

## A WEEK AT A TIME

by J. M. RANKIN

### WHAT PRICE SINCERITY?

Charley Guy, Plainsman, etc., for the Avalanche-Journal is always causing us trouble. Latest is he comes out commending us in print for our sincerity. Which puts us up a tree for the future—to say nothing of the past and the lies we've told in the interest of peace, politeness, politics and popularity. Or does lying have anything to do with sincerity?

### UTOPIA UNLIMITED

California next Monday will vote to pay every "senior citizen" in the state thirty dollars every Thursday. The plan for financing the venture is about like that of the birth and marriage insurance of a few years ago or the chain letter craze. It ignores the fact that no financial scheme can pay out money without taking it in, and none can pay out more than it takes in. We believe the big election will carry in California, and if it does there will be a lot of complaint within six months about its not being a success.

### GONE ARE THE DAYS

We pause to say a word for the rising generation. We had a Hallo-wen interlude last week. There was a lot of noise and hilarity. But so far as we have learned, no serious damage was done. Gone are the days when this holiday was one for the wholesale destruction of property and for the inconveniencing of aged and helpless persons. The spirit of fun in modern young people seems to be of a higher type than that of the so-called "good old days."

### THEY WERE APPRECIATED

The following letters received recently indicate that the pupils of the schools are appreciative of the book covers furnished them by local business firms. While the Slatonite did little toward the covers, we are glad to get the letters.

Jr. High School, Slaton, Texas  
Oct. 21, 1938.

Slaton Slatonite, Slaton, Texas.

Dear Sirs:

We surely want to thank you for the nice book covers you gave to our school. They fit our books well and look very neat. You and other companies have helped our school a great deal.

We would be glad for you to come and visit our school and see the work we are doing.

Sincerely yours,  
The Fifth Grade.

Jr. High School, Slaton, Texas,  
Oct. 24, 1938.

Slaton Slatonite, Slaton, Texas.

Dear Sirs:

We wish to thank you for the very nice book-covers that you helped buy for our school. They are a very nice protection for our books. And we appreciate them very much.

We would be very glad to have you for a guest at our school some time. I'm sure that you would enjoy it very much.

Yours sincerely,  
A Pupil from the West Ward Junior High.

## Mrs. C. R. Westerman Buried Here Friday

Mrs. Carrie Wilson Westerman, wife of C. R. Westerman, prominent farmer of the Midway community died suddenly at Waxahachie where she was visiting friends, Wednesday, Oct. 26. Burial was at Englewood Cemetery in Slaton, Friday, October 28, Rev. Aubrey Ashley, assisted by Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, officiating.

Mrs. Westerman was born March 3, 1880, in Uniontown, Kentucky, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson. She became a member of the M. E. Church early in life and was a consistent member thereof until her death. She was married June 26th, 1906 to Charles Raymond Westerman, who survives her.

The pall bearers were R. M. Wheeler, W. A. Ferguson, J. G. Ferguson, J. Gex Williams, R. L. Hooten, and A. M. Lay.

## Paving on Lubbock Near Completion

The paving on West Lubbock St. is being rushed to completion. Topping began Friday of last week and it is hoped that the street will be open for traffic this week-end.

The project, aided by the P.W.A., adds ten blocks of paving on one of the best residential streets of the city. The paving is of the popular type of caliche base with three coats of asphalt and crushed rock. It has added enormously to the appearance and to the serviceability of the street. Some housekeepers along the street believe the paving will reduce the dusting required.

Taxable values along the new paving will be raised, if not by increased assessments, then because of the new buildings going up. The street has a quiet air that is attractive to homeowners and the convenience of paving completes the list of utilities sought by those who want to build.

### Ninth to be Paved

Ground was broken this week for paving of the parkway of the block on Ninth Street lying just west of the city park. Decision of the city to make the improvement was announced only last week, and the work can be completed, it is hoped by the end of next week.

The paving is being done to remove traffic hazards arising from the crowded condition of the highway and street and conditions that are sure to arise when the Post Office is moved to its new location in the middle of the block. A curb is being installed along the middle of the street to separate the part to be used as highway and the part to be used for local street traffic.

## Stokes Brothers Saw New Fords

### 1939 Models To Be On Display Today

Harry and Van Stokes, local Ford Dealers, returned Wednesday from the Ford Dealers meeting at Dallas where they saw the 1939 model of the famous automobile.

"The new models," said Mr. Stokes, "are far beyond what we expected them to be, even though we had been expecting some notable improvements. We are happy to be able to show these new models and to offer them to our patronage in Slaton and this territory where they have been so generously received in the past."

The new models will be on display at the showrooms of the Slaton Motor Company, Inc. at the corner of Lynn and Ninth Streets, beginning today.

## Mayor Hood Speaks To High School

Mayor Hood, of Slaton, spoke to the combined classes of third year Homemaking girls and Agriculture boys, Tuesday, Oct. 25th.

He spoke on "Relations of the Home to the Community". He stressed the importance of the home as the first and fundamental unit of society, and placed the well regulated home as the source of our best citizens. Truth and right were magnified as qualities of character desired in every life. City laws were explained and our bonded indebtedness given. Slaton, according to Mayor Hood, is a splendid city and is in a position to take care of all her obligations when due.

The fact that a busy man is willing and interested enough to come before a group of high school boys and girls and give his philosophy of life and discuss the problems of city government made the discussion more interesting to the students.

## Dr. Scott Allen Writes Back

Dr. George Scott Allen writes to friends from Burnett that he is pleasantly located in his new home in the post oaks of Burnett County, and begs to be remembered to his many friends in Slaton and community.

Dr. Allen in his years of practice here made many friends who were loath to see him go, but wish him well in his new location.

## Proclamation

WHEREAS, The women of the American Legion Auxiliary of Slaton are to engage in a Poppy Sale on November 5, for the benefit of disabled Veterans of the World War,  
AND WHEREAS, this is an undertaking worthy of the support of all patriotic Americans, since it gives to us the opportunity to express our consideration for those who put their lives at the disposal of our country, and are consequently disabled,  
AND WHEREAS, the entire proceeds of the poppy sale will go to the benefit of the Disabled Veterans:  
THEREFORE do I, J. W. Hood, in my capacity of Mayor of the City of Slaton, proclaim Saturday, November 5, as Poppy Day, and earnestly request the citizens of the City to observe the day by wearing a poppy purchased from a duly authorized representative of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Done under my hand and seal this 1st day of November, 1938.  
J. W. HOOD, Mayor of the City of Slaton.

## Forty Bandmen To Go To Amarillo

Clyde Rowe will take 40 members of his high school band to Amarillo today for the afternoon concert of the United States Navy band in the municipal auditorium at 2:30, under direction of Lieutenant Charles Bentler. This is the initial appearance of the famous band in West Texas, on a tour celebrating the 100th anniversary of United States Naval band organization. The Friday matinee appearance has been arranged especially for band students.

Information bulletins from headquarters in Washington, D. C. say that members of the famous band are graduates of the United States Naval Conservatory of Music, which requires that a man must have three years' experience in some navy band before being allowed admission to enrollment in its courses. After graduation from the conservatory one is allowed to try out for position in the United States Navy band, every member of which is a nationally-known artist upon his particular instrument.

Some three years ago Slaton band students were guests of the City of Amarillo, upon the occasion of "the Confederate Veterans' reunion, where they heard a concert by the United States Marine band.

The group Friday will in addition to attending the concert observe instrumental music work in the Amarillo public schools.

## Cattle Selected For Market

Four cars of Hereford fancy beef calves were selected by noted buyers from the northern and eastern markets this week from herds on the 10,000-acre V-Ranch, nine miles east of Slaton. Santa Fe freight depot billings show that two cars went to Medina, New York, one to Hume, Ohio, and the other to Wooster, Ohio.

A. L. Robertson, owner of the V-Ranch, and his son Sug, manager, explained that buyers said their cattle were some of the most wonderful beef stock they had been able to locate and purchase; very top prices were paid the ranchmen.

The younger Robertson said that the steers averaged in weight around 485 pounds, with some tipping the scales at 520, while the heifers averaged about 450 pounds. "We are keeping back the best heifers for breeding purposes," he explained.

Eighteen registered bulls are owned by the V, 12 of which were purchased by the Robertsons last January from the WHR-Ranch of Cheyenne, Wyoming, during the Denver Stock show.

The present V-Ranch is a part of the original 100-section ranch established in 1911 by A. B. Robertson, father of A. L.

## Modern Way Food Specials

L. L. Stone, proprietor and manager of the Modern Way Food Store on North Ninth Street, believes the people of Slaton and communities surrounding would like to do their grocery shopping at home. He gives them the opportunity to do so in week-end specials advertised in the columns of the Slatonite. Read their visit his bright, clean store, and save money at his money saving prices.

### LIGHT SHOWERS

Light showers fell over Lubbock county early Tuesday morning. The precipitation was recorded as merely a trace.

## Marvin Gray Killed In Train Accident

Marvin J. Gray, twenty-nine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gray of 150 North Fifth Street was killed in a train accident in Kingman, Arizona, Saturday, October 29. He was buried at Kingman, Wednesday afternoon. A memorial service was held at the home of his parents Wednesday coincident with the funeral hour by Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum and Rev. J. Paul Stevens, local pastors respectively of the M. E. and Presbyterian churches.

He is survived by his parents, two brothers, Coyt of Slaton and M. L. of Vancouver, Washington, and three sisters, Marie and Asal Jean of Slaton and Mrs. Ivan Clary of oPat.

## Rotary Program Devoted to Navy Day

Rotary club last week devoted its entire program to observation of Navy Day, in compliance with a request from Roy Miller, State Chairman for that special day.

Rev. J. Paul Stevens, pastor of the First Presbyterian church and a graduate of the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, spoke to the club on "The Organization of the Navy." Mayor John W. Hood, who has a son enlisted in the navy and stationed on the Western Coast, spoke on "The United States Navy, Our First Line of Defense."

Miller, in a letter to the club, said: "Every right thinking American, of course, devoutly hopes and prays that our own beloved country may be spared the horrors of war and is profoundly grateful that our national policy is in sound keeping with that purpose. As a sensible and practical people, however, I am sure we all realize and appreciate the necessity of the maintenance of a navy sufficiently strong and adequate to constitute, in a real sense, 'our first line of defense.'"

