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New City Officers Inaugurated Tues

The newly elected Mayor and Aldermen were sworn in at a called meeting of the city council Tuesday night of this week, and they started at once to work on the problems now confronting the town.

N. J. Brians was re-elected fire and police commissioner, J. N. Narrell was retained as street commissioner, Homer Richards was elected water commissioner, and K. L. Taylor was elected finance commissioner. R. B. Cope is the other member of the council, and J. C. Hall is Mayor.

The council will meet again next Wednesday night in regular session and at that time will have Dell Barber, city attorney, present at the meeting to point out a way to collect taxes. It was pointed out in the meeting that it is imperative that some taxes be collected in the very near future or it will become necessary to turn the city government over to bond holders. Interest on the bonds will be due in August and only a few dollars are in the treasury. The list of delinquent tax payers is large and collection must be enforced in some manner, it was said.

REPAIRING BUILDING

The G. K. Baker building on the highway, formerly occupied by a cafe, is being remodeled and is to be used as a filling station as soon as it is ready for occupancy. It is rumored that the Magnolia Company is to operate the station.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bruce honored their son Robert with a birthday dinner and forty-two party at their home on Monday, April 8. Those who attended the lovely affair were A. J. McCarley, Ruth Ann Hall, Irene Roberts, Opal Martin, B. D. Smith, Irene Parker, Opal Armstrong and Robert Bruce.

BRUCE BIBLE CLASS

The Bruce Bible class met for its annual get together last Friday night at the tabernacle. After an enjoyable supper of beans and pie some sixty odd men assembled in the church where many uplifting talks were given that is worth much to each one present. Rev. Cal Wright of Colorado was the principal speaker for the occasion.

We expect more such meetings each coming year, so if you are not in Sunday School come and join us each Sunday.

Reporter.

EASTER PARTY

The Baptist Training Union will have an Easter party at the basement of the church Friday night of this week. Miss Dale Johnson's group will have charge of the program.

TEXAS EMPLOYMENT DECLINED IN MARCH

Austin, Texas, April 15.—Industrial and commercial employment in Texas declined slightly during March in comparison both with the previous month and the corresponding period last year, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Reports from 1,578 representative Texas establishments covering the week which ended March 16 show a total of 68,971 employees an average decline of one-half per cent from the month before and 14 per cent from the corresponding week last year. Total weekly payrolls for these firms were \$1,564,000, a decline of 8 per cent from the previous month but an increase of 45 per cent over the corresponding week in March last year.

Groups showing improvement over the two comparable periods were: Electric railway car shops, foundries, machine shops, hotels, laundries, dry cleaning, millwork, retail and wholesale stores.

Loraine Offers Band to Other Communities

Loraine has one of the best municipal bands in this section of the country. It is capable of playing for any occasion and it is anxious to serve the town and community in any way it can.

The band is available most any time for programs in any community in this territory without cost. The communities in this territory who would like to have the band for any kind of program such as closing of school, or community functions of any kind are invited to get in touch with Harold Martin, director, who will be glad to take his band anywhere if you will give him time to get the band members together. The band is anxious to serve and the people of this community are invited and urged to take advantage of the offer.

If you want the band to visit your community to play for a program in your community, or if you want the band to furnish an entire program, they will be glad to do so in either case. Get your requests in as early as you can and the dates will be filled in the order received. If two communities request the appearance school band can be sent to one of the band on the same date the school band can be sent to one community and the town band to the other, and neither will be disappointed for either band is capable of providing an entertaining program.

BAUMAN HOME DEMONSTRATION NEWS

Anyone handy with a saw, some nails and paint can make a bookrack, shelf or stand to place in the bedroom over a desk or table to hold books. This fact was emphasized by Miss Emma Gunter, Mitchell County Home Demonstration Agent, in an illustrated talk given to the Bauman Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. E. M. Bruce April 10.

Every bedroom should have a reading center since there is more privacy and rest in this room than anywhere else in the house. Very interesting bookracks, shelves or bedside reading tables can be improvised at little cost. Panel wood, soft pine, or fruit crates are suggested as materials. Patterns and designs of these can be secured from your demonstration agent.

A demonstration in reseatting chairs with cane was given by Miss Gunter.

The resignation of Mrs. Jesse Lee as secretary-treasurer was accepted. Mrs. Jim Johnson was elected to fill the vacancy. The mattress school for the bedroom demonstrators was announced for April 19. The yard demonstrators will have a field day April 29. The exhibit for May 17-18 was discussed.

Ten members and four guests were present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Johnson April 24, at 2:30 P. M. —Reporter

On Thursday evening, April 4, the members of the Mrs. R. E. Bennett Sunday School class met in her home for their monthly meeting. Following the singing of the class song and several others, the class met in a short business meeting with the president, Miss Julia Tartt, presiding.

The business meeting was followed by a series of contests cleverly planned by the hostess and Miss Tartt. The contest between the Black and Gold groups will be carried out in the class, being based on attendance record in Sunday School.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Raymond Robinson and Eulalia Jones, Snyder; Lowell DeShaz and Anna Williams, Mt. Vernon.

NEW CARS REGISTERED

W. E. Reid, Colorado, Plymouth Coach; Thomas Riden, Loraine, Chev. Coach; Renier Davis, Colorado, Ford Sedan; Birl Smith, Colorado, Chev. Coach; R. S. Brennan, Jr., Colorado, Chev. Sedan; Mitchell County, Preet No. 2, Ford Truck; H. P. Slagle, Colorado, Ford Pickup; W. A. Swafford, Loraine, Plymouth Coupe; Magnolia Petroleum Co. Chev. Coupe; Roy McPherson, Colorado, Ford Coach; Price Turner, Colorado, Oldsmobile Coach; C. L. Griffin, Colorado, Ford Sedan; E. D. Newsom, Colorado, Chev. Coupe; H. S. Beal, Colorado, Ford Coach; Jim Reese, Colorado, Chev. Coach.

Transfers In Real Estate

B. A. Donelson et ux to W. W. Lay; NE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 40, Block 29, North, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$1750.00.

Fred Brown et al to Consumers Fuel Assn. Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, Block 3, Loraine; \$100.

H. A. Peterson to Consumers' Fuel Assn; Lot 9, Block 3, Loraine; \$100.

J. J. Billingsley, Sub Trustee to Continental Southland Savings and Loan Assn; Lot 3, Block 11, Colorado; \$400.00.

First State Bank of Loraine to C. H. Lasky; Lots 1 to 16, Block 39 and Lots 4 to 16 Block 34, T. & P. Division to Loraine; \$1000. W. R. Justice, Exr to W. J. Green; SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 43, Block 26, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$100.00.

BROWNLEE NOTES

Ribbons were awarded Friday night to the pupils winning places at the county track meet. Bro. Parks of Roscoe was present and made an interesting talk.

Singing was well attended Sunday night.

Misses Tressand Ruby Rannefeld visited in Midland Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marth and son and Walker and Florence Coleman, Misses Lena Ohlenbusch and Oza Gunn were visitors in the A. C. Lehmann home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Althof and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Baumann at Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Zinke and son and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zinke and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baumann at Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Beinbauer visited Otto Bruns and family Saturday evening.

Misses Frieda and Norma Lehmann attended the Nolan County Council meeting held at Sweetwater Saturday.

The Blackstock children and Billie Joe Duncan were back in school Monday after being absent for several days on account of sore eyes.

L. D. Blackstock and Miss Jessie Marie Brazil were married in the home of Rev. Parks at Roscoe on March 29. Both are well known in this community and their many friends wish them a long and happy married life.

The boys and girls ball team played the Champion teams last Friday. Champion won both games with the scores: Boys 4 and 7, girls 8 and 11.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Baker spent Sunday with Mrs. Baker's brother Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Falkner at Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bownds and family of Pyron spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Bownds' sister, Mrs. H. L. Harrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King and parents south of Roscoe.

B. F. Trott and M. A. Haygood were in Lamesa last Friday on business.

School Census 12 Less Than Year Ago

The school census recently completed by B. D. Smith totaled 371 pupils of scholastic age living within the Loraine district. This number includes 15 negro children.

The number for this year is 12 less than for last year when 383 children were of scholastic age in the district.

COMMISSIONERS COURT AID IN SLOWING TRAFFIC THROUGH CITY OF LORAIN

The commissioners court of Mitchell County has undertaken to assist the city of Loraine in slowing down traffic through the town on the highway. The court was asked by Loraine business men, to pass a resolution asking the highway commission to regulate traffic through Loraine. The court passed the resolution at the regular session last Monday.

It was pointed out by the business men of Loraine that a dangerous situation prevails here. A great deal of the traffic on the highway goes through town at a terrific rate of speed and creates a dangerous situation to children and others who cross the highway in the regular business routine. The highway commission has been asked to slow the traffic down to a reasonable rate of speed through the business part of town, and that a motor patrol be assigned here to regulate the traffic.

BAUMAN NEWS

Sunday School was well attended Sunday morning. Rev. Balderree brought two good messages Saturday night and Sunday night.

Sunday morning Bro. Wyhan of Wastella brought a good message on "Brotherhood." Sunday morning, April 21, Sunday School will begin at 9:30 in order that those wishing to do so may attend the Home-Coming at Looney Church. Don't forget this be on time.

The men of this community who were interested in baseball met at the school house Monday night and organized a baseball team.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and family attended a birthday dinner at the home of E. M. Rasco, at Roscoe last Sunday. The occasion being in honor of Mr. W. B. McClindon who is 64 years of age.

Miss Frances Cheek entertained a number of her friends with a party in her home last Saturday night.

The teachers and pupils will begin soon preparing for their last-of-school program. It will close May 17. The teachers have been reelected to serve for another year. They are Claude Willis, Principle, Mrs. Drew Givens, Assistant and Miss Ruth Johnson Primary.

Miss Nina Pearl Brown of Loraine and Miss Jewel Smith of Silver spent Saturday night visiting Miss Frances Cheek.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Miles visited Mrs. Era Harper Sunday in the A. R. Miles home.

Miss Ruth Woods spent the week-end visiting Miss Fabris Carpenter in the Barnett Community.

Mrs. Alice Brown returned to Abilene, Sunday after a weeks visit in the Claude Willis home.

A. R. Miles went to Santa Anna Texas Sunday morning for Mrs. Miles who had been there the past two weeks taking treatment. They returned home Monday afternoon.

I. B. Baird received a message Saturday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Nancy Croslin, 83, at her home at Hutto, Texas. Mr. Baird was unable to attend the funeral.

Have your winter coats and suits cleaned and pressed and put away in a moth proof bag. Leggett's Tailor Shop.

Milton Hallmark and Leon Crutcher of Teah will be here over the week end to spend Easter.

Cow and Hen Are Making Money For Their Owners

The cow and the hen are occupying a very important place in the lives of the people of this community at this time. They are providing a living for farmers in this territory. On last Saturday the eggs and cream brought to Loraine brought the farmers in this territory approximately \$1000 in cash and trade, according to checks cleared through the bank.

You remember back in the good old days of 1929 when the peak of everything seemed to be reached. Well, the cow and the hen were a long way behind the present cow and hen in providing money for their owners. On the first Saturday in May 1929, bank clearances for cream and eggs was only \$42.10. Quite a difference between that and \$1000.

The cow, the sow and the hen, held before the people back in the days before 1929 by almost every editor in the country as the providers of ready cash and a living for farmers are proving now the editors were right.

C. C. THOMPSON ILL

C. C. Thompson of Colorado became ill Sunday and was taken from the train at Fort Worth while he and his wife were on their way to Washington. Mr. Thompson was taken to a Fort Worth hospital and prepared for an appendicitis operation but before the operation was performed he got better and decided not to have the operation. He returned to his home in Colorado Monday and his condition is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Taylor and Mrs. T. R. Bennett went to Fort Worth Sunday night to be with him.

GLEANERS S. S. CLASS

(Delayed from last week) The Gleaners Sunday School class met in regular monthly meeting on April 9, in the home of Mrs. C. M. Duke with Mesdames Marvin Martin and C. W. Palmer joint hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by our president Mrs. Jim Manly. The class song, "Blessed Assurance" was sung. Devotional was led by Mrs. Joe Bennett.

Mrs. Forcher taught our lesson in the book we are studying on Job. Mrs. F. J. Pignet will teach the lesson "Jesus the Son" in the next chapter.

Each member discussed what Easter means to her life. There were some good thoughts expressed.

Our next meeting will be on May 14 with Mrs. Chester Beights with Mesdames Frank and Henry Beights and Earl Brown joint hostesses. The theme will be "Mother Day" with Mrs. T. C. Wilson giving the devotional.

We were dismissed with the Lord's Prayer in unison led by Mrs. Sadler.

