

## A WEEK AT A TIME

J. M. BANKIN

### THE GREATEST MOTHER'S DAY

The greatest Mother's Day we can remember ever seeing was not a bright day in May, not a gloomy day in May, not any day in May. It was a gray and bitter day in November, 1918. For an ending to the deadly days and nights of war at any time is a great day for mothers. Not the young men who go out to die are the ones who must suffer most. Not the men who have the responsibility for their lives—and deaths—are those who suffer most. Not fathers even, in most cases must pay the high price of constant dread while the young men are meeting death—that may pass them by; not these that must suffer most. But the mother who must await the news that the life she endured so greatly to bring to this earth has been cut down. So the greatest Mother's Day is a day of peace. And the greatest thing of service to Mothers in all the world that could be done is the building of peace. We had hoped a peace was made long ago. But peace, like liberty, cannot endure unless there is constant thought and eternal vigilance. On Mother's Day we make a prayer for peace for all the world.

### TO HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

To all high school graduates everywhere. And especially to the Class of Thirty-Nine at Slaton where we have known most of the members of the class all the days of their lives, and especially to the members of the Class of Thirty-Nine of Slaton most of whom we have had the opportunity of knowing, we extend greetings. And congratulations. Though you don't need the greetings nor the congratulations. Most of you are competent to yourselves. You have not had to meet the problems of food and shelter. You have not been troubled at thoughts of insecurity in the future. You have not wondered if ever you may be hungry or homeless or hopeless. Thank God for that! You have not been distressed at the thought that a war may come, because a war is something that veterans tell grand lies about and that has a glamour to stir the hearts of young men with thoughts of courage they think they would show in battle (and they would; they always have), and the hearts of young women with thoughts of dramatic partings and romantic sorrow.

You haven't heard your instructors tell you that history is in the making, no matter how often they might have said it—you just didn't hear it. And you haven't heard them say you ought to prepare for the battle of life, no matter how often they might have said it—you just didn't hear it. And you haven't heard that you will make the history of a few years hence and there fore you ought to be interested in yesterday's and today's history so you could know what plans have failed and what have succeeded, no matter how often you might have been told—you just couldn't hear it.

Thank God you haven't heard all that nor thought all that. It is not to be desired that children should bear the burdens of manhood and womanhood. Not today, for this is graduation day. Tomorrow and tomorrow will bring enough of care. But today we salute you and wish you joy of this achievement—All high school graduates!

Melvin Tudor returned Thursday from the Santa Fe Hospital in San Angelo where he has been entered for treatment for the past ten days.

## Proclamation by the Governor of The State of Texas

Pursuant to a convention proclamation issued by the Governor of Texas, notice is hereby given that a convention of land owner will be held on MONDAY, May 15th, 1939, in Commissioner's Precinct No. Two in the City Hall in Slaton, Texas at 2:00 P. M., for the purpose of selecting a representative land owner who shall immediately select one of their number as a delegate to attend the State District Soil Conservation Convention to be held on the 22nd day of May, 1939, at Plainview, Texas, in Hale County. At the District Soil Conservation Convention of Land Owners, a member shall be selected to meet on the 29th day of May, 1939 at Temple, Texas at 11:00 A. M. for the purpose of organization and transacting of State Soil Conservation Board business.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Lubbock, Texas, this 8th day of May, A. D., 1939.

J. J. DILLARD, County Judge, Lubbock County, Texas.

## Commencement Tuesday Eve

### Forty-Three Will Receive Diplomas

Forty-three graduates of the Class of Nineteen Hundred Thirty-Nine will receive diplomas at Commencement Exercises Tuesday evening, May 16. The High School Auditorium will be the scene of the occasion and the hour is 8:15.

Dr. D. D. Jackson, professor of Education at Texas Technological College will deliver the graduating address in the program which is as follows:

- Processional, Miss Lorene McClintock.
- Invocation, D. L. Hukel.
- Salutatory, Marian Ferguson.
- Music, Marian Bechtel and Rebecca Tudor.
- Valedictory, Mildred Schum.
- Commencement Address, Dr. D. D. Jackson.
- Presentation of Awards, Principal Roy Boyd.
- Presentation of Diplomas, E. R. Legg, President of the Board, and Supt. Joe E. Webb.
- Benediction, Rev. W. F. Ferguson.
- Recessional, Miss Lorene McClintock.

The roster of the Class is as follows:

- Curtis Brown, Jack Brown, Carter Caldwell, Raymond Childers, Billy Berry Clack, Charles Dickson, Maurice Middleton, Frank Moss, Leon Powers, Floyd Reynolds, Raymond Roberts, Truman Shelton, Warren Tabor, David Todd, Harold Tucker, Joe Walker, Mary Helen Appling, Patsy Ayers, Marion Bechtel, Maxine Conner, Mary L. Culwell, Brooksie Nell Ecker, Marjion Ferguson, Geraldine Gaither, Lillie Gentry, Monica Hoge, Florence Holcomb, Vola Maye Hughes, Alma Kitten, Miriam Meading, Dortha McAlister, Christine McKaughan, Gladys Neabitt, Marie Saage, Jerry Taylor, Bobbie Tucker, Mildren Schum, Rebecca Tudor, Geneva Turner, Wanda Waldrep, Mildred Wicker, Georgia Mae Yeager, Laurene Jones.

## Ready To Wear Shop Is In New Location

Thompson's Ready-to-Wear Shop was moved this week to a new location at 105 North Ninth Street in the building formerly occupied by the Palace of Eats Cafe.

Mrs. Thompson, the proprietor, is pleased to be in the new place because of its more centralized location and the fact that it is more spacious. She is also pleased at the reception given her business which has been accorded a steady growing patronage the few months it has been established.

Mrs. Edd Lott is spending the week-end for Mother's Day with her mother in Port Arthur.

# GRADUATION



## BACCALAUREATE SUNDAY EVE REV. H. G. GANTZ BRINGS SERMON

Rev. H. G. Gantz, pastor of the First Christian Church of Lubbock will preach the Baccalaureate Sermon for the Slaton High School Class of Nineteen Hundred Thirty Nine at the High School Auditorium, Sunday evening, May 14, at 8:15 p.m.

Forty-three candidates for diplomas will walk in processional into the auditorium for the services to hear the address that precedes by forty-eight hours the final exercises of the public school activities of the Class.

The program for the Baccalaureate Service follows:

### PROGRAM

- Processional ----- Miss Lorene McClintock
- Invocation ----- Rev. W. F. Ferguson
- Hymn—All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
- The High School Chorus, directed by Mrs. Lillian Butler will sing
- (a) The Light That Guides—Wilson
- (b) Praise Ye the Lord—Vance
- Announcements ----- Principal Roy Boyd
- Scripture Reading ----- Rev. J. Paul Stevens
- Sermon ----- Rev. H. G. Gantz
- Softly Now the Light of Day ----- High School Chorus
- Benediction ----- Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, Jr.
- Recessional ----- Miss Lorene McClintock

## Stamford Reunion To Draw Notables

### Officials Of State And Nation To Attend Cowboy Affair

STAMFORD.—Governor W. Lee O'Daniel is one of half a dozen outstanding men of the State and Nation who already have accepted invitations to attend the tenth annual Texas Cowboy Reunion which will meet in Stamford July 3, 4 and 5.

Lieutenant Governor Coke Stevenson also has said he will be here. Federal Judge James V. Allred, who never missed a session during the four years he was governor, will be back this year, as well as Edward Clarke, former secretary of State, another annual visitor.

Paul Whiteman, famous orchestra director who has taken up horses as a hobby, has accepted an invitation for a second visit to the reunion. He attended in 1937. With Whiteman will be Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth publisher, who has become an ardent Reunion enthusiast since his visit here last year. Carter is said to be practicing up on his riding in order to make a good showing with the cowboys.

All of these notables have been given honorary memberships in the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association, but Frank M. King, associate editor of the Western Livestock Journal, Los Angeles, is a member of the oldtime cowboys' organization in his own right, being a former Texas Cowhand. He attends the Reunion every year and has written Chas. E. Coombes, secretary of the association, that he will be back this year, "if somebody don't shoot me."

## Last Rites for Laura Jane Lovett To Be Held Today

### Burial to Follow In Englewood

Funeral services will be held this afternoon, Friday, May 12, in the Methodist church at 2 o'clock for little Laura Jane Lovett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lovett.

Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, Jr., will read the last rites and will be assisted by Rev. C. W. Foote and Rev. I. A. Smith, both former pastors of the Slaton Methodist church.

Interment will follow in Englewood Cemetery, with Williams Funeral Home in charge.

Laura Jane was born April 24th, 1932, and died at 5:45 a. m., Tuesday, May 9th, of an acute attack of uraemia in the Lubbock Sanitarium, where she had been entered only an hour previously.

TO LAURA JANE. Laura Jane has gone to rest. She sleeps beneath a grass-clad hill. She knows not the friends that love her best. But her soul has found peace at will.

Her soul has taken wing. And found a heavenly home. There with the angels she will sing. For all her friends to come home.—Rowena Clemmer, age 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Meyers were visitors in Clovis Monday. They returned home and left Wednesday for a two or three weeks visit in Rotan, Jayton and Clyde, after which they will go to Clovis, New Mexico to spend the summer.

## Mother's Day



Hundreds of stars in the azure sky,  
Hundreds of shells on the beach together,  
Hundreds of birds that go winging by,  
Hundreds of flowers in the sunny weather,  
Hundreds of dewdrops to greet the dawn,  
Hundreds of bees in the purple clover,  
Hundreds of butterflies on the lawn,  
But only one mother the whole world over.  
—Anon.

## Full House At Band Concert

### Juniors And Seniors In Spring Recital

The Spring Concert of the Slaton High school band had the compliments of a full house for their appearance and the full house had an evening of splendid entertainment. Beginning with selections by the Junior Band, Director Nevins, justified his contention that such an organization should be maintained here. The youngsters were as well received as their elders. And nobody can doubt that the way to have material for a distinguished band is to train boys and girls as early as possible.

