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Grocery bills are hard to collect. None care to pay for the meat on their bones.

WELL, I MAKE the front page again. And does it make me mad. If you will turn to the page I usually use you will see the reason. I mad. I fight. In fact there's nothing that makes me any fightfuler than a mad than a page ad.

ABOUT THE WAR . . . I was complimented the other day on the fact that I didn't run much war news. Well, I had set my mind on the Allies declaring war last Thursday afternoon so that I would really get a scoop. They put off till Sunday. If they are not going to consider the Briscoe County News in their operations, I guess I'm not going to consider them.

THE RADIO IS going to bring this war a lot closer to us than the past one. For instance the news of the sinking of the Athenia was here before the ship had gone to the bottom. And then again came the actual sound of the air raid sirens from Paris. The only thing about the radio broadcasts is that you can't tell a thing about it. I just heard a fellow telling that the French had broken through the Maginot line on the Western front and had penetrated seven miles into Germany. A little later in his broadcast he said that not a shot had been fired on the Western front, and that evidently England and France were not going to engage in active warfare on that front. It's all a bunch of bushwa.

I WAS TALKING to Roy Barber the other day and he said that in case of another war with Germany we would have three million Nazis to contend with right here in this country. He based his theory on a happening of the World War. He said he knew a prominent farmer in a German settlement. Before the war broke out this fellow had often told him of conditions in Germany, and of how the common Germans were oppressed. Told him of deserting from the German army when a boy and coming to America. He landed in Galveston with five cents. He told of writing to his folks in Germany and trying to explain that he was making money for himself over here, and that he didn't know what he meant. And he became wealthy here with land and cattle. . . BUT, Roy went on to say, that when war broke out with Germany, that bird was the first in the settlement to tear down the American flag.

THERE'S ONE thing about it though, that is sure. Prices are going to raise. In fact they already have. Wheat is jumping the limit every day. Cotton is up. Some stocks have more than doubled. Foodstuffs and clothing here are bound to go higher, and in fact Mr. Whiteside told me that he had gotten word on overalls prices for instance, and from now on they will cost him more than he has been selling them for.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT has announced that there will be no profiteering. Which is a good idea, but it won't work. Speculators are buying for wheat and stocks, and will be the same thing over again of the big man getting the navy.

THERE'S ANOTHER thing that I'm sure of, and that is that I'm going to knit no darn sweater this year. I missed my turn at it too many times the other time. I have a confession to make. When I got as far as the neck of sweater, I didn't know how to drop the stitches for it and my mother did it for me. I took all the credit and the teacher just bragged on how neat it was.

JUST IN CASE some of you old boys have it all planned out that you aren't going to war here's something I read in "Look" Magazine about our next draft . . . our government has the posters al-

Seismograph Crews Are Drilling Test Holes

NEWS BITS
From Neighboring Newspapers

Losses Thumb In Rodeo
Arthur Ware, who according to the Turkey Enterprise, is one of the few genuine cowhands left in this country, lost a part of his right thumb in a freak accident last week. He had roped an oversized yearling, and caught his thumb under the rope at the saddle horn and pinched it off. In the excitement, he didn't notice it until he started to tie the calf.

Knife Fight at Hale Center
Barney Harper lay critically ill in a Plainview Sanitarium after a fight at a filling station at Hale Center last week. He was suffering from knife wounds inflicted by R. C. Keeling. Keeling surrendered to the law, according to the Hale Center American, and claimed that he acted in self defense.

Roulette at Roaring Springs Breaks Record
A 20-page Pioneer's edition of the Matador told of the most successful of any Old Settler's Reunion held at Roaring Springs. It was estimated that over 12,000 persons attended the celebration.

THE RISING SUN
John Fisk in relating the story of the Federal Convention for the forming of the Constitution of the United States of 1789, a work of the greatest difficulty and importance, says that, on the back of the President's quaint, black armchair there was emblazoned a half sun, brilliant with gilded rays. At the close of the session of several months, during which the Constitution was adopted, and the meeting was breaking up, and Washington arose, Franklin pointed to the chair and made it the text for a prophecy. "As I have been sitting here all these weeks," he said, "I have often wondered whether younder sun was rising or setting. But now I know it is a rising sun." The sun of Christianity is a rising sun, and rapidly moving on to the perfect day. This may seem untrue to day, but no Faithless leader ever lasted long, soon they all pass on and are forgotten. The sun of Christianity is its risen and ascended Lord. Many great thoughts are coming out of Eternity to the world to day. Come to the Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning; perhaps you may catch the reflection of the rising sun.

SILVERTON GIN READY FOR 1939 GINNING
Considerable work has been done on the Silverton Gin here during the past few weeks, and according to Boots Bryant, manager of the gin, the whole outfit has been cleaned up, all necessary repairs made, and is in A-No. 1 shape to start the ginning of cotton. One hears all kinds of reports on conditions of cotton in this vicinity, but the general opinion seems to be that there will be more cotton ginned here than in 1938 when something over 1600 bales were ginned at the local gin. The same force of men will be employed at the gin as last year. Mr. Bryant says that the first bale came in last year on September 7, and he is expecting one some time this week to start the new season.

"FREE AIR" IS SUBJECT OF ADVERTISING
Beginning this week, Dave Ziegler of the Panhandle Service Station on Main Street, will run a series of advertisements entitled "Free Air." The ad will consist of a special cartoon which shows a filling station operator going about his many duties and while he works he gives you a little bit of philosophy or "free air." Sometimes it pertains to your car and the kind of care you give it. Sometimes it pertains to world events. In any case it is interesting and you will like it. Watch for it in this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Clack moved to Amarillo Sunday where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reid and Mrs. W. W. Reid returned Thursday from visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Joni Bundy left Friday for Plainview where she will teach the following term. Miss Vendell Predeaux, who has been visiting her returned to her home in Lubbock.

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Major Oil Companies Seem To Be Taking Big Interest In Possibilities Of Oil Here: Several Leases Offered

Several major oil companies have been drilling test holes in this vicinity for the past several weeks, and making scientific observations as to geographic formations of the earth. The holes are drilled from 300 to 500 feet deep and then are 'shot' with a high explosive. The seismograph machine is in operation during the shooting and records the vibrations on a chart. The charts are mailed to the company geologists and from the graph recorded thereon, they are able to tell somewhat definitely, the ground structure several thousand feet deep.

Several farmers have been offered leases on their land, and rumor has it that a real attempt will be made soon to bring in an oil well in this territory.

TEXAS NEW MEXICO UTILITIES TO NEW OFFICE

The old bank building has been rented by the Texas New Mexico Utilities Company and the Silverton office will be moved there within a few days. The place has been altered and painted and will be a very attractive office. Unless something unforeseen occurs, they will move to the new place this week end.

The location is ideal for convenience in paying utility bills and there is plenty of floor space for displaying the electrical appliances. Everything will be electrical, showing the usability of the appliances.

It is thought that the official opening will be Saturday of next week, but definite announcement will be made in next week's paper.

REDUCTIONS ON TEXAS PWA FORCES

Plans were being shaped today for drastic reductions in the Public Works Administration regional office in Fort Worth, Texas, and in field offices scattered over 7 Southwestern states. The reductions, made necessary by the rapid completion of the current PWA projects, will result in a saving of more than a millions dollars in administrative and engineering expenses per annum.

Personnel reductions will be made as rapidly and as orderly as possible between September 1 and November 1. Regional Director George M. Bull said on his return from conferences in Washington with Federal Works Administrator John M. Carmody and Acting Commissioner of Public Works E. W. Clark.

The reductions will be made so that each of the seven states of the region, Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas will be fairly represented in the regional office personnel following the reductions. All the employees affected by the reduction orders will be furloughed and subject to later recall if further PWA programs are ordered by Congress.

The Regional Director pointed out that the rapid completion of the Region's projects had resulted in a drop of site employment of 8,500 and that this figure would increase steadily. Less than 90 projects will still be under construction by January 1, he said.

Falling off of orders for materials due to completion of the projects has also affected industrial employment, the Regional Director said. The number of men employed in industry through orders for materials for the Region's PWA projects has decreased by an estimated 14,000 men from the peak in late April.

"It is our very real hope," Bull said, "that business will have sufficient momentum to employ these workers in the building trades and in the supply industries."

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AGGIE BRIEFS

By LOOE MILLER
Secretary Briscoe Co. Committee

I would like to take this means of expressing my appreciation to the editor of the Briscoe County News for having mailed me the News while I was gone.

With out-break of the European war all farmers are wondering what effect this will have upon the AAA Farm Program. The Briscoe County AAA office is now in receipt of a telegram from Mr. L. W. Duggan, Director of the Southern Division, which states in part:

"There is no reason to expect immediate increase in demand for important farm commodities. Foreign demand for some commodities may go down. Our AAA Farm Program is needed more than ever. It adds to National security by providing the machinery for adjusting the production of major crops as quickly as necessary to any changes in demand which may occur. The ever-normal granary storage system for food and fiber gives the United States immediate assurance of ample supplies and future reserves. The conservation measures give us a farm plant capable of producing more efficiently than at any time in our history."

"Demand for various products may fluctuate up or down, but you now have the machinery for adjusting your farm business to these demands. This should be of tremendous importance to the nation and should help to protect you from unnecessary losses."

"My advice to farmers is to hole the line of the ever-normal granary, Adjustment and Conservation Programs. Many wheat farmers are now preparing to plant. They should bear in mind that world wheat supplies are the largest in history. World wheat granaries are overflowing. There is more than enough surplus wheat in the world's granaries to supply one year's export requirements. The present acreage allotments are adequate for all prospective needs. Let us not foolishly waste the fertility of our land by plunging recklessly into farming expansion. Our triple-A program gives us full protection for the present. As the situation changes we are in a position to adjust our farming accordingly." The above quotations were taken from a letter signed by R. A. Evans, Administrator.

Below are quotations in part from a letter from Secretary Wallace:

"War causes economic repercussions in all countries. It is only natural therefore, that our farmers at this moment are considering whether they should modify their production plans to meet the new situation. I urge American farmers to proceed with their production plans as if the outbreak in Europe had not occurred. American agriculture is in a much better position to meet the shock of war than it was 25 years ago. As we have kept pointing out, the very machinery which farmers have used to adjust production to decreased demand in peacetime can be used in wartime to increase production if and when that becomes advisable. Some farmers, remembering high wartime prices, may wish to discontinue cooperation in their farm programs in order to expand the acreage of wheat and other crops. I would remind them that the average prices of wheat, corn hogs and beef were lower a year after the world war started than they were in 1914. The course of prices for the months just ahead may not follow the pattern of 1914 and 1915. But present supplies of cotton, wheat, corn, meat animals, and many other commodities are large. There is little likelihood that any substantial increase in production of major crops will be desirable, certainly not in the immediate future. In any case the need for increases in supplies can be anticipated in ample time to make any necessary increases in acreages. The production of large quantities of agricultural commodities for which there is no satisfactory market could prove just as demoralizing in wartime as in peacetime."

The quotations above give you some idea of what men, who are in a position to know, think the farmers should do in the present crisis.

Wheat Insurance
We would like to call to the attention of the farmers who intend (Continued on back page)

Student Registration Begins Here Saturday

NOTICE TO AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERS

Castro County Post of the American Legion, Dimmitt, Texas, will be host to the other Posts in the most unique, the most unusual meeting in the history of the 18th District Thursday night, September 14.

All Posts that have not already installed officers for the year of 1940, are asked to bring their newly elected officers for a mass installation for the District. Our newly elected State Department Commander, Lou Roberts, will do the honors of installation.

Aside from the mass installation, Castro County Post expects to do itself proud in its efforts at entertaining its guests at this meeting.

C. I. WALL NEW MANAGER OF GAS COMPANY

Following the death recently of Mr. Ryan, manager of the West Texas Gas Company, the place has been filled by C. I. Wall of Lubbock. Mr. Ryan, who died in a Tulsa Hospital, was well known by many persons in this section.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE HERE EVERY DAY NOW

The Silverton High School football squad is working out every day this week, and are all encamped together at the school house. They are taking their eats at the Home Ec Cottage.

This writer watched a practice session Tuesday evening of this week and the boys are really enthused and working hard. Most of the practice, as yet, is in tackling and blocking and other football essentials. A light scrimmage was held, however, and the are already getting their plays lined up and give promise of a neatly working team.

The "has beans" of the town are talking of challenging the boys for a light game sometime next week. Whether or not it will be staged, is not known. The first game of the season is a non-conference game with Matador, on September 22, at Matador. The Matadors are still heated up pretty badly over the defeat handed them last year by the Owls, and are expecting to avenge it this year.

NEW BOOKS AT THE SILVERTON LIBRARY

Among the new books in the Library is an auto-biography of the Grand Duke Alexander of Russia. "I have attained my goal. Had I been shot in 1918 I would have died regretting lots of things. Now I regret nothing." Brave words coming from a man who barely escaped from Russia with his life. A man who, though still a Grand Duke, dared not return to his native country, who was barred from England and reduced to such circumstances that in spite of his noble birth, his titled and wealthy friends, often wondered where his next meal was coming from.

His need of money was responsible for his coming to the United States and delivering a series of lectures, proving himself a witty and penetrating commentator on the world that was and the world that is.

Light Like The Sun

By Frances Newton

We are learning to speak frankly about many things which were not discussed only a few years ago. In "Light, Like the Sun" another veil of secrecy is lifted, another fact of life laid bare. With glowing simplicity and challenging frankness, an age old problem is discussed and into one of the least known and most poignant of human experiences comes "Light, Like the Sun."

Planning Your Life
By Mary Alden Hopkins
According to these tested guideposts: human relationships, career, and individuality.

The Long Road
By Arthur E. Morgan
"Mr. Morgan's book gives us back our human dignity, gives us faith in our own appraisals of life values, without taking us back to the unwashed simplicities of primitive life."
—Dorothy Canfield Fisher

TEN DAYS SHOULD SEE COMPLETION OF HIGHWAY FROM SILVERTON TO QUITAQUE

Work is in progress on the unpaved section of Highway 86 between Silverton and Quitaque, that is, from Silverton to the Cap Rock.

Equipment for the work arrived here Monday but materials had not arrived and work was delayed until Wednesday. The road is all up in shape to receive the asphalt and gravel top, and with good luck the work will be finished in about ten days.

The topping of the section from the cap rock to Quitaque was finished some time ago. It was done by a private contractor. The work starting this week, however, is a WPA project and is being done under the direction of Highway engineers.

HIGHWAY 86 MEETING AT TULSA TUESDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Highway 86 Association will be held at the courthouse in Tulsa Tuesday, September 19th. Reports of recent road work achieved on the highway will be given, and reports also of delegates who met with the Highway Commission at Austin last week.

According to W. Coffey, Jr., who represented Briscoe County there, the commissioners were very indefinite in their promises or road work in this section. It is said that some sixty-odd delegations were before the commission with proposed work.

TRIP TO OREGON FOR MEMBER OF COUNTY

If Briscoe County proves to have the highest national or state record of compliance with the 1939 wheat program, a trip to Oregon awaits a member or representative of the County Agricultural Conservation Committee.

Announcement to that effect was made today by R. M. Haverty, Secretary of the Briscoe County Agricultural Association, an organization of farmers affiliated with the Texas Agricultural Association and the American Farm Bureau.

R. M. Haverty said he received a letter from C. H. (Cliff) Day, president of the TAA, stating that the Eastern Oregon Wheat League is conducting a national wheat compliance contest and that the TAA is fostering the contest in Texas.

The Oregon group is offering a trophy to the county with the best wheat compliance record in the nation and a trip to a representative of that county, to the E. O. W. L.'s annual convention in December, at Condon, Oregon.

The Oregon body also will present a plaque to the county in each wheat state with the highest state compliance score.

If his county does not win the national award, but should happen to score highest in Texas, Day proposes that the Briscoe County Agricultural Association cooperate in sending a delegate to the Oregon meeting.

He said AAA record at College Station are being examined to determine which county had the best compliance this year.

"We commend this undertaking to you," Day wrote, "in the belief, which I am sure you share, that the present farm program embodies the most practical and workable features of all legislation ever intended to serve the farmer's best interests. It is our wish to enliven the spirit of farmer cooperation, in this instance with reference to wheat acreage allotments, which we regard as fundamental to a sensible approach to the wheat surplus problem."

Berton Hughes spent the week end at Memphis with relatives.

The Harmony Club will hold its first meeting with Mrs. O. T. Bundy Wednesday, September 13 at 4:15 o'clock.

Circle No. 1 of the M. E. Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Maurice Foust Thursday, September 14 at 4 o'clock.

Juniors and Seniors Are Asked To Sign Up Saturday — Parents Invited To Attend Opening On Monday

Juniors and Seniors are asked to report Saturday for registration. The schedule has been complete and if Juniors and Seniors will call at the High School any time between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. the Superintendent and Principal will be there to go over the work that has been completed and advise with the students in choosing their work for the coming year. A few changes have been made in the curriculum. The following courses will be offered:

Vocational Agriculture I, II and III; Homemaking I, II, and III; General Mathematics, General Science, World History, American History, Civics, Algebra I, Plan Geometry, Junior Business Training, Bookkeeping, Typewriting & Business Arithmetic.

One new course is being added which is Junior Business Training. The courses that are being discontinued are Spanish I and II, Physics, Chemistry, Speech, and Solid Geometry. Occupations and economics are not being offered the first term but may be offered the second term. Texas History may also be offered the second term as well as commercial geography.

The line-up on the faculty is as follows:

- Mrs. Mattie Walling — 1st grad
- Mrs. Anna Lee Anderson — 2nd grad
- Miss Althea Brown — 3rd grad
- Mrs. A. L. Redin — 4th grad
- Mrs. Sammie Miller — 5th grad
- Mr. Jake Spencer — 6th grad
- Mr. R. D. Wheelock — 7th grad
- High School
- Miss Fern Murphy, — High School English
- Mr. Aulton Durham, — Coel and Commercial Work.
- Miss Opal Cross — Mathematic
- Miss Jessie Lee Davis — Home Economic
- Mr. Victor Harmon — Vocational Agriculture
- Mr. W. E. Sherman — Social Studies

Paul S. Rogers — Mathematic
The new teachers this time are Miss Jessie Lee Davis from Turkey, Victor Harmon from Des Moines, N. Mex.; Jake Spence from the Haylake Community; and Paul S. Rogers from Girard.

The Opening Exercises will be held promptly at 9:00 A. M. Monday. All parents are expected to be present at the opening of the school as there are many problems to be discussed.

HERE'S HOW BOB BURNS INVENTED THE BAZOOKA

How the bazooka was invented and how it received its name were told to Boyce House by Bob Burns a few days ago. It was while he was in Fort Worth to appear before two huge crowds one night at Casa Manana.

"We members of the Van Buren Silver Cornet Band were practicing in Haymon's Plumbing Shop," he drawled, "when I picked up a piece of gas pipe and stuck a roll of music in it and actually blew a few notes."

Later, he changed the instrument so that it was made of two pieces of gas pipe and a whiskey funnel—"and it makes just the kind of music you could expect of two pieces of gas pipe and a whiskey funnel to make," he added.

When a fellow did a lot of talking about himself folks used to say that he "blew his bazoo", so Bob just took the word, changed it a little and called the instrument a Russian bazooka. So, afterward, a minstrel show came to town and he joined it. After a few weeks, it folded—"only about two folds were necessary, any how", Bob amplified, but by the time he was definitely an 'actor' . . .

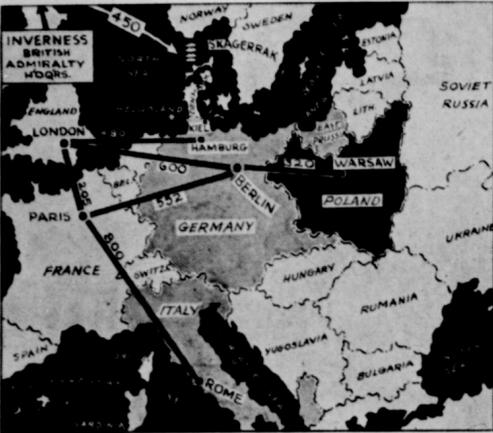
Mrs. Bruce Womack attended a Sales Convention held at the Hilton Hotel at Plainview last Thursday. The main topic for discussion was the Ever Hot Roaster which is now on display at the Texas New Mexico Utilities Office here.

Mrs. Myrtice Gillespie of Quitaque visited friends here Tuesday

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY HENRY W. PORTER

War Threats Still Hold Stage But Hope Is Not Abandoned; Nazis Get Chance to Bargain

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) Released by Western Newspaper Union.



The figures on this map indicate the flying distance between the chief cities of Europe which are certain to be targets for bombers if war breaks out.

EUROPE

War or Peace?

War or long negotiations, either may be the outcome of the diplomatic exchanges now proceeding between London and Berlin. Much depends upon the nature of Hitler's reply to the latest message from the British cabinet.

The British and French, apparently, are willing to concede something to Germany, but by no means all that Hitler demands.

It is apparent that each side is trying to bully the other with its bellicose intentions in order to force some sort of a deal to avert war.

It is evident that at last the patience of France and Britain has



IGNACE MOSICKI Poland's pilot.

reached the limit of endurance over Hitler's continual grabbing of territory. The brutality, bad faith and menacing methods of the Nazi government have kept Europe in a state of upheaval for years, and this must stop now, and definite guarantees must be given that will ensure the peace of Europe.

Diplomatic negotiations have been proceeding in half a dozen European capitals in an effort to avert another world holocaust.

While the fischer's proposals were not at that time made public, it was the belief in well-informed quarters that they were not likely in their present form to offer any hope of providing a solution.

Chamberlain's government, armed with dictatorial powers voted by parliament, continued to oil up the British war machine.

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Another important war move was to prohibit dealing in a number of foreign securities. This action was interpreted as conscription of wealth.

Danzig, the Polish corridor and various sections of Poland along the border, these Germany must have, is Hitler's defiant demand, otherwise there will be war.

"For a nation with honor it is impossible to relinquish a population of 2,000,000 of its compatriots at its border," the letter said.

In the meantime mobilization of German military forces was reaching its climax. New war measures were taken. Food and clothing ration cards were distributed.

In Washington it was learned that President Roosevelt is prepared to go the limit of law and perhaps farther to swing the power and resources of the United States to the side of Great Britain and France in the event of war.

France, with the greatest force under arms since 1919, awaited calmly and vigilantly the outcome of diplomatic negotiations then under way.

While not a general call to arms this partial mobilization is sufficient to provide France with an army on a wartime footing capable of taking the offensive as well as holding up a surprise attack until the whole manpower of the country could be mobilized, was the general belief in Paris.

In Warsaw a pall of depression settled on the Polish capital. In authoritative circles it was believed mediation by the United States, or some other equally distinguished and disinterested third power, was the only remaining chance to avoid European war.

In Rome Premier Mussolini was represented as willing, perhaps eager, for negotiations that would avert war. But, along with this, Fascists emphasize, must be considered Italian claims upon France for a greater share in African colonial possessions.

INDUSTRY: Steps Ahead

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Narrow gains were shown in retail trade over the preceding week.

Bruckart's Washington Digest

International Affairs Likely To Influence Party Politics

Upon Turn of Events Abroad May Depend Strength or Lack of It Shown by Presidential Aspirants; Domestic Life in U. S. Will Feel Effects.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—There is an interesting offshoot of the several European crises that has begun to attract attention among political leaders. It has been practically 20 years since international affairs figured to any extent in our domestic politics, but they threaten to do so next year.

It may be that, in the short space of time between the writing of these lines and their publication in your local newspaper, another European crisis will have arisen and actual hostilities will have been started.

It is far from being simple. One can despise and distrust his neighbor on the next farm or in the next block, but he still has to pass his house on the highway or go down the alley behind his house.

Campaign Strategies, Plans Must Undergo Revision

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When Political Leaders Took Wrong Side of Question

One needs to go back to 1920 to recall what happened to political leaders who took the wrong side of a question—the wrong side from a majority of the people.

But to be specific with respect to the political picture of presidential aspirants: The candidates now going about the country herding in delegate pledges or having their representatives do so have thus far proceeded, quite naturally, upon the basis of purely domestic questions.

Jealousy and Distrust No Matter What Happens

Now, let us assume that actual hostilities have started abroad and that they extend into next year. Of what use is the political strategy now being employed by those seeking pledges of support? Or, assume that Hitler's rapacious plans have been satisfied.

Whatever the conditions may be a year from now, there is no way that I can see by which the United States can avoid consideration of policies to meet the circumstances generated by these several influences. Why?

Take agriculture, for example. Our crops long have entered into world markets, although the outgoing shipments have sunk into insignificance lately. But our farmers still have hopes. Consider industry, manufacturing establishments seek export outlets.

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May Call Congress to Revise the Neutrality Act

There is talk that Mr. Roosevelt will call congress into extra session to deal with international problems—and acting with Roosevelt suddenness, he may have issued the call two hours after this is written.

The Careening Carriage Flew Down the Road.

Still the reeling, careening carriage flew on. They had covered more than a mile, and now they were within a short distance of a narrow culvert, just outside of the business section of La Salle.

"I reached the horse's head," she says, "and the feel of my body on her seemed to frighten her all the more, and make her go faster than ever. But I got the lines from between her legs and started inching my way back to the buggy."

"I pulled and jerked at the reins until I brought the horse to a halt," she says, "and it stopped just a few feet in front of the dreaded culvert. A boy ran up to hold the animal, and I left the buggy and ran into town to get a doctor for mother.

It was a desperate chance. Time and again Mary almost lost her hold in that precarious trip. The horse was slippery with foam and perspiration, and only by bracing her feet against the shaft did she manage to keep from being thrown into the road.

Animals and Birds Are Accurate Weather Forecasters

If you want to foretell the weather, watch birds and animals. It will be fine when swallows fly high, when bats fly late at night, when beetles take to the wing, and when morning chimney smoke rises straight up.

Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!

"A Ride With Death"

HELLO EVERYBODY: Mary Billard of La Salle, Ill., is today's Distinguished Adventurer, and she wins that distinction—as well as the well-known ten bucks—with one of the most terrifying yarns I've seen in a long time.

It happened in 1913, when Mrs. Billard was Miss Mary Blanch, a girl of twelve, and Mary says, "The La Salle papers called me a heroine at the time, and it was all quite exciting for a girl of my age, but it lost its thrill when I thought of my mother lying in a hospital in a critical condition, fighting the dangers of gangrene and lockjaw."

You can see from that statement of Mary's that there was tragedy in that episode as well as adventure. And it started with nothing but a common, ordinary buggy ride.

Mary's dad had bought a horse that had spent all its life on race tracks and was hard to handle when hitched to a buggy. It had run away twice, and Mary's mother didn't drive it any oftener than she had to.

But there came a day when she felt she HAD to drive that horse. They had just moved into town, and Mary was finishing a term at a little country schoolhouse three miles out of La Salle.

Mother hadn't been feeling well all that day, but she made the trip to the schoolhouse without any trouble. They were all on their way to town, with Mary in the middle between her mother and the teacher, when, without warning, Mary felt her mother fall away from her.

Mary Looked Around and Saw Her Mother. She looked around just in time to see Mother topple from the seat and pitch headlong into the road. She had fainted.

But that was only the beginning of a disastrous train of events. Mother had fallen out with the lines still clutched in her hands. The sudden jerk on those reins, caused by her falling, frightened the horse. It gave a leap forward.

"I had with that leap," says Mary, "there started the fastest ride I had ever remembered in all my 12 years."

"We were horrified at the situation. The horse was plunging along at a full gallop, and my mother was being dragged face downward over stones and gravel, in a way that struck terror into my heart. The teacher and I were helpless."

"We called and screamed to mother, pleading with her to let go of the lines, but all our screaming was useless, for mother was in an unconscious condition, clinging to those reins with a death grip while the horse dragged her along."

And, for half a mile, mother dragged along beside the reeling wagon, in imminent danger of rolling under the wheels, while up in the seat Mary and the teacher sat paralyzed with fear, trying to hang on to the swaying, reeling buggy.

Mary says that buggy was running on two wheels a good part of the time. And at other times it seemed to be flying through the air, with nothing under the wheels at all.

Several men along the road had tried to stop the horse, but couldn't do anything with the crazed animal. At last, at the end of a half a mile, mother's hands loosened on the reins and the lines were free. They got between the horse's front legs, and that only served to frighten the poor animal more.

The Careening Carriage Flew Down the Road. Still the reeling, careening carriage flew on. They had covered more than a mile, and now they were within a short distance of a narrow culvert, just outside of the business section of La Salle.

The teacher was the first one to think of that culvert. She screamed to Mary that if the horse couldn't be stopped before they reached it they would both be killed.

"And with her voice still ringing in my ears," says Mary, "she rose to her feet, stood on them for a moment on the swaying floor of the buggy—and jumped! I shut my eyes as I heard her body hit the road, and thought that surely she must have been killed."

And now, Mary was left alone in that speeding buggy. She knew that, somehow, she had to get hold of those reins that were dragging down there beneath the horse's feet. Just a little way ahead, now, was the culvert. And even if the buggy did get through the culvert, it was certain to crash into something in the business district two blocks beyond. So, while the buggy reeled and swayed, Mary began climbing over the dashboard, onto the horse's back.

"I reached the horse's head," she says, "and the feel of my body on her seemed to frighten her all the more, and make her go faster than ever. But I got the lines from between her legs and started inching my way back to the buggy."

"I pulled and jerked at the reins until I brought the horse to a halt," she says, "and it stopped just a few feet in front of the dreaded culvert. A boy ran up to hold the animal, and I left the buggy and ran into town to get a doctor for mother. She was still unconscious when they brought her in, and to this day she carries, on the right side of her face, the terrible marks of that horrifying experience."

Mary says she's glad the horse and buggy days are over because—well—because she wouldn't want any of her children to have such an experience.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Animals and Birds Are Accurate Weather Forecasters

If you want to foretell the weather, watch birds and animals. It will be fine when swallows fly high, when bats fly late at night, when beetles take to the wing, and when morning chimney smoke rises straight up. Rain is indicated when birds fly low, when peacocks begin to screech, when crows fly up and circle around their nests, when sparrows become excited and chirp continuously, when morning smoke does not rise, when cattle caper about, and when donkeys bray. A change is due when dogs sniff the air, and if you see birds perching on the lower branches of trees a storm is not far away. The presence of cormorants at the mouth of a river foretells a heavy gale from the sea.