Delicious refreshments of iced tea, sandwiches and cake were served to 22 members and 1 visitor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lockhart of Channing, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Trott Friday night. Mrs. Lockhart is Mrs. Trott's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tartt spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Sweetwater visiting their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson had as their guests Saturday night and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ross McDonald of Lamesa. The two families visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cox at Abilene Sunday.

H. E. Thomas and N. J. Narrell were business visitors in Sweetwater Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rieburg are spending a few days in Dallas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cameron.

Business Men In Meeting Monday

Only a few business men were present at the meeting of the Loraine Business Mens League Monday night of this week but the good program along the lines which the organization has been sponsoring is to be continued.

After some discussion it was decided that the \$12.50 now being given away as a gift purse be divided into three prizes instead of one. The purse is to be divided into two \$5 prizes and one \$2.50 prize beginning Saturday.

Claude Spikes, Kelley Treadway and Wade Preston were appointed on a committee to see the manager of the Community Natural Gas Company at Colorado to see if it is possible for them to station a man in Loraine to attend to turning on and off gas. Sending a man out of Colorado to do this work has been very unsatisfactory in many instances and the business men feel like the situation can be remedied to some extent.

EIGHT RECOMMENDED AS NOTARIES PUBLIC HERE

Eight Loraine people have been recommended to the Texas Senate for appointment as Notary Public for the years June 1, 1935 to May 31, 1937. Others who desire appointment must get their application in before the legislature adjourns on May 7, according to J. M. Herrington, county clerk.

Those recommended for appointment are: J. C. Hall, J. W. Howell, S. A. Martin, Alonzo Phillips, B. D. Smith, Jr., Ben Smith, Lois E. Spikes, K. L. Taylor.

HOOKE RUGS STUDIED BY BROWNLEE WOMANS CLUB

Old wool coats, silk hose, rayon materials and old silk dresses may be used in making hooked rugs as was discussed and demonstrated by Miss Fontilla Johnson at the home of Mrs. E. E. Mathis Wednesday, April 10.

The foundation for hooked rugs should be closely woven burlap. The pattern is stamped on the burlap and then fastened to the frame either by tacks or sewing. The frame may be made like a quilting frame.

In working the rug leave 1 1/2 inches of plain burlap from outside the hooking. Turn this plain edge under and hem. Materials for the rug are cut in 1/2 inch strips. These are hooked into the burlap with a blue nose rug needle. The loops may be clipped if desired.

In making hooked rugs the materials should be all of the same fabric, either silk or wool, or whatever material you choose to use. The colors should blend with your room.

The club voted on the county tree, shrub and flower to be adopted for Nolan County. The dress and canning contests were discussed. Garden seeds were also discussed.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. J. Marth on April 24. The lesson will be "Curtains for the Bedroom."

Members present were Mesdames A. Zinke, J. H. Hastings, E. E. Mathis, A. C. Lehmann Lee Stephens, H. H. Hastings, A. J. Marth, Misses Norma Lehmann and Fontilla Johnson.

SINGING AT SOUTH CHAMPION

We are requested to announce a singing to be held at South Champion on Friday night, April 19. A large crowd is expected and everyone in the Loraine community is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rieburg, Nola, Onal, Less and Jay Rieburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Staev Pendergrass near Ackerley. In the afternoon they attended the singing convention of Howard, Dawson, Borden and Martin counties.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Prime Ministers of Three Nations Confer at Stresa—President Roosevelt, Busy With Work Relief Program, Prods Congress.

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SIX of Europe's foremost statesmen, with experts and secretaries, solemnly considered peace plans and security pacts on Isola Bella, a lovely little island in Lake Maggiore off Stresa, Italy. The conference was momentous, but it was of an "exploratory" nature, and no definite results were expected. Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald and Foreign Secretary Sir John Simon, representing Great Britain, were willing to carry out that nation's military obligations under the Locarno treaty but balked at further commitment in continental affairs.

Anyhow, they had promised to enter into no new agreements without the consent of parliament, which cannot be consulted until after the Easter holidays. Premier Flandin and Foreign Minister Laval of France sought to persuade England to line up with France and Russia rather than with Germany, and they presented as one argument a new mutual assistance pact they had just signed with Russia. Premier Mussolini, solemn and pessimistic, handled matters for Italy with the help of Fulvio Suvich, undersecretary of foreign affairs. He had already warned the world that the issue of war or peace probably could not be settled at Stresa.

Of course, the chief question was the attitude of other nations toward the constantly growing Pan-Germanism of the reich under Hitler, and the first concrete problem taken up was France's appeal to the League of Nations against Germany's repudiation of the military clauses of the Versailles treaty. Mussolini and MacDonald were inclined to accept Hitler's rearmament if there could be an agreement against further military expansion, but Flandin stood in opposition. The Italians urged a three-power alliance for protection against Germany, but England objected and France was uncertain. All three nations rather favored the rearmament of Austria, Bulgaria and Hungary, and the Danube pact which Italy especially has been promoting.

MUSSOLINI'S pessimistic frame of mind was illustrated by an announcement in his newspaper, *Popolo d'Italia*, that Italy would keep 600,000 men under arms "until the horizon is well cleared, and give them all modern weapons." Both the Italians and the French are convinced that Germany is maliciously stirring up the troubles that confront them in northern Africa with the purpose of weakening their position in Europe. This matter was discussed privately by some of the participants in the Stresa meeting.

THE new mutual assistance agreement reached by France and Russia was at first supposed to be merely an agreement on sanctions to be taken against an aggressor once the latter has been determined by the League of Nations. But Paris correspondents assert that it is in effect a military alliance such as Russia had been urging on France and that in certain cases the signatories will determine for themselves who is the aggressor, without waiting for word from Geneva. The agreement is, of course, directed primarily against Germany. It is believed in Paris that Russia will soon conclude similar alliance with Czechoslovakia and the Baltic states, thus completing a steel ring around Germany's land frontiers. This agreement is still subject to alteration and final approval.

That Russia still seeks "to maintain and strengthen the general peace" was shown by the signing of a Russo-German trade treaty which it is believed will greatly increase the volume of Russia's orders in the reich. Under this accord the Soviet will increase purchases in Germany by 200,000,000 marks (about \$80,000,000), a banking consortium headed by the Deutsche Bank and Discount Gesellschaft and the Dresdner bank to grant import credits for an average term of five years. The credits will bear interest at the discount rate of the reichsbank plus 2 per cent. The Russian trade delegation is thereby enabled to pay cash for orders placed with German firms.

ANNOUCEMENT was made by the government that it had uncovered extensive frauds in the immigration and naturalization service from 1923 to 1933, and steps were taken for the ousting of a number of employees and for criminal prosecutions. It was estimated that a ring of bribe takers and fixers had received as much as a million dollars from persons illegally entering the country.

"Revelations so startling in character have come to light that investigators believe the actual extent of corruption and fraud has been but partially disclosed," said a statement issued by the Labor department after a secret investigation of alleged frauds in the New York district.

"Sums ranging up to \$100 are alleged to have been paid in cases involving false witnesses or passing of an applicant who had failed in his test of knowledge of the government or his ability to speak English."

"It is alleged that fees ranging from \$300 to \$1,200 were levied in cases involving fraudulent or altered manifest records, where it was desirable to obtain a record that would safeguard an alien from deportation or procure citizenship status by showing his legal admission at the port of New York for permanent residence."

NEW dust storms, the worst of the destructive series, swept over Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas, completing the virtual ruin of the wheat crop and causing great losses and suffering among live stock. Schools and shops were closed, airplanes grounded and train and bus schedules disrupted. Some regions were being abandoned by all inhabitants.

A delegation of senators and representatives from four of the stricken states called on President Roosevelt and asked him to earmark \$150,000,000 for a land program for the next two years. He did not indicate what amount would be allocated, but was said by the delegation to have given assurance that he would permit the expenditure of all the money that was necessary.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, deeply tanned and in good physical condition, was landed at Jacksonville, Fla., by the destroyer Farragut and started immediately for New York, to attend the funeral of his cousin, Warren Delano Robinson, after which he returned to Washington. Aboard his special train the President read through the \$4,880,000 work relief bill as it was finally passed by both houses of congress, called for pen and ink and appended his signature to the largest appropriation measure ever enacted by congress. There were some features of it, agreed upon in the senate and house conference, which he did not like, but he said those who had studied it recommended its approval.

The President at once signed two allocations from the amount appropriated. The first was \$125,000,000 to the administrator of the Federal Emergency Relief administration, in order that relief might not stop. The second was \$30,000,000 for continuation of the emergency conservation work.

In Washington the Republicans and some others discussed with dissatisfaction the probability that Harry L. Hopkins, relief administrator, would be the President's chief assistant in carrying out the vast work relief program.

"It is extremely fortunate for Mr. Hopkins that, if he is going to be the lord high distributor of the money, the bill is so drawn that he won't have to be confirmed by the senate," said Senator Vandenberg of Michigan.

Representative Snell of New York, the Republican leader in the house, declared it was "a sad commentary that a man like Hopkins, who had termed critics of work-relief methods 'd-n-dumb,' should 'appear to be in line to be clothed with extraordinary grants of power over the greatest sum of money ever appropriated.'"

IN HIS first post-vacation conference with congressional leaders, President Roosevelt disregarded their fears of a prolonged session and insisted on enactment of his legislative program. Especially he wants legislation dealing with extension of the NRA, social security, utilities holding companies, extension of federal authority over banking, ship subsidy readjustment and extension of \$416,000,000 in nuisance taxes.

Later the President conferred with Senator Joe Robinson, who said both of them felt that very satisfactory progress is being made. To the correspondent Mr. Roosevelt said he hoped to have the work relief program at its peak by the middle of November, at which time 2,500,000 unemployed should be at work under its terms. He indicated this program would be carried out as far as possible by existing governmental agencies. He will seek to avoid moving workers from one area to another, and will take care of as many "white collar" workers as possible.

The social security bill finally was produced on the floor of the house of representatives. There were several blocs against it in its form as reported. These included representatives who want higher unemployment and old age payments; members from the poorer states, who want the federal government to bear the entire cost of the program, with the states relieved of any contribution, and the conservatives, who are opposed to the "government going into the insurance business" and exacting a pay roll tax during the depression.

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Adolph S. Ochs
Russia's New Plane
Superstition and Suicide
Cocktail Parties

The death of Adolph S. Ochs, editor and owner of the New York Times, is a great loss to American journalism and good citizenship. Mr. Ochs was a good American, whose life and work set an admirable example to his profession.

All his life a hard-worker, conscientious, indifferent to personal profit, Mr. Ochs often put to this writer and other friends the question, ever in his mind, "How can I make of the Times a permanent and useful institution?"

Russia, according to Lloyd George, is the world's real flying nation, possesses, probably, the world's greatest fighting air fleet. It is certainly the country that takes flying most seriously, with 8,000,000 Russians trained in aeronautics, young Russian girls learning to pilot planes and dirigibles and make 20,000-foot parachute jumps, as our young girls learn new dance steps.

This makes important Russia's announcement that she is manufacturing airplanes on a mass production basis, using for air power "an ordinary light automobile engine." The planes, very cheap, using ordinary gasoline, will be supplied to collective farms. Russia may be the first nation to do with flying machines what this country did with automobiles. American genius put this nation on wheels. If Russian engineering skill puts Russia on wings, it will make some other countries thoughtful.

A young man is found strangely murdered, or committing suicide in an unusual way, hanging from a low tree. His legs were fastened behind his back with chains, chains were around his hands and neck, and a medal that he had won in an athletic contest was fastened to one of his nostrils.

The man, thirty-one, who had been employed in moving pictures as a substitute for actors under dangerous conditions, is believed by police to have killed himself in a strange way, through vanity, to attract attention, climbing to the limb of a tree, adjusting the chain, dropping and strangling.

Police quote a superstition of certain Malays who believe that evil spirits carry off their souls if they kill themselves. When they commit suicide they exhaust their ingenuity in efforts to die in such a fashion as to make suicide seem impossible, that the spirits after inspection may decide that the dead man was murdered and leave his soul in peace.

During prohibition, the habit of drunkenness was acquired by many, particularly young women. They yielded more easily than men to the effects of alcohol and drugs, and once "caught" they are caught for life, usually.

American fathers and mothers that give cocktail parties for their sons and daughters, or permit them in their houses, should be told plainly that they are using their money to make drunkards of the daughters and sons, and are not fit to have, or bring up, children.

In addition to moving 60,000 more soldiers to the German lines, France is hurriedly connecting her steel and concrete line of fortresses, with barbed wire entanglements and trenches. Thirty thousand soldiers are digging in as you read.

