Our Motto-"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State. But the Get-Up-and-Get That Makes Men Great."

Baird

FORTY-NINTH YEAR

BAIRD CALLAHAN COUNTY TEXAS FRIDAY DECEMBER 4 1936

BAIRD CIVIC CLUB PROGRAM, PLAZA AMATMEURS TO BROADCAST DEC. 10

The civic program to be put on over radio station KRBC, Abilene, through the cooperation of different organizations of the city and the Plaza Theatre will go on the air Thursday, December 10th, announced by Billy Morrow, manager of the Plaza Theatre after a telephone conversation with Howard Barrett, manager of KRBC yesterday. The program will during the coming week. include the amateur contest winners of the Plaza's contest and short talks by leading citizens of Callahan county on the possibilities and achievements of this section. It is hoped night at 11 p. m. and continuing un-that complete co-operation of the til Monday. Owing to the great length citizenry will enable this program to be a definite assest to this trade center. Programs initiated by Sweetwater and others towns have helped considerably so reported the organ- list of stars that are playing in the izers of the programs, and have also been a help in creating a civic pride in the locality.

a courtesy by KRBC, no cost what- sart, Nat Pendleton, Harriet Hoctor ever to the people of the locality. and Joseph Cawthorne. Gene Heard, program director of KRBC will be in the city Friday the 4th. to judge the contest at the Plaza and return the following week to assist in drawing up the radio pro-gram.

Pictures of different sections of the city will be run in the Abilene Reporter-News and feature stories concerning the financial and social highlights of Baird will be included.

Christmas Seals

Texas' first citizen, Gov. James V. Allred, endo rsed the 30th. annual Christmas Seal Sale to fight tuberculosis in a statement to all Texas citizens today as Christmas Seals go on sale throughout the nation.

Gov. Allred said, 'The declining death rate fromtu berculosis is ample demonstration that the state and national tuberculosis associations are ac complishing their purposes. Texas has been generous in contributing to the Texas Tuberculosis Association by the purchase of Christmas |Seals each year. The thirtieth such sale in the nation presents a challenge to good citizens everywhere. As your governor, I earnestly hope that the citi-

Technicolor And Musical Epic Head Plaza Theatre's Week

The Plaza Theatre will present another feature in the new technicolor process, and the largest musical show yet produced on the screen

"The Great Ziegfield," acclaimed by the critics over the country as the greatest picture ever filmed will be on the screen starting Saturday of the picture only one showing will be made to each opening. The schedule may be found in the theatre advertisement in this paper. The great picture include William Powell, Myrna Loy, Louise Rainer, Ray Bolger, Frank Morgan, Fannie Brice, Virginia The program will be presented as Bruce, Reginald Owen, Ernest Cos-

> Starting Wednesday and Thursday comes "Ramona," filmed in the new perfected technicolor. "Ramona" proves for the first time that the color camera is finally free from all restrictions. Filmed almost entirely out-of-doors, there is a sense of limitless space, rolling purple hills, giant trees, green gold meadows, streams, dawns, sunsets, in beauty that is breath-taking. Without color, "Ramona' is one of the greatest stories of all time and with color, "Ramona" becomes one of the greatest pictures ever made. Starring in the picture is Loretta Young and Don Ameche, supported b. Kent Taylor, Jane Darwell, John Carradine, Chief Thunder Cloud and two thousand

> others. evUPi,foRa etaoin shrdlu etaoin oin

Baird Students Make College Honor Rolls

Miss Mary Jo Hart, daughter of Miss Mary Jo Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart of Baird, was Mr. and Mrs. Fred hart of the midsemester report at Abilene Christian College this week, according to the records of Mrs. Clara Bishop, regis-

Baird Students Treak John Dawkins Re-**Back To School**

Baird boys and girls who came home to spend the Thanksgiving holi days at home have treaked back to for the past several years, have college where they will put in a few moved back to Texas, back to God's more weeks' school work before coming home again for the Christmas it. They arrived in Baird Tuesday holidays. Those home were: Misses Mary Jo Hart, A.C.C.; Cora Mae Mayes, Edith Lewis, Horace Cook, Hardin-Simmons; Susie Lee Smith, Martha Scoggins, Carlyne Hearne, urday evening and spent Sunday see-Donald Eugene Cooper, Fayne Hollingshead, Harold Hensley, McMurry; Kenneth George, John Tarleton, Stephenville; Beatrice Hickman, Daniel Baker, Brownwood; Bobbye Griggs, C.I.A.; Ruth Ray and Ida Louise Fetterley, N.T.S.T.C., Denton; Polly Rumph, Catherine James, Kay Mc-Coy, Shelba Jones and Bland Bounds, Texas Tech, Lubbock; Clifton Hill, Randall Jackson, Judson Atchison

Best Yet Sandwich Shop Opens

Texas, Austin.

and Fabian Bearden, University of

Misses Viletta and Daphna Wylie, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wylie of Baird are the new proprietors of the Best Yet Sandwich Shop, formerly owned by Mr. Love. The shop is located one door north

of the Vogue Beauty Shoppe and is proving a most popular place to eat. Misses Viletta and Daphna Wylie

are both graduates of the Baird high school and are most desiring and popular young ladies. The young ladies extend a cordial

welcome to all to visit their shop.

Wanda Barrett, who has been a patient at the Shriners Hospital Dallas, returned home a few days ago. Her father went down to accompany her home.

turn To Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. R. Dawkins, who have been living in Pawtucket, R. I. country, as Mr. Dawkins expressed afternoon, having driven through in their car, driving twelve hundred miles of the way through sleet and snow. They reached Dallas late Sating the Texas Centennial.

Mr. Dawkins has not yet decided night January 1, 1937, according to where he will locate whether in Baird an announcement from Mr. A. F. or Abilene, but wherever they locate Baldus, general traffic manager of we gladly welcome Mr. Dawkins and Southwestern Greyhound Lines, Inc. wife back to the old home. John Dawkins is the youngest son

of the late R. C. Dawkins and wife, pioneers of Admiral community where John was born and spent his boyhood days and while though the past years he has traveled far he has always kept a warm spot in his heart for the old home and his boyhood friends.

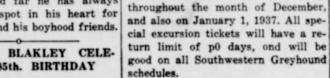
MRS. JOHN BLAKLEY CELE-BRATES 85th. BIRTHDAY

Mrs. John Blakley, one of the earliest residents of Belle Plain, celebrated her 85th. birthday Monday, Nov. 30th. The day was quietly spent at the old home where she has lived for more than a half century, with her son and daughter, Teller and

Evalyn. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Blakley of Abilene also spent the day. A beautiful three tiered birthday cake, a gift from Miss Ella Moore Seale was among the gifts received by Mrs. Blakley on her birthday.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Rev. Willis P. Gerhart will preach and hold Holy Communion at the Episcopal Chapel of the Lord's Prayer Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.



Two Former Baird

Star

Greyhound To Offer

Special Holiday Ex-

cursion Fares

Southwestern Greyhound Lines

A special round trip rate of one

and one-half times the regular race

will become effective December 1st.

to all points on Southwestern Grey-

hound Lines. This special holiday ex-

cursion rate will be on sale daily

CHRISTMAS STREET LIGHTS WERE

TURNED ON IN BAIRD LAST NIGHT

A. A. Callahan, an early day resident of Callahan county and who for a number of years lived in Baird for sometime working for T. E. Powell, who was then engaged in the dry goods business, is seriously ill at his home at McLean.

Mr. Callahan spent several months the past summer and fall at Mineral Wells for the benefit of his health. T. E. Powell and Carol Bradford returned Wednesday night from Mc-

Lean where they visited Mr. Callahan and report his condition very grave. Sarah Nelle Cooke John A. Castles of Abilene, formerly engaged in the jewelry and watch making business in Baird, nearly forty years ago, is seriously ill Abilene.

ofof their serious illness.

Dale Haynes Enlists In U. S. Army

high school the past year, has enlist- blue silk, with navy accessories. ed in the United States army and has been assigned to Field Artillery, Fort Sill, Okla. ñ Young Haynes is a son of Mrs. Ethel Ashley of Oplin and a nephew school. of Mrs. Joe Glover of Baird. Sgt. Clifton King, Army Recruiting officer at Abilene, says there are still additional vacancies in the Field Artillery at Fort Sill which is the home of the Field Artillery School. Applicants should contact Sgt. King in the post office at Abilene.

Baird is being gaily decorated for the Christmas holidays. Main street is strung with many beautiful colored lights and business houses are being decorated in Christmas colors. Baird merchants are filling their stores with gifts and anticipate a will offer special holiday excursion fine business. fares from December 1st. until mid-

The Star will issue a special Christmas Shoppers edition next week when Baird merchants will be given an opportunity to tell the buying public what wonderful Christmas gift bargains are to be found.

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J. A. Reese Killed In Auto Crash

J. A. (Jack) Reese of Bartesville, Okla., a prominent oil man, was killed instantly in an automobile crash about 13 miles north of Burlengton, Kansas and Mrs. Reese was seriously injured. They were driving to Council Grove, Kansas to spend Residents Seriously Ill Thanksgiving with their son. Mrs. Reese was taken to Burlington for treatment for chest and leg injuries and was unconscious some two hours and not until she gained consciousness were they able to notify relatives of the accident which happened Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

> Mr. Reese was taken to Council Grove, his old home, for burial.

> Mrs. Reese was the former Mary McGowen, sister of Mrs. W. D. Boydstun and Joe McGowen of Baird.

Bride Of Carl Cook

Marriage of Miss Sarah Nelle at the Hendrick Memorial hospital, Cooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cook of Abilene and Carl Cook Many old friends of Mr. Callahan of Midway was solemnized Thursday and Mr. Castles will lean with regret morning, Nov. 26 at the home of the Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baird Baptist church. The Rev. Mr. Mayes officiated.

Attendants were Miss Julia Cooke. sister of the bride, A. R. Dillard of Midway, Miss Freda Louise Crow of Eden, and Willis Cooke, brother of Dale Haynes, a graduate of Baird the bride. The bride wore Britany

zens of Texas will contribute to cause this year to the limit that their means will permit."

Texans who purchase Christmas Seals this year will assist their state and local tuberculosis associations in a concerted drive planned for 1937 to reach more people between the ages of 15 and 45, where tuberculosis is still the leading cause of death with those methods of diagnosis, prevention and cure which have reduced the death rate from tuberculosis more than two-thirds in the past 30 years.

MISS IDA LOUISE FETTERLEY **REPRESENTS CLUB AT CON-**VENTION

Miss Ida Louise Fetterley, student at N.T.S.T.C., Denton, was one of ten woman students at the College to represent campus girl's clubs at the convention of the Texas Federated Women'sC lubs in San Antonio.

The college group were accompanied by Mrs. George Medders, of the faculty. Miss Fetterley represented the Junior Current Literature Club. The Teachers College group were honored with a drive over the city of San Antonio, a theatre party, and a dance at the St. Anthony, San Antonio hotel.

Mrss. Mary Guyton of Putnam was in Baird on business Wednesday.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS EDITION

The Star will issue a special Christmas Shopping edition on December 11th. This will give Baird merchants an opportunity to attract hundreds of additional Christ mas Shoppers. Make this the biggest Christmas your store has ever had.

ADVERTISE IN THE STAR

Miss Hart earned honor grades in Bible 361, Bible 273, and education. Miss Hope Reed, junior from Colton, California, Miss LaVerne Mc-Gregor, junior from Troup, Texas, and Miss Cleone White, Abilene earn-

ed honor grades in all of their six courses. Two blind boys in the college had honr grades in five subjects which was their full course.

Analysis of the honor roll shows that 328 students names are on the roll in one subject or more. A grade of B plus or above for the mid-semes ter report is an honor grade in A.C.C. Twenty students had honor grades in five subjects, 25 in four subjects and 63 in three subjects.