Shelf Edging Dresses Up Kitchen Windows

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

SOME of us can remember our mothers cut scalloped, folded papers. Dextrously they pointed and snipped the edges into a cut out diamond in the center of each scallop. For years there is more satisfaction in the creation of their own handiwork in using fancy lace edge paper by the roll. Today, we find the same satisfaction when we dress



oilcloth shelf edgings—thinking in terms of color has a fascinating even beyond scallops with diamonds in the center.

The suggestion sketched here for using shelf edging to dress kitchen windows was sent in by a reader. The busy homemaker will appreciate the fact that the curtains are perfectly straight and plain and easy to remove for laundering. When windows are dressed with shelves match the effect is especially good. Banded shades may be of the same color, and tin containers for bread, sugar and spices may be painted with bright enamel, to match.

The new Sewing Book No. 14 Mrs. Spears is packed full of useful, money saving ideas, that most any homemaker may put to practical use. Every idea is clearly illustrated with large sketches. You will be fascinated with the variety of interesting things to make for the home or for gifts. The price is only 25 cents postpaid. Send your name and address to Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill.

A Good Temper

Good temper, like a sunny day sheds brightness over everything it is the sweetener of toil and the soother of disquietude.—Irving

Pull the Trigger on Lazy Bowels, and Pepsin-ize Stomach!

When constipation brings on acidigestion, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, constipation, sour taste, and bad breath, your stomach is probably loaded up with undigested food and your bowels are move. So you need both Pepsin to break up fast that rich undigested food, and Laxative Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels. Senna sure your laxative also contains Pepsin. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative, because Syrup Pepsin helps you gain that wonderful stomach relief, while the Laxative Senna moves your bowels. Tests prove Pepsin to dissolve those undigested food masses in your stomach, to cause belching, gas, acidity and nausea. This is how Pepsinizing your stomach helps relieve your distress. At the same time this medicine wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your bowels to relieve your constipation. So how much better you feel by taking Laxative that also puts Pepsin to work that stomach discomfort, too. Even the tickly children love to taste this pleasant family laxative. Buy Dr. Caldwell's Laxative—Senna with Syrup Pepsin at your drug store today!

Self-Confident Doubt whom you will, but not doubt yourself.—Boove.

HAY FEVER PENETRO

To quickly check your nose, put just 2 drops in each nostril. Ask your doctor for PENETRO

At Peak of Jest When the jest is at its best, be well to let it rest.

Do You Know Why Folks Write to Florida?

Been to Florida Sing—HEAVEN CAN WAIT THIS IS PARADISE

Read "So This is Florida," a 30 page book (including 63 full page illustrations) bursting with information about Florida's overflowing charms. Read it to understand why sportsmen regard Florida as the Happy Hunting Ground come to life—why fishermen flock to its shallowly stocked waters... why the rich soil is so prodigious in its favors it bestows... why Florida's myriad enchantments have made it an oasis of joyous glorious living. Write today for a copy of

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Legal Notices

CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any constable of Briscoe County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY commanded to summon Lewis J. Seale, Mary Seale, Grace Seale, Susan E. Seale, Nancy Seale and Minnie Hawthorn, and if married, their respective husbands, if deceased, then their unknown heirs, and all legal representatives of defendants, and all unknown owners of the land and premises herein described, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Briscoe County, Texas, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Silvertown, Texas, on the third Monday in September 1939, the same being the 18th day of September 1939, then and there answer a petition filed in said court on the 2nd day of August, D. 1939, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1057.

Plaintiffs claim that they and those under whom they claim title have held the same under deeds duly recorded and have held peaceful, adverse possession of said land for more than five years before filing this petition.

Plaintiffs would show unto the court that they have a good and perfect title to said land and premises as above described by metes and bounds and have held the same in peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years before the filing of this petition and this plaintiffs are ready to verify.

Plaintiffs say that they have a good and perfect title to said land and that they and those under whom they claim have held peaceable adverse possession of said land for a period of 25 years prior to filing this suit under deeds duly recorded in deed records, Briscoe County, Texas.

Plaintiffs ask judgment for the title and possession of above land and premises for rents, damages and costs of suit.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness R. E. Douglas clerk of the district court of Briscoe County Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court in the city of Silvertown in the court house in Briscoe county this 15th day of August A. D. 1939.

R. E. DOUGLAS, Clerk of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas. Issued this 15th day of August A. D. 1939.

R. E. DOUGLAS, Clerk, District Court Briscoe County, Texas

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Plaintiffs claim above described land in fee simple title.

That the day and year aforesaid the above named defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully with hold from them the possession thereof to plaintiffs damage in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars.

Plaintiffs plead the statute of limitations and claim that they and their grantors through whom they claim title have had peaceable continuous possession under title from the State of the lands claimed in their petition for more than three years before filing petition in this suit.

Plaintiffs claim that they and those under whom they claim title have held the same under deeds duly recorded and have held peaceful, adverse possession of said land for more than five years before filing this petition.

Plaintiffs would show unto the court that they have a good and perfect title to said land and premises as above described by metes and bounds and have held the same in peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years before the filing of this petition and this plaintiffs are ready to verify.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF BRISCOE

To Sam Toler, Odell Toler, and the unknown heirs of J. F. Toler and wife, Carrie Toler, deceased; and the unknown owners of said lands and all other proper persons including all record lien holders, owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots herein-after described, same being delinquent for taxes to the State of Texas, said property lying and being situated in the County of Briscoe and State of Texas, to-wit:

One half acre tract of land, out of J. L. Grundy 98 acre tract in section 28, block 3, abstract No. 1021 same land deeded to J. F. Toler by Olen Ward and wife Claudie Ward, April 4th, 1929, recorded in Briscoe county deed record in Volume 25, pages 124-5.

Second Tract — One acre land, more or less, out of J. L. Grundy 98 acre tract, out of section 28, block 3, abstract 1021 deeded by J. W. Lyon and wife Mary F. Lyon, July 1, 1939, recorded in Briscoe county deed record Volume 25, pages 548-9.

Both tracts situated in Briscoe county, Texas, and reference is here made to above record of deeds for better description of said lands and more fully described in Plaintiff's Petition on file in this office.

AND YOU ARE hereby commanded to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Silvertown, Texas on the 3rd Monday in September A. D. 1939, the same being the 18th day of September A. D. 1939, to plead and answer plaintiff's petition, together with pleas of intervention and claims of impleaded parties defendant, if any, filed in said Court in a certain suit No. 1062, in which said suit The State of Texas is Plaintiff, and Sam Toler, Odell Toler, and the unknown heirs of J. F. Toler and wife and the unknown owners of said lands, and L. S. Jenkins are defendants, and all other proper persons, including all record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the hereinbefore described property, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you, and said land and lots sold under foreclosure of lien to satisfy the following taxes being delinquent, to-wit:

STATE TAXES:

Years	Amount
1935	\$1.59
1937	\$3.89
1938	\$3.75

aggregating, State Tax, \$9.23; School Tax \$18.00, together with all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Silvertown, Texas, in the County of Briscoe, this 30th day of August, A. D., 1939.

R. E. DOUGLAS, Clerk District Court, Briscoe County, Texas.

TO THE SHERIFF or any Constable of Briscoe County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to serve the foregoing Citation by making publication thereof one time a week for two consecutive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in Briscoe County; if there be no newspaper published in said County, then in a newspaper published in an adjoining county; provided, that if said Citation can not be published for the compensation

provided by law, then service of same shall be made by posting a copy thereof for 15 successive days, previous to return date, at three different places in the said County of Briscoe, one copy of which shall be at the Court House door of said County.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Silvertown, Texas, in the County of Briscoe, this 30 day of August, A. D. 1939.

R. E. DOUGLAS, Clerk District Court, Briscoe County, Texas

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE SHERIFF or any constable of Briscoe County, Greeting: C. D. Wright administrator of the estate of Olin Frank Freeman, deceased having filed in our county court his final account of the condition of the estate of the said Olin Frank Freeman, with his

application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for ten days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Briscoe, State of Texas, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the 18th day of September, with the

clerk of this court, at which time said account and application will be considered by said court.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 5th day of September A. D. 1939.

R. E. DOUGLAS, Clerk County Court, Briscoe County, Texas

A true copy, I certify. N. R. Hones, Sheriff, Briscoe County, Texas By M. K. Summers, Deputy

Miss Willie C. Wilson

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What's the Answer?

By EDWARD FINCH

WHERE DID THE EXPRESSION "KICK THE BUCKET" COME FROM?



THIS expression originated when a man named Bolsover literally kicked a bucket out from under him in order to commit suicide. He clambered onto a noose on one end of a length of rope, tied the other end to a gutter above his head and kicked the bucket away thus strangling himself to death. Someone took up the expression and popularized it into present-day slang.

Always A Welcome...

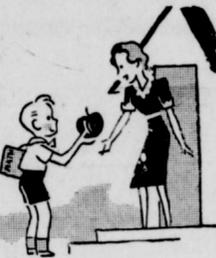
Not just in words, do we welcome you to our cafe w r scott

We try to show our appreciation by serving you good food, cooked right, and served to you quickly and courteously.

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Everything you need to start to school and to keep you going throughout the year.

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IT'S TIME TO CHANGE

To The New All-Purpose

HOEME PLOW

Amarillo, Texas
July 22, 1938

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Gentlemen:

I purchased one of your machines June 25, 1938, and find that in this short time I have saved considerable money in consumption of tractor fuel.

I also find that this machine can be made into one of the finest farm trailers that a farmer could ask for.

This cultivator is durable and very simple in construction and I am well pleased with its performance.

Very truly yours,
E. L. DAVIS

Ringwood, Oklahoma
October 28, 1937

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Dear Sir:

Have used the Hoeme Cultivator two years.

It prevents wind erosion, takes the place of contouring, terracing and preserves moisture, therefore I'm well pleased.

Respectfully yours,
L. E. EBERHARDT

Goodwell, Oklahoma
August 17, 1938

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Dear Sir:

We have found the Hoeme Cultivator to be a very useful time and fuel saving tool. It has been especially helpful in preparing land for irrigation.

We have also found your cultivator to be a very useful moisture conserving tool for dry land.

Yours very truly,
WARREN N. McMILLEN
Professor of Animal
Husbandry
Panhandle Agricultural
and Mechanical College

Hays, Kansas
May 5, 1939

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Gentlemen:

We are just in the midst of using the Hoeme cultivator on a job which requires just the stamina and quality which this machine provides. It is doing a very good job and we like it. There is one thing I particularly like about this machine and that is that it can "stand up and take it" and with tractor equipment, that is one of our most important items. Too many of our machines are built too light.