Visitors were Melvin Sisk, Slaton; V. D. Groves, Amarillo; W. J. Blackwell, El Paso; and Raymond Blackwell, Slaton.

## Slaton People Invited To Tech-Loyola Game

Word has been received here from Bo Williams, business manager of athletics at Texas Technological college, Lubbock, that the high school band, football team and officials of the Slaton schools and their wives are specially invited to the Texas Tech-Loyola of the South football game November 5 as guests of the athletic department.

According to information received here high school bands from the entire South Plains and Eastern New Mexico will attend the game dressed in their uniforms. Marching demonstrations may be given.

Approximately 70 band members, 25 football boys and eight officials and their wives from Slaton may attend the game, called for 2:30 Saturday afternoon, according to Joe E. Webb, superintendent of schools.

## Martin Opens Drive.

M. G. Martin, local jeweler, chooses this week to open a fall campaign to supply your needs in jewelry, cut glass, and fine chinaware. His advertisement in the Slatonite will give you some idea of the values to be found in this up-to-the-minute shop of fine craftsmanship and fine merchandise.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Garrigues visited in Dallas last week. Their son, Merle, of Houston, met them in Dallas and they attended the State Fair.

## Cubs vs. Muleshoe Friday Night

### B And C Football For The Week-end

The week for the Slaton Tigers is still open as previously announced, but the Cubs turned in such a fine account of themselves against Hale Center last week that Coach Hamilton got them another engagement.

Tonight the Muleshoe, Class C, team will be out to taste young tiger meat. And on Slaton Field. Doubtless that will be something. The Muleshoe team has already won its district championship, and is consequently undefeated for the season. But the Cubs are also undefeated and from what is heard hereabouts they aim to stay that way.

While the aim may conflict seriously with that of the Muleshoe champions, local fans can go out to the game with the assurance that neither side will have any pushover, though all the backs will be trying to push over the opposition.

The big game begins at eight tonight. On Tiger Field under the lights. Last home game until the eighteenth when Rotan comes up for more of the same.

## KFYO Joins Texas State Network

De Witt Landis, manager of Radio Station KFYO, Lubbock, informed the chamber of commerce here Wednesday that KFYO would join with the Texas State Network in bringing to its listeners Saturday morning, Nov. 5, from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, the Morning Roundup program, on which Slaton will be the honor city.

Excerpt from a letter received by the chamber of commerce this morning from the general offices of the Texas State Network, Inc. in Fort Worth, reads, "This means that some 23 Texas State Network stations in 22 of Texas' leading cities will carry the good word about Slaton, its facilities and advantages!"

Raymond Lee Johns, chamber of commerce manager, gathered material last week and sent it to Fort Worth for the special broadcast Saturday morning, discussing location, population, climate, resources, agriculture, industries, land values, schools, churches, modern improvements, recreational facilities, spirit of the people and other facts concerning Slaton and its adjacent territory.

## Butane Gas Users Multiply on S. Plains

Butane Gas systems are making rapid progress in the South Plains, a fact which gives additional credence to reports proving the alert industrial spirit of this commonwealth. Authorities in the manufacture and distribution state that in no forward looking, prosperous section of the nation is this new added convenience to the farm home being overlooked.

These systems bring a city gas service to farm and suburban homes, commercial buildings, schools and farm power plants... providing the use of all modern appliances heretofore unknown to the rural folk. Again, these plants have proven their efficiency in the supply of fuel to gas, tractors, oil-well drillers and many other far flung industries demanding compact and reliable fuels.

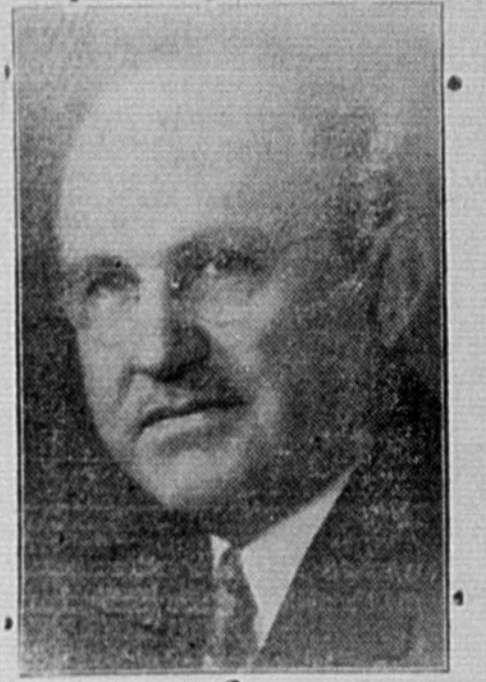
Authoritative reports show that the Malaga, New Mexico public school has used such fuel with a saving of more than 20 per cent as compared to the costs of coal heating.

Many years of research and development have been carried on by the multiplying number of manufacturers of Butane systems, in cooperation with the refineries who are producing the gas to be consumed in their finished plants. These pioneers are now coming into their just rewards by virtue of the tremendous demand being enjoyed by all reputable manufacturers and distributors of such plants, it is reported.

COTTON GINNING REPORT  
Census report shows that 17837 bales of cotton were ginned in Lubbock County from the crop of 1938 prior to October 18 as compared with 15531 bales for the crop of 1937.

Let Our Want Ads Do Your Work.

## Rotary Governor.



Linton H. Estes, of Wichita Falls, Governor of the 12th District of Rotary International, who will make his official visit to the Slaton Club next Thursday, when the club has planned an evening meeting in his honor.

## Dr. O. D. Groshart Moves To Slaton

## Former Denver Surgeon To Be Associated With Dr. Roy G. Loveless

Dr. O. D. Groshart, formerly of Denver, has moved his family to Slaton, where he will be associated with Dr. Roy G. Loveless in the practice of medicine and surgery. His office is in the recently enlarged office-clinic of the firm on Lubbock street.

Dr. Groshart was born in Indiana, but received his education in Colorado. He received his medical degree from the University of Colorado Medical School and served his internship at Fitzsimons General Hospital, United States Army, Denver, with affiliation with Saint Joseph's Hospital and the Children's Hospital of that city.

He has had ten years practice in general surgery, and since the Army Hospital at Denver is a chest hospital, he had much experience in the treatment of tuberculosis.

The Groshart family consists of Dr. Groshart, his wife and a nine-year old son, Donald. Mrs. Groshart is a graduate of Drake Conservatory of Music at Drake University, Des Moines. She is an organist and has had several years experience teaching music.

Dr. Groshart expressed himself as most favorably impressed with the hospital service available in Slaton. He finds the Mercy Hospital equipped with complete and modern equipment for the care of any surgical case, and the management of the Hospital is such that patients are assured of receiving the highest type of attention while there.

## Posey School Re-Opens.

H. D. Bentley, principal at Posey announces that by order of the school board the Posey school will re-open Monday, November 7th.

All pupils are urged to re-enter on that date so re-organization of the school will not be delayed.



## Just Arrived

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wilkerson, a daughter, Dorothy Jean, 8 3/4 pounds, October 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hewlett, a daughter, October 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sanders of Post, a son, October 30th.

At Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hewlett, a daughter, Dixie Marie, October 30.

At Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sanders of Post, a son, Larry Joe, Oct. 30.

At Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deaver, a daughter, Billie Karen, October 27.

At Mercy Hospital, to Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Lang, of Wilson, a son, David Edwin, October 21.

# Weekly News Review

## At Least Five Tax Measures To Get Congressional Hearing

By Joseph W. La Bine

### White House

Inconveniently close to election day have come piecemeal reports and offhand predictions concerning the U. S. fiscal situation. When President Roosevelt talks finance before congress on January 3, he may ask almost anything. But right now, as the President busies himself with budget planning, he can be guided by facts and forecasts:

**Facts:** Despite upswinging business, the U. S. treasury deficit for the current fiscal year jumped above one billion dollars October 20, leaping forward several million dollars a day. Gold reserves, mounting since the European scare, hit \$14,008,236,361. Revised, the 1939 fiscal deficit prediction stands at \$3,984,000,000, second largest in New Deal history. By next June 30, when the

er's gullet was NLRB's denial of the Republic contention that many workers should not be reinstated because they engaged in violence. Answered NLRB: "It must be remembered that the acts of which the respondent (Republic) complains were committed by strikers in the heat and turmoil of bitter industrial strife, in which the threat of violence on the part of the respondent against the strikers was ever present and frequently carried into execution."

### Domestic

The new wage-hour law affecting the lives of some 11,000,000 people engaged in interstate commerce industries, has gone into effect with much less bluster and coercion than the ill-fated NRA. Placing a floor (25 cents an hour) under wages, and a ceiling (44 a week) over hours, the act brings pay raises to 750,000 people, with shorter hours for 1,500,000 more. Responsible for the act's smooth inauguration has been Administrator Elmer F. Andrews, whose slow-moving policy has left many employers puzzled over their compliance requirements, but has nevertheless been a potent force in encouraging peace between government and business. Since NRA was outlawed because it attempted to regulate intrastate as well as interstate commerce, the administration hopes each state will formulate its own fair labor act, thereby making the national-state program complete. But wage-hour regulation is due for headaches before its numerous "bugs" are removed. At Austin, Texas, where several thousand low-salaried pecan shellers were thrown out of work, and in Puerto Rico, where 120,000 more workers were ousted, laborers wondered if low wages weren't better than none.



SECRETARY MORGENTHAU  
Coolest of all concerned...

fiscal year ends, the U. S. public debt will hit \$40,000,000,000, compared with \$16,800,000,000 in June, 1931.

**Forecast:** Though "pump-priming" will help business, the 1940 budget will be unbalanced. Only by continued spending can the administration hold a mass vote for the 1940 election, thereby forestalling the normal swing to Republicanism. But it is far more painful to pay than merely file away the bill, and next winter's congressmen will present at least five new methods of making John Public pay:

- (1) A 10 per cent "one shot" income tax levy to garner \$263,000,000 needed for increased armament;
- (2) a processing tax to pay for the agriculture department's proposed "domestic dumping" program for crop surpluses;
- (3) removal of tax exemption from future issues of federal, state and local bonds, also on official salaries;
- (4) extension of social security to include farm laborers, domestics, bank employees, seamen, self-employers, etc.;
- (5) lowering of income tax exemptions under \$1,000.

Coolest of all concerned with fiscal affairs has been the man in direct charge, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr. Unworried by mounting gold reserves, he has chosen not to deny the hope that next year's budget may be balanced.

