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Cupid On Rampage

After getting off to a slow start in 1936, the marriage business went on the boom this week with six weddings reported in and around this community. Cupid, after almost two months of slow hunting, threw down his bow and arrow, grabbed up a double barreled shotgun and went to work.

Net result: Mr. Ready Farley and Miss Nell Collett; Mr. Wilber L. McKnight and Pauline Kimble; Mr. Ernest Strange and Miss Ollie Rowell; Mr. Kemp Thompson and Miss Billie Lou Lowrey; Mr. Durward Brown and Miss Geraldine Schott; Mr. W. E. Helms and Miss Annetta Johnson.

SILVERTON MASONS ATTEND LOCKNEY MEETING

Tuesday night a delegation of Silverton Masons met with Masons from over District 96 at Lockney. The purpose of the meeting was to organize a Certificate Men's Association in this district.

The following Silverton Masons made the trip: W. Coffee Jr., Joe Alexander, J. B. Bechtol, Archie Castleberry and Finley White.

Lockney Lodge served refreshments. Those boys know what it takes to draw a crowd.

K. A. Osburn has been appointed supervisor of district number seven of Texas Old Age Assistance Commission. He has lived in Floydada for nine years and was in the produce business. Orville S. Carpenter, executive director, appointed Osburn recently. District headquarters are at Plainview.

A total of 108 calves, 258 pigs, 201 lambs will be entered in the Plains Quality Meat Show at Lubbock March 30 to April 1, according to information from vocational teachers and county agents of the Plains territory.

Approximately 500 entries in the canned meats division and the cured meats division are expected.

The livestock will be sold at an auction sale April 1 with Col. Earl Gartin of Greenburg, Indiana, the auctioneer.

Of this total County Agent F. R. White expects to enter 4 hams and 400 bacon.

METHODIST CHURCH

A. A. Peacock, pastor.

Sunday "Service" is Best Preparation for Monday "Serving."

The church is truly a "service station."

Offering new Glimpses of truth. Offering new lines of thought. Affording quiet relaxation.

Quickening the Jaded human spirit. COME—"FIND REST" was the invitation of the founder.

Try the Methodist Church Sunday Church School—10:00 a. m. Preaching—11:09 a. m. Y. P.—7:00 p. m. Preaching—7:45 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Weekly Program

SUNDAY
10:00 a. m.—Bible Study.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching.
11:45 a. m.—Communion.
7:30 p. m.—Preaching.

MONDAY
2:30 p. m.—Ladies Bible Class.

WEDNESDAY
7:30 p. m.—Bible Study.

"Know ye not, that to whom ye sold yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey?"

Romans 6:16. In this passage of scripture Paul has set forth a general principle which man has almost completely ignored. Even religious bodies have turned their backs upon the teaching of the apostle Paul and instead of serving God they have turned to serving the doctrines and commandments of men; therefore Paul states that they are the servants of men. It should be the whole hearted desire of every confessed believer in Christ to serve Christ rather than man. A true servant of Christ has no creed but Christ; no rule of faith and practice but the Bible; no desire to be in any church but the one that he can read in the Bible. If I must have something other than the Bible that is of enough I do not fully believe in Paul told Timothy. 2 Timothy 3:17. "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works."

You are invited to attend any or all services of the church of Christ.

WORK ON STREETS

Men have been at work in several places in Silverton this week repairing sidewalks, and crossings. New crossings have been made on Main Street east and north from Kirk's Cafe. The force for the state highway hauled dirt and leveled off a bad crossing by the Magnolia Service Station Tuesday.

County Meeting Discusses Home

A large crowd of enthusiastic women, at the invitation of the Silverton Floral Club, gathered in the District court room Saturday afternoon to organize a County Home Demonstration Club, and to discuss ways and means of promoting the work in every part of the county.

A number of neighboring communities, including Quitaque were represented by their progressive women who are tax paying citizens and who are keenly aware of the advantages of Home Demonstration work and are hopeful of securing the help of a competent agent in the near future.

Mrs. Miner Crawford, chairman of the committee to start the Demonstration work, and Mrs. Jno. Burson, long-interested in better homes and in better methods of home-making, opened the meeting with splendid short talks setting forth the purpose of the club and the aspiration of the Floral Club to share with all women of this county the helpful projects planned by its members.

Mrs. Finley White was elected temporary chairman and made an appreciated talk on the benefits to be derived from scientific Home Demonstration.

Mrs. Joe Smith was elected chairman of the Silverton branch of the new organization, and Mrs. R. M. Hill, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Clyde Wright was appointed publicity chairman.

Mrs. T. L. Anderson, president of the Floral club, Mrs. Carl Crowe, former chairman of the Briscoe County Council, Mrs. Bert Northcutt who conducted Demonstration classes in New Mexico and also in Silverton, and others made speeches or offered suggestions for helping the many branches of the new county club.

It was the unanimous sentiment of the mass of women present that we secure the services of an expert county agent for Home Demonstration as soon as possible, that Briscoe may be as progressive in her home economics and gardening, in her methods of producing, of safe-guarding, of preserving and marketing foods and other articles, as other counties of the state which have Home Demonstrators.

Our women have seen in such counties an educated efficiency replace haphazard inefficiency and waste, and a thrifty prosperity replace uncomfortable financial straits. And they want the training that their neighbors are having in proper management and husbandry and in latest methods for home making and health-giving. They believe that their families are as deserving of good care as are the families of their neighboring counties who are enjoying the benefits and profits that the county Home agents bring to the guardians of the home.

On Saturday of next week, March 7, there will be another meeting at 2:30 p. m. in the District court room, to perfect the plans started last Saturday. Every community should be represented and every woman is invited to be present.

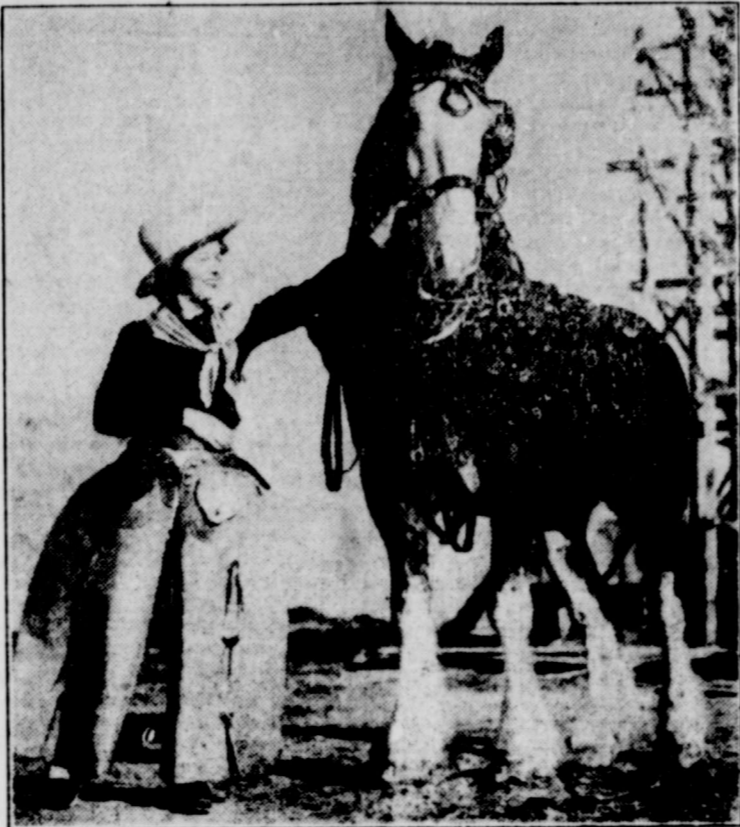
How Horses and Cattle Rise.

If you live on a farm or are at all observing, you know horses and cattle get up from the ground differently. A horse rises on its front feet first, while a cow rises first on its hind ones.

An Englishman, Charles Ray, has a theory to explain this. He says the difference is due to the different surroundings in which the animals were reared. Living for millions of years on plains where tall grass obstructed its view when it was lying down, the horse developed the habit of rising head first so it could immediately see over the grass and detect any approaching danger.

Mr. Ray believes the same motive prompted the cow and its forbears to get up, hind feet first. He says the cow, descended from the deer family, has always lived in the forests and could see a greater distance with its head near the ground where there were not so many tree branches to obstruct its vision. Therefore in rising it learned to leave its head near the ground until the last possible moment.

One Ton of Prize Horseflesh



The first exhibit to reach the Texas Centennial Exposition lot at Dallas were the six international champion Clydesdale draft horses of Thomas E. Wilson, Chicago packer. Above, Ranagerette Frances Nalle is shown with King, largest of the six, weighing more than 2,400 pounds. The horses now are on a 10,000 mile tour of the Southwest.

Good Crowd; But Selling Slow

The Community Sale Tuesday drew a good crowd and a good lot of stuff was listed for sale. That almost forgotten object, formerly quite common, but now almost extinct, the dollar, was conspicuous by its absence. Bidders seemingly wished to buy but were hampered in bidding by the thickness, or rather the thinness, of their bill fold. Horses, farm machinery, and used cars made up the greater part of the sale and a sale that should have netted the sellers around \$1500, brought slightly less than \$600. It is not known whether another sale will be booked again soon, but the chances are that none will be planned before the middle of the summer. The auctioneers worked hard, loud, and long but the money wasn't there, and after all—money talks.

CONTINENTAL AGAIN PROVES ITS FAITH IN NEWSPAPER ADS

During 1936 Continental Oil Company will spend nearly 75 per cent of its total consumer advertising appropriation for newspaper space. It was announced by Wesley I. Nunn, advertising manager.

Nunn also stated that the News has been selected to carry Conoco advertising this year, and that his company has again approved one of the largest sales promotion budgets in its history.

"Continental's faith in the dividend earning power of newspaper advertising is founded upon sales increases directly traceable to this medium," said Nunn. "Last year, for example, there was a marked improvement in Company earnings, despite excessive gasoline taxes and other adverse factors. Sales of Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil also reached an all-time high.

"Business is definitely on the upgrade. And we are confident that aggressive newspaper advertising, quality products and a high standard of service will make this the most outstanding year in our history."

JUNIOR PLAY SELECTED

The Junior class of 1936 held a meeting Wednesday the 19th for the purpose of selecting the Junior play of this year. The play selected was "College Hero." This play is supposed to be one of the best plays of the year.

Watch your paper for further notice.

LIBRARY NEWS

Join a "42" Chair Party and help collect dimes to buy new books for your Public Library. If you have a good book or books you have read and want to donate, bring them to the library, in the southeast room, on the second floor of the court house any Saturday afternoon between two and five o'clock.

Silvertown Lad Claimed by Death

The shadow of sorrow fell like a pall upon this community and extended throughout the county on last Thursday night and Friday as word passed from mouth to mouth that Bob Douglas had succumbed after only a few days illness in the hospital at Turkey. Friends of Bob and of the family were stunned and grieved at the sudden passing of this promising young life. Son of one of Briscoe County's most prominent families, and popular in his own right with men, women and children, the princely young son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Douglas had an unusually large host of friends who loved him and who mourn his death. All who knew him expected the finest, best things for Bob's future. His had been a model home where high ideals and noble conduct were held before him as the true meaning of success. He had already pledged himself to striving for the goals of Christian perfection taught him by an upright devoted father and a mother who makes motherhood her hobby and high privilege. His religious life was often spoken of by others as a sincere and vital element in the boy's make-up.

Bob was stricken by pneumonia and was ill only a few days. He was taken to the hospital at Turkey, Texas, where every possible attention was given him. Medical science and the care of loving parents and friends failed, however, and he passed away Friday morning at the age of thirteen years and a few months.

He was converted and joined the Methodist church about three years ago and has taken an active part in family worship and church work ever since. It would be impossible to enumerate the many expressions of the loveliness of this boy's character. Expressions from his classmates, his teachers, and everyone with whom he came in contact, show that his death will leave a void that will not be filled. The older folks loved him for his unusual foresight for a lad so young. He could talk in an understanding manner about business problems that would have done credit to men far more advanced in years. His school mates, loved him for his unflinching friendship and devotion to right principles.

Let's clean up our trash and keep it cleaned up—let's show that Silverton knows what is going on in Texas this year.

Clean-up Week In Silverton

In keeping with Governor Allred's clean-up proclamation for the state, Silverton city officials have designated the week of March 9, as Clean Up Week for Silverton. Their notice to the public will be found on an inside page, along with a "clean-up, paint-up" ad for the state, and the advertisements of several co-operating Silverton merchants.

Citizens of Silverton are asked to pile their tin cans, rubbish, etc. on the back of their lots, where it will be picked up by city trucks. The clean-up campaign this year is a little earlier than usual, due to action over Texas in connection with the Centennial.

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WATCH YOUR HEALTH

"Keep your body in good condition," advised Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. While colds, influenza, and pneumonia are different conditions, all three may be brought on or made worse by lowered bodily resistance, and all three may often be prevented in the same ways.

When these communicable diseases are prevalent, avoid crowds as much as possible and plan your work and recreation so that you will not over-tax your strength and get tired out. Be sure that the room where you are is always well ventilated. Drink plenty of water and don't let your system get clogged up.

Sufficient rest, cleanliness of hands, mouth and teeth, fresh air while at work and at sleep, regulation of meals and bodily functions, wholesome food and freedom from anxiety will increase bodily resistance and avoid contracting the disease.

One attack of cold or influenza does not as a rule confer immunity. Individuals have been known to have several attacks during an epidemic. Segregation of the patient is desirable to avoid giving the disease to others.

If you develop symptoms of cold or influenza, consult your physician early and follow his instructions.

Services at The First Baptist Church

March 1st
We had a good attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. Be on time next Sunday and bring someone with you and stay for the preaching hour. An out of town minister will preach for us.

Agricultural Briefs

By County Agent

We've looked and looked for that new farm program that is to take the place of the defunct AAA. Finally we are about to be rewarded for looking so long and so hard. The Senate and House Agricultural committees have finally agreed upon a farm program which they believe will take the place of the AAA and still be constitutional. The details of this new plan and the rulings and regulations on it are not available at this time, but they will be forth coming soon.

Crop Prospects.

Also we have just gone thru a 6 weeks freeze we still aren't hurt. That wheat that we have been thinking was frozen has come to life during the past 3 days of sunshine and it now looks as tho its going to be hard to stop. Wheat has a good root system established and has sufficient moisture to hold it for some time yet.

Signs of Spring.

In all sections of the county there are a few tell tales of the approach of spring. Some farmers are beginning to list their land while others are cleaning out the fence corners and putting on sharp plow points and new everters. None of these operations take place in this country till plowing time arrives so we're convinced that its plowing time now. The ground is moist enough to turn out a first class job of listing this time.

Terracing and Contouring

Also we have been swamped with requests for terrace and contour lines which we have been unable to fill. There are lots of farmers who are running their own lines. 1936 will see many acres of Briscoe County farm land terraced and contoured. We are beginning to wake up to the fact that in this country where rain is so precious we had better save all we can get. Terracing and contouring is a proven method of conserving moisture. Have you tried it?

The protracted bad weather has put us way behind with our terracing work, but every day that it is possible to do any field work we are on the job. We have our spare machine now and if you want some lines run you might be able to borrow the machine.

Hard Luck

Due to the fact that someone in Washington forgot to dot an i or cross a t, or something like that, our cotton tag checks are being delayed again. It is rumored that the order calling for the 296 million dollars to be paid out on the old 1935 set up was not worded exactly right and this would cause about 10 days delay. Well fortunately for us that 10 days is about over now.

Poultry Practices

Did you know that some hens were just like some people? They are. Some of them are boarders and not worth keeping. Now is a good time to cull the flock and send those boarders to town. Hens are a good price now and if they weren't it would be profitable to you to get your boarders out of the flock so you could cut down on the feed bill. Remember too that the lice on the chickens are not paying their board. Get rid of them by painting the roosts with Black leaf 40. It works.

Gardening.

Water is a big item in making a garden in this western country. Water consumption can be cut in half by the use of tile in the garden. Now is the time to get that garden spot in shape. When the time comes to plant it will be too late to do much about sub-irrigation. Come in and let's talk over the possibilities of sub-irrigating the garden.

Out of Town Friends and Relatives That Attended The Funeral of Bob Douglas

Out of town friends and relatives that attended the funeral of Bob Douglas here Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finley and son of Tohoka, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Finley, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Terrell and family, and the following from Quitaque: Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rice, Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Ezzell, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewing, C. T. Badgett, and L. E. Graham.

NOTICE

The Palace Theatre Matinee will begin Saturdays at 1:00 p. m. in order that you may attend the Trade Day Meeting at 4:00 p. m.

80 acres of land for lease, 20 acres wheat on place, or will lease and keep wheat. See J. S. Fisher. adv.

OATS, and all kinds of Rainbow feeds on hand at the FOGGERSON GRAIN CO. Also coal, salt and cottonseed meal. adv.

Clean Up - - Paint Up

Is the Theme of the Ad this week by Silverton Merchants and City

On an Inside Page.. Read It

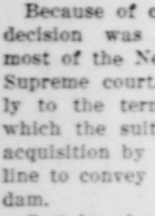
To His Immediate Family
I can not say, I will not say
That he is dead—he is just away.
With a cheery smile and a wave of his hand
He has wandered into an unknown land,
And left us dreaming how very fair
It needs must be
Since he lingers there.
And you, oh you who wildly yearn
For the old time step and the glad return;
Think of him faring on as dear
In the love of there as the love of here.
Think of him still as the same I say
He is not dead—he is just away.
—His Pastor and Friend.

CURRENT EVENTS IN REVIEW

By Edward W. Pickard

TVA Held Valid on All Points at Issue

SCORE one for the New Deal; and a big one. The Supreme court in its long awaited decision ruled that the Tennessee Valley Authority act is valid on all points at issue in the suit brought by the stockholders of the Alabama Power company.



Chief Justice Hughes

Because of circumscribed limits the decision was much narrower than most of the New Deal findings of the Supreme court. It was limited strictly to the terms of the contract on which the suit was brought, namely, acquisition by TVA of a transmission line to convey power from the Wilson dam.

Certain phases are still open for possible legal contest in the future, and only Wilson dam, not Norris dam or any other dam constructed or projected on the Tennessee river was involved in the court's finding.

The legal right of the federal government to acquire and own transmission lines to a market for surplus energy—never before directly passed upon by the United States Supreme court—was ruled upon in the affirmative. Unanswered is the question of what constitutes surplus power.

Among the chief points in the majority opinion were these: The government had full authority to build Wilson dam—keystone of TVA.

Congress has undisputed power to order disposal of electricity developed at the dam.

The government acted legally in building or obtaining through purchase from private companies certain transmission lines to transport power to a wider market.

The government has the same right to dispose of surplus power as it would have to dispose of copper, gold, and minerals on public lands.

Justice McReynolds in answer to this said: "If under the thin mask of disposing of property the United States can enter the business of generating, transmitting and selling power, as when and wherever, some board may specify, with the definite design to accomplish ends wholly beyond the sphere marked out for them by the Constitution, an easy way has been found for breaking down the limitations heretofore supposed to guarantee protection against aggression."

Chairman Frank R. McNinch of the federal power commission said the TVA decision "settles all questions of constitutionality of such federal projects as Grand Coulee, Bonneville and Fort Peck."

Military Revolt in Paraguay Succeeds

REVOLUTIONARIES, mostly military and led by Colonels Smith and Recalde, veterans of the Chaco war, took possession of the government of Paraguay after some fighting in the streets of Asuncion, the capital. The government forces surrendered to the rebels and President Ayala took refuge on a gunboat. It was believed a new government would be formed with Col. Rafael Franco as its head. He is now an exile in Buenos Aires.

Italians Win Big Battle With the Ethiopians

DELAYED dispatches from the Italian headquarters in northern Ethiopia tell of a six-day battle, the fiercest and most important of the war so far, in which the forces of General Badoglio, about 70,000 in number, defeated and routed 80,000 Ethiopians, including 10,000 of the emperor's guard under Ras Mulugheta, war minister, and 70,000 warriors under Ras Kassa and Ras Seyoum. The Italians were left in full possession of the fertile and strategic Enderto region and in control of the passes in the Tembien region.

After six days of encircling operations, during which torrential rains bogged the field of battle and heavy clouds enabled the Ethiopians to make invisible movements, the March 23 division of blackshirts planted the Italian flag on the mist-veiled high summit of Aradam, completing that particular operation. They then had a clear path to Amba Alagia, 18 miles further south, and it was presumed that the taking of that mountain would mark the cessation of activities because of the coming March rains.

It was estimated that in this battle more than 6,000 Ethiopians had been killed and many times that number

wounded. The Italian casualties were not announced but they undoubtedly were not light. Only white Italians participated in the fighting.

Substitute Farm Bill Passed by Senate

TEN days of hot debate in the senate culminated in the passage of the administration's substitute farm bill by a vote of 56 to 20, and it was hurried over to the house with the prospect of quick approval by that body.

Attacked by Republicans as a subterfuge to get around the Supreme court AAA decision, and frankly conceded by Democrats to be a measure indirectly continuing control of farm production, the soil erosion bill would accomplish its objective as follows: The secretary of agriculture would be empowered to make benefit payments to farmers who voluntarily cooperate with the government's suggestions on retiring certain land from production to conserve its fertility. Payments would be determined on four factors:

- 1. Acreage of crop land.
2. Acreage of soil improving crops.
3. Changes in farming practices.
4. Percentage of normal farm production which equals that percentage of normal national production of farm commodities required for domestic consumption.

This arrangement would be limited to two years. It would be replaced by a system of 48 individual state AAA's to regulate production, with the federal government apportioning funds to the states.

Senator Black's Inquisition Creates Resentment

SENATOR HUGO L. BLACK of Alabama and his lobby investigation committee are creating a flood of resentment among American citizens that is likely to do vastly more harm than good to the New Deal. Quite without concealment Black is using the committee in a way that thousands of people do not like. He sent out a questionnaire to individuals and organizations known to be opposed to the New Deal, demanding information on their relations with all organizations and their corporation and other investments.

Many refused to answer the questions, and they are supported in this position by the American Liberty league, which has challenged the right of Black's committee to compel answer under oath to the queries. In effect, the league dares Black to file for contempt of the senate those who refuse to reply to the questionnaire.

Senator Black's only reply to date was that it was "a little difficult to believe that the league would attempt to intimidate or coerce its own members to keep their mouths shut until the du Ponts say they can talk."

House Passes the Huge War Department Bill

THE War department bill, appropriating approximately 545 million dollars for "national defense," was passed by the house. For purely military purposes the sum of \$376,596,353 is allotted. The remainder, \$168,359,985, goes for rivers and harbors projects, generally classed as "pork."

An attempt to put back into the bill a \$20,000,000 appropriation for carrying on such projects as the Passamaquoddy tidal power experiment in Maine and the Florida ship canal was suppressed firmly. Not until congress has authorized these projects will more funds be provided them, the leaders ruled.

The military budget provided by the bill will be sufficient to maintain an average army of 147,000 men during the coming year. By 1939, according to the War department, the maximum of 165,000 permitted by congress should be reached.

The most important amendment added to the bill was one providing for the employment each year of 1,000 reserve officers on active duty for a 12-month period, of whom 50 will be annually commissioned in the regular army.

Plan to Cash the Bonus Without New Taxes

ACTION on behalf of the senate finance committee, Senator Byrnes consulted the executive department and then introduced an amendment to the independent offices appropriation bill to provide \$1,746,000,000 to cash the veterans' bonus. He predicted that it would require no new taxes. The sum mentioned will be sufficient, Byrnes said, together with the 254 million dollars now in the adjusted service certificate fund, to pay in full every outstanding bonus certificate.

In addition to appropriating the cash, the Byrnes amendment would transfer 507 million dollars in bonds to the United States government life insurance fund to repay loans on bonus certificates.

Germany Warned to Keep Troops Off the Rhine

FRANCE believes Hitler is just waiting for a favorable opportunity to announce that Germany will re-arm the Rhineland, contrary to the terms of the treaty of Versailles, but she does not intend to be caught napping as she was when he sprung his announcement of compulsory military service for the whole German nation. So Premier Van Zeeland of Belgium was summoned to Paris and he and French Foreign Minister Pierre-Etienne Flandin issued a warning that the re-militarization of the Rhineland would bring immediate reprisals.

The exact nature of the reprisals agreed upon between Flandin and Van Zeeland was not revealed, but it is declared they have been worked out to the last detail and will be applied automatically and simultaneously by the two countries. It is believed in Paris that Great Britain has agreed to support action contemplated by France and Belgium, and that meanwhile Belgium will complete her system of border fortifications.

Four Moslem Nations United by Treaty

DISPATCHES from Istanbul say that four Moslem nations, Turkey, Iraq, Persia and Afghanistan, have concluded a treaty of friendship and nonaggression and that it will be signed soon either at Teheran or Baghdad.

It is considered of the greatest significance that these four independent Moslem countries have for the first time united on their own initiative and agreed to patch up minor differences which have embittered past relations and to seek friendly co-operation in the future.

Russia and Japan Agree to Investigate Clashes

ACCORDING to an official communique issued at Moscow, the Soviet and Japanese governments have agreed in principle to the appointment of a mixed commission to investigate clashes on the Soviet-Manchukuan border.

The offer of the Japanese government to enter into such an arrangement was communicated to the foreign office by Japanese Ambassador Tamekichi Ota. G. S. Stomonakoff, Russian vice commissar for foreign affairs, pointed out that the Soviet government frequently has made similar proposals in the past.

The Soviet government ordered its consulate at Mukden, Manchukuo, closed, but an official spokesman declined to connect the order with recent clashes between Japanese-Manchukuan and Outer Mongolian troops on the border.

Norway Wins Winter Olympic Games

PILING up a total of 146 points, the Norwegians won first place in the winter Olympic games at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany. Germany was second with 117 points, and the United States came fifth with 35 1/2.

Norway's speed skaters and ski jumpers were invincible. The only title won by Americans was in the two-man bobsled event captured by Ivan Brown and Alan Washbond of Keene Valley, N. Y.

Newton D. Baker Heads Special Bar Committee

PRESIDENT WILLIAM L. RANSOM of the American Bar association, with headquarters in Chicago, announced that Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war, has accepted the chairmanship of the association's special committee on co-operation between the press, radio and bar against publicity interfering with fair trial of judicial and quasi-judicial proceedings.

The creation of this special committee to define standards to be recommended to lawyers, newspapers and radio broadcasters in the matter of publicity as to court trials, said the announcement, is an outcome of the incidents arising in the course of the Bruno Hauptmann trial and various proceedings before governmental boards and bodies.

Pan-American Parley on Peace Proposed

LETTERS have been sent by President Roosevelt to the heads of the Latin-American governments inviting them to participate in a Pan-American conference, probably in Washington, the purpose of which will be to organize the peace machinery of the western hemisphere. Our State department says that the meeting will endeavor to provide means for adjusting international disputes by peaceful means. The conference may bring up the Monroe Doctrine for a new definition through multilateral endorsement.

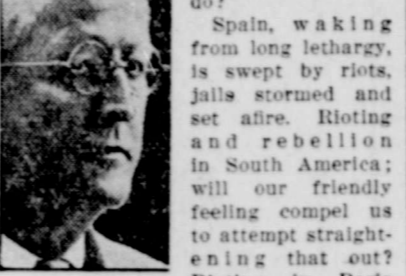
King Alexander's Slayers Are Sentenced

TRIAL of the assassins of King Alexander of Yugoslavia at Marseilles came to an end at Aix-en-Provence, France with verdicts of guilty for the six defendants. For three of the band of Croats, members of the secret Ustachi society, who were apprehended, mercy was recommended and they were given sentences of life imprisonment in French Guiana. The others, who never were caught, were sentenced to death. One of the latter is Dr. Ante Pavelich, reputed head of the Ustachi.

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

What a Troubled World? What Will TVA Do? Schwab Still Smiles Steam Turbine Planes

Will this troubled world ever calm down, supply work to those willing to work and live happily, and enable superior ability to show what it can do?



Arthur Brisbane

Spain, waking from long lethargy, is swept by riots, jails stormed and set afire. Rioting and rebellion in South America; will our friendly feeling compel us to attempt straightening that out? Rioting in Paris and sabotage on

Washington wonders what TVA will do with the Supreme court letting government enter the business of producing and selling power.

Some suggest putting power on every farm, regardless of distance or cost, as rural mail delivery is put on every farm.

If every home is entitled to government mail delivery, every farm should be entitled to government power delivery on the same basis. That would mean business for copper companies, more running water in cow barns, more irrigated garden patches, more electric light after sundown in chicken coops.

Charles M. Schwab, seventy-four, still specializes in optimism, like the man who went to the race track, lost every cent, but escaped death in the railroad wreck. Mr. Schwab says labor conditions are the best in 50 years. He should know; he began as a laborer and did not get \$5, or \$3, or \$2 a day. Industry he calls a "three-legged stool." Capital, labor, management are the three legs.

Put Charles M. Schwab back where he was 56 years ago, the same as then, in age and energy, and he would soon be at the head of a great industry. Who does not believe it does not know Schwab.

Russia, trying everything, experiments with a steam-propelled turbine plane for stratosphere flights. At such heights water boils at half the temperature necessary at sea level. The exhaust steam after heating the plane would be recovered 90 per cent. Two years ago William and George Bessler, in Los Angeles, built and flew a plane with a steam engine. There is still much to learn about flying.

Uncle Sam, convinced that he is his brother's keeper, after all, wants a peace agreement among all American republics.

Beautiful. But if any republic decides to fight, anyhow, it is to be hoped this country will not become an arbitrator.

We can no more decide the right and wrong of a row between Mussolini and England, or Chile and the Argentine, than we could between the two Kilkenny cats.

It is pleasing to learn from George Washington university of a new and "refreshing" preparation that makes possible childbirth, "during sound sleep" without pain.

More and better children, bigger population, is what the world needs, with gradual elimination of the hopelessly inferior race by absorption, or voluntary extermination.

Poor Halle Selassie of Ethiopia, waiting for the rainy season to expel the Italians, suddenly found his army of 80,000 driven hither and thither, and two other armies, under two of his ablest "rases," sent scattering into the jungle.

Seventy thousand Italians seizing a mountain fort that Ethiopia thought impregnable started the Mussolini kind of "rainy season" with bombs from the sky. This time Mussolini used his own white, Italian soldiers, not his native troops from Eritrea.

Russia and Japan seem to be approaching war. Recently Russia closed its consulate general at Mukden, in Japanese Manchukuo; no reason given. Japanese and Manchukuan air forces are reported prepared for instant action. Japan protests against Russia's huge army in Siberia. Something may happen.

Chancellor Hitler announces: "We have solved the problem of producing synthetic gasoline and rubber."

How good are the synthetic fuel and rubber; how cheap? These things will come, for science in the material world can do everything better than nature can do it.

Fuel will be created, and flying machines, too, as far above today's products as electric light is above whale oil, and the airplane above the ox-cart.

New Jersey high schools will give courses in "safe automobile driving," a good idea. All school boys should learn about automobiles and airplanes.

Drafting New Farm Measure

Fierce Gauntlet to Be Run in Senate and House; Aims of Substitute Law

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON.—This new substitute for the discarded AAA reminds me of a timid school boy who has gone so far astray as to get a terrific licking from the teacher, and is now tiptoeing his way about trying to be good. It is plain to see that the senate's agricultural committee, in drafting a substitute farm measure, has leaned backward to solve the farm problem without running the risk of another crack over the knuckles. Rarely has so much deference been paid to the high court as in the senate's initial attempt to bring in a bill that would stand the awful glare of the elder jurists.

At that, there is a widespread difference of opinion among the senate lawyers. Many of them think the substitute bill gives the secretary of agriculture too much of this dictatorial power which is just now a sore subject in Washington. Yet that is a detail. I think that the principle of the new measure is accepted by enough senators to insure its passage unless something unforeseen occurs. I do not mean to say that the passage will be easy. If I'm a judge, this substitute farm measure will run a fierce gauntlet; and by the time it emerges from the house, its own father may not know it.

The general opinion after the court buried AAA was that the judges left the government with no national method of dealing with a national problem. But hope springs eternal in the optimistic breasts of the senate's farmers; and the agricultural committee will not admit it is licked. There is a way, says the committee, to deal with agriculture nationally, and at the same time live within the rules of the court and Constitution.

The senate leaps at the idea that the government can spend money for the general welfare. If no contract to comply with certain conditions is required by the government. That was the bone of contention in the AAA case in the court. . . . now the pending farm bill walks all around that idea of a contract between a farmer and the government as though it were a case of smallpox. You never saw such careful legal stepping, and if eventually the Supreme court knocks down this measure, there will be a deflation of a large number of self-made constitutional lawyers in the senate.

Purposes of the Bill. No, the bill carefully states that the purposes involve the conservation of natural resources, the fertility of farm lands, the restoration of soil; and there are no taxes mentioned in the bill anywhere. The senate believes it to be a matter of common knowledge that the soil is wearing out in many places; that resources are being wasted, blown and dug away; and that a continuance of these destructive elements will cause increasing cost of production.

And, as if in answer to the Republican political cry that the New Deal farm program is based on scarcity, the framers of this bill declare that it "lays out a plan for an ordered program . . . to encourage sound soil conservation practices without . . . causing undue curtailment."

The federal money, though—how is that to be spent? That is the question affecting the pocket nerve, and here's the answer. The federal government will grant money to the states to assist them to carry out these conservation policies in their own borders. Just as the federal government granted aid to state colleges through the Morrill act; to the building of roads, flood prevention and relief, prevention of forest fires, and many other objects.

In a word, Uncle Sam says to your governor: "Start a soil conservation program in your state; get the landowners to withdraw some of their eroded land, build up some of their fields, plant soil binding crops, pay them for this operation; and I'll contribute enough to make it worth everybody's while."

This idea of federal money spent for the general welfare by filtering it in large lump through state institutions is not new. It is one of the oldest devices in our government. It has done more to build up the country and to reduce the idea of state rights to a mere oratorical phrase than anything else.

It is a grand looking bill at the moment of this writing, but no one can tell what will happen to it between now and the time it goes to the White House for the President's signature.

The debate section of this substitute is the section authorizing the secretary of agriculture to deal direct with farmers on this soil conservation program for the next two years. This seems necessary from an administrative standpoint, because it would be impossible to slip this new idea down among the 48 states and expect them to pick it up and fit it to their needs and local government overnight. In most instances the state legislatures will have to act. But I think the Supreme court has already ruled against direct dealing with farmers by any officer of the federal government.

However, I am at a loss to know how anyone can stop this interim administration of the new act, because it

would be at least two years before the Supreme court got around to it, and after that the federal government would be dealing with each state.

Meantime, it should be remembered that the Supreme court did not stop the payment of AAA checks on contracts already in existence. That money will be paid by an appropriation of this congress.

FESS' SPECIFICATIONS

Always able to state his case in words that anyone can understand, Simeon D. Fess, former senator from Ohio, has outlined the average Republican view of the sort of candidate the G. O. P. wants. Fess was chairman of the Republican National committee during a part of the Hoover administration, and is entitled to attention. He echoes the views of old line regular Republicans when he balks at Borah far too liberal for the party as now composed.

I am quoting some of Fess' requirements for a Republican candidate because they are to the point and also because, being so clear, they afford an enviable opportunity for exposure. . . .

"He must stand," says Fess, for private industry as against government competition in all industry" . . . (The Roosevelt policy gave business the greatest aid in all history, through the restored banks, the enlarged lending of the RFC and the insured bank deposits. No government competition with industry except in the Tennessee valley, where the government must own those tremendous natural resources and provide examples of low rates to pay dividends on watered stock).

"He must stand for sound money" . . . Roosevelt is standing for the against a horde of inflationists.

"He must permit a citizen to live his own life as against bureaucratic dictation from Washington" . . . (Brave words for a Fourth of July oration. Nobody's life is being dictated from Washington . . . and the various bureaus of government are merely carrying on the business of government. Who will carry on the business of government unless there are employees?)

"He must stand for a protective tariff . . . for the American farmer and in the interest of American labor" (A long series of Republican tariffs is what put the American farmer in the red. Since March 4, 1933, the farm income has increased nearly \$100,000,000).

"He must stand for the increased purchasing power through increased production, as against the increased cost of living through scarcity" . . . (This is the city Republican's appeal to a horde of one-sided voters who have an idea that cheapening the cost of living is prosperity.)

COST OF PAYING BONUS

The biggest new thing in Washington is the organization now being built to pay the bonus. A new army of clerks is being recruited. The new clerks will cost around \$6,000,000 a year. There will be printing, office furniture and other expenses which will cost another \$6,000,000 right off the bat.

I go into these business details because they offer a specific answer to some of the charges of "dictatorship" and "bureaucrat" which bog-calling politicians are using against Roosevelt these days. Let's look into the charge of dictatorship. A dictator—a ruler who has been given absolute authority over legislatures and courts, as well as the people. Our current examples are Stalin, Mussolini and Hitler. Can you imagine Stalin, Hitler or Mussolini accepting the payment of this bonus after warning the legislature against it and then vetoing it? While congress functions there can be no dictator.

I have before me a speech delivered in Baltimore by Jovett Shouse, Liberty league chief, whose ability to be serious over something that does not exist is the great Washington comedienne. Mr. Shouse charges that Roosevelt asked and congress gave him "dictatorial authority as great as any dictator could ask." What a farcical statement!

In the light of what the courts are doing in Baltimore to Roosevelt it is clearly shown that the balance of power is just where it was and where it ought to be.

NEED MORE CLERKS

Now let's take up the other middle headed cry, "bureaucrats." The bonus is a striking example. The bonus wanted the bonus paid. They wanted it so badly that they rushed it through congress and over a protesting White House.

Now who is going to do all the clerical work connected with the record of these thousands of veterans? Who is going to keep the books, write letters, take care of the accounts? The work cannot be done by ghosts—it has to be done by added clerks in the Veterans bureau.

Observatory in Mine

In a mine 1,400 feet underground a new seismology laboratory has been established near Benthon, Silesia. It will be conducted in connection with the Observatory of Upper Silesia, and is to be used to record earthquakes and for the study of all sorts of geographical phenomena relative to the movements of the earth's crust.

Railway Building

When the Uganda railroad was built in East Africa by the English from 20,000 to 30,000 coolies were brought over from India. Most of them, doing the land good, settled there and are today's leading tradesmen in East Africa.

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FLAME IN THE FOREST

By HAROLD TITUS

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SYNOPSIS

Kerry Young, a lad of seven, is prepared to flee the burning lumber camp of his benefactor, Jack Snow, who took the youngster to live with him at the death of Kerry's mother. Tod West has instructed Kerry to come with a file containing the camp's funds should it be endangered. Flames attack the office, and Kerry, hugging the precious file, and Tod race to town. Tod acts queerly. At the bank the file is found empty and Kerry is blamed with taking the wrong one. Snow, his headquarters and money gone, is ruined, and soon thereafter dies, leaving Kerry to the poor Commissioner. Kerry suspects Tod and swears to even the score. In a St. Paul office Kerry, now in manhood, and an expert woodsman, learns of the whereabouts of West. Kerry rescues a lovely girl from a scoundrel, who proves to be West. Tod threatens to pauperize the girl, Nan Downer.

CHAPTER III—Continued

"Smart," echoed Young, and looked down at her. Her face was averted and a flush stained her cheeks. "Whatever a girl says to a stranger who has helped her out of a situation that's at once uncomfortable and, perhaps, dangerous... whatever it is to be said, I should say to you." She was fighting desperately for self-control. "I... I'm very grateful. Is there more to be said?"

"That wasn't necessary," he replied. "Not even that. . . . It was quite a privilege to throw Tod West into the river." He reached out to take the line from Tip. "Good dog," he muttered. "Go ashore and shake."

"You know Tod West?" "A long time ago I thought I did. And for a good many years I've wondered how well anyone in that country knew him. But just on suspicion, it was good to upset him. I believe," he added, "that he ruined the best friend I shall ever have."

"So I'm not the first! After all that he's seemed to be with us, he has a past, has he? . . . And a future too, perhaps,"—bitterly. "I took it, from his parting shot, that he had some devilry afoot."

"Devilry!"—in an angered whisper. "Was it just because I happened along and took a hand that he's going to make you a pauper?" She shook her head. "No. That was settled before you came. It was after I wouldn't . . . wouldn't barter myself to save my property that he seemed to lose his head; that he became quite something else from what we've always thought him to be."

"The boat grated on sand and Kerry sat down, looking hard at her. "I have a particular and peculiar interest in this bird. A man doesn't change, you know; if he's a rascal today, he was yesterday; if he is today, he will be tomorrow."

"Do you mind telling a stranger what this West's game is? I don't want to pry, but—" "You're not prying. It is little enough for me to tell you. I'm in your debt, you know. . . . Yours and Tod West's!"

"She stretched one pac-clad foot so the warm sun could dry it better and appeared to ponder on where to begin. "It's better to give you the whole picture, I suppose. I'm Nan Downer. I came into this country four years ago with my father. Maybe you've heard of him? Cash Downer? No?" She sighed.

"Well, we bought on contract West's mill below here and the big tract of mixed timber to the north of the river. My father had a new idea in the utilization of forest resources. He had felt for a long time that the things we'd considered by-product of such properties were, perhaps, almost as big money makers as the timber itself, hauled rightly, I mean, recreational facilities."

"This is probably the best big tract of the northern hardwoods that is left. There's fish and game in abundance. My father laid a very careful plan to interest a group of wealthy men in buying locations up here for their hunting and fishing clubs. They were to own their various parcels but were to give up the privilege of selectively logging on their descriptions over a long period."

"But to show these prospects what would be left after we'd done this selective cutting necessitated considerable expense of an operation with higher costs, at the beginning, and a reduced income. In other words, our project was a slow starter and we didn't have sufficient capital to be very safe. "We kept the mill running, though, and our cutting in several types of stands and last year were just getting ready to show some prospects what we had to offer."

It. Then, one November night, my father was killed and the money he was bringing out to pay to Tod West was stolen."

"Murdered, you mean?" "Murdered," she said lowly and paused. "That, of course, put the undertaking in a bad way. Just now it's very difficult to refinance a timber operation of any sort; also it's hard to find men with money to spend on their expensive toys, which is what these camps will amount to, if and when the plan develops. Tod West seemed very sympathetic, though, and told me to take my time and that he wouldn't see me lose."

"But this summer he commenced to hint and then to ask and then to crowd. He has other timber. He has had to stop a big pulp operation here because of the market. He needs money. I am doing my best to interest prospects and get the cash together to pay him but so far I haven't had much luck. . . ."

"And then today he followed me up here and said . . . said that if I would marry him he would forget that—" She bit her lip and stopped. Young drew a hand slowly along one thigh. It was a gesture almost of satisfaction and he nodded slowly. "That checks with the guess I've had. . . . as to the sort of bird he really is."

"When you wouldn't agree to that?" "The girl gave a shuddering shrug. "You saw a part of it. He seemed to go insane and then I realized that all along, for months, perhaps for years, he's been . . . well, thinking things about me."

"Where were you, anyhow, that you saw?" "Up above. At the head of the rapid. I was just going to—" "But you didn't carry? Why?"—startled—"you mean you ran Dead Bear?"

"If that's what you call the rapid. I did." He laughed at the astonishment in her eyes. "You ran that water to help me, a stranger?"

His laughter rose higher. "I'd have sworn it to help anybody if I'd known Tod West was the party making trouble!"

"Then you must have known him far better than most people here do." "Quite a figure, is he?" She considered. "A . . . a king, in this country! He owns most of it. Most of the people in it are dependent on him, in one way or another. He isn't a man to take lightly."

"Then I sure am glad it was the Mad Woman I picked out this summer!" "The girl eyed him curiously. "You're just going through, then? Your objective wasn't near here?"

"I had no objective when I put in. Now, I have. . . . I've a question I want answered. When I've done that, then perhaps I can go on."

He rose. "You're shy an ear, aren't you?" he asked, glancing at the one in the boat's bottom. He turned to Tip, licking himself ashore. "Here, boy!" The dog leaped up attentively. Young picked up the one ear. "Gone, boy! Fetch the ear!" He waved a hand downstream and the dog, rigid, eyed him a moment. On the second command, however, he plunged into the stream, head high, searching the surface.

Kerry was conscious as he stood there watching Tip go about his errand that the girl's eyes were on him. He turned and perceived a look of admiration on her face. "There! He's found it!" Nan cried. Tip was straining back through the screen of low hanging alder branches, blade of the oar in his jaws.

"If you're going to stay on here," she said, "we'd be glad to put you up. We have accommodations for fishermen, you know. It's part of our job. That's why I'm here, now. Two of our prospects are fishing the beaver pond up the creek"—nodding toward a small tributary which debouched above them. "That is why I happened to be here."

"Nice of you. But I've my tent. Shingles and windows bother me." He drew his canoe close to the skiff as Tip approached. "The latch string will be out, though. I . . . Please believe that I'm truly thankful for all you've done."

Kerry remarked as he stepped into his canoe that the flush lingered in her face; also, that the high color became her superbly.

CHAPTER IV

He went on, then, pondering the vagaries of chance which had guided today's encounter, after all these years, under such particular circumstances.

So West was respected, was he? A king, the girl had said. But the sort who will press low advantage. And if he, Kerry Young, lingered a while in this vicinity, he might find a satisfactory answer to the question which had been with him since that day Jack Snow went to rest.

An hour later he made out buildings below. First was a log structure, low-eaved and wide-roofed with a screened porch and automobiles parked in its clearing. Not a club, not a logging camp. It must be Nan's establishment, he decided.

On below he discerned the screened stack of a mill and the song of the saw came harshly to his ears. A railroad trestle spanned the river, joining the small group of buildings around the mill to another, larger settlement, with many humble habitations, one pretentious house of peeled logs, a box-car depot and several stores.

He went still further down, landed in a clump of poplars and set about making camp. He worked adeptly and within an amazingly short time had his tent up, bed made, firewood chopped and was casting a fly deli-

cately for trout that began to rise as the sun touched the tops of swamp timber to the westward.

He shared his supper with Tip, washed his few dishes in the stream, scouring them bright with sand, drew on a jacket which matched his shirt and breeches of forester's green and lighting a straight-stemmed pipe, and for a time watched the afterglow fade.

"You watch camp, Tip," he said as he rose abruptly. "We'll go see . . . what we can see!"

He launched his canoe, paddled across and up the murmuring river and landed under the bank where yellow lights showed through the gathering darkness.

The white front of the town's largest store loomed above and he stood outside a brief interval, looking about. This was the heart of Tod West's domain, West's Landing by name. It was here that the man had established himself as a king, here, he perhaps, had laid the foundations for a kingdom on the money that he had taken from Jack Snow by ruthlessly clever theft. He drew a deep breath and entered the store.

The store was well filled. An Indian was buying grub and stuffing his purchases into a pack-sack; a bearded man was trying on shoes; before the small post office wicket two men and a little girl awaited the deliberate service of the beefy-faced man within. In the rear, a stud game was in progress.

Kerry's eyes picked out these details quickly and then fastened on the back of the one card player whose face, at least in part, was not revealed to him. The man was Tod West.

Several loungers watched the game and as Young leaned idly against the counter two of them left and came toward him. "Jim shouldn't be in there," one muttered.

"Hell, no!" his companion agreed. "You can bet your life if I had a kid."

"You Ran That Water to Help Me, a Stranger?" In the shape his is, I wouldn't be stackin' up what little I had against a lucky dog like Tod."

Their talk was broken, then, as both greeted another entrant. The taller man resumed: "Doc's out now, ain't he?"

The other nodded. "Over at Jim's. They sent for Jim but he put 'em off. Hell bent stayin' in the game. He's been losin', lately, 'nd seems to be havin' a run of luck again. Wants to get even, I expect."

Young lounged toward the rear and took up a position against the wall, behind and to one side of West's chair. Five were in the game. West was dealing and talked as he distributed the cards.

"An ace to you, a nine to you, a deuce for Jimmy, a jack for Sawyer and a nine to the dealer . . . which lets him out!" His voice was good-humored, tolerant, the sort of voice that wins the confidence of men. Always, that had been characteristic, Young thought. Back yonder through the years, men had liked the then young Tod West. Jack Snow had trusted him implicitly. . . . He folded his hand, now, and awaited the betting. One of the players chanced a dollar, his companion called, Jim raised five and the man, Sawyer, dropped out. The five was called by both the others but Jim won and gathered in the pot with significant eagerness.

"Good lad, Jimmy!" West rumbled. "You've been losin' lately; always like to see losers catch up!"

The deal went clear around. Young noticed that West played shrewdly, with a hard calculation beneath his easy talk. The stakes were not large, but he had the manner of a man who is playing for the winnings rather than for the enjoyment of the game.

The deal had come back to West. The hole cards were going out. "All heavy!" he chuckled. "All heavy cards in the hole, boys! Everybody's going to have luck this hand. . . . Luck of one kind or another!"

And he dealt himself from the bottom! A sharp, chilling thrill ran Young's body. He looked at the other watchers, at the players, studying the face of each. None had detected that move. "And here we come," West went on. "Here we come, lads! Coming out with a seven and next a ten-spot and a queen for Sawyer. . . . The cards flipped from his hand toward their appointed places, turning in the air to fall face upward and Kerry, watching closely, saw that he was "second" dealing. The top card of the deck never left its place. Back and forth it slid against the next, giving the illusion of being dealt, but it remained there, right on top!

Again Young studied those faces about the table. Sycophants, most of them; they were fixed grins as Tod West kept up his talk. Their interest was on what he said, not on what he did.

"What, Sawyer? A whole buck on the queen? Let's see, now. . . . Hum,"—peeking at his hole card. "Well, I've got just enough here to string along."

He came in for his dollar and again called the cards he turned and once more that top card kept sliding back and forth over its changing neighbors.

Three cards in each hand were face up, then. Again Sawyer bet his queen, tossing in a five-dollar bill from the little pile of money before him. "Now, I'll help build a pot for you, Tod!" said West. "Leave it to old Tod! There's a five-spot. But don't put too much faith in women. I'm tellin' you, don't trust 'em or bet too high on 'em!"

He chuckled but there was no mirth in the sound, Kerry thought. He judged that Sawyer had another queen in the hole; he was the aggressor and a bit too aggressive for a man with only the high card showing. No pair was in sight; the queen dominated the board. Before Tod West were exposed an innocuous four and five and nine-spot of three suits.

Jim Hinkle and another had dropped out. "So we spin 'em for the final heat," drawled West. "We drop a jack to you, neighbor, and Sawyer catcues himself a six and I . . . Take a look! I draw myself a large ball of fire!"

The top card had finally dropped. It was the ace of diamonds and Kerry straightened slowly. West's hole card had been dealt from the bottom; surely, it was another ace!

"Now, with this large ace showin', it puts the bet to me, I take it. . . . Hum. . . . Sawyer, you got a queen showin' 'nd you been proud of her. I wonder what else, if any, you've got. . . . But this old ace of mine . . . Now, it'd be a downright insult to bet less 'a ten dollars."

The tourist folded and Sawyer eyed Tod's hand. He was breathing just a bit rapidly, Kerry noted, and fingered his remaining bills in a manner which proved him ill at ease.

"But me, I got only eight bucks left, Tod," he said. "Then I'd be pretty sure I had something before I used 'em. Honest, Sawyer,—with a grin—"I'd stay out until I was sure I had 'em."

But that was no sincere advice. It was a goading, an invitation, a challenge. He knew his man. "All right! For the eight, then, call!"

Sawyer shoved in his money and turned his hole card. "Pair!" he said, showing the second queen, and leaned forward. "I warned you," chuckled West. "I told you to stay out. All along, I had him." He turned the ace of clubs. The man rubbed his chin.

"Well," he said, "guess I better. That cleans me out, as the feller said. It just ain't my night, I guess."

"So you're leavin' us flat, Sawyer?" put in West. "Four handed's not so good. Anybody else want to try his luck just to keep the game goin'?"

"It's too rich for my blood!" a youth giggled. "Anybody else? Last call!"

He looked up and around, grinning, and the grin changed, ran into a stiff sort of grimace as Kerry Young moved out from his position against the wall.

"If the game's open," he said, "I don't mind trying my luck now and again."

Eyes were on him, not on Tod; so the group missed one half the exchange of glances which followed. Emotion chased emotion across the older man's eyes: surprise, hatred, chagrin and a malevolent sort of inspiration; one after the other they flickered against those gray depths.

"Why, sure," Tod said but could not keep the grudging quality from his tone. Young moved, then, to the chair just vacated by Sawyer, seated himself and thrusting a hand inside his shirt, drew a packet of bills from his money belt.

A change had come over the place. The onlookers had ceased their idle talk; the two fishermen from Nan Downer's eyed Young appraisingly and Tod West, shoving the deck to the dealer, lighted a cigar with a hand which was not just steady.

A change came over the play, too. Of a sudden, it was more intent, a seasoning of savagery in the betting put there by West's sudden silence and the sharpness of his gestures.

Kerry played cautiously. His luck was not good. Through the first half dozen deals he stayed only once after the second card, Jim Hinkle, at his left, lost repeatedly and, losing, his tension increased.

In a new game, a strange game, a man with wit watches everything. So Young watched this game. His eyes never left Tod West's hand as the man dealt but despite the fact that he detected nothing to arouse suspicion there he passed tens, back to back, and let Jim Hinkle fight it out with West. Jim lost again and, thumping his bills, muttered savagely: "Back where I started tonight!"

Kerry stayed for the first time. He won and laughed. He had won with nines. The nine of spades, his hole card, had a bent corner. He remarked that.

HOW ARE YOU TODAY

DR. JAMES W. BARTON Talks About

Weight in Middle Age WHILE insurance companies would sooner have their middle-aged policyholders weigh a few pounds less than normal rather than a few pounds more, nevertheless if the individual has been of normal weight and has lost a number of pounds they like to see this weight regained.

For instance colds that "hang on," the after-results of the flu, the presence of infected teeth or tonsils for months or years, all have a "wearing" effect upon the body tissues, and also interfere with the appetite so that less food is wanted. Added to this is the fact that in this "run down" condition the individual has less desire to go out, or move about, which also lessens the need and the desire for food.

In order then to build or to fatten up these thin individuals, two things are necessary, first removing anything that may be interfering with the appetite and digestion, and, second, giving the kinds of food that will build tissue.

This means then a complete examination by the family physician and dentist so that infected teeth and tonsils may be removed, and slow acting liver and intestine stimulated into activity by very small doses of epsom salts daily for a few weeks, and the use of bending exercises with knees straight.

Fresh Air Aids Appetite. Encouraging the thin individual to get outdoors stimulates the appetite as the extra oxygen in the outdoor air burns up food completely, thus increasing the demand for more food. There is less "clogging" wastes left in the intestine for removal.

The building up diet means that more food than seems to be needed should be taken daily, and it should be "rich" food. The diet should include plenty of milk, eggs, fresh animal proteins, and cereals—vegetable proteins, as the principal work of the proteins is building tissue. The daily use of foods rich in minerals—lime, iron, phosphorus, and iodine, and also rich in vitamins is also very necessary for building up the body tissues.

The "rich" foods used for body building are butter, cream, fat meat, eggs, salad dressings, bacon, cereals, bread, sugar, cream soups, peas and beans, nuts, dried fruits—the exact foods that are "forbidden" to those wishing to reduce weight.

Of course any of the above foods—fat meats, pastries or rich sauces which may have a tendency to "disagree" with the thin individual must be avoided or used in very small quantities.

The best proteids are meat, milk, and eggs, but even eggs disagree with a considerable number and even milk with a few.

Fruit and vegetables are not only rich in the minerals and vitamins, but the roughage or fiber in them gently irritates the lining of the large intestine and stimulates the movement of wastes, preventing constipation.

Many thin individuals actually have small stomachs or the stomach may hang low due to lack of fat supporting the abdominal organs. This means that rich foods in small bulk would be best if they do not disagree.

Thus an extra square of butter at each meal, plenty of cream, bacon and salad dressings, with olive oil after each meal are simple but effective methods of getting 20 to 30 per cent more food calories eaten daily.

In institutions where body building or increased weight is a great part of the treatment—tuberculosis sanitariums—extra food is given between meals and at bed time. The best foods to use between meals are milk, eggs and milk—egg nogs, and fruit juices. Where egg nogs do not agree, beating up the egg, flavoring with vanilla and a little sugar, and using siphon soda instead of the milk, will make a drink that can usually be taken without difficulty.

Another big point in putting on weight is to have the food cooked and served in such an attractive manner that the "brain appetite"—eyes, nose—starts the digestive juices flowing.

Cutting Down on Salt SALT will hold 70 times its weight of water in the system and water is needed to keep the body processes in good working condition.

However there are times when too much water in the tissues is really a hindrance to the proper working of the body processes. For instance, in inflamed conditions of the mucous membranes of the nose and throat such as occurs in the ordinary head colds or in inflammation of the sinuses adjoining the nose it has been found that cutting down on the amount of salt eaten or avoiding salt in the food entirely lessens the inflammation.

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Do You Ever Wonder

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE? Ask Your Doctor and Find Out

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

THE person to ask whether the preparation you or your family are taking for the relief of headaches is SAFE, to use regularly is your family doctor. Ask him particularly about Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN.

He will tell you that before the discovery of Bayer Aspirin most "pain" remedies were advised against by physicians as bad for the stomach and, often, for the heart. Which is food for thought if you seek quick, safe relief.

Scientists rate Bayer Aspirin among the fastest methods yet discovered for the relief of headaches and the pains of rheumatism, neuritis and neuralgia. And the experience of millions of users has proved it safe for the average person to use regularly. In your own interest remember this.

You can get Genuine Bayer Aspirin at any drug store—simply by asking for it by its full name, BAYER ASPIRIN. Make it a point to do this—and see that you get what you want.

Bayer Aspirin

Life in Need of Love Life, like all else, needs to be lived; those who cannot love life are vanquished from the very start.—Roman.



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Just do what hospitals do, and the doctors insist on. Use a good liquid laxative, and aid Nature to restore clocklike regularity without strain or ill effect.

A liquid can always be taken in gradually reduced doses. Reduced dosage is the real secret of relief from constipation.

Ask a doctor about this. Ask your druggist how very popular Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has become. It gives the right kind of help, and right amount of help. Taking a little less each time, gives the bowels a chance to act of their own accord, until they are moving regularly and thoroughly without any help at all.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin contains senna and cascara—both natural laxatives that form no habit. The action is gentle, but sure. It will relieve any sluggishness or bilious condition due to constipation without upset.

But Always High The wages of sin are never agreed on beforehand.

Black-Draught Relief Prompt and Refreshing

It's a good idea that so many people have—to keep Black-Draught handy so they can take a dose for prompt relief at the first sign of constipation.

Mr. Sherman Sneed, of Evansville, Tenn, writes: "I take Black-Draught for constipation which causes headache, a bad, tired feeling and for biliousness, bad taste in the mouth and sluggish feeling. Black-Draught, taken about two nights, clears up this trouble and I get all right."

Men and women like Black-Draught so well because of the refreshing relief it brings in constipation troubles.

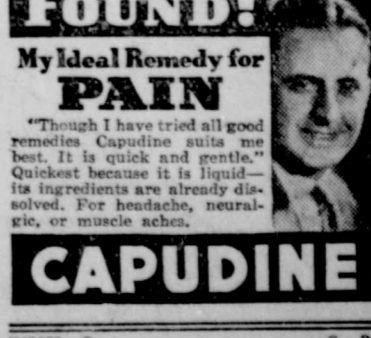
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Entered as second-class mail matter at the post office at Silverton, Texas in accordance with an act of Congress March 3, 1879.

"A penny for your thoughts"—what a tightwad.

Famous last words: "O. K. Mister, if you won't dim your lights, I won't either."

Governor Hoffman, in his action in the Hauptmann case, is either going to be a hero or else—The general idea seems to be, not to find the real kidnapers but to free Mr. Hauptmann.

In a little journey to White Flat Sunday we discovered the bottom of the Dust Bowl. And blew out a tire just at the very bottom.

If This Were Russia. A Moscow chauffeur, charged with driving while intoxicated and held responsible for killing a horse and injuring three persons, has been ordered shot.

Bring in your news.

Warnings, Now and Then Worthy of careful consideration is the fact that for many years it has been the custom of the Republican party to warn the country of disaster if the Democratic party should ever get a chance to put its platform into effect.

My sister at Dodge City, Kansas writes to find out if the following Texas yarn is true: "If all the wheat in Texas were made into one big biscuit and this biscuit dropped into the ocean, half of the water would splash out and the other half would taste like milk and honey."

The French embassy at Austin, site of the University Centennial exposition, is the only building ever constructed on American soil by a foreign government.

Registration of Texas voters in 1936, the Centennial year, is estimated at 1,250,000, highest in the history of the Lone Star State.

America's foremost cotton port is located at Houston, one of the Texas Centennial cities, which is 50 miles inland from the sea.

Alabama, Georgia, Minnesota, Tennessee and Texas have counties named for General Sam Houston, Lone Star State hero who will be honored during the 1936 Centennial celebrations.

President Roosevelt is looking forward with pleasure to his visit to Texas during the Centennial celebrations, according to reports made by Texans who have visited with the Chief Executive recently.

The Library is in the Dist. Clerk's office in the northeast corner of the 2nd floor of the courthouse. Visit it next Saturday from 2 to 5 p. m.

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COSTLY TO NEGLECT COWS ON PASTURE, WARNS ARENDS

If any man who milks cows were to stand out in front of his place day after day and throw away dollar bills, he would soon be seized and held for observation. Crazy as that sounds, it's no more unreasonable than the deliberate practice of throwing away costly cow flesh every year—as many a safe, intelligent cow owner persists in doing.

"There's nothing like fresh green grass," Arends says, "to stimulate milk flow. And there's nothing like grass to 'shoot the middle' out of good cows when nothing else is fed with it. The man who turns his cows out on pasture, no matter how good it is, to let them get what they can out of it, may think he's making cheap milk on grass alone. But he's not—he's making that milk with grass plus cow flesh—a most expensive way of doing the job."

"That's not just one man's opinion. It is the voice of time-tested experience, the proven record of long scientific research. To quote one of many statements from Henry and Morrison, America's leading publication on Feeds and Feeding:

"The proper feeding of milk cows on pasture is much simpler than during the winter," says Henry and Morrison, "and doubtless this is the reason that so many farmers, busy with their crops, fail to give their herd the necessary attention in summer. Often the cows are merely turned to pasture after milking at night and in the morning with no further thought as to the supply of feed actually available for them. It is then to wonder that when the pastures become scanty in mid-summer, the cows run down in flesh and fall off severely in yield of milk. Even if fed liberally when barn feeding starts in the fall, quite commonly they cannot then be brought back to their usual production."

Neglect is Costly

"From the time cows go on pasture they should be fed a supplementary ration," says Arends. "For grass, no matter how good it is, takes more from the cow than it puts back into her system. Its juicy green freshness and succulence at first stimulate the cow to pour out the milk in more than normal abundance. Since grass which is 80% water, cannot furnish all the milk-making materials for the extra heavy production it causes, the cow naturally is forced to draw on her own body to make up the deficiency. This continued withdrawal and lack of sufficient replacement material leads to the inevitable milk slump and falling off in body weight which comes later in the season—a condition which is hastened along faster by the natural decline in available pasture. When these things happen the man behind the cows discovers that the feed cost of rebuilding flesh and milk yield puts into way more money than he would have had to spend to keep the cows on a balanced, body-sustaining, supplementary ration right from the start. "A feed to be effective in holding up milk and body weight through spring and summer must obviously be reinforced in mineral to keep a cow from drawing on her body for calcium caused by heavy milking stimulated by green pasture. It must also be highly concentrated to insure a cow getting plenty of nutrients, even in small quantities, since cows do not take readily to grain with succulent pasture available. A third requirement for such a feed is the proper blend of its ingredients to counteract the laxative condition of pasture for better health and fitness of the cows. And it is equally essential that the cost of feeding should be reasonable."

There are 76 state parks in Texas to attract visitors to the state during the Centennial year.

ROCK CREEK NEWSLETTERS Mrs. R. N. McDaniel, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Shelton, Miss Ruby McDaniel, Oje McWaters and Tom Scarborough visited in the Reid home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield were in Plainview Friday to visit Mrs. Alvie Mayfield. They report her as slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons of the Frances community.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Shelton and Bob McDaniel were in Quitaque Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gravin were callers in the Milt Jasper home Sunday.

Mrs. Cross McDaniel is on the sick list this week.

Miss Mildred Chappell has returned to Littlefield to continue her work there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Guffee spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snodgrass of the Lone Star community.

Bro. Bert Wells of Lockney will preach next Sunday at the church of Christ. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nelson of Tulla spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson's baby is reported as quite ill.

News comes to us that Dave Graves is greatly improved. He is now able to sit in a wheel chair. We hope to see him back with us again soon.

WALLACE LOCALS Nettie Edwards

Elwood Taylor went to Lubbock last Wednesday to see his eye doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards was in Silverton Tuesday.

Nettie Edwards spent Friday night with Mary Frances King of South Plains.

Wanda Weast spent Thursday night with Jacquine Bomar at Silverton.

Miss Erma Joy Weaver spent the week end in Lubbock with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Weast was in Silverton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Edwards and little daughter Juanita visited in the

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home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Edwards last Friday.

Mrs. Matt Lyles and family visited Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Edwards.

Edward and Nettie Edwards visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughn of near Memphis, Texas Sunday.

Elwood Taylor returned from Lubbock Monday. He reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Edwards was in Silverton on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Spencer and daughter oZna Gale and Mrs. John Kitchen was in Lockney Saturday.

FRANCIS NEWS Mrs. J. Lee Francis

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Jasper and children visited in Crosbyton Sunday.

Mr. Abner Wimberly is at Tulla with his father who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Francis visited Mr. A. C. Wimberly in Tulla Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willis of Plainview visited in the W. E. Redin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel Jr. visited in the C. A. Simmons home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis of Lubbock and Mr. Hubert Davis of Ropes and Mr. and Mrs. Q. E. Brown were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bell and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fore of Lockney spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Redin Sunday.

Mr. C. A. Simmons and R. E. Bell visited Mr. A. C. Wimberly at Tulla Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Strange visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass Sun.

Little Peggy Wimberly is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer and Mrs. U. D. Brown went to Plainview Mon.

THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF BRISCOE)

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Briscoe County: Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Arch Wynn by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there is a news paper published therein, but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Silverton, on the 4th Monday in April, 1936, the same being the 27th day of April 1936, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of February, 1936, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No.

\$60, wherein Della Wynn is plaintiff and Arch Wynn is defendant, said petition alleging in substance; Plaintiff seeks judgement of Court dissolving the marriage relations existing between plaintiff and defendant, and alleging cruel treatment as grounds therefor; plaintiff alleges they were married on the 17th day of May, 1933, and separated on the 9th day of Oct. 1933.

Herein fail not but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness R. E. Douglas, Clerk, District Court Briscoe Co. Texas.

Given Under My Hand and official seal of office, in the city of Silverton, Briscoe, Texas, this the 6th day of February A. D. 1936.

R. E. Douglas, Clerk of the District Court, Briscoe County, Texas.

Issued February 6th, 1936.

R. E. Douglas, Clerk of the District Court, Briscoe County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS)

COUNTY OF BRISCOE)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, on the 4th day of February, 1936, by R. E. Douglas, Clerk of said Court for the sum of \$1636.55 and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Willson & Son Lumber Company of Quitaque, Texas in a certain cause in said Court, No. 853 and styled Willson & Son Lumber Company of Quitaque, Texas (A private Corporation) vs. J. F. Wakefield, placed in my hands for service, I N. R. Honea as Sheriff of Briscoe County, Texas, did, on the 4th day of February, 1936, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Briscoe County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being a tract of land lying and being situated in Briscoe County, Texas, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southwest Corner of Section No. 28, in Block No. 3, of said County;

Thence North 1750.9 feet to point in West line of said Section No. 28;

Thence South 89 Deg. 49' 10" East 4205 feet to point 1629.25 feet East and 20 feet South of the Southeast Corner of Block No. 1, of the J. L. Grundy Addition to the town of Quitaque, Texas, for the Southwest and beginning corner of this tract;

Thence East 272.25 feet for the Southeast Corner of this tract;

Thence North 160 feet for the Northeast corner of this tract;

Thence West 272.25 feet for the Northwest Corner of this tract;

Thence South 1600 feet to the place of beginning; and levied upon as the property of J. F. Wakefield and that on the first Tuesday in March, 1936, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Briscoe County, in the City of Silverton, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. F. Wakefield.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Briscoe County News, a newspaper published in Briscoe County.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of February, 1936.

N. R. HONEA Sheriff, Briscoe County, Texas.

Palace Theatre

R. C. A. SOUND EQUIPMENT

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28-29th HOOT GIBSON In - - -

"RAINBOW'S END"

Comedy and Serial

Saturday Matinee Starts at 1:00 P. M.

No Saturday Nite Frevue

SUNDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY—March 1, 2, 3rd

Claudette Colbert and Warner Baxter in - - -

"SHE MARRIED HER BOSS"

Comedy - - - - - Comedy

THURSDAY, MARCH 5th

CHARLIE CHAN In - - - -

"CHAN'S SECRET"

Comedy and Paramount News

COMPLETE PRODUCE SERVICE Our Produce offers you a complete service the year 'round. We do not solicit your cream alone, but offer you a ready market for your Poultry, Eggs, and Hides. Think this over—you need a complete outlet. Yours for Better Prices at Home. FARMERS PRODUCE COMPANY Earshel Garrison, Mgr.

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SOCIETY

FAYE ALLARD, Reporter

Billie Lou Lowrey is Bride
 Miss Lou Lowrey and Mr. Thompson were quietly married Saturday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. W. W. Martin performed the ceremony, with Roy Bomar as witness. Miss Thompson is a sister of Mrs. T. Northcutt. Kemp is the son of Mrs. S. B. Thompson of this city. She was a member of the 1932 graduating class of Silverton High school, and is employed in the Post-office here. Many friends extend their congratulations and best wishes for the young couple will make their home in Silverton.

Miss Geraldine Schott and Mr. Durwood Brown Married
 Miss Geraldine Schott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schott was married to Mr. Durwood Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown, February 16 in Clovis, New Mexico. Both are popular members of the younger set of Silverton and their many friends wish them much success and happiness in their married life. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will make their home in Silverton.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williamson and children, Taylor, Guinn and Lou Ann spent the week end in Haskell, Texas visiting Mr. Williamson's father, mother and other relatives.

Christian Endeavor
 The Vesper services held last Sunday evening were uplifting and helpful. Bruce Burleson was leader. The meeting next Sunday will be a Consecration service. Everyone invited to come at 6 p. m.
 Mr. O. S. Tomlinson from College Station, District Extension Agent for Silverton district, was here on business last week. Mr. Tomlinson was giving preliminary instructions for county agricultural planning. Under the new farm program it will be necessary for all counties and states to work together in planning a permanent profitable agriculture.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson and daughter Mary Francis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Williamson to Haskell, Texas where they visited Mrs. Wilson's relatives.
 Texas, celebrating its Centennial year of independence and progress this year, has the Bluebonnet as official state flower, the pecan as official state tree, and the Mockingbird as official state bird.

CARD OF THANKS
 Again words fail to express our appreciation to our friends for their many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our precious boy. We feel that so far as human sympathy and kind deeds can soothe so great a sorrow, you have left nothing undone, and out of a heart of love we humbly thank each of you. These lines best express our feelings:
 It has always been our lot to find At every turning of the road, The strong hand of a friend kind To help us onward with our load.
 And since we have no gold to give And Love alone must make amends Our constant prayer is while we live God make us worthy of our friends. May God bless and keep each of you.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Douglas, Gaynelle and Rex.
 Santa Helena canyon on the Rio Grande river in Brewster county, with walls which rise perpendicularly for 2,000 feet, will be a big Centennial year attraction.

Candidates:
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 The Briscoe County News

Missionary Meeting
 The Missionary Society met with A. R. Castleberry Monday evening, Feb. 24. The book "Toward a New America" was finished in its final form, given by Rev. Peacock. It was very interesting. All who failed to attend missed a lot. There were 100 present. We will meet with Mrs. Castleberry Monday afternoon at 2:30. All are invited to be present as we are planning for the "Cal Farley Circus", which will be in March.—Reporter.

Monday Afternoon
 Mrs. Jim Daniel was hostess to the members of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society. They were able to be present as usual were on the sick list and the total was disagreeably near zero. Only the few who came had a table and pleasant afternoon in the home of Mrs. Daniel. Mrs. Hubert Simmons presided during the business session when several matters of importance were acted upon. Sewing and quilting filled the remaining time. Refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. Hubert Simmons, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Bruce Burleson, Mrs. Thomas and her daughter Margaret Thomas, Mrs. Clyde Daniel and Mrs. Daniel.

Time Junior Study
 The March of Time Junior Study is becoming Centennial. Our roll call was answered with unusual information on the Centennial. The meeting we will present a program: Sinclair "Babbitt." Leader—Carolyn. Roll call—A Sinclair Lewis. The place of the Machine in Modern Life—Gwendolyn Babbitt as a Treatise on Modern Living—Mildred Tull. Babington for Happiness and Adventure—Wright.

LUBBOCK ANATOMY & CLINIC
 Dr. J. T. Krueger
 Dr. J. T. Hutchinson
 Dr. M. C. Overton
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 Dr. E. C. Maxwell
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30 YEARS OLD REMEDY
 I had constipation from stomach food taking Adlerika I son. Constipation is a "st."—Alice Burns.
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Get Ready Week!
 CLEAN-UP! PAINT-UP! PLANT FLOWERS AND LAWNS! GET RID OF UNSIGHTLY RUBBISH! BEAUTIFY YOUR PREMISES BEFORE OUR MILLIONS OF VISITORS ARRIVE IN TEXAS!

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 Attend the Texas Centennial Celebrations over the State. Distance doesn't mean much to a 1936 Chevrolet.
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Governor Allred's Proclamation!
 To early Americans, the word "Texas" meant friendship. Today the word "Texas" still means friendship, and more. It means opportunity, a land of fabulous natural resources, of rolling ranges, of loamy black farmlands, of unsurpassed climate, and—**BEAUTY.**
 This year, Centennial Year, Texas is entertaining millions of visitors from every part of America. They're coming to see the Texas they've heard and read about. They will travel every part of our state. The favorable impression Texas and Texas make will result in a priceless asset for the Lone Star State.
 Let each of us do everything possible to see that our visitors not only remember Texas as an empire of friendly people but as a land of **BEAUTY**, as well. This can best be accomplished by each citizen seeing that his or her premises is free from unsightly rubbish, made attractive with flowers or green lawns. In brief, let us all cooperate to the end that visitors will be impressed with the cleanliness and beauty of Texas as well as with our far-famed reputation for friendship.
 James Allred
 Governor of Texas

Home Cleaning Needs
 We will supply your home cleaning needs:
 Soaps—Washing Powders—Cleansing Compounds
'M' System Store

City Clean-Up Week
 The Week of **March 9** will be Annual Clean-Up Week in Silverton. Help get rid of unsightly and germ infested rubbish. Final notice next week.
 . . . Silverton City Council

Let's CLEAN-UP PAINT-UP
 and be Ready for them
VISIT THESE INTERESTING CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS
 Millions to Visit Texas This Year!
 Celebrations Will Bring Vast Crowds Into State!
 Texas is on parade! Millions of citizens from other states have accepted our invitation to see and know Texas! They'll be traveling through every part of the state!
 The impressions our guests take home with them will depend upon individual Texans! Clean premises! Growing lawns! Colorful flowers and landscaping! New paint! All these efforts by individual citizens will make the impressions favorable to your town and to Texas!
 Join in this state-wide crusade for a cleaner, more beautiful Texas! Let's every one of us do our part!
TRAVEL TEXAS Know Your State
 Make your plans to attend the various celebrations over the state. You'll find Texas offers every vacation pleasure—and it's all right here in your own state. See the calendar at right. Write the Chamber of Commerce at the various cities for information on events you are interested in.
TEXAS CENTENNIAL 1936

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IF YOU CAN'T ATTEND
 The Centennial Celebrations
 Tune in on them with a . . .
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'SMATTER POP—It Seems the Young Hopeful Had Planned a Demonstration

By C. M. PAYNE



MESCAL IKE

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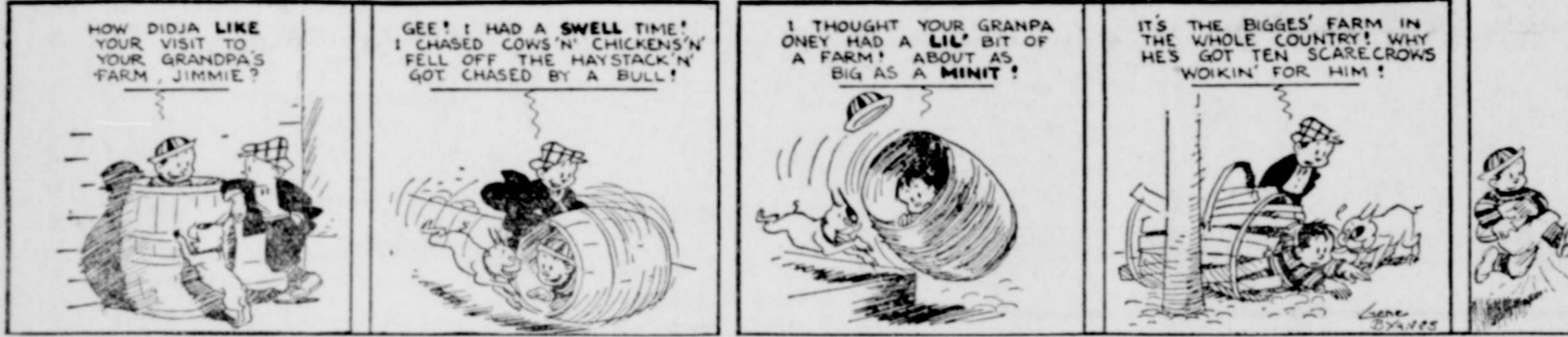
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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for March 1 VISION AND SERVICE

LESSON TEXT—Luke 9:28-43a. GOLDEN TEXT—He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same beareth much fruit.—John 15:5b. PRIMARY TOPIC—On a Mountain Top With Jesus. JUNIOR TOPIC—On a Mountain Top With Jesus. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—With Jesus in Prayer and Service. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Worship and Work.

The subject of this lesson as chosen by the lesson committee needs to be most rigidly held to its place as set forth in the Scriptures. The lesson should not be taught in a general way as pertaining to vision and service. The particular vision herein set forth is the unveiling of the majestic person of the Son of God, with an epitome of the messianic kingdom. Jesus took with him Peter, James, and John, and went into the mount to pray. His chief aim in retirement was to get the disciples into a state of receptivity so that he might show them the reality and method of his kingdom. Before going into the mount, he declared that there were some standing in his presence who would not taste death until they should see the Son of man coming in his kingdom (Luke 9:27; cf. Matt. 16:28). That their drooping spirits might be revived and their confidence restored, he was transfigured before them. Two men from the upper world were sent to converse with him about his approaching death in Jerusalem (v. 31)—the very thing about which the disciples refused to talk. Then, too, God's own voice was heard in words of approval of Christ's course, directing them to hear the Master. Surely now they cannot doubt his ability to carry to execution his kingdom plans. The purpose, then, of the transfiguration was to give the disciples a fore-glimpse of the coming kingdom, to enable them to see the kingdom in its embryonic form. That this is true is not only shown by the context and circumstances, but by the inspired interpretation of one who was with him and knew all that transpired (see II Pet. 1:16-19, R. V.). Let us, therefore, note the outstanding features of the kingdom as displayed in the transfiguration.

I. Jesus Christ the Glorified King on Mount Zion (vv. 28, 29). Jesus glorified on the mount to which they went to pray was intended to symbolize the messianic kingdom as it will be when Christ returns literally to the Mount of Olives in Jerusalem (Zech. 14:4-17). II. The Glorified Saints With Christ (vv. 30, 31). 1. Moses, who was once denied entrance into Palestine, appears now in glory, representing the Redeemed of the Lord who after death shall pass into the kingdom. Many thousands of the redeemed have fallen asleep, and at the coming of the Lord shall be awakened to appear in the kingdom with him. 2. Elijah, now glorified, represents the redeemed who shall pass into the kingdom through translation. Many shall be living upon the earth when the Lord comes, and shall, without dying, be changed, and thus pass into the kingdom (I Cor. 15:50-53; I Thess. 4:14-18). 3. The topic of conversation (v. 31). It was the death of Christ, the very thing the disciples refused to believe. III. Israel in the Flesh in Connection With the Kingdom, Represented by Peter, James, and John (v. 28). Israel shall be called from their hiding place among the nations of the earth and shall be gathered to Jesus Christ, the King, as the central people in the kingdom (Ezek. 37:21-27). Christ is the King of the Jews. 1. Peter's proposal to build three tabernacles (v. 33). The Feast of the Tabernacles looked forward to the glorious reign of Christ. Peter caught a glimpse of the significance of the transfiguration. His proposition showed that he apprehended the meaning of the Feast of the Tabernacles and, therefore, his proposition substantially was, "The millennium is come; let us celebrate." 2. The divine voice (v. 35). At this time God himself uttered words which assured them that the transfigured one was his Son, Jesus Christ. IV. The Multitude at the Foot of the Mount (vv. 37-43). The people here were grievously oppressed by the devil, as illustrated by the demon-possessed lad. There are times when the devil is especially active in the affairs of men. The multitude at the foot of the mount is representative of the nations which shall be brought into the kingdom which shall be established over Israel (Isa. 11:10-12).

Inquiry Inquiry is human; blind obedience, brutal. Truth never loses by the one, but often suffers by the other. A Friend of Man Let me live in a house by the side of the road and be a friend to man.—Sam A. Foss. Truth Buy the truth whatever it may cost; sell it not whatever it may be offered.—Arnold.

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HERE'S a lad who says he saw me in Shanghai—and boy, would I have a tough time trying to prove an alibi on that statement. As a matter of fact, any alibi I might try to dig up would be shot to pieces before I started, because this lad sends in a picture he took of Colonel Freddie Barker and me standing at one of the rifle emplacements in the International Settlement, during the late Sino-Japanese argument at Shanghai.

The man who took that picture is Frank B. Eckhardt. And along with the picture he sends the story of an incident that happened over there, in which he participated—... incident that might easily have started another war—a war between Japan and the good old U. S. A.

This incident happened to Frank and a bunch of his buddies while he was doing duty with the First Battalion, United States Marines, stationed on Sinza road, Shanghai. It was in January, 1932, just about a week after the trouble had broken out between the Japs and the Chinese, and the whole place was in a turmoil.

The officers of the battalion had a Chinese tailor by the name of Fong Kee, and one day Kee came to battalion headquarters and asked for a guard to take him to his shop on Boone road, Hong Kew district, to get the officers' uniforms. He couldn't go and get them alone, because the shop was inside the Japanese lines, and an unprotected Chinese in that territory wouldn't stand a chance of getting out with any merchandise.

Guard Is Armed for Any Emergency.

A guard was made up which consisted of a battalion major and headquarters company commander, two other privates and Frank. They rode in a truck and were armed with pistols and Thompson sub-machine guns.

They got to the tailor shop all right, and the officers and Fong Kee went inside while Frank and one other private stood guard at the entrance. And no sooner had the officers gone in than a Japanese patrol, consisting of 20 men and an officer, came marching down the street. They stopped at the sight of two American marines in the tailor shop doorway, turned and leveled their rifles in a menacing manner.

They stood that way, poised on their toes, for a moment, then suddenly one of the Japanese soldiers lowered his bayonet and sprang toward them. The Jap pointed the bayonet at Frank's buddy—the other marine private on guard with him at the doorway. He raised his machine gun, knocked the



He Raised His Machine Gun, Knocked the Bayonet Aside.

bayonet aside, pulled back the extractor of his gun and yelled at him to stop—that he meant business.

Even a Jap Was Afraid of a Tommy Gun.

The Jap took a step backward at the sight of that deadly machine-gun pointed at him. The marine officers came running out of the tailor shop and the officer of the Japanese patrol stepped forward to see what the trouble was.

During the heated conversation that ensued, the Jap officer demanded Fong Kee as his prisoner and expressed his intention of seizing the uniforms that had been placed in the truck. The marine officers finally convinced him, however, that the goods were American property and that they were not aiding the Chinese in any way, and the truck was then allowed to proceed.

When the truck was loaded it started back toward battalion headquarters. They were approaching the Wochang road crossing when another Japanese patrol halted them. They surrounded the truck, ordered the marines to get out, and again came the demand for the truck's contents and for Fong Kee, the tailor.

Major Lets Japs Know He'll Fight.

The second patrol was even more threatening in its attitude than the first. The American major ordered his men to cock their pieces—told the Japanese that if they approached the truck, or even touched it, he would give the word to fire.

The Jap officer's face turned black with anger. There followed a few moments of tense silence while he stood deliberating. Then he said that the marines could proceed with the truck if they left the goods behind and turned Fong Kee over to them.

Again the major had to go through that long-winded explanation that the goods were the property of American officers and that he was not seeking to aid the Chinese in any way. After considerable argument, then, the Jap officer accepted the explanation. The truck started for headquarters once more and this time it managed to get back to Sinza road without meeting any more Japanese patrols out looking for an argument.

Frank says you can't get any idea of how scared he was. Those Japs, he says, looked as though they were spoiling for trouble. And although they got out of it each time with nothing more dangerous than a little heated discussion, he never knew when those Japs were going to take it into their heads to open fire.

"If you ask me," he goes on, "I'd say I was looking into the eyes of death twice inside of half an hour. And that's plenty for one day."

Graham Bread Named for Lecturer on Temperance

Graham bread received its name from Sylvester Graham (1794-1851), an American lecturer on temperance and food reform. He was born at Suffield, Conn. After studying at Amherst for a time he entered the Presbyterian ministry in 1826. He maintained that a vegetable diet was incompatible with a desire for stimulants, and as part of his temperance and food reform campaign he not only advocated total abstinence from meat but also recommended the eating of bread made of unsifted or unbolted wheat flour; that is, flour in which all the wheat kernel except the husk is used. In "A Defense of the Graham System of Living," published in 1835, Graham wrote:

"Of wheat bread, there are three varieties; in the first, all the bran is separated; in the second, only the coarse, and, in the third, none at all. The bread made of flour from which all the bran has been separated is that most commonly used, but bread made of flour from which none of the bran has been separated is the most wholesome."

Graham is often referred to as the "inventor" or "introducer" of Graham

bread. He was neither, for whole-wheat bread was the first wheat bread made. Graham's name became associated with it because he included the article in his dietary regimen, which at one time had many thousands of adherents throughout the United States. The system was called Graham and its adherents Grahamites.—Indianapolis News.

Denominations in the Colonies The principal denominations in the colonies were the Church of England, the Lutheran, Congregational or Non-conformist, and later the Baptist, and Methodist, as well as the Roman Catholic. The Bibles principally in use were the King James version of the English Bible, the Lutheran translation of the German Bible, and the Douai translation of the Catholic or French Bible.

Two Kinds of Fox Terriers There are two kinds of fox terriers, namely, the smooth-haired and the wire-haired. The smooth-haired terrier has the same courageous and lovable qualities as his brother and up to recent years has been the most popular. The two types weigh somewhere between 12 and 20 pounds and are considered one of the most popular breeds in the dog kingdom.

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Milk should always be kept clean, covered and cool. Never mix new and old milk unless it is to be used at once.

Add a teaspoon of cornstarch to each cup of sugar when making fudge. This makes it smoother and creamier.

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Wasters See Devastation of Own Making and Condemn

It is those acts called trivialities that the seeds of joy are forever wasted, until men and women look around with haggard faces at the devastation their own waste has made, and say the earth bears no harvest of sweetness, calling their denial knowledge.—George Elliot.



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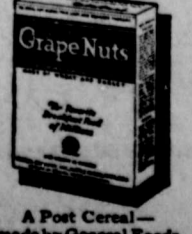
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LOCALS

J. Busby was a business visitor in Silvertown Monday from his home at Turkey.

Earl Malone of Vigo Park was a business visitor in Silvertown Tuesday afternoon. While here he stopped in at the News office and subscribed to the County paper. "Got to keep up on this election," says Earl.

Sadie Lee Foust returned to her school at White Flat Sunday after spending the week end in Silvertown at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foust.

Maurice Foust and Homer Thompson were business visitors in Vernon, Texas over the week end.

Dorothy Duncan of Plainview was a guest of her sister Mrs. M. C. Tull last week.

Mrs. D. O. Bomar, Patricia and Fay Tice were in Amarillo Monday shopping.

Mrs. Warner Reid who is attending school in Canyon spent the week-end in Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson are the proud parents of a ten pound boy born February 17. Roy Dean is his name.

Mrs. Elmer Gilkeyson of San Francisco, Calif. is making an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cowart of Plainview were guests in the C. L. Cowart home Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Lemond and children of Hale Center spent the week end with Mrs. Biffle Fort.

Mrs. Kate Fowler and Mrs. Edna Fowler were shopping in Amarillo Monday.

Pete Cowart who is attending W. T. S. T. C. was home over the week end visiting friends and relatives.

Randy Denmon was in Amarillo over the week end.

A. H. Christopher, Tomie Chesser, and Keltz Garrison made their weekly visit to Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. E. G. Snapka and son Willie of Flag were in Silvertown over the week end visiting friends.

Raymond Henderson was in Oklahoma City, Okla. last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Bain and daughter of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain over the week end.

O. F. Kolb and son Brice and W. H. McIntyre were in Amarillo Monday on business.

J. D. and Wallis Hazlewood and Miss Katherine Douglas of Amarillo also attended the Bob Douglas Funeral. Miss Douglas remained a few days with the family.

Be sure to see Claudette Colbert and Warner Baxter in "She Married Her Boss" at the Palace Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. It's good.

Pat Northcutt, small son of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt, is seriously ill in the St. Anthony hospital at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson and daughter were in Haskell visiting friends and relatives over the week end.

Mrs. Jeff Morris who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blocker for the past two weeks returned to her home in Amarillo Saturday.

Doris Martin was carried to the Turkey Sanitarium Tuesday for treatment.

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SELF-FED CALVES DO BETTER THAN PAIL FED STOCK

Why does the calf that runs with the cow develop faster than the calf that is pail fed? Dairymen and livestock men will admit this to be a fact—but why it is so has never been definitely settled.

Some new light has apparently been thrown on the subject by Purina Mills Experimental Farm at Gray Summit, Missouri. There it has been found that calves which are self fed on a feed in compressed checker form do much better than calves which receive exactly the same feed in the form of grain. When the calves are self fed they eat a few bites now and then throughout the day. This evidently results in a more thorough mixing of the feed with saliva and has its effect on making digestion easier than is possible with pail feeding. With pail feeding, the calf is inclined to gulp its feed in too large a quantity at one time to be handled efficiently by the digestive system. Digestion, it appears from the experimental findings, is not hindered

where small amounts of food are taken in from time to time on the self feeding plan, as much as it is when the day's ration is divided into two pail feedings.

The More Natural Way
The fact that this experiment was run on identical feeds, differing only in form, and that the evidence was overwhelmingly in favor of the system where the calf ate little at a time but ate that little often, would make it appear that feeding calf meal in compressed checker form is the more natural way of raising calves. Like teaching a calf to drink out of a pail at first, the calf must be taught to eat Calf Chew Checkers. This is done by holding a checker in the calf's mouth until she gets the taste of it, and repeating for a few days until she learns. For the first month, milk is fed twice a day in limited quantities. Hay, grain, salt and water, as well as calf checkers, are kept before the calf. The plan is really very simple and eliminates all of the work of milking, weighing and washing buckets. After thirty days, all that's necessary is to keep the feed boxes from becoming empty. Because of Calf Chew Checkers being comparatively a new idea in raising calves, every feed store handling Checkerboard feeds invites dairymen to come in and examine them, and to get a copy of the feeding directions.

Mrs. Ruth Cline and son Jim are in Wichita Falls this week on business.

If you have visitors, or go some place why not tell the editor about it. Or write it down like you wish it and hand it to him. Let's have your news items.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Briscoe County News is authorized to announce the following named as candidates for the office respectively shown, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 25th, 1936:

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Re-election

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Re-election

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Joe Mercer was in Dallas Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher and Mrs. C. M. Strickland and daughter Durene were in Lubbock Saturday.

Miss Justine Pavlink received severe facial injuries Sunday in an accident between Goree and Barton. Bernard Havran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havran was with her and received slight bruises. The car was not badly damaged.

Merle Graham is driving a Ford V-8 Pickup purchased of Fowler Motor Co.

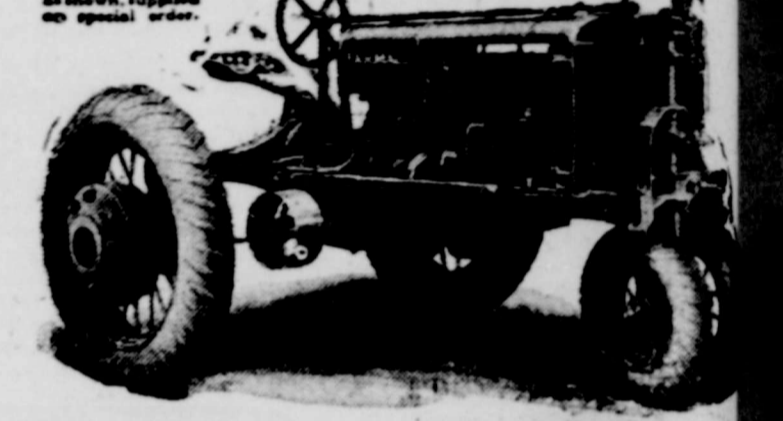
Fred Biffle of Amarillo visited mother Mrs. Biffle Fort Friday.

Sadie Lee Foust of Whiteflat home over the week end visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foust.

Jake Honea made a business trip to Dallas and other points down last week.

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