally as startling from standpoint of style innovation is the famous Doges' cape and hood of velvet from Vionnet, which chic Parisiennes are wearing. This long cape enwraps the figure from head to foot and the pointed hood lifts up over the head. Nevertheless as extreme as this model is, it has made an instantaneous hit especially with young girls who love to wear this type over their party frocks. Sometimes the little hood at the back is lined with snowy ermine which adds another dash of glamor and sumptuousness to the picture.

The importance of stately floorlength capes in the evening scene is ensemble to the right in the group

herewith. Its superb styling is in keep ing with the elegance of the black velvet, gleaming white satin and precious fur which combine in its making. The lovely white fox lel is part of the dresss. Rhinestone buttons and belt buckle, together with a rhinestone bracelet, add the glitter note which is so characteristic of this season's modes. Milady's short velvet gloves are decidedly chic.

Speaking of velvet capes which are outstanding for formal wear, they may be most any length-as long or as short as you please. And they are not all of black velvet either, though, of course, black is first choice, especially when one's budget provides for a single evening wrap instead of a wardrobe of formal coats and jackets and capes and boleros such as go to make up a full quota for the woman who queens in society. For instance, a cape of dark green velvet lavished with silver fox, as described in a recent cable from Paris, is sure to contribute a dramatically opulent note to an evening costume. The rich Italian reds and greens and purples are at their best expressed in terms of velvet. Capes made thereof are simply ravishing.

Here is a surprise-that is, if you have jumped at the conclusion that the stunning formal slim-fitting daytime or evening coat (it serves as either) shown to the left is the usual "black velvet trimmed with ermine." As a matter of fact the velvet of which this coat is fashioned is brown, which, with white, is considered very smart. A very unusual velvet it is, being a weave, the under side of which is like a long-pile duvetyne. The ermine removable chemisette is a practical feature, providing as it does demonstrated in the magnificent velvet added protection against winter winds. @ Western Newspaper Union.

VELVET IS NOTABLE FOR THE AFTERNOON

Velvet is notable for afternoon and glamorous evening gowns and wraps. Patou features erect pile silk velvet, changeable silk velvet and fallle ground velvet. Iodell also endorses the changeable velvet for formal wear. Maggy Rouff uses brocaded velvet for some handsome evening dresses.

Worth launches wool back velvet in dinner tailleurs with wrap-around skirts and bloused bodices. Heim makes tailleurs de minuet of velvet and favors velvet generally in his collection. Schiaparelli presents ribbed velvet in a number of costumes.

Designers Are Employing Purple in Smart Effects

Sellers of purple-or more specifically sellers of fabrics in purplish tones-find up-to-the-minute styles very much to their liking. Rochas trims black with a purplish red, extremely bright and inspired by the ancient Pompelian purple. Maggy Rouff uses a unique purplish tone, ranging from dark shade to a red violet tone. Mainbocher adopts a fuchsia shade and Jodelle, a deep Parma violet. As would be expected, the influence of purple is particularly noticeable in blue. Both dark and light blues have a violet or purple tinge. Patou, in a new color he calls "Iris," blends mauve with blue and gets a striking effect.

Jewelry Is Now Designed

for Wear With Sweaters As sweaters continue to loom as top styles, jewelry has been especially designed to wear with them. One idea in bracelets is a flexible bangle of woven colored beads. Brown koa seeds from Hawaii have been made into bracelets. Even pearls have been styled into tailored bracelets to wear with woolly sports clothes.

Gold and silver jewelry is especially good. Colors smart in clothes now. the deep cobalt blue, green, ruby and wine are reflected in artificial stones combined with gold, silver, rhinestones and pearls

DINNER WEAR By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Here it is-the costume ideal for dinner wear. Ethel Shutta, popular singer and known from coast to coast as the smartest dresser of the supper clubs, models this winsome velvet costume. By adjusting its trick neckline it can be made suitable for either dinner or evening wear. Other important fashion aspects are the short slightly puffed sleeves and the slim pencil silhouette which this gown achieves. Latest reports from Paris favor the return of slender, svelt lines with fullness often placed at the back as the gown pictured suggests.