### War

With 42,000 troops, Japan covered 100 miles in nine days, capturing Canton without dropping a single bomb. Such peaceful aggression has hitherto been unheard of in the Chinese war, giving rise to charges of a Cantonese "sellout." British, whose nearby crown colony of Hong-kong is seriously damaged by the new Japanese conquest, claim the military governor of Canton betrayed his trust for a handsome fee. Communist Chinese choose instead to blame Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek for withdrawing Canton's crack troops into the Hankow battle sector.

But these squabbles have become secondary to China's completely despairing picture. With both Canton and Hankow in their grab bag, Japs intend to push on until all Chinese opposition crumbles. Generalissimo Chiang is ready to resign, and the brave nation's amazing defense is about to crumble under internal strife.

Virtually sneering at Great Britain's charge of a Cantonese "sellout," angry Chinese trace their fast-sinking morale directly to Great Britain's own "sellout" at Munich, when it became apparent the British lion was unwilling to help her European neighbors—much less a distant nation.

### Labor

Second only to taxation in unpopularity among U. S. industrialists is the national labor relations board, which last April 9 ordered Republic Steel to reinstate 5,000 workers who struck in May, 1937. To correct possible technical errors, NLRB quickly withdrew its first order and held more hearings which critics termed "star chamber" proceedings. What NLRB gained by its second five-month hearing is a mystery, since a new order—substantially the same—was handed down recently. The result may be an important test of NLRB's power, for Republic Steel has already filed an appeal with the U. S. circuit court of appeals. What stuck in many an impartial observ-

# IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNQUIST, D. D., Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

## Lesson for November 6

### HONORING OUR PARENTS

**LESSON TEXT**—Exodus 20:12; Luke 2:46-52; John 19:26, 27; Ephesians 6:1-4.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.—Exodus 20:12.

The splendid obedience of parents to their children has been pointed out as one of the remarkable developments of modern life. No, we have not made a mistake in writing or in typesetting. We mean just what we say—the obedience of parents to their children. In all too many homes God's order has been reversed and instead of honoring and obeying their parents, children (both young and old) have taken the place of "boss," and mother and father must obey if they want peace and rest.

The need for our lesson of today is both great and acute. The future happiness of hundreds of thousands of children (Eph. 6:3) and the present welfare of thousands of neglected and boss-ridden parents will depend on the intelligence and faithfulness with which this lesson is taught in our churches, and the honesty of heart with which men and women study and receive its truth.

### I. The Command of God (Exod. 20:12).

The first and most important consideration to come before us is—what is the mind and will of the Maker of us all regarding this matter of the relation between parents and children? His words are plain—we are to "honor" our fathers and our mothers.

The word "honor" carries with it a great many things, but perhaps the three outstanding elements are respect, obedience, and affection. We should look up to them with high regard, obey them as long as they have the authority over us, and show true affection for them.

### II. The Example of Jesus (Luke 2:46-52).

The fact that Jesus was God manifest in the flesh only enhances the glory of His conduct. He who is divine presents an example of obedience and consideration both as boy and man which we do well to emulate.

1. As a boy (Luke 2:46-52). The boy Jesus, increasing "in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man," (v. 52) had come to His twelfth year and with His parents had gone up to Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover. There moved in His heart the conviction that He must now be about His Father's business—an altogether proper and commendable purpose but one which resulted for the moment in separation from His parents. This was far more serious than a physical separation, for we read that they did not understand Him (v. 50). Tragic indeed are the consequences of our failure to understand our children. Notice, however, that Jesus did not withdraw Himself from their watch care, nor refuse to obey them even though they failed to understand Him. Equally tragic are the results of hasty and bitter separations brought about by the disobedience of children.

2. As a man (John 19:26, 27). The value of our lesson will be greatly reduced if we see only the responsibility of children while they are young. We are the children of our parents as long as we and they live. Being grown up and having a family of one's own does not relieve one of the precious responsibility of care for one's parents. Jesus was dying on the cross. His brethren apparently still regarded Him in unbelief, and His mother now needed a son to care for her. Even in His dying agony Jesus remembers to commit her to the care of His beloved disciple, John. One marvels at the carelessness and hardness of heart that will permit men and women who have time and money for everything else and yet neglect their aged parents and even shunt them off into a public institution for care. Notice the promise that accompanies the command of God (Exod. 20:12; Eph. 6:3). If that is the reward of those who do right, what do you think will be the punishment of those who disobey God?

### III. The Admonition of Paul (Eph. 6:1-4).

This matter of honoring and obeying parents "is right," says Paul. It is the Lord's way. Only if parents command their children to do wickedness would there be ground for disobedience to parents. Apart from such circumstances every parent has the right to expect the child's obedience.

There is tremendously important truth on the other side of the picture. Parents are not to provoke their children to anger, to disrespect or disobedience. How much we need God's grace at that point. It is so easy to say and do things that needlessly irritate our children. It is so convenient to nag at a careless child. Often we expect more of them than their age will justify. We are apt to punish them in a spirit of anger or revenge and thus to destroy the value of discipline. May God help us, who are parents, that we may take to heart this part of our lesson. Our children are our most valuable possession.

### Bruckart's Washington Digest

# Dies Committee Bares Activities Of Radical, Communist Groups

## Unseen and Malignant Growths Are Being Bred Into Our National Life by Agitators Who Seek to Destroy Our Government; Spread Poison in Ranks of Labor.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART

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WASHINGTON. — "Unless something is done to curb radicalism in my section, there is going to be an awful clash and a lot of people are going to get hurt."

So spoke Fred W. Frahm, superintendent of police of the city of Detroit, Mich. And his statement was under oath, for he was giving testimony before a committee of the house of representatives, a committee charged with exposing to view the un-American activities of certain groups in this country. It was the statement of a man who is serving a city in an official capacity and who has gone through 246 sit-down strikes which he asserted were the direct result of agitation by the radicals to which he referred. He looks for more in the near future and added, by way of emphasis, that "these communists and radicals do not want to seek adjustment of differences between labor and management; they want to make trouble all of the time."

Through a number of weeks, the house committee before which Mr. Frahm testified, has been taking testimony, gathering evidence, digging here and there in its effort to uncover the activities of subversive groups and expose them to public view.

It has been the contention of the chairman, Representative Dies of Texas and some other members of the committee, that most of us are not aware of the unseen and malignant growths that are being bred into our national life. They are out to destroy our government, to bring to us the type of thing that has made Russia famous.

Mr. Dies is a sincere and honest legislator, and he is trying to do the job assigned him, even when several of his committee members have sought to balk his efforts. But there is much more to be done in the direction of exposing radicalism and the chiseling, cheating, cowardly efforts the agitators put forth.

### Charge Communists Active In Government Offices

What I am wondering is why Mr. Dies has not sent his investigators into the very offices of the federal government, itself. Or, if he has done that, as it is gossiped about, then why shield anybody? Why not turn the spotlight of publicity on the individuals who want to destroy the American system, the American form of government, American tradition, the American profit system of doing business? There has been much talk in the last several years about the operations of communists within the very walls of the government, men and women who are boring from within as termites destroy lumber, and we ought to know the truth. If they are within the government, they ought to be exposed and chased out of the western hemisphere; if they are not operating as is gossiped around, then their names ought to be cleared. In any event, I hope the Dies committee goes on and shows the cancerous nature of groups that do not believe in our system, whether they be Russians, or Germans, or Italians, or British or what have you.

It has been the favorite device of the radicals and their henchmen to characterize any official who attacks them as being a subject for the insane hospitals. Their game has been to laugh people out of court whenever an effort was made to tell of some of the things the agitators were doing. Many will recall an investigation by a house committee several years ago where the witnesses were laughed down and a courageous superintendent of schools from Gary, Ind., was made to look foolish because of the charges he made. Well, if my opinion be worth anything, the folks who were the suckers in that play were the supposedly intelligent members of congress who made up the committee. It was they who fell for a trick of propaganda. Either that was the case, or the members of that committee were just plain dumb.

### Lewis Cannot Break Grip Of Communists on C. I. O.

Concerning the sit-down strikes about which Mr. Frahm testified, I want to boast that I wrote of communist participation in those sit-down strikes when they were happening. I had several letters thereafter, calling me crazy and describing me as a red-baiter. Mr. Frahm now has put into official records the facts that must be obvious to any real American, and he further has expressed the opinion that John L. Lewis, head of the C. I. O., cannot break the grip that the communists have on his organization. That may be the reason why Mr. Lewis has been so silent the last several months. Maybe he sees that the labor group of which he was so proud has become a gargantuan monster

that is slowly swallowing him, physically large as he is. There is, of course, the danger that a lot of people will make foolish and unsupported statements about red activities, thus throwing doubt on the really serious phases. That always seems to happen. Unwittingly, that type of person which shouts and shouts and has no proof creates the impression that all cries of "wolf, wolf," are meaningless. But when a congressional committee has the courage—rather, when its chairman over objections of some of its members—has the courage to bring the stuff out for public examination, there must, indeed, be a basis for it.

The tragedy of the thing is that the labor movement as a whole will suffer a severe setback. The fact that the radicals have grabbed control of the automobile workers' union means that they have "cells" in other groups also, and that these cells slowly but surely will be spreading poison and trouble. The agitators seize upon the unthinking, the foreign-born who are not steeped in our customs or love of country, or upon elements that have been badly treated, and they will use these innocent victims to carry out their destructive plans.

### C. I. O. Being Used as Tool For Destructive Purposes

There will be much more labor trouble. You can count on that. The Communist party representatives will never allow the slightest chance for creating trouble to escape them. They are determined to convince labor that it cannot trust the managements; they are encouraging the breaking of agreements between labor and management to the end that employers will have no faith in the leaders of labor, and they are using the national labor relations board wherever that can be done to give official voice to labor troubles. That fact is chiefly responsible for the position which the C. I. O. group has taken in opposition to proposals for revision of the labor relations act. William Green and the American Federation of Labor are urging revision of the law, but C. I. O., having its tentacles in the labor board, obviously does not want its grip broken.

It has been known for a long time that the C. I. O. was being used as a tool for destructive purposes, but the agitators and emissaries were sly and careful. They covered their tracks. Such information as leaked out was promptly discredited by the very reds who had done the job—and they discredited any individual who repeated the story by laughing at his gullibility.

