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## ROUND UPS

by "The Wrangler"

The celebration of Labor Day was originated in 1882 by the Knights of Labor who held a parade in the downtown district of New York. Working men of all organizations then began agitation to have the day made a legal holiday. The holiday is observed in some countries of Europe in the month of May in favor of the eight-hour work day, and it was in 1890 that such celebrations were violently opposed by the different governments. Today Americans think of Labor Day as a legal holiday from the office when the family can take a weekend excursion into the country or to a favorite vacation spot with all of the original idea of Labor Day faded away through the years. There are labor leaders throughout the country who take the day more seriously and Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins is none the less interested. Since 1910 when she began to work to obliterate basement bakeries, sweat shops and such horrors as the Triangle Fire, Frances Perkins has personified the heart and brain of labor. Today's job is employment, a problem before which labor's past battle for better wages and conditions to work as blithe as children's pillow fights. Labor trusts her.

There is a leaning statue in Albany, New York, and authorities are wondering what to do with it. They might convert it into a monument to the WPA.

The wearing of gloves dates back to the days of the cave dwellers and it is believed that they are the only wearing apparel that has been used since that time. Gloves had many different kinds of usage down through the ages. At one time, before the advent of knives and forks, they were worn while eating to protect the fingers from being burned by hot foods.

Joseph Gagliardi, of Lenox, Massachusetts, received a new mattress from emergency relief quarters with instructions to destroy the old one. Joseph objected, saying that he was going to give the old one to his cow, "Miss Chicago." He got his wish and now he and "Miss Chicago" have a mattress.

A narrow minded Quaker said to his wife: "Priscilla, everyone but thou and me is queer, and sometimes I think thou art."

Descendants of the founders of the first Protestant church in Texas celebrated the 100th anniversary of that establishment in Texas with a two day program this week. Anderson county was the scene of the celebration where the Primitive Pilgrim Baptist church was organized. Many descendants of the founders of the pioneer church still live in the vicinity of the aged church.

Unusual midsummer activity of important crop insects is following a widespread hot, dry weather, the Department of Agriculture has shown. Conditions have been favorable for chinch bugs and grasshoppers, which are cleaning up many fields and forage crops that survived the drought.

We are proud to believe that farmers have a greater amount of faith and confidence in the future than the business men of the cities. Rarely do we read of a farmer who has given up hope and jumped to his death from his wind mill. Farmers are just accustomed to a depleted bank roll and are more thankful for his bread and keep.

Just talk: There have been 102 sets of twins named for Amos and Andy. . . . Firecrackers being produced for the next Fourth of July cannot be made over four inches in length and five-eighths of an inch in diameter. . . . The best of artists brushes are made from rat whiskers.

## Cotton

At 2 p. m. Thursday, September 3, the four gins at Knox City had a total of 592 bales with cotton bringing from 10.40 to 11.40. O'Brien gin reports 139 bales.

Nowadays.

By PERCY CROSSBY



Look how short her skirt is, Daisy! I believe she'd wear anything to get the men.

## One Man Shot; Another Slugged In Beer Robbery

### SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT HONORED AT SOCIAL

Members of the First Christian church gave a surprise social Wednesday night honoring their Sunday School Superintendent O. D. Reid. All the church members gathered at the home of W. E. Marr and went in a group to the Reid home where several games were played and a gift of handsome glass ware was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Reid. The evening was an enjoyable occasion for all present.

Miss Juanita Morgan is spending this week with her mother in Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. May and children joined the Norman families of Rule and other places at Leuders Sunday for a reunion. 101 persons were in the group ages ranging from three to sixty eight years. The reunion consisted of W. D. Norman, Mrs. May's father, and his five brothers and one sister with their children and their children's children. They had a fine day with plenty to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pinson and daughter Mary Frances of Caplin, New Mexico are visiting the Frizzells this week. The Pinsons are enroute home after having visited points of interest in Texas the past three weeks including the Centennial celebrations at Dallas and Fort Worth.

### BLEDSEOE GROWS COTTON REGARDLESS OF WEATHER

Farmers complain about the small crop of cotton, saying the lack of rain is the cause; but Knox City has one man who produces cotton regardless of the weather. H. M. Bledsoe, butcher at the Red and White Store is the cotton man.

In 1912 Mr. Bledsoe had a boil on his left eye, in the brow. Dr. E. F. Corbrell of Welnert lanced the place and "dressed" it with medicated cotton. The place healed, some of the cotton remaining in the wound. To this day Mr. Bledsoe extracts small strans of cotton from the place every four or five days. A small opening has remained where the boil was lanced and the cotton gradually pushes out the hole and Mr. Bledsoe catches these and pulls out the strans.

### Two King County Places Entered Saturday Night

Two King county Beer stands were robbed Monday night one proprietor being shot and the other knocked in the head.