The French apparently expect the same old thing over again, but they will not see it. Nations in the next war will not squat in trenches, but will fly against the enemy nation's chief cities and kill an impressive number of citizens with poison explosives and gas.

Nothing will be more lonesome than a front line trench in the next war.

Harlem, in upper New York city, with some 200,000 colored population, is stamping ground for many that preach ultra-radical doctrines, including the theory that whoever has money must have stolen it from those that have no money.

This added to race antagonism, and the influence of certain "exhorters," brings results reminding citizens of what may happen when dangerous doctrines are preached recklessly.

The latest news indicates that Chancellor Hitler is not as anxious for "war in a hurry" as was alleged.

Sir John Simon, for England, received from Hitler a written proposal: First, a ten-year nonaggression treaty with Germany's neighbors, nobody to attack anybody else.

Second, a pledge to withhold economic and financial assistance from any nation starting a war.

Hitler wrote that, and, if he means it, Lloyd George is correct in his statement: "Not this time."

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Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted
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Washington.—It appears that at last all of those questions as to whether the national industrial recovery act is **NRA Up to Supreme Court** constitutional are going to be answered by the Supreme court of the United States. That is, they will be answered by a Supreme court decision unless the moving spirits in NRA decide again to dodge the issue as they once have done.

Sometime ago W. E. Belcher, an Alabama lumberman, ran afoul of a national recovery administration code ruling and he was promptly prosecuted. Lower courts decided adversely to the government, however, and the NRA lawyers decided to appeal. They wanted a Supreme court decision. But before the case reached the stage of argument before the highest court in the land, the Department of Justice suddenly withdrew the petition and announced its refusal to prosecute Mr. Belcher any further.

There immediately was set up a far-fung cry accusing the NRA and the Department of Justice of being afraid of a constitutional test. Legal brains of the Department of Justice stood pat and offered no explanation, but NRA brain trusters let it be known that they preferred to avoid a test at this time because of the imminent expiration of the industrial recovery act. They pointed out that the law expires June 16 and that congress is now engaged in consideration of a revision. The implication was that the NRA believed a test in the Belcher case was a waste of time and money because of the probability that a Supreme court decision would not be handed down until after the present law was no longer operative.

Now, however, the NRA authorities think they have found the right kind of a case for a constitutional test. They have announced they will fight to have the act declared constitutional in a case in which the Schechter Live Poultry market of Brooklyn, N. Y., is accused of violating the poultry code. So instead of trying out the constitutional question on boards, the brain trusters are seeking a decision on the hen.

The whole situation as regarded by observers as being much confused and no one seems to know exactly what is behind the sudden reversal of position on the part of NRA and the Department of Justice lawyers except a good many folks think the NRA could not stand the gaff of countrywide editorial criticism. It is true that after abandonment of the Belcher case was announced, nearly every important metropolitan newspaper in the country printed editorial comment about the action and little of it was favorable to the NRA. Examined from this viewpoint then, there are some who believe the administration was goaded into a constitutional test of NRA.

Politically, the Department of Justice's determination to avoid a test in the Belcher case already is having repercussions. Barbs and backbiting are coming not alone from Republican antagonists but from among Democrats in congress as well. Senator Hastings, a Delaware Republican, and Senator Clark, a Missouri Democrat, joined in an effort to have Attorney General Cummings reverse his position and urged upon the head of the Department of Justice the necessity for clarification of legal questions involved. The administration's position also has drawn fire from Republican Leader Snell in the house and there are in that body also certain of the so-called progressives who have charged that President Roosevelt is unwilling to face the music in the Belcher case.

Economically, the decision to refrain from pressing the Belcher case for final adjudication by the Supreme court has caused a wave of uncertainty to permeate the business structure.

What the end is going to be, even Donald Rieberg, number one man in NRA, has avoided saying. Since he has not enunciated policies his subordinates are afraid to move. Consequently, according to some of the letters now going out from the NRA to business interests, the whole question of codes and their enforcement frankly can be said to be up in the air.

If the NRA can be said to be up in the air, the agricultural adjustment administration can be said to be a rudderless ship. There is no longer any doubt that AAA policy is confused, not to say floundering about in helpless fashion. It has reached the stage where delegations and individuals are arriving in increasing numbers to wait on the doorstep of Secretary Wallace and Administrator Davis for advice as to what the program is.

It ought to be said just here that Mr. Wallace and Mr. Davis are showing signs of irritation and that is always significant. It was only the other day that a group of farm organization leaders came to Washington to tell Mr. Wallace how the Department of Agriculture must do something to enable farmers in the areas that were drouth stricken to plant crops. They pointed out the necessity for quick action because crops must be planted within the next few weeks. They did not stop there, however, but added

points of criticism about AAA policy. This so irked Mr. Wallace that he announced abruptly that the interview was closed.

The secretary was quoted by members of the delegation as having inquired whether the Roosevelt administration had not done more for farmers than any previous administration. He was reported also to have said he did not like the attitude or the spirit which the visitors displayed in their conversations with him. The result was that the farm leaders went away from the vast building housing the Department of Agriculture with a decidedly bad taste in their mouths and the prediction is heard frequently now that these men will cause much trouble for Mr. Wallace hereafter by telling their stories among the home folks.

I think it is generally conceded that economical and political rumormongers may be found in positions of responsibility among farm organizations but after all they serve as something of a leadership for groups that speak for agriculture and when Mr. Wallace becomes angered by their criticism of his administration, serious trouble for him lies not so far ahead. Such circumstances as the one just mentioned usually are accepted as indicating a thin skin on the part of a public official and that condition is nearly always fatal—it ruined Herbert Hoover.

Around the halls of congress, also, there is increasing criticism of Mr. Wallace and it is of a character to undermine him if it continues. When such stalwart Democrats as Senator George of Georgia describes a cabinet officer as being unfit for the office he holds, the situation as regards that individual necessarily becomes precarious.

The controversies that are centering around Secretary Wallace naturally are having their reaction on his legislative proposals. It is my understanding that considerable difficulty is faced by the amendments to the adjustment act which the secretary desires to have passed at this session of congress. These amendments are described by the secretary as being designed to strengthen the adjustment act and accord the AAA more power in enforcement. It seems, however, a certain bloc in congress holds the conviction that there is already sufficient power in Mr. Wallace's hands and those members are growing resentful toward proposals delegating more authority to him.

The recent house-cleaning which resulted in elimination of certain of the brain trusters in the Department of Agriculture and its stepchild, the AAA, had a wholesome effect on relationship between the Department of Agriculture and congress as a whole, yet in some quarters it appears, the house-cleaning did not remove all of the stigma with which oppositionists have stained the administration's farm policies.

With reference to the house-cleaning, it should be said just here that another move is in the making. Prof. Rexford Guy Tugwell, the present undersecretary of agriculture, is slated to be dehorned insofar as farm recovery policies are concerned. When President Roosevelt gets his hands on the five billion voted in the public works relief bill, Professor Tugwell will be given charge of something like nine hundred millions to spend in a way that is variously described as "scientific." His job will be to sort out lands that are productive from those that are mediocre or without value at all in agriculture and to find uses for those which should not be used as farm lands.

I believe it is not too much to say that conditions in the NRA and AAA have added to the "Honeymoon" general uncertainty **Is Ended** concerning the political and economic outlook of the administration. In this connection it should be mentioned that the Republicans are showing signs of life. For instance, Republican Leader Snell took a shot at President Roosevelt the other day that indicates a forthcoming deluge of criticism of him personally for the first time since he entered the White House.

The volume of mail being received on Capitol Hill tells its story as well. Members of the house and senate are beginning to inquire of each other what their political course should be in view of the type of inquiries that are now being received.

Through many months, the personal charm of the President has seemed to prevent expressions of a critical nature and certainly has held off complaints from the business section of the country. Certainly those who have money invested were not being told about future plans. It seems now, however, that the "honeymoon" for which Mr. Roosevelt asked has ended and that henceforth it will be a battle of realities.

The most direct attack upon the President and upon the New Deal came from Representative James Wadsworth, a New York Republican. Mr. Wadsworth stressed uncertainty. In fact, he called it one of the three or four major "evils" of the administration.

Says WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS.—Well all I know is just what I read in the papers, or what I see as I try to look down through

the wings of an airplane. If you want to see something don't go up in the air and try to see it. Just as you glimpse it, why the wing of the plane will cover it and before the wing passes over it, its too far back to see. I flew East and back here a couple of weeks ago and it was when the dust storms were going, and in lots of places where the real dust storm was not operating it was dark and looked like rain, and I said to my sister in Oklahoma, his going to rain today, and she said, "No, it's been this way for days and days. It's just the very fine dust that's in the air."

I just been reading tonight some reviews. I have the autobiography but I haven't had time to read it, but will, of John Hays Hammond, the great engineer, who has operated all over the world. He used to come out here to my place and we would talk South Africa. We would talk about the Jameson raid. He was mixed up in it, and its what started the Boer War. He was down there before the war, and I got in just before the end. Not in the fighting. I was breaking horses, and at the close working with a little wild west show. (My very first show experience).

He has had a great colorful career, has John Hays Hammond. Eighty years old the other day, I was going to send him a wire, but like everything else I am going to do, I forgot it before the time comes. Like about ten days ago, Dorothy Stone my little partner in Freds show one time, why she opened here as the big star in "As Thousands Cheer", and while I went myself, I plum forgot to send either wire or flowers. Now I meant well, but I got off to talking to some old guy about the N.R.A. or some compuncioner about who won the roping at Ft Worth at their big show, or may be knocking the ball around on the field, or roping at some old gentle calves that are trained to stick their heads in the loop. I got to doing all this foolishness, and plum forgot to do what I ought to do. I sometimes wonder if the Lord is going to make the proper distinction, between the fellow that means well, and the ones that does well. I don't believe he will blackball us just because we dont remember.

Now some people are so wonderful about things, and they remember, and they do and say just the right things at the right time. My desk right here before me now is piled higher than Jim Farleys of letters from friends, and

folks that should be my friends if I would show them the least courtesy of answering. But do you know I will keep putting it off. I carried some of them clear to N.Y. and back. Now I knew in my own heart damn well that I wasnt going to sit down and write letters while I was on the planes or in hotels, but I meant well. I intended to answer em, but I knew damn well I wasnt going to. There aint a thing in the world to lay it onto but laziness. I could have quit talking and boring somebody long enough to have answered a lot of them. I could have stayed up an hour or so later and answered another dozen or so, but no I was too darn lazy, and I get sleepy early, and then the darn reading. I want to read everything in the world thats in a paper.

Why you know what I do, and I bet you I am unique. I even read the editorials. Yes sir, now you cant beat that for miscellaneous reading. Thats what you call exploring in reading. Course I forget everything I read. I havent got any more memory than a billygoat, and I forget about nine tenths of what I read, and get the other tenth wrong. But I think that makes me think that I am sorter doing something when I am reading. Then too I cant fall to sleep and never drop a paper. My closest friend cant tell when I am reading or sleeping. They are pretty near always wrong. They say, "You read a lot," and I say "No, I sleep a lot over my reading." If they would just quit printing newspapers for about a year, I could get some books read, but by the time the daily papers are read I am sound asleep.

Now that is terrible, but I just got out of it by letting the impression go around that I am just so busy that I havent the time. Well I havent got the time because I am out on a horse somewhere, or asleep somewhere. If it wasent for riding, and reading newspapers, and dozing off, I bet you I would be writing to more people than Mrs. Roosevelt. Lord I would like to borrow that Lady's energy for a month, and I would wind up with some friends instead of a lot of unintentionally made enemies. Now here lays all these important letters here tonight, and I could answer at least a tenth of em, but here comes the morning papers. (They come out the day before). Now will I answer these letters and maintain my friends. No I will take the papers and go to bed, and go to sleep holding it out at arms length the light burning, and the glasses on

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When Worlds Collide

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

"Dec. 7: Kyo, the Japanese servant whom Tony Drake had had for some years in New York, and of whom he was inordinately fond, walked peacefully into camp. The inscrutable little Jap walked up to Tony, whose back was turned. Kyo's face was like a smiling Buddha's; and fully appreciating the drama of the situation, he said in his odd voice: 'With exceeding humbleness request possibilities of return to former employment.' When Tony spun around I thought he was going to faint. Immediately afterward he began thumping Kyo's back so hard that I personally feared for the Jap's life. But he seems to be wiry; in fact, he must have the constitution of a steel spring. For he has traveled overland more than eight hundred miles in the past two months, and his story, which I am getting out of him piecemeal, is one of fabulous adventure.

"Dec. 19: I discovered only today that Hendron has used for insulation, between the double walls of the now completed Ark, two thick layers of asbestos, and between them, books. The books make reasonably good insulating material, and when we arrive at our future home, if we do not arrive with too hard a blow, we will be provided with an enormous and complete library. Amazing fellow, Hendron.

