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Graduation Exercises Here Friday Night

Graduation exercises will be held in the high school auditorium Friday evening of this week, beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

Rev. Robert Boshen, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Pampa, will deliver the address, and E. L. Sitter, president of the board of education, will present diplomas to 38 members of the senior class.

Robert H. Wilson is valedictorian and James Edward Fulbright, salutatorian, both boys making straight records.

Seventeen members of the class are the "B" honor roll.

Prof. O. W. Cunningham, high school principal, will present the prizes and awards.

Other numbers on the program include the processional played by a brass ensemble directed by Prof. J. Newman; a clarinet solo by Jack Young; a girls' quartet directed by Miss Dale Smith, and the invocation by Rev. Troy A. Sumrall, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

GMA GAMMA HAS SUNDAY BREAKFAST

GMA Gamma members and guests were entertained at breakfast Sunday morning in the home of Mrs. J. Coffey.

Tables were attractively appointed in red and pink carnations, with garlands of the same flower.

The invocation was offered by Mrs. Roy M. Brown. Miss Evonne Floyd, accompanied by Miss Eloise Lane, sang "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling."

Those present were: Mesdames J. Newman, H. W. Finley, Leroy Brown, Willie Boyett, D. C. Carter, J. W. Story, Alma Turman, Carl M. Jones, Jack Van Beober of Herville.

Misses Sarah Ellen Foster, Mary McMillaney, Ruth Ansley, Leah Lane of Pampa, Evonne Floyd, Ruby Lane, Eloise Lane, Lois Hinton, Maudie Wilson, Lorene Winton, Hellen Huth, Jewell Cousins, Dale Smith, Arpe Hall and Wilma Richards.

At a recent meeting of the club, Miss Ruby Swin was elected president for the coming year, which begins in September. Miss Dale Smith was elected first vice president; Miss Lane, second vice president; and Miss Hellen Heath, secretary-treasurer. Miss Jewell Cousins is retiring president.

OSWELL'S PICTURE IN PAPER

Dr. G. C. Boswell, president of Westford College and former superintendent of the McLean schools, was the principal speaker and master of ceremonies at the breaking of ground for a new library for the college and public schools of Westford. A picture of Dr. Boswell speaking to the crowd gathered for the ceremonies was carried in the Sunday issue of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

KILTIE BAND TO VISIT

The famous all girls Kiltie Band of Oklahoma will be in McLean June 1 to give a free concert on Main street, along with a delegation of Oklahoma City boosters. All school children who meet the party will be given attractive souvenirs, according to advance information given by the Oklahoma City chamber of commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Woodrome and Mrs. L. K. Hornsby were in McLean one day last week.

Mrs. C. J. Cash and daughter, Mrs. Bernice Cubine, were Pampa visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Smith of Clarendon visited in McLean this week.

BIRTHDAYS

May 26—A. C. St. Clair, Z. T. Jones, Mrs. Wheeler Foster, Mrs. Joe Dodson, Mrs. Bill Allen.

May 27—Ted Ruff, W. W. Boyd, Mrs. Hunter.

May 28—Frankie Roth, John Clayton, Mrs. Travis Stokes, Dannie Smith.

May 29—John B. Vannoy.

May 30—Ruth Strandberg.

May 31—Maxine Goodman.

June 1—Billy Cash.

Thirty-eight Graduates McLean High School



—Photo by Alderson.

RED CROSS CONTRIBUTORS

According to Charles Cousins, Red Cross chairman, the following have contributed the amounts following their names, for war relief:

Troy A. Sumrall \$20, City Food Store \$5, American National Bank \$5, C. O. Greene \$5, Smith Bros. \$5, City Drug Store \$5, Boyd Meador \$5, Puckett's Grocery \$5, Tom Boyd, Inc. \$2, F. E. Stewart \$2, 66 Service Station \$2, Meador Cafe \$2, Western Lbr. & Hdw. Co. \$2, Magnolia Service Station \$2, Mrs. Willie Boyett \$2, Miss Lois Hinton \$2, Mrs. J. W. Story \$2, Jess Kemp \$2, Joe Hindman \$2, Chas. E. Cooke \$2, Carl M. Jones \$2.

C. M. Carpenter \$1, C. G. Nicholson \$1, Chas. Cousins \$1, Perry Everett \$1, Sam Hodges \$1, E. J. Lander \$1, Fred Mann \$1, A. L. Hibler \$1, C. A. Watkins \$1, Geo. Colebank \$1, A. T. Wilson \$1, Mrs. E. J. Lander \$1, J. S. McLaughlin \$1, Dr. A. W. Hicks \$1, Orville Cunningham \$1, Bryan Roby \$1, D. A. Davis \$1, H. C. Rippey \$1, T. A. Massay \$1, Dr. C. B. Batson \$1, Miss Ruby Cook \$1, C. A. Cryer \$1, Dwight Stubblefield \$1, John C. King \$1.

A. B. Christian \$1, Scott Johnston \$1, Mrs. O. G. Stokely \$1, B. T. Watt \$1, James Emmett Cooke \$1, O. G. Stokely \$1, John B. Vannoy \$1, C. J. Cash \$1, M. T. Wilkerson \$1, Creed Bogan \$1, Miss Nona Cousins \$1, R. L. Appaling \$1, Mrs. Chas. Cousins \$1, M. W. Banta \$1, H. W. Brooks \$1, Mrs. Nida Green \$1, F. M. Ballard \$1, Dr. W. E. Ballard \$1, Mrs. E. L. Sitter \$1, G. H. Pomby \$1, E. E. Dishman \$1, R. T. Dickinson \$1, The Texas Station \$1, Hibler's Cafe \$1, Trimble Grocery \$1, Guy Crawford \$1, Earl Stubblefield \$1, D. M. Davis \$1, McLean Feed Store \$1, 20 Trees Tourist Court \$1, C. S. Doolen \$1, W. W. Boyd \$1.

Paul Mertel 50c, John Mertel 50c, Miss Elsie Gibson 50c, Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke 50c, David Boston 50c, Dr. H. W. Finley 50c, Erey Cubine 50c, J. E. Moore 50c, Leigh Fischer 50c, Ted Morris 50c, E. B. Reeves 50c, F. H. Bourland 35c, Blaine Stephenson 30c, H. H. Lamb 25c, Mrs. J. B. Pettit 25c, Irven Alderson 25c, W. H. Floyd 25c, miscellaneous cash 61c.

SMITH BROS. KERMIT PLANT IS REOPENED

The Smith Bros. gasoline plant at Kermit that has been building a compressor addition for the past six months, was completed Monday and operations begun under the new order.

The new compressor building contains twenty-two 250-horsepower units and will mean that gas can be used from old worn-out wells that have fallen below the 40 pounds natural pressure needed to put the gas through the plant.

Some 75 men have been employed during the construction period and the regular force will be raised to about 30 with the new machinery.

The original plant was built about six years ago by the Smith Bros. Refinery Co. of McLean, composed of Vesler Smith, T. J. Coffey and the late Porter Smith.

LIONS NOMINATE OFFICERS

C. A. Cryer, chairman of the Lions Club nominating committee, made the following report of candidates for officers for the fiscal year beginning July 1, at the luncheon held Tuesday:

For president—Joe Dowlin.
For first vice president—A. W. Hicks, Tom Boyd.
Second vice president—Guy Hibler, Leigh Fischer.
Third vice president—R. T. Dickinson, Emory Crockett.
Secretary-treasurer—D. A. Davis.
Licen Tamer—C. O. Greene, W. W. Boyd.
Tail Twister—Joe Hindman, G. H. Pomby.
Directors—T. A. Landers, T. N. Holloway, J. A. Meador, Peb Everett.

Boss Lion Boyd Meador reported the 14c luncheon held Monday evening, stating that Lion Hibler had sold 33 tickets, heading the list of ticket sellers for the club.

Messrs. Israel, Loveless and Thomas of Pampa, and Rev. Troy A. Sumrall were presented as visitors.

The tail twister conducted a test of knowledge of current affairs as the entertainment part of the program.

MORGAN-HALE

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Nora Lee, to Mr. Gerald D. Hale, Jr., on April 21, 1940, at Clovis, N. M.

The bride is a graduate of McLean high school and Texas Technological College and at the present time is employed in the Kellerville school.

The groom is a native of South Carolina and a graduate of Pittsburgh (Pa.) College.

115 ATTEND WPA SUPPER

Something like 115 people enjoyed the supper served under the hot lunch project of the WPA, at the ward school gymnasium Monday evening paying 14c each for the meal.

The food for the entire meal was bought on the local market at prevailing prices, no surplus products were used and just \$14 worth of food was used.

An entertainment program featured the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffey went to Boonville, Mo., to attending the closing exercises of Kemper Military School, which their son, T. J. Jr., has been attending.

Mrs. D. L. Abbot, Mrs. Lee Wilson and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jackson at Shannon last week end.

P. A. Millean of Farmersville was in McLean on business Thursday.

ANDREWS PREACHES COMMENCEMENT SERMON

W. B. Andrews, minister of the Tuccumcari N. M. Church of Christ, preached the commencement sermon at the high school Sunday evening.

Most churches of the town dismissed their evening services, and the auditorium was packed with families and friends of the graduating class.

Rev. W. E. Bond of the Church of the Nazarene gave the invocation. Rev. Leroy M. Brown of the First Methodist Church read the scripture, and Lee Starnes of the Church of Christ pronounced the benediction.

A brass ensemble directed by Prof. M. J. Newman played the processional and recessional, and a mixed chorus sang a number, with one song by the congregation.

REV. J. W. MYROSE NEW PRESBYTERIAN MINISTER

Rev. John W. Myrose has been unanimously called to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Myrose, who has been pastor at Dalhart for the past four years, has accepted the work here and will move to McLean June 1.

Rev. Myrose succeeds Rev. W. A. Erwin, who resigned the pastorate to enter the evangelistic field in March.

CENSUS FIGURES RELEASED

Census figures on the following towns in this district have been released by the supervisor:

Town	1930	1940
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Booker	495	386
Borger	6532	9738
Canadian	2068	2141
Clarendon	2756	2442
Claude	1041	738
Childress	7163	6451
Estelline	950	601
Follett	658	428
Grocm	564	475
Gruber	330	350
Hedley	807	637
Higgins	812	740
Lakeview	375	326
Lefors	952	809
Matador	1302	1372
McLean	1521	1486
Mecham	4257	3854
Miami	953	711
Paducah	2802	2673
Panhandle	2035	900
Perryton	2824	2321
Quitque	945	763
Roaring Springs	405	514
Shamrock	3780	3084
Silverton	873	685
Spearman	1580	1105
Turkey	975	930
Wellington	3570	3308
Wheeler	931	846
White Deer	1010	733
Dodson	426	354

DOG KILLS KERMIT BABY

A 2-year-old boy was killed at Kermit last week by a dog in the yard of the home he was visiting.

The lady of the house tried to call the dog off and was badly bitten. It took the efforts of the fire chief and two others to beat the dog off the woman and child.

Several people in McLean have reported being attacked by dogs the past two weeks. Dogs become increasingly dangerous as hot weather approaches, and such pets should be kept on their own premises or on leash.

PLAY AT WATKINS TONIGHT

A play, "The Ghost Chaser," will be presented at the Watkins school tonight (Thursday). The cast is composed of young people of the Watkins and Skillet communities.

Admission will be free, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Finley left Wednesday for Boonville, Mo., to attend graduating exercises of Kemper Military School, which their son, James Edwin, has been attending.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller and the lady's mother, Mrs. Rhine, of Denver City visited the former's aunt, Mrs. C. O. Greene, Friday.

Mrs. J. L. Allison of Clarendon visited her son, Clifford, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Anderson visited in Clarendon Sunday.

WARD SCHOOL EXERCISES, PROMOTIONS TONIGHT

Promotion exercises of the McLean ward school will be held at the high school auditorium tonight (Thursday) beginning at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Troy A. Sumrall, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will make the address, and E. L. Sitter, president of the board of education, will present the certificates of promotion.

Supt. C. A. Cryer will present the awards, and the program will be in charge of Prof. Sam H. Branch, ward school principal.

Carl Arthur Dwyer is valedictorian and John Emmett Dwyer is salutatorian. Rev. Sumrall will give the invocation and Rev. Leroy M. Brown will pronounce the benediction.

Other numbers include a class chorus a vocal solo, a clarinet solo, a girls' sextet and a girls' chorus.

MAY BREAKFAST HELD BY PIONEER CLUB

A May breakfast was the feature of the Pioneer Study Club's last meeting of the season, last Thursday in the home of Mrs. T. A. Massay. Assisting Mrs. Massay as co-hostesses were Mrs. June Woods and Mrs. Creed Bogan.

The breakfast was served from quartet tables centered with May poles with streamers to each plate. Hand painted place cards and individual May baskets were favors.

The program, which was led by Mrs. Jack Van Beber, consisted of talks by the retiring officers and response by the incoming officers.

The menu consisted of baked ham patties, asparagus on toast, breakfast rolls, jelly and coffee, and was served by the hostesses to the following: Mesdames J. B. Hembree, C. O. Greene, Bob Back, C. J. Magee, W. H. Floyd, T. J. Coffey, C. A. Cryer, Leroy M. Brown, W. E. Bogan, Carl Jones, H. W. Finley, C. B. Batson and Bob Thomas.

TWINS HONORED AT PARTY

Miss Susan Hrneiar honored her twin sisters, Ellen and Helen, on their twelfth birthday Sunday afternoon with a party at the Hrneiar home in the Pakan community.

Games were played, and cake and ice cream were served to the following: Denise Glenn, Ernest Ruth Deering, Carol Williams, Elmer Cadra, Dan Macina, Bobbie Jones, Dixie Louise Williams, Paul Thomas Macina, Rudolf Cadra, Mary Frances Jones, Osborn Williams, Faith Christine Macina, Johnnie Pakan and the honorees.

Adults present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan, Mrs. Ernest Deering, Mrs. Paul Macina, John Cadra, Anna Mertel, John Hrneiar and the hostess.

The honorees received many lovely gifts.

WORLEY AT KELLERVILLE

State Representative Eugene Worley will make the address at the promotion exercises of the Kellerville school tonight (Thursday).

Rev. C. W. Sargent, pastor of the Kellerville Methodist Church, will give the invocation, Zeldia Marie West is valedictorian and Verena Sargent salutatorian.

Supt. Anthony Hunt will present the awards, and F. M. Ballard, chairman of the board of trustees, will present the diplomas.

PULPIT BIBLE LOST

A large pulpit Bible is missing from the First Presbyterian Church. The Bible was a gift from Judge E. H. Small, and anyone knowing its whereabouts is requested to contact church officials.

Roy Campbell, Chas. E. Cooke, Sammie Cubine, Monty Montgomery, D. M. Davis, Clifford Allison, E. L. Bradshaw and Odell Hill went on a fishing trip to Lake Diversion last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bodine made a business trip to Borger Saturday. They were accompanied by their son and wife from Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskel Stotts and children of Sunray visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Nicholson, over the week end.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Farnham F. Dudgeon

German War Machine Invades Belgium and The Netherlands; Chamberlain Resigns His Post

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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IT'S HIS FAULT I REALIZE THAT I'LL TAKE THE BLAME
(Left to right: David Lloyd George, Prime Minister Chamberlain, Winston Churchill.)
(See Weary Warrior.)

THE WAR: More Protection

"Germany has respected the integrity of Belgium and the Netherlands under the self-evident precondition that these two countries, in case of war between Germany and England and France, would observe the strictest neutrality. . . . These requirements have not been fulfilled. . . . Thus read the beginning of an official Nazi message handed to the Belgian and Netherlands governments as the world learned that once more Adolf Hitler had unleashed his mighty war machine.

For earlier word had been flashed that the German army had invaded the three low countries: the Netherlands, Belgium and Luxembourg. According to Berlin the Germans were moving into these tiny nations to "protect" them—even as Norway and Denmark were "protected" on April 9—from invasion by Allied forces.

When the news of the invasion reached Paris, French officials, acting in response to an appeal made by the Belgian ambassador, ordered the French army to march into Belgium. In London, Exchange Telegraph, British news agency, reported that 400 persons were killed or wounded in the first German air raid against Brussels. And in Washington when the same report was received the Belgian ambassador to the United States asked the state department to notify Germany that Brussels was an "open" city, contained no troops and therefore should not be bombed.

Meanwhile President Roosevelt, upon learning of Hitler's latest war move, immediately summoned his cabinet officials and army and navy chiefs to plan America's course in light of this newest war development.

Anxious Days

Elsewhere nations were attempting to calculate the effect of Hitler's invasion of the low countries. The governments were cautious, the citizens—jittery.

Premier Mussolini told Italians that "only facts will break" his silence on Italy's future course of action in world affairs. The Italian press busied itself accusing England of improper motives because of that nation's fleet concentration in the Mediterranean.

In the land of the Pharaohs, Egyptians were "treated" to their first

NAMES . . . in the news

☛ In France, Joan of Arc's name was in the news as soldiers and civilians joined in paying tribute to that nation's legendary heroine on the national holiday in her honor.

☛ In Russia, of course, it was none other than Josef Stalin who had his name in the news as it was announced that Soviet union citizens read more of his literary works than the writings of any other author. Probably it was "planned that way."

☛ One year ago the submarine *Squalus* was a name in the news when she plunged to bottom of the sea carrying 26 men to death. Now the vessel gets another headline as she is being recommissioned. New name—the *Sailfish*.

☛ Speaking before the senate banking and currency subcommittee, Senator Sheridan Downey (Dem., Calif.) asserted that future U. S. prosperity depends on the hope of "forcing out" of banks and insurance companies excess savings not being put to productive use.

☛ Another senator, Lewis O. Schwellenbach, was named as a federal district court judge when the senate approved his nomination made by President Roosevelt. The senator intends to remain in congress until the end of the present session.

blackout as the government pushed defense moves to forestall any warlike moves on the part of Italy's fleet which was reported massing within 400 miles of Alexandria.

A strong drive by Britain and France to weld a "defensive alliance" in the Balkans was reported as that southeastern section of Europe girded itself for coming events, resignedly believing it would become the eventual battleground of the war.

Weary Warrior

In England a weary man fought the greatest political battle of his life. That weary man was Neville Chamberlain, prime minister of Great Britain, his current battleground being the British house of commons as a momentous two-day debate on the conduct of the war in Norway held sway.

Speaking in defense of his administration which was on trial, Chamberlain told the world that the battle in Norway is not yet over. Experts believed he was depending on a victory of allied forces near the Nazi-held port of Narvik to bolster morale and aid Britain's North sea blockade of Germany.

Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, who day before had been given additional power over the country's war fortunes, rose in the house of commons to take the blame being cast upon the prime minister. He accepted full responsibility for the act around which most of the fury of the opposition centered. Enemies of the administration wanted to know why the powerful British navy had not pounded at the port of Trondheim and forced it open for the landing of allied forces in the early days of the conflict.

Churchill said he had advised against this plan and then told the house that the real reason for the British setback was what Hitler has been claiming all along—Germany's air force is too powerful to be faced in open combat at the present time.

Strongest voice of the opposition was that of David Lloyd George, the man who led the empire to victory in World War I. Time after time he was cheered as the house heard him blame failure of the Norwegian campaign on Prime Minister Chamberlain. He flayed what he called "unintelligent and half-hearted leadership" for lack of success.

When the shouting was over 281 members rallied behind Chamberlain as 200 voted against him, the result being that he was not forced to dissolve his cabinet. But as he left the debate cries of "Resign! Resign!" rang loudly in his ears.

Two days later, after Hitler's army began to march, Neville Chamberlain followed this advice and resigned.

DOMESTIC: U. S. Blitzkrieg

Mobilized from quiet military posts in 33 states thousands of modernized fighting men of the United States were going through their paces as the regular army's largest peace time maneuvers—the annual war games—got under way in the deep South. Sixty-six thousand professional soldiers in opposing "Red" and "Blue" factions are fighting it out in the grim exercises which terminate May 25.

This make-believe war was giving officials a chance to test much of the new mechanized equipment and "streamline" infantry divisions that have been built up and organized to give the U. S. a modern army.

POLITICS: Advance Men

In Washington, John D. Hamilton, chairman of the Republican national committee, announced that the members-designate of the resolutions committee will meet one week in advance of the assembling of the national convention to start framing the party's platform. Regular delegates will assemble in Philadelphia on June 24.

Senator Wheeler (Dem., Mont.) has suggested that Democrats carry out a similar plan.

AMERICAN LETTERS: No Sour Grapes

Usually when the Pulitzer prizes for outstanding work in American letters are announced there descends upon the award committee a deluge of abuse from critics that would strike fear into the heart of the sturdiest of men. But each year the awards are made, abuse notwithstanding.



John Steinbeck

This year experts in general agree that the committee has done well in making the following 1939 selections:

Outstanding novel award to John Steinbeck for his "Grapes of Wrath"; original American play, William Saroyan, for his "The Time of Your Life"; book of history, Carl Sandburg for "Lincoln, the War Years"; Ray Stannard Baker received the award for the best American biography by writing, "Woodrow Wilson, Life and Letters"; and Mark Van Doren's "Collected Poems" was classed as the most distinguished volume of verse. Each winning author is granted a \$1,000 award for his winning work.

TRANSPORTATION: Pay As You Go

While the nation's vacation-minded populace was beginning to salt nickels and dimes away for two weeks of frolic come next summer, U. S. railroads presented a credit plan that will revolutionize long-distance rail travel. Under this new plan it is possible for any person with respectable credit rating to buy transportation, Pullman accommodations and all-expense tours on time payments on trips costing \$50 or more.

Sixty-six major rail companies are participating in the plan which requires merely that the traveler call at the ticket office, apply for his proposed trip, wait 24 hours for the routine credit inquiry, and if this is approved he receives his ticket just as if cash was being paid. No collateral is required—only the signature of the individual and no down payment is necessary, payments being made on a monthly basis later.

HELPING HAND: Red Cross

Meeting in Washington for their annual national convention, members of the International Red Cross were read a letter written by President Roosevelt in which he pledged his support for any international agreement which indorsed condemnation of warring nations bombing noncombatants.

Norman H. Davis, chairman of the American Red Cross, reported that U. S. women had made over 2,000,000 garments and surgical dressings in response to demands for these articles from European nations. One million dollars in Red Cross funds was set aside to help European war sufferers, he said.

and \$800,000 more was received in voluntary contributions. Most of this money has been spent and he stated a new drive for funds may soon be necessary.

EDUCATION: Frontiers

Long familiar with trite declarations that opportunity is unbounded, American youth seldom is given a concrete preview of the avenues through which it must make its way in this workaday world. Thus the University of Rochester's (New York) clinic on "New Frontiers in America" convened by that institution's president, Alan Valentine, stands out as a unique and valuable experiment. Here leading industrialists from the nation's major business concerns rubbed shoulders with undergraduates and sought to acquaint them with goals that lie ahead. Langbourne Williams, president of Freeport Sulphur company, keyed the clinic with the declaration that new frontiers are constantly being carved out of a wilderness of technical difficulties and from the creation of new natural resources where it was believed none existed.

MISCELLANY:

☛ Alcatraz prison is being modernized at a cost of over a million dollars, according to James V. Bennett, director of the federal bureau of prisons. Plans call for completion of the project in July. Work is being done while the prison operates normally, entailing considerable risk for the danger of prisoners obtaining dangerous tools or trying to escape.

☛ American exports to Latin American countries in the first six months of Europe's war increased 54 per cent, it was revealed in a report issued by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce.

☛ Meanwhile, United States Steel corporation stockholders, holding their annual meeting in Hoboken, N. J., were told that the company's export trade had been neatly expanded during the war but the gain was "not traceable directly to the conflict." No expansion for possible war orders is contemplated by U. S. Steel at the present time.

More Trim, Trig Slack Suits Being Worn Than Ever Before

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



AT FIRST popularized by women at swank summer and winter playgrounds, then spreading like a banyan tree to include women everywhere, the vogue for slacks has been growing until this summer more trim, trig and versatile trouser suits are being worn than ever before in fashion history.

It is no wonder that women the country over have adopted slacks as the most sensible costume ever invented. For housework they are a sheer delight, likewise for driving, for long cross-country trips, for golf, tennis, picnicking, marketing and for informal dining, slacks have become an enthusiasm that knows no bounds.

Designers who have always had their ears to the ground to catch the trend of women's likes and dislikes have caught this sweeping approval of slacks and have set about creating new and fascinating styles. This has added to the growing demand for American designers—designers who understand the psychology of the American woman. It is interesting to note that Ruth Wade Ray, director of the Vogue School of Fashion Design in Chicago, says that the greatest number of calls they have for graduate designers comes from manufacturers of sports wear. This, of course, includes slacks and shows the nation-wide trend toward simplified smart attire.

The three-piece style we are illustrating is becoming almost a universal favorite in that it is so eminently practical, including, as it does, both skirt and slacks. Yvonne Andersen, a Vogue school pupil, designs this utilitarian threesome of soft yet firm gabardine in a lovely shade of desert green (gabardine comes in a whole list of other delectable colors). The smart lumber-jacket shirt blouse can be worn outside with the slacks (shown to the

left) or tucked in and worn with a narrow belt when a more tailored appearance is desired. A multiple duty feature is added with the skirt (centered in illustration) which, worn with the blouse, becomes a costume for shopping, bridge or almost any place you desire to wear it.

An idea gaining popularity this season is a new version of the lounging pajama. But they're slacks just the same! The trousers are very wide looking, almost like a skirt until the wearer moves about. These are made in soft materials, often with contrasting blouses as shown to the right in the group. In this instance the trousers are in a most attractive clay red and the blouse is of sun-yellow crepe, a coloring in keeping with the environs of a California living room, the theme of which includes a gay sombrero on the wall, a basket to match and candelabra of glittering tin, something very new in household decoration.

So completely have women become converted to the trouser-costume idea, slacks in more or less colorful and designful mood are considered quite proper, have, in fact, become very popular as an informal dinner costume. Certainly they are vastly becoming and have lots of appeal in their accents of gay color. Some of the slacks suits have cunning little jackets to be worn with a sheer blouse and they are smart enough for informal dining or dropping in on your neighbor for an evening of bridge.

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Ceramic Jewelry



Something new in the jewelry realm! Authentic copies of genuine old china for necklaces, bracelets, lapel pins and gadgets. Marion Weber, American artist, is the ceramist that is modeling and enameling ceramic charms that bear every resemblance to their originals. In this most attractive ceramic motif, authentic copies of fine old American, English and French pieces are achieved such as one sees in collections at private and public museums. These, interspersed with miniature gold cups, spoons, knives and forks, are suspended from a gold chain or otherwise cleverly assembled to form stunning necklaces and bracelets in the manner pictured.

Shawls for Sports New Fashion Trend

The fashion for wearing shawls has advanced from suits and evening gowns to dresses for spectator sports wear. A gray linen outfit that buttons up the front has a matching gray and white linen shawl with a deeply fringed border.

White Accessories On Style Program

White hats, white shoes, foamy white neckwear, white gloves, bou-tonnieres, and loads of white jewelry, such is the program for the coming weeks.

For flattery try one of the new white chenille dotted white veils. Glorify your navy straw hat with an exquisite realistic huge white rose. Trim your new gray felt hat with white violets repeating the violets on your lapel.

Be sure your white handbag is immense (the larger the smarter) and see to it that your white gloves go elbow length—and so on and so on, for the story of "white" is too lengthy and rife with brilliant high spots to condense in a few paragraphs.

Jeweled Ear-Hooks New Paris Fashion

Newest Parisian earrings hook over the top of the ears and drip chains of diamonds or other precious stones. The hooks are designed of fine gold wire shaped like spectacle frames. They hold a large round diamond against the lobe of the ear, and pendants of pear-shaped jewels over the top of the ear, close to the hairline.

Jersey Slack Suit Has Strong Appeal

Brown and white jersey, in a half-and-half arrangement, is used for an attractive slack suit that may also be worn for lounging. The back of the suit and one sleeve and shoulder are brown, while the rest of the suit is white. The jersey jacket is long and very fitted and has two patch pockets that extend all the way across the front.

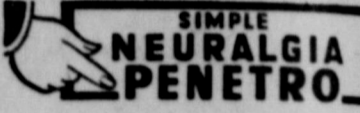
Cheapest Light

The most efficient source of light in the world is the glow worm. Chemical changes on the sugar absorbed by the insect produce the light from which it gets its name.

In this process only 3 per cent of the potential energy is lost, the remaining 97 per cent being given out as light. Compare this to the 12 per cent given by electric bulbs.



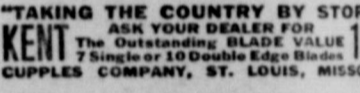
Though reading and conversation may furnish us with many ideas of men and things, yet it is our own meditation most form our judgment.—Dr. I. Watts.



Books, like proverbs, receive their chief value from the stamp and esteem of ages through which they have passed.—Sir William Temple.



However things may seem, no evil thing is success, and no good thing is failure.—Samuel Long-fellow.



Without condemnation No man can justly censure or condemn another, because indeed no man truly knows another.—Browne.

Listen! PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

FRED WARING—NEW TIME! This fine orchestra is heard every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 9 P. M., for Chesterfield Cigarettes.

THE FITCH BANDWAGON The nation's top-flight dance bands, every Sunday evening at 5:30, for Fitch Shampoo.

"PROF. FAXON FIGURES" A new and diverting musical show, every Sunday and Wednesday evening at 5:15, for Atlas Life Insurance.

ARTHUR GODFREY Radio diplomat and Washington crooner, Monday and Thursday evenings at 9:30, for Union Leader tobacco.

STUDEBAKER CHAMPIONS Richard Humber and his orchestra, Monday at 8:45 P. M., and Friday at 8:30 P. M., for Studebaker automobiles.



The Schmeling 'Victory'

In the first three rounds of the fight Sharkey seemed to have the situation well in hand. But in the fourth round Sharkey cut loose with one blow, quickly followed by an uppercut. The German went down, holding his groin.

Referee Jim Crowley was getting ready to count when Jacobs, with the inevitable cigar in his mouth, crawled through the ropes and screamed: "Stay down! Foul! You was fouled!"

Schmeling obeyed his master's voice, and thus became the first heavyweight to win the title while resting on his back.

Perhaps his most masterful job was done with Tony Galento, Jacobs Orange, N. J., saloonkeeper. Jacobs prodded Galento, a roly-poly, catch-as-catch-can brawler, into the status of a national rowdy and heavyweight threat.

Galento was one of Jacobs' favorites. The boisterous, swaggering barker was a natural for "Yusell the Muscle's" ballyhoo talents. Tony was considered a washed-up fourth rater, but under Jacobs' guiding hand he fought his way into a title bout with Joe Louis. Galento lost the fight but started the boxing world with his showing.

Because of his manager's death, the blubbery Galento insisted on postponing his fight with Baer from May 23 to July 2. Without his manager he was lost.

THE TIGER POST



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Hornby, Leonard Glass, Robert
Baton.

PIGGIE WANTS A SIGNAL
An Editorial

By Opal Thacker
two-three-four—and finally one
red. "All not ready holler!"
course there are always a few
ready; again the count is called
the warning given. This time
camper to be in good shape.
game, which is really lots of
happens to people every day.
count and warning are given
we scramble for a position. We
given the second and third
ing. Yet after securing these
we can't hold them and
for another chance. It is all
to ask for aid a few times but
few days is too much.
you always going to be the
in the ring crying, "Piggie wants
signal" or will you be so prepared
when you once get a position you may
be running home and cry, "One-
three for me!"

SENIOR ASSEMBLY FRIDAY

Three bells rang Friday and the
entire body assembled in the audi-
um for the final senior assembly.
The professional was played by the
choir directed by M. J. Newman,
the seniors, dressed in caps and
suits, took their seats on the front

The pep squad had charge of the
program and led the student body in
songs and yells, ending with
at Good Old "Tiger Line."

The girls' quartet composed of
Bernice McClellan, Mary Evelyn Foster,
Evelyn Sitter and Evonne Floyd
sang "We've Come a Long Way To-
gether." This concluded the musical
part of the program.

Each senior and faculty member
present was called upon to say his
farewell.

JACK YOUNG WINS HONORS

Jack Young and his accompanist,
Evelyn Foyd, went with Mr. Newman
to the National High School Music
Contest, where Jack played his
clarinet solo, May 9. After Jack
won first at the Plainview contest,
he was eligible for the national con-
test. At Waco Jack placed in the
first division, which is very good
for the national contests.

Two of the fifty-seven clarinet
scholarships were offered schol-
arships by the School of Mines at El Paso.
Jack had the honor of being one of
the two. Jack has been offered
two scholarships, but he does not
know which one he will accept.

SNOOPER

Where was Virgie Hall seen Satur-
day night? Marie Gladys Day could
tell us.

Why seems to be pretty good at
getting girls off twelve story build-
ings, eh, Phyllis Ann?

Who is it's Sonny Boy who seems to
be trifling. It seems that he likes
the haired freshmen now. Mary
Abbott is a dark haired fresh-
man.

Who had seems to become more
familiar upon acquaintance, eh, Chris-
tina? We wonder why he kept his
eyes Sunday until she asked for it.

Who is the Skillet bus driver? Do
you know? I'll bet Beatrice could
tell us more about him than we could.

Where were Dorothy Kalka, Betty
Polley, Donald Davis, Wilmer
and Carol Kalka Monday after-
noon?

Who is Kennedy seems to be beating
everybody's time as far as Louise Mc-
Clintock is concerned. What do you
say to say about that, Louise?

Who was the blonde that E. J.
had an urgent date with Sunday
afternoon?

How come Junior Bonner has a
bedroom suite when Bernice Mc-
Clellan wants one so badly?

What is this we hear about John
being that Margarette is manager of
the affairs now?

Why did Una Howard say her
name used to be Una Howard?

who tells me that he and the junior
friend Opal Tedder have at last
gotten off the WPA and are now
working for the Landers Shoe Shop.
As I stepped into the plane I found
Marie Brooks as the air hostess and
Clint "Big Foot" Doolen as the
pilot. As we cruised over Arkansas,
the saarboard motor went dead and
we were forced to land. As Clint
was repairing the engine, John Bond
and Mrs. Bond, the former Iona
Batson, who started with him in the
senior play, came by in their wagon
with their Sunday white mules hitched
to it. Upon recognizing us, he
pulled up for a talk about old
times. Upon inquiring as to where
he was going, he told us he was on
his way to Dog-Patch Center to hear
Rev. Randy Mantooth's regular Sun-
day night sermon. John Jr. told us
that he had gotten into a fight with
Randy's youngest boy. After telling
him that we didn't know Randy was
married, he explained that he had
eloped with Glenda Landers in the
spring of 1941.

Having made the necessary repairs
we started flying toward Cleveland.
Arriving in Cleveland, I decided to
stop over and see the city. Walking
down the street I heard a cry,
"Come, mister!" When I turned
around I saw the one and only
Junior Bonner. His face was black
with shame and I almost failed to
recognize him. In the conversation
that followed he directed me to Don-
ovan D'Spain's matrimonial agency,
better known as the Lonely Heart
Club.

After visiting my friends here I
again went on my way—to New York.
As I walked down 42nd Street I saw
a sign, "Home of Beautiful Dancers."
Glynn Ray Steadman, manager. I
went into talk to the ole chap. He
said he taught all the latest ballets
and dance steps. Picking up a news-
paper I saw the headlines proclaimed
that Leo Ledbetter is at last getting
his chance at the heavyweight title.
His manager is Clinton Dorsey. I
told Glynn Ray I must hurry
along because the Yankee Clipper
would leave for Paris in about five
minutes.

On board the Clipper I saw Bernice
McClellan, who was on her way to
the land of the Lost Horizon. She
had been married six times but was
never successful in marrying E. J.
Windom, Jr. She told us that
Leonard Glass was working for Scot-
land Yard. He married Opal Thacker
and they have made a good home
for their nine children. She said
Mary Lee Losson and Gladys Day
were nuns in the Vatican City. In
Paris I was just in time to hear
John Byrd Gull sentenced to be
beheaded for selling military secrets
to Germany, which was under the
rule of Dictator Billie Bert Sanders.
I was granted a talk with John Byrd
and I told him to make an appeal to
President Damon Wade of the United
States.

While in Paris I noticed the latest
ladies' hats and evening gowns were
being designed by J. L. Hancock and
Granville Boyd.
Our next stop was in Greece.
There in the shadow of the famous
wall of Troy was James Everett,
begging for pennies. He gave me
the low-down on a few of our old
senior friends.
Clyde Glenn is in Africa preaching

the harmful and sinful ways of
alcoholic beverages.

Fuzzy Bonner is trying to get the
King of Egypt's daughter.

Robert Wilson is serving ninety
days for stealing the Sultan's wife.

Juanita Hornby is running a
honky-tonky in Singapore, with La
Vada Earles, Mareta Roach and
Beatrice Kalka as her best dancers.
Our next stop was Hong Kong.
Here we met Jack Young and his
wife, the former Marie Eudey. They
are the Methodist missionaries to
China. Marie said she had just re-
ceived a letter from her old friend,
the former Julia Maye Morris, now
Mrs. James Fulbright. They are
living at Skillet, where James is
employed at the Skillet National
Bank. Jack told me that E. J. Jr.,
and his wife, the former Christine
Kennedy, are in Tibet, publishing
"The Monastery News" the paper
read by all good monks.

We boarded the China Clipper and
started back to the good old United
States. In the same plane were
Violet Moore, the women's wrestling
champion of the world—Joe D. Bru-
ton, her manager. In my gossiping
with these friends I find that Miss
Douglas is now living in Denver,
Colorado, and busy attending her twins,
Margarette and Martha. Miss Hall
is just now recovering from a nervous
breakdown she suffered after the
Carlsbad trip in '40. In San Fran-
cisco is a poster with Margarette
Kramer's picture on it. Coming
closer I saw that she was trying to
get the head dog catcher's office.

Coming back to good ole McLean
I find Prof. Cryer still trying to
figure out semester grades for the
football boys.

Mr. Cunningham is still going to
Oklahoma but hasn't had much suc-
cess yet and he still pays income
tax. The law is that if you are
single and made \$1900 or more a
year, you have to pay income tax,
but if you are married you don't
have to unless the income is \$2500
or more.

SENIOR CLASS WILL

Hear ye! Hear ye! Hear ye!
We, the senior class of 1940 of the
McLean high school, being of reason-
ably sound mind and, we hope, good
judgment, do hereby make, execute,
publish and declare this to be our
last and only will and testament, in
the manner following on this nine-
teenth day of April, Anno Domini
1940.

We do hereby proclaim and declare
all other promises, both written and
unwritten, individual and collectively,
null and void.

We do also make the following be-
quests, which under the authority
of the board of education of McLean,
Texas, are to be rigidly adhered to.

INSURANCE

Life Fire Hail
I insure anything. No prohibited
list.

I represent some of the strongest
companies in the world.

T. N. Holloway
Reliable Insurance

We bequeath, to-wit:
That all broken hearts caused by
the members of the senior class are
to belong to the junior class, with
the understanding that all members
of the latter class will do all within
their power to alleviate any and all
suffering unknowingly caused by any
members of the senior class.

Second, we also bequeath the loy-
alty and the school spirit that has
belonged to the senior class of Mc-
Lean high school down through the
years to the incoming senior class
with the proviso that said class carry
on the tradition of school loyalty so
ably brought down to us by our
predecessors.

Third, we, the members of the class
of 1940 of the McLean high school,
do hereby will to the class of 1941
of the same high school, all of the
support of the faculty which has
made possible our graduation, as well
as all of the luck and tolerance that
has made this support possible.

To the members of the entire
junior class we do hereby solemnly
will and bequeath all of the crony
quinties we possess which have made
the members of the faculty so ag-
gravated at times.

I, Damon Wade, bequeath my
manly stride to Oran Back.

I, Jack Young, leave my clarinet
to William Mills.

I, Billie Bert Sanders, bequeath my
freckle cream to Ida Mae Stockton.

I, Erza Jackson Windom, Jr., do
all my name to W. R. Brown.

I, Glenda Landers, bequeath my
ability at the piano to all the be-
lances.

I, Roy Couch, will my class ring to
nobody, because Opal Tedder already
has it.

I, Violet Moore, bequeath my so-
prano voice to Earline McPherson.

I, Glynn Ray Steadman, leave my
I. Q. to J. M. Montgomery (he needs
it).

We, James Fulbright and Julia
Maye Morris, leave our strolls down
the hall to Dale Burch and Elva
Blankenship.

I, Opal Thacker, leave my good
table manners to next year's prom
banquet.

I, Margarette Kramer, leave my
night life to Louise McWhirter.

I, Iona Batson, leave my cute shape

"My Skin Was Full of Pimples and Blemishes"

says Verna S.: "Since using
Aderika the pimples are gone.
My skin is smooth and glows
with health." Aderika helps
wash BOTH bowels, and relieves
temporary constipation that oft-
en aggravates bad complexion.

CITY DRUG STORE

to Dora Mae Overton.

I, Junior Bonner, leave my taste
for blondes to Troy Corbin.

We, the senior class, leave our love
bugs (if we had any) to Madge
Burrows and Mary Alice Ledgerwood.

I, June Blackerby, leave my per-
petual motion machine tongue to
Wanda Lane.

I, Mareta Roach, leave my way
with men to Bonnie Cumble.

I, John Bond, leave my Clark Gable
looks and Bing Crosby voice to
Monroe Combs.

I, Marie Brooks, leave my bashful-
ness to Evonne Floyd.

I, Marie Eudey, leave my pep and
vitality to Viola Corbin.

I, Christine Kennedy, leave my
horsemanship to Etta Mae Mullin.

I, Fuzzy Bonner, leave my good
behavior in study hall to Leo Mc-
Donald.

I, Clint Doolen, leave my Fred
Astaire motions to Amos Hanner.

I, Gladys Day, leave my work on
the Tiger Post to the juniors.

I, Bernice McClellan, leave my
blonde tresses to Maxine Little and
Naomi Hancock.

I, Juanita Hornby, leave my pretty
hair to my local barber shop.

I, Joe D. Bruton, leave my golfing
ability to anybody that wants it.

I, J. L. Hancock, leave my girl
friends to Paul Bond.

I, Donovan D'Spain, leave my floor

game in basketball to the varsity.

I, LaVada Earles, leave my tall
stature to Margaret Combs.

We, John Byrd Gull and Granville
Boyd, leave our popularity among the
girls to Melvin Bailey.

I, Clinton Dorsey, leave my manly
physique to Bob Sherrod.

I, Beatrice Kalka, will my energy
to a grasshopper.

I, James Everett, will my "huff and
puff" to the "big bad wolf."

I, Robert Wilson, will my sparkling
teeth to the Pepsodent ads.

I, Leo Ledbetter, bequeath my de-
lightful pug to Wanda Phillips
and Cleo Sheburne.

I, Leonard Glass, bequeath my danc-
ing feet to Sonny Boy Back.

I, Clyde Glenn, bequeath a crawl-
worm to Marvin Jones.

I, Randy Mantooth, bequeath my
heroic deeds in football and track to
Carrol Holmes.

Mrs. T. A. Landers has returned
from a visit in Oklahoma City.

Neglect May Invite Pyorrhoea

An astringent for superficial sor-
rowness that must please the user or
druggists return money if first bottle
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SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

In the year 1950, after saving for
ten years I at last have enough pen-
ceny saved to take a long delayed
vacation.
At the air port, whom should I
meet but our old friend Roy Couch.

THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young

BIG TOP

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LALA PALOOZA

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SMATTER POP—Well, Sir, Did You Ever Hear Better Radio Stuff?

By C. M. PAYNE



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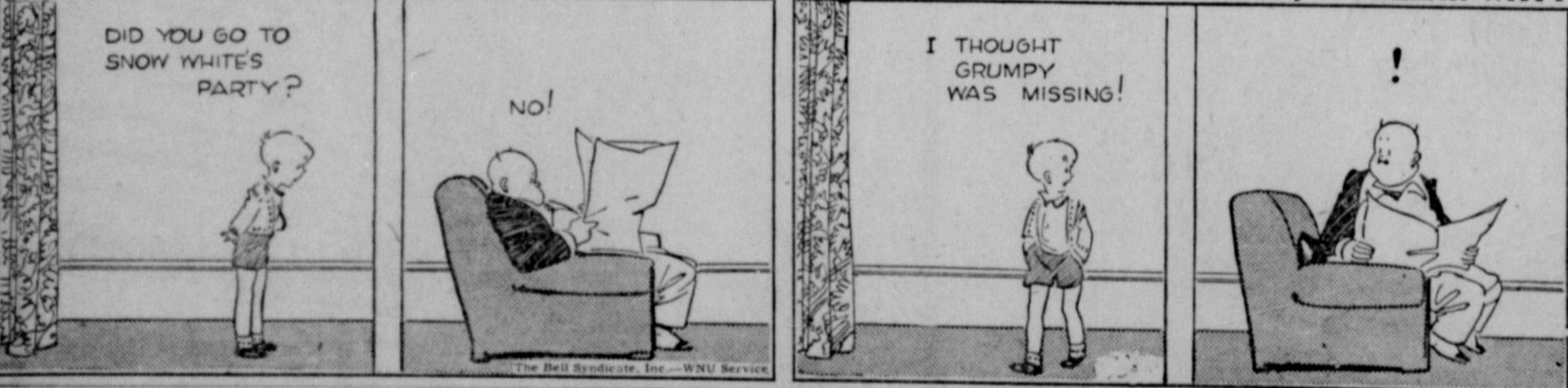
By S. L. HUNTLEY

Just the Thing Muley's Been Looking For



POP—Not So Dopey

By J. MILLAR WATT



Cheerful News



TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR

"Look here, waiter—a button in my soup!"
"Button, sir? Good gracious. Well, it's mutton broth quite plain on the menu. Very sorry, sir, just a little misunderstanding in the kitchen, sir."

Down Payment

Feed Dealer—Mose, you owe me \$3 for oats, and if you don't pay me, I'll have to take your horse.
Mose—All right, Mr. Guppy, an' Ah'll pay yo' de balance of de \$3 jest as soon as Ah kin.

Down Memory Lane

Father—Tommy Bang always remembers what he learned at school and tells his father. Why don't you?
Son—Well, you see, Tommy lives lots nearer school than I do.

Old Retainer

"The dinner was delicious. You must have an old family cook."
"Yes, indeed, she's been with us 10 or 12 meals."

ROOM FOR PLAY

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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Smiles
Keeping Time
"What's the idea—only ten prunes?" roared the British army sergeant.
"You save the stones twice a week till you get a thousand," said the orderly, "and then you know the war lasted five years but ten weeks."

Cutting Remarks
"Hurry up, Harry! I simply must get out and show off my new dress."
"Wait a minute, I simply must get the frayed ends of my coat sleeves."

A Bit Hasty
"So Tom took a course in first aid. Is he good at it?"
"Well, a man was nearly drowned yesterday, and the first thing Tom did was to throw a glass of water in his face."

OPPORTUNE TIME



"If you know who stole your car, why don't you get it back?"
"I'm waiting to see if he buys any new tires."

Really Missed
Choir Boy—What made you resign from the choir?
Ex-Choir Boy—I was absent one Sunday and some one asked if the organ had been mended.

Quite Modest
They were discussing a certain public official.
"The trouble with him," observed the cynic, "is that he takes too modest a view of his own insignificance."

Pull the Trigger on Lazy Bowels, and Also Pepsin-ize Stomach!

When constipation brings on acid indigestion, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, coated tongue, sour taste, and bad breath, your stomach is probably loaded up with certain undigested food and your bowels don't move. So you need both Pepsin to help break up fast that rich undigested food in your stomach, and Laxative Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels. So be sure your laxative also contains Pepsin. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative, because its Syrup Pepsin helps you gain that wonderful stomach comfort, while the Laxative Senna moves your bowels. Tests prove the power of Pepsin to dissolve those lumpy undigested protein food which may linger in your stomach, to cause belching, gastric acidity and nausea. This is how pepsinizing your stomach helps relieve it of such distress. At the same time this medicine wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your bowels to relieve your constipation. So see how much better you feel by taking the laxative that also puts Pepsin to work on that stomach discomfort, too. Even finicky children love to taste this pleasant family laxative. Buy Dr. Caldwell's Laxative—Senna with Syrup Pepsin at your druggist today!

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Pity Forgot

In extreme danger, fear turns a deaf ear to every feeling of pity.—Caesar.

Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste
Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.
Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, swelling up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, soreness or too frequent urination.
There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have been winning new friends for more than forty years. They have a nationwide reputation. Are recommended by grateful people the country over. Ask your neighbor!
DOAN'S PILLS

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SO WHAT?



Customer—I must complain of the long wait in this store!
Merchant—But, madam, only recently you complained of the short weight in other stores!

Mrs. A. J. Dauer, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Coffee of White Deer visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. H. W. Brooks, and family Tuesday.

Mrs. W. B. Andrews of Tucumcari, N. M., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newman, this week.

C. O. Nicholson made a trip to Dumas and Sunray the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson of Lefors visited in the W. T. Eldridge home Tuesday.

E. H. Kramer made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Campbell of Canadian visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter were in Oklahoma City Monday.

Lewis M. Goodrich of Shamrock was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Windom of Albreed were in town Tuesday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to action of the Democratic Primary July 27.

For Congress, 18th District:

TOM ELLZEY

LEE O. MCCONNELL

For Senator, 31st District:

MAX BOYER

CURTIS DOUGLASS

For State Representative:

JOHN PURYEAR

ENNIS FAVORS

LUTHER GRIBBLE

For District Attorney:

CLIFFORD BRALY

BUD MARTIN

For District Clerk:

MIRIAM WILSON

EARL ISLEY

R. E. GATLIN

For County Attorney:

JOE GORDON

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CAL ROSE

G. H. KYLE

B. W. KELLEY

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

F. E. LEECH

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Ken Maynard

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"PRIMROSE PATH"
Ginger Rogers, Joel McCrea

Tuesday, May 28—Family Day
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Wednesday, Thursday
May 29, 30
"TYPHOON"
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Friday, Saturday, May 24, 25
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"SAGA OF DEATH VALLEY"
Roy Rogers
"GRANDPA GOES TO TOWN"
The Gleason Family

Miss Barbara Ann and Marvin Alec Davis of Panhandle visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Tinnin visited at Electra Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Little of Kellerville.

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Grade School News

The promotion exercises for the elementary school will be held on Thursday evening at 8:30 at the high school auditorium. Forty-eight pupils of the grade school will receive the certificates of promotion to the high school.

The teachers will be going places this summer: Mr. Dunlap will go back to Abilene, Mrs. Cousins will be at McLean, Miss Winton will probably spend the summer at Bowie, Miss Williams will be at Shamrock, Miss Swim has not decided where she will go, Miss Richardson will probably go back to Abilene, Miss Wilson will spend the vacation at Amarillo, Miss Lane will go back to Pampa, Miss Anley will spend the summer at Amarillo, and Mr. Branch will go back to Branch, Ark. Some of the teachers will attend summer school. Mr. Wilkins will go to Dallas to be with his parents, and Miss Heath will go to her home at Canyon.

The following pupils have had perfect attendance this school year: Bill Mounce, Jim Carpenter, Dickie Everett, K. W. Hambricht, Jimmy Don Morris, Claude Mounce, Edna Johnston, Jo Ann Grigsby, Lee Roy McCracken, Cliff Callahan. They will receive perfect attendance certificates Thursday at school.

Some interesting baseball games have been played this week between the fifth and sixth grade boys.

Following is a list of the pupils in the seventh grade who will receive certificates of promotion: Carl Arthur Dwyer is valedictorian and John Emmett Dwyer is salutatorian.

Joe Emerson, Bobby Wayne Bailey, Irene Beeson, Geradine Bryant, Doris Bryant, Joy Laverie Batten, Doris Bailey, Glen Chilton, Johnny Chilton, David Dright, Jack Glass, Marvin Grigsby, Edward Henley, W. J. Hamner, James Hinton, Lois Hunter, Martha Howard, Douglas Jarrell, Cleo Jones, Letha Belle Keeton, Jess Ledbetter, J. J. Lomon, Otis Lee McCellan, Jack Moore, Minnie Katherine Morse, Ina Price, Joe Reeves, Irene Rice, Claudine Sparlin, Frank Simpson, Jack Sanders, W. C. Simpson, Raymond Smith, Coy Ray Stanley, Iva Nora Simpson, Pauline Simpson, Grace Smith, Gladys Smith, Elva Clara Smith, Marge Smith, Ruth Strandberg, Loyce Thacker, Walter Todd, Lavelle Williams, Mary Ruth Williams, Ann Lynn Wilson.

Mrs. J. T. Hicks and Vester Lee Smith have returned from Baltimore, Md., where they had been at the bedside of their father, Vester Smith.

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Great are the responsibilities which lie behind the publication of a newspaper. First of all, there is responsibility of printing the news fully and impartially with as high a degree of accuracy as is humanly possible. The chance of error is so tremendous.

Democracy succeeds in proportion to the degree to which its citizens are enlightened upon the conduct of its political units and the acts of its public officials. As long as the press is free to inform and to criticize, here remains more than a hope that American democracy will continue to point the way to a better social order.

From the days of Benjamin Frank-

lin, American newspapers have not lost sight of their responsibilities to the welfare of their communities, states and nations. No group is more keenly aware of the shortcomings of the press than newspaper workers themselves, but instances of downright dishonesty and betrayal of the public trust are extremely rare in the history of American journalism.

Continue to take your newspaper for granted; you can pay it no greater compliment. Disagree with its editorial policies if you wish; no newspaper lays claim to a monopoly on truth. Criticize its errors of fact, but do not overlook the circumstances under which a newspaper is published and the continuous effort put forth in the interest of accuracy.

Above all, recognize the responsibility which the newspaper cannot escape if it is to play its proper part in the functioning of a democracy.

Mrs. Lena Regal and daughter, Janet, of Amarillo visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks, Sunday. Little John Regal returned home with them after a visit with his grandparents.

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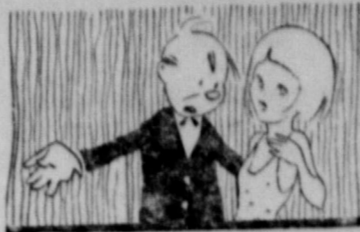


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Hubby—I'll smoke that box of cigars you gave me at Christmas.

H. C. Rippy and Ruel Smith made a business trip to Tulsa, Okla., the first of the week.

Harry G. Womack is a new reader of the News.

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Mrs. Knagg—Before we were married, you said you'd go through fire for me.

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Mrs. Roy Campbell and daughter visited in Shamrock Friday night.

B. W. Kelley of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

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GRAPEFRUIT	JUICE 46 oz. can	15c
COFFEE	Mission vac. pack 1 lb	19c
JELL-O	6 flavors pkg	5c
RIPPLED	WHEAT 5c cookies free	10c
MATCHES	6 box carton	15c
SPUDS	10 lb mesh bag	29c
SOAP	P & G or Crystal White 3 for	10c
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France's Foreign Legion Aids British Troops



A detachment of the French Foreign Legion from North Africa pictured marching through the streets of Marseilles, France. Troops of the famous "legion of forgotten men" were reported thrown into action in Norway during the third week of the war to help bolster the British after their defeat at Steinkjer. Legion troops are reported to have been in France since the 150th anniversary of French independence on July 14.

Senate Chaplain Observes Double Anniversary



Observing a double anniversary in Washington, D. C., the Rev. ZeBarney T. Phillips, chaplain of the senate, receives congratulations from high ranking members of congress. The observance marked his sixty-fifth birthday and the fortieth anniversary of his ordination. Left to right: Senate Minority Leader Charles McNary of Oregon, Rev. ZeBarney Phillips, Vice President John Garner, and Senate Minority Leader Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky.

With German Troops in Copenhagen



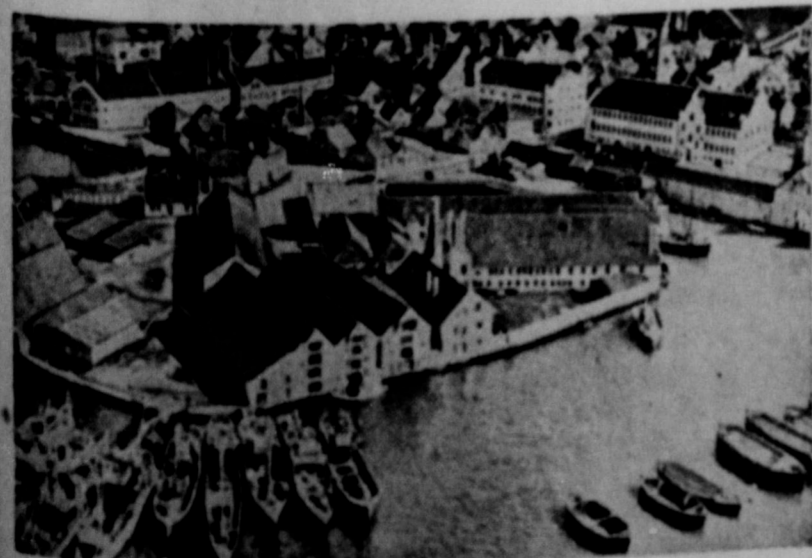
Released by the German censor, this photo shows Danish seamen and German soldiers fraternizing after the invading Nazi troops entered the Danish capital. Little Denmark offered no opposition to the invaders as they established control of Copenhagen, capital city.

Stands Aloof



The American Federation of Labor will not join any movement for either a third party or a Roosevelt third term, according to William Green, A. F. of L. president, in a Pittsburgh, Pa., speech.

Where Raiders Downed Nazi Planes



Object of at least 20 air raid bombings during the first three weeks of war was the city of Stavanger, Norway. It was here that British air squadrons wrecked numerous Nazi fighting planes and killed many members of the German aircraft personnel in raids on the German-held airport.

'Wanted—A. Hitler'



A reward of \$1,000,000 to anyone who will capture Adolf Hitler "alive and unhurt" has been offered by Samuel Harder Church, above, president of Carnegie institute, in behalf of a group of Pittsburgh residents.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON (Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

NEW YORK.—There is a bitter outcry in the press coop as Air Marshal Arthur S. Barratt tells the correspondents in France that here-
News Hounds in France must feed on handouts—no more digging out their own stories. British newspaper owners retaliate by calling home the newsmen. It is one of several unfortunate instances of ineffective co-operation between British high command and the newspapers.

Foreign correspondents I have talked to have told me that the British air service, staffed by younger men than is the army, has been far less encumbered with brass hats and bureaucracy, and that its higher ranking officers understood and co-operated with newspaper men. Hence the handout order, a sweeping decree in barring journalists from all news sources, comes from an unsuspected quarter.

Marshal Barratt was appointed to the command of the newly created unified French-British air force by Neville Chamberlain January 10 of this year. He is 49 years old, a lavishly decorated flier and air officer of the World War, in India at intervals since 1931, senior air officer for India during part of that period. He joined the Royal Flying corps in 1914 and fought through the war. He has been commandant of the R. A. F. staff college at Andover. Many of the most effective leaders of the British air force have come from the Colonies. Marshal Barratt was born at Clifton, England, and was educated at Clifton college and Woolwich.

IN THESE days, someone is always asking, "Watchman, what of the night?"

"Not so good," says Dr. Alfred V. Kidder, the distinguished archeologist, addressing the American Philosophical society. He thinks the present social order is on the skids. As he sees it, "the underlying cause" of our present afflictions is the fact that man has made a "cultural machine," that is a new complex of living techniques, which is out-of-hand, unmanageable and quite generally haywire. Henry Adams predicted that at the turn of the century, when he saw, for the first time, a flock of dynamos. He said, in effect, that there would be power like that. That's the end of "The Education of Henry Adams."

Dr. Kidder, with a Harvard doctorate, 1914 model, delved as far into the past as any other living man before his current peek into the future in excavations in Utah, Arizona, New Mexico, Egypt and Greece, he brooded over many a "poor Yorick" of forgotten ages. Aside from his gloomy preoccupations with destiny, or lack of it, he's a happy man, with five children and apparently a firm belief that the coming smash won't be the final write-off. He is highly renowned in his profession and was president of the Society for American Archeology in 1937.

Unhappily Charles F. Schwab is no longer here to assure us that everything is all right. He used to be helpful in times like this.

DOROTHY STICKNEY, the actress who gets the Barter Theater award for the best performance of the season in "Life With Father," was virtually blind in her youth. Reared on a North Dakota prairie, the daughter of a country doctor, she had studied elocution and immediately headed for a stage career when her sight was all but miraculously restored when she was 20. At St. Paul, she and three other girls formed a traveling singing and dancing troupe called "The Southern Belles." It faded quickly and she came along up in Broadway by the hard road. Her first bell-ringing role was Molly Malloy, the street walker, in "The Front Page." At Skowhegan, Maine, she met and married Howard Lindsay, co-star in "Life With Father."

Blind Until 20, She Reaches Top By the Hard Way

THE London Times scolds A. P. Herbert, parliamentary gag-man and ironist, for being too funny at a serious time, but he is still at it, this time in a book, "General Cargo," in which he spoofs much of the visible and audible England, before and after Munich. It's all typically British, however, and seems to stack up with what they're fighting for. Frequently his jokes go through channels, appearing in Punch, but sometimes he explodes them in parliament, frequently with salutary effect.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for May 26

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JEREMIAH ANNOUNCES THE NEW COVENANT

LESSON TEXT—Jeremiah 31:31-37. GOLDEN TEXT—I will put my law in their inward parts, and write it in their hearts; and will be their God, and they shall be my people.—Jeremiah 31:33.

God's law written in the hearts of all men—surely that is the ultimate goal of all of our efforts, and therein we will find the solution of all of our problems. Jeremiah the prophet, in the midst of a despairing people with only captivity and sorrow before them because of their sinful rebellion against God, gives a prophetic foregleam of the day when all Israel and Judah should know God. Sin was to be forgiven, fellowship restored, and men over all the earth were to know God. Obviously, that prophecy is still future for Israel, but in the meantime God has permitted us to enter into the enjoyment of our covenant of grace.

I. The Old Covenant (vv. 31, 32).
The promise of a new covenant at once raises the question, "What was the old covenant?" We do not have space to make any complete study of it, but we note that while God did make a great covenant with Abraham, founding the nation of Israel (Gen. 17:1-14), the reference by Jeremiah is evidently to the covenant with Moses (Exod. 20:23). We observe that it was

1. National (v. 32). The old covenant was made with Israel only, and could bring blessing to the other nations of the earth only indirectly, as they might share the peace and prosperity which would have come to Israel had they been obedient to God. God was here dealing with a chosen nation for whom He had a specific plan and purpose.
2. Limited (v. 32). The blessing of the old covenant was limited not only in the sense that it was national, but also in that it was conditional. God's promise hinged on His word in Exodus 19:5: "Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people." In other words, the fulfillment of this covenant was dependent on the faithfulness of the people. We know that they failed.

3. Broken by Israel (v. 32). God was like "an husband" (v. 32) unto Israel. He was patient, tender, forgiving, always trying to restore them to Himself. He used His great power on their behalf as He "took them by the hand," and yet we read "my covenant they brake" (v. 32). Human failure in spite of God's promise and goodness, that is the history of man under law. Now, however, we turn to the new covenant of grace.

II. The New Covenant (vv. 33-37).
Jeremiah looked forward to the day when there was to be a covenant that is

1. Personal (v. 33). The reference here is not to a law written in a book, which may be neglected or forgotten, or broken because there is no power in man to keep it. This new law is to be written in the hearts of men. It is personal—not something which he shares as a member of a great nation.

2. Universal (v. 34). From the least to the greatest, every man shall know God. That promise awaits its future complete fulfillment to Israel (and remember that God has not forgotten His people). Even now, however, we have the spiritual fulfillment of the promise in the Church. It is true now that, regardless of nationality, education, wealth, or position, the grace of God is made manifest in the hearts of men and women everywhere.

3. Assured by God (vv. 35-37). The old covenant of law failed, for it hinged upon the faithfulness of undependable man—"If ye will" (Exod. 19:5). But the new covenant of grace rests upon the "I will" of God (v. 34; see also Heb. 8:10-12). This is indeed "a better covenant, which was established upon better promises" (Heb. 8:6). It is an "everlasting covenant" (Heb. 13:20).

Be Satisfied

I say to thee, be thou satisfied. It is recorded of the hares that with a general consent they went to drown themselves, out of a feeling of their misery; but when they saw a company of frogs more fearful than they were, they began to take courage and comfort again. Compare thine estate with others.—Robert Burton.

Doing Good Secretly

When others do you a favor speak of it. When you do your neighbor, a kindness, let him find it out; then you will find a lot of satisfaction in the fact that you have been decent.—Van Amburgh.

Summing It Up

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The man who knows himself would be foolish to tell all he knows.

When a man's own character will not defend him, it is useless to explain.

A local business man, in giving a reason for joining the Lions Club, said that he liked to belong to anything that was going forward. And, come to think of it, most of us like to belong to organizations that are doing something. If there is a lack of new members in any organization, a hint might be taken from this man's statement.

Following the dog killing at Kermit last week, that city ordered stricter enforcement of the dog and stock ordinances. It is too late to bring back an innocent life, but all towns should take warning and see that stray dogs are promptly killed. However, the dog in this case was a "harmless" family pet that had not shown any former viciousness, but suddenly attacked the boy, and his mistress could do nothing with him, the dog attacking her when she tried to stop his killing the baby.

W. B. Andrews, who preached the commencement sermon Sunday evening, called at the News office and was very complimentary in his comments on last week's issue of the News, both as to size and contents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benson and sons of Shamrock visited in McLean Sunday.

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News from Heald

The school children gave an operetta at the school house Wednesday night. The string band from Kellerville was there. Everyone enjoyed the program and music.

Mrs. Clois Hamner gave a birthday party Thursday afternoon for her daughter, Martha Joyce, who was three years old. Children present were: Kenneth and Ramona Holder, Eva Rutledge, Sonja Jeanne Pugh, Deane Phillips, June Chilton, Billy Lenkford, Donna Bailey, Ronald Dale Nelson, Neida Loyce Hamner and the honoree, Martha Joyce Hamner.

Forrest Billingslea of Perryton is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingslea.

School closed Friday. Everyone brought lunch and spread it at noon. The school children entertained with singing.

Mrs. Woodrow Nelson and son, Ronald Dale, of Dimmitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Pugh Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Hightower of Lefors visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleed Godwin Saturday afternoon.

Oscar Sullivan, J. A. and A. W. Haynes made a business trip to Weatherford, Okla., Monday.

Miss Odessa Kunkel of Pampa visited home folks here over the week end.

OCEAN MECHANIC



Fish—Say, Mr Hammer Head Shark, knock the top off for me and I'll give you half.

Chickens and dogs are reported doing a lot of damage in Canyon. It is the time of year when flower beds are being worked and gardens are being planted. Owners of chickens and dogs should keep them at home. For those being molested, the services of a shotgun is about the final resort.—Canyon News.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Campbell visited at Canadian Sunday.

Miss Pauline Blanks of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday.

HELPING THE RICH

Did you know that 20,000 insurance companies, corporations and large farm owners received soil conservation payments of \$1,000 or more each in 1937? The average payment to 3,750,000 farmers amounted to \$75. The top payment to any one firm was \$257,995.64 to the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. The King Ranch of Texas received \$112,140.04. More of the AAA money should be diverted from the rich firms and paid to the small farmers.—Big Spring News.

It has long been our contention that government farm benefit payments should not be paid to the rich or to the big land holders. Not only do they not need it but such a policy encourages land monopoly. The government policy should favor ownership by the little farmer, so that every tenant who is worth a whoop might acquire his own farm home and eat his bread under his own vine and fig tree.—Lynn County News.

Miss Mary Lou Anderson of Pampa visited Miss Jo Ann Campbell over the week end.

John Puryear candidate for state representative, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Lorraine Hodges of Pampa visited home folks here over the week end.

Miss Leah Lane of Pampa visited her sister, Miss Eloise, last week.

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THE PROBLEM:

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A 1940 ambulance and hearse will be at your command, serving you promptly and efficiently. We will spare no expense or details to bring modern funeral arrangements to McLean and surrounding locality. Our display of caskets will be the largest and most complete in this vicinity. We will display a large selection of burial suits and dresses for our many policyholders to choose from, as well as our friends.

FACTS

The Womack Burial Association is becoming one of the strongest Associations in the state. We sell you protection that does not result in embarrassment and humiliation and will definitely take care of your burial expenses. Other Associations are unable to offer the many benefits we CAN offer. Regardless of what you hear, the Womack Burial Association is by far stronger than any other Burial Association in this locality. BE WISE! WHO CAN STAND THE TEST?

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The Womack Funeral Home introduces into McLean, a new 1940 ambulance and hearse; a new modernistic chapel tent and all the very latest in equipment. It will be a period of about 90 days before we can secure the proper location, buy all new equipment and get delivery on same; then the unbelievable will begin when the Womack Funeral Home moves to McLean and begins operation on this great new scale. This has been made possible by your support and good will toward the Womack Burial Association. Plan ahead! Thinking men and women . . . play safe! Continue your strong support toward this institution. Be with only the strongest and the institution that will better serve you.

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IT IS TRUE. The Womack Burial Association and Womack Funeral Home is founded upon a strong financial basis and is opening modern homes in McLean, Memphis, Clarendon, and retaining the Hedley Funeral Home. When all homes are completed, all merchandise purchased—this institution will introduce funeral services on a plan that will be unbelievable, but can only be afforded by a strong association and strong funeral home like Womack's.

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IRISH EYES

by Kathleen Norris

CHAPTER XVII—Continued

"I'm not going to rush you," Frank said. "But you have to know you must know—that you seem to be the most miraculously—well, I've never known anyone like you! I can't help it, I'm crazy about you!"

"There's no rush," he went on, as Sheila still did not speak. "We needn't tell anyone for weeks. But let me come take you to shows, let me come down—you don't have to say anything to your mother until next month, if you don't want to!"

"Next month—" Sheila said, finding her voice. "I think it'll be years before Ma wants to hear the name of Mc Cann!"

Her hands were locked in Frank's hands; now she moved her fingers.



Her hands were locked in Frank's big hands.

He held her for one last question.

"Sheila, tell me, are you happy?"

"Happy!" she echoed, trying to smile. Tears came into her eyes.

"All right, then. Now this—" Frank said, "this is what we're going to do. We'll run into town, d'you see—my car is right over there—"

"I've been looking at it."

"Well, and we'll have a party. We'll go to a department store and we'll buy all sorts of things for your mother and Angela—and you, too. Mother reminded me of reading lamps, and Von asked if you had an ice-cream freezer, and Connie—she's next to Von—she said a radio, and there's cups—and towels—everything we like we'll send home. Shall we?"

"Oh, but, Frank—!" They were standing now, and she lifted the soft tumbled crown of her glittering hair, and the blue eyes over which the coppery bang drifted in a film. "Oh, but, Frank, that'd be too much fun!"

Suddenly he put his arms about her and held her tightly, and she looked up in silence, trembling.

"You'll have to get used to this!" he said in a whisper.

"Sheila!" her mother called, emerging. They were apart again.

"Ask Mr. Mc Cann wud he stay for a taste of lunch, an' have some manners to ye!" said Mrs. Carscadden.

"Mrs. Carscadden, you're very good," Frank said, glancing at his wrist, "but I have some shopping to do, and Sheila has promised to help me. I thought we'd go into town for lunch."

"I'll get my hat!" Sheila said, escaping into the house.

When she came out, ten minutes later, she looked her loveliest in the blue suit, with the new blue hat. The hemstitched frill that fell in crisp folds at the collar of the coat had cost thirty-nine cents, but it was plain and fresh; Sheila's shoes were shining, and if the chamois gloves she wore were still damp in the tips from recent washing, and had been snatched from the sunny back clothesline, Frank did not suspect it.

"You brought your topcoat? Good girl; we may be late," Frank approved. "I love that coat!"

"You ought to. Your mother picked it out for your sister Monica," Sheila reminded him.

"You're going off for the day? Well," said Mrs. Carscadden, bestowing upon her daughter the nearest thing she ever knew to praise, "you look clean and neat, and that's something."

"I'll say she looks clean and neat," Frank agreed.

"We're going to buy you presents, Mother!"

"I'll step over to the police station and wait for ye," Mrs. Carscadden said grimly.

"Oh that reminds me!" Sheila exclaimed. She flashed into the house, flashed back with a little photograph held in the palm of her hand. "Look what was forwarded to me, a few days ago," she said.

They all looked at the picture of a California fruit orchard, in all the radiant flood of March bloom. A plain little farmhouse intruded upon one corner of the print, and in the center a pruning ladder had been leaned against an apple tree, and a young man in overalls stood on the ladder. Below him, deep in the spring grass, was the stout, square figure of a middle-aged woman, with one hand dropped to her side to touch the head of an eager mongrel.

The young man was facing out of the picture. He was half laughing, his shirt was open at the throat, his shirt-sleeves rolled up; he had a saw in his hands.

"Who's that?" Frank asked.

"That's a bad boy, the boy who kidnaped us, and then went back to his mother and is being a good boy!" Sheila said. She slowly tore the picture into tiny scraps. "Nobody's ever going to use that against him," she said.

"And is that all we're ever going to know about him?" Frank asked, smiling down into her honest, serious blue eyes.

"That's all."

"Someone you helped?"

"I don't know. I'd like to think I did."

"Well, come on," Frank said. "I'll bring her back to you safely, Mrs. Carscadden!"

"I've no doubt ye'll try to," Sheila's mother said patiently.

"Ah, you love me, Mother!" Sheila was as radiant as the spring morning as she kissed her mother.

"The black sheep is the favorite, Sheila," Mrs. Carscadden said with a resigned sigh.

"And I'm your favorite child, Ma?"

"I may as well say you are," the mother said, "for it may be the last chance I'll have to spake to ye for the dear knows how long! When ye'd walk out of the house on me, God knows I'm the last to know when I'd clap eyes on ye next!"

Sheila and Frank were laughing as they ran down to the glistening, long shining bulk of the roadster. He helped her into the front seat, and Sheila settled herself there comfortably while he came about to his own seat at the wheel. She turned to wave at her mother and sister as she and Frank whirled off into the morning sunshine together.

[THE END.]

FARM TOPICS

HIGH-GRADE HAY SAVES FEED COST

Fertility Value of Legumes Is Also Beneficial.

By W. B. NEVENS
(Professor of Dairy Cattle Feeding, Illinois College of Agriculture.)

Producing and feeding high-quality hay is one of the best ways to lower live stock feeding costs.

To make the present conservation program of growing more acres of soil-building legumes and fewer acres of soil-depleting cash crops more effective, high-quality hay for live stock feed and the poorer grades for bedding, which can be returned to the soil in the form of manure, should be used. On most farms material savings in the cost of producing live stock and live stock products result from feeding more high-quality hay and less grain for each animal unit.

Then too only high-quality legume hay sells for more than the value of the phosphorus, nitrogen and potassium it contains. The fertility value of alfalfa, clover and soybean hay is \$8 to \$9 a ton. This means that a profit is possible only on the highest grades when one is raising hay for market.

Quality in hay really means feed value. The factors which affect quality include maturity or ripeness, percentage of leaves, color, foreign material such as weeds mixed with the hay, soundness or condition, size and pliability of the stems, and the aroma.

From the standpoint of the chemist who analyzes hay samples, quality in hay refers mainly to its protein, carbohydrates, mineral and vitamin content. From the feeder's standpoint, the extent to which these nutritive elements are present is represented by the quality factors, such as maturity, leafiness, and green color, that can be judged by examining the hay.

New Cheap Treatment Preserves Fence Posts

Farmers in the past have been forced to shy away from pine, poplar and some of the common hardwoods when they selected trees for fence posts, but Parker O. Anderson, extension forester, Minnesota university farm, says that a new "tire tube" method of treatment is going to change all that.

It has been known for many years that if preservatives were used, posts would last much longer. Former methods of treatment were slow, awkward and expensive, however, and never received popular approval.

The new plan involves the use of a cheap preservative, zinc chloride, which is applied to green posts through inner tubes tightly stretched around the large ends of the posts. The preservative is measured and poured into the tubes while the posts lie at an inclined angle. Eight to 24 hours are needed for the chloride to seep into the wood and replace the sap.

Cheap, practical and efficient—the new method is bound to prove a big source of savings to farmers, says Anderson. By using it, abundant, fast-growing trees may be converted into posts that will last about as long as cedar. Cost of the materials used will vary with the variety of wood, also the size and condition that it is in, but for ordinary posts it averages about six cents each.

Wild Game on Farm Can Be a 'Pay' Crop

Farmers who support game on their farms are just as much justified in expecting some return from it as for their crops of oats, beef or corn, says Donald Hatfield of the University of Minnesota. He suggests farmer-sportsman cooperatives to protect the farmer against trespass abuse and to give the hunter more land to shoot over.

Michigan, Ohio and Iowa are some of the states where cooperatives have been set up. By this plan, the farmer furnishes the land and grain and the sportsman contributes cash either directly to the farmer or toward increasing the game supply.

The best plan, says Hatfield, is for several farmers to form an association aggregating not more than 4,000 acres in a solid block. Post the area and make rules regarding the number of hunters per unit of area. From one to three hunters for each 50 acres probably is the best number to start with. Keep the price low but high enough to support improvements.

Farm Notes

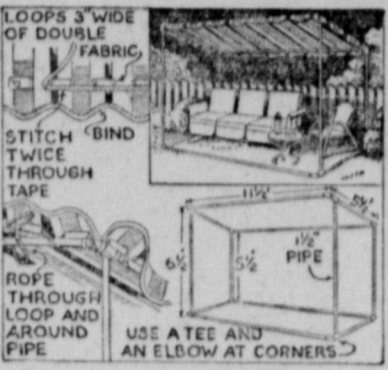
One ton of grain to each cow each year is a good general formula for dairy cattle.

Last year bankruptcies among farmers dropped to the lowest point in almost two decades.

If a cold chisel becomes mushroom-headed, reduce the turned edges with a grinder until the driving end is slightly smaller than the haft of the tool.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



MR. AND MRS. NEWHOUSE looked out over their backyard and were in no mood to plant an acorn and wait for it to grow up to give them summer shade. Mr. Newhouse bought some second-hand pipe for a song and made a sketch for the frame of a shelter like the one I have shown at the upper right. He had a plumber cut and thread the pipe so it could be put together easily. The pipe frame was painted bright blue. Then Mrs. Newhouse selected green and white striped awning material for the top. This

material was 30 inches wide and 12 yards were needed. About 15 yards of bright blue bias binding were used for the scalloped edge. The method of fastening the awning to the frame is illustrated. The fabric loops were made of the awning material stitched in place through heavy woven tape.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT TO SPONSOR ANIMAL SHOW

The McLean fire department is sponsoring a wild animal show next Monday, May 27. Free rides on the elephant for children will be one of the featured attractions of Honest Bill's Shows. Two performances will be given, one at 2 p. m. and one at 8 p. m.

This organization, which was here some 12 years ago, will be remembered by many of the show going folks of this section.

Manager William Newton is a native Texan, having been born and reared near Eagle Lake, and is the



son of Lucky Bill, government scout and buffalo hunter with Buffalo Bill.

In another column of this paper will be found an advertisement of Mr. Newton's. By cutting the coupon from that ad, or taking the whole ad to the ticket wagon outside the tent, you will be admitted free to the big tent with the exception of a 10c service tax. The regular price of each performance is 15c and 30c. So if you plan to go to the show, clip the coupon and you will be admitted for 10c tax charge. Read his ad on another page of this paper.

Cupid, the educated pony, one of the attractions of the show, was featured for 32 weeks at the Century of Progress, World's Fair at Chicago, and at the Texas Centennial during the entire run; cartooned by Robert L. Ripley, and conceded by both press and public to be the smartest and best trained animal now appearing before the American public; known as the \$10,000 pony with a \$1,000 brain; a Texas pony.

Chief St. John, a genuine cannibal, will appear in person at each performance, giving lectures on his native country, Africa, on wild animals and pagan religion.

RICHMOND-MOORE

Reported.

The marriage of Miss Madge Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Richardson of Hedley, and Mr. Owen Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Toll Moore of Pampa, was solemnized at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 18, at the home of the bride's brother, Woodley, in Phillips.

The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by R. R. Price, minister of the Pampa Church of Christ.

The bride was dressed in a smart navy ensemble with pink accessories. Her corsage was pink gladioli and fern.

Mrs. Moore is a graduate of Hedley high school has attended Abilene Christian College, Arizona State Teachers College and University of Texas, and for the past several years has taught in Wheeler and Gray counties. Mr. Moore received his education in Hedley and Fort Worth schools.

After the ceremony the bride cut the three-tiered cake on which stood a miniature bride and groom. The cake, with punch, was served to the following relatives and guests:

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Richardson and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of Hedley; the bride's grandmother, Mrs. J. Ring, of Hedley; Loyd, Ruth and Woodley Richardson of Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richardson of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Toll Moore and daughter, Miss Opal, of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hall and daughter, Norma Dee, of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Price of Pampa; Miss Bennie Pernel of Wheeler; Miss Ruth Hart of Pampa; Miss Anna Bell Cox of Borger, Miss Ella Martin of Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore left on a trip to Carlsbad, N. M., and other places. After their return they will be at home in Pampa, where Mr. Moore is in business. Mr. Moore is a former resident of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bodine of Borger visited the former's parents here over the week end.

Mrs. Porter Smith and son, Bobby, and Mrs. Kate Everett visited in Borger Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Neill and son, Jep, and daughter of Dumas visited relatives here last week end.

Millard Anderson of Shamrock was in McLean Thursday.

With the Churches

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH

W. R. Maxwell, Pastor
Sunday services as follows:
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
P. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m.
Evangelistic service 8 p. m.
Week-day services:
H. M. S. Monday, 2 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night.
Preaching Saturday night.

We are looking forward to a young peoples' revival the date and evangelist to be announced later.

The H. M. S. is sponsoring a prayer meeting at 9 a. m. each day this week to pray for the revival. All Christians are invited to meet and pray with us.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lee Starnes Minister

The regular services will be held at the Church of Christ Sunday: Bible school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; young people's Bible class at 7 p. m.

Our attendance has been excellent for the last few weeks, but would you not like to see it increase? Then why not do your part and be present next Lord's Day?

The sermon topic at the morning hour will be "Members of His Body." The evening theme will be "Responsibility." Come let us study these important lessons together.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

W. E. Bond, Pastor

A Young People's Society Rally for the churches in this zone will be held at the McLean church Friday, May 31, from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. with basket lunch at noon.

All our services as usual next Sunday. You are invited to attend any or all of our services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. S. R. Jones will preach at the 11 and 8 o'clock hours Sunday. All other services as usual. Everyone is invited.

METHODIST W. M. S.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan was leader of a "Spiritual Feast" program at the Tuesday meeting of the Methodist W. M. S.

The leader opened the meeting with a talk on the subject. Assisting on program were: Mesdames J. L. Hess, Leroy M. Brown, A. B. Christian, C. O. Greene and J. A. Sparks.

Others present were: Mesdames J. M. Noel, C. S. Rice, J. W. Story, C. A. Cryer, J. A. Brawley, Dwight Stubblefield, J. H. Wade, S. J. Dyer, Callie Haynes, Thos. Ashby and O. B. Dorsey.

PENTECOSTAL H. M. S.

The Pentecostal Holiness H. M. S. met at the church Monday afternoon with 10 members present.

Mrs. L. E. Carter read 2 Cor. 11 for a scripture lesson.

Mrs. Leonard Hornsby, work leader, was in charge, the proceeds of the work to go to missionary work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watkins visited their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Glass, at Alameda Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Lynch of Borger visited her daughter, Mrs. Shannon Barkor, over the week end.

Mrs. O. L. Graham and son and Mrs. Pinson have come home from Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil D'Spain and baby of Estancia, N. M., visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Sherman White and Mrs. D. E. Upham of Pampa visited here Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. D. M. Graham, accompanied by her daughter from Forney, visited in Amarillo Friday.

George Graham was in Amarillo on business last week.

News from Liberty

Sunday school at 11 a. m.
Preaching each Sunday night.

Miss Imogene Myatt, who is in nurses' training at Lubbock, came Wednesday of last week for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt, and family.

Mrs. Joe Thompson and son of Kellerville visited Mrs. M. D. Curry Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pickett of Heald visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. D. Curry and son, Elwin, were in Shamrock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth and children visited in the Lively home Sunday night.

Miss Audie Myatt of Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt, and family Sunday.

THE DORSEYS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey entertained a number of their friends Saturday night. Games and 42 were played until a late hour.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hardin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth and children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lively and children, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis and children, Misses Fleeta Cunningham, Viola Corbin, Elsie Jones, Imogene and Norma Lee Myatt; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dorsey and baby from Kellerville, Troy Corbin, Ronnie Cunningham, C. A. Jr. and Bobby Wayne Myatt, A. L. Morgan and M. Corbin.

STEADFAST PHILOSOPHY

By O. L. D. Timer

I have the greatest admiration and highest respect for the man who has gone through the depression and recession, has taken all the hard knocks and hard luck, has come through it all with his colors flying and has retained his pride, poise, honesty and convictions, and has been a help to society in general as well as a supporter of and a taxpayer to the government, instead of joining the Gimme Gang and cry babies and presuming that the government owes him a great sum per month for wasting golden opportunities, plowing up the soil to wash and blow away, cutting and burning virgin timber, and acting a Non Compos Mentis in general. I take off my hat to him and look to him as the man who is holding civilization together, and when Hitler is licked he is the type of man that will do the job. May his number increase until they will be able to see that all deserving people get justice and can go unmolested about their business without being imposed upon and brow beaten by an infernal monster who presumes that he should be the jury, judge and executioner of the whole world.

JUST CAN'T BE DONE



Mrs. De Gass - I was outspoken in my sentiments at the club today.
Mr. De Gass (with look of astonishment) - I can't believe it, my dear. Who outspoke you?

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Mrs. Hayden Hensley of Forney visited her mother, Mrs. D. M. Graham, Friday.

Sam Brown of Alameda was in town Saturday.

M. M. Newman made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

G. H. A. Hardeman of Amarillo was in McLean Saturday.



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THE McLEAN NEWS

A good rain fell in the McLean community Wednesday evening, bringing the temperature down to the low fifties.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hinton of Kingsmill visited the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hinton, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark of Clarkton visited here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray visited at Hobbs, N. M., over the week end.

Dee Masley of Lefors was in McLean Thursday.

Mrs. C. M. Carpenter has returned from a visit at Roswell, N. M., Amarillo.

J. M. Carpenter made a business trip to Alameda Thursday.

AMAZON PHILOSOPHY

The women have gone to the briches and boots, smoking drinking, and wearing broad edged coats. It looks like Paul will ride again and cry "The women are coming."

A. T. WILSON
at the HERMITAGE

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PRUNES gallon 22c

PEAS Kurer's 2 No. 2 cans 25c

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46 oz. can 15c

PINEAPPLE Del Monte crushed No. 2 15c

Coffee Folger's 1 lb 25c

SALAD DRESSING Blue Bonnet—quart 25c

JELL-O any flavor 5c

PEANUT BUTTER qt. 25c

SOAP P & G 6 bars 21c

BACON Rex or Gold Coin sliced 1 lb 17c

BUTTER creamery 1 lb 28c

OLEO per lb 12c

CHEESE 2 lb box 49c

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