Robbers entered the beer stand at King and Cottle county line some time in the earlier part of the night. Monday and shot the owner, an old man, four times. They took his merchandise and money and drove toward Benjamin. Their second stop was made near the Knox County line, at a stand operated by W. T. Ward and Homer T. Melton. Ward was on duty that night but had retired. He awoke about one o'clock to realize that he had received a blow on the head and that two men were in his place. One man held a gun on him and the other was carrying out his merchandise and money. They took valuables totaling \$200.00 and left Ward tied and taped.

The two robbers were in two cars. One they loaded at the Guthrie stand and the other at the Ward-Melton Stand. Ward states that the car filled from his stand was a 36 light colored Chevrolet coupe. Soon after their departure he freed himself and sought help.

Tuesday morning Ward and Melton, with the elder Mr. Melton were in Knox City seeking traces of the robbers.

The man who was shot is still alive.

Three men were arrested in Lubbock Wednesday believed to have been connected with the King county robberies.

Delmas Davis returned to Fort Hill last Friday after spending a week with his mother here. Delmas is numbered among 300 boys who are leaving today, September 3 for a tour of the Centennial, the State of California and into Salt Lake City in Utah.

### O'BRIEN LETS CONTRACT FOR NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

O'Brien school let the contract for their new school building Wednesday to Ed Jones of Stamford. The remains of the old building that burned will be added to.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week include Mrs. M. M. Starr and infant daughter of Throckmorton, Mrs. E. E. Teaff of O'Brien, Mrs. Frank Reddell and twin sons of Rochester, Mrs. Walter Moorhouse and infant daughter of Benjamin and Mrs. Mik Reis (Mexican) and infant son of Knox City.

Miss Lella Kelly is now superintendent of the Hospital and of nurses. She came from Dallas. Nurses on duty are Misses Cella Albus, Oleta Simmons, Pattie Morrison and Massey and Mrs. Thomas Ferguson. Miss Simmons is from Quanah and has been here two weeks. Miss Morrison is from Anson and Miss Massey from Stamford. Miss Massey is doing night duty.

Mrs. Teaff is reported as doing well.

### SUNSET SCHOOL OUT FOR COTTON PICKING

Word is received this week that the sunset school is being discontinued this Friday for cotton picking. Quite a few children have been out of school this week. As soon as picking is over, school will be resumed.

Jim Edd Marr celebrated his tenth birthday Monday night with thirty guests. Out-of-door games were played while some skated. Punch and cake were served by Wilma Lowrey and Udell Darden who assisted Mrs. W. E. Marr in entertaining the youngsters.

People desiring brick bats from the old school building may have them by hauling them off, provided you get them by the middle of next week. Ask O. B. King about them.

Knox City School Board

Mrs. C. E. Durham returned home Sunday from an extended visit with two sisters, one in Phoenix Arizona and the other in Bakersfield California.

Little David Brigford of Colorado City is spending this week with his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hledge. David is 18 months old and having a swell time while his parents attend the Centennial.

Miss Grace Orsborn has as her guests this week Miss Dallas Katherine Smith and Miss Francis Diering. They, and Grace, are teachers in the Benjamin school this year. Benjamin school opens Monday.

## Old School Building Ready for Classes

### BRICK FRONT BUILT FOR LAST WOODEN BUILDING

Knox City business district takes on a new air this week as S. P. Keny builds a new brick front for the last remaining wooden building within the city block.

The building, located north of the Lawson Cafe, is under going a complete remodeling this week. It has been raised and leveled. Will have a new brick front, new awning and new cement walk. The front of the building is being changed to its former arrangement. The south half, occupied by Jones Barber Shop, will have three windows on the south side and the door placed next to the north wall. The other half of the building, occupied by Keny offices, will be arranged to harmonize.

The remodeling of this building is a result of the new road through town.

## PROGRAM

Thirty-First Annual Session Haskell Missionary Baptist Association

First Baptist Church, Knox City

September 9-10, 1936

### WEDNESDAY MORNING

10:00 Song Service, Press Hitchcock

10:15 Presentation of church letters and reading. Organization, election of officers, order of business.

10:45 MISSIONS: (10 minutes each report)

District Missions . . . H. H. McGregor

State Missions . . . Roy Shanan

Home Missions . . . W. M. Copeland

Foreign Missions . . . S. E. Stevenson

Cooperative Program and 100M club

W. D. Green

11:35 Mission Sermon, Dr. R. C. Campbell, State Mission Secretary.

LUNCH

### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

1:30 Devotional . . . I. N. Alys

1:45 Religious Literature, W. P. Kirk

2:00 Evangelism . . . H. R. Whatley

2:30 Buckner Orphan Home . . . Dr. Hal Buckner

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

5:00 Song Service, special music, Knox City.