"Dec. 31: We had our Christmas dinner last Thursday, and except for the absence of turkey, it was complete, even to plum pudding. The weather continues to be warm, and the gardens which we replanted have flourished under this new sub-tropical climate, so that already we are reaping huge harvests which are being stored in the Space Ships.

"Jan. 18: A flight was made to the 'mines' from which Ransdell's metals have been taken, and in the course of it the plane passed over St. Paul and Minneapolis. Apparently the mobs in those two cities have for the most part either perished or migrated. However, we have not drawn in the outposts stationed around the cantonment after the last attack, and if we should be again attacked in force, we shall not temporize but use the final weapon at once.

"Jan. 20: There was dancing in the hall of the women's dormitory and Ransdell so far overcame his almost animal shyness that he danced twice with Eve. The rivalry between Ransdell and Tony is the most popular subject of discussion among the girls and women, but such a bond has grown between the two men that I know whoever is defeated in the contest, if there is victory or defeat, will take his medicine honorably and generously. I am wondering, however, about that business of victory or defeat. The women here slightly outnumber the men. It will be necessary for them to bear children on the new planet. Variation of our new race will be desirable. Perhaps we will resort in the main to polyandry, and abolish, because of biological necessity, all marriage. There are a good many very real love affairs existent already. That is to be expected, when the very flower of young womanhood and the best men of all ages are segregated in the wilderness. I myself doubtless reflect the mental attitude of most of the men here. There are a hundred women, I shall say two hundred, and one who I would be proud to have as my wife.

"Feb. 17: In a little more than a month it will be time for our departure. As that solemn hour approaches all of us tend to think back into our lives, rather than forward toward our new lives. Hendron has not hesitated to make it clear that our relatively short jump through space will be dangerous indeed. The ships may not have been contrived properly to withstand what are at best merely theoretical conditions. The cold of outer space may overwhelm us. The rays which travel through the empty reaches when we thrust ourselves among them clad in the thin cylinders of our Ark may assert a different potency from that experienced under the layer of earth's atmosphere. Either or both of our two projectiles may collide with a wandering asteroid, in which case the consequences will be similar to those anticipated from the collision of earth with Bronson Alpha. Hendron assures us only that the ships will fly, and that if they reach the atmosphere of Bronson Beta, it will be possible to land them.

"Feb. 22: The Bronson Bodies have reappeared in the sky with visible discs. Alpha once more looks like a coin, and Beta not unlike the head of a large pin. Observations through our modest telescope show clearly that Bronson Beta, warmed by the sun, has a surface now completely thawed. Its once solid atmosphere is drifting about it filled with clouds, and through those clouds we are able to glimpse patches of dark and patches of brilliance, which indi-

cate continents and oceans. At the first approach, an excellent spectroscopic analysis was made of the planet's composition. The analysis denoted its fitness to support human life, but we stand in such awe of it that we say to ourselves only: 'Perhaps we shall be able to live if we ever disembark there'; but we cannot know. There may be things upon its mysterious surface, elemental conditions undreamed of by man. However, there is some mysterious comfort, a sort of superstitious courage, afforded to many of our numbers by the fact that as our doom approaches a future home is also waxing brightly in the dark sky.

"Feb. 28: Tremendous effort is being expended upon the second Ark. The task of accumulating metal for its construction was tremendous. The hangar which had protected the first ship was confiscated. Two steel bridges across what used to be a river near by have furnished us with much of the extra material required, but we are now engaged in smelting every object for which we shall have no future use. Women are doing tasks that women have never done before, and we are all working on a sixteen-hour-a-day schedule. Hendronville looks like a little Pittsburgh—its furnaces going all night, its roads rutted by heavy trucking, and its foundries shaking with a continual roar of machinery. The construction of the second Ark in such a record time would have been impossible had it not been for the adaptability of Hendron's solution of atomic disintegration. Power and heat we have in unlimited quantities.

"March 6: The day and hour of departure has been announced. In order to intercept the Bronson Body at its most advantageous point, we shall leave the earth on the 27th of this month at 1:45 a. m. precisely. It is estimated that the journey will require 90 hours, although it could be made much more quickly.

"March 18: From time to time, when our own receiving apparatus has been functioning, we have overheard radio broadcasts from the world outside. The static is still tremendous, and these broadcasts have been most unsatisfactory. Once in November and again in January we heard the President of the United States. He recited in a very strained and weary voice a few fragmentary details of life in his small kingdom. Not in any hope of aid, but as if he wished to inform any one else who might be listening, what the situation was. He did not address his own constituents, so we may assume they have no receiving sets and are still struggling against appalling handicaps which Ransdell and myself observed. On three or four occasions we have caught snatches of broadcasts from foreign stations. But, except for a lull immediately after the storms, we have never been able to overhear enough so that we know anything definite about the situation in Europe or elsewhere, except that on the night of, I think, Dec. 8th, we heard a short segment of a Frenchman's oration which evidently was intended to move his hearers toward peace. We assumed that in spite of the appalling conditions that must prevail abroad as they do here, Europe, still sticking stubbornly to her nationalism, is again engaged in some form of warfare.

"March 20: A week from tonight we shall leave the earth. The approach of this zero hour has cast a spell on the colonists. They move as if in a dream. Nervous tension is enormous. 'Everything is in readiness; a few perishables will be moved into the ships in the last hours; the stock and poultry have already been domiciled in their quarters, although they have not been lashed fast. I have been given by Hendron, to include with my papers, a complete list of the contents of both ships. In spite of their enormous size—the second ship looks like three gas-storage tanks piled on top of each other, and also has the same shining exterior as the first—it is impossible to believe that they could contain all the items in these lists.

"It is the most incredible assortment of the gear that belongs to mankind ever assembled in any one place. We are ready."

"When I think," Tony said to Eve as they sat side by side on a small hilltop watching the descent of twilight into the busy valley, "of the foresight and ingenuity of your father, I am appalled. He was ahead of most of the people in the world in his idea of leaving the earth, and he was ahead of all of us when he saw the possibility and the practicability of taking everybody who was left after the struggle, to the new planet. It's odd. I used to imagine scenes that would exist when the Ark was ready to leave, and of the thousand of us here only a hundred could be chosen. It would have been a terrible period for every one."

Eve hugged herself with her arms and looked at him sideways. "I knew all about Dad's plans for the departure, and I knew something else. You were not to go, were you?"

"Me? Of course not. What good would I have been?"

Eve smiled. On this evening, an evening so close to the great adventure, she seemed radiant and unusually tender. "You're modest, Tony. That's one of your greatest charms. Let me tell you: Once I saw the list Dad had made up. He had given Bronson first place. I came second. Dad was third. Ransdell was fourth. And you were fifth, Tony. When he could pick almost as he wished from the whole world, he made you fifth. That's pretty high, isn't it?"

"Your father must be sentimental

to consider me at all. But I am glad he gave Ransdell that fourth position. I can't imagine any situation in the world which Dave couldn't handle."

Eve ignored the compliment. "Father took the list away from me, and he was very angry that I had seen it. Peter Vanderbilt was on it. When you consider it, Vanderbilt has as much to offer as almost any one. The delicacy that comes from overbreeding, a wiry nervous constitution, an artist's temperament, taste, a learned mind, a gorgeous sense of humor and courage. Probably he's wasteful, spendthrift, decadent and jaded—or at least he used to be; but how greatly his positive virtues outweigh his vices!"

"He's a good egg," Tony replied. "I knew him for years. His sister went to school with my mother."

"Another thing: Dad's name wasn't on that list. I think when Dad thought he could save only a hundred people, he figured he was too old, and that his work had been done; and I'll bet if the first ship had been ready to leave and there had been none other, Dad would have been missing at the crucial time."

"Yes," Tony said thoughtfully. "That's exactly what your father would have done. And how calmly we are able to consider this! It's strange the way people change. Death has lost all its meaning. Suffering has become something we accept as the logical accompaniment of life. I am not even shocked when I think that your father would deliberately commit suicide on this planet if he decided his biological usefulness was at an end—although, of course, such a decision would have been mistaken."

Eve nodded in agreement. "He intended to do it, I think as a lesson—a sort of instruction—to the others."

A silence fell between them, then Tony began to talk again. "I have changed my ideas about everything. Eve—not only about life and death! I think that even my ideas about you are changing. When Ransdell came to New York under such dramatic cir-



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cumstances, and when I saw your interest in him, I was jealous. I pretended I wasn't, even to myself; but I was. And in some small way—some small-minded way—I felt superior to him. I was better educated, better bred, better trained socially. Since I've come to know that man, I've learned that from the standpoint of everything that counts, he's a man, and I'm still in short pants."

"I would have been hard to talk to you about such things at one time; in fact it would have been impossible, because I would have considered it bad form. Now it's all different. The day after tomorrow we are going to sail. I may not have a chance to see you alone again between now and then. I don't want to burden you with a feeling of unnecessary responsibility. There isn't any responsibility on your part. But I must tell you that I love you. I've told you that before, long ago, and what I said then has nothing to do with what I feel now. In saying it I am asking you for nothing. I mean that you shall know only that whatever happens, whatever you decide, whatever either of us does in the future, cannot alter the fact that I now do and always shall hold for you intact the most fundamental part of all that any man can feel toward any woman."

He had finished his words with his face turned toward her, and his eyes looking into her eyes.

Eve spread her palms on the ground behind her and leaned back. "I love you, too, Tony. I shall always love you."

Tony took her in his arms then and kissed her.

"You whistle so persistently and so cheerfully," Jack Taylor said to Tony on the following morning, "that it makes me irritable."

"Good!" Tony replied, and kept on whistling.

CHAPTER X

"Do you know that the list of who goes in which ship has just been posted?" Jack Taylor asked Tony.

"Huh?"

"I thought that would get a rise out of you. Don't worry, don't worry. You're in the first ship, with Eve, all right. Hendron's in command. You're a lieutenant. James is with you. But

guess who's in command of the second ship?"

"Jessup?"

"Guess again."

"Kane?"

"Nope; you're all wet. Those two noble scientists are second in command. The big ship is going out under the instructions of your good friend David Ransdell."

"That's grand," Tony said; "but will he have sufficient technical knowledge to run the thing?"

"Oh, Jessup and Kane will do that all right. Ransdell's only going to be a figurehead until they get to Bronson Beta."

"That's swell."

Tony kicked the lock on his suitcase shut, and said, "We've got to get packed up. You know we're going places tomorrow."

Jack sat down on the bed. "That reminds me; I'm going on the second ship, too."

Tony's face fell. They were serious again.

Jack said: "When you are all set they want you down at the Ark. Everybody's going through it, and getting assigned to their quarters."

Tony walked up a long flight of steps to the airlock. As he went he cast an upward glance at the elaborate structure of beams which supported the Ark, and which workmen were now removing. The interior of the Ark was brilliantly lit by electricity. Through its center ran a spiral staircase, and a long taut cable inside the stairs. At eight-foot intervals steel floors cut the cylinder into sections. The two forward sections were crammed with machinery and instruments and across them ran the great thrust-beams against which the atomic tubes would exert their force. A ring of smaller tubes pointing outward around the upper and lower sections like spokes were provided to give free dimensional control of the ship, and to make the adjustments necessary for grounding. It had been planned to travel head-on for the greater part of the distance.

Tony walked up the spiral staircase from the stern's engine-room. Above it were stockrooms with their arrangement for lashing fast the live stock. Above the stock rooms were store rooms reaching to the center of the ship, and tightly packed. In the center of the ship were the human quarters, their walls carefully padded, and lashings, similar to but more comfortable than those provided for the animals, arranged along the floor.

These accommodations were not alluring. They suggested that the journey would be cramped and unpleasant, but inasmuch as it would take only ninety hours if it was successful, everything had been sacrificed to utility. On the side walls were water taps, and in steel closets food for a considerably longer time than four days had been stored; but in their journey through space the travelers would enjoy no comfortable beds, eat no hot meals and divert themselves with no entertainments. The exact conditions of flight through space were unknown; and underneath the springs and paddings which lined the passengers' quarters was apparatus both for refrigeration and for heating. Tony passed through the double layer of passenger quarters, through the layers of store rooms and the engine room at the front end of the great cylinder, climbing all the way on the spiral stairs. There he found Hendron, who was testing some of the apparatus.

"You sent for me?" Tony asked.

"No. Oh, I see what it was. They were giving out the numbers of your things down below. I've asked every one to get in slings before we start, and when we land, as I'm not sure, from the single test, exactly what the general effect will be."

As Tony was about to go, Hendron recalled him. "I never showed you my engines, did I?"