I wish to thank you kindly for sending me the folder showing attachments which are available and if we find that we need some of these we will be very glad indeed to avail ourselves of the opportunity.

Very truly yours,
L. C. AICHER
Superintendent
Fort Hays Experiment
Station

Silverton, Texas
August 24, 1939

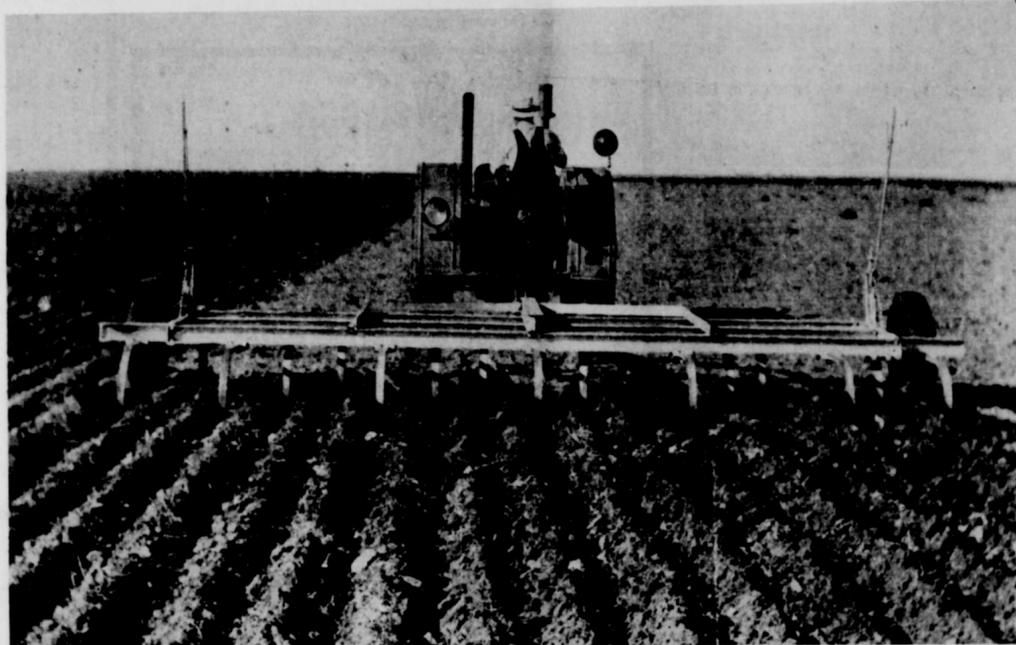
Hoeme Plow Company
311 Pierce Street
Amarillo, Texas

Dear Sir:

Just a word to let you know that I have checked the moisture in the ground that was plowed with a Hoeme Plow and found the moisture to be 2½ feet deep and just across the road where it was one-wayed the moisture was only one foot deep. Both fields had wheat harvested on them this spring.

I believe that this is the only method to use because of the way it will put moisture into the ground, and especially into the subsoil.

Very truly yours,
Q. E. BROWN



PREPARING A BARREN, WINDSWEPT FIELD FOR RETAINING MOISTURE

PURPOSE OF THIS MACHINE . . . To conserve the soil for moisture and also for erosion. Stops blowing of the soil which has been one of the main troubles of the Plains Country. By using Hoeme 2 inch double point shovels or the 16 inch sweeps the land is kept clean. Also this method of cultivation keeps the trash on top and prevents soil from blowing; thereby maintaining a reservoir for moisture. Another valuable fact is that it breaks up the hard pan and allows the moisture to go down.

Facts About The Hoeme Cultivator

This cultivator, equipped with the 2-inch Hoeme Special shovel, is adaptable for deep plowing or chiseling; bringing a desirable amount of subsoil to the top and exchanging it with the pulverized topsoil. Penetrating the subsoil also characterizes it as a moisture conserving implement, making the soil an open reservoir for the hard dashing rains.

This cultivator is also adaptable for shallow work, leveling ridges, preparing the seed bed, or cutting the vegetation.

It qualifies in every respect for carrying out the government soil conservation program. Equipped with the 16-inch sweep it solves the farmers problem for controlling the bindweed.

One of the main features is the self-sharpening 2-inch double pointed shovels which are regular equipment with each machine.

Extra equipment may be had at additional cost upon application, such as 16-inch sweeps, 10-inch lister furrower, 4½-inch shovel, 6-inch double shovel, Alfalfa steels and other shapes which are required for special work.

This machine is mounted on Timken bearings with a special Hoeme dust-proof seal in conjunction with the Garlock Klosure

which retains the grease and prevents dust or any foreign matter entering the bearing. Maintains long usage and is only required to grease once per year. All the above features are assembled in our specially constructed hot welded French and Hecht Agricultural wheel, with Pneumatic tires, mounted on special analysis alloy steel 1½-inch axles.

Specially built and patented spring steel clamp for holding shanks, which are adjustable and can be placed at any spacing.

Shanks are specially constructed of Silica Manganese alloy spring steel Heat Treated and assure unusual strength and wearing quality, which is only the result of long experience and tests. The shape of shanks and shovels afford a special light draft and can be pulled by any 15-30 horse power tractor in any soil. This, of course is a great factor over all competitive machines of like nature.

In one hours time this machine can be assembled and trailed behind an automobile and taken down the road at any common driving speed, by the removal of and changing of the hitch and wheels and the use of the transport axle which can be obtained at slight additional cost.

This machine is made in two sizes and with the extensions can be made in four sizes, thereby giving the farmer a 11-ft., 13-ft., 15-ft., and 17-ft. length or swath. These extensions are of course extra equipment and can be had upon application at small additional cost.

**Ask For Free Demonstration
On Your Farm**

Hoeme Plow Co.

311 Pierce Street
Amarillo, Texas

Clovis, New Mexico
October 22, 1937

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Gentlemen:

We have used one of your cultivators, with which to work our wheat land the past season, or rather in preparing our land for the 1938 crop, and so far we like it very much indeed.

The great advantage of this cultivator is in the fact that you can do so many kinds of work with the same cultivator, and you can put on or take off as many shovels as you need very quickly.

However, as we see it, the biggest advantage is the fact that, when land is worked with this tool, it is in much better shape to take water, and does not allow the water that falls on the land to run off, when the work is done properly.

This fall, we did not lose any water at all on the land where we used your cultivator, and we feel that it is the best thing we have ever seen, for the farmer in our plains section.

Wishing you well, we are,
Sincerely yours,
Wick's Modern Hatcheries
R. WICKS

Greensburg, Kansas
October 22, 1937

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Gentlemen:

I purchased one of your cultivators in 1936 and used it in preparation of the ground for seeding that fall.

The wheat this year on ground prepared by use of Hoeme Cultivator made enough more wheat in harvest of 1937 than the wheat on adjoining land which was prepared by use of a one-way disc cultivator, that the increased yield was sufficient to make payment of the original cost of the Hoeme Cultivator.

I am very highly pleased with this cultivator and consider it one of the finest tools for use in summer following wheat ground and would not attempt to continue farming without it under any consideration.

Yours very truly,
O. G. UNDERWOOD

Scott City, Kansas
October 29, 1937

Hoeme Cultivator Company
Hooker, Oklahoma
Gentlemen:

I have used Hoeme Cultivators for two years.

Their rigid construction and ability to shed trash makes them our most valuable and most used farm tool.

Tractor Ranch
IRA RINEY, Prop.

Dougherty, Texas
August 19, 1939

Hoeme Plow Company
Amarillo, Texas
Gentlemen:

I am the owner of two of your chisel plows, and am perfectly satisfied with their work in every way. I used these chisel plows in my farming operations in Deaf Smith and Floyd Counties during the past year, and I am fully of the opinion that I made 50,000 bushels more wheat than I would have made, had I not of used these chisel plows.

During my entire experience in farming I have never seen anything any ways near the equal of your chisel plows for conserving moisture and soil.

Yours very truly,
J. M. BROWNLOW

HOME TOWN NEWS



as told by
Lazie Garvin

Jim Baird are the boy born Sunday, September 3. The young boy weighs 8 1/2 pounds. Ezzell of Lockney was here the first of August in the H. S. Sanders and Mrs. B. friends in Quita-

Albert Foster of Los Angeles, California is visiting in the Watson Douglas home this week. Deputy Sheriff Price of Brownfield came Tuesday for F. W. Waldrop who has been held in jail here for several weeks. W. D. Newsome, who is charged with assault with intent to kill, was carried to the Floydada jail for safe keeping, pending action of the grand jury.

W. L. Hazelwood of Canyon is spending this week in the R. E. Douglas home. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wallace of Canyon are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Austin this week.

Miss Sadie Summers left Thursday for Amarillo where she will teach this term. Mrs. Ada Cox and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Huck Berry of Quitaque returned the first of the week from Carlsbad Cavern.

Mrs. Mamie King and daughter, Mrs. T. Edens of Lubbock visited friends here Wednesday afternoon.

Sara Jane Cline of Dallas spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Cline.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Bain of Borger spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stiles and son left Friday for Stamford where Mrs. Stiles and son took the train for Carlton to visit her

relatives. Mr. Stiles returned here after seeing them off. R. E. Hardburger of Childress visited friends here Monday. Dr. and Mrs. J. Ed Crawford and Dr. Bell and daughter of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bain Monday.

Mrs. Dave Ziegler left Sunday where she will enroll in a Beauty School. Jim Haynes, who received his degree at Austin this summer is spending a few weeks here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stevenson and Zell; and Mrs. Dean Allard and Joe were Amarillo visitors Monday. They visited with Al Stevenson who is in the army regiment which stopped there Monday. Mrs. Allard and Joe remained to spend the week with Mrs. Roy Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lomax were in Lubbock Sunday. Jake Alexander and Carl Poole were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Neese of Pampa, Mrs. Roberts of Memphis, visited with the J. T. Neese family Tuesday. Mrs. J. T. Neese returned to Pampa with them to spend a few days.

George Kirk and Alton Bingham left Monday for Decatur where they are employed by the Austin Construction Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Looe Miller who have been in Albuquerque, New Mexico returned home Friday.

Mrs. B. R. Ezzell of Lockney, visited friends here from Sunday until Wednesday. Roberta McMurry took her back to Lockney Wednesday morning.