However, there is one instance which cannot be denied. The clerks in the rural electrification administration organized a union and affiliated with C. I. O. It was to have social as well as fraternal aspects. There was a dance scheduled. Negro workers attended and insisted on inter-racial participation in everything that was done. They said they were told to do so by representatives of C. I. O. After the dance was concluded, so participants have reported, a photograph record was procured and the following notes of "The Internationale," communistic anthem, blared forth.

### Dies Committee Exposes Methods Used by Radicals

The Dies committee record is full of testimony about methods employed by the communists in their devious borings and destructive tactics. The record tells, too, of how many innocent appearing organizations, created for an allegedly useful purpose, are captured by communists and used by them to obtain money contributions — for which no accounting ever is made. And tragic, also, are the stories of how the real leaders laughed at the suckers who gave hard-earned money, laughed in the secret recesses of their hideouts about the soft and easy minds of Americans.

But another session of congress is coming. The Dies committee will make a report and probably will ask an appropriation to enable it to go on. We will see who opposes that appropriation. There probably will be opposition from two or three members of the committee itself, and we will see who they are. If they are outspoken in their opposition, I suspect most people will know why.

I think this condition has reached the point where attention should be paid to it by the federal government. It is now hot on the trail of some alleged German spies who were seeking American military secrets. So why not make a thorough job of it and lift up the lid that hides various other kinds of spies whose work, to my mind, is much more dangerous to American national life?

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**K.B.S. CLUB MET TUESDAY**

The K.B.S. Club met Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the club house. James Stotts presided over the meeting.

J. B. Ward discussed the parliamentary procedure rules.

It was decided that no member would be admitted into the club until after Hallowe'en.

Future speakers for the club will be Mr. Joe Webb, Mr. Roy Boyd, and Mr. J. M. Rankin.

**BLUEBONNET CLUB MET**

The Bluebonnet Club met Wednesday, October 26, in the home of Mrs. F. A. Drewry. There were 15 members present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. E. Payne, November 9.

**UNITED SPANISH WAR VETERAN MEET AT LUBBOCK**

Tasker H. Bliss Camp of the United Spanish War Veterans will hold its regular meeting Sunday, November 6 at 12:00 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Lubbock according to announcement of the Camp Reporter. The Camp Auxiliary will also meet at the same time and place.

**W. R. WILSON BACK FROM HOSPITAL**

W. R. Wilson is back at home after a week in the hospital at Lubbock. He is much improved, but not quite as good as new.

**CARD OF THANKS**

To our many loving friends please accept our gratitude for all the kind words and tokens of your sympathy extended us in our hour of bereavement in the loss of our dear one.

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Mrs. Ovid Bagby, of Odessa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Tucker, Sunday.

Mrs. Sudie Varga, of Del Rio, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Terry Austin. Mrs. Varga is Mr. Austin's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Alcorn had as their guests Sunday Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Dunn and daughter. Raymond is now pastor at Lehman, Texas.

James Savell underwent a minor surgery at Dr. Loveless' office.

Mrs. L. W. Smith, of Amarillo, is visiting friends here this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Felix Halton. were visitors in Snyder Sunday.

Louie Welch of A.C.C. spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Welch, and friends.

Floyd Nesbitt of Lubbock was a Slaton Visitor Saturday.

Melvin Tudor has returned home from San Angelo where he underwent an operation.

Mrs. H. D. Reid of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lucado, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Halton and son, George, spent the day in Snyder Sunday.

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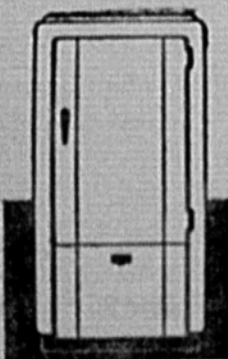
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Lorene Gentry, Correspondent

Miss Alelia Carroll, Lubbock, spent the week-end with Miss Lillie Gentry. Mrs. Elzie McGennis left Tuesday for Denver, Colorado, where she will join her husband.

Mrs. M. P. Gentry is ill this week. Visitors in the home of W. T. Gentry Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gentry and daughter Betty Jo, and Jean Owens, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnold and children all of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Finus Fine and family of Roosevelt visited in the home of C. Z. Fine Sunday.

Mr. M. P. Gentry and daughter Lillie, and Miss Alelia Carroll attended the Fifth Sunday Singing Convention at the Central Baptist Church at Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Visitors in the W. E. Burns home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Red Sloane of Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Boyce and daughter, Bonnie Jean, of near Slaton.

Wilbert Varner of Wilson spent the week-end with Beak Shafer.

Mrs. J. W. Boyce is improving after a period of serious illness.

Beak Shafer cut his arm Sunday morning in an effort to push a car.

Mr. O. R. Patterson is seriously ill again after having been reported as improved.

A nice crowd attended Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. M. Morrison conducted services after Sunday School.

Miss Sara Belle Childress of Slaton spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gentry and her family.

Miss Iris Cloninger is seriously ill at her home this week. Miss Cloninger previously worked in Levelland but she returned home when she became ill.

Miss Ann Denzer was hostess to a group of friends Sunday night for a Hallowe'en entertainment. A large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pickett and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll, and Mrs. Lou Young visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carroll and family of Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bentley and boys attended the Fifth Sunday Singing at the Central Baptist Church at Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. H. Blum of Floydada and Mrs. Frank Ausmus of Crosbyton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lucado, last week.



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A dainty refreshment of cookies and punch, reflecting in Hallowe'en colors was served in the following:

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**HI-Y CLUB MET THURSDAY**

The Slaton Hi-Y Club with its sponsor, Mr. Wilhite, entertained guests with a Hallowe'en party Thursday, October 27 in the home of Geo.

Haltom. The program consisted of party games and later a scavenger hunt.

Members present were, Junior Jones Willis Petty, Frank Gyles, James Keese, Kenneth Tanner, O. W. Powers, Charles Jobe, Hiden Edmondson, Kirby Scudder, Lee Bickerstaff, Hugo Mosser, Joe Turner, Bobby Bailey, Joe Lloyd Ward, George Haltom, Walter Mosser, and Joe Victor Harver.

Their guests were Vivian Murphee, Dorothy Byers, Rebecca Wilson, Nedra Patterson, Mrs. Shirley Haltom and Mr. and Mrs. James George.

**LINEN SHOWER GIVEN FOR RECENT BRIDE**

Mrs. Felix Haltom, former Miss Shirley Mae Lucado, was honored with a linen shower in the home of Mrs. Marie Miller, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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The hostesses were mesdames Marie Miller, James George, Bennie Kerns, W. W. Jones and Miss June Keys.

**CATES-BOWERS WEDDING SUNDAY**

Mr. Paul Cates of Ralls and Miss Alta Bowers of Snyder were married at the Baptist parsonage last Sunday afternoon at 2:00 P. M., Rev. W. F. Ferguson officiating.

Mrs. Cates has been a member of the Snyder Public School Faculty for several years and will complete her contract there this session. Mr. Cates

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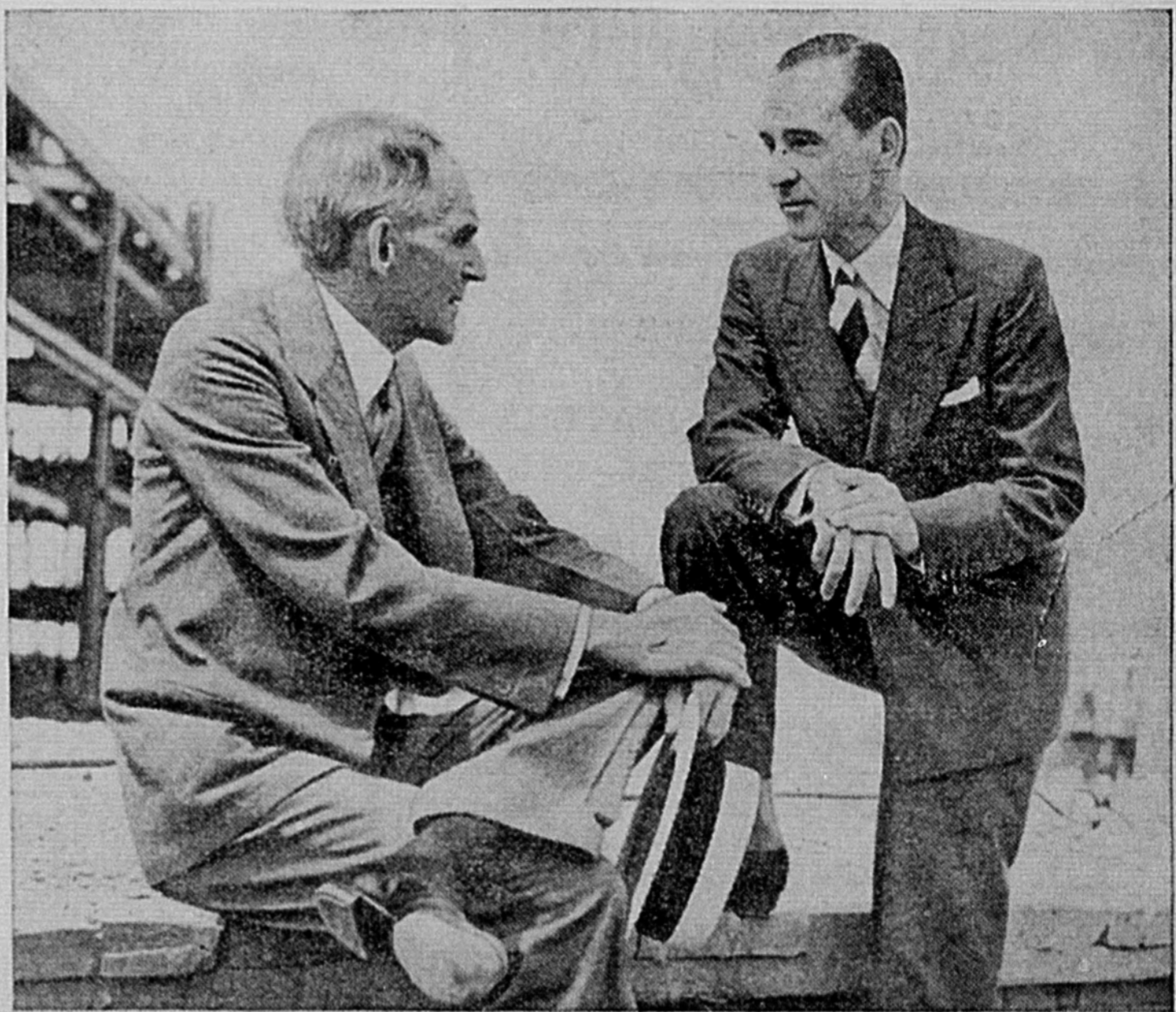
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Besides, we are not defeatists. We do not believe this country has seen its best days. We believe this country is yet in the infancy of its growth. We believe that every atom of faith invested in our Country and our People will be amply justified by the future. We believe America is just beginning. Never yet have our People seen real Prosperity. Never yet have we seen adequate Production. But we shall see it! That is the assurance in which we have built.