Edith Lewis of Baird was one of the twenty Hardin-Simmons univer sity students who were reported to be leading the entire student body in scholastic rcords at mid-term, Dr. J. D. Sandefer, president, announced this week.

Miss Lewis maintained a straight 'A' average, the highest possible rec-ognition given under the university grading system, Dr. Sandefer explained.

Requirement for reaching the covet ed rank provides that students must have an 'A' average on all subjects at mid-term, that only those taking twelve or more semester hours will be eligible, and that fine arts stu dents be barrd from eigibility. Survey of the mid-term honor stu

dents shows that sophomores placed the greatest number on the list, followed closely by the junior class, and that girls outnumbered boys by more than two to one.

Reports on all students' mid-semes ter grades were mailed to parents last week.

SINGING CONVENTION

The Callahan county Singing Convention meets at Belle Plain Dec. 6th.

Through error last week The Star stated that the Convention would be d Nov. 29.

WHILE THE SUN SHINES!

MAKE

. . This is a message for businessmen, but no one is going to object if you read it too. For it's simply a reminder that there are only 18 shopping days left until Christmas.

. . Those of you who are wise-both businessmen and buyers-will make hay while the sun shines.

. By this we mean that the wise merchant will tell his prospects what he has in the way of gift merchandise at this biggest buying season of the year. -And the wise buyer will read the advertisements to search for bargains and he will buy early before the pick of the gifts has been snapped up.

. There are only two more issues of The Star before Christmas. We are ready to help you prepare your advertisements so that they will not only pay for themselves, but they will declare dividends for you. -And we want you to know that we will appreciate a share of your Christmas advertising!

. The Star will issue its annual Christmas Shopping edition next week which will give a golden opportunity for every Baird merchant to attract hundreds of additional Christmas shoppers to their stores.

. . . The Star will also celebrate its 49th. anniversary next week.

A Word To You Credit Customers

. In our visits with the merchants, we sometimes hear that those persons to whom the most liberal credit terms have been granted are often inclined to avoid buying at that store after they run up a bill, and they go elsewhere to pay cash when they have the money.

This isn't a square deal for the merchant who extends credit. Don't avoid him; he usually knows your circumstances. But when you have the CASH-perhaps through a corn-hog or wheat allotment check-go to him and give him some of your cash business. If you can pay him a little on your bill, so much the better; but at least play square with him and spend your cash with him.

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"Callahan County's Oldest Newspaper"

Garrett Left For Washington Tuesday

Eastland county left Tuesday for club on keeping the town clean and district January 1.

experienced Washington workers.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Presbyterian Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with on "The Southern Mountains and gram was given: Ozarks; Mrs. Hensley told a story on "The Siam Outlook" and read an article on "Flowers of the Bible." Mrs. Elliott gave a prayer for the Missionaries and a Bible Spelling Contest concluded the program. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Powell, Hensley, Jones, Mulligan Kehrer, Vestal, Fulton, Billy Henry, Elliott, Roy Hamby, R. L. Elliott, Jr., Eastham, Cap Gilliland

Mrs. Cook moved with her parents from Baird to Winters where she was an honor graduate from high

Mr. Cook is the son of Mrs. R. W. Cook. The young couple will live on the Cook ranch northwest of Baird.

Garden Club

The Garden Club met Tuesday at 9 a. m. at the court house. Fifteen members were present. Mrs. L. L. Blackburn gave a very interesting talk on shrubs. Mrs. Bearden, the president, introduced Mrs. John County Judge Clyde L. Garrett of Dressen of Abilene who addressed the

Washington, D. C., to arrange living planting flowers to beautify the same. quarters preparatory to assuming This was instructive as well as enduties as congressman of the 17th. joyable. The Club wished each per-

son in Baird could have heard this J. W. Cockrill, Gorman editor and address. Mrs. Dressen introduced Mrs publisher, who has been appointed J. H. Means of Abilene who presented Garrett's secretary, will leave from paintings of Mrs. Nelle Pounders of his home about December 15. Cock- Tyler, noted artist of East Texas. rill's assistants will be secured from Her talk was enjoyed by all present. The Club adjourned to meet Jan.

5th., 1937.

Junior Wed. Club

The Junior Wednesday Club met Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mrs. Mulligan December 2 with Miss Beatrice Green hostess. Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr. was as hostess. This meeting was the anleader of the following program: nual observance of Bible Day. Seven-Mrs. Roy Homby read Mat. 10:32:42, teen members answered roll call with Mrs. Ivey gave an interesting talk Bible quotations. The following pro-

> "An Evening Prayer"-Mrs. Wilbur Brian

> Delamore, the Duponts and New Jersey-Mrs. Stafford Alexander. Washington, the Nation's Capitol

-Mrs. Percy King.

Mrs. Billy Morrow was a guest of the club.

Alex Barton of Denton ird yesterday.

Johnson and Ivey.

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BRISBANE News Review of Current THIS WEEK

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

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



tle fishing from a whale boat off Port-of-Spain. It was poor fishing, but the President did not complain; he caught something worth while on election dayto catch forty-six out of a possible forty-eight fish is good fishing. and Europe Asia seem to be getting a little

Arthur Brisbane closer to war, although many wise ones think it still

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Events the World Over

Drouth Commission Gets Data for Program-Britain Moves to Protect Her Shipping From Spanish Fascists-German-Russian Break Threatened.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

CHAIRMAN MORRIS L. COOKE and other members of the federal great plains drouth commission are holding a series of meet-Intelligencer.

ings in the drouth blighted states for the purpose of for-mulating a relief and control program and are calling in the farmers to consult with them. At the first of these sessions, in Bismarck, N. D., officials and agricul-turists of Montana,

M. L. Cooke Wyoming, Nebraska and North and South Dakota heard O. W. Roberts, federal meteorologist, give the encouraging promise greater than normal precipithat tation is anticipated in those states next spring on the basis of light precipitation this fall."

Reports of existing conditions, however, showed that the situation is serious. Gov. Walter Welford, of North Dakota, told the conference that water levels throughout his state are seriously diminished, constituting a major problem for the state and federal governments.

Another official declared that North Dakota's live stock situation is "most deplorable," that virtually no live stock is left on ranges in western sections of the state and that feed is seriously scarce in all sections.

"There is no magic wand at the disposal of the government to make drouth areas bloom," Mr. Cooke said. "We came here to hear your suggestions and we hope to gain from this and similar meetings data which will guide future, helpful legislation.

"The reports so far received indicate that much can be done through government assistance and expert advice.'

THE Mississippi Valley association, meeting in St. Louis, adopted a resolution calling for rejection of the St. Lawrence seaway treaty unless the crown colony of Newfoundland and Anticosta island are ceded to the United States by Great Britain. Of course no one thinks for a minute that Britain ever would do that.

"The position of Newfoundland, astride the mouth of the St. Lawrence, is an insuperable obstacle to the treaty in its present form," the resolution said, "inasmuch as Newfoundland is a crown colony of Great Britain and is entirely separate from Canada.

"This crown colony as well as the St. Lawrence plug of Anticosta Island should both be ceded to the United States to guarantee our safety in case of war.

The new president of the association is Arthur J. Weaver, former governor of Nebraska and now president of the Missouri River Navigation association.

The charges against the mayor largely have to do with his actions in connection with the strike of employees of the Seattle Post-

GREAT BRITAIN asked Gen. Francisco Franco, leader of the Spanish rebels, to establish a safety zone for neutral ships in Barcelona harbor which the Fascist chieftain had declared blockaded. Franco's reply was not satisfactory, and besides, one of his vessels sank an unidentified ship off the capital of Catalonia. Therefore the British government promptly started a considerable number of warships toward the Mediterranean, cruisers and submarines being included. Foreign Minister Eden already had assured parliament that British shipping would be protected on the high seas with all the might of the British navy-which is something to give the Spanish Fascists pause. France took the same stand, but warned its merchantmen to conduct themselves "with extreme caution."

Excitement over the torpedo attack on a loyal Spanish cruiser by a submarine which the Madrid government more than hinted was a German vessel was allayed by the report that the undersea boat was a Spanish submarine that had gone over to the rebel side.

Madrid was being continually hammered by rebel shells and bombs, and there was intense fighting daily in University City, the northwest section of the capital, where the insurgents had penetrated. The American embassy was closed on orders from Washington and Eric C. Wendelin, charge d'affaires, gave protection to those Americans who wished to go to Valencia to board a United States warship. The German and Italian embassies, abandoned by their staffs, were seized and sealed by the defense junta and a number of Fascist refugees were arrested in the former. Berlin scoffed at this action but Rome called it banditry.

E.I. STICKLING, a German en-gineer, was sentenced to death in Russia for sabotage which he was said to have confessed. Hitler had his ambassador in Moscow make earnest demands for postponement of the execution, and then suddenly announced that if the sentence were carried out Germany would sever diplomatic relations with the soviet government. Great Britain feared such action would seriously aggravate the European war situation and so Prime Minister Baldwin interceded. He asked German Amassador Von Ribbentrop to urge Hitler not to bring about the open break with Russia, and he instructed the British ambassador at Moscow to appeal for mercy for Strick-

REPORTING on its annual survey, the National Child Labor committee says the improved business activity has been accompanied by a general increase in the use of child labor, with "appalling conditions" in some industries.

"It appears to be hard for the individual who sees business and trade reviving," the report said, "to pause to consider the extent to which this process of creating wealth is being built upon the backs of children who need to be in school instead of having their youth ground out of them at labor."

KARL VON OSSIETSKY, Ger-man pacifist who has been imprisoned by the Nazi government after being convicted of treason, has been awarded the Nobel peace prize for 1935—and the Nazis are exceedingly indignant, looking upon the award as "an impudent challenge and insult to the new Germany." Ossietsky, who is seriously ill, was released from prison recently but is under guard by the secret police. His "treason" consisted in printing an article some time ago saying the German army was secretly rearming.

The peace prize for 1936 was given Carlos Saavedra Lamas, Argentine foreign minister, recently pres-ident of the League of Nations assembly and active in ending the Chaco war between Bolivia and Paraguay.

ORIS P. VAN SWERINGEN, the Cleveland financier who, with his late brother M. J. Van Sweringen, created a great railway em-pire, died suddenly while on a railroad trip to New York. In his 57 years of life he rose from being a newsboy to a commanding position in American transportation. The great depression almost ruined the brothers financially, but Oris was well on the way to complete financial recovery.

DICTATOR JOSEF STALIN, in one of his exceedingly rare public speeches, presented to his fellow countrymen the proposed constitution which he himself has written for the U. S. S. R. The document promises many new liberties and privileges to Russian citizens. These include equal suffrage, the secret ballot, the right to work, leisure, material security in old age, education, equal rights for women, universal equality- of citizenry, freedom of conscience and the right to worship, freedom of speech. press, assembly and meetings and the right to organize into any group except political bodies.

THAT work relief as adminis-tered by the federal government be gradually discontinued is

the recommendation of the board of United States Chamber of Com-merce. The board adopted a report of a committee headed by John W. O'Leary of Chicago which held that the work relief "proves in operation to fall far short of its purposes and to create new problems."

"The committee." said the report, "does not propose sudden and instantaneous stoppage. Those gradual steps should be taken

Simple But Smart Models



fitted at the waist. As easy to make as to wear, this pattern is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, and 52. Send for it today. Size 38 requires just 3% yards of 35 inch fabric, dimity or percale or gingham or seersucker.

The tempting model for tiny tots, Pattern 1944, is likewise utterly simple to make, yet as cunning as can be. Good for party or for play, it is a pattern you can cut twice and save for future use in any of a wide range of fabrics. The tiny puff sleeves are cut in one with the shoulder with just two simple pieces for the front and back of the dress. The size range-six months, one, two and three years. The one year size requires 1% yards of 36 inch material, and if you wish you can make the pockets, cuffs and facings in contrast.

