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Whole City in Chain Letter 'Gold Rush' That Flops



The chain letter craze sweeping the country reached proportions of a 'gold rush' in Springfield, Mo., where crowds of which the above is typical, stamped to join in more than a dozen schemes that flourished in the city...

VETERINARIANS TO BEGIN FOLLOW-UP PROGRAM MAY 20

Work on the project for eradication of tuberculosis in Brown county cattle will be resumed with the beginning of the follow-up program which is to start May 20.

WARD SCHOOL BOYS TO SERVE IN PATROL

Brownwood will have a boy patrol for children to be conducted here next year if present plans are carried out.

EARLY ERADICATION OF 'HOPPER' MENACE URGED BY LEHMBERG

County Agent C. W. Lehmborg urges farmers to take immediate action to eradicate grasshoppers wherever they appear.

WINNERS OF SPEECH CONTESTS ANNOUNCED

Students from Brownwood, Brown county and Rising Star schools participated in a speech tournament sponsored by Central Texas School of Oratory at the school's studio Saturday morning.

COMMANDER APPOINTS TWO BROWNWOOD MEN

C. P. Kitchen, state commander of the United Spanish-American War Veterans, has announced the appointment of George B. Savage of Brownwood as state departmental adjutant and J. P. Bohlin of Brownwood as state departmental quartermaster for that organization.

HAVINS MAIN SPEAKER AT WEEKLY MEETING

The Brownwood Lions club had the largest attendance that they have had this year at their meeting this week.

PWA GRANT ENABLES FULL SCHOOL TERMS

Federal aid will enable eleven Brown county schools which had exhausted their funds to continue for their full term.

May 28 Date For Equalization Board

Date for the meeting of the equalization board was set in regular session of Commissioners court this week.

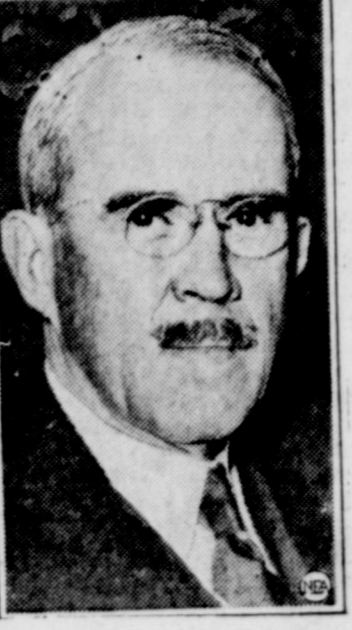
WHEAT FARMERS WILL DECIDE FUTURE WORK BY BALLOT MAY 25TH

All farmers who signed wheat reduction contracts and those who grew wheat during the base period during 1930-33 are eligible to vote in the wheat referendum to be held May 25 throughout the United States.

INSPECTORS PRAISE WORK ON STATE PARK AT LAKE BROWNWOOD

Herbert Evison and Paul Brown, Washington, D. C., state parks supervisors for the National Park Service, who made an inspection of the park at Lake Brownwood Tuesday, were enthusiastic in their praise of the park and highly pleased with the work done there.

Electrification Chief?



An ardent advocate of rural electrification, to spur employment and better living conditions, Morris L. Cooke, above, Philadelphia power expert, may head that division in the work-relief drive.

Brownwood In Line For 1937 CC Convention

Invitation for 1936 Meeting Withdrawn and Sentiment Favors City For 1937. Brownwood, withdrawn at Plainville as an applicant for the 1936 convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, stands a good chance to get the 1937 convention, due to efforts this year, those who attended the convention this week believe.

BRADY GETS NEXT PRESS CONVENTION

Brady was selected as the next meeting place of the Heart of Texas Press Association, at the close of the one-day convention in Brownwood Saturday.

BEAUTIFICATION OF CITY ASKED IN NEW WORKS APPLICATION

Application has been filed with the Texas Relief Commission, Works Division, Austin, by the city of Brownwood, for a city beautification project which would employ 46 men for sixty days.

HEAVY RAINS BRING LAKE WATER TO NEW RECORD HIGH LEVEL

Lake Brownwood has more water in it now than it has at any time since the completion of the dam. Heavy rains in this section the past week resulted in a rise of 5.3 feet, and the water was still rising Thursday afternoon.

Central Colorado Bill Is Approved

The Senate bill which provides for the creation of a Central Colorado River Authority of Coleman and McCulloch counties was passed by the House of Representatives Wednesday.

FARMERS MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various goods like Old Toms, Eggs, Hay and Grain, etc.

CAR STOLEN

Police were notified Monday of the theft of a 1928 Chevrolet automobile, owned by Mrs. J. W. Paul, made some time around 11 o'clock Sunday night.

TRAVELERS ELECT CHERRY TO COUNCIL

The United Commercial Travelers of America elected Hal H. Cherry of Brownwood, who has served as grand counselor the past year, as one of the two representatives to the supreme council at their 41st annual Texas convention in Dallas last week.

B. & P. W. CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Business and Professional Women's Club elected officers for the ensuing year at their regular meeting at the federated club house this week.

Vets CCC Quota To Be Increased

Joe Blagg, commander of the local American Legion post, received information this week that the veterans contingent of the CCC is to be more than doubled between June 15 and August 31.

Bees in Demand

Bees are sent from Louisiana to northern states in the spring to afford earlier fertilization of orchard blossoms.

Lasso Dedicated To Patrons Of College

Howard Payne College's year-book, The Lasso, which is being distributed to students this week, is dedicated this year to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. John G. Hardin of Burk Burnett.

NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

Table listing new automobiles registered, including Number, Owner, Make, and Purchased From.

1935 Registrations to Date... 309 Registrations this week... To Date 1 Year Ago... 161 This Week one year ago... 13

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Life insurance is regarded by the average person solely as an individual contract between him and his insurance company, whereby the company agrees to make certain sums available at a specified time in consideration of fixed premiums. However, the five years of depression through which the country has passed should have concentrated public attention upon life insurance as one of the greatest economic stabilizers in the nation.

Stabilizing Influence

Black headlines chronicle, from time to time, the enormous amounts being paid out by the government for the relief of the unemployed. But the fact that more than thirteen billions of dollars were paid by life insurance companies to policyholders and beneficiaries in the United States between 1929 and 1934, goes practically unnoticed. These payments, averaging about \$2,700,000,000 a year, were equal to about one-tenth of all wages paid in the nation, and were several times greater than the total of all government relief expenditures for the period.

In the lush years there were those who were inclined to look lightly upon the conservative investment policy of insurance companies. But this conservative policy was responsible for the almost unbelievably excellent performance of the insurance business throughout the depression. Once more, as in numerous preceding national depressions, the life insurance companies have demonstrated that they are worthy custodians of the people's money.

In the face of the nationwide suffering that accompanies unemployment, the message of Life Insurance Week comes this year with peculiar force: "The sooner you plan your future, the better your future will be."

April 16, 1935, is a date that will go down permanently in the annals of aviation and transportation history. It marks the first successful as well as practical transoceanic flight from a commercial standpoint.

The Flight of The Clipper

Captain Edwin C. Musick and five companion officers piloted the huge twenty-ton Pan-American Clipper plane on a course as straight as that of a homing pigeon, from San Francisco to Honolulu, a distance of about twenty-five hundred miles, in the record time of a little more than seventeen hours.

In the past, ocean flights have been considered by a large majority of the public as spectacular stunts, indulged in only by daredevils who figured the publicity was worth the risk. The only thing spectacular about the flight of the Clipper is the unspectacular way in which it was accomplished.

The flight was carried out on schedule almost to the minute. And after nearly a day in the air, the crew stepped from the plane clean-shaven, dressed in blue uniforms without a wrinkle, and looking far fresher than many of those on hand to greet them. In the words of Captain Musick, "It was a regular routine job."

According to press reports, the Pan-American Air Lines plans to inaugurate an air route to the Far East within the next few months. After witnessing such proof not only of the possibility, but of the feasibility of such an air route, one's mind is completely staggered with pictures of speed, comfort and safety with which it will soon be possible to travel to all parts of the world. Residents of San Francisco will week-end in Honolulu. And the trip to Shanghai, China, which now takes three weeks by boat, will take only forty-five or fifty hours by air.

There seem to be a good many people in this country who don't care much for living but who would be the first to be agast if you accused them of it. For no reason at all, they are constantly and cheerfully risking their necks and yours.

The Suicide Brigade

This group of citizens — who total hundreds of thousands — constitutes our reckless, ignorant and irresponsible motorists. Consciously or unconsciously possessed of the idea that their abilities are not second to those of the daredevils of the race tracks, they make a practice of driving faster than the law allows, even though they are going nowhere in particular and have all the time in the world to get there. They weave in and out of traffic — if they waited until the roadway was clear for passing, they'd lose a precious second or so. They drive on the wrong side of the road. They have a contempt for traffic lights and signals, which were obviously created for less gifted mortals. They laugh at the rumored perils of hills and curves, and take extreme pleasure in passing on them. When their brakes go bad and their steering and lighting systems falter, they put off repairs until some distant tomorrow — they'll certainly be able to get by until then without a mishap. And so it goes, down the entire list of acts of commission and omission that cause our toll of 35,000 automobile deaths per year.

The rest of us wouldn't have any kick coming if the suicide brigade risked their own lives only—that, after all, would be their prerogative. But they menace us as well—menace everyone and everything which uses the streets and highways. The innocent suffer along with the guilty—and, unless these drivers are curbed, each of us runs an excellent chance of being eventually numbered among the victims of the suicide brigade.

The college graduate of tradition is supposed to be a know-it-all young man who leaves the campus for the outside world full of confidence that people are just going to fall all over themselves to give him jobs and get the benefit of his wisdom and energy.

1935 Model Graduates

The college graduate of real life in the year 1935 is not a bit like that. So, at least, says Vera Christie, manager of the Bureau of Occupations at the University of California, which is about to turn 3000 young graduates out into the cold world.

The old-time cockiness, she says, has vanished. The collegians have been doing some thinking, in these trying years, and they know what they're up against.