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Festive Trappings Bring Joy to Brides of Moscow

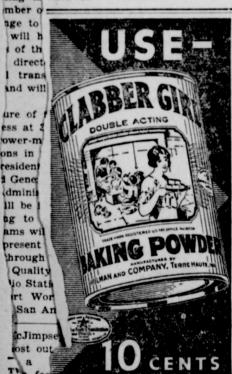
Weddings in Soviet Russia are bese to C ginning to take on the romantic trimmings of the bourgeois West. In the October quarter of Moscow a special room has been provided re willig in the registration bureau where for cor couples may sign the marriage contract. It is furnished with oriental rugs, elaborate hangings, overstuffed furniture, and flowers. The young woman registrar is smartly gowned and wishes the couples happiness with all the grace of French and Italian municipal marriage officials. and bes

Formerly weddings, deaths, and births were all recorded in one room. But brides protested vehemently Farm against being married in the same rovide t room where weeping widows were Il be h recording the deaths of their hus-

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By FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter.

70U know, boys and girls, a few weeks ago, I started looking for I automobile yarns. I figured that in an area where thousands of people owned cars, there ought to be a flock of guys who had adventures riding in them. Well, sir, those auto stories are just beginning to show up now. Not many of them-not nearly as many as I would like to see. But enough to show that, at least, I wasn't entirely wrong in

I've got another auto story for you now, incidentally, and-well-it's the funniest sort of automobile yarn you ever heard of. Because Harris Budner, the man whose story it is, wasn't even in the car when things started to happen to him. He got his adventure, just by standing alongside of a gas-buggy.

Now 85 East Bennington street is the address of the cobbler shop that he has run on the same spot, in East Boston, for 37 years. And it was right there that his adventure took place on the sixth of August, 1934 "It still seems like a dreadful nightmare," he says. "It is the one experi-

ence of my life that I am lucky to be alive to tell." It was a hot, muggy August day, and through the windows of his shop, Harris could see that it was getting dark a bit earlier than usual.

Storm Clouds Cast an Ominous Darkness.

Taking a look at the sky, though, he saw the reason for that premature darkness. Storm clouds were gathering overhead, shutting out the sun

He started putting away his tools and cleaning up his shop. It was seven thirty, and time he was getting home. But before he had finished, a car drew up in front of the door and a young lad came in and asked him if he could repair a torn auto top.

Harris had done many a job of that sort so he picked up a needle and thread and one or two other tools, and went out to the curb.

In Which Harris Is Abducted.

He stepped on the running board and reached over the imitation leather top, looking for the tear. His hand probed the smooth surface in vain. There was no tear there.

In an instant Harris knew that something was wrong. But before he had a chance to move, he felt a push from behind. The lad standing behind him shoved him into the rear seat of the

car and four men, hiding inside, covered him with a couple of heavy blankets. Then the man at the wheel stepped on the gas, and the car shot away from the curb and went rolling down the street.

"It was hot enough outside," says Harris, "but it was hotter under those blankets. I screamed and they choked me. I gasped for air and they thrust a gun in my face. 'One more yip out of you,' they told me, 'and you'll be a dead man.'

It Took a Tough Skull to Survive This.

They were going through a crowded section of the city then and Harris knew they wouldn't fire that gun. He began to kick and struggle, trying to regain his feet.

A gun butt crashed down on his head and he sank back to the floor, Again and again that gun descended on his cranium, Harris says. Dazed, and unable to move, Harris lay still. He lost all sense of time -all sense of everything except the rolling motion of the car.



They Literally Tore the Clothes Off Him.

He couldn't tell you how long he rode, but at length the car pulled up at a deserted spot on the edge of the Lynn marshes. The young thugs rolled him out and began going through his clothes in search of money. They literally tore the clothes off him as they went through them, garment

by garment. They then threw him into the marshes and left him there to die.

Cold Rain Revives Unfortunate Victim.

Still unable to move, Harris lay in the marsh, wondering if he would ever regain the use of his muscles. For half an hour he waited for his faculties to return. Then the clouds opened up and the cold rain, spattering on his face,

He got slowly to his feet-looked around him. The locality was strange and he didn't have the slightest idea where he was but he saw a light in the distance and began walking toward it.

The light came from a house, where two women occupants screamed when they saw the disheveled condition of his clothing. Harris turned away and staggered down the road.