The selections presented by the Senior group ranged from semi-classical to the entirely classical—for bands—"Old Grey Mare on a Rampage." Of particular interest was the beautiful selection "The Enchantress" of Nevins' own composition.

## Hi-Y Boys Attend Amarillo Meeting

Tuesday at Amarillo the spring meeting of the Older Boys Hi-Y Conference of Northwest Texas met to discuss the training camp to be held in September at Ceta Camp. Plans were also made for the Conference to be held next spring.

From Slaton four boys attended: James Keese, L. W. Smith, J. E. Burton, and Kenneth Tanner. Leroy Ramirez, president of the Conference, started, but motor failure kept him from arriving. Grover C. Good, Conference Secretary, presided.

## Legion Award Is Presented

At the regular meeting Monday night of Luther Powers Post of the American Legion, etchings of the five leading allied generals of the World War were presented to the Post from the National Commander in recognition of the membership drive that introduced the current year. The local post reached and surpassed the quota set for membership. M. F. Nelson was given local recognition recently for his individual work in enlisting members.

## Attend Rotary District Meet

C. W. Taylor, president-elect of the Slaton Rotary Club of Slaton, and delegate to the Convention led a group of Slaton Rotarians to Big Spring Sunday, Monday and Tuesday for the annual convention of the 127th District. In the party were Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee Johns, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harral.

See the Slatonite for your job work

## W. T. Convention

### Mon., Tues., Wed.

### Conservation Is Theme Of Meet

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week Abilene will be host to the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The convention theme is "Federation of Unemployed Resources and Unemployed Workers," as suggested by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt. The host city and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce are ready to present a constructive business program featuring notable speakers and discussions of vital regional problems.

Slaton will be represented by Claude Anderson local member of the Directorate of the West Texas body, C. C. Hoffman representative of local president Webber Williams, and Raymond Lee Johns local secretary and Miss Mina Gayland who will speak in the "My Home Town Contest."

## Sister Stanislaus Buried Here May 6

On Friday May 5th at 5:00 a. m. at Mercy Hospital, Slaton, our beloved Sister M. Stanislaus passed to her eternal reward.

Being a member of the Order of the Sisters of Mercy for almost sixty years, it goes without saying that her loss will be keenly felt. She belonged to the Pioneer band, and was in fact, one of the first Sisters of Mercy to be professed in Texas. She taught in many schools of her Order, and her memory is venerated by all who had the pleasure of knowing her. As a teacher of music she was one of the best. Her death was not unexpected as she had been ailing for some time and was eighty years old. In fact, for years she knew the Grim Reaper might strike at any time, yet she valiantly kept at her post of duty until well nigh the end. Her demise marks the passing of a great soul.

On Saturday, at 9:00 a. m. a Solemn Requiem Mass was offered for the repose of her soul in St. Joseph's Church, Slaton. The Celebrant was the Very Reverend T. D. O'Brien, Pastor of St. Joseph's. He was assisted by Reverend Gabriel Diamante of Lubbock, and Reverend Matthew Schaffe of Rotan.

After the Mass, Father O'Brien preached an eloquent sermon—a fitting tribute to the dear departed one. Interment was made in Englewood cemetery.

Sister M. Stanislaus was born in Galway County, Ireland and is survived by a twin sister, Mrs. Delia Pulling of New York and a nephew and many cousins in the same state.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceell Scott of Spur visited in the E. B. English home Monday night.



A card to the store from Joe Teague III is postmarked Aguna, Coahuila. There were some derogatory remarks about certain fishing waters that had apparently been under discussion and a straight forward statement to the effect that there's "good fishing here."

John Ecker came into town Monday afternoon after an alleged foray on the fish at Buffalo Lakes. He had three bass which he did not discuss extensively but left to the imagination of the beholders the manner of his getting possession. One of the three weighed four pounds on U. S. Inspected scales.

Jeff Harper, Lon Hoffman and J. W. Buchanan went to Post Tuesday to try their luck there. Courtney Sanders, Robert Scott, Leonard Lott and Slick Johnson journeyed to Diversion Lake last Saturday to bring back a nice lot of bass, crappie and channel cat. None bigger than about two pounds.

## Seventh Grade Graduation Exercise May 18

Thursday evening, May 18th, at 8 o'clock, the Junior High Seventh grade will hold graduation exercises at the High School auditorium.

Following is the program to be presented:

- Song—"There's Only One School That We Love to Be In"—Student Body.
  - Song—"Sunshine"—Choral Club.
  - Guidance Program published by the National Education Association.
  - Pageant—"Your Life in the Making"
  - Scene 1—Keep Fit.
  - Scene 2—Develop Skill
  - Scene 3—Attach Importance to the Family.
  - Scene 4—Make Friends.
  - Scene 5—Be Loyal.
  - Scene 6—Enjoy Life.
  - Scene 7—Exert Influence.
  - Scene 8—Keep on Learning.
- The Lubbock Street Orchestra will furnish the music for the evening's program and ushers will be Jenn Bechtel, Kenneth Lilley, Betty Lou Lane and Waylon Ferguson. Miss Edith Marrs and Mrs. J. G. Wilhite are the sponsors of the graduating classes and directors of the exercises.

## Golf Driving Range Opened in N. Slaton

Lights have been installed, tee boxes built, land cleared and other arrangements completed at the new Driving Range in North Slaton, so beginners and learners can get intensive practice and training in the first essential of golfing. However, beginners are not the only golfers who patronize driving ranges; the best of golfers never think they have perfected their driving. So Carl Lewis and Frank Wright have opened the new place of business and invite the patronage of all interested persons.

C. M. English and his daughter, Betty Lee, six, are visiting in the home of his brother, E. B. English, and family.



## Just Arrived

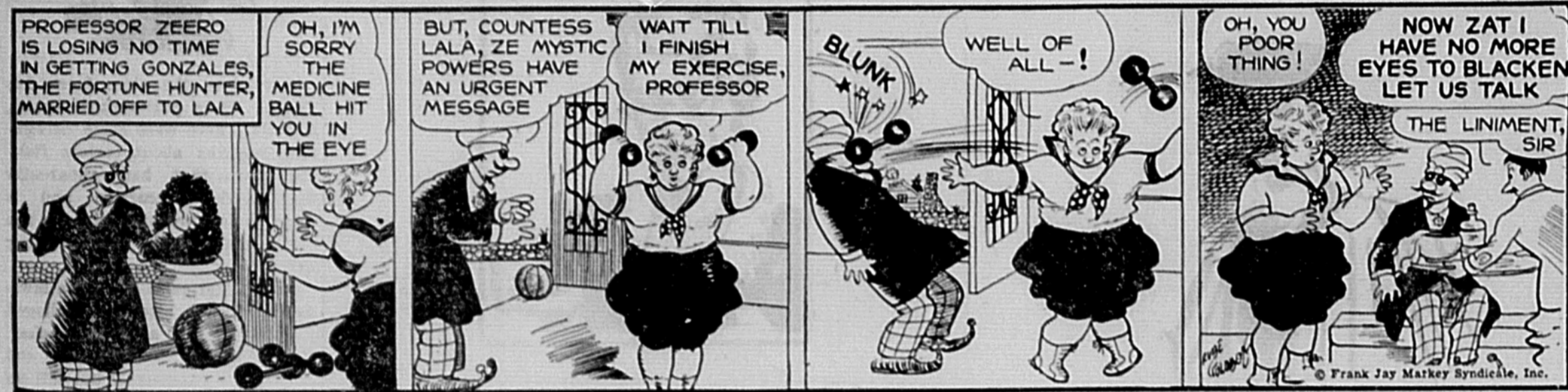
- To Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Harris, a son, May 5.
- Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Pinkert, of Wilson, a daughter, May 8.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dennis, a son, May 9.

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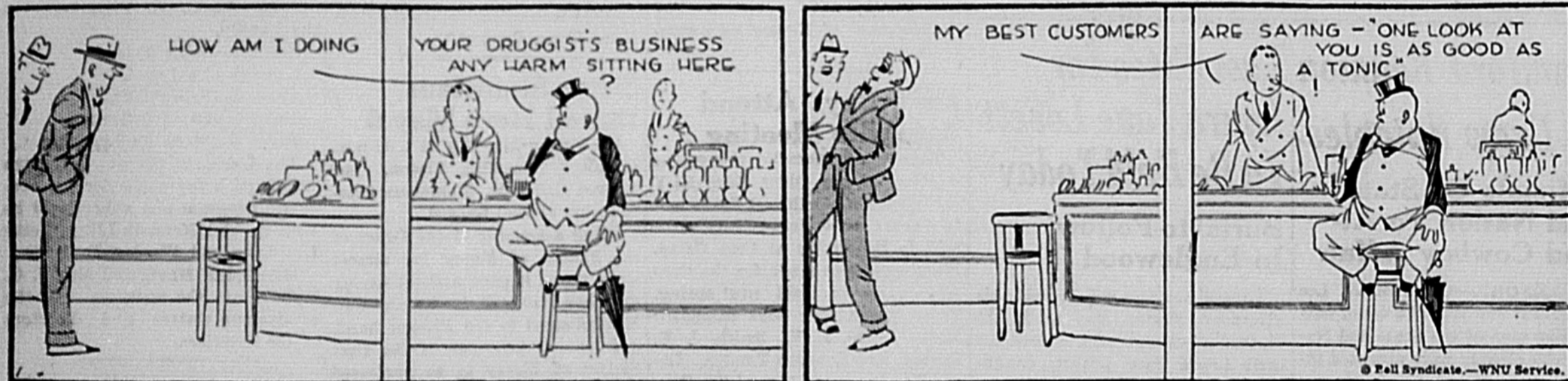
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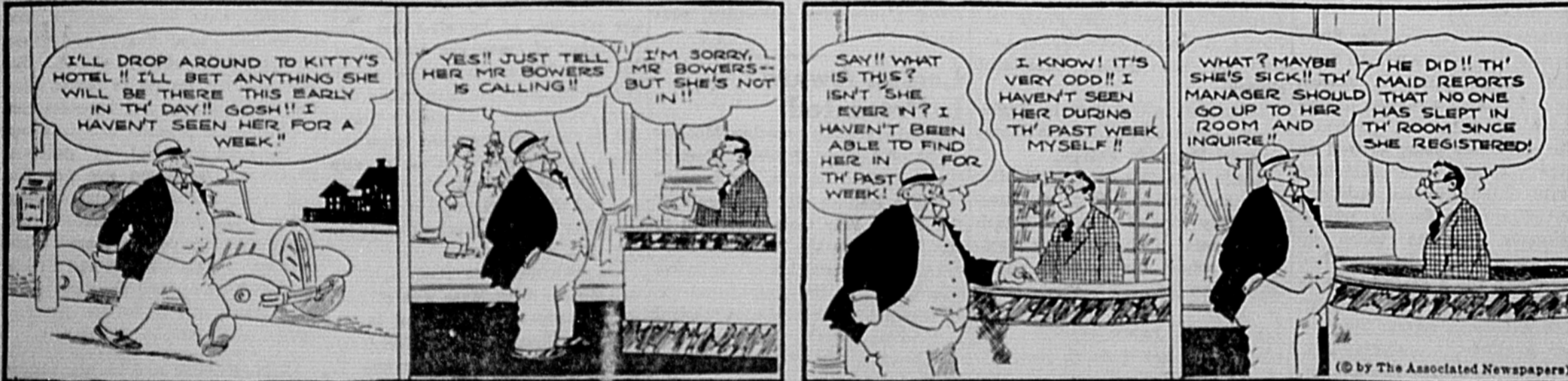
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LESSON TEXT--Acts 19:1, 8-10; 20:17-21; Ephesians 2:19-22. GOLDEN TEXT--But now, in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far-off are made nigh by the blood of Christ...