Send for the Barbara Bell Fall and Winter Pattern Book containing 100 well - planned, easy-tomake patterns. Exclusive fashions for children, young women, and matrons. Send fifteen cents in coins for your copy.

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

J. W. O'Leary

Schumann - Heink, artist of the operatic stage, and a fine example to all women, is dead at seventyfive.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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ONE thousand banqueters in Washington celebrated the hundredth anniversary of the American patent system and an announcer from a transport air liner gave them the names of America's 'twelve greatest inventors'' as selected by a secret committee of prominent men. These are the inventors and their inventions:

Robert Fulton, steamboat; Eli Whitney, cotton gin; Samuel F. B. Morse, telegraph; Charles Goodyear, vulcanized rubber; Cyrus Hall McCormick, grain reaper; Elias Howe, sewing machine; George Westinghouse, airbrake; Alexander Graham Bell, telephone; Thomas Alva Edison, electric lamp, phonograph, motion pictures, and many other devices; Ottmar Mergenthaler, linotype; Charles Martin Hall, process for making cheap alumin-Wilbur Wright, co-inventor um: with his brother, Orville, of the air- Paris embassy. plane.

SEATTLE has a habit of recalling its mayors when they are Hutton, heiress of the big Post cerenot satisfactory. One was thus ousted in 1911 and another in 1931. Now

a movement has been started for the recall of Mayor John F. Dore, who is accused of inciting acts of violence in a labor dispute. Formal charges of misfeasance, malfeasance and violation of the oath of office were con-

tained in a petition Mayor signed by fifteen John F. Dore women and eleven

men. It asked the corporation counsel to draft the charges in condensed form so that an effort could be made to obtain the 24,000 signatures necessary for a special recall election.

Dore, fifty-four, was elected in March over Arthur B. Langlie, candidate of the New Order of Cincinnatus, an independent organization of young voters seeking better municipal government.

ling. Thereafter the Soviet government commuted the German's sentence to ten years in prison. Several of his fellow plotters were shot.

The agreement directed against the communist internationale, which angered Russia, was signed by Japan and Germany in the Berlin foreign office. Under it the two nations are to co-operate in a campaign against communism, and they invite other nations to join them.

 $J_{\mbox{lawyer}}^{\mbox{OSEPH}} E. \mbox{DAVIES, wealthy} \\ lawyer of Washington, has served the Democratic party in va$ rious ways for many years and has contributed liberally

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to its campaign funds, and now he has been rewarded. President Roosevelt has appointed him American ambassador to Soviet Russia, to succeed William C. Bullitt, who was transferred to the Mr. Davies, whose

wife is the former J. E. Davies Mrs. Marjorie Post

al fortune, is a native of Wisconsin and practiced law in that state until 1913, when he went to Washington. He was chairman of the federal trade commission under President Wilson in 1915-'16, and was taken along by Wilson as an economic adviser to the Versailles conference. Before that he had served as western manager of Wilson's campaign and as secretary of the Democratic national committee and he was offered in 1918 the ambassadorship to Russia, to Italy and the governorship of the Philippines. He declined, however, so he could run for the United States senate from Wisconsin. He was defeated. He was active during the recent campaign, serving on the advisory committee at Democratic headquarters in New York. President Roosevelt signed the

Davies commission before he left on his South American cruise, but the announcement was withheld until word was received from the soviet government that Davies was persona grata at Moscow.

which are always essential when adjustments have to be made upon a considerable scale.

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In the opinion of legal experts the court's action has wide implications affecting not only state employment insurance and other social legislation, but also the administration's social security program.

BY A vote of 21,679 to 2,043 the convention of the American Federation of Labor approved the action of the executive council in suspending the ten union that are with John L. Lewis in his Committee for Industrial Organization movement. However the convention accepted the advice of President Green and voted to renew the council's offer to talk peace with the rebel unions and to give the council power to call a special federation convention and expel the rebels if peace negotiations fail.

The convention approved the executive council's decision that no steps should be taken to form a labor political party.

EDWARD F. McGRADY, assist-ant secretary of labor, was still trying to bring about a settlement of the great strike of maritime workers, but didn't seem to be getting along very well. Indeed, the situation was made worse by na-tionwide strike calls to the Masters, Mates and Pilots association and the Marine Engineers union. Federal operation of emergency ships to Alaska and Hawaii was discussed but not decided.

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He stared at her; and suddenly Le demanded: "Nancy, how far have things gone between you and that young man?

"Dan and I are - going to be married, Father." She realized suddenly that the issue postponed till this hour was joined now. If there were ever to be opposition on Doctor Greeding's part, the time for it was come. And she added, to placate him: "Of course, not right away. But - soon, Father!"

He met her announcement with a composure she found in some fashion alarming. "Sure of your ground?" he asked calmly. "Sure you want him?"

'Sure as sure!" He said gravely: "Dan can't take

care of you. I'll talk to Dan. He'll see my point of view." Something shook her: some dark

fear beset her. "You sha'n't!" she cried defiantly; and then, seeing his frown, already repentant: "Oh, Father, can't you see that he and I have to be the ones to decide?'

"Nonsense!" he retorted. "you're too young to decide anything." And then, urgently: "Nancy, don't you realize that Mr. Jerrell wants to marry you?"

"He doesn't!" she deniea. "I know-

"You know nothing, Nancy," he retorted, in a deep exasperation. "You're a witless child. I tell you, Mr. Jerrell-" He checked himself, spoke more calmly: "Ira has spoken to me, Nancy," he said urgently. "He came to me, like an honorable man, to ask what my attitude would be. Yes, he wants to marry you. And Nancy, he is my good friend. I am under many obligations to him."

She was afire now with a deep anger, and cried in furious scorn: 'You mean you want to use me to repay him?'

Her wrath warned him to caution. He spoke in the tone of one who reasons with an unreasonable child. "I mean only that I think you ought to treat him with ordi-nary courtesy," he said. "The courtesy to which a strong man's devotion entitles him. I only ask that you defer any decision until you have had time-"

sorry," she said. "I can't pre-tend!" "Can't? You mean that you

won't!" he corrected stiffly. "I mean I won't, then!" she as-

sented. There was silence. Then he said. half to himself, in a hushed tone: 'It might be better for Dan, and for you, to be a little reasonable!"

She cried, in a quick terror: "Father, you mustn't try to scare isn't fair!

confirm the truth of what Nancy | crisp, amused reproof. "Don't al- | you and Dan do the fireworks. Mary had said. Jerrell and Mary Ann! But if Nancy had been free, Jerrell would never have turned to attention to me."

Mary Ann. And Nancy would have been free, but for Dan. Dan! On this rock his plans were

shattered, then. Then he walked calmly toward the house. He went to his room and opened a drawer in the bureau, and took from its holster the pistol

CHAPTER VIII

there.

Nancy that night did not come down to dinner. She could not bear to face her father. That mask of anger which she had seen upon his countenance left her sick and shaken with a fear she could not name. She stayed in her room, sent word that her head ached.

At dusk from very weariness she slept, and dreamed and woke cold and terrified; and thereafter she lay wide-eyed in the darkness. After a long time she heard her father getting up and then he opened the door into her room.

Entering, he said gently: "Awake, Nancy? Feel better now?" His tones were soft and reassur-

"Yes, Father," she murmured.

He sat down on the edge of her bed and touched her hand. "I came to tell you I'm sorry, my dear," he said, smiling, his tone humble. 'Forgive me.'

She whispered piteously: "You mustn't ever scare me, Father.'

He repeated: "I'm sorry. You're ah I've got now, Nancy!" And he urged, pleading in his own defense: "But since your mother died, my nerves-"

"I know," she confessed. "I un-derstand." There were sudden tears in her eyes; she loved him and pitied him. "I do understand. And -I didn't mean to-defy you, Fa-ther. Only, Dan and I-"

He asked quizzically: "Are you two youngsters really married? She shook her head. "No. I just

-said that because I was desperate. was-fighting for everything I want, Father. We're not, nc." She added quickly: "But we will be." "I know," he assented. "And I

know you would-do as I wish, if you could. But I know that love can be too strong for a girl, for a woman." He added, watching her: "For a man, too."

"Yes," she said gravely. He laughed in an abashed fash-

ion. "I'm in a confidential mood tonight, Nancy. Don't-blame me, too much; but you know, men - even men of my age have sometimes thoughts, dreams, hopes they can't control." And he asked slowly: "Do you understand what I'm-confessing, Nancy? What dreams I'm telling you?" She whispered: "Yes. I think "Do you blame me, terribly?" She pressed his hand. Father," she whispered. Poor He bent to kiss her brow. "But of course," he said ruefully, "since she and Jerrell—" He left the sentence unfinished. "So I've only you, Nancy." And: "Sleep sweet," he bade her. "Good night." "Good night, Father!"

ways grovel, my dear. It bags your | Ann and Itrousers at the knee. Now pay

They were at lunch when the telephone rang, and Thomas took the call. "Mr. Jerrell, sir," he re-ported. "He will be at the land-ing in half an hour."

"Thank you, Thomas," Doctor Greeding assented.

He was watching Mary Ann, saw that her eyes were brighter, her cheek faintly tinted. She felt his scrutiny, and asked disarmingly: "Mr. Jerrell? Is he coming?"

"I'm afraid you and I won't get much work done over the week-end," Doctor Greeding confessed. 'Dan and Nancy will be-absorbed in each other, I suppose, so we must keep Jerrell entertained."

"We'll go meet him," Nancy vol-unteered. "Dan and I."

But her father shook his head. "Nonsense! Mary Ann and I will do that." And when presently they rose from the table, he said: "Nancy, you and Dan perforate a few targets. We'll join you after we fetch Jerrell." He asked Dan: "Ever try pistol-shooting, Dan?"

"Some, yes," Dan confessed. "I used to belong to a club. I rather like it.'

"I'll take you on for a round," Doctor Greeding offered. He chuckled. "Jerrell tried it, when he was last here; but he's hopeless. We'll give him a lesson." He spoke tc Mary Ann. "By the time we get to the landing, he'll be there." Nancy said, half laughing: "Do

we have to shoot targets, Father? Dan and I might rather-just take a walk or something."

"I know you would," he told her good-humoredly. "But there'll be a moon tonight; much pleasanter for Do as I say, my dear." -walking. He led Mary Ann away toward the boathouse. Nancy looked at Dan



But the Doctor was so insistent that Jerrell had in the end to submit, or by an outright refusal seem ungracious. "You act as if this were life or death, Ned," he protested, amused and yet annoyed, too.

Doctor Greeding nodded. "It's my hobby," he assented, laughingly. "I that guietness. suppose I do ride it hard."

been watching Jerrell, puzzled by the contortion of his countenance There was in fact a strange urgency in the man. He shepherded them up the path to the court like with its suggestion of violent physia dog nipping at their heels, and cal effort, and at the same time Dan and Nancy met them there, sorry because he must submit to and Nancy proudly showed her father a target with bullet-holes her father's urgencies. But at the sound of Dan's voice she looked close grouped in the center.

toward him, just in time to see his garments flick and twitch at the "Here's Dan's very first, Father," she boasted. "You never did as well in your life!"

Doctor Greeding chuckled. "All that I need is some competition," he declared. "You'll be surprised!" Dan had the vistol in his hand, and Doctor Greeding took it from him and turned to Jerrell.

"But first, Ira, you give us a horrible example," he suggested he suggested laughingly. "Show us how not to do it!" He looked up the court, and saw that there was a fresh target the frame; he examined the on pistol. "Here," he said. "It's ready. All you have to do is point it at the target and pull the trigget.