Rena Persons reported to work Wednesday morning after a few days' absence because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Moore and Wanda returned Tuesday from a business trip to New Mexico. Monte Bob Moore returned on Sunday from Estelline where he has been visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ferrell of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ferrell, Mrs. Jack Timmons and Mrs. Porter Miller, all of Plainview; Mrs. C. M. Ferrell and Paul Ferrell of Tierra Amarilla, New Mexico, visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Painter.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Williamson and Mrs. Henry Bridges spent Sunday in Decatur with relatives. Guinn, who has been visiting at Decatur for several weeks returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blocker spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blocker and friends. The Blockers, who have been in Dimmitt for several months, have been transferred to Crosbyton where Mr. Blocker will have the management of the Texas New Mexico Utilities Company. He was formerly manager of the company here.

Mrs. J. James and daughter, Mrs. Ray Balland and son Everett of Amarillo; and Mrs. Edgar Tucker of Canyon spent Sunday and Monday here with their mother, Mrs. M. J. Langdon and sister, Mrs. W. Allard.

Dave Miller of Mammoth, Arizona, came home Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McKinney and family of Rome, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herring and family of Plano, spent Saturday

and Sunday with Mrs. R. L. McKinney.

Misses June Weast and Vera Davis attended the wedding at Tullia last Sunday morning at 9 o'clock of Miss Martha Workman and Mr. Eddie Williams, of Greenville. The young couple are at home in Canyon, where they will both receive their degrees this winter.

Lucile Weast entertained a number of girl friends with a skating and slumber party last Monday night. Those enjoying the outing were: Nona Lee Deavenport, Jerry Montague, Donaleta Seaney, Ardis Joiner, Jozelle Hodges, Durene Strickland, Willene Bomar, Lily Jack Wafford, and June and Lucile Weast.

Arnold Brown, who is working in Tahoka with the Austin Construction Company, spent the week end here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer took Ruth Mercer to Lubbock Monday morning where she will enroll in Julian's Beauty School.

Jack Blocker visited his parents in Dimmitt last Thursday. Rev. and Mrs. James Aiken and daughter of Hereford and Jessie Mercer of Donna were guests of the H. C. Mercer family Wednesday.

Mrs. Grace Irion, who is attending Beauty School at Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey.

Ardis Joiner left Monday morning for Plainview to enroll in the Plainview Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bomar and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens visited Sunday in Flomot with Mrs. J. B. Garrison.

Rock Creek News

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and family from Earth, Texas, visited in the Gene Davis home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKinney

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—BOMAR DAIRY—

spent Sunday in the C. A. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilmore left Monday for their home in Oregon. They have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill.

The Rock Creek Club will meet on September 12 with Mrs. P. H. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dickerson visited in the R. L. Johnson home Saturday and Sunday. Lewis also visited in the R. L. Johnson home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Shelton spent Sunday in the O'Neal home.

WANT-ADS

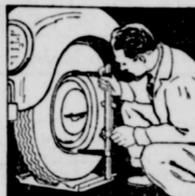
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FOR SALE—Slightly used modern gas stove. Reasonable. It's an extra good buy. 22-11c MRS. KATE FOWLER

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Mr. and Mrs. Wood Hardcastle of Nara Visa, New Mexico were seriously injured Sunday afternoon when a tire blew out on their car as they were driving to Amarillo. The car was thrown in the bar ditch and turned over. The accident happened near Dalhart, where Wood was taken to the hospital suffering from severe face laceration. Mrs. Hardcastle was suffering from head and shoulder bruises. They were on their way to Amarillo where they planned to visit her brother, Al Stevenson, who was to be there Monday.

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Barbara Hahn

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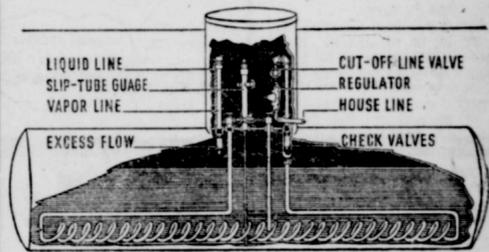
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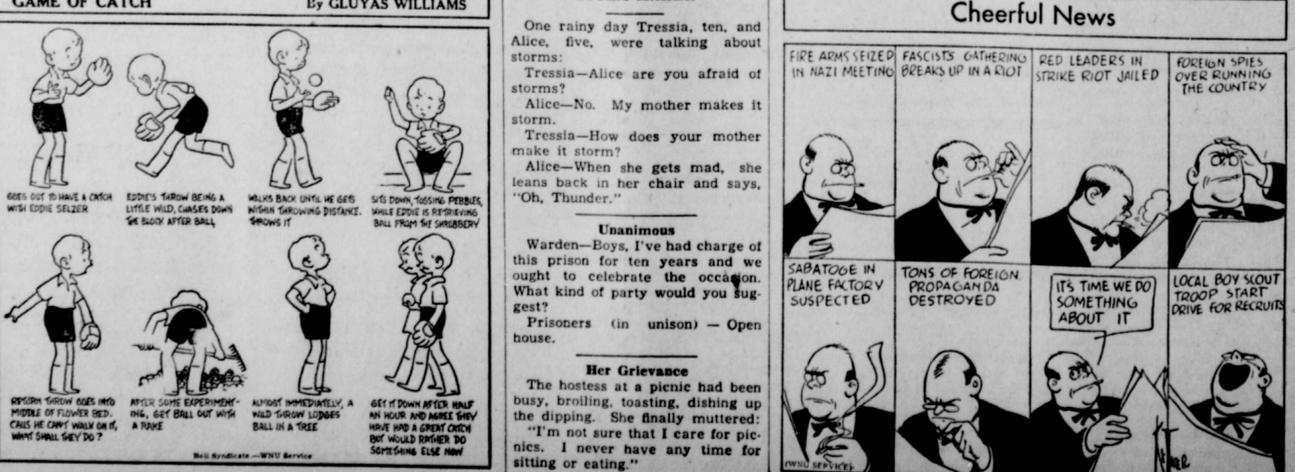
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EAST AND WEST

BY TALBOT MUNDY

TALBOT MUNDY—WNU SERVICE

Strange Facts

Bats Aren't Batty
Set for Next World
Swift Blow-Up

The only animals known to carry their lunches on journeys are certain species of bats, notably the Pipistrellus pygmaeus. They curl their tails into pouches, fill them with insects and feed while in flight.

On the day before a Chinese funeral, the family of the deceased purchase and burn a number of paper representations of horses, boxes of money, extra clothes and servants, which he or she will need in the next world. Incidentally, the shops selling this merchandise are usually known as "hell-equipment stores."

Nitroglycerin acts with such rapidity that if a five-mile pipe filled with it were detonated at one end the entire column would explode—and produce 10,000 times its own volume of gas—in about one second.—Collier's.

Strong Take the Weak

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WEATHER BILIOUSNESS

noticed that in hot weather digestion and elimination become torpid or lazy? Sour, farts, gas, causes heartburn, and a feeling of fullness and irritability. Your bowels are coated, your bowels are sluggish or insufficient.

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Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.,
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Lesson for September 10

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HEZEKIAH: A KING WHO REMEMBERED GOD

LESSON TEXT—II Chronicles 30:13-22.
GOLDEN TEXT—Turn us again, O God, and cause thy face to shine; and we shall be saved.—Psalm 80:3.

The way out—that seems to be the chief object of the search of men. The world is in what seems like hopeless confusion with the imminent danger of a devastating explosion which may in the judgment of some destroy civilization. Politics, economics, education, yes, even religion, have tried their hands at solving the problem and we seem to be worse off than ever. Conditions are much as they were when Hezekiah came to the throne after the death of his wicked father Ahab, who had brought Judah into moral, spiritual, and national declension and disgrace.

The young king brought the nation back within a few years to peace and prosperity. How did he do it? He did not do it. God did it, and He did it because Hezekiah remembered Him and led His people in a return to God, in a recognition of His Word, and to restored worship. God therefore prospered them.

It is significant that while our lesson is about King Hezekiah, his background quickly recedes into the background of our thinking and our praise. Truly great men do not magnify themselves or their own names, but point by their very greatness to the eternal God to whom they give the glory. Let us consider how God worked through Hezekiah.

I. A Cleansed Temple.
Our lesson calls for attention to the context. Read chapter 29 and learn how the priests and Levites first were directed by the king to cleanse the temple which had suffered degradation and disgrace under King Ahab. Sixteen days were devoted to a thorough clean-up.

That's a good place to start. America, how about cleaning up our churches? Some of them need attention to their physical property, cleaning and rehabilitation. Others are beautifully kept up as far as the building is concerned, but the rubbish is in the teaching and in the manner of worship. Let's clean that up too.

II. A Prepared Priesthood.
Hezekiah gathered the scattered priests and Levites, but he did not permit them to serve in the temple until they had been sanctified and prepared for their work. The men who stand in the sanctuary to direct the worship of God must not only be men of God's own choosing, but they must be cleansed by the blood. As the sacrifices were offered in Hezekiah's day, so for us has One been given in holy sacrifice, and unless those who profess to be His ministers have been cleansed by His blood they have no proper place in His service or in the sanctuary.

III. A Purified People.
The people of the nation were not ready for God's blessing. Some of those in the northern kingdom, to whom the royal invitation had graciously been extended to come to the Passover, scorned the invitation (30:10). There was nothing that could be done for them. But others humbled themselves and came (v. 11), and those in Judah came out in a great assembly (vv. 12, 13).

Observe carefully that this was more than a great homecoming or jubilee event. The people were here to worship God and they needed to be prepared by being "healed" of their sins (vv. 18, 20). They too needed the cleansing blood. It is the only way even now, for "without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sin" (Heb. 9:22). Sin is what we must be cleansed from and healed of if God is to bless our land.

IV. A Feast of Joy and Blessing.
The nation and its leaders kept the feast not only for seven days, but they were not satisfied with this, but they kept it for seven more days. Think of many of us who can hardly sit through an hour of service on Sunday morning, and if we also go to Sunday school we are quite worn out. It is just "impossible" for us to get to the Sunday evening service or to the midweek prayer meeting. Evidently we do not have the spirit of the people of Hezekiah's day or the joy that they found in their hearts as they worshipped God. If we did, we would seek His house and give ourselves gladly to His worship. The result would be that we would receive some of the great blessings which came to the people of Judah.