The Christian Church (that great organization which outwardly represents in the world the mystical organism which is the true Church) seems to be "stalled," if we may borrow a word from the automobilist...

Perhaps the lesson for today may serve to stir up some of us to the responsibility of the Church, and particularly of its individual members, for an aggressive testimony for Christ...

I. The Evangelist--Fearless and Tireless (Acts 19:1, 8-10). At Ephesus Paul did the work of an evangelist with such a passion for souls and such power from God that even his enemy, Demetrius, testified (Acts 19:26) that "not alone at Ephesus but almost throughout all Asia this Paul hath persuaded and turned away much people" from their heathen worship...

Are the days of such evangelism gone? Since only the power of God can explain what was accomplished by Paul, the answer would depend on the reply to the question, Has the power and purpose of God changed? Obviously the answer is "No." God is the same, and when we are ready to meet His spiritual requirements He will move again in mighty power...

II. The Pastor--Lover of Souls (Acts 20:17-21). Having completed his journey through Macedonia and Achaia, Paul is hurrying back to Jerusalem, and not having time to stop at Ephesus he sends for the elders to meet him at Miletus, the nearest seaport. He recalls to them the experiences which he has passed through, tells them of the bonds and afflictions which await him, but above all he wants to admonish and encourage them to go on for Christ...

Especially noteworthy is Paul's reference to having gone from house to house as well as teaching publicly. The work of the pulpit or from the teacher's desk loses much of its savor and usefulness if not backed up by personal contact. Some men who preach well, excuse themselves from pastoral work on the ground that they are really preachers, not pastors. Others love to do pastoral work but do not apply themselves to the work of the study, and so they say their calling is that of a pastor rather than a preacher...

III. Fellow Citizen in God's Household (Eph. 2:19-22).

The evangelist and pastor here reminds his Ephesian converts that they have entered a goodly fellowship--"the household of God"--and have become "fellow citizens with the saints."

Some folk are called "joiners" because they like to join every possible society, organization, lodge, or what not. Well, here is the supreme fellowship of all, which knows no barrier of race, creed, social position, age, sex, or nationality, and which brings us into fellowship with the eternal God Himself...

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The B. C. D. has taken the lead in formulating plans for a Fourth of July celebration this year through repeatedly called meetings and numerous letters sent out to other community leaders, so that already plans are beginning to take shape for an observance of the day in Slaton that will bring thousands of people to take part and to see.

The troublous times in which the world now breathes have inspired community leaders to plan the celebration around a theme of PEACE for this year's celebration. Few details have yet been worked

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#### NEW FAMILY IN SOUTH SLATON

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Grandson and nephew, Robert Paulson, have recently moved to Slaton to make their home here. They have apartments at present in the home of J. M. Davis.

Mr. Grandson is an experienced mechanic and has opened an automobile repair shop at Bain Bros. Station on South Ninth. His announcement appears in the advertising columns of the Slatonite.

#### ROTARY CLUB

The coaching staff of the high school was honor guests last week. Coach Hamilton told about the new district organization and how Slaton, Brownfield, Levelland, Post and Tahoka are in the southern half of the new set-up. He told also of the new Interscholastic League regulation that will in 1940 stop counting the semesters a boy attends school, and the number of years he has played; only his age being the measuring stick. No one will be eligible after he has reached the scholastic age of eighteen.

From Lubbock Stoney Wall and Donald A. Peterson were guests, and Earl Blassingame and Earl Mudgett of the high school represented the submerged nine-tenths of the football season.

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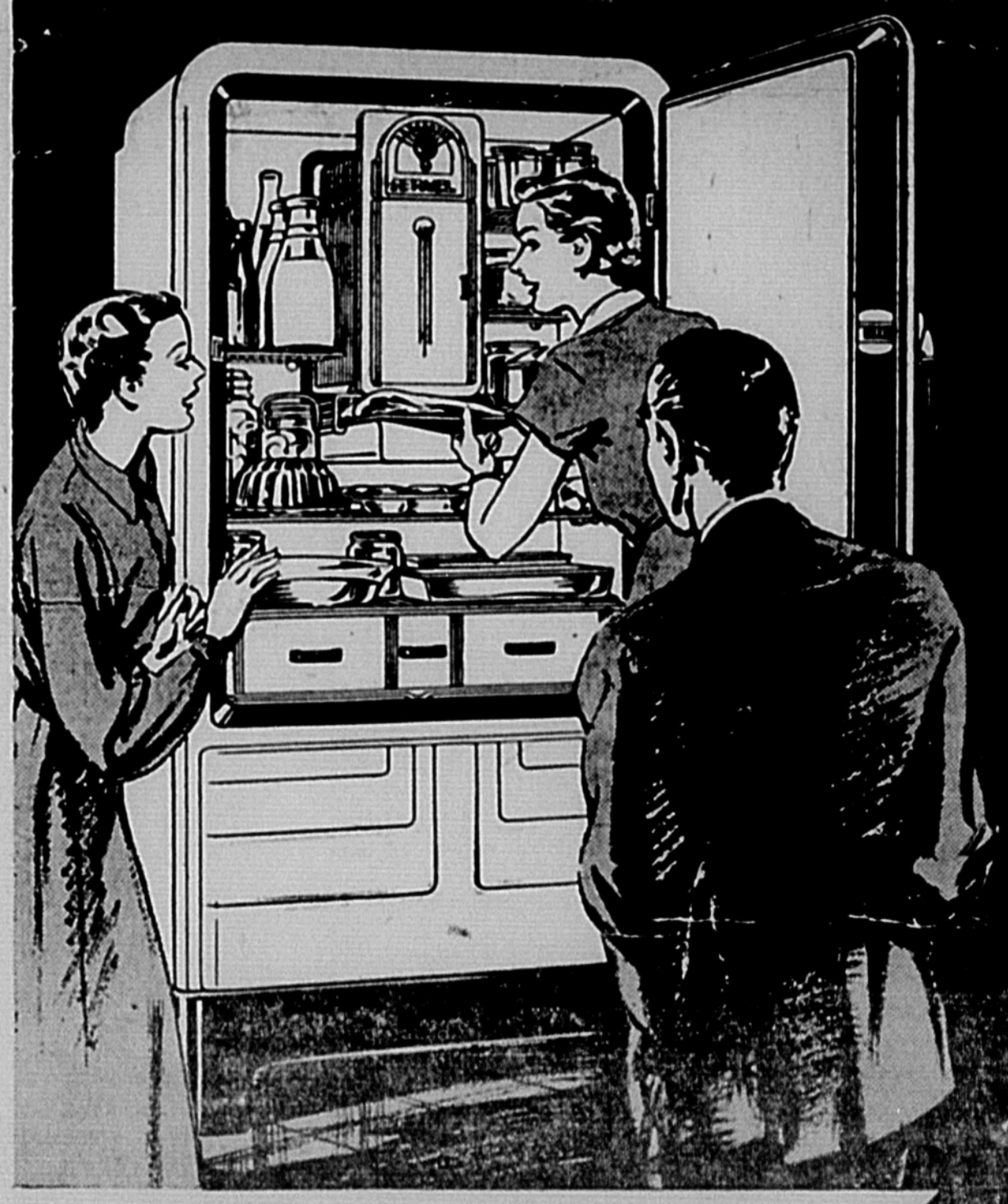
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part of Metro-Goldwyn-Meyer to take the romantic Taylor and team him with the joyous and irrepressible Miss Loy. Taylor demonstrates a flair for comedy as authentic and virile as he has displayed in drama. Miss Loy is even more beautiful and stunning than we have seen her in previous pictures, for the producers have been lavish with their budget in gowning her.

Interweaving moving heart

throbs with uproarous the story unfolds the meeting and later marriage of Cora Jordan and Bill Cora, the spoiled daughter of a steel magnate, on her fourth engagement for a job. Bill is a playboy on his luck. Following a meeting on a park bench, he gambles, frolics and fights to fortune, get married over the family budget and come together again in a series of mad-as-march-implications as hilarious as they are novel.

With an excellent cast of fun-makers in support of the stars, and a production richly mounted and taking in all the high and handsome spots of New York night life, "Lucky Night" was superbly directed by the Academy Award winner, Norman Taurog.

Mrs. Effie Cadenhead, Mrs. Clifton Parrish and daughter, Marilyn, all of Falls, were luncheon guests in the W. R. Wilson home Tuesday May 9.