Business is not just coming back. It will have to be brought back. That is now becoming well understood in this country; for that reason 1939 will be a co-operative year. Manufacturers, sellers and buyers will co-operate to bring back the business that is waiting to be brought back.

This construction program is almost completed. It has increased activity and payrolls in a number of related industries. It has given us better facilities for building better cars and trucks, and eventually our new tractor which is being perfected.

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We take no profit on anything we make for ourselves and sell to ourselves. Every operation, from the Ford ships which first bring iron ore to the Rouge, is figured at accurate cost. The only profit is on the finished result—the car or truck as it comes off the line. Some years, there is no profit for us. But we see to it that our customers always profit. A basic article of our business creed is that no sale is economically constructive unless it profits the buyer as much as or more than the seller.

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# THE LIFE OF THE PARTY

BY ELIZABETH JORDAN

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### SYNOPSIS

Young Rex Hale calls on Casper Kneeland, friend of his father, in New York, and finds him proudly successful but strangely preoccupied. He tells Hale of his wife's death while insane, invites him for the summer to Halcyon Camp, his home on Long Island, and promises him he will be "useful as his secretary there. Hale is joined at lunch by Fred Ainsworth, an unpopular college mate, also at Halcyon, who leaves him with a feeling of unpleasant mystery. He is met at the train by Mrs. Wilbur Nash, whom he questions about the man, and experiences a disturbing premonition. The premonition is barely eased by the comfortable hospitality of Hosanna, Kneeland's elderly sister, and her friend, Ruth Forbes, middle-aged sophisticate. In his room, Hale finds a soiled paper, printed, "This please danjerous." Hale meets the rest of the strange group—Dr. Craig, psychiatrist friend of Bert Kneeland, nervous young son of Casper, and beautiful but moody Joan Kneeland, niece of the house. Ainsworth drops in at his room, questions him about his reactions, and tells him of Bert's hopelessness talks of his heiress cousin, and Mrs. Forbes is down and out. The whole group seem to get on each other's nerves. Later, Hale sees Hosanna furtively meeting a snobby man in the woods. The maid tells of the recent poisoning of a cat and dog. Mrs. Nash suggests that Ainsworth has some hold on them. Returning from a swimming pool, Hale finds a casket containing a skull and crossbones. Kneeland arrives for the week-end, also curious about Hale's reactions and asks him to be his substitute host, a "life of the party," and meanwhile try to solve the mystery of the behavior of them all. Bert confides in Hale his growing annoyance at Craig's nightly visits and endless talks of cadavers, parts of which he preserves in his locked laboratory, taken care of only by himself, and Hale advises the boy to discourage the visits. He finds another sketch of a cobra coiled, strike, with the caption, "Why wait for this?" He writes to two famous psychiatrists, collects fingerprints from the notes and sketches, and leaves for New York.

### CHAPTER IV—Continued

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Rex left Kneeland at his office and added the roadster to the impressive collection in the factory's parking space. Apparently, every employee of the Kneeland Company rode luxuriously to work in his own automobile, and many of the cars were more expensive than the president's.

Rex was now free to follow his own plans. He hustled to the nearest telephone booth. What he wanted was the name and address of a fingerprint expert not associated with police activities. He had no idea how to get it. He finally called up the editor of an engineering magazine to which he subscribed. The editor had not the information he wanted, and explained that it was not in his line; but he referred the questioner to someone who could give it. Rex called up this authority, and got an expert's address. Without leaving the booth he called up the latter's telephone number. It was not yet ten o'clock. The fingerprint man was in his office. Hale got him on the wire and asked for an appointment. Yes, he could have one almost at once—say at half past ten. The factory was downtown near the East River. By the subway it would take Rex fifteen minutes to get to the fingerprint bureau.

His next step must be to get in touch with some friends or acquaintances who knew Ainsworth a lot better than he himself did. He racked his brains for names of associates in Ithaca who had later settled in New York. He finally had a list of three. One of these was not in the telephone book. The second, whose New York office he promptly reached by telephone, was in South America. Gloomily he put in a call for the third man, a man he really knew well and had liked a lot in Ithaca. He had a bit of luck. He did not expect to find George Stuyvesant in town at this season. But yes, a clerk said, Mr. Stuyvesant was in town—though not yet in his office.

As he rode uptown in the subway express, Rex considered his problems. He has discovered that Frederick Ainsworth had an office on East Forty-second Street. He would visit it, but where would that get him? Ainsworth was devoting little or no time to his professional interests these days, even if he had any. His office might be closed. Hale could find out about that, at least. Then what would he do? Start an effort to learn something about Craig's intimate affairs. That effort might be even more futile. Ainsworth was at least in Hale's own line of work. Sooner or later he could find out a good deal about the fellow's standing and achievements, if any. But Craig was surrounded by the ethical wall that protects a doctor. Hale already knew from Herbert Kneeland where the young psychiatrist had got his training. He had a good record. Hale had secured introductions from the Chicago psychiatrist to two New York men high in the profession. He could ask some searching questions, but he thought he knew pretty much what results he would get. Perfunctory and cautious answers. A bright fellow, Craig, well trained and ambitious. Giving most of his time to research. Too absorbed in his job to go about much. Not a good mixer. Yes, Hale knew all these answers in advance. Ainsworth knew a lot about Craig, and Ainsworth would talk till the bell rang. But how much that Ainsworth said could he believe?

Hale entered the "bureau" with a brow corrugated by care. He was on his way. His fortnight had been

a fair preparation for the rest of the journey. But he had to have the real background of those fellows before he could hope to understand their present activities. How was he to get it?

The "bureau" was a mere hole in the wall—a nine by eleven office in the rear of a photographer's studio. It had a private entrance. A phlegmatic young man seated at a battered table took Hale's envelope, extracted the cards, sheets and sketches from it with a pair of pincers, and regarded the exhibit without interest.

"When do you want these?" he asked.

"In five minutes."

The young man's phlegmatic features did not relax.

"You can have 'em tomorrow morning. We have other customers, too."

"I'm glad to hear that. I've marked those exhibits by numbers only. That's all right, isn't it?"

"Yep."

"Do I have to leave my own name and address?"

"No. This is private business. You won't have any trouble with the police."

Hale laughed and the young man's face softened a trifle. He must have been in his thirties, but his eyes looked as old as the eternal hills. He restored the exhibits to the envelope, threw the envelope into a long drawer under the battered table top, and dropped the customer from his mind.

"I'll call for the prints about ten tomorrow morning," Hale said as he departed.

"O. K."

There was a public telephone in the main hall of the building. Hale called Stuyvesant again just for luck, and got a heart-warming response. Yes, Mr. Stuyvesant was now at his desk. The next minute he heard his former classmate's pleasant voice.

"Rex Hale? Why, hello, old man. Three rousing cheers! I thought you were in Europe."

"I'm just back. I'm in town for a day or two. Can you lunch with me this noon?"

There was only an instant's hesitation at the other end of the instrument. Then Stuyvesant's pleasant voice again.

"I'll make it, though the calendar's pretty full. What time and where?"

"At Maxim's, any time you say."

"One o'clock, then. Is that all right?"

"That's fine. I'll be there a bit ahead and reserve a table. Look for me in the main room."

"All right. It will be great to see you again."

Stuyvesant's voice was warm and buoyantly friendly. Stuyvesant had been one of Hale's chums at college. It was ungrateful of him, Rex reflected, to have forgotten that.

He made two more telephone appointments and killed an hour by visiting the building that housed Ainsworth's office. When he reached the office itself he could only look at it respectfully from the outside. It was obviously a single room, in the rear of the fourth floor. Ainsworth was still in possession of it. His name was on the door, and on the list of tenants printed on the bulletin board in the main hall. But, as Hale had expected, the office itself seemed deserted. The door was locked. He discovered that by trying it. There was no light visible through the keyhole. The location suggested that it would be a dark office, dependent on electricity.

Hale got the information he needed from the colored elevator operator. No, Mr. Ainsworth wasn't in. He didn't come to his office very often this summer. When he wasn't there the office was closed. Last winter he had been there a good deal, and had a girl secretary three days a week. That stopped in April. The operator thought things must be pretty dull with Mr. Ainsworth. Rex gave the man half a dollar and left the elevator feeling uncomfortable. This business of prying into another's affairs—

He went to a library where he got a medical directory and looked up Craig's record, as well as the records of the men to whom he had letters. It was a good one, exactly as young Kneeland had given it. The girl at the loan desk was not busy and Hale asked her what men she considered the leading psychiatrists in New York. He was curious to know whether the two men he was to see that afternoon would be on her list. Also, he might have to consult others, if these men proved too close-mouthed. She was rather vague about psychiatrists. She consulted someone else in the library and gave Hale the names of three men. One of them, Doctor Gordon Dewar, was pleasantly familiar. Hale was to see him at half past three. He reflected with a grin that in these inquiries he himself was leaving a trail behind him as sharply defined as that of a tractor across a field. That was all

right, however. No one was trailing him.

It was at precisely this point that he turned and saw Ainsworth, reading quietly at a table behind him. He stiffened and stared. This seemed more than coincidence. Ainsworth might have followed him. Perhaps he had come in on the train, had hurried to the factory knowing that Kneeland must be dropped there, and had subsequently and cleverly followed Hale's progress to the telephone booth, the fingerprint bureau, and to his own office. But had he? How had he managed to keep out of sight? Easily enough, perhaps. He wouldn't get anything at the fingerprint bureau, except the suspicion that fingerprints were being made. But it would be a simple matter for him to enter his own office building, after Hale had left it, and to learn from the elevator operator what questions, if any, the red-headed young man in the gray suit had asked. Hale set his teeth. He wasn't sure of any of these things, but he would find out.