There was an unreality about what so swiftly followed. Jerrell was driven like a sheep. Reluctantly he took the weapon in his hands. thoroughly ill at ease, handling it gingerly.

"I don't know anything about these things," he protested. "You don't need to. Just point

and pull," Doctor Greeding insisted. "Go ahead! Aim at the black spot on the target. Hold the pistol so the fore sight is just in the middle of the notch in the rear sight. Then press the trigger slowly, till it fires!"

And Jerrell, after a moment, indifferently obeyed. A splinter flew from the edge of the batter-board. Greeding laughed. "Six feet wide, Don't you see the target, Ira!

Jerrell, hoping to finish this ordeal, hurriedly tried again, and then again. But his shots were vild. Between shots, Doctor Greeding coached him, showing him how to stand, how to hold the pistol, how to press the trigger; but Jerrell at length lowered the weapon, turned aside, shook his head, laugh-

not my game.

facing them; and Doctor Greeding cried quickly: "Look out, man! Point that thing somewhere else!"

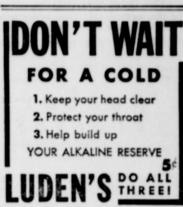


(Miss Eilers serves a fascinating appetizer before dinner which is her own idea.)

Take large mushrooms and remove stems. Wash and fill cups of mushrooms with sausage meat. Put under broiler and cook until meat is done, and serve hot on small pieces of toast.

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Nancy moved aside to let her

Then some one brushed her shoulder, spinning her half around. It was Mary Ann, darting past her,

gun!"

Now Nancy felt at first neither grief nor fear. She knew that Dan lay yonder on the court, but her only emotional reaction to the fact was annoyance. She went toward him, saying aloud: "Dan, don't pretend! You're scar-

ing me!" Mary Ann, already by his side,

kneeling there, looked up quickly over her shoulder at the girl; she said gently: "He's shot, Nancy!"

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And then-the shot, in the still

air of midafternoon, rang loud and

startlingly. Nancy saw Dan, in the

very act of moving to one side out

of line with the pistol's muzzle, clasp his middle with both hands

and slump quietly forward on his

knees. He bowed down and fell, a

There was something terrible in

Nancy, just before the shot, had

bullet's stab, before his hands

caught at his body and he went

Nancy was standing a little to one

little on his side, very quietly.

Doctor Greeding and Jerrell came toward them; and Jerrell said hoarsely:

"The gun insisted on pointing at him. I couldn't drag it away-" His tones were hollow and flat. "It was as though some one had hold of it," he insisted, in a stubborn, dazed bewilderment.

Doctor Greeding said icily: "It was pure clumsiness, Ira." But Mary Ann spoke to him. "Doctor Greeding," she called. She was crisply insistent. "Never mind

blaming anyone now. Here, quickly!"

running to where Dan lay. Nancy was still too dazed fully to understand. This was one of those occurrences which the mind cannot quickly grasp.

man?"

ing uncomfortably. "That's enough," he insisted. "It's

He had swung halfway around,

side, near Mary Ann; and when Dan fell, she remained a moment motionless, all her senses in suspension, unable to think or move, able only to see. She saw Dan lying there so quiet on the ground and she saw Jerrell

staring incredulously at the pistol in his hands. She saw her father turn to Jerrell, leap toward him, snatch the weapon away. He cried out, furiously: 'You clumsy fool! Give me that

down.

He looked at her for a long moment with eyes she had never seen before; then the flame in them died, | I've guessed before." and he managed a wary laugh. "I'll talk to Dan," he said. "He

has some common sense."

"You sha'n't say anything to Dan!" she exclaimed. "You can't scare Dan. Or me!"

And he reassured her with words. "I'm not trying to scare you, dear. Just to talk some reason into that stubborn little head of yours. You and Dan are in love, swept away, lost to all sensible considerations.

She backed away from him, and her hands raised as though to push him from her. "No, no," she cried in a whisper; and then, desperate, seized on a reckless expedient: 'You can't do anything to stop us. It's too late!" she exclaimed.

His eyes widened in shock and then in wrath. He was over the net in one bound. He gripped her arm like a vise, dragging her toward him.

"What do you mean?" he demanded.

"I mean we're married!" she cried. "Let me go, Father! We're already married. So it is too late, you see!'

He stood for an instant motion less, his eyes probing hers. Then he asked in curt incredulity: "Where? When?"

Her wits, paralyzed by an unreasoning fear of him, found no ready answer. She evaded the direct inquiry.

"And even if we weren't," she cried, "Mr. Jerrell doesn't want to marry me! He's in love with Mary Ann!

As though he had been struck in the face, he released her. He recoiled from her, and his countenance was black and terrible. She pressed her hands to her eyes to

shut out the sight of him. "Father, don't!" she pleaded. "Don't look like that at me!"

She heard him mutter hoarsely: "So!" Then terror whipped her so that she turned and ran, in stark

panic, down the path and away. But Doctor Greeding stayed where he was; and after a moment the chaos of his thoughts settled the chaos of his thoughts settled in a simple, inevitable pattern. Jer-rell and Mary Ann! Jerrell and Mary Ann! He remembered small incidents, forgotten words, each one birdel, get in their sum enough to

The door closed behind him, and darkness wrapped her close. But not terror now. His magic had worked its miracle. She was at peace.

She slept till full dawn, and woke refreshed; her father joined her for a swim and breakfast afterward. The interminable morning somehow sped. Dan and Mary Ann would arrive on the noon train, and Nancy insisted that Doctor Greeding come with her to meet them. It was a fifteen-minute run in the fast boat to the landing by the station. . . Nancy kissed Mary Ann, kissed Dan only with her eyes; and ther they went down to where the boat was moored, Dan and her father carrying the bags, stowing them in the

after cockpit. Her father took the wheel, Mary Ann beside him; and Nancy and Dan sat just behind. In a moment they were in the open by the intervening trees; and the lake; and Nancy leaned secretly to girl waved to them. Dan, to kiss him.

Her father said with a chuckle over his shoulder: "You two showed an admirable restraint, to wait so long." His tone was amused

and kindly. Dan was startled, and then he laughed. "Nancy has told you about us, then, sir?" "Of course."

Nancy held tight to Dan's arm; and the young man said: "I want to never to talk to you about Nancy, while I'm of me." here

Doctor Greeding chuckled. "This brother of yours has a fine old-fashioned courtesy in him," he told Mary Ann. "Not many young men trouble to consult the girl's father, nowadays."

Mary Ann smiled happily. "Dan has been very well brought up,"

has been very war of the second she agreed. "I know I can't give her --" Dan began, but Nancy pulled him back to her side. "Nobody asked you," she said in

"What Is It?" Dan Asked. "Hear Something ?"

with a grimace, amused, perplexed. "I suppose we have to humor him," she confessed.

Dan caught her close. "Say, when he's been so decent, I'd spend the afternoon standing on my head if he asked me to.'

She stood silent, frowning, intent. as though listening. "What is it?" Dan asked. "Hear something:

"No Nancy shivered in his arms. no. I felt-it's funny, but I felt cold." She freed herself, caught his hand. "Come, we'll get the tar-gets and things," she said.

Jerrell was on the wharf when the boat pulled alongside, and he reached down to shake Doctor Greeding's hand, and across the Doctor to Mary Ann. Doctor Greeding saw their glances meet. Then Jerrell's bags were in; they

were away. Returning along the shore of the island, they saw Dan and Nancy on the court, screened

"We're having a shooting-match this afternoon, Ira," Doctor Greed-ing explained. "Dan says he's a good shot, and Nancy's fair. I know you're rotten, but we'll teach you the rudiments, give you a handi-cap." And he asked Mary Ann: cap."

"Have you ever tried it?" She shook her head. "Oh, no." "Mary Ann and I will be the gallery," Jerrell proposed. "You'll never make an Annie Oakley out

"You'll be surprised," Doctor Greeding assured him. "After I've given you a tip or two." "I'm much more likely to shoot

"I'm much more likely to shoot some perfectly innocent bystander," Jerrell demurred. "No fear," Doctor Greeding prom-ised. "We'll all keep out of the way, keep behind you." He brought the boat to the landing with an expert hand. "Thomas will fetch your bags," he said. "Leave them. We'll go on up to the court." Jerrell urged: "See here, Nod,

errell stared stupidly at the pi tol in his hand. It was in fact leveled at Doctor Greeding'. body. He dropped the muzzle. "Gorry," He dropped the muzzle. "Sorry," he said. "I thought I had it pointed at the ground. You can see I'm not to be trusted! Here, take it."

Doctor Greeding chuckled, and received the weapon from Jerrell's hand. "Wait a minute. Don't give up yet," he persisted. "Let me show you how it's done!"

He fired rapidly, two or three times. "There," he said. "Like that! Now Dan, go put up a fresh target, will you? Ira's got to score one hit, at least, before I let him off." He took the empty magazine out of the pistol and turned to Jerrell. "Try it without actually shooting," he suggestea, and shooting," he suggestea, and pressed the weapon into Jerrell's hands. "Maybe your're flinching, afraid of it. Just aim, and snap the trigger!"

Dan had gone obediently toward the other end of the court to fix a new target on the frame. Jerrell protested half angrily: "Ned, I don't want to shoot, I tell you."

But Doctor Greeding still insisted. "Don't be an ass, Ira. If you can make the stock-market sit up and beg, you ought to be able to point a pistol at a target. I'll stand behind you, see whether you're aim-ing properly!"

Jerrell was flushed and furious, yet it was impossible to refuse without actual offense. He lifted the weapon and faced the target yonder; and Doctor Greeding said, behind him:

"All right, now go ahead." Jerrell pointed the pistol in the general direction of the other end of the court; but as he did so,

Dan, his task concluded, turned and saw him and cried quickly: "Hey, don't aim that thing at me!"

Nancy had been watching Jerrell, sorry for him because her father pressed him so tactlessly, but also puzzled by something in his coun-tenance. She saw his lips compress, and veins on his forehead swell as though he were engaged in an actual physical struggle. But when Dan called his protest, she looked that

Her father, here at Jerrell's shoul-

"Don't Wo WOLLY, I

father come at Dan. He knelt there, but he shook his head. "He's dead." he said.

Mary Ann said sharply: "He's not, either! See!" "Not dead?" Doctor Greeding ex-

claimed. There was in his tone incredulous surprise like dismay. He stared at Mary Ann. "He must be!" he muttered; and his eyes were wide, glassy, staring.

Mary Ann shook his arm. "No! What's the matter with you, Doctor? Quick! He's still alive!" "But I tell you-" Doctor Greed-

ing insisted. "Look at him!" she exclaimed.

Then, more sharply: "Look at him! Don't stare at me!"

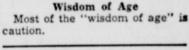
And after a moment he did turn his eyes from her to the man here on the ground.

Then Nancy saw Dan looking up at her, his lids half closed. He "All right, Nancy," he grinned. whispered.

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Size of Noah's Ark May **Have Totaled 450 Feet**

The dimensions of Noah's Ark as given in Genesis were 300 cubits in length, 50 cubits in breadth, 30 cubits in height. The length of the cubit is approximately 18 inches, so that the Ark must have been about 450 feet long, 75 feet broad and 45 feet high, observes a writer in the Detroit News. The tonnage of a merchant vessel for purposes of registration is the entire internal cubic capacity in tons of 100 cubic feet each, ascertained in a manner prescribed by law. According to this method of calculating tonnage the gross tonnage of the Ark must have been a little over 15,000 tons. Scribner's "A Dictionary of the Bible," edited by Dr. James Hastings, says of its capacity. "It has been calculated that it would contain a space of 3,600,000 cubic feet and that after nine-tenths had been set aside for storage of food, there would be over 50 cubic feet each al-lowed for 7,000 pairs of animals. Such calculations, though in earlier times treated with all seriousness, now receive little consideration. The measurements given in the biblical text are not sufficiently de-tailed, nor is the description of the whole construction sufficiently em-phicit, to form the basis of such





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NOBODY'S BUSINESS By Julian Capers Jr.

