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Man Jailed Fatal Auto Crash

Building Company
Stockholders
Elect Directors

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Burk Building Co., today, they elected the following board of directors: P. B. Brown, president; Solon Featherston, vice-president; Horace Downing, secretary; and F. H. Harwell and W. A. Roberts, directors.

All details for the building of twelve new houses have been worked out and are acceptable to the F.H.A. office in Fort Worth, and engineers will complete survey of the tract of land in the next few days.

Contracts are expected to let in the next few days for construction of the first houses.

Inflation Warning



Chairman Marriner Eccles of the Federal Reserve board, pictured as he appeared before the house banking committee declaring that the U. S. cannot escape runaway inflation without heavier taxes and some form of wage and price control.

Mag. Employees Celebrate With Annual Barbecue

Burkburnett District of Magnolia employees celebrated with an annual barbecue Friday evening at the Stringtown club house. These affairs have been held for the last seven years to honor employees for the safety program and this group has the distinction of not having a lost time accident in the past seven years which is an excellent record in consideration of the territory that this district and the number of men comprising its personnel.

J. C. Enloe, superintendent of the Burkburnett district opened the program with a short talk and Mr. Gilbert from Electra gave the response after which Mrs. F. H. Gladjen introduced numbers from the remaining program. Children and members of the Magnolia families brought the entire program.

Games and songs were enjoyed for the remaining part of the evening.

Buddy West Seriously Injured In Borger, Texas

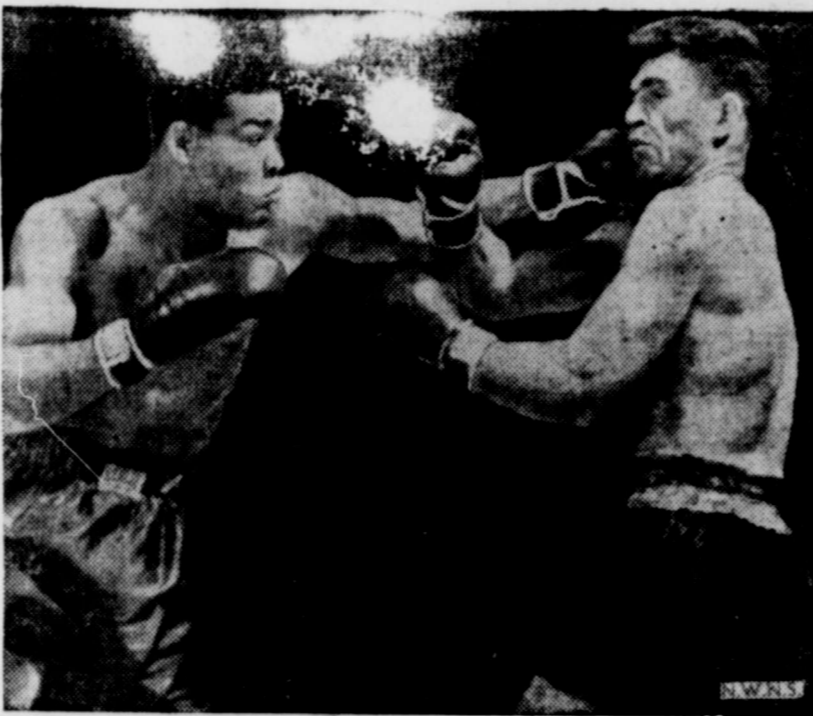
Buddy West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul West of Borger, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith of this city, is in a serious condition, the result of being run over by an automobile.

According to reports, Buddy was playing with a football and the ball was kicked across the street and in crossing the street he was hit by an automobile.

He was rushed to the Borger hospital and the report Thursday afternoon was to the effect that he had not regained consciousness. He suffered a concussion of the brain and internal injuries.

Burk Dogs To Battle Olney Cubs Here Friday Night

Action From Louis-Nova Battle



Here's a bit of action from last week's fight in which Joe Louis successfully defended his heavyweight boxing championship for the nineteenth time by scoring a T.K.O. over Lou Nova after 2 minutes and 59 seconds of the sixth round. Louis has been classified as 1-A under the selective service act and is slated to enter army life.

School Inaugurates One-Way Drive

At a recent meeting of the school board it was decided to make the drive leading to the high school a one-way drive.

People entering the school drive are requested to go to the southwest entrance. The northwest opening will be used for exit only.

This precaution was taken in order to avoid the heavy congestion which occurs during the noon hour and in the afternoon when school is dismissed.

Supt. Duncan urges that everyone keep this in mind and use the southwest entrance when going to the high school.

Grudge Game Be Hardest Fought Of Any In District

Burkburnett's battle cry this week is "Beat Olney—Don't Forget Last Year." Instead of saying "hello" when fans meet on the street it is "Beat Olney."

Burkburnett is still suffering from the defeat handed them last Friday by Childress and they will be out there Friday fighting to redeem themselves and also for their first conference win for this year. Olney is rated a little better than Burk but The Bulldogs have that determination to win.

Coach Eddleman's team has shown much improvement since the start of practice. They were rated at the start of the season for one of the lower division berths, but they have improved steadily since the opening of practice.

Without a lot of veteran material and lacking game experience the squad has come along fast to make unexpected impressive showings in the games so far.

Basketball Plans For The Season 1941-42 Launched

At a meeting of the executive committee in Vernon, the 2AA Basketball District was organized. J. C. Duncan was elected permanent chairman, and C. H. Dillehay was elected secretary.

This year, for the first time, the Basketball set-up is to be the same as football. There will be no more county championship determined but the 2AA schools will determine a district championship and the various districts will go on and determine a state champion just as in football. The 2AA District is composed of the following schools: Burkburnett, Childress, Electra, Olney, Quanah, Vernon, Wichita Falls, Graham.

It was voted that the schools should have a double round robin playing on Tuesday and Friday nights beginning with the first game on January 6 and concluding the championship play on Thursday night, February 19. This will allow each team 14 games. Every school will play every other school twice; once at home and once away. The visiting team in each case will pay all their own traveling expenses and not share in any gate receipts taken in away from home.

If on February 19, two or more teams are tied for District Championship, which is determined on a percentage basis, these teams will arrange a play-off so that the District Champion will be determined by Saturday night, February 21.

Mr. Duncan was given the authority to draw up a schedule for the district and there will be a meeting of all basketball coaches in Burkburnett sometime in December to decide on officials for the games.

It was believed by the various schools concerned, that providing the same set-up for basketball as we now have for football would add greatly to basketball interest as football rivalries would be carried on into the basketball season.

Burk Loses First Conference Game

The Burkburnett Bulldogs gave the powerful Childress Bobcats a real scare before bowing 13 to 6 here Friday night.

The Bulldogs took the lead early in the ball game, but saw it wiped out in the second period when Childress took a 7 to 6 lead.

Not until late in the game when Childress pushed over its second touchdown, was the lead considered comfortable.

Reeves heaved a long pass to Brown to place the ball on the Burkburnett 2-yard line, from where Reeves crashed through the line to score the winning touchdown in the fourth period.

Playing before 2,000 fans at the dedication of the Burkburnett Stadium, the Bulldogs got away for an offense which gained more yards and first downs than the offense of the visitors.

The Bulldogs broke first into scoring in the initial period. Starting on their own 37-yard line the Dogs drove to the Bobcat's 22-yard line. Chester Todd crashed around left end behind brilliant blocking to score. Bill Bowman's Burkdog quarterback try for point went awry.

The Bobcats took the lead in the second period when Reeves led a 44-yard march to score. His try for point was good.

H. Kitchens, Bobcat right end, was seriously injured in the third period, and was rushed from the field in an ambulance to a Wichita Falls hospital.

Men And Can Help Problem

Men and their help the Saturday problem here by their cars on side and leave parking customers and visitors is important during next few weeks hundreds of cotton warm this section. The have been coming city for the past but with the best in years ready to go for a business take up space in his store and exclaimers to park a down the street and this store to trade

To Pay Salary

of the 3 per cent men during the past on general and official fund warrants of city will become effective as a result of completed Monday the county commission with three Wichita

Pays Interest

ment provides that will pay 3 per cent interest on warrants issued on which are in the arrangement was to precincts 3 and also now are in

Year Economy

udge Guy McNeely oners had agreed to 1942 economy program for five years, expected to take the out of the red, current estimates. department heads within their reduced 1942

Experiments in

do not simply abandon are set aside, they effects behind; and interests which result to set them Summer (1887.)

E. E. Clack Saves Train From Wreck

E. E. Clack, who resides north of town, probably saved the lives of the engineer and fireman of the Katy train here October 2nd, as he flagged the train just before it got to a washed-out trestle about one mile north of town.

The track, which runs through Mr. Clack's land had washed out during the night and as the train came by early the next morning the crew was unaware of the danger. Mr. Clack succeeded in stopping the train just a few feet before it would have plunged into the creek.

Scouts Present Program To Lions

With one hundred per cent attendance of all active members, two members-at-large and the sweetheart together with ten visitors the Lions club on Tuesday evening witnessed a program presented by seven Boy Scouts in charge of H. D. Mabry and W. R. New.

Effective use of the chart showing scout oath, motto and laws and the following scouts in action, Billy Sam Poteat, Orval Simpkins, Willis Sharp, Hal Dean Mabry, Wayne Lax, Keith Jones, and Buddy McDonald, made a very impressive presentation of scouting.

Louis Weidenbaum had as his guest, Mr. Gold Kenyon of Fort Worth.

This is the third one hundred per cent attendance in the past four weeks and the Rinky Dinks against the Bulldogs have not been able to gain a yard nor have they lost a foot. The only absentee being a referee.

Correction

In last week's issue in the article listing the members of the Fifth Quarter club and the amount they contributed, the name of B. H. Alexander was omitted, for which we are sorry. We apologize to Mr. Alexander. His donation was for \$5.00.

There were several business men who were not contacted in time for last week's issue and J. K. Mathews, president of the club, stated that their names will be published later.

Car Registrations For Last Week

Earnest Dillon, Canyon, Texas, Plymouth coupe.
James R. Ray, Burkburnett, Chevrolet sedan.

Mrs. Odell Fanning Wins At County Fair

Mrs. Odell Fanning, who resides on a farm in the Brushy Creek community in Oklahoma, won several prizes at the Wichita county fair, which was held recently in Iowa Park. Mrs. Fanning received first in cucumbers and tomatoes and second prizes in Kaffir heads, cucumbers, squashes, pumpkin and watermelon.

Probable Starting Line-Up For Burk-Olney Game

BURKBURNETT				OLNEY			
No.	Name	Wt.	Pos.	Wt.	Name	No.	
66	V. Duke	160	LE	173	Capt. R. Smith	35	
71	Pug Robinson	175	LT	185	A. Harwell	27	
35	Joe Bob Tyler	160	LG	157	S. Keng	24	
45	H. F. Brown	161	C	150	B. Fletcher	22	
44	G. Turner	155	RE	145	R. Reed	37	
21	M. Mills	155	RT	264	M. Billingsley	20	
96	M. Ball	140	RG	161	F. Holder	25	
25	Jim R. Morris	150	LH	176	H. Young	31	
37	H. Garrett	170	RH	129	J. Nored	21	
11	Bill Bowman	160	FB	166	E. Graves	38	
30	C. Todd	170	QB	133	T. Deck	34	

Burk Reserves: D. Brown, 33; E. Gibson, 88; T. Tyler, 20; D. R. Moore, 29; J. Johnson, 95; Ike Harwell, 68; M. Mills, 24; J. R. Brock, 50; B. Whiteacre, 77; F. Lawler, 55; T. McPherson, 74; E. L. Tyler, 0.

Olney Reserves: Ray Huffman, 41; J. Thomas, 32; B. Crisman, 26; B. Pollard, 29; B. Lasater, 30; T. Mahan, 40; J. Crownover, 39; D. Self, 23; N. Botkin, B. Deets, J. Jones, B. Barnett, C. Johnson, B. Crosthwait, O. Crosthwait, H. Clayton, A. Huskey, E. Van Memert, B. Leath, E. Holder, H. Whitson, K. Brock, D. Brock, R. Tally, J. Robertson, T. Groves, H. Kimbrough, N. Hamm, B. Collings, H. Nelson, E. Vaught.

Officials: Bruce Reed, Fort Worth; Judy Truelson, Fort Worth; C. M. Brown, LeFors, Texas

Millage Hall Tells Rotarians Of Ship- building Activities

Millage Hall, a former Burkburnett boy, who is now employed by Uncle Sam in the ship yards, was a guest of the Rotary club Tuesday and told of some of his experiences. He is stationed at Portsmouth, Virginia. Burn Alexander, who had charge of the program, introduced Mr. Hall.

Wichita Falls guests were Virgil Wilson, S. M. Gose, Floyd Dean, Al Ellis, Earl Hodges, John Barbour, Ted Krohn and Herb Fillers.

ELECTRA JUNIORS DEFEAT BURK

The Burk Junior football team journeyed to Electra Thursday afternoon for a practice game and were defeated by the top-heavy score of 39 to 0.

This is the first contest for the Juniors, they having had only a week's practice.

724 Bales Ginned; Cotton Damaged

Slowly but surely cotton picking is getting under way with both gins reporting a total of 724 bales.

Monte Bowles, Farmers Gin manager, this morning (Thursday), reported that he had turned out 623 bales to date. Over at the Burkburnett Gin, W. S. Duval, manager said they had ginned 101 this season.

Damage by boll weevil and leafworms is wide-spread and farmers report they will not make the crop they anticipated a month ago.

Prices being high on cotton and cotton seed this season, cotton farmers were enthusiastic over this year's outcome.

In checking ten year files in the Star, prices were compared with those in this week's price range. Ten year ago cotton was selling at 4½ to 5 cents a pound. Seed \$6.00 per ton, while present prices show cotton selling at 12-15c per pound and seed at \$50 a ton.

If you want something, the best way to get it is to ask for it—and keep on asking.

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The Neutrality Act Mirage

Our Neutrality Act is about to go to the guillotine.

Still in its swaddling clothes, this little act which was borne out of the American people's desire for peace, has never had a chance for a healthy, normal existence. It has been attacked on all sides, even by its parents. Its life has been continually threatened. It has been ignored by some, wrenched out of shape by others, called names, laughed at and shoved aside.

Now its death warrant has been sought. There will be a few who will defend its right to live, but even they will feel that it is an almost hopeless case—that our quiet, peace-loving Neutrality Act has no place in the world today. It may be better off dead, for it will never be respected.

There are still plenty of people in America who cling to the Neutrality idea, but it is becoming more and more apparent that this act will be powerless to bar the path which America has taken.

Whether that path leads to war is still a subject of possible debate. Day by day the war clouds grow darker, but so far, the President continues to interpret all of our acts as acts of defense—defense of our ships, our property and of American lives.

But the Neutrality Act now interferes with defense. After the President's "shoot at sight" statement, which means that Germany will also shoot at sight, our merchant ships are in constant danger if they are not properly armed. The Neutrality Act prevents proper arming of those ships.

That's one reason why the death of the Neutrality Act is being sought immediately. Another reason is that it prevents us from sending troops to far-flung points where they are considered necessary for our defense.

If the Neutrality Act is not repealed, a way will undoubtedly be found to circumvent it. Those who cling to it as a means of preserving peace appear to be clinging to a mirage. Our government's whole

plan of action has already passed the point where the Neutrality Act can really hamper it. That is why many congressmen consider it the kindest thing to help it to stop breathing.

Thanks To Columbus

Since that fall day in 1492 when Christopher Columbus landed his ship at San Salvador and thus opened the door to the discovery of the American continent, America has made rapid strides. When we consider that 450 years ago America wasn't even on the whiteman's map, it seems almost miraculous that it is now populated by hundreds of millions of educated people who have more luxuries, more riches, more skyscrapers, more automobiles and more of practically everything than any other continent or country in the world.

America is so young that our great-great-grandfather might have come over on Columbus' ship. Measured in generations, it was only seven full generations ago that Columbus came over and only five generations ago that efforts began to settle this country.

Compared with European countries, which have been going through periods of culture and decay for thousands of years, America stands as a monument to the progress which can be made under a system of free enterprise.

When Christopher Columbus sailed on his perilous voyage, he came to America looking for riches. With sufficient assistance, he might have found riches of all kinds in our natural resources—our gold, our silver and our other mountains-full of wealth. But it was the Pilgrims who came to America seeking spiritual freedom rather than gold who really discovered the greatest riches offered by America—the opportunity to live as they pleased, to have equal opportunity for all and to found a nation on the principles of equality and freedom.

We can thank Columbus for putting our country on the map, but our greatest thanks should go to those settlers who decided what kind of a nation to build in America. If they had come here to seek material riches and to plunder we might today be the slaves of a king and a dictator. But fortunately they came here seeking freedom and freedom has always continued to be the foundation stone of our country.

Are You A Pack Rat?

When it comes to accumulations of useless odds-and-ends which are found in profusion in many homes, here's an excellent motto: "Burn the junk up—before it burns you up!"

A good many of us have the characteristics of the pack rat. We hate to throw anything away. Old clothes, old magazines, old furniture, even old newspapers—all go into informal storage in attic or basement or closet. They may stay there for years, collecting dust and mold, with nothing dangerous happening. Again, they may not—fire, which feeds on such accumulations, may find them. And then all your possessions, no less than the junk, may go up in smoke.

Once or twice a year it would be an excellent idea to make a little tour of your home to ferret out such hazards. Charities will be glad to have old clothes, furniture and reading matter. Anything that is useless can go to the junkman or be destroyed in the incinerator. Be especially alert in going through workshop and garage—it is common habit to leave cans of paint, varnish and other inflammable liquids open. Cleaning rags should always be kept in closed containers. Spillage of gasoline or oil should be at once mopped up.

Burkburnett History

As revealed by the files of The Star, 10 Years Ago.

Each Rodeo and Trades Day becomes bigger and better. A crowd estimated at 7,500 witnessed the free rodeo in Burkburnett last Saturday, many coming from 100 miles distance to witness the celebration. This monthly affair is proving to be one of the greatest business stimulators ever held in Burkburnett, and each time thousands of dollars are spent here, which otherwise would go to some other city. Practically all business firms report the best day they have had this fall.

Postoffice Inspector A. S. Page of Fort Worth, was in Burkburnett last Monday and Tuesday and received bids for postoffice lease. Bids were made by the First National Bank on the present location; Dave G. Holtzen, on the building two doors south of the postoffice; Mrs. M. W. Linnville, who owns the building in the rear of the Corner Drug Store and the Elks club.

The High School and Central Ward Parent Teacher association are sending out a call for clothing. There are children who cannot attend school because they do not have the proper clothing.

J. A. Russell, representative of the Fairbanks, Morse Co., who resides in Dallas, arrived in Burkburnett yesterday and will remain here throughout the day. Mr. Russell stated to a Star reporter that his company has not abandoned the idea of assisting Burkburnett in installing a municipal electric plant here and that the purpose of his visit now is to make an estimate on the cost of installation of such a plant and to make the commissioners a proposition for their consideration.

A secret committee was appointed yesterday by the city officials for the purpose of investigating fire hazards, determine causes of fires and to report cases where property is over insured.

M. C. Tucker of the Tucker Insurance agency was the principal speaker at the chapel pro-

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The Bulldogs will journey to Olney Friday to meet the Cubs in their second conference game. This is expected to be one of the hardest games of the season, as Olney has run up impressive scores on the Burkburnett team in the past year.

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One day in 1907, a little boy eight years old was crying in a school house in Iola, Kansas. He was supposed to draw. But he couldn't draw an apple or a circle. He couldn't even draw a straight line. He was such a flop at drawing that the other students laughed at him; and he cried. His teacher, Julia McClure, kissed him on the forehead and said: "Don't cry Charles. You'll be able to draw all right. Don't get discouraged. I'll help you."

Those four sentences changed that boy's life. How do I know? Because he and I spent a week-end recently fishing at Lake Caddo near Marshall, Texas. He is forty years old now; and is a well-known contractor in East Texas.

"My whole life would probably have been different," he said, "if my teacher hadn't given me a little confidence and encouragement. When I saw that she had faith in me, my self-confidence mounted. She told me that I could learn to draw; and I believed her. Years later, I took a course in civil engineering in the University of Kansas. I never would have taken that course; and I wouldn't be in my present business, if my teacher hadn't kissed me on the forehead and cheered me up when the other students were laughing at me. I go back to my home town of Iola, Kansas, about every two years; and I always visit Miss Julia McClure and pay my respects to the teacher who made my life richer and happier by a few words of encouragement.

You and I can do what Miss McClure did. We can give people hope, courage and self-confidence by expressing our faith in them and their abilities.

Can we do it sincerely? Most emphatically yes.

The celebrated, often-quoted, Professor William James of Harvard declared that the average man develops only ten per cent of his latent mental abilities. Think of it! That's about the equivalent of having an eight-cylinder motor with only one cylinder firing. Professor James said also, "What we accomplish, compared to what we could accomplish, is as the tiny waves on the surface of the ocean compared to its mighty depths." That means that you have latent powers you may not realize you possess. Am I sure of that statement? I am, because I have been in adult educational work for 27 years. I have personally helped twenty thousand men and women develop hidden talents that they never dreamed they possessed.

Take yourself for example. You may not be a good photographer. But you could become an expert. You could become an outstanding photographer. All you have to do is to study, and practice, practice, practice. If you want to be a good photographer, or a French scholar, or an accordion player—if you want to do that more than you want to listen to ball games, or go to the movies, or play bridge—if you really have a burning passion to accomplish something, you are almost certain to do it—provided it is within reason.

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This Week IN WASHINGTON

in July, 38 in August and 41 at the moment, a total rise of 40 per cent in those nine months.

"The housewife knows that eggs have risen more than a third since January, that coffee is up about one-fourth in the same period, and that sugar and flour are up almost a fifth in the same period respectively."

Mr. Morgenthau, as well as other government officials who have testified on the subject, all point out that we can prevent inflation because we know the causes of it, but that we can't do it with half-way measures.

The whole cause of inflation they point out is that the income of the consuming public is increasing while the amount of goods available to the consumer is decreasing. The answer then must be to increase the amount of goods available to the public, or to keep the spendable income of the people from rising, or to freeze prices. Mr. Morgenthau and Mr. Nelson both oppose fixing wages at this time but agree that prices should be controlled and that excess income of the people should be invested in the government, either by purchase of defense stamps and bonds or by taxation.

Mr. Morgenthau favors a 100 per cent tax bill on all profits of corporations over 6 per cent, because he believes this would prevent profiteering and at the same time eliminate the efforts by labor to get wage increases in order to share in corporation profits. If the profits were eliminated, labor could not seek increases on those grounds.

Mr. Nelson opposes this plan, however, on the grounds that private enterprise has to have a profit incentive to make it work and that small corporations would suffer.

The Brookings institute, which has made a study of the situation, points out that farm prices and wage increases have been the chief reasons for the increased cost of living and that the administration's proposed price control bill wouldn't control these primary costs of inflation. It says that stabilization of farm prices and wages is necessary to prevent inflation. One of this organization's suggestions is that the government bring about reduction of food prices by putting on the market some of the excess food supplies which it has.

Aside from the high-price scare, the chief subject of debate here is the revision or elimination of the neutrality act in order to per-

mit the United States to arm its merchant ships and to send its ships to any ports in the world. It is believed by many congressmen, including many who originally voted for this measure, that the act has outlived its usefulness and interferes with the President's policy of insisting that America's right to freedom of the seas should be preserved.

Practically certain that this measure is to be eliminated, the maritime commission is already going ahead with plans to arm merchant ships and has urged the speeding up of production of the type of guns needed to arm our ships.

The isolationists in congress are fighting the repeal of this act, declaring that its repeal will mean war, and some senators are seeking a vote on war or peace in place of voting on the act. But it is believed that the President's request in regard to the measure will be rapidly carried out.

spend money usually fail, because millions of different types of people never can be regimented into agreement.

SPENDING . . . peculiarities

As I think over the spending habits of people I know there are certain ones which stand out for their financial peculiarities.

There is the bachelor who says he can't afford to marry but never spends less than \$75 for a suit of clothes, pays \$100 a month for an apartment and carries \$50,000 worth of insurance.

There is a millionaire who picks up buttons on the golf course to take home to his wife because she might find a use for them . . .

There is the couple who spend money freely on other things but practically starve at the end of the month if their allowance for food is used up . . .

There is the family which goes without needed clothes and has no decent furniture in their home but insist on eating the best food money can buy . . .

There is the family which interviews all of their friends before buying anything to find someone who can get it for them wholesale.

Those are just a few that I can think of, for as I consider the people I know I can't think of one person who hasn't some peculiar quirk in his handling of money.

CHANGES . . . economies

Economic eruptions, such as we are going through now, always cause radical changes in people's spending habits, but usually it just causes a sort of reshuffling of habits rather than a group change. These changes already have made marked headway.

For instance, there are the men who have always conscientiously saved part of their income and now feel that the future is so uncertain that they might as well go on a spending spree now rather than take a chance of losing their money later on . . .

There are others who are earn-

TODAY and TOMORROW

By DON ROBINSON

MONEY . . . budgets

Practically everyone in America keeps some kind of budget, whether it's a carefully worked out accounting system for the disposition of income or a few rough mental notes on when the coal bill and insurance bills come due.

How best to handle a small income has been the subject of countless books, magazine articles and government studies—but the solution still is as debatable as how to get rid of a cold.

If you analyze the spending habits of your friends you'll find that most every family reacts differently to money.

There is the family that sacrifices necessities for luxuries and pleasure; another seems to sacrifice all other pleasures for the pleasure of saving; others stint themselves to be generous with their friends; others spend only on themselves; others put all of their money into insurance because they are more interested in security in the future than in having things today; others spend everything and don't worry about the future; and most all of us have some peculiarities about our financial management which no one can understand but ourselves.

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God Our Heavenly Father
Lesson for Oct. 5: Genesis 1: 26-28; Matthew 6: 24-33.

Golden Text: Matthew 6: 9.

Studying in the fourth quarter "Some Great Christian Teachings," we logically begin with the lesson of "God Our Heavenly Father" whose creative work may lead us to realize that he is indeed the divine Father of us all.

Through the things of nature Jesus teaches a lesson of trust in the heavenly Father. The migration of birds is a marvel of the commonplace. Certain birds may be feeding one day in Labrador, the following day they are gone. Winging their way across the seas, they reappear in South America. Somehow they know where their next meal will be spread. So an American poet drew the old lesson of faith in his "Lines to a Waterfowl." Recently the writer drove by a pond where the lotus, "resplendent in beauty, lifted its golden crown" in the sunlight. Clothed more richly than Solomon, in all his purple-and-golden splendor, it bids us know that God will clothe us.

Let us, then, bid farewell to over-anxiety. Do not worry about the morrow. It will never come. It is always today. And you have enough to engage your time and efforts now.

Observe that Jesus does not urge to get the jump on our neighbors by purchasing for tomorrow.

First Baptist Announcements

Sermon subjects, Sunday, October 12th.

Morning—"From Blackened Pots to Silver Wings."
7:45 P. M.—"The Heavens Declare the Glory of God."

Our revival meeting is only two weeks from this next Sunday, on Oct. 26 with G. S. Posey preaching and Bee Nichols singing.

There will be a Training Course for Young People's leaders at the church Thursday, Oct. 16, from 10:00 to 3:00. Rev. and Mrs. Edward Townsend of Archer City, Mrs. Whitt of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Lohofener will teach. All leaders, and all mothers and fathers are urged to attend this course.

We welcome those who visited with us last Sunday in the services and you who will come to visit us this next Lord's Day. We are happy to have you.

Baptismal services this Sunday night, Oct. 12, 7:45 p. m.

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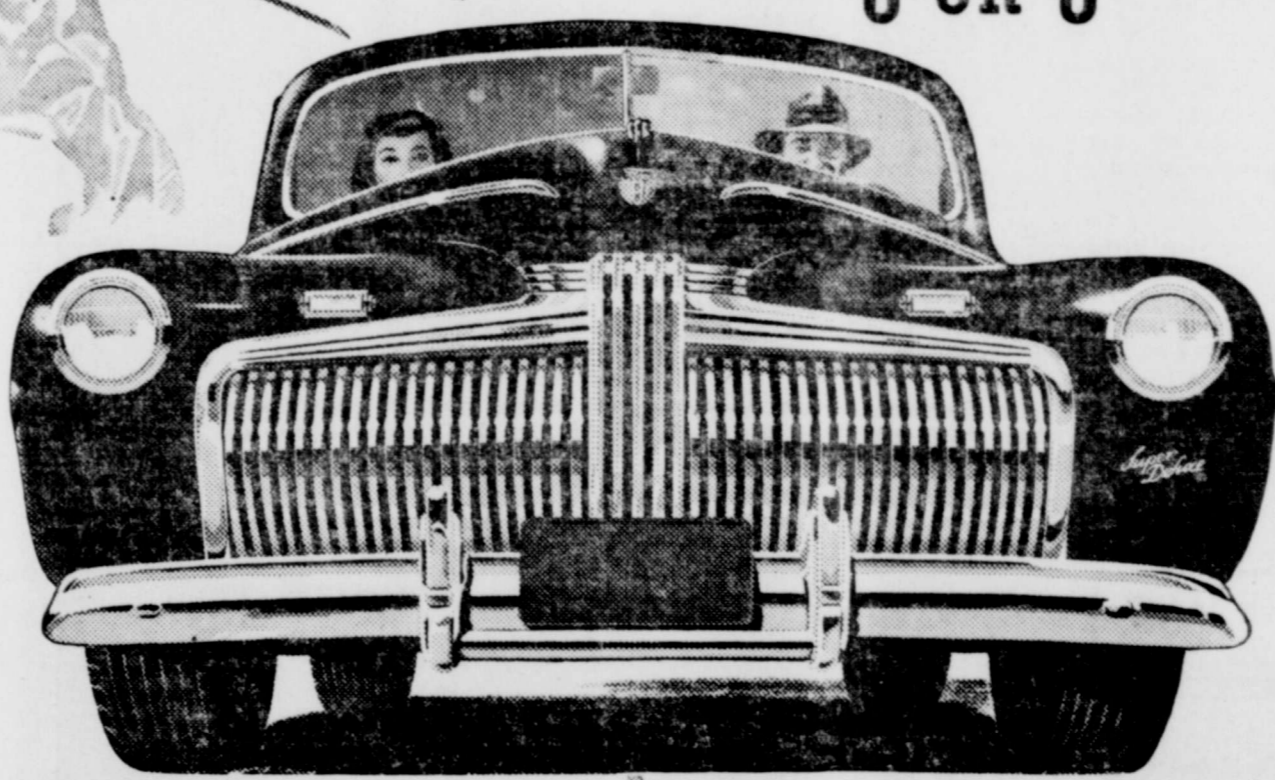
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Prominent Couple Observe Twenty-Fifth Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, October 5th, marked the twenty-fifth milestone passed by one of Burkburnett's well known couples since their wedding day, when Mr. and Mrs. E. Jeffers celebrated at the home on fifth street with a dinner.

The silver wedding motif was carried out by the use of beautiful fall flowers profusely arranged about the rooms and the dining table decorations.

At noon a bountiful dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wills, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lorange, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jeffers, and the honor guest, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jeffers and their son and daughter, Bill and Ruth Jeffers all of Burkburnett, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Burnham, Altus, Okla., S. B. Cooper and Miss Hazel Culbert of Wichita Falls.

During the afternoon a wedding ceremony was performed with S. B. Cooper officiating. Moving pictures were made of the ceremony and of other activities. Mrs. Jeffers' bouquet was carnations tied with silver ribbon. Pictures of the couple made at their wedding and throughout their twenty-five years of married life were displayed.

An assortment of gifts, all of which were in silver except one, and it was a lovely set of glassware, were presented to the guest of honor.

Officers Installed In Rainbow Assembly

Mary Jane Patterson, Worthy Advisor assisted by Ann Danforth, chaplain, Martha Beth Utts, marshall and Dorothy Browning, musician were the installing officers at an assembly of the Rainbow Girls meeting Tuesday night in the assembly hall of the Eastern Star.

Gene Brookshear was installed as Worthy Advisor for the coming quarter. Plans were made for an all day outing Sunday to Craterville and Medicine Park. The group will meet at the home of Mrs. Jessie Faye Griffin at 6:30 a. m. They also planned to have a '42 and bridge party at Town Hall beginning at 7:30 p. m., Monday, Oct. 13.

Alatheans Met At Philips Home

The Alathean class of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Wid Philips for their regular social and business meeting Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Jack Manning brought an inspiring devotional followed by singing "Our Best," by the group.

In the business, reports were heard from group captains of the class and the second vice president, Mrs. C. P. Acord, favored the group with a talk.

Mrs. W. T. Reese and Mrs. Lillian Davis were joint hostesses and served refreshments to Mesdames Lillian Davis, Jack Manning, C. P. Acord, Mallette, W. B. Jennings, J. B. Grace, S. F. Harwell, May Pitcock, Wid Philips, T. U. Tutt, E. L. Gilbow, and Roy Stucky.

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Hardin Club Begin Red Cross Work

Mrs. S. E. Askins and Mrs. George Smith were hostesses to members of the Hardin Demonstration club Wednesday afternoon at the home of the former.

The program was a Red Cross program and Mrs. Bill England told of the life of Clara Barton, organizer of the Red Cross. Mrs. P. L. Halsey added more to the biography of Clara Barton and also told of the life of Mary Livermore. Mrs. M. R. Hewell read some accounts of the local Red Cross work. The group had a singsong and joined Mrs. Edwin Muller, recreation chairman for pantomimes, to complete the afternoon's program.

This meeting marked the beginning of the club's Red Cross sewing quota and Mrs. A. C. Houser and Miss Lou Ann Grady distributed 25 pairs of pajamas and 25 nightshirts and 11 packs consisting of 122 pieces to be finished and returned to headquarters by the 23rd of October. Achievement tour will be the next regular meeting, members will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Muller's on Oct. 22.

Those present were Mesdames C. E. Holmes, M. R. Hewell, W. C. Nolen, Fred Minick, J. H. Enderli, A. R. Allen, A. A. Evert, F. W. Farley, Bill England, G. W. Counter, J. C. Muller, D. A. Westbrook, Edwin Muller, George Smith, S. E. Askins, Miss Lou Ann Grady, and three visitors, Mrs. A. D. Doyle, Mrs. Pete Halsey and Mrs. Roy Knight, two new members, Mrs. L. D. Rivers and Mrs. M. D. Bratton.

W.M.U. Women Met At Church Monday

The W.M.U. met at the First Baptist church Monday, Oct. 6, in an all day meeting for the study of Missions.

Mrs. O. L. Clark brought an inspiring devotional from the 37th Psalms and led in prayer.

Following papers were read: "The Word and World Mission" by Mrs. A. H. Lohofener; "South America Waits for the Word," Mrs. M. P. Keith; "The Word in South America," Mrs. G. W. Ferguson; "Publishing the Word in South America," Mrs. C. O. Walling; "Students Carrying the Word," Mrs. F. M. McMurtry; "Send the Word," Mrs. Ady; "Evangelist Bearing the Word," Mrs. Daisy Acord, Mrs. A. C. Harris dismissed the meeting with prayer.

The Lockett served lunch to about thirty members and guests.

C.C.C. Ladies And Met Monday

Central Christian church ladies aid met Monday afternoon at the church with a good attendance. Mrs. Neal Hall brought the devotional. The group finished piecing the quilt for the orphans' home and made plans to meet in an all day meeting, Oct. 20 and quit the quilt.

Mrs. Neal Hall, Mrs. Jim Haley, Mrs. E. W. Poteet, Mrs. Gist, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Ratliff and Mrs. Martin attended the Tri-Council meeting at First Christian church in Wichita Falls, Tuesday.

Fire Prevention Week Oct. 5-11



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Schone-Weller Wedding Vows Recited Thursday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Melton was the scene of quiet marriage rites performed Thursday to unite Miss Mary Margaret Weller of Denver, Colo., and Staff Sgt. John G. Schone of Sheppard Field. Lieut. John R. Kittenger, chaplain read the vows in the presence of friends of the couple.

White gladioli and roses formed the central decorative note, back-grounded by massed blue and white table arrangements with a miniature wedding procession. Candles burned in candelabra to provide soft illumination. The bride was an attractive picture in a floor length white taffeta dress covered with a fitted bodice and full gathered skirt. Her finger length net veil was caught and held with pearl clips to form a halo around her head.

Sweetheart roses, gladioli intermingled with carnation and feverfew and tied with wide white satin completed the bridal bouquet of all white.

Nuptial music was given by Mrs. Hartford Inlow, pianist, and Miss Helen Benninger, vocalist. Mrs. Schone graduated from the East Denver high school in the 1940 class, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Weller of Denver, Colo. The groom is the son of Mrs. Esther Schone of Blabon, N. D., and is a graduate of the Blabon high school and is staff sergeant at Sheppard Field. They took a wedding trip to Galveston and are at home, 320 Magnolia street, Burkburnett.

Guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill, Rev. and Mrs. Boyd I. DeVore, Mrs. David Sanders, Mrs. Paul Browning, Mrs. Hettie Gilbert, Mrs. R. M. Gilchrist, Mrs. O. E. Melton and Misses Betty Gilchrist and Jean Thompson.

County P.T.A. Council Has All-Day Business Meeting

Approximately 85 members attended the Wichita County Council of Parents and Teachers session held in the Burkburnett High school auditorium Wednesday with Mrs. G. A. Turner, president, in charge.

Guest speakers for the day were Capt. Franklin Phillips of Sheppard Field and Dr. L. C. Robbins, Wichita County Health unit head. Captain Phillips spoke to the group on the technical training which will be afforded Sheppard Field soldiers. Dr. Robbins' address stressed the need of preventing disease and included suitable suggestions for prevention.

City View school won an attendance banner for the most parents present, and Friberg for the largest percentage present. In the reports City View, represented by Mrs. J. O. Roberts, tied for first place, Rocky Point was second and Pleasant Valley third. Mrs. I. T. Robbins was appointed historian, and Mrs. George Turner, president, was elected delegate to the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers convention in Austin in November. The group also voted to hold the February meeting in Cashion, and to extend a life membership to Mrs. W. S. Hart, former president.

Music was given by the Madrigal singers of Iowa Park. Rev. Boyd I. DeVore gave the invocation. Mrs. Robbins responded to the talk made by C. J. Duncan, superintendent of Burk schools. Mrs. Charles Murphy gave "Thanks."

Reports were given and luncheon served at noon by the Burkburnett women.

Mrs. Jude Willingham, president of the local Parent-Teacher Association, wishes to thank local faculty members and parents who helped in any way to make the county council meeting Wednesday, a success.

Mrs. Redman Hostess To Clara Demo. Club

The Clara Home Demonstration club met Tuesday, Oct. 7 at the home of Mrs. Wayne Redman for its regular meeting. Miss Farquhar, the county agent, was with us and gave an interesting lesson on table service.

Garments were passed out to sew for the Red Cross. Each member took a garment to be made by next Wednesday. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Ferguson, Good, Birkman, Butts, Prachel, Whitney, Sutterfield, Schroeder, Pearson, and three visitors, Miss Farquhar, Mrs. Vestal and Mrs. Welborn, and the hostess, Mrs. Wayne Redman.



Burk Citizens Observe Fire Prevention Week

SCHOOL CHILDREN TAKE PART IN EDUCATING GENERAL PUBLIC

Don't run, but walk to the nearest exit in case of fire. Don't play with matches.

These and other familiar "Don'ts" were reviewed for Burkburnett school children this week by Principal Ralph Davis of the Grade school and Norman Brittain, local fire marshal, who took the lead in promoting national fire prevention week here, Oct. 5-11.

A home inspection blank was given each child in the elementary schools. The pupil is to take the blank forms home, go over with his parents the points of danger mentioned and return the blank to his teacher. The form checks on light connections, oily rags kept in closed closets, rubbish heaps or other fire hazards. Each child will also be urged to clean out any accumulations in the alleys or on vacant lots near his home.

The issuance of the inspection form is in keeping with the fire prevention program of the national board of fire underwriters which began the week's observance years ago. During the last three years 400,000 such blanks have been issued. The national board also distributes fire prevention booklets and also measures to be taken in case of fire.

Along with inspection blanks for home use will go thorough inspection of every school in town by the local fire department to check on hazards and any danger points in the buildings. This rigid inspection of school buildings is part of the national fire prevention program and has saved thousands of dollars of public property and hundreds of student lives since its inception in the safety program.

A fire drill was called for the grade school and the students cleared the building in 50 seconds. The art students of the grade school also joined in the fire prevention week by drawing posters pertaining to fire prevention.

Wesley Bible Class Has Monthly Social

The Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist church met in regular monthly social hour in the home of Mrs. O. E. Melton last Thursday afternoon. The outgoing officers were hostess for the occasion.

Mrs. Boyd I. DeVore gave an inspiring devotional on "Going

Fire Prevention Week Oct. 5-11



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Rebekahs To Confer Degree Monday

Mrs. Thelma Martin presided during a regular meeting Monday night Oct. 6, and plans were made for initiation next Monday, Oct. 13. Committees were appointed for refreshments and the decorating of the hall for the initiation program.

Several members were absent due to illness in their homes. Mrs. Ruby Whitney resigned because of ill health and Mrs. Blanche Hayes was elected to take her place as team captain. Every member was urged to be present at the Monday night session and visitors are always welcome. —Reporter.

First Regular PTA Meeting Nov. 3rd

The Burkburnett Parent Teacher Association met Monday, Oct. 6, in the first regular meeting at the grade school auditorium. Mrs. Jude Willingham, president welcomed a large number of parents and teachers, and expressed her gratitude for their attendance.

The program was turned over to the leader, Miss Mary McGinnis and she introduced Mr. Sumpter Reed, band director. He directed the band in playing four numbers, Dorothy Preston gave a reading and the High School Choral club, directed by Miss Ethyle Virginia Allen, sang three popular numbers.

Mr. Kincaid, principal of the high school introduced the high

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Palace and Tex Theatres "Showing the Pick of the Pictures"	'Joe and Joe' Barber Shop Joe Bryant and Joe Nichols	Farmers Gin Co. Monte Bowles, Manager	Majors Variety Store "Where you get the Most for the Least"
Baldrige Chevrolet Co. The New Chevy and Olds are Here	Logan Electric Willard Batteries	Burkburnett Gin Co. W. S. Duvall, Manager	Burkburnett Star "Liked By Many—Cussed By Some— Read By Everybody"
Cruce, the Tailor Get Those Cubs	Morgan Pontiac Co. See the New Pontiac NOW	Shamburger Lumber Co. R. C. Tevis, Manager	

HARDIN GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

The L5-3 section lost two of its members last week. Dwayne Paul and Billy Stephens both moved away. We were awfully sorry to lose them, but we hope they like their new homes. (Ash-ton L5-3).

Joyce Wood is with us again. We are very happy to have her back with us. The Health club continues its work and the girls are outnumbering the boys in getting on the Honor chart. Those getting gold stars this week are Erna Lee Hill, Janie Lohmann, Betty Jo Simmons, Barbara Sui-vey, Olene Wellington, Fred Cle-ments, and Leroy Taylor. Bar-bara Jo Perry and Maxine Gibson had the best spelling papers in a test covering four weeks of work. Leroy Wheeler had the best geog-raphy test paper covering the unit about homes and neighbor-hoods. We have been doing extra work in arithmetic to prepare for a higher grade book we shall soon take up. (Smith L4-2).

Last week in art class we made comics as P.T.A. invitations to give to our parents. We are proud of our room, because during the bad weather last week we had very few pupils absent. We have already finished a reader since school began. Our new reader is the Elson Basic Reader, and it has many entertaining stories in it. (Dorothy Isbell L5-1).

We have had a number of ab-sences this week on account of the bad weather, but thus far we have had a very good attendance record. We are sorry that Buddy Hill has moved to Amarillo. We are giving special time to our Citizenship training now. We are stressing neatness, politeness, patri-otism, and other traits neces-sary to make a good citizen. We shall begin a Circus Unit next week. (Vann L2-1).

We are glad to have Billy Lind-berg and Scotty McIven back in school last week. Billy was ill, and Scotty has been visiting in Houston. Melvin Ramos, who has been ill, has recovered and re-turned to school. (Billingslee L1-1).

Rain or shine our L6-1 section will keep its "grit." We have had an almost perfect attendance all week except Thursday and even then we had several faithful ones. It is with a great deal of regret that we report the loss of Jeanette Hill from our class. We are hoping for her and the Hill family much happiness in Amar-illo and wherever they may go. (Doty L6-1).

The L7-2 section has decided to start a cactus collection for their room. While discussing ways by which to make their room more attractive, this idea was thought of and voted upon. The students and teacher are all sup-posed to bring cactus whenever they have the opportunity. The section had quite a crowd last Thursday; by the 8:50 bell, there were only six present. Later, however, the others began to drop in. (or swim in), one by one. (McSween L7-2).

We had two pupils withdraw last week. They were Wayne Gee and Odell Shaffer. Mrs. B. F. Hughes and Mrs. G. G. Jeffers are our room mothers. They are the mothers of Johnny Hughes and Gordon Jeffers. (Gibson L6-2).

We were sorry to have Bonnie Shaffer and Jerry Hutchins move away. We have been reading a new chart about a pet cat. We are learning to write our names. There are fifteen boys and girls absent Friday on account of the big rain. We were glad to be out-side Friday at recess. (Mrs. Grubbs L1-3).

Reba Lee Arnold, Jerry La-grone and Pauline Turner are ill this week. We hope they will soon be back in school. We are happy to have Jimmy Harreison enter our school this week. Al-bert New is visiting in Cisco this week. Carl Markham has moved to Fort Worth and Emma Lee Stephen has moved to Childress. (Majors L3-1).

Pupils in our room making a perfect score in spelling get their names on our honor roll. Names appearing on this weeks honor roll are Edna Hooper, Peggy Sue Dunn, Virginia Millar, Eloise Shaw, Charles Gist, and Laquinta Mazee. We are sorry we lost a pupil this week. Juanita Shaffer has moved to West Texas. (Solo-mon L5-2).

Football suits were checked out to the physical education classes at Hardin Grade, but due to the rains they were unable to suit out. The weather permitting this week

suits. The boys are very proud of the new suits and are anxious to get started. The physical edu-cation classes got three new foot-balls, two basketballs and a new soccerball and also games to be used inside during bad weather. (Burnett H6-1).

We were glad to get new read-ers for each section Friday. On Thursday of last week we had eighteen all-day visitors from L2-1, who had no teacher. We read and worked together. In the afternoon we learned a poem about the rain, and drew pictures about it. We were sorry that so many of our pupils had to miss school because of the rain. (Las-setter L2-2).

We are glad to have F. T. Felty in our room. He has been living in Shawnee, Okla. Pupils making the honor roll in spelling this week are Charles Wayne Cunter, Barbara Lea Ferguson, Billy Howard Gilbow, Mary Joy Gresh-ham, Clyde Hollingsworth, Billy George McClarty, Arnela Mull-er, Betty Lou Poole, and Lilla Ann Stradley. (Miss Jackson L4-1).

The music department furnis-hed music for the first P.T.A. meet-ing of the year which was held in Hardin grade auditorium, Oct. 6, 1941. The high school choral club made its first appearance in public at that time. The club is composed of fifty-six members. These girls are very enthusiastic about their work, and are striv-ing to get the most out of the club. Within the next few weeks the club plans to have uniforms. (Allen L7-1).

It is quite evident that the pu-pils of L7-3 are not afraid of water. Last Thursday out of thirty-one, all were present except 7. We are sorry to lose Elizabeth Day who moved to Enid, Okla. Bobby O'Connor was our new pupil last week. (McGinnis L7-3).

P.T.A. met on Monday of this week. We are expecting many of our parents to join the P.T.A. We only had ten present last Thursday during the big rain. Betty Ruth Goble and Evelyn Herring visited in Oklahoma over the week-end. (Goodwin L6-3).

The first grade has continued reading their Spot and School Charts this week. Then we com-posed a new one about Kittens, which contains several new words. Our attendance has been excel-lent this week with the excep-tion of the rainy days. (Mrs. Wal-ling L1-2).

There are some boys in our room who are interested in foot-ball. Bobby Lee Miller, Jerry Jack Miller, Clyde Reese, Billie Wimberly, James Gibson and Fred Fewin are members of the Pup squad. Truman Perry, a senior in high school and a former member of the Bulldog team is coaching them. Jo Glenn Gibson Bill Brown and J. T. Perry are members of the Junior squad and are being coached by Mr. Burnett. The Junior squad will play the Juniors of Electra, Thurs-day afternoon. Geraldine Klinker-man gave an excellent book re-port Friday. The name of the book was "Secret of the Old Clock", by Carolyn Keene. (Mrs. Kimbrew L8-1).

Publishers May Have Paper Supply Cut

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., Oct. 8—With national defense re-quiring 30 per cent of the paper production, Norbert A. McKenna, OPM official, said today that newspapers and other paper users in the United States would have 2 1/2 million tons of paper next year to do "the job which previ-ously only the profligate use of 25 1/2 million tons could accom-plish."

McKenna, chief of the pulp pa-per, printing and publishing branch of the Office of Produc-tion Management, said in an ad-dress prepared for a meeting of the Printers National Association that his office was dedicated to the maintenance of the 900,000 jobs and 60,000 proprietors of the industries "depending on the effi-cient production and conservative use of paper so long as it is pos-sible to do so consistent with meeting defense needs first."

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And the last trace of the Wob-bly-Bobby has disappeared at Corrigan with the tearing down of the old structure that was once the cotton platform of the W.B. T. & S. railroad.

All play the varied Game of Life. With chance to win or lose; The game goes on from day to day. To baffle or amuse.

Some play the game with confi-dence. Some paralyzed with fear; Some play with high expectancy. Some fail when victory's near.

Some play it neverusly and fast. Some stack the cards to cheat; Some play to pass the time away. Some white-faced, meet defeat.

Play on, my friend, the Game of Life. No matter how hard you fare; Play on, play hard, and play to win. But always play it square! —(Author Unknown.)

Although the special session to pass the county bond assumption law has just been over a short time, already agitation has start-ed for another special session. While the legislature is in ses-sion, uncertainty as to new taxes and new laws keeps business men, industry, and the public generally disturbed and worried.

and—as one observer expresses it—Texas is entitled to a recess from politics so its people can settle down to doing the things that will enable them to pay the new taxes—state and federal—and to turning out the things needed for national defense.

More entries in our old joke contest: She's tongue-tied—her tongue's tied in the middle and loose at both ends.

Is he slim? He's so skinny that he has to stand up twice to make a shadow. Where's my husband? He's down at the barn, slopping the hogs. He's the one with his hat on.

Del Rio has always suggested excitement to me. It all goes back to the days of my boyhood when my father had his boxball tent on the principal street of the border town. Just across the street was a saloon and, from time to time, the crash of overturned tables and the smash of glasses could be heard. Once the door flew open and three husky fel-lows came out, bearing the marks of battle, and 1st of all came the victor, the smallest man of the lot, his chest puffed out like a banty rooster.

While we were living in Del Rio, there was a "revolution" in Mexico and so a troop of American cavalry came to town. Some of them camped for a few days on the vacant lot next to us. . . . Barbecue pits were on several of the corners (like filling stations are now) and the goat barbecue was very good. . . . The stream that divided the town was singularly blue and you could stand on the bridge and

gaze at the big, silver fish in the clear depth. On the other side of the bridge was the Mexi-can portion of Del Rio with such formidable names as "Boston Bar-ber Shop" and "The New York Store" . . . Bread from the little Mexican bakeries with their adobe ovens in the back yard was delicious. I wonder if it would taste good now.

It is needless to name him, says the Milwaukee Post.

He is hated by the people of America, of Czechoslovakia, of Poland and Denmark. He is hated by the people of Norway, of Holland, of Belgium and of France. He is hated by the people of Yugoslavia, of Greece and of England. He is hated by millions in Germany, by millions in Italy, by millions in other European countries and in Asia, Africa, South and Central America.

Can such a man win a perma-nent place in the world? He arose by appealing to hate. He attracts what he gives out—hated. He will go down in a storm of hat-red.

A hunter was telling about a forest with trees so thick that he had to walk sideways, when he caught sight all at once of a buck, full-antlered, running through the woods.

"How could that buck run through the forest, if you had to turn sideways to get through?" demanded a listener. "Why, he had to pull in his horns—the way some of you have to do sometimes".

Rabbit Creek News

By Florence Griffith

(Received too late last week) Rosell Norton of Riverland visited Louise Hale Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Kinnard was ill last week staying in the Grandfield

hospital from Tuesday until Sun-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells and chil-dren, Barbara Sue and Dannie, of Oil City, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mc-Clendon.

Pauline Ashton of Lawton, spent the week-end at home.

Miss Lucille Killingsworth was reported ill last week.

Merle Hatcher spent Sunday with Ruth Smith of Valley View.

Gorman Rutledge of Alex, Okla., visited his brother, Horace Rutledge and family Sunday.

Mrs. James Grundy and chil-dren of Hobbs, N. Mex., are visit-ing Mrs. Grundy's father, J. N. Thornton.

Mr. H. D. Branson of Randlett visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bran-son Sunday.

Miss Bobbie Ashton accepted a position in the county agent's office last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burns and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Hor-ace Ridding of Devol Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Thornton of

Denison, visited relatives last week and Mrs. Glen Kemp home with them for a

W. M. Griffith hauled load of hogs to Fort Worth and received top

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Wichita Falls, Oct. 7. . . . ments were completed for running a 10-car spe-cial every 35 minutes from Station in Wichita Falls to Field Friday, Oct. 10, of the dedication of the corps' \$18,000,000 techni-cian school.

Jack C. Barnard pres-ident of the Jubilee Associa-tion, ed arrangements had been completed with the Katy through H. G. Smith, freight and passenger agent. Dedication of the fact highlight of the two-day celebration is expected to Wichita Falls the number of persons in history.

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by Ellery Queen

W-N-U RELEASE

CHAPTER 1

...morning haze, was the...
...along the narrow...
...looked out and up...
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...from a thatched hut...
...truddy little old man. He...
...ressidly at the door...
...in old English char-...
...trespassing — The

actor's voice was serene, like his eyes, but richer it seemed to Bruno, than any voice he had ever heard. "Quacey!"
The gnome stepped to the actor's side. "Gentlemen, this is my inseparable familiar and, I assure you, a genius. He has been my make-up man for forty years."
In some mysterious manner the two visitors sensed a tremendous link between these completely antitypical individuals and began to speak at once. Lane's eyes flickered from the lips of one to the lips of the other, and his face curved into the merest smile. "Separately please. I am quite deaf, you see. I can read only one pair of lips at a time—a latter-day accomplishment of which I am very vain."

Bruno cleared his throat. "Inspector Thumm and I both feel, Mr. Lane, we're presuming a bit in coming to you this way. I should never have sent my telegram, of course, if you hadn't solved the Cramer case for us in that really astounding letter of yours."
"Scarcely astounding, Mr. Bruno. You wished to consult me, according to your wire, on the Longstreet murder?"
"Are you sure, Mr. Lane, that the Inspector and I—Well, we know how busy you are."
"I shall never be too busy to dabble in the most elementary form of drama, Mr. Bruno." The voice was colored now with the faintest animation. "It was only after my forced retirement from the stage that I began to realize how theatrical life itself can be. The creatures of a play are, in Mercutio's evaluation of dreams, 'children of an idle brain begot of nothing but vain fantasy.' The visitors stirred at the magic that had leaped into Lane's voice. "Creatures of life, however, in their moments of passion present the larger aspects of drama. They can never be 'as thing of substance as the air and more inconsistent than the wind.' All my life in company I have been interpreting synthetic emotional climaxes. I have been, among others perhaps less noble, Macbeth, and I have been Hamlet. And, like a child viewing a simple wonder for the first time, I have realized the world has been full of Macbeths and Hamlets. True, but true. I now have the impulse to greater authorship than created drama. Everything fits so nicely; even my unfortunate affliction—a lean finger touched his ear—"a lean finger to sharpen my powers of concentration. I have only to close my eyes and therefore without physical disturbance..."

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"Please," said Lane, "give me a scrupulously detailed account, Inspector."
On the previous Friday afternoon (ran the story related by Inspector Thumm and with occasional interpolations by the District Attorney), two people sat closely embraced on the sitting-room of a suite at the Hotel Grant, Forty-Second Street and Eighth avenue.

They were Harley Longstreet, middle-aged Wall Street broker, of powerful body ravaged by years of dissipation, dressed in rough tweeds; Cherry Browne, musical comedy star, a brunette with bold Latin features, black flashing eyes, passionate arched lips.

Longstreet kissed her and she cuddled in his arms. "I hope they never come."
The man disengaged himself. "They'll be here. When I tell Johnny DeWitt to jump, he jumps!"
"But why drag him here with that frosty bunch of his if they don't want to come?"
"Because I like to see the old buzzard squirm. He hates my guts, and I love it." He crossed the room and poured himself a drink.

"Sometimes," the woman said, "I can't figure you out. What you get out of tormenting him is beyond me." She shrugged. "Is Mrs. DeWitt coming, too?"
"Why not? Now don't go harping on her again, Cherry. I've told you a hundred times there's nothing between us."
"Not that I care." She laughed. "But it would be just like you to steal his wife, too." She jumped up at the sound of a buzzer and hurried to the door. "Pollux, old-timer! Come in!"

A flashily dressed oldish man with a dark face and carefully pomaded thinning hair put his arms around the woman.
"Remember my old pal, Pollux?" Her voice was gay. "Master Mind-Reader of the Age on the two-a-day. Shake hands, you two."
The buzzer sounded again and Cherry opened the door to admit a small party of people.

A little slender middle-aged man with gray hair and a brush-gray moustache came in first. Longstreet strode forward, exuding cordiality. John O. DeWitt shrank as the big man brushed by him to receive the other members of the party.
"Fern! This is a nice surprise."
—This to a faded stoutish woman of Spanish type, with the barest traces of a vanished beauty on her lacquered face; DeWitt's wife, Jeanne DeWitt, a petite brownish girl, nodded coldly; she pressed closer to her escort, Christopher Lord, a tall blond young man. Longstreet ignored him and pumped the hands of Franklin Ahearn, DeWitt's closest friend, and Louis Imperiale, another friend—a middle-aged Swiss meticulously dressed.

"Mike!" Longstreet clapped the back of a broad man who had just slouched through the door. Michael Collins was a brawny Irishman with porcine eyes and an apparently fixed expression of hospitality. Longstreet grasped his arm. "Now don't crab the party, Mike," he whispered. "I told you I'd get DeWitt to fix things up. Go over there and take a bracer."
Walters appeared. Ice chimed in glasses. The DeWitt party were for the most part silent, strained. Longstreet swooped Cherry Browne demure and suddenly shy, into the curve of one great arm. "Friends! You all know why you are here. Gala occasion for the whole firm of DeWitt & Longstreet an' all well-wishers." His voice was a little thick now. "Have the honor to present to you—future Mrs. Longstreet!"

At 5:45 Longstreet excitedly shouted: "Arranged a little dinner party at my place in West Englewood. F'got to tell you about it. Surprise! All invited." He consulted his watch owlishly. "C'n make reg'lar train if we start now. C'mo neverybody!"

DeWitt protested that he had made other arrangements for the evening, that his own guests... Longstreet glared. "I said everybody!" Imperiale shrugged; a faint puzzled light glowed in Lord's eyes as he turned to look at DeWitt...

The entire party crowded into an elevator. In the lobby Longstreet bought a late newspaper and ordered taxicabs. On the sidewalk the doorman whistled desperately as weeks of hot weather gave way suddenly to a vicious downpour.

Pollux whooped: "Here comes a Crosstown!"
Longstreet snatched off his glasses, returned them to the case, and the case to his left pocket. He waved his right hand. "Devil with cabs!" he shouted. "Let's take the car!"
The street car squealed to a stop

as the Longstreet party dashed to it, Cherry clinging to Longstreet's left arm, Longstreet's left hand still in his pocket.
The car was freighted to capacity.

Longstreet swayed with the rocking motion of the car, a dollar bill clutched in his right fist above the heads of his fellow passengers. The humidity, with all the windows closed, induced a feeling of suffocation.

The conductor wriggled about and took Longstreet's bill. Longstreet received his change and began to shoulder his way after his party. He found Cherry, who grasped his right arm. The car edged on toward Ninth avenue.

Longstreet thrust his hand into his pocket and felt about for his spectacle case. A moment of this, and with a sudden curse he snatched his hand from the pocket, bringing out the silver case. Cherry said: "What's the matter?" Longstreet uncertainly examined his left hand; the palm and underside of the fingers were bleeding in a number of places. "Must've scratched myself. What in the world could've...?" he began thickly. The car lurched and stopped; people fell forward. Instinctively Longstreet groped for a strap with his left hand, and Cherry held on to his right arm for support. The car jerked forward again a few feet. Longstreet dabbed heavily at his bleeding hand with a handkerchief, returned the cloth to his trousers, extracted his glasses from the case, dropped the case into his pocket, and made as if to open the folded newspaper he held tucked under his right arm.

The car stopped at Ninth avenue. A crowd pounded on the doors, but the conductor shook his head.
Longstreet suddenly released the strap, dropping the unread newspaper, and felt his forehead. He was panting like a man in great pain. Cherry hugged his right arm in alarm, turned as if to call for help...

The car was between Ninth and Tenth avenues now, stopping, starting, stopping, in the maze of traffic.
Longstreet gasped, stiffened convulsively, widened his eyes, and collapsed.
Cherry screamed. Necks craned and the Longstreet party pushed their way toward the spot. Michael Collins caught the actress as she reeled.

(To be continued)

Zeke Says . . .

By Nugent Ezekiel Brown

Washington (Special)—The biggest surprise of the week in Washington was the unscheduled appearance here on last Tuesday morning of Governor Coke Stevenson. The first anyone here knew about his visit was about 9 a. m., when his big western hat was found in the waiting room of Senator O'Daniel. The Senator carried him, after their conference, to the office of Speaker Sam Rayburn. The Speaker carried the governor to the White House at 11, where they waited exactly one hour before they got to see President Roosevelt. Speaker Rayburn then hurriedly invited the entire Texas delegation to his private dining room in the Capitol for a luncheon honoring Stevenson. This luncheon was attended by most of the Texas members of Congress, including Senators Tom Connally and O'Daniel, Commerce secretary Jesse Jones and newspapermen representing Texas papers. Mr. Rayburn briefly told the group that he had wired the Governor to come up this week so "he could meet the President." The short 10 minute interview with President Roosevelt, after a wait of an hour, would indicate the governor came here for other reasons. After lunch, he visited several members of the delegation, then held another conference with Senator O'Daniel late in the afternoon. Then Governor Coke took off with Joe Montague of Fort Stockton to a hotel to "wait until train time." The Governor had come direct from Amarillo where he had been scheduled to deliver an address Monday but which was cancelled because of the trip here. He left here Tuesday night by train for Texas.

"No sir, I don't fly," the Junction lawyer-Governor explained. The governor had a good time, as all could see, in his hurried day, and kept his pipe in his mouth as usual. Photographers made a picture of him at the luncheon, sitting beside Sam Rayburn and Jesse Jones. Speaker Rayburn saw that big slices of corn bread were served with the liver and vegetable dinner. Everybody felt very much like they were sitting down to dinner back home in Texas. Congressman Wright Pat-

man sat between Senator O'Daniel and Congressman Lyndon Johnson. And everybody had a good time.

Still Hot In Washington

October first found folks in Washington sweltering in temperature of 94 in the afternoon with the dryest weather in many years. The long drouth this summer and fall causes more heat, it is said, than usual this late. A few men are still wearing straw hats about town, just like they are doing in Texas now. Tuesday was one of the busiest days of the year in this busy boom town. Thousands flocked to stores buying articles which were due to be increased in price the next day because of the new taxes. Liquor stores here did a land-office business. Everywhere you go in this town, you have to get at the end of a line in order to spend your money. Long lines form in front of all movie houses every night in the week. Long lines form in all the cafes and places which are most popular eating places. Long lines form even at the various post office branches.

On August 1st, according to a report this week, the Civil Service Commission counted 185,182 employes working inside the District, a gain of only 946 employes over July 1st. For the last year, an average of 3000 new employes have been hired each month but some of the agencies have been moved to Baltimore New York City and other places because of lack of room here. The total number of employes in the United States on civil service now numbers 1,391,687—an all-time record.

Dies Attacks President's Defense of Reds

When President Roosevelt unwittingly told a press conference the other day that religious freedom is guaranteed by the Constitution of the Russian Soviets, he started fireworks that will be popping many days. One of the first to condemn the President for the statement was Congressman Martin Dies, head of the un-American Committee, who said, "any effort to dress the Soviet wolf in the sheep's clothing of the Four Freedoms, should be condemned by Americans. Dies bluntly told the President

that the administration's new-found friendship for Russia would not halt his activities. Father Edmund A. Walsh, vice-president of Georgetown University, in Washington, differs with the President on conditions in Russia but says the President can force the Russian leaders to declare for religious freedom in exchange for help to fight Hitler's Germany.

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:-: About People You Know :-:

Mrs. William Cates, Commerce, Texas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kent a few days last week.

Clarence Gilbert was a week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert. He is a student at A. and M. college at College Station.

New shipment of pot plants and perennials at Mrs. Gilbert's Flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Roye left Saturday for a two weeks vacation. They are visiting with Mrs. Christine Dunn and children in Vanderbilt and other southern points.

Dutch Wolfe left Monday for a three weeks vacation at Stoveall Wells in Young County.

Mrs. G. D. Thompson of Donna, Texas, visited Mrs. Artie Whitesides and Ed Richard last week. She left Saturday for a visit with her daughter in Snyder, Okla.

Mrs. Jim Brand is spending this week in Houston as the guest of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Majors were business visitors in Dallas last Friday. On their return trip home they were held up and had to spend the night in their car near Nocona, due to the flood water that blocked the highway.

Lorene Hatcher has returned to Burkburnett after spending the last year in California. She is with her mother, Mrs. Bob Key at present.

Mrs. J. L. Hughes of Nocona and her son, Lester (Looney) Hughes of Chanute Field in Illinois, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gage Tuesday.

Harvey Bentley Jr., will leave

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CALENDAR

American Legion Auxiliary to meet with Mrs. Gilbert, 2:30 p. m., Friday afternoon.

University Study club meets with Mrs. C. O. Wills, Oct. 13.

Blue Bonnett Garden club meets with Mrs. A. H. Bazell, Oct. 14, Mrs. H. R. Hayes, co-hostess.

Chaplain John R. Kittenger and a chorus of men from Sheppard Field will have charge of the services at the First Methodist church Sunday night.

The Dorcas Class of the Baptist church, Mrs. O. L. Clark, teacher, invites old members and welcomes new ones.

Band Parent club will meet 7:30 p. m., Monday, Oct. 13, at the High school auditorium.

THRIFT NEWS

THRIFT BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G. W. Bales, pastor Sunday school, 9:45; morning service, 11:00; B.T.U., 7:00; evening worship, 8:00.

W.M.S. started their week of prayer for state Missions last week. Because of bad weather, only three services were held.

W.M.S. met Monday, Oct. 6 for Royal Service program in the Sunday school building, with 14 members present. Circle two gave a very interesting program.

Lunch was served at noon to members and their families.

Afternoon business was presided over by Mrs. L. A. Hodges, president. Plans to organize a Junior G. A. was completed. Mrs. Loraine Greer was elected counselor, Monday, Oct. 13, the W.M.S. will meet in circle meetings.

Although there was no local meeting of the P.T.A., this week has been very important on account of the County Council meeting in Burkburnett. Our association had five delegates attending: Mrs. J. O. Roberts, A. R. Penstine, Jay Bayne, Loyd Wright and Mrs. T. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holland of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Moody are spending this week in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Roberts announce the arrival of a granddaughter in California. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Billie J. Roberts.

Mrs. Y. C. Paschall's father died last week and she has been with her mother several days at her home in Terrell. People of the Thrift community extend sympathy to Mrs. Paschall.

T. J. Bruce of Commerce is visiting in the home of Tom Williams. Mr. Bruce is Mrs. Williams' father. —Reporter.

Rabbit Creek News

By Florence Griffith

Mrs. Will Linsky who has been under the care of a doctor at Walters, Okla., has been moved to the University hospital at Oklahoma City for treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton and daughters, Pauline, of Lawton, and Bobbie of Walters, took Tia Juana Ashton to Oklahoma City Sunday, where she will enter business college.

Miss Modena Elkins made a trip to Galveston and Houston last week.

Mr. McBride and sons, Oscar and Drew, of Burkburnett, were visitors in the Griffith family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Griffith and children were Wichita Falls visitors Saturday.

Merle Hatcher visited Ruth Smith of Valley View Sunday.

Methodist Announcements

Mens' chorus from Sheppard Field will give several special numbers at the services Sunday night at the First Methodist church.

Chaplain John R. Kittenger of Sheppard Field will preach at 7:30 p. m., at the First Methodist church Sunday, followed by a reception in the basement of the church for Chaplain Kittenger and the chorus of twenty-five men.

Rev. Boyd I. DeVore will use as his sermon subject Sunday morning at the First Methodist church "The Sabbath Was Made For Man."

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Wichita Negro Given 25 Years

Wichita Falls, Oct. 7—Twenty-five years in the state penitentiary was assessed William Wright, negro, for murder in a jury verdict returned at 9 o'clock Friday morning before Judge Irvin J. Vogel in 78th district court.

Evidence had been given the jury about 9 o'clock Thursday night after one day had been consumed in examination of witnesses. A verdict was ready at 8:45 a. m. Friday, but its announcement awaited arrival of Judge Vogel at 9 o'clock.

Wright was convicted in connection with the death of Aaron Lockett, negro, killed instantly on the night of Aug. 30 by a shot between his eyes as he sat in a parked automobile on Cleveland street.

Wright likewise faces a murder charge in the death of Joe Martin, negro, whose death last Sunday allegedly was the result of having been shot and beaten with a pistol by Wright at the same time Lockett was killed.

Mrs. Beldon's Father Buried 2:00 p. m., Tuesday

Last rites for William G. Burrows, 69, engineer for the Wichita Falls Clinic hospital who died in Wichita Falls, Saturday, were held at the First Baptist church in Wichita Falls, Tuesday at 2 p. m., with Dr. Fred Eastham, pastor, and Rev. Jack W. Manning of Burkburnett, officiating.

Interment was conducted by Merkle Undertaking Company at Rosemont cemetery.

Burrows who resided at 1502 Twelfth street is survived by his wife; three daughters, two sons, and four grandchildren.

WOMEN in the NEWS

IT TAKES COURAGE

Eight months ago Jean Fitzgerald, 23, Souix City, Iowa, fell from a 40-foot cliff at Santa Monica, Calif., and broke her back. After weeks in a cast she is able to walk with the help of a special brace. The other day she was offered a screen test. And now she has a film contract.

THE PRESIDENT'S MOTHER

The death of Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt, the President's mother, on September 7 brought out some charming little stories about her. . . . She spoke proudly of "my son, the President," but thought nothing of interrupting a conference to ask him what he wanted for lunch. . . . She traveled widely, and when she was in London a few years ago she visited Queen Mother Mary in her private apartments rarely seen by anyone outside the royal family. . . . She was buried, according to Dutch custom, at the left side of her husband, as she stood at his left when they were married.

STICK 'EM UP

Nazi officials are insisting that women as well as men give the Nazi salute in answer to the greeting "Heil Hitler." Calling a ladylike nod a disgrace, they admonish the women to "get the lead out of their arms." A conservative is a man who has something to conserve.

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Sweeping Machine Kills Thrift Man

Edgar A. Miller, 47, of Thrift, was injured fatally Sunday night when he was run over by a municipal sweeping machine in Phoenix, Arizona. It required 25 minutes to extricate his body.

He was a brother of Mrs. John Netherland of Thrift.

Funeral services and burial were held in Rule, Texas.

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