"No," Tony said.

Hendron waved his arm around the chamber. It looked very much like the interior of a submarine. "This is the forward power cabin," he began. "The breeches of the main tubes are concealed behind a wall which is reinforced by the thrust-beams. Those are the ones which are to break the force of our fall; but you see here the breeches of the smaller surrounding tubes. They are not unlike cannons, and they work on the same principle. Acting at right angles to our line of flight they can turn the ship and revolve it end for end, in fact, like a thrown fire-cracker. If we should turn on jets on opposite sides and opposite ends. The breech of each of these little tubes,"—at that point Hendron turned a wheel with a handle on it, and the rear of one of the tubes slowly opened—"is provided with the tubes which generate the rays that split atoms of beryllium into their protons and nuclei. The forces engendered in the process, which is like a molecular explosion but vastly greater, together with the disrupted matter, is then discharged through the gun, the barrel of which is lined with Ransdell's metal. The consumption of fuel, so to speak, both in quantity and rate, is regulated by a mechanism on the breech itself. The rate and volume of the discharge will be, of course, immensely greater for leaving the earth than it was on the mere hop from the ground on the night of the assault. The ship proved itself then to be a gun, or rather a number of guns, which will fire steadily on the trip through space. By Newton's law, which Einstein has modified only in microscopic effects, for every action there is an equal and positive reaction, so that through space the speed and energy of the discharge from the tubes—which we also call the engines and motors, rather inaccurately—are what will determine the speed and motion of the ship."

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It was begun 72 years after the birth of Christ. It was called the Flavian amphitheater and later the Coliseum. It held more than 85,000 persons and could be emptied in ten minutes.

Built a little less than 1,900 years ago, it lacked no comfort or convenience of a modern football stadium.

The Chicago stadium and Madison Square garden are marvels of modern engineering skill and amusement building construction! They are just about fair. About the only thing they have that the Romans didn't have are ice-making machines. And had there been any ice sports in those days, or had Italy had a colder climate, the Romans would have had the machines, too.

After all, you visit the Palatine rooms, dressing rooms, showers, dens for wild animals, runways for them, prisons for the condemned criminals and Christians and storerooms for the vast collection of properties used in the shows.

The arena also could be flooded and used as a swimming pool. Remember how tickled the late Tex Rickard was when he managed to do that in the old Madison Square garden. I don't even know whether it can be done in the present New York garden. And the only outdoor stadium I know of that can be used for swimming is the Rose Bowl in Pasadena. I saw that one under water.

Ever been in the garden during the circus and wondered what would happen if Clyde Beatty's beasts should suddenly knock down those flimsy looking cages and start running amuck in the arena and leap into the boxes?

The Romans thought of that one, too.

A railing ran around the inside of the amphitheater. All around the top bars of the rail were revolving cylinders, so that the wild beasts couldn't get a foothold. When they leaped for the rails, as they often did, the cylinders spun on the bar and they slid off.

You may still see the locker rooms, conveniently placed just outside the arena, where the gladiators changed clothing and donned their armor to prepare for the show, sometimes behind silk curtains drawn across the little cells in the walls of which were stuck flambeaux to give light. No doubt the names of the heroes were embroidered on the silk curtains.—Paul Gallico, in the Kansas City Times.

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Boulderwall, a Great Dane that died recently at Little Compton, R. I., was one of a very few dogs credited by fanciers with an ability to speak. This animal, so his master and acquaintances said, was self-taught and was able to express himself in a limited way in the English language.

The people most likely to shrug their shoulders at this are people who have not come into much close contact with intelligent dogs.

It is probable that Boulderwall possessed the "gift of gab" beyond the ability of most members of his race, but it is equally probable that many other canines try to make themselves understood in human language, and sometimes fail because of the inattention or indifference of listeners, more than because of their own limitations.

Certainly many dogs have vocabularies of their own, and there is not the slightest doubt about the ability

of those with well-developed brains to understand simple conversations. Indeed, in the presence of many dogs, prudence of expression is as advisable at times as it is in the presence of children. We know dogs, too, with a sense of humor that crinkle their eyes and would laugh human fashion if they were physically equipped to do it.

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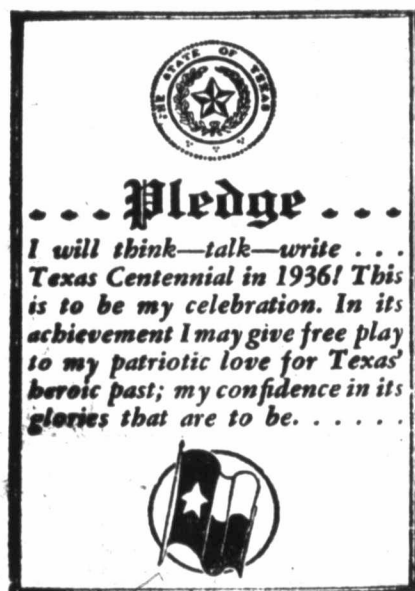
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Within a few years from now with the normal growth of our school system the Loraine school district will have to provide more room for the pupils. Those rooms can be built at less cost to the district now than they probably can be when the time comes for their imperative need. They can be built now for practically no outlay for labor—nothing but material cost. Would it be good business judgement to build them now? We're asking you.

It looks like a bad policy to plant trees and then let them die for the want of water. Yet that is what the city is doing to the trees in the city park. Already three of the trees have died because of the lack of water and more of them will die unless they are watered right away. It wouldn't cost the city anything to water the trees except the water. Let's save the trees.

The government is preparing to pour millions of dollars into every section of the country in the form of work relief for unemployed. Details have not been worked out but it seems certain that the dole system is to be abandoned. Those on relief rolls who work are to be paid a living wage and not doled out a mere existence if we understand it right.

Loraine and this section of Mitchell County can get a share of these millions provided we are willing to spend some of our own money for materials and such like. There are plenty of unemployed here who need work and they want to work and it is up to the community to provide projects on which they can work. Some of the projects on which this money can be spent include roads, streets, public buildings, such as additions to school houses, gymnasiums, swimming pools, auditoriums, lakes for irrigation and pleasure, and others.

Some interested people have been talking about a lake south of town to be used as a fishing and pleasure resort, but so far nothing has been done about it.

It wouldn't cost the community a great deal of money to build such a lake but the federal government will spend thousands of dollars on it for labor. Would it be worth the price the community would have to spend to get it? We believe it would be a money maker within a few years because the lake talked would be a big one and it is situated in an ideal spot for fishing and pleasure. It would mean a great deal to this community. Shall we continue to talk about it?

SANDSTORMS AND RAINS
Some of the things which hit us tell you that sand storms bring rains. Mayon, the Indians and seven artists say. If that be true, somebody will please wireless Admiral Noah to bring back his ark and then let's all embark for we are due a doubly-ugly flood within a few weeks.—Stanford Leader.

AN INVITATION
The News extends an invitation to anyone, at any time, to express his views on any subject he may choose through its columns. Your opinion on any subject may be worth a great deal to someone else. It may be that you would like to offer a little constructive criticism concerning the operation of some part of our governmental system; you may have solved some problem in your community that would be an assistance to some other community in solving a similar problem. We invite you to use our columns to express your views. We reserve the right, of course, to edit your copy and exclude anything of a libelous nature.

BUSINESS FRIENDSHIP

Someone has said, "when the hour comes that prevents my promoting the good of some friend then the time will have arrived when I can be of no further service to myself or to the world." The word "friendship" means more than mutual esteem or human harmony. We believe that business friendship is a serious matter—twice as great as kindness and several times more important than common courtesy. Business friendship of the lasting, permanent kind, means making our service necessary to some one. We find a lot of satisfaction in such service, because we find that through it we have earned and kept the confidence of our friends.

Nothing will take the place of the kind of determination possessed by the youngster with a shining new pair of skates. Every stroke ended in a hard fall. Sympathetic bystanders watched the struggle until they suggested: "Buddy, you're getting hurt. Why don't you give up and watch the others?"

Whereupon the kid blurted out this hot reply: "Say, I didn't buy these skates to quit with! I bought 'em to learn how with!"

When the alarm clock rings tomorrow morning, 11,123 persons in this country would stay in bed if they had any inkling of the fact that some time during the day they would meet with an accident. Among them 243 persons will never hear the alarm clock again. It's sad but true. What do you say, let's all be more careful.—Tips and Topics.

ON TEXAS FARMS

Minnie Fisher Cunningham
Service Editor

Organization is in the air these days. Scarcely an interest can be named but it is found to have its organization. It is a feature of modern life. "A condition, not a theory."

Texas farmers and ranchmen are no exception. They have their Sheep and Goat Raisers' and Cattlemen's Associations. They have their Cotton Cooperative. And rural home makers have their home demonstration councils.

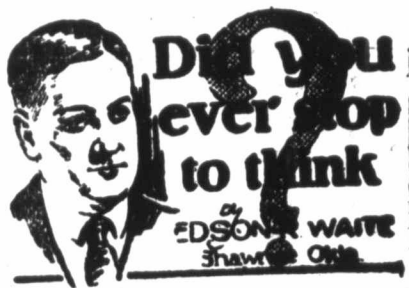
A very wise person has been considering all this business of organization and makes the following interesting observations. "Organization is not the beginning of movement. It is the concrete expression of liberated energy. If no organization is effected, making effective group action possible, the energy is often dissipated."

"The growth of a successful organization is like that of a tree. It grows from the bottom nothing has been done about it.

"The roots of the organization are the individuals who compose it. Their coming together makes strength which may be likened to the trunk of the tree. The results obtained correspond to the flowers and fruit."

"For best results the organic law of the group should be simple and flexible. Adjustments and changes should be made so as not to disturb the harmonious growth of the whole."

"Danger lies in wait when an organization grows in wealth and power beyond the development of leadership to direct it."



The Editor of the Buenos Aires, Argentina, Standard, in telling of dust storms there, says:

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swept and garnished the camp, carrying away all the hums or plant-food, to build up another continent due to appear in another geological age.

"Soil-erosion" threatens to convert a big slice of America into a desert unless some means are found to anchor the dust or keep the "sacred soil" from flying away.

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Early Texas History Revealed In Bexar Archives

SERIES I, NO. 6

Austin, Texas, Feb.—Fierce recriminations followed close upon the heels of famine and poverty among the little band of Canary Islanders who made up the civil settlement at San Antonio de Bexar two hundred years ago. Official records of the Spanish government for the Department of Texas the center of which was at San Antonio, are now deposited in the library at The University of Texas. These Bexar Archives, as the records are known, reveal all too plainly the lack of ordinary necessities of living, the exorbitant prices charged for what few commodities were available, the inadequacy of the whole system of management in the governmental machinery. Only 3 small groups of settlers—those at San Antonio, those at Los Adays, and those at La Bahia—inhabited the territory of Texas. These were widely separated, and their facilities for defense against the Indians, for warding off foreign aggression, and for obtaining aid in any crisis from the government were pitifully weak.

Juan Leal Goraz, named the first alcalde or mayor, who it was hoped could settle all disputes among the Islanders, became the stormy petrel of the band. His arbitrary decisions, his unjust punishments of those who dared to question his rulings, led to a state of near civil war. The right of appeal to the governor and to the viceroy was invoked by the aggrieved parties, and the trouble spread alarmingly. Each hidalgo maintained his personal "rights" most valiantly.

The following document, which has just been translated by University translators, reveals one such incident. An attorney sought redress from the viceroy for his clients, who, he alleged, were wrongfully imprisoned by the governor; the viceroy granted the release of the prisoners; he allowed another colonist to go to Saltillo for medical treatment, at the same time forbidding him to go to Vera Cruz on penalty of imprisonment as a deserter.