8:20 "Growing A Sunday School Conscience" . . . W. H. Albertson

8:45 Annual Sermon, . . . Rev. Williams of Stamford

### THURSDAY MORNING

10:00 Song Service and Devotional

10:15 Report on S. S. Work W. R. Terry

10:30 Report on BTU work . . . Maybelle Taylor

10:45 W. M. S. Report . . . Mrs. J. O. Powden

11:00 Report on Laymen's work, Sam Reed

11:15 Special music . . . Knox City

11:20 Christian Education . . . Dr. Tom Taylor, Brownwood, President of Howard Payne College.

### THURSDAY AFTERNOON

1:30 Song Devotional.

1:45 Digest of Letters . . . L. Lowell Ponder

2:00 Obituaries . . . H. G. Hammer

2:15 Miscellaneous Business: Time, place, preacher, District Board Member.

Treasurers report

Adjournment.

Every family of the Baptist church of Knox City will be expected to bring a basket dinner without exception. Please do not fail.

### Board Names Teachers

### School Begins Sep. 21

Announcement was made Tuesday by Trustees of the Knox City school that the old building will be ready for classes when school opens the 21. All brick work has been completed on the old building and this week men are repairing the plaster work on the interior and painting, both inside and outside, began this week. It is interesting to know that new steps are being built at the front of the building, new full width wooden steps, taking the place of the jointed structure made to mount to the second floor. This work alone adds greatly to the appearance of the building and convenience for getting in and out.

The new building will be completed shortly after school is begun.

Oscar Spann, workman on the new building had a little finger almost severed off the first of the week. He was helping move the large metal beams and his finger became caught and cut almost off. After receiving treatment he went back to work.

### Board Names Teachers

The school board names the faculty for the two schools opening September 21. They are as follows: Miss Pauline Cherry, Miss Ruth Rice, Miss Mary Francis Hicks, Miss Pauline Benton and Jack P. Wetzel, principal of Grammar school; Miss Bernice Swift, Mrs. Sammie Carpenter, Miss Dorothy Lee Calfee; Superintendent O. B. King, Mr. D. L. Dodgen, Principal, Mrs. Marjorie Basse and Mrs. Jim Crowder study hall and Business Administration. One other teacher is yet to be supplied.

Miss Mildred Dutton has been elected to teach music.

## C. W. A. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

At a recent meeting of the Christian Womens Association new officers for the year were elected. The election resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. G. D. McCarty

Vice-President, Mrs. T. S. Edwards

Secretary, Mrs. A. B. Reese

Treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Marr.

Mrs. G. D. McCarty has rejected the presidency which place will doubtless be filled at the next meeting of the association.

The organization met Monday of this week in the Methodist church. A program of charity work for the coming months was discussed.

### AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 9:45 A.M.

Praching 11 A.M. and 8:30 P.M.

League, 8 P.M.

Woman's Missionary Society, Monday 3 P.M.

Next Sunday, is "Communion Day", being the First Sunday. Let every member, and any who will partake with us, be present. We try to make this a "Day of Rejoicing", a help to each person.

Brother E. B. Bowen, the Presiding Elder, will preach at the evening hour. Let's greet him with a "Full House".

The League will please meet on time, and remain for the preaching service, helping to make the choir a power in the service.

Yours, for great services,  
B. J. Osborn

### MRS. WARREN ACCEPTS PLACE AT C. I. A.

Mrs. E. Q. Warren has asked for a leave of absence from the Knox City school and has accepted the position of domestic hostess at CIA for the year. It is a lovely position and will keep Mrs. Warren in constant contact with a large group of fine girls.

Reverend Jim H. Sharp of McLain, Texas was through Knox City Tuesday. He visited some two hours in the J. A. Wilson home.

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## CANNON FODDER

Teh UP Saturday carried a story from Avellino, Italy, which cast the figure of Dictator Mussolini, in a somewhat unfavorable light, perhaps unconsciously.

The great man, the story went, was driving through the village of Guardia Lombardi and noticed a child playing in the street. He stopped his car, picked up the child and carried it to the mother with this remark:

"You must be more careful. Babies are the dearest things in the world."

The astonished mother timidly remarked that she had to work very hard, since her husband was in service in East Africa.

His dignity unruffled by this unwitting rebuke, the great man drew a 100-lire (\$7.85) note from his pocket and presented it to the mother.

"At least for one week you will now be able to devote all your attention to your child," Il Duce proclaimed, climbing into his car and disappearing without waving goodbye.

Babies are precious in Il Duce's sight because Italy needs man-power—more young husbands and fathers to send into Africa. They must be saved from rampaging automobiles at all costs—to die, perhaps, of disease or wounds in Africa later, on, for the glory of the fatherland.

—Ablene Reporter

## SLOW DOWN AT NIGHT

Here is some worth-while advice to motorists: As soon as darkness descends, slow down pronto!

