

A WEEK AT A TIME

SMART GOVERNOR

We congratulate the Governor. He shows more courage than we give him credit for. He proposes a solution to the problems of the state of Texas. A solution that puts the big brutes back on the people. That is, if the people want to pass a constitutional amendment to raise money, how nice to relieve the legislators of the onus of having passed burdensome tax bills. Constitutional amendments have been passed for the benefits of the aged, the needy, the blind, the teachers retirement system. But no constitutional plans have been adopted for raising the funds. One is now proposed. The legislature can get out from under. The people can express themselves—if the legislature will submit the question. W. Lee O'Daniel again shows he is smart whether he is a politician or not.

CUT DOWN AND CUT OUT

Monday the national House of Representatives set out some details for New Deal relief spending that bring joy to this particular citizen. It proposes to bar aliens from relief; we grade that perfect. It would withhold pay from PWA employees who play politics; we grade that ninety per cent at least. It would refuse more than a proportionate share of funds for WPA theatre. We grade that only fifty per cent; would have rated it perfect if the theatre had been eliminated. Not that the theatre is not a worthy American institution, but there is not a more flagrant example of biling the hand that fed than these same theatre and the art relief projects. They have not been content in these organizations to ridicule in every way possible the government that supports them, but have definitely aligned themselves to destroy the government by force. Congress should cut down on expenses and should cut out some foolishness.

SOMETHING NEWER AND BETTER

As a stolid plugger-alonger, we have a personal tendency to admire a new article and consider that the last word has been said in improvement. Take spectacles or eye-glasses for instance. We had thought those with the handle bars hiked up high would be the end of improvement mechanically for several years. But no. Now they are mounting the lenses under a metal backband that makes for style and full view and durability in a surprising way. You ought to see some of them. Also we are getting fidgety about our good old 1928 model electric ice-box. There are rumors that all the makers of mechanical ice-boxes are coming out with something newer and better that will make us wonder why we ever bought what we have. We don't think we can be stamped into throwing ours away but the dealers think they'll soon have something.

NO MORE HICCUPS

For the past six months every time we left the concrete pavement for the brick on South Ninth, we've turned our head to see who in the back seat had the hiccups. It was that bad. There was a nice fold in the first layer of bricks. Now no more of that. We mentioned the specific problem to Mayor Hood and he gave us his personal assurance that it would be remedied. It was. And now when we cross the fatal mark we're always looking back to see if we've lost our back seat passenger. But thanks for no more hiccups. The mayor stated further that he was only distressed that the city didn't have the funds to widen the pavement through the city, but he is pleased to work the shoulders up with soil occasionally, which will improve the present situation.

EAST WARD EXTENDS THANKS FOR RADIO

Sherrod Bros. & Carter Hardware were responsible for the radio sent to the East Ward School Tuesday to enable the students and teachers to hear the inaugural address by Governor-elect O'Daniel in the capitol city. The East Ward P.T.A. requested a radio

New Bell Manager



LUTHER R. GRIMES

Luther R. Grimes of Dallas has been appointed group manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company with headquarters at Lubbock until J. A. Williams, present group manager who is seriously ill, is able to resume his duties. W. L. Blakney, district manager of the telephone company, announced this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimes and their two boys, ages 4 and 6 years, have arrived at Lubbock and live at 2223 Sixteenth street.

Born at Brandon, Texas, Grimes attended the public schools in Milford, and later entered the University of Texas. He received a BBA degree in 1927 and shortly thereafter entered the employ of the telephone company as salesman in Dallas.

He was transferred to the Dallas division headquarters office in 1928, and to the state headquarters the next year. He was appointed Rate Engineer in 1935, the position he held until his transfer here.

A member of the East Dallas Christian Church, Grimes was active in civic and social affairs in Dallas. He is a Mason and a former member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Y.M.C.A.

RMA Will Banquet Feb. 27 Is Date

The regular meeting of the Retail Merchants Association was held Tuesday afternoon instead of last week because of attendance of the Committee members.

Routine business was transacted. Lists of eligible firms were distributed to the Committee members and they were urged to solicit membership of firms that could profit by the service of the RMA. The Secretary was instructed to pay the required fee for continuance of incorporation of the Association.

Arrangements were begun for the annual banquet for February 27 at the clubhouse, the Band Mothers serving.

New Ordinance Requires Grade Crossings Stops

Foreseeing possible tragedies at local grade crossings, the city government of Slaton has passed an ordinance requiring all automobiles to stop before crossing railroad crossings within the city. All buses and all school buses are required by state law to stop before crossing the railroad. But the new ordinance applies to all cars, trucks or other motor propelled vehicles. The penalty is a fine not to exceed \$200.00.

DINNER HONORS MISS WANDA WALDREP AND HOLT WALDREP

Mrs. Jack Waldrep entertained with a dinner party Sunday January 15th in her country home east of town for her son Holt and daughter, Wanda, whose birthdays were Saturday 14th and Friday 13th, respectively.

Guests were Miss Zerva Smith of Slaton, and Messrs. Frank Guzik, Bill Davis, E. J. McKnight, Bull Rankin, Dudley Akin, Gene Barnett, Prince Scott and Ralph Balfance, all of Lubbock and members of the Red Raider squad, of which Holt is also a player.

for the purpose and wish to thank the hardware firm for their hearty response.

Hospitalization Plan Studied Mutual Organization Growing In Texas

At the last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Roy G. Loveless reported on a mutual hospitalization plan that is gaining in popularity in Texas. The plan was originated in Dallas to help the failing Baylor Hospital there. It has proved so popular and so great a social service that it is being spread to other communities over the state and now sponsors are working on a state wide plan whereby any hospital in the state plan will provide hospitalization for any individual member who might fall ill away from home.

The plan does not provide for medical attention, but for a very reasonable annual payment provides for ten days to unlimited hospitalization according to actual need. Early reports on the plan indicated that only low-income families could join, but later developments provide for the admission of people of any income class. Naturally adequate provisions are made to protect the organization against some who might have a tendency to take a semi-annual rest cure at the hospital just to get out of work, but also adequate protection will be offered for those who are actually in need of hospitalization.

The Committee, of which Dr. Loveless is the head, is making further investigation with the hope that the state-wide plan will be soon developed so a local organization if made can have the advantages offered by the extensive leverage planned.

Beginners Band To Be Started

A LETTER TO PARENTS

Dear Mothers and Dads: The membership of the Senior High school A band needs to be kept at a minimum of 60 members and in order to do this a beginning or "feeder" band must be organized to send in the needed players and instruments.

There will be some 20 vacant uniforms next September to be filled by new members and it is needless to say that those students who start now will be better musicians by September than those who wait and will therefore have first chance at the suits. The many advantages derived from band work need not be listed here as the group work in the city is well understood. There is nothing that offers so much in the education of your child as does a complete music education. The cultural, physical and aesthetic qualities of this type of training can not be over-estimated, nor obtained in any other type of study.

The beginners band will have daily rehearsals in the elementary schools; this is not for saxettes but for instruments that will be actually used in the band; however, the saxette classes will be continued for those not buying horns.

If you are interested in giving your child this opportunity please do so as this is the only beginning class to be started until next September. If it is at all possible, try to get in touch with me at some time this week as it is impossible for me to call on everyone in such short time.

Yours for bigger and better beginners band,

Jim Nevins

Rain, Snow Tuesday Bring Month's Total To 2.84 Inches

Rain and snow Tuesday night added to the fine store of moisture already soaking into the ground on the South Plains. The fall here unlike that even on the north side of the county was nearly all rain, the snow hardly making more of a showing than a heavy frost. The gauge read .24 inches, bringing January's precipitation to 2.84.

Reports from the agricultural experiment station at Lubbock indicate that the soil has been wet down to eighteen to twenty inches, and that the weather has been very favorable for the germination of wheat that was planted last fall. The temperature of the soil has been at forty or above most of the time the past week, and this is the temperature required for germination of wheat.

Tanlac Strange Is Banquet Speaker Famous Big Spring Man Features BCD Meeting

W. T. (Tanlac) Strange, declared by Judge Bailey of Lubbock as "the best speaker in seven states," will address members of the chamber of commerce and board of city development and their guests here at its 17th annual banquet and resume of work during 1938, January 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the community club house, announced Raymond Lee Johns, chamber manager as arrangements for the affair were nearing completion.

A special committee consisting of W. M. Cates, Dr. R. G. Loveless and J. A. Elliott made arrangements with Strange, who will be at liberty to choose his own topic "and treat it likewise."

Besides Strange, partner in the firm of Haynes and Strange, architects operating in Lubbock and Big Spring, there is no other out-of-town person on the program. Johns explains that the theme of the program will be so carried out as to display home-town talent, that item being of considerable importance in one of the chamber's 1939 administration. Although other parts of the program have not been definitely stated, it is hinted that a duo of Spanish children, full-blood natives of that nationality, now attending Slaton High school, will give the ever-popular "La Golandrina" and other well-known Spanish songs in native language.

American songs of various kinds will be given by others on the programs, with possible accordion and electric hawaiian guitar selections being used. Complete arrangements will be announced later.

Five members of the chamber's board of directors retire at the annual banquet meeting. They are M. J. Nelson, M. A. Pember, E. N. Pickens, Fagan Genn and Ben Mansker, road commissioner of the Slaton, Lubbock county, precinct. Genn has served the organization as treasurer during 1938. Other officers for the year were Fred H. Schmidt, president, and Webber Williams, vice president, whose board membership terms expire in 1940. Other directors and their terms of office are C. W. Taylor, O. O. Crow and C. F. Anderson, 1940; Joe E. Webb, superintendent of Slaton schools, J. H. Brewer, Cates, Loveless and Elliott.

A list of 30 names of eligible citizens of Slaton will be supplied each person attending the banquet, 15 of which will be marked in a general balloting, with the five receiving the greatest number of votes being declared new members at the first regular directors' meeting in February.

Johns explained that reservations are being made rapidly, with possibly one half the tickets printed being sold or spoken for during the first three days of sales. Letters containing complimentary tickets are being mailed to several chambers of commerce and newspapers in surrounding towns and cities. "Those desiring to purchase tickets early or make reservations now may be able to do so at the chamber of commerce office in the city hall or with any of the 15 directors, or plates may be purchased at the door on the evening of the banquet at 50 cents each," said Johns. The West Ward-Junior High Parent Teachers association is serving the menu.

Dine And Dance Club Opens In South Slaton

Slaton's newest place for eating is the Modern Inn in South Slaton on Highway 84. A new building specially designed for a club house, brilliantly set off with bright neon lights, complete new modern equipment for preparing food for the most exacting taste and a trained personnel to look after the wants of patrons are some of the inducements offered those who would dine and dance in an air of relaxation and pleasure.

Wm. A. McGinnis, experienced food caterer and amusement director is manager of the new place and has experienced hostesses both on the floor and doing curb service. Mr. McGinnis reports that he has already had patronage from old customers from as far away as Big Spring and Fort Worth. He invites the patronage of any who are interested in the newest and smartest of dining and dancing places.

O'Daniel Proposes Transaction Tax Constitutional Amendment Is Method Proposed

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel told the legislature what he would like to do or have done about what he considers the leading problems before the lawmakers of the state. He thinks the old-age benefits, the teacher retirement law, the deficits in the general fund and the ever-mounting expense of government are the problems.

He proposed to pay the aged needy thirty dollars a month on the basis of need, to define as needy a person over the age of sixty-five who does not have an income of thirty dollars a month. No question about his children or their ability or willingness to pay. He proposed to pay the teacher retirement plan the money to match what the teachers have been putting into it for more than a year now. He proposed to cut down the cost of government and to eliminate all state ad valorem taxes. He proposes to raise the money for these things by a 1.6 per cent transactions tax applying to all branches of business or industry.

He said this kind of tax has a broad base and would apply to nearly everybody, thus making it sufficiently painful for everybody to know he was paying. He did not propose a retail sales tax because he thinks it would have to be set at four per cent to raise the required funds. He did not propose an oil and sulfur tax because that would require an additional tax of about 8c a barrel on crude oil and similar increases in the sulfur tax. He realizes that the ad valorem tax has failed.

He proposes to have this done by constitutional amendment because that will throw the great responsibility back on the people, and if done will make a much more permanent arrangement than statutory provisions could.

Tiger Quint Drops Fast Go To Ralls

The Slaton Tigers dropped a fast game to the strong Ralls quint on the local floor Tuesday night. The final score of 27-31 just tells part of the story of a game wherein the score was tied at 2-all, 8-all, 13-all and 18-all. In the last few minutes the visitors pulled ahead and held the four point lead through the last four minutes of the affray.

Referee Gentry was kept busy stopping the game to assess penalties for roughness—most of the penalties falling on the Tigers. Those free points were more than enough to decide the game too. The lengthy Clack made his height count frequently both on defense and offense and Nub Gentry turned in a snappy game until his charging got him off with four personals. The Jackrabbits hardly played up to the form that might have been expected of them with three men brought over from last year's near-championship team.

The box score:

Slaton	tp	Ralls	tp
Slaton	10	Ralls	11
Stotts	10	Light	11
Clack	9	Davis	10
Gentry	5	Stephens	7
Ward	3	Brown	3
Powers	0	McElroy	0
Substitutions: Clifton and Robertson.			

After the main bout each school put a second aggregation on the floor. The final count on this minor but entertaining contest was 19-8 for the visitors.

Next Tuesday the Tigers will play a return engagement at Ralls, and Wednesday the 25th, Idalou will come for a contest with the Tigers.

For every \$100 which the railroads received from the public for the transportation of passengers, freight, express and mails and for all other services, they paid the tax collectors \$5.33 in 1917; \$6.13 in 1927; \$7.82 in 1937; and \$9.93 in the first nine months of 1938.

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The Governor of Texas

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The weather man lent a kindly hand and swept away the threatening clouds, sent the temperature up to 75 to give the crowd a perfect day for the colorful event.

The new governor was introduced as is custom by the retiring governor. He made a short speech on generalities and the crowd broke up to go to other items of the day's celebrations. Slaton's high school Choral Club took part in the music program that was part of the arrangement that made this one the most memorable inaugurations in Texas history.

Dr. Tucker Is Death Victim Long Time Resident Dies Suddenly Here

Death came to Dr. W. A. Tucker, 605 South 11th street, Saturday evening January 14th, about 10:30 at his home, and although he had been in failing health for several years, his demise was a distinct shock to his family and many friends.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist church Monday afternoon, at 2:30, with Rev. J. C. Qualtebaum, Jr. officiating and assisted by Rev. W. E. Ferguson of the Slaton First Baptist church. Interment followed in Englewood cemetery with Williams Funeral Home conducting.

Dr. Tucker was born in Hopkins County, December 18th, 1874, and was 63 years of age at the time of his death. For the past 21 years he has practiced medicine in Slaton, and been a leader in civic enterprises. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his widow, and three daughters, Mesdames Floyd Rector of Houston, and Earl F. Hayes of Detroit, Michigan, and Miss Docia Tucker, Slaton; three grand children; a sister, Mrs. Florence Stone of Quanah; and a brother, Mr. J. A. Tucker of Ft. Worth.

All of the immediate family attended the funeral, Mrs. Hayes arriving by plane from her home in Michigan.



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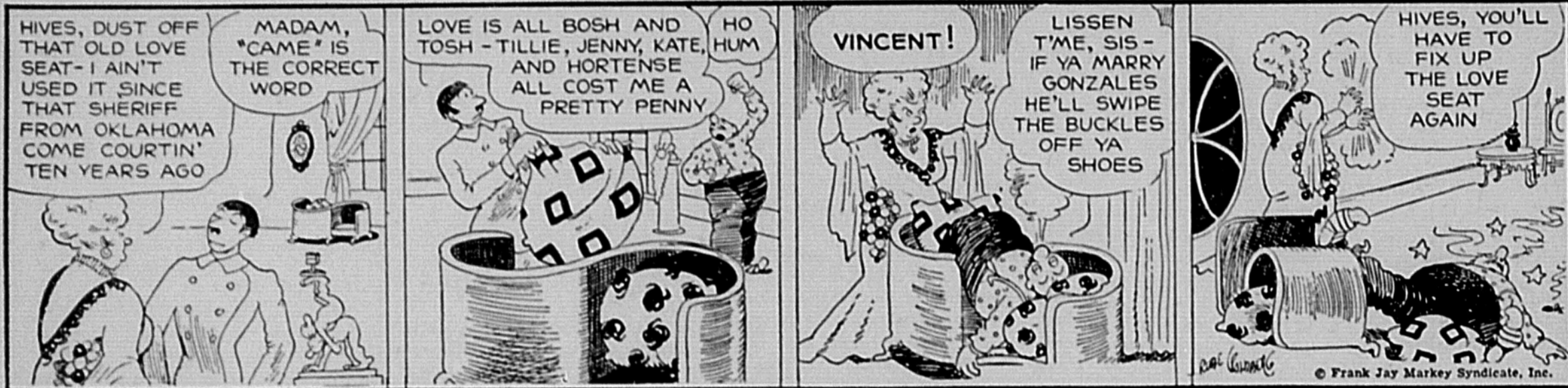
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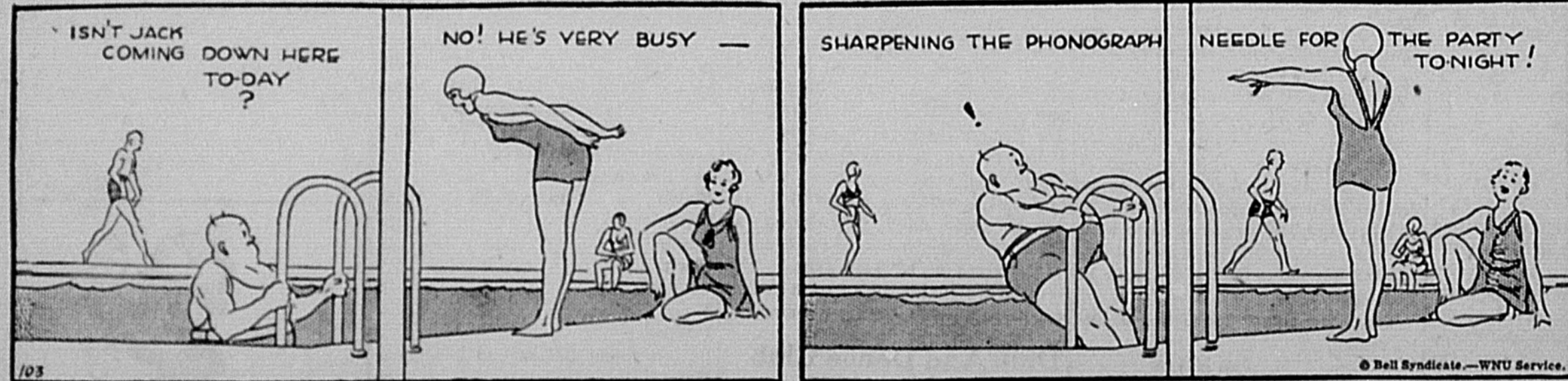
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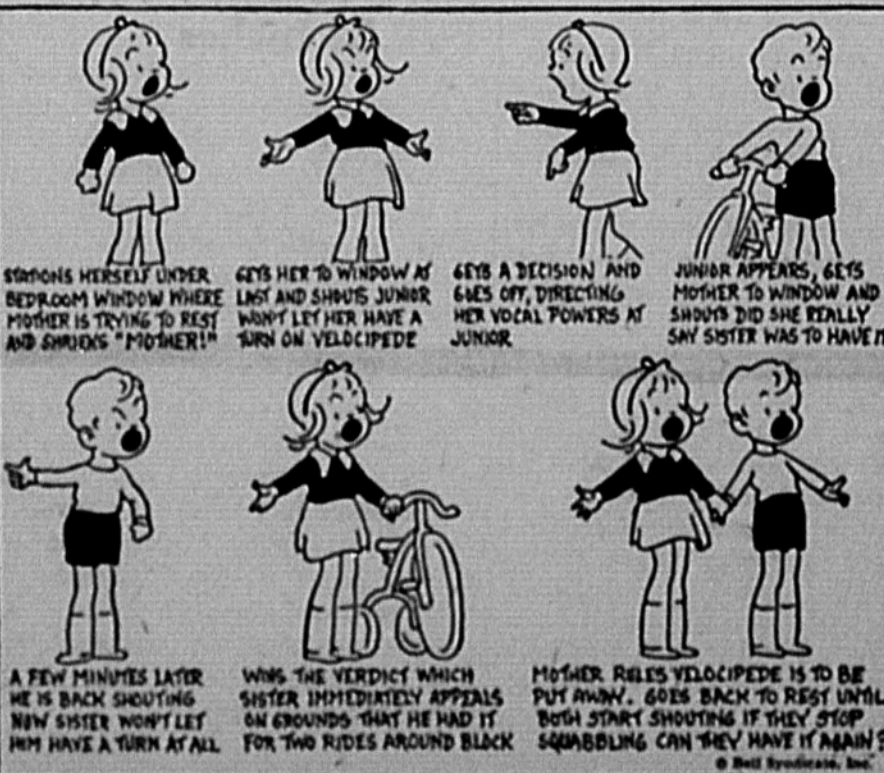


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 "Can't you tell from the taste?"
 "No, I can't."
 "Well, then, what difference does it make?"

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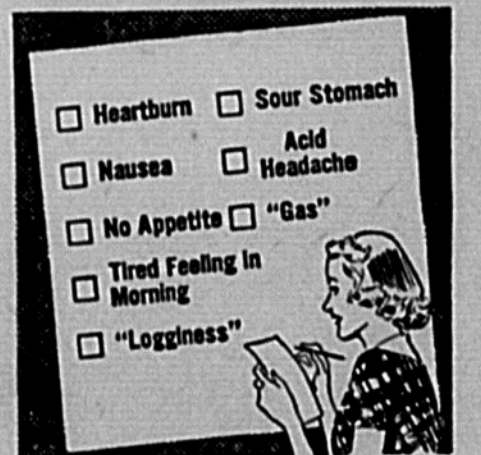
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President Outlines His Policies In Annual Message to Congress

Gives No Assurance of Prospect of Balanced Budget; Necessity for Armed Preparedness Stressed; Continued Spending Makes Some Democrats See Red.

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WASHINGTON.—It is always expected that the annual message to congress from the President of the United States will outline his policies. The message is presumed to reflect, in a broad general formula, what the Chief Executive regards as the major problems and what should be done about them. Moreover, the annual message on the state of the Union is a document that usually embraces some political considerations and, frequently, therefore, constitutes the basis for a test of its author's leadership either from what is proposed or because of things which were omitted.

President Roosevelt's recent message meets each of the phases just described. He outlined the general policies: 1. the necessity for armed preparedness in protection of our religion, our liberty and our form of government—democracy; 2. he disclosed that he has no intention of retreating from his New Deal social policies and that to buttress them and accomplish national protection against dictatorship, he proposes to keep on with his policies of spending. He likewise omitted to give one bit of assurance that there is any prospect of a balanced budget or any means by which the business of the country, small as well as large, can look forward to less governmental messing.

Thus, there seems little reason to doubt that what Mr. Roosevelt proposed, as well as what he omitted saying, places his current annual message in a position to provide a test of his leadership. There are those among the legislators who do not want larger armed forces; there are those who think an armed America will invite trouble; there are those wanting business recovery here much more than wholesale reform of our national business practices and social relations, and there are those who think there will be no reduction of unemployment until the government itself quits its wild orgy of spending and borrowing—they want a balanced budget.

Message Most Temperate Roosevelt Has Delivered

Any President's message is greeted with hurrahs by his party supporters and hisses from the minority. This one was no exception. These shouts of praise and denunciation, respectively, do not always go to the merits. Frequently, they are more than half political. And if I were asked to evaluate those that I have heard in the last 10 days, I should say that each side was about 50 per cent right.

In the first place, Mr. Roosevelt's message this time was the most temperate he has ever delivered, or so it impressed me. There was an evidence of greater sincerity in it than has characterized most of his messages to congress. He spoke out boldly against dictatorships and supported our form of government with an emphasis that belongs with the office of President of the United States.

In the matter of armament, he told why he believes it is needed. He may have gone too far; he may be inviting another battle on a subject akin to the long-time League of Nations controversy by proposing protection "of democracies." Yet, fundamentally, I think it must be agreed that we, in the Western world, must be able to snarl as well as to smile.

In the matter of social reforms, there can and will be violent differences of opinion. It appears that Mr. Roosevelt had not listened very closely to the election returns of November 8 because, instead of a "mandate" which he believed he received in 1936, the last election was a distinct brake on the machinery of social reform.

In the matter of continued spending, Mr. Roosevelt's message must be regarded as having its greatest weakness. There was less justification in his words for the conclusions he reached than in any other phase of the document. Even a substantial number of his own partisans could not swallow his assertions that the spending of some 20 billions of borrowed money was an "investment."

People Wondering When Dividends Can Be Expected

It is pretty difficult for one to accept these piling deficits and increasing totals of the national debt as being anything except an extremely dangerous condition. When Mr. Roosevelt's argument about the "investment" is followed by a budget message that fixes next year's deficit in excess of \$3,300,000,000 and a probable national debt of \$44,500,000,000 in 1940—well, a good many people are wondering when dividends can be expected. Three years ago, Mr. Roosevelt defended the growth of the national debt, saying there was no need to fear it. He held that it could go to \$5,000,000,

000 before it became a real burden upon the nation. It is only six billions short of that total now, and many members are getting fidgety about it, especially, as I mentioned earlier, since no mention was made of a balanced budget.

This question of debt, therefore, can be expected to provide some divergence of opinion among the legislators, and there will be other bases upon which disagreement with the Chief Executive will rest. I am wondering, for example, whether Senator Borah of Idaho and Senator Johnson of California will smell something of a League of Nations aroma about the program of defending any and all democracies. Friendly interpreters of the President's message believe his program contemplates only a strengthened support of the Monroe doctrine, but the other side's views envision national policy going beyond that point. It may not happen, but what if the Borah-Johnson school of thought decides to breathe fire about "new alliances" under the expanded defense of democracies?

Continued Spending Makes Some Democrats See Red

There are prospects of opposition to his arms program confronting the President, therefore, among the Borah-Johnson school of thought, as well as among those representatives and senators from inland areas where there never has been much fear from attacks by other nations. There will be ridicule of his arms program, too, on the basis of his indication that it will provide work. That ridicule will be justified. Work can not start on ships for a year and a half or two years after they are authorized, and supplies for the army, even an expanded army, will not call so many men back to factories.

Proposals for continued spending, as outlined by the President, made a number of strong Democrats see red again. Men of the type of Senator Byrd of Virginia and Bailey of North Carolina, and others in the senate and house. They can not be reconciled to such a program and they will have the Republican minority backing them up wherever and whenever they attack continued spending of government funds.

The proposal to continue spending, of course, is linked like a tangle of yarn with the whole question of relief administration, and there is no telling what may come of that row. Senator King, Utah Democrat and anti-New Dealer, already has a bill in the hopper to eliminate the entire federal relief setup. He would turn it back to the states, providing only for grants of federal money when the states can't meet their obligations.

On top and alongside of the Democrats who, for one reason or another, will differ with Mr. Roosevelt's program will be found almost a solid Republican phalanx. There are 169 of them in the house, now, and 26 in the senate. This is far from enough to control, but when that number is coupled with any defections from the Democratic ranks, the answer spells out into the words "trouble for Mr. Roosevelt."

Use of Subject of Religion Causes Some Comment

From the standpoint of political considerations, there were numerous published comments, after the message was delivered, in which members of the house and senate openly chided Mr. Roosevelt for attempting to capitalize politically upon sentiment among the church people. I relate that because it illustrates how no political leader can be quite sure when he makes a statement whether it will be received favorably or not. It is so easy, and every politician knows it, to make a perfectly sincere statement, only to learn two days later that it was being held up to ridicule as bunk or being torn to pieces as being unsound, fundamentally.

Those who have been razzing Mr. Roosevelt's use of the subject of religion recognize, of course, that destruction of free religion has been one of the keystones of dictatorship. They recognize further that the actions of Hitler and Stalin and Mussolini in this regard have been responsible, as much as any other one thing, in creating bitter resentment in the United States. Obviously, then, they look upon the Roosevelt appeal in this regard as being good politics, but they are unwilling to let him get away with it.

In summary, then, it seems proper to catalogue Mr. Roosevelt's 1939 message to congress as one of his best state papers, but it must be added that it stands to create greater difficulties for him than any other annual message he has delivered. Whether one agrees with all, or only a part, or none of its proposals, it is a great improvement over the inopportune character of some of his earlier efforts.

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WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Reports Some Current Knowledge of Vitamin G, a Substance Essential to Growth and Normal Nutrition

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

A NUMBER of the vitamins have been discussed in these columns from time to time. The latest findings of nutritional science have been related, together with suggestions made by outstanding authorities concerning the amounts of different vitamins required to help maintain top health.

So far vitamin G has not been discussed specifically. Yet a knowledge of some of the functions and sources of this vitamin should be possessed by every homemaker. For eminent authorities are of the opinion that it has a far-reaching influence upon health.

Possible Effects on Longevity

The avowed objectives of modern nutritional scientists are to help humanity to enjoy happier, healthier and longer lives. If any one vitamin could be said to have more influence than any other on longevity, the distinction most certainly would be accorded—so far as present knowledge is concerned—to vitamin G.

Extensive laboratory experiments by investigators who are paramount in their field seem to indicate that vitamin G has a pronounced effect upon the maintenance of health and vigor at all ages. It has been demonstrated with experimental animals that a diet containing more vitamin G than is required for normal growth resulted in greater vigor, a postponement of the onset of senility and a comparatively short period of the mental and physical infirmities we usually associate with old age.

Effect on Digestion and Nerves

Laboratory experiments have also indicated that when there is a shortage of vitamin G, digestion is usually impaired. In this respect, a shortage of vitamin G has a slightly different effect than a deficiency of vitamin B. A definite lack of vitamin B causes an abrupt and complete loss of appetite. Withholding vitamin G appears to affect the desire for food, so that experimental animals consume only about two-thirds as much as they would normally take. A form of nervous depression may occur when the diet is low in vitamin G for any protracted length of time. Other unfortunate consequences may be a decline in the health of the skin. Studies with animals indicated that when the vitamin was withheld, not only did a loss of weight occur, but there were other signs of nutritional failure. These included an inflammation of the mouth, a loss of hair, a thickening and in some cases, a cracking and scaling, of the skin.

Vitamin G and Healthy Eyes

Studies with a variety of experimental animals resulted in the startling disclosure that on diets lacking vitamin G the health of the eyes was distinctly affected. Not only was there a loss of hair around the eyes, but the eyeball developed a whitish appearance which was determined to be cataract.

At present, scientists are not prepared to say whether these laboratory findings may be confirmed clinically. But certainly when we know that in many ways, the food requirements of experimental ani-

TIPS to Gardeners

Making the Garden Pay

VEGETABLE gardens are grown to provide fresher, more nourishing food for the family, and to conserve on food bills. Therefore, crops must be wisely chosen and systematically planted.

According to Walter H. Nixon, seed breeding vegetable expert, the most important vegetables considered both for food value and garden space required are beans, cabbage, carrots, beets, squash, tomatoes, onions, peas and spinach. To get the most from garden space, plant two crops of spinach, one in early spring, the other in late fall. Plant chinese cabbage, carrots, beets and parsnips in fall in space occupied earlier by beans, radishes and peas.

Plant bush beans and beets on both sides of tomato rows. When tomatoes need the space, those earlier crops will have been pulled and used.

Corn can be worked into the garden plan even though there is not much space. Plant spinach or beets or onions between rows of slower-growing corn. Then grow pole beans (cornfield beans) to climb on the corn stalks.

mals are comparable to those in man, it would be distinctly to our advantage to make sure that we do not lack for adequate amounts of vitamin G.

Sources of Vitamin G

Because vitamin G is closely associated with vitamin B, some homemakers occasionally confuse the two. This is not surprising, inasmuch as it was some years following the initial recognition of vitamin B that scientists established beyond a doubt that there was more than one growth-promoting vitamin. Subsequently, they learned that while the substance, later named vitamin G, was frequently found in close association with vitamin B, such was not always the case. For example, vitamin G is known to occur without vitamin B in egg white.

Milk, Meat, Eggs, Greens

The richest sources of vitamin G are the concentrates of yeast, yeast extract and wheat germ. Almost equally well supplied with this vitamin are liver and kidney. Muscle cuts of meat contain vitamin G, but in lesser amounts than liver and kidney.

The vitamin is also found in young green plants, and it is interesting to note that the vitamin is formed during the growth of the plant and decreases with maturity. The amount of the vitamin has been found to vary with differ-

ent parts of the same plant. In broccoli, the flower buds are said to contain only half as much as the leaves, while the stems contain even less. Among the greens, turnip tops and beet tops have been found to be unusually rich. Investigations indicate that weight for weight, they are twice as rich as eggs, though eggs are considered a good source.

Homemakers will be glad to learn that heating does not appear to destroy vitamin G. Canned foods are therefore as good a source as though they had not been processed.

Milk must not be overlooked. For all practical purposes, and chiefly because of the amounts in which it is consumed, it is probably our most important source of the G vitamin.

One thing is certain. Homemakers should strive—not for diets that are merely adequate in vitamin G . . . but for a surplus to help build high resistance. One authority has advised a ration that contains four times the amount considered absolutely necessary.

The surplus should help to provide a headstart toward the goal of buoyant health.

Questions Answered

Mrs. G. M. L.—The term, water balance, about which you inquired is used to describe the situation in which the available water from food, beverages, and that manufactured in the body equals that of the water excreted or lost from the body. It is to help keep the body in water balance that the daily diet must contain adequate amounts of fluids.

E. G. M. Jr.—Yes, it is true that approximately one-third of the protein required during infancy is stored by the child's body to take care of growth and development. As children grow older, the amount of protein stored for growth gradually decreases until they become adults.

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Co-starring with beautiful Joan Bennett, his leading lady for the first time, Benny will be seen as a wisecracking head of a troupe of American hoofers stranded at the Paris Exposition. Miss Bennett, in one of her rare comedy roles, plays a Texas oil heiress whom Benny takes under his wing when he thinks her as broke as himself.

The cast includes such favorite faces as the Yacht Club Boys, who play members of the troupe, Mary Boland, cast as the social-climbing American dowager, Fritz Feld and Charley Grapewin.

As an integral part of his cast Producer Hornblow has assembled three dozen of America's most beautiful girls, including glamorous Linda Yale, who is hailed as the loveliest thing to hit Hollywood in many a season. The girls play members of Benny's theatrical gang and share in the hilarious adventures of their chief. Hornblow has been hailed as the screen counterpart of the late Florenz Ziegfeld, and according to advance reports, the girls he selected for "Artist and Models Abroad" bear out this reputation.

Club News

Mrs. Dave Garron, 100 South Fourth street was hostess to the Santa Fe Recreational Club Thursday, January 12 from 2 to 4 P. M. After the business session, conducted by the president, Mrs. Jess Young, the group played Chinese Checkers.

Refreshments of ice cream, fruit cake and coffee were served to the following members, Mesdames Jess Young, Chas. Smith, Mark Foster, Elmer Kenney, Alex Shelton, John Coulston, E. G. Robertson, Ernest G. Robertson, Ernest Robertson, P. M. Wheatley, M. A. Grant, Curtis Powers,



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Subject of our Slaton public schools has been running through our minds for the past several days, as we have heard various comments upon its smooth running and its important place in the community. Do we really take the interest in our schools that we should? That question is finding place in the platforms of numerous of our legislators down State Capitol way as the 46th session gets under way, with a view to cutting out some of the extreme expenditures in other lines in order that more money may be applied to a more urgent cause—the education of our youth.

Of course we are more than 300 miles from Austin and the central scene of our State government operators, but we can do our great part by being interested in our schools at home, by writing to our representatives our views on educational matters. Then at home let's get more behind the school's English, history, government, home economy, music, dramatic, athletics, etc., and give our full thought and attention to matters of importance and express ourselves when they require expression. In other words, let's square ourselves with those 1200 kiddies and let them know we are 100 per cent for what is best for them and that we stand ready to help them as members of a community in which cooperation is a central element.

Henry Carruth and Delmar Hodge, and two guests, Mrs. Hubbard Stephenson and small daughter, Bobbie, cousin of the hostess.

The Homemakers Sunday school Class of the Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. J. H. Teague, jr. Wednesday January 18th with Mesdames R. H. Bailey and Joe Bickerstaff assistant hostesses.

A business and social hour was enjoyed and a delicious salad and sandwich plate served to 23 members and two guests, Rev. Ferguson and Miss Billie Burns.

The February meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. K. Martin.

Mrs. Van Stokes entertained the Thursday Bridge Club in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. B. Hestand,

Thursday afternoon, and had as guests, Mesdames Fred England, Paul Danneburg and M. G. Martin.

Mrs. Horace Hawkins of Plainview was a guest when Mrs. S. A. Peavy entertained the Tuesday Luncheon Club at the Harvey House January 17th.

MISS EVELYN MANSKER HAS SPANISH DINNER FOR CLUB

Mrs. Levi Self was leader of the program, "How to Be Happily Married" when the members of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club met in the home of Miss Evelyn Mansker, Tuesday evening, January 17th.

Mesdames Charles Marriott and Vern Johnson, Jr. assisted Mrs. Self with the program and a Spanish plate was served at the close of the meeting by the hostes to about 15 members and one guest, Mrs. Ode Porter.

As We Go To Press—

Chief of Police, R. L. Wicker, reports the theft of a ring, initialed "S", with a small diamond set in onyx that belonged to Mr. W. P. Shelton, local Santa Fe employee.

Saturday night, January 14th, two cars collided at the corner of Texas Ave. and E. Lynn, and one of them that was driven by a Slaton woman, tore into the corner light post. It was broken in two near the base and crashed to the pavement. Little is known of the full particulars of the accident or of the extent of the damage to the cars, the persons or the interests of the power company.

Mrs. E. C. Foster suffered a broken hip when she fell in the kitchen of her home Tuesday afternoon about 3 p.m. She is now in the Mercy Hospital and resting well. Dr. Foster, who at the time of the accident, was preparing to go to the bedside of his brother who is seriously ill in Denton, was delayed in his departure. But due to the fair condition of the patient after receiving aid, the Dr. left Wednesday for his brother's home.

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M. E. MISSIONARY HELD PLEDGE SERVICE AT J. E. ECKERT HOME

Past president of the M. E. Missionary Society, Mrs. J. E. Eckert, with Miss Media Lewis, co-hostess, entertained that organization Monday afternoon, January 16th at her home, when the annual Pledge Service was rendered. Inspirational addresses were given by Mesdames J. O. Quantlebaum, leader of the program; Marvin Abernathy, C. L. Suit, and J. D. Barry, on the subject, "New Horizons in Personal Service."

Mrs. S. H. Adams led the devotional and a beautiful vocal solo was given by Mrs. L. A. Harral, accompanied by Mrs. Allen Ferrell.

Mrs. W. C. Proctor, presiding at the coffee table, served to twenty-five members, including the new one, Mrs. H. E. Woods; and two guests, Mesdames John Dabney and Lulu Lovelless.

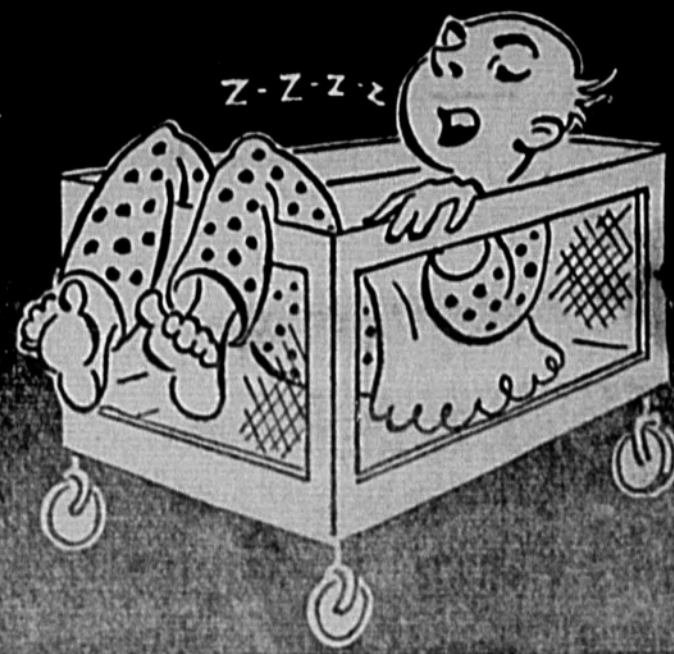
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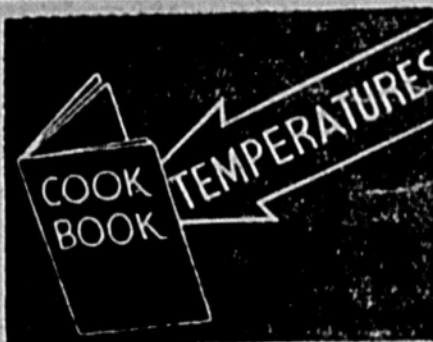
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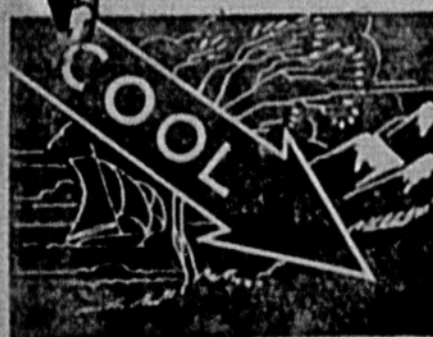
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Slaton School Singers Take Part In Program Of Inauguration

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RECEPTION FOR MR. AND MRS. EARL REASONER HELD AT CLUBHOUSE THURSDAY EVENING

Ladies of the First Christian Church were hostesses Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the clubhouse with a reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reasoner, recently married and making their home here. The receiving line was composed of Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Webb; H. S. Crews; Earl Reasoner; Mrs. Reasoner, mother of the groom; Messrs. and Mesdames C. C. Wicker, and J. G. Wilhite.

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Music was played throughout the afternoon and a program was given by Misses Cornelia Denizen, singing "Love Calls"; Mary Frances Landreth, reading; Marion Bechtel, piano solo; Mina Garland, reading; and Mrs. L. A. Harral, vocal solo.

A multitude of gifts were displayed upon lace covered tables.

WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB HAS BOOK REVIEW IN ALLEN FERRELL HOME

Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Mrs. Allen Ferrell was hostess to the Wednesday Study Club at her home.

Mrs. J. H. Brewer gave a fine review of the very popular book, "The Art of Selfishness" by David Seabury.

The members and guests who were served the attractive salad plate were: Mesdames M. W. Abernathy, R. B. Bechtel, Brewer, T. A. Bruner, W. T. Davis, Fred England, L. A. Harral, S. A. Peavy, R. W. Ragsdale, K. C. Scott, K. L. Scudder, Govan Stokes, Harry Stokes, C. W. Taylor, and W. R. Williams.

Guests were: Mesdames C. J. Wolf-skill of Lubbock, sister of the hostess; Frank Wright, N. R. Carter, O. O. Crow, J. E. Lester, Basil Brady, R. G. Loveless, and Thelma Lamar.

MRS. J. A. ELLIOTT ELECTED NEW PRESIDENT OF THE CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB

Officers for the coming year were elected at the meeting of the Civic and Culture Club when they met Saturday afternoon January 14th with Mrs. James Rayburn, hostess, who served a lovely refreshment plate as her guests arrived.

With out-going president, Mrs. R. H. Todd, Sr., in charge of the business meeting, all members responded with "an Amusing Incident in My Club Experience," that proved to be a clever recital.

Then followed the election of the officers for the coming year: president, Mrs. J. A. Elliott; vice president, Mrs. Joe Webb; secretary, Mrs. Charles Suit; corresponding secretary,

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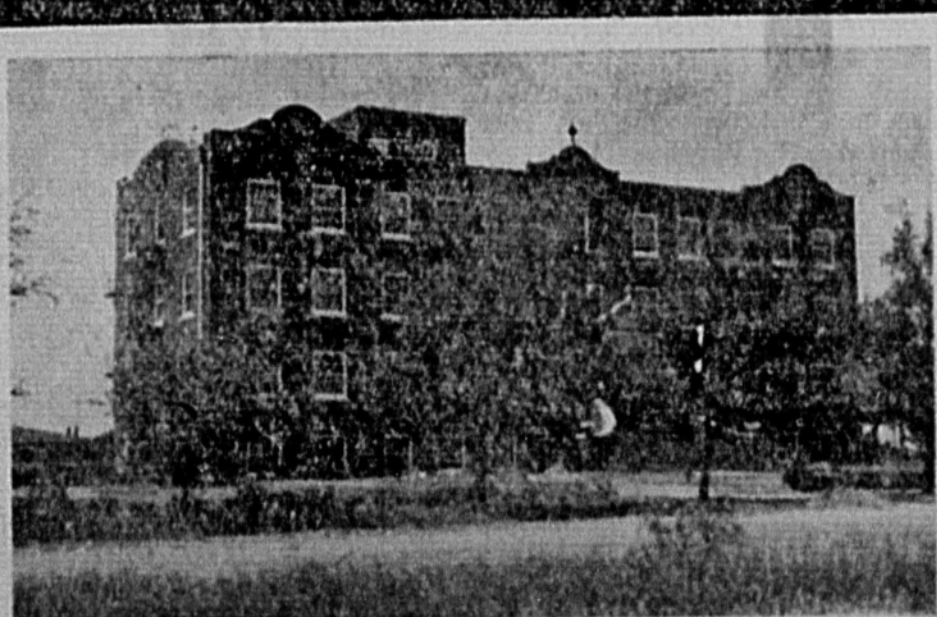
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By Joseph W. La Bine

Germany

Two events on one bleak January day, one at tiny Munkacs, Hungary, the other at lofty Berchtesgaden, Germany, gave puzzled European observers the key to future plans of the Rome-Berlin axis. The events: Berchtesgaden. To Adolf Hitler's Bavarian eyrie came another visitor, Poland's Foreign Minister Joseph Beck. Colonel Beck was frightened because: (1) Germany has shown outright hostility by fomenting revolt in Polish sections of the vast Ukraine; has been busy Nazifying Lithuania's Baltic seaport of Memel; has Nazified the free city of Danzig and made other threats at closing Poland's precious "corridor" to the Baltic; (2) because one of Poland's allies, France, re-



POLAND'S COLONEL BECK
He sought and found security.

fuses to help her in wartime; (3) because another ally, Russia, is far away and would be of questionable assistance.

Colonel Beck left Berchtesgaden after discovering he had much in common with the master of Europe. Though unannounced, the conference results are quite discernible. Having been granted security at Germany's mercy, Poland will play an important role in the Reich's campaign to create a Ukrainian republic, also serving as a rear guard while Berlin turns its attentions to helping Friend Mussolini win Mediterranean territorial concessions from France. Poland will lead in forming a band of armed, neutral states from the Baltic to the Balkans, protecting Germany from Russia. Poland will permit a German railroad and highway from East Prussia to Germany proper, across the Polish corridor. Most important, Poland will probably lead in Pan-Ukrainian agitation, serving as a "front" nation for the Reich.

Munkacs. Bad blood has stood between Czechoslovakia and Hungary since last November 2, when a German-Italian commission remarked the southern boundary of Carpatho-Ukraine (Ruthenia) and gave added territory to Hungary. Unpopular with Germans and Czechs alike was one Italian demand, that strategic Munkacs be ceded to Hungary. Munkacs is a key city in Germany's plan for vast Carpatho-Ukrainian fortifications, slyly planned as a threat to keep Russia intimidated while the Reich turns its attentions to winning concessions from France and Great Britain, both for itself and Mussolini.

When Czech-Hungarian hostilities broke out at Munkacs, the inspiration was obvious. This time using Czechoslovakia for a "front," Hitler was stirring up trouble which will lead to a re-demarcation of the Czech-Hungarian frontier, bringing strategic Munkacs back into his power. This done, the Reich has only to placate little Hungary. Then the chain of pro-German states will extend from Baltic to Balkans.

These things happened just as British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain left for Rome, where observers expected him to make a deal with Mussolini. The probable deal: France would give Italy Suez canal rights and joint use of the Djibouti-Addis Ababa railroad. In return Italy would guarantee security for British shipping in the Mediterranean, also helping settle Britain's Palestine headache. But with Hitler once more turning his eyes westward, this could be interpreted as only the beginning. After helping Mussolini win his demands, the Reich will probably demand gigantic economic and financial concessions from the democracies, even going so far as to demand return of World War reparations. Mulling over these prospects, European democracies have good reason to fear 1939's eleven remaining months.

Races

Germany originally planned to finance deportation of Jews by making foreign powers buy her goods. The plan: Jewish emigrants would trade their money for—or be financed in the purchase of—German export products. This plan won little sympathy from either Britain or the U. S., but it at least offered a

basis for negotiation by which the intergovernmental refugee committee could deal both with Germany and Italy. Since Italy's Jewish persecution is far less severe than Germany's, President Roosevelt contacted Premier Mussolini shortly after January 1, asking him to urge more leniency on Chancellor Hitler. Also suggested was the settling of Italian Jews (who must leave by February 1) in Ethiopia.

A week later, as Prime Minister Chamberlain left on his "appeasement" journey to Rome, it looked like President Roosevelt had inadvertently given the Rome-Berlin axis another weapon to hold over Democracy's head. Smart Mussolini, probably on advice from the even smarter Hitler, was willing to discuss the Roosevelt program with Mr. Chamberlain. Observers thought he would agree, but only if Mr. Chamberlain hastens French capitulation to Italian territorial claims. Meanwhile George Rublee, American director of the refugee committee, left for Berlin to negotiate with Hitler, apparently willing to consider a modification of the Reich's program to blackmail democracies into accepting unwanted Jews.

Interesting as a sidelight was the announcement of an Italian repatriation commission, whose duty is to make 10,000,000 racial Italians return from foreign countries, partly replacing the Jews now being ousted. But the drive's real purpose is to give Italy an uncomfortable surplus population, thereby backing her territorial claims in Africa.

Spain

Just before Prime Minister Chamberlain left London for Rome (See GERMANY), Premier Mussolini sent orders to Spain's Rebel Generalissimo Francisco Franco. The orders: Start an immediate major offensive, aimed to show Mr. Chamberlain that Loyalist Spain is collapsing and should therefore be sold out.

Aided by Italian troops, also by Italian and German planes and guns, General Franco started driving into northeastern Catalonia two days before Christmas. A fortnight later his offensive was sprawling over a 100-mile front, creeping slowly and painstakingly toward the coastal city of Tarragona. Though he boasted 300,000 troops, though his attack resembled the World War's Verdun, the showing was still too unimpressive to make Mr. Chamberlain jump through a hoop.

What made matters worse was news from south central Estremadura, where Loyalist Gen. Jose Mijang's Loyalist army had made a spearhead advance of 50 miles in five days, capturing rich mining lands on which General Franco depended for buying war materials abroad. Thoroughly angry, Franco ordered removal of his famous "radio general," Gonzalo Queipo de Llano, famous for his lusty broadcasts from Seville. Then he took steps to protect the Loyalist objective, the Seville-Salamanca railroad



GEN. JOSE MIAJA
General Franco lost his mines.

which connects northern and southern Spain. The only Franco recourse seemed to be withdrawal of thoroughly tired troops from the Catalonia front, which undoubtedly meant a loss of the bloody gains Rebel Spain has made in that sector since Christmas.

Medicine

Bright and dark sides feature Surgeon General Thomas Parran's annual report on the nation's health: **Dark Side.** Some 40,000,000 U. S. citizens cannot provide for medical care during serious illness. About 360,000 more hospital beds are needed. Only a few states have satisfactory programs against pneumonia and cancer; tuberculosis and malaria are also serious. Venereal disease control appropriations must be increased immediately. **Bright Side.** Death rate fell from 11.3 per thousand in 1936 to 10.9 in 1937, then to 10.8 in 1938's first six months. Infant mortality fell from 57.1 per thousand live births in 1936 to 54.4 in 1937. Most contagious diseases are decreasing.

Chief causes of death in 1937 (as usual) were heart diseases, cancer and other malignant tumors, pneumonia, cerebral hemorrhage and softening, nephritis, accidents (except automobile) and tuberculosis.

Relief

"Now that Mr. Hopkins has been made secretary of commerce you won't need all of this \$875,000,000, will you?"

The questioner: New York's Rep. John Taber. His audience: Works Progress Administrator F. C. Harrington. The implication: That President Roosevelt's request for an \$875,000,000 deficiency appropriation to carry WPA until the next fiscal year starts July 1, is too high, since Former WPA Administrator Harry Hopkins can now dispense patronage instead of relief funds.

If Administrator Harrington thought this reasoning was silly, he knew better than to say so. So did any other Roosevelt appointee who



WPA'S HARRINGTON
Rep. Taber asked a question.

might be called upon to testify before a house or senate committee. For there was revolution brewing under the capitol dome, and most of it was concerned with spending and taxing.

First the White House had requested "moderate" tax rises to offset farm parity payments and finance the first half of a proposed defense expansion program. The added cost: \$422,000,000. Next had come the \$875,000,000 to operate WPA until July 1, which was \$125,000,000 greater than WPA deficiency estimates included in the previous day's budget message.

Mr. Harrington knew that his WPA would have a harder time justifying its expenditures than would the agricultural department or the army. Placed into the house committee's record was a table showing that WPA expenses increased steadily through September, October and December, when the federal reserve board index showed business was booming. His defense: That relief rolls dropped from 3,112,000 on December 24 to 3,075,000 on December 31. His claim: That a slash of the deficiency appropriation to \$500,000,000 would bring starvation to many unfortunates. Nevertheless it looked like Mr. Harrington would be lucky indeed to get \$500,000,000.

Such incidents demonstrate that the Seventy-sixth congress is independent. If it grants Mr. Roosevelt's full budgetary requests for the next fiscal year—which is doubtful—the U. S. public debt will rise precariously near \$45,000,000,000, which is the legal peak on treasury department borrowing. Anticipated daily is a White House request that the limit be raised.

Asia

Under the premiership of Prince Fumimaro Konoye, Japan came close to overthrowing China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek when Wang Ching-wei, one-time leader of the Kuomintang (Nationalist) party, agreed to make peace and head a puppet Chinese government. This three-man poker game first began collapsing January 1 when Kai-shek ousted Wang from the Kuomintang and sent him scurrying to cover in French Indo-China. The second player to withdraw was Prince Konoye, whose forced resignation from the premiership places Chiang in an even firmer position.

Prince Konoye has been succeeded by Kichiro Hiranuma, a pro-Fascist and extreme nationalist, who would hardly sympathize with Wang's plans for an independent China. Premier Hiranuma's only offer to Wang could be leadership of an outright puppet regime like Manchukuo, and this he could not accept. Another fly in the ointment is Japan's military machine, now strengthened by the Fascist governmental tendency.

People

At San Pedro's Terminal island correctional prison, where he was transferred from Alcatraz, Al Capone was said by a guard to be "screwy as a bedbug."

● In Vienna, Jewish, persecuted Dr. Salomon Frankfurter, 80, rejoiced that the U. S. had elevated his nephew, Harvard's Felix Frankfurter, to the Supreme court.

QUIZ

If you read News Analysis, you can answer these questions:
● Did the U. S. death rate rise or fall in 1937, compared with 1936?
● Of what famous prisoner did a guard say, "He's screwy as a bedbug"?
● Japan's new premier strengthens the hope for Chinese-Japanese peace. True or false?
● What nation will serve as Germany's "front" in the Ukrainian conquest?
● The legal limit of U. S. public debt is \$50,000,000,000. True or false?
● Why is Spanish Rebel Gen. Queipo de Llano known as the radio general?
● Identify: Munkacs, Beck, Mijang, Rublee, Hiranuma.

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Lesson for January 22

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PETER DENIES HIS LORD

LESSON TEXT—Luke 22:31, 32, 54-62. GOLDEN TEXT—Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.—1 Corinthians 10:12.

One of the most heartbreaking experiences we have as Christians is to find that one in whom we have had every confidence as a true and faithful follower of the Lord, has denied Him by going out into almost unbelievable sin. Often it seems that those who, like Peter, have had the loftiest and most inspiring fellowship with the Lord, and who speak with the greatest ease about His love and grace, turn to the most reprehensible of sins.

Let any unbeliever who reads this begin to gloat over the failures of Christians, let him be reminded now of his own sin which needs his attention, and of the fact that though Peter fell, he arose again to victory and usefulness. May it also be said that none of us has any right to a "holier than thou" attitude toward a brother who has fallen. "Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall" (1 Cor. 10:12), and let him in broken-hearted sympathy help to restore his stricken brother "in the spirit of meekness: considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted" (Gal. 6:1).

I. Sifted but Not Destroyed (vv. 31, 32).

Satan, who is a far more powerful spiritual being than most folk think, is actively interested in tempting the Christian. He uses many clever devices. Although he is not possessed of divine powers, he does have supernatural cunning and knows the weakness of each one of us. He knew the boastful self-assurance of Peter and was ready to tempt him at that point. Jesus knew this, and even in this dark hour shortly before His crucifixion He takes time to warn Peter, and with His warning to give the assurance that though it was to be tried, his faith was not to fail, and that he was to be restored to fellowship and service when he "turned again," which is the correct translation for the word "converted."

II. Self-assurance and Disgraceful Failure (vv. 33, 34, 54-60).

Peter was sure of himself and of his consecration to the Lord. A man who stands in that place is in grave danger. It is not long before we find Peter, apparently presuming on his own ability to stand fast, consorting with the enemies of Christ, warming himself by their fire. Someone has suggested that the great spiritual problem of our day is not the conflict between the Church and the world; nor is it to determine how the Church can best serve in the world, but rather what to do about the world which has gotten into the Church. How did worldliness get into the Church? The members brought it there after they had gone out and warmed themselves at the world's fire, and fellowshiped with the world in ungodly living.

The denials made by Peter seem almost unbelievable in the life of one who had been in immediate fellowship with the Lord and who had seen His glory. We have here a revelation of the fact that "the heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked; who can know it?" (Jer. 17:9). We agree with Dr. Wilbur M. Smith: "This is of the Devil. This is humanity sinking to the lowest plane of base ingratitude. This is shame upon shame." One might have hoped that one denial would bring quick and sincere repentance, but instead it leads the way to a second and to a third. There seemed to be nothing that could stop Peter, until "the Lord turned and looked" at him. This suggests its only effective way to deal with backsliders. Argument, pleading, even shaming them, will do no good. We must bring them to the place where they meet their Lord.

III. The Look of Love and a Broken Heart (vv. 61, 62).

What was in the look of Jesus is perhaps best expressed by Alexander Maclaren: "It spoke of Christ's knowledge, of Christ's pain, of Christ's love."

The backslider needs first of all to realize that the Lord knows all about his denials and sin. He has been hiding things from his family and friends, denying accusations, trying to cover up his guilt. Let him now abandon every such effort. Jesus knows all about it.

The second thing to be realized is that he has added to the pain and sorrow of his Lord. For a believer to turn away from Him is no light matter, to be casually dealt with. He needs to be deeply conscious of the wounding of the heart of the Lord, as well as of the damage done to God's people and His cause in the earth.

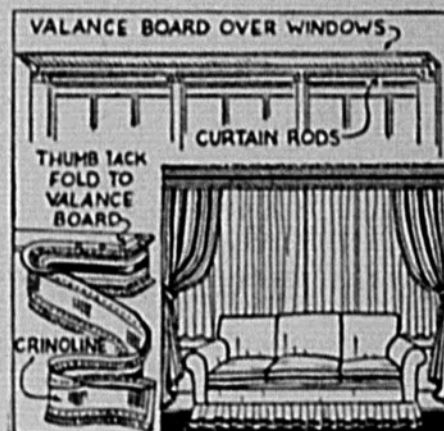
But above all it was a look of love. The Lord deals in tenderness with the backslider. While he never can or will condone sin, He loves the sinner, and especially does He love the one who belongs to Him but who has gone astray. What a gracious Lord we do have!

How to Curtain a Group of Windows

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

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I would use plain cream colored glass curtains for all the windows and overdrapes at the ends only. A striped material of tan and green and blue



be nice for the draperies with a narrow fringe edging in green and tan or green and blue. A valance board at the top of the windows is essential when a plain valance is used. This board should be four inches wide and 1/2 inch thick. It is screwed in place with L brackets. Ordinary metal curtain rods are placed just under it for the glass curtains and side drapes. The plain valance should be long enough to fit around the ends of the board and should be about six inches deep finished. It should be stiffened with an interlining of crinoline, and an allowance should be made at the top for a tuck or fold to be tacked to the board as shown.

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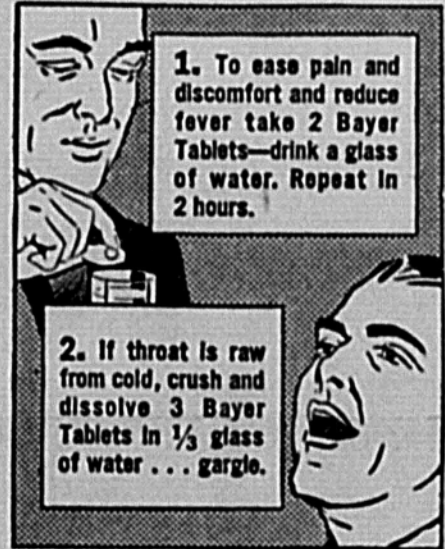
Windows.—A small window may be made to look larger by setting the curtain rods beyond the casing on each side and using the draperies of a material heavy enough so that the casing will not be seen through the material.

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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

Ainsworth moistened his lips. "You say that what you call 'the evidence' is on file," he said. "Where is it on file?" "It's in the office safe of our former classmate, George Stuyvesant," replied Hale. "You mean you've told him?" Ainsworth stammered. "Of course I've told him. I had a long talk with him in New York this morning. Is there any reason why I shouldn't have told him?" "All this fuss over a little nonsense," Ainsworth muttered. "There's a great difference in taste about jokes," Hale pointed out. "George thinks I ought to have you put in bonds to keep the peace, and all that sort of thing. But I'm hoping that won't be necessary. I'm hoping you and I can come to such an amicable understanding about the little Kneeland matter that we won't even have to consider our personal complications. How about it?"

"So that's your scheme?" Ainsworth set his teeth. "I'll see you in hell before I'll dicker with you about my claim."

Hale rose. "All right," he said regretfully. "Then I'll have to press my personal charge of attempted murder."

"All of which means," Ainsworth muttered, "that you're going to try to use this cock-and-bull story to do me out of a just claim."

"No, it doesn't mean that," Hale said tolerantly. "It might, but it doesn't. Being in a strong position, I'm going to be merciful. How much will you take to sign a quit-claim on Kneeland and clear out?"

"That's easy. Half his annual profits."

"I'll bet you would—but you won't. Now I'll tell you what you will do. I'll make an offer. If you don't accept it in five minutes I'll decrease it 25 per cent. I'm not bluffing, Ainsworth. I mean exactly what I say. I'm fed up with you. I don't care much how this case ends. Here's what Kneeland will do. He'll give you a hundred thousand dollars worth of stock and guarantee you an income of six thousand a year from it for the rest of your life. He'll pay the first quarter's interest in advance. He'll turn over the stock to you and you'll both sign a cast-iron agreement in John Phelps' office tomorrow morning. You will also agree, of course, never to sell the stock. How about it? You've got exactly five minutes to decide."

"All right," Ainsworth said suddenly. "I was getting bored here anyway. Six thousand a year isn't to be sneezed at."

"You bet it isn't. Then we can regard that as a bargain?"

"You can."

Ainsworth and Rex met Kneeland in his office the following morning. The interview proceeded in an atmosphere of suppressed suspicion. Each of the principals revealed a gloomy conviction that he had the worse of the bargain. However, both signed the impressive legal documents and the affair was concluded. Hale alone was satisfied. He had got over his second hurdle. If there was still another in the offing he was not yet sure what it was. He had had enough worldly experience to know that in this imperfect life one's best efforts are usually taken as a matter of course by those who benefit by them. He had not looked for appreciation from either Ainsworth or Kneeland. He was not pained by its absence.

If Joan had missed Hale during his brief absence she gave no sign of it on his return that night. She was very subdued, but brightened a trifle when he mentioned his wish to ask Stuyvesant to the Camp. Hale felt a pang of jealousy which he briskly suppressed. Again he assured himself that he was not in love with Joan Kneeland and that he never would be; but he knew better. She increasingly filled the foreground of his thoughts and of his life.

He was experiencing a slight reaction from the strain of the past days—a tendency to lie on the beach and bask in the sun. He indulged it. He felt that he was entitled to a short vacation. His sense of well-being lasted till Friday night of the following week. Then, with Stuyvesant's arrival for the week-end visit, it merged into an acute and painful jealousy. Stuyvesant was a welcome addition to the house-party. Mrs. Spencer Forbes openly neglected Hale for him; Miss Hosanna, too, showed symptoms of waning allegiance. These things did not disturb him. It was Joan's liking for Stuyvesant that hurt. Joan, however, was not wholly at her best. She and Bert spent Saturday in the motor-boat with Stuyvesant and Hale, and picked through the noon hours at a romantic spot up the coast. The four young things had their luncheon there under the trees. It was a good luncheon and Banks had packed it with tender solicitude. Joan ate none of it. She had

supplied herself with a small thermos bottle full of milk. Of this, at intervals, she poured out and languidly drank a small quantity. There was no snap about her. Looking at her, Hale worried. Doctor Crosby had extended his stay in New York. His secretary had telephoned that the doctor was held there all week, by a very sick patient at one of the hospitals. He could not return till Monday of the second week, and therefore could make no appointments till Tuesday. Joan had accepted the message with more than resignation. "I really don't need him at all," she declared resentfully.

But Hale made the appointments for her and Bert. Bert was improving daily. His appetite was good, and he assured Hale that he slept nine hours every night. He had always been a serious youth. Today, though he seemed to enjoy

him. "I'm no philanthropist. Things are going pretty well with me, considering the times. For the last eighteen months I've been looking around for the right man to help me. I'm not saying I've been rushing about with a lantern, or anything of that sort. I can worry along. On the other hand I can certainly keep a good man busy from now on. Like you, I'm thinking of the future. When your voice came over the telephone that first day, I got a real kick out of it. I said to myself, 'Here's the combination I need!' I was sure of it by the time we'd finished luncheon, but I didn't want to rush you. However, I did suggest that you should ask me out here, and I reminded you of the suggestion again last week. It wasn't because of Miss Kneeland, either," he added complacently. "She's a peach, but I've got a perfectly good girl of my own. We're

I waited. That's partly why I didn't go in with our classmate Flaherty. He suggested it two years ago and I admit I was tempted. He's got Tammany eating out of his hand. He's simply coining money. But fancy having Flaherty as a partner! Wouldn't there be fireworks?" His voice changed. "Then it's settled?" he asked eagerly. "It's settled." They shook hands on it, and were startled by Joan Kneeland's low laugh. She and Bert had grown tired of waiting on the shore and had come back for them. "A touching scene," Joan said. "You fly from us, we pursue. We find you apparently going through an eternal farewell. Has Mr. Stuyvesant had all he can endure of our simple life? Is he taking the five-thirty train?" "Far from it," Stuyvesant told her. "I'm planning now to stay all

summer with you. You see, I've realized a boyhood dream in this hour," he added exuberantly. "I've persuaded Hale to join forces with me. Stuyvesant and Hale! How does it sound?" "What he means," Hale laughed, "is that he's giving me a job."

"A job with prospects," Stuyvesant amended. "The prospects are that he'll do all the work and I'll pocket most of the money. But he can have a partnership next year, if he wants it."

"It sounds like a mighty good arrangement for you both," Bert said with unusual warmth. "Congratulations." His eyes lingered on Hale affectionately. Thus far, at least, Herbert Kneeland had no reservations in his appreciation of Hale's services. He was, as always, reserved and rather shy. But he lost no opportunity to show friendliness and liking for the "home secretary."

"I'm glad," Joan was saying. "This means that Mr. Hale will be in New York instead of in Chicago or California. We can all keep right on being a nuisance to him. Uncle Cass can throw his burdens on his shoulders. So can Bert. So can I. That may not leave him much time for your affairs, Mr. Stuyvesant, but it will be marvelous for us."

They walked down to the pier, re-entered the motor-boat, and continued their journey along the shore. (TO BE CONTINUED)



Joan had supplied herself with a thermos bottle of milk.

the chatter of his companions, he took little part in it. Joan was more responsive, but she contributed only a small share to the persiflage of the other two.

Hale saw that Stuyvesant was watching her with an odd expression in his keen eyes. "I've never seen such a change in anyone in such a short time as there is in Miss Kneeland," he confided, when they were alone for a few moments. "She was a wise-cracking butterfly last winter, if you know what I mean. She was amusing and full of pep and interested in everything. What's happened to her?"

Rex answered the question with another. "Do you think she looks sick?"

"Yes, I do," Stuyvesant said flatly. "You see, I've only known her a few weeks myself," Rex explained. "For all I know she has always been like this. She's variable, but so are most girls. Some days she's quite cheerful and amusing. Then again she'll be as she is today—uninterested, almost dull. I haven't known quite what to make of her. The Ainsworth business was going on, as I've told you, and I've been taken up with that and one or two other things. She says she's only run down and tired. My own theory is that Halcyon Camp has been a damned depressing place for her. I think she's fed up with it and with most of the people around her. I am myself," he added unexpectedly.

Stuyvesant looked at him in surprise. "What's the matter with you?"

Rex realized that he had said too much. "Just a bit fed up," he explained lightly. "You see Ainsworth's little attentions were something of a strain. Besides, my future's on my mind. I'm at loose ends. I've got to look about and find some sort of an opening. The outlook isn't particularly rosy."

They were packing the luncheon dishes back into the basket, while Bert and Joan carried the scraps and paper cups and plates to refuse barrels some distance away. Then the cousins had strolled on down to the beach, evidently expecting the others to join them. Stuyvesant slipped an arm through Hale's and drew him to a bench among the trees.

"That's one of the things I came here to talk to you about," he explained as they sat down on it. "This seems as good a time as any. How would you like to go in with me?"

Rex smiled appreciatively. "It sounds great," he admitted. "But I don't want you cooking up any imaginary job for me, for old time's sake."

"That's rot," Stuyvesant assured

going to be married in November. That's one reason why I need you. I've promised to take her to Egypt for the honeymoon. We'll be gone three months. Incidentally, I want you to be my best man at the wedding."

After this it was some time before they got back to business. Stuyvesant was a phonograph record. He had to be allowed to run down. Rex listened to him with interest and a warming sense of relief.

"You needn't think I'm offering you anything very big," Stuyvesant went on when they returned to practical matters. "My idea is to take you on for a year or so at a decent salary—say, what you had in Spain. After that, if we hit it off, and you like the prospects, you can buy as much of an interest in the firm as you care to take, up to half of it. How about it? Are you going to tell me that you've got to think it over?"

"You can bet I'm not. I'm all for the experiment, if you're sure you want me."

Stuyvesant's round face grew very serious. "I don't mind admitting that I've been sure of that since we were at Ithaca together," he said slowly. "I picked you out for a future partner during our first year there. Nerve on my part, for you hardly knew I was alive then. Before I was in a position to even speak of the plan you had gone to Spain, so

of West Point, but don't go in there!"

"He would not listen. There were 20,000 Indians there and not a man of Custer's force was left."

General Custer with a force of 600 men assumed he was attacking a party of 1,200 Pawnees whom he believed marching to join Sitting Bull. He and all his men were killed.

One of Oldest Universities At Morelia, capital of Michoacan, Mexico, visitors are attracted to San Nicolas, oldest university in the Americas. Within the university is a small library that has no books less than 100 years old, and within the library is a tomb containing a two-foot coffin, wherein is the pickled heart of Melchor Ocampo, Mexican patriot of the 1850s, who was slain by anti-government forces. There, also, is the hair of Ocampo, his neatly washed shirt and the trousers that were riddled by the firing squad. The visitor is shown his last will: "I being told that I am about to die, wish to name the following as my lawful daughters. I hereby adopt a fifth daughter who will share in my estate."

Warned Custer, Aged Indian Relates, In Description of Terrible Massacre

If Gen. George A. Custer had listened to Charles Copeland, he might be alive today "though, of course a very old man," according to Copeland, a Cherokee Indian with the tribal name of White Horse who says he is ninety-three years old, writes a Colorado Springs United Press correspondent in the Detroit Free Press.

Copeland talks in a strange mixture of old-time phraseology and modern slang. He describes the Custer massacre of June 26, 1876:

"Yea, brother, this is how it was. I was there with a bunch of friendly Indians on our way to an Idaho reservation.

"We passed through that country (the battlefield) and talked to Custer and Sitting Bull. Sitting Bull was a big-shot medicine man and a great general.

"You know this is not peace," I said to Sitting Bull and he said to me, 'I know it is not peace, they are after my hide.'

"To Custer I said, 'they will get your hide brother, if you go in there. Say brother, I know you are a grad-

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- 1. Was John Witherspoon the only preacher who signed the Declaration of Independence?
2. Are there as many Indians in the United States today as there were at the time of the Battle of the Little Big Horn?
3. Who was the first Roosevelt to come to this country?
4. What is a digamist?
5. Is a knot or nautical mile longer or shorter than a land mile?
6. How much floor space is there in the Merchandise Mart in Chicago?
7. Can a steamship whistle cause icebergs to break off from the Arctic glaciers?
8. When did women first color their fingernails and wear them long?

The Answers

- 1. Yes.
2. There are more Indians in America today than there were in 1876, the year of the battle.
3. According to genealogists the first Roosevelt to come to this country was Claes Martenzen van Roosevelt, in 1640.
4. Anyone married legally the second time.
5. The land mile is 5,280 feet; the nautical mile is 6,080 feet, or 800 feet longer.
6. The Merchandise Mart contains 4,000,000 square feet.
7. The vibrations set up in the air by whistles have been known to do it.
8. In the days of Salome and Cleopatra, women stained their nails with henna. Under the social regime of the Chinese empire, fingernails worn several inches long and covered with gold cases were a symbol of the aristocracy who did not have to work with their hands.

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Abernathy Home of Colonial-Spanish Type

Built low for a country where horizons are low and winds are high, and spacious for a land of open spaces, with hundreds of square feet of window space to absorb sunshine and warmth in a country where sunshine is plentiful, the white structure with red mission roof, of the Marvin Abernathy home in the north outskirts of Slaton catches the eye of passers-by on the busy highway. The plan of the house catches the heart of home lovers who see it and the interior of the building is a delight to all who visit the showy new home just off Golf Course Road.

This combination of strict Spanish and Colonial type home comes from California and is popularly known as Monterey style of architecture. The windows are metal hooded and will have wrought iron lattices with bright pots on a redwood ledge to give them the same note of gaiety as one finds in the homes of sunny California. The entrance will also have the lattice work, and in the near future the grounds will be landscaped to suit the style of the house.

The living room on the north side of the building has a drop floor below the other parts of the building. A huge grooved plaster fireplace is set in the north wall, and great windows let in light and warmth from the sunlight. Blue in its many hues, is the color note used throughout the home, and in the living room a deep blue is very striking against the white walls and woodwork. There are no shades in any room but heavy drapes are at the windows, and can be drawn to shut out the night. Semi-indirect lighting is employed to give a soft, mellow glow to the alabaster walls. The main entrance is framed in glass brick and the side entrance opens out on a flagstone terrace.

Two guest bedrooms, one with a private dressing room, open off the long hall through the center of the house. Both are in shades of blue but the connecting bath is tiled in orchid and lavender.

Green is the color in the master bedroom, that can be used as a study, too, as it has a huge built-in bookcase that gives it a cozy look. The private bath and dressing room adjoining is tiled in green and black, with a glassed-in shower recess.

White will predominate in the airy dining room, to be furnished in period furniture. Maize and pastel green enlivens the dining nook, separated from the all-white kitchen by a buttress that holds bright colored pottery. A bay window holds a semi-circular seat for the round table.

Air-conditioning is thermostatically controlled on the ground floor but is housed in the basement, that has extra space to be utilized later in a play room.

There are six clothes and three linen closets, with a number of built-in dresser, cabinet and drawer spaces. All the floors are polished red oak and the hardware is hammered brass.

Mahon Appointed To Powerful Committee

Washington — Official announcement was made this week of the election of Congressman George Mahon by the House of Representatives to a place on the Committee on Appropriations. The place is considered a highly desirable one and is much sought after among Members of the House. Only two Democratic Members were elected this Session. The membership of the committee includes 25 Democrats and 15 Republicans, Mr. Mahon being the only Member from Texas.

Since the Committee is a major one and has a heavy schedule of hearings throughout the Session, a Democratic Member of this Committee is not permitted to serve on any other standing committee of the House. Mr. Mahon leaves posts which he has held through two terms in Congress on the Committees on Civil Service, Insular Affairs, Census, and Elections.

Boy Scout Work Is Active On S. Plains

The complete organization of all committees together with their chairmen for the thirteenth Annual South Plains Area Council meeting, scheduled for January 24, was announced this week by Dr. F. B. Malone, Lubbock Council President.

Approximately 400 Scout leaders and their wives from over the twenty counties of the council are expected to attend.

Mr. Clint Anderson of Albuquerque, New Mexico, former President of the Northern New Mexico Council and past President of Rotary International, will deliver the address.

At a meeting held January 4, 1939, at Wilson, Texas, a new troop was organized, with prospects for a second troop to be started later in the month. Mr. G. E. Welch and Webber Williams of Slaton were in charge of the organization. The Baptist Church of Wilson will sponsor the first troop, and Rev. Paul McCasland was appointed Scoutmaster. Plans were made with Rev. E. Herber to organize a troop in the Lutheran Church at a later date.

Over fifty men and boys from Wilson and surrounding country attended the meeting.

According to G. E. Welch, South-eastern District Chairman, plans were made here for the celebration of Boy Scout Anniversary Week, February 8 to 18. The main features of the program are the dedication of the Scout Hut and a Court of Honor. Scouts will be elected to the city offices and will run the town for a day.

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