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The Fatted Calf is Waiting for the Prodigal

By Albert T. Reid



CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Brother A. H. Caudle, our pastor will be with us next Lord's day, January 18th and preach at both 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. This will be our first preaching service for 1931 and we hope for a good attendance of both the members of the church and others. If you have never heard the pastor preach, come and hear him. Let us make 1931 an improvement over 1930. The pension fund of the Christian church throughout the world is now in operation and payments began January the first of this year. Over this, every disciple is rejoicing. Yours for a whole Bible.

—Reporter

FEDERAL AID FOR KNOX COUNTY

In an interview with W. E. Jones County Agent we are informed that Knox County is practically assured of Federal aid and the following have been appointed by O. B. Martin, director of extension service in the state to act as agents in distributing the money allotted this county: E. O. Jamison, key banker for Knox Co. who in turn appointed Mr. J. Smith of Knox City a farmer, C. A. Eiland of Munday, a banker, and W. W. Clark of Truscott merchant. W. E. Jones County Agent will act with these men and in this way the county will have a fair representation. It is not known as yet how much aid the county can expect but whatever the amount it will be needed and used to the best possible advantage.

ROUTE ONE GETS EXTENSION

J. E. Clarke, postmaster of Knox City, stated Monday that route one has been given an extension of two miles, which will go into effect on the 16th. This route is served by W. W. Hyde.

MOTHER FARMER DIED

Mother Farmer died last Thursday and was buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery Friday afternoon. The complete account will be given in the Herald next week.

Although confined to her bed and subjected to much suffering Mother Farmer's life was more noble and beautiful than words have the power to describe. Although gone the memory of her fingers. Her courage was inspiring, her faith beautiful and her hope steadfast.

Mrs. M. E. Lanier has learned just how much joy and company a radio is since her's shorted out. It is being fixed however, and she will soon be listening over the air again.

H. E. Fox of Crowell was in Knox City Tuesday.

From West Texas Chamber of Commerce

Stamford, Jan. 14. Information service on legislative and administrative matters at the state capital will be available from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to all local affiliated chambers of commerce through the regional organization's Austin bureau which begins operation January 15.

In advising officials of the chambers of the towns in the territory with membership in WTTC of the new service, President Chas. E. Combes and General Manager D. A. Bantman point out that the Austin office will not be opened to express the desires of any local organization or individual for or against any proposal before the state department, nor will it undertake any lobbying for or against any measure, they say.

Contracts with the bureau will be through the general headquarters of the regional chamber of Stamford and all matters thus referred from affiliated bodies will receive attention, the West Texas chamber executives declare. Its functions of service will include providing information on the status of legislative or administrative matters, arranging for hearings before committees, departments and officials of the state government, along with furnishing special information on items of particular interest to unit members being handled in the capitol.

This arrangement the WTTC officials think, will be beneficial to its constituents, if they avail themselves of the services offered. J. E. T. Peters, formerly manager of the service department of the organization, will be in charge of the Austin office.

NEW BABIES

New babies reported by local physicians this week are as follows: A boy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Michael of Rochester on January the 8th, a boy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Stevens on Saturday, January the 10th, (Mrs. Stevens was formerly Ex Alee Horton) a girl in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cornet on January the 10th, a boy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Vandever of Knox City on January the 6th, a girl in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pitman of Haskell on December the 26th, a girl in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bohannon on December the 28th and a boy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryan on December the 18th.

KNOX CITY MAN TALKS TO SENATOR IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Mr. Guy Glenn, who is employed by the West Texas Utilities in Knox City enjoyed a conversation Christmas with his sister who is in Anderson South Carolina. He called her by telephone. The local operators got the call through in fifteen minutes on a direct line. Mr. Glenn did his talking without having to be repeated somewhere on the line and sides that he heard his sister's voice plainly. At that date there was a twelve inch snow in South Carolina.

BAPTIST WOMEN HOLD ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING HERE

The Women's Associational meeting of the Baptist Church was held here one day last week. This association includes both Knox and Haskell counties. A number of churches in these counties were represented at the meeting. The attendance was good.

At noon lunch was served the ladies of the local church in the basement of the building.