Having a greater awareness of reality, they have also more determination; they have ceased to look for soft snaps and are looking for a chance to be of service, instead. The change is about as wholesome a thing for the country as a whole as could be imagined.

Sometimes new habits are more difficult to overcome than old.—Gertrude Atherton.

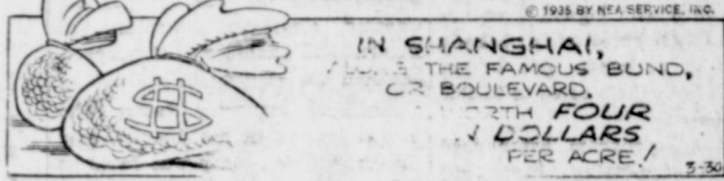
That life is good which seems good to the men and women who live it.—Rexford G. Tugwell.

Not because of, but possibly in spite of, what our political parties may do, we are on the way out.—Henry I. Harriman.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



SCOTTIE, A COLLIE DOG THAT WAS RESCUED FROM THE KANSAS CITY DOG POUND, REWARDED HIS BLIND RESCUER, W. R. DUCKETT, BY ACTING AS HIS GUIDE THROUGH A FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE CAREER.



True Ghost Stories

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By JOAN LOWELL Author

"The Christmas after the Santa Barbara earthquake, I was in Hollywood, having a place in Charley Chaplin's 'The Gold Rush.' This was to be my first Christmas on land. During my seafaring days I never had a Christmas tree. This Christmas I was going to have a tree for Father and me. Dad was expected home from a voyage he was making in the Oceania Vance. No end of preparations were made for that tree.

"Christmas morning I dreamed—not a cheerful holiday dream, but a dread dream—that I saw my father under water, saw him struggling to get out. Restive, I went downstairs early.

"In the kitchen I found no gifts, but an unusual article for our house, a tabloid. I never buy them. The cook must have bought this one. Across the top of the first page was the fatal headline: 'Los Angeles Captain and Crew Lost.' The captain was my father, the boat was the Oceania Vance. My father was not with me for Christmas.

"I kept the candles on the tree burning for him. New candles were inserted as the old ones burned out. I kept repeating: 'I'll keep the Christmas tree, daddy; you will have your Christmas tree.'

"By the New Year the Oceania Vance was found at the bottom of the ocean. It was overturned there, without any sign of the crew. The distance of the vessel from shore was too great for any human to swim; the length of time since the disaster was too great for any human to endure without food.

"I kept the Christmas candles burning. "Eighteen days after Christmas my father walked into my house. He and his crew had been picked up by a Mexican fishing smack and taken to southern Mexico, from where he could not communicate with us.

"He has a strange sense of foreboding. All seafaring people have it. They are superstitious and augurous. You can imagine how annoying this is to ship owners. One thing they never do is to talk about a wreck.

"He greeted us. All he ever said about his absence was this: 'I didn't want the Oceania Vance; I told the owners I didn't want to take it. Before we started I saw a shroud over that boat.'

Texas has always been famous as a cotton state; in recent years this crop has taken second place to another "crop." In 1932 the value of the oil business was \$50,000,000 more than cotton.

Texas holds second rank to New York at the greatest export market in the Union. Texas leads all others in export of raw materials; New York being leader in manufactured goods.

Woodrow Wilson's Healing Peace (Houston Post.)

In June, 1919, the Kansas City Star had this discussion, which bears somewhat on recent events:

"As everybody knows, the president dwells in a world apart. He takes counsel with nobody. He tolerates no differences of opinion. Phrases appeal to him. He uses them lavishly without considering their consequences. No public man has contradicted himself oftener. He lives, as some one has said, in the smoke screen of his own words. His speeches before the United States entered the war—recall for instance the 'too proud to fight' and the 'peace without victory' speeches and the assertions that America had no concern in the roots of war and should be neutral in thought as well as in act—showed almost incredible lack of comprehension of the issues of the war and of European affairs in general.

"This same lack of comprehension he took to the peace conference. It was his aim, as his supporters put it, to make a 'healing peace'—that is a peace which should deal gently with Germany—and then guarantee that peace by a League of Nations.

"He failed to understand that a world that had been nearly ruined from German aggression would not tolerate a peace which left Britain, France and Italy to bear the burden of war and left Germany unscathed. He failed to understand the force of those National rivalries that now anagalin convulse Europe and that state of mind that regards war as a natural instrument of diplomacy.

"With his cloistered mind he approached the problem of European peace as if it were a dispute between Princeton and Harvard universities over the eligibility of a football player."

But might not the present sore trial for Europe have been averted by a "healing peace"?

The dark page in American history is known as the Reconstruction Era. President Andrew Johnson followed substantially a plan which had been marked out by Lincoln as regarded the seceding States, which meant their return to the Union without the sacrifice of self-respect in the remotest degree. But Thad Stevens and Chas. Sumner were the dominating personalities of congress, and they induced that body to pursue a course that to this day is a reproach to all

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



There are no striking models who wouldn't think of striking.

SALESMAN SAM BY SMALL



CLOSEUP and COMEDY by DAN THOMAS — GEORGE SCARBO



JUDITH ALLEN, WHOSE REAL NAME IS MARIE ELLIOTT, SELECTED HER SCREEN NAME FROM A SHORT STORY SHE READ IN A MAGAZINE.



MARREN WILLIAM COLLECTS MODEL ELEPHANTS AND CHINESE ANTIQUES AS A HOBBY.



MERLE OBERON IS AN ACCIDENT HORSEMAN AND RIDES FOR 2 HOURS EVERY DAY, RAIN OR SHINE.

ON TEXAS FARMS

The general rule in the feed lot is for chickens to eat what the horses scatter but on E. C. Schnelder's farm in Waller county 270 White Leghorn hens have reversed this order and bought the feed for four work horses after paying their own board bill.

Rotted hay and cotton boll waste are ugly—but they make pretty flowers and shrubs if spread on top of the soil and worked into the beds as they are cultivated. They keep the soil from baking and add humus, according to reports made by the yard demonstrators in Kleberg county.

You have to be an expert to make braided rugs worth \$50, but Mrs. Will Sifton, home industries demonstrator of the Hopewell Home Demonstration Club in Smith county, is just such an expert. The rug was 7-1-2x10 feet and was made from burlap.

A community raven trap has been set up by M. H. Perkins of Clyde in Callahan county. Forty ravens were caught the first afternoon. Experience has proven that fresh bait in the early morning is more effective but the trap is cleared before nightfall because otherwise the dogs tear the trap to pieces to get the bait.

Sammie Hoerster of Mason county took his calf 502 miles to enter him in the El Paso show. Sammie declined hotel reservations in favor of sleeping near the calf. He won first place.

Wharton—That poison bran mash is effective in controlling cut worms in young cotton fields has recently been proven by Karl Frels of Wharton county who satisfactorily poisoned worms on 65 acres of young cotton with the mash, according to J. A. Scofield, county agricultural agent. The mash cost about 13 cents per acre for the ingredients, Frels said.

New Braunfels—"More cow peas for soil building and also for hay and pasture are being planted in Comal county this year than ever before by more farmers than ever before," says George E. Ehlinger, county agricultural agent. "With the number of acres of peas planted this year a favorable season will mean that Comal county will be well on the way toward a soil improvement program in the near future."

Dr. R. Wright has used Brabham peas for the past three years and has planted 40 acres this year with two rows of hegarl alternating with two rows of peas. Gus Hilbert, Erwin and Walter Schulte, Albert Soefje and Gus Krause are others who are planting peas this year. Krause harvested 250 bales of fine hay last year from Brabham peas originally planted for soil building.

Panhandle—Five calves, valued originally at \$70, brought \$325.65 profit to Walter Britten, 18, Carson

who passed in review. Not until the election of Grover Cleveland was there a cessation of the waving of the bloody shirt, which waving is the explanation of the Solid South. It is fair to assume that Europe today would not be all excitement had there been a "healing peace" as Woodrow Wilson advised, and this is not meant for an indorsement of his impossible League of Nations.

shape and sewing on the machine, which were very fly by sewing one other.

Stanton—"A cellular storing all the family ing discarded material. E. Griffin, 4-H party for in Martin county. Joellene Vanoy, home agent. Mrs. Griffin completed a cellar 10 feet wide, and 6 feet deep of \$5.87 for materials. car frames were steel taken from old of a cost of \$1.50 and the top. The remaining spent for lumber for the extending the full length cellar, and for a door.

Alice—in spite of Verne Gerdes, Jim 4-H club girl, has toes a good start by them with old tin cans to Miss Erma Wines, stration agent. When toes were transplanted, plant was covered with from which both ends cut. As the plants came hardened the moved.

COUGHING, WEAK THIN AFTER

"I nearly died from ber, and it left me weak cough. "I saw Milks Emulsion and started using it. Right from the start I felt better and my stomach was shape. But 12 bottles later I gained me out entirely. I was without distress, my and I have gained back and flesh."—Emma Wilton, Belmont, N. C. Milks Emulsion restores natural bowel action. Milk sion is strongly recom those whom sickness has This is the only s made, and so palatable eaten with a spoon like you, use it according to and if not satisfied with your money will be refunded. Price 60c and bottle. The Milks Emul Terre Haute, Ind. Sold everywhere.

Several Fresh Milk Cows for worth the money Citizens Natl. Bank



Friday and Saturday HOSIERY SALE Fifteen Dozen Pairs of Knee High Ringless 48 Gauge Chiffons Regular \$1.29 Value 69c FRIDAY and SATURDAY In Every New and Desirable Shade They are beautiful. Buy generously for Yourself — for Gifts — for Trousseau Bettis & Gibbs THE LADIES' STORE Where Smart Styles Meet Moderate Prices

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Highway Opening To Be Celebrated

The formal opening of Highway No. 69 from a few miles south of Strawn to Weatherford is to be the occasion of a huge celebration at Eastland May 30.

TEXAS CENTENNIAL GIVEN ENDORSEMENT BY HISTORY GROUP

The West Texas Historical Association, which held its eleventh annual meeting in Brownwood last Saturday, voted an unanimous endorsement of the Texas Centennial and pledged its cooperation to the complete success of the enterprise.

WHO WOULDN'T PULL FOR HER?



Crew has become twice as popular at the University of Pennsylvania since the co-eds took to the water. Elsie Bortel, petite crewswain, shown here, is one of the reasons why the sport is drawing so much atten-

DIME SPENT FOR BEANS LEADS TO FATAL SHOOTING

Silvia Binkley, negro woman, shot her husband about noon Sunday following a quarrel over a dime spent for string beans, according to her statement to County Attorney Conner Scott made Sunday afternoon.

Immediately after the shooting the woman had neighbors call officers, and she surrendered to Deputy Sheriff Chester Avinger.

She said her husband left home some time Sunday morning and during his absence a white man brought \$1.50 to the house for Buck. She spent 10 cents of the money for some string beans, and upon Buck's return, shortly before noon, he became angry because she had spent the money.

Silvia was released from jail after making bond immediately after her examining trial which was held Monday afternoon.

Doctors Form New State Association

The Texas State Heart Association, subsidiary organization of the State Medical Association of Texas, was formed at the two-day meeting of the Medical Association

held at Dallas this week. The purpose of the new organization is to coordinate research and discovery work in treatment of the rapidly growing heart disease.

TAKE A SPEEDBOAT RIDE ON BEAUTIFUL LAKE BROWNWOOD

Lake Brownwood is now above the level of last year, before it was drained.

There is no more beautiful scenery in 100 miles of Brownwood.

- All the Way Around McCartney Island 35c
To State Park and Back With Stop-Over Privilege 25c

24-hour service - Docks well lighted with electricity.

FAST SPEED BOATS or CABIN BOAT

Turner-Wright Docks

IZAAC WALTON PARK

Car Bargains

These Before You Buy

- PLYMOUTHS
33 Plymouth Sedan
33 Plymouth Coupe
32 Plymouth Coach
30 Plymouth Sedan
30 Plymouth Coupe

- CHEVROLETS
34 Chevrolet Sedan
33 Chevrolet Coach
31 Chevrolet Coach
30 Chevrolet Coach
30 Chevrolet Coupe
29 Chevrolet Coupe
30 Chevrolet Coupe

- FORDS
32 Ford Tudor V-8
31 Ford Tudor
29 Ford Tudor
28 Ford Sedan
29 Ford Sedan
29 Ford Coupe
30 Ford Roadster

- DODGES
29 Dodge Sedan
28 Dodge Sedan
27 Dodge Coupe

Others in stock to select from. About our easy finance plan, carrying a low finance rate. All free to come in and look our stock over.

Peterson Motor Co.

"THE HOUSE OF BARGAINS" Next Door to City Hall

Announcing BANK NIGHT LYRIC THEATRE

EACH THURSDAY NIGHT STARTING MAY 23

\$25.00

Will be deposited to the Bank Night Account in the First National Bank of Brownwood each week.

Each Thursday night at approximately 9 o'clock a drawing will be held on the stage of the theatre. Attend the theatre any time Thursday from opening time to the time of the drawing.

If the party whose name is drawn has not attended the theatre that day the money will remain in the bank and another \$25.00 added to it for the following Thursday's drawing.

If you have not already done so, sign your name—Free—in the Bank Night Register Book at the first opportunity. Register once only for all bank nights.

Bank Night is being put on as an added attraction at the Lyric each Thursday night in addition to the regular picture program. See the show Thursday at the regular admission price and enjoy the fun and thrills of Bank Night.

ation since 1925, was re-elected.

Dr. R. T. Hill of Dallas, dean of geologists of Texas and a writer of unusual ability on Texas historical subjects, was elected vice-president, succeeding W. E. Brown of Abilene. Two other vice-presidents, both of whom were re-elected, are Mrs. W. W. Carson of San Angelo and Colonel W. L. Crimmins of New York.

The "New Orleans Grays," organized in 1835, was the first military unit organized on American soil to go to the aid of the settlers who had decided to throw off the yoke of Mexican tyranny.

MAKING Smart CLOTHES

I heard a girl say the other day: "If only I could find a perfectly simple dress that I could use for everything!" Well, here is her answer—a perfectly simple two-piece dress, relying on its smart dropped shoulder, trimmed with shirring and its new sleeves, for its effect.

Officers for the coming year were elected at a business session held at noon. Judge Crane, who has served as president of the Associ-



smart, and when you make this dress be sure that it is 12 inches from the floor—just about 2 inches shorter than you have been making your skirts.

This dress should be made in either plain or printed crepe; but because this is spring do choose a soft, becoming color, perhaps one of the new clear pastels.

TOURNAMENT ENTRIES MAKE NATIONAL AND STATE HONOR ROLLS

In the National Piano tournament held here Saturday one music pupil, Marjorie Hester of Cross Plains, retained her place on the national honor roll and three entries, Amos Caldwell and Lilybud Denman of Brownwood and Kathleen Strange of Bangs made the state honor roll.

Miss Hester, pupil of Mrs. R. S. Gaines of Cross Plains, played a repertoire of ten pieces and received a grade of 88. Amos Caldwell and Mrs. Denman, both pupils of Miss Mae Brannon of Daniel Baker College, each prepared a repertoire of eight pieces and received grades of 94 and 99 respectively.

Requirements for placing on the national honor roll were a minimum repertoire of ten pieces and a grade above 85. State honor roll requirements were a minimum repertoire of seven pieces with a grade of 85 or more.

The following is a list of those making the district honor roll: Billie Louise Hopper, 93; Jessie Frank Henderson, 90; Florene Cox, 88; Charles Day, 85; all pupils of Mrs. J. B. Denman; R. B. Stephens, 93; Kathleen Harris, 85; Janet Strange, 85; Virginia Martin, 85; Anna Marie Hall, 93; and Mildred Dickerson, 90; all of Bangs and pupils of Mrs. F. R. Early of that place. Ellanita Robbins, 93; Billie Hancock, 93; Dorothy Nell Robbins, 95; Evelyn Hodges, 90; and Margie Powell; all pupils of J. C. Robbins of Dublin; and June Jordan, 85, pupil of Mrs. W. E. Whitten of Brady.

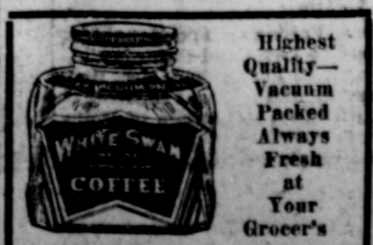
Mrs. W. D. McCulley was in charge of the arrangements for the tournament and Mrs. J. B. Denman was in charge of certificate distribution. Mrs. Carter T. Dalton of San Angelo was judge.

My Beauty Hint



By LYNN BARI (Screen Actress)

A nightly application of liquid petrolatum is excellent for softening the cuticle and preventing the nails from becoming brittle. It will also promote the growth and beauty of eyebrows and eyelashes if rubbed sparingly into the roots each night.



Highest Quality—Vacuum Packed Always Fresh at Your Grocer's

ERNEST WEEDON'S HELPY-SELF Y

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- GREEN BEANS, lb. 2c
CUCUMBERS, lb 3c
SQUASH, Lb. 3c
CABBAGE, Lb. 4c
FRESH BEETS, Per Bunch 3c
NEW POTATOES, Lb. 4c

- 10 lbs. SPUDS 18c
FRYERS, DRESSED, DRAWN, EACH 34c
SLICED BACON, lb 19c

- SUGAR 25 Lbs. \$1.33
10 Lbs. 55c
5 Lbs. 29c
Pure Cane, in Cloth Bags



- FREE GLASSES WITH LIPTON'S TEA
4 Glasses and 1 Lb. Lipton's Tea 88c
2 Glasses and 1-2 Lb. Lipton's Tea 45c
1 Glass and 1-4 Lb. Lipton's Tea 23c

- Swift's Jewel and Crustine Shortening 8 lbs. \$1.06
4 lbs. 58c



BLUE BARREL

- Soap Chips, 5 Lbs. 35c
Soap, 6 Bars 25c
1 Gallon Apples 43c
1 Gallon Prunes 38c
1 Gal. Pitted Cherries 58c
1 Gal. White Swan Syrup 58c
1 Gal. Cane Crush Syrup 58c

- PORK and BEANS 5c
TOMATO SOUP
TOMATO JUICE

Certified COUNTRY BUTTER, Lb. 25c

- Qt. Jar Peanut Butter 34c
Qt. Apple Butter 19c
2 1-2 Lb. can Del Monte Peaches, sliced or halves 21c
3 cans Libby's Pineapple Juice 25c
No. 2 Can Corn 10c
1 Quart Mustard 15c
1 Qt. Sour or Dill Pickles 15c
No. 1 Chum Salmon 11c
2 Lbs. Mother's Cocoa 19c
7 Cans Potted Meat 25c

News of Brown County Communities

Mukewater

On Tuesday, May 7, citizens of our community together with interested parties from neighboring communities, gathered at the Mukewater cemetery for the purpose of cleaning and beautifying the grounds. As the hour approached mid-day a bountiful lunch prepared by the ladies, was spread and enjoyed very much by all present. Immediately after lunch the crowd gathered in the school building to discuss plans for organizing a cemetery association. After thorough discussion by interested parties motion was made and carried to organize the association. The following officers were elected: R. V. Seymour, president; Mrs. Walter Seymour, vice president; Mrs. Lou Tweedle, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Lawrence Sanderson, vice secretary-treasurer. Motion was made and carried to designate the first Tuesday in May and the first Tuesday in September as permanent dates for public working of the cemetery.

Miss Ida Mayfield of Indian Gap was a week-end visitor of relatives and friends.

Mr. Cook Sheffield was transacting business in Bangs Saturday.

Uncle Frank Brooks was a Bangs visitor Saturday.

On Saturday evening, May 11th, Mukewater Parnet-Teachers Association presented a three act comedy-drama entitled "Lighthouse Nan," at the Clear Creek school building. Due to the unsettled weather the crowd was not very large but the play was enjoyed by all present. The proceeds were \$4.00.

Some of our citizens attended the decoration service at Bangs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cox of Hasse returned home Monday after a short visit with Mr. Cox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cox.

Farmers are rejoicing over the fine prospect for a grain crop since the recent rains.