He strode over to Ainsworth's table, and greeted him with breezy cordiality. Ainsworth looked up with a start. The start was well done. The fellow actually flushed a little. Hale remembered the old and unexpected trick Ainsworth had of flushing when taken unawares. It was part of the personal sensitiveness that was so out of keeping with his brutal frankness toward other men.

"Hello! I didn't expect to find you here," Hale said. He had been relieved by that flush. He was further relieved by Ainsworth's obvious annoyance over the encounter.

"Nor I you," Ainsworth said curtly.

"I thought you were a gentleman of leisure this summer."

"Like yourself?"

"Oh, I'm just a poor wretch that's trying to patch himself up after a tussle with the undertaker."

"You look it," Ainsworth scoffed. "But his manner softened. Hale was more friendly this morning than he had yet shown himself, and Ainsworth had his moments of loneliness in an unappreciative world."

"It wasn't the day I'd choose for an excursion into town," he grumbled. "I had a hurry call this morning from a miserly old ass who gave me a two hundred dollar job last spring and seems to think it bought my time for a year. I've been spending the morning with him. He's dallying now with the thought of giving me a hundred dollar job, but I don't dare to hope he'll work himself up to it." Ainsworth spoke with a gloom that was too genuine to be questioned. Hale dropped into a chair facing him.

"I take it business isn't booming," he commented.

"You don't know anything yet," Ainsworth confirmed bitterly. "Wait till you've observed your native land a few months. However, one must eat. How about lunching together?"

"Sorry, but I'm booked. That's what I'm in town for. Are you staying in town a day or two? We might dine tonight, or lunch tomorrow."

Hale was almost regretting his luncheon engagement. Ainsworth in this black mood would be worth studying and listening to. But probably it was merely a temporary mood.

### CHAPTER V

Over their cocktails they exchanged the inevitable questions and answers of their reunion. Then Hale said casually as their luncheon began, "I've run into Ainsworth since I came back. That's a coincidence, isn't it? There aren't so many Ithaca men of our day in New York that I expect to meet them bustling about here. Have you been seeing anything of Ainsworth?"

Stuyvesant grimaced at the introduction of Ainsworth's name. That slight curve of his full lips was eloquent testimony of what he thought of his former associate. But he followed his host's conversational lead.

"I certainly don't see much of Ainsworth and I don't want to. I never liked him. I hear of him occasionally and I meet him from time to time during the winter. He seems to go about a lot then."

"Socially, you mean?"

"Yes. He's a born New Yorker, you know. He comes of a good family. He's about the last limb left on his tree. Not much money now, but he's always had a first-rate position."

Rex suddenly remembered that Stuyvesant himself was also a "born New Yorker" of a good old family. That had never seemed important when they were at Ithaca. It was important now. Stuyvesant was in a position to tell him things he needed to know.

"I didn't know that," Hale said slowly. "In fact I didn't know anything about him in the old days except that he was rather malicious and very unpopular. You say he hasn't much money?"

"Only a few hundred a year left, they say. Enough, I gather, to pay his bare expenses. He has the reputation now of living largely on his friends. But why are we wasting our time talking about him?"

"Ainsworth's visiting at a Long Island camp where I'm stopping myself," Hale explained. "I wanted to see his bridge between Ithaca and today. Thanks a lot. We'll drop him now."

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## Anonymous College Professor Says He Has Soft Job, Calls Teaching Sinecure

It generally is assumed that college teachers are underpaid. That is tommyrot. For the amount of mental and physical energy expended, the college professor is better paid than the average lawyer or doctor. Take my own case. At the age of thirty-six I hold the rank of associate professor, and I draw an annual salary of \$5,000 for teaching 12 hours a week during a 9-month year. My class preparation, now that I've been through my lectures several times, requires less than an hour a day, and an assistant does all such menial chores as roll-taking and paper-grading. How else could I earn as much honestly, and as easily?

Security of tenure is better than in any other profession lest it be the army. The American Association of University Professors, the trade union of the teaching profession, has made it extremely awkward for a college to fire a teacher unless he is actually caught drunk, dirty, and with a coed on each knee. It's inconceivable to the association that a man might be discharged for incompetence, as in a railroad office. Tenure and academic freedom are the two great rallying cries of the A. A. U. P., and the rumor that either is being endangered will make the stoutest college president sweat in fear of an investigation.

This union of pedagogues has declared, by formal vote, that the col-

lege professor is not as other men: To function properly he is held to require two things—absolute freedom from worry about his job, and freedom from all restrictions on his classroom utterances or writings. The first would be welcomed by any man; the second is a source of satisfaction to countless teachers who never in their lives had a dangerous or striking thought.—Professor Anonymous, A. B., A. M., Ph. D., in the American Mercury.

### War Caused by Bucket

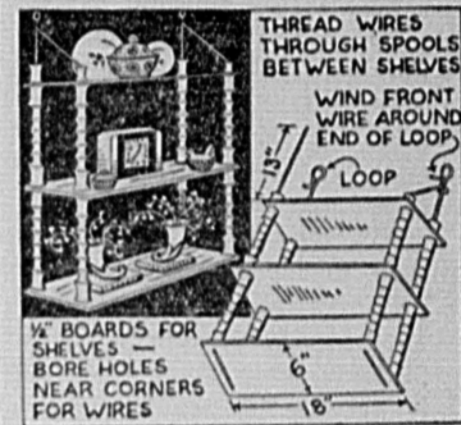
Wars are often caused by the most insignificant events. In countries like India, for instance, it needs merely some tactless act to send a searing flame through the country. The Indian mutiny was precipitated by the belief that pig's grease was rubbed on the cartridges that Mosley sepoys had to bite. But in the past, even in Europe, says London Tit-Bits Magazine, wars have been caused by sheer hot-headedness. Sweden once fought Poland because the king of Sweden found that he was given two etceteras after his name while the king of Poland had three. Turkey once sent an army to Venice because someone at the court made a joke about their ambassador's beard, and six hundred years ago a conflict which devastated half Europe began because a bucket was stolen from a public well at Bologna.

## Hanging Shelves You Can Make of Spools

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

A letter received from a reader says, "I have found so many helpful things in your Book 1—SEWING for the Home Decorator, I wonder if you have any ideas on fixing up spools? I have in mind the spool book shelves and corner shelves they used long ago." It's probably the general revival of Victorian ideas in decoration that has started everyone thinking of spool shelves.

We seemed to remember that the shelves we had seen years ago in old parlors, were put together



with colored cords. We tried this but the shelves were not rigid as the cords stretched. So we used wire and the result has been a substantial set of shelves strong enough to hold reasonably heavy articles.

A little less than 1 1/2 feet of wire was used for the shelves shown here. Two sizes of spools were used. Shelves, spools, wires and all were finally painted to match the brightest tone in the room color scheme—in our case it was peacock blue. There are picture directions like these on every page of Book No. 1—SEWING, for the Home Decorator. If your house is your hobby, it will be full of thrills for you. Don't go through the holidays with shabby curtains or slipcovers. This book illustrates every step in making new ones. Book 2: Novelties and Embroidery, shows how to make dozens of Christmas gifts from odds and ends of material. Books are 25 cents each. If you order both books an interesting quilt leaflet included free. Address Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill.

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**Mrs. Z. C. Waldrop Extends Message Of Congratulations To Slatonite Staff**

"I am happy to join the business leaders of Lubbock in extending my sincere good wishes to members of the staff of The Slatonite for their very worthwhile program of community goodwill building—a characteristic of this publication for more than twenty-seven years. Our business is following a steady upward trend and we can see nothing but prosperity ahead for all lines of business throughout the South Plains area."

This is the splendid expression of confidence in the financial security of the South Plains which was offered The Slatonite reporter interviewing Mrs. Z. C. Waldrop, owner and manager of the popular LaMode Beauty Shop, 17th St. at Ave. Q.

"The demands of each customer vary to an almost unbelievable extent," explained Mrs. Waldrop, "and our shop is constantly on the alert to incorporate every new innovation in the field of beauty culture which might add to the comfort or convenience of our clientele."

Because they have proven their ability to please each individual is proof of the painstaking study these operators have made of their profession. Permanent waves—natural waves and giving special treatment to the hair to insure longer life of the wave, are special features of the LaMode Beauty Shop. All permanent waves are given under the personal supervision of Mrs. Waldrop—assuring each patron of the benefit of many years of experience enjoyed by this well known authority.

Women cannot be too careful of their personal appearance, the most uncomely woman could be attractive if she would but stop to think of the special care that should be taken of the skin, the nails, and the hair. The advice given by these authorities is to make the least of your bad points and the most of your good ones.

It is openly admitted by skin specialists that activity of the body lends brightness to the face and makes one appear youthful. Still, there may be signs of age that appear even with a healthy body, and at the LaMode Beauty Shop, these give-away-lines and flabby muscles are remedied. The treatment chosen by their graduate operators being the one best suited to your particular requirements.

We are pleased to acknowledge the message of congratulations offered us by Mrs. Waldrop and we are happy to extend her cheerful message to her many friends among our readers. May we suggest that ladies of Slaton wishing to avail themselves of the splendid services offered by these graduate operators, place a phone call to Lubbock, 3464, assuring you of a reservation without delay or inconvenience. The management cordially invites your inspection of this shop while visiting in Lubbock.

**High School Honor Roll**

Honor roll students of Slaton High school during the first six-weeks' session were announced this week by school officials. Any student to be placed on the honor roll this year must make a grade of A in three or more subjects and must not fall below a B in all other subjects.

One student, Miriam Meading, received the honor of making a grade of A in five subjects.

In four subjects the following made grades of A in their other work grades of B: Virginia Bowman, Marian Frances Ferguson, Alma Kitten, Billy Lokey, J. W. Martindale, Mildred Schun, Mildred Wicker, Raymond Yuzbick, Charles Suit and Billie Fae Wicker.

On the three-subject honor roll list are La Verne Kincheloe, Marian Becatel, Emily Darwin, Zerva Smith, Maurice Middleton, June Scott, Johnette Foster, Maxine Conner, Jorita Schnell, Mary Virginia Mullins, Le Ferne Turnbow, James Thornton, Kenneth Tanner and Leroy Ramariz.

**CARD OF THANKS**

For the many words of sympathy spoken and for comfort brought to us in our sorrow for the untimely death of our loved one, Marvin Gray, we take this occasion to thank you all. Beautiful flowers brought comfort too, and for so many we thank you from our hearts.

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Interviewing Mrs. Alva Akers, The Slatonite reporter was offered the above message of congratulations by the operator of Lubbock's Quality Hatchery, located at 347 Avenue H.

Every downy little chick that pecks its way into the world through an egg shell in the big, modern incubator at the Quality Hatchery is a real aristocrat of the barnyard. And that, according to Mrs. Akers, is why Quality Hatchery chicks are in such great demand in the South Plains area.

Eggs placed for hatching and later sale of baby chicks at the Quality Hatchery come only from selected flocks after careful blood tests are made of the parent strains. These tests are conducted by Mrs. Akers who is a recognized poultry expert. Before a chick is hatched, Mrs. Akers knows all about its ancestors, and knows further that the blood strain from which it comes is pure and strong.

Quality Hatcheries feature white leghorns, barred rocks and Rhode Island Reds in the baby chicks they offer for sale. "It is important that baby chicks be kept growing every day," explained Mrs. Akers, "if they have a set-back it is hard to recover lost ground. Chick feeds offered by the Quality Hatchery prevent disease and supply the necessary vitamins to growing chicks. These products, together with a full assortment of baby chicks and other equipment may be secured through the Quality Hatchery. You are invited to communicate with them on all of your problems with the assurance of their genuine cooperation."

**Fire Prevention; Contest Winners**

Winners in the theme writing and poster making contests sponsored by the Volunteer Fire Department in observance of National Fire Prevention week were announced late last week by Slaton school authorities.

Lannes Hope, a senior boy, won the \$2 first prize in the high school division with a theme entitled, "Who Pays Fire Losses?" In the junior high division Janice Hall, seventh grade student, won the cash award of \$2 for a theme headed, "A Stitch in Time Saves Nine".

For the most appropriate and best constructed poster presented by a student in the grammar school division of the contest, Phillip Dawson won the \$2 first award with a poster presenting the theme, "No Mice Allowed." A poster captioned "Be Careful With Matches" won second honors for Wayne Kenney, while Mary Lee Holloman won third with a poster labeled "Lend a Helping Hand to Prevent Fires."

**Hallowe'en Carnival Well Attended Mon.**

The Hallowe'en Carnival held Monday night at the West Ward-Junior High School for the benefit of the PTA was well attended and showed a handsome profit for the organization. The funds realized will be spent for playground equipment which is sorely needed at the school.

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**Directorate of Leftwich Finance Company Extend Greetings to "Slatonite" Staff**

"Joining with the leaders of industry throughout the section who are paying well deserved tribute to the staff and publishers of Slaton's popular newspaper, we sincerely wish this publication continued success in years to come," said A. M. Leftwich, Jr.

"Citizens of Lubbock are proud and happy to acknowledge the splendid feeling of accord which has always prevailed throughout our trade territory—a happy condition which is accomplished only through the intelligent cooperation of such newspapers, the people they serve, and the genuine spirit of the civic, professional and industrial leaders of your metropolitan area."

Thanks a million for another splendid "bouquet" extended The Slatonite by the directorate of Lubbock's Leftwich Finance Company, widely known throughout the South Plains area for their quick, courteous and efficient methods in financing projects of almost any nature demanding additional capital for expansion or operation.

**Cattle Being Fed Here For Market**

About 1500 beef cattle belonging to the Bavecra Development company of El Paso, owned by William Randolph Hearst, world-famous newspaper magnate, are being fed here in the stock feeding pens of Plains Grain and Heads Handling company, operated by Ray Ayers and Sam Staggs.

The cattle were shipped here under a 100-day contract and will be shipped to market at the close of that period. They are now being fed a mixed ration of sweet feed, produced by the handling company, and will be finished later with ground grain. The cattle came from a ranch near Pecos.

Hearst had cattle fed here by the same concern in 1936. That year there were about 2000. The pens here will accommodate 6000.

Ayers and Staggs are furnishing grain and syrup for a mixed ration being fed 1500 cattle for Birmingham and Nash, South Texans, in the pen of West Texas Cottonoil company.

**PTA Shows Picture In Visual-Ed. Plan**

In an effort to gather salable articles for their Saturday Rummage sales in the municipal band stand, the Slaton Band Mothers put on two picture shows Wednesday morning for the Junior high pupils of West Ward schools. One of the films exposed modern methods of doing things while the other pointed out the fundamentals of soap sculpture.

The two films tie in very nicely with the school's plan to show a short educational reel each week for the next five or six weeks. "We are attempting to use more visual education in connection with our school work," explained Principal John C. Jenkins.

West Ward-Junior High PTA program for next week is centered around a discussion of visual education.

**Have your prescriptions filled at TBAGUE'S DRUG STORE by a Registered Pharmacist**

Mrs. L. B. Montgomery and sons, Lee Boyd and Bobby Doyle of Sunny are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Custer.

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J. C. Dickey received treatment for accidental injuries.  
Vera Hufless underwent major surgery.

A. J. Ruzika of Wilson underwent major surgery.  
Mrs. S. C. Marrs received medical treatment.

Mrs. George Angerer, medical treatment and X-Ray.  
Walter McFarland, of Lexington, treatment for spider bite.

Harrison Noles, of Mansfield, treatment for spider bite.  
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Mrs. Fred Pendleton of Wilson had her tonsils removed Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Webber Williams is up and about after a tonsillectomy last Friday.

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**7th Birthday Greeting To Glenn Boy**  
I have no wish, my little lad,  
To climb the towering heights of fame.  
I am content to be your dad  
And share with you each pleasant game;  
I am content to hold your hand  
And walk along life's path with you,  
To talk of things we understand,  
Of birds and flowers and skies of blue.  
Though some may seek the smiles of kings,  
For me, your laughter's joy enough.  
I have no wish to claim the things  
That lead men into pathways rough.  
I'm happiest when you and I,  
Unmindful of life's bitter cares,  
Together watch the clouds roll by  
Or follow boyhood's thoroughfares.  
I would not trade one day with you  
To wear the purple robes of power,  
Nor drop your hand from mine to do  
Some great deed in a selfish hour;  
For you have brought me joy serene  
And made my soul supremely glad,  
In life rewarded I have been—  
'Tis all worth while to be,  
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**Dr. Marshall Harvey Sees Era of Progress For South Plains Area—Offers Congratulations to Slatonite**

"The public press is unequalled by any other agency or instrumentality in reaching and impressing the public in a constructive way, and I am happy to be aligned with the other professional leaders of Lubbock in offering my word of praise to The Slatonite for their admirable efforts in extending the boundaries of goodwill and encouraging the neighborly, friendly spirit of cooperation which has always been characteristic of the great South Plains commonwealth. I can see nothing but prosperity ahead for all lines of business throughout this section."

We are indebted to Dr. Marshall Harvey, well known foot specialist of Lubbock, for the above tribute, congratulations, and cheerful message to the people of Slaton.

Dr. Harvey's offices are equipped with every instrument known to the foot specialist, and his many years of intensive study of ailments which have been traced directly to improper care of the foot, has enabled him to perform many health restoring miracles for hundreds who have called upon him during 9 years of consistent service to the South Plains area.

"Many people believe they are suffering from rheumatism, arthritis, and other ailments, when in reality their troubles originate from feet that are out of balance," Dr. Harvey explained. "In addition to these troubles confined to the foot itself, nerve irritation due to pressure on sensitive nerve centers of the feet are often reflected to other parts of the body far removed from the feet."

"Backache, headache, and even eye strain have been traced to pressure on the nerves on the sole of the feet. Thousands of people trim painful corns and callouses only to have them return again and again. For every effect there is a cause. Information has been compiled by National Foot Health Council to show the basic cause, prevention and correction of foot trouble," Dr. Harvey pointed out.

"By controlling the heel bones through corrective measures of the chiropodist, correct posture is cultivated at five vital points along the center line of body-weight; at the ankles, knees, pelvis, small of the back and base of the skull. By thus balancing the framework of the body from head to foot, energy leakage is prevented."

"Here are a few facts one should know about walking as compiled by the National Foot Health Council: Walking was the first natural means of transportation. It is considered the most beneficial of all exercises. It quiets the nerves and helps to banish worry; it promotes healthy sleep and wholesome rest. Walking helps to rebuild the tissues of the body, strengthens the heart and lungs, helps the blood to remove toxic poison from the system," Dr. Harvey further stated.

"Walking stimulates the four great processes of life—digestion, respiration, circulation and elimination. Doctors everywhere recommend walking as one of the most sensible methods of reducing over-weight. One authority reports the walking cure for 27 diseases. You cannot walk correctly without advice from specialists who are prepared to assist you in cultivation of proper posture."

We suggest that you visit the offices of this authority and secure a complete analysis of the condition of your feet, allowing Dr. Harvey to point out those methods by which you might further safeguard the health of your entire family through correct walking habits.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

To our many friends who came with comforting expressions of sympathy on the occasion of the death of her we loved, Mrs. E. N. Twaddle, we wish to speak our heartfelt gratitude. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. HALIBURTON, MRS. EDNA WOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Henry of Amarillo were Slaton visitors Monday.

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**Ground Water Conf. At Lubbock Tuesday**

LUBBOCK, OCT. 4.—Invitations to all interested officials and citizens to attend a district ground water conference in Lubbock, Monday, November 7, to be held in the ballroom of the Hilton Hotel at 2:30 P. M., are being extended to officials of the City and the Chamber of Commerce.

The Lubbock conference will be the only one held within the area north of the Texas and Pacific Railroad, including the whole of the South Plains and the Texas Panhandle, and extending eastward to include the tier of counties made up of Wilbarger, Baylor and Throckmorton.

Last summer's conference, called by Governor James V. Allred, was the result of growing alarm because of depleting supplies of such water. Attending were representatives from every section of Texas. Reports were agreed that ground reserves in most of the state are lower than a few years ago and that diminishment is continuing at an alarming rate, in some cases having reached a critical stage.

The Plains region, reports indicated, is more fortunate than most sections, although repeated warnings were sounded that an eventually serious problem is inevitable unless steps are taken speedily to conserve existing resources.

**Ninety-Seven Attend H. D. Club Barbecue**

Ninety-seven persons attended a chicken barbecue given by the Union Home Demonstration Club recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Cade near Lubbock. Miss Clara Pratt and C. C. Jobson discussed family relationship. John W. Palmore and Miss Elizabeth Brooks directed games.

Among those attending were, Messrs. and Mesdames J. B. Patterson, J. L. Joplin, C. C. Nelson, J. D. Thompson, F. A. Nelson, H. F. Doyle, H. M. Cade, W. E. Crabtree, C. E. Lilley, Jr., C. L. Griffin, C. D. Young, O. W. Pair, J. A. Young, J. M. Patterson, J. C. Cummins, V. L. Cade, Mesdames C. W. Hutcheson, M. D. Gamble, and their families, Mrs. D. B. Thompson

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**CITY LINE HOME DEM. CLUB MET WEDNESDAY**

The City Line Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday at the Club House. Plans were made for showing the community something of the 200 accomplishments of the organization.

The club has been invited to attend the Southwest Ward Club Friday to see their bedroom and food demonstrator display and accomplishments.

Officers were elected for 1933. They were: Mrs. W. H. Long, president; Mrs. Carter Shaw, vice president; Mrs. Cleta Young, sec.; Mrs. E. E. Wilson, treas.; Mrs. P. M. Wheatley, reporter; Mrs. A. R. Keys, bedroom demonstrator; Mrs. Delia Hendrix, food demonstrator.

The following program was given: Where We Get Our Time or Origin of the Calendar, by Mrs. T. K. Martin; Development of Time Keeping and Watches by Mrs. Shaw. Members present were: Mesdames E. E. Wilson, C. E. Lillie, W. H. Crosby, A. W. Montgomery, P. M. Wheatley, O. Sanders, A. R. Keys, T. K. Martin, R. C. Hall, Cleta Young, Carter Shaw and W. H. Long.

Mrs. Carter Shaw wrapped a fruit cake for Christmas gift and handed out recipes for dried apple cake.

The next meeting will be Nov. 16, the home of Mrs. C. E. Lillie.

**Job work neatly done here**

and the following special guests: Messrs. and Mesdames Jobson, Palmore, George Buckingham, O. J. Buxtemper and family, Miss Pratt, Miss Brooks, Opal Patterson, Mrs. F. D. Young and Mrs. J. G. Hampton.

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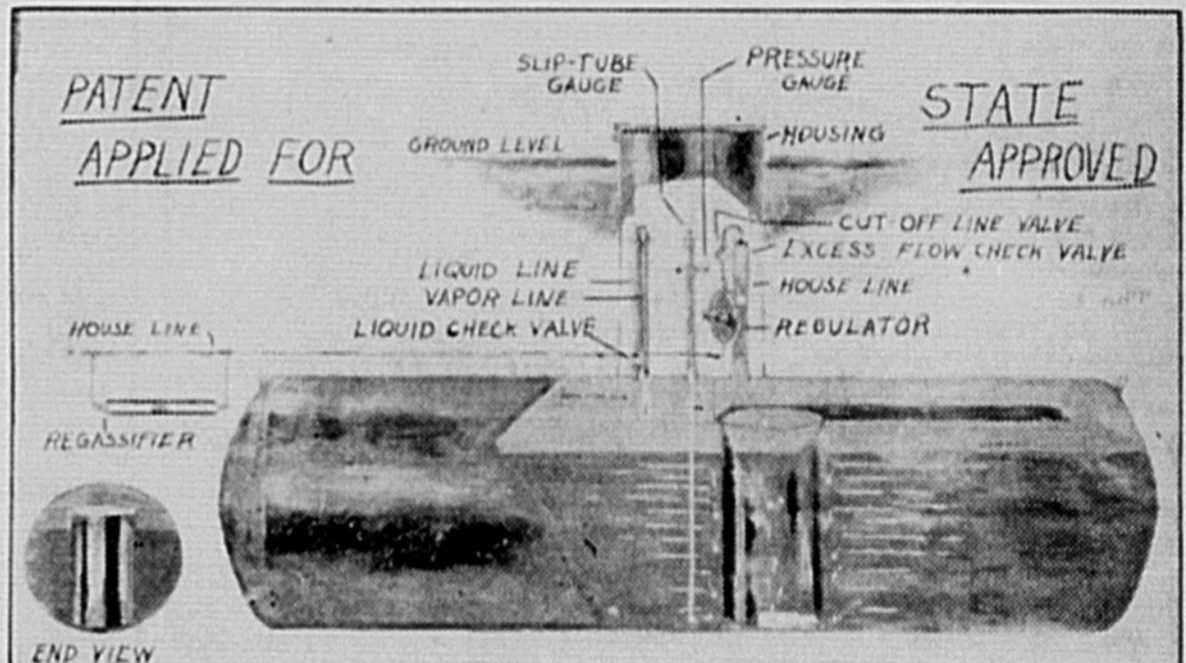
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Theo. Schuhmann, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 17th day of October, 1938, by the County Court of Lubbock County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present to me within the time prescribed by law, at my residence and

**Small Farmer to Get AAA Consideration**

College Station—The small farmer gets special consideration in the AAA's 1939 program.

The consideration comes in the shape of a "25-acre exemption" clause. AAA workers at the state office at Texas A. and M. College estimated it would affect more than 60,000 farmers. The majority of the state's small farms are located in east Texas.

Under the 1939 program any farm receiving a total soil-depleting acreage allotment of less than 25 acres will be exempt from acreage control of general crops up to a total soil-depleting acreage of 25 acres.

The working of the clause was explained with an example by George Slaughter, farmer-chairman of the Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee. "Say a 30-acre farm gets a cotton allotment of 8 acres and an additional general crop allotment of 12 acres. That's a total soil-depleting acreage allotment of 20 acres. As long as this farmer doesn't exceed his cotton allotment, he can plant 17 acres to general crops and still comply with the program."

If the farmer planted his 8 acres of cotton and 17 acres of feed or other general crops, his total soil-depleting acreage would be 25 acres, 5 acres above his allotment but within the 25-acre exemption. Slaughter pointed out. Under the 1938 program he would have been limited to his 20-acre allotment.

**Warm October Fools Local Peach Tree**

Mrs. C. W. Hutcheson of the Union Community brought in to town Monday another reason why South Plains people have trouble growing peaches. Three branches from a peach tree had respectively fruit buds, a full bloom, and a bloom about to shed. Apparently the warm weather has fooled the tree and caused it to start in for a hard spring's work. Orchardists tell us that such development takes strength from the trees that will be needed for next spring, and that fall blooming reduces the probability for a crop next year.

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Open letter to all American Red Cross members in Slaton:

Slaton, Texas Nov. 4, 1938

Dear Member:

Mr. Marion Sanford, Roll-Cail Chairman for the Lubbock county chapter of The American Red Cross will be present at a special meeting arranged for Monday evening, November 7, at 7:30 o'clock in the City Hall Auditorium, for all you members of the Slaton branch for 1938.

At this meeting our branch will be reorganized and officers will be chosen for 1939. Plans will be studied for next year's membership drive this November 14 to 24.

You are urged to be present.

Yours very truly, Raymond Lee Johns,

Acting Branch Chairman Slaton's Red Cross unit has been in the hands of the chamber of commerce this year, but will be organized for 1939 according to specifications set forth by the American Red Cross central offices. Mr. Sanford will supervise elections and organization work.

Usual dates for the Red Cross membership drive are November 11 to 24, but plans had to be altered this year, according to Field Representative Robert T. Bridge, on account of Armistice Day, so it was decided to begin work Monday, November 14, and complete the drive as in previous years, November 24.

Folks, last week we were asked to send some facts about Slaton to the general offices of the Texas State Network, Inc. in Fort Worth to be used on a network broadcast. This week we had a letter from Elbert Halting of the continuity department of the Fort Worth offices, informing us

that "Saturday morning, November 5, from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, Slaton will be Honor City on our Morning Roundup program." Read the complete story of the South Plains hook-up arrangements in another part of this paper.

Civic clubs, organizations, farmers: We are receiving information in our office each day to be included in our recently-installed information bureau. We have maps of many of the United States and expect to have a complete list from all 48 in a few weeks. Any type of information you might desire may be given you now or possibly secured for you later. Let us help you in any way we can, for we shall be more than glad to do so. Come in to see us any time.

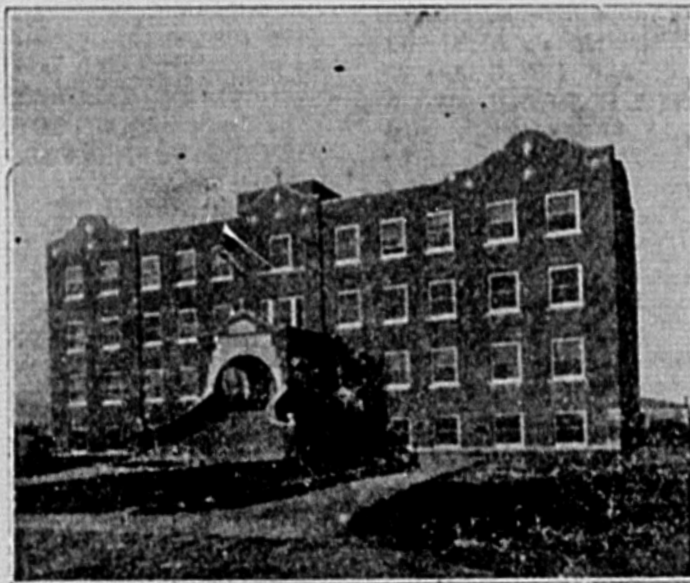
While mingling with the crowd of farmers on the streets last Saturday afternoon, we talked with them about their crops. One man who goes in for cotton farming on a rather large



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scale, said that from 95 acres he had already gathered 42 bales and that he expected to get at least eight more which would make his yield per acre a little above one-half bale.

While the ginnings are falling off each week, we might easily see that not all the cotton in this section is good as the crop just mentioned. Ginnings for Slaton this season may reach the 7,000-mark.

Possibly 90 per cent of the cotton farmers are placing their cotton in the government loan this year.

**Insurance Key Rate Reduction Announced**

Announcement has just been received from the State Fire Insurance Commissioner Marvin Hall that the "key" rate for Slaton has been reduced from

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58' to 56 due to improvements in the waterworks systems. This improvement was the installation of diesel engines at the pumping station, which was made last summer. The new rate will mean a considerable saving for Slaton insurers.

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