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Comparison of Old Age Laws

Although Texas began payments to Old Age Assistance recipients on July 1st, as provided by law, we had on our rolls (45,099) the first month than any other state in the Union with the exception of two, Ohio and New York. Both of these states have a larger population than Texas. New York, of course, having double that of Texas. In addition to these two states have had their laws in effect longer than Texas, N. York's law dating back as far as 1931. In the short time that we have been investigating Old Age Pension applicants we have added more to the Old Age Assistance rolls than have the combined States of Wyoming, Vermont, Rhode Island, Nevada, Maryland, Illinois, Delaware, Connecticut, Alabama, Mississippi, and Missouri. This has been accomplished notwithstanding the fact that the total number of months which the laws of these states have been in effect is 125, as compared to the 4 and a half months that Texas has been investigating Old Age applicants. The total number of people over 65 in these states is 1,134,486 as compared to 300,000 in Texas.

Despite this large number on our rolls now as compared to other states the average paid per recipient is larger than the average of all states, being higher than the average paid in Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Mississippi, Missouri, Nevada, New Jersey, Vermont and New York.

No state in the Union allows assistance to the aged whose property holdings are as high as in Texas. The \$5,000 property qualification, if single, and \$7,500, if married, far outstrips the majority of states. \$3,000 is the maximum allowed in most of the states and even in this instance some states such as California, estimate the gross value of property, while in Texas all loans and mortgages are subtracted.

No state in the Union allows assistance to applicants whose income is higher than that allowed in Texas, \$50 a year.

Many of the other states will not pay assistance to anyone who has a child or other relative able to support the applicant. Texas holds only the wife and husband responsible.

No state pays assistance to the aged except on the basis of need. This provision corresponds of course, to the Social Security Act which provides for matching dollar for dollar on the basis of need. However, some states qualify the statement concerning need by including in their law such phrases as "deserving citizens" those not physically able to provide, etc. Some states having these qualifying phrases are: Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Jersey and Vermont.

Six states do not pay assistance until the applicant reaches the age of 70 years. They are Arkansas, Indiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri and Pennsylvania.

REVIVAL AT CALVARY BAPTIST STARTS SUNDAY

Sunday evening marks the beginning of a Revival Meeting at the Silverton Calvary Baptist church. The meeting will be in charge of Rev. H. H. Summers of Abilene, and H. L. Burnam, local pastor.

Interesting services are planned each evening of the week and everyone is invited to attend. The length of the meeting has not yet been decided.

The Calvary Baptist church asks the cooperation of other churches in this undertaking.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to thank our neighbors and many kind friends in helping share our sorrow. We especially thank you for the many kind words and flowers and the good dinner brought. Respectfully yours, The Mother and Father and brothers and their families of the deceased Cepha Spilman.

Late Harvest Almost Over

Only a few farmers are still at work harvesting the latest wheat crop that this section has seen for some time—for that matter, the only one for some time. There have been better harvests but few more welcome ones. With wheat at a good price and with the average yield at about 7 or 8 bushels, most of the wheat-raisers are feeling much better than they did a month before harvest started. At that time most of them would have sold their prospects mighty cheap.

The section southwest of Silverton produced much the best crop, generally speaking, as is shown by the number of cars shipped from Whiteley Switch. The Farmers Elevator there shipped around 70 cars of the golden grain.

From the Silverton grain buyers comes the following reports:

Cline Grain Company has bought and shipped 15 cars with about 7 or 8 more expected this week. The test was around 58 or 59.

18 cars were shipped from the Ferguson Grain Company and they have several on hand. They expect to finish up this week.

Simpson Mill and Elevator Company has shipped 14 cars and has several thousand bushels on hand.

No report was gotten from the Farmers Elevator in Silverton.

The price paid at the beginning of harvest was 84c and Tuesday, the local buyers were offering \$1.02.

It wasn't what you would call a bumper crop, but an average of the elevators shows that something like five times as much wheat has been bought this year as last.

Swimming Hazards

In Texas, during 1935, there were 371 deaths from accidental drowning according to records in the State Bureau of vital statistics. This is an increase of 54 over the number reported for the year 1934, and an increase of 85 over the number reported for 1933.

"While water sports are the greatest of all sports during the summer season they present certain hazards which should be heeded," said Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

"Accidental drowning would not occur if each individual respected the fact that water is not man's natural element, and governed his activities in the water by standards of safety.

Certain precautions should be taken by all swimmers:

1. Never swim alone -- especially in deserted places where no rescue is available in case of an emergency.
2. Do not let young children go out in deep water even if they know how to swim, unless some older person proficient in life saving, is with them.
3. Do not go in bathing directly after eating. Wait two hours before taking the plunges.
4. Do not dive in unfamiliar places until you are sure of the depth of the water and the absence of rocks.
5. Do not overtax your strength -- work up gradually to a long swim by strengthening the muscles first.
6. Do not swim when fatigued.
7. Do not create a hazard for other swimmers by childish pranks and smart tricks.

"Accidental drownings, with few exceptions, occur through lack of proper safeguard or in places without adequate supervision. Take your swim in one of the approved sanitary swimming pools now available in most communities, and help reduce the deaths in Texas from drowning."

Members of the Christian Endeavor Society who left Monday afternoon for Ceta Canyon were: Wilma Joyce Smithee, Dean and Doris Griffith, Marjorie Northcutt, Vivian Burleson, Johnnie Dawson, Phyllis Mae and Bobbie Allard and Mrs. Della Griffith.

Cast Your Vote In Saturday Primary

Heavy Voting Forecast For Democratic Primary July 25th. Races Promise To Be Close. — Elect Your Man

If you vote you can kick—if you don't, you have no kick coming on the way office holders conduct their work.

And Saturday, July 25, is Election Day, the first Democratic Primary. Candidates have been working hard the past two weeks and although the number of candidates is not large, several of the races are causing plenty of talk and speculation as to the outcome.

Probably the most interesting race in the county is for Sheriff and Tax Collector. "Jake" Honea, the present office holder, is out for re-election and is opposed by George Lee, Mr. Honea is a very popular and efficient sheriff and Mr. Lee is a long time resident who is well thought of by all. Take your choice. A vote dropped or gained by either of these men may be the deciding one.

County Judge Martin is asking for a second term and has some stiff competition in the persons of W. Coffee, Jr., of Silverton, who has held the office in the past, and J. W. Lyon, Jr., of Quitaque. This race will probably be close and may call for a run-off in the second primary. The office is an important one, and with the duties added of School Superintendent, calls for an efficient and hard working man. All three candidates are well qualified and backed by many friends.

C. W. Norrid, County Attorney, and C. D. Wright, are staging a last minute campaign for the job of being the county's legal counsel. Both are well known, and both have valuable experience which would aid in

the carrying out of the duties of that office.

Probably the bitterest fight for a State Office, is being waged by Sen. Clint Small and Curtis Douglass, for State Senator. Douglass is attacking Small's record in a big way, while Senator Small asks re-election on that same record. The race will be a tight one.

Most people concede the governorship to Jimmy Allred for his second term, most of the talk being on whether or not a run-off will be necessary.

R. E. Douglas, County Clerk, reports that almost 150 absentee ballots have been ordered by absent voters, and that about 100 of them have already been returned. This is far above the voting of any recent election.

The presiding election judges as given by County Chairman Ernest Tibbets, are as follows:

Silverton, No. 1, A. P. Dickenson.	Quitaque, No. 2, H. J. Bailey.
Rock Creek, No. 3, C. M. Chappell.	Milo, No. 4, Wright B. May.
Red River, No. 5, W. N. Bullock.	Gasoline, No. 6, Boone McCracken.
Silverton, No. 7, R. G. Alexander.	Silverton, No. 8, Mrs. G. W. Blair.

The number of eligible voters this year in each precinct is:

Silverton, No. 1,	423
Quitaque, No. 2,	520
Rock Creek, No. 3,	115
Milo, No. 4,	71
Red River, No. 5,	69
Gasoline, No. 6,	71
Silverton, No. 7,	158
Silverton, No. 8,	188
TOTAL Possible votes	1,615

HAY LAKE LADIES IN DEMONSTRATION MEETING

A group of ladies of the Haylake Community met in the home of Mrs. Troy Ruby July 14 with the Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Geneva Meadows, to organize a Home Demonstration Club.

The club was organized with 22 members and the following officers were elected:

Mrs. George Lee, president.
Mrs. J. E. Wheelock, vice-president
Mrs. Agnes Turner, Secretary.
Mrs. John Folley, Council member.
Mrs. Troy Ruby, demonstrator for the next meeting.

Mrs. Ennis Autry, Home Food Demonstrator.
Mrs. Hugh McClendon, reporter.

In addition to organizing the club Miss Meadows gave a very interesting talk on the Adequate Diet and How the Farm Family May Have an Adequate Diet at all Times. She also gave two excellent ways of serving either fresh or canned beets and green beans.

The Club will meet every second and fourth Wednesdays. The next meeting will be at the school house July 29. We are hoping for new members and everyone is invited to come to the meeting.

Those present were: Mesdames Walter Walters, J. J. Vardell, Tom Lemons, John Folly, Edd Lemons, Ennis Autry, Austin London, C. L. McWilliams, Ralph Lemons.

Will Donald, Ruby Lowry, Agnes Turner, D. H. Yancy, J. E. Wheelock, Ollie Kendrick, Hugh McClendon, Arthur Bingham, Molly London, and George Lee.

Misses Leatha London, Willie Mae McWilliams, Maxine McWilliams, Iva Walters, Mary Sue McWilliams, Geneva Meadows; and the hostess, Mrs. Ruby.

—Reporter.

TO THE VOTERS OF BRISCOE COUNTY

Since deciding to make the race for County Attorney of this County, I have seen as many of you as I could but have not been able to see all.

I take this opportunity to ask for your vote and help, and if elected, will work on the job and play no favorites.

I thank you.
Yours very truly,
C. D. WRIGHT
(Paid Political Advertisement)

AGGIE BOYS MEET AGAIN ON SATURDAY NIGHT

According to Len Weaver, Agriculture Supervisor for the coming year at the high school, the boys interested in taking Agriculture will meet again Saturday night for the purpose of electing officers.

Twenty boys met Tuesday, July 14, but decided to give other boys a chance to take part in the election.

The success of the Chapter will depend upon the officers elected, so everyone is urged to come.

Other than electing officers, you will learn the procedure of leading a group discussion.

Political Rally and Ice Cream

You are invited to attend a big Political Rally and Ice Cream supper at the Rock Creek School house Friday night 24.

The proceeds will go to the Rock Creek Home Demonstration club. Everybody welcome.

Relief Offices To Open Soon

Texas Relief Commission offices will open in the various counties by August 1 to receive applications of persons desiring to be considered for Works Progress Administration jobs.

Adam R. Johnson, director of the Texas Relief Commission, has announced.

Upon the request of Works Progress Administration officials, the Texas Relief Commission has agreed to undertake the task of determining the need of persons who apply for WPA employment, Johnson said.

Expenses of this service will be paid from federal funds.

In addition to performing this service for WPA, the Texas Relief Commission will continue to sponsor surplus commodity distribution contingent upon the continued cooperation of counties in employing approved case workers, it was explained.

Applications for WPA employment or for surplus commodities will be filed and cleared through the same office. Eligibility for W.P.A. employment or for receipt of surplus commodities is determined upon a basis of need.

Johnson explained. Although it is no longer required that a job applicant be a former relief client present need must be definitely established.

Responsibility and authority of the Texas Relief Commission extends only to the acceptance of clients' applications, and does not encompass assignment of individuals to jobs.

Texas Relief Commission employees examine eligibility status of applicants and refer those persons found eligible to WPA.

Johnson pointed out that certification to WPA does not necessarily mean a job is awaiting the person certified as the quota assigned to Texas will permit the absorption of only a portion of those referred to WPA offices. Unless this surplus is absorbed by private industry in the various localities of the state, these persons must remain jobless, he declared.

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"For the Texas Relief Commission to perform the service of intake and referral for WPA, and to continue sponsoring the distribution of surplus supplies we must continue to receive the cooperation of the various counties and cities," Johnson stated. "We anticipate this cooperation, however, as our work consists of making surplus commodities available to the needy and of making WPA jobs a possibility for many of the unemployed workers."

NOTICE

There will be no meeting for the Silverton Garden Club July 24, on account of sickness and harvesting.

— Reporter

METHODIST CHURCH

A. A. Peacock, Pastor

WHAT IS YOUR ATTITUDE?

Why not religion without the church?

Why not education without the schools?

Why not nations without government?

Why not homes without marriage ceremonies?

Why not athletics without rules and referees?

Yes, why not Salvation without a Savior?

Spiritual life without a first cause, a moral world without a moral ruler? Happy homes without higher helpfulness?

YOUR ANSWER IS YOUR ATTITUDE TOWARD THE CHURCH

The church offers a helpful and embracing fellowship. A chance to forget the world and its disappointments during the worship hour.

Again, I say that an hour of helpful worship on Sunday morning and evening in God's House prepares us all the better for our work of the next week.

Subject Sunday morning: "THE GATES OF HEAVEN".

If you are a member of this church you owe it to the church and your self to be present Sunday morning.