Mr. Bob Ellis, who has been seriously ill for some days, is reported to be slightly improved at this writing.

Tony Hallford received a very painful accident while playing baseball one day the past week by dislocating his knee.

Farmers are very busy this week plowing feed crops and planting cotton.

R. B. Bazley, wife and children of Early High were Sunday visitors in the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Bagley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bruton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cates, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bagley attended the Sunday school rally at Melwood Baptist church, Brownwood, recently.

Rev. Edgar Owen filled his regular monthly appointment Sunday afternoon. It being Mother's Day, he preached a special sermon for mothers, using the first verse of the 14th chapter of Proverbs for a text. His theme was "Mother, the Builder of the Home." He made a special appeal for the husband and children to cooperate with mother in building a real Christian home. At the conclusion of service the cemetery was decorated with flowers.

Mr. Bull and sister, Mrs. Conklin, of Salem, attended preaching here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Marvin Williams and wife of Buffalo community attended services here Sunday afternoon.

Several from Bangs attended church here Sunday afternoon.

WANTED FOR RAWLEIGH ROUTES in Brownwood. Write today, Rawleigh Co., Dept. TXE-59-SB, Memphis, Tenn. 5-2-16-30

Getting the Big Show Ready for 1935 Honeymooners



Under the brink of roaring Niagara where a misstep may mean death, workmen in oilskins are seen erecting the wooden footbridge across which 1935's honeymooners and sightseers will scamper to marvel at the Cave of the Winds and Niagara's terrifying might. Because of mild weather, the bridge-builders have undertaken their annual task on the slippery rocks at the earliest date within memory.

Early High

The program at this place last Friday night was greatly enjoyed by a very large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boyd spent the week-end at Gustine and Carlton with their parents.

Nellie Paze visited from Friday until Monday with Bernice Flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Murphy spent Sunday with relatives at May visited accompanied by Lois Bledsoe.

Mrs. Tuck Green and little daughter, Anna Jo, visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cobb, near Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Routh and children of Bethel visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Annie Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Snider and little daughter, Betty Jean, of Earp home late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griggs and children had supper in Brownwood Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Claude Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp visited all day Sunday with Mother Vernon and family and enjoyed the day very much.

Faye Doris Boyd visited from Saturday until Monday with relatives in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Porter and Miss Pearl Preston, all of Brownwood visited for a little while Friday afternoon at the Earp home.

Preston Tucker and wife of Blanket visited for a while Saturday night with George Griggs and family.

Children of Mrs. Annie Wells surprised her on last Friday night, it being her birthday. They treated her to ice cream and cake. Only their immediate family of children were present, except Mrs. Kimmie Cole, Mr. Arthur Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Carnes. Mr. Vernon and Mr. Carnes made some good music.

George Moore visited home folks at Carlton from Friday until Sunday.

The play, "Lighthouse Nan," sponsored by Steeps Creek church, will be staged at Woodland Heights Friday night, the 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Parks and little granddaughter, Mae Ann Parks, of Brownwood were visitors here Monday afternoon with his cousin, Mrs. Mamie Earp.

Lois Bledsoe visited all day Monday with Christine Wyatt.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Walter Roscoe Monday afternoon were Mrs. N. B. Graham and Mrs. Pierce.

Union Grove

We had a light shower of rain Friday night.

Miss Dorothy Hancock spent last week with home folks. Her school at Santo closed May 3rd.

Murv Newton and family from New Mexico came in Friday night. Mrs. Newton being ill, she has been taken to a sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hardy of Colorado, Texas, are here for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. R. T. Willitt was on the sick list last week.

The May school has one more week to run.

Mr. Dee Hardy is nursing a sore hand, burned when a torch exploded.

Mr. M. A. Richmond from near Blanket was a pleasant visitor here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kennedy made a business trip to Brownwood last week.

Mrs. J. A. Hancock and daughter, Miss Dorothy, and son, Joyce, of this community and Miss Lucile Watson of Santo are on a visit to Houston, Galveston and other points.

Miss Annie Innes had a very pleasant visit with Mesdames A. A. Soney, W. T. Powers, M. A. Adkinson, Loyd Bowers and Roy Chapman last Friday.

Wanted — Hay baler and Rake. Phone 450R C. M. Shaw.

Bangs

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brack, Mrs. Lola B. Richey and son of Brownwood attended the memorial service here Sunday and visited relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. I. V. Garrison and children drove over to Waco Friday, returning Saturday, where they visited Mrs. Garrison's parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Bob Reeves of Blackwell was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stephens Saturday.

John Green spent the week-end with relatives at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stephens visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas at Holder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sheffield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and daughters of Amarillo arrived Sunday afternoon for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson, and other relatives.

Mrs. Bird Smith was reported on the sick list the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Guyger and sons, Ralph and Maurice, were guests of Mrs. Arthur Bold and children at Dublin Sunday.

Miss Leona Tolley of Buffalo was a guest Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson accompanied by their son, Bob, attended the funeral of Mrs. W. O. Turner in Brownwood Monday.

Charles Matthews, student in H. P. C., spent the week-end with his parents and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas at Holder Sunday.

Mr. Thomas has been seriously ill for several days. Dr. and Mrs. Holder are also with her father.

Wayne Porter is here from Austin visiting relatives and friends.

Memorial service was held at the Methodist church Sunday with the pastor of the Church of Christ, Elder Edd Weems, of Abilene doing the preaching. He chose for his subject, Hope. Other churches of the town dismissed for the service. At 2:30 in the afternoon a male quartette from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, rendered a program at the Baptist church. A sermon in song was rendered. The Three Realities of Religion were given by three numbers in song. Solos were also rendered and Sunday evening one of the B. Y. P. U.'s rendered a very beautiful Mother's Day program followed with a Mother's Day sermon by the pastor which was indeed a beautiful sermon for the occasion.

Mrs. Fred Rollins and Mrs. Evans of Santa Anna were guests of Mrs. C. C. Bissett Sunday.

Several members of Mrs. F. R. Early's music class won in a music contest held in Brownwood Saturday. Kathleen Strange made a state honor roll with a repertoire of eight pieces. Those making the district honor roll were Virginia Martin, Annie Marie Hall, Mildred Dickerson and Janet Strance.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sheffield of Brooksmith were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sheffield Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Arthur Rochester of San Angelo spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Laymen.

Mrs. Jack Rudd of Ballinger spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. W. P. Eads.

Mrs. Payne Wilson and daughter, Betty Jean, of Brownwood, spent several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson.

Woodie Bourne and mother of Dull were Bangs visitors Thursday.

Gaines Laymen of San Angelo is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Laymen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vincent and daughter, Jimmie Carroll, of Coleman spent Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs. M. L. Lanford.

George Schwartz has returned from Dublin.

Wilma Vardeman and daughters returned to Levelland Saturday after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Geo. Vardeman, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin of Blanket were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough Sunday.

May

Robert Wheeler and family of Wichita Falls visited Mr. Wheeler's mother at Sydney this week. They also visited Mrs. Wheeler's parents of May, Mr. and Mrs. Singletary.

Mr. J. L. Kinney of Anson is here visiting Mr. Kinney's sister, Mrs. J. R. Woods.

Mrs. Mattie Harlow and Mrs. P. B. Branum visited Misses Floy and Esta Branum of Breckenridge last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shribes of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Branum Saturday night.

Roy Branum, Heffin Bowden, Miss Geraldine Chapman and Miss Irma McBride visited relatives and friends in Sweetwater Saturday night and Sunday.

The Ladies Missionary society gave Mrs. Veatch a linen shower Monday night at the home of Mrs. Rachel Wagon.

There was a nice Mother's Day program at the Methodist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pillman announce the arrival of a girl baby born Wednesday morning.

We are sorry to report that Uncle John Spence is very sick at this time. We hope he will soon be better.

Bring us your eggs. We always pay the top in cash or trade. Looney's.

Zephyr

(Intended for Last Week)

Rev. Middleton of Abilene gave three very interesting sermons in the Church of Christ Saturday night and Sunday.

Messrs. Alec Edwards, Leslie Griffin, Theron Huggins and Manager John Glass spent the week-end in Austin. Theron entered the 1-2 mile race in the state meet and he won second place. We are very proud of our track man.

Miss Pauline Glass of Abilene, Draughton's Business College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Glass.

A week-end fishing trip was enjoyed very much although it was a shade wet on the Jim Ned creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matson of Monohans are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Matson this week.

Mr. Ed Reasoner, who has been very sick at the home of his mother, Mrs. N. L. Reasoner, returned to Brownwood Monday.

Mr. Eustace Renfro made a business trip to Brownwood Monday.

Miss Mae VanZandt and Mrs. Mary Forsyth were shopping in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McCown were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Mesdames D. F. Petty, Mark Braddock and Messrs. Driekill Petty and John Petty were Brownwood shoppers Saturday.

Mr. Clayton Coffey of Brownwood spent the week-end in Zephyr with relatives.

Mr. Lynn Coffey was in Brownwood Monday.

The annual junior and senior banquet of Zephyr high school was held Tuesday evening, May 7th. Games of progressive 42 were enjoyed by all. The decorations carried out the school colors.

Miss Vivian McDaniel was hostess after Mrs. Clarence Petty on Wednesday afternoon, May 8th. Games of different kinds were played and punch and cake were served to the following: Misses Margaret and Lucy Galloway, Eva Ruth Petty, Mesdames C. A. Keeler, Robert Roach, Walter Reasoner, S. B. Gist, Harold Gist, Hubert Locks, Jr., Arthur Sikes, A. B. Dabney Sr., Tucker Henson, Joe Galloway, Arthur Quiri, Howard Driskill, R. D. Kirkpatrick, Ernest Skipping, Murry McBurney, R. B. Cole, Mark Braddock, Albert Driskill, Willie Hill, Sam Shelton, Garland Petty, J. D. Horton, A. J. Baker Jr., Carl Belvin, D. F. Petty, Tom Harrington and Ed Belvin. The house was beautifully decorated with pink and white and the plate which was served also carried out the pink and white colors.

If you are not on our mailing list for the Market News and the Farmers Exchange, drop us a card or call at the office. We will gladly add your name to the list. Looney's.

Ebony

J. B. Jones of Brownwood delivered a very interesting lecture on the Townsend old age revolving pension Sunday afternoon.

Don't forget the picnic Saturday, May 18.

Several attended the graduating exercises at Indian Creek Tuesday night. Miss Monta Ray Crowder, Miss Odene Russell, and J. R. Reeves, all of Ebony, were among the graduates.

Cleone Haynes visited Ruth Mashburn Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Malone left Thursday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Bean, at Van Horn.

Miss Nell Guthrie, who is attending Daniel Baker at Brownwood, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Reeves.

Roy Reynolds and family, who have been out about New Mexico for some time arrived at the Meek Russell home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Austin Caywer and their little daughter, Edna Beth, have arrived to spend the summer at Sunny Heights, home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer. Mr. and Mrs. Caywer finished their school at Valley Spring last week. They have been elected to teach at Pasche in Concho county next year.

Ralph Wilburn has finished his school at Milburn and has returned home. He expects to attend John Tarleton College this summer. He will teach at Big Valley next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Reynolds and little daughter, Mirla Nell, left Monday morning for New Mexico. Roy Reynolds and family have moved on the Reynolds place.

The Reeves family were pleasantly surprised by a group of friends who called on them while Sunday afternoon visitors were Clay C. Reeves; his brother, John Reeves; his sister, Reuben and Dick Reeves; his wife, Miss, and Reuben, all sons of Reeves; Gabe Reeves; son of the late Charles Gorman; and Bill Reeves of Gorman; Bill Reeves of Gorman; Clay Reeves and his wife, were accompanied by their wives. We regret that not stay longer. The family used to live in community, and there are who would surely be seeing Mrs. Bill Reeves.

Dr. Locker and highway engineer, method, W. M. Clemon, Haynes, and the highway river near the mouth of Saturday morning, exploring a site for the Brownwood-Richmond highway.

Roy J. Clark of Brownwood is attending a meeting for the Chamber of Commerce here beginning Friday the fifth Sunday in May. Remember, next Sunday, the Caldwell's day here.

Jodie Caldwell will be Sunday morning and afternoon.

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Sliced Bacon, Weiners, large and small size.	
Shefford's Package Cheese	
Longhorn CHEESE, Pound	18c
Dried or Evaporated Fruit	
4 Lbs. PRUNES, Bag	35c
4 Lbs. RAISINS, Bag	31c
4 Lbs. Evaporated PEACHES	48c
1 Lb. Package RAISINS, pkg.	10c
3 Lbs. COOKING FIGS	35c
SALT	
25 Lbs. TABLE SALT, Sack	31c
1 1-2 Lb. SALT, 3 pkgs. for	10c
Corn Flakes, Miller Brand	
Large Package, Each	10c
OATMEAL	
Large Size, 3 Minute	23c
Large Size GOLD MEDAL	21c

Can Goods

Jersey Brand Pork and Beans, can	5c
Phillip's Pork and Beans, can	6c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, can	7c
TOMATO JUICE, Campbell's, can	7c
KRAUT, Large Can	10c
HOMINY, Large Can	10c
No. 2 1-2 Size PEACHES, California Fancy Table Peach, Delmonte, Sunkist or Heart's Delight, can	18c
No. 2 Cut BEANS, 3 cans	28c
No. 2 Red Pitted CHERRIES, can	15c
No. 3 can V C or Phillip's Pork and Beans	10c
Gallon Sunkist Crushed Pineapple	68c
Gallon Red Pitted CHERRIES, can	68c
Gallon G G PLUMS, can	53c
Gallon Can PEACHES, can	53c

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We have been retailing groceries in Brownwood sixteen years. We have tried to never disappoint you in our advertising. You will not be disappointed in our celebration sale Saturday. You will not be disappointed in our display of merchandise. We have in our new store 60 feet of fruit and vegetable display which will be piled high with home-grown and South Texas Produce. Everything from cucumbers to roasting ears. In our new Market, we have 20 ft. display of all kinds Fresh and Cured Meats, Poultry and Fish. In the Grocery Department we handle only nationally known and advertised goods. No cheap or misleading brands.

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10 lb. Old Spuds Number 1 Grade	18c
New Potatoes, Lb.	4c
CABBAGE, Pound	4c

LETTUCE	
Firm Heads	4c

BANANAS	
Tropical Isle Fruit Special Price, 2 Dozen	25c

Oranges	126 Size, Fancy Grade, Large Size Dozen	40c
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Apples	Fancy Winesap Small Size, doz.	17c
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Fresh CORN, Dozen	35c
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Bunch Greens, 3 bunches	10c
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CARROTS, 3 bunches	10c
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BEETS, 3 bunches	10c
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CUCUMBERS, Pound	3c
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SQUASH, Pound	3c
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COFFEE	
Early Bird, 1 Lb. Package	18c
Dinner Bell Coffee	18c
Bulk Coffee, 2 Lbs. for	25c

BAKING POWDER	
2 Lbs. Dairy Maid, can	18c

50 oz. Can KC	28c
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25 oz. KC Baking Powder	17c
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10 Lbs. K C Baking Powder	1.09
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2 Lbs. Clabber Girl Baking Pow.	22c
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10 Lbs. Calumet, can	1.35
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1 Lb. Calumet, can	21c
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12 oz. Dr. Price, can	18c
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12 oz. Royal, can	35c
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EXTRACT	
8 oz. Hoge's Extract, Vanilla or Lemon, bottle	22c

Large Size Dr. Price's Vanilla	28c
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Large Size Adams, Best	23c
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Large Size French Vanilla	15c
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Large Size Granny White Vanilla	15c
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Zephyr

Rev. Pierson filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He delivered two very interesting sermons.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright and children and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Black and children of Brownwood were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney Sr. Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Couch of Brownwood spent Monday in Zephyr visiting Mrs. O. D. Couch Sr.

Miss Annie Innes of Rising Star was a pleasant caller of Mrs. Annie Adkisson Friday morning.

Gap Creek

A good rain would be greatly appreciated by every one. Grain is in need of a rain.

There was a good crowd at the Routh cemetery Monday and much needed work was done. There will be two workins each year.

Indian Creek

Furthest McAden of Bruni has been visiting his mother, Mrs. T. J. McAden.

Miss Elma Middleton of Grovesnor spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Will Middleton.

Mrs. Jack Townsend and Miss Neola Townsend are visiting Robert Townsend of Lubbock.

Highway Association Hearing Postponed

The date for a hearing for Highway No. 67 Association before the highway commission, which was to have been held Tuesday of this week, has been postponed indefinitely.

The purpose of the hearing is to secure immediate pavement of parts of federal highway No. 67, which in Texas extends from Presidio to Texarkana.

Frank Dinosaur One kind of dinosaur, the triceratops, had a head so big that it made up about one-third of the animal's entire body.

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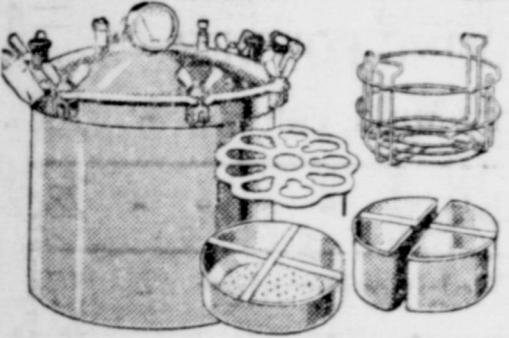
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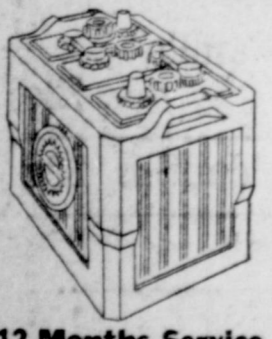
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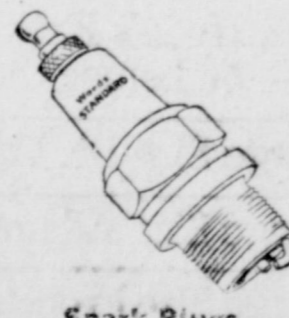
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The party is to follow the Daniel Baker Junior-Senior Prom which is to be held earlier in the evening. The right side of the house will be reserved for Howard Payne students, exes and friends and will be decorated in the college colors. The right side will be reserved and decorated for the use of the theatre's guests from Daniel Baker.

A special picture, "Vagabond Lady" featuring Robert Young and Evelyn Venable has been secured for the event.

BROWNWOOD'S TEAM MEETS FIRST DEFEAT

San Saba defeated the previously unbeaten Brownwood baseball team in a closely matched game played there Sunday with a final score of 3 and 2. Brownwood opened strong, scoring their two runs in the first inning. San Saba scored one run in the fourth but failed to score again until the last half of the ninth inning, when they scored two runs.

The game was a pitcher's battle between Hardy, San Saba, and Brooks Page, Brownwood. Hardy allowed the Brownwood boys only three hits and struck out eight. Page kept the San Saba hitters down to five hits.

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With hundreds dead and thousands homeless and the full story of devastation not yet told. Bahia, Brazil, world-famous rubber center, sought to count the toll taken by furious tropical gales and torrential rains that raged for more than a week. The busy harbor, with its typical European style buildings, is shown above.

Nobody's Business

By JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—After a brief respite from the strenuous four-months' session of the legislature, just ended, Texas politicians will gird their loins and sail into another fight—the battle over repeal of the state constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor in Texas.

The legislature adopted a double barreled prohibition repeal amendment which will be submitted to the voters. The first section, to be passed upon by the people August 24, 1935 simply provides for outright repeal of the prohibition amendment, leaving the matter of regulation of the sale of liquor to the legislature, if the amendment is adopted.

The second section provides that in the general election of 1936, the people shall pass upon the question of whether the sale of liquor exclusively by the state shall be permitted. Thus, the wets are actually given two chances. If repeal should fail in August, it might carry, under the state monopoly system, in November, 1936. If repeal carries in August, it is safe to say the state monopoly system probably will not be adopted by the legislature until the people pass upon that issue the following year. Probably a high license system, with possibly no sale except in unbroken packages, will be preferred by the law makers for a year's tryout. Hotel operators and others interested in profiting from the retail sale of liquor by the drink, will doubtless make a terrific fight against the unbroken package system, if the people sanction legal sale of liquor again in Texas. The first called session of the 44th legislature, which will be held in September—as predicted in this column more than a month ago—will be the scene of a memorable battle of lobbyists, as was the regular session.