A Welcome Home

For the past six weeks we have missed one of our best loved families, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lea, better known as Uncle Lot and Aunt Kate, who were called to the bedside of their son Royal of San Antonio where he has undergone an operation.

Upon the return home of Uncle Lot and Aunt Kate last Friday, we decided to wait no longer to welcome them home and show our sympathy in their dark hours when death was so near, and we rejoice with them as their son is on the road to recovery. We feel that our Maker heard and answered our prayers.

We decided the best way to present our love and greeting should be in the form of a surprise lunch so baskets were filled to the brim and carried to the home of our honoree where a bountiful "feed" was enjoyed. The afternoon was spent also in a most joyful way. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lea and Mrs. Griffith, Ancil Waldrip, Ulic Lea, Leonard Houston, John Lea, Paul Land, Misses Mildred and Joe-annal Lea, Alice and Edith Wilson, Vernie Mae Houston, Faye Reese Holmes and Tommie Griffith.

The day was enjoyed by everyone present.

A guest

Program for P-T-A Night Meeting

Following is the program for the night meeting of the Parent Teacher Association which will be the night of January the 20th.

Assembly singing
Invocation, Reverend Stovall
Rhythm Band
High School Chorus
Address, Mrs. Creighton
Playlet

Talk, Mr. Roy Smith
Address, Mr. Creighton
Assembly singing

This meeting will be held in the school auditorium and a good crowd is expected to attend.

HATCHERY HIT BY RUN AWAY TEAM

Last Thursday afternoon the Waldrip Hatchery sustained a fractured porch when a team, hitched to a wagon with a bale of cotton, ran away from the gin and hit the front of the hatchery in their flight.

Lloyd states that he doesn't know to whom the team belonged but that he came by the hatchery and instructed the owner, Lloyd, to have the porch repaired and present the bill. The damages were only minor.

A PROFIT OF \$1.80 PER HEN MADE LAST YEAR BY PULTRY DEMONSTRATORS

A profit of \$1.80 per hen above feed cost is the average profit made by the owners of 250 farm flocks in Texas last year, these flocks totaling 54,000 hens averaging 142 eggs each, were about half the poultry demonstration flocks carried on by County Extension Agents.

The egg production secured by these demonstrators is more than twice the state average and no doubt explains why the demonstrators made good profits.

Feed cost was \$1.70 per hen for the year and while this is somewhat less than cost is strictly commercial flocks, the birds were charged with home-grown feed and skim milk at its farm value. The cost of feed to produce a dozen eggs varied from a little more than 9 cents in April to 27 cents in November, with an average for the year of 13 cents.

That demonstrators are good business men and refuse to feed low producing hens is shown by the record of 43 per cent of the hens culled from the flock during the year with August the reavy month, though culling was practiced each month. This shows that the demonstrators were saving only the best of hens for the second year, replacing them with pullets to profit by better fall egg prices.

Death loss averaged 14 hens per 100, of which 40 per cent occurred during the hot summer months, thus showing the value of proper shade and sanitation.

Egg sales accounted for 87 per cent of the income, demonstrating conclusively that whatever breed is kept they should be good layers.

While the effect of the drought could be traced in some records, in on month did an average loss occur. Though egg and poultry prices did not completely escape the heavy hand of agricultural depression, poultry was at least one part of the farming operation that paid a profit last year.

H. M. WARREN BUYS PENNANT SERVICE STATION

H. M. Warren has bought the Waldrip Filling Station which will be operated by Hollis Warren and Sewell Evans. Ancil Waldrip is retaining the wholesale agency of the Sin Clair Oil Company.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK ELECTS OFFICERS

Officers for The National Bank elected Tuesday afternoon at the directors meeting were, President, E. O. Jamison, Cashier, S. M. Clouts, and Assistant Cashier, V. H. Pyeatt. Directors are E. O. Jamison, J. H. Davis, S. M. Clouts, V. H. Pyeatt, W. H. Benedict, P. R. Bettis, and J. D. Brookerson.