The document reads: "I, Fr. Juan Antonio de Bizaron by Eguyarreta, Archbishop of the Cathedral of Mexico, Member of your Majesty's Council, Viceroy, Governor, and Captain General of the Provinces of this New Spain, and President of the Royal Audiencia do declare that a petition of the following tenor was presented before me:

"In behalf of Martin Lorenzo de Armas, second alcalde; Juan Curfelo; alderman; and; Francisco Xavier de Arceha, notary public and secretary of the municipal council for the Villa de San Fernando; Province of Texas and New Philippines, I, Joaquin Miguel de Anasares, appear before your Excellency, according to the best form of legal procedure, and declare that, through the influence and persuasion of Don Manuel de Sandoval, present governor of that province, Juan Leal Goraz, first alcalde, did arrest my clients named above. He held them as prisoners under guard in the royal presidio of San Fernando de Bexar, where they were kept without any explanation whatever. He claimed that they had been legally summoned to a meeting of the council but this is not true. Besides they had a good reason for not attending. They had not received a legal summons on the previous day as he states, but had merely been notified by a child who was not over nine years old. In spite of this, my clients left their crops in which they were compelled to work because of their abject poverty, and went home to dress properly in order to go to the meeting at the house of the first alcalde, where the council was held. This also was in violation of the law. Upon meeting certain persons who attended the council, they were informed that the said body had been directed not to pay a certain sum which they owed to Captain Joseph de Urrutia. They felt that it was unfair to repudiate a just debt but they returned to their homes. Whereupon, the said first alcalde immediately appeared to arrest them on the pretext that they had defied the summons he had issued. As a matter of fact, this warrant had been issued because of the fury of the governor rather than for any other cause whatsoever. He was angry because the resi-

dents of that villa had previously decided to present a petition asking the aforesaid Captain Urrutia to pay them for their corn at the rate of three pesos a bushel, when there had been a previous agreement and contract that he was to pay them only two pesos. The aforesaid governor ordered the secretary to draw up the petition in question. The secretary replied that he did not have the power to do this; while the governor insisted that his command was sufficient. Knowing the governor's high temper and his revengeful spirit, the secretary feared the injury he might do him and felt compelled to draw the papers against the aforementioned Captain Urrutia. Therefore, it can be inferred that the meeting was directed to repudiate the debt through the influence of the governor and that my clients were arrested because they did not attend. The second alcalde was put in prison; he had his badge of office with him and he protested that an insult was being offered to the royal insignia. The governor told the first alcalde not to worry because he would protect him. For this reason my clients have been unable to obtain a redress from the governor. This has caused them to be kept in jail for a period of more than four or five months without any recourse whatsoever because of the difficulty of appealing to your Excellency, due to the great distance between that province and this court and because of the abject poverty of my client who could not secure a hearing even though they presented three written petitions regarding their imprisonment and the reason therefor. I wish to secure reparation for the losses my clients have sustained during their long and unjust imprisonment, for during this time their crops have been lost and their families have been exposed to starvation. I am, therefore, compelled to beg Your Excellency to render justice by providing for the issue of an order that will authorize any reliable person who knows how to read and write to go with witnesses and notify the aforesaid alcalde to release my clients immediately. I wish this order to provide that if he does not do so, the person who serves the notice shall require him to show cause for this imprisonment within twenty-four hours. If this is not done, I beg of you to have this fact recorded and sent to Your Excellency. In this way my clients will secure reparation for the damages, delays and injuries they have sustained. I therefore beg Your Excellency to issue said order and to have the matter brought to the attention of the auditor of war. I ask for justice, judgment, cost, etc.,

Attorney, Vargas Machaca, Juachin de Anzurez

"Whereupon, I, the said viceroy, referred the above request to the auditor of war and, agreeing with the opinion he expresses I do by those present order Captain Joseph de Urrutia, and in his inability to act, any other person that knows how to read and write to go with witnesses and notify the man who was first alcalde to release the petitioners from prison immediately. If he does not obey, then the captain, or his substitute who serves the order, shall do so. At the same time, the bearer of the writ shall demand to see the charges made against the persons above mentioned. If the alcalde does not show these charges, the bearer of the order shall make an affidavit thereto. This statement shall then be forwarded to this captaincy general, together with record of what was done regarding the release. In view thereof I will decide what is proper and just as to the petition of Don Vizente Alvarez Traviezo to go to Saltillo for medical treatment, and the petition of the citizens and residents of the villa de San Fernando, and the request of the Governor, Don Manuel de Sandoval, for instructions concerning the price of corn and other grain. I have decided (with the approval of the auditor general of war) that the captains and soldiers who buy grain from the above mentioned inhabitants of the town must pay them at the current market price with drafts as has been done by Captain Urrutia. In the sale of vegetables and fruits from their orchards, they are to give preference to the cap-

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SOCIETY

FRESHMEN NEWS

Maurine Robertson spent the week end with Wilford Cranfill. Dell Johnson and Ronel Thomas were on Mrs. Martin's program Sunday.

Lonice Land attended church at Lauman Sturdy night. Ruby Hendrick is absent from school on account of illness.

Iris Duke spent the night with Nina Pearl Brown. Sunday night. Hazel Ruth Ray spent the week end in San Angelo.

JUNIOR NEWS

Geneva Nelson went to San Angelo over the week end. Doris Narrell spent a while in Abilene this week end.

The Seniors don't know it but the Juniors know when Senior day is going to be.

Juanice Hart was seen riding around with Kenneth Butler Sunday afternoon.

Some of the Juniors look rather weak eyed over the rip Friday night.

MEET THE SENIORS

Marie Barron has been a member of our class for two years. We are proud that she came to Loraine. Marie is a studious pupil and has very little to say. Marie was a forward on our 1933 basketball team. Because of illness this year, she did not play.

Marie has a host of friends in Loraine. She is a favorite in the senior class.

Wyona Hardin has been in the senior class for eleven years. She has always been a credit to the class in her ability to play the pianos, the accordion, to speak, sing, manage a basketball team and play a drum. Although, she

owns three presidios of San Antonio, Los Adays, and Bahia del Espiritu Santo, so that, by this arrangement, these presidios will not lack the necessities and the citizens will not have to seek purchasers beyond the confines of that region. As for the permit requested by Traviezo, (for visiting Saltillo for medical treatment) I have decided to grant it in spite of the inconveniences pointed out by the governor. I have, however, issued orders for special precautions to be taken at Vera Cruz, so that, in case he goes to that city, the authorities can arrest him and proceed against him as a deserter. In order that all these provisions may be observed, kept, and executed inviolably, I order this present decision kept in mind."

Mexico, January 24 1736

Juan Antonio, Archbishop of Mexico by command of His Excellency Antonio de Avies.

Following issuance of this order Juan Leal Goraz, alcalde, was called up before Captain Joseph de Urrutia and required to take an oath to abide by all the provisions of the order, including releasing the imprisoned colonists. The order was presented to the governor, and he, although protesting that "the statements made in the petition by the parties concerned are untrue, and were alleged and claimed merely to secure the said superior order," agreed to "give punctual obedience thereto." He ordered that complete transcripts of all records pertaining to the case be made and copies placed with the viceroy and in the local files. It finally developed that the order commissioning Don Joseph de Urrutia as captain of the presidio with authority to serve a writ ordering release of the imprisoned men, was "lost." Without this document the case was incomplete and thus, after five months' imprisonment for the three plaintiffs and eight months delay in settlement of the case, the whole matter had to be dropped because of the loss of a single vitally important paper.

Though the conflict between the colonists and local officials was at a standstill, the bitterness remained, and discord was bound to ensue.

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isn't very big, she does many things. Without Wyona, we would have missed a lot. She has a pleasing personality. She has and makes friends everywhere she goes. James Jarratt, (most commonly known as Sleepy) is another senior. We hear little from Sleepy, but we know that he is a good student from the grades he makes. Whenever we see the band "Sleepy" is always there playing his trumpet. He is a splendid band student. James has been a member of this class for eleven years, also he is considered a dear classmate by all of us.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

"The Last Round up" gathered in 70 guests whose appointments were marked by miniature bracing horses mounted with cowboys. This occasion was the annual Junior-Senior Banquet, held in the band hall Friday evening at 7:30.

Saddles, cactus, ropes and blankets were arranged in clever designs, vividly portraying the scenes of cowboy days. The gay colored sombreros, including program, menu, and names of the officers of the Juniors and Seniors, and "The Last Round Up", song diplomas were favors for each guest.

Eldon Mahon acted as "Chief of the Cowboys" and asked the following punchers to perform:

Toast to Seniors—Katha Lee Harrell; Toast to Juniors—Arnold Marshall; Duet—Douglas Taylor and James Jarratt; Reading—Wyona Hardin; Song—Winnadel Rowland; Class Prophecy—Lula Mae Roberts; Piano Solo—Kent McGowan; Class Will—Joyce Furlow; Address—Ed. Williams; Song—"Las Round Up"—Juniors and Seniors.

JOKES

"Don't Worry about Me Beggar: 'Have you got enough money for a cup of coffee?'" Will A: "Oh, I'll manage somehow, thank you."

"What Beats This?" A balky mule has four wheel brakes, Billy Goats have bumpers. The firefly has a bright spotlight. Rabbits are puddle jumpers. Camels have balloon-tired feet. And carry spares of what they eat. But I think that nothing beats, The Kangaroo's with rumble seats.

Not at all Permanent Little Dell had just had her first dip.

"How did you like it, dearie?" Asked her mother. Dell glared at the sparkling sea. "I don't like it at all, mother," she replied coldly. "I sat on a wave and went through."

"How About It?" The gum chewing girl and the cud-chewing cow, Are alike, yet different somehow."

What is the difference? Oh! I see it now; It's the thoughtful look on the face of the cow."

Truth: A Negro was endeavoring to make clear to friend just what constitutes oratory. "I will elucidate," he said. "If you say black is white, dat am foolish. But if you says black am white an' bellow like a bull, an' pound the table with both fists, dat am oratory."

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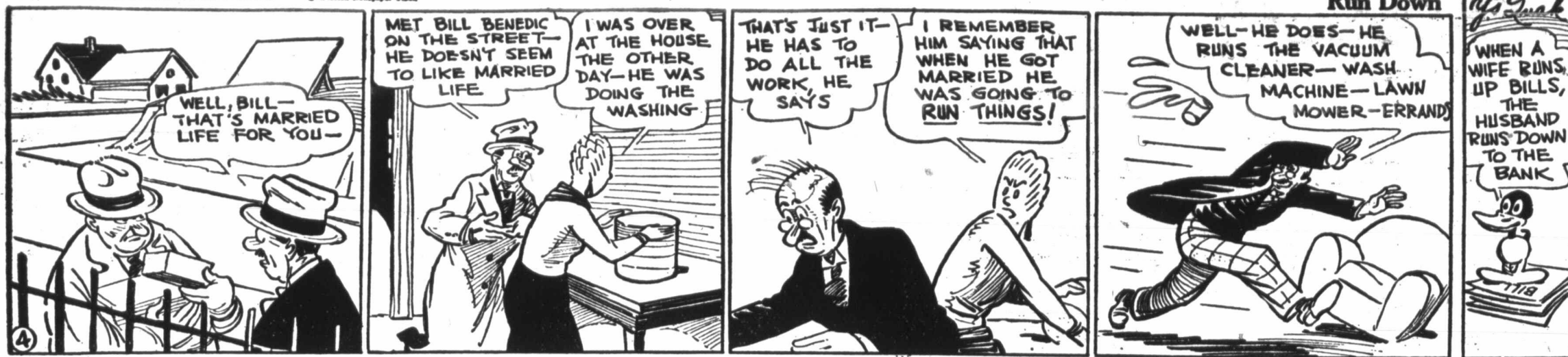