The legislature, despite widespread criticism of its dilatory tactics, passed oil legislation that will undoubtedly yield considerable additional revenue and will aid the fight on "hot" oil, thus combating attempts to impose federal control upon Texas' oil resources. In the closing hours, the tax on crude oil was slightly increased, and additional funds were allocated to the railroad commission for enforcement purposes, thus insuring more efficiency and a better pay standard for grossly underpaid employees of the commission's oil and gas division.

It also stopped forever the senseless waste of a great natural resource by making cashinghead gasoline from "sweet" gas and blowing the gas—amounting to a billion feet a day—into the air.

Tremendously important was the final passage of the bill advocated by the attorney general to permit the state to confiscate and sell "hot" or illegal oil in the possession of owners and transporters. The state has been under a handicap heretofore. Its officials might know of the presence of millions of barrels of illegal oil, and know that this oil would be illegally put into the channels of commerce at the first opportunity by the owners, but they could do nothing about it, except try to prevent its movement. Now they can seize such oil, sell it, and appropriate the proceeds to the state. Trucks being used for movement of "hot" oil and its products are also subject to seizure and confiscation.

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MORTUARY

McDAVID—W. P. McDavid, 64, died at 5:39 Saturday morning at his home at 1009 Avenue D. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at Coggin Avenue Baptist Church with Dr. W. R. Hornburg officiating. Interment was in the Greenleaf cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. McDavid was married to Miss Bessie Bishop in 1905 and to the union three children were born. Two of the children, twins, died in infancy. He is survived by his wife and one son, Wm. F. McDavid, of Brownwood.

Mr. McDavid was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Odd Fellows and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. The Mason had charge of the services at the grave.

LYONS—Virgil Alton Lyons died suddenly here last week after a short illness. Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at Greenleaf Cemetery with Rev. S. E. Lowery of Brady officiating. Mitcham Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Lyons has been in Brownwood leading the singing in a revival campaign at the Full Gospel Tabernacle for the past week. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lyons of Brady. He was born on November 25, 1917, in Travis county. He was a member of the Pentacostal church.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Gentry Lyons, his parents and four sisters, Ruth Lyons, Marie Lyons, Dorene Lyons and Virginia Lyons, all of Coleman.

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BREWSTER—Bedford Stacy Brewster, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brewster, died at the family home near Blanket at 6:30 Tuesday evening. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the residence with interment at Old Moro cemetery near Blanket. Austin-Morris Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

ISH—Ray N. Ish, 81, died Saturday evening at 6:30 at his home at

Mr. Ish was born in Missouri on May 15, 1854, and came to Texas and to Zephyr with his father in 1876. The elder Mr. Ish was a Presbyterian minister and founded the Zephyr Presbyterian Church of which Ray Ish was a charter member.

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In early manhood Mr. Ish was married to Miss Gibson, who died only two years following their marriage.

He is survived by no immediate family but by a host of friends and acquaintances acquired during his long residence in this county.

TURNER—Mrs. W. O. Turner, 78, died in a local hospital at 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Funeral services were held at Central Methodist Church Monday morning with Rev. H. S. Goodenough officiating. Interment was at Greenleaf cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Turner was born at Hillsboro, Ohio, on September 23, 1857. She came to Grayson county with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, in 1877. She was married to W. O. Turner on December 24, 1879, in Grayson county. The family came to Brown county in 1884 and to Brownwood in 1925. She was a member of the Central Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband and the following children: Mrs. O. E. Adams and Mrs. Tardee Curry of Fort Worth; T. H. Turner, Sweetwater; S. O. Turner, of Carlton; Mrs. E. G. Williams, of Evans; Mrs. Ella Curry, Brownwood; Rev. Frank Turner, Cisco; J. Wesley Turner, Fort Worth; Mrs. Bea Hext, Eldorado. Also 25 grand children and eight great grandchildren survive.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BROWN.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1935, at the High School Building in Zephyr Common Consolidated Rural High School District No. 39, of this county, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Pompey Creek Common School District No. 15, in Mills County, Texas, thereby forming the Zephyr County Line Common Consolidated Rural High School District No. 39 in Brown and Mills Counties, Texas.

M. N. Cobb has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Consolidation." Dated the 26th day of April, A. D. 1935.

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Reemployment: The Paramount Task of Government and Business

The main problem facing the country today, states the Guaranty Trust Company of New York in the current issue of The Guaranty Survey, its monthly review of business and financial conditions in the United States and abroad, is that of reemployment and its solution can come about only thru private business expansion. Consequently, the governmental objectives of relief and reform, instead of being distinct from and partly antagonistic to, that of recovery, actually depend upon it.

The enactment of the work relief bill, The Survey continues, carrying appropriations of nearly five billion dollars, together with the steady month by month increase in Federal relief expenditures to a series of new high records, emphasizes once more the key position of unemployment among the various problems of depression. Unemployment is crucial from every point of view, social, political and financial. It is the greatest cause of human suffering and degradation. It is the most dangerous breeder of social and political unrest. And it is the most prolific source of budget deficits, crushing tax burdens and monetary disorders. In the United States, the situation has already taken on some of the aspects of a race between business recovery and reemployment on the one hand and inflation on the other.

Limited Progress Thus Far

The Government has made various attempts to solve the problem, thus far without much apparent success. The evidence is somewhat conflicting. Factory employment, at least, has increased to a marked degree since March, 1933, and is greater than it was in ten of the twelve months of 1934. Current estimates of unemployment likewise reflect considerable improvement since 1933, although they indicate a present level that compares unfavorably with the total a year ago and is approximately equal to the average for last year. But the number of persons on governmental relief rolls has almost doubled since the beginning of 1934, while the average cost per person has risen even more rapidly, with the result that relief ex-

penses have reached a point where the financial resources of state and local governments are wholly inadequate to carry the burden and where more than three-fourths of the cost is borne by the Federal Government with borrowed funds.

On the whole, the business situation seems distinctly better than it was two years ago, although it is very doubtful to what extent the improvement is a result of natural recuperative forces and to what extent it is a consequence of the Government's recovery program.

The reason why the uncertain validity of the present recovery policies is so disquieting to business confidence is that the methods now being followed cannot be maintained over an extended period. The public debt is increasing at a rapid rate, mainly because of the cost of caring for the unemployed. Such a situation may be defensible as a temporary expedient, but not as a permanent policy.

Private Business Recovery Essential

The only escape from the dilemma is through private business recovery. This is the sole alternative to the financial disorder and the moral disintegration that lie in the direction of long-continued unemployment relief. It follows that the greatest task of government and business at present is to cooperate in every possible way in helping private industry and trade to put men back to work.

The principal steps necessary to this end consist fully as much in the avoidance or abandonment of unwise measures as in the adoption of wise ones. Their essential purpose is to allow business enterprise to proceed in a normal manner with a minimum of restrictions on its freedom of action and on its prospects of reasonable profit.

It is essential that unemployment relief be placed on a basis that can be maintained over an extended period. This means, first, that its cost should be reduced to a minimum by the abandonment of work relief in favor of direct relief; and, second, that the cost should be met with current receipts rather than by means of borrowing.

LIFE INSURANCE HAS BEEN BIG BOON IN DEPRESSION YEARS

During five years of the depression, life insurance beneficiaries and policyholders, were paid more than \$12,000,000,000, according to information furnished by the Heart of Texas Life Underwriters Association of life underwriters.

These payments, averaging about \$2,700,000,000 per year, were equal to about one-tenth of all wages paid, he stated, and several times greater than the total of all governmental relief expenditures for the period.

The total amount of life insurance in force at the end of 1934, estimated at \$98,000,000,000, results in direct contact by the life insurance companies, he pointed out, with over half the population of the United States.

"It is too early to predict the percentage of increase in new business that may be expected in 1935," continues the statement, which quotes Theodore M. Riehle, president of the National Association of Life Underwriters. "However, reports from all sections of the country indicate that the buying trend continues upward."

"National Life Insurance Week, sponsored by the life underwriters of the United States is expected to result in a further increase in public familiarity with the service life insurance is performing as a stabilizing factor in supporting purchasing power. Based upon extensive national newspaper advertising, groups of life underwriters in nearly 300 leading cities already have inaugurated plans for Life Insurance Week, beginning May 13."

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Different things, such as fruit trees, tall palms and banana trees, are being placed at the Centennial, and it will convince those who come to Dallas that they have seen nothing but some interesting samples until they have gotten out and traveled over the Empire State of Texas. The Centennial will be an exhibit, of not merely the Central Exposition, but Texas itself. Millions of vacationists and other tourists will be brought to this State during 1936, and if the Centennial is a success, the visitors from other states will be convinced of the advantages of Texas and will be encouraged to make their homes here. They will be convinced to change any idea they had of Texas of being a rough and rowdy state.

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CHAPTER 2
WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Jean Valjean, sentenced to five years in the galleys for the theft of a loaf of bread, serves his term of horrible torture and privation. Paroled, he is hunted by everyone and hunted by the authorities. He seeks refuge in the name of kindly old Bishop Bienvenu who treats him like a long lost brother. Jean is suspicious of such kindness; revenge for the wrongs done him is foremost in his muddled mind.

The Bishop's Candlesticks

The only dish on the table is a large tureen of ragout. The bishop and Jean, Baptiste are at opposite ends. Magloire sits opposite Jean, who keeps his eyes on his plate and eats as though he were famished. Jean looks at the silver plates and eats as though he were famished. "I seem to miss something—the table looks bare," says the bishop. "When we have visitors we use the silver plates, but—" She eyes Jean suspiciously and seems to say "not when these kind of people are about." She looks at the bishop and then rises and gets the silver plates from the sideboard. They do not pass unnoticed by Jean.