Austin .- Announcement by Gov. All state's general fund will require the raising of "two or three million dollars of additional revenue" by the 45th legislature, in January, set the lobbyists in Austin to work vigorously this week. The report of State Aunitor C. B. Sheffield showed the deficit nearing \$14,000,000 on Nov. 20, with prospects of an \$18,000,000 deficit by 1939. Heavy drain on the general fund to pay relief bonds, and the \$3,000,000 Centennial appropriation caused the big jump this year. However, the state in three years has paid back about eight millions of the 20 million bread bond issue. The governor expressed belief that some slight increases in existing taxes would halt the deficit, begin gradhensive.

UTILITY DRIVE

public utility bill will be staged by Allred administration forces in both houses. Friends of the movement assert the administration has carefully laid its lines in the new senate and that prospects for success are better than at any time in recent year. **APPOINTMENTS**

up to another post. SCHOOL FUND FUTURE _

The school children, future citizens of Texas, and the oil industry,

source of greatest wealth in the will make substantial discounts to state, are both "natural resources." red that the growing deficit in the Chairman Ernest O. Thompson, of the railroad commission, told Texas teachers at their Fort Worth convention this week. The educators, Thompson suggested, should be considering the problem of future financing of educa tion, when the exhaustible oil resource is gone. He warned that the comparatively small current tax yield from oil,-education's greatest asset in Texas now-will cease when the oil is gone, but the children must still be educated. His pain, though unspoken, orders, elect a secretary for the club inference was that provision ought and make this substantial saving. to be hade now to finance education Callahan needs more fruit trees and in the future, and that oil ought to the soil has never been in better conhave a place in the plan.

\$3,000,000 CHRISTMAS GIFT

While some oil folks were alarmed ually to cut down the overdraft. No at Thompson's talk, announcement of attempt, he said, should be made to a hike in Texas' December allowable balance the fund immediately, as this oil production that will bring about would prove burdensome, might lead \$3,000,000 additiona oil money to be to extravagant spending, and is un- distributed among producers, royalty, necessary. The oil industry, usually owners, oil workers and others with a singled out as first victim when tax stake in the oil fields, put the oil increases are contemplated, was appre industry generally in a very cheerful frame of mind. The railroad commission held it was justified in exceeding the recommendation of the U.S. Bu-A vigorous drive to enact a state reau of Mines in fixing the allowable, because of actual marke; de as representatives of the four ormand for the Texas oil.

OIL HIKE COMING

allowable oil from half a dozen fields in each group.

about gubernatorial appointments to markets because they can't supply the to use their good judgment in cast-



ROSS B. JENKINS, County Agent

Oplin Agricultural Ass'n Organized A group of some 30 or 40 farm men and women met at Oplin Friday night and re-organized the Oplin Agricultural Association.

They set the second Saturday night of each month to be the time of meeting. All the officers that were elected in the Spring were reelected at this meeting. They are Sidney Harville, president; W. L. Atwood, vicepres.; and C. M. Morse, sec-treas. In the absence of the president Mr. Atwood named three committees. The program committee is composed of Rufus Looney, Mrs. Florence Robertson, and Mrs. Mattie Monroe. On the entertainment committee he placed Sidney Harville, Mrs. Addison Mc-Whorter and Mrs. Patty Looney. The refreshment committee is composed of doesn't mean, he pointed out, that the Mrs. W. L. Atwood, Mrs. John C.

Steakley and Mrs. Will Poindexter. Group Buying Of Trees Will Save Money

This week the county agent received a letter from a leading nurseryman of central West Texas who club members if they buy in club lots.

On a club of 100 trees 15 per cent will be discounted and on orders of 2000 or more a discount of 20 per cent will be made. Since the trees are quoted low originally this discount would make them doubly cheap. The county agent hopes that all mem bers who are planning to plant an. orchard this year might notify him and all members will be invited to meet some day soon and pool their dition for tree and shrub planting.

George Clifton And Roy Kendrick At Agricultural Conference

Mr. George Clifton of Cross Plains and Roy Kendrich of the Denton com munity went to Fort Worth Tuesday market weight has been reached which morning to attend a 3-day conference of agricultural leaders gathered from all over Texas with important agricultural men from the nation's capitol .

These men are representing Callahan county for the first time in an official capacity since they were sent ganized community associations, viz: Cottonwood, Oplin, Denton, and Eula. These associations are composed of The December proration hearing many smaller communities but take this week brought pleas for more the name of the leading community

and districts, including both major Messers Kendrick and Clifton went and independent operators. They de- to this conference uninstructed as to In Austin these days, speculation clared they were losing established any policy to pursue but were left

lbs. of lime flour or bone meal. Feed one pound of the grain mixture to each four pounds of milk the cow gives.

Dairy cows should be kept in a shel tered place during wet days and unusually cold weather. They need a good supply of succulent feed such as silage or abundant pasturage all the year through. God created the cow to use an abundance of cheap feed such as fodders and grasses and gave her a large stomach to take care of it. Feed her properly and there is no animal that will yield so much profit and enjoyment and nothing that will give such an abundant supply of health giving food.

Keep Faith On The Soil Conserving Acres

Mr. C. A. Cobb, Director of the Southern Region, in calling the attention of the farmers to the fact that those acres that have been planted to certain crops for soil improve ment, stated that the crop to be left standing must do that very thing. It lock and son from Coleman. crop is to be left standing only until the compliance supervisor has certified the compliance but that it shall not be cut, grazed, or headed anytime. It must be returned to the soil for which the subsidy has been set aside. Of course, there are those crops that were allowed to be grazed but they were not paid a soil building payment; they earned only the conservation payment. Don't be a viola-

tor!

4-H Club Boy's Hampshire Is Prolific Among the considerations used to she is prolific, a good mother, a good rustler, will reach a desired weight in a short time, and produces the kind of meat that the market demands John Fred Alexander, of Baird, states his clinh sow meets many of the above qualifications. She farrowed eleven pigs and ten of them are living and are fine husky individuals. These Hampshire pigs will be ready for sale to the public in eight weeks and at that time he expects them to weigh about 50 pounds. John Fred plans to put these pigs on a selffeeder and expects them to gain, at least, two and one-half pounds a day from the day they are weened until is 185 to 225 pounds. Club boys who desire a registered Hampshire pig from which to grow a fine quality of pure bred hogs may purchase one of John Fred's pigs at weaning time. John Fred says he needs some feed and that he would be willing to take part feed in lieu of cash. Registered pigs ordinarily are selling at \$10.00 each but John Fred is willing to sell to future club boys his pigs with the registration papers furnished at \$7.50 a piece. The county agent hopes that many boys will take advantage of this offer and that others will get registered animals for their pig de-

Soil And Water Stealing Increasing

monstrations the coming year.

Tecumseh News

Thnksgiving day dawned clear and beautiful. Most everyone seemed thankful for the many good things they received throughout the year. Mr. Kenneth Preston moved to Clyde the first of the week. Mrs. Preston has been there for some time keeping the children in school.

Mr. Jack Wright and family are moving to New Mexico this week. Mr. Ben Allen and family from Denton will live on the Wright place. Relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. J. A. Tunnell for a Thanksgiving dinner, each bringing a basket well filled. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howton, Mrs. Alice Tunnell, Andice Tunnell Nina Mae Tunnell, John Stone, Mrs. Clara Stone, Doward and Helen Stone Miss Evelyn Windham, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Smith and little son, Mrs. Sarah Magill, also Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Magill and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bul-

Mrs. Ruth Cox of Leuders spent the week with relatives.

Miss Helen Stone spent the week end with friends at Goldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barton and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Owens from Eula spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lewis and helped eat a 24 pound turkey Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Sadie Bates is spending the week in McCullough county visiting relatives.

Ernest Price from Putnam is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week end

Miss Yvonne Hodges is spending evaluate a sow are whether or not, the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges. Enuff

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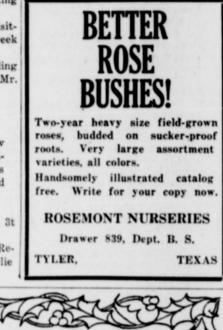
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obs which material-Brownsville, newly appointed state tax commissioner, as the likeliest choice. Hall told intimates when he took the ett, is reported Gov. Allred's choice tax commissioner's job it was "only to be attorney for the state tax comof Ailred's campaign this summer has Marvin Hall, who moved up to the majority control for the first time.

liquor control administrator, as the third member of the unemployment Garner talked no politics here . . derson as chairman, and Wallace of the State Federation of Labor, as the other member, this setup becomes complete. J B. Ford, of Waco, suc- tract awarded by the board of control ceeds Miller as liquor control head.

Stil another fat six-year job is that of fire insurance commissioner Raymond Mauk, incumbent, the underground reports say, may not be renamed in spite of heavy pressure in his behalf. There is also a place open on the industrial accident board.

JOB FOR DEBERRY

Tom DeBerry of Bogata, picturesis slated for a post on the board of control in September, best informed job, at \$6000 annually.

Paul Wakefield, de luxe publicist and friend of Jesse Jones and Vice President Garner, who has been draw ing \$7500 a year as assistant federal Centennial commissioner, is slated \$5000. Albert, K. (Slow) Daniel, re- prior to Nov. 14th. as 4666 bales, as missioners place, if Marvin Hall steps this information.

ize in January, occupies chief atten have lost hundreds of connections in Agriculture has been greatly benetion of the dopesters. Gov. Allred has East Texas during the past few fited during the last three and onekept entirely mum, even to his closest months, because independents are pay half years by governmental aids and friend, about the all-important high ing a bonus for oil. Experts here it is the hope of the association that way commission appointment. Rumors | declare this indicates but one thing- it can bring a greater realization here this week all agreed the place another increase in the posted price. to the minds of the farmers of this will go to some tried, trusted politi- They think it will come soon after state that only with their continued cal lieutenant of the governor, and Jan. 1, after year--end inventories cooperation will any permanent benethe guessers name Marvin Hall, of are taken, and many believe it will fits be derived.

PINWHEEL

Rep. Albert K. Daniel, of Crock- Farm And Home Agents To Mineral temporary." His splendid management missioner, the post relinquished by earned him a bigger job, and his commissioner's job succeeding Bob friends think he will be named to the Anderson, new unemployment insuhighway post, where, with Harry rance administrator . . . Visit of Vice demonstration agents comprised of Hines, chairman, Allred would have Persident John Garner to Austin revived the old rumor that Allred would With the naming of C. R. Miller, resign and become a federal judge. insurance commission, with Bod An- Allred also denied he would run for congress from Wichita Falls . . . Reilly, of Dallas, recently secretary Republic National Bank of Dallas will these United States. handle the old age pension warrants at 1.9 per cent interest, under a conon competitive bids.

ADMIRAL H. D. CLUB

The Admiral H. D. C. met with Mrs. Joe Higgins Monday, Nov. 30 by warming the drinking water for in an all day meeting. Thirteen regu- the dairy cow. Milk is mostly made of ilar members were present and two water but if the cow is not induced new members

Miss Moore demonstrated mattress making. The next meeting will be que and able senator who is retiring, Dec. 9th. with Miss Nora Smith. Plans for the Christmas party at Baird Dec. 16 and electing officers cows are first turned on small grain opinion here reports. It is a six-year for another year will constitute the business session.