In spite of the fact that the bulk of cars are operated almost entirely during the day, well over half of all the fatal accidents last year occurred at night. Sixty-nine percent of the victims were pedestrians. And the death rate for the evening rush hours

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was over 100 per cent greater in winter than in summer, due to darkness.

Unconsciously or otherwise, many motorists chronically "overdrive their headlights" that is, they could not bring their cars to a stop within the illuminated distance before them. And more powerful lights are no cure for this—they produce glare, a potent cause of head-on crashes, and are justly illegal in most states.

The pedestrian, of course, is not wholly free from blame. It has been extensively publicized that one should always walk on the left side of the highway, facing oncoming traffic—but a great many night-walkers apparently haven't heard the news yet. And many of them also don't seem to realize that to walk on a dark highway wearing dark clothes is an invitation to the coroner. Light reflection is an eccentric thing—and a darkly dressed pedestrian often can't be seen by the motorist until it is too late.

Thus, we need education for the pedestrian as well as for the auto driver. But in the meantime, the driver should take every precaution, and even go to what may seem ridiculous lengths to operate his car safely. After all, he is in command of a potentially lethal vehicle that literally kills more men than does war. Don't take a chance!

Mrs. Mae and Archie Reese were in Canyon, Texas where both received degrees from W. T. S. T. C.

Mrs. A. S. Logan was real sick the first of the week.

Henley Hamner has been critically ill this week.

Mrs. E. Q. Warren is spending a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Williams in Merkel.

Gleen Fox of Quanah underwent an operation Saturday night and is doing fine. Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hairston went to Quanah for the week end.

Mrs. R. H. Banks spent Wednesday with her mother in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Warren of Munday spent Sunday with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hairston and daughter spent last week in Fort Worth and Dallas. At the hall of communication Mr. Hairston was awarded a free telephone call and talked to Lee Keesee in Rule. Some nine or ten free calls are given every thirty minutes at the hall of communication. At the time Dennis put in his call other calls over the country were being made (free) one to Salt Lake City. Mr. and Mrs. Hairston saw T. P. Withrow who is still attending school in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Methis and daughter of Stamford spent Sunday in the H. L. Daniel home.

## SPECIAL FOR SEPTEMBER

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## WILL ROGERS INTERCEDING FOR RAIN

The following poem was composed by Mrs. E. L. Huntsman of this city in response to the broadcast of W. Leo O'Daniels and his Hill Billies, Sunday, August 16. If you like the poem, tell Mrs. Huntsman so.

Will walked along the golden street,  
 Hands in his pocket, shuffling his feet;  
 Whistling that old familiar quirk,  
 The tune he whistled in "To Busy to Work".  
 Slowly he approached the great white throne  
 With that big broad smile we loved back home;  
 With a twinkle in his eye, he scratched his head  
 And wiggled and squirmed, and then said:

Father, I've come to intercede for the folks back home,  
 For some of the things they need.  
 The cotton and the corn and feed, they say,  
 Is all drying up and blowing away.  
 The cattle on the ranch where I use to ride  
 Are all very thirsty, and some have died.  
 I've just had a message from that grand old plain,  
 And Father, they ask me to ask you for rain.

God looked at Will with pity in his eye  
 And pointed to a small lad passing by;  
 He said "Will, when you made you home on earth,  
 And beheld your son on the day of his birth,  
 Would you have put a reptile in his small hand  
 Because he cried and could not understand?  
 I know the cattle and farms need rain,  
 But, Will, my people on earth are vain.

With barns well filled they feed only their own,  
 While orphans and widows go hungry, alone.  
 They think only of luxuries which they may possess,  
 That their gifts come from God, they never confess.  
 They don't think to thank me for great fields of grain  
 Even while they implore you to ask me for rain.  
 I would like to send rain on that dear old sod,  
 But, Will, when there's plenty, they forget I am God.

How long shall I suffer as I sit on my throne,  
 And watch men stubborn, heart broken and lone  
 Deride my Commandments, I gave for guide  
 While down thru the ages my Son they've denied?  
 How long shall I suffer the influx of sin  
 That causes me to withhold my blessings from men?  
 You come interceding for those whom you love,  
 Now, Will, intercede for the Father above.

"Well Father, I thank you", Will smiled as he said,  
 "Just don't let them run out of shelter and bread.  
 And as the good old cow punchers gaze at the sky,  
 Don't let the little doggies grow thirsty and die.  
 And that old cow poney I use to call mine,  
 Please see that he is watered and fed all the time"  
 Then Will shuffled off down the golden street,  
 Whistling a tune, keeping time with his feet.

## CLAIMS WORLD'S LOW MILEAGE RECORD

Eastern Air Lines lays claim to a new world's record. But instead of pinning the ribbon on one of its giant Douglas airliners, the claim is now made that the Chevrolet truck, used by EAL for refueling planes at Jacksonville, Florida, has achieved the world's short-haul record, with a total of 38 miles registered on the speedometer after 12 months of daily service. That's really going places. Every day it makes eight round trips. It backs up, non-stop, for 35 feet. Then it refuels a plane and makes a forward non-stop run of 35 feet. There it rests until it is time to do it all over again.