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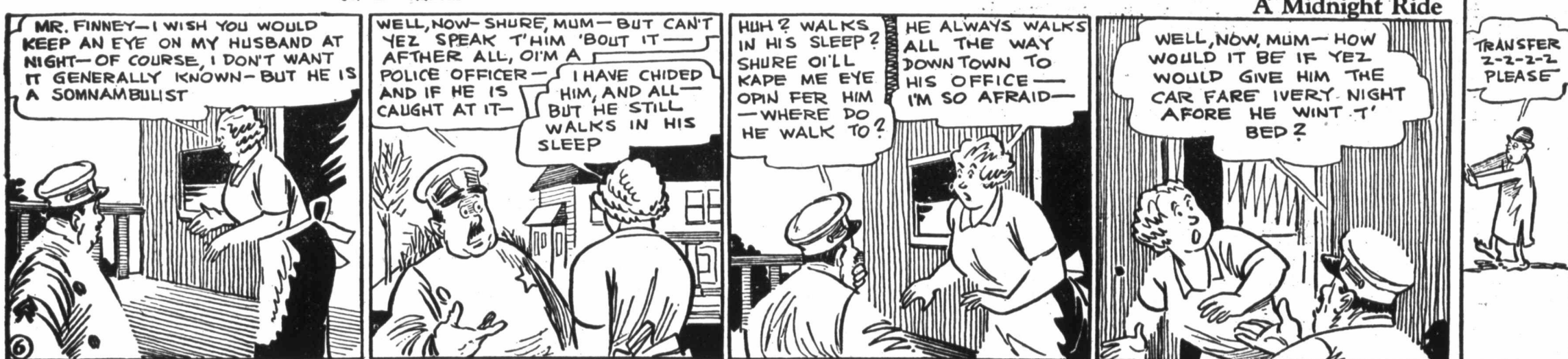
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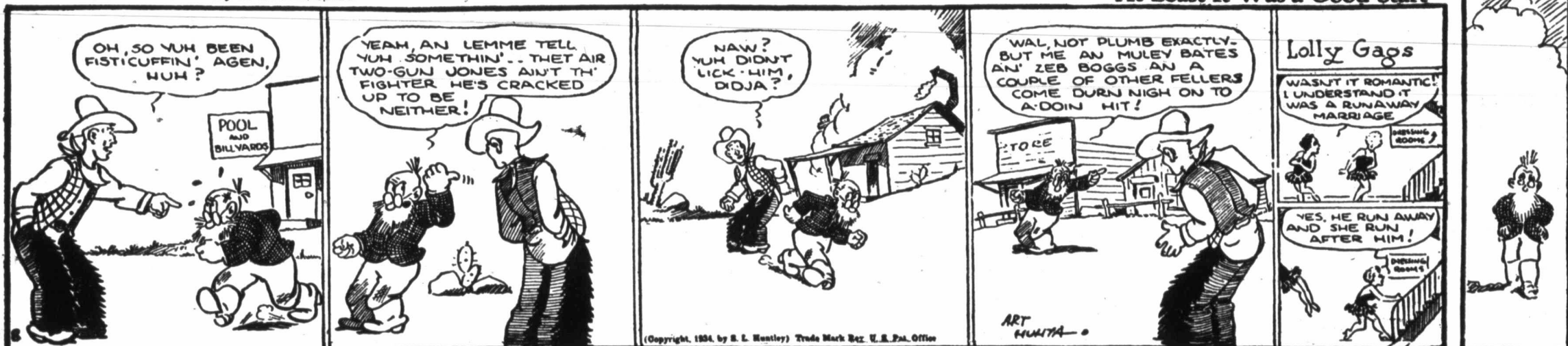
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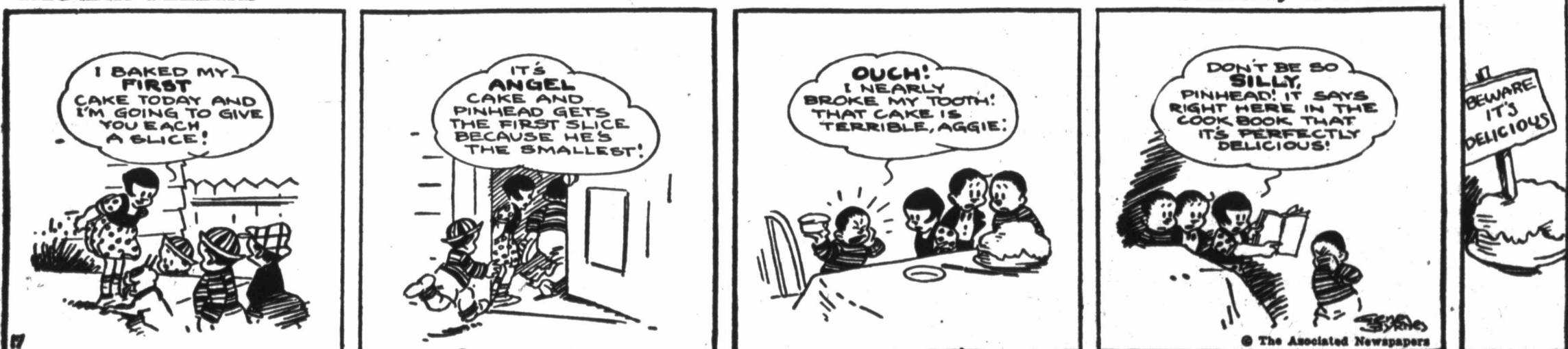
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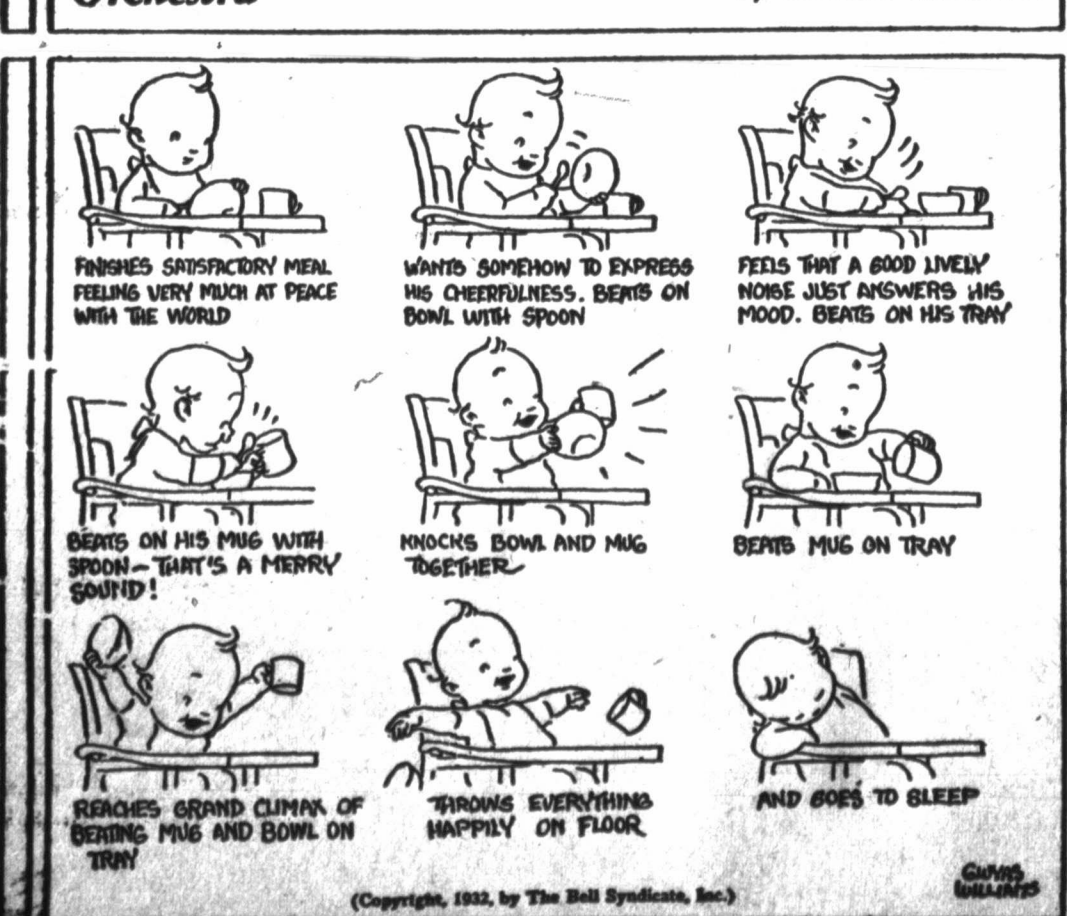
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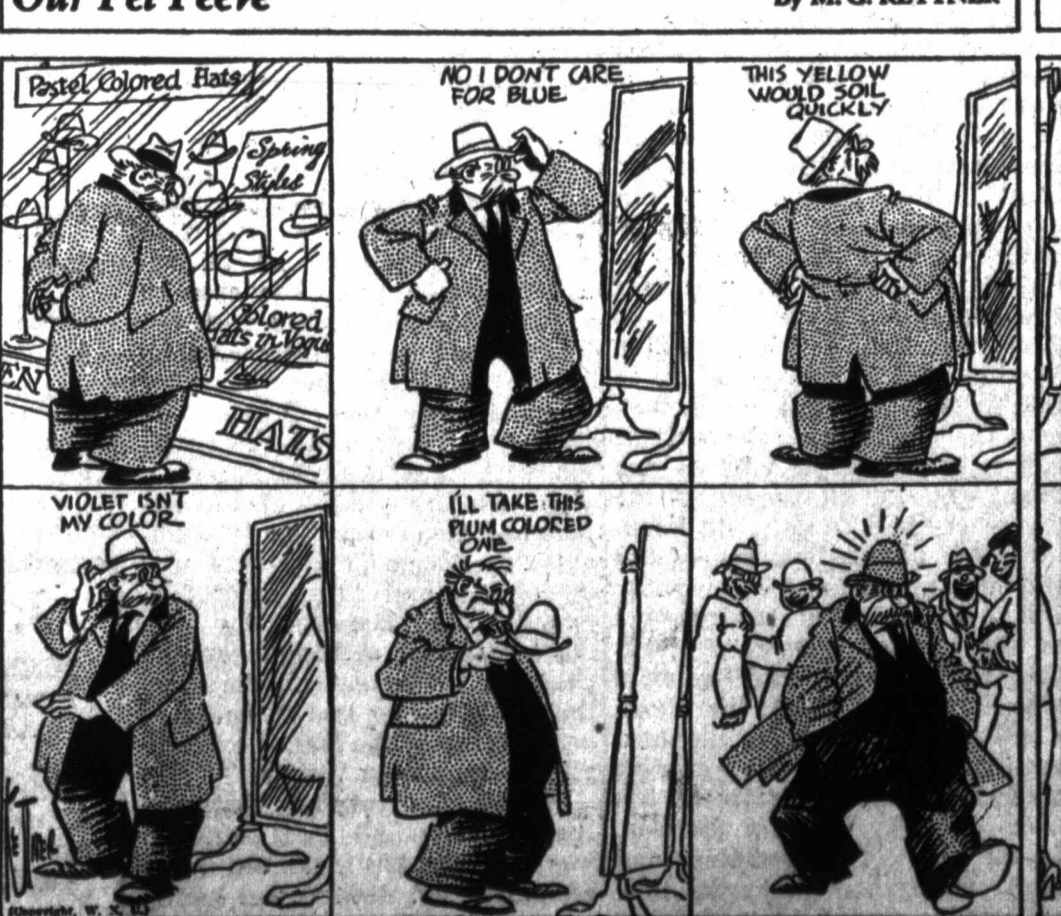
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EYE ON ECONOMY

An old farmer's rich cousin from the city paid him a visit. When he left he offered to send the farmer a new hat. The old farmer thought quickly. "What kind would you like, Silas?" he said, "felt or straw?" "Straw," he said at last. "Cos when I've finished with it it will do nicely for a mouthful for the cows."—London Answers.

Just Cleaned Up
Friend Wife—Mercy! Wath has happened to you? Your clothes are torn, and you're all smeared with mud and then more mud. Mr. Scraplight—I had words with that fellow on the corner, and he cleaned me up.

Bad News
"You have my sympathy, old man." "Why?" "My wife got a new hat, and she's calling on your wife tomorrow."

Cutting and Slashing
"Why are you reducing?" "Oh, to cut down expenses."—London Answers.



GERMAN ATHLETICISM

Before long all German students of both sexes will have to take a course of sports and gymnastics for the first three terms of their academic careers. The obligatory course will comprise gymnastics, athletics, boxing, swimming and shooting, and there will be inter-school and inter-university championships. After one year students will be examined for a sports diploma. Unsuccessful candidates will not be allowed to begin their fourth term.

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ADVICE TO WOMEN

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D.,
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Lesson for April 21

THE FUTURE LIFE (EASTER LESSON)

LESSON TEXT—Luke 24:1-12; John 14:1-6.

GOLDEN TEXT—I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.—John 11:25.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Living Again.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Living Again.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Life Here and Hereafter.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Life in the Light of Eternity.

I. God, the God of the Living (Mark 12:26, 27).

"If a man die, shall he live again?" is an age-long question. It is affirmatively answered by both the universal human conviction and the holy Scriptures. Death does not end all. It is not a leap into the dark. It is rather the open door through which human personality enters into the light of glorious freedom. Life itself is but a training school, a preparation for the larger and higher life after death. Those who in their lifetime are in vital relation to Jesus Christ, the eternal Life, shall never die.

II. The Resurrection of Jesus Christ (Luke 24:1-12).

The supreme test of Christianity is the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. It matters little what Jesus said and did while alive, if his body remained in the grave. If he did not come forth in triumph from the tomb, then all his claims are false. On the other hand, if he did arise, all his claims are true.

1. The empty sepulchre (vv. 1-3).

a. The coming of the women (v. 1). As an expression of affectionate regard for the Master, they came with spices for his body.

b. What they found (vv. 2, 3). When they came to the sepulchre they found the stone had been removed, but they found not the body of Jesus. For them to have found his body in the sepulchre would have been the world's greatest tragedy. The empty tomb spoke eloquently of the deity and power of the Son of God (Rom. 1:4).

2. The message of the men in shining garments (vv. 4-8).

a. "Why seek ye the living among the dead?" (v. 5). The angels' question has continued to reverberate through the centuries.

b. "He is not here, but is risen" (v. 6). Jesus, before he was crucified, had told them that the Lord must be betrayed and crucified and that on the third day he would rise.