A short distance away, he saw the lights of a small store. He headed oward it, his feet dragging, but before he had gone far, he met a man and voman on foot who took him in hand and led him to the nearest police station. The police called a doctor and the doctor recognized Harris as the man who had mended his shoes for him when he went to school in East Boston. He dressed Harris' wounds and sent him to a relief station for further

examination. The cops had Harris in two or three times to look over hold-up suspects but he couldn't identify any of them. And incidentally, he wishes it understood that in the future he will mend automobile tops only for those who come weil supplied with references.

Well, sir, that's another automobile story. There still ought to be hundreds of thousands more that I haven't heard about,

"Elephant-Bear's" Bones

in U. S. National Museum Bones of a great beast that looked like a bear, had feet rather like an elephant's, but was not very nearly related to either animal, are on display in the Smithsonian institution in Washington. The fossils were found in the Big Horn Basin region in Wyoming. The skeleton was embedded in a matrix of stone, says Science Service.

The creature, known to scientists as Coryphodon, was heavy-bedied like a tapir and not quite so high at the shoulder as an ox. It probably was pretty much "boss" in its day, some sixty million years ago, for its great bulk was reinforced by a pair of formidable 8-inch tusks in its jaws.

Coryphodon's foot bones are what specially intrigue scientists. The animal neither walked flat-footed like a bear nor up on the ends of its thick tors like a modern elephant. It seems to have been progressing in the latter direction, however, especially in its of its weight. It:

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a slow shuffle, like that of the modern elephant.

In the same region where the ele phant-bear flourished there lived also the earlier types of horses. The lat ter line has survived, while the bigger more dominant brute has perished. The horse-ancestors made up for their lesser bulk and fighting ability by greater agility and brain capacity, and therefore greater adaptability. The elephant-bear, a massive, stubborn conservative, was beaten by a changing world which it could neither under stand nor get used to.

Lewis and Clark Expedition

Lewis of the Lewis and Clark expedition left Washington on July 5, 1803, and was joined by Clark at the ohlo. The expedition was delayed at Pittsburgh till August 31, then proceeded on its way toward the Mississippl. Lewis choosing volunteers from the military posts along the way.

rip hems and make sheets into pillow cases out of each sheet.

Wrinkles may be easily removed from a chiffon dress if it is hung in a bathroom filled with steam. When thoroughly steamed hang in the air

Raisins and figs will not stick to the food chopper if a little flour mixed with a few drops of lemon juice is put through chopper with the fruits.

One quart of boiling water, three tablespoonfuls of linseed oil and one tablespoonful of turpentine mixed together and applied to hardwood floors with a woolen cloth will re move all the dust and dirt that has accumulated on them.

If windows are rubbed with tissue paper after they have been washed with chamois wrung out of a quart of warm water to which a tablespoonful of ammonia has been add ed, they will have a brilliant polish.

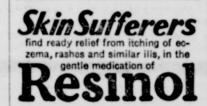
If a beef loaf is seared in hot bacon drippings before baking in the oven, it will not become dry.

French chalk rubbed over a grease spot on wall paper and allowed to remain overnight will remove spot. . . .

After 'éiling a sewing machine, sew through a piece of blotting paper. This will prevent any surplus oll from soiling material.

Put a teaspoonful of borax intostarch water. It will give a gloss to the starched things.

If ink is spilled on a hardwood floor, wipe it up immediately with wire wool moistened with warm water, then wax spot when dry.



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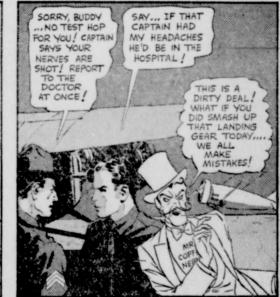
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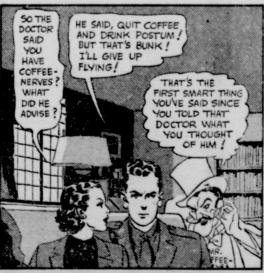
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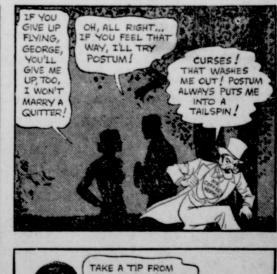


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and that's the spirit behind this organization. There is still the same friendship, the same standards of ideals, and the same high quality of service that was in the beginning. And in the same unchanging spirit we offer our New Year Greetings and our wishes for happiness for everyone throughout 1936.