The reading of II Chronicles 31 and 32 will reveal how God responded to the cry of His people and how He blessed and prospered them. He is the same God today and He can and will do wondrous things for those who trust and honor Him.

Commonest Faults
Some of the commonest faults of thought and work are those which come from thinking too poorly of our own lives and of that which most rightly be demanded of us.—Bishop Paget.

THE STORY THUS FAR

Captain Carl Norwood has been sent from his native England to the Kadur district in India, along with his indispensable manservant, Moses O'Leary, soldier of fortune. Norwood's job is to survey the district to determine whether a valuable secret diamond mine belongs to the temple priests or to the ruler, the Maharajah of Kadur. Norwood calls on the British Residency to pay his initial respects. On his way he catches a glimpse of two women in a palace carriage, one of whom is young and beautiful. The other woman he knows to be the Maharajah's wife. O'Leary later tells him that the young woman is an American girl named Lynn Harding, who with her aunt, Mrs. Deborah Harding, is a guest at the palace. On a sightseeing tour Mrs. Harding sprains an ankle, and sends to the palace for aid. Prince Rundhia, handsome, spoiled nephew of the ruler, comes to her rescue, and takes her back to the palace where he meets Lynn. At a banquet that night in the palace, attended by Captain Norwood, Mrs. Harding takes one of the native doctor's pills, and becomes violently ill. She is placed in bed and arrangements are made for Lynn to move out of the quarters with her aunt and stay with the Maharajah. That evening Prince Rundhia attempts to make love to Lynn. She is unwilling to listen to him, and at the crucial moment Norwood appears on the scene, much to Rundhia's disgust. O'Leary has located the secret entrance to the diamond mine which is being worked by the temple priests. He takes Norwood to the mine, where death is narrowly averted when a live cobra is thrown in Norwood's face. Later Norwood visits the Brahmin priests, one of whom slyly slips a packet of diamonds in his pocket, unknown to Norwood. They are intended as a bribe. While Norwood is talking to Lynn the diamonds fall from his pocket. She notices them, and sees that he is surprised. Later, when Rundhia tries to make love to her, she mentions the diamonds in order to divert his mind. She realizes it was a mistake. Rundhia, though chagrined by Lynn's attitude, is glad to hear of the diamonds. He goes immediately to the British Residency, and tells the Resident of the diamonds.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

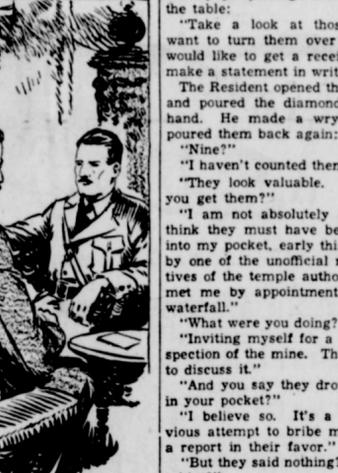
"Rundhia, you are talking dangerously," said the Resident.
"Yes. Whose danger? It would smell sweet, wouldn't it? I was riding early this morning. I saw Norwood on his way to the river—overheard him say that priests were waiting for him near the river. And I happen to know he was down by the river after midnight last night. Now he carries diamonds in his tunic pocket."
"Have you seen them?"
"No."
"Who did?"
"I am well informed about it."
"Look here, Rundhia. You don't expect me, do you, to credit an unsupported charge, based on hearsay, against an officer who has a perfectly clean record?"
"Would you prefer that I take my information elsewhere?"
"Who was your informant?"
"I refuse to tell you."
The Resident rose from his chair: "I hope the drive home won't affect you disagreeably!"
Rundhia actually started for the door. As he drew abreast, the Resident said:
"Hello, I notice your nose is bleeding. Have you been in an accident?"
"Ask Norwood!"
"You mean to tell me? Do you know where Norwood is now?"
"At the palace, in conference, perhaps fishing for a larger bribe from someone else."
"Now, now, Rundhia! Who was your informant about those diamonds?"
"I might tell you in strict confidence."
"I promise nothing. But I will believe nothing unless you tell me your informant's name."
"Between you and me, it was Miss Lynn Harding."
"How should she know?"
"She saw them. Norwood is in love with her."
"Any fool could guess it. I think Norwood casually let her see them to impress her. He is mad about her. Don't quote me. It's up to you now."

CHAPTER IX
The Maharajah's maid, who changed Lynn's frock, was one of those who had been loaned to Aunt Harding, because she knew English. It was impossible not to believe that the Maharajah already knew more than the facts about Lynn's break with her aunt. The maid left the bedroom. The Maharajah sat by the veranda window, staring past the edge of the sun-blind into the garden. There was hardly a sound except the purring of the two electric fans.

Meanwhile, she smoked a cigarette and watched the Maharajah, who seemed to Lynn to be considering not what to say, but how to say what was crowding her thought.
"Maharajah dear, I wish you wouldn't feel so upset."
"How you must despise us."
"Please! I don't. To go away leaving you thinking anything as untrue as that would be dreadful. I am not even angry with Rundhia."
"I am more than angry with him," said the Maharajah. "I am ashamed. Lynn, is it true—it has been told to me—that Mrs. Harding saw Rundhia kiss you in the garden?"
"Yes. That, too, was my fault. I could have prevented it. I knew Aunt Harding was looking. I did it to annoy her."
"Not because you like Rundhia?"
"Oh, I like him. He is the handsomest thing I have ever seen, and amusing. I was playing with fire, I knew that."
The Maharajah's worried face relaxed into a wise smile: "My dear, you don't know Rundhia if you think he won't try it again! Unless—is it true—it has been told to me—that Mrs. Harding has decided not to stay here any longer?"
"First train, and first steamer for home," Lynn answered. "Marching orders. At the moment, it hurts her to move and she can't keep food down. But the doctor can pro-

duce artfully evasive perjury. Norwood sat at the foot of the long table, looked, listened, and made endless notes.
They weren't half through by lunch-time. They gave him tiffin in the palace, all by himself, in a silent room, where a clock ticked as loud as fork against plate and he caught himself eating in time to the hypnotic beat, thinking of diamonds. Curried mutton and rice. Whiskey and soda. Sweet cakes. Fruit. Coffee. A cigar. And then back to the Council room to listen to more arguments that were interrupted by the arrival of Rundhia's Bengali physician, shepherding a servant who carried a big blue goblet on a plate.
The Maharajah swallowed his tonic and immediately became less nervous. Then he asked, in English, presumably for Norwood's benefit:
"How is Mrs. Harding?"
Norwood cared less than nothing about Mrs. Harding's feelings at the moment, but he couldn't help hearing the doctor's answer:
"She is not well. But I cannot persuade her to take medicine. She is petulant—very."
The Maharajah tried to seem incredulous of any lady's petulance: "Convey my solicitude."
Norwood managed to escape from the conference soon after that. He was away on the horse before the said woke up. He entered to the Residency, where he had to wait in the office an exasperating fifteen minutes, until the Resident could be awakened from his afternoon snooze and could get tubbed and come downstairs.
"May I see you alone, sir?"
The Resident nodded. He didn't appear to enjoy the prospect. They went into the darkened library, and Norwood sat in the same chair that Rundhia had occupied. He laid the black paper package of diamonds on the table.
"Take a look at those, sir. I want to turn them over to you. I would like to get a receipt, and to make a statement in writing."
The Resident opened the envelope and poured the diamonds into his hand. He made a wry face and poured them back again:
"Nine?"
"I haven't counted them."
"They look valuable. Where did you get them?"
"I am not absolutely certain. I think they must have been slipped into my pocket, early this morning, by one of the unofficial representatives of the temple authorities, who met me by appointment, near the waterfall."
"What were you doing?"
"Inviting myself for a visit of inspection of the mine. They met me to discuss it."
"And you say they dropped these in your pocket?"
"I believe so. It's a pretty obvious attempt to bribe me to write a report in their favor."
"But they said nothing? Not even a hint?"
"One of them, I remember, did say he hoped my judgment wouldn't be affected by worthless arguments. He rather dwelt on the word worthless, but it made no special impression on me at the time."
"Very well, Captain Norwood, I will take your statement." The Resident glanced at his watch. "You're rather late with it. There seems to me to be needed some explanation when you called this morning."
"I didn't know, at that time, that I had them in my pocket."
The Resident's face was expressionless: "You had better be sure to include that in your statement. It's credible, of course, in view of your record. But people might draw inferences. Don't you think so?"
"You suggest, sir?"
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ably fix that. And she's brave. She has an iron will. She told me to pack my things."
"And will you do it?"
"What in the world else can I do? I haven't a sous marquis to my name. Aunt gives me pocket money—no more."
The Maharajah smiled: "Yes. Lack of money can make even Rundhia obey. But it is a limited power. It can be broken."
"So I think. But it remains to be seen," Lynn answered.
"You are of age? You don't look it, but you are, are you not? If I invite you to remain in the palace as my guest, will you accept?"
"How can I?"
"It would give me very great pleasure to provide you with more than pocket money. I can easily invent a salaried position. You have been such a comfort, such a joy to me, that your companionship would more than justify a requisition on the table."
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"Well, perhaps I was mistaken." His Highness my husband's exchequer. Is it true—it has been told to me—that Mrs. Harding threatened to—my informant did not clearly understand—I think the word was disinherit?"
"Aunt has threatened that several times. Today I took her at her word." Lynn answered. "She will pay my fare home. After that, I go on my own way—earn a living. It was final."

"Can you legally be left without money?"
"I suppose so."
"You say you will earn a living. How? What can you do?"
"I don't know yet."
"For such a beautiful girl as you are there is always marriage to look forward to. Is Mrs. Harding not afraid of what people may say if she should leave you penniless until you marry?"
"She isn't afraid of people. Other people are afraid of her. She will simply say I was impossible. But I won't accept another cent from her. Maharajah dear, you can't guess. Perhaps I'm as ungrateful and bad as she says. But I know what I have had to endure. No more humiliation from Aunt Harding! I am through."
"Lynn darling, say nothing until you have thought. You haven't had time to think. And you are naturally prejudiced at the moment, even though you are so magnanimous and don't admit it. A greater magnanimity than yours I have seldom heard of. Lynn, the offer of a throne is not contemptible. Shall I write a note to Mrs. Harding saying you have accepted my invitation to stay with us?"
"Better let me tell her that," said Lynn. "Aunt would blow up. She isn't one bit pleasant when she's angry. Say you've invited me. How would that be?"