If you are not a church member, come for your Soul's good.

Finley White's Agricultural Briefs

Wheat harvest is nearing the end. Only a few more days until the 1936 harvest will be history. The average production per acre was rather low, but a great deal higher than most farmers thought for, about 15 to 19 bushels and past. The county over, will possibly average 6 or 7 bushels per acre.

According to Ned Baird, 56 cars of wheat have been shipped and there will possibly be around 25 or 30 more cars to be shipped out. Also the report comes that Whiteley Switch has shipped out around 50 cars of wheat and will have a few more cars yet to be shipped.

Crops Needing Rain

Another day or two like last Sunday and crops will begin to wither away, but unless the weather gets too hot, Briscoe County as a whole, can go for a week or ten days longer without rain, with no great deal of damage done to feed and cotton.

Maybe the weather man can have some good news in sight for us by that time—here's hoping anyway.

The Subsidy checks are about all in. Every day or two we get four or five checks. There are possibly thirty or forty more checks out yet.

SENATOR SMALL'S HIGHLIGHTS

Senator Clint C. Small, stressed the need for "Experience and level-headed statesmanship" in administering the farm program when he AAA set-up is turned over to the state, in his campaign speeches this week, his friends said today.

While he fired frequent blasts at his opponent, charging him with failure to offer a constructive platform, and with conducting a campaign of "vilification", Senator Small devoted most of his time to outlining and agricultural program which he considers essential to farm recovery.

He reiterated statements that he approved a law which would require not only attorneys but all members of the two houses of the Legislature and all state officials, including the Governor of Texas, to file an affidavit as to their business connections in regard to representing special interests.

"I voted against one resolution in the Senate because I considered it discriminatory in that it included no one but attorneys", he said. "However, I immediately offered a second resolution which included all members of both houses and all state officials. It was passed in the Senate but was killed in the House."

Senator Small declared that he is in favor of legislation to protect the small business man and said that he would propose a bill at the next session of the legislation which will prohibit secret rebates and discounts allegedly made to national firms.

TO THE VOTERS OF BRISCOE COUNTY:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the many kindnesses shown me during my campaign for County Judge. If elected I will endeavor to so conduct the affairs of the office that none will reason to regret their choice.

Most of you are familiar with my record while serving you as your County Judge. While it was my pleasure to do so for only sixteen months, yet I believe that it was during the best trying times that the County has ever seen. I did not ask for your support in the last election, merely because I had served you for one term or part of a term, and am not doing so now. I ask for your support on the basis of my record as your County Judge, and promise that if elected that I will devote all my time and ability for those things that are for the best interest of the County.

I wish to call your attention to some of the things that were accomplished during my term of office:

The interest on the Court House and Jail indebtedness was reduced from 7 per cent to 5 1/4 per cent thus making a substantial saving to the county every year until these bonds are paid off. There was no increase in County Taxes.

Almost every fund was overdrawn when I took the oath of office and every fund had a nice balance at the end of my term. There are other things that might be mentioned but with which I believe you voters are familiar.

Again I wish to thank you for your kind consideration and assure you that your support will be truly appreciated.

— W. COFFEE, Jr.,
Candidate for County Judge
(Paid Political Advertisement)

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cowart and Marine; and Mrs. Ruth Cline were in Wichita Falls Sunday on business, and visiting with Judge Tipps and family.

Mozell Shelton underwent an appendicitis operation at Tulia Friday.

FOR SALE - Good reconditioned Model D John Deere Tractor. See H. ROY BROWN.

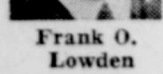
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Current Events in Review

By Edward W. Pickard

Landon and Lowden Are In Accord on Agriculture

COMPLETE endorsement of the presidential candidacy of Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas was given by former Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois following a conference in Topeka. Following the conference former Governor Lowden announced that he and Governor Landon were in "full accord" on the question of farm relief.



Frank O. Lowden

The Illinois farm leader revealed that he had discussed soil erosion, reciprocal treaties, conservation of farm population, government aid in marketing surplus crops, centralizing of federal power and reduction of federal expenditures with Gov. Landon. Mr. Lowden declared:

"We are in accord on the important agricultural issues. I shall support him and campaign for his election."

Payment of cash federal bounties to soil-conserving farmers through a plan contemplating state administration was one of the farm principles advocated by Mr. Lowden which received the verbal support of Gov. Landon following the conference.

With the Republican presidential nominee at work on his acceptance speech, conferences with other leaders were scheduled. Important among these was the visit of George N. Peek, former AAA administrator who resigned his post following a break with Secretary of Agriculture Wallace and is now a New Deal critic. Also on the program was the visit of Col. Frank Knox, Governor Landon's running mate.

At Governor Landon's office a letter was made public from William Cabell Bruce, former Democratic senator from Maryland, saying that he was "bitterly disappointed" in President Roosevelt and "deeply gratified" at Governor Landon's nomination.

In the meantime members of the Kansas legislature had departed for their homes after submitting two constitutional amendments to the state's electorate. One of these would authorize state aid for the needy and the other would approve state participation in the federal social security plan. Both amendments were recommended by Governor Landon.

Dr. S. Parkes Cadman Is Taken by Death

DR. S. Parkes Cadman, who rose from the mines of England to international fame as a pulpit orator, died in Plattsburg, N. Y., at the age of seventy-one.

Dr. Cadman was pastor of the Central Congregational church of Brooklyn and was a former president of the Federal Council of Churches.

In his youth, Dr. Cadman worked as a "pony boy" in a mine in Shropshire, England. At fourteen he began to read theology; at seventeen he joined the church and at eighteen preached his first sermon. He came to America in 1890 with less than \$100 in his pocket. Through a bishop whom he had met in London he obtained his first pastorate.

In his later years, Dr. Cadman had for his congregation all the people of the North American continent. He was the first of the "radio pastors" and his Sunday afternoon sermons reached the ears of millions.

New Austro-German Pact Makes Diplomatic History

A NEW era in European diplomacy was heralded with the signing of a treaty between Germany and Austria re-establishing peace and normal relations between the two nations.

Since Italy has been acting in the role of big brother to Austria in the past two years it was regarded as a virtual certainty that Premier Mussolini had sanctioned the new pact. Observers pointed out that with Germany, Austria and Italy in accord and with Poland friendly to Hitler's aims, Europe now has a prospective alliance more powerful than the triple alliance of Germany, Italy and Austria-Hungary preceding the World war.

By the terms of the new Austro-German pact, the sovereignty of Austria is guaranteed, a friendly attitude by Austria toward Germany is promised, amnesty to Nazi agitators in Austria is given and freedom of Austrian Nazi now interned in Germany is permitted.

In sealing the Austro-German agreement Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg of Austria wired a message of congratulations to Chancellor Hitler expressing his conviction that the agreement "would be to the advantage of the whole German people." In replying Hitler

expressed the wish "that this agreement will re-establish the old traditional relations springing from racial unity and the centuries long common history" of the two peoples. It is understood that both Hitler and Schuschnigg will meet in the near future, probably at Hitler's summer home at Berchtesgaden.

In diplomatic circles the signing of the new pact was regarded as another shrewd coup by Chancellor Hitler and Premier Mussolini. The German and Italian dictators have thrust a dictatorially governed Fascist and Nazi wedge through central Europe from the North Sea to the Mediterranean.

In Paris, French officials were quoted as seeing in the new agreement an initial step toward German annexation of the Austrian republic without resorting to war. They declared their belief that Hitler's actual entry into Vienna is now only a question of time.

President Roosevelt Leaves for Nautical Vacation

AFTER dedicating New York's new \$4,000,000 Tri-borough bridge, attending the wedding of Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, minister to Denmark, to Captain Boerge Rohde of the Danish court and spending two days at his Hyde Park home, President Roosevelt embarked on a nautical vacation in Maine and Canadian waters.

On the bridge dedication program with the President were Secretary of the Interior Ickes, Gov. Lehman of New York, Senator Wagner and Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia of New York City. The bridge is the largest completed public works administration project in the East. It comprises four spans in its three and one-half miles of elevated ways and connects Manhattan, the Bronx and Queens, Long Island.

Before leaving to board the schooner Sewanna, President Roosevelt conferred with a group of eastern state representatives on the matter of flood control. Representatives of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and other states hit by disastrous floods early this year met with the President.

On the cruise of the Sewanna, a 50-foot schooner yacht, President Roosevelt will act as skipper and helmsman. Three of his four sons, James, Franklin Jr., and John are members of the crew. The cruise will carry the President along the Maine coast to Campobello Island, New Brunswick, where his mother has a summer home and off Nova Scotia where he expects to do some deep sea fishing. A destroyer, the presidential yacht Potomac and the schooner Liberty carrying newspaper men are trailing the Sewanna.

Before he returns to the White House, the President will pay a visit to Lord Tweedsmuir, governor-general of Canada at Ottawa, the Dominion's capital.

Ruth Bryan Owen Becomes Bride of Danish Officer

ROMANCE outmaneuvered diplomacy when Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, minister to Denmark, became the bride of Captain Boerge Rohde, gentleman-in-waiting to King Christian of Denmark. The wedding took place in St. James Chapel at Hyde Park, N. Y., in the presence of President Roosevelt who nominated Mrs. Owen as the country's first woman minister.

A few days after Mrs. Owen returned to the United States for the summer, the announcement of her engagement was made in Denmark by Captain Rohde's mother. A day or two later, Captain Rohde arrived in America and plans were made for an immediate wedding.

Rockefeller Celebrates His 97th Birthday

CUTTING a big cake to celebrate his ninety-seventh birthday, John D. Rockefeller predicted that he would live to be one hundred. Despite temperature of 92 in the shade, the famous nonagenarian donned a sun helmet and went outdoors on his summer estate near Lakewood, N. J.

The multimillionaire oil man and philanthropist did not let the celebration of his birthday interfere with his daily nap or his daily afternoon automobile ride.

Mr. Rockefeller long since has given up all forms of athletic activities, including golf, formerly his favorite pastime.

STAR DUST

Movie • Radio

By VIRGINIA VALE

PETE SMITH of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, who's made a name for himself with his short subjects, bought a film made by an amateur on sixteen millimeter film, remade it on thirty-five millimeter, and liked the result so well that he is putting on a nationwide contest for such subjects.

Theater executives and representatives of film-selling companies all over the country will send the best films submitted to them by amateur movie makers to Mr. Smith, and he'll pick the winners.

George Arliss is busy in England making "East Meets West," and his brother, Fred H. Andrews, is equally busy at the same studio. He is advising the producers on Oriental matters connected with the picture. It comes easily to him because he used to be curator of the Lahore museum. The veteran English character star continues to be a favorite with American movie goers. His pictures have invariably been interesting and the movie public is looking forward to his version of "East Meets West."



George Arliss

Imagine the feelings of one of our foremost movie stars when, as she motored through a small city recently, she saw one of her latest and best pictures advertised on the marquee of a theater—along with another feature, the Louis-Schmelting fight picture, and the \$550 that was the evening's Bank Night award.

"At least," said she when she'd recovered, "they weren't offering people dishes as an inducement to come in and see my film!"

Football fans are going to flock to movie theaters when RKO's "The Big Game" is released. Bobby Wilson, All-American quarterback from Southern Methodist university, has just been signed for it, and along with him will appear five more star football players, all members of Stanford university's championship eleven of last fall. They are Monk Moscrip, Bones Hamilton, Keith Topping and Frank Alustiza.

Ruth Chatterton loves to fly her own plane, and does it very capably. But she's been asked not to go up in her plane while she's working in "Dodsworth"; valuable property can't be risked, you see.

So she went for a whirlwind trip on a motorcycle the other night, and the company had the jitters all over again when word of it came out. First thing she knows, she'll be requested to do all her riding, if any, in a wheel chair.

If you are among the many who never fail to tune in on Colonel Stoopnagle and Bude, you may have wondered why they omitted Mr. Bopp, one of the most amusing characters on their broadcasts, the first time they substituted for the vacationing Fred Allen.

The Colonel had his tonsils out a few days before the broadcast. And he plays Mr. Bopp, which is very hard on the voice.

You may recall that Merle Oberon was slated for "The Garden of Allah" till Marlene Dietrich came along and got the role. Merle was upset, and decided to sue the producers.

The matter was settled out of court very nicely. Miss Oberon received \$10,000 in addition to the \$12,000 which she got before she lost the part. And she's to do another picture, "It Happened in Hollywood," which will bring in another \$60,000. Not so bad.

Bette Davis has been having her troubles. Her salary and the kind of roles assigned her caused the difficulty, and, after she failed to show up for three weeks to work in "God's Country and the Woman" she was suspended by Warner Brothers.

ODDS AND ENDS . . . Mary Pickford's plans to produce pictures seem to have suffered a setback, with the breaking up of the company . . . Lewis Stone's daughter is going to get married . . . And Lewis is going to take a yachting trip when he finishes his current picture . . . Ruth Chatterton and Ginger Rogers will appear in "Mother Cary's Chickens," with Anne Shirley and John Beale . . . Myrna Loy and William Powell will be seen together again in "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney" . . . Claudette Colbert and her husband are taking a motor trip, driving an inexpensive car and wearing old clothes and having a grand time . . . Graham McNamee has a brand new contract with Universal news reel, though his old one hasn't expired yet.

FAMOUS HEADLINE HUNTER

FLOYD GIBBONS

ADVENTURERS

Hell to Everybody

"Credit Man" By FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter

THERE'S a lot of talk about the G-Men these days, and a lot of stories are being told about the way they run down vicious criminals. I'd be the last man in the world to say that those G-Men aren't tough babies and live exciting, adventurous lives, but something ought to be said about another little known bunch of sleuths that are always operating throughout the country—the credit men.

Never thought of credit men as being detectives, did you? Neither did I until I got a yarn from Herbert H. Bellinger of Hollis, N. Y.

But come to think about it, what does a credit man do? He investigates people. And what is he looking for? Crooks! People who are trying to swindle the company he works for. If everybody was honest, there wouldn't be much need for credit men. It's his job to separate the wheat from the chaff—to decide who's honest and who isn't.

And when a man skips out owing a lot of bills, then the credit man has to do another bit of sleuthing. He has to trace that guy to his new home, in the same way and using the same methods as a detective looking for the most hardened criminals.

Herb Learns He's Picked a Tough Lemon.

Credit men don't as a rule go after hardened, dangerous criminals. But Herb Bellinger did once. And that's a story he'll never forget as long as he lives. It happened this way: Herb was working for a local finance company that put up the money for people who wanted to buy an automobile on time. And one day Herb picked a lemon.

It seems that a bird had bought an expensive car on credit and Herb hadn't had time to make proper investigation. He okayed the deal, only to find that the references were all wrong and the purchaser was a gangster and an escaped convict whom the police had labeled as very doggone dangerous, and whom they were ordered to shoot on sight.

It wasn't a very pleasant job, but it was up to Herb to get that car back. He went to the address given on the thug's reference papers and talked to a woman who claimed to be his wife. She said she didn't know where her husband was—and that was all the information Herb could get out of her.

Strategy Is Successful in Getting Thug's Trail.

Then Herb resorted to strategy. He went back to that woman a few days later and told her he had seen her husband driving the car, but that he'd disappeared in traffic before Herb could catch up with him. And in the course of the conversation Herb managed to give her the



Two Guns Were Pointed at Herb's Midriff.

idea that her husband had a very good looking young blonde with him at the time. He also—well—sort of insinuated that if he could get that car back from her husband—he—well—he wouldn't be able to gallivant around so much and drive blondes all over the landscape.

The trick worked. The woman hesitated a while, and then blurted out an address. Herb got another lad from the office to help him, and that evening they watched the house. After about an hour, their vigil was rewarded. The gangster came out, took the car they were looking for from the garage and started to drive away.

In his own car, Herb followed, while his assistant went to look for a policeman. The thug stopped his car a few blocks away at a cigar store and that was just what Herb was waiting for. He pulled his own car up beside it in such a way that the other car couldn't be moved.

Herb's Troubles Arrived All at Once.

There was a man sitting at the wheel, while another had gone into the store. Herb went up to the man at the wheel and said: "Good evening, Mr. —."

The thug whirled on him. "Who the — are you?" he asked.

Herb started to tell him. The other man had come out of the cigar store, and the two stood listening. They looked at each other for a moment and then, suddenly, the gangster jumped from the car and grabbed Herb. Before he knew what had happened, he was dragged into an alley. Two guns were pointed at his midriff, while the gangster shouted: "Have you told the cops where I am? If you have, you'll get the works right here!"

Herb says his whole body was quivering and he'd have collapsed if the wall behind him and the guns jabbed into his stomach hadn't held him up. "No," he managed to stutter. "I'm only interested in getting the automobile."

Monologue by Herb Wins the Thugs Over.

No sooner had the words come out of his mouth than his assistant dashed around the corner. "I can't find a —" he started to say, and then noticed the gangsters. He shut up like a clam, and he was lined up against the wall alongside of Herb.

Then Herb began to talk—and what a sweet job of it he did. His life was hanging on his eloquence, and he went at it with all the stops out. He told those birds that the car was marked—that it would only get them into trouble. He talked for fifteen minutes without a let-up, and in the end, the two thugs pulled aside for a confab. They whispered together for a few seconds. "When they put their guns away," says Herb, "I knew we had won. They told us to stay where we were for at least ten minutes, then they hailed a passing cab and were gone, leaving the car behind."

A short time later, Herb saw a grisly picture in a newspaper. It was a news photo of his gangster friend, stretched out on the pavement, so full of lead you could write with him. The cops had seen him—and shot on sight!

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Early Style of Hunting

One favorite custom of hunting during the pioneer days, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer, was for some 600 or 700 men, armed with clubs, to encircle a large section—say about two townships—and at a signal start moving slowly toward the center. As the men were close together, hardly any ground animal could escape through the line to freedom. Those that attempted to get outside of the circle were killed on the spot. Those driven into the center were killed there. Frequently in this manner practically all the ground game in the entire section was wiped out.

The Green Frog

Much like the bullfrog in appearance and habits is the green frog, though the head and shoulders of this species are a brighter green. The webs of its feet are smaller and it is possessed of lateral folds of skin on the body which the bullfrog does not have. It is found about most of our small streams, ponds and cold springs, but not so abundantly as is the bullfrog. Its croak, says a writer in the Detroit News, has been aptly described by a well-known authority on frogs as an "explosive, prolonged, low-pitched sound, which may be repeated several times in succession."

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for July 26 CHRISTIANITY SPREAD BY PERSECUTION

LESSON TEXT—Acts 7:50-8:4; 1 Peter 4:12-19.

GOLDEN TEXT—Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.—Revelation 2:10.

PRIMARY TOPIC—A Man Who Was Not Afraid.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Stephen the Unafraid. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Persecution, Then and Now.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Modern Forms of Persecution.

Leaders of contemporary thought and observers of modern life decry the evident decadence of old-fashioned virtues. Our times are too materialistic, encouraging young people to strive for worldly success rather than high and noble character.

In a time when expediency is the ruling principle, it is well for Christians to emphasize the fact that following Christ has through all the years called for that loyalty to convictions which has caused some who bear his name to be willing to die for him, yea, even to live and to suffer for him, for sometimes it may be harder to do the latter than the former. True followers of our Lord are willing.

I. To Die for the Faith (7:54-8:1).

Stephen, one of the first seven chosen as deacons of the church, "a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit" (6:5), having been called before the Sanhedrin to answer false charges (6:8-15), faithfully stands for the truth. His indictment of Israel cuts to the heart. In anger his hearers stone him to death. He becomes the first martyr of the Church, that holy succession which has representatives in the young manhood and womanhood of today, ready, like Jehn and Betty Stam, to die rather than to deny Christ.

Note that in this hour Stephen was given a vision of his risen and ascended Lord (v. 55), standing at the right hand of God to welcome his faithful servant. He prayed for those who took his life (v. 60). How gloriously that prayer was answered in the subsequent life of the young man Saul, who was "consenting unto his death."

Not to all who follow Christ comes the need to face death for him, but all should be determined.

II. To Live for the Faith (8:2-4).

The early Church found that living for Christ entailed bitter persecution. Not even the sanctity of their homes was inviolate. Their persons and property felt the hard hand of havoc-making Saul, yet we find no intimation of complaint. Soon they were driven from home and scattered abroad, but the result was the establishing of gospel centers wherever they went. Living for Christ calls for daily witness, for more than steadily bearing the responsibility of life. Not to preachers and Bible teachers alone is this sacred duty given, to be discharged only in a church service or Bible school. No, "they that were scattered abroad"—all of them went "everywhere." They were not merely reforming or devoting their lives to social service, good as these might have been, but "preaching the word" (v. 4).

Are we who are now "scattered abroad" going "everywhere," and are we "preaching the word"?

III. To Suffer for the Faith (1 Pet. 4:12-19).

1. We are not to be surprised by suffering (v. 12), not even by fiery trials, for blessings will follow. The Lord proves his children, even as the refiner tests gold to cleanse it, to prove its worth, and not to destroy it. God's testings are to prove us worthy.

2. We are so to live as not to suffer for our misdeeds (vv. 15, 16). Many are they who would have the world believe they suffer for Christ's sake when they are but meeting the just recompense for their evil deeds. It is a shame to suffer as an evildoer, but an honor and privilege to suffer for Jesus' sake.

3. Believers are to make their sufferings a testimony (vv. 17-19). If we as Christians must needs be purged in order to be fitted for God's service and the glory that is to come, what will be the end of those who "know not God and obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ" (II Thess. 1:7, 8)? Peter refrains from even mentioning what their ultimate end will be, but the writer to the Thessalonians goes on to say that they shall be "punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of his power." Solemn words are these. Have we, and those to whom we minister, heeded their warning?

Real Character of Man

It is the relaxation of security; it is in the expansion of prosperity; it is in the hour of dilation of the heart, and of its softening into festivity and pleasure, that the real character of men is discerned.—Burke.

Our Friendships

How few are there born with souls capable of friendship. Then how much fewer must there be capable of love, for love includes friendship and much more besides!

DRAGONS DRIVE YOU

By EDWIN BALMER

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SYNOPSIS

Job Braddon, young and fantastically successful broker of Chicago, is infatuated with Agnes Gleneth, beautiful daughter of a retired manufacturer...

CHAPTER IV—Continued

Agnes' mother tried to keep her in bed all day. "If we had gone to Florida, as we should have," her mother said...

Florida had been the winter playground for her father and mother in their years of happiness...

Agnes lay looking at her mother but thinking of her father, who, though turned realist toward his wife...

She pulled the newspaper to her again and looked at Charles Lorrie. You wouldn't think a man like that would marry Myrtle...

Agnes arose to be a witness at the inquest, and the coroner's jury decreed that there was cause to "hold" Myrtle Silver Lorrie to the Grand Jury...

Job was to be a witness too, so Agnes and he went together; and they called her in, before him. So in she went alone, and stood before the 23 men, and swore to tell the truth and all of it.

Mr. Colver had just come out of the room, white and very nervous; and Agnes, trembling as she faced the 23 solemn men, wondered what Mr. Colver had told them. Especially, had he told them of Bert?

Agnes repeated what she had related before. "Now you have told us all that you saw or heard happen in your presence," the foreman challenged her.

"Yes." "You are sure there is nothing more?" "Nothing." But her face was burning. "You have remembered something else?" "Yes; I have."

And then there was no retreat; she had to tell them. And it was plain that word of Bert was new to all of them, that it was what they had needed—and that it was of great damage to Myrtle.

She waited outside the grand-jury room, while Job was giving his testimony, corroborating her account as to how she happened to come to the Lorrie apartment. Agnes sat on a bench, avoiding others, and unable to control her trembling at what she had done.

Job came out, straight and strong and at ease; for he had made a good appearance and had nothing to tell that disturbed him. He helped Agnes up from her seat and brought her down to the street, with news-cameras clicking at them as they left the Criminal Courts building.

He had left his car on Dearborn street on the side across from the jail, and as they approached it, Agnes saw a man standing beside it whom she recognized suddenly as Martin O'Mara.

She started a little; and when, the next instant, she felt Job's fingers tighten on her arm, she knew that he suspected who this was.

"That's the lawyer you called?" he said. Agnes nodded; and before the men spoke to each other, she felt—almost as when O'Mara had come into the apartment confronted by the police—the flash of opposition to him.

Job could not like him, Agnes realized; Job could not possibly like him, even if she had not had her name coupled to his in the papers from the fact that she had summoned him for Myrtle. Under O'Mara's picture, one paper had so described him—"Martin O'Mara, the criminal lawyer, called to the Lorrie apartment by Miss Agnes Gleneth."

That infuriated Job; and Agnes could feel it rising in him as they approached O'Mara.

Cathal O'Mara stood bareheaded, having taken off his hat, and holding it after Agnes spoke to him.

Cathal was excited, seeing her; but he did not show it. "How do you do, Mr. Braddon?" he said.

"What do you want?" "Of you," said Cathal, suddenly hot inside, and because of that, only cooler without, "little I was in the jail," he explained to Agnes, as though he had not returned to her companion at all and nothing had passed between them; "and coming out, I saw Mr. Braddon's car. And I knew you were both before the Grand Jury."

"They'll indict your client by night," said Job.

"Yes," said Cathal. "I told her so." And he glanced toward the grim, black-barred walls connected to the Courts building by the covered passage known, most aptly, as "the Bridge of Sighs."

Over it, to and fro, fruited the accused to their trials and acquittals or condemnations.

O'Mara's thought was returned, for the moment, within the jail; and Agnes wondered at what, within those gray walls, his mind sought; with what miseries and repentances he dealt with; with what hopes and despairs. She wished she could follow his thought in its flight.

She looked up at Job. Often his mind, momentarily, fled away; but she never had wished to follow its abstraction.

O'Mara recollected her. "After the indictment is found, as it will be, Miss Gleneth," he said, looking down at her, "shall I see you?"

"Why?" objected Job. "I'll be preparing the case. In doing it, I must go over the evidence of my witnesses."

"Yours," said Job. "You imply she's yours. You're the hell of a nerve. Miss Gleneth is a witness for the state."

Cathal felt the pleasant furies dancing within him. Oh, he liked a fight; and this man would give him one. He met Job's contempt straight, without anger.

"The state may call Miss Gleneth; but so shall the defense; and whether or not the state calls her," Cathal said. "So it is my right and duty to review with my witnesses the testimony they will give. For that, Miss Gleneth, I'll go wherever you say. Some witnesses come to my office; I neither ask nor suggest that of you. With other witnesses, I go to them, to their offices. You having none, it would be at your father's office, perhaps, we best may meet."

"My office," said Job, "if you must confer with her. Her father's away." "My mother's not," said Agnes, "so come to the house. Tomorrow—in the afternoon," said Agnes, breathless at this defiance of Job.

"Thank you. Tomorrow it will be."

CHAPTER V

Cathal O'Mara set out from the city at three on the following day. He had been in court on another case; and when the hearing was adjourned, he took his car and drove north alone.

It was a sunny, warm, indolent March afternoon, with gutters running off the melt of the thawing snow, and the still air iridescent from the rising moisture. People appeared everywhere, and they seemed unusually pleasant and patient.

Far north along the lake shore were great Georgian homesteads, Elizabeth-

an manors, French chateaux and Florentine palazzos which men, who made money in Chicago, gave to their wives to enhance and occupy them while they, separately, followed their own occupations and interests and their own transgressions, each after his own way.

The separateness of the women struck Cathal with particular force as he compared the fact that whereas he knew no few of the men who lived along these shores, he had never so much as spoken to one of the women until Agnes Gleneth had called him, over the phone, to come to the aid of Myrtle Lorrie.

In him, beside the eminently practical and realistic attitudes which went into the preparation of his cases (and won them for him) ran an incurable romanticism—which probably also had its value in court. He could uncover the most sordid details about one person, and turn about and idealize the next.

In this best damn lawyer in town abode a little boy who had been reared by Winnie on ancient fairy and folk-tales never trusted to aught by tongue, never learned or taught from a page, but recited with all the mystic phrase and credence of oral tradition. So Cathal became steeped in the lore of heroes (and had not his grandfather proved himself one?) and of dragons, and of fair and utterly loyal ladies who would wait for their true love, in whatever guise he came and through whatever ordeal, until life's end.

Of course long ago these had thinned to symbols, but they had endured within him; and their delightful relics led him to constant emotional contradictions to the revelations of his own experiences.

So now Cathal drove, denying himself illusions as to the greater nature of the men who dwell in these splendid places; he knew that, save for their possessions, they were as all men; yet as to the ladies, held so aloof from him, he was letting his fancies run. One he had met; and she was as none other out of all his encounters with women.

When he reached the house, Cathal discerned that instructions had been left concerning him. He asked for Miss Gleneth; but the man—it was Cravath—replied that he would tell Mrs. Gleneth that he was here.

Two girls (as Cathal first supposed) appeared on the stairs; the light-haired one was Agnes Gleneth, and the dark one he took for her sister until they were almost downstairs, and he saw that she was older.

He was familiar, in his profession, with women who kept into middle age, and through it, slender and youthful-looking figures and faces which denied, more or less successfully, the last decade of their years—women once greatly desired, who now desperately were "holding" their men, or striving to hold them against younger women.

Cathal Martin O'Mara, attorney-at-law, knew such women well; and he had learned to read the signs of success, or of failure, in their struggle. Here, he knew at least, one was going on.

"You are the lawyer?" the mother asked him coldly.

"Yes," said Cathal. She did not immediately proceed; and he was aware how she regarded him. His visit, and himself, composed for her an unavoidable, disagreeable incident. Her daughter for a moment had stepped out of the affairs of her own life, and intruded upon a tragic event in another's which had nothing whatever to do with her. Since they were unable to escape some further participation in the consequences of the intrusion, she must make it as formal and impersonal as possible. That was the mother's feeling.

It was not, even here, the daughter's, Cathal warmed, gratefully, as he glanced at her and she gave him her hand, which firmly pressed his for the instant; but her mother did not relax her feeling of offense at him.

"You approve of what your client did?" she demanded.

"Approve?" Cathal repeated; and this charge he had met before. "To represent an accused person is not to approve of her," he replied.

"Then what is it?" "Mother!" said Agnes.

"I asked him, what is it?" She turned again to Cathal. "You are trying to prevent that woman from being punished, are you not? And you are here because you imagine my daughter will help you!"

"Yes," said Cathal; he knew there was no arguing with her now.

"I understand," Beatrice Gleneth said, less hostilely at his lack of opposition, "you have certain rights to question her."

Agnes stepped forward from beside her mother, and she took his hat. "Cravath," she called, before her mother could interfere, "take Mr. O'Mara's coat." A minute later she led him, and her mother, into the drawing-room.

Cathal looked about. He had never been received in such a house before, and he made no attempt to conceal his interest in, nor his unfamiliarity with, such a big room.

His eyes went back to Mrs. Gleneth, and he better understood her. With no more effort of her own than was involved in marriage to a man who made money, she had come to this; but though she had it, she must starve herself slender,—and she must keep herself over-young. And that she was endeavoring to do.

"Sit down now, won't you please?" said Agnes, the warmth within her spreading to her skin.

He waited until they both were seated separately and a little opposite each other, as they had come to be in their feelings. He dropped into a soft stuffed chair, facing them.

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Q. E. BROWN and DAVE Loughborough were at it hot and heavy Saturday afternoon. According to Q. E., Dave has just returned in time to turn the election tide in favor of—well whoever he favors. I guess he is about the most important pre-venting prognosticator in the county unless it's Q. E. Brown. And it's rumored that they are both Republicans.

KELTZ GARRISON and wife returned Saturday from their honeymoon. Keltz is very pert and sassy. And a very proud young man. You'd think from the way he acts, that he never was married before. He looks a lot older, more responsible and is at least half a head taller than before he became the head of a family.

LAST WEEK IN a little story that Judge Martin gave me, I stated that the State Highway Department had reported that they were ready to go ahead on Highway 86 whenever the county was ready. The real way of it is that the Highway Department and the county are ready to go ahead and are waiting on the W. P. A. labor.

IN 1932 and 1933 THE writer was out of work. For eight long months I walked, phoned, raved and stormed for a job but no use. And I was not alone. Plenty of others were in the same boat, in every trade and occupation.

The Publisher's Auxiliary, a national trade magazine for printers and newspapermen, carried at that time as many as two classified ads in the Help Wanted column and as many as three or four columns in the Situations Wanted.

In this week's Auxiliary, there are 18 situations open, most of them at good wages—and the Situations Wanted has gone down to a column and a half.

Maybe we are no better off than when Franklin D. came on the job—some say not. But in the example above, to my notion, are 18 awful good reasons why we are better off and if the Help Wanted columns in all the papers keep getting longer, and the Situations Wanted columns get shorter, conditions all over the country will keep getting better. Look at the classified ads in any paper and look back three years and try to remember what they were like.

SUBSCRIPTION DUE?? — Yes? No? Maybe? — Take a look at that number after your name and see. If it shows a date of before 7-36, then you need to renew. Drop around when you have an extra dollar and a half. Several readers of the News have been in lately and had their conscience cleared, and they have our sincere thanks. Step right up folks, but please don't crowd. Here are several of our new and renewals: Kemp Thompson, M. C. Kitchens, J. T. Neese, B. Austin, Mrs. G. W. Sweatt, U. S. Rogers, R. M. Haverty, A. J. Haverty, M. A. Willson, Dillham, Arkansas; Thurman Graham, R. Seay, Jim Davis, R. B. Boyle, Brady, Texas; C. C. Whitney, Jewell, Kansas; and Mrs. Kate Fowler.

POULTRY NOTE: Several farmers report that many of their hens stopped laying suddenly. The main cause of this malady is AUTOS.

THE MOST SATISFACTORY way of becoming a citizen of the United States, the home town philosopher says, is to use good judgment in the choosing of your parents—and be born here.

REPRESENTATIVE TARWATER of Hale County, was in the office a little while Wednesday. He said that if returned to the Legislature this year, he would use his influence for the finishing of Highway 86 through Briscoe county.—Briscoe county at this time has no hard surfacing so—power to him.

WE HAVE IN SOME way lost the address of U. S. Rogers, who is a recent subscriber. Will someone please send it to us?

Texas Land of Fabled Wealth

The opinion current with many Texans, not to mention non-Texans residents, is that the Lone Star State is a new land. But as early as 1540 El Poso del Norte, near where the present city of El Paso now stands, was very definitely on the map as an important place of entry into the land of fabled wealth.

In 1842 Coronado, the Conquistadore, returned from his fruitless search for the Seven Golden Cities of the Cibola to the far north, marching homeward across the plains of the Panhandles "level as the sea," which he had staked with sticks and buffalo bones to mark his backward route. The Staked plains were on the map of the Land of the Tejas, along with Palo Duro Canyon which had halted Coronado's men in wonder.

The dramatic story back of the naming of the "Llano Estacado" is one of the many thrilling scenes in the first episode of the Cavalcade of Texas, at the Texas Centennial Exposition which depicts the birth and growth of an empire. "El Turco" the treacherous Indian guide, who had tried to lead the Conquistadores to death, the noble Spaniard Coronado, which his golden armor and his plumed bonnet, the red coated soldiers of Aragon and the humble Franciscan friars who plodded over the vast Panhandle plains are all to be seen in "Cavalcade" which presents the stirring events in the history of Texas four centuries ago.

Today "Llano Estacado" is covered with miles of fertile wheat fields.

The grandeur of Palo Duro still holds the beholder enthralled as it did when the Spaniards first beheld it, and the city of El Paso guards the one famous "gateway to the north" where lay the fabled wealth.

The Conquistadores and Cavaliers found no Golden Cities with roofs that glimmer in the sun. The wealth of Texas lay in the land. El Paso is one of the modern Cibola cities of Texas, which has been built within four centuries. And the staked plains which Coronado scorned, are sources of wealth for the Lone Star State.

Death Walks The Highway

The gods of recklessness are devouring thousands of lives each month on American highways—and there is no limit to their appetite.

During the recent Fourth of July week-end, close to 500 people met accidental deaths—the largest number for that period since 1931. Fireworks were responsible for a smaller number of fatalities than usual—but that greatest destroyer of all, the careless operated motor car, chalked up a grisly record. And every week-end witness similar occurrences. If in a single disaster such as an earthquake or a fire as many people were to be killed as have been in accidents in the last month, the world would be aghast. But we seem to regard accidents as being inevitable, and look upon them with equanimity.

But the great tragedy is that accidents are not inevitable. Nine out of ten are preventable, and easily preventable. Carelessness, recklessness, ignorance and stupidity are the principal causes of accidental injury and death and surely they can be cured—through law, through force of public opinion and perhaps most im-

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portant of all, through education to the individual. Death walks the highway. He strides through our homes. He is an unseen visitor at every place of amusement. He is apt to put in his appearance in the happiest hours. The deaths that follow accidents can be eliminated almost one hundred per cent if we will only make a small effort and learn that a foolish act that saves a minute or provides a brief futile thrill, can send us or others into eternity. No graver problem faces the American public than the accident problem—and its solution is entirely up to the people.

Methodist Missionary Society

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Jeff Simpson, Mrs. Coffee, Bible Study Teacher, was in charge of the lesson. The Study of "Winning Peo-

ple for Christ" was finished. Those giving parts on the lesson: Mrs. Chas. Norrid, Mrs. R. E. Douglas, Mrs. Ed Thomas, Mrs. Homer Sanders. We had fifteen members present, a good number for the hot weather. We appreciate your cour-

We had as our visitors, Mrs. John Arnold, Mrs. A. A. Dunagan, Mrs. W. R. Grimland, which we were very glad to have.

The Society will sponsor an ice cream supper the night of the Second Primary. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Peacock visited Mrs. Bill Malone and Mozelle Shelton who are in the hospital in Tullia. Both are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King were in Lubbock Sunday on business.

VOTE FOR C. W. Norrid Co. Attorney

FOR OFFICE AND IN THE PRACTICE OF CRIMINAL LAW.

Please take this as a personal solicitation for your vote and support Saturday, July 25.

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You Know our Barber Work
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To The Voters Of Briscoe Co.

I wish to sincerely thank the people of Briscoe County for the courtesies they have shown me during the present campaign.

I have tried to see every voter in the County, but due to the duties of my office, this has been impossible. I did not miss anyone intentionally, and take this means of soliciting your support in the Primary Saturday.

I have tried to render the people of this County a service during the time I have been in office, and hope you see fit to let me continue in this work.

Respectfully Yours,

N. R. 'Jake' Honea

Candidate for Re-Election
Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector

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We have taken over the EDWARDS CAFE, on the corner north of the Palace Theatre, and wish to invite your restaurant business.

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Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE A. ALLEN
ALLEN CAFE

Give a young man a Chance

I wish to take this means of making a last appeal to you, the voters of Briscoe County for your vote in Saturday's Primary, and in so doing, I'm asking you younger people for the same chance that you would want if you were in my position, and I'm asking you Fathers and Mothers for the same chance which you would want for your boy or your girl if he or she were in my position.

To those of you whom I have failed to see, I want you to know that it was purely accidental, and I take this means of soliciting your vote also.