**Richard Ragsdale In Junior Recital May 11 JUNE SCOTT ASSISTS**

Thursday evening, May 11th at 8:15 o'clock in the high school auditorium, Miss Lorene McClintock presented Richard Ragsdale, assisted by June Scott, in a Junior piano recital. They are both pupils of Mrs. Clannette Ramsey Olive.

The following program was given:

- Etude, Op. 299, No. 17—Czerny
- Contra Dance, No. 1—Beethoven
- Sonatina in G major—Kuhlau
- Allegro
- Adagio, by Richard
- Two part Invention, No. 9—Bach
- The Spinning Song—Mendelssohn, by June
- Consolation—Mendelssohn
- Warrior's Song—Heller, by Richard
- Pierrette—Chaminade
- The Little "Nigar"—Debussy, by June
- Lovely Night—Offenbach
- Saltarelle—Lack
- Waltz in A flat major—Brahms, by Richard
- Duo—La Capricieuse—Eggingel, by June and Richard
- Ushers were Marion Bechtel and Rebecca Tudor.

**SOUTHLAND O. E. S. ELECTS OFFICERS**  
Thursday evening, May 4 the Southland chapter of the O. E. S. met in their regular session in the Masonic Hall and elected officers for the coming year as follows: Theresa King, Worthy Matron; Maggie Denton, Associate Matron; Gladys McDonald, Conductress; Doll Haire, Associate Conductress; Mary Gray, Secretary; Nettie Kelium, Treasurer.

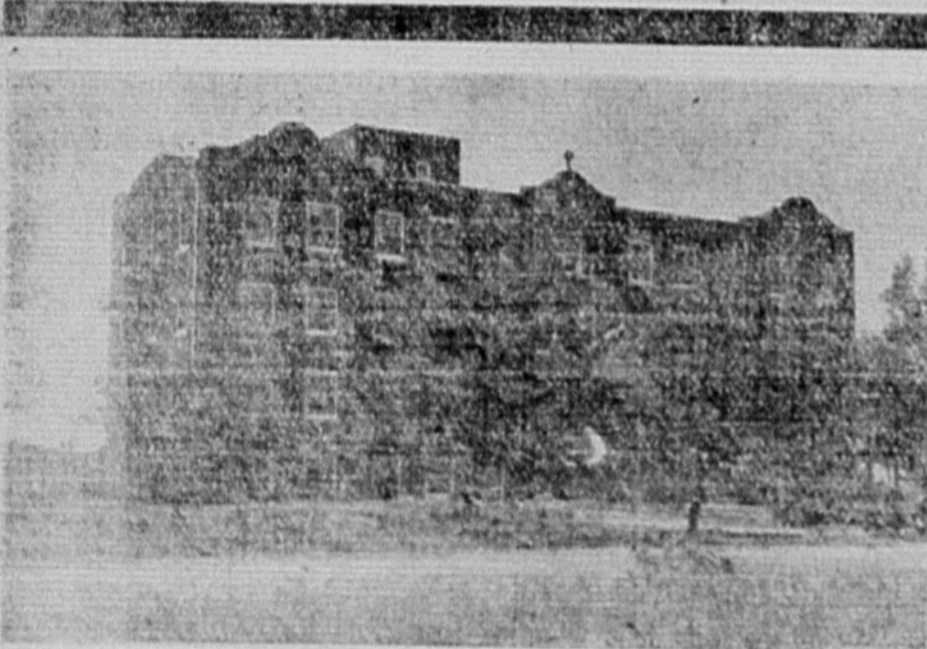
Appointive officers were: Tinnie Smallwood, chaplain; Linnie Craft, Marshall; Winnie Hendrix, organist; Annie King, Adah; Emily Dean, Ruth; Mary Hord, Esther; Alice Martin, Martha; Maude Gregory, Electra; Beulah Bedford, Warder; Alice Neill, sentinel.

Past Patrons and Past Matrons Night was also observed, with Doll Haire, Gladys McDonald and Ted King, singing the welcome number. Worthy Matron, Alice Martin, addressed the group and presented gavels of bronze to the honor guests: Annie King, Emily Dean, Myrtle Wood, Ethel Young, Otis Neill, Mary Hord, R. E. King, Tinnie Smallwood, George Collins, and Maude Gregory. These tokens were tied with the five colors of the order.

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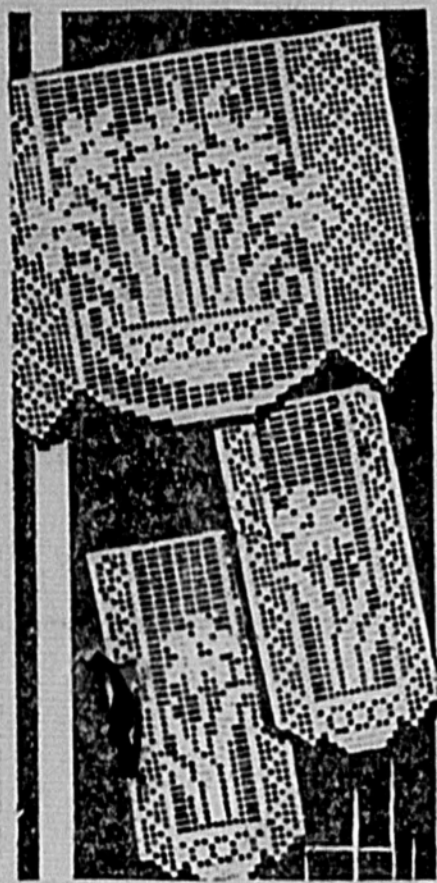
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SAFETY TALKS

Driving Too Fast

OF THE 28 states which published fatal traffic accident summaries for the year, 21 classified more drivers as "exceeding the speed limit" or "driving too fast for conditions" than were charged with any other kind of improper driving.

All 23 states combined, says the National Safety Council, in its 1938 edition of "Accident Facts," reported about 18 per cent of the drivers in fatal accidents and about 9 per cent of the drivers in non-fatal accidents were in this category.

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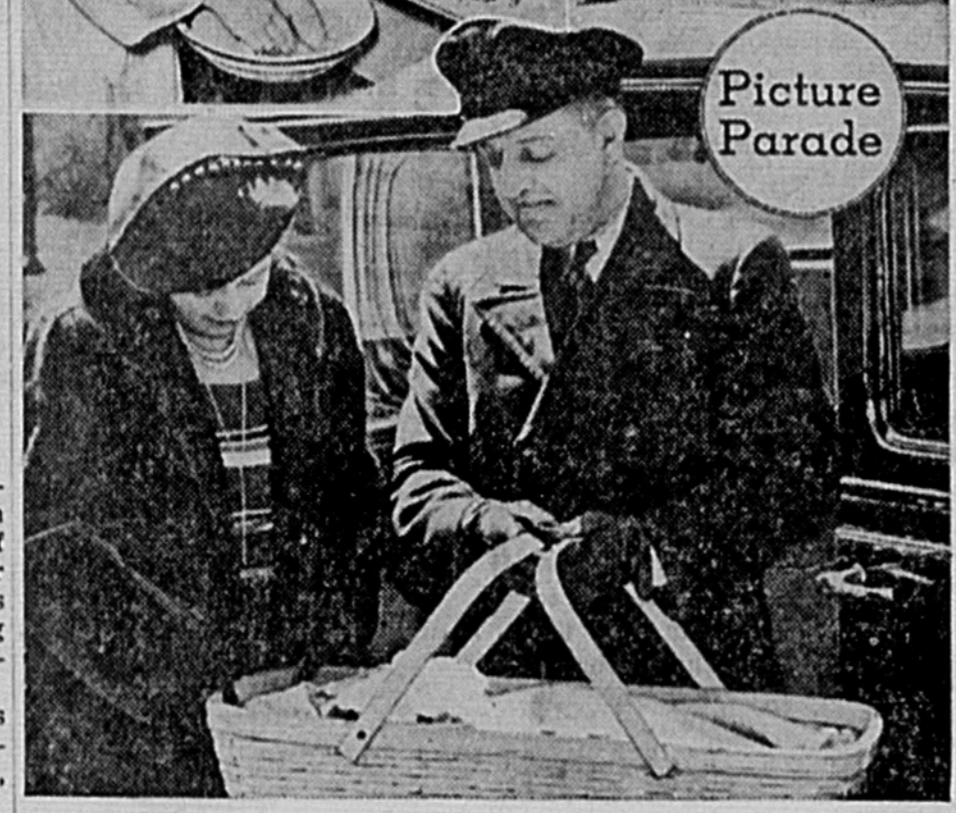
GARFIELD TEA

MODERNIZE Whether you're planning a party or remodeling a room you should follow the advertisements... to learn what's new... and cheaper... and better. And the place to find out about new things is right here in this newspaper. Its columns are filled with important messages which you should read regularly.

Parents 'Matched' to Babies At Evanston's Famous Cradle



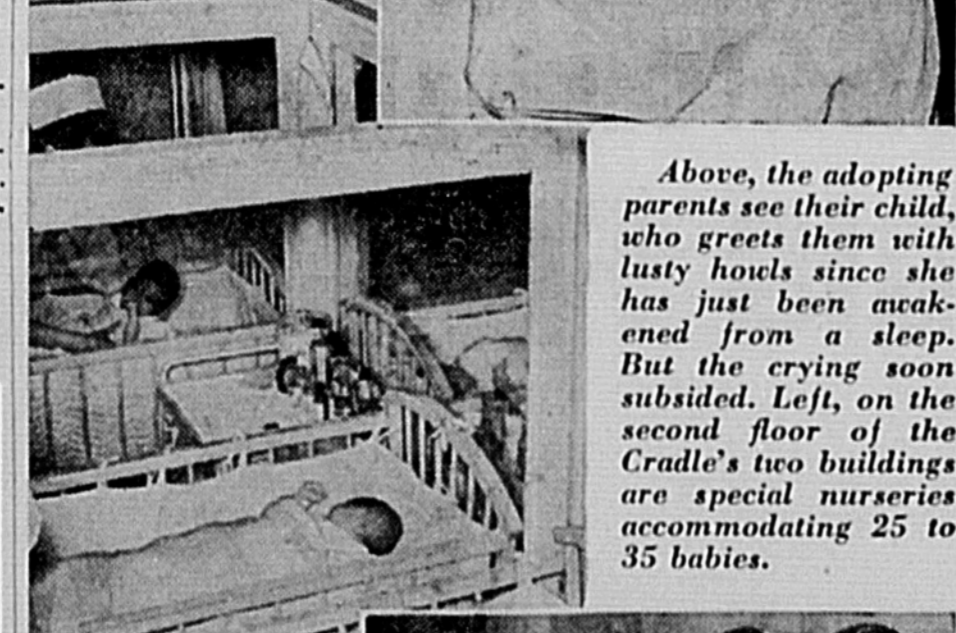
Celebration of child health day, May 1, and boys and girls' week, May 1 to 8, focuses attention on the Cradle, famed institution at Evanston, Ill., where in 15 years Mrs. William B. Walrath has cared for 3,000 unfortunate babies.



