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BOND ELECTION

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County Judge, Taylor County, Texas.

The above and foregoing NOTICE is issued and given by me pursuant to authority conferred by the above and foregoing order of the Commissioners' Court of said County, and I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true, correct and complete copy of the order of said Court, ordering said bond election, and also, the Minutes showing the passage thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND WITH THE SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS, AFFIXED, this 7th day of June, 1937.

VIVIAN FLYAR, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Taylor County, Texas. (6-11-37)

BEAUTY'S DAUGHTER



By Kathleen Norris

"He can't live," Serena said in a quick whisper that held a puzzling hint of stubbornness, of defiance in it.

"Why, but he was well yesterday, better than he's been for weeks! At least—" Vicky hesitated, looking at the doctor as one deferring naturally to his opinion. "I don't know anything about it," she said, "but he came to the fence to speak to me and he seemed—"

"Exactly!" the doctor said sharply. "He was better; I saw him Sunday. I was called today, three hours after he first began to complain of violent pain, and I find the man dying!"

He looked at Serena, and Serena returned the look with one that, more definitely than her voice had done, expressed defiance.

"I'll not sign any death certificate, mark my words!" Cudworth said, in a menacing undertone. Victoria, shocked beyond the power to grasp what all this meant, glanced bewilderedly at the sickroom door.

"He'll hear us," she breathed. "He—he isn't dead, is he?" "You don't have to sign anything," Serena said sharply, in a

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with a glance toward Spencer's door.

"Nothing of the kind," Cudworth answered sharply. "The man no more wanted to die than you do! He told me that he'd planned—he told me that he'd been much better, I tell you, I can't sign it, Doctor, I interrupted myself to say agitatedly. "You may if you like! But there have been things going on here that are against the laws of God and man, sir! I'll not do it, my professional honor forbids it!"

Quentin, evidently trying to grasp the situation, looked from face to face.

"Who suggested poison?" he asked sharply.

"No one!" Serena said, in a passionate breath.

"Doctor, the man himself told me," the village doctor said, his forehead shining with sweat. "I saw him Sunday in good health. He was talking then of going back to England. He didn't say when; he tells me tonight that it was to be at once, and that he was leaving his wife I tipped off the Chinese woman—I told her to watch him, I knew something was wrong. He told me that she, the amah, often brought him up lemonade in the afternoon and that this afternoon it was there when he awakened."

"Ah, but that's nonsense!" Quentin said in his honest, troubled voice.

"Of course it is!" Serena said. She went over and clung to Quentin's arm. He disengaged her hand without seeming conscious of her presence and turned to Victoria.

"Why did you come here, dear?" he asked in a concerned, tender voice. "It will only distress you horribly. You don't belong in this!"

"Spencer asked for me, Quentin." Vicky raised her eyes to his and saw Serena, pale and tense and watching, looking at them. And she felt an odd twist of something like pity in her heart.

"Nonsense or not," little Dr. Cudworth said inflexibly, "I couldn't—professionally I could not ascribe this to a natural illness."

Serena faced him down.

"You could mind your own business!" she said with a lisp on the last word. "If you don't want to do it, knowing, as I told you when you got here, as everyone knows, that he's been a sick man for years, I say that if you don't believe that a man who takes no exercise, and is not strong, could eat something, or take an opiate, that would make him desperately ill, you're a fool!"

"You oughtn't to be practicing medicine. It happens all the time! Men die every day of acute indigestion coupled with heart failure, and if you won't take the responsibility of saying so, Dr. Hardisty will!"

"That couldn't be done, Serena," Quentin said quietly. "I have never had this case. But I'm positive—I don't believe—I know—Dr. Cudworth isn't seriously suggesting—"

"You may do as you think best, Doctor," the other doctor said abruptly. "I would have entire faith in anything you saw fit to do. But I personally must decline the responsibility."

"I have nothing to do with it," Quentin said briefly. Serena turned on him.

Spencer had acute indigestion and he's got a bad heart," she said. "But believe me, if there's any investigation, if there's any word of talk, you're in this, too, Quentin Hardisty. I'll not stand it. I'll not face a coroner and be questioned, while you are quietly enjoying yourself over there on the lawn with your wife, laughing and carrying the children into the house!"

"I don't think that'll happen," Quentin said. But Vicky saw that his face was pale. "I wish you'd called me earlier!"

Quentin asked in an undertone, as the breathless voice died to silence. "This isn't your sort of thing."

"No, Vic won't go," Serena said, at white heat. "You don't think Vicky doesn't know that you love me, that you've been following me, making me presents, writing me letters into court—"

"Letters saying, 'If it weren't for Spencer...' " Serena interrupted him.