If you can see fit to elect me to the County Judge's office, I assure you of my best efforts.

Thanking you,

J. W. Lyon jr.

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Rock Creek Newsettes
Mrs. R. N. McDaniel

Too late for last week)
We were all shocked and saddened Sunday when the news came that Ceph Spillman was dead. The writer joins with the rest of the community in extending sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McDaniel of Hobbs, New Mexico are visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chisum were in South Plains Sunday.

Miss Mozelle Shelton is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Pack McKinney spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. W. W. Reid.

Mrs. R. N. McDaniel spent Wednesday and Thursday in the Abner Wimberly home.

Mrs. Odell Mulder and baby of Vaughn, New Mexico spent last week with her family here.

There was a called meeting of the

Rock Creek Demonstration Club on Tuesday afternoon in the office of our demonstrator, Miss Meadows. Mrs. Wade Steele was selected to go to A. and M. to attend the Short Course to be held there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dickerson spent Sunday in the R. L. Johnson home.

Mr. John Fore of Lockney is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bob McDaniel this week.

(This Week's Newsettes)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield announce the birth of a daughter named Donna Jean. She was born on Friday morning and weighed 7½ pounds. Mother and daughter are doing well in the Tulia hospital.

Miss Mozelle Shelton underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Tulia Hospital Friday morning. We hope she recovers nicely.

Most everyone from Rock Creek attended the Tulia Celebration Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Wade Steele left Sunday morning for College Station to attend the Short Course at A. and M. She is a delegate from the Rock Creek Home Demonstration Club.

Joe Spillman and family of San Diego, California are visiting his mother and father here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spillman announce the arrival of a son, born Wednesday.

There will be a political rally and Ice Cream Supper at the Rock Creek school house, given by the Home Demonstration Club Friday night July 24. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McDaniel and son of Hobbs, New Mexico spent last week with home folks.

Mrs. R. N. McDaniel spent Wednesday and Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Abner Wimberly in the Frances Community.

News comes of the death of Dave Graves. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

1200 Specimen of Insects

A zoological display containing over 1200 specimen of insects, many of them native to Texas, is on display at the University Centennial Exposition at the University of Texas in Austin. The display will go into the Texas Memorial Museum after the first unit is completed late in the fall, as will all other displays on exhibit in the University Centennial Exposition.

FORD IMPROVES INTERIOR

Important improvements in the interior treatment of the Ford V-8 de luxe and standard body types including refinements in design of interior trim are now in production, it was announced today at the Ford Motor Company offices.

In addition to the interior changes, two new and attractive body finish colors are made available—armory green and light fast maroon—which are standard in de luxe types.

The new treatment makes the Ford V-8 interiors substantially more attractive in the view of buyers who have inspected the new cars, and reflects a continuance of the Ford policy of adding improvements whenever they become available without waiting for yearly changes.

Important among the improvements is the addition of new accessories in the de luxe types. These include a new sport type steering wheel with smart spring steel flexible spokes, a pull wind 30 hour clock recessed in the rear vision mirror and a glove compartment lock. Chrome bands have also been added to the wheels.

Doctor Minyard was a pleasant office visitor Wednesday evening.

DOUGLASS CLOSES CAMPAIGN FRIDAY WITH RADIO TALK

Panhandle, July 22—Curtis Douglass, Attorney from Panhandle, is bringing to a close this week the campaign for state senator from the 31st senatorial district. His active speaking campaign began more than two months ago and he has spoken in nearly every city of the Panhandle.

In addition, many business friends and attorneys have made addresses in what has probably been the most vigorously contested district office in the history of the Panhandle.

Waging a campaign against an opponent in office for his second four years term, Douglass has realized that he must make a real battle.

However, on the eve of the election this Saturday night, Douglass and his friends are confident that he will receive an overwhelming endorsement at the polls.

A feature of the campaign for this Thursday and Friday is a motor caravan through the Panhandle. Plans are for a fleet of 25 to 50 cars to make a flying trip to dozens of Panhandle cities in his behalf. Tentative plans were to spend Thursday night in Childress with a Douglass rally there that night.

The caravan will move on toward home on Friday and will reach Amarillo Friday night for a parade to help close the campaign. Douglass will speak over KGNC, Amarillo on Friday night, from 8 to 8:45 P. M.

Wallace Locals

Nettie Edwards

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fisch of Ottumwa, Kansas visited Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fisch Wednesday night and Thursday.

Miss Willie Muriel Field spent Saturday night with Jacqueline Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards and Uncle Buddy Edwards and Mr. Henry Myers were in Tulia Saturday at the Picnic.

Mrs. F. H. Fisch spent Saturday with Mrs. Jake Spencer.

J. D. and Leonard McGavock called at the M. M. Edwards home on Sunday evening.

Mr. Jake Spencer spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Zerrel Thomas of near Hereford.

Nettie Edwards and Billie Dale Taylor called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards Monday morning.



This goat with gilded horns and nonchalant ways walks a slack rope nightly at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas as part of the five acts of big-time vaudeville presented free.

Little Miss Mary Joan Heitcker, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, took to Rube Curtis immediately at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas. The clowns are part of the free entertainment.

This mechanical man, one of three at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas, blinks his eyes, lowers his jaws and discourses on the history of labor in the Federal Exhibit Hall.

Old Acquaintances of Douglass and All Ministers of Panhandle Vouch For His Character

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED Citizens of Carson County, certify that Curtis Douglass has lived among us during the past eleven years, and that he is a citizen of good morals and good repute, capable and well qualified to serve as State Senator. We present his to the people of this district as one of our most active civic workers who has the support and confidence of the citizenship of this section.

Any citizen is requested to communicate with us at our expense if such citizen desires intimate information concerning the character and habits of Mr. Douglass.



J. E. Harrell
Pastor, Methodist Church

C. L. Upham
County and District Clerk

E. B. Chancellor
Pastor First Christian Church

W. I. McClung, Jr.
Pastor Baptist Church

O. P. Russ
Farmer

C. E. Deahl
Banker

J. E. Southwood
Retired

John O'Keefe
County Commissioner

Geo. L. Simms
Stockman-Farmer

F. A. Paul
Banker

Douglass' Closing Radio ADDRESS - 8 to 8:45 P. M. Friday, July 24 KGNC Amarillo Hear This Talk

No Man Can Serve Two Masters

CAN A STATE SENATOR PROPERLY REPRESENT THE MASSES OF OUR CORPORATIONS??

- 1. Great Southern Life Insurance Company.
- 2. Shell Petroleum Corporation.
- 3. Columbia Fuel Company.
- 4. Humble Oil and Refining Company.
- 5. Phillips Petroleum Company.
- 6. Continental Oil Company.
- 7. The Cargray Corporation (Hagy, Harrington, & Marsh)
- 8. Safety Casualty Company.
- 9. Smith Brothers Refining Company.
- 10. Post Dated Oil Company.
- 11. Associated Natural Gas Corporation.
- 12. The Mert Oil Corporation.
- 13. Buckeye Gasoline Company.
- 14. Aeroline Gasoline Company.
- 15. Piney Oil and Gas Company.
- 16. Magic City Oil and Gas Company.
- 17. Pioneer Oil and Gas Company.
- 18. Shamrock Oil and Gas Company.

These 18 corporations listed above may be authenticated from newspaper dispatches, state railroad commission hearings and court records. And yet the Senator says that he has not collected \$500 from corporations in 25 years of practice. These names listed are documented, and there is reason to believe there are many more corporations the Senator represented.

Panhandle Farmers

What would you have done if you had not received your wheat, cotton and other checks under the AAA? Did you know that Senator Small was one of the co-authors of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 which petitioned the Congress of the U. S., not to pass the Agricultural Act for the farmer? (See Senate Journal page 42, Regular Session 43rd Legislature 1933.)

SENATOR SMALL WAS ABSENT WHEN IMPORTANT LEGISLATION WAS VOTED UPON FOR EITHER PASSAGE OR DEFEAT AT THE FOLLOWING SESSIONS OF THE LEGISLATURE AS FOLLOWS:

5th Called Session, 41st Legislature 1930, ABSENT 95 times. Regular Session, 43rd Legislature, 1933, ABSENT 275 times Regular Session, 44th Legislature, 1935, ABSENT 265 times. 1st Called session 44th Legislature 1935, ABSENT 54 times. 2nd Called Session, 44th Legislature, 1935, ABSENT 81 times.

In connection with the above absences, Senator Small and his supporters say that he was never absent when important legislation affecting this section was voted on. The voters' attention is called to pages 29, 30, and 31 Senate Journal 2nd called session, 44th legislature, when Senator Small was absent five times when the Senate was voting upon amendments to Senate Bill No. One, which was a bill on the question of old age pensions.

Senator Small has accused the friends of Curtis Douglas of attacking Small's record instead of dwelling on the virtues of their candidate; we admit that we are waging a campaign on Small's record, for that is the MAJOR reason we want to replace him.

A Vote For Curtis Douglass is a Vote For THE FARMER, THE LABORER, THE INDEPENDENT MERCHANT AND FOR THE PEOPLE.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT PAID FOR BY FRIENDS OF CURTIS DOUGLASS.

C. P. McCullough, for Committee.

JAMES V. ALLRED



FOR GOVERNOR—SECOND TERM

THE MAN FOR THE JOB IS THE MAN WHO HAS PROVED HE CAN DO THE JOB

As Attorney General
As Governor

JAMES V. ALLRED

Has made his proof with Performances...Not Promises Of The People of Texas He is making Now Only the Modest Request That Democratic Tradition Accords--

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A FARMER'S LIFE
"As He Lives It"
By ED HOLMES
STATION C.E.H. FARM

Divine Guidance or Nature or Good Luck or whatever you wish to call it, has sure been good to this farmer here of late.

My cotton was pretty grassy and the rabbits were ruining the good stand of cotton by simply eating it up. I thought I was ruined. Lice began eating on the cotton and I just knew I was ruined.

Well about the time the rabbits thinned out the cotton to the right kind of a stand here was so much lice on it that the rabbits refused to eat it and began to eat the grass. The rabbits are good and fat and we will eat them this winter. You see I am killing them and feeding them to the hogs and we will eat the hogs this winter.

Along came a rain at the right time and washed the lice off of the cotton. Wasn't that to perfection? We sure do lots of worrying for nothing.

Sure the rabbits didn't eat all of the grass or I will not kill all of the rabbits. I'll need some for seed to take care of me next year. Only a fool would try to exterminate his friends.

Last week I saw a man plowing 5 rows of feed at a time by pulling 2 2-row go-devils and one 1-row go-devil behind a tractor.

Here is a part of the conversation that passed between Grandpa Hay and Elmer Daisy: Grandpa says: "This hot weather is about to cure out this hay".

"It's about to crisp out this Daisy, too", Elmer replied.

The weather will cool off after the election. You couldn't blame it for getting rather warm if you are keeping up with some of the political races.

May the man that really wants to give the average man a fair chance to produce something and exchange it at fair value for a decent living for him and his family, win the races. Some of the politicians that are coming out in the last days with a lot of high powered oratory and misleading statements won't get the job done either, according to their past actual records.

Again I say, get the records. One of my farmer neighbors that is known to get more work done than any two average fellows has this common report out on him. "He don't have to sleep any—he simply wallers twice a day."

March and April, September and October are the practical months to have your brood sows to farrow. If you have them farrowing out of season and during this hot weather as I have this time, you better watch your step or you will lose some pigs that will mean a lot of money gone.

If you want to be sure to save the pigs, during the last week, feed the sow only one half gallon of bran per day along with all the water she will drink and be there when she farrows. About two hours afterwards rope her top jaw behind the tusks as you would around a cow's neck,

pull her head up high to a post and give her one-half pound of salts in a quart bottle of warm water. Place a stick in her mouth so that she can't bite the bottle.

Why feed a sow six months, and then through one day's neglect, lose all the profit.

Miss Foust in Mountain Tour

Canyon, Texas, July 16—Sudie Lee Foust of Silverton, left Canyon July 15 for the mountain states with the West Texas Educational Tour which will visit National Parks in N. Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, and Arizona. The motorcade, under the sponsorship of Frank R. Phillips of the Agriculture Department of West Texas State Teachers College, carries forty people this year and will travel for six weeks. College credit in Agriculture and Education will be granted for class work on the tour.

OPPORTUNITY

The old established J. R. Watkins Company offers unusual chance to reliable party to serve the Watkins Customers in Briscoe and Hall Counties.

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"THE LAST FRONTIER" EXCITING SPECTACLE

Texas and the Southwest as it was 100 years ago is pictured in a highly exciting spectacle known as the "Last Frontier" at the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial that opened on last Saturday. This western saga set to music expresses the heritage of Texas and the Southwest. It is not a rodeo, not a pageant but a rip-roaring dramatization that every Westerner will love as a part of the background which he lives. It is also a show that thrills the Easterner. This cowboy about whom much of the show revolves, was given an unexpected opportunity to demonstrate his resourcefulness at the opening performance when Sundown, one of the horses in the bronchobusting episode, bucked himself and Chuck Williams into the pool at the foot of the waterfall. The crowd got back in its seats only after the rider crawled out of the pool and the cowboy in the arena roped the horse, dragged him from the water and helped him to his feet. Neither was hurt.