-Reporter

GOV'T COTTON REPORT

Government cotton report issued to be public relations man for the Nov. 24th. gives the number of bales new unemployfent commission, at of cotton ginned in Callahan county tiring house member from Crockett, compared with 557 bales ginned to just named counsel for the tax com- Nov. 14, 1935. The Star is indepted missioner, may move up to the com- to J. H. Shrader, special agent, for, 100 lbs. of ground oats; 100 lbs. of

oil. Major pipelines are reported to ing the votes for Callahan county.

Wells Conference

County farm agent Ross B. Jenkins and home demonstration agent Miss Vida Moore, left Baird Wednesday morning to be in conference at Mineral Wells with other farm and home Districts 3, 4, and 7.

During the conference the agents will have outlined to them the pro-The rumor is pure fabrication and posed program for 1937. They will study the new community planning that is designed to reach every individual farmer in this state and in

They will return home Saturday afternoon.

Cows Give More Milk If Drinking Water Is Warm

One of the easiest ways of maintaining a high production record during the cold days of the winter is to drink a large quantity of it her milk supply will fall in direct proportion.

The good Fall rains have produced a fine pasture for the winter. When pasture, they usually scour pretty badly, unless they are fed some hay, bundle feedo r cottonseed hulls. All dairymen will find it to their benefit to feed some dry feed as long as the cow runs on the green pasture. A good grain mixture of feed in connection with small grain pasture would be: 300 lbs. of ground corn or grain sorghum heads; 100 lbs. of cottonseed meal or 200 lbs. of ground ear corn or grain sorghum heads; cottonssed meal; 4 lbs. of salt and 8

Farmers are becoming more alarmed day by day because of the con-stant thievery that is taking place on their farms. Their land has been stolen in the form of ditches and washes this past year to an unprewashes this past year to an unpre-cedented degree and the water that was their gift from nature has been stolen and the "thieves" in both instances have made a clean getaway. Mr. J. H. Lindle who lives about 4 miles west of Baird and one mile a miles west of Baird and one mile north of highway 80 has found, how-ever, that there have been ways found that will permanently stop the opera-tions of these "thieves." Mr. Lindle bought a farm that had previously been owned by J. Frank Browning. Mr. Browning used the services of county agent Culp in 1918 and ter-raced a very hilly and rolling farm. The county agent this year made an inspection of these terraces and found inspection of these terraces and found that after 18 years not a single gulley or ditch could be found on the entire 60 acres. For the past four years hardly any farming has been done on this farm, yet these terraces covered themselves over with weeds and grass and held the loose soil high In the slopes and prevented the soil from leaching away and running into the Gulf of Mexico. An inspection of these terraces will show that they have held all the land that has washed from above them and they have almost filled level to the top. Mr. Lindle now plans to build these terraces higher and to run his rows in the same direction in which the terraces run. That is the correct procedure for use in handling all terrace lines.

EULA H. D. CLUB

The Eula H D. Club spent a very enjoyable day in the home of Mrs. Willis Baulch Tuesday, Dec. 1. Each member carrie da dish and had lunch together. Miss Moore met with us and baked

Christmas fruit cake. 65 pounds of cake was baked. Eleven members were present.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs Reo Jolly on the 15th. of December.

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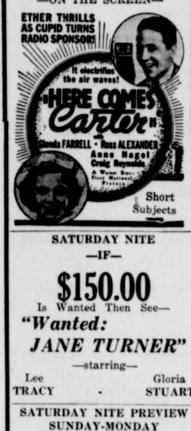
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Personal

Frank Ingram of Putnam was in Baird yesterday.

Tom Bracheen who has been ill with pneumonia is reported improving.

Henry Benham of Balmorhea visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flores the first of the week.

W. J. Cook returned to Fort Worth Saturday after spending the Thanks- cal patient Monday. giving holidays with his family.

Miss Mae Clair Wheeler will leave Sunday for San Antonio for a few days with Mrs. D. H. McGee.

Misses Maxine Williams, Edith Lewis and Robert Green attended the Texas U.-A. & M. football game at Austin Thanksgiving Day.

Dr. and Mrs. V. E. Hill and Mrs. Martha Gilliland spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer at Burnt Branch.

C. W. Fowler and wife of Rowden returned Sunday evening from Fort Worth, after attending T.S.T.A. Thurs and Friday.

Dr. Charles W. Terrell of El Paso accompanied by his brother-in-law, F. A. Downs of Safford, Arizona, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Terrell.

Mrs. A. T. Vestal left Tuesday afternoon for Longview in response to a message that her little grandson, a son of A. T. Vestal, Jr. was seriously ill.

Clerence Pretz, who spent the past several weeks with his mother and brother, Mrs. E. C. Pretz and Floyd urged to be present. Pretz, left Saturday for San Diego to resume his duties in Uncle Sam's Navy. Clerence is attached to the Medical Corps.

Mrs. Amy Walker, Mrs. Lee D. Kingston, son and daughter, Jack and Amy Lee Kingston of Balmorhea, spent Monday night with home folks in Baird. Miss Kingston, who is attending Draughon's Business college, Abilene, had been out home for a visit and her mother, brother and grandmother accompanied her back to school.

Walter Scott Finch, who spent seve ral weeks at his farm at Admiral sowing grain, left Monday for Los Well, what do you know about that? Angeles, Calif. where he will spend As if I could not preach as well as the winter with his mother, Mrs. Brother Reed. Why, I had been preach Cora Finch. Doyle, who is convalesc- ing, or trying to preach, 8 or 10 years ing from serious injuries received when he started. Of course, I can beot in a street car wreck some months him, I admit. Anyway I am glad the ago. Mrs. Finch is hopeful of a speedy people liked him; I do very much. recovery so that she can make her He is one of our very best men and

Charlie Lones is a patient suffering from a dislocated shoulder sus tained in a fall.

Mrs. Arthur Beasley and daughter Arthur Merle of Admiral were patients Tuesday for treatment of bruises received when their car turned over Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Beasley and daughter were enroute home from Fort Worth and the accident occurred two miles east of Weatherford when the car went into a ditch and turned over.

Mrs. John McGowen was a medi-

R. L. Young was injured while working with the Magnolia Pipe Line Co., was a patient this week.

Mrs. Rich Goddard of Oplin who has been a patient suffering from lobar pneumonia was able to leave the hospital Tuesday, going to the home of her daughter in Brownwood. Bob Beck, who was a patient for three weeks, suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage, was able to go home Monday.

Mrs. John Boutwell of Putnam was a medical patient Sunday. Mrs. Louis Hall continues to im-

prove. Mrs. Griggs is reported slowly improving.

H. W. Ross who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks in reported resting very well.

Mrs. P. C. Caylor of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. Lee Estes and family this week.

Goodfellows To Meet

Officers and members of the Goodfellows Club will meet at the office of Jack Ashlock on the court house Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. to begin their annual Christmas Cheer work. All interested in this work are

WITH BAIRD BAPTISTS

Well, last Sunday was a glorious day with me. My visit with the dear people of Roby surely wos a pleasure. We had good services and as far as I could see the only thing I could see of much difference was the finance. They are much better organized than we are as far as their collections are concerned and so their collection was about four times os much as ours. Well, maybe we will move up on that soon.

Good reports come from the service here and some have ventured to suggest that we change again soon.

Griggs Hospital News people to whom he has ministered, rise up to call him blessed. I think there can be no greater evidence of one's greatness than that, the people where he had labored, go to him for help when in trouble. Now if that be a true test and I certainly think it is, Uncle Dick is truely great for all who know him fail not to seek his help when in need of help and I am glad to say he never fails them. Let us never forget him, we love him, let's prove to him that we do. I would say, and all who know will agree, that Miss Rosie Pollard, the devoted cousin who has been all the time in the fight with Uncle Dick is just as fine as he and her crown will be bedecked with many a bright star because of her pure sweet, devoted life. May the good Lord give us

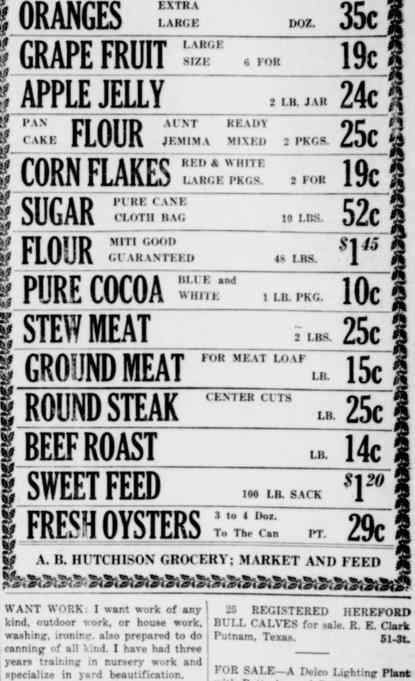
more of their kind. Joe R. Mayes

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Callahan County, Texas, will, on the 19th. day of December, 1936, at 10 o'clock a. m. in its usual meeting place in the court house at Baird, Texas, proceed to receive and consider competi-tive bids for the purchase of the following described road machinery: 1 new or second-hand crawler type tractor having 75 horse power or more and one new or second-hand hand controlled grader, with 12 ft. moldboard. Callahan County having one Caterpillar 60 and one caterpillar Russell Grader to be traded in on the machinery purchased and will at such time let a contract therefor if any bid be accepted; all such bids to be made as required by law; and if any bid be accepted it is the intention of the Court to issue time warrants on said County in payment of all or part of such proposed contract, in the maximum amount of \$3000.00, to bear six per cent interest per annum, the last maturity date of such warrants to be not later than the year of 1940. The Commissioners Court of Callahan County.

filed with the judge of the county court of Callahan County an application for authority to make to J. D. Beckelman, as Lessee, an oil and or gas lease of all and the entire undivided interest of said minors, Gar-

land Gary, Nadine Gary and Ruth Gary in and to the undivided interests of those certain tracts of land belonging to said minors, described as follows: In Callahan County, Texas, being W 1-2 of the SW 1-4 of Sur. No. 3 in Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. Abst. No. 318 Ninety-six acres out of Survey No. 7, in Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. lands. The NW 1-4 of Survey No. 3, in Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. Lands, containing 160 acres. The South 100 acres of the E 1-2 of Survey No. 2, in Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. Lands, Abstract No. 1303. The NW 1-4 of Survey No. 4, in Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. Lands, Abstract No. 1796. The north 200 acres of the E 1-2 of Survey No. 2, in Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. Lands, Abstract No. 1303, and that such application will be heard in the county such county on the 12th day of De-



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ed see or write H. W. Walker, Rt. 1 Star, one year for \$5.15 a saving of 50 cents on this Clubbing offer. The Baird Star office.

W Conner

GUARDIANSHIP NOTICE Guardianship of Garland Gary et al, Minors No. 1018 To All Persons Interested In The Above Minors Or Their Estate: You are notified that I have on this, the 3rd. day of December, 1936,

Box office opens 7:30-Doors close 8:15 MONDAY-Matinee Box office opens, 2:15, Doors close 3:00 Night Box office opens 6:45, doors close 7:30 Attend the Monday Matinee and

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TUESDAY



annual Christmas visit to her family preachers. He is a stayer and has been here.

Mrs. Georgia Lusby returned Monher brother, Dr. B. F. Gregory in San Antonio. Mrs. Lusby was a deleen's Clubs which met in San Antonio Nov. 9th.-13th., representing the Garden Club of Baird. She also visited her son W. G. Fraser of Grapevine and attended the Centennial at Dallas.

Mrs. Jack Lambert of Houston spent the past week end with her motherin-law, Mrs. Henry Lambert and fami ly. Mrs. Lambert was a delegate to the B.T.U. Convention held in Abi lene last week. Mrs. Lambert left panied by Miss Donna Carter who spent Thanksgiving with her grandmother, Mrs. Lambert and was returning to Lindale where she teaches in the public school.