After the meal has been cleared away, Jean and the bishop are standing at the open door of the latter's bedroom. The bishop is holding two silver candlesticks.

"We can just as well eat off tin." "How can we? Tin tastes." "Well, then, iron plates." "Iron's as bad." "Well, then wood—" "Who ever heard of a bishop eating off wooden plates?" "With a twinkle in his eye: 'They would probably be all the better if they did.'"

There is a heavy knocking at the door. Magloire immediately registers apprehension.

The door is already half open when the bishop, unperturbed, again calls in his usual easy manner: "Come in!"

Three gendarmes are there and between them is Jean, utterly dejected.

"This man, Jean Valjean—we stopped him running away. We stopped him and found he had this silver with your crest on it."

"Now, what is all this? I'm very glad to see you again, Jean—"

The gendarmes look astonished—Jean glares at the bishop. Is this some new trick?

"Yes, because I gave you the two silver candlesticks, as well, and they're worth perhaps two hundred francs. How did you come to leave them behind?"

Jean is too astonished to reply. The bishop turns to the police:

"Didn't he tell you that the good priest with whom he passed the night gave him this silver?"

C. C. C. NOTES

Perfect weather during the week allowed the athletic teams to get some much needed practice. The baseball team was on edge for the game with Weatherford, which had been postponed from last week. The Weatherford truck arrived Friday evening with a dangerous looking aggregation. Two boxers accompanied the baseball team but our company had no men of their weight to match against them. Some exhibition matches were held which proved very interesting.

The baseball game was called at 2:30 Saturday on the camp's diamond. It was a perfect baseball day except for a slight south wind. The game developed immediately into a spirited pitchers duel between Mayes of Weatherford and Benton of Brownwood. Both pitchers were in top form and allowed only scattered hits. Neither pitcher gave a walk and Benton fanned seven while Mayes struck out six. The game tied 2 to 2 in the seventh inning and it took ten full innings to break it. Ziegler and Youngblood of Brownwood made hits in the tenth and were advanced by Williamson. Then the winning run was driven in by Swain, the team captain, with a clean hit between third and second, winning a most thrilling game for Co. 872, Brownwood.

The team travels next week to Abilene where it will meet Big Springs on neutral grounds. A win would clinch the sub-district No. 4 championship.

Project Superintendent N. H. Lee is preparing to build a boat pier with an ornamental masonry stairway leading to it. The stairway will be the main entrance to the park and according to the plans will be most artistic. Plans were

Service—White House Style



Attending the benefit garden party and fashion show at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., as a guest, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt was drafted to help serve ice cream and cake to the disabled veterans who attended in wheel chairs. She's shown passing out refreshments to Clay Caskey, a South Carolinian.

prepared by Architect Paul E. Pressler of the Technical Service in this camp.

Saturdays and Sundays are bringing more and more visitors to the camp. Motor boats and row boats are beginning to pay us visits.

With the completion of the pier it is expected that more visitors than ever will be coming as the trip by water makes Brownwood but eleven miles away, whereas by land it is thirty-five miles.

The national park service pro-

posed to be used by the park service for educational and publicity purposes. Three enrollees decided to study to become locksmiths and had progressed very successfully until found practicing on lockers in another barrack. When questioned they boasted upon opening every locker in camp, thus, laying themselves wide open for all personal losses for the last month. Thorough investigation proved the innocence of the craftsmen of any theft, but K. P. should exclude them in the future from personal property.

LOVELL TO PREACH
Rev. J. A. Lovell, who conducts the Old Time Religion Church of the Air daily from radio station KFPL at Dublin, will preach on the courthouse square Saturday afternoon, May 18th. He will use a loud speaker to facilitate his delivery of the sermon.

If Texas were as densely populated as Massachusetts, it would have a population of 121,000,000. Massachusetts has 528.6 to the square mile; while Texas has only 22.2.

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both with candles lighted. Magloire passes and goes into the room carrying the silver plates in a basket. She gives a furtive look at Jean as she passes.

The bishop indicates the door opposite. "This is your room—the best we can do—hope you'll be comfortable enough—take this!" He gives Jean one of the silver candlesticks.

But during this Jean's attention has been riveted on Magloire, who is putting the silver in the cupboard at the head of the bishop's bed. She sees him and comes to the door, shutting it.

"She's afraid of me! And no wonder!" He looks at the bishop. "How do you know I won't murder you in the night?"

"Well, how do you know I won't murder you?" is the soft-spoken reply.

Jean's expression plainly says, "That's absurd."

"You have faith in me, it seems? Then I must do the same by you, mustn't I? Good night."

Jean stares at him, amazed.

A Thief in the Night
Jean wakes with a start. His hand instinctively goes to his wallet. He satisfies himself that the 109 francs are there. Then the thought comes to his mind—the bishop's silver.

The cunning, crafty look of the criminal comes into his face again. He gets out of bed quietly, goes to his knapsack—takes out an iron bar, feels it, menacingly. The door to the bishop's room is ajar. It makes him hesitate. It is too easy.

He enters, regards the sleeping man with haggard astonishment, not unmixed with fear, then moves to the cupboard to pry it open.

There is no need to use force—the key is already there. Again it seems too easy, and he glances suspiciously in the bishop's direction, then begins to pull out the silver, which is piled together in a basket.

The bishop is busy writing in the dining-room. He looks up as he hears a scream from Magloire and the sound of running feet.

"The silver is gone! I told you—that man! He went off without a word, and he's taken the silver! Now we've no silver plates."

The bishop goes back to his notes, unconcerned. "Well, well, what are plates, after all?"

"He said so, but naturally we thought—" "That was very clever of you. You do your work well. But it's quite a mistake," he turns to Jean "the silver was his."

"Then we can let him go?" "Why, certainly! And give him his knapsack."

When they are left alone together, Jean is almost overwhelmed. He begins to break down.

"Is it true?" he stammers. "I don't go back to the galleys. You will let me go free?"

When is a Man Free?
"When is a man free? I wish someone could tell me. Yes, you can go. And this time, of course, take your candlesticks."

"You give them to me?" "Long ago, Jean," the bishop said gently, "I learned that life was to give—not take. Let me give. In turn, promise me you, in turn—will give."

"I—"

Jean is unable to speak. He drops to one knee. The bishop puts his hand on his shoulder.

"My door is never closed. Don't use any other way—furtively, in the night. The door is the right way, and the right way, Jean, is always open to you."

It is this view of the bishop that Jean carries in his mind forever after.

Jean lifts himself to his feet and with his shoulders hunched for his knapsack stumbles to the door, his whole body shaking.

He trudges along the road, shoulders bowed, his eyes vague and bewildered, trying to understand. As he trudges the bishop's voice comes to him—

"Life is to give, not to take—promise me, when your turn comes you, too—will give."

Slowly it comes to him that there is still someone with faith and trust in the world. He feels the world can still hold something for him—one man, at least, has trusted him.

The trudge-rhythm changes, his head and shoulders become erect and he looks into the future with hope and determination in his eyes.

This ended the first phase of the life of Jean Valjean.

(To Be Continued)

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THE map above tells only part of the story—the little-known story of the inter-relation of the Ford V-8 car and the farm.

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WOOL goes into upholstery, floor coverings, lubricants and anti-rust preparations.

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HOGS furnish lard oil, oleic acid and brush bristles.

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BEEWAX goes into electrical imbedding compounds.

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leather suitable for rumble seats, where real leather would be damaged by exposure to the weather.

TUNG OIL is part of the top material used in Ford cars and is also used in brake linings.

TURPENTINE is used in paints, adhesives and solvents.

SOY BEANS are used in making cores for metal castings in our foundry and are also an important part of the baked enamel finish of a Ford V-8 and of the plastic knobs and buttons in the car's interior.

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ARRESTED IN RAIDS

Gerald Williams and Odell Stephens were arrested on a charge of liquor law violations in two raids made Saturday afternoon. Examining trials were held for the two men shortly after the arrests Saturday and they were bound over to await grand jury action. Bonds for both men were set at \$1000 by Peace Justice E. T. Perkinson. Williams was arrested in a raid on a house on Houston street, and Stephens was arrested in a raid at a residence on Belle Plain.

Coolerator Club Meets Thursday

A meeting of the Coolerator Club of Brownwood was held at the offices of the City Ice Delivery Thursday night. Fifty people, including members of the club and their wives, attended. Joe Melton of Dallas, state manager of the Coolerator Company, was here for the meeting. He spoke on the program and later showed a moving picture illustrating Coolerator construction and sales.

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WINS CONTEST

Reta Scott, Brownwood student, was awarded first prize in a theme contest by the Hyrne Commercial College and School of Commerce of Dallas in the Blanket High School. Reta's award was a \$45.00 scholarship in the college. The contest was on themes written on the subject "The Advantages to Be Derived by Texas from the Texas Centennial."

CHAPPELL IN HOSPITAL

Rev. P. E. Chappell, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Brownwood, who has been ill for some time, was taken to the Methodist Hospital in Oak Cliff, Dallas, the first part of this week. Examinations revealed nothing more serious than a run-down condition from flu, and he is reported to be resting well.

FLOWERS FROM BULBS

By AMZI C. McLEAN
Extension Service of Rutgers University.

Some of our most beautiful garden plants are those grown from bulbs to flower in summer and autumn.

The gladiolus is probably more universally planted than any other summer flowering bulb. Gladioli are adaptable to practically all of the United States and do well in nearly all types of soil. Thrrips should not deter you from planting gladiolus, for these tiny plant lice can be controlled by treating the bulb with naphthalene and then spraying during the summer.

there may be no bloom the following year.

Another summer bulb is the tuber rose. It is one of the most fragrant flowers and well adapted for cutting.

Do not plant tuber roses until the ground becomes warm and dig up the bulbs before frost in the fall, for the bulbs form their flower buds a year before they bloom and, if chilled, the buds are killed inside the bulb.

Nothing will add more dignified beauty to your garden than well grown tulips.

The cottage tulip Mrs. Moon, at right, is one of a type that blooms



The poet's narcissus, shown here is a very attractive species as the leaves are slender and the flowers are gracefully borne on slender stems. It is useful in the border, but is particularly striking when allowed to naturalize in drifts at the margin of the lawn or near a body of water.