After three years, as your editor, we find a few people in this town and community that do not know our spelled -- now let's try hard this year have your name spelled exactly like it should be. And in return we would like for you to know how to spell our name. Here it is B-O-Y-L-E! We do not have an "S" on the end of it. We are just one Boyle!

Two years ago was the first time in years that we allowed credit to the candidates on their announcements first time in years that we had to carry over their accounts. Of course this does not apply to all of the candidates, but there are always a few fellows that run for office, that never expect to pay up if they are defeated. the page of another year num- This year we are not going to take 1 1935. In looking back over this any chances. We will expect announce we find we have had a few hard ments to be paid for when turned in but the good overshadows to the office and printing when called The Briscoe County News for or delivered. We have several unoyees hope that 1935 has paid candidates bills from two years

> The work on the highways is propressing nicely, regardless of the bad weather. Highway 86 and highway 207 are the Floydada road are taking care of the unemployed situation in this county in a big way.

age pension program will be the only subject on the calender in event of a special session of the Texas Legislature next year, Gov. James V. Allred, stated a few days ago. Texas legislators have been polled in a three-point letter, the governor said, to to the fehave tried to give this commonity asibility of an old age pension special session. Legislators were asked whether they favored a special session, when, and if they believed a definite pension financing program could be worked out at this time. The governor said his decision relatives to a special session probably would be reached about January 15.

> from the west side of the square to the building now occupied by the shoe shop, on the south side of the square. From what we can learn from the hatchery men the baby chick business is going to be much better this season. Farmers all have plenty of feed, and poultry is scarce. This will encourage the farmers and poultry men to buy baby chicks early this season.

Ben Rogers of the Vigo community was here Monday marketing cream. He finds Silverton is a first class place to market his produce and

Miss Lula Kate Johnson and Miss Maurine Thompson from Vernon, were visitors in the home of Finley White and wife during the Xmas holidays. Miss Thompson is a sister " Homer Thompson and Miss Johnon, well we haven't found out just what she is to Mr. Thompson yet.

Did you know one reason why nany of us don't get far is that we destep opportunity and shake hands with old temptation,

Children should be seen-and not hurt-watch your driving when near schools, and in the streets.

The Government has "G-Men", in | near Lubbock last Saturday. Austin they have "S-Men", who sit out the gambling houses to see that we have "B-Men". Men on the law force to watch the Bootleggers.

You may get rid of the old year when it passes, but will be on the trail of some of us for many months.

Charley Cowart says: "It's alright to start a little trouble in this world, but not more than your share."

A certain fellow out at Rock Creek, said it was well to have a large number of children, so when they all get into trouble, you never will know which trouble to worry about.

wonder where we're going. But a lot of us plain clothes citizens would like merely to know where we are.

Drug store the other morning and asked for a quarters worth of rat poison. Bob asked, "Do you want to take it with you," The customer replied, Brown home Xmas. "No, I'll send the rats in after it."

It appears that the Quitaque housewife who recently gave birth to triplets was formerly a telephone operator. Excuse it, please.

"That will be enough out of you," said Doctor Bundy as he stitched the patient together.

When M. K. walked up to the sweet lights were out, she replied, "I know it. I just had some of that prohibition alcohol put in my radiator, and the car went blind."

A certain little boy came in my office the other morning looking so pital. clean and refreshed. We made the remark, you sure look clean this morning. He replied, "I should my ma gave me a personally conducted bath."

Maurice Foust is the author of the 'Snappiest" story of the week which

I bought my girl some garters At Cowart's five-and-ten. She gave them to her mother-And that's the last I'll see of

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them.

"Many a wit is not a whit wittier han Whittier"

"His suit showed spots of suet and

"Little Tony Tittlemouse lives in a

little house.' "Six thick thistle sticks."

"The old cold scold sold a school "The sea ceaseth and it suffices us"

turbans. "Nine nimble noblemen nibbling

When Charley Cowart was interriewed on getting married he gave us the following little squd.