The show is notable for its sequence of western pictures alone, for the train of prairie schooners that comes winding down out of the mountains, for the breath taking lightning on the longhorn herd as it disappears up the trail. The sonorous voice of Capt. Irving O'Hay gives the background. "Many, many moons ago, the smile of the Great Spirit beamed upon the land of that red man. Great herds of shaggy buffalo thundered westward..."

And as the spectacle unfolds the audience experiences the beauty of its water fall, of the lithe young dancers forming a wagon wheel and a star, of the indescribably appealing music that Producer Billy Rose and his staff have added to the songs of the West.

It experiences the thrills of an Indian attack on the wagon trail, of one of the schooners leaving the arena in flames.

There was never another show like it. It brought the spectators to the edge of their seats time and again. And with the finale, it brought them to their feet to blend their voices with the stirring music of "The Eyes of Texas".

Manuscript of First American Play

The manuscript of the first play written in America is on display at the University of Texas as part of the University Centennial Exposition. The manuscript is from a book published in Mexico in 1619. The manuscript will later become the property of the Texas Memorial Museum, the first unit of which will be constructed shortly.

The construction work on this million dollar museum will get under way within a short time. State and Federal Funds to be used in construction of the building and equipping it are being augmented by the sale of Texas Centennial half dollars which are being sold at the three Centennial Celebrations now in progress—The University Centennial at Austin, the Frontier at Fort Worth, and the Central Exposition at Dallas.

John Deer Sales

H. Roy Brown reports the sale of new Model D John Deere tractors to Arnold and Earl Turner of north of Silverton and to Hugh Stodgell, of northeast of town. Louis Carthal, living southeast of Silverton has purchased a reconditioned General Purpose John Deere.

FINE PRINTING... NO JOB TOO SMALL

Briscoe County News

He Hit the Nail on the Head!
CLINT C. SMALL
FOR
STATE SENATE



He not only hit the nail—he hammered it home to the rest of Texas that the Panhandle is a well-populated portion of the state, and deserving of equal consideration when the purse strings are opened or taxes levied.

Orphanage Ended When He Ascended!

"He and I don't agree on everything," says Lt. Gov. Walter Woodul, "but that's no sign he is right and I am wrong or vice versa. He is right so many times, he ought to be returned."

Clint Small HAS NEVER BEEN WRONG when it came to defense of the people he served. Not even his opponent has been able to cite a single example when your Senator acted to the detriment of the district.

Actions Speak Louder Than Words!

The State Comptroller says Small's gasoline tax rebate law returned \$552,000 to the Panhandle during the last year alone.

The Attorney General says his gas and oil conservation laws brought \$1,000,000 into the state treasury during the last two years at little additional expense.

The other Senators say: "People in the Panhandle should not be misled by ridiculous propaganda... Able, honest, courageous, and active in the performance of his duties to constituents and the state. I have never seen Clint Small fail or falter in doing those things which in his judgment were for the best interest of the people of his district."

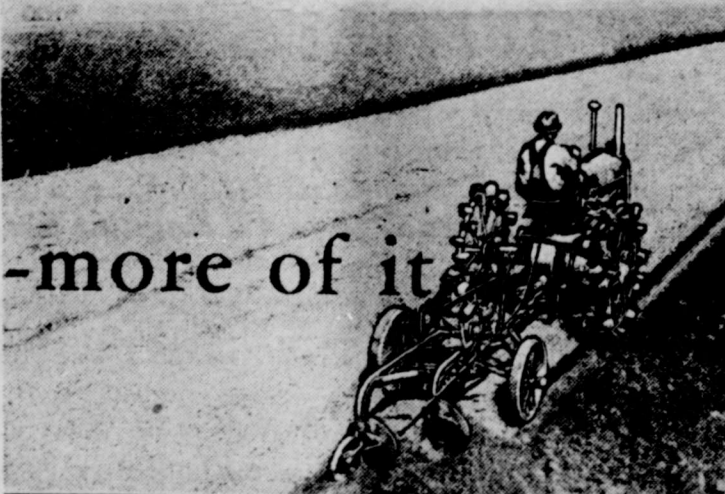
Vote For Clint Small Saturday!

(This space arranged for by friends of Senator Small)

(Signed) **BINFORD ARNEY**

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H. Roy Brown

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Re-Elect



Marvin Jones to Congress

Here is what they say of him

"On farm matters, Representative Marvin Jones of Texas, chairman of the powerful house Agriculture Committee, speaks in Congress for the Administration with an authority possessed by no other member".

—from Associated Press Article

"Marvin Jones is one of the most powerful floor fighters in the House of Representatives."

—from Washington Herald

"The farmer is no longer suffering from 15-cent corn, 3-cent hogs, 2½-cent beef, 30-cent wheat and 5-cent cotton. *** he has been returned to the road to freedom and prosperity. We will keep him on that road.

— Democratic Platform

The farm program, handled by Mr. Jones, has brought many millions in benefit payments to this section. It has increased farm prices, restoring purchasing power and saved thousands of homes at a low rate of interest. Not only has it benefited farmers and livestock men. It has saved business as well."

Marvin Jones

HAS LIVED IN THE PANHANDLE SINCE BOYHOOD DAYS

IS INTERESTED IN THE PEOPLE OF THIS SECTION and ACQUAINTED WITH THEIR NEEDS.

IN COOPERATION WITH LOCAL CITIZENS, HAS GIVEN VITAL ASSISTANCE IN SECURING PUBLIC ROADS, SCHOOL BUILDINGS and other projects."

Marvin Jones Committee

LEWIS P. FIELDS, Chairman

Allard Reunion

One of the happiest occasions in many years took place Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allard. For the first time in nineteen years the entire family of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson were together. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Jackson and children, Lou, Helen, James, Lillian, and Edith of Silver Spring, Maryland; and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jackson of Floydada, Miss Jean Jacobs of Lubbock, Mr. E. G. Jackson of Akin, Mr. K. C. Jackson of Lockney, Mr. K. S. Jackson, of Kansas City Mo., Miss Mildred Jackson of Plainview; and Mrs. Clifford Allard and daughter Charlsie.

The parties all returned to their homes Sunday, with the exception of Mrs. L. G. Jackson and daughters, who will remain for a few days visit.

Mrs. Aus Douglass of Magdalena, New Mexico; Miss Jessie Douglass of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and Mrs. Catherine Douglas of Amarillo were guests in the R. E. Douglas home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyn Zumwalt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bomar, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gilkeyson were Amarillo visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver.

Sylvia Day spent the week end in Matador with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day.

George Kirk, Leon Martin and B. Kolb made a business trip to Floydada Tuesday.

Mr. Jim Hill and Buster Igo of Hobart, Oklahoma returned to their home Monday after a few days' visit in the R. M. Hill home.

Mrs. Nath Lawler and daughters, Roxie and Peggy Lynn of Goodnight; and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson, Jr., of Claude, visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allard and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter are the proud parents of a baby girl born July 16. Mother and baby are doing well. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bomar returned Sunday from Elida, New Mexico where they have been visiting with Mrs. Bomar's father, Mr. Charley Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Baird and daughter visited with Ned's mother, Mrs. Sarah Baird at Childress Sunday.

Mr. W. B. Hill and daughters, Millie and Letta, and Annetta and Betty Hill were visiting Mrs. Jessie Hill in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller and family of Abilene are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foust this week.

Johnnie Quillan was in Plainview Monday and Tuesday visiting with his sister, Mrs. Hugh Lusk.

Rev. L. E. Kent and Ernest Tibbets were in Plainview Monday on business and visiting friends.

FOR SALE - Good reconditioned Model D John Deere Tractor. See H. ROY BROWN. 11

A. B. Tarwater of Hale County, Representative for the 120th Representative District, and J. W. Day, also of Hale county, were pleasant visitors at the News Office Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Farnsworth of Lockney, visited her mother, Mrs. Lena Northcutt, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer were in Plainview Monday visiting Mrs. Geraldine Wynn, and Mrs. T. T. Crass who are in the Plainview Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyn Zumwalt, of Mule Creek, New Mexico returned to their home Friday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bomar.

Mrs. Howard Lemond and children Connie and Dick of Hale Center are visiting Mrs. Lemond's mother, Mrs. Biffie Fort this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher returned Sunday from Dallas and Knox counties where they have been visiting friends.

Mrs. Chas. McEwing and son C. G., are in Paris this week at the bedside of Mrs. McEwing's father, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Palmer of Houston are visiting in the F. L. Perkins home this week. Mrs. Palmer is a sister of Mr. Perkins.

Mrs. O. T. Bundy spent the week end in Plainview with her sister Mrs. Lewis Kiker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spillman are the proud parents of a baby boy born, July 15. Mother and baby are reported doing nicely.

Mrs. Jim Pinkard and children, Ruby and Fletcher of Blackwell, spent the week end with Mrs. Pinkard's niece, Mrs. J. R. Foust and family. They also visited in the Gene Long home.

Frank Crowley of Kansas, was in town last Wednesday on business and visiting Pete Patton.

Roscoe Fort of Turkey was transacting business here Wednesday.

Fred Biffie and Mr. Schroeder of Amarillo, spent the week end with Fred's mother, Mrs. Biffie Fort.

Miss Dorothy Duncan of Plainview is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Marvin Tull, this week.

Mrs. Joe Mercer left Tuesday evening for California where she will visit with friends and relatives for about six weeks. She expects to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander, who recently moved there. Mrs. Mercer is taking this much needed rest upon the advice of physicians.

Miss Sadie Summers was recently initiated into the Lloyd Green Allen chapter of Alpha Chi, National Scholarship Society, which held its annual summer initiation Thursday evening at eight o'clock at Cousins Hall, Canyon. Miss Summers is attending West Texas State Teachers College.

J. N. O. Burson, who has been at

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Kim, Colorado for some time, returned to his home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Foster of Washington, Oklahoma were visiting with friends here Tuesday.

Bonnie Lee Smith was in Amarillo July 15 and while there purchased a Dodge Coupe from the Keith Motor Company.

George Kirk and son Corky were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield are

the proud parents of a seven pound girl born July 17. The young lady has been named Donna Gene.

Mrs. Minor Crawford and Mrs. True Burson were in Amarillo last Thursday on business.

Mrs. Will Smithee and Mrs. Bob Dickerson were in Quitaque Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Gunter of Tulsa spent the week end with relatives in Silverton.

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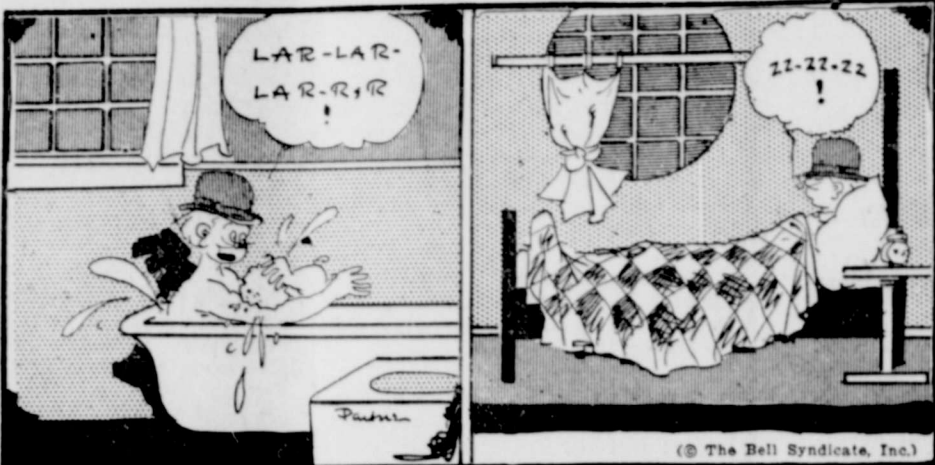
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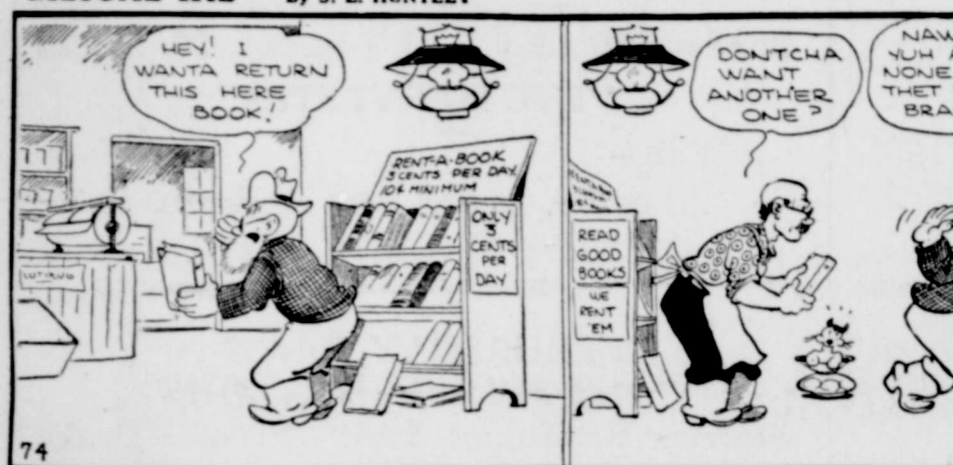
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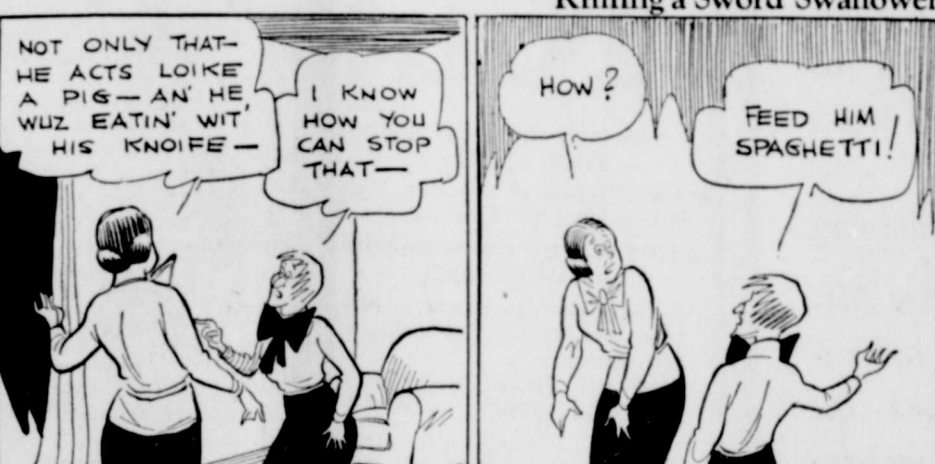
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Farmer Thomas gave a new hand a plateful of mushrooms for his supper.

