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Death Is Verdict for B. Hauptmann Held Oct. 9th

Court of Errors and Appeals Upholds Death Sentence and Leaves the Condemned Man Only 3 Days To Escape.

NEWTON, New Jersey—The sentence, imposed on Bruno Hauptmann for the kidnaping and murder of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., was unanimously upheld yesterday by the court of errors and appeals, leaving him three very doubtful avenues of escape from the electric chair.

The supreme court justice Thomas Brennan will fix a new execution date for Hauptmann and his lawyers successfully pursued the three courses open, a German carpenter will file the penalty decreed at Flemington by a jury of eight men and women.

The thirteen members of the court who voted to sustain the verdict swept aside one of the legal points raised by Hauptmann's counsel, held that the trial was legally proper in respect, and concluded that the verdict was "one to which the law inescapably led."

For the first time since he was sentenced in the Bronx on September 19, 1934, Hauptmann manifested anything approximating despair. His present chief counsel, C. Lloyd Fisher, broke news to him in the death house. He never did this and surely they find that out before it is too late, Hauptmann told Fisher. His words though, indicated a reformer for his wife, Anna's feelings. By God, what a fine anniversary present for Anna," he exclaimed. The Hauptmanns have married ten years today.

Lordsburg Crash Fatal To Officer

A U. S. Marine Corps officer was killed and a mechanic severely burned when their two-seated bombing plane crashed and burst into flames on a takeoff at Lordsburg late Monday afternoon.

The officer, identified as Lieut. Col. P. E. Davis, who was at the controls, was caught in the ship as it crashed and his body was burned beyond recognition.

I. M. Owens, a mechanic, was thrown from the ship. Joe Bostko, an oil company employee, who witnessed the tragedy, said for some unaccountable reason the ship left the port runway on which it started its takeoff and struck an old railroad grade. After bouncing in the air the plane crashed to the ground.

Bostko said the plane was afire when it hit the embankment and was enveloped by flames when it crashed to the ground preventing any attempts to save the officer.

FIFTH CUTTING OF HAY

Hay growers are in the midst of the fifth cutting or clipping of alfalfa hay now and are facing the prospects of damages as result of local showers. Both the quality and the quantity of the clip are good. In fact this clip is above the average for the last cutting of the year.

League Brands Italy Aggressor

LONDON—The League of Nations stamped bellicose Italy with the stigma of war-maker Monday and thus prepared the full weight of economic sanctions for the shoulders of Benito Mussolini.

Accepting a committee report which held Italy flouted the league covenant by warring on little Ethiopia instead of waiting for arbitration, the league council solemnly proclaimed II Duce's drive into Africa to be "an act of war against all other members of the league."

By their action the powers at Geneva made sanctions against the fascist state obligatory. Article XVI, the punitive section of the league covenant, provides that members shall undertake to subject a violator of the covenant to "the severance of all trade or financial relations and the prohibition of all intercourse between their nations and nationals of the covenant-breaking state."

ROBERT STREETY DIED LAST FRIDAY

Robert, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Streety, passed away early Friday morning at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad. He had been critically ill for several days with pneumonia and had been taken to Carlsbad, hoping for relief.

Robert Streety was born April 24th, 1913, and was twenty-two years old. He had grown up in Texas, and had received his schooling mostly in Commerce and Bonham, Texas. The family moved to Hagerman about two years ago from Dallas.

ANNOUNCING

The arrival on October 4th, of a little daughter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hart, Jr., of Lovington. The young lady weighed the very important sum of eight pounds and will be christened Jessilyn Jean. Mrs. Hart will be remembered as Hazel Zimmerman, a very popular member of the younger society set several years ago, when with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zimmerman, she resided in Hagerman and attended school.

TOWNSEND CLUB MEETS

Members of the club met on Monday evening at the school gymnasium and selected delegates to the convention which meets in Chicago on October 24th at the famous Stevens hotel. Six hundred are to come from Los Angeles. Delegates selected from Hagerman were Noah West and Harry Cowan.

Hagerman People Broadcast From Roswell Studio

Hagerman was on the air, from Roswell's broadcasting station, last Friday at 4:30 in the afternoon. Miss Katherine Hammock sang two Spanish songs. A duet was given by Mmes. Ramon Welborne and Price Curd; Miss Frances Welborne at the piano. Frank McCarthy gave a short talk, which was as follows:

Howdy Folks! Hagerman speaking! You have been listening to a musical program rendered by a quartette of Hagerman musicians, Miss Katherine Hammock, Mmes. Price Curd and Ramon Welborne and Miss Frances Welborne. We hope you have enjoyed their program.

I know most of you have been in Hagerman or have at least heard of the place and you are going to see and hear more from it in the future. While the community has never been known for the startling things it has done, it has made steady progress all through the late depression, which (or who) was officially buried last Wednesday so far as the Pecos valley is concerned.

During this year Hagerman has installed an up-to-date water supply system, modern and efficient in every particular and adequate for a city of many times its population, with a water rate in the minimum bracket of all the towns in the state.

A new sewer system is to be installed during the coming winter and plans are completed for a recreational park, streets are being improved and many blocks of curbing and guttering will be constructed this fall and winter.

Hagerman has a fully accredited school system with an all college staff of teachers, and our schools are recognized as among the best in the state. We send a large percentage of our graduates to various colleges each year.

Our community has several churches of various denominations with four resident pastors. Active church organizations have an important part in our little city. Hagerman is strictly a farming community—diversified, productive and well farmed. During this year more than a thousand acres of virgin land have been put in cultivation and under irrigation, and have produced immense crops. The same will be followed next year.

Livestock feeding is carried on to a considerable extent and is becoming an important phase of farming.

Hagerman boasts one of the strongest banks in the state; two large gas, a mineral wells sanitarium, business houses that are superior to any town of its size.

If you are looking for a progressive community, with almost every natural resource, with religious and education and social surroundings of the highest type, you have found them here at Hagerman. Come to see us sometime!

TO BLACKTOP CAVERN ROAD

Bids will be received until October 18th for the bituminous surfacing of 8.41 miles of highway in Walnut canyon in Carlsbad Caverns National Park, according to information received in Carlsbad last week. Thirty-six hundredths of a mile of earth grading is also to be bid on. The bids will be received at the Bureau of Public Road office in Denver.

SANCTIONS EXPLAINED

What are sanctions? A question these days as the League of Nations council considered their use in an effort to halt the Italo-Ethiopian.

Here is the way the British royal institute of international affairs defines the word: "A 'sanction' is the name which legal writers give to measures for securing obedience to law. Sanctions can take the form of the infliction of penalties for a breach of law that has been committed, or they may consist in measures taken for the actual prevention of a threatened breach."

"Sanctions operate in two ways: Negatively, in that knowledge of the will and power to apply them may deter a would-be wrongdoer from transgressing the law; positively, in that their application checks a wrongdoer in the act of transgression or compels him, after a transgression has been committed, to submit to law and deprives him of the fruits of his transgression."

ELK PERMITS COMPLETE

SANTA FE—The filling of the limit of 100 applications for hunting of elk in the upper Pecos was announced Monday by the State Game and Fish Department.

AIR POCKET IS FOUND IN A NEW WELL

Giant Air Pressure Struck In A Monument Well While Drilling In Salt; Six New Locations Are Staked Past Week.

A most unusual phenomenon was developed in the Monument district of Lea county the past week, when a test drilled into the salt blew out and started blowing air at the rate of 200,000,000 feet per day. This being the State 1-E of the Texas Company, sec. 1-20-36, which was drilled to 1850 feet in the salt when an air pocket was encountered. The pocket was developed Sunday and gauged 200,000,000 feet of air. By Tuesday the pressure had decreased to 100,000,000 feet. The only similar occurrence on record in recent years was when a test drilled just east of the Pecos river and northeast of here started blowing air and a yellow dust.

Activity in the oil sector was more or less routine otherwise with five completions and locations made for six new tests. Producers completed during the week were mostly small. Completed wells included the Empire Gas and Fuel Co., State 1-D, sec. 32-21-36, drilled to 3890 feet and when tested thru tubing flowed at the rate of fifty-five barrels per hour and 500,000 feet of gas. R. Olsen et al., State No. 2, sec. 5-21-36, drilled to 3890 feet and flowed at the rate of twenty barrels per hour through tubing with 500,000 feet of gas. Phillips Petroleum Co., Woolworth No. 1, Block 3, sec. 6-25-37, was finished for a small well and gauged forty-two barrels of fluid per day thru a 3/4-inch choke on tubing with thirty-two percent of water. Shell Petroleum Corp., Coleman No. 2, sec. 17-21-36, was completed at an initial production of 102 barrels per hour and 1,200,000 feet of gas at 3961 feet, flowing open. Skelly Oil Co., Coates No. 2, sec. 3-24-36, drilled to 3550 feet made seventy barrels of oil per hour and 2,500,000 feet of gas thru a 3/4-inch choke on tubing.

New wells staked include the Skelly Oil Co., Mon-State, sec. 13-19-36; Humble Oil and Refining Co., J. M. Cooper No. 2, sec. 14-24-36; Atlantic Oil Co., State 2-H, sec. 5-21-36; Gypsy Oil Co., Janada No. 2, sec. 20-21-36; Shell Petroleum Corp., Rice No. 3, sec. 13-18-37; Gypsy Oil Co., Arnott No. 1-C, sec. 21-21-36.

Two Sentenced In Court At Carlsbad

McBride Draws Sentence Of Eight Months To One Year In State Pen.

Judge Harry Owen of Las Lunas, who presided over a short term of the Eddy county district court at Carlsbad Monday in the absence of Judge J. B. McGhee, who is at Aztec hearing the Gallup riot case, passed two prison sentences and revoked one parole. Judge Owen left at noon Tuesday after hearing several minor civil cases and one divorce case.

Will McBride was sentenced to serve from eight months to one year in prison on a charge of having in his possession for evil purposes a girl under the age of twenty-one.

Jack Pope was sentenced to a year in prison and ordered to pay a fine of \$500 and costs of the action, on a charge of theft of three horses. Both pleaded guilty.

The two-year-old boy was ordered returned to the state reform school at Springer following an admission of the theft of money from the Phillips filling station and from the Kindel filling station at Carlsbad.

MRS. WM. JAMES PASSES 82nd BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Wm. James was eighty-two years old Saturday, October 5th, and was made very happy by scores of letters and cards from over the different states. Friends in and around the community sent bouquets of lovely flowers, great huge dahlias, fragrant roses, zinnias, cosmos, lilies from a lily pool, until the home looked like a beautiful flower garden. All of the tokens speaking the esteem and love of many friends.

5,257 EMPLOYED

SANTA FE—State works progress director, Lea Rowland, said Monday that 5,257 persons now are employed on WPA jobs in New Mexico, with nine counties nearly ready to go off relief. The nine are De Baca, Dona Ana, Lea, Luna, McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, San Juan and Sierra.

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The Presbyterian Church Gardens To Be Dedicated

Eight years ago, in old unsightly, rickety church, the first ever constructed in Dexter, New Mexico, and surrounded by unkempt and unsightly grounds, services were conducted one Sunday each month by a non-resident minister.

A small group of members, who wanted to build a church, were discouraged on every hand, but were undaunted, dismantled the old building and constructed a beautiful little gray building known as the First Presbyterian church. About one year later a pastor was called to reside in Dexter, to give his full time to this church. The congregation began to grow and another building for educational work was added. A little later a manse was constructed. All three buildings are of the same type of architecture.

Six years ago, the congregation began the improvement of the grounds, and the result is the beautiful Presbyterian gardens, which makes a perfect setting for the three buildings. The name has been changed from "First Presbyterian" to the "Little Gray Church." The membership of the church has increased nearly three hundred percent, and Presbyterian gardens have become famous as the most beautiful church gardens in America with the exception of the gardens of the great Cathedral in Washington, D. C.

Sunday, October 13th, at 2:30 p. m., Presbyterian gardens will be dedicated in an impressive ceremony. A number of prominent men and women of the state, and all the ministers of every denomination are invited as guests of honor and their congregations are requested to attend in a body. Several organizations of the valley have been invited, and have accepted.

Program

Prelude: "The Glory of God In Nature," Beethoven — Mrs. L. Parker.

Doxology (congregation standing)—Congregation.

Psalter: Psa. 24—The Rev. A. G. Tozer.

Gloria—Choir.

Hymn: "America, The Beautiful"—Congregation.

Apostles Creed—The Rev. John W. White, D. D.

Statement—The Rev. John G. Anderson.

Prayer and Lord's Prayer—The Rev. C. Y. Butler.

Words of Dedication—The Rev. John G. Anderson.

Prayer of Consecration—The Rev. James A. Hedges, D. D.

Solo: "Trees," Rasbach—Mrs. George Wilcox.

Offertory: "Hearts and Flowers," Tobanyr. Violin—A. Bruce Gaarder. Piano—Mrs. L. Parker.

Address—Major John McClure.

Hymn: "The Little Gray Church"—Mrs. Alma Thompson Caruthers and Choir.

Address—The Rev. Leroy Thompson, D. D.

Address—Senator Carl A. Hatch.

Anthem: "I Was Glad," Meredith—Choir.

Benediction—The Rev. Halph Hall, D. D.

Third of Cotton Crop Is Ginned

WASHINGTON — Forecasting cotton production for 1935 of 11,464,000 bales, the Agriculture Department Tuesday reported that more than a third of the crop already has been ginned.

The forecast, based on October 1 conditions, was a decrease of 25,000 bales from the September 1 estimate, with most of the decline attributed to weather conditions in Oklahoma and Texas.

The indicated production this year was 1,828,000 bales more than the 1934 crop but 3,202,000 bales less than the average for the 1928 through 1932.

Ginnings to October 1 were 4,230,367 bales, an increase from the 1,320,739 bales ginned on September 1. The ginnings compared to a total of 4,962,384 bales ginned at the same date last year, and 5,908,071 on October 1, 1933.

Condition of the crop on October 1 was reported at 64.0 percent of normal and the indicated yield of lint cotton per acre 191.5 pounds, a reduction from 192.0 pounds on September 1.

Texas crop prospects declined 192,000 bales during September and in Oklahoma the drop was 18,000 bales. But the department said these losses almost were offset by increases in Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Arkansas. Only slight changes were shown elsewhere.

Big Attendance At Roswell Fair

Attendance at the fair grounds during the four days of the Eastern New Mexico State Fair at Roswell was estimated at over 60,000.

The attendance on the last day of the fair, Saturday, and Saturday night, was estimated at over 20,000, breaking all records for a single day's attendance at any fair ever held here.

There were 16,205 paid admissions to the fair grounds during the four days of the fair, as compared with 15,721 paid admissions last year.

Admission is not charged until after 5 p. m., and checks have revealed that the total attendance during the day and evening is at least four times the number of paid admissions.

The crowd at the fair grounds Saturday night was immense—the largest number of people ever on the grounds at the same time.

CHURCH NIGHT AT PORTALES

All school activities were set aside last Friday night at Eastern New Mexico Junior College in Portales for all-church night. Every church in Portales had a social for the students. This way, each student could attend the church social of his denomination and all students were represented at one social or another. The pastors of the various churches, who were very pleased at this splendid opportunity of getting students interested in church life, state that this is the greatest cooperation ever given their churches by an educational institution.

BILLY JO BURCK RECENTLY MADE MEMBER OF STUDENT COUNCIL

From Texas Tech comes the report that Billy Jo Burck, a sophomore at Texas Tech has been recently made a member of the Student Council, an organization of which permits only sixteen members. Billy Jo began his school year with fifteen hours, but has increased it to seventeen hours of subject matter. He has added citrus culture to his course of study, and says it is a very interesting subject. Billy Jo will not select his major until his junior year, but plans to make it one of the four divisions of the agricultural course.

VERMILLION PRAISED FOR HIS WORK

Praise for the work of State Policemen Ben Martinez and Roy Vermillion in capturing two holders of counterfeit currency was received at Santa Fe Tuesday by Chief E. J. House, Jr., from R. K. Goddard, head of the United States Secret Service at Denver.

The two officers captured the men, C. C. Seal and John S. Hampton, both of Stratton, Colorado, after a 388-mile chase over rough roads. The money was found in a hub cap of the spare wheel. The principals now are under custody also, Goddard told House.

House returned to his office Tuesday from Aztec, where Monday he was present for the opening of the trial of the ten Gallup defendants. Eight officers are on duty there, he said.

GRAZING ASS'N. OFFICERS ARE ALL REELECTED

Old Officers Re-Elected; Association Favors the Patrol System For the Supervision of Range Safety.

The annual election of officers of the Southeastern New Mexico Grazing district was held Monday at Roswell and Captain B. C. Mossman of Roswell was chosen as the president, being re-elected to that post.

Other officers, also re-elected, were: Vice-president, J. F. Joyce of Carlsbad, and secretary-treasurer, Thornton H. Boswell, Jr., elected by the board of directors.

In the Monday afternoon session, talks were made including one by the assistant director of the Taylor Grazing administration in New Mexico, A. D. Molohon, on the new set-up of the board of advisors and their work; a talk by W. A. Naylor, state sanitary board president, on unrecorded brands and the drive to have them checked and ranges patrolled and a talk by Lon Merchant, chairman of the advisory board of the association.

A resolution was adopted by the board of the grazing district favoring the creation of a patrol group for supervision of range safety, and suppressing of "mavericking" and stealing.

The advisors also voted to assess a special levy or tax on livestock of this district for the purpose of establishing an administration office and to pay the expenses of that office. A clerk will be employed to aid Thornton H. Boswell, Jr., who has been appointed to act as secretary-treasurer of the association.

It was said the board was considering the employment of a range inspector to superintend the proper range rules and practices.

COUNTERFEIT TEN DOLLAR BILLS PASSED

Pecos valley officers are on the lookout for counterfeit ten dollar bills, a few of which were passed last week. Saturday it was said five spurious \$10.00 bills were passed in Roswell. However, officers had no clues to work on at this time, it was said.

NEW Williams Serial for This Newspaper



BEN AMES WILLIAMS

The works of Ben Ames Williams, whose new story, "Hostile Valley," appears serially in this newspaper, hardly need to be introduced to America's millions of readers of good fiction, for they have long been popular in the large national magazines.

In "Hostile Valley" he has created a worthy successor to "Splendor," "An End to Mirth," "Pirate's Purchase," "All the Brothers Were Valiant," and his other successes. Of it a large metropolitan daily newspaper has said, "Here is a story with all of the relentless feeling of destiny, the influence of setting on character, and the gripping drama of Hardy fiction. . . Swift, potent and compelling."

Ben Ames Williams was born in Macon, Miss., in 1893, and was graduated from Dartmouth College in 1915. Two years of his youth were spent in Cardiff, Wales, where his father was the American consul. He worked on Boston newspapers until his stories began to sell. He is married and now makes his home in Massachusetts in winter and Maine in summer.

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THERE'S ALWAYS ANOTHER YEAR

MARTHA OSTENSO

SYNOPSIS

Anna ("Silver") Grenoble, daughter of "Gentleman Jim," formerly of the community, but known as gambler, news of whose recent murder in Chicago has reached the town, comes to Heron River to live with Sophronia Willard, Jim Grenoble's sister. Sophronia's household consists of her husband, and stepsons, Roderick and Jason. The Willards own only half of the farm, the other half being Anna's. On Silver's arrival Duke Melbank, shiftless youth, makes himself obnoxious. Roderick is on the eve of marriage to Corinne Meader. Silver again meets the two developers, to Silver's dismay. At a dance Duke Melbank insults Silver. Determined to break up the growing intimacy between Lucas and Corinne, Silver tells Roddy she has decided to sell her portion of the farm. Not understanding, he reproaches her for her "treachery." Roddy finds he is falling in love with Silver, and is dismayed. Silver warns Corinne against Lucas. Despite herself, her love for Roddy grows, but she determines to save Corinne from disaster. Corinne returns, with purchases little suitable for farm life, and having spent all the money Roddy has given her. He tells Silver he is sure Lucas and Corinne met in the city. While Silver is alone Duke Melbank comes in a drunken condition. Roddy's arrival frightens him away, and in her perturbation Silver unwittingly reveals her love for Roddy. He responds, ending all doubt as to their mutual feelings.

CHAPTER XII—Continued

Silver's brow puckered into a little frown of laughing denial. "Certainly not! And you stop looking for trouble. You're ever so much better this morning. This sun is doing wonders for you."

"Yes," Phronie sighed, "wonders for me—but what is it doin' to the crops? It hasn't really rained since I got sick, has it?"

"Now, there you go," Silver rebuked her. "If it isn't one thing, it's another. Roddy says there's no real danger yet, so get your mind—"

"I've seen it go like this before, my girl. I know what I'm talking about."

Sophronia shifted herself to a more comfortable position in her chair. "I wish one of you would take a run up and see how Paula is," she said unthinkingly. "We haven't had a word from them in a week."

Silver looked at her and put her hands on her hips. "Will you stop talking and worrying about things! I have to go and fix up the house. I'll look out on you in fifteen minutes—and if you're not asleep, I'll call Doctor Woodward."

"Oh, dear!" Sophronia sighed, settling herself finally.

Silver stood with a hamper containing a coffee pot and a dish of buttered rolls, and listened at the screen door of Roddy's house. She was hoping that Corinne might go along with her down to the field where the men were at work, as she had done before. But there was no sound from within. Corinne was probably not yet awake. It was only a little after seven, and she had been at a dance last night at the Richter cottage on the lake.

Roddy was working alone at the upper end of the plot. Silver came quietly up to the old wooden fence that surrounded it, stepping carefully over the ripe strawberries Sophronia craved, and stood watching him, scarcely drawing a breath.

Carefully, intently, Roddy exposed the silk of the vivid green sheath beneath the transparent sack in which it had been enclosed, and poured upon it the pollen from the tassel which had been painstakingly collected in a similar sack to prevent its scattering elsewhere on the wind.

The corn plot, in the motionless blue and gold atmosphere of early morning, was fixed in the clean dark of earth and the glistening, vertical green stain of the stalks visible and proud. It was almost as though some great emerald stood between the small field and the sun, shedding a lovely, calm, and virtiginous dew upon the fresh curve of the young leaves, upon the purplish gloom of the furrow. But it was actually a dew of earth, before hot winds rose. Silver, standing in the rough meadow outside the field, felt the dew about her ankles and saw it sparkling on the ribboned leaves beneath Roddy's hands.

In the pure, jeweled light, the fragile, white-gold silks of the slim young ears revealed the yellow pollen.

len as Roddy dusted it out of the tassel-bag. Suddenly, from the pasture near-by, a meadow-lark flung up into the silence a fountain of liquid notes. Roddy glanced around and saw Silver leaning over the fence watching him.

He reddened dully and pushed his wide straw hat back from his brow. Then, with a quizzical, perplexed smile he came and stood looking down at her.

"I've been watching you," she said, nodding toward the corn. "I wish I could help."

"Why don't you?" he replied. "You'd get a real kick out of it."

She raised the hamper toward him. "I brought some fresh buttered rolls," she said.

"I suppose Corrie isn't up yet," he remarked, taking the hamper from her.

"I listened at the door," Silver told him, "but I didn't hear any stir, so I came on alone."

He set the hamper on the grass at his feet, then spoke in a low, vehement voice that became thrilling agony in her heart. "These weeks have been hell—I, Silver, I don't know how I've stood it. I don't know how I'm going to go on standing it—"

"Oh—Roddy," she pleaded breathlessly.

He stepped closer to her and the yearning and despair in his bronzed face drew from her an involuntary, broken cry. She thrust her hands across the fence toward him. Roddy took them and pressed them to his lips and eyes.

"I'm no good, Silver," he muttered. "I can't go through with this farce. I've got to tell her—"

Swiftly Silver leaned forward and brushed his blue shirt-sleeve with her cheek. "Roddy—Roddy," she whispered in a stifled voice. "You can't tell her—you can't ever tell her! It would be too terrible!"

"It wouldn't," he protested. "She doesn't love me—I don't think she ever did."

"You mustn't say that," Silver argued. "You mustn't do anything—you can't! And it won't be for long. Roddy, as soon as Phronie is well again—"

He swept his hat from his head and ran his fingers through his thick hair in a gesture of mortified anguish. "G—d, what a spectacle I am—standing here, talking like this! I have no right—"

"Of course—you must go away."

"As soon as Phronie gets a little stronger, I'll tell her. And we—you and I must not talk like this again, Roddy. It's too hard on us. I—I can't stand it."

"I know," he said flatly. "It's terrible! But I want you to know that I never had any idea what love was like—until this happened."

"Nobody will ever mean anything to me again, Roddy—after you," she told him. "You—"

She could not go on. Tears seemed to be running backward, down into her throat, choking her words. With a smothered oath, Roddy flung his arm across the fence, strained her desperately to him for a moment, then released her and turned abruptly away, swept up the hamper and strode down the edge of the fields as though he were half blind.

Silver moved back into the grass pasture, knelt down and began picking berries for Sophronia, gathering leaves and flowers indiscriminately with hands that shook.

CHAPTER XIII

DAY followed day, and the sky over the parched and livid land became like a dome of colorless metal, all the blue beaten out of it by the intense heat. Fears that had smoldered separately throughout the district, stole out, linked, and became flaming panic. But the drought was only a fore-runner of a graver holocaust.

In Fjelstad's feed and implement store, Roddy Willard talked with Sven Erickson and John Michener. He struggled to conceal the alarm he felt as he spoke.

"The county agent can't be expected to do it all by himself," he said sharply. "It takes just one day for a good army of grasshoppers to eat the chimney off your house!"

"Phronie!" Silver cried. "What are you doing out here?"

"Bein' out here won't do me as much harm as sittin' in the house and worryin'." Sophronia retorted. "Steve, you old gaffoot, you're lettin' that bran run off on the ground, there."

Silver stepped forward and lifted the edge of the tarpaulin and shook the bran back into place. Then old Roderick poured the ar-

sonic mixture over the pile of bran-while Roddy and Steve turned the mass over and over with scoop shovels.

Each then took a corner of the tarpaulin and lifted it into the truck. Roddy climbed up and seated himself at the wheel.

"You get into the house and lie down, Phronie," Silver commanded severely. "I'm going out and help spread it."

They bumped along for some distance in silence.

"Is there something I have to learn—about scattering the bran?" Silver ventured finally.

"There's a right way and a wrong way," Roddy told her. "Scatter it in fakes—not in lumps. We don't want the cattle to get a dose of it. They might uncover it in the fall and cattle don't thrive on poison, as a usual thing. Just watch the way Steve does it."

The air had become infested as though by a swift, green-brown hail which swept horizontally along the earth. The hysterical sound of the advancing hordes of insects individualized itself hideously on the senses, and in the scorching heat seemed, to Silver, to be burrowing into her brain. The grasshoppers, in their insane, headlong flight, battered themselves against the sides of the truck, dashed with the sting of pebbles into the very faces of the riders.

And constantly, up and down the succulent stalks of corn, the appalling myriads moved with small, ferocious alacrity, incredible greed.

From time to time, Roddy swore softly under his breath or burst out in futile wrath at the lacerated farmers to the westward who had not done their share in helping to stop the advance of the plague.

Roddy glanced up at Silver and saw that his face was white and drawn under the superficial flush caused by the heat.

"Here, kid! You look about ready to drop!" he cried with dismay. He turned the truck about and started more rapidly in the direction of the pasture below the hill.

"You get out here, now," he said, "and run home. I don't know what I've been thinking about! Beat it!"

Silver got down unsteadily and started off.

"Look in on Corinne," Roddy called after her. "She wasn't feeling so well when I left the house."

Silver found Corinne in her room upstairs, in a pitiful huddle on her bed, the counterpane drawn over her head and shoulders.

"Corrie!" Silver said gently as she seated herself on the side of the bed. "You'll die here, in this heat."

There was no response save for the muffled sound of the girl's sobbing. Silver's patience suddenly left her.

"Here—pull yourself together!" she said severely. "It's no worse for you than it is for the rest of us."

The counterpane was flung violently aside and Corinne sat up. Her tear-stained face worked spasmodically.

"Listen to me, Corinne," Silver said firmly. "You get out of bed and take a cold shower and come down to the other house. You can't go on like this. Everybody feels crazy enough without your carrying on like a two-year-old."

But Corinne recoiled in sullen obstinacy. "I'll not stir out of this house today. Go away and leave me alone."

After a moment, Silver got up from the bed and started toward the door.

Corinne sprang suddenly to her feet. "What do you mean by going to Gerald Lucas and talking to him about me?" she demanded. "I know you did."

Silver paused and turned to look at her. "Did Gerald tell you that?" she asked.

"Why shouldn't he tell me?" "I thought he'd have more sense, that's all," Silver replied.

Corinne laughed contemptuously. "I should think you'd have more sense than to interfere in my affairs. It's really funny—you and Roddy—the salt of the earth—trying to reform me." Her mood changed abruptly. "I'll not have it. I'll live my own life—as I want to live it—and I don't want any missionary work on my behalf—by you or anyone else. From now on, please remember—"

"Corinne!" Silver interrupted agitatedly, and stepped toward her. "I'm not trying to reform you. I was simply trying to appeal to Gerald's decency."

"Decency! What does anyone in this place know about decency? Roddy had his chance to be decent. He could have taken me out of this hole last January—if he could have thought of anyone but himself."

Silver stared at her incredulously. "Corinne," she stammered, "does Roddy's love for this land mean nothing to you?"

Corinne, her eyes glinting, looked shrewdly at Silver. "How much does it mean to you?" she asked.

Silver's cheeks burned suddenly. "So much—that I have changed my mind about selling my land this summer," she said quietly. "Roddy can stay on as long as he likes, so far as I am concerned. I'm going back to Chicago as soon as Phronie is strong enough to let me go."

A lightning change came over Corinne's face. "Well!" she breathed. "So that's the next thing. That means—we'll be here next winter and—for the rest of our lives, then. What made you change your mind?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted by William Bruckart

National Press Building Washington, D. C.

Washington.—I believe the trend of recent developments begins to indicate rather definitely that Party Backs President Roosevelt is going to be able to hold a rather united Democratic party behind him in his next campaign.

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Housewife's Idea Box



A Patching Hint

It is a fine idea to make handkerchiefs out of the leftover pieces from the children's cotton dresses. They can use the handkerchiefs to match the dress and later if a patch is needed the handkerchief can be used for patching. It will have been washed as often as the dress and will match as a patch.

Hotel Guests Save Birds

During a violent hailstorm at Rutli, in Switzerland, 250 birds sought refuge in a giant beech near a hotel. As the violence of the storm increased the birds were beaten to the ground and more than 100 were killed. The guests of the hotel went out in a body and gathered up the survivors, which they had passed the night in one of the hotel rooms, were perfectly fit again and were sent on their way rejoicing.

Week's Supply of Postum Free

Read the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this paper. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it.—A.D.

Ants Attack Beasts

Vast swarms of ants in the Amazon forests of South America attack jaguars, alligators and large snakes, overwhelming them by sheer weight of numbers.



PIE? YOU? SURE! USE TUMS NOW!

But the astute Mr. Farley is not going to be able to avoid a test on New Deal issues in Kentucky. The situation in that state is that a Democrat of President Roosevelt's choice and who is supporting the New Deal from start to finish is running for governor against a hard-boiled and conservative Republican. The election will be the first week in November and thus a statewide vote can be expected to measure the Roosevelt strength.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson for October 13

THE STORY OF JEREMIAH

LESSON TEXT—Jeremiah 1:6-10; 1:11-13. GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt go to that I send thee, and whatsoever I command thee thou shalt speak.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Story of Jeremiah. JUNIOR TOPIC—The Story of Jeremiah. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Taking a Stand for God. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Attacking Entrenched Evils.

1. Jeremiah's Call (1: 1-10). 1. It was pre-natal (vv. 4, 5). Before Jeremiah was born God ordained him a prophet to the nations. 2. His diffidence (v. 6). This seems to have grown out of his youth and inexperience.

3. His hesitancy overcome (vv. 7, 8). God graciously appeared to him and made clear that he should where sent, speak as commanded, and to be not afraid of the faces of his enemies. This was accompanied by the assurance of the divine presence. It matters little as to the strength of the foe if the presence of God is with the messenger.

4. The divine message given (v. 9). The very words were put into the prophet's mouth, not merely the thought but the proper words to express the thoughts. 5. The nature of his ministry (v. 10). It was to be wider than that of prophesying. Six words were given as descriptive thereof. The first four are destructive in their implication: "root out," "pull down," "destroy," and "throw down."

The last two are constructive: "build" and "plant." The destructive precedes the constructive. II. Jeremiah's Grief (9:1). The unbeliever of the people made him feel that his efforts were fruitless. Seeing so clearly the awful doom which awaited this people, he wept sorely. The true prophet of God takes to heart the seriousness of his ministry and sorely grieves over the wicked unbeliever of the people.

III. Jeremiah's Prophecy in the Temple Court (26:1-24). 1. Jeremiah's solemn warning to Judah (vv. 1-7). The Lord commanded him to stand in a conspicuous place in the Temple and proclaim the judgment which was about to fall upon them. The object was to provoke them to repentance. If they did not repent, God would destroy the Temple as Shiloh. Shiloh was once the dwelling place of God; now it had fallen into decay. So will it be with the Temple. Jeremiah was sent to speak the words which his Lord had told him and not to diminish a word.

2. Jeremiah on trial (vv. 9-11). a. Cause of arrest. He was arrested for speaking all that the Lord commanded. b. The charge (vv. 8, 9). They charged him with a capital crime, which involved pretending to speak for God and speaking against the Temple and the city. This would make him to be guilty of blasphemy and sacrilege, both of which were to be punishable by death (Deut. 18:20; Lev. 24:16).

c. The princes sit in judgment (vv. 10, 11). We thus see that matters of state were not entirely in the hands of priests but in part were controlled by members of the royal family. 3. Jeremiah's defense (vv. 12-15). Threats of death did not deter him from preaching but only inspired him to repeat his message with clearness and tenderness. a. Reiterated the divine commission. b. He urged them to amend their ways and to obey God and thus avert the divine judgment (v. 13). c. He gave himself up (v. 14). He did not resist the powers of government. Knowing that God had sent him he was content to trust God for deliverance. d. Warnings of fatal consequences. He frankly told them that God had sent him and if they killed him they would be guilty of defying God.

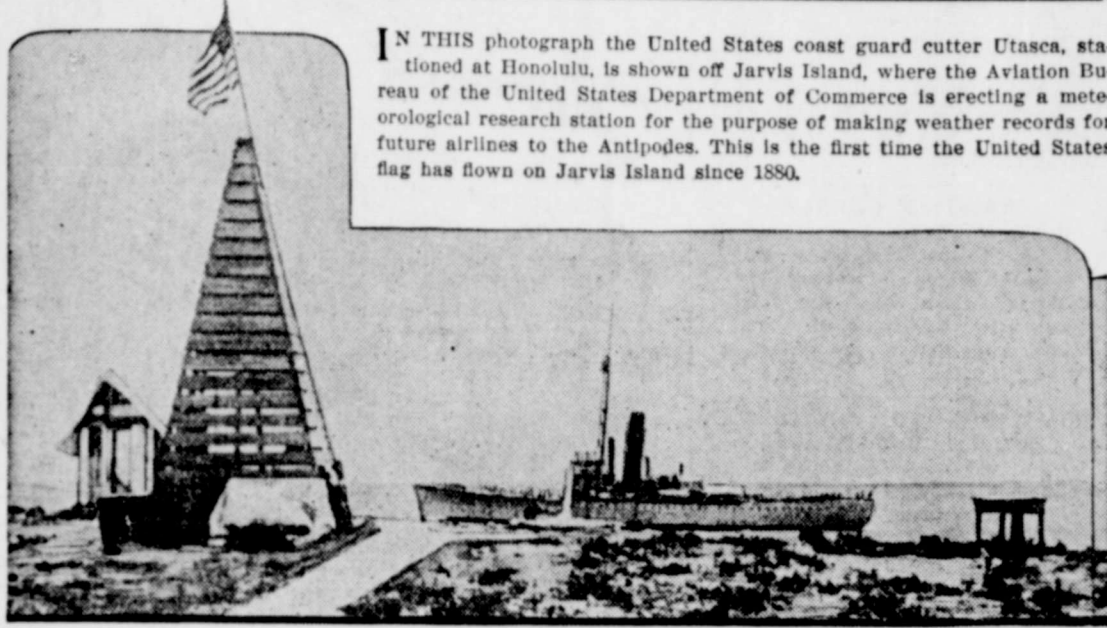
4. Jeremiah saved (vv. 16-24). a. The princes pronounce him not guilty (v. 16). They were convinced that Jeremiah was speaking the truth. b. The elders plead for Jeremiah (vv. 17-23). They cited two passages: Micah (vv. 15, 16) and Uriah (vv. 20-23). They argued that killing God's prophets did not turn aside his judgment but intensified it. The only way to avert the judgment is to turn from their sins. c. Jeremiah rescued by Ahikam (v. 24). He was a man of such influence that he was able to interfere at such a critical time.

Yesterday, Today As for the past, let it sleep if you can. "Sleep on now and take your rest," is the gentle voice of Jesus as to the past. Rise, let us be going, to be that betrayeth me is at hand," is the next sentence. The past is past. But there is a future task right now to be done. Don't sleep over that.

OUR FAMILY CORNER

ILLUSTRATED CURRENT NEWS, FASHION, HOUSEHOLD and ENTERTAINMENT for the JUNIORS

Weather Station for Airliners to Antipodes



IN THIS photograph the United States coast guard cutter Utasca, stationed at Honolulu, is shown off Jarvis Island, where the Aviation Bureau of the United States Department of Commerce is erecting a meteorological research station for the purpose of making weather records for future airlines to the Antipodes. This is the first time the United States flag has flown on Jarvis Island since 1880.

BEDTIME STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

LIGHTFOOT BECOMES UNCERTAIN

LIGHTFOOT the Deer traveled on through the Green Forest straight ahead in the direction from which the Merry Little Breezes were blowing. Every few steps he would raise his delicate nose and test all the scents that the Merry Little Breezes were bringing. As long as he kept the Merry Little Breezes blowing in his face he could be sure whether or not there was danger ahead of him. You see, the Merry Little Breezes delight in carrying all sorts of scents, and Lightfoot's nose is so wonderful that even though those scents be

man-scent, and he knew that he could trust the Merry Little Breezes to bring him that scent if there should be a man anywhere in that direction. The Merry Little Breezes are Lightfoot's best friends. But Lightfoot didn't want to keep going in that direction all day. It would take him far away from that part of the Green Forest with which he was familiar and which he called home. It might in time take him out of the Green Forest, and that wouldn't do at all. So after a while Lightfoot became uncertain. He



Every Once in a While He Would Stop in a Thicket of Young Trees.

very, very faint he can catch them and tell just what they are. Lightfoot uses his nose very much as you and I use our eyes. It tells him the things he wants to know. He knew that Reddy Fox had been along ahead of him although he didn't get so much as a glimpse of Reddy's red coat. Once he caught just the faintest of scents which caused him to stop abruptly and test the air more carefully than ever. It was the scent of Buster Bear. It was so very faint that Lightfoot knew Buster was not near, so he went ahead again, but even more carefully than before. After a little he couldn't smell Buster at all so he knew then that Buster had simply passed that way going to some other part of the Green Forest.

So Lightfoot knew that he had nothing to fear in that direction so long as the Merry Little Breezes brought him none of the dreaded

QUESTION BOX

by ED WYNN, The Perfect Fool

Dear Mr. Wynn: I am a woman forty-three years of age and the only offer of marriage I have ever had was last night. I met a fellow at a party and he was drunk. He proposed marriage to me. He seems all right but I told him to sober up and then ask me to marry him. Did I do right? Sincerely, I. M. HOMELEY.

Answer: Yes and no. He may not want you when he's sober.

Dear Mr. Wynn: Some time ago I wrote you for an

answer for the following example: "If coal is \$10 a ton how many tons would I get for \$50?" Your answer said I would get four tons. Why did you say that, when it isn't right? Yours truly, CON SUE MER.

Answer: You asked me if coal was \$10 a ton and you gave the coal man \$50 how many tons would you get? I said you'd get four tons. I know it isn't right, BUT that's what you'd get.

Dear Mr. Wynn: My wife fights with me all the time because I won't get my hair cut. I claim it looks good, but she says it is too long. Do you think I should have it cut short? Yours truly, BOB BURR.

Answer: The only trouble with a man having his hair cut short is that he is often mistaken for his wife.

Dear Mr. Wynn: I am a cook in a private home. There are no marks on the faucets in the kitchen to show the hot water and cold water. I have scalded my fingers nearly every day. What can I do to prevent this from happening? Yours truly, L. M. DUMB.

Answer: Just feel the water first. © Associated Newspapers.—WNU Service.

MINUTE MAKE-UPS By V. V.

The beauty of your face and the smart appearance of your clothes depend this season on your carriage. To obtain a regal bearing, practice walking with a book balanced on your head, shoulders thrown back so far that you may hook your elbows through a broom handle. A stately stature will have much to do with smartness of any costume and the effectiveness of coiffure and make-up.

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

UNUSUAL DISHES WE ALL like to serve occasionally something a bit different and out of the ordinary, but for the daily diet the common foods simply served we enjoy the best.

Golden Coconut Shortcake. Allow two slices of sponge cake for each serving. Prepare orange sauce by using one cup of orange juice thickened with corn starch, adding a bit of sugar and butter. Cover each slice of the cake with the sauce in sandwich fashion, cover with thinly sliced oranges and top with freshly grated and sweetened coconut.

Stuffed Tomato Salad. Scoop out the centers of six ripe even sized tomatoes. Chop the centers and add one cup of cooked rice, four tablespoons of cheese grated, one hard cooked egg, two tablespoons of pimiento and one small onion, all minced; season with salt, a little lemon juice and any other desired seasoning. Fill the tomato cups and chill. Serve on lettuce with salad dressing.

Pot of Gold Dessert. Mix one-half cup of sugar with one-fourth cup of cornstarch, add a bit of salt and a cupful of rich milk, one cup of orange juice and when cooked until smooth and thick

THROUGH A Woman's Eyes By JEAN NEWTON ON THE MAN WHO IS TO LEARN TO KNOW HIS FAMILY

"I'M SORRY, I don't remember you." A shell-shocked war veteran, after an absence of 11 years, said that to his family who were gathered together to welcome him home.

Mother, father, brothers, sister, wife and a son of eleven—he knew not one of them. His mind a complete blank regarding everything that happened before the war, even his right name is something that he has to take on trust. For during the interval of more than ten years that he was wondering about not knowing who he was, he acquired another name.

Out of the tragedy that struck this wounded soldier and his family one thought keeps forcing itself upon me. And that is the unique experience of becoming acquainted with one's own family. This man will know his family really as people—he will have a chance to find out whether he really likes them. The bond of the family tie that comes of the warp and the woof of daily living and a lifetime of close association, he does not know. On the other hand, he will not know the faults and acquired stigmas, the family judgments and prejudices which persist sometimes from childhood weaknesses to brand a personality within the family circle. The man who does not remember or recognize his family will start with a clean slate.

It will be up to the family to "sell themselves" to him. Naturally they will try to be at their best with him—as they would with any stranger with whom they were to become acquainted. And in so being treated like a stranger, this man who comes back has something to be thankful for—and a head start to really liking his family!

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BURNING LEAVES

By ANNE CAMPBELL IT SEEMS as if the whole lost summer grieves When we are burning leaves, So melancholy is the smoky scent Of this fall sacrament. It was a few short weeks ago they hung In lively green, and flung Their shade upon the heedless passersby, And challenged the blue sky. Now in a wooden basket, drab and brown, They are pulled down; They who in such high place were shimmering Since early spring. There is in burning leaves a sense of loss, As in we toss The match, and watch them perish In a breath. . . This, then, is Death! Copyright.—WNU Service.

Do You Know?

That brunette babies are the bravest when being baptized? According to Rev. Dr. Short, for 35 years a Methodist minister, blond babies howl, brunettes smile, baldheaded ones look blank while it is usually the fat ones who cry the most. © McClure Newspaper Syndicate. WNU Service.

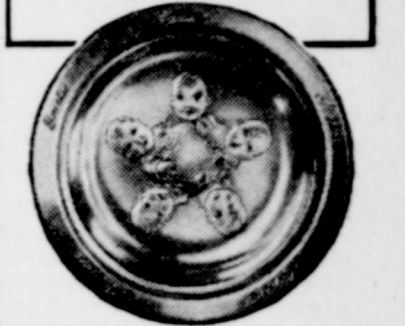
First Copper House Is Completed

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HAGERMAN

Hagerman, New Mexico, October 1, 1935. Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt, President, U. S. A., Washington, D. C. My Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

Your letter of recent date sent out to clergymen throughout the United States asking their opinion concerning the governmental policy of your administration, especially those dealing with Social Security and the various methods of dealing with economic problems and relief projects reached me a few days ago. I thank you for the letter. I thank you for the opportunity of replying. It is surely a fine sort of democracy when both president and people are on such terms that one will discuss with the other the problems that concern all of us.

First of all, I am glad that I can endorse your high patriotism and conscientious efforts toward rebuilding a country shattered almost to ruin by economic forces. Your splendid courage has been a source of great admiration to me. Your ceaseless activity, in pushing your policies in the face of severest criticism, has been a constant wonder. Your relief measures I have watched with joy yet with fear and trembling.

We like your Social Security Plan with the exception of the meager allowance of \$15 per month from the National Treasury for an old age pension for those who have reached the age of 65 years. If indeed it is scientifically and economically demonstrated that this government cannot safely afford to give more than \$15 a month for this purpose in addition to what the several states may give, let it be given as a free gift without pauperizing old age. Let there be no humiliating confession of an application for need. But let it be given when proof is furnished that one has reached the age of 65. There are many self respecting needy folks who will not apply for it as it is now and who would go on needing and suffering rather than pauperize themselves.

We believe your plan of raising the price of farm products by compulsory reduction of acreage or of animals, is both unnatural and in the end economically unsound. It reduces a surplus that in some way might be distributed, at a fair price, to the producer, to the hosts of the needy and unemployed, thus giving the farmer a good return for his labor and expense, and clothing and feeding the naked. The increased ability of the farmer to consume the products of the manufacturer and others thru the artificial increase of the price of his products has not yet produced a sufficient amount of employment for the wage earner so as to reduce the number of the unemployed while raising the price of food greatly for both employed and unemployed.

Your C. C. camps are perhaps the finest and best of all your schemes of relief, doing valiant service in reforestation and soil erosion prevention and other like things, but doing even more in taking raw human products and transforming them into useful and intelligent citizens besides giving relief to thousands of families throughout the land.

Your P. W. A. activities are fine. Our own community has profited much through them. The greatest mistake that was made I think was Direct Relief. One of your greatest decisions is that this shall cease by November 1st, for which all people will be glad who have regard for the preservation of men's self-respect by paying them for labor done and letting them do their own spending for their own needs instead of issuing to them grocery orders direct with no labor provision attached.

As a clergyman believing with all my heart that God honors and prospers that nation that honors Him through ruler and people, it is with great regret that I find no place in your program where you give the God of nations any recognition whatever, holding your most important political conferences on the Lord's day and have paid no attention to frequent requests by intelligent and highly worthy Christian citizens for days of fasting and prayer. This I think is your greatest mistake.

As for you "share the wealth" schemes by increased taxation of the rich there is danger of its going beyond what is wise and fair, penalizing honorable and

LOCALS

Miss Thelma Robinson spent last week-end with home folk. Miss Robinson is a sophomore in Eastern New Mexico Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pardee, Mmes. H. J. Cumpston and A. C. Harter spent Monday in Roswell on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Misses Carolyn and Merle Sweat and Jim Wheat spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in Hagerman and attending finals at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair.

There is a correction in the flower division of the School-Community Fair; Mrs. I. B. McCormick won 1st on dahlias; Mrs. Bert Bailey 2nd, and Mrs. Earl Stine 3rd.

Misses Ruth Utterback and Helen Lathrop and Chalmer Holloway of State College spent the week-end with home folk, returning to Las Cruces and school early in the week.

Miss Betty Mason writes from the State University that she is getting started on her year's work in splendid manner. This week they were having examinations. This is Betty's sophomore year.

Mmes. Lizzie Rice of Archer City, Texas, and O. J. Andrus of Lovington, are visiting the Andrus families. Mrs. Andrus will return to Lovington in a few days, but Mrs. Rice will make an extended visit.

Peoples Mercantile Company store was robbed last night, the thieves entering above the awning by breaking a window, and leaving through the back door. The extent of the loss has not been determined definitely, but will be between \$75 and \$100, mostly wearing apparel.

Word comes from Tulane University and John Duke Garner that he is started off fine, the work seemed heavy, but he liked it very much. Last Sunday in company with one of his instructors, he had a lovely boat trip on the gulf. New Orleans is an old historical city and very pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson had some very brief visitors early Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gause of San Benito, Texas. Mrs. Gause is Mr. Williamson's older sister, and the one who reared him. With them were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gause, their son and grandson. The Otis Gauses lived in this community for about three years some twenty years ago, leaving here twenty-one years ago. Dr. Gause recalls several schoolmates while here, Miss Mabel Cowan, the Blythe boys and Franklin Johnson. Dr. Gause began his medical work in Baltimore; from there a scholarship permitted him to go to Germany where he studied for three years. A scholarship from there transferred him to Russia where he studied one year in clinics and hospitals on the subject of special diseases. While in these countries he wrote an historical account of his work as related to the countries at that time. He will be in New York studying for one year longer.

Cotton Letter

The following daily quotations are based on the December close: October 2.....11.06 11.07 October 3.....10.92 10.93 October 4.....10.99 10.99 October 5.....10.95 10.95 October 7.....11.02 10.93 October 8.....10.92 10.93 October 9.....10.96 10.97

It is an old saying that has always proven to be very sound that cotton should be sold on bullish news. Those who are seeking to dispose of their crop in the very best market, and are disregarding for the time being at least, the government benefit payments, should keep in mind that the effect of the war news on the market has already been discounted a large carry-over still stands above the market, and the heavy crop movement is now on.

Without further unforeseen influences, it appears reasonably sure that the market is sagging some during the heavy movement due to hedge sales.

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honest business instead of encouraging. As that and your banking laws and the going off of the gold standard is not in my line of study and accurate knowledge, I have nothing valuable in the way of criticism or suggestion.

Thanking you for your letter and opportunity of reply and praying that wisdom and knowledge and physical and spiritual strength be given you to lead this great people to higher and better things, I am

Respectfully, JAMES A. HEDGES, Pastor Hagerman, N. M., Presbyterian Church.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, September 5, 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given that George Veale of Lovington, N. Mex., who, on April 24, 1931, made homestead entry, No. 042490, for Lots 3, 4, S 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 Sec. 1, W 1/4 Section 12, Township 14 S., Range 30 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. J. Fox, Notary Public, at Tatum, N. Mex., on the 16th day of October, 1935.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clyde Browning, of Lovington, New Mexico; Frank Lattion, of Hagerman, New Mexico; Jim S. Seely, of Lovington, New Mexico, RT. 1; Sam Williams, of Artesia, New Mexico.

PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, General Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, Sept. 26, 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given that Stefan Kumor, of Hagerman, New Mexico, who, on July 16th, 1932, made Homestead Entry, No. 043-406, for S 1/4, Section 20, T. 14 S., R. 24 E.; and SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 17; SE 1/4, E 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 18; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 19, Township 14 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 7th day of November, 1935.

Claimant names as witnesses: Warren N. Perry, Henry G. Perry, George Lathrop, Clyde Smith, all of Hagerman, New Mexico.

PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of The Messenger published weekly at Hagerman, New Mexico, for October 1, 1935. State of New Mexico. ss. County of Eddy. I ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. C. Martin, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of The Messenger and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publishers W. C. Martin and C. R. Blocker, Artesia, New Mexico. Managing Editor Mrs. Ethel McKinstry, Hagerman, New Mexico. Business Manager Mrs. Ethel McKinstry, Hagerman, New Mexico. 2. That the owners are W. C. Martin, Artesia, New Mexico and C. R. Blocker, Artesia, New Mexico.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: none.

W. C. MARTIN, Publisher. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1935.

BEATRICE BLOCKER, (SEAL) My commission expires March 13, 1937.

TWO UPSETS IN GRID GAMES

Two upsets were registered in the high school football games in the state last Friday. The Plainview, Texas, eleven soundly outplayed the Clovis eleven and defeated the Wildcats 24 to 6, thus wiping out a 56 defeat of last year. Playing under the lights at Carlsbad, the Cavemen outplayed the Portales Rams Friday night for a 20 to 7 victory.

Man Motorist (barely avoiding roadside crash): "Why on earth didn't you signal?"

Girl (who has crossed into her home driveway): "I always turn in here, stupid."

THE CHURCHES

Changes in time of worship services, subjects, etc., must be in The Messenger office by Wednesday of each week. Pastors or members of congregations whose church announcements do not appear in this column are urged to send them in. Churches in Dexter and Lake Arthur are especially desired.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Greenfield)

Morning worship, Sunday, 10:30 o'clock.

Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend any and all of these unusual services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

F. H. Evans, superintendent. Sunday school, 10 o'clock. We especially want the young people to attend our Sunday school and extend an invitation to all to come.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning sermon, 11 o'clock. N. Y. P. S. and J. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m. Evening service 8:00 p. m. A spiritual church in a friendly community.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. O. J. Ford, superintendent. "A class for all, welcome everyone." Church every first and third Sundays, both morning and evening. B. Y. P. U. 7:00 p. m. GEORGE E. TOBY, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00. Young People's service 7:00 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Special music at both morning and evening hour. J. W. Slade.

HAGERMAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rally day. Don't miss it! Next Sunday. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Special program. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Theme: "A Spent Force." Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m. James A. Hedges, Pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. Sunday evening service. Services on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Everyone welcome. REV. LEE R. MILLER, Pastor.

1st Report Cotton Grade - Staple In From New Mexico

Sufficient cotton from all of the irrigated states has been classed during the week ending October 3 to warrant issuing reports. Grades are slightly lower than last week and considerably lower than for the same period one year ago. Inter-territain rains and heavy dews throughout the area have resulted in the cotton being brought to the normal and reduces the value of the cotton a full grade or more. Every care should be taken to keep pickers out of the field until the cotton has dried out sufficiently to allow the gins to do the best possible ginning.

NEW MEXICO: The first report on New Mexico cotton shows that 78 percent was classed as strict middling and better, and less than 2 percent as strict low middling.

About 98 percent of the cotton for the same period last year. A longer compared with 79 percent classed was 1-1/16 inches and larger proportion has been 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches and a smaller proportion has been 1-1/8 inches than last year.

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Tired Making Trips All Over Town?



Do Your Errands by TELEPHONE

A Sudden Burst Of Affection



ORLA-RED BLUFF ROAD NOW READY

The portion of the Carlsbad to Pecos highway between Red Bluff and Orla, Texas, which has been under construction for sometime, has been finished, it was announced at Pecos last week. An additional fourteen miles of the Carlsbad to Pecos road is under improvement and when completed will give an all-weather road between the two points.

JAPAN TO LIMIT COTTON SHIPMENTS

WASHINGTON—United States and Japan have reached an agreement whereby Japanese sales of cotton textiles to the Philippines is to be limited so as to materially increase American exports to the islands.

GASOLINE TAX SETS RECORD

SANTA FE—September's gasoline tax collections set a new record with a total of \$328,716.00 compared with the former high mark, \$292,396.24 in August, it was announced Friday.

Mary had a new tight skirt. So neat, so bright, so airy; It never shows a speck of dirt, But it surely does show Mary.

Del Monte Products



Del Monte Sliced or Crushed Pineapple

No. 2 1/2 Tin.....23c

Del Monte Coffee

1 Pound Tin.....33c 2 Pound Tin.....65c

Del Monte Red Raspberries

No. 2 Tin.....29c

Del Monte Loganberries

No. 2 Tin.....20c

Del Monte Fruit Salad

No. 1 Tall Tin.....22c

Del Monte Chili Sauce

12 Ounce Bottle.....23c

Del Monte Catsup

14 Ounce Bottle.....19c

Del Monte Tomato Juice

15 Ounce Tin.....9c

Del Monte Spinach

No. 2 Tin.....13c 2 for.....25c

Del Monte Pimentos

4 Ounce Tin.....9c

Del Monte Tomato Sauce

8 Ounce Tin.....13c 2 for.....25c



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A Line To You

BY E. M.

Have you heard of the person who adopted the French child, then enrolled in the French department of the University, so they might understand the when he started talking?

We suspect she was telling herself, when she mentioned teacher who drives so "moo slow." Anyway we believe safety.

Did you hear that mama rejected to daughter getting all honor?

Have you heard the person who "cusses" so fluently? (Do make a mistake here please!)

Do you know the two who the past few months have sorbed the honors, which have been given elsewhere?

And that Hagerman had a caller this week, one who will give us some first-hand knowledge of U. S. S. R.

When you go to town Saturday night and drive several blocks to find a parking place, recite this little poem: When Noah sailed the water He had his troubles same as you. For forty days he drove the Ark. Before he found a place to park.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Messenger.

TAKE YOUR EYES TO

Edward Stone

Help Kidneys

Don't Take Drastic Drugs Your kidneys contain 3 million tubes or filters which may be clogged by neglect or drastic, irritating treatment. If functional kidneys are absent, you suffer from all the ailments of kidney disease: Backache, Rheumatic Pains, Dropsical Swelling, Headaches, Nervousness, Loss of Sleep, Blurred Vision, Neuritis, etc. You need to take drastic action. All druggists carry the most modern advertisement for these troubles—Dr. E. P. Taylor's Prescription called Cyston (Sole-Tel). It is safe and sure. In 48 hours it brings new vitality and is guaranteed to make you feel 10 years younger. A week or money back on return of the package. Cyston costs only 25c at all druggists and the guarantee price.

COULD NOT DO HOUSEWORK

WHEN I was a young girl, I was very nervous and unable to do any housework. My mother-in-law said I was a "housewife" and I was very nervous and unable to do any housework. My mother-in-law said I was a "housewife" and I was very nervous and unable to do any housework.

TOOK OFF 17 LBS OF UGLY FAT

HEEDED DOCTOR'S ADVICE Mrs. Robert Hickey, Bannock, Calif., writes: "My doctor advised me to take Kruschen Salts for my weight. I wouldn't hurt me in the least. I lost 17 lbs. in 6 weeks. Kruschen is worth its weight in gold."

Get a jar of Kruschen to-day! 4 weeks and costs but a few cents. Simply take half teaspoonful of hot water every morning. Druggists.

Tired, worn out, no ambition. How many women just dragging themselves around with a headache and aching joints? They don't know that Dr. E. P. Pinkham's Little Blue Pills relieve all these ailments. Small size only 25 cents.

Mrs. Doris Williams of Duquoin, Illinois, says, "I had no ambition and was terribly nervous. Your Little Blue Pills helped my periods and built me up." Try them next month.

How many women just dragging themselves around with a headache and aching joints? They don't know that Dr. E. P. Pinkham's Little Blue Pills relieve all these ailments. Small size only 25 cents.

ECONOMY PLUS CHIC IN TAILORED FROCK

PATTERN 9605



9605

A fashionable turn-out will witness so important a merger as this for Economy and Chic are names of nation-wide importance. Allied in this softest of woolen frocks, with monotone rabbit's hair stripe is a crisp squarish collar of pique, which follows the horizontal line of combined yoke and sleeves. You, who make and wear it, will rejoice in the easy-to-make features, wearable qualities, and surprising economy of this all-occasion frock. Inverted skirt pleats back and front allow for action. Also smart in synthetic crepe.

Pattern 9605 may be ordered only in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40. Size 16 requires 2 1/2 yards 54 inch fabric and 3/4 yard 36 inch contrasting. Complete die grammated sew chart included.

Send FIFTEEN CENTS in coins or stamps (coins preferred) for this pattern. Be sure to write plainly your NAME, ADDRESS, STYLE NUMBER and SIZE.

Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., 232 West Eighth St., New York, N. Y.

Smiles

SAVED!

After the last of the dinner guests had taken their departure, the lady of the house rang for the cook. "Nora," she began, "I found a rubber glove in the soup tonight."

"Oh, thank you, mum!" was the grateful reply, "I thought I'd lost it."

A Friendly Suggestion

"I want to speak to you as one of the plain people."

"Don't do it," replied Farmer Cornfossil. "You want to realize that times have changed and a prosperous agriculturist looks on himself as somebody rather special."

Fierce Fight, Huh?

"No, John, I don't think a man-crist should marry a dentist."

"And why not?"

"If we fought, it would be tooth and nail."—Answers Magazine.

Some Doubt

Nurse—The new patient in our ward is light-headed.

Doctor—Delirious or blond?—Tit-Bits Magazine.



Accent Is on Costume Suit for Fall

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



SO MANY women do not think they can wear suits, because, unless one be slim and svelte, a blouse and skirt are apt to prove a problem at the waistline. To such "cheerio" is the message for designers of vision and inventive genius have taken the matter to heart and have come to the rescue of despairing ones. They have surmounted the difficulty via that which they are pleased to title in fashion's vocabulary as the "costume suit." Needless to say the new costume suits carry the promise of a foremost vogue, autumn and winter through, seeing that they are proving as effective as a strict reducing diet in slenderizing the figure.

The idea is to top a slim frock of some one or other of the incomparably handsome wools or wools-and-silk, such as are glorifying the current fabric showings, with a varied length coat to match. The fact that intriguing fur trimmings are playing such an important role in present-day styling adds to the glamor and prestige of these voguish costumes.

In tuning the theme of these slenderizing suit effects to the individuality of the wearer, much depends upon the coat to "turn the trick." The accompanying illustration of a trio of molds recently shown by style creators of the Chicago wholesale market district demonstrates the point better than words can tell.

If your ambition is to arrive at slimmness and height, the costume to the left in the picture will help you make dreams come true. The slightly full-below-the-elbow sleeves, with just the right length to the coat, combined with fitted bodice lines and slender hipline trend to accentuate a slenderized silhouette. The simple gored lines of the skirt also tend to the straight slim look.

The bright metal touch which is so dramatically enhancing the new

fashions is present in the double collar and pointed vestee front. The collar is of black lynx as is the banding at the bottom of the coat.

For the tall stately woman or the slim older woman who aspires to her longings is given in the smart restaurant costume as pictured in the center of the group. It reflects influence of the Italian renaissance especially in the grandiose royal purple velvet which fashions it. The rich and beautiful reds, purples and greens of early Italian painters are the featured kind this season. Fitted basque with snug little waistline, trimly fitting hips and flaring-below-the-knees skirt are all flattering. The glarily new details, however, are a youthful peplum flare of the jacket together with full sleeves that are fitted in at the wrist to be very flattering to the hands. The pillow muff which she carries is also significant, for it has been quite some time since this type of muff was in fashion. The fur is a shaggy krimmer and its manner of bordering the edges emphasizes a high-style trimming note.

From Russia comes the suggestion for the fitted town suit shown to the right. It registers as very "young" for its flared tunic line a la Russe makes it youthful. It is flattering to either the tall or short slim figure, depending upon the length of the coat. Mahogany rust, a new rich tone not too reddish, is the color of the cloth. Tailored bandings of beige krimmer make this costume suit look all the more Russian. The frock underneath, however, is quite American with its simple tailored lines and amusing pockets and novel wooden buttons.

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WITH A HOOD

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Here's a youthful and ultra chic evening wrap. Hoods and head coverings are still going strong in the mode. This one is a red-riding hood type. It is of brown velveteen and is worn over a powder blue silk sheer gown which has skirt fullness and the new tailored top. It would be handsome in black velvet.

PLEATS DOMINATE STYLES FOR FALL

They've taken a pleat in fashion this fall, and the results are both numerous and startling.

Pleats turn up, at the most unexpected places in the new fall frocks, cropping out anywhere from skirt to neckline.

Pleated sleeves are among the newest wrinkles of the mode, these being large and loose in the new manner, drawn into a cuff at the wrist. They're effective in black chiffon, combined with a black crepe dinner gown.

Pleated blouses, in soft, sheer fabrics, are drawing ecstatic "ah's" and "oh's" from shoppers, who are buying them for wear with the new velvet cocktail suits.

Some of the newest evening gowns are in pleats, from neck to hem, done in soft, silky fabrics that manage to outline the figure in a most seductive manner, keeping their classic lines as well.

Stylist Discovers Trend to Sturdy Shoe Designs

"One of the first things one notices about the new fall shoes is the very definite distinction between the tailored and the dressy models," comments a local footwear authority.

"There's greater interest than ever in casual clothes and sturdy, heavy looking shoes for tailored and sportswear, with saddle stitchings, new welt treatments, substantial leather such as calf, reverse calf and alligator."

Skirt Lengths

In the first Paris openings skirt lengths for daytime are about 14 inches from the ground. These skirts are extremely narrow.

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—View of the Rock of Gibraltar, where Great Britain assembled a powerful fleet of warships. 2—Lieut. Felix Walkus of Chicago, who started from New York on a solo nonstop flight to Kaunas, Lithuania, and made a forced landing in Ireland. 3—Big vessels of the French war fleet on their way from Toulon to Djibouti, French Somaliland.

Temperance Champion Heads Alcohol Board

Franklin Chase Hoyt of New York city, who has been appointed head



of the alcohol control unit of the Treasury department by President Roosevelt.

A descendant of Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase and winner of the Hearst temperance award in 1929.

Hands Across the Northern Border



L. D. Seward (right), in charge of new border inspection station at Highgate, Vt., greeting his Canadian colleague across border line.

Amelia Tells the Children All About It



While aiding a pilot friend to repair a cylinder of his plane, Amelia Earhart, America's foremost aviatrix, became the center of interest in Santa Ana, Calif., when a group of children gathered around to witness the repair.

Two Record Breakers of the Air



Howard Hughes, left, photographed just before he set a new land plane speed record of 253 miles an hour. Maj. Alexander P. De Seversky, at right, set a new mark for amphibians, 230.03 miles an hour.

Sir Bolton's at the Helm of British Navy

Sir Bolton Eyres Monsell, first lord of the admiralty, who ordered



Great Britain's Mediterranean fleet to be concentrated at "key" points.

Hobo, Tramp, Bum—They Are Different

Very Distinct Class Lines Drawn Among These Groups.

To the average man the words hobo, tramp and bum are synonymous terms, used to designate a type of foot-loose, homeless specimen of the genus homo. They are terms of derogation and opprobrium.

Not so! Before calling a hobo a tramp, or either man a hobo, be sure you say it with a smile. For there are very distinct class lines drawn among these groups of unskilled and itinerant workers.

A hobo is a hard worker of the migratory type. He is possessed of a keen sense of his own importance and value to the world that would suffer without his services. The wheat fields of the Southwest, the timberlands in the Northwest, the fruit lands in various parts of the country could not show a profit without the presence of the hobo at strategic moments. To displace him in the economic scheme of things would be to keep so many well fed and employed the whole year around, thousands of men whose services are only required a few weeks or months a year. Another distinction: The hobo travels on wheels, although the ticket office is not always a part of his traveling experience.

The tramp, on the other hand, migrates according to whim or chance. And he walks everywhere. Having nowhere in mind to go, he gets there at his leisure. He works, as he does now and then, because of necessity and not through any sense of personal responsibility to society at large. In the mind of the self-respecting hobo, the tramp is distinctly an inferior.

The bum is looked down upon and despised, both by the hobo and tramp. The bum travels nowhere, does nothing and is nobody. He is a parasite of the city, begging, borrowing, stealing, loafing.

Clip this out and paste it in your book of etiquette. You may see it sometimes to save yourself from one of those embarrassing moments which led some of our Knickerbocker Press.

Indian Summer

Indian summer usually begins some time in October, but it may not begin until November. According to the United States weather bureau it is not a definite period occurring regularly each autumn, and is not based on accurate meteorological data. Indian summer varies greatly in duration. It may occur once or several times during the fall and early winter, or it may not occur at all, and if it does it may last a day or two or several weeks. And in some years there are more than one of these periods of hazy, tranquil days.

Mineral Water Plentiful

In some countries mineral water costs more than wine, but at Heidelberg in Germany it is so plentiful that the streets are sprinkled with mineral water.

Glacier Advances

The glacier at Jacobshavn, Greenland, is advancing 62 feet a day.

Find Out

From Your Doctor if the "Pain" Remedy You Take Is Safe.

Don't Entrust Your Own or Your Family's Well-Being to Unknown Preparations

BEFORE you take any preparation you don't know all about, for the relief of headaches, or the pains of rheumatism, neuritis or neuralgia, ask your doctor what he thinks about it—in comparison with Genuine Bayer Aspirin.

We say this because, before the discovery of Bayer Aspirin, most so-called "pain" remedies were advised against by physicians as being bad for the stomach, or, often, for the heart. And the discovery of Bayer Aspirin largely changed medical practice.

Countless thousands of people who have taken Bayer Aspirin year in and out without ill effect, have proved that the medical findings about its safety were correct.

Remember this: Genuine Bayer Aspirin is rated among the safest methods yet discovered for the relief of headaches and all common pains... and safe for the average person to take regularly.

You can get real Bayer Aspirin at any drug store—simply by never asking for it by the name "aspirin" alone, but always saying BAYER ASPIRIN when you buy.

Bayer Aspirin



News Review of Current Events the World Over

League of Nations Council, Still Hoping for Peace, Moves to Curb Italy—American Legion Condemns All Un-American Isms.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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ITALY having rejected the peace plan proposed by the League of Nations committee of five, and Ethiopia having accepted it, the committee reported to the league council that its efforts to solve the problem were futile. The council thereupon held a public meeting and adopted unanimously the recommendation of its president, Enrique Ruiz Guinazu of Argentina, that it proceed under article 11 of the covenant, drafting a report and recommendations for settlement of the Italo-Ethiopian em-



Anthony Eden

bro. As they did once before, the Italian delegates walked out of the meeting, and a spokesman explained that this was because they "would not sit at the same table with Ethiopia." With other prominent Fascists, the Italian representatives refused to go to the lobby bar, ordered drinks and rather ostentatiously assumed them and marched out.

In a secret session the council adopted its report and framed its recommendations; but it also asked a committee of five to reconstitute itself so it would be ready to take advantage of any opportunity for mediation that offered in the near future.

A feature of the council's session was an address by Capt. Anthony Eden, British minister for league affairs. Conversations in Rome between British Ambassador Sir Eric Drummond and Premier Mussolini led some to think Great Britain was weakening, but Eden announced his government was "steadfastly determined to abide by its policy" as previously declared. He said in part:

"In addressing my colleagues at the council on September 4 I expressed the view that it was our duty to use the machinery of the league that lay to our hands.

"Such is still my view. I therefore support without qualification the proposal of the president of the council, since we are now working under article XV, that the council should draw up a report of the recommendations provided for in paragraph IV of that article.

"So long as the council is engaged in drawing up a report of recommendation the work of mediation can continue and it is our duty to have no opportunity for such mediation within the terms of the covenant should be missed."

Eden's attitude was supported by Munch of Denmark and Maxim Litvinov of Russia.

On the whole, prospects for settlement of the African affair were dim. It was reported that Mussolini had said to Count Charles Ciano, French ambassador in Rome: "I will invade Ethiopia the date fixed a month ago."

Emperor Haile Selassie wired the league requesting that in view of the "increasingly provocative attitude of Italy" neutral observers be dispatched to Ethiopia to establish responsibility in case a clash occurs.

Great Britain informed Italy that her tremendous naval concentration in the Mediterranean was not ordered with any aggressive motive because of the violent anti-English campaign carried on by the Fascist press of Italy. The massing of the British warships at Gibraltar, Malta, Alexandria and the Suez canal continued, and Italy responded by rearranging her naval dispositions. Also the flow of Italian troops into East Africa was continuous, and was announced in Rome that 200,000 soldiers of the classes of 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914 had reported for duty. This brought to 1,000,000 the total Italian mobilization, which Mussolini some time ago promised would be the mark reached before October 1.

One result of the supposedly improved relations between England and Italy was the cancellation of the sailing of 10,000 more Italian troops into Libya, which colony borders on Egypt.

REPUBLICAN national committeemen met in Washington and began the serious preparation of the Presidential campaign. It was decided unanimously that the party efforts in the western states should be most vigorous and should begin immediately. Headquarters will soon be opened in Chicago with National Committeeman Harrison Spangler of Iowa in charge, and funds were allocated for its expenses.

The committee did not discuss candidates or the selection of a convention city. The latter will not be chosen until the winter meeting. At present Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the leading contenders, with the last named in good position because of its new air-conditioned convention hall.

GEN. HUGH JOHNSON will soon be out of a job again, for on October 15 he retires from the position of works progress administrator for New York city. This is in accordance with a previous agreement with President Roosevelt. He is to be succeeded by Victor F. Ridder, publisher of the German language newspaper New Yorker Staats-Zeitung and Herold and the New York Journal of Commerce.

THOUSANDS of Catholics, from high prelates to lowly laymen, gathered in Cleveland for the seventh national Eucharistic congress. The most spectacular event of the week was the midnight pontifical low mass celebrated in the stadium by the light of a myriad of tapers. Nearly 150,000 devout men and women knelt silently in the dimness as Archbishop Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, apostolic delegate to the United States, performed the rite. Later the stadium was again filled for the reception of the benediction of Pope Pius XI, which was broadcast from Castel Gandolfo, Italy.

AMERICAN Legionnaires in convention in St. Louis adopted with shouts of approval a resolution for active opposition to "nazism, fascism, communism and other isms contrary to the principles enunciated in the Constitution." Still cheering, the delegates followed that up by asking the withdrawal of United States recognition of Soviet Russia.

The veterans recommended recent legislation for national defense and called for a larger army, continuation of the officers' training camps, the C. M. T. C. and R. O. T. C. in schools, and for a navy equal to any in the world. They asked all nations to work for world peace, and approved the neutrality resolution of the last congress.

Cleveland, Ohio, was awarded the 1936 annual convention after four ballots. The national American Legion band championship was won by the Chicago Board of Trade post musicians. Franklin post was second, Omaha third, and Mineral Springs, Texas, fourth.

At their final session the veterans elected J. Ray Murphy of Ida Grove, Iowa, national commander, and passed a resolution demanding immediate cash payment of the soldiers' bonus. Vice commanders chosen were: Raymond A. Gales of Virginia, W. E. Whitlock of South Carolina, Whitney Godwin of Florida, Oscar Worthwine of Idaho, Lou Probst of Wyoming.

Mrs. Melville Muckelstone of Chicago was elected president of the American Legion auxiliary.

SOFT coal miners were victorious in the negotiations for a new wage agreement, and resumption of work in the mines was promised for October 1. The men were out on strike for eight days. Operators yielded to the union demands when they learned that relief officials would aid the strikers.

AUBREY WILLIAMS, first assistant to Relief Administrator Harry Hopkins, said in an interview that the unemployment problem will not be solved by a business pick-up unless industry "shares in increased efficiency with the workers."

He asserted that the present gain in business has put few more people to work, and explained this fact by attributing it primarily to increased efficiency which permits employers to produce more goods than before with fewer employees.

Williams said there had been a drop in the number of people on relief, but he attributed this largely to a "hard-boiled" policy under which the "rolls were combed of ineligible."

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT cleaned up most of the official business on his desk and started on his vacation trip to San Diego, whence he will return through the Panama canal. Mrs. Roosevelt and a large party of officials accompanied him on the special train to the coast. At the last minute the President decided to speak to the midwest farmers, and this address was delivered Saturday at Fremont, Neb. The program called for a set speech at Boulder dam, another in the Hollywood bowl at Los Angeles, and one at San Diego. In addition the Chief Executive talked to the gathered crowds at many of the operating stops made by the train.

REPUBLICAN national committeemen met in Washington and began the serious preparation of the Presidential campaign. It was decided unanimously that the party efforts in the western states should be most vigorous and should begin immediately. Headquarters will soon be opened in Chicago with National Committeeman Harrison Spangler of Iowa in charge, and funds were allocated for its expenses.

The committee did not discuss candidates or the selection of a convention city. The latter will not be chosen until the winter meeting. At present Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the leading contenders, with the last named in good position because of its new air-conditioned convention hall.

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Fine New Jail Newspaper Prestige Easy to Buy Who Is the Man?

Not much Ethiopian news. You could hardly expect it with our own white-black prize-ring war competing. Whatever happens, Ethiopian tribesmen will benefit. The emperor, Haile Selassie, is working on reforms, doing away with abuses that Mussolini pointed out and promised to cure. He opened a substantial concrete jail outside of Addis Ababa to replace the old jail. There, according to Dr. von Wiegand's cablegram to Universal Service, "live prisoners sometimes remained chained to those who had died for days."



Arthur Brisbane

Newspapers in Pennsylvania, 265 of them, have celebrated "press prestige" this week. Governor Earle tells the editors, presumably shivering with delight and surprise, about "the important part that newspapers play in the lives of our people." It is as important as the part played by the people's eyes and ears, and might be taken for granted by now.

Napoleon knew about it when he said that, if he allowed freedom of the press, his power would not last six weeks. Stalin, Hitler and Mussolini could make speeches about it.

The newspaper is a mirror in which the public sees itself, the newspaper's owner and the civilization of the moment. Interesting reflections of that civilization may appear soon in dispatches from Ethiopia and from London in case Mussolini should send his first 500 airplanes in the direction of Buckingham palace, the house of commons, Downing street and the Bank of England, with the message: "What do you think of explosive and mustard gas sanctions?"

The pathetic thing in journalism, as in politics, is the lack of names that the people know. Millions of Americans read newspapers with no faintest conception as to the character of the man whose newspaper they read. It might be called "anonymous nonentity." There are exceptions.

The most important and influential newspaper by far, in proportion to circulation, is the so-called "country newspaper," smaller dailies and weeklies. Their readers know who runs them, and those readers, not living in city apartments, with a can opener, buy everything from the paint on the roof to the cement in the cellar floor, from the piano and radio in the sitting room to the car in the garage.

Berlin says the Nazi party plans, forcibly, to buy out all Jewish firms and businesses, suggesting that "ambitious Aryan business men will get great bargains." One idea is to allow "Aryan" employees to take over Jewish businesses with government backing. They might take it over, but what about running it? Anybody may buy a business; making it pay is another job.

The Republican committee will have "an important meeting" now, a really big, first-class, "hang-up" meeting in December, to put "pep" into the 1936 campaign. The question is, "Who is your man?" Americans want to yell for somebody. They have not been trained to yell for an idea. Who is your man? What is his name?

Amusing situation in Europe! England sends her gigantic fleet to the Mediterranean, heaviest dreadnaughts, submarines, airships; parks them around the rock of Gibraltar and at the entrance of the Suez canal; sends additional soldiers to the Island of Malta. Mussolini puts his convenient island, off the coast of Greece, in a state of siege, with submarines, airplanes, cutting the Mediterranean in two, isolating the big English fleet in the western end.

Then England, having shown an ardent desire to fight Italy, sends official word that she really hadn't any war with Italy in mind, her feelings were hurt by the Italian newspapers. That is why she sent her fleet.

DeWolf Hopper is dead at seventy-seven, too soon. He worked to the last, talked over the radio in the afternoon, and was dead at 6:30 next morning. He should find a good seat reserved for him in the entertainment that lasts forever, in a better world. He spent his life working to make people smile and forget their sorrows.

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Unique Scratch Pad for Kitchen

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



It can't be helped if there is monkey business afoot here. This little fellow makes it his business to keep a record of your household wants on the little pad he is holding. This memo pad hanger measures about 8 by 10 inches when finished.

Package No. A-7 contains the stamped and tinted unbleached muslin and the paper scratch pad, ready to be outlined, also directions how to make it up. Thread and binding are not included. Sent postpaid for 15 cents.

Guard Against Fleas

Fleas will breed in carpets, cracks in the floor or any other suitable place where the eggs may drop. It takes only 17 days from the time an egg is laid to produce a flea in good biting condition. The insects are renowned in scientific circles as the carrier of many diseases. The dog flea sometimes carries eggs of a tapeworm, which when swallowed causes worms in dogs. Occasionally tapeworms in children are caused by dog fleas accidentally getting into the mouths of the children.

To guard against flea infestation of dwellings animal pets should be frequently dusted with any insect powder made from dried pyrethrum flowers. This is harmless to animals and human beings. If a house becomes infested the rugs, cracks in floor and other likely breeding places should be sprayed thoroughly with any of the liquid spray insecticides.

HEALTH AND GOOD LOOKS DEPEND ON HOW YOU STAND

There's beauty in good posture, declares Jeanette Eaton in the Parents' Magazine, and gives the following three reasons why the average person stands badly. First, comes the possibility of a bodily weakness. Second, part of the clothing may be uncomfortable or badly adjusted. Third, the individual is indifferent to her stoop.

It is one thing to recognize a fault and another to do something about it. Here follow a few practical "dons" if we would acquire good posture for ourselves or for our children.

Don't wear high heels when working or walking any distance.

Don't go upstairs clumping or stooping but hold the spine just as straight as you can.

Don't sit with legs crossed—this position puts a great strain on the muscles of back and hips.

Don't go without abdominal support unless you are taking a great deal of exercise.

Don't neglect to supply the right table, chairs and light for yourself and for your boys and girls who have homework to do—and see that their school does it, too.

As for the "dos"—here they are:

Hold your head well, chin up.

Try a little abdominal discipline.

Breathe deeply and often.

Take exercise, not necessarily a daily dozen at a given period but every now and again during the day whenever it is possible to do so.

RADIO ALARM FOR HOMES

A new invention is a radio alarm system for houses, that, when turned on at night creates a sensitive electrical zone around the exterior of the dwelling, several feet deep. When an intruder steps into this "field," a circuit breaks, the alarm sounds, and floodlights brightly illuminate the walls and yards. Users fearing that their power lines might be cut can connect the device to a storage battery.

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IT'S TOO MUCH TROUBLE TO MAKE HER COSTUMES—WHEN I'M HAVING SUCH HEADACHES AND INDIGESTION.

WHAT DOES HE CARE HOW HARD YOU WORK AS LONG AS THE KID HAS A GOOD TIME?

YOU'VE BEEN FEELING BADLY FOR MONTHS, DEAR! LET'S GO AND SEE THE DOCTOR! COME ON—LET'S GO RIGHT NOW!

WELL... I SUPPOSE IF I DON'T GO, I'LL NEVER HEAR THE END OF IT!

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FOR SALE

By the Presbyterian church, some good second-hand lumber of various kinds and dimensions. Sealed bids will be received by mail at the Manse until noon, October 21, 1935. Address Rev. J. A. Hedges, Hagerman, N. M. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Come and look it over. Building Committee. 41-11c

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes in Eddy and De Baca counties. Write today. Rawleigh Co., Dept. NMJ-44-SE, Denver, Colo. 40-2tp

Dexter Items

C. N. Moore has been chosen delegate to a taxpayers convention in Oklahoma, and will leave soon to attend.

Mrs. C. N. Moore is spending several weeks in El Paso visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lowenfield (Helen Moore).

The Presbyterian Junior Christian Endeavor held a weiner roast last week on Thursday evening in the church gardens. About twenty-two were present.

Dexter school faculty are planning a very entertaining comedy play on Friday evening at the school auditorium. It is under the direction of Mrs. L. Parker.

The Dexter Woman's club will meet today. Mrs. O. L. McMain will give a New Mexico history review. Delegates to the state convention at Santa Fe will also be chosen.

Dexter's P. T. A. booth at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair won second place. It was very attractive. Mmes. W. F. Kerr, the president, and Ira Marshall planned the arrangement and did most of the work in set-up.

FALLS START BATTLE AGAINST EJECTION

ALAMOGORDO—A legal battle through which may re-echo the famous Teapot Dome scandal, saw its first skirmish Saturday as the ageing and feeble Albert B. Fall, interior secretary in the Harding cabinet, and his wife answered a suit of ejection in district court at Alamogordo Saturday.

The defendants, in a demurrer filed through their attorney, G. A. Shipley of Alamogordo, asked that the Petroleum Securities Company, who seek to oust them from their Tres Rios ranch home, make their complaint more specific and allege the plaintiff failed to state a cause of action.

Lifeguard (with girl in arms): "Sir, I have just resuscitated your daughter."
Father: "Then, by gad, you'll marry her!"

Fourth game—

Detroit	001 001 000	—2 7 0
Chicago	010 000 000	—1 5 2

Fifth game—

Detroit	000 000 001	—1 7 0
Chicago	002 000 10x	—3 8 0

Sixth game—

Detroit	100 101 001	—4 12 1
Chicago	001 020 000	—3 12 0

IN SOCIETY

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(Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

Social Calendar

The Methodist Missionary society meets with Mrs. Sarah Walton on Wednesday, October 16th.

P. T. A. will meet on Tuesday evening, October 15th, at the school auditorium.

The Hagerman Thursday club meets with Mrs. E. A. Paddock on October 17th. Mrs. W. A. Losey will be leader.

The Methodist Missionary Society are having a bake sale on Saturday afternoon and evening, October 12th, at the Dewell store.

WIMBERLY FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wimberly and Clifford Wimberly entertained with a dinner at their home, complimentary to members of their family who were spending the week-end in Hagerman and Roswell. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wimberly and Cynthia of Las Cruces, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington Wimberly, Janice and Mary Margaret of Altus, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sears and Bobby Sears of Capitan, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Childress and Elizabeth Ann of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison McKinstry. The out-of-town guests left for their homes on Sunday and Monday.

THURSDAY CLUB MEETING

Mrs. J. E. Wimberly opened the Thursday club's study year with a very interesting historical account of "Waterways," giving in a brief introduction the interesting features of waterways the world over, and then of our own country, telling of the early commercial needs of this mode of transportation, the romantic side of the river and lake boats, and the eventual result of the commercialism of the modern-day waterways.

Present with the hostess, Mrs. Cumpsten, and leader, Mrs. Wimberly, were: Mmes. James A. Hedges, E. A. White, A. M. Ehret, Roy Van Arsdol, Harry Cowan, T. Devenport, R. M. Ware, Hal Ware, Willis Pardee and two guests, Mrs. A. C. Harter of Los Angeles, California, a former member of the club, and Mrs. A. A. MacKintosh.

P. T. A. ACTIVITIES

The executive committee of the P. T. A. met at the school building Tuesday evening with Mr. Lester Hinrichsen presiding. The regular meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at the school auditorium next Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. The subject: "Newer Methods of Teaching the Three R's." Special music will be rendered. The picture, "Blue Boy," has arrived and the fifth grade has it since they had the largest number of representatives at the last meeting. It will be on exhibit Tuesday evening. The Girl Scouts plan to have charge of the nursery at this program.

T. C. STEAK FRY

Several members of the club met on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Hams for a steak fry on their outdoor grill. Steak, fried potatoes, sandwiches, marshmallows, cake and coffee, chili sauce and pickles were served. Present were Messrs. and Mmes. John McAllister, Bud Lawing, Rex Phillips, Frank Davis, Carl Hanson, the hosts, and Geo. Evans.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID

Mrs. B. F. Knoll was hostess yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James A. Hedges to members and guests of the ladies aid. The president, Mrs. J. E. Wimberly, presided and led the devotionals. During the business session, plans were made for serving the American Legion Auxiliary which will hold a convention here the latter part of October.

During the social hour, refreshments of pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream and nuts, marshmallows and tea were served to Mmes. Willis Pardee, Price Curd, Robt. Cumpsten, L. W. Garner, Sam McKinstry, Robt. Conner, A. A. MacKintosh, W. A. Losey, H. J. Cumpsten, B. W. Curry, J. E. Wimberly, Cass G. Mason, D. A.

Lake Arthur Items

Miss Joyce Alexander, Reporter

J. U. Meador has enlarged his place of business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dohner visited in Buffalo valley Monday afternoon.

The high school softball team defeated the Hagerman team last Thursday 9-4.

Mrs. Kenney Cannon has been sick and under the doctor's care the past week.

Clyde Nihart and son John and Earl Slade spent the week-end in the mountains.

Mrs. Ed McWenig and son Fred returned to their home in Las Vegas last Saturday.

L. V. Johnson is home from Albuquerque where he has been in the Veteran's hospital.

Roland Frazier and wife are moving to the Cannon place where he can be near his work.

Mrs. Herbert Newton and baby from Dayton were visiting in Lake Arthur Sunday afternoon.

Johnnie Buck suffered with a broken hand last week when a wrench fell from a well drill.

Mrs. Mary H. Moots has been confined to her bed for several days and is reported some better.

The Rev. and Mrs. Garrett from Roswell were down Friday night to attend the program at the Baptist church.

The home economics class got third place on their bread and butter pickles at the state fair in Roswell.

Douglas Downs has returned home from the Santa Fe hospital at Clovis where he has been seriously ill.

The Lake Arthur school gave the last of a series of broadcasts for the fair last Saturday afternoon from 4:30 to 4:45.

Mr. and Mrs. Vertis Crutchfield are the proud parents of a baby boy, born last Saturday morning, named John Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ingle to Santa Fe on a pleasure trip for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Williams are the proud parents of an eight pound baby boy, named Jerry Lee, born last Friday morning.

The first assembly of the school year was held in the auditorium last Thursday at 2 o'clock, which was enjoyed by several visitors.

Mrs. Elgin Douthitt from their ranch east of Roswell is spending a few days in Lake Arthur at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. R. Spence.

The Rev. Sterling, Baptist state missionary, held services at the Baptist church last Friday night and Lee Frazier helped with the program.

The Extension club met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Jones last Thursday afternoon. Those present were: Mmes. Eva Crook, Dora Russell, J. E. Gromo, Bill Walden, Ollie Smith, and John Griffith. The refreshments of cake and koolade were served.

Messenger Want Ads Get Results

Marrs, the hostess, Mrs. Hedges, and Mrs. A. C. Harter of Los Angeles, California.

D. D. CLUB PARTIES

Last week, Misses Gene Seeley and Jessie George were hostesses at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hearn to a delicious ham dinner. Regular members were present. Dub Andrus won high score.

Last night Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Welborn were hosts. Lovely fragrant roses and brilliant dahlias were used for decorations. Only members played after a delicious dinner was served. Dub Andrus won high score for the fourth consecutive time. This makes him high for the season. At the end of the year, the winner of the high scores wins a plaque with the names of members inscribed.

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Detroit Takes The 6th Game Monday To Win The Series

The Detroit Tigers won the sixth and deciding game of the World Baseball Series at Detroit Monday in the ninth inning after the score had been tied three to three by the contending Chicago Cubs of the National League. This was the first pennant ever won by the Detroit club.

Monday's game, which was won by Detroit 4 to 3, gave the Tigers the necessary four games. The series was close from start to finish. The victorious team usually won by a lone tally and often the score was tied.

The score by innings on each game is as follows:

First game—	R H E
Detroit	000 000 000—0 5 3
Chicago	200 000 001—3 6 0
Second game—	R H E
Detroit	400 300 10x—8 9 2
Chicago	000 010 200—3 6 1
Third game—	R H E
Detroit	000 001 400 01—6 7 0
Chicago	020 010 020 00—5 10 3

In The WEEK'S NEWS

CURRENT EVENTS PHOTOGRAPHED FOR THE MESSENGER



WIN COLLEGE EDUCATIONS—Four young men were each awarded \$5,000 university scholarships at the convention which closed this year's Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild competition. Photo shows (left to right) one senior winner, Ralph H. Munson, 20, of St. Paul, Minn., W. A. Fisher, president of the Guild and vice-president of General Motors, and R. H. Grant, vice-president of General Motors.



CONGRESS ADJOURNS—Speaker of the House Joseph W. Byrns (left) and Senator Joseph T. Robinson gratefully scan the resolution of adjournment passed by both houses of Congress.



PRESIDENTIAL INTERPRETER—George Greel, who 20 years ago was official spokesman for President Wilson, has just stepped into the Washington limelight with an authoritative statement of President Roosevelt's policies and plans for the future. Publication of his statement in Collier's is regarded as clearing the political atmosphere for the fall elections.



A \$1450 FISH—Striped bass caught by Young Corbett, former boxing champ, won a \$1450 prize in the California bass derby in which there were 10,000 contestants.

FRINGE TRIMMING—Jade green chiffon with fringe trimming was chosen by Virginia Bruce to be worn in "Dangerous Corner." A cowled neck is suggested by the deep matching fringe treatment.



ITALIAN CONSULATE PICKETED—Carrying banners protesting Italy's invasion of Ethiopia, marchers parade before the Italian Consulate headquarters in New York City which is guarded by policemen.



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Eddy County Singing Convention Convenes At Rocky Arroyo Sun.
The Eddy county singing convention will convene at the Rocky Arroyo school house Sunday morning for an all-day singing. Two ladies' quartets will be present to render special numbers, according to A. D. Hill, Sr. The quartets are: The Huff Sisters of Lovington, and the Meadow Sisters of Portales. In addition to county singers, visitors are expected from Roosevelt, Lea, Chaves counties. All lovers of good music given a cordial invitation to attend and bring your lunch for basket dinner to be served at 12:30.

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