Lean men and clean men, Wild men and mild men. Wee men and he-men. Bum men and dumb men Tailor men and sailor men, Pinch hitters, steam fitters, Golf players, man slayers, Jobbers and robbers Get married.

Tall girls and small girls, Big girls and trig girls, Neat girls and sweet girls. Cash girls and rash girls, Bad girls and sad girls, Circus riders, home abiders, Opera singers, hash slingers, Crooks and cooks

> Marry them. FRANCIS NEWS

Miss Pauline Dunlap has returned as with her parents at Littlefield. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass spent Xmas with Mrs. Crass sister at Qui-

Mrs. J. Lee Francis

Mrs. L. A. Jones and children pent Christmas with her parents ear Liban, New Mex.

Mrs. Earl Mercer has returned ported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Springer and children of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sams of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs W. H. Steele and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Steele and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mercer and children, Mr. J. J. Steele and children and J. R. Steele were dinner guest of Mr.

and Mrs. J. Lee Francis Monday. Little Arlie Guinn arrived the 17th of Dec. to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. U. D. Brown is on a business

Mrs. J. L. Francis has as her guest her sister and niece, Mrs. Addie Monthey do not gamble. But in Silverton tague and daughter Dorthy of Ama-

> Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Francis visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Louvorn in Amarillo Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid visited at Alpine through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Wimberly visited his parents in Tulia Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel Jr. were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.

A. Simmons Sunday. Little Junice Mae Mercer is on the

sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cantwell were

dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pack McKinney visited her mother, Mrs. W. W. Reid,

Little Peggy Wimberly is spending the week with her grandparents at Tuliz this week.

Mrs. Bill Davis of Lubbock and son Hubert of Ropes visited in the U. D.

ANTELOPE FLAT Emma Bulkek

Seth Edens is suffering with should er and other injuries received in a car wreck near Estelline Sunday morning. Mrs. Seth Edens and Miss Margaret Edens the other occupants of the car, were slightly cut and bruised.

Mrs. John Rhea and children of young thing, and told her, her car Paloduro spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father, W. N. Bul-

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves and family have moved to Tulia to be near his brother Dave Graves who is very ill with penumonia in the Tulia hos-

Mrs. Laura Springs of Riverside Calif. spent several days with W. N. Bullock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Merrill and family spent the holidays with relatives in Hood county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Graves and children spent several days this week at Silverton and Tulia

Misses Emma and Gussie Bullock spent the Xmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea and family of Palo-

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sanders and sons spent Xmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edens of Plaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bullock and son Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bullock and son Gail and Charlie Bullock spent Xmas day with Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea of Paloduro.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Waldrop and family visited relatives at Goldston and Clarendon Xmas day.

Ancel Barton, Mrs. Clarence Bullock and children and Miss Margaret "Two tall Turks twirling twisted Edens were in Quitaque Wednesday. Russell Barton of Lubbock spent the holidays with his parents. Mr. and

Mrs. F. M. Barton. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter and children returned home Friday after

a visit in oJnes County with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. R. Sanderson and son Louis returned home Thursday after

spending Xmas at Vernon. Sanford Graves and daughter Alma were in Memphis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and child ren spent the holidays with relatives at Lily.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Scott and daughter, Mabel of San Francisco, Calif. spent Sunday in the W. N. Bullock home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean and son spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Dean of Clarendon.

W. N. and J. C. Bullock attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCourtie at Ft. Worth Wednesday. All of the brothers and sisters being present except Mrs. Alethea Burris of Lordsburg, N. M. and A. L. Bullock of Premont, Texas. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiller and son, Cedric, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kennedy and daughters, Pat and Shirley Price, Mrs. Inez Davidson of Louisiana and son o her school after spending Christ- Dorrice and daughter, Mrs. Otis Mayers W. N. and J. C. Bullock, Brice: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCourtie and daughters, Mrs. Charles Shown, Mrs. Victor Willoughby, Kilgore, Mrs. Elma Rose, Misses Glennice and Robbie Thelma and son Beckhem. Otis Mayers, Charles Shawn, Elmo Rose, and Victor Willoughby, W. N. Bullock from the Plainview Clinic and is re- and daughters Emma and Gussie Bul lock were in Clarendon Monday.

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