"Isn't anyone else having mushrooms for supper?" asked the hand, noticing that he was the only one eating them.

"We like them for breakfast best," said the farmer.

Next morning Thomas went to his new hand's room and asked him how he felt.

"Fine," said the hand.

Returning to the kitchen, and putting his head round the door, he shouted to his wife: "It's all right, Jane, they're not toadstools!"

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Bystander—Did you get the number of that car that knocked you down, madam?

Victim—No, but the hussy that was driving it wore a three-piece tweed suit, lined with Canton crepe and she had on a periwinkle hat trimmed with artificial cherries.—The Mutual Magazine.

CLIMBER

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



All Around the House

Cut all dead blossoms from garden plants, cultivate soil and water plants frequently during the dry hot weather.

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When lighting a birthday cake always light the candles in the middle first and those on outside last.

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If you use slip covers on your furniture, remove them occasionally and look for moths. Moths get into the tufts of furniture and multiply rapidly.

Green vegetables will retain their natural color if cooked in an uncovered saucepan.

Potatoes to be French fried will be more crisp if allowed to stand in cold water for half an hour before frying.

BOYS! GIRLS!

Read the Grape Nuts ad in another column of this paper and learn how to join the Dizzy Dean Winners and win valuable prize prizes.—Adv.

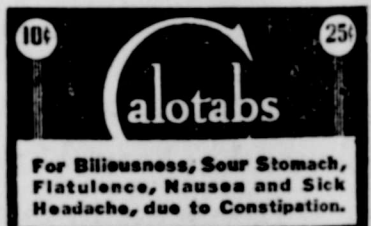
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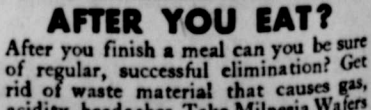
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The reward of one duty is the power to fulfill another.—George Eliot.

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BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Descend Among Bicycles Many Strikes and Worries Two Flags That Clash Two National Hymns

This column, like others to follow, written in Europe, traveling about by automobile, will represent an effort to see things clearly, and describe them simply, according to the old formula.

You descend from the ship at Havre into a world on wheels, bicycle wheels, a change from the world on automobile wheels left on the other side of the Atlantic.

Here working men and women, thousands of them, ride to and from work, ten to thirty abreast, depending on the width of the street.

They have the right of way, properly, in a democracy.

So it used to be in America, when automobiles were new, small boys shouted "Get a horse," and New York state law compelled the automobile driver to stop his car and engine, while a farm wagon passed, if the farmer raised his hand, or even lead the farm team past his machine if the farmer requested it. Here the car stops, while bicycles circulate around it on both sides. Similarly, you stop, later, meeting flocks of sheep, on roads across the salt marshes of the Vendee.

France is a land of bicycles, of many political parties, and, at the moment, a land of strikes. Like all other European countries, it is a land of permanent war scares. America looks upon war as a distant, improbable possibility, and when it comes spends billions on armships that do not fly, ships that never go to sea, and similar evidences of patriotic dollar-a-year efficiency. Europe's nations live in a state of fear, as an American family might live if it knew that, at any moment, well-equipped gangsters from next door might enter, "shoot up" the household and set fire to the house.

American travelers leaving the boat by railroad, descending in Paris at the Saint Lazare station, were surprised to find crowds fighting each other, not waiting for Germany, crowds made up entirely of Frenchmen of different political opinions.

Some wore ribbons with the red, white and blue colors of the French flag; others, more numerous, wore the plain color red. One side sang the "Marseillaise," national hymn of France since the revolution.

Others wearing small red flags sang the "Internationale," official song of the Communists the world over, from Moscow to Harlem. Crowds grew bigger, the Frenchmen sang the two hymns at each other, more and more violently, with excellent voices, not one out of tune, all knowing the words of their respective hymns. The "Marseillaise" says, "Let us go, children of the fatherland, the day of glory has arrived"; the other says, "Arise ye prisoners of starvation; arise, ye wretched of the earth."

It was a scene never to be described, now that Dooley is dead, and Artemus Ward. Nobody bothered the descending foreigners from across the water. A few Frenchmen hit other Frenchmen, not hard, then agents of the Surete, whom we should call policemen, gradually dispersed the crowds, that met and sang at each other again the next day. They live in the suburbs and work in Paris, or vice versa, and, meeting in the railroad station, it engages them to encounter those that sing the wrong hymn and wear the wrong colors.

Those singers have chests like drums, complexions that reveal countless billions of red corpuscles and voices that could be heard, almost, from Los Angeles to Santa Monica.

One of them broke off at the sad word "starvation" and said to your narrator, who had politely congratulated him on his vigor: "Tenez, tenez mon bras, et j'ai soixante sept ans"—meaning, "Here, feel my muscle, and I am sixty-seven years old."

The muscle rose in a biceps like a small melon.

The duty of a visiting foreigner is to observe, describe and not comment; but this writer, had he accepted the invitation to speak at the American club in Paris recently, would have suggested that the French, whose only earthly possession is France, should be careful not to tear that property apart, especially with Germany ready to gather up the pieces.

This crosses the water by mail, is not new, and not news, when you see it. Only heaven knows what might happen in a week.

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Speed Help to Drouth Victims

Relief Machinery Functions Quickly; Hamilton's Talks to Re-Elect Roosevelt

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON—The drouth, which sears to a crisp large areas of 19 states, is what the President calls "a long range emergency," and it is a warning that unless steps are taken to prevent the spread of this killing cycle of destruction, the whole American continent may become a desert. That sounds like a nightmare; but science backs up the President in his plan to put to proper uses the land which is now in danger of complete destruction.

If not, then the underground water will disappear forever; the top soil will blow away; the land will be as parched and infertile as Sahara's sands.

The immediate aid the federal government gives to the 204,000 families of the stricken areas owes its speed to the widespread federal relief machinery and the settlement organization which was already on the job and ready to go. The immediate need, it seems to me, is cash money, and that is being poured into the counties where crops have been ruined through the medium of work on roads, dams, bridges, etc. There seems to be no immediate necessity for wholesale government purchase of cattle as the large cattle owners are able to get their stock into the markets—but for the man who owns smaller herds there is a pressing necessity for some sort of organized buying of his drouth-stricken stock.

The government is working feverishly, too, on its long-range plan to prevent further soil erosion with its plans to re-forest the denuded areas; to put the grass back on the plains and thus prevent the earth from blowing away in dust. Some of the drouth, as well as some of the floods, are the result of too eager tinkering with the soil. Agricultural schools began to teach the science of dry-farming, which resulted in a previous generation taking out tens of thousands of western homesteads and going to it! They were so good at dry farming that they loosed up tens of billions of tons of soil which eventually blew away. Further, they were so eager to get at the water underground that they have definitely reduced what the geological survey calls the "water table." That means that the underground supply of water has been so depleted that the old well is running dry. Water that was once four or five feet below the surface is now sometimes as low as thirty feet.

HAMILTON HELPS ROOSEVELT

The general impression here is that if John M. Hamilton, now chairman of the Republican national committee, keeps on talking, he will re-elect Roosevelt without any effort on the part of the Democrats. In addition, there is a suspicion here that what Hamilton is really after is the Republican nomination for himself in 1940, because up until the time that he leaped into the Landon band wagon like a startled fawn, he was one of Landon's chief Republican rivals. In fact, he had contested for the Republican nomination for governor of Kansas against Landon. Hamilton lost—Landon won; and now Landon is in the big league. Hamilton may think that it may just as well have been he and not his opponent. So, if Hamilton still has ambition, he may be furthering it by his completely inept remarks.

Hamilton is a reactionary, whereas Alfred Mossman Landon is a sort of nambypamby progressive. He's the sort that, barring set-backs, might grow up some day to be a junior New Dealer. He doesn't say much, and what he does have to say lacks decisiveness and inspiration, so I suppose that his manager, John Hamilton, sensing the need for thunderous clamor on the stump, is doing the talking.

However, his talking is not as intelligent as it is forceful. He is carrying on the tradition for political stupidity left him by Chairman Fletcher, his predecessor, who man to the point where Republicans shuddered with fear every time Fletcher showed signs of emitting a public utterance. For instance, John Hamilton, soon after the Democratic national convention had adopted its platform, began to weep and moan because, as he claimed, the Democrats had copied the Republican plank against trusts and monopolies. The fact is that the Democratic plank on trusts and monopolies is the old William Jennings Bryan declaration against such things made by him back in the dark ages when he was a perennial candidate. It was . . . one of the strong timbers of old time Democracy. Hamilton just doesn't know history. When he permitted Bill Borah to come in with the Bryan anti-monopoly plank, Hamilton evidently believed it was an original Republican idea. The loud laugh that resounded from millions of Demo-

crats on hearing Hamilton charge the New Deal with plagiarism was one of a flock of laughs that will greet this auburn haired boy wonder all through the summer and fall unless he has his remarks carefully scrutinized by a primary school history teacher.

One more item: The Republican campaign managers are so sure of the East (though I don't see why) that they have moved all of their publicity staff out of Washington—the world's greatest news center. That leaves the whole machinery of Washington's vast news disseminating organization to the Democrats.

POWER BOYS MUFFED

The way the old time power company presidents muffed the ball in the way of developing cheap power for farms and rural homes is one of the saddest commentaries on the so-called brilliance of the upper layer of American business men. These fellows always figured it cost so much to produce electricity that it could not be sold for a price that ordinary rural families could afford to pay.

This administration has opened the doorway to cheap electricity in a way which may result in the betterment of the race. Women will not have to grow old at forty from drudgery. For instance, take washing in an ordinary rural community! A blazing fire under a great black iron pot no matter how hot the day—or how otherwise inclement the weather. The woman of the house keeps the fire going, prods the clothes with a stick, draws, in most instances, the water from the well, looks after the children, and at the same time runs in and out of the kitchen where she is also cooking dinner. She must haul more water to rinse the clothes—hang them out and the next day do her ironing with irons heated over a terrific fire.

The whole series of processes may now be done by electricity at rates which are so low as to be unbelievable. This is being demonstrated in the wide TVA territory and it will be extended to other government cheap power areas. It can be done now at slightly higher rates in the areas being awakened to life by the rural electrification administration. Electric pumps are being put into rural homes and furnish running water inside. Electric washing machines and ironers save time and effort. Electric cooking ranges make the preparation of meals swift and simple. Work which formerly took all day may be done in a couple of hours, and electricity for a washing machine, for instance, at TVA's rates in TVA territory, may be had for a family of five for less than one dollar a year. This sounds fantastic; but it is vouched for by TVA's warm congressional friend, Representative John Rankin of Mississippi. Rankin gives me individual instances from his state. One home now equipped with electric lights, radio, electric refrigerator, iron, cooking range, vacuum cleaner and a hot water heater, in the month of March consumed 82 kilowatt hours of electricity, which cost \$2.14.

There are thousands upon thousands of such examples of what the New Deal has done for the average American home.

THREE STRONG MOVES

Three strong political moves made by the Democratic strategists put three great states—Illinois, New York and Michigan—with their total of 91 electoral votes, in good position for victory in November.

In New York Governor Herbert Lehman, successful Democratic governor and a vote getter, will run again in the interest of the public. The last vote test in New York showed that great state Democratic by about 400,000; with Lehman's leadership it should go for Roosevelt again in the fall. Then, in Illinois, the Democrats were in a hand to hand fight among themselves; the old row between the Chicago crowd and the downstate crowd. There was a bad feeling between Mayor Kelley of Chicago, Cook county leader, and Governor Henry Horner, a fine Democrat and a good governor. For a while it looked as if the fight in the Democratic ranks would elect a Republican by default. However, that has been smoothed over.