Above, Mrs. Walrath, assisted by the chauffeur of a friend of the Cradle, brings a week-old girl from a maternity center to the home. Six thousand applications are on file, but they are filled with the greatest of care. Parents must meet social, personal and economic requirements. Foster parents are told only that their child is normal, that the natural parents are free of disease, that babies are "matched" to adopting parents as to racial, national and religious background, and that in the Cradle the baby has had scientific care.



Above, Mrs. Walrath's daughter, Gretchen, reviews in detail with a Kenosha, Wis., manufacturer and his wife, who have come to adopt a child, their original application which, however, was filed several months before.



A nurse delivers the baby in the living room and the new father and mother, tears and smiles appearing together, take over. Beside the mother is Mrs. Walrath. The infant now has parents, a six-year-old brother, and a home on Wisconsin's Lake Michigan, its future happiness quite well assured.



Adopting mothers may buy baby clothing at the Cradle.

What to Eat and Why

C. Houston Goudiss Gives Timely Advice on Planning Meals for Languid Appetites

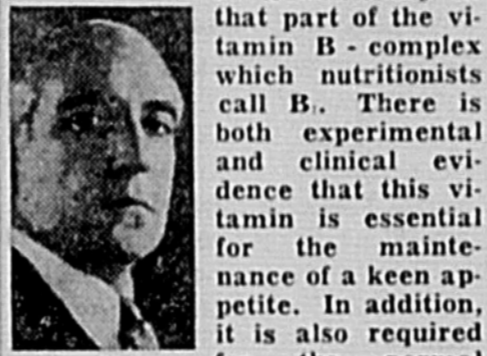
By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

AS THE weather begins to get warmer, many families develop a finicky attitude toward food. They come to the table with little appetite and claim that nothing tastes good. Before you reproach them, however, give some thought to the type of meals you are serving. Do they contain an abundance of crisp, succulent greens which tempt the eye and the palate and furnish important minerals and vitamins? Do they include juicy fruits with their refreshing flavors and

warrants repetition is my frequent recommendation that you include in the diet adequate amounts of bulky foods. These are necessary to help promote normal elimination. If your menus contain too many highly concentrated foods, irregular health habits may result. And that in itself may be responsible for a feeling of lassitude and a lack of interest in eating. Here again fruits and vegetables are important. Together with whole grain cereals and breads, they constitute our most important source of bulk or cellulose.

Obtaining the Appetite Vitamin

We know for example that when the appetite is poor, there may be a deficiency of that part of the vitamin B-complex which nutritionists call B12. There is both experimental and clinical evidence that this vitamin is essential for the maintenance of a keen appetite. In addition, it is also required for the normal functioning of the digestive tract, so that it must be provided in sufficient amounts if food is to be utilized to best advantage.



Among the foods which supply this vitamin are whole grain cereals, bran, eggs, milk, peas, beans, carrots, spinach and cabbage. It is also found in many fruits, though usually in lesser amounts. In general, a most satisfactory way to insure a liberal intake of the appetite-promoting vitamin is to include in the diet generous amounts of whole grain cereals, milk, vegetables and fruits. As these foods likewise contribute many other necessary substances, they rate a prominent place in the dietary.

Foods That Build Blood It is also extremely important that menus for finicky eaters should be rich in iron. For this mineral is necessary for the formation of the hemoglobin or red pigment in the blood—and it is the hemoglobin that carries purifying oxygen to every cell in the body. Iron-rich foods include liver, eggs, whole grain cereals, dried fruits, and green, leafy vegetables. I have repeatedly urged the generous consumption of green, leafy vegetables, and I cannot too strongly emphasize their importance as a source of iron, as well as other essential minerals, and vitamins.

Another piece of advice that

Get Plenty of Milk

Milk is another food that should be used generously, because it contains such a wide assortment of protective substances. It is our foremost source of calcium, which is required for the teeth, bones and for sound healthy nerves. And it contains every known vitamin in varying amounts.

If your family does not care for milk as a beverage, make frequent use of cheese which is essentially milk in concentrated form. And use milk freely in sauces and for making desserts. It can also be incorporated in nourishing cream soups, to be served for luncheon or supper. Follow the soup with a salad made from crisp greens and including a protein food, such as cheese, nuts, or hard-cooked eggs. And top off with a fruit dessert. This type of meal appeals to the appetite and provides substantial amounts of minerals and vitamins.

Salads Twice a Day

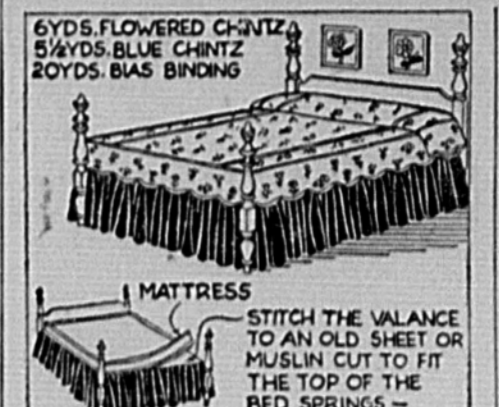
A crisp appetizer salad makes a good beginning for the main meal of the day. A combination of watercress, dandelion greens, lettuce or shredded cabbage, with fruit, or a small amount of a savory fish paste will intrigue the most reluctant appetite. And when the salad is served at the beginning of a meal, you can be sure that it will be eaten before the hunger is satisfied.

Another way to get additional vegetables into a meal is to mold them in gelatin and serve as a dinner salad. Or an assortment of fruits can be treated in the same way and used as a combination salad and dessert. If prepared gelatin desserts are used, a wide variety of color and flavor combinations can be achieved with very little effort; and children will eat them with relish.

You'll be surprised to discover how quickly interest can be stimulated by serving familiar foods in a new way!

HOW to SEW

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



A SMART new house it was, and all the curtains and slipcovers were made by following my sketches in Book 1, SEWING, for the Home Decorator! But when we came to the second floor it was my turn to get a few pointers. The treatment of each of the two principal bedrooms was quite different. One was very simple with

a lovely old quilt used for a bedspread; the other was in flowery glazed chintz with strong accents of bright greenish blue. Both beds required a valance that would not be removed with the spread.

Here is the flowered bedspread and the small sketch shows you how the valance problem was solved. As my clever young hostess pointed out, this is really a bright idea because the valance and its foundation make a cover for springs not of the boxed type. With the help of Book 1, you can make many of the things you have been wanting for the house. Book 2—Embroidery and Gifts, is full of ideas for ways to use your spare time in making things for yourself or to sell. Books are 25 cents each. If you order both books, the quilt leaflet illustrating 36 authentic embroidery stitches will be included FREE. Address, Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplains St., Chicago, Ill.

ASK ME ANOTHER? A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

- The Questions 1. What is a party of lions called? 2. What is the difference between a typhoon and a tycoon? 3. Does nicotine stain the fingers yellow? 4. What animal skeleton is kept in the bathroom? 5. Who was the author of the phrase "entangling alliances"? 6. Which is correct, "Drive slow" or "Drive slowly"? 7. Which is the darkest hour at night? 8. By what authority may the President of the United States call an extra session of congress? 9. What relation would your sister's father's stepson's mother be to you? 10. How long is the heart of the average adult? The Answers 1. A pride. 2. The first is a type of cyclone. A tycoon is an important person in business. 3. No. Nicotine is colorless; the yellow is tobacco tar. 4. Most people keep a sponge in the bathroom, which really is the skeleton of a very energetic animal, usually found by divers in the sea. 5. Thomas Jefferson. 6. "Drive slowly" is better English, although "Drive slow" is generally accepted as correct. 7. The Naval observatory says that no light is received from the sun when it is 18 degrees or more below the horizon, and during those hours there is no hour that is regularly the darkest. Through Fire The firmest friendships have been formed in mutual adversity; iron is most strongly united in the fiercest flame.—Colton.

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## CLUB news

The City Line Club will meet Monday afternoon, May 15, at the clubhouse, as they did not meet this past Wednesday, their regular meeting date. Miss Clara Platt will meet with them.

The Civic and Culture Club will meet at the clubhouse tomorrow, Saturday afternoon, May 13th, at 3 o'clock.

The Young Women's Circle of the Missionary Society met Monday afternoon in regular session in the home of Mrs. Pete Haliburton. The 4th and 6th chapters of John were studied and refreshments served to the members.

Mrs. Herschel Crain was hostess to the Mid-O-Village Club Wednesday afternoon May 10.

Miss Docia Tucker won high score prize.  
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She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brooks of Slaton and a pupil of Miss Genevieve Verble, High school student.

### Cub Scout Camps Held This Month

Two two-day camps for Cub Scouts will be held this month at Camp Post. The first one will open Saturday, May 13, at four o'clock in the afternoon and close Sunday afternoon. The second camp for the boys under Scout age will be May 20 and 21.

Notices have been mailed to all Cubs in the area, giving details of registration fees and lists of necessary equipment required for each one attending. Dr. C. C. Schmidt, Cub Commissioner, expects a large attendance.