The truck is one of a fleet of four 1 1/2-ton trucks, its brethren being located at Atlanta, Washington and Newark, respectively. Each has a capacity of 510 gallons of 80-octane gas and 150 gallons of 80-octane. The latter contains more lead and is used only on take-offs. 60 gallons per minute are pumped for the truck in to the Douglas planes, a total of 1500 gallons per day during summer. As a matter of fact, it is expected that 2500 gallons will be used every day next winter when extra sections will be flown to take care of the New York and Chicago-Miami business.

The "Champ," as the airport clerks call it, has three drivers but no state license, since it operates entirely on the company property. It forms an important part in the efficient operation of the Great Silver Fleet and has made consistent contribution in enabling Eastern Air Lines to keep a minimum schedule of 8 1/2 hours between New York and Miami; 10 hours between Chicago and Miami, and 8 1/2 hours between New York and New Orleans.

It is estimated that the truck will have to be in service 5,812 years before it can equal the record of 225,000 miles now held by several Chevrolet trucks.

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## NEGRO CRAP SHOOTERS vs. WHITE SOIL-WASTERS

In many hill country Southern counties soil destruction has reached the proportions of a calamity. While statute books and court procedures are severe on negro crap shooters and chicken-stealers, while land owners who let their soils wash away commit a far greater crime against humanity. Commenting on this condition, Editor Clarence Poe of The Progressive Farmer has this to say: "When we destroy the soil fertility which the Almighty intended should nourish not only you and me but all those who may come after us for a million years to come, we white landowners commit a crime far greater than that of any ignorant Negro who steals a chicken or ham or sheep. Those petty thefts affect only individuals today. But when we destroy essential soil fertility we sin against the human race not only today but for the tomorrows. . . . Yet our so-called statesmen in the Legislature of the South for years and for generations have been formulating statutes and setting up court machinery to punish chicken stealing and crap shooting while the destruction of the South's fundamental natural resources, the destruction of the Almighty's greatest gift to our section—destruction which insures disaster alike to this generation and to all future generations—has been treated as a matter of no public concern."

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Branton spent Sunday in Lubbock.

Nick Shaver carried his mother to Roosevelt Oklahoma last Friday to be with his sister Mrs. J. J. O'Brien who is ill.

Miss Helen Houser, State Beauty Inspector, was in Knox City Monday. Miss Houser was a Munday girl.

Mrs. Guy Milford went to Crowell Tuesday to visit with her daughter Mrs. Bud Thompson for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rayburn and daughter of Ablene spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hopson.

D. Everett Kelly of Waco was in Knox City Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Kelly returned home with him.

One who is afraid of the future deserves to die now.

## A. E. F. REUNION TO BE HELD IN DALLAS SEPTEMBER 10-13

Major General Beaumont B. Buck National Chairman of the American Expeditionary Forces Reunion has announced the following schedule for the coming A. E. F. Reunion to be held in Dallas, Texas September 10th thru 13th, inclusive as a feature of the Texas Centennial, these schedules having been approved after conference between Federal, State, Centennial and AEF officials. September 10th will be Regular Army, Navy and Marines day in honor of the 1st-2nd-3rd-4th-5th-6th and 7th AEF Divisions with the War Time Ships of the Navy and the Marines who served in France. September 11th, will be National Guard Day in honor of the 26th-27th-28th-29th 30th-31st-32nd-33rd-34th-35th-36th 37th-38th-39th-40th-41st, and 42nd Divisions. September 12th, will be National Army Day in honor of the 76th-77th-78th-79th-80th-81st-82nd-83th-84th-85th-86th-87th 88th 89th-90th-91st and 92nd AEF Divisions. September 13th will be a combined Reunion of all the AEF Divisions, Navy and Marines. Regiments and smaller units will meet each morning at 10 A.M. at the respective Divisional assembly points on the Centennial Grounds. Division Meetings will be held at these same points at 3 P.M. Retreat will be held at 7:25 P.M. each day, formal Guard Mount and Military Band Concert at 6:45 P.M. Each day. On September 12th in honor of St. Mihiel victory the largest military and National Defense Parade in the History of Texas is being planned. Lt. General Robert L. Bullard, President of the National Security League and one of our greatest AEF Generals, has been asked to lead the parade. The night of September 13th a memorial service in memory of the 50,000 AEF dead will be held, all of the Churches in Texas being asked to take part closing the Memorial Service and the AEF Reunion with a solemn prayer for American Dead have not died in vain.