"Letters saying everything," a level glance at her. "Letters saying everything!" he repeated. "But one thing isn't true," he went on slowly. "I've never loved but one woman in all my life; never, no matter what I said or wrote or did. I've always loved my wife, always, always held her in a place by herself."

Vicky went over to him and dropped her hand into his, but he did not glance at her or seem to know that she was there.

"How nice!" Serena said. "So I pay the bill alone. How very nice!" "No, you and I'll both pay!"

Quentin said. "And she'll pay, too. It means disgrace for us all."

There was a sound at the door of the invalid's room; the amah came out with an agitated face, shaking her head. Serena gave a short ejaculation and, turning, went across the hall to her own room and went into it and closed the door.

The two doctors and Vicky faced the Chinese woman as she came toward them. Her jargon was unintelligible to Quentin. The promised nurse, hatted, coated, cold, rosy, came upstairs.

"Amah says Spencer heard your voice and wants to speak to you," Vicky interpreted.

"My God, when I saw her face I thought the poor fellow was gone!" Dr. Cudworth ejaculated.

(Continued next week)

THE COUNTY AGENT

Something tapped me. Something whispered, "Leave the world of me. Come where care may. Come and follow, let me. Where, in that dark, so Tempest of the world. There to dream away. Heedless of Time's turn. Only come with me."

"Who are you?" I asked. "I am Rest from Hate a. I am friend to king and. I am Alpha and Omega. I was councillor to Ha. But men call me Suicide. I was weary of tide breeze. Weary of the world's beat. And I lusted for his. As a lover for his bride.

And my soul tugged at. And it whispered, "Set. I am weary of this bat. Of this world of hums. All this dreary noise a. This you owe to me." Long I sat and long I p. On the life that I had. O'er the paths that I had. Never free.

In a shadow panorama. Passed life's struggles. And my soul tugged with. Hunger grew the phantom. As I slowly pressed the. Saw the world fade sw. Through the fogs old T. Radiant clouds were be. As my soul went gliding. From the shadows into.

County Agent... AAA Worksheets To State Board... committee composed of Steve Foster, Chairman; Lester Farmer and Chas. D. Straley in cooperation with Agricultural Assistant A. Cook finished the 616 worksheets that were signed by the farmers for the 1937 AAA program.

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THE TEMPTER

By Robert E. Howard
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Something tapped me on the shoulder,
Something whispered, "Come with me.
"Leave the world of men behind you,
"Come where care may never find you,
"Come and follow, let me bind you
"Where, in that dark, silent sea,
Temptest of the world n'er rages;
"There to dream away the ages,
"Heedless of Time's turning pages,
"Only come with me."

"Who are you?" I asked the phantom,
"I am Rest from Hate and Pride.
"I am friend to king and beggar,
"I am Alpha and Omega.
"I was councillor to Hagar,
"But men call me Suicide."
I was weary of tide breasting,
Weary of the world's besting,
And I lusted for the resting
As a lover for his bride.

And my soul tugged at its moorings
And it whispered, "Set me free
"I am weary of this battle,
"Of this world of human cattle,
"All this dreary noise and prattle,
"This you owe to me."
Long I sat and long I pondered,
On the life that I had squandered,
O'er the paths that I had wandered
Never free.

In a shadow panorama
Passed life's struggles and its fray.
And my soul tugged with new vigor,
Huger grew the phantom's figure,
As I slowly pressed the trigger,
Saw the world fade swift away.
Through the fogs old Time came striding,
Radiant clouds were 'bout me riding,
As my soul went gliding, gliding
From the shadows into day.

(June 9, 1936, R. E. H.)

Crowd Sees Rodeo As Western Filmed

A rodeo in the cattle country always collects a crowd. When Columbia's "Law of the Ranger", now showing at the Liberty Theatre, was being filmed on "location" in the hill-bound wilds of California range land near Newhall, the news got out that a rodeo was scheduled. As a consequence, ranchers and punchers from miles around rode in to the site of the picture and found, much to their obvious interest, that there was something even better than a rodeo going on, a "movie" was being made.

As a consequence, according to Spencer Gordon Bennett, director of the picture, starring Bob Allen and Elaine Shepard, there was no scarcity of bona fide atmosphere players.

"The need for a few western actors as extras did not actually arise until we reached the ranch," said the director. "Had the crowd of genuine cowboys act shown up, drawn by the false news that a rodeo was being held, we would have had to send back to Hollywood for atmosphere players.