Fred Haile of Dallas was a business visitor in Slaton Tuesday. He is connected with the Loan Liquidation Division of the R.F.C. Haile is a former resident of Spur and was chairman of the Spur Mutual Insurance Company.

Mrs. A. A. Sparkman and a guest, Mrs. Edwin Haddock.

Mrs. Fred Tudor was hostess to the Blue Bonnet Club Wednesday afternoon, May 10.

A short business session was conducted and then a social hour enjoyed.

A salad plate was served to about thirteen members.

### Scouts In Outing At Camp Post

Scoutmasters Odie A. Hood and Dayton Eckert took thirty-five members of troop 28 and 29 to Camp Post for the week-end.

Two of the big army tents that are part of the Camp equipment were set up, during which procedure the scouts learned that it is more difficult to set up one of them than to set up a pup tent. W. E. Kerscheval, assistant Scoutmaster also was in the party.

### Stone Apartment Is Unique In Decoration

Unique among the homes of the city is the newly decorated apartment of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stone, Sr., above their place of business on North 9th street.

Entering from the street, one climbs a curving stairway that leaves one in a small foyer, in rich, peach colored paper with a wall niche that frames an oil painting of an oriental goddess.

A tiny hall leads to the immense living room, comfortably furnished with a lovely, modernistic, plaster fireplace in bone white and chromium. A striking effect is produced on one wall space by two niches that hold exotic bric-a-brac.

The dining room is adjoining, through an arched doorway and the kitchen, opening off from this room is finished in white, black and red. There is a huge cabinet occupying one wall, a window seat, breakfast set and matching electric refrigerator and stove. The colorful wallpaper is repeated on the glass doors of the cabinet.

A service porch, with a four unit closet and a storage room fitted with a bath, is at the head of the back entrance.

Rose tiled wainscoting with marine scenic wallpaper is used in the bath proper. There is also a set-in tub with shower, a dressing table, linen closet, and storage closet.

The guest bedroom employs maize and white in the color scheme while the master bedroom employs orchid and green. In the latter, Early American furniture is used, there is a large clothes closet, a smaller storage space and a wall niche for objects of art.

Venetian blinds, bone white woodwork, light walls and natural colored floors are found throughout the apartment. There are fifteen windows that give light and air to this unusually charming home, converted, amazingly enough, from drab offices that formerly occupied the space.

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WEST WARD PTA MEETING POSTPONED

The regular meeting of the West Ward PTA, scheduled to meet last Tuesday, was postponed and will meet at 3:45 Tuesday of next week.

Mrs. Ray Ayers and son, Bobby, visited in Sweetwater Sunday.



Edwin F. Browder

Promotion of Edwin F. Browder as Secretary-Treasurer of the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company, effective June 1, announced by Edward J. Engel, president of the System Lines, today earned widespread approval of associates and friends in public life. Browder has been cashier of the company since 1918.

He assumes the position vacated by the retirement of Joseph N. Freeman, one of the best known officials in the Southwest and veteran of more than 50 years service.

### Santa Fe News

Purchase by the Santa Fe of 30 new 1000 horse-power diesel switch engines and one 4000 horse-power diesel passenger locomotive was announced today by Edward J. Engel, president of that company.

The diesel passenger engine and 13 of the diesel switchers were ordered from the Electro-Motive Corporation, of La Grange, Ill.; 12 switchers from the American Locomotive Company, Schenectady and five from the Baldwin Locomotive Company, Eddystone, Pa. This raises the total of diesel switch engines in Santa Fe service to 41 and provides a total of 37,500 diesel horse-power in switching service.

### TULIA WINS AGAIN

The Tulia High School vocational livestock judging team, victor in competition with Future Farmer of America teams throughout the State, was announced today as winner of the Santa Fe Railway System's educational awards by J. B. Rutland, State Supervisor of Agricultural Education and H. M. Bainer, General Agricultural Agent for the System.

This is the second time within two years that teams from Tulia have earned the coveted honor.

### Personalities In The News

Mr. and Mrs. Vaskar Browning have returned from Dallas where they purchased chromium and blue leather fixtures for their cafe. However, delivery of same will be delayed until about a month later than they anticipated, then they will have a formal opening of their establishment, Mr. Browning states

### CITIZENSHIP CLUB HAS SPECIAL PROGRAM MAY 9

The Citizenship Club of Junior High met Tuesday, May 9, for the final meeting. All students who have been in the club this year were present.

The program, which was given in the place of the regular business meeting, consisted of the following: "What the Citizenship Club has meant to the Fifth Grade"—Ruth Austin.

"What the Citizenship Club Has Done for the Sixth Grade"—Joan Tettler

"The Citizenship Club as a Seventh Grader Sees It"—Elzo Collier.  
"The Citizenship Club From the Principal's Standpoint"—Mr. Jenkins.

"The Superintendent Views the Citizenship Club"—Mr. Webb.

"What is a Citizen?"—Rev. J. M. Rayburn.

### PRIMARY DEPT. OF BAPTIST CHURCH HOSTESS TO HOMEMAKERS CLASS MAY 10

Mesdames Bevis Hanna, C. C. Shaw, Alpha Merrill, Hart, W. H. Crosby, Eva Smith, J. B. Butler, E. R. Burns, George Halton, W. F. Ferguson, W. T. Ward, A. R. Keyes and E. E. Culver were hostesses to the Homemakers Class of the Baptist church at the clubhouse

Wednesday afternoon May 10th, from 3 until 5 o'clock.

A playlet, "Good Medicine," was given with the following cast: Mesdames Culver, Ward and Keyes.

Mrs. Halton gave an illustrated talk on "David, the Shepherd Boy."

The Homemaker's class song, "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds," was sung by the hostesses and guests, after which an ice course with rosebud plate favors was served by the hostesses.

### HOSPITAL REPORT

C. K. Kilmore, Irene Gentry, Ira Thompson, George McCollum, of Lamesa, underwent major surgery the past week.

Mrs. H. R. Bailey had a minor operation.

Gaynelle Corly underwent tonsillectomy; Frank Respondek was entered for emergency treatment and X-Ray; Mrs. Floyd Reasoner was re-entered for a blood transfusion; and S. D. Nelson of Southland and Los Lewis of Lamesa were entered for medical treatment.

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### BLUEBONNET CLUB MEETING

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Mrs. J. A. Hightower visited in Sweetwater last Sunday.



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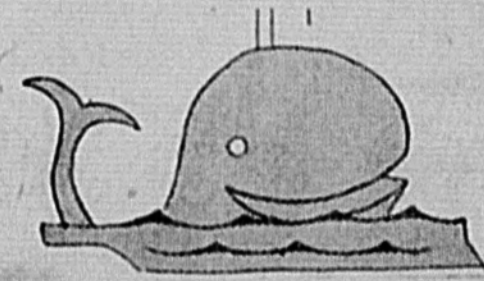
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Joe E. Webb takes over as Superintendent of Slaton Public Schools.



Roy Boyd comes as Principal of Slaton High School.



K. S. McKinnon, Principal East Ward.



REPRESENTS SLATON—Mina Garland, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garland of Slaton will represent Slaton in "My Home Town" contest at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention May 15-17 in Abilene. She is a junior in Slaton High school and a member of the high school dramatic club. She will accompany the chamber of commerce delegation to the convention May 15.



J. E. Nevins takes over the Band vice Clyde Rowe resigned.



J. C. Tucker is voted the most popular boy in Slaton High School.



John C. Jenkins, Principal Junior High and West Ward.



Jerry Taylor is named most popular girl in Slaton High School.



HI-Y LEADERS AT SLATON—The young men shown above are leaders in the Hi-Y organization in Slaton and one of them, Leroy Ramirez, left, was named president of Northwest Texas Older Boys conference at Amarillo recently. Wayne Idles, center, student at Texas Technological college, was vice president for the past year and presided at all sessions of the group. Lee Bickerstaff, right, placed second in the essay contest for the conference. B. G. Wilhite is sponsor of the Slaton group.



Hope Hennington, Duchess at Plainview Dairy Show.

Mrs. J. D. Holt returned this week from an extended stay in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. DeArmond Redmond of Dallas are visiting this week with the latter's aunt, Mrs. W. A. Tucker and sister, Mrs. Travis Irons.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Teel are here on a business visit from their home at Mena, Arkansas. Both are well known in Slaton, having been in business here for several years before they went to Arkansas six years ago.

Julian Kessel of Roswell spent last week-end here as guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kessel. He returned to Roswell Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Swedloff of Amarillo was a week-end guest of Mrs. A. Kessel.

Gilbert Wilhite and J. W. Turnbull were banquet guests this week at the Tech Honor Society for Engineering students, in recognition of their having made the honor roll of the Engineering school.

Dr. G. W. Shanks left last Saturday for a week of fishing down on the Colorado. He is expected to return Sunday.

Calvin Lamb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lamb, of 425 West Panhandle, who spent ten days in Lubbock Sanitarium following a mastoid operation, is at home much improved.

R. L. Stone and wife, of Elida, N. Mex., were week-end guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stone. R. L. is a vocational agriculture teacher in the public school system at Elida.

Leule Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Welch served as business manager on the winning edition of the Abilene Christian College annual inter-class paper contest.

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FOR SALE: Outdoor-grown tomato, pepper, sweet potato and many flower plants. Eight blocks west and three north of City Hall. Mrs. J. M. Davis.

## NEWS BRIEFS—

AUSTIN.—Before being released from jail here last Saturday night, on bonds signed by Representatives R. Temple Dickson and Doyle Pevehouse, Jan Anderson, Campaign Director, Texas Pensions Union, addressed a bulletin to each legislator, in which he urged that members give his organization, with the assistance of certain State officials, an opportunity to submit a plan for paying \$30 pensions.

WASHINGTON.—The Agriculture Department submitted to Congress Friday a plan for cotton crop insurance designed to protect the nation's 2,500,000 cotton farmers from losses caused by weather, insects and plant diseases.

NEW ORLEANS.—Adoption of a fixed cotton export subsidy to recapture the South's lost foreign markets, as opposed to a flexible subsidy, was urged in a telegram to President Roosevelt sent Saturday by Ben J. Williams, former president of the Southern Cotton Shippers Association of the New Orleans Association of Commerce.