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The school affairs seem to be running so smoothly that it is hardly necessary to make a single comment for either the good or the bad. If things continue as they are, they may begin to get monotonous; someone had better start some excitement around here.

Even though it is the topic of conversation, so far we have not mentioned the weather. Now that we are used to such warm weather that we have been having, it doesn't bother so terribly much, but we certainly welcome this rather cool spell. Mary Helen made the statement that she couldn't tell whether it was the hot weather or the strenuous work that bothered her the more.

We started off the day Friday with a chapel program. Mr. Harber gave us an interesting talk about patriotism just before Mr. Underwood led us in several patriotic songs. The superintendent then made some announcements. We enjoyed the program very much; however, our spirits soon suffered a severe let-down, as the remainder of the day was taken up in three-weeks' tests.

Almost the entire high school student body saw "Green Pastures", including the Senior Class with the exception of one. Although several were disappointed in it, most of us join the critics by deeming it an excellent show.

Several of the "fresh fish" are pretty good at pulling those "knock-knocks", but they are leading the bunch in getting the real knocks that seem to always come the way of a freshman. But, leaving all such comment aside, we are very, very proud of our Freshman Class; and if they accept the challenge of their upper classmen or carry out the prophecy that Mr. Harber made in the recent chapel program, they will have the largest Senior Class in the history of our school in the year 1941.

Among the several visitors of this week were our County Superintendent, Mr. Hughes, and Mr. Cunningham, who is the new superintendent of the Benjamin Schools. Other visitors were Allene Houser, Corrine Wardlaw, Emogene and Floy Nelson, Edith Henslie, and Laverne Counts, all of Munday.

## SENIORS

Those who have not had art lessons, are now experiencing their first ones, drawing Chaucer's pilgrims, Talbot Inn, and the first movable theatres in the English IV course.

The bookkeeping students are also having their first experience in keeping books. Some seem to think that they would not have started keeping books in the same manner that the author did. They would have known what they were doing a part of the time, at least.

The seniors are planning an entertainment this weekend. If the plans are carried out, it will be the first of this year's school activities, outside of the regular curriculum.

## GRADE SCHOOL

Mr. Underwood reports quite a few absentees in the grades this week. We suppose that they have

already donned their cotton socks. In making a survey of the grade classes, we find two very interesting ones in particular. The fourth grade English pupils are using the pictures from the backs of magazines to write stories. They are going to put them in a notebook, thus forming an interesting group of stories. The fifth grade geography pupils are making booklets in the shape of the forty eight states and are putting various things that they learn about each different state in its proper place.

## SPORTS (GIRLS)

Although the girls' athletic program is not yet in full force, we are expecting some excellent work from the high school girls later in the year. We feel that we have some new members in high school this year whom we think will prove very capable in taking the places of those whom we have lost. We are proud to have these girls, and we hope that they will enjoy athletics well enough to co-operate with the team, coach, and school in order to really start things off with a "bang" and keep them going when school begins again.

Until the present time, the girls have been having quite a lot of fun playing indoor ball. Sides have been chosen and seem to be evenly divided. Even though they play only twenty minutes each day, enthusiasm has been created among the high school students who originally did not participate in the games.

Knox County Council of Home Demonstration clubs meets in regular session, Assembly room, court house, Benjamin, Saturday, September 5th at 2:30 p.m. All members are expected to be present.

Reverend and Mrs. B. J. Osborn are in Stamford this afternoon, Thursday, attending a formal reception in the District parsonage. Reverend and Mrs. E. B. Bowen are entertaining the pastors of the district and their wives.

Mrs. Eli Loflar of Spur visited her sister Mrs. P. Long this week.

We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Banks subscribe for the Herald this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kunkle of Megargle are now employed in the Knox City Bakery. They moved to Knox City last week taking rooms at the Methodist parsonage.

J. T. Watson is reported ill this week.

Dove season opened the first got your shells at the Knox City Hardware company.

Miss Margaret Reeder left Wednesday for Port Arthur where she will teach school, the term beginning Monday, September 7th.

Duane Norman of Meadow, Texas spent the weekend with A. D. aMy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Farmer spent Sunday with the V. G. Martin family on the plains.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bridges and L. N. Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bridges spent last week in Dallas.

Mrs. Ben Farmer has been confined to her home this week with a sprained ankle. She stepped on a rock that turned over in a hole and she has suffered quite a bit with the ruckle.

J. V. Jones and Buddy Bright went to Fort Worth for the weekend. J. V. attended the Frontier entertainments and Buddy returned home after having spent the summer in Knox City.

Mrs. W. E. Marr entertained the Friday afternoon club last week. Among club guests were Mrs. R. H. Eanks who recently moved here from Haskell. After the games refreshments of ice cream and ginger snaps were served.

Miss Mary Howell entertained the girls Monday evening with supper out. The girls, Juanita Morgan, Ona Galloway, Mildred Dutton, Mae and Flee Reese and Hazel Jones went to Mary's home and all cooked supper out. They had angels on horseback, watermelon and punch and grand time.

Reverend and Mrs. W. D. Green and Ethel Mae spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Sylvester. They were accompanied as far as Hamilton by Miss Ona Galloway. On the return trip home they stopped in Stamford and attended the revival meeting at the Baptist church, Reverend Chandler conducting the services.

The Evans family went to Abilene Monday where they met Francis who came in from Dallas. They returned with Francis Tuesday. Francis will be here about 18 days.

Mrs. Doran Brown and daughter of Rochester were shopping in Knox City Tuesday.

Proaching services in the O'Brien Methodist church will be resumed in regular order Sunday September 6 after several weeks given over to the summer Revival Season.

The pastor, Reverend Woodrow Adcock, who has been assisting in a Revival Meeting in Lamesa, will be a tulp pulpit. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

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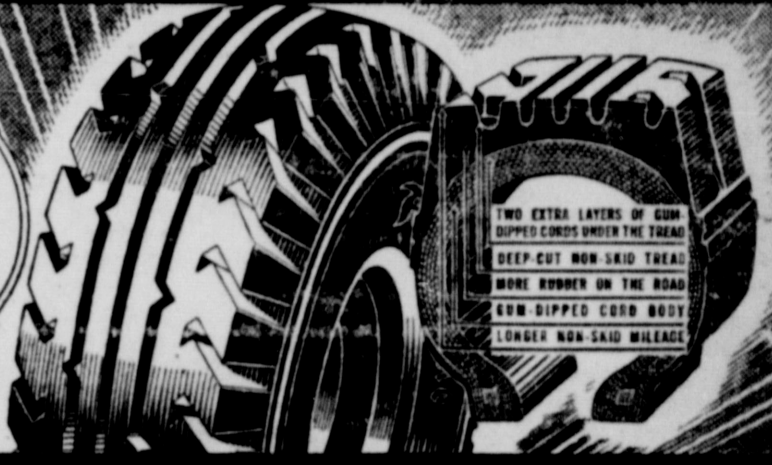
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## Temple Houston's Defense of Fallen Woman Noted Example of Oratory

NOTED JURIST SON OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON LIVED FOR YEARS IN WEST TEXAS

In a newspaper found by Myrtle Simmons of Pampa recently, was discovered a copy of an extemporaneous speech delivered to a jury at Woodward in the fall of 1889 by Colonel Temple Houston, whose father was General Sam Houston, first president of the republic of Texas.

This speech has been described as swaying a jury and saving a soul, and has been quoted throughout the world. Houston, who voluntarily acted as attorney and obtained acquittal of his client by this oration despite the most direct evidence of guilt, was known during the 80's and 90's and until his death as the most eloquent jury pleader in the west, and the following account of the trial and conclusion of Houston's address to the jury, is taken from an old copy of the Woodward News published immediately after the occurrence. It since has been translated into many languages:

"Last Friday there was tried in the district court at this place before Judge Purford, one of the most remarkable cases in certain respects ever disposed of in the territory. One of the women of the town, (name deleted) was prosecuted for plying her vocation and running a bawdy house. Something about the case aroused the indignation of Temple Houston, who instantly and voluntarily undertook her case. Exposure had imparted his voice and he only addressed the court and jury in a calm conversational tone. After referring to the legal questions involved and discussing the evidence, he almost have laid his hands on the shoulders of each, and in a low clear voice closed his address with these words over toward the jury so he could words:

"Gentlemen you heard with what cold cruelty the prosecution referred to the sins of this woman, as if her condition was her own prefer-

ence. The evidence has painted you a picture of her life and surroundings. Do you think that they were of her own choosing? Do you think she willingly embraced a life of revolting and horrible? Ah, no. Gentlemen one of our own sex was the author of her ruin, more to blame than she then let us judge her gently. What could be more pathetic than the spectacle she presents? An immortal soul in ruins. Where the star of purity once glittered on her girlish brow burning shame has set its seal forever. And only a moment ago they reproached her for the depths to which she had sunk, the company she kept, the life she led. Now, what else is left her?

"Where can she go and her sin not pursue her? Gentlemen, the very promises of God are denied her—by man. He said: 'Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavily laden and I will give you rest.' She indeed has labored and is heavily laden but if at this instant she were to kneel down before us all and confess her Redeemer and beseech His tender mercies, where is the church that would receive her? And even if they accepted her, when she passed the portals to worship and to claim her rest, scorn and mockery would greet us, and those she met would gather around them their skirts the more closely to avoid the pollution of her touch.

Would you tell me a single employment where she could realize: Give us this day our daily bread? Her own sex would shrink from her as they would from pestilence. Society has reared its relentless walls against her, and only in the friendly shelter of the grave can the betrayed and broken heart ever find the Redeemer's promised rest. They told you of her assumed names as fleeing as the shadows on the walls, of her sins, her habits they never told you of her sorrows, and who shall tell what her heart, sinful though it may be new feels? When the remembered voices of mother and sisters whom she must see no more on this earth fall again like music on her erring soul—not no, not in this life, for the seducer has destroyed her soul.

"You know the story of the prodigal son; but he was a son. He was one of us, like her destroyer. But for the prodigal daughter there is no return. Were she with her wasted form and bleeding feet to darg herself back to her girlhood home, she, the fallen and the lost, what would her welcome be? Oh, consider this when you come to decide her cause, for she is before us and we must judge her. They sneer and scorn at her. We should respect her grief, and I tell you that there reigns over her penitent and chastened spirit a desolation that none, no-one but the Searcher of all hearts can ever know.

"None of us is utterly evil; and remember that when the saffron scourge swept over the city of Memphis in 1878, a courtesan there opened wide the door of her gilded palace of sin to admit the suffers, and when the scythe of the reaper swung fast and pitiless she was angelic in her ministrings. Death called her in the midst of her mercies and she went to join those whom she tried to save. She, like those the Lord forgave, was

a sinner; and yet I believe that in the day of reckoning her judgement will be lighter than those who prosecute and seek to drive off the earth such poor unfortunates as she whom you are to judge.

"They wish to fine this woman and make her leave. They wish to bring from her the wages of her shame, the price of this meditated injustice; to take from her the little money she might have—and God knows, gentlemen, it came hard enough. The old Jewish law told you that the price of a dog, nor the hire in such as she should come with the house of the Lord, and I say unto you that our justice, fitly symbolized by woman's form, does not ask that you add ought to the woes of this unhappy one who only asks at your hands that pitiful privilege of being left alone.

"The Master while on earth, while he spoke in wrath and rebuke to the kings and rulers, never reproached one of these. One he forgave. Another he acquitted. You remember both. And now, looking upon this friendless outcast, if any of us can say unto her, I am holier than thou; in the respect which she is charged with sinning, who is he? The Jews who brought the woman before the Saviour have been held up to execration of the world for 2,000 years. I always respected them. A man who yields to the reproaches of his conscience as they did has the element of good in him, but the modern hypocrite has no such compunctions. If the prosecutors of this woman whom you are trying had brought her before the Saviour they would have accepted his challenge and each one gathered a rock and stoned her in the twinkling of an eye.

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The jury acquitted the woman as soon as it reached the room. From the day of the trial Minnie Stacey was another woman. There is today a small city in the Panhandle of Texas where her name is honored and revered, she became its angel of mercy during a devastating epidemic. Houston's old homestead six miles north of Kenton where though he spent but little time, is one of the noted places of the Panhandle region because of the fame its onetime owner bore as an orator.—Pampa News.

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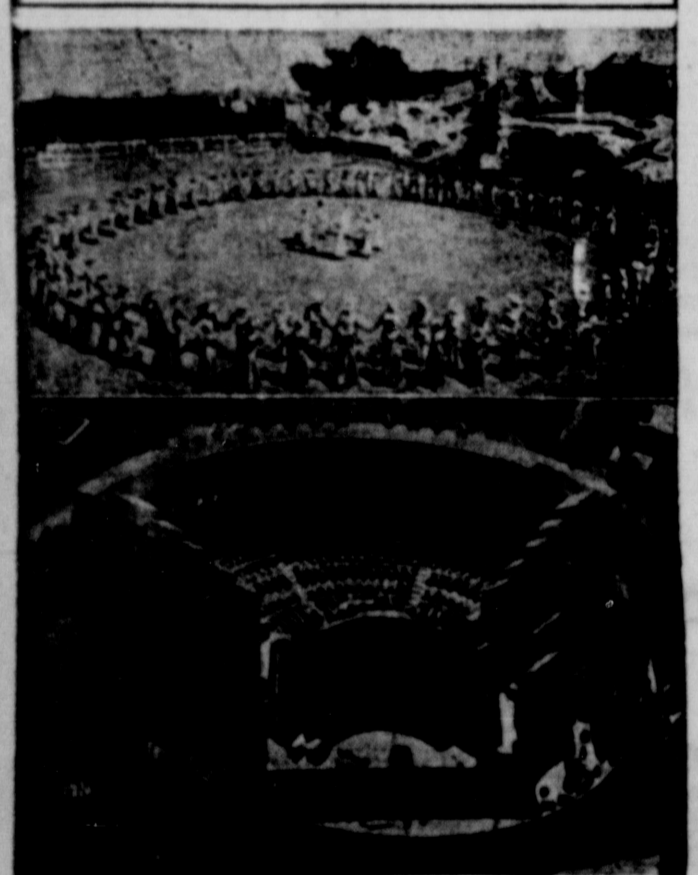
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