"As it was, the punchers who came to watch the shooting were garbed in genuine ranch costume. With a little makeup, and some additions from the 'location' wardrobe, we were able to utilize many of the real cowboys as actors."

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County Agent's Column

AAA Worksheets To State Board
County agricultural conservation committee composed of Steve N. Foster, Chairman; Lester Farmer, and Chas. D. Straley in cooperation with Agricultural Assistant A. L. Cook finished the 616 worksheets that were signed by the farmers for the 1937 AAA program and handed them to the county agent to be sent to The State board on Friday of last week. The State board at College Station will analyze the material and indicate to the committee such needed adjustments as will be required to be made on each worksheet to get it in shape to be presented for final acceptance.

Mr. Foster stated that the plane table measuring crews now engaged in correctly mapping each farm that is cooperating with the farm programs, was indicating that much land is being left idle for various reasons this year and that such acreage would take up much of the conserving acreage that had been arbitrarily assigned to each farm. He stated that such credit would increase the payments to many farmers because it would permit more diverted acres to be shown in soil conserving crops and thereby increase the benefit checks.

62,000 Acres Signed
The 616 worksheets accounted for 62,000 acres of cultivated land in the county. The 1935 census shows only 115,000 acres in cultivation in the whole county which included the gardens and small patches that were too small to be of any economic importance. This would indicate that about 80 per cent of the actual cultivated land used in the production of commercial crops is signed under a worksheet and will thus be entitled to earn benefit payments this year.

Sudan Grass May be Planted on Small Grain Land that was not fit to harvest and make the necessary compliance. In this case it is counted as planted on idle land since no crop has been harvested in 1937. The Sudan grass in turn may then be grazed or if left standing or turned under green will earn an additional dollar per acre.

Garden Tile Available
The county agent has some 600

Q. What were "Turtle Bayou Resolutions?"
A. Resolutions adopted by Texans in 1832, declaring opposition to the policies of Bustamante, elected president of Mexico in 1830, and affirming allegiance to Santa Anna in his efforts to sustain the Mexican constitution of 1824 as it related to Texas.

feet of garden tile that can be bought at the actual cost of the materials on hand now. This tile was constructed by the NYA boys but since the National Youth Program has ended it is not likely that tile may be secured at such low cost again, so those needing to install sub-irrigation should not overlook this opportunity to secure cheap irrigation.

Worm Poultry in June
June is the first of the two good months to worm the poultry and thus insure an early supply of eggs and prevent rump in the fall. It means a cheaper cost of feeding too, since worms cause a poor digestion of the foods taken and also cause the birds to become subject to many of the ailments that poultry, which includes all birds on the farm, are subject to have.

This county agent does not recommend the flock treatment for worming but the individual method. The capsule recommended is tetrachloroethylene. If this can not be bought then a capsule of nicotine sulphate is the next best thing.

In flock treatment the most thrifty birds will eat the most of the feed put out and thereby get the most of the medicine whereas that bird actually needs the least of the preparation that is in the best of health. Every one knows that the thriftest bird eats the most and those not feeling so well eat the lesser amount.

For the elimination of lice it is recommended that sodium fluoride be dusted thoroughly into the feathers of each bird.

Bluebugs may be eradicated by the application of nicotine sulphate on the roost poles just before the birds go up to roost then clean the house thoroughly and spray the building with an oil mixture. Carbollinum is the best preparation which will last for a full year and protect the lumber against rotting but crankcase oil diluted with kerosene and then sprayed into every crack in the building will be very helpful.

Q. Who was Arthur Ikin?
A. Ikin was an English consul to Texas in 1844 and wrote a description of the country of that time, published as a "Guide to Emigrants." This book, long out of print, is a rather exaggerated report of the physical aspects of Texas and its opportunities. A copy is in the rare book division of the Library of the University of Texas.

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Stritch guaranteed four big devices, at least six shows and 30 or more carnival concessions. Such concession privileges as are always reserved for local and nearby people were not given the carnival. They will be sold by V. C. Walker, J. L. J. C. Huntington, the committee in charge.
Settle, Edwin Baum, Jr., and

Mrs. Aubrey Dodson of San Antonio and her son, A. C., of Austin spent the week end here visiting friends.

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BE IT RESOLVED; that each of us take his going as a lesson and form our lives and actions to follow the example given to us by him, and that we may recall our obligations one to another and so live that when we are called from labor we shall not have lived in vain.

Cross Plains Lodge No. 627,
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Depositors give us many helpful suggestions. We, in turn, are always pleased to have any opportunity to give them the benefit of our accumulated experience, to the extent that it applied to their own financial affairs.

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