PORTSMOUTH, England.—Amid the roar of a naval farewell that drowned out the goodbyes of the royal family, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth sailed Saturday for Quebec on an unprecedented 11,000 mile tour of Canada and the United States.

AMARILLO.—Grainmen Saturday predicted a 25,000,000-bushel wheat crop for the Texas Panhandle, and private estimates of the nation's crop brought hope of a strong market.

WASHINGTON.—While sounds of pain came from the Treasury, farm-conscious senators took command of the situation in the Senate today and in rapid-fire order voted a series of increases totalling \$382,075,000 in the agriculture department appropriation bill.

AUSTIN.—Payless paydays for Texas legislators proposed Monday by Senator S. J. Sulak of Lagrange, are not likely to materialize. A suggestion House and Senate members deny themselves pay beginning Wednesday and remain in session until security problems are solved bumped onto a charge of "horse play" and crushing rejection, 24 to 4.

AUSTIN.—Sky area observable from the new 82-inch McDonald telescope is larger than any other instrument in this country can reach, Dr. Otto Struve, director, reported to University of Texas authorities today.

Two features give the telescope its great range, the director explained. One is the Observatory's site, southernmost in the United States; the second is the instrument's offset mounting, a new feature among large astronomical plants.

Mrs. E. M. Lott left Wednesday for Converse, La., where she will attend a family re-union on Mother's Day at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edgerton and three children of Brevard,

North Carolina, were guests in the Mrs. Edgerton is a niece of Mr. J. S. Edwards home this week. Edwards.

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THE SLATONITE

## Slaton Student Council Members Attend State Convention



Top row, left to right: Donna Sanner; Thelma Joe Felten; Patsy Ayers, secretary-treasurer; Frances Crowther; Roy Boyd, high school principal and sponsor of the student governing organization; bottom row, left to right: W. D. Walston; Charles Austin; Harold Tucker; J. B. Ward; James Eubanks; Truman Shelton, president of the student body.



THE TIGER BAND MARCHES TO VICTORY AT LUBBOCK'S JUNIOR FAT STOCK SHOW

## First Train Saluted at Dodge City



Historic scene as the first train of the Santa Fe railway entered Dodge City, Kansas, back in 1872, as portrayed in Warner Bros. technicolor production "Dodge City."

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

Mid-June Adjournment Fought By Congressional 'Peace Bloc'; All-Summer Session Forecast

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

CONGRESS: Three Months to Go?

Long congressional sessions handicap U. S. business, but self-esteeming legislators also think their presence in Washington helps stop an impulsive President from sticking his foot into Europe's pie.

to small ones, also that federal revenues cannot be reduced. The only solution: Reshuffle taxes on big corporations.

Relief. Rebel Democrats and all Republicans are fighting the President's 1940 relief budget of \$1,750,000,000, partly for economy's sake and partly because the White House insists on keeping WPA intact.

Labor Act. Modifications in the Wagner act to pacify business were promised before the U. S. Chamber of Commerce by Nebraska's Sen. Edmund Burke. By early May, almost a month of committee hearings had netted nothing not already known: (1) That A. F. of L. and business oppose the present act; (2) that C. I. O. favors it.

Railroads. Though it is a major economic problem which almost caused a national crisis last fall until legislative reform promises stilled an employer-employee squabble, rail rehabilitation is well buried in committee. Some think the issue may be compromised in the interest of a shorter session.

EUROPE: Appeasement Again

Moons may come and go before the world knows exactly why Russian Foreign Minister Maxim Litvinoff "retired" at the crucial moment of Anglo-French-Soviet solidarity conversations. But there is every reason to believe French-British treachery is responsible. The argument:

Russia sought an all-embracing military alliance with the two democracies, meaning all three must march if Adolf Hitler carried out his threat to occupy Danzig in defiance of the Poles. But Britain and France have never opposed German occupation of Danzig; indeed a growing appeasement bloc (allegedly including Prime Minister Chamberlain) has hoped the Reich would satisfy its thirst by taking Danzig.

Maxim Litvinoff's release was the answer. Litvinoff is part Jew, hated by Germany for his anti-Nazi and pro-League of Nations beliefs. His successor, 49-year-old Premier Vyacheslav Molotov, is a military-minded No. 1 aide to Joseph Stalin.

Nearly all of them have been responsible directly to the President, or to the President and congress. Many of them worked at cross purposes; many overlapped, and there was the attendant jealousy, conflicts of authority, foolish resentment at each other's attempts to function.

It was evident that Mr. Roosevelt hoped the corraling of these maverick agencies would add to the efficiency of the machinery. That must be accepted as the fact because he told congress there would be a saving of only about \$20,000,000 annually. The anemic taxpayer, therefore, gets nothing out of the picture.

Faults Will Accompany Virtues in Mass Move

But what of those who previously headed the independent, dangling, wandering type of bureau or board or commission? The plan proposes to make them subject to a new boss—somebody in between them and the President. It does nothing more than that. Close examination of plan No. 1 seems, therefore, to amount to a bodily transfer of each of these setups, taking with them all of their faults as well as all of their good qualities.

Adding to democratic woe is the Reich's notable success in neutralizing all Scandinavia and the Baltic states. Though Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden will probably refuse non-aggression pacts as superfluous, these countries have given neutrality assurances and thus helped crack the "encirclement" ring which Britain and France thought they had thrown around the Reich. Lithuania's neutrality was guaranteed at the time Memel went back to Germany, and other tiny Baltic states (Estonia and Latvia) are expected to fall in line.

In the Balkans, collapse of Russian-English negotiations would leave anti-Nazi Rumania, Greece and Turkey insecure, probably forcing them into the German sphere of influence. Observers believe the outcome may now be German occupation of Danzig in return for territorial integrity guarantees to all the Reich's neighbors, which is exactly what Hitler offered in his Reichstag speech.

Bruckart's Washington Digest

Government Reorganization Plan Fails to Merge Similar Agencies

Presidential Plan Will Perpetuate All Agencies Created in Last Ten Years; Taxpayer Will Save Little From Proposed Consolidation Move.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART

WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—As I have often observed in these columns, our federal government is such a huge octopus that it is difficult for one individual to gain a correct perspective of the machinery. That is to say it is mighty hard to sit down, thumb through the list and say which agencies are worthwhile and which are just another set of jobs. The thing is incomprehensible.

And so it is that when Mr. Roosevelt, exercising powers for reorganization of the government given him by the last congress, submitted "plan No. 1" the other day, few there were who grasped the scope of the move. Equally, it is true that few persons were able, even after study, to point out all of the good points and all of the bad points, so complex is plan No. 1. I believe, however, after talking with many authorities, it should be said that there are both good and bad points, and nobody ought to be so silly as to deny the statement.

The President's executive order has established three new major units of government. They are the federal security agency, the federal loan agency, and the federal labor agency. Into these three groups it is proposed to bring some 20 boards, bureaus and commissions, some great, some unimportant, but most of which, in the last few years, have been dangling at loose ends.



South Carolina's Sen. James F. Byrnes, whose bill to place relief administration back in the states' hands is, according to Mr. Bruckart, jeopardized by President Roosevelt's governmental reorganization plan for unifying and strengthening federal relief agencies.

Concerning a federal loan agency, however, there ought to be praise. That is, there can be better administration, better co-ordination of policy, if the President selects a sound man to serve as its head.

Security Agency Is Plan's Hot Potato

The federal security agency, if we have to have such stuff, is the hot potato of the whole collection in plan No. 1. Into that group, there will be placed the social security board, the national youth administration, the Civilian Conservation Corps, the United States employment service, the public health service and the office of education. Just why such things as the public health service and the office of education should be tossed into that madhouse, no one seems to know.

Under the reorganization act, congress has 60 days in which to examine the President's plan, and approve or disapprove. That is to say, congress must vote a resolution of disapproval within two months, or the plan becomes operative. There isn't the slightest chance that it will be rejected. One reason the proposal will not be rejected, if there is ever any chance of it, is that one of the Republican members of the house played dumb. Representative Taber of New York could not wait; he introduced a resolution of rejection on the day following submission of the plan No. 1, and he has just as much chance of accomplishing his purpose as a snowball has in the nether regions.

I do not infer that the President's proposal ought to be rejected. That might be the conclusion after experts have gone through it with a fine-toothed comb. On the surface, however, Mr. Taber provided no basis of prestige for the Republicans by his act, nor did he demonstrate his value as a national legislator. As for Republican tactics, especially on such matters as government reorganization, they ought to distinguish between issues and making noise. I have a suspicion that Mr. Taber's resolution was as much welcomed by Democratic Leader Rayburn as it was disliked by the Republican side of the house. Certainly, it will provide a measure of Democratic solidarity.

That is the one factor to which criticism ought to be applied. There is no doubt in my mind at all that the President's advisors, in drafting the consolidation plan, or the President himself, dodged responsibility. I suppose it may have been too much to expect, yet it does seem a better job could have been done in that direction. Why, for example, was the reorganization of this phase of government activities worked out with nothing to show in the way of abolition of some of these numerous agencies? It appears to me that if the eight or ten separate units that have been brought into the federal security agency were so closely related, then some of those units could have been disbanded and such functions as necessary could have been lodged in the jurisdiction of the remaining bureaus. The same observation applies to the federal works agency and the federal loan agency.

Federal Relief System Remains Sore Spot

I believe the creation of a federal works agency will accomplish a great deal of good, but it does not solve one of the festering sores, now and long since showing on the body politic. I refer to the federal relief system. While there will probably be no more of the fighting over the back-yard fence like tomatoes, as did Secretary Ickes and Harry Hopkins, the plan No. 1 does nothing to wipe out the pernicious political racketeering that Hopkins permitted as head of WPA. Nor does it keep government money from being literally forced down the throats of towns for building public power plants or for other uses, only to create debt upon the shoulders of those taxpayers, as Harold Ickes did.