3. The women witnessing to the eleven (vv. 9-11). Their thrilling testimony concerning the empty tomb and the words of the angels appeared to the apostles as idle tales.

4. Peter investigating (v. 12). While the testimony of the women seemed as idle tales, Peter was not of the temperament to lightly dismiss the matter. Therefore, he ran to the sepulchre. Upon close investigation he found the linen clothes lying in such a way as to prove the reality of the resurrection.

III. Jesus Preparing a Place in Heaven for His Own (John 14:1-3).

The hopes of the disciples were utterly shattered when Jesus told them about the cross. He consoled them by pointing to the reunion in the Father's house. This he did by

1. Asking them to trust in him even as God (v. 1). Faith in the God-Man, Christ Jesus, will steady the heart no matter how intense the grief.

2. By informing them that he was going to the Father's house to prepare a home for them (v. 2). He declared that in that house there were many abiding places. Heaven is an eternal dwelling place for God's children.

3. By assuring them that he would come again and escort them to heaven (v. 3). He will come and call forth from the grave those who have died and transform living believers and take them all together to be with him forever in the heavenly home (I Thess. 4:16, 17).

IV. Jesus Christ is the Way to the Heavenly Father (John 14:4-6).

In answer to Thomas' interposed doubt Jesus asserted:

1. That he is the way (v. 6). Jesus Christ is more than a mere guide to God or a teacher. He is the way itself, the very door of the sheepfold, the gateway to the tree of life.

2. The truth (v. 6). He is not merely the teacher, but the truth incarnate. In his incarnation the spiritual and material worlds were united. Therefore, every line of truth, whether spiritual or material, converges in him.

3. The life (v. 6). Christ is not merely the giver of life, but the very essence of life. Only those who receive Christ have life in the true sense.

You May Be Wrong

"My brethren," said Oliver Cromwell to some of his fanatical, positive followers, "in the name of Christ I beseech you to think it possible you may be mistaken." That is a good word to carry in our minds.

Hindering God

Not man's manifold labors but his manifold cares, hinder the presence of God. Whatsoever thou doest, hush thyself to thine own feverish vanities, and busy thoughts, and cares; in silence seek thy Father's face.

Dental Hygiene

The Road to Health

By DR. R. ALLEN GRIFFITH

HOW TEETH INFECT THE SYSTEM

WITH the exception of venereal disease, every disease, every germ that enters the human system must enter through the mouth, nose or a break in the skin. The mouth is the most extensive breeding place for germs. Before any disease can gain a foothold in the human system, it must have a place of incubation and a period of incubation and that place is the unclean mouth.

Where are the pneumococcus, the tubercle bacillus, the virus of scarlet fever, measles, croup, etc., most frequently found? In the unclean human mouth. We are not astonished when we find millions of chains of the six varieties of streptococci and millions of pneumococci in the average mouth and these are among the dangerous disease germs. All of these micro-organisms are absorbed from spaces around and between the teeth into the mucous membrane of the mouth and into the tonsils. They are swallowed into the stomach and drawn into the lungs. Constant and persistent doses of micro-organisms and their toxins ultimately break down the resistance of the healthy human organism.

The germs found in diseased teeth and septic mouths are swept into the stomach with solid and liquid food and infected saliva. While many of them are destroyed, many of them pass into the intestines where they set up putrefaction and manufacture toxins and food poisons. These have a special predilection for nerve cells.

The absorption of micro-organisms and their toxins into the circulation is responsible for rheumatism, arthritis and endocarditis. The micro-organisms are carried by the blood stream to the joints and heart where they produce these destructive diseases. This has been proven by injecting into guinea pigs cultures made from the mouths of persons so infected, the same diseases being produced in the guinea pigs. Also, treatment of the mouth has caused an improvement or cure of the diseased conditions.

Without treatment of the mouth, the cure of many of these diseases by systematic treatment otherwise has failed and will continue to fail.

At the Century of Progress in Chicago in the dental exhibit was shown the fossil jaw of a mammoth which contained a dental abscess that would hold three and one-half quarts of pus. Who knows but what this dental abscess may have caused the death of even this immense prehistoric animal?

THE FIRST PERMANENT TOOTH

THE first permanent tooth comes into the mouth between the sixth and seventh years. It comes in just back of the baby teeth and is frequently mistaken for a baby tooth because it does not replace another tooth. It is called the six-year molar, and is the largest and most important tooth in the dental arch.

The six-year molar is of the greatest concern to dentists. Most dentists are familiar with the troublesome nature of the tooth. It drives more children to the dentist than all other teeth combined.

If we are to do the most for children we must save the six-year molars. When the six-year molars are extracted the dental arch is robbed of its support. It soon collapses. The teeth in front of it fall backward and a space appears between the front teeth. The beautiful, symmetrical curve of the face is lost, and nothing can restore it.

The six-year molars are particularly valuable because they do most of the chewing for a period of five years. These four teeth take their places when the child is six years of age, the upper biting squarely upon the lower. There are no teeth back of them until the child is twelve years of age, when the second molars come in.

In front of them are the baby molars which are small and frail and are not made for chewing heavy food. If the baby molars are lost or decayed they cannot assist the six-year molars in chewing food. Thus, for five years, the four six-year molars are compelled to chew all the food that goes to nourish the rapidly developing child. The six-year molars also act as a prop to hold the jaws apart while the other permanent teeth are coming in. The pressure of the jaws falls upon these four teeth until the other back teeth come in between the ages of ten and twelve, and in case one or two of these first permanent teeth are lost, the jaws are not held open the correct distance and the jaws close upon the other teeth that are only part way in, forcing them out of line and preventing them from coming entirely in.

The only proper way to care for your children's teeth is to place the child in the care of a dentist at three years of age. He will keep the child's teeth free from decay if the visits are made at frequent intervals. He will fill small cavities as soon as they appear, and keep the teeth free from stains and tartar. He will tell you how to keep the mouth in a clean, healthy condition, and if this rule is followed the permanent teeth will come in a clean, healthy mouth free from decay.

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RENDER TRIBUTE TO "APPLESEED JOHNNY'S" LABOR

He was a gentle lunatic, "Johnny Appleseed." Or perhaps he was a saint. His first appearance in history, where he is now secure of his niche in the saga of American pioneering, is in the year 1800 when he is seen drifting down the Ohio in a strange craft with a queer cargo: two canoes lashed together bearing a load of rotten apples from the cider presses of Pennsylvania. His errand is to plant apple seeds in the wilderness that orchards may be there awaiting the white settlers when they arrive. This was his errand for 46 years. Like a good many other beneficent cranks he is supposed to have been born in Boston, and perhaps the wine of revolution mixed with his blood, for his birth year is given as 1775. Of holy books he had two: the Bible and Emmanuel Swedenborg, which he read aloud to border families by the light of cabin fires; he ate no meat, killed no living creatures—not even venomous reptiles—befriended animals, went unarmed, though all but naked, in a savage wilderness that teemed with wild beasts and Indians, and these last venerated him as a powerful "medicine." In 1812 he spread the alarm of an impending Indian attack and saved hundreds of settlers from massacre. But more than saint he was artist, and his art-form was the apple. It was a passionate conviction with him that the tree should be raised from the seed, and he chose his orchard sites for fertility and picturesqueness with the fastidious taste of poet and painter, fenced the enclosure, and returned each year to tend his trees. Ohio people still remember him with affection for his were the first fruits of their wilderness.—Boston Globe.

Agriculture Displaced

Agriculture, long the leading employer in Florida, now ranks in second place because of the expansion of manufacturing and mechanical industries, reports the University of Florida.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

Page Papa

Teacher—Willie, what is an adult? Willie—One that has stopped growing except in the middle.

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THE BREAKFAST CHAMP

FULL O PEP

WHAT A REP

UN-DE-FEATED YOU CAN'T BEAT IT

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"RIGHT AWAY," EH? THAT'S ALL I HEAR! RUSH! RUSH!

WHAT DOES HE CARE HOW HARD YOU WORK... AS LONG AS HE CAN DO THE HEAVY LOOKING ON?

WELL, GUESS I'LL HAVE TO TAKE 'EM SOMEWHERE ELSE!

O.K. WITH ME! I'M TIRED OF BEING IMPOSED ON, AN' I'VE!

TELL HIM TO BEAT IT! HE'S ONE OF THOSE BIG-HEARTED GUYS THAT WANT YOU TO KILL YOURSELF FOR HIM!

WELL, YOUR GROUCHY LOSER US ANOTHER CUSTOMER! WE WON'T HAVE ANY PRETTY SOON!

MY GOUCH! SAY—IF YOU HAD MY HEADACHES AND INDIGESTION, YOU'D BE FIT TO BE TIED!

AW—TELL HIM ONE MORE PEEP OUT OF HIM, AND HE'LL BE IN BUSINESS ALL BY HIMSELF!

YOUR TROUBLE MAY BE COFFEE-NERVES! I HAD IT... BUT I QUIT COFFEE AND SWITCHED TO POSTUM AND SOON WAS MYSELF AGAIN!

SHUCKS... COFFEE NEVER HURT ME! STILL—MY WIFE SAYS I DRINK TOO MUCH COFFEE! MAYBE I'D BETTER TRY POSTUM!

CURSES! I CAN'T HANG AROUND HERE IF HE'S SWITCHING TO POSTUM!

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LOCALS

J. M. Womack and family attended Church of Christ services in Colorado, Sunday.

Mrs. I. J. Pierce spent the first of the week in Arlington with her brother F. W. Altman.

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

Fred Harrell has accepted a position as an apprentice with The Mitchell County News. Fred says he intends to learn the newspaper business from the front end through the back.

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CHANCES HANDS
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BRIGHT & EARLY
1lb Package 25c
J. B. MAHON GRO.

Dr. H. L. Ison and daughter and two grandchildren, of Legion, Texas, visited in the home of his brother, Jeff Ison, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker of Colorado visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Parker Sunday.

Have your winter coats and suits cleaned and pressed and put away in a moth proof bag. Leggott's Tailor Shop.

Mrs. J. T. Draper and Mrs. George Harper visited their daughter and cousin, Mrs. C. R. McCleney, at Big Spring Saturday and Sunday.

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The New 1935 line Refrigerators either electric or Kerosene now on display. Hutchins and Hall Drugs.

FIRE LIMITS ORDINANCE
Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lorraine, as follows:

SECTION 1. FIRE LIMITS:
The following shall be and are hereby declared to be the fire limits of the city of Lorraine: A full description of the fire limits are on file at the office of the City Secretary.

SECTION 2. PERMIT REQUIRED:
No wall, structure, building, or part thereof, shall hereafter be built, enlarged or altered, until a plan of the proposed work together with a statement of the materials to be used shall have been submitted to the fire commissioner, who shall, if in accordance with the provisions herein contained, issue a permit for the proposed construction.

Structures hereafter erected without permit or not in conformity with this ordinance shall be removed.

No building shall be moved from one location to another within the fire limits until a permit has been obtained therefor. Permit shall be issued only in case the construction is in accordance with this ordinance.

SECTION 3. INCOMBUSTIBLE CONSTRUCTION REQUIRED WITHIN FIRE LIMITS:
Every building hereafter erected, altered or enlarged within the fire limits, shall be enclosed on all sides with walls constructed wholly of stone, well burned brick, or reinforced concrete, and shall have the roof, also the roof and sides of all roof structures, covered with incombustible materials.

NOTE: The purpose of this section is to prohibit the erection within the fire limits of wooden, concrete, stucco, and veneer type buildings.

SECTION 4. FRAME BUILDINGS:
No structure whose walls are wholly, or in part, constructed of wood, shall, hereafter, be

built or moved into the fire limits as herein designated or as they may hereafter be established except as follows:

(a) Temporary one story frame buildings for the use of builders.
(b) Small outhouses not exceeding 100 square feet in area and 8 feet in height, not located within 30 feet of any other building not within 5 feet of any lot line.

Any existing frame or ironclad building within the fire limits, which may hereafter be damaged by fire, decay or otherwise to an amount greater than one-half its present value exclusive of the foundation shall not be repaired or rebuilt, but shall be removed.

SECTION 5. GAS CONNECTIONS:
Gas connections to stoves and similar heating devices shall be made of rigid metal pipes. For small portable gas heating devices, flexible metal or rubber tubing may be used when there is no valve or other shut-off on the device.

SECTION 6. Violations of this ordinance will be punishable by a fine of not less than \$100, nor more than \$500.

SECTION 7. An emergency existing the rule requiring three readings is hereby suspended.

SECTION 8. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

I, Jack Tillison, secretary of the City of Lorraine, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Lorraine at called session held on the 16th day of April, 1935, as the same appears on record in the office of the City Secretary.
Jack Tillison, City Secretary.

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