When bulbous plants are naturalized, this should be done where the grass can be left unshorn until the leaves have matured. If the leaves of narcissi and other bulbous plants are cut while green



In May about the latitude of New York. These tulips usually have more pointed petals than the Darwins and are apt to be more permanent in the garden.

Tulips, because of their size of bloom and generally spectacular nature, should be planted in groups preferably of one color, to be effective. A tulip planted alone appears desolate.

Dahlias furnish one of the most showy garden plants for fall as well as some of the best available cut flower material. They should be planted for fall growth. They will make excellent progress on a well drained, rather light soil.

The canna really is a tropical plant and needs plenty of warmth. Many cannas used to be used in America for bedding, especially for large formal beds, but amateurs seldom use them for border decoration or in different corners of the garden, where they are particularly effective.

All these and other bulbs or roots can be kept from year to year if you will use ordinary common sense in storing them over the winter.

National Jamboree Quota About Full

A number of Scouts from this section are planning to attend the National Jamboree to be held in Washington, D. C., this summer. The quota of Boy Scouts from the Comanche Trail Council for attendance at the National Jamboree is being rapidly filled.

However it is requested that any Scoutmaster who has a Scout in his troop who is eligible to attend and can finance his way should see that the application is in at once in order to assure the boys going. When the quota is filled no more applications will be accepted.

Parents who are in a position to have their son attend are urged to get in touch with the Scoutmaster or write direct to the Scout office in Brownwood for information concerning the Jamboree. There are a number of troops unable to finance the sending of delegates, and places are left to Scouts of other troops who are in a position to attend.

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EARLY HISTORY OF TEXAS
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is one of a set taken from the special collections in the Texas library. It covers all the history, from the days of the Spaniards in the province through the colonial period. This series presents interesting collections, some of which are of intrinsic significance in the development of Texas, others of human interest in the conditions and events of the time.

It took a dreadful epidemic in Texas, in the river along the coast. In 1817, there was scarcely a house on the Texas coast. The epidemic, R. J. W. wrote in his copy with his sister-in-law, Maverick of San Antonio in his letter of November 1817, among the family archives of the Texas library, a description of how it victimized the fever, of the effects of the epidemic on the sections of the coast. "Mary," he wrote,

"I have just perused your letter to Lizzie under date 13th. It is now Wednesday night 1-2 past of P. M. and as I am somewhat of an invalid yet (although have been up all day in my room) I have told her that I would rather try and write you a letter to go to bed and trying to sleep. So here goes. You must know that I arrived at home on Saturday, the 12th, a fine hearty, stout-looking fellow as you have seen—with whiskers, but yet cheerful and happy at my arrival. On Monday I worked at the store where from sickness (every one having been sick and still weak) I found things in much confusion, and many customers to be served. On Tuesday the same, on Wednesday same, until dinner time, when I began to feel the symptoms of the epidemic. I told them at the store I felt a little unwell and would not be over that evening. I came home and Lizzie sent after the doctor. After talking a while, he told me he would not prescribe for any patient setting up, laughing, and so I must lay down. By this time I had a right smart chill and by the time I took the mustard foot bath I was in for the regular fever. And in a short time somewhat flighty and for five mortal days I did not step my feet out of bed—I am now up in my room,

out of danger but weak as a child, eating but little as yet and drinking good brandy, toddy, port wine, etc. I never had anything to weaken me so in so short a time. I intend taking a walk to the store tomorrow but shall not exert myself. We have now every one had it in my family, my clerk, my partner and two colored persons. There is still one young man that is staying in the store who has been with it all and yet has escaped. We have great cause to be thankful, not having lost one, out of so much sickness, and yet the town has suffered awfully. Fifty odd deaths out of a population of a little upward of 200. A greater proportion than in New Orleans. The South this season has suffered in the extreme. New Orleans is not now held out as the great bug bear. There is scarcely a village that has escaped. None that I have heard of on our coast except Mataorda and they had no intercourse with any of the coast places, keeping up a strict quarantine.

I can't say I suffered much. It is not so painful as severe bilious fever. After the fever is broken you must keep in bed and eat nothing for days. Nor attempt to get up no matter how well you feel, under four or five days—a relapse is almost certain death. You of course have seen a list of the deaths. I believe that my case is the last.

"All the time while I was gone, after having heard of the epidemic breaking out here, I felt comparatively happy in the thought that my family was at San Antonio—and did not know any better until I reached New Orleans on the 8th inst. Found letters from my partners giving me an account of my family having passed thru the ordeal, having remained too long before attempting an escape. I am truly glad I labored under the belief, or I should have been very unhappy. I left New York on the 10th of October and was one month getting home by the western route. The rivers were very low. I was not anxious to get home before the first and as it was I arrived soon enough."

In the above letter Mr. Clow referred to the time required to travel overland from New York to Texas. In the following letter, dated Lavaca, October 18, 1856, his references to the trip to the north of Sam A. Maverick and his sons, Lewis and Sam, husband and sons of Mrs. Mary A. Maverick, are revelatory of the eagerness with which the settlers welcomed any contact with "the world," as they termed the north and eastern states:

"Mr. Maverick and Sam arrived in the stage at 10 o'clock at night and came straight to our cottage, with the peaches (for which accept our thanks). Lizzie had just gone to bed, but I happened to be up reading; so soon as Lizzie recognized Mr. Maverick's voice, she dressed herself and came in. They stayed with us about half an hour, when the stage called for them, and we had to bid them a reluctant adieu—Lizzie and myself remarked that Mr. M. looked better than we had ever seen him. He was in fine spirits too and he and Sam anticipated a pleasant journey. I have envied Lewis and Sam's feelings for this, their first sight you may say of the world. Where the great improvements of the age will be as novel to them as to a five year old child; and with this great advantage in their favor, they have read of all these things. And have a historical account of all the national and noted places of our glorious union. I can imagine that they would almost deny themselves the privilege of sleep, for fear of losing the opportunity of seeing all as they sped on in the steamers and 'steam horses' in their varied route to the north. May they reap the full meed of pleasure from such quickening and soul-stirring feelings. The same exquisite sensation can never be realized to the same extent, but once. This trip to the north and a general tour through the Union will be of more advantage to them than four years schooling in San Antonio. We are quite in good spirits about our railroad. Since the departure of Mr. Maverick and Mr. Clark for the north for the purpose of obtaining from the citizens say 'We know that Mr. Maverick would not have anything to do with the matter, if there was any duplicity or humbug about it.' Mr. M., I need not inform you, has an enviable character throughout the state, for probity, sincerity and honesty of purpose, and I anticipate great advantages to the stockholders in the railroad from his visit to the north."

Further reflections on pioneer methods of travel are given in the following letter which Mr. Clow wrote Mrs. Maverick from Lavaca, January 9, 1857:

"Kate had a letter to send you, but her mother either forgot it, or thought the writing was too poor for you to read. Although the mat-

ter I thought very good for a 7-year-old. She (Kate) frequently threatens us so soon as the railroad is done, to go up and stay months with you. I will say en passant when that road is finished to San Antonio, I fear she will be grown and her habits fixed, altho I hope to the contrary, but I have heard so much that has never been realized as yet, in regard to the railroad and railroad matters, that I have very weak faith in anything I hear in relation to it. Neither Mr. Clark, Mr. Maverick or any of the Plempus have arrived yet, I have just learned that Mr. Osgood has arrived on the steamer Daniel Webster (Vanderbilt's first boat on the new line, in opposition to Harris & Morgan). His wife (Osgood's, who is the contractor) has been looking for him every boat for the last two months, and his contract is to have the road finished to Victoria by the first of July net, and

40 miles finished by first of January net. There are 14 miles of the road graded, only out of this stupendous contract and nearly all of that has been done by the funds raised in poor Lavaca! I have not heard of San Antonio expending one dollar yet, that the effect of it is visible. I cannot say how much old Enoch has ston. He and Timm put the enterprise back at least 10 years by destroying confidence in the management, with the people.

"I had no idea that you would have received a letter from Sam so soon. Just to think of it! To get a letter from Scotland and it appears only about a month since he left New York. In old times had you received one in six months it would have been considered pretty expeditious."

"Steam ships, railroads and telegraphs have and are creating a perfect revolution in the affairs of the mercantile world, and mail fa-

cilities. This is now emphatically a fast age. It appears that the students at Sam's institution number almost double that of the population of our city. I presume he is well pleased.

"I feel satisfied that Lewis is having a good time of it in New York, during the Christmas holidays, when he can see all sorts of sights, from the show, pomp, and glare of the "Fifth Avenue millionaire" to the squalid poverty and misery of the "five points," contrasts the most glaring and melancholy to one who may have been raised where such misery is unknown. And yet these caviling hypocrites of the north are continually harping upon the condition of the poor slaves of the south! If they could have seen our darkies in their ball attire "tripping the fantastic toe" during Christmas eve, I think they would have been forced to say they ap-

peared happy at least.

"We had a quiet Christmas of '55. You know it was very cold. Warm Christmases are almost always dull. Our little ones enjoyed themselves fully, Santa Claus having provided for them abundantly, out of his rich, and inexhaustible stores of toys, candies, etc. Lizzie and I went to a party the other night where she enjoyed herself in dancing several sets."

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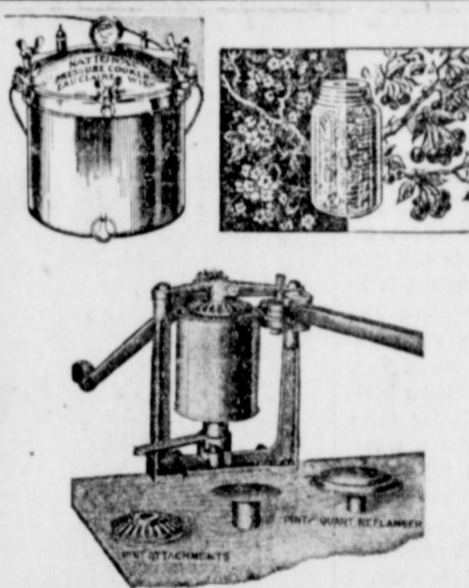
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