There is nothing in the program either that will eliminate the use of federal funds, either through PWA or WPA, in spreading the effect of federal policies into state governments. I have written before of how federal officials actually "govern" states or counties or municipalities by laying down rules which must be met before the money has been handed over.

It is certain, therefore, that as far as public works is concerned and as far as public relief from the federal treasury is concerned, Mr. Roosevelt has accomplished almost nothing at all—except to make the heads of the two units report to one administrator who, in turn, will report to the President. This makes it appear, moreover, that a real need exists for passage of the bill drafted by Senator Byrnes, South Carolina Democrat and one-time staunch New Dealer that would place relief back in the hands of the states.

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"Who Goes There?"

HELLO EVERYBODY: Here's a yarn from Hawaii—but it isn't any tale of soft moonlight and hula girls dancing on the beach of Waikiki. You can forget all about the South Sea's glamor, for this is a grim tale of soldiering in a tropic land. A tale of madness and murder on a dank, mosquito-infested island under a blazing, searing tropic sun and a sullen tropic moon.

Charles Suval of Brooklyn, N. Y., brings us this tale, and it happened back in 1920, when Charley was in the army and attached to the 13th Field Artillery, stationed at the Schofield barracks near Honolulu. Hawaii has a pretty swell reputation here in the United States. It's supposed to be the next thing to paradise. And I guess it is—for the tourists who live in the hotels and hang around sun-bathing on the beaches all day long. But for a soldier, Charley says, it's anything BUT a paradise.

Soldiers don't get much chance to loaf around on the beaches. In fact, they're lucky if they ever see a beach. The Schofield barracks are 28 miles from town. In 1920, those barracks weren't either modern or comfortable. Just a bunch of wooden buildings with darned few conveniences. The place was hot, and it swarmed with mosquitoes.

"It was bad enough for us old-timers," says Charley, "but for the rookies it was plenty tough." Most of the old-timers like Charley had been stationed in the tropics before. They were used to it. The rookies had to get used to it, too—and most of them did. But a few of them were sent back to the States with their papers marked "undesirable." And nine times out of ten that meant that the poor rookie had cracked under the strain of sweltering in the sun all day and lying in a hot bed slapping at mosquitoes all night.

Strange, Moody Youngster Surprises Barrack Mates.

There was a young lad in Charley Suval's outfit whom everybody spoke of as "The Kid." He was a quiet youngster from the first, but the longer he stayed at the Schofield barracks, the more quiet and more moody he became. He kept to himself most of the time, and since he didn't seem to want to be bothered with friends, the other lads in the barracks left him strictly alone. No one thought—least of all Charley—that that kid was close to the breaking point. Nor did anyone even dream that before long he would be the cause of a grim and heartless tragedy. But it wasn't so many days after that that the kid was put on guard duty one night—and what happened thereafter is what we're going to let Charley tell us about now.

Says Charley: "We had been having a torrid spell for more than a week, and when it's hot in Honolulu, it's plenty hot. The air was so



Then, suddenly, The Kid's gun went up. He fired.

damp and muggy that it seemed to stick to you like glue. We tried all sorts of dodges to keep cool, but none of them seemed to do any good.

"One night, four of us, Corporal Bradley, Corporal Howe, a private and myself were trying to get some relief from the heat. We drank too much of the native drink called OKEOLEHUE. About midnight we started to stroll around a bit—all of us feeling pretty good. We walked toward the gun park, and as we neared it we were challenged by a sentry."

Those four lads recognized the sentry's voice. It was The Kid. Usually he was quiet and moody, but now his voice sounded sullen and angry.

"What do you mean by making all that racket?" he growled.

The Kid Had a Strange Look in His Eye.

The Kid had his .45 Army Colt out of its holster. As they came nearer, Charley saw that he had a wild, strange look in his eye. It might have been a warning to him, but it meant nothing to Bradley. After quite a few drinks of okeolehue, Bradley was in a fine jovial mood. Grinning from ear to ear, he waved a careless hand at The Kid.

"One side, rookie," he said. "And next time you see the general, don't forget to salute."

Then, suddenly, The Kid's gun went up. He fired! "Bradley," says Charley, "died before he hit the ground. Howe and the private stood looking stunned. My own brain was spinning around in circles, but instinctively I tackled The Kid around the legs, bringing him to his knees. Then Howe closed in, trying to help, while the private ran back toward the barracks for more men."

Charley says that by that time The Kid was a raving maniac. He fired a shot as Charley tackled him—and another at Howe as he came to Charley's aid. After that he kept right on shooting—shooting wild—shooting at anything in sight.

The Kid Gets a Fresh Clip of Cartridges.

Charley had a grip on his gun hand. None of the shots had done any damage. But in the heat of the struggle Howe gave Charley a push. Charley lost his grip on The Kid's arm.

It was just for a second—but it was disastrous. The Kid had emptied his gun, and now he used that moment of freedom to take out the empty clip from his automatic and insert a fresh load of cartridges. Before Charley could get hold of his arm he had fired another shot—and another.

The first shot found its mark in Howe's stomach. The second bit into Charley's shoulder. Blood began to flow from the wound, and the sight of it made Charley mad. "I lost all caution," he says, "and all my ideas about taking The Kid into the barracks unhurt. I began looking around for a weapon, picked up a heavy stone and threw it as hard as I could, aiming straight for The Kid's head."

The stone found its mark. The Kid went down and lay like a log—and the tragic battle was over.

Both Howe and Bradley were dead when they picked them up. They were buried with full military honors. Charley went to the hospital, and by the time he got out, The Kid had been sent back to the States. Charley doesn't know what became of him—but he doesn't bear The Kid any ill feeling. After all, it wasn't his fault. You can lay the blame on the sun—and the heat—and those doggone mosquitoes.

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Bowler Hat, 60 Years Old, Known as Derby

The bowler hat, known in this country as the derby, got its British name through having first been made more than 60 years ago by William Bowler of St. Swinburn's lane to the design of a Norfolk farmer. The bowler or derby is popular in Britain and has many adherents here. The bowler is a symbol of solidity. The high silk hat represents lofty social standing. John Hetherington invented the "topper" in London some 140 years ago. When he first wore it he was arrested for inciting a riot; the complaint was made that timid persons were frightened by its sheen. A century ago a Frenchman, Antoine Gibus, contributed the opera hat spring. This is the only successful mechanical device in the hat business, and the inventor's family receives royalties from it. High hats are all made by hand.

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Jan Anderson, center, Campaign Director of Texas Pensions Union, and Representatives R. Temple Dickson, left, of Sweetwater, and Doyle Pevehouse, of Corsicana, bondsmen who effected Anderson's release from the Travis county jail, after the self-admitted lobbyist for \$30 pensions for the aged had refused to post his own bail and had remained in jail for a week.

Anderson was held on charges of contempt of the House of Representatives, the outgrowth of the pensions campaigner's refusal to testify before a House Committee concerning his own and the Union's activities in soliciting dollar membership contributions from the aged, unless given a hearing before a full-house meeting and the proceedings broadcast over a state network, which he offered to pay for. Representatives Dickson and Pevehouse joined in a statement declaring that "we are of the opinion that we are of the opinion of the Watkins Company, 70-81 W. Iowa, Memphis, Tennessee.

tion that the old people of Texas are entitled to a lobbyist in Austin, if they want one, and if they want to organize and contribute funds in support of their own campaign and just cause, they have a constitutional right to do so. Why have the members of the legislature not objected to and jailed other lobbyists in Austin?"

**Piano - Violin Recital May 14**  
**Mrs. A. B. Griffith Presents Pupils**

Mrs. A. B. Griffith will present her violin and piano pupils in a recital at the Southland Baptist church Sunday afternoon, May 14, at 4 o'clock.

The following program will be given:

- Rhymes in Music (piano)—Alice Ruth Carr; From a Wigwam (piano)—George Sides; The Swans Song (piano)—Tommy Scott Goolsby; Mary Jane Waltz (violin)—Dorothy Lee Davis; The Song of Spring (piano)—Josephine Walters; Rain on the Roof (piano)—Lavenia Wilson; The Puppet Show (violin)—R. J. Scheutte; Magic Music (piano)—Doris Wilke; Tick-Tock (piano)—Lorene Walters.
- Betty Jane Waltz (piano)—June Jones; Sacred Selection (song)—Janelle Jones; Boy Scout March (piano)—H. T. Carr; Starlight Waltz (piano)—Geneva Baldwin; To A Wild Rose—McDowell (violin)—Juanell Hart; Glendale Valse (piano)—Bud Johnson; The Violets Waltz (piano)—Geraldine Pickett; Sacred Selections (violin)—Mary Brasfield, R. J. Scheutte, Dorothy Davis, Juanell Hart; School Days March (piano)—Willie May Davies; Indian Dance of Welcome (piano)—Wayne Hise; Can't You Hear Me Callin', Caroline (song)

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**Marine Corps Open For 35 Enlistments**

The quota of enlistments for May assigned to the United States Marine Corps recruiting district of Dallas, headquarters for Texas and Oklahoma, has been set at thirty-five, First Sergeant Faulk

of the district recruiting office announced today.

Young men between the ages of 18 and 25 and who have had high school training are eligible to make application. Complete data on physical requirements can be obtained by writing or visiting the Dallas office, First Sergeant Faulk said.

**Trailer Travelers Warned of Hazards**

AUSTIN.—Added highway hazards created by the spring rush of trailer vacationers today became the target of state traffic police.

Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., State Police Director, said the annual spring migrations of tourists, with heavily-loaded trailers are a greater problem this season than in previous years, and warned that trailers should be properly lighted at night and be towed in such a manner as not to endanger other traffic by weaving from side to side.

He urged drivers of trailer cars to lower their speeds enough to

have control over their mobile equipment.

"We don't want trailer travelers to spend their vacations in hospitals," he said.

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Gladys Limmer, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Paul Limmer of Wilson, underwent tonsillectomy at the Loveless-Grosbart Clinic this week.

Gilbert Wilhite and J. W. Turnbow of Slaton were included in a meeting of honor students of the Tech Engineering school Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of discussing means of assisting new students at the college next fall.

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