The Maharajah bleated like an old sheep. A lawyer in a black alpaca frock coat draped interminable arguments. Documents were produced. Expert witnesses committed

Weather Men Tell Army How Big Dams Must Be
The "biggest rain" that might fall on a river or creek watershed is one of the things that engineers need to know in building a dam for flood control. This hypothetical rain must be at maximum intensity and duration. The run-off from such a rain determines the size of the dam—and more especially—the size of the spillway. Huge losses may be avoided if the dam and spillway are big enough to withstand any flood that may develop. Huge savings result when construction does not exceed needs for which the dam is built.
Rainfall records and hydrometeorological specialists of the United States weather bureau provide the corps of engineers, United States army, with essential information on possible maximum precipitations in a number of watersheds or basins where flood-control projects are under way. The figures turned over to the engineers by the river and flood division of the weather bureau, represent the maximum in rain intensity and duration that may be expected. The biggest rain that may be expected would equal any big rains that have fallen, or might fall, on the river basin in question. The Arkansas river basin above

Caddoa, Colo., where a dam is to be built, is a good example. In checking its records, the weather bureau considered all big rains in that part of the United States and determined whether or not they might have fallen on the upper Arkansas watershed. The probability of a big rain than the hypothetical rain is a virtual impossibility, says the weather bureau.
The weather bureau has figures on the maximum rainfall for other such watersheds. Among them, the Arkansas river basin above Caddoa, Colo., the St. Francis river above Wappello, Mo., the White river above the Mud Mountain damsite in Washington, Wolf creek above Fort Supply in Oklahoma, and Mill creek in Cincinnati. It is planned to make a similar study of all principal river basins in the country.
Killarney's Lakes Once Private
For many centuries Ireland's celebrated Lakes of Killarney were private property. They were a part of the great Killarney estate until 1830 when this huge tract of land, upon being auctioned, was purchased and presented to the Irish Free State by William B. Boush of California.

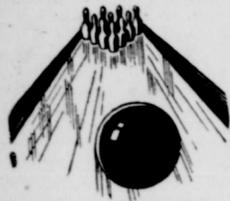
AGGIE BRIEFS

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to take out insurance that the 1940 wheat crop must be insured before seeding. The price of wheat is advancing everyday, therefore, the longer you wait the more your insurance premium will be, so if you are going to insure, we would like to advise that you take advantage of the rates before they go high.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bomar, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens and Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Witcher and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bean and family, Rev. and Mrs. B. P. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean and family spent Monday on a fishing party at the Elkins Lake near Tullia. The entire day was spent in fishing and picnicking.

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YOURS TRULY

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ready printed asking for volunteers . . . a skelton organization for conscription is perfected to such an extent that within three days after the declaration of war, every man between 18 and 45 will have signed on the dotted line, and that within 90 days over a million soldiers will have been called to the colors.

RIGHT NOW IN Silvertown the big problem is how long you have to wait for your turn at the bowling alley. Printz Brown, I think is the champion. I had him for a -partner the other day and one time he missed completely with both shots. Then I played against him and he got a spare or a strike every time.

ANOTHER PROBLEM which will have to be settled off right away is just what we're going to do about the county judge's mustache. Hitler hasn't a thing on him. It is really quite a delicate affair. It's too small to be of use in case of a sniffling cold, but I would say that that "mouse" color adds to his dignity. As to whether it matches the color of his hair . . . it's too late to say.

PERSONAL TO Vic Lamb . . . "What the heck do you mean shooting that four page circular into Silvertown?"

YES, WE HAVE no stop signs yet. Lewis Gilkeyson has a wonderful thought when he says, "I wish they would put up four gates there on the corner, so that everyone would have to stop and open them before they could get thru."

I TALKED TO Henry Teubel of the Swisher Creamery yesterday. Of course he is interested in better dairy herds in this country, and to help farmers build up their herds, he has three registered bulls that he is letting progressive farmers use free. If you wish the services of any of these fine animals, drop him a card or tell Barney Wilson.

I WONDER HOW that county

budget hearing came out. I asked the clerk and he didn't know. I asked the treasurer and she hadn't heard. I wanted to ask the judge but I figured by that time that it must be a secret. I tried to read the book, but it wasn't all there, or else I wasn't . . . my guess on the thing is that the taxes were lowered so much that the boys don't want to say anything about it for fear we'd think they were bragging.

Claude Crossing News

The Willing Workers Club met with Mrs. Jim Carter August 31. A quilt was quilted and the day finished piecing on another quilt. A good dinner was served and everyone had a nice time. The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. Garvin, and the following meeting will be with Mrs. Curtis King. Those present were Mrs. Gabe Garrison, Mrs. R. B. Byrd, Mrs. D. Garvin, Mrs. Albert Mallow, Mrs. Clyde Lightsey, Mrs. R. L. Carter, and Mrs. Jim Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallow and Sandra went to Plainview Thursday to visit Mrs. Mallow's parents. Mrs. Dee Garvin, Mrs. R. B. Byrd and Mrs. Jim Carter spent Tuesday with Mrs. R. L. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd from Robert Lee, Texas visited in the home of their son, R. B. Byrd and family, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ellis were very pleasantly surprised last Wednesday when a number of relatives and friends came in to spend the day with them. Those visiting in the home were: Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Smith, Maxine, J. C., and Cloyce Thorton of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and Vera Belle of Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of South Plains, Mr. James Smith and Mava, Merle and Joe Cox of McCoy, and Neta Bob Carter of Silvertown.

The Y. W. A. Girls of the Calvary Baptist Church were entertained Friday afternoon from 5:30 to 7:00 at the home of Mrs. R. L. Carter with a swimming party and picnic. Those attending were: Lola

Fern Foust, Doris June Brown, Dorothy O'Hair, Hazel Elliston, Mary Dee Mercer, Neta Bob Carter and their sponsor, Mrs. Jim Bomar. All reported a good time.

Silas Ellis is visiting his parents at Austin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten and children of Tullia visited in the Roy Mayfield home Sunday.

Mary Elizabeth Wilburn visited Sandra Mallow Wednesday.

There were three Baptisms Sunday afternoon at the R. L. Carter tank.

Mrs. E. R. Iroin was at home from Thursday until Monday visiting her son Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Mayfield returned home Sunday from a trip to Fort Worth and Bowie. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hickman and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hickman at Bowie, and on to Ardmore, Oklahoma to visit Mrs. Ella Hunter.

Mrs. B. P. Harrison and Mrs. Silas Ellis entertained the Junior B Y. P. U. of the Calvary Baptist Church at the home of Mrs. Ellis last Friday afternoon from 4 until 7 o'clock. After a number of games were played, refreshments were served to Nelma Joyce, Bonnie Dell, and Ruby Chappell, Alta May, Mary Nell and J. C. Kendrick, Fred Royce Garrison, Ray Cash, Travis and Fayree McMinn, and Latrice, Billie and Travis Ellis.

Joyce and Loyrane Carter spent the night with Sandra Mallow Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Mayfield are to go to Roswell, New Mexico to see Dr. Neely for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ellis and children visited Mrs. P. E. Visage and James Conner at the Plainview Sanitarium last Thursday.

Mr. R. L. Carter, Jim and Neta Bob spent Wednesday in Plainview.

Mrs. Charlie Morris is spending the week in Hereford with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gollihar.

Miss Nettie Faye Byrd came home Sunday from Wayside where

she has been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Garrison and Pascal were in Plainview and Runningwater where they visited with their daughter, Mrs. Leroy Saul, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carter, Neta Bob and Joyce Loyrane visited his sister in Lynn County, Mrs. J. M. Nobles and Lewis and Terry Nobles and friends at Tahoka, also Mr. Robert Mack at Odell.

Mrs. Alfred and Mrs. Ernest Hughes took dinner with Mrs. Dee Garvin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Garrison and Pascal spent the day Sunday in Flomot with Mother Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Printz Brown were in Lubbock and Plainview Friday on business.

Mrs. Dee Garvin and Mrs. Jim Carter received a message Saturday night that their brother, Alfred Hughes, of Abernathy, was seriously ill due to a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Joiner and daughter spent one night last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey.

Minyard Long spent Saturday night with Thomas Olive at the Ranch of Mr. J. H. Burson.

Travis McMinn and Cecil Seaney spent Saturday night with George Long.

J. D. Ellis and a group of boys from Plainview came down Sunday to visit Spence Long and to fish.

North Ward News

North Ward Club Meets
The North Ward Club met with Mrs. Floyd Woods on September 8th, with 14 members present. They were Mrs. John Myers, Mabel Turner, Mrs. Hardin, Mrs. Shaffer, Mrs. Hugh Stodghill, Mrs. Kolb, Mrs. J. C. Turner, Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Mrs. G. W. Seaney, Mrs. Allday, Mrs. Floyd Woods, Mrs. C. M. Strickland, Mrs. Jesse Hill and Mrs. Eldon Ledbetter. Two visitors, Mrs. J. L. Watters and Mrs. Ralph Lemons were at the meeting. The evening was spent quilting. The next meeting will be with Mrs. John Myers and will be an all day meeting with two quilts to be taken care of— one is the club quilt and no one will know when some one will

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need it—so all members please try to be present. Mrs. Myers will have her friendship quilt up and asks everyone to come quilt their block. Each one is requested to bring sandwiches.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Cowsar are having their home remodeled this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin McMimsey and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ledbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood and children spent Sunday in the Ashel Cross home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Trimm left for their home in Tennessee after an extended visit with Mrs. Trimm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seaney and Cecil were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Duncan Sunday in the Rock Creek Community. It was Mr. Duncan's birthday.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strickland Saturday night and Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Trimm, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Strickland and Wilma Gene. Alton Strickland, who is going to school at Lubbock was home also.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Arnold and Gene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stodghill Monday were: Rev. and Mrs. Leverett, Mrs. Dunagan, Mrs. Perry, and Mrs. Mollie Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watters spent last Wednesday where they met with Brice Kolb and Mrs. Arthur Arnold last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur family spent last week in Melrose, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Trimm returned from their home in Tennessee.

Mr. Tom McCain's family and mother spent last week here.

Mr. J. C. Turner's family arrived in the State last week.

Those spending the week at Mrs. Jim Cleavum's home were: Mrs. Allday and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Amarillo visited Mrs. and Mrs. Mollie Bomar over the week end.

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