Mrs. M. C. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Berry, Ode Berry and daughter, Eloise, Mrs. Fannie Murphy and son, Tiny, Murphy, Little Darlene Baird and Harry Berry of Clyde Mrs. Wylie Gaines, who had post- "Our Unfinished Task." poned their Thanksgiving dinner until Sunday. Mrs. Berry, only a few days before had been the guest of cle Dick) Bright and in celebration honor at the Texas Centennial and of the occasion, his friends gave him had many interesting things to tell a party at his home near Potosi. A her family.

Four generations of the Berry fami were represented, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Murphy, Tiny and Darlene Murphy.

I WISH TO ENTER The PLAZA'S Amatuer Contest City Age Talent It is understood that I am not obligated in any way, but wish to compete for BIG CASH PRIZES

at Roby ten years as pastor. Pretty good, don't you think?

This week has been the week of day from several weeks' visit with Prayer for the Lottie Moon offering The progrom was held Monday afternoon and Tuesday all day. I got to gate to the State Federation of Wom- attend all but the Tuesday morning program and I surely did enjoy it. Not in my life I think have I enjoyed a climax as much as I did the close of this program and I am here to tell you it was a fitting climax for an offering for missions. I am to preach next Sunday on "Our unfinished

task," and this will be the roundup day for the Lottie Moon Christmas offering for Foreign Missions, I am asking everyone to bring something to put in the offering. You will be given a chance and I beg you not to Sunday afternoon for home accom-- allow yourself to be embarrassed by not having something to put. Bring it along with you.

It will be Christmas right soon now and we want to be ready. There will be the preparations for the tree, and we must make an offering to Buckner Orphans Home. Let's be planning for all of it.

Brother, sister, let me see you at Sunday School next Sunday morning Murphy and Miss Eliza Gilliland of and then me the pleasure of your presence in the congregation while spent Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and I preach on the pertinnt question,

Last Thursday Nov. 19th. was the 75th birthday of Brother R. S. (Unwonderful dinner was prepared and served by the friends and family and a goodly number of intimate friends were there to enjoy the meal, many others made him a visit during the

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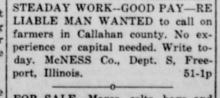
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Ask Me Another

1. How many times does one round a 220-yard track to make a mile?

2. Why are detectives sometimes called sleuths?

3. What three oceans form part of the boundary of Canada?

4. The son of what famous poet served many years on the United States Supreme court?

What is a flageolet? 5. Who were the "grand mo-

guls' 7. Of what South American

country is Montevideo the capital? 8. What is a marten?

Who was Jean Ingelow?

10. What was the "Wilmot Proviso''?

Answers

1. Eight.

2. From sleuth, meaning track, as in sleuthhound.

Atlantic, Arctic and Pacific. Oliver Wendell Holmes. 5,

A flute-like musical instrument

6. Emperors of Delhi.

7. Uruguay. A fur-bearing mammal.

9. An English poet and story

writer (1820-1897) 10. A proposal to bar slavery

territory obtained from from Mexico.





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out of the house she calls after him spitefully: Every time he goes "All right, go to your Jane!"

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

home, no woman would go there hourly and take a spoonful of it.

But there is another kind of poison, more dreadful in its effects, that thousands of women keep on tap and take regularly. It is the poison called jealousy. And jeal-ousy and insanity are first cousins. One woman I knew was not particularly fond of her husband until another woman wanted him. Then she writhed, whispered, foamed with all the symptoms of a disordered mind. She set traps for him, she tried to bribe his office nurse to spy on him, she bored every one she knew with hysterical outbursts of rage. When the other woman was mentioned she became actually sinister; she knew it for a fact that Marian cheated at cards, she knew it for a fact that Marian wasn't straight, she knew everything disagreeable that could be imagined about Marian. Some one happened to speak of Marian's child.

"Ha, she's defective, you know!" said the discarded wife, with a laugh. "The poor little thing'll never be normal!" The husband was mentioned. "I hear John's wearing corsets and having his face lifted, the jealous wife screamed rather than said, with peals of laughter. And this was a quiet, apparently pleasant woman, who never before had shown any signs of the volcano that was ready to burst forth at the first touch of jealousy.

In the old days, when home and church influences took care of children's morals, girls-and jealousy is rather a feminine characteristic, -girls grew up conscious that it was a pitfall, and determined to fight it.

"Look out, my girls," writes the father in "Little Women," from a Civil War camp, "I want each one of you to fight her bosom enemy." It's an old-fashioned phrase; our children wouldn't know what we were talking about if we reminded them to fight their bosom enemies; no one ever has told them that within each one of us lie the powers that can destroy our very souls.

Sex jealousy is perhaps the most poignantly painful and destructive of all; it is the only sort of jealousy men ever seem to feel. It is the tragedy of its agonies that it destroys in those who give away to it the home circle and to his wife's all natural attractiveness. It is curable. A jealous woman may emerge from this fiery trial all the stronger and finer for it, but very few mothers seriously analyze their children's characters in these days, and try to strengthen what is good in them, and weed out what is bad, so that many wives come to the test completely unfitted for what is a real spiritual crisis. Ruth, for example, is thirty-three. She was married nine years ago and has two boys, both in school. She was always a trifle heavy, and she has settled now into something like stockiness; she was always somewhat unimaginative, and she is managing this affair with a complete lack of imagination. Walter has fallen in love with the woman in his office, Jane Deane. Jane is twenty-eight, divorced, and extremely plain at first view. But hers is one of those faces that presently seem almost beautiful, in spite of a homely big mouth, prominent teeth, straight dark hair, sal-Jane has magnificent low skin. gray black-lashed eyes, a lovely voice, and a delightful disposition. Ruth discovered the affair six months ago; she immediately collapsed. She put up no fight. She lay for days weeping on her bed; her face grew dark with anger and swollen with tears; she would not come to meals. To her little boys she said between sobs that Daddy didn't love them any more; he was in love with Mrs. Deane; he was going away to leave them. Once an extremely pretty woman, Ruth lost all semblance of good looks; she stopped golf; she went nowhere; she put on seventeen pounds She stubbornly refuses Walter a divorce, and she continues to make his life wretched at home. Every time he goes out of the house she calls after him spitefully: "All right, go to your Jane!" In short, she has taken the path best calcu-lated to wreck what might be salvaged in their marriage, and to make Walter dislike her. Now, this situation of a husband -perhaps a good and faithful hus-band, being strongly attracted to enother woman—is one that many

I married women have had to face F A bottle of slow poison stood in the past thirty years, and one in the medicine closet of her that will recur from time to time in the years to come. Society doesn't censure him now as once it did, and the law, instead of holding him firmly to his marriage vows, amiably condones divorce. A few weeks in an amusing and pleasant western city and he is free, not responsible any more for the woman and children by whom he has been loved as husband and father

for so many years. Whatever the woman does under the circumstances, she loses. This is one of the times when she can't win. If she holds him he is restless and resentful. If she lets him go her life is too often ruined by the bitterness, the disillusionment, the loneliness, the general disturbance of the whole current of her days. Our social scheme today permits the man to feel himself acting quite honorably when he leaves the woman of whom he is tired and goes to the new love; and his discarded wife is only setting herself against the current when she protests.

But all the same she doesn't have to let him go if she doesn't want to. Nine times out of ten the smarter thing, the thing that makes for happiness in the end, is NOT to let him go. Ruth may know in her heart that Walter is making a fool of himself; that what he feels for Jane won't last; that Jane couldn't make him a good wife, or any man a good wife.

Ruth's course, if she wants to handle the whole thing intelligently, is to make home pleasanter than ever; to be always serene and patient; to bide her time. Her course is to make herself charming; not for Walter, for he won't see her at all for awhile, but on general principles. Her course is to keep herself busy, find work inside the house and out that interests her, that lifts her a little bit above the narrow circle of home. Ruth attracted Walter once against all comers; the most sacred hours of life are those associated with her; whether he marries Jane or doesn't the hour is going to come when he sees Ruth in the old light.

And then in a few years we have the very ordinary spectacle of a husband pretending that his passion for Jane was just warm friendship, forgetting completely that he asked Ruth to set him free, restored to

then. It's still a grand picture. William Powell is as expert in it as he is now-but he looks a lot younger. Kay Francis is very lovely, and Frank McHugh proves that then, as now, he is one of our best comedians. Incidentally, that same McHugh

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Movie · Radio

*** By VIRGINIA VALE ***

F YOU failed to see "One Way

I Passage" when it was origi-

nally released (and apparently

practically everybody failed to

see it then), you may have an-

other chance, if one of your local

theaters follows the example of

one of the New York ones and

Hailed as one of the best pictures

of its time, it ran into bad luck

because it came along when the

depression was at its height. Peo-

ple just weren't going to the movies

shows it again.

acting. -*-Margaret Sullavan's marriage to Leland Hayward came as a decided shock to a lot of people. As you'll recall, rumors have been flying around for a long time to the effect that it was Katherine Hepburn whom Mr. Hayward either would marry or had already married. And now the man who leads the field when it comes to getting jobs for motion-picture actors, selling stories and doing all the various things that an agent has to do, has proved that everybody was all wrong. The husky-voiced Margaret came first, apparently.

-*-Whether you like football or not, you'll be amused at "Pigskin Parade"-it's hilariously funny. And the Yacht Club Boys do plenty to make it amusing.

-* Lily Pons is turning that Connecticut farm of hers into a wild animal shelter; she'll cater to deer especially. And as one who has lived in those parts and had deer drop in to breakfast, your correspondent would like to advise her that she'll have plenty of them.

perfect role in "Three Men on a Horse" — in fact, he's to be starred in it. Among others who are said to have THOMAS L. BLANTON, Jr. wanted that same role are Eddie Cantor. Well, it's Mc-Hugh whom you'll see playing it on the screen. And his ex-Wylie Funeral Home cellent performance is the result of the fact that a long ca-AMBULANCE SERVICE reer on the stage Lady Embalmer and Attendant in melodramas with the rest of his family) taught him practically ev-Flowers for All Occasions erything there is to know about

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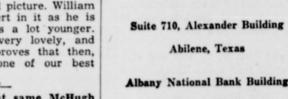
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RUPERT JACKSON, Manager BAIRD, TEXAS

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is coming right along. He is to have Frank McHugh (he started as a child, appearing



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affections.

But the wife has to get rid of the last shred of jealousy before she can succeed in this sort of campaign. She has to see the other woman's viewpoint to realize that all of us, all our lives long, are get-ting humiliating jolts and shocks; to say to herself that what happens to so many other women may well happen to her. She has to abandon all hope of recriminations and reproaches until the heat of the affair has long died away, and treat it as she would a fever. Such a wife can be reasonably sure of a successful ending; and what else matters? And when the skies are clear again she will have to refrain from triumph: this defection in her husband is no more serious than her own defects as a wife; if he has failed her signally in one way, shehas failed him in a score of others. She has kept his life dull when it might have been exciting; she has slumped into disorder and inefficiency when the other woman has been always fresh and attractive.

Not that it is always Ruth's fault; this trial comes to even the most efficient, capable and loving of wives. Propinquity or chance will drag a man's affections from their legitimate anchor as long as men are men, as long as the other woman is the other woman. The law that sends a fatal germ into one mouth and spares a thousand others, that takes away one woman's only child while leaving another woman a safe and happy nursery of half a dozen children, that gives one little sister curly hair and another a talent for the violin, that burns anding, op-and leaves its fellow standing, operates in this matter, too. Your husband may be one of the men who simply isn't going to be faith-ful; that may be your slice of the trouble of life.

trouble of life. Don't try to dodge it when it comes. Face it as you would sick-ness, poverty, war, with spirit and courage. Remember in the mat-ter of your husband's affection, no woman takes anything away from you. You lost it before she found it. Only honesty and sweetness and sheer fineness of character can get it back. it be

Helen Hayes does a good deal of rehearsing for her "Bambi" broadcasts, and during the off moments that occur at all rehearsals she knits. Does it fast, too-she can turn out mittens and socks in no time at all, and the results are turned over to a charitable organization for distribution.

