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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

These prices for Cash Only

Just received a load of good famous Royal Banquet and Ponca Best Flour

Meal, 20 lb.	45c	Flour, Ponca Best	
10 lb.	27c	48 lb.	\$1.49
Rolled Oats, 6 lb.	24c	Royal Banquet	\$1.65
Corn Flakes 3 for	25c	Far Better	\$1.25
W. S. Pumpkin, can	10c	Mustard, qt.	13c
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Sweet Potatoes, can	10c	Salmon, 2 for	25c

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PHONE 63

Clay-Laurence

Herbert Clay and Miss Vera Laurence of this city were united in marriage Thursday March 31, at the Baptist parsonage in Lella Lake. Rev. Vick Allen, the pastor, conducted the ceremony. They were accompanied by John Robert Laurence and Misses Mildred Caldwell and Sarah Hendricks.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Laurence, former Hedleyans now living in Claude, and has spent most of her life in Hedley. She graduated from the Hedley high school in 1928 and attended college in Canyon, Amarillo and Denton. She is employed as a teacher in the Bray school.

The groom is the son of T. M. Clay, and has also lived near Hedley most of his life. He is engaged in farming in the Bray community, where they will make their home.

They have many friends here who will join the Informer in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Special prices on all buttons, 10c cards for 8c. 5c cards for 4c at Hooker's.

Revival

The meeting at the First Baptist Church is progressing nicely under the direction of Rev. Vick Allen of Lella Lake. Come out and take part in the song services and hear an inspiring gospel message.

Do you know that a large reciprocal insurance company that has a good many policies and bonds at and near Hedley went into the hands of receivers last week. If your policy is not by an Old Line Stock Company it might be advantageous to you to have your policies checked by the C. L. Johnson Insurance Agency.

NOTICE

For the lack of room we have moved our laundry back to the Biffie building. We have steam equipment and will appraise a part of your trade. Free delivery. Lee Meeks, Phone 47.

Close out prices on all prints at Hooker's.

Second year Acacia cotton seed for sale. 85c per bu. See O. C. Cavender.

For Sale—about 16 tons of maize and kafir heads. See W. C. Bridges.

NOTICE

Wanted—a few more policy holders in the Buntin Burial Association. See Ralph Moreman at once.

The Log Cabin Service Station

NOXLESS GASOLINE
(Leaded)

U. S. TIRES

What You Need We'll Get

Phone 6

Dr. A. L. Johnson Dies

The following article was clipped from a Knoxville, Tenn. paper.

Dr. Albert Lafayette Johnson, 68, formerly a practicing physician of Knoxville and Hall's Cross Roads, died unexpectedly yesterday in his room in a Johnson City hotel. His death was attributed to a heart attack. His home was at 231 East Oakland Avenue, Knoxville.

Dr. Johnson was graduated when he was 18 years old. He attended University of Tennessee and was graduated at the old Lincoln Memorial college of medicine. He practiced for 10 years in Knoxville and Hall's Cross Roads.

He later established a large practice in Memphis, Tex. where he resided for 20 years. After his retirement he returned to Knoxville.

Dr. Johnson was a member of Broadway Baptist Church, the Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine and the Knights Templar commandery at Memphis, Tex.

He had been connected with the National Optical store in Johnson City for the past three months.

Apparently, Dr. Johnson was enjoying his usual health Monday at 11 p. m. when he went to his room in the hotel. A hotel employe found him lying dead on the floor early yesterday. J. B. Potter said he evidently died of a natural cause.

The body was brought to Knoxville yesterday afternoon. Rose's is in charge.

Dr. Johnson is survived by his widow, Mrs. Aslee Johnson, Knoxville; 3 daughters, Mrs. J. E. Whedbee, Knoxville; Mrs. Stern Johnson, Fountain City, and Mrs. H. D. Durham, of Houston, Tex.; one son, A. L. Johnson Jr., Knoxville; two brothers, J. T. Johnson, Maynardville, and C. E. Johnson of Hedley, Tex.; and one sister, Mrs. F. Satterfield, Maynardville, and two grand children.

Dr. Johnson was well known in Hedley, and his many friends here will join the Informer in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 9:45 A. M.
Preaching, 11 A. M., 7:30 P. M.
Missionary Societies
Circle 1, Monday 8 p. m. Circle 2, 8:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:15

B. J. Osborn

There will be no evening service at the Methodist Church Sunday, but will go over to the Baptist Church for the revival. Let everybody be present and on time for the services Sunday morning. The Presiding Elder was to be with us at the evening hour but because of the revival at the Baptist Church, he will be with us at 8 p. m. for the Quarterly conference. Please come, and make it an interesting service. We need you to help us in our conference together.
B. J. Osborn, Pastor

WEDLEY SINGERS

There will be no singing at the West Baptist Church Sunday, as the Hedley singers are planning to hear the Stamps quartet at Memphis.

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Courtesy and Service
but we have modern prices and
Quality Groceries.*

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**Barnes & Hastings
Cash Grocery**

PHONE 21

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The abstract to your home
Life insurance policies
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Your will and other valuable papers*

If you had a safety deposit box you would know where they were and they would be safe from fire and theft.

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BABY CHICKS

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AROUND THE HOUSE

Setting Gelatine.—Gelatine salads and desserts will jell faster in metal molds than in enamel, earthenware or glass molds.

When Cooking Cheese.—In cooking anything with cheese use a low temperature, because intense heat makes cheese tough and stringy.

Sugaring Doughnuts.—To dust doughnuts with sugar place the sugar in a paper sack and put in doughnuts at a time. Hold top of the sack together and shake it. The doughnuts will then be quickly coated with sugar.

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15¢ FOR 12 TABLETS
2 FULL DOZEN 25¢
Virtually 1 cent a tablet

Two Extremes

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FOR CUTS MOROLINE

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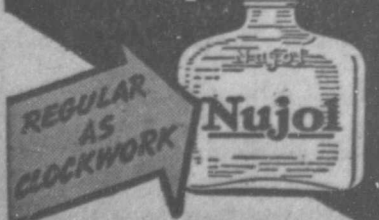
ARE YOUR NERVES ON EDGE?

Waco, Texas—Mrs. Fred Fanning, 1603 Franklin Ave., says: "My nerves were on edge and I was weak and upset. I had no appetite and was so miserable. After taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I was able to eat, gained weight, my nerves were better, and I looked and felt better in every way. Ask your druggist for it today."

Where Command Is Due
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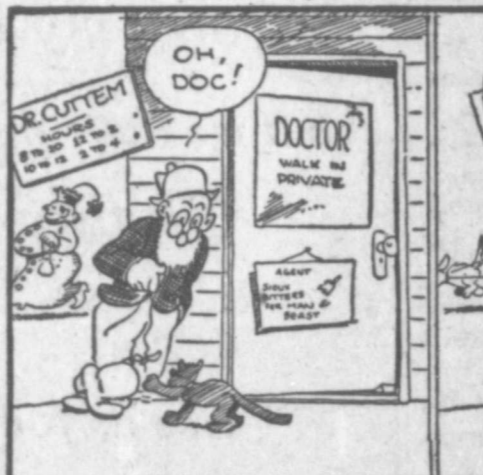
By C. M. PAYNE



MESCAL IKE

By S. L. HUNTLEY

The Sequel



Lolly Gags



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin

Friendly Visit

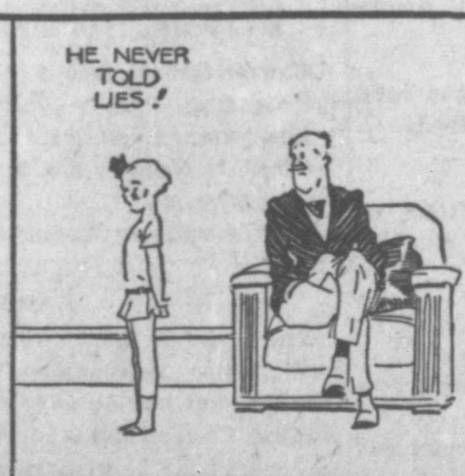


WHOLOSTIFER FINNEY



POP—No Diplomat

By J. MILLAR WATT



THE WORLD AT ITS WORST

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



TAKEN AND SHAKEN

It said plainly on the medicine bottle, "To be shaken before taken." Mother, busy with a hundred and one other things, had forgotten to shake the bottle before giving Jimmy his dose. "That's all right, Mother," said Jim, "I'll turn a few somersaults."

Cause and Effect

He—What happened when the boss caught you reading a novel instead of doing your work? She—I lost my place. Innuendo "Someone throw an ax at you?" "Nope, got a haircut." "Well, sit higher in the chair next time."—Columbia Jester.

PERFECTLY PLAIN

A little boy asked his father why he was bald. "For the same reason that grass won't grow on a busy street—you know, don't you?" said the father. "O, yes," replied the boy. "It can't get up through the concrete."—Stray Stories Magazine.

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**ADAMSON-LANE POST 287
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 meets the first Thursday in each
 month

HEDLEY LODGE NO. 413
 Hedley Chapter No. 413,
 O. E. S. meets the first
 Friday of each month,
 at 2:30 p. m.
 Members are requested to attend.
 Visitors welcome.
 Katie Mae Moreman, W. M.
 Teenie Masterson, Sec.

Revival
 To begin, the first Sunday in
 August, at the Methodist Church

For Sale
 One 4 room house, on lot 50 by
 160 in central Hedley.
 One 5 room house on 1 acre
 land, concrete cellar, small gar-
 age, in east Hedley
 45 acre block of land, 1 1/2 miles
 west of Hedley on paved highway
 See W. C. Bridges, Hedley.

McKnight Church of Christ
 Preaching services each Sun-
 day at 8 p. m., except 3rd Sun-
 day service at 11 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 M. E. Wells, Pastor
 Sunday School, 10:00, Charles
 R. Ins, Supt.
 Song Service and Preaching,
 11:00
 Evening Services:
 Preaching, 7:00, by the pastor.

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PHONE 29 when you
 know a News Item

WIFADASON CLUB

On March 23 the Wifadason
 Club met at the home of Mrs
 Newman with 18 members and 4
 visitors present. We spent a
 very pleasant afternoon, with
 handwork and exchange of seeds
 and plants, as well as social con-
 tact which is always beneficial.
 Also Mrs. Newman demonstra-
 ted angel cake for those who
 were fortunate enough to go ear-
 ly. Our next meeting will be
 with Mrs. W. E. Grimsley April
 12 at 2:30. Meet at the Hooker
 Variety at 2 for ways of trans-
 portation. As some did not get
 their exchanges to the last meet-
 ing, it is not too late to bring
 them to the next meeting if you
 wish. Answer to roll call, one
 fact I learned in school. It is
 understood to take any hand
 work you wish.

Trustee Election
 H. H. Hall, Roscoe Land and J.
 A. Long were elected school trust-
 ees in the election held Satur-
 day.

City Election
 In the city election Tuesday,
 G. E. Johnson was reelected may-
 or, and C. S. Barnett, A. A. Coop-
 er, Geo. Thompson, Tom Mc-
 Dougal and Leon Reeves were
 elected aldermen for the coming
 year.

BASEBALL
 The Hedley baseball team will
 play the Crossroads team there
 Sunday. The new suit, donated
 by Hedley merchants will prob-
 ably arrive by that time. The
 names of the donors will be prin-
 ted next week. Everybody go
 and back your home team.

Misses Joyce Tinsley and Mar-
 tha Sue Noel of Denton visited
 home folks here from Thursday
 to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McDougal
 and Paul Priestly have returned
 from Natalia, and will probably
 spend the summer here.

Dr. T. A. Moore and family
 have moved here from Wichita
 Falls. Dr. Moore has his office
 at the Hedley Drug. Hedley
 citizens are glad to welcome them.

Mrs. A. V. Hendricks, A. V.
 Jr. and Mary Lane Hendricks
 and Vivian Adamson of Turkey
 visited here Sunday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Rolfe Wagner, Minister
 Bible study 10 a. m. each Lord's
 Day
 Preaching and communion 11
 Wednesday evening Bible study
 8 p. m.
 We cordially invite you to come
 study Bible with us.

**Stamps Quartet to Sing
 in Memphis**
 The Virgil O. Stamp Quartet,
 nationally famous singers, will
 appear in a paid concert at the
 High School auditorium on the
 night of April 9, according to A.
 B. Willis, president of the Hall
 County Singers Association.
 The county convention will be
 held in Memphis on Sunday, Ap-
 ril 10, and Saturday night before
 and the Stamp Quartet has been
 secured as an added attrac-
 tion.
 Other prominent singers will
 be in attendance at the conven-
 tion, including the Dodson Quar-
 tet and Rev. E. F. Cook's Quar-
 tet of Amarillo.
 Subscribe for the Informer.



The Root

The Staff
 Editor in Chief
 Senior Reporter
 Junior
 Sophomore
 Freshman
 Ione Wall
 Calvin Reed
 Eddie Mae Land
 Eutha Davis
 Josie Plunk

Cake Walk
 Have you ever attended a cake
 walk? Fun, wasn't it? Or may-
 be you don't know if you never
 have attended one. Music, fine
 cakes with luscious frostings,
 and free entertainment.
 The cake walk is sponsored by
 the home economics girls who
 are trying to make enough mon-
 ey to represent Hedley High
 School in the State Rally for
 Homemaking Education. The
 meeting will be held in San An-
 tonio this year.
 Now what is a cake walk? You
 simply walk around a platform
 on which there are numbers cor-
 responding to numbers given
 cakes. When the music stops,
 if you are standing on the lucky
 number, that lovely cake is yours.
 Only 10 cents for fun, entertain-
 ment, and perhaps a cake. Come
 Have a good time, and help us on
 Friday, April 15.

BIRTHDAY PARTY
 Mrs. J. W. McPherson and
 Miss Eva Duckworth were co-
 hostesses. Saturday April 2,
 when they entertained with a
 surprise dinner party honoring
 Miss Verlin McPherson's birth-
 day.
 Several nice gifts were pre-
 sented the honoree and 8 per-
 sons sent gifts.

NOTICE
 Dawn, an Easter Cantata, is to
 be given Sunday morning, April
 17, at the First Baptist Church,
 at 11 a. m. by the Ladies' Chorus
 group of Hedley.
 Mrs. J. D. Shaw of Albuquer-
 que, N. Mex., is visiting rela-
 tives here.
 O. E. and Kermit Johnson at-
 tended the funeral services of
 the former's brother, Dr. A. L.
 Johnson, in Knoxville, Tenn.,
 last week.

Lake Sachse and family of
 near Hollis and Jake Leggett and
 wife of Lefors visited Mrs. G. B.
 Leggett Sunday.

Ernest Johnson of Amarillo
 visited home folks Sunday.

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 Across street from M. E. Church

Interscholastic Meet
 March 30 the Hedley boys
 went to Clarendon to win honors
 for their school and for them-
 selves. They were really well
 arined for they came back with
 nearly all the blue ribbons that
 were to be had. Those who we
 wish to honor:
 High School Division
 Craig Johnson won 1st in the
 100 yd dash, 1st in the 220 yd.
 dash, 1st in discus and 1st in the
 broad jump
 Bruce Edwards won 1st in
 high hurdles, 1st in low hurdles,
 1st in the shot put, 1st in the
 jump and 2nd in the discus.
 M. L. Sims won 1st in the 880
 yd. run.
 Clay Plunk and Jerry Hunt
 won 2nd in Senior tennis doubles.
 Kenneth Bell won 2nd in Jr.
 broad jump and 3rd in Jr. high
 jump.

Grade School Division
 Willis Long won 2nd place in
 chinning the bar
 Extemporaneous Speaking:
 Girls, Geraldine Riley Second
 Boys, Jerry Hunt First
 Declamation:
 Junior High School:
 Girls, Wilma Cavender First
 Boys, Keith Bain Second, C.
 L. McQueen Third
 Junior Ward:
 Girls, La Fern Leeper Second
 Boys, Travis Bailey First
 Sub Junior:
 Girls, Tressie Mae Long and
 Eva Jean Cherry, tied for First
 Place

Boys, Bartie Lee Edwards Sec-
 ond, Hayden Baker Third
 Spelling and Plain Writing:
 Grades VIII and above
 Della McLaughlin and V. A.
 Hansard Second
 Grades VI and VII
 Joe Ann Shaw and Fred Aber-
 nathy Second
 Grades IV and V
 Mary Frances Meeks and Le-
 tha Bain, First
 These girls both had 100% pa-
 pers which will be mailed to the
 state division.
 Story Telling:
 Billy Jean Smith First
 The decisions for the Essay
 had not been announced when
 we left; consequently we do not
 know the place Loyce Mae Lowry
 won yet.

The 42 Club
 The 42 Club met at the home
 of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Whitfield
 last Tuesday night. Delicious
 refreshments were served to:
 Messrs. and Mesdames Fred
 Watt, Dick Vallance, M. W. Mos-
 ley, Ralph Moreman, J. B. Mas-
 terson, W. H. Jones, R. E. Mann,
 G. E. Kinslow, E. M. Glass, E. R.
 Hooker, H. M. Horschler and the
 host and hostess.

HEDLEY LODGE NO. 991
 A. F. and A. M.
 meets on the 2nd
 Thursday night
 in each month.
 All members are urged to attend.
 Visitors are welcome.
 Ike Rains, W. M.
 C. E. Johnson, Sec.

WEST BAPTIST CHURCH
 V. A. Hansard, pastor
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Preaching 1st, 2nd, and 4th
 Sundays. Morning services at
 11 a. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m.
 Visitors are always welcome.

3rd Grade Enjoying Trip
 An airplane, called The Sea
 Gull is taking the Third Grade
 on an imaginary trip through
 Holland. Hayden Baker, our
 pilot, is carrying us to some
 very interesting places. We are
 returning to America April 5.

Lyman Davenport, Fred Wells
 and Stephen Milner visited
 school Friday, April 1. We are
 always glad to have our ex-
 sultors visit the school.

NOTICE
 Has your child's name been
 placed on the 1938 school census?
 If not, see J. S. Edwards.

Assembly
 Chapel was held Thursday
 at the high school auditorium. Se-
 veral songs were sung by the
 student body, led by Hayden
 Baker, and accompanied by the
 orchestra. After which the
 College presented a program
 with Miss Theresa Main
 in charge. Mrs. Anna
 gave two piano solos and
 Mr. McDerid gave a short talk
 at Clarendon Jr. College.
 The students enjoyed the
 program and hope they will
 see us again soon.
 After the program
 the officers gave their declara-



He's got mere "oil-changers"
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 OIL-PLATED BY *Your Mileage Merchant*

That last one is all filled in for you because the only answer on
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 all the other things, too—and folks say he does them better—but
 there isn't even a comparison with his patented Conoco Germ
 Processed oil that gives you exclusive OIL-PLATING.
 OIL-PLATING actually unites with all working surfaces. They
 remain continuously OIL-PLATED. Though you park your car
 for long stretches, this rich slippery OIL-PLATING remains all pre-
 pared for every start. Then what's so-called "starting wear" to
 your OIL-PLATED engine?
 Or when your car huddles, how can implanted OIL-PLATING keep
 flying off to get burned right up? That's where OIL-PLATING gives
 you a sane explanation of why you can count on more mileage. You
 add mighty little Germ Processed oil after Your Mileage Merchant
 puts in just your correct Summer grade today. Continental Oil Co.

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 PROCESSED OIL
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BOSTON PARKER

COURT



Joe Kennedy, Red-Headed Irishman, Will Be New Type Ambassador to England's Austere Court of St. James

By JOSEPH W. LdBINE

A red-headed American business man, the blood of old Erin coursing through his veins, is creating a sensation at Great Britain's austere Court of St. James.

His name is Joe Kennedy, the son of a one time Boston politician and saloon keeper, new United States ambassador to England.

Joe Kennedy is placing his sturdy business shoes in the footsteps where formerly walked philosophers, poets, historians and members of the social elect. He is not America's first business man ambassador, but he is the first business man to get the job without first showing his listing in society's "Who's Who."

Joe Kennedy, who made a million dollars before he was 35, who organized the successful Securities Exchange commission and served as chairman of the Maritime commission, may be ushering in a new type of diplomacy. Others claim this right-hand man of the Roosevelt administration is being exiled by his appointment to St. James. Still others say the ambassadorship is a springboard to the Presidency.

More likely is the answer that President Roosevelt recognizes the need for a British ambassador of exceptional business ability, a man who can maneuver the proposed reciprocal trade treaty to a successful conclusion. Joe Kennedy, more than any other New Dealer, is the man who can do it.

Red Tape Bothers Him

This dynamic American is apt to shock St. James. As SEC chairman and head of the Maritime commission he showed his distaste for official red tape and soft-couched procedure. In diplomacy as nowhere else, he will find just such conditions.

The Kennedy career reads like an unbroken success story, in which love and family life have played an important part. At forty-nine he is the father of nine good looking children. His wife, the former Rose Fitzgerald of Boston, is so attractive and slim at forty-seven that John Boettiger, Roosevelt son-in-law, blurted out when he first met her:

"At last I believe in the stork!"

Kennedy started as a Boston newsboy in a career that stretches from New England to Hollywood and back again. At Harvard, where he finished in 1912, he was a star baseball player and made \$5,000 driving a sight-seeing bus during summer vacations. By the time he graduated he decided on a banking career, became a state examiner for 18 months and—when only twenty-five—was actually a bank president!

He Fought With Roosevelt

Kennedy's first meeting with President Roosevelt came during the war when the Irish Bostonian was assistant general manager of the Fore River shipyards and the President was assistant secretary of the navy. It is recalled that the angry navy official dispatched troops to take over a ship which Kennedy refused to release.

Next came three years as manager of the stock department at Hayden, Stone company, a Boston banking house. It was there that Kennedy got the bright idea of buying American option rights on foreign motion pictures. That started his movie career.

Kennedy was new blood in Hollywood, one of the first young business men to approach the movie industry from the banking end. From 1926 to 1930 he was in the center of mammoth mergers and shifts in the big companies. By 1929, just before the crash, he decided to get out of the movie business.

But during his brief Hollywood career he had been president of the Film Booking Offices of

ded film companies in need of overhauling. He settled \$73,000,000 of mail contract claims of 23 shipping companies against the government for \$750,000 and laid down the rule that future government subsidies to shipping should be made only where there was a chance of accomplishing something by it.

Then last November, he released a sensational report listing the needs of American shipping, a report that will probably go down in history as another example of Kennedy foresight and common sense. When every other nation was building huge liners, Joe Kennedy predicted the day when fast aircraft would make liners impractical. Therefore he recommended emphasis on trans-Atlantic airplanes, together with construction of small and sensible ocean vessels.

He's "Pop" Personalified

To staid Brits Joe Kennedy may be the perfect example of American "pop." Big and tall, he likes to work in his shirt sleeves, make instantaneous decisions and ride airplanes instead of trains. He is a go-getter, equally at home with any kind of an audience.

It is significant that Joe Kennedy is one of the few New Dealers who still retain the respect of business at large. President Roosevelt is sacrificing an important window dresser on the home front when he sends this Irishman to St. James.



Built originally for Pierpont Morgan, the new United States embassy at London should be large enough for the Kennedy family—mother, father and nine smart youngsters.

first to board President Roosevelt's bandwagon, while the present Chief Executive was still governor of New York and Jim Farley was still a small time politician.

Reformed Wall Street

Kennedy money backed the 1932 campaign and the dynamic Kennedy personality gladdened many a vote-getting tour. When it was all over he spent two and a half months reorganizing Radio Corporation of America and hobnobbing with his Wall street friends, trying to convince them that the world was changed. They wouldn't listen.

Few people have forgotten the turbulent days when the Securities Exchange commission was established with Kennedy at its head. Almost to a man, Wall street brokers protested it would wreck their profession. But the measure went through and today you'll find that a majority of SEC's old opponents are its staunchest supporters.

After SEC was established he left the government and returned to making money again, only to be recalled when President Roosevelt needed leadership for the Maritime commission. He handled American shipping interests as he had han-

That is the best indication of the importance the President attached to the British post.

An equally interesting sidelight will be the Kennedy family's "invasion" of London. Never before has the United States sent an Irishman to London, storm center of English-Irish dissension. Boston blue bloods, social registerites from New York, Philadelphia and Washington will be presented next June to Queen Elizabeth at Buckingham palace by Rose Kennedy, a woman who was never invited to join the exclusive Junior League. American debutantes cannot appear before the queen of England unless Rose Kennedy sanctions it.

If Joe Kennedy engineers the Anglo-American trade agreement he will return to the United States more thoroughly in the spotlight than ever. Though some may consider him an "exile" in London, he can recall that five former ambassadors to St. James later became President. Who knows but that this "typical" American business man may follow their example? Hard headed business men also make good Presidents!

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WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Discusses CARBOHYDRATES and FATS

Foods That Provide Motive Power For the Body Machinery ★ ★

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS 6 East 29th St., New York.

THE human body might be compared to a framework filled with machinery. It takes food to build the framework, food to run the machinery and food to keep it working efficiently and this food must be of the proper type.

Last week, I discussed the body building proteins and explained how to distinguish between those which build and repair body tissue, and those that are adequate for maintenance, but not for growth. It is equally important that you should learn something of the fuel foods which are necessary to fire the body engine and furnish motive power to propel the body machinery.

Fuel Foods Keep Us Alive

The body could not function in the absence of fuel foods any more than a machine could run without power, or a car without gas.

Even in repose, the body machinery is kept functioning only by an ever-present supply of fuel. For as long as life continues—even when you are lying perfectly still—you need fuel to carry on the internal work of the body.

Activity Demands Energy Foods

Every type of daily activity, including work and exercise, requires additional fuel. If you walk slowly, you expend twice as much energy as when you sit still. And when you walk fast, you may use up four, five or six times as much energy.

The chief fuel, or energy producing foods, are the carbohydrates—that is, the starches and sugars; and fats. Protein also has some fuel value, but its primary function is to build and repair tissue.

Carbohydrates are quick burning. They might be compared to the flare of a match in a dark room, which gives bright light for an instant, but is soon extinguished. Fat, on the other hand, burns slowly, like a lamp whose wick is turned low.

Danger of Inadequate Fuel Supply

Recently there has been a tendency to minimize the importance of the fats and carbohydrates, due to the craze for dieting. Some of the results of disregarding the absolute necessity for these foods are extreme irritability, and a greater susceptibility to fatigue, nervous diseases, tuberculosis and other infections.

Too Much Fuel Causes Overweight

It is true, however, that an excess of fuel foods will tend to produce overweight. For if we assimilate them,

life, in its higher forms, is impossible. The noted Arctic explorer, Stefansson, found that he could exist satisfactorily on an all-meat diet, provided he ate liberally of fat. On a diet of all lean meat, he became violently ill within a week.

Besides furnishing concentrated energy values, fats help to create the fatty tissue which cushions the nerves and abdominal organs, and forms the pleasing contours of face and figure.

Because it leaves the stomach more slowly than proteins and carbohydrates, fat retards the digestion of these food groups somewhat, and thus gives staying power to a meal. At the same time it promotes the flow of pancreatic juice and bile, thus helping in the assimilation of other foods. Foods rich in fat include butter, cheese, egg yolk, cooking fats and oils, margarine, olives, pastry, peanut butter, most nuts except chestnuts and lichi nuts, various kinds of sausage and fried foods.

Anger Destroys Fat Reserves

Experiments have demonstrated why nervous, irritable individuals are usually thin, while those with a serene temperament often accumulate weight. It has been proven that anger and fright increase the amount of fat in the blood and remove a corresponding amount of fat from its usual storage place beneath the skin. A fit of anger may take off more fat than an hour's exercise, or two or three days of enforced diet.

Thus the person who allows himself to become upset continually withdraws the fat reserve from his body. Such persons could profit, perhaps, by taking more of the fat-forming foods.

But whether the members of your family are good natured, or irritable, young or old, they need a constant supply of fuel foods—at every meal, every day. Fuel foods produce energy—and energy is the motive power of life and work and thought.

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Carbohydrates Are Quickest Fuel

Carbohydrates, which originate chiefly in plant life, are readily converted into heat and muscle energy. Foods rich in carbohydrates include bread, potatoes, macaroni, rice, cooked and ready-to-eat cereals, peanuts, dried, and preserved fruits, sugars and syrup.

Sugar furnishes heat more quickly and more abundantly than any other food. But it has a tendency to dull the appetite and is also apt to cause fermentation. Therefore, a large measure of our heat and energy is best secured from starchy foods such as bread, cereals, macaroni and potatoes.

Here is an interesting and important point which is frequently overlooked in unscientific reducing diets. Fat requires carbohydrates for its proper utilization by the body. That is why women who try to reduce without following a scientifically planned diet frequently become seriously ill as a result of cutting down on carbohydrates while overlooking the fats contained in milk, butter, and other foods.

Relation of Fat To Health

Fats are so necessary to the body economy that it is no exaggeration to say that without fat,

"Home-Wrecking" Qualities of Poor Furniture Polish

How often a houseful of fine furniture and handsome woodwork is spoiled by the use of a poor furniture polish! There are many polishes on the market today—some fair, some good, others excellent for luster and long life of the finish! The best is non-greasy, because made with a fine, light-oil base! In time, furniture and woodwork can be ruined by the persistent application of a cheap, poor polish! Such polish will contain kerosene, harsh abrasives and harmful acids—destructive elements, that are unseen and unsuspected! The housewife may use one of these polishes, feeling that she is economically keeping her furniture polished—but this is her poorest economy, if she values her furniture (and what housewife does not?). The furniture in a home constitutes the largest part of the furnishings—and will show up like "sore thumbs" when dried out, cracked or checked.

This is just what occurs, when other than a reputable oil polish is used! Too, a quality oil polish is less expensive! Less is used at one time—for it's undiluted. The resultant glow is deeper, richer, more lasting! Best of all, the finish of the furniture and woodwork is properly "fed" and kept in prime condition! So beware of harsh, "bargain" polishes—for through them, the furniture suffers!

These arsenicals are known as stomach poisons, for they must be eaten by the insects. Plants attacked by chewing insects include cucumber, squash, other vine crops, mustard, tomato, pepper.

Sucking insects, such as aphids or plant lice, can be detected in small groups on the under surface of the leaves. Control by dusting or spraying nicotine sulphate or pyrethrum directly on the insects. Plants attacked by sucking insects include peas, pepper, cabbage, and crops grown for greens.

Make certain what type pest you are fighting. Buy properly prepared poisons; follow directions.

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FIVE minus TWO leaves FOUR

WRONG? Well, yes—and no. The arithmetic of your school days taught that if "Mary had five dollars and spent two..." three dollars remained. But that is mathematics—not shopping!

SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL By Carter Field

Washington.—The Farley maxim that the Democrats should fight to the last ditch for every possible elective office, no matter how hopeless the fight might seem, and always with a view to building up the organization for the "next election" is being shamelessly abandoned, according to some very caustic critics inside the Democratic party.

Out in the country some Democratic leaders, sharing this view, are very much disturbed. They are telling their senators and representatives that all is not well, that the Republicans are likely to make big inroads this fall, and that there will be a terrific number of casualties among Democratic house members, if not among Democratic senators.

This impression that the Democratic machine is not functioning at top speed, that it is depending more on general propaganda and more on the strength of Roosevelt with the voters, is enhanced when such pessimists come to Washington and try to get something done about it.

"I told our problems to Charley Michelson," a Democratic worker from Missouri told some friends afterward, "and I was afraid he would go to sleep while I was talking."

What that worker did not know, of course, was that Charley might be excused for being bored at hearing the same tale for the thousandth time. On the other hand there is the old story of the boy who kept crying, "Wolf! Wolf!" when there was no wolf, and who regretted his false alarms very much when, after the real wolf came, no one paid any attention to his cries.

Call It Good Strategy

There are some influential members of the party, however, who believe that it is good strategy to let down for a while.

They don't think it would hurt very much if the Republicans should gain sixty or seventy seats in the house of representatives this fall. They do not expect that the Republicans will do anything like this well, but point out that there would be some advantages to such a change. For one thing the Democratic majority in the house would not be so unwieldy and top-heavy. For another it would put, as they express it, the "fear of God" in the hearts of the surviving Democrats. So these survivors might be brought to heel much more easily on White House commands.

"But suppose the Republicans should actually get control of the house?" one of them was asked.

"That is almost impossible," retorted the Democrat. "But suppose they did? Wouldn't that put the Republicans on the spot before the country? What could they do except snipe at the President and the New Deal? I think actually it would be far from an unmitigated evil. I think a house for the next two years controlled by the Republicans would do more to insure a sweeping Democratic victory in 1940 than anything I can imagine."

Interest in the senate battles this fall is mostly personal. Nothing could shake the grip of the Democrats on the senate except a crop of upper house funerals far in excess of any reasonable probability.

Stumbling Block

Nothing would surprise anyone who has been watching the stalemate on the wage-hours regulation bill, but it is quite apparent that the magic formula which would open the door to its enactment has not been found.

Secretary Perkins remains the chief stumbling block. Not because of anything she has done about it, but because of where to put the administration of the act, and the discretion about tempering the wind to the shorn lambs—in this case the sections of the country and the particular industries which might be favored with differentials—is the chief problem on which agreement is not in sight.

If Miss Perkins were entirely satisfactory to William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, to John L. Lewis, head of the C. I. O., and to congress, the bill would go through like greased lightning. To put it another way, if Miss Perkins were to resign tomorrow, and the President should appoint Edward F. McGrady in her place, passage of the bill would happen within 36 hours.

But—there is no likelihood of that. Lewis and Green are not willing to trust Miss Perkins. Congress is not willing to trust her. So the alternative would seem to be an independent board or commission to administer the law. This is where the power of Green in congress becomes important. Green sticks to the position he took two months ago that he would not trust such a board. His shins are still too much barked up by the national labor relations board, which he says, favors the C. I. O. as against the American Federation of Labor.

The way around that, at all in the administration of the act, to pass a law specifying that no workers could be made to labor more than a given number of hours a week nor paid less than a given amount per hour or per week.

Seek Magic Formula

This would be all right if it were not for the sections of the country and the particular industries which think they must have a differential. The only way to have a law and to permit such exceptions in its enforcement is to vest discretion in some administrative body.

Solution of this problem requires a magic formula. Administration experts have been busy trying to evolve this formula ever since, but it is still undiscovered. The President is not willing to humble Miss Perkins in order to get the law through. No other solution has been suggested which would come within a mile of success.

It might be found tomorrow. The President still hopes that it will be found before the end of the present session. But he is not as optimistic as he was. In fact, there are indications that he has become convinced the bill will not pass this session, though he is still insisting on it.

The new committee appointed to study the situation, of course, is just a gesture. The same man appointed to that committee have been working on the problem as individuals for more than a year. Merely naming them to a committee is not going to clear up the fog. Nor will the fact that they meet as a committee help much. They have been conferring as individuals, and as members of the house labor committee, for these many months. There is no magic in the word "committee," and, short of Ed McGrady, there is no magic in anything else that has been suggested.

Electric Industry

Every now and then something crops up to make the dispassionate observer wonder if Franklin D. Roosevelt really hates the electric industry as much as it believes. Most recent among these developments is the letter which J. D. Ross, one time government ownership executive in Seattle and now big boss of Bonneville, wrote to a Mr. Neal in Knoxville. The sum and substance of this letter was that it was good policy to buy out the existing private companies, and to pay a fair price.

There has been considerable question as to whether this was not a bad slip on Mr. Ross' part, one calculated to get him into pretty serious trouble with the President. The answer seems to be that there is, so far, no indication that it has. The further answer is that very recently Mr. Roosevelt, discussing the Supreme court decision approving public loans and grants to local communities for government ownership power plants and electric distribution systems, said that he assumed municipalities and other local governments contemplating such projects would negotiate with the privately owned units now supplying them with a view to avoiding duplication.

The point seems to be that President Roosevelt does not go anything like so far as either George W. Norris, Nebraska senator and daddy of TVA, or Representative John E. Rankin, the Mississippi utility baiter. Rankin has said frankly, many times, that because of their past sins he would, in buying out privately owned utilities, pay only second hand junk value for the properties.

Roosevelt's "prudent investment theory" applied to the price which should be paid for any utility is pretty tough, the utility men think, and their opinion is shared by most men who have ever been in business, but it is a lot better than Mr. Rankin's idea. In fact, it is not very far from correct, says that Roosevelt is about half way between John Rankin and J. D. Ross in his idea as to what would be a fair price for any privately owned utility.

Check on Prices

There are plenty who think that Roosevelt is not really eager to have the entire electric industry of this country public-owned and operated—that all he wants is enough of it so operated to be a check on the prices charged by the privately owned companies.

Roosevelt believes strongly in the social value of cheap electricity. Those who hold the view just stated believe that cheap current, and not public ownership, is his real objective. Tinctured a little, of course, by the emitties which gradually develop in such a long fight.

It must be remembered that this fight has not been going on only since he entered the White House. Most of the bitterness was engendered before that, when, as governor of New York, he did some things which irritated the utilities, and as a result of which many of their executives supported other candidates for the Democratic nomination in 1932. Which last, of course, is something that could not be overlooked.

There are a good many impartial observers, folks who think government ownership is always an economic crime, who wish devoutly that the privately owned utilities would test this theory out by marking down their rates. It might cost them some money, though even this is debatable, as evidenced by the fact that the privately owned electric company in New York City, the Edgewater Electric Light and Power Company, has just had a price-cutting campaign.

STAR DUST

Movie • Radio

By VIRGINIA VALE

IF YOU have read Damon Runyon's short stories and roared over them, or even if you haven't, mark down "A Slight Case of Murder" as a picture that will make you laugh until you ache all over.

You may think it improbable and incongruous that four corpses could rouse you to such hilarity, but these are characters that would be disposed of without tears in any picture.

The inspired casting of the picture is what makes it such fun, for Edward G. Robinson plays a comic gangster. Instead of the dour, menacing, swaggering, ruthless menace that he has played so often and so well, he plays here a blundering mugg who just isn't quite bright.

Richard Himber gave a party for Kay Thompson, Lou Holtz, and the rest of the co-workers on his radio program and ever since the CBS studios have looked like a meeting of the Society of Amateur Magicians. Himber did card tricks at



Lou Holtz

his party. Not to be outdone, Lou Holtz learned to pick watches out of the air. Kay Thompson is specializing in those old scarf tricks where one small handkerchief torn to bits turns into yards and yards of vari-colored scarfs.

Robert Benchley, whose short film comedies have been such a success, will soon be launched on a radio program of his own. The Stroud twins will stay with the Bergen-McCarthy-Ameche program through June 19, and Frank Morgan has cancelled a vacation trip to Europe because fans wrote and urged that he be kept on the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer "Good News" hour.

When you hear the Radio Rubes singing old ballads from all parts of the country, you can be sure the songs are authentic. Mountain music and old Southern ditties are the special hobby of Eddie Smith and Luke Davis of the quintet who come from North Carolina. Zeb Turney, who is the Rubes' announcer, was brought up on the Western plains. He knew a big repertoire of cowboy songs when he was just a youngster.

By the time Universal gets around to making their first picture starring Charlie McCarthy, Shirley Temple may be old enough to play the leading role. First Irene Dunne was supposed to play the lead. Then Margaret Sullivan was engaged. Now the latest word is that Andrea Leeds, the pretty heroine of "The Goldwyn Follies," is going to have the fun of making the picture.

Rudy Vallee, who from time to time gets into battles with newspaper photographers, turned soft-hearted recently and helped them get some pictures of Bing Crosby. Bing flatly refuses to pose for news pictures before or after his broadcasts. He usually wears an old sweater or a shirt open at the neck and he is afraid that too much attention might be called to his informal attire. Bing's love for real Maine lobsters was his downfall. A friend had shipped some to Vallee and he offered to share them with Bing only if he would pose for pictures when the presentation took place.



Rudy Vallee

ODDS AND ENDS—When Janet Gaynor moved into a dressing room at the Selznick-International studio to start work on a new picture, the only personal furnishings she brought along were lots and lots of photographs of Tyrone Power... Only a few days before Tyrone had confided to Lella Hyams that she was the only motion-picture star he ever wrote a fan letter to... Child labor laws stand in the way of Bobby Bren's personal appearances in some cities. So as not to disappoint fans, he stands in the lobby and greets his customers wherever he is not arranged to appear on the stage... Wayne McCune's new police dog "Kid" has a newspaper Union.

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The plain neckline, the slim waist, snuggled in by gathers, the long panel, front and back, are all beautifully slimming in effect. All in all, this dress is so smart that it's certain to be one of your favorites. This design adapts itself

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SYNOPSIS

Ruth Chiswick of L C ranch, obsessed by fear of danger to her outspoken and bull-headed father, Lee, from a band of lawless rustlers headed by Sherman Howard, decides to save him by eloping with young Lou Howard, Sherman's son, and comes to the town of Tail Holt to meet him. While in Yell Sanger's store, a crook-nosed stranger enters, sizes up the situation, and when a drunken cowboy, Jim Pender, rides in and starts shooting, protects Ruth, while Lou Howard hides. Disgusted with Lou's cowardice, Ruth calls off the elopement, and sends the stranger for her father at the gambling house across the street. There the stranger, calling himself Jeff Gray, meets Morgan Norris, a killer, Curly Connor, Kansas, Mile High, Sid Hunt, and other rustlers, and Sherman Howard. Lee Chiswick enters with his foreman, Dan Brand, and tells Sherman Howard of his orders to shoot rustlers at sight. Jeff Gray returns to Ruth and coldly reassures her of her father's safety. At supper, Ruth introduces Jeff to her father and Brand, and in Sanger's store later she speaks cordially to Curly Connor.

CHAPTER II—Continued

Curly spoke in a friendly way to her father and then to her. Morgan Norris scowled. He had been talking as they entered, but his words had apparently dried up. After paying for the sack of tobacco Sanger handed him, he walked past Ruth out of the store. It seemed to her there was an insolent defiance in the slight swagger with which he moved.

On his way out Curly stopped for another word with Ruth. He considered her the prettiest girl within a day's ride, and he was quite willing to make the most of their rather slight acquaintance.

Lee Chiswick passed them with some bundles in his hands.

"I'm putting these in the saddlebags," the cattleman said gruffly.

"Yes, Father, I'll be right out," Ruth answered. She knew he was annoyed at her for falling into talk with Curly Connor, a wild young fellow reputed to be hand in glove with the rustlers.

"We're starting," Chiswick growled over his shoulder.

The cattleman walked across the road to the hitch-track and began putting packages in the saddlebags of his mount. Through the deepening dusk he saw Dan Brand coming down the street leading Ruth's chestnut mare. Morgan Norris leaned against a doorpost at the entrance to the Golden Nugget.

The foreman fastened the chestnut with a slip-knot. "Got to get me some eatin' tobacco," he said, and bowlegged across the road to the store.

As Brand passed the two young people, he gave Ruth a curious glance. Down at the corral where she had left her horse, he had learned a bit of news.

"All get to go?" Ruth asked him.

"Soon as I get my chewing."

Curly was speaking to the girl in a low voice. She shook her head, decisively.

"No, Mr. Connor. I'm sure I am flattered. But you know Father doesn't like some of your friends. I don't think he would make you welcome at the L C if you rode out there."

"Not even if I dropped in kinda by chance?"

Ruth laughed. "Young men who drop in by chance don't fool him any more."

They followed Brand out of the store. Night was sweeping down over the valley. The first evening stars were pricking out. Above the door of a saloon farther down the street a lantern had been lit.

Men drifted in and out of gambling-houses. Morgan Norris was no longer in sight. He had disappeared into the Golden Nugget. Mile High and his friend Sid moved with trailing spurs to their companions.

Someone invited them to come back and have another drink.

"No, sir, we're hitting the trail," Mile High called back.

From the alley beside the Golden Nugget a flash split the darkness. The blast of a gun sounded—twice.

Lee Chiswick caught at the pommel of his saddle, at the same time dragging a revolver into sight. Ruth ran forward and slipped an arm around his waist.

"Get back, girl!" he shouted with an oath.

A man came swiftly, weapon in hand. From the end of the barrel a faint trickle of smoke drifted. The man was Jeff Gray.

Ruth clung to her father, her body between him and the runner.

"Don't you dare!" she cried wildly. "You murderer!"

Gray stopped abruptly, and thrust his gun back into the holster.

"You don't think . . ." he began.

"Lemme go, you little fool," Chiswick cried, struggling to free his arms.

Two more guns roared. Dan Brand and Curly Connor had come into action against the crook-nosed man.

Gray dodged behind the horses, crossed the street at a zigzag run, his body low and crouched, and snatched up the trailing reins of his rangy roan. Without touching the stirrups, he vaulted into the saddle. The gelding whirled at a touch,

ing to its hind legs. A moment later the rider went racing down the street, lying low on the saddle.

Bullets whizzed past him. He did not stop. Horse and man vanished into the night.

CHAPTER III

In an incredibly short time after the firing had ceased a crowd of milling men surrounded the Chiswicks.

All the color had washed out of Ruth's face. Her arm still supported the wounded cattleman.

"Someone get a doctor," she begged.

"No doc in town," Mile High answered. "I'll ride to Tough Nut for one if you like, Miss."

Lee drew a hand across the back of his neck and looked at the stain. "Creased me," he said. "Must have knocked me dizzy with the shock. No more than skin deep."

From the outskirts of the press Morgan Norris asked a question. "Who did it?"

"That sorreltop stranger," answered Curly. "Open out a way, boys, and let Mr. Chiswick through. Better get him into the Golden Nugget."

"I'll go into Sanger's," Chiswick said. "No use making a fuss. I'm not hurt."

The broad shoulders of Dan Brand opened a path.

"Are you sure it's . . . not se-

rious, Father?" Ruth asked, as soon as they had reached the store.

"Sure," Lee replied curtly. "Just a scratch. Get me water, a clean towel, and some linen to tie up my neck, Yell," he ordered.

Sherman Howard came into the store as Ruth was tying a handkerchief around her father's neck to hold the bandage in place.

He said suavely: "I wouldn't have had this happen for a thousand dollars, Lee. I've got men out on the trail after this skunk, and if they catch him we'll sure string him to a cottonwood."

"Why, the scrawny ate supper with us not 15 minutes ago," Brand burst out indignantly. "Soon as I see him I knew he was a bad hombre, but I didn't figure on him pulling any such a thing as that."

"Haden't been for Miss Chiswick the fellow would have finished the job," Curly cried with enthusiasm. "I never saw anything like the way she stood between him and her father. He couldn't get in another shot."

"You and Dan drove him off, Mr. Connor," Ruth said blushing.

"I certainly owe you thanks for your help," Chiswick said to Curly. "His bullet had knocked me silly, and I couldn't do much for myself."

"Yore gun came out mighty swift, sir. I noticed that. Maybe if you hadn't been dazed you might have done better than Dan and me. We both missed clean, I reckon."

"Didn't have time to get set," apologized Brand. "He was moving mighty fast."

"And still is," Curly added with a grin.

"We'll hit the trail," Chiswick told the foreman. "Might bring the horses across to the door."

"Do you think you're able to travel?" his daughter asked, with a worried frown.

"Why not wait till morning, Lee?" Howard said. "You'll be more comfortable at Ma Prensall's. Better play safe."

"You think some yellow coyote will take a crack at me?" the L C owner asked bluntly, his hard gaze on Howard.

"No. I think you may be hurt more than you figure. If you're set on it, Curly, you're right. In you're clear."

"Mighty glad to do that. Though you're perfectly safe from that killer, I would say."

"You can't ride beside me, young fellow," Chiswick told him. "But I'll take your proposition up and ask you to go along with my daughter till we get out of this town. You and Dan will flank her. I'll ride in front alone. If there is another murderer wants to get me, here is his chance."

At the edge of the village, Chiswick pulled up, thanked Curly, and sent the young man back. A quarter of a mile farther on he took a hill trail.

"It's five miles farther home this way, Father," Ruth said. "And a rough trail for night travel. With your wound—"

"I keep telling you I haven't any wound," he exclaimed. "We're going this way because it's safer. They'll think we will travel by the main road. If a trap has been laid, we'll miss it."

"Something in that," Brand agreed. "I don't reckon anybody is laying for us, but no need to take a chance."

A crowing cock was proclaiming the advent of dawn when they reached the L C ranch.

Ruth poured her father another cup of coffee. He took it absent-mindedly, his eyes on a paper in his hand.

"Reckon I better put the date in," he said aloud, to himself.

The paper was a bill of sale. It read:

"This is to certify I have this day sold to Barclay Broderick one hundred and eighty (180) yearling heifers branded L C, Lazy D, and J-M, and I guarantee peaceable possession of same. Lee Chiswick."

His daughter watched him, waiting for a favorable moment. It was the second morning after their return to the ranch, and she had made up her mind to confess now. She was nervous, for she was not at all sure what he might do. This was going to be a blow for him. Why had she been such a fool?

"Something to tell you, Father," she said.

With a pencil he wrote the date on the bill of sale. "That ought to be about the thing," He looked up. "Yes?"

Small gleaming teeth, strong and even, bit into her upper lip. "Can we go into your office?" she asked.

He finished the coffee. Ruth followed him. In the movement of her fluent body was a fine animal vigor. She shut the door of the little room after they had entered.

Ruth swallowed a lump in her throat and plunged. "When I went to Tail Holt I didn't know you had gone there, Father," she began.

"Didn't," Chiswick's eyes came to attention. "Then why did you go?"

"I was running away to get married."

He stared at her. "Who with?"

"With Lou Howard." Her eyes clung to his steadily. She held her head up, defiant even in her humility.

He was too surprised and shocked to say anything at first.

"It wasn't his fault as much as it was mine," she went on. "I was a crazy fool. You told me to have nothing to do with him—never to speak to him. You threatened me. I like him, and I resented having you dictate to me. We met secretly. I thought I was in love with him and slipped away to Tail Holt. We were going to be married there."

"One of those cursed Howards!" Lee was still too shaken to explode.

"On the way I found out I didn't care for him so much," Ruth continued. "But I was ashamed to turn back then. When that drunken man who was killed later came into Sanger's he—Lou Howard, I mean—"

didn't behave well. He was frightened and forgot all about me." He jumped over the counter and hid. Afterward I told him I was through—that I never wanted to see him again."

"You didn't marry him?" the cattleman said thickly.

"No. I wasn't crazy any longer."

He seized her by the shoulders, his strong fingers biting into the flesh savagely. "Girl, what more have you to tell me?" he demanded.

The color poured into her cheeks, but the eyes of the girl did not yield an iota to the fierce inquiry in his. "Nothing. Nothing at all."

"You weren't—"

He didn't finish his question, nor was that necessary.

"Never!" she cried.

The pain from the grip on her flesh was intense, but she did not wince.

He drew a long breath and flung her from him.

"My own daughter throws down on me and joins the pack of wolves tearing me down," he said bitterly.

Ruth understood exactly how he felt. She had always shared his resentment at Sherman Howard's active hostility, but she had never understood the reason for her father's implacable hatred of the man. There was, she guessed, something hidden in the buried past to account for it.

"I'm sorry, Father. Of course it doesn't do any good to say that, but—I'd give anything if I hadn't done it."

"You threw him overboard—quit of your own accord? He didn't jilt you?" Lee asked harshly.

"No. He begged me to go on with it—said folks would give him the laugh. I'm the one to blame all the way through. I'm a flirt—and a fickle. There must be something . . . rotten . . . about me. I suppose it's too late to whip it out of me."

Ruth did herself less than justice. She had been willful, and she had flirted in an innocent way, but she was far from fickle. A few boys had plunged fathoms deep in love with her, but it had been good for their education. Ruth was as clean as the windswept hills, and there was in her a deep loyalty.

Hopefully he threw out a hand.

"My own fault, I reckon. I spoiled you—let you run hog wild—gave you your own way. If I'd used a quirt on you, it might have been better."

Ruth knew why he had been so indulgent. She reminded him of the young wife he had lost two or three years after her birth.

"I took advantage of your goodness to me," Ruth agreed.

"Your brothers are boys I'm proud of—fine steady young fellows who will do to ride the river with. I know they will be with me long as they can stand and fight. And I thought I could depend on you too, even if you are a wild colt. I didn't figure you'd walk out on me to join my worst enemy."

"I didn't do that, Father," she denied. "I would always be on your side."

"Trouble is you're a lump of conceit. You figure wrong makes right if you say so. Girl, you're laying out trouble for yourself unless you change your ways, and trouble for anyone fond of you. You'd ought to go down on your knees and thank God you didn't marry this scoundrel. You would have paid for it all your life."

Ruth knew this was true, and admitted it.

"I'm ashamed of myself," she said with unwonted gentleness.

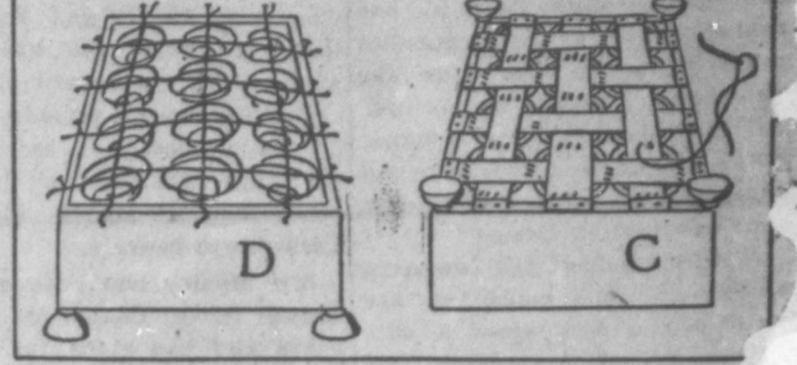
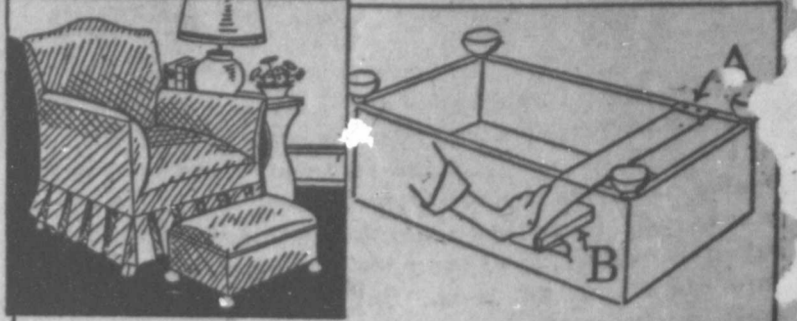
Chiswick looked at her, started to speak, then turned on his heel abruptly and strode out of the room. Ruth knew why he left. Her attitude lapped at his resentment and weakened it. He did not want to forgive her yet, not while the passionate abhorrence of what she had done was still hot in him.

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The pain from the grip on her flesh was intense.

HOW TO SEW RUTH WORTH SEARS



Why Not Fix Those Sagging Springs?

SPRINGS in furniture seldom break. The twine that holds them does break and webbing wears out throwing the springs out of position.

To set the springs you will need a ball of twine and a needle such as used by the upholsterer, enough webbing to replace the old, tacks 3/8-inch long with large heads, a block of wood for stretching the webbing, a tack hammer and a tack lifter. Remove the cover from the seat carefully so that it may either be used again or serve as a pattern. Most of the padding may also be used. Observe how each layer of material is fastened in place, so that you may put it back the same way.

Remove the springs and all old tacks. Tack the first strip of webbing to one edge of the bottom of the frame, letting the end extend 1/2 inch beyond the edge, then fold the end over the first tacks and tack again as at A. Draw the webbing across the frame using the block of wood as a lever to stretch webbing taut as at B. When all the strips have been stretched and tacked across the frame one way, stretch strips of webbing across the other way weaving these over and under the first ones as at C. Now, sew the bottom of each spring to the webbing with the upholsterer's twine and curved needle as shown in this diagram.

Next, turn the frame right side up, drive tacks part way in along the edges; then tie the springs across each way with upholsterer's twine as shown in diagram C. The twine is tied to the tacks and to each spring and regulates the height of the springs—the outside edges usually being lower than the center to make a rounded top. When the springs are regulated evenly, drive the tacks in; then replace burlap or muslin coverings and padding.

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Sardines Characterized as Hobos of the Sea; They Travel Long Distances

After 18 years of intensive study, the sardine has been characterized by the California State Fisheries laboratory as being a veritable hobo of the sea, writes a San Francisco United Press correspondent.

Its wanderings, in fact, are so great that the fish threatens to involve international complications with Japan, Mexico and possibly other countries.

The system which the state laboratory employed has been to catch sardines, tag them and then keep records of where they eventually were caught again.

This has been made necessary by the controversy of whether the sardines caught off the Japanese, Mexican and Russian coasts were California sardines or whether the various sections of the seas harbor distinct sardine populations of their own. A study of sardine migrations is a migratory fish.

The first report prepared by officials after years of years the size, ma-

turity, spawning grounds, anatomical characteristics and license tag attached to them, the sardines inhabiting the coast from Lower California to Canada are one homogeneous migratory population.

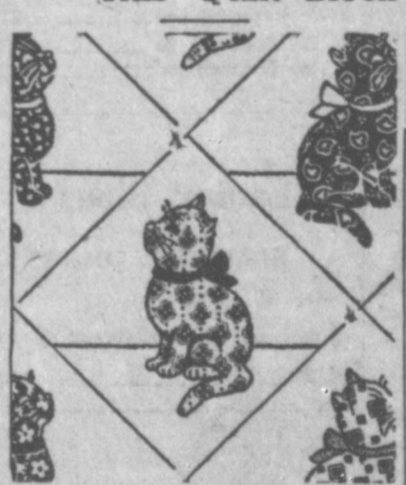
It has been developed further that most of the spawning occurs off the coast of Southern California and Lower California. The young remain in the warm southern waters for a while, then they get the travel urge and begin their northward swim.

The hobo instinct then develops as they grow in size. At first they are only able to get as far as Central Californian waters, returning the following spring to the spawning grounds in the south.

Fleet Marriages

Fleet marriages were clandestine and irregular marriages performed at Fleet prison in London by debtor clergymen. Though not illegal, the system was so abused that it was abolished in the reign of George II.

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Riches and Strength

Men seem neither to understand their riches nor their strength; of the former they believe greater things than they should; of the latter much less. Self-reliance and self-denial will teach a man to crawl out of his own cistern, and eat his own sweet bread, and to learn and labor truly to get his living, and carefully to expend the good things committed to his trust.—Bacon.

A. H. Baker Announces for County Judge

Being solicited by many of my friends to offer as a candidate for the office of county judge of Donley county, in this formal announcement, I want to state with out equivocation, that I favor the enforcement of all laws. But most important of all, we need a courageous About Face in our real estate levies, and expenses must be cut so that valuations and the tax rate can be slashed. All of which is new shocking home and farm ownership and losing many of our good citizens to lose their home.

With the help of the incoming county commissioners, and the knowledge I have gained as auditor of the State-Wide Tax Survey in Donley county, I will endeavor to equalize the tax to that end.

Having served this county as district clerk, I do not feel that I need any introduction to most of the voters of the county. It is my desire to see each voter in person. I take this means of requesting your consideration. I submit my candidacy to the voters subject to the democratic primary in July.

This is my motto: Do not raise the taxes to balance the budget but cut the budget to balance the taxes.

A. H. Baker

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M. W. Mosley to Make Race for Sheriff

M. W. (Milt) Mosley, well known farmer of the Hedley country, has entered the race for Sheriff of Donley County, and the Informer is authorized to place his name in the regular announcement column.

Mr. Mosley served Donley County as Sheriff and Tax Collector in 1929-30, and will make the race on the record of good service to the citizenship confident that he can look every citizen in the face and ask for another term as sheriff with no apologies or regrets.

Mr. Mosley has been a resident of Donley County for thirty years and has stood for every worthy movement for the good of the people in all those years. He believes in strict law enforcement and if elected will give the people an administration that they will be proud of based on so operation of the best citizenship of the county. He has no enemies to punish, nor will he offer favors to friends, but will endeavor to treat every man according to the Golden Rule, as he protects the life and property of all citizens alike.

Mr. Mosley says he will try to see the voters and make personal solicitation of support, as his farm work will permit, but earnestly asks the favor and vote of all voters throughout the county.

See his name in the regular announcement column and give him consideration when you go to vote in July

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NOTICE TO FARMERS

College Station—If a farmer has cotton under a 1937 Commodity Credit Corporation loan he may receive a cotton price adjustment payment at the rate in effect on June 30, 1938, regardless of whether or not the cotton has been sold, according to George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee.

If a farmer has cotton under such a loan and desires to sell it, the loan must be paid in full before the cotton is sold, he said.

"However, a farmer does not have to sell his cotton to qualify for a cotton price adjustment payment," he pointed out. "Cotton not sold before July 1, 1938, will be considered to have been on June 30 whether it was under a loan or not. The date of sale controls the rate of payment."

Numerous reports have been received at the state A A A office at Texas A and M College that farmers with cotton under the loans have been selling their "equities" in the loan cotton and receiving sale certificates in return, Slaughter said. Payments cannot be made on the basis of such so called sales and persons buying "equities" on loan cotton cannot obtain payments when they resell the cotton.

Under the regulations cotton price adjustment payments will be made on part of the 1937 crop he explained, and the rate of

payment in each case will be the amount by which the average price of cotton on the date of sale is below 12 cents. In no case will the payment be more than three cents a pound.

When a farmer sells his cotton prior to July 1, 1938, in a bona fide sale with title passing from producer to buyer, he may receive a payment on that cotton. If the cotton is under loan, title and possession cannot be delivered and, therefore, payment cannot be made on a sale of the producer's equity.

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<p>SILKS —REDUCED—</p> <p>59c Reduced to 49c 69c 55c 79c 65c 98c 78c One Lot of Dress Length Silk Crepe \$1.49</p> <p>Wash Goods Top Most and Fair Prints</p> <p>17c Reduced to 14c 19c 17c 23c 19c 25c 22c 35c 29c</p> <p>Domestic & Sheeting Standard Widths</p> <p>10c Reduced to 8c yd. 12c 10c yd. 15c 12c yd. Sheeting, 9/4 Bleached 34c yd. Unbleached 24c yd. Pillow Tubing 22c yd.</p> <p>Pillow Cases</p> <p>19c Reduced to 15c Fancy Box, 96c and \$1.00 for 89c</p> <p>Sheets and Bed Spreads Reduced—Good Values</p> <p>75c reduced 69c Set \$2.75 - \$2.49 \$1.00 89c 89c reduced 65c \$1.25 98c 98c 74c Sheet and \$1.98 \$1.69 Pillow Case \$3.50 \$2.95</p>	<p>Notions Such as Nail Polish, Shampoo, Girls' Bath Powders Hair Oils, Napkins Your Choice 9c</p> <p>Ladies' Hats SPRING SHADES</p> <p>\$1.49 Reduced to \$1.25 \$1.95 Reduced to \$1.65 \$2.49 Reduced to \$2.25</p> <p>Ladies' Blouses BEAUTIFUL COLORS Sizes 32 to 44—</p> <p>\$1.00 and \$1.25 Reduced to 98c \$2.25 \$1.98</p> <p>Rayon Panties</p> <p>19c Reduced to 15c 25c 19c 39c 33c 50c 39c</p> <p>Ladies' Slippers</p> <p>\$1.98 Reduced to \$1.75 \$2.25 \$1.95 \$2.50 \$2.19 \$2.95 \$2.79 \$3.25 \$2.95 \$3.50 \$3.19</p>	<p>Ladies Silk Dresses—All Spring Shades</p> <p>All Silk Crepes, \$4.95 reduced to \$4.50 Wash Silks, \$2.98 for \$2.69 Wash Silks, \$1.98 for \$1.78</p> <p>DRESSES Frances McKays' and Good Morning's in Spun Sheen</p> <p>\$1.95 Reduced to \$1.69 \$2.95 Reduced to \$2.69</p> <p>LINGERIES GOWNS AND PAJAMAS</p> <p>\$1.49 Reduced to \$1.35 \$1.69 Reduced to \$1.49</p> <p>CURTAINS</p> <p>69c Reduced to 50c Pr. 89c 65c Pr. 98c 79c Pr.</p> <p>SPECIAL Table of Ladies' and Childrens' SHOES Values from \$1.25 to \$2.95 Your Choice 98c</p>	<p>House Coats NEWEST STYLES</p> <p>\$1.25 Reduced to 98c \$1.95 \$1.69</p> <p>SLIPS CREPES AND SATINS</p> <p>69c Reduced to 49c \$1.00 89c \$1.25 98c \$1.49 \$1.35 \$1.95 \$1.79 \$2.25 \$1.98</p> <p>Suit Cases</p> <p>65c Reduced to 59c 98c 79c \$1.25 98c \$1.35 \$1.19 \$1.49 \$1.25 \$1.95 \$1.65 \$2.25 \$1.95 \$3.25 \$2.75 \$9.75 \$8.45</p> <p>Children's Shoes ALL SIZES</p> <p>50c Reduced to 40c 65c 50c 95c 79c \$1.25 98c \$1.35 \$1.19 \$1.69 \$1.49 \$1.85 \$1.69 \$1.89 \$1.79 \$2.25 \$1.98</p>	<p>Dress Shirts NO-WELT COLLARS</p> <p>98c Reduced to 89c \$1.25 98c \$1.65 \$1.49 \$1.75 \$1.55</p> <p>Men's Hats Boy's Hats</p> <p>\$1.98 Reduced to \$1.69 \$2.50 \$2.29 \$2.95 \$2.69 \$3.25 \$2.95 \$3.50 \$3.25</p> <p>BOYS' RED HAWK OVERALLS</p> <p>2 to 11 79c 12 to 17 89c Men's Size Overalls \$1.10</p> <p>BOYS' Overall</p> <p>SPECIAL 49c Men's Size, Special 69c (on table)</p> <p>Men's Dress Shoes</p> <p>\$2.95 Reduced to \$2.69 \$3.25 \$2.95 \$3.50 \$3.25 \$5.00 \$4.49 \$6.00 \$5.49 \$6.50 \$5.95</p>	<p>MEN AND BOYS' SUITS —Your Choice— \$16.95 —SEE THEM—</p> <p>Men and Boys—One Lot DRESS SHIRTS</p> <p>\$1.00 Value, Reduced to 49c \$1.25 Value, Reduced to 79c Good Grade . . . See them on the table</p> <p>MEN AND BOYS' WORK SHIRTS</p> <p>50c Reduced to 42c 59c 49c 69c 59c \$1.50 \$1.25</p> <p>Men's Dress Pants</p> <p>\$1.98 \$1.69 \$2.50 \$2.25 \$3.25 \$2.98 \$3.50 \$3.19 \$4.50 \$3.95 \$6.00 \$4.95</p> <p>Men's Work Shoes</p> <p>\$1.95 \$1.69 \$2.25 \$1.95 \$2.50 \$2.29 \$3.00 \$2.75 \$3.50 \$3.19 \$5.00 \$4.49</p>
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