The Michigan situation is extremely interesting. Frank Murphy, who made a brilliant success as mayor of Detroit in the depression year of 1932, feeding great masses of unemployed workmen out of public funds, is going to enter the list and will probably be the Democratic choice for governor. Murphy has been acting recently as the United States commissioner in the Philippine islands. He resigns that job and plunges into Michigan politics . . . he is a fighter and a vote-getter—and Michigan is a battleground. It went overboard for Roosevelt in 1932, then came back strong with a Republican majority for Senator Vandenberg in 1934. It appeared that Michigan was leading the old time Republican states back to where they belong, and Michigan gave the Republicans great comfort. In 1934 and 1935 Michigan's strength made Vandenberg a sort of perpetual dark horse for the nomination, so Frank Murphy, mild-mannered Irishman with a punch, is ticked off to put Michigan back among the Democrats . . . Watch him this fall.

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Each one of us possesses a store of beautiful memories which he alone can read, a volume closed to all but himself. These are treasured throughout the years, and may include some special kindness shown, some hospitality extended, some word of encouragement spoken at the psychological moment. A recommended book, an appreciative note may have given to us lasting pleasure and inspiration.

It is decidedly ungrateful to accept so much without giving all we can! So let us take time to consider how many beautiful memories we are creating for others. Are we prompt in writing the letter which will bring happiness and comfort to some one waiting to hear? Are we dropping cards or roses or gifts to our friends on ordinary as well as special days?

Beautiful memories are easy to live with; so let us cherish those we have and deliberately go out of our way to provide many for others.—R. E. C.

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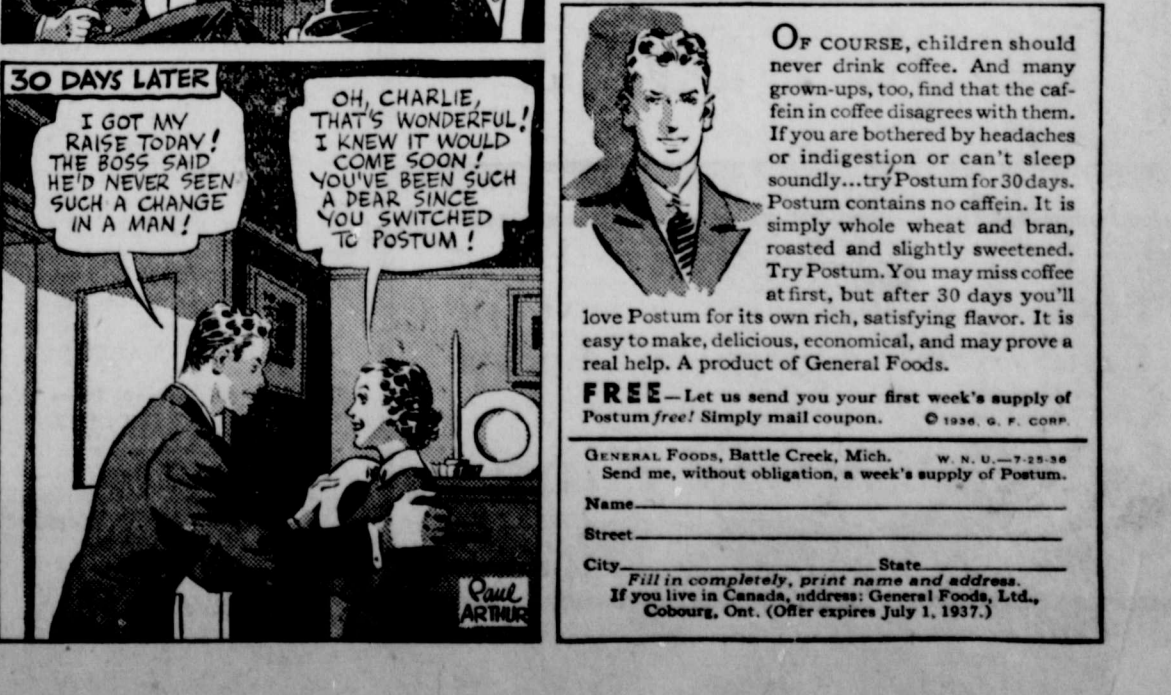
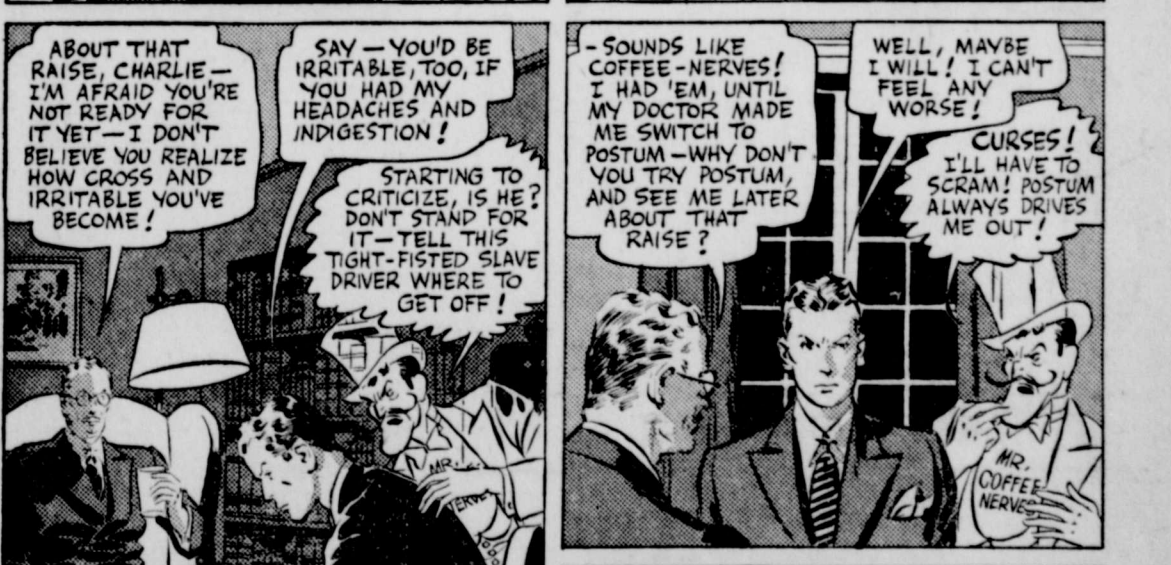
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Town Talk

Mrs. R. R. Upton and daughter, DeAnn of Fort Worth, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar this week. Mrs. Upton is a sister of Mrs. Bomar and of Mrs. Edna Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Heisler of Vigo Park and Mrs. Keys of Clarendon visited relatives and friends at the Roy McMurtry ranch Sunday.

Robert Devins of Tulia was transacting business here Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Cash, Miss Letha London, Mrs. Robert London, Mr. W. C. Smithee, Sr., and Mrs. Agnes Turner were in Tulia Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hightower of

Long Beach, California, are guests in the home of his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. O. Burson.

Scott Smithee and Rex Dickerson were business visitors in Lockney, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. P. Dickenson and daughter Dorothy, were in Amarillo Friday.

Arlon Donnell and Mrs. Agnes Turner were in Quitaque Monday on business.

Sam Thompson has been confined to bed at his home in the south part of town for some time with a form of summer flu. He is showing very little improvement and it is feared that his ailment may prove to be typhoid fever.

ELECTION SPECIAL

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Home Thompson, of Hereford, who for some time was associated with the county agent here, was in Silverton for a few minutes Saturday afternoon, on his way to Vernon.

LATE RULING ON NEW VOTERS IN ELECTION

Attorney General, William McGraw, has just issued a new ruling in regard to voters who are to vote for the first time next Saturday and during this year. It follows:

In cities of 10,000 or more, the novice voter who has recently become 21 years of age must have an exemption certificate showing a poll tax receipt is not required. This certificate may be obtained any time before voting.

In cities of 5,000 or more and less than 10,000 an exemption certificate must have been obtained on or before January 31, 1936, if the voter became of age before February 1, 1933.

In cities of 5,000 or more and less than 10,000, all persons who became of age since January 31, 1936, may vote without exemption certificate by making affidavit of age.

In cities under 5,000 population it is not necessary to have an exemption certificate. Affidavit of age is sufficient.

This ruling should clarify the confusion regarding the young men and women who have become of age since January 1 or before the November election.

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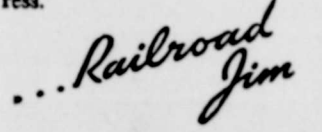
Ever hear about the new Free pick-up-and-delivery of less than carload freight? It's a great convenience to shippers and receivers alike. Western railroads pick up at the door, ship by fast freight, and deliver to door at no extra charge.

Railroad trains are running on faster schedules these days. Seems like the iron horse wants to show these new streamlined diesels that he can step out, too. Both passenger and freight schedules have been speeded up.

What's more, the railroads believe in "safety first." Last year not one passenger was killed in a train accident on western railroads.

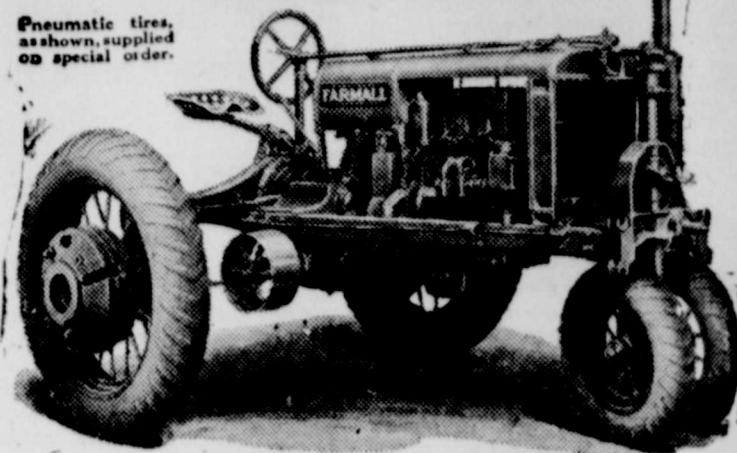
Talk to your local railroad agent. He's full of information about traveling and shipping.

We are proud of railroad achievements, appreciate the public's good will and increased patronage, and pledge continued progress.



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To The Voters Of Briscoe County

Do you Believe in the Democratic Principle of a Second Term???

IF SO, Cast your votes for me next Saturday and then two years from now, elect one of my opponents or anyone that you choose and keep him here for two terms. A COUNTY JUDGE CANNOT PLAN AND CARRY OUT A CONSTRUCTIVE PROGRAM IN TWO YEARS. It takes the first year to learn the duties of the office and then it takes a large part of the second year trying to get it again.

I have been in office a little over eighteen months. If you will elect me again, I will have more than two years the next time uninterrupted by a political campaign and this will enable me to give better service than ever before.

SHOULD YOU ELECT one of my opponents, he would not get possession of the office until January and before he would have time to do very much, somebody would run against him for his second term. If you establish the precedent of turning your officers out at the end of the first term, you will never get efficient service from them because they will have to spend about eight months out of each two years running for office.

VOTERS, YOU ARE THE JURY! My cause rests in your hands. I have done my duty as I saw it. I have no apology to make. If you think I am worthy of a second term, I will be mighty happy to have your votes—if not my disappointment will be borne in silence without a murmur. Thanking you for what you have already done for me, I am. Very truly yours,

W. W. MARTIN

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OUR PLATFORM IS:

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The Briscoe County News is authorized to announce the following named as candidates for the office respectively shown, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 25th, 1936:

For STATE SENATOR

31st Senatorial District

CLINT C. SMALL

CURTIS DOUGLASS

REPRESENTATIVE 120 DIST.

SVL BIRKENFELD

Nazareth, Texas

A. B. TARWATER

(Re-election)

SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR AND ASSESSOR

N. R. (Jake) HONEA

Re-election

G. W. LEE

COUNTY TREASURER

MISS LIZZIE GREGG

Re-election

COUNTY AND DIST. CLERK

R. E. (Bert) DOUGLAS

Re-election

COUNTY JUDGE

J. W. LYON JR.

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W. W. MARTIN

Re-election

W. COFFEE, Jr.

Co. Commissioner, Prec. No. 4.

J. R. FOUST

ROY F. BARBER

Co. Commissioner, Prec. No. 1

H. L. O. RIDDELL

R. M. HILL

Co. Commissioner, Precinct 3

P. D. JASPER

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Election Day



Amid all the rush and the Excitement of Election Day, do not forget to do your shopping.

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- Men's Suits 20% Discount
- OVERALLS \$1.09
- Work SHIRTS 59c-69c-89c
- 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting 30c
- Unbleached Domestic, 12 yds, \$1
- House Dresses \$1.00-\$1.95
- Ladies Novelty Shoes 33% off

- 1 Lot of Silk Dresses \$3.95
- 1 Lot of Silk Dresses \$5.95
- Large Turkish Towels, pair 19c
- Grey & Blue SHIRTING 36-inches wide 13c
- 1 Lot Boys' Work Pants, were \$1.00 to \$2.50, your choice 50c

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