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Sonja Henie, the championship skater who's now in the movies, doesn't care now who knows how terrified she was when she made her first screen tests, or how hope less she felt when she saw them. -*-

One of the reasons given by Paulette Goddard Chaplin for keeping her marriage a sec-

ret was that she wanted to make good under her own name. But the speculation that has been going on for ever so long as to whether she and the famous comedian were engaged, were married, or were just friends has kept

Paulette her name in the papers, coupled with Goddard

peared in a picture with him, it was announced that he would direct her in two more. Can't see why it would make any difference if the marriage had been announced when it took place. Except, perhaps, in the amount of publicity.

ODDS AND ENDS . . . If you have missed Al and Lee Reiser, the clever piano team, be advised that they've dropped their Thursday broadcasts and are now heard Tuesdays and Fridays . . . They say that Rosalind Russell may win this year's Acadamy Award for the best performance for her acting in "Craig's Wife" . . "The Good Earth" has been cut at last-now they'll start on the pre-views . . . And some day we'll all be able to see it . . . Robert Taylor may have to postpone vacationing in Honoluu if the ship strike isn't setted soon . . . But mo-tion picture people are accustomed to postpo ning a vacation again and again before they finally take it . . . Spencer Tracy, just through with "Captains Courageous," will starts soon on another all-masculine picture.

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A LITTLE bit o' sorrow, An' a little bit o' song, Today an' then tomorrow, As the old world bumps along;

A little bit o' kickin' Over things misunderstood. Somebody gets a lickin'-

But it won't do any good. Even back in Eden's gladness Were songs and sorrows mixed Life is always bringin' sadness, An' we try to have it fixed. But we may as well look pleas-

ant, For each day we must agree That the way it is at present Is the way it's got to be. -P. Johnson in Washington Star.

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Lesson for December 6

PAUL'S PARTING COUNSELS

LESSON TEXT-I Timothy 6:6-16; II Timothy 4:16-18.

GOLDEN TEXT-I have fought a go fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. II Timothy 4:7.

PRIMARY TOPIC-Paul's Last Letter. JUNIOR TOPIC-Paul Awaits the Great Adventure

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC-Passing on the Christian Torch YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC-Transmitting the Gospel Heritage.

The apostle Paul was an example in many things, and not the least important of these is the manner in which he was constantly on the lookout for young men who by the call and blessing of God would take up the gospel ministry. He realized that there was much to be done and that if the Lord tarried he and his co-workers would pass on, and the work must needs be carried forward by younger men.

Not only did he seek out such young men but he "followed through," giving them encouragement, instruction, and opportunities for service. How shortsighted is the church that fails God at this point, or which, for the sake of local and present usefulness, hinders young men and women from obtaining the needed training for Chris-tian service. The fields are white unto harvest but the laborers are still few. Let us pray them out and help them on their way.

Our lesson centers around the counsels of Paul to his young friend, Timothy. Written near the end of his life, the letters are filled with all the sweet earnestness of his great soul. They present four im-portant truths which merit the careful attention of every Christian, and even more particularly of the Christian worker.

I. The Gain of Godliness (I Tim. 6:6-8).

In a world which knows little but the urge to gain material riches we need to emphasize the fact that it is still true that a man is not profited if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul.

The great gain of godliness is that inner fellowship with God which brings true contentment of spirit.

II. The Snare of Riches (I Tim. 6:9-11).

The pages of human history are full of the names of those who have fallen into this trap of Satan. Sad to say, not a few of them have been Christian leaders.

Notice that it is not the money itself, or the amount of it that constitutes the danger. It is the desire or the "mind to be rich," and "the love of money" that "is a root of all evil." Hence Paul's admonition comes to each one of us to "flee these things and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness." What a sermon



OR many years Marelu had not been exactly happy on Christ-

mas; somehow she had never received the pretty things bestowed upon other girls. "If they all only knew how I have secretly longed for those soft, dainty luxuries," thought Marelu, as she sat before the fireplace, just three days before Christmas.

"There are those kitchen aprons, for instance, from dear old aunt Lucia. Every year, as far back as I can remember, it has always been aprons. I must have almost a dozen by now. Then there is cousin Marie, who has been sending the inevitable handkerchiefs right along, year after year. There must be quite a collection of them, too." While she had

been grateful and thankful for these kind remembrances, she had not been exactly thrilled.

A happy Christmas thought suggested itself to Marelu as she gazed out at the slender icicles shining like silver in the moonlight. "I know what I'll do. I'll start right now and wrap up all these things into pretty Christmas

brimming full of beautifully wrapped and tied Christmas gifts. Every step she took over the holiday carpet of snow represented a kindly thought of cheer.

as she handed a bright colored par-

prise. The next moment she was proudly unwrapping a pair of pretty bath towels. Marlene and Dolly, two little girls around the corner, colored borders. Marelu been years since she had received a Christmas present.

On to Success-

With It Comes Boldness in New Ideas; Our Sphere of Friends and Activities Expands

character.

A POOR salesman may be a our real work turn up on every genius at gardening; an inhand. Best of all, even a small different stenographer sometimes never suspects her own gift for cookery, for dress design, for ability to pick up foreign languages. By thinking candidly about yourself, by being as friendly to yourself as you would be to another, you can often draw up a picture of your tastes, abilities, desires and hopes which will astonish you.

Take an inventory of yourself, paying special attention to the things you like but which you have little of in your daily life. Then start putting them into it.

From Interest to a Specialty

Often we have to begin slowly -reading, or finding courses of instruction within our means, or working out a program for ourselves in solitude; but every day something can be done toward the new way of living. It can grow from an interest into a hobby. from a hobby into a side line, from a side line into a specialty. Then comes the day when the unsatisfactory work can be given up (to someone who will find it as satisfying and as absorbing as we find our own new field) and success is at last really and noticeably on its way to us-or we are

on our way to it. **Vitalizes** Character

Then living begins to be fun. We meet people with the same tastes. not just the chance acquaintances who come our way in an uncongenial profession. Having succeeded once, we begin to show a little daring; we try new ideas more boldly, and our world of friends and activities expands even more. Chances we couldn't even imagine until we got inside

Uncle Phil Says:

That Is Perfection

Perfection does not consist in doing singular things; but it does consist in doing common things singularly well.

A man who knows that his hardships made the best part of his character may not want his son to have hardships.

Always be sure your friends can grant the favor before you ask it; then there won't be the pain and embarrassment of refusal.

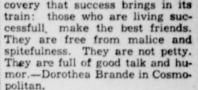
Admitting our faults is half way to correcting them; but the laziest half.

Those That Tried

Failures are facts that prove a man has at least actually tried to be successful.

Poise is something that keeps one from speaking too suddenly. The sophisticated person finds little to enjoy. Everything is old to him.

If you want to make your friend



success has a vitalizing effect on

That is the most interesting dis-

Foreign Words and Phrases

Ab uno disce omnes. (L.) From one learn all; from a single case infer the whole

Blague. (F.) Boastful talk; an incredible story.

Damnum absque injuria. (L.) Loss without legal injury.

Enfonts perdus. (F.) A forlorn hope

Forsan et haec olim meminisse juvabit. (L.) Perhaps sometime it will be pleasant to remember even these things.

Locum tenens. (L.) One holding another's place; a deputy, a proxy.

In propria persona. (L.) In one's own person; in person. Haud passibus aequis. (L.) With unequal steps.

Quot homines, tot sententiae. (L.) Opinions as many as the men.



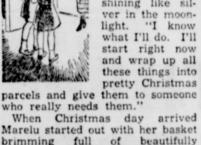
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danced up and down with joy when they saw the snowy handkerchiefs with smiled happily as she left the little girls and proceeded to her next stop. Effie Lynn was overwhelmed with surprise when a gift was handed her. She explained that it had

After several other interesting calls Marelu started for home. The street lights flashed on and the glimmering Christmas trees joined in the ceremony on all sides of her. As she drew near her own home she stood still a moment and admired the grandeur of the dark pines encircling the house under a white burden of snow. The variawindows seemed to be stretching out to meet the pines.

cel to dear old Linda Larsen.

"Merry Christmas," she cried,

"The very same to you," said she, with a questioning look of sur-

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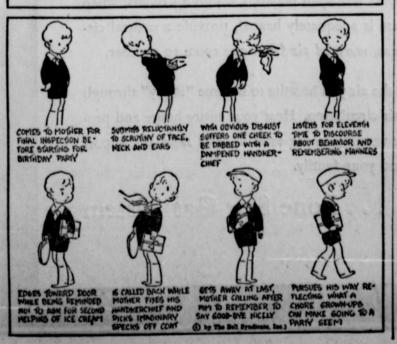
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By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

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dozen words III. The Fight of Faith (vv. 12-16).

Christianity is not only an inward grace which reflects in "godliness with contentment" and in fleeing the snare of riches, but it is a daily fighting of the good fight of faith. It is imperative that there be "a good confession" (v. 12), coupled with a keeping of God's "commandment without spot, without re-proach, until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ."

The servant of Christ, in view of the coming of the One who is "the King of Kings and Lord of Lords," is to live a consistent, clean, and irreproachable life.

IV. A Divine Deliverance (II Tim. 4:16-18).

"All forsook me," says Paul. How tragic! How weak and undependable is the arm of flesh! "But the Lord stood by me." How glorious! How mighty and gracious is our God!

The follower of Christ may find himself without a human friend or supporter. Those who stood by in younger and more successful days may have disappeared. But let us remember that our trust is in God who has never failed any one of his children. "He abideth faithful, he cannot deny himself." (II Tim, 2:13).

Worship and Prayers

It is for the sake of man, not of God, that worship and prayers are required; that man may be made better — that he may be con-firmed in a proper sense of his dependent state, and acquire those pious and virtuous dispositions in which his highest improvement consists.

Learning Only Good The wish falls often on my heart, that I may learn nothing here that cannot continue in the other world; that I may do nothing here but deeds that will bear fruit in Heaven. -Jean Paul Richter.

Window of Hope

Eternity is the divine treasure house, and hope is the window, by means of which mortals are per-mitted to see, as through a glass darkly, the things which God is pre-paring.—Mountford.

Inside the house was warmth and joy and Christmas cheer as the family gathered about the Christmas tree, pointed



"A gorgeous lamp shade," cried mother, as she held it up for all to see.

While still admiring this thing of beauty, Bobby shouted louder than ever, "Something for the governor, himself. Get ready, pop, for your "When

taining them.

could be.

"What can the strange package be, for goodness sake?" said father, his eyes popping with inter-est. "Well, I do declare, if it isn't a golf set. Just what I have wanted for a long time," as he started to examine it.

"Oh boy, hold out your hands and catch, Dot, a ducky package for you, all tied with silver cord. What is it? Open it quick!" Dot removed the bright red tis-

sue and disclosed a white wool skating outfit.

Marelu had been so absorbed in what the others were receiving that she had forgotten all about herself. For the first time in many years she had received the things she really adored. With a heart full of appreciation and joy, she suddenly shouted, "Merry Christ-mas!" The others did not quite comprehend the extent of Marelu's enthusiasm, but she, herself, felt, somehow, that this had been the very happiest, merriest Christmas she had ever had. • Western Newspaper Union.

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Don't Live for Less

Never allow yourself to live for anything less than your highest ideal. If you do, you wili deteriorate.

All friendships between men are based on the fact that the two are somehow happy in each other's company.

Everyone remembers what a great man says. So much the worse for his reputation for consistency.

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