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THIS WEEK

Old Men Still Useful
Fists and Razor Blades
Youngest Grandfather
Science Works Two Ways

Even in this day of dawning youth, mature age still has its usefulness.

The average age of our Supreme Court justices is seventy-one years. Twenty-six years ago Chief Justice Hughes took his seat on the Supreme Court bench. President Taft rendered public service by appointing him to succeed Justice Brewer.



He left the bench to run for President against Woodrow Wilson, and would doubtless have been elected had he not gone to California. Had he been elected he would have remained in the United States and probably would have saved the country ten thousand million dollars that Woodrow Wilson shovelled out in his ecstasy of self-approval.

Rioting in London's "Mile End Road," in which the faces of men and women were slashed with razor blades and one man was thrown through a shop window etc., seems rather "un-English," to put it mildly. First fighting has been encouraged by distinguished Englishmen, including judges, on the ground that it is "better than using knives."

It is better, doubtless, but what about the razor blades?

Germany honors its youngest grandfather, Herman Jahnke, farm laborer, thirty-six years old. Married at seventeen, his eldest daughter became a mother at seventeen.

If all you want is children, that record is satisfactory, although any mouse family could beat it by 25,000 per cent, and almost any microbe by a billion per cent.

If good children were desired, it would have been better for Mr. Jahnke to have his first child at 35, and his first grandchild at 60 or 70; at least that was Plato's opinion.

Justice uses science—the electric chair, the lethal chamber—to punish criminals. The criminal uses science to carry on his trade. An SOS signal, purporting to come from a yacht in distress, drew the coast guard away from the coast of Hawaii, making it convenient for smugglers of narcotics to bring in their cargo. Tear gas, comparatively modern, was used to empty a New York theater where there was labor trouble.

Japan, until recently convinced, mistakenly, that this country is her enemy, and for excellent reasons keeping close watch on Russia and her anti-Japanese Vladivostok airplane and submarine base, now turns suspicious attention on dear old John Bull.

Britain is supposed to have asked nine nations to protest against Japan's demands on China. That should not worry Japan too much. The same old John Bull got fifty-one nations to protest Mussolini's attack on Ethiopia; but, paying no attention, the able Italian went ahead swallowing Ethiopia; sending the little Haile Selassie to live in Switzerland.

In his villa at San Remo, the Duke of Bona D'Orto celebrates his one hundred and sixth birthday in excellent health. He has been active in Italian court circles since 1841, before the beginning of the United States-Mexican war.

Mussolini tells 200 farmers and industrialists to prepare for a "decisive conflict" that will be necessary "to preserve order against anarchy."

Those that favor the "present civilization," he said, will have to preserve it. "We are at the dawn of a decisive conflict between the representatives of order and anarchy."

Dr. Irving Langmuir, brilliant Nobel prize winner, announced a "counterpart of life" produced

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THE WORLD AS IT LOOKS TO MARS



Employment On Increase In Texas

CAR REGISTRATIONS

Reports to the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas from more than 1,500 Texas business establishments show a total of 79,773 employees during September an increase of 7.5 per cent over September last year and 2.9 per cent over August. Average weekly pay rolls totals \$1,788,723, an increase of 8.9 per cent over September a year ago and 2.9 per cent over August.

Industry groups making better than average gains were building materials, clothing and textiles, cotton oil mills, wholesale and retail distribution, food products, furