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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin, March 25.—The raiding rangers and Gov. Jimmie Allred's policy of using them to close open saloons and gambling houses in the state's principal cities has temporarily diverted public attention from the legislature. The first reaction from the large cities was rather severe criticism of the governor.

But the secondary reaction has proved again that Jimmie Allred is perhaps the keenest judge of what is going on in the minds of the majority of people of Texas who sat in the governor's chair in many years. It also proved the governor makes few political mistakes.

The governor has talked rather freely about his action. He has pointed out that law enforcement was one of the principal planks in his platform, and his friends say he warned the saloonkeepers and gambling house operators from every platform in Texas last summer that he intended to enforce the law.

Actually, the governor has no idea or intention of trying to enforce the laws with the handful of rangers at the disposal of Adj. Gen. Carl Nesbitt. But already sheriffs and district attorneys have been falling all over themselves to assure the governor it isn't necessary to send rangers to their communities, and begging for a chance to enforce the law in their own counties and districts. All the governor ever intended to do was "turn the heat" on these derelict local officials. The spectacular raids in Galveston, San Antonio, Fort Worth and Houston and elsewhere have sent the criminals who have defied the law openly scurrying for cover. The rangers were criticized by some well-meaning citizens for smashing the expensive furnishings of the gambling houses. But the governor, in his radio talk, quickly pointed out they were directed by the law to do just that.

There is a good story going the rounds in Austin which may or may not be entirely true, but it is given wide credence. It is said that the proprietor of one of the smashed night clubs in a south Texas city sent a check for \$25,000 as a contribution to Allred's campaign fund during the campaign last summer. The check, so the story goes, was promptly returned from the Allred headquarters. The club operator, loudly bewailing his smashed night club, is said to have cursed Allred loudly for his "ingratitude." The ease with which certain local enforcement officials have been persuaded to ignore open saloons and gambling houses makes it difficult for their operators to understand a governor who makes campaign pledges and then goes right out and fulfills them.

These are strange times, but occasionally a peep into the pages of history reveals a perfect answer to some of the troublesome questions that present-day officials think are entirely new. To the question of whether Texas should surrender control of her oil industry to Washington bureaucrats, James Stephen Hogg, one of Texas' greatest chief executives, once gave a perfect answer. It was contained in a veto message, when he killed a bill the legislature passed authorizing the state prison system to accept a bounty from the federal government for raising sugar on prison lands. He said: "In the management of her affairs, she (Texas) is sovereign, supreme, subject only to the control of the people within her dominion. To accept this bounty for sugar, she would surrender the supervision and inspection of one of her most important industries from the federal government for spoils she would open the way for the invasion and final destruction of her independent autonomy. For

New Building Being Erected

H. A. Foy has torn down his old sheet iron building on the highway and a new and modern brick building is to take its place as soon as an old brick building on the back of his lots can be torn down. Work of wrecking the old building is already under way. The new building will front on the highway and will be 25x64 feet in size.

EAST SIDE SINGING CONVENTION HERE SUNDAY

The East Side singing convention of Mitchell County will meet at the Loraine Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Quite a number of out of county singers are expected to be present and a big time is being looked forward to. Everyone is invited to attend.

THE W. M. S.

The Womens Missionary Society met at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 in a social and business meeting. The meeting was called to order by the president. Two songs, Take the Name of Jesus With You and Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone, were sung. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Emma Land. Devotional and prayer by Mrs. C. B. Meador.

The society voted to send Mrs. Meador as a delegate to Childress in April. We are taking up a new study, The Orientals in America. Mrs. Ed Williams discussed the first chapter.

We had a good program which was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. K. L. Taylor rendered Thine Own as a special. Dell Johnson read Make Believe and Buddy. Wennola Martin gave a very interesting reading, Ladies Aid. Delicious punch and cookies were served at the social hour to about 25 members and several visitors. We hope our visitors will be with us again.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Phillips visited his brother, W. T. Phillips who is in the hospital at Stamford, last Thursday.

a mess of pottage, seasoned with the sacrifice of principle, she would surrender her birthright." He might have been talking to the boys who want to accept federal control and aid for a Texas oil industry that is returning more than \$45,000,000 in state taxes alone to Texas.

The hearing before a senate committee on the proposed constitutional amendment to exempt homesteads up to \$3000 assessed valuation from all except school taxes was a remarkable session in several respects. There was virtually no opposition to the plan, although a score of city officials appeared as nominal opponents, they were for relief for the small home owners, on a practicable basis, and merely cited figures to show what would happen to the cities and towns if the amendment should be adopted in its present form. Bailey Jones of New Braunfels, Mayor Tom Miller of Austin, City Manager Bill Taylor of Longview, Mayor Pete Renfro of Beaumont, and others all pointed out that exemption of \$3000 homes would halve their cities' revenue, cripple municipal services and force many to default on bonds heretofore issued in good faith.

"I don't believe that we ought to carry the man who owns a \$3000 homestead for a free ride on municipal service," said Mayor Tom Miller. "I believe any good American wants to pay, and ought to pay, a little something for what he gets from his community. I think the idea of this exemption originated in the minds of members of the legislature, and not with the people. Nobody has come to my office and asked for it—and if the people of Austin demanded it some of them would have been in to see me."

Home Destroyed By Fire Saturday

The Andrew McGehee home on Main Street was completely destroyed by fire last Friday night shortly after midnight. The house had been vacant for a week or two, B. B. Honea having moved out, and the origin of the fire is unknown.

Firemen made a quick run to the scene but the house was a total loss before they arrived. They did good work, however in saving the Olen Mayes home next door.

BUSINESS MEN IN MEETING

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Loraine Business Mens League Monday night J. C. Hall was elected president of the organization to succeed R. C. George who recently resigned.

A committee appointed recently to investigate the possibility of having the gas company to test gas pipes in Loraine, reported that the company is ready and willing to test any gas pipes in town at and time for leaks without cost. It was urged that anyone in town who thinks he might have a leak in his pipes call on them for a test at any time. Such a test might prevent a disaster and the gas company is anxious to cooperate in any way it can to prevent such occurrence.

A committee of three, consisting of Brack Watlington, Kelley Treadway and J. B. Mahon was appointed to meet with the city council and work with them in an effort to slow down traffic on the highway through Loraine. Fast driving through here is a menace to the lives of our people and it was suggested that the committee and the city council work with the commissioners court in an effort to remedy the situation.

After the accident at the fire Monday night which did severe injury to a thumb of O. I. Griffin a committee of three was appointed to see the manager of the Texas Electric Service Company and to see if a plan can be worked out whereby the light company can keep a man stationed in Loraine at all times to attend to such things. The committee is composed of R. K. Thornhill, R. B. Cope and A. Callahan.

It was decided that the tickets used in the gift purse be destroyed after being in the box one month.

The time for the meeting of the organization was set for 7:45 on the first and third Monday night of each month.

BROWNLEE NOTES

The community received a light shower Tuesday morning. Some of the farmers are planting feed this week.

The play "Mrs. Tubbs of Shanty Town", presented by the Luther League of Winters, was well attended and enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. F. Baumann, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ohlenbusch and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Buchschacher and daughters of Big Spring were among the visitors in the home of August Lehmann Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hilmer returned to their home in Sherwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marth and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Marth at Roscoe.

Mrs. T. M. Mahon, Norma and Frieda Lehmann attended the County Federation at Roscoe Saturday.

Several from here attended the Senior play at Roscoe Friday night.

Miss Edith Woodard spent the week end with her parents at Mesquite.

Miss Lena Ohlenbusch was able to resume her work Monday morning after being ill for several days.

Miss Grace Buzzell, County Nurse, spent Thursday at the school home giving vaccinations.

Mayor & 2 Aldermen Elected Tuesday

J. C. Hall was elected Mayor of Loraine Tuesday, receiving 56 of the 58 votes cast. He will succeed Alonzo Phillips who has served four years.

Two new aldermen were elected to succeed Arlie Martin and Clyde Wilson who were not up for reelection. The two new aldermen are K. L. Taylor and R. B. Cope. J. N. Narrell was re-elected. Other candidates on the ballot were J. B. Mahon, A. Callahan and W. E. Dickenson.

OPENING HELPY SELFY LAUNDRY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Sisson and family of Clarendon, Texas, have moved to Loraine and are to open a Helpy-Selfy Laundry in the old Dee Land Filling Station next Monday morning. This is a new enterprise for our town and those who can should patronize it. We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Sisson with us and hope they will be able to build up a paying business.

LONE STAR H. D. CLUB

"Every rural home has a chair that needs reseating," remarked Miss Gunter, county home demonstration agent, at the meeting of the Lone Star Home Demonstration club at the home of Mrs. Allen Beatty Tuesday, April 2.

In the business session a club budget of \$10 was voted. The club is to have a community party at the home of Mrs. Paul Stewart Friday night, April 10. Mrs. Cline Taylor gave some points on paint brushes and how to thin paint in refinishing furniture. Miss Gunter gave a demonstration on reseating a chair with cane.

The following members were present: Mrs. Cline Taylor, Mrs. Paul Stewart, Mrs. Albert Orr, Ms. Plez Beatty, Mrs. H. P. Albright, Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Mrs. Henry Taylor, and Mrs. Allen Beatty the hostess. Visitors were Mrs. J. B. Burns and Mrs. I. M. Coffee.

Denton, Texas, March—Mrs. Willie May Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bert Smith, was one of the thirty-six geography students of North Texas State Teachers making a field trip through East Texas last week getting a first-hand knowledge of geographical facts. The group went by bus to Grand Saline, where they visited the Morton Salt Company; to Lindale, where the soil erosion project was studied; to Nacogdoches, where the College, lumber mills, fertilizer plant, and other places of interest were visited; to Polk County, where they were conducted through the village of the Alabama and Coushatta Indians, to Huntsville, where they visited Sam Houston Museum as well as the state penitentiary; and to Trinidad where they were entertained at a banquet by the officials of Texas Power and Light Company. This trip was under the direction of Miss Mary Jo Cowling of the geography department of the college.

Mrs. Thompson is a sophomore in Denton Teachers College and is majoring in Art. She is a member of the House President's club. She attended Texas Technological College, Lubbock, before entering school in Denton.

CROP PRODUCTION LOANS NOW AVAILABLE

Crop production loans are now available to farmers of this county. Those interested in securing a loan should go to the relief office in Colorado and make application.

J. P. Jobb is having a modern new brick home built on his place.

Blacksmith Shop Damaged By Fire

The C. F. Glass Blacksmith Shop was badly damaged by fire early Monday night. The fire suddenly broke out less than two hours after the shop was closed for the night and it is supposed to have started from a fire box in one of the forges.

The damage to tools, welding equipment and other items was estimated to be about \$1,000 by C. F. Glass, owner of the shop. No insurance was carried.

In attempting to climb an extension ladder to cut the electric wires going into the shop O. I. Griffin suffered a bad injury to his left thumb when the upper section of the ladder fell and caught the member between the rungs of the ladder.

WELL KNOWN NEGRO DIED HERE MONDAY

Andy Davis, 56, well known negro of this community, died at his home south of Loraine Monday morning at 11 o'clock following an illness of three weeks which developed into pneumonia.

The body was shipped to Frost, Texas, where the funeral services were held and interment made.

He moved to the Loraine community from Frost in 1924 and has made his home here since that time. He was prominent among the colored people of this community, and was a member of the Methodist Church in Colorado.

He is survived by his wife and a brother, Arno Davis, of Frost.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM FOR APRIL 7, 1935

Leader—Opal Martin. Song Service—Harold Bennett. Hymn—"More About Jesus." Prayer—Leader. Talk—Loyce Beatty. Talk—Eldon Mahon. Special Song—Winnadel Rowland.

Talk—Jim Marshall. Hymn—"What a Friend." Business. Benediction.

The Epworth League has been re-organized, and we are going to put forth our best efforts to make our organization the very best in the district. We wish to extend cordial invitation to all the young people of our community, who does not attend another young people's organization, to come to our services. We believe you will receive a blessing from these programs. You will always be welcome.

P. T. A. TO MEET THURSDAY

The Loraine P. T. A. will meet in regular meeting at the high school auditorium Thursday afternoon at four o'clock in a program of "Good Morals." The following program will be rendered: Invocation—Rev. C. B. Meador. Music—Directed by Mrs. K. L. Taylor.

Address—"Safeguarding the Child from Meral Harm"—Dr. C. Q. Smith, president of McMurry College.

The program is an exceptionally good one and the public is invited and urged to attend.

BAPTIST NOTES

There was a large crowd present for Sunday School Sunday. There being 170 for Sunday School with 2 new pupils and 3 visitors. We are glad of this increase in attendance, but we want to see more come.

Brother Hardin delivered a good sermon on "Tithing" taking his text from the 1st twelve verses of the 3rd chapter of Malachi.

There was a good crowd present for the evening service. Brother Charlie Mathis of Roscoe filled the pulpit at this hour. He brought a very good sermon on "Sin." Taking his text from the 2nd Chapter of Genesis.

Mrs. Crownover Buried Tuesday

Mrs. G. L. Crownover died at the family home north of Loraine Monday morning shortly after 8 o'clock, following an illness of several weeks. She had not been in good health for some time but her illness did not become serious until a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Crownover have made their home in the Loraine Community for 29 years and have reared a family of boys and girls who are splendid citizens of the communities where they live.

Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 with Rev. A. C. Hardin, pastor of the church in charge. He was assisted by Rev. Nelson, pastor of the church at Roscoe, and Rev. G. W. Parks, of Roscoe, former pastor of the Crownover family in Callahan County.

Interment was made in the Loraine Cemetery under the direction of the Loraine Undertaking Company.

The esteem in which Mrs. Crownover and her family is held in the community was demonstrated by the large concourse of friends and the profuse floral offering.

Mary Etta Norris was born in Grayson County, Texas October 2, 1872, and moved to Burnet County with her father's family when just an infant. She became a Christian at the age of 18 and joined a Missionary Baptist Church and remained a faithful member throughout her life.

She was married to G. L. Crownover December 16, 1891. To this union were born 9 children, 3 of whom preceded her in death. Survivors are the husband, four sons Ira C. and W. R. of Crane, Norris L. of Odessa, and Frank D. of Loraine, and two daughters Mrs. Pauline Smiley and Mrs. W. T. Heck of Loraine. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. W. R. Crownover of Abilene, Mrs. E. P. McCarty of Bluffdale, and five grand children.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

The attendance upon all classes through the past quarter at Church of Christ averaged 72. Chapters read 3922. The average of daily readers was 24. Groceries were furnished to both Boles and Tipton Orphan Homes. A special contribution of \$5.00 was made to Bole's Orphanage last Sunday.

We have room for others who are interested in the Lord's work. Worship with us when convenient.

MAHON OFFERS BILL FOR NEW FEDERAL COURT

George H. Mahon, representative from this district in Congress has introduced a bill to create a new federal district court to be known as the northwestern district of Texas.

"I am opposed to creation of a new judgeship in the present northern district without creation of a new district because the district is so large that it is imperative we have a separate district and a separate judge," Mr. Mahon said. "At present, there are two active and one inactive federal judges in the northern district, two of whom live in Dallas and one in Fort Worth.

"I am opposed to selection of an active judge to replace Judge Edward R. Meek at Dallas because I believe the emergency could best be handled by creation of a new district."

The new district proposed by Mr. Mahon would include the present Amarillo, Lubbock, Abilene and San Angelo divisions of the northern district.

Mahon's bill would not specify where the new judge, should he be appointed, would sit, leaving that to President Roosevelt and the attorney general's department.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Anglo-German Conversations Disappointing, Simon Reports; Hitler's Demands Include Return of Colonies, Air and Naval Parity, and Minimum Army of 500,000.

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FOREIGN SECRETARY SIMON returned to England from his historic talks with Chancellor Hitler, and reported to the cabinet that Germany is seeking return of the colonies she lost in the war and a greatly increased navy. He said that Hitler admits Germany's air force equals that of Britain. Prime Minister MacDonald then called on King George to whom he gave a preliminary report of Simon's talks, which have been described as "disappointing."

Hitler made a bold play for Anglo-German understanding, declaring both nations should unite to defend western civilization against Communism and the colored races. Briefly, his demands were:

First—Germany must have an army with a minimum of 36 divisions—500,000 men—as decreed.

Second—Germany wants parity in the air with Britain. Hitler admitted that Germany now possesses equality with Britain. Hitler stressed the danger to which Germany is exposed in the air. He declared that Russia is using Czechoslovakia as a European air base. He demanded return of certain Czechoslovak territory and repatriation of 3,500,000 German residents there.

Third—Hitler wants a navy equal to one-third of the British fleet, which is tantamount to 400,000 tons. The British admiral is opposed to such a ratio and Germany has been invited to bilateral naval discussions in London.

Fourth—Germany wants return of her former colonies. Little encouragement was given Hitler on this score.

Fifth—Hitler refused to have anything to do with an eastern pact, though he is willing to enter nonaggression pacts with Germany's neighbors, as he did with Poland.

Sixth—Hitler is prepared to sign a pact of noninterference in the affairs of Austria, but only if it means noninterference by all powers.

In Berlin demonstrators howled their resentment at death sentences imposed by Lithuania on four Nazis, and only stout police resistance kept the mob from the Lithuanian delegation itself. The four were convicted when a Lithuanian military court trying 126 Nazis on an asserted plot to start an armed uprising in Memel, former German territory, found them guilty. Eighty-seven others were sent to prison.

As Capt. Anthony Eden, British arms expert, begins his conferences with Soviet officials, observers believe the Russians will marshal every resource to convince Eden that the only safe course for the rest of the world is to bring sufficient pressure on Germany to induce her to accept the eastern security pact. The official press continues to stress that the rearmament of Germany threatens Russia, and that the conflict growing out of any German attack would spread all over Europe and Asia. This is but a confirmation of Litvinoff's contention that "peace is indivisible." League of Nations circles predict that France, Russia and Czechoslovakia will conclude an eastern pact as an answer to Hitler's new conscript army. Whether any effort will be made to bring Great Britain into this, is not known.

CONSIDERABLY mutilated, the administration's \$4,890,000,000 work relief bill finally got through the senate by a vote of 68 to 16, and was returned to the house later, to be adjusted in conference. The senators accepted an amendment by Senator Thomas of Oklahoma for a currency expansion of \$375,000,000 through the issuance of silver certificates at the \$1.29 an ounce monetary value of the treasury's silver stocks instead of the present practice of using the purchase value of the silver.

Later the Thomas amendment was stricken out after congressional conferees had deadlocked for forty-eight hours. Members of the silver bloc asserted they would not stand in the measure's path, although Thomas had declared he would filibuster against any attempts to strike out the amendment. Besides eliminating the silver inflation plan, the conference modified the Russell labor compromise amendment to provide that the President shall pre-determine the rate of wages on public buildings to be constructed, and this rate will be submitted to contractors for bids. An amendment providing that all officers and employees receiving more than \$5,000 a year will have to be appointed by the President and confirmed by the senate was modified. It now provides that any new administrator or member of any central board will be appointed by the President with the consent of the senate.

Among the senate changes approved were the allocation of the fund to eight general types of projects; continuation of the federal relief administration one year; extension of the Civilian Conservation Corps two years from March 31; continuation of PWA two years from June 16; the George

amendment to make funds available in the discretion of the President to administer the agricultural adjustment act; the Russell amendment to authorize farm loans to share croppers, tenant farmers and farm laborers for land purchase.

One day Harry L. Hopkins was reported lazing in the Florida sun and thinking up ways he would spend billions as administrator of the work relief fund. The next day, rumors were that Rexford G. Tugwell was to be nominated for the "biggest spender in history." Later reports from the national capital were that nobody but the President would be the big boss in the program. You can take your choice, but it seems likely that the latter is true. Senatorial discontent over the methods used by the two others mentioned will probably eliminate them from consideration. This strategy has been successful in the past. When a house group became too highly incensed at Public Works Administrator Harold Ickes, they were quieted with assurance that the President would have complete control of the work relief program, and the furor died out. Mr. Roosevelt will be the nominal head of the program, but he would not be expected to handle every detail. He must delegate authority, and it is highly probable that everyone will not be entirely satisfied.

JAPAN steps out of the League of Nations and flanked by her single avowed ally, Manchukuo, she faces the world as the self-chosen preserver of peace in the Orient.

Japan's action is the culmination of a series of events started February 24, 1933, when the Japanese delegation in a walk-out from the league assembly, shortly after, Japan gave formal notice of her withdrawal from the league because the assembly had censured Japanese aggression in Manchuria. She has advised other powers that she considers herself guardian of peace in eastern Asia, and that outside assistance is neither desired nor invited. In addition, Japan has embarked on an armament program marked by denunciation of the Washington naval treaty, demands for naval parity with Great Britain and the United States, and armed forces "sufficient to defend, but inadequate to attack."

With considerable ceremony the Soviet government transferred to Japan full ownership of the Chinese Eastern railway and thus ceased to be an opposing factor in the Japanese occupation of Manchuria. In the official residence of Foreign Minister Koki Hirota in Tokyo the sale agreement and general protocol were signed and the bargain was clinched by the payment by Japan of 23,333,000 yen to the Soviet ambassador. The yen is currently quoted at about 27.8 cents. Japan's vigorous reply to British protests over the alleged Manchukuo oil monopoly reflects development of the "Asia for Asiatics" plan announced some time ago. Japan denied that treaty provisions have been violated by the so-called monopoly. With the deal for the Soviet Russia interest in the Chinese Eastern railroad completed and Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations, Japanese penetration of Asia is expected to go forward under the strong leadership of Koki Hirota, foreign minister. Developments during the next few months will be highly important. The tense European situation will keep the western powers busy chasing peace and security in both the east and the west. Japan insists she will act alone, and rumors of a military alliance with Germany were scouted. The Japanese army, the note intimated, is ready to repel Soviet interference at any time.

REPLACEMENT of the AAA's system of crop control is seen as a future potentiality of a new organization established at the Department of Agriculture under Rexford G. Tugwell. The organization consolidates federal agencies dealing with soil erosion, and Tugwell is expected to direct the expenditure of about a billion dollars in public works funds on the public land program. At present plans call for retirement of millions of acres of marginal lands now contributing to surpluses, which experts contend will prove a more effective way of dealing with overproduction than AAA's policy of taxing commodities for acreage slashes. The latter is meeting increased opposition, due to rising living costs and increasing competition from foreign producers. There will probably be little immediate change in crop control plans, since the Tugwell program will require considerable time before it can be operated effectively.

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Why make taxpayers pay the two billions to "bond clippers" when it is not necessary?

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Busy Dictators Hitler, Peace Angel Lie Test for Hauptmann? All Heard the Moans

Europe's dictators borrow ideas from each other. Mussolini, perhaps unconsciously, copied Rind, who ended violently. Hitler saw how well Mussolini's idea worked and adopted it. Dolfuss tried it in Vienna, ended badly.

Kemal Pasha has made a success of it thus far in Turkey, throwing sultans overboard, Mohammed, the fez, veils for women also.

Kemal says, "If Hitler can defy the league and kick over the Versailles treaty, so can I." He will fortify the Dardanelles, in spite of the treaty that created a neutral zone adjoining the narrow water passage that separates Europe from Asia, at Constantinople.

Hitler, turning with a rapidity that would startle any worm, now declares himself guardian angel of Europe, offering to start a world peace guaranteed to last 20 years. That would depend on Japan and Russia.

There is a scientific test for lying. Try as he may to control himself, a man lying undergoes physical and psychological changes that a certain scientific apparatus reproduces in a "graph" when the lying begins.

Mrs. Hauptmann, her husband sentenced to death for kidnapping the Lindbergh baby, suggests that her husband be subjected to the "lie test," adding, "he would be freed instantly."

He could not be "freed instantly" because the law does not yet recognize the "lie test" as conclusive, but the experiment would be interesting. The framing of questions, which should be put in fewest possible words and as startlingly as possible, would be important.

New Jersey's Attorney General Wilentz, who brought about the conviction, would be the man to frame the questions.

Consider the principal of the Schaff Junior High school at Parma, Ohio. That principal, having decided to beat five boys caught smoking in the school building, using his microphone, ordered all classes and all noise stopped throughout the school while the five boys were "paddled" near the microphone for the whole school to hear.

The story goes, "Startled students next heard the 'Whack! Whack!' of the paddles and the moans of the culprits."

A girl baby two weeks old, smiling, pretty, dressed in pink and white, found abandoned in a New York hallway, was taken to the Foundling hospital, a sort of "pound" for lost children.

If a good-looking chow, Boston bull or Irish wolfhound two weeks old had been found, there would be a thousand only too glad to take and care for it. Our alleged cousins the chimpanzees could hardly believe that.

There are miracles of various kinds, even in healing leprosy. It can be done, as the Bible shows, by supernatural power. It can be done by science. Jacintho Moura, Portuguese chemist, in Rio de Janeiro, smashed a finger, and while suffering acute pain accidentally dipped the finger in a liquid vegetable extract that he was preparing. This vegetable liquid, obtained from a wild Brazilian plant, mixed with chalmogra oil, according to Dr. Fernando Terra, director of the Rio de Janeiro hospital, has already cured 17 lepers.

Some accidents are valuable. The injured finger showed the way to an important cure.

At Kovno, Lithuania, four Nazis are sentenced to death on the gallows for plotting to separate Memel from Lithuania. Mr. Hitler, deeply grieved by the fate of four Nazis, is said to have protested to Sir John Simon, although it is not clear what that Britisher could do about it. The opinions of two ladies whose heads were recently chopped off, by order of Chancellor Hitler, would be interesting, but will never be known. Once the head is chopped expression of opinion ceases.

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Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted
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Richberg's Job

Washington. — The President has placed Donald R. Richberg, his closest adviser, in the job as head of the National Recovery Administration. Mr. Richberg will be chairman of the National Industrial Recovery board which has now been enlarged to the number of seven, and it is proposed that this group, divided between labor and capital representation, will guide the policies and programs as well as the enforcement of NRA.

It may be that Mr. Richberg's appointment should be given only passing notice. Political appointments in Washington are many and the addition of one more normally would not attract attention. It appears, however, that in this particular instance considerable significance should be attached to the appointment. It will have repercussions in more ways than one.

This brings us to the question of the future NRA. As we all know NRA legislation in the house and senate is encountering rough sailing. There are so many different ideas being put forward about the principle of NRA that to reconcile them. Since the present national industrial recovery act expires by limitation of law on June 16, congress faces the necessity of enactment of new legislation or allowing the present law to die and the codes under it to fall apart.

Selection of Mr. Richberg on the basis of these facts then would seem to indicate that Mr. Roosevelt had picked his best soldier to fight the battle; that Mr. Richberg, being eyes and ears for Mr. Roosevelt, would be the individual to guide the President in choice of policy and that his most trusted adviser would be the man to put forward details of the proposed NRA extension legislation. The undercurrent of gossip around Washington, however, indicates something else.

In the first instance, Mr. Richberg is in bad with organized labor, and he has shown no disposition lately to make peace despite the fact that he was for years the representative of railway labor unions. Mr. Richberg it was who clashed with General Johnson and who is regarded, therefore, as indirectly responsible for General Johnson's resignation as national recovery administrator. The new chairman thus goes into his job with threatening clouds on several sides.

It will not be forgotten, either, that such valiant campaigners as Senator Clegg and Senator Borah, not to mention the alleged progressive, Senator Nye, are waiting for the NRA legislation in the senate. Mr. Richberg's hide will look to them the same as any other hide. It is just possible, therefore, as some observers have suggested, that Mr. Richberg may have been put out as the lamb on the sacrificial altar.

Indeed, color is lent to this supposition by the fact that Mr. Roosevelt has taken little direct interest in promoting legislation extending the life of NRA. Thus far he has said that he desired to have the extension granted, but he has not turned on the steam as he is expected to do, and as he has done for bills that were personal hobbies with him. It is made to appear, therefore, that perhaps there will be a disintegration of NRA as such and that the functions desired by the administration to be retained will be parcelled out, some to the federal trade commission, some to the Labor department, and others of lesser consequence scattered elsewhere.

While we are discussing legislation, it may be well to consider what is being done about the program of extending credit to home owners through the machinery of the home loan board. The house has passed a bill which will increase by two billion, eight hundred million dollars the amount of funds available for loans of this type by the Home Owners' Loan corporation. This sum was approximately a billion dollars more than the home loan board thought was necessary, but the sight or thought of so much money started the members of the house on something like a riot, so they made ample funds available.

From reports filtering through to Washington, I think there can be no question but what the home loan system has been of help in thousands of cases. Undoubtedly availability of government money in this matter has saved unnumbered home owners from loss of their property where short-sighted mortgage holders have insisted upon undue curtailment or absolute repayment of the borrowed money. Extension of the system probably has resulted also in reduction of general interest rates by private lenders of capital. If they wanted their money to work at all, they had to meet the government competition. Whether the principle of government loans is sound in normal times is another horse. Time alone can tell. The activity of congress, especially in the house, indicates that there is a demand of some kind or other for these loans in preference to private capital and that necessarily must be considered as an influential factor.

As the legislation increasing the lending power of the Home Owners Loan corporation has progressed, however, I have taken occasion to inquire into operations of the corporation which is wholly government owned. From all I can learn it stands out as the finest illustration of what politicians can do in the way of building political machines that I have seen in a score of years in the National Capital.

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For a time we here in Washington have heard little about politics in the home loan system. It has developed, however, that politics was not dead, but sleeping.

Peculiar Doings?

The loan corporation in carrying out the idea of decentralization did some very peculiar things, according to well authenticated reports. Actually, I am told, some young men without previous practical experience or training were supplied with copies of the home loan act, given a ticket and ordered to the hinterland to open designated regional offices. Shortly thereafter out of the thousands of employees in the home office of the loan corporation individuals were called into the office of the directing heads and were ordered to go to one or the other of the newly opened establishments. They were told at the same time that their salaries would be reduced. In addition, I am reliably informed, hundreds of them have suffered further salary reductions since they have been on their new jobs.

While all of this has been going on, the corporation set up a board of four members in the headquarters before which remaining employees in the Washington office have been called for examination. This board was announced as for the purpose of determining which of the employees should be retained. They wanted to be fair about it and wanted to keep on the payroll such of the employees as were unable to get along without the jobs they were holding. It seems, however, that that board has become an inquisitorial body absolutely without precedent in the character of examination to which it subjects the employees. The result is that few, if any, of the employees of the loan corporation entertain any belief that they can stay on their jobs with any feeling of safety.

For example, one man's experience is quoted. He was asked whether he had money in the bank, and he had none. He was asked whether any of his people were on the relief rolls, and they were not. Numerous other questions, such as the rate he paid for his board and room and the cost of his laundry were put to him. He then was asked if he carried life insurance, and his answer that he did apparently was wrong. Although he was not told directly, the inference of questions put to him was that he could live two months if he cashed in his life insurance policy. At any rate he was dismissed.

But this is not all. Included in the bill which increases the amount of funds that may be loaned by the corporation is a line of legislation that will have the effect of expanding politics in the organization. Written into that bill are instructions that the corporation shall recall to Washington all of those employees who were dispatched to new jobs in the regional, state or district offices. Of course, no one can say yet authoritatively that when these workers are recalled they will be dismissed here. That, however, obviously is the result.

Courage Needed

Senator Gore of Oklahoma pleaded in the Congressional Record recently a telegram he had received and his reply to it that illustrates better than any recent incident how much courage is required by a national legislator to withstand the pressure from home. The occasion was consideration in the senate of the public works bill. The telegram received by the senator was signed by Joe A. Brown, the mayor of Hartshorne, Okla., and C. R. Lindsay, mayor of Halleysville, Okla. It follows:

"Several thousand Pittsburg county unemployed people assembled in convention demand you support President Roosevelt's four billion dollar relief measure. If you vote against measure, sentiment is, you stay out of this county next senatorial race."

The following is the senator's reply: "This will acknowledge your exceedingly diplomatic and hospitable telegram. It shows how the dole spoils the soul. Your telegram intimates that your votes are for sale. Much as I value votes I am not in the market. I cannot consent to buy votes with the people's money. I owe a debt to the taxpayer as well as the unemployed. I shall discharge both. None but the bully resorts to threats and none but the coward yields to them."

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Says WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS.—Well all I know is just what I read, either in the papers or in the mail. The other day I went "Popping Off" about holding companies. Now as a matter of fact I don't know a thing about a "Holding Company."

I had read naturally that there was graft and inflated values in the forming of a lot of them. Then when I read Mr. Roosevelt's tirade against them, I say to myself, well here is a man that must know what he is talking about. He is not given to just having it in for a legitimate enterprise. So as Congress had been pretty good that day and done nothing, why that left me nothing to yap about, so seeing the President's headline about em, why I said, a holding company is like a fellow handing the other fellow the swag while they search you.

Well I didn't figure that little half witted remark would upset the whole holding company business. But I forgot that a remark generally hurts in proportion to its truth. If its so untrue as to be ridiculous why nobody pays any attention to it. And on the other hand I don't want to get any remark that will be so true that it hurts, I mean really hurts. So I was in wrong both ways. Now I don't know what it is, but right or wrong, there must be some little teeny weeny bit of underground connivance connected with the idea of holding companies, or is there?

Now be honest. In a straight forward legitimate business, a farm, a store, a little manufacturing concern, or any business, what makes the holding company necessary? Don't it have something to do with shifting the responsibility over to another company that are liable only for so much? Now maby it dont, I dont know. Anyhow I got some fine sensible and fair letters from real people that had confidence in the companies. Of course 99 out of a hundred were working for one, or had stock in em, but anyhow it showed a spirit of fair play. They felt that I was wrong, and I am sure that I didn't know enough about em to know if I was or not.

Now you will say well what did you pop off when you didn't know what you were talking about. Well if you are going to stop that, why America would be speechless. There is not any of us real sure of what we are yapping about. You see here is something that any of us that write have found out, if we write or say something that agrees with you, why then we become quite a smart guy in your estimator. But if we should write or say something that dont agree with your idea of the same subject, then we become a "Menace" and should be eliminated from the public prints. So we are only good as long as we agree with you. But a lot of these were mighty fair.

Here they are: "This is a fan letter, and also a matter of life and death. You have hurt me and many more but I know its unintentional. I work for the West Penn Power Co, as good people as any one ever worked for, so give us a fair deal. Dan Winslow, Pittsburg, Pa."

York Nebraska R. A. Graham. "My faith in my company who employ me is unshaken."

Frank Dinwiddie Walker, Philadelphia. "I work with the United Gas and Improvement Co, a group which you and I would be glad to own as a family."

A gentleman named J. E. Mann, N. Y. "Shoemaker stick to your last. You are supposed to be a comedian. Stay one."

Henry Boening, investment bonds, Philadelphia. "Suppose your money is in tax exempt securities. No its in a few acres of Cal land which is worth about one tenth of what I paid for it."

Here is one headed "Roosevelts Democratic Clown. How do you know how a thief passes money to an accomplice unless you have been one or the other?" No name. He was afraid I would sue him. I wouldn't. He may be right.

J. R. Lowe, Duluth, Minn. "Were you serious Bill, or just kidding? Its serious business with a lot of us."

Olth Tomlinson, 525 Lexington Ave N. Y. says I was too hard on em, and maby Olth was right. R. R. Morgan, Le Jolla Cal (there is pretty near a neighbor) he says there is a great many women who have stock in them and that it would destroy that. Now I dont think Roosevelt wanted to destroy anybody's stock. Anyhow I hope he dont. This would be right. Everybody I imagine is in sympathy with the stock holders.

And the last one is from Mr. Notting ham from Duluth Minn. who wants me to give it more study. And they are fair. Nobody wants to shoot me. Its too complicated for me to learn about. I will stay with the Senate. I know those guys backwards, cause that the way they are generally going. So take up your holding company squabbles with Roosevelt, and lay off me, and thanks for your friendly criticism.

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When Worlds Collide

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

"We now come," Hendron said, "to the last stage of this remarkable flight. They had been flying for three weeks, sleeping little and living on bad food. They decided to go back by way of St. Paul and Milwaukee.

"On the way to St. Paul, they were forced down on a small lake, and it was there that Ransdell noticed the unmeted metal in a flow of magma. They investigated a tongue of molten metal after an arduous and perilous journey to reach it. When they were sure of its nature they collected samples and brought them back to the plane. Repairs to the oil-feeding system were required; they took off on the day before their return, and reached the vicinity of St. Paul safely. It was in St. Paul, less than two hundred miles from here, that they received the injuries with which they returned. St. Paul was in much the same condition as Pittsburgh, except that it had undergone the further decay occasioned by two additional weeks of famine and pestilence. They landed on the Mississippi river near the shore, late that night. Almost immediately they were attacked, doubtless because it was believed they possessed food. The last words in James' diary are these: 'Boats have put out toward us. One of them has a machine gun mounted in the bow. Ransdell has succeeded in starting the motors, but the plane is listing. I believe that bullets have perforated one of the pontoons and that it is filling. We may never leave the water. Vanderbilt is throwing out every object that can be removed to lighten the ship. It may be that it will be necessary to repulse the first boatload before we can take off. . . .'

Hendron dropped the seventh notebook on the table. "You may reconstruct what followed, my friends. The hand-to-hand fight on the plane with a boatload of hunger-driven maniacs—a fight in which all three heroic members of the airplane company were hurt. We may imagine them at last beating back their assailants, and with their floundering ship taking off before a second boatload was upon them. We may imagine Ransdell guiding his ship through the night with gritted teeth, while his occasional backward glances offered him little reassurance of the safety of his comrades. The rest you know."

Autumn had set in, but it was like no autumn the world had ever known before. The weather remained unseasonably hot. The skies were still hazy. An enormous amount of fine volcanic dust remained suspended in the upper air currents. Volcanists had enumerated, before the disturbance of the First Passage, some four hundred and thirty active volcanic vents. Counting the cones which had been considered dormant, there had been several thousand. All these, it now was calculated, had become active. Tropical rains, tawny with volcanic dust, fell in torrents. Steam and vapors, as well as lavas and dust, were pouring from innumerable vents out from under the cracked and fissured crust of the world.

The neighboring vent, opened in the vicinity of St. Paul, supplied Hendron with more than the necessary amount of the new metal, which could be machined but which withstood even the heat of the atomic blast. Hendron had not waited for his explorers to recover. On the day after the reading of the diaries he had flown with another pilot, found a source of the strange material from the center of the earth, and he had loaded the plane. Repeated trips had provided more than enough metal for the tubes of the atomic engines.

The engine makers could not melt the metal by any heat they applied; they could not fuse it; but they could cut it and by patient machining shape it into lining of tubes which, at last, endured the frightful temperatures of the atom releasing its power. The problem of the engine for the Space Ship was solved. This transformed the psychology of the camp. And now there ensued a period of frantic impatience for the return of the Bronson Bodies. For the camp, in its

new hysteria, had become perfectly confident that the Space Ship must succeed in making its desperate journey. The camp was resolved—that part of it which should be chosen—to go.

Tony kept on at his work, tormented by a torture of his own. Together with Elliot James and Vanderbilt, Ransdell had now recovered from his wounds.

For his part in the great adventure the pilot would have become popular, even if he had not also proved the discoverer of the metal that would not melt. That by itself would have lifted him above every other man in the camp.

Not above Hendron in authority; for the flyer never in the slightest attempted to assert authority. Ransdell became, indeed, even more retiring and reserved than before; and so the women of the camp, and especially the younger ones, worshiped him.

When Eve walked with Ransdell, she often did, Tony became a potential killer. In reaction he could laugh at himself; he knew it was the hysteria working in him—his fear and terrors at facing almost inevitable and terrible death, and at knowing that Eve also must be annihilated. It was these emotions that at moments almost broke out in a demonstration against Ransdell.

When Tony was with Eve, she seemed to him less the civilized creature of culture and sophisticated society, and more an impulsive and primitive woman.

Her very features seemed altered, bolder, her eyes darker and larger, her lips, softer, her hair filled with a brighter fire. She was stronger, also, and more taut.

"We're going to get over," she said to him one day.

"Yes," agreed Tony. No one now openly doubted it, whatever he hid in his heart. "How do you—" he began, and then made his challenge less directly personal by adding, "How do you girls now like the idea of ceasing to be individuals and becoming biological representatives of the human race—after we get across?"

He saw Eve flush, and the warmth in her stirred him. "We talk about it, of course," she replied. "And—I suppose we'll do it."

"Breed the race, you mean," Tony continued mercilessly. "Reproduce the type—mating with whoever is best to insure the strongest and best children for the place, and to establish a new generation of the greatest possible variety from the few individuals which we can hope to land safely. That's the program."

"Yes," said Eve, "that's the purpose."

For a minute he did not speak, thinking, his hands clenched; then:

"Would you care?"

"Care, Tony?" she began, her face flooded with color. She checked herself. "No one must care; we have sworn not to care—to conquer caring. And we must train ourselves to it now, you know. We can't suddenly stop caring about such things, when we find ourselves on Bronson Beta, unless we've at least made a start at downing selfishness here."

"You call it selfishness?"

"I know it's not the word, Tony; but I've no word for it. Morals isn't the word, either. What are morals, fundamentally, Tony? Morals are nothing but the core of conduct required of an individual in the best interests of the group of which he's a member. So what's 'moral' here wouldn't be moral at all on Bronson Beta."

"D—n Bronson Beta! Have you no feeling for me?"

"Tony, is there any sense in making more difficult for ourselves what we may have to do?"

"Yes; d—n it." Tony burst out again. "I want it difficult. I want it impossible for you!"

Wanderers from other places began to discover the camp. While they were few in number, it was possible to feed and clothe and even shelter them, at least temporarily. Then there was no choice but to give them a meal and send them away. But daily the dealings with the desperate, reckless groups became more and more ugly and hazardous.

Tony directed the extension of the protection of the camp by a barrier of barbed wire half a mile beyond the buildings. There were four gates which he sentinelled and where he turned back all vagrant visitors. If this was cruelty, he had no alternative but chaos. Let the barriers be broken, and the settlement would be overwhelmed.

But bigger and uglier bands continued to come. It became a commonplace to turn them back at the bayonet point and under the threat of machine guns. It became unsafe for anyone—man or woman—to leave the enclosure except by airplane.

Rifles cracked from concealments, and bullets sang by; some found their marks.

Ransdell scouted the surroundings from the air; and Tony and three others, unshaven and disheveled, crept forth at night and mingled with the men besieging the camp. They discovered that Hendron's group was hopelessly outnumbered.

"What saves us for the time," Tony reported to Hendron on his return, "is that they're not yet united. They are gangs and groups which fight savagely enough among themselves, but in general tolerate each other. They want to get in here. They want to get us—and our women."

"They talk about smashing in here. They'd soon be killing each other in here, after they wiped us out. That desire—and hate of us—is their sole force of cohesion. If they get in, we'll see something new in savagery."

The attack began on the following night. It began with gunfire raking the barriers. A siren on top of the power house sounded a wholly unnecessary warning. "Women to cover! Men to arms!"

Tony, directing the disposal of his men, longed for the moon—the moon, shattered by Bronson Alpha, that survived tonight only in fragments too scattered and distant to lend any light. The stars had to suffice. The stars and three searchlights fixed on the roofs of the laboratories nearest to the three fronts of the encampment.

One blazed out—and instantly became a target for a machine gun in the woods. For a full minute, the gleaming white beam swung steadily, coolly back and forth, picking out of the night men's figures. Then the beam tipped out. The machine gun in the woods had got the fight crew first, and then the light itself.

Other machine guns and rifles, firing at random but ceaselessly, raked the entire camp. Tony stumbled over



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friends that had fallen. Scientists, great men, murdered in mass!

A defending machine gun showed its spatter of flashes off to the right; Tony ran to it, and dropped down beside the gun crew. He had to have a shot at them himself. Outside the wire barriers there was silence, and it alarmed Tony far more than a continuance of the surrounding fire.

The two remaining searchlights blazed out, one sweeping the woods before Tony. The glare caught a hundred men before they could drop; and Tony savagely held the trigger back, praying to catch them with his bullets.

Machine guns were spitting from the woods once more, and both lights were blinded.

A rocket rasped its yellow streak into the air and burst above in shower of stars. Inquestionably a signal!

A second rocket rasped up and broke its spatter of stars. Now the camp held its fire and listened. It heard—Tony heard—only a whistle, like a traffic whistle, or the whistle that summoned squads to attacking order.

A third rocket went up. "Here they come!" some one said; and Tony wondered how he knew it. Soaked in perspiration, Tony glared into the blackness of the woods.

Now machine guns in the woods were sweeping the camp enclosure. The fire radiated from a few points; and as it was certain that the attackers were not in the path of their own fire, but were in the dark spaces between, Tony swept these with his bullets.

The gun bucked under his tense fingers. Anguished yells rewarded him.

Tony's machine gun was overheating. A little light came from somewhere; Tony could not see what it was, except that it flickered. Something was burning. Tony could see figures at the wire barrier now. He could not reckon their numbers, did not try to. He tried only to shoot them down. Once through the wire—that wire so weak that he could not see it—and that thousand, with the thousands behind them would be over him and the men beside him; they would be over the line of older men behind; then they would reach the women.

Tony's lips receded from his teeth. He aimed the gun with diabolic care, and watched it take effect as wind affects standing wheat. The attackers broke and ran back to the woods.

Men went in pairs to the tops of the buildings and through loopholes began sniping at those who moved in the territory around the buildings. Every one was "overmastered" by the same sort of rage which had possessed Tony. The reason for their existence had been to them a high and holy purpose. They defended it with the fanaticism of zealots. They could not know that the flight of their

planes to and from the Ransdell metal supply had indicated to the frantic hordes that somewhere human beings lived in discipline and decency. They could not know how for weeks they had been spied upon by ravenous eyes. They could not know that nearly ten thousand men, hungry, desperate, most of them already murderers with times over, armed, supplied with crafty plans which had been formulated by disordered heads once devoted to important, intelligent pursuits—how these besieged them now, partly for spoils, but to a greater degree in a fury of lust and envy. They had traveled on broken roads, growing as they marched. It was a heathen horde, a barbaric and ruthless horde.

The siege relaxed to an intermittent exchange of volleys. At his machine gun station, Tony, suffering acutely from thirst, with six of his comrades lying dead near by, fought intermittently.

Reinforcements came from the center of the camp—Jack Taylor and two more of the younger men.

"Hurt, Tony?" Taylor challenged him.

"No," replied Tony. "Who's killed in the buildings?"

"Not Hendron," said Taylor, "or Eva—though she was one of the girls that went out to attend to the wounded. Two of the girls were hit. . . . Hendron wants to see you, Tony. At the ship. I'll take over here for you. Good luck!"

Tony found Hendron inside the Space Ship, and there, since its metal made an armor for it, a light was burning. Hendron sat at a table; it was now his headquarters.

"Who's hurt?" asked Tony.

"Too many," Hendron dismissed this.

"What do you think they are doing?" he challenged Tony abruptly.

"Getting ready to come again," Tony returned.

"Tonight, probably?"

Tony glanced at his wrist watch; it was eleven o'clock. "Midnight would be my guess, sir," he said.

"Will they get in next time?" Hendron demanded.

"They can—if they come on more resolutely. They can do more than they have done."

"Whereas we," Hendron took up for him, "can scarcely do more."

"Yes, sir," said Tony. "We used all the defenses we had; and they could have carried us an hour ago, if they'd come on."

"Exactly," nodded Hendron. "And now we are fewer. We will be fewer still, of course, after the next attack; and fewer yet, after they get in."

"Yes, sir."

"However," said Hendron thoughtfully, "that will be, in one way, an advantage."

Tony was used, by now, to be astonished by Hendron; yet he said, "I don't follow you, sir."

"We will defend the enclosure as long as we can, Tony," Hendron said. "But when they are in—if they get in—no one is to throw himself away fighting them uselessly. They must be delayed as long as they can be; but when they are in, we gather—all of us that are left, Tony—here."

"Here?"

"Inside this ship. Hadn't that occurred to you, Tony? Don't you see? Don't you see?"

Tony stared at his chief and straightened the blood of hope racing again hot within him. "Of course I see," he almost shouted. "Of course I see!"

"Very well. Then issue cloths—white cloths, Tony; distribute them for arms-bands, so, in the dark, we will know our own."

"Yes, sir. But, Eve is safe?"

"She is not hurt, I hear. You might see her for an instant. The women are tearing up bandages."

Tony found her in a room with twenty others, tearing white cloth into strips. At least he had one word with her.

"Tony! Take care of yourself!"

"How about you, Eve?"

She disregarded this; said only: "Get back to the ship, Tony, after the fight. Oh, get back to the ship!" He went out again. A bullet pinged on the wall beside him. The bursts of machine-gun fire sounded uglier; there were groans again, and screams. With his burden of machine gun cartridges, he returned to the post he had fought.

"That you, Tony?" Jack Taylor halted. "Cartridges? Great! We'll scrap those bimboes. H—! Just in time, I'd say. Here they come!"

"Listen!" yelled Tony. "If they get in, delay them but don't mix with them; each man tie a white cloth on his sleeve—and retreat to the ship!" And he issued the strips he had brought with him.

From the buildings reinforcements arrived—six men with guns slung over their shoulders, and bayonets that caught a glint from the firing. They carried another machine gun.

One of the new men produced a Very pistol. His private property, he explained, which he had brought along "for emergencies."

"It's one now," Tony said simply and took the pistol from him. He fired it; and the Very light, hanging in the air, revealed men at the wire everywhere. A thousand men—two thousand; no sense even in estimating them.

Tony again claimed the machine gun. He made a flat fan of the flasher before him as he swung the gun back and forth. He was killing men by scores, he knew; but he knew, also, that if the hundreds had the nerve to stick, they were "in."

"They were in!"

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for April 7

THE HEAVENLY FATHER

LESSON TEXT—John 14:8-24. GOLDEN TEXT—Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him. Psalm 103:13.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Heavenly Father.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Heavenly Father.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why We Call God Father.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Fatherhood of God.

The aim in the lessons of this quarter is to place before the pupils of the Sunday school some of the great doctrines of the Christian faith, as set forth in God's Word, with their practical application to the common relations of life.

I. Who is the Heavenly Father (Gen. 1:1).

He is the almighty God who created the universe (Ps. 90:2). He was before all things. God is the Infinite and perfect Spirit in whom we live and move and have our being. He is omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent. He was not only before all things, but the cause of all things.

11. What the Heavenly Father Does.

1. He created the universe (Gen. 1:1; cf. vv. 26, 27). The universe came into being by the will and act of the personal Being called God. Man himself is a creation of God.

2. He has provided salvation for lost men (1 John 4:9). He gave his only Son, that whosoever believeth in him might live through him (John 3:16).

3. He preserves us (Ps. 103:1-14). The preserving mercy of God embraces the following gracious beneficent acts:

a. He forgives all our iniquities (v. 3). This he is able to do because of the righteous provision he made for sin in the atonement wrought out by Jesus Christ.

b. He heals all our diseases (v. 3). This healing refers to the body and the soul. He first renovates man's moral nature and then his physical nature.

c. He redeems the life from destruction (v. 4). Redemption implies the payment of all demands against the debtor.

d. He satisfies the mouth (v. 5). God satisfies all legitimate desires, so that youth is renewed like the eagle's. In redemption man's original capacities are restored to their native vigor.

e. He executes righteousness and judgment (vv. 6-12). The wrongs of life are righted and man is thus relieved of the burdens which they entail.

f. He pities his children (vv. 13, 14). The pity of an earthly father is but a faint suggestion of the sympathetic compassion of the heavenly Father.

4. He chastens his children (Heb. 12:5-11).

a. The fact (vv. 5, 6). Every one who is God's spiritual child experiences chastening, an unmistakable evidence of sonship.

b. How it should be received (v. 6). It is the token of his love (v. 6).

c. The purpose of (vv. 9-11). It is to bring the child into subjection to induce reverence (v. 9). It is to produce holiness (v. 10). It is to develop fruits of righteousness (v. 11).

5. He cares for his children (Matt. 6:11, 25). The child of God who has come to know his heavenly Father as the almighty Creator and Preserver, whose very essential being is love, will trust the Father for daily bread without anxiety or fear.

111. The Heavenly Father Revealed in Jesus Christ (John 14:8, 9).

The supreme purpose of the coming of the Son of God was to reveal God (John 1:8). Only a being of God's essential nature could reveal him. Jesus Christ became man in order that he might reveal God to man. Only the one who knows Jesus Christ knows God.

IV. How Men Come to Know God as the Father (John 3:3-6).

It is through regeneration. The new birth is absolutely essential to a knowledge of God as the Father. We are children of God by faith in Jesus Christ (Gal. 3:26).

V. Our Responsibility to the Heavenly Father (Matt. 6:24-34).

The true child who has come to know his Father

1. Will give him undivided affection (v. 24). The child of God makes the unequivocal choice between the heavenly Father and the world.

2. He will not be anxious about food and clothing, as stated above.

3. He will diligently seek the kingdom of God and his righteousness (vv. 33, 34). He will subordinate temporal things to the things of the Spirit. This is not a warning against legitimate forethought but against anxious worry.

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SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS

David Ransdell arrives at New York from South Africa, with a case of photographic plates for Dr. Cole Hendron. Tony Drake calls at the Hendrons apartment. Ransdell arrives and Eve Hendron, with whom Tony is deeply in love, introduces Tony to Ransdell. Newspapers publish a statement by Hendron saying that Professor Bronson has discovered two planets, which have been brought under the attraction of the earth's sun. The result of the inevitable collision must be the end of the world. The approaching bodies are referred to as Bronson Alpha and Bronson Beta. Bronson Beta will pass, but the other will hit the earth and demolish it. To devise means of transferring to Bronson Beta is occupying the minds of the members of the League of the Last Days. Hendron plans to build a "Space Ship," with the idea of landing on Bronson Beta. He has not been able to find a metal which will withstand the heat and pressure of atomic energy which must be used in propelling the Space Ship. Earthquakes change the entire surface of the earth, bringing death to half the world's population. Bronson Alpha collides with the moon and wipes it out. Ransdell, with Peter Vanderbilt, prominent New Yorker, selected by Hendron as a member of the party on the Space Ship, and Elliot James, by over a large section of the devastated country. They are attacked and wounded. But return alive, and Ransdell has found the metal Hendron needs for the Space Ship.

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Opinions

BY F. F. BROOKS

All I know is what I read in the papers—what I hear brouching around amongst my neighbors—and what I learn by observation. From the above sources of information it seems to me that the greatest need of the present, relief set up, is a little bit of com-

mon horse sense amongst the administrative branch of the relief organization.

Notices are being sent out to those relief clients who are living out in the country, that unless they secure a waiver from the person owning or controlling the house they are living in, waiving all rights title and equity to any and all production on land worked by said relief client, to said client and the relief administration, that said clients would be cut off from further assistance.

Now why not go to the owner of the houses occupied by relief clients in towns and Cities and say, mister, you must sign a waiver agreeing that all rents and other income from the property being occupied by relief clients during the year 1935 shall revert to said client and the relief administration; and as punishment to you for your refusal to so waive and agree, said clients' case will be closed and said clients will receive no more assistance from any relief funds of this State.

Yes why not say that to the relief client living in town, and to the town property owner.

The fact that these waivers are requested only from farm property owners, and that threats of expulsion from the relief roles are applicable only to the rural habitant, seems to me, to indicate undue, unfair, and unconscionable discrimination against the fellow that is trying to rehabilitate himself and the inevitable result will be abandonment of the rural home, and an exodus to the cities which in effect means adding perpetually to the relief roles those who are now in need of temporary assistance.

The trouble with this waiving business is, that a number of land owners have already waived so much, that they have just about waived themselves out of house and home, and quite a number of them have already waived their rent rights by way of a mortgage to the loan company for extensions on delinquent interest payments—therefore the punishment visited upon the rural relief client, because some busted land owner is unable to waive his land rents to the relief administration, is unjust and unwise.

These rural clients are willing and anxious to work out their monthly budgets on any work project with in reach of them, to secure a mere existence for their families and work their spare days and part of the nite, including some Sundays trying to produce something for themselves, and a surplus for those who for good reasons prefer to live in

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town while the city client works out their budget in one, two, or three days, and puts in the balance of the time worrying about their troubles now in all candor, if either class of client is favored, rural, or urban, which should it be?

I predict that when this discriminative policy has had time to prove up its effects, that the wise guys will scratch their heads and wonder why so many rural folks are moving to town, and why the town folks refuse to move to the country.

ON TEXAS FARMS
Minnie Fisher Cunningham
Service Editor

Following a landscape plan, which she has worked out with the home demonstration agent, Mrs. B. H. Smith, Bastrop county yard improvement demonstrator, enlarged her yard to 150x60 feet and planted a screen of cedars and privet at the rear between the house and the barn and other services buildings.

Foundation plantings around the house, leveling and sodding the lawn, and terracing the yard to prevent erosion were all a part of this plan and this home demonstration club member's work is typical of that of several hundred who are serving as "demonstrators" to point the way to more beautiful farmsteads.

In Dickens county Mrs. Floyd Barnett, yard demonstrator, is using Chinese elms to give shade for an outdoor living room. This is not only for the enjoyment of her own family but to show to all comers that here is a tree which is adapted to that part of the State and no West-Texan need go shadeless unless he choose to do so.

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Seniors Entertain Juniors
Thursday evening, March 28, the Seniors were hosts at a Junior-Senior party.
At 7:45 the students met in the band hall for an evening of fun and merry making.
Games of all kinds were played until a senior came to the door and told us to line up. In a line we went to the cafeteria where we were served punch and cookies.
Besides the Juniors and Seniors there were Miss Lee, Mrs. Ison, and Mr. Bennett, as honored guests.

Jokes
Fatal Beauty
Winnadel R.—I want to try some truly kissproof lipstick.
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Sure 'Nuf!
We were having a contest. We were trying to see who could make the worst face.
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Mr. Bennett: I put something out, Good heavens, it must have been the baby.

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Big—"Will you be my partner?"
Pete—"Oh, Big, this is so sudden! Give me a little time."
Big—"For the next dance?"
Pete—"to catch my breath. I haven't recovered from the last waltz yet"

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OUR BASKETBALL TEAMS
Lorraine High School has always had excellent basketball teams. Our boys and girls have always worked hard to make the best ball players that they could possibly make. We are very proud of them and appreciate their efforts more than words can week end and gave the Meadows northerners they have always played their best. For this reason we would like to see them playing in a warm gymnasium by the next ball season. We appreciate the efforts that are being made by the school board to make this convenience possible.

FRESHMEN NEWS
The eight grade has lost two of their classmates Jess Marie Brazil and Lewis Brians.
We were sorry to hear that Eldridge Trott was sick over the week end.
Ruby Hendrick spent the nite with Billie Marie Rowland Saturday and we hear they went places.

SOPHOMORE NEWS
Mary Merket went home this week end and gavy the Meadows a rest.
Louise Ohlenbush had company from Wilson this week end.
A certain Sophomore girl is surely keeping her eyes on a certain Freshman boy. Look out, you Fish girls.
Ruth Anne Hall visited Colorado Sunday afternoon.
What is Price Hall's attraction in Sweetwater Friday night and Colorado Saturday night?

JUNIOR CLASS NEWS
The boys of the Junior class held a secret meeting Friday morning. That is why the Junior girls don't know anything about it.
Found: Some notes with these initials, E. L. and H. B. Me. Loser please call at Mr. Bennett's office for them.
Lost: A cow by a Junior with one horn broken off.

MEETING THE SENIORS
Loyce Beaty is the other half of the famous Beaty twins. She is often spoken of as "a girl with an ideal disposition." She is a sweet girl and a good sport. She was captain of the girls basketball team last year and she was selected on the all-tournament team at Blackwell this year. She has always acted on the principles of good sportsmanship, both on the basketball court and at school. She has good self-control and seldom loses her temper. She was star on the volley ball team. Sports are not her only interest. She plays the piano and does good work in school. Indeed, Loyce is good at anything she attempts.

Vernon Wilson joined our class last year and he has been a great help these two years. He is very artistic and has recently enrolled in a federal art school. He has a great deal of ability and we expect him to do great things in art. He came out for track this year and won several awards at county meet. He is always ready to do his part and share in the fun. We do not hear so much out of Vernon but he is a steady worker and a fine classmate.
Walene Stephenson has been with the class in its struggle on the road to greater knowledge ever since grammar school days. She has many fine qualities and is one of the sweetest, most lovable and most modest girls in the class. Don't get the idea that she's a "gissy," she isn't. She's a good sport and gets her share of the fun. She doesn't talk much but she has good ideas when asked about anything. She was on the volley ball team and has always taken an interest in all sports. Her friendship will last after we have left dear ole' L. H.

S. and entered on the game of hostess, Morgaret Ruth Edwards.
One of our Seniors that we are very proud to mention is Joyce Furlow. Joyce has been with us since we were in the first grade and has always taken an active part in class work. She is the sports editor of our paper and our class reporter. Her name is always seen on the honor roll. She takes part in all of the social activities of the school. She also finds time for sports. She is one of the best basketball players that our team has ever known and she is also an excellent tennis player.

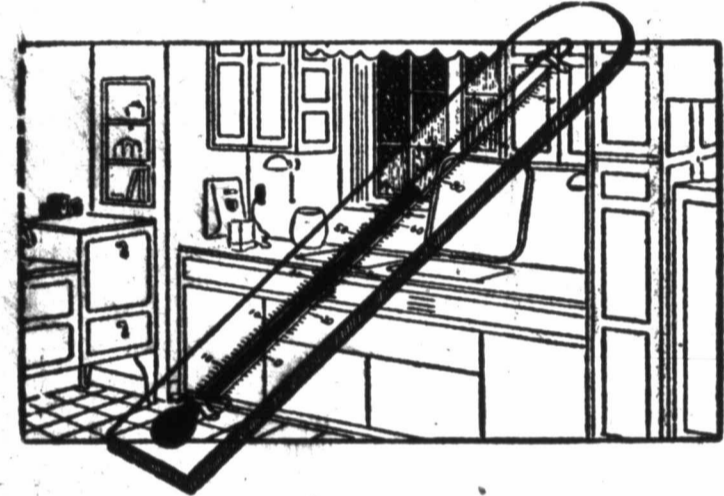
SENIOR FLASHES
The Seniors would like for someone to suggest a good place for them to go Senior Day. Various places have been mentioned but none seems to "fit the bill." When a bunch of self thinking Seniors get together it is hard to find a place to suit them.
Miss Lee gave a test on chemistry Monday and all the pupils did unusually well. They all got the same answer which proved to be a blank sheet of paper with "April Fool" on it. Was Miss Lee's face red? The chemistry class must be planning a revolution, they made gun powder last week.

SOCIETY
"42" Party
Saturday evening, March 30, Margaret Ruth Edwards entertained a group with a "42" party.
"42" was played until a late hour. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those enjoying the event were Jessie Scott Thomas, Lella June Harrell, Emma Louise Zolner, Rue McCarley, Wyona Hardin, Douglas Taylor, Loyd Beaty, Varnell Templeton, Eldon Mahon, Eugene Roberts, Boyd House, Mr. and Mrs. Othel Snyder, and

Program Sponsored By Seniors
Friday evening, March 29, students from Abilene Christian College put on a program at the high school which the Seniors sponsored.

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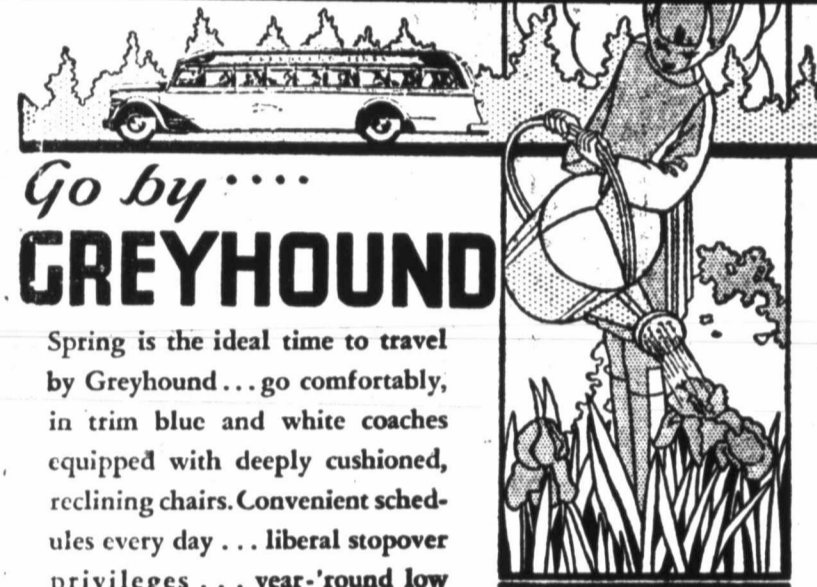
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RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$35,923.69
Loans secured by real estate	7,144.67
Securities of U. S., any State, political subdivision thereof	50,700.00
Other bonds and stocks owned	1,800.00
Banking House	14,400.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,600.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	662.75
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	34,975.33
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	56,061.19
Stock and or assessment Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.	411.20
Other Resources, outside checks and other cash items	1,312.45
TOTAL	204,991.28

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$30,000.00
Income Debentures sold	\$30,000.00
Total Capital Structure	60,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	1,770.89
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	127,490.94
Time Certificates of Deposit	15,507.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	222.45
TOTAL	204,991.28

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Mitchell.
We, C. H. Lasky, as President, and K. L. Taylor, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
CORRECT—ATTEST
Lillie E. Bennett
S. M. Hallmark (Seal)
J. C. Hall
Directors.
We, C. H. Lasky, as President, and K. L. Taylor, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
C. H. Lasky, President.
K. L. Taylor, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1935
S. A. Martin
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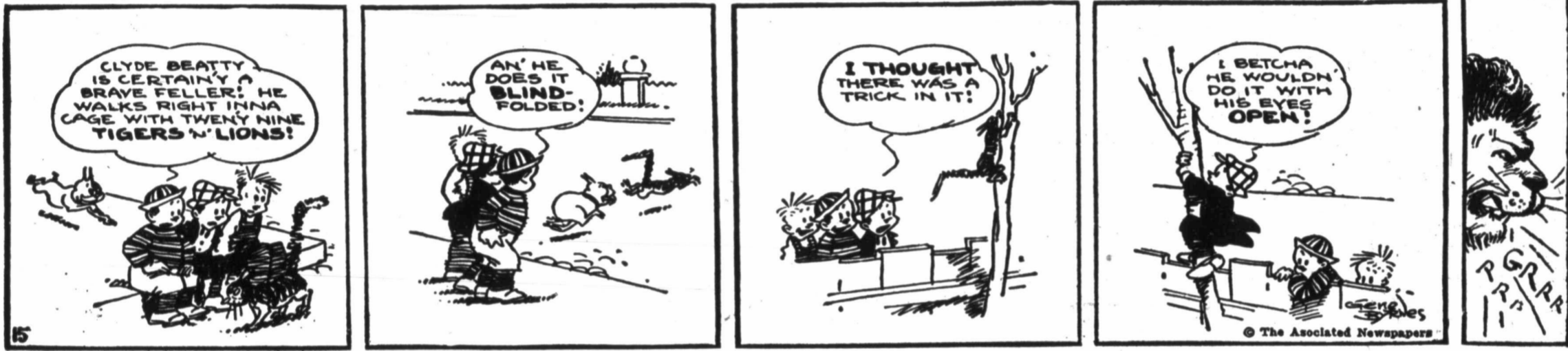
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So That's All There Was to It



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Ambrose Asks The Doctor For Further Instructions

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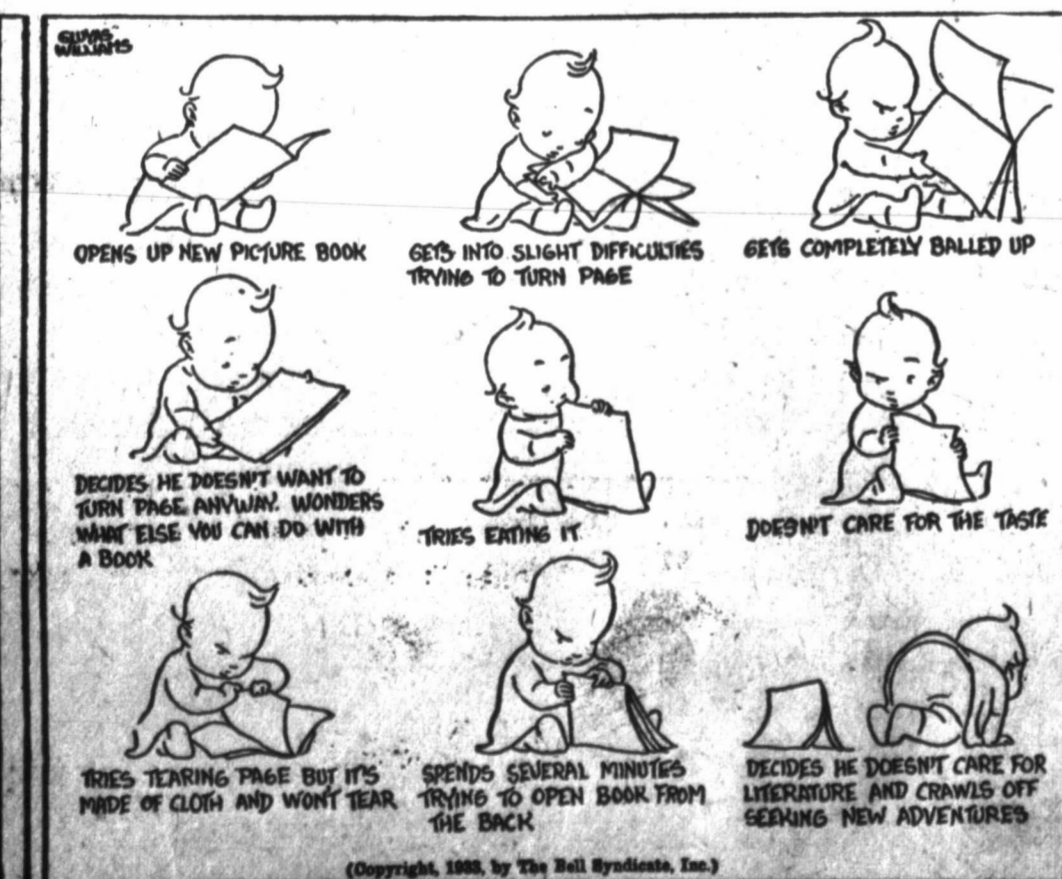


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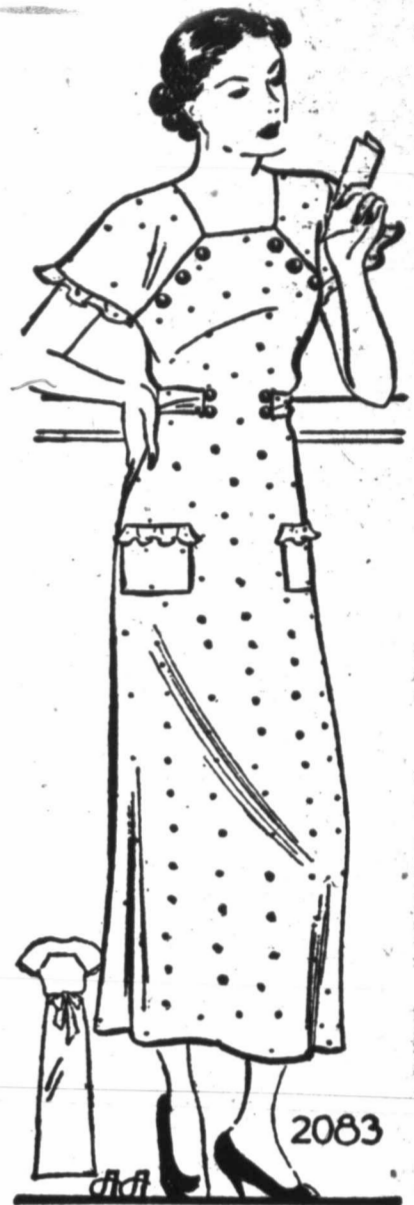
Our Pet Peeve

By M. G. KETTNER



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PATTERN 2083



When a busy housewife finds a frock as pretty and as simple to make up as the one illustrated, she'll make several of them in different colors—that is, she will if she's very clever. There are only three pieces to the body of this dress, the back, the yoke—cut in one with the sleeves—and the front. Cut them out, sew them up, add the slimming half belt which ties into a perky little bow at the back, and the smart patch pockets, whip frills onto the sleeves and the pockets or omit them altogether—and in less than the time it takes to tell about it you'll have one of the daintiest house frocks you've seen in a long, long time!

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Rastus—How am yo' suah dat was de worstest yo' evah bin scared?
Sambo—Cause de farmer grabbe me by de shoulder an' he say: "White boy, whut yo' doin' here?"—Toronto Globe.

Early Aversion
Small Joan, saying her prayers, had asked blessings on her parents and various other members of the family, at her mother's suggestion.
"Now ask God to make you a good girl," her mother added.
"Please make me a good girl, Lord," Joan continued, "but not too fat, please, not too fat."—Exchange.

Anything to Please
"Call me a taxi!"
"O. K. You're a taxi."—Pearson's Weekly.



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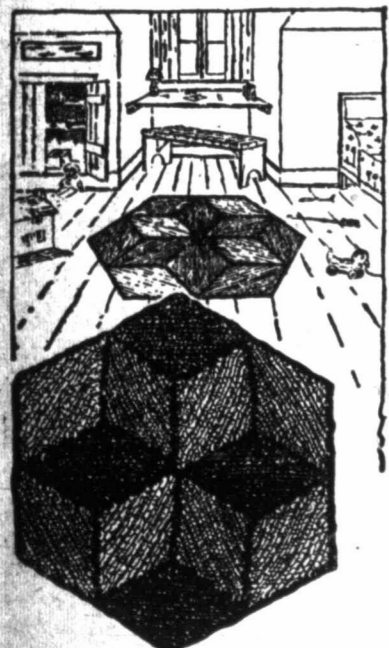
SABERS IN THE SEA

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE
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Every year, when the nights begin to lengthen and the great outdoors loses its lure, my old friend Cassidy turns up and proffers a request for ten dollars, more if he thinks I look good natured. So I was not surprised when I heard the familiar "Hey Bo!" behind me, and turning about beheld him standing in the door and regarding me appraisingly. "Just a couple of vees," he said, as I swung around in my chair. "Just something to keep the wolf off the brownstone front till I find another lay. Me an' hard luck has been pallin' around as usual, but everything will be O K soon. I'd of been all right now if I'd of been able to guess what a fish was like to do. But I don't believe anybody can do that, not even the fish himself. An'

Crocheted Rug in "Cubes and Stars"

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



This is another rug design that our readers will recognize as taken from the "Cubes and Stars" quilt design that is possibly a hundred years old. This rug measures thirty inches and requires about two pounds of material to crochet. It is made up of 12 diamonds and slip stitched together to form a star or blocks, depending on the way the color scheme is worked out. It is always an interesting rug to study (count the cubes) and well adapted for a child's room.

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ain't I got to eat while I'm thinkin' up some new way to get the eggs an' bacon?"

"Tell me more," I said, with no movement toward my pocket. "It was this way. I was down to one of them summer resorts south of the big town, conductin' a game of chance, but it seems that there's a prejudice down that way against loadin' dice an' markin' cards. Pretty soon I got an invitation from the chief of police to mosey along to some other resort before he felt it his duty to provide me with an iron room for a few months. It's bad luck to talk back to one of them fellers, an' I dusted out to another shore place that as yet had not enjoyed the pleasure of my acquaintance, an' where my reputation hadn't been spread abroad in high an' low society.

"Havin' a little money an' plenty of time while I was waitin' for somethin' to barge in an' make my fortune for me, I got a bayman to take me out swordfishin' one afternoon. I'm always willing to try anything once, an' since I seen a feller ketchin' a swordfish in a newsy reel I sort of hankered to try it. The guy that took me out knowed where the swordfish is parked, an' inside of an hour I'd hooked one of them. While I was fightin' him an' noticin' how he worked, an' how fast he was on his fins the idea come to me.

"Right away I put out my line, but this time I told the boatman not to kill the fish when I got him alongside, but to run the boat ashore towin' him along behind, which he done. When he got in we hitched up to a pier the fisherman had in his back yard an' I went up to town an' had some printin' done. It looked to me at the time as the surest fire graft I had ever thought out, an' I was nervous for fear somebody was already workin' it along shore.

"The next morning me an' the fisherman built a pen by the side of the dock—a pen about twenty yards square, an' we plopped our fish into it. Then we built us another pen, went out an' caught us another fish, and put him into it.

"After that I got busy distributin' my printin' an' inside of ten days there wasn't no talk in that town about anythin' but the big sword fish fight that was comin' off. They was crowds down to the place from breakfast time to sundown, sizin' up the fish an' considerin' their p'int, an' when some of the women's organizations began crusadin' to have the fight stopped on the ground of it's bein' brutal an' inhumane, I knew the show would go over with a wow. Of course there was a little trouble at first with some of the town officials, but when they come down to see what was doin' I tipped them off to the fish that was sure to win, on account of his weight an' form an' they just went back and got their money ready to bet.

"Of course I set the date back now an' then so as to give the news a

chance to get out around the countryside so we would have a good audience. The only thing I was afraid of was city reporters, but a big story had broke in Philadelphia a couple of days before, an' only the local correspondents was around. They was nice friendly boys, an' tickled to pieces with gettin' a good yarn an' it never seemed to enter their minds that I was givin' the show just to improve the breed of swordfish. Their papers circulated mostly in the farmin' towns 'round about, an' that was the kind of circulation I was lookin' for. You don't want mean suspicious city folks at a show of that kind. You want the sort that is used to takin' a lickin' now an' then, an' gets to like it, if they can get a run for their money.

"I didn't know nothin' about how to feed fish to make 'em game, but I got a half dozen barrels of herring or mackerel or whatever was the cheap fish around there, an' divided 'em up between our gladiators. I divided 'em up so's the one that we caught first, which was the fastest an' meanest lookin', had just enough to keep him in condition an' hungry, while the other one got all he could eat, an' didn't want to do much after dinner but lay on the bottom an' dream pleasant dreams. He was havin' the time of his life, an' I don't believe you could of chased him out of the place with a pike pole.

"When the day of the fight come around there was people swarmin' in with cars from back forty miles, an' others chuggin' up in a reg'lar circus parade of motor boats. We had a temporary platform built out over-lookin' the pen where the battle was to come off, an' before the gate was opened to let the two fish together in the arena there was boys sellin' space on the roofs of every house along shore. An' what kind of spoiled my enjoyment of the overcoat pocket full of bills I'd collected, was lookin' at a big ferry boat some crook had chartered an' anchored about a hundred yards away where all his passengers, an' there must have been two hundred of 'em, could get a better view of the comin' scrap than any of our customers could get. That made a lot of complaints, but I told everybody that the ferryboat was an official craft sent down by the state authorities to see that

everything was above board, and of course you couldn't keep officials from bringin' their friends along.

"Just at noon we run up the flag that announced that the fight was to start, an' ten minutes afterward we opened the alleys that led into the arena from the two pens. I had one eye on a little motor boat I'd chartered an' kept tied to the dock near me so if anything should go wrong I wouldn't have to stay there an' make it right, an' the other eye on the feller who was my bettin' commis-sioner. I expected to see the fight last about six or eight minutes, which would be time enough for the half fed fish to run the other so full of holes that he'd be too leaky to float more than a minute.

"But a feller that ain't brought up with swordfish don't know nothin' about 'em. My little lithe wiry feller that I'd bet my roll on made one dash for the arena, swims a lap around it, sees the big loggy fish he could of killed in one jab, an' what does he do but jump clear over the net around the fightin' ring an' light out for blue water as fast as he could leg it.

"I turned around to find my stakeholder an' tell him to jump into the motor boat but he was a quarter of a mile out to sea an' goin' like a streak. The only reason I didn't foller him was because the crowd whose money he'd lit out with seemed to hold me responsible. What do you think of that?"

"Yeah. I spent a couple of weeks in the hoosegow, an' when they let me out they had to take me in the night to the town limits so the citizens couldn't reason with me about that money. You see I'd pointed out the wrong fish by mistake to the chief of police, an' he won on him an' thought I'd done him a favor. That's why I only served two weeks. Him an' the police judge fixed it up between them an' divided a pretty good pot.

"No, I ain't got no game I'm startin'. All I want's that ten spot. I guess I'm slowin' up at my job, an' I'm goin' to see if runnin' straight is as good a graft as some of them preachers say it is."

Dogs in Yokes

Yokes similar to those farmers use to prevent cows from jumping fences are now being attached to dogs to keep them from running away. The yoke is fastened about the neck and can be adjusted so it does not interfere with the animal when it walks or trots, but begins bumping his legs when he starts to run. It is useful in training dogs to obey commands, and the animal soon learns to stop when ordered, after which the yoke can be discarded.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

It All Depends

"How old would a person be who was born in 1897?"
"Man or woman?"

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A feasting hall used by men in the dim ages before history began has been found outside the entrance of Whangaroa Harbour, New Zealand. G. Fleming and L. Frear, both of Whangaroa, noticed a small crevice in a rock wall along the coast. They forced their way through into a rapidly widening cavern, as big as a dance hall. The floor of the cavern was covered to a depth of some inches with the dust of ages and the remains of past inhabitants. Although there were many skeletons, the cavern was apparently not used as a regular burial place. There were cooking and sleeping places and many signs of feasting. Bones of fish, birds, animals and human beings were mingled, and there were also what appeared to be bones of the extinct moa, a bird often 14 feet tall. Wooden fishhooks with shell-tipped barbs were found. It is by no means certain that the skeletons are those of Maoris, in view of the curling reddish hair found on some of the skulls. The Maori invariably has black, rather straight hair. If the skeletons are not those of Maoris, they must be those of the mythical people who inhabited New Zealand long before the coming of the Maori.

Post Office Classes

The class of a post office is determined by the receipts. Those taking in \$40,000 or more annually are made first class; between \$8,000 and \$40,000 are second class; \$1,500 to \$8,000 are third class, while the fourth class take in less than \$1,500. There are 1,122 first class, 3,425 second class, 10,485 third class and 32,675 fourth class post offices in the United States.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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All Have Weakness

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"Pays to Pay Cash"

Fred B. Ison Dry Goods

Paul Weiss of Sweetwater was a visitor in the H. Ohlenbusch home this week.

John Schlee and son Otto and son-in-law, Mr. Lambert, from the Lower Rio Grande valley visited H. Ohlenbusch Monday. They were on their way to Amarillo, where Mr. Schlee has property.

H. Ohlenbusch and son Albert are in San Angelo this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and Mrs. Smith's sister, Miss Tempo Harris, returned Tuesday from Callahan County, where they went on business. They also attended a sacred harp singing at Abilene Sunday.

When looking for more for your money in school supplies see us, Hutchins and Hall Drugs.

Tommy Roberts has just returned from a ten day business trip to Detroit Michigan.

Mrs. Tommy Roberts spent a few days visiting relatives and friends in Roscoe and Abilene, Texas.

Mrs. J. E. Spikes received a message Monday that L. C. Spikes died at his home in Mabank Monday. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Spikes.

J. W. and Melvin King were in Roscoe Saturday afternoon where they played a cornet and trombone duet on a county federation program. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. King.

MRS. SMITH BEAUTY SHOP

I need your head in my business Perments \$1.00 up Roscoe, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McGehee of Littlefield were Loraine visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. Emily Palmer spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week in Waco attending the Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle convention of the state of Texas. Mrs. Palmer reports a wonderful convention. While there Mrs. Palmer was a guest at the Roosevelt Hotel.

Come to ROSCOE HATCHERY for BABY CHICKS and CUSTOM HATCHING. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gathing and daughter Miss Julia, of Roscoe visited Mrs. W. A. Jarratt and daughters Sunday.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bryant and daughter of Colorado spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Walker. Rev. Bryant was formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church here.

CAUGHT BIG FISH

Usually when a party goes on a fishing trip they explain on their return that the big one got away. Not so with a party who enjoyed a trip to the Rio Grande near Del Rio last week. They reported catching a fish that weighed 33 pounds and to prove to their friends the truth of their statements they brought the fish back with them. The party consisted of John Seown, J. C. Meek, C. H. Thomas, Jack Coffee, and Chas. Spikes.

Mrs. J. E. Hopper and daughters of Roscoe visited Mrs. Hopper's sister, Mrs. Alonzo Phillips, Sunday afternoon.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Foy Webb, Feb. 11 a boy.
J. B. Nanny, Feb. 4, a boy
Mack Doss Feb. 16, a boy.
E. L. Ratliff Feb. 26, a boy.
D. T. Marshall Feb. 1, a girl.
Manuel Reyes Feb. 4, a girl.
Needham Alfred Northcutt Feb. 24, a boy.
Theodore Burdell Sr. Feb. 7, a boy.
Otto Pizilas Feb. 25, a girl.
James Cupp Feb. 5, a boy.
Albert Moore Feb. 17, a girl.
Orvill Sanders Feb. 10, a boy.
H. W. Vaughn Feb. 26, a girl.
J. L. Wilson Feb. 15, a girl.
Austin Bush Feb. 5, a boy.
Richard David Bridgeford, a boy
Martin C. Clifton Feb. 17, a girl.
Homer L. Bibby Jan. 7, a boy.
Clyde Bennett Feb. 10, a boy.
Guy Hildebrand, Feb. 17 a boy.
Buss Dreywey Feb. 25, a boy.
H. E. Patterson Feb. 9, a girl.
O. P. Richards Feb. 27, a girl.
V. D. Armstrong Feb. 28, a girl.
J. W. Cochran Feb. 8, a boy.
Henry E. Clifton, Feb. 13 a boy
Jesus Pineda Feb. 16, a boy.
Foy Wallace Castleman Jan. 1, a boy.
John White Jan 12, a girl.
Bert Shephard Feb. 1, a girl.
G. C. Ervin Feb. 7, a girl.
Alba Thompson, Feb. 7, a girl.
Edwin L. Fitzwater Feb. 19, twin girls.

DEATHS

Nolberta Molina, age 90 years 2 months; Eularacia Revera age 57 years; Lenora Lealta Church age 63 years 5 months 6 days; Julia Brown age 59 years 7 months 3 days; Lonnie H. Davis age 2 years 3 months 2 days; Armstead Lee Scott age 72 years 8 months 20 days; James Almond Nanney stillborn; Charles Houston age 75 years 8 months 7 days; Mrs. Ariadne Van Tuyl age 80 years 11 months 5 days; Lloyed Daniel Glover age 55 years 6 months 24 days; Robert Henry Walker age 49 years 9 months 17 days; Sarah Homa Harper age 81 years 6 months 22 days; Baby Hilbrand age 5 min; Olin Harper age 28 years 2 months 16 days; Ronald Witt Hines age 1 year 6 months 23 days; Baby Castleman stillborn; Earl Thurman Murphy age 12 years 6 months 21 days.

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BAUMAN H. D. CLUB NEWS

The farm women of Mitchell county are learning how to make their homes more comfortable with little expense through the help of our county home demonstration agent Miss Emma Gunter remarked Mrs. Jim Johnson in a talk given to the Bauman Home Demonstration Club. Which met with Mrs. Ivan Barber March 29 at 2:30 p. m.

In an agriculture survey of Mitchell county and surrounding counties Mrs. Johnson brought out the fact that this county is located in one of the most profitable forming sections of West Texas. There is more tillable soil in Mitchell county than in most adjoining counties. A wide variety of farm products are produced here. Cattle raising is also a thriving industry in this county. Mrs. Barber gave a report on the government and finances of the county. Mitchell county is governed by a commissioner's court composed of four commissioners and the county judge. This executive body is elected by the people and is charged with the duty of overseeing all business and financial affairs of the county, which includes the levying of taxes, the building and upkeep of county roads and bridges, the care and expenditures for the court house and jail and all miscellaneous expense of the county. The financial condition of Mitchell county is very good at this time.

Mrs. Drew Givens gave a report of the last council meeting. Methods of raising funds for the club budget were discussed and part of the scholarship fund was collected. Seven members and one guest were present.

A demonstration on reseating chairs will be given at the next meeting which will be in the home of Mrs. E. M. Bruce April 10 at 2:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present. Visitors are cordially invited to attend.

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The attendance at Sunday School Sunday was small, there being only 46 present. Be in Sunday School Sunday. You have a place to fill and no one can fill that place but you. Be there promptly at 10:00 o'clock.

Sunday afternoon, April 7, is the regular singing time at Bethel. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Bauman Junior boys played two playground ball games last week and the girls played one game. The Payne team defeated the boys 14-13 and the Landers team defeated them 7-5. The Landers team defeated the girls 23-7.

Mrs. C. A. Land entertained her Sunday School Class with a dinner at her home Sunday. There were 8 class members and 2 visitors present. They spent an en-

joyable day. The Young People's Sunday School Class enjoyed a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Riden, Monday night, April 1. The occasion was in honor of Miss Loressa Collier who is leaving. Everyone reported a nice time. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The pupils and teachers enjoyed a picnic at the school house Monday, April 1. Lunch was spread at 12:00 o'clock and games were enjoyed until 2: o'clock. Several parents were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wiggins and daughter, Hattie Mae, visited relatives at Ackerley Texas from Thursday to Sunday of last week.

Miss Ruth Woods visited with Misses Annie Laura and Avis Kirkpatrick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richards of Simmons, Texas are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gardner of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hudgins of Valley View community, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lee and Grandmother Lee were visiting in the J. C. Lee home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miles left Tuesday morning for Santa Anna, Texas Mrs. Miles has gone for a medical examination and will probably remain for treatment.

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