Mrs. Robert Joyce, grandmother of Mrs. S. O. Nations, died Friday of last week at her home in Snyder.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

We have been studying stewardship. It has proved interesting and thought provoking, subjects thus far considered have been Do the laws of the Bible include the commandment to tithe? Does efficiency in financing the work of the Kingdom require tithing? Does it pay me financially to tithe? and Does it pay me spiritually to tithe?

The Christian life is a stewardship life, and the proper recognition of the property rights of God the owner is only the beginning of stewardship. So the study will be resumed next Sunday evening by considering the fuller meaning of stewardship in the two phases The Call of the complete Gospel, and the Appeal of Pentecost.

At the morning hour next Sunday Dr. George S. Slover, our new Presiding Elder will preach, and in the afternoon will hold our first Quarterly Conference. All officers who are members of the Quarterly Conference are urged to have their reports ready.

Prayer Meeting

We have been having an increase in the prayer meetings, and some very interesting programs. Among the recent ones was a spell down on the birth of Christ, and Looking to the new year. Last night our program was "Some members our church could do without." There was a good crowd in attendance. Next Wednesday the program will be "Some members our church could not do without." These are studies of the qualities of good church membership. All interested in such a study are invited. Come and help, and perhaps learn how a little better to make yourself an indispensable member of your church. How many are interested?

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful during the long illness and death of our dear mother.

We shall never forget the kindness of our friends who were so thoughtful to visit and send flowers during the two years she was confined to her room. We wish to thank the many friends from other places who visited her from time to time.

To Mrs. Turner who was her nurse for fifteen months we owe our undying thanks and to the staff at the Hospital who did everything in their power for her comfort, also to D. Frizzell who, in his kind and comforting way did everything in his power to alleviate her suffering, we shall ever be thankful. For the beautiful floral offering and for the meals served the family and for every act of kindness of everyone, we give our heartfelt thanks. May God's richest blessings be with you everyone.

Signed

O. B. Farmer and family
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Farmer
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Farmer
Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Farmer and family
Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Farmer and family.

MICKIE SAYS—

SOME FOLKS LET THEIR NEIGHBORS PAY FOR THE COPY OF THIS GREAT FAMILY JOURNAL, WHICH THEY BORROW. IF YOU ARE A BORROWER, JUST REMEMBER THAT YOUR NEIGHBOR GIVES YA A DIRTY LOOK EVERY TIME YA GO OUT WITH HIS FAVORITE READING!



HOW 1931 LOOKS TO US

Poultry raisers everywhere are asking the question, What of the poultry business for 1931? Is there any money to be made?

And our reply is, Yes, indeed! Many poultry raisers will make money in 1931 and in order to do so you should have a two purpose fowl, such as the Buff Minorcas. If you are tired of a one sided poultry business, light weight birds that are good only for egg production and that require a sacrifice when sold as a market fowl, investigate the Buff Minorcas. They are a heavy breed, wonderful egg producers and beautiful bird.

The age of the fancier with his Adv. S. O. Nations

exhibition birds past some time ago and in its place we find the specialist, but forward looking poultry men. Those who want two profits instead of one, demand a heavy production bird, one that will not only lay well but will develop quality and bring better market prices.

The outstanding development in poultry breeds in the past few years is that of the Bull Minorcas, the two profit birds.

You can make big money with this two purpose fowl, nice white eggs and large birds. Come to the Western Produce Company yards and see Nation's fine Minorcas.

Hatching eggs for sale at the yard Baby chicks at the Waldrip Hatchery. Don't go wrong. Select the Buff Minorcas.

Texas Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

January 16 and 17

BUCK JONES

in

"SHADOW RANCH"

also

Second episode of

"THE INDIANS ARE COMING"

o

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

"THE WHITE HELL OF PITTS

PALU"

Heightened by the voice of

Graham McNamee

Officials of the Knox City Study Club stated this week that Mrs. Fields, who was to have given a lecture at the meeting of the club, will not be able to be present because of illness. She will come at some future date.

It will be noted elsewhere in the Herald that Hollis Warren and Sewall Evans are the new owners and managers of the Sin Clair Service Station formerly owned by Ancil Waldrip. Hollis and Sewall are asking for a part of your gas and oil business.

In order to discourage petty violations of the law, the Commissioners Court of Knox County at its last regular meeting instructed all the Justice of the Peace of the county that where a plea of guilty is made, or a conviction obtained, in a misdemeanor case, they are either to collect the fine immediately or commit the defendant to jail. The court further provided means by which all those who decide to lay out their fines in jail will be put to hard labor on some public work.

Very Latest

BY MARY MARSHALL

Slowly but surely we are getting back to the more elaborately trimmed hat. Most women still protest that they will never wear hats trimmed with artificial flowers and feathers and large ribbon bows. But they protested not so long ago that they would never wear long skirts even for evening dresses and that they would continue to wear straight line frocks no matter what fashion decreed. Despite their protests they have accepted the longer skirts and the defined waistlines and the next thing on the program apparently is more ornate hats.

Even now one sees suggestions of more elaborate millinery trimmings. Two small quills appear on the side of the trim little hat that a year or so ago would have been worn quite plain, and sweeping plumes have been seen on some of the smartest hats for formal afternoon and restaurant wear.

Narrow ribbon is used on many of



the hats for street and sports wear. For the benefit of the woman who wants to do a bit of millinery work at home we are showing four of the smartest of these ribbon-trimmed hats. Gross gran ribbon should be chosen in matching of contrasting color. Black on black, tan on brown, brown on tan, black, tan on brown, green on light green, dark blue on lighter blue—these are combinations that prove effective.

If you have a last season's hat or this season's hat of which you have grown tired you will find this narrow ribbon trimming most helpful. An out-of-date felt hat, short at the back with brim wide at the front, may be cleaned and turned about so that the back of the hat as worn before comes to the front. By cutting the felt here and there and making a few tucks or puckers you can bring the shape up-to-date and the ribbon may be used to hide the cuts and pleats in the felt.

REX-REEVES

Charlie Rex and Miss Minnie Reeves, both of O'Brien, were married in Knox City Saturday night. They will live in O'Brien about one half mile north of the town.

Charles went to school in Knox City. Last year he was a star football player for the Greyhounds.

BOMERTON SCORES 15 TO 13

Last Friday night Bomerton and Knox City played a fast game of Basket Ball at Monday. Bomerton scoring 15 to Knox City 13. Outstanding stars for Knox City were Wilson and Hentsman.

Wednesday of this week the Missionary Union of the Baptist church surprised Mrs. W. D. Lea with a miscellaneous shower which was presented following a quilting which was held in Mrs. Lea's home. Mrs. Lea just recently moved to town.

Chester Elliott left Knox City Saturday and went to work in the bank at Shallowater Monday. He was formerly with the Citizens State Bank of Knox City. Chester is spoken of by citizens here as being an unusually fine young man.

Little Miss Tommie Lou Holin entertained a number of her friends Wednesday afternoon with a birthday party. Mickle Boy's report of the party revealed the same to have been an occasion never to be forgotten. The animal candies were good too, says Mickle.

Tommie Lou received many nice little gifts by which she will long remember her fourth birthday.

Oklahoma Barber Has Been Using Crazy Water for Twenty-five Years

I have been coming to your resort for the past twenty-five years and your Crazy Water has done so much for me I want everyone to know it. When I get to feeling tired and rundown I come to Mineral Wells for a period of rest and recuperation and always leave your town feeling perfect physically.

I cannot endorse your Water too strongly, for I have seen over a period of the last twenty-five years the remarkable results obtained by badly afflicted people, who came here. If the entire world knew what Crazy Water would do for them, it would certainly be a blessing.

J. B. Charles, Pres., State National Bank, Stroud, Oklahoma

The new million dollar Crazy Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fire-proof and complete in every detail. It is a new one to think it would be expensive to stop at this magnificent Hotel; yet, you can enjoy its genuine hospitality, pleasing service and receive the benefit of the Crazy Mineral Water Treatment at very reasonable rates. Write them for full and complete information.

Advertisement

Greatest Cartoonist



Albert T. Reid, world-famous cartoonist, whose work appears in this paper, is one of the leaders of the movement to bar foreign artists from painting "official" portraits of public officers.

Are you following the work of this great cartoonist every week in this paper?

People all over the United States are talking about him and his drawings.

There is no artist living who can draw any better than Mr. Reid does. There are few who have his keen sense of humor. We do not know of one who has a deeper insight into the problems and perplexities of the ordinary man. Certainly there is none other who understands the people of the country towns and the farms as well as Reid does. And he is second to none in his unflinching Americanism, his profound faith in the future and destiny of our nation.

Those are some of the elements that make Albert T. Reid America's greatest cartoonist. We feel that in presenting his cartoons every week we are giving our readers something that alone is worth more than the price of a year's subscription.

New Morgan Partner



S. Parker Gilbert, young lawyer who started as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury during the war, became Agent-General for Reparations representing all the Allied Governments at Berlin, and now has been taken into partnership in J. P. Morgan & Co., largest private bankers in the world. He is only 33.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Withers Gilliland were here last week. Mrs. J. R. Withrow.

L. N. Bridges left Wednesday. Rotan to be gone a few days.

Grady Spivy of Grapeland was in Knox City Monday.

Baby Chick

Production-bred chicks will lay pullets that will lay from 26 eggs each more than ordinary yet they cost only 2 or 3 cents chick more. Try our chicks and see the difference this year your egg production. White Leg Barred Rocks Rhode Island C. O. DAVIS POULTRY BREED FARM RULE, TEXAS



Model A CLUTCHES

If your Model A Ford engine runs and the car doesn't pick up speed, or the clutch pedal adjustment is used up, it indicates clutch wear. We can quickly install a new clutch plate, restoring your car to performance "the way you like it." Knox City Motor Co.



WHEN BABIES

FRET THERE are times when a baby is too fretful—feverish to be snugly wrapped, there are some pains a mother cannot put away. But there's quick comfort in Castoria!

For diarrhea, and other infantile ailments, give this pure vegetable preparation. Whenever coated tongues tell of constipation; whenever there's any sign of sluggishness, Castoria has a good taste children love to take it. Buy the genuine—with Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on wrapper.



McEvoy the Jeweler
wishes you all a prosperous and happy New Year

Muy gracious por la negocio we enjoyed during the Holidays. Plenty of pretty things already on hand, diamond and 18 karat wedding rings, diamond engagement rings, Elgin Waltham and Howard watches etc.

Bring your watches, clocks and jewelry repair. I have had Factory experience for nearly 6 years and 25 years practical experience in high grade watch and jewelry repair. 61 watches have been repaired and returned to owners since November 25 with no complaint and few readjustments. All work guaranteed. Come to see us.

McEvoy

Friday and Sat. Specials

Compound, Popular Brands	8 pound pail	.93
Spuds, Number 1 Colorado's	15 pounds	.33
Flour, White Rose, Every Sack	24 lbs. Guaranteed 48 lbs'	.63 1.15
Coffee, Maxwell House,	3 pound can	1.12
Dried Peaches,	10 pounds 25 pound box	1.00 2.40
Prunes,	Medium Size 10 pounds 25 pound box	.85 1.35
Snuff, 6 ounce Garrett	or Honest	.29
Catsup, Wapco large size		.19
Pinto Beans, 18 pounds		1.00
Macaroni or Spaghitti, per box		.5
Peanut Butter, Quart Jar	Armour's 5 lb. bucket	.33 .75
Green Beans, no. 2 each		.11

J. M. Edwards Self Serv Store

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FRANKLIN'S FIRST GREAT MAN

Benjamin Franklin, born on Jan-
uary 17, 1706, was the first native
American to win international fame.
In many ways the greatest
country produced in its
history. His services to the cause
of the Colonists and to the infant
nation were immeasurable. Hon-
orable Charles E. Hughes, Chief Just-
ice of the Supreme Court, has called
Franklin the greatest diplomat of all
time. Franklin is the patron saint
of the first journalist of
this country produced on American
soil. He was the father of the postoffice,
the founder of thrift, the most pro-
lific writer of his time, the discoverer
of lightning and electricity
humanity, a prolific writer
for that he is often referred to
as the many-sided Franklin.
Franklin is almost everybody
Benjamin Franklin in every
place of speech. He was
written and put in print such
as "Honesty in the best po-

licy." "Experience is a dear school
but fools will learn in no other."
"Early to bed and early to rise mak-
es a man healthy, wealthy and wise."
When you say "God helps those that
help themselves" you are quoting
Ben Franklin. To speak of a person
seeking a favor as one "having an
axe to grind" is another Franklinism.
Hundreds of common phrases which
many people think are from Shake-
speare or the Bible originated in
"Poor Richard's Almanac," the
humorous, kindly collection of wit
and wisdom which had made Frank-
lin famous long before the Revolu-
tion.

He was a human, entertaining and
lovable personality, according to all
who knew him, as well as a states-
man and a philosopher. It is well to
remember Franklin and to celebrate
his birthday by beginning to apply
some of his maxims about thrift, not
the least popular of which is "A
penny saved is a penny yearned."

WE DON'T CARRY UMBRELLAS

In calling on the members of his
party in Congress not to tie Presi-
dent Hoover's hands in the matter
of relief appropriations, but to give
the President authority to use the
money where it may be most needed
to help the unemployment situation,
Alfred E. Smith displayed a breadth
of view which might be emulated by
lesser politicians in both parties. The
former Governor of New York from
his own experience as an adminis-
trator what a handicap it is to an
executive to be bound to a specific
program in which every detail is

prescribed by law, and not to be able
to perform the function which prop-
erly belongs to the executive, that of
deciding on the way in which the
purpose of the law can best be car-
ried out.

Regardless of political belief, we
think the intelligent public will
commend this attitude of Mr. Smith
and hope that it will have an effect
upon those in Congress and else-
where who would rather make trou-
ble for the Administration than to
have the economic situation improv-
ed.
Mr. Smith, in the same newspa-
per article, "said a mouthful," in a
phrase which undoubtedly will be
widely quoted. "American people
never carry an umbrella," he says.
"They prepare to walk in eternal sun-
shine." He points out that in time
of prosperity the political leader who
tries to call a halt on reckless ex-
penditure and to prepare for the de-
pression which has always followed
every prosperity wave in history, is
so unpopular that he could not be
elected to any office.

We are prone to think that what-
ever the conditions are today they
will always be the same. In time of
sunshine we think it is never going
to rain. And similarly there are mil-
lions today who think that prosper-
ity is never coming back. Both beliefs
are equally wrong. Nothing is con-
stant except change. Whatever the con-
ditions, the old Persian king was
right when he said:
"This, too, shall pass away."

**AUTOMOBILES AND FREIGHT
TRAINS**

(Editorial, Longview, Texas News)
How long will the people of Tex-
as be called on to maintain a high-
way for trucks with fifteen to twen-
ty-five thousand pounds of freight
moving at the rate of forty miles
per hour? no highway system in
Texas can stand such a test as this
very long, because our present high-
ways are not built for this purpose,
but were built for the traveling pub-
lic with privately owned vehicles,
and if used in this way would last
indefinitely.

There is a law in the United States
which prohibits any railroad man,
who is connected in any way with the
movement of trains from being on
duty more than sixteen hours with
out eight hours rest. This law was
framed to protect the lives of the
traveling public and certainly is a
good one. Why, then, should an ir-
responsible truck driver be allowed on
our highways with a heavy load of
freight and no restrictions as to the
length of time he is on duty? A man
in charge of one of our best passen-
ger trains has only two or three
hundred lives at stake, but a sleepy
truck driver is a dangerous menace
to every man, woman and child he
meets.

A case developed recently where
by his own statement a truck driv-
er was on duty seven days and nights
with only eight hours sleep. Such
drivers certainly cannot be anything
but a menace to human lives and
property.

The amount of heavy freight mov-
ing to the ports by truck is increas-
ing very rapidly, and unless some
immediate action is taken the time
will come very soon whereby it will
be too dangerous for a man to take
his family on the highways because
the risk will be too great, even if
he should be fortunate enough to be
on a highway that is still passable.

If the large truck companies are
to remain in business they will cer-
tainly have to build and maintain
their own highways, or the people of
Texas must stay at home.

Which will it be, automobiles or
freight trains.

Dr. Fritzell and O. L. Jamison
went hunting Tuesday afternoon, S.
M. Clonts reports that two trucks
were sent out for the game the game
seekers killed, caught etc.

Roy Smith made a business trip
to Stamford Wednesday.



**OLD FOLKS SAY
DR. CALDWELL
WAS RIGHT**

The basis of treating sickness has not
changed since Dr. Caldwell left Medical
College in 1875, nor since he placed on
the market the laxative prescription he
had used in his practice.

He treated constipation, biliousness,
headaches, mental depression, indigestion,
sour stomach and other indigestions
entirely by means of simple vegetable
laxatives, herbs and roots. These are
still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup
Pepsin, a combination of senna and
other mild herbs, with pepsin.

The simpler the remedy for constipa-
tion, the safer for the child and for you.
And as you can get results in a mild
and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's
Syrup Pepsin, why take chances with
strong drugs?

A bottle will last several months, and
all can use it. It is pleasant to the
taste, gentle in action, and free from
narcotics. Elderly people find it ideal.
All drug stores have the generous bottles,
or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BR,
Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

**Can The Merchants
"Afford" To
ADVERTISE**

The merchant who does not advertise
usually says "I cannot afford to", yet he
pays the advertising bills of merchants who
do advertise. Profits he would have made
in lost sales is what his competitor's ad-
vertising cost him.

Intelligent advertising pays for itself,
leaves an immediate extra profit and creat-
es new business and larger profits after-
wards. So it cost the merchant nothing-
whether it costs not to advertise.

**CAN YOU AFFORD NOT TO ADVERTISE
IN 1931?**

Your own books and bank statement will answer
the question quickly and conclusively.
Think it over!

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THAT'S HOW IT SOUNDED TO PINKY



By Terry Gilkison

Eats That SATISFY
The Club Cafe
Under New Management
Invites you to dine in their comfort-
able and hospitable apartment, assuring
everyone of their appreciation for all
patronage given them.
NEXT DOOR TO POST OFFICE
A homelike place to spend an hour at
mealtme.
E. H. and L. C. Teague
Proprietors

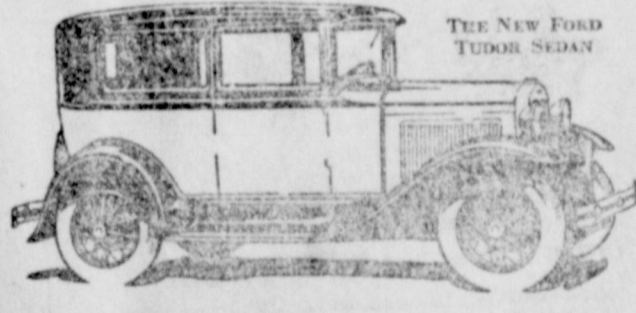
THE NEW FORD
Everything
you want or need
in a motor car

THE more you see of the new Ford, the more you
realize that it brings you everything you want or
need in a motor car. . . . And at an unusually
low price.

Its substantial beauty of line and color is ap-
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THE LOVERS
By Mary Kyle Dallas

He'd nothing but his violin,
I'd nothing but my song,
But we were wed when skies were
blue
And summer days here long;
And when we rested by the hedge,
The robins came and told
How they had dared to woo and win,
When early Spring was cold.
We sometimes supped on dew-berries
Or slept among the hay,
Not all the farmer's wives at eve
Come out to hear us play;
The rare old songs, the dear old
tunes,
We could not starve for long
While my man had his violin,
And I my sweet love-song.
The world has ere gone well with us
Old man since we were one,
Our homelands wandering down the
hills
It long ago was done,
But those who wait for gold or gear
For houses or for kine,
Till youth's sweet spring grows
brown and sore,
And love and beauty tine,
Will never know the joy of hearts
That met without a fear,
When you had but your violin
And I a song my dear.

W. K. Tolner of Jayton was here last week to see Mr. H. E. Wall.

A. J. Malouf is in Dallas this week on business.

Bill Huntsman was in Munday Tuesday.

G. D. McCarty made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Teague moved recently to the Teague home.

Mrs. Frazier spent the weekend with relatives in Rochester.

J. M. Ashcroft made a business trip to Abilene Wednesday.

R. P. Keny and C. W. Armstrong made business trip to the plains last week.

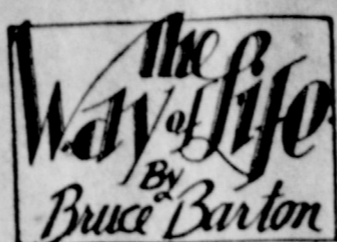
Let us do your hatching. Why waste the hen's time?
Waldrip Hatchery

Mr. Coates of Stamford is here working in the National Bank. He is staying in the M. M. Ward home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Thompson are living in the apartment in Mrs. Sam Anderson's home.

Little Velma Alice Ballard of Haskell was brought here to the hospital this week.

Press Clarke is having a two for one sale on cleaning and pressing. Read his ad in this paper.



'SEE HOW WRONG YOU'VE BEEN'

In England I talked with some celebrated economists who were very gloomy. They said the fundamental trouble with the world goes deeper than war debts or unemployment. It is the shortage of gold.

Gold is the measure of all values. When the gold dollars are few each dollar buys more wheat and copper and cotton and labor. So the price of all these commodities goes down, ruining the producers in the process. If the shortage becomes much more acute, so these wise men argued, it will overturn all wage scales and debt settlements, and result in economic chaos.

As I know nothing about economics (and, between ourselves, I often wonder whether the economists know very much), this scared me.

The next day I was talking with Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow, who was in London as one of the delegates to the Naval Conference. I told him what I had heard.

Instead of replying directly, he took down from the mantelpiece a copy of the autobiography of Lord Cochrane, and turned to a passage which read something like this:

"When I was a young man I proposed to keep a diary, but wise old uncle advised against it. Instead of recording what had happened, he said, I could employ my time more profitably by writing down on a piece of paper what I felt sure was going to happen. Then, he said, 'Put those notes away, and a year or five years later get them out and read them over, and see how wrong you have been. This will teach you to be cautious.'"

What shrewd advice that is! All of us could profit by it. I know that if I had written down my own private forecast at the beginning of each year and filed it away it would have saved me from making a number of costly mistakes.

Also, the record would make rather encouraging reading. It would show that a considerable amount of unanticipated good luck has come to my life.

And that many of the bad things which I predicted for myself and the country have never actually happened.

We are glad to see O. D. Reid back in the Barber Shop after his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotman moved last week to the rooms vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ford Waldrip.

Mr. Milford, representative of the Terrell Supply Company of Fort Worth, was in Knox City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Griffith and Donnie spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones in the Gillespie community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clarke moved the first of the year to the G. A. Branton place where they will farm this year.

We have some fresh Superior chick starter, so lets feed the little chicks.
Waldrip Hatchery

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Clarke, newly weds, have moved to the J. E. Clarke house in east Knox City just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clarke.

Miss Cassie and her mother spent the weekend with relatives in Ruin. Mrs. Cassie remaining over for the week.

Henry Arledge, Neal Logan, Lee Smith and Shirley Parks left town early Tuesday for King county where they spent the day hunting.

Frank H. Ritter, time keeper on the Santa Fe bridge under construction over the Brazos bought a new Chevrolet coach from Ashcroft this week.

Brother Harrison of Munday preached at the Church of Christ in Knox City Sunday morning. The service was good, the attendance being large.

Mother White moved last week to the west side of her duplex recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Frazier. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Keck have the east side of the duplex.

Mrs. Tanzer, Mrs. Smith and Miss Bucholt spent Friday of last week in Wichita. Miss Bucholt remained there over the weekend returning home Sunday with Miss Shaw who drove up for the day.

Monday was trades day in Knox City. There was a big crowd in town and much trading was taking place. Stock, pigs and poultry changed owners during the day, each trader taking home what he most needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Waldrip moved last week to the Morgan farm in the Gillespie community. Mr. Morgan is with them this week doing some improving on the place which will include the installation of gas.

Dusty Ike—Please, sir, I've a sick wife could you help me out?
Business Man—I can give you a job next week.

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Dr. McCrary, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, will be in Knox City on Wednesday of next week, January 21st. Those wanting eyes tested and glasses fitted may see him at Dr. Edwards office from 1:00 to 5:30 It will be some time before Dr. McCrary will be in Knox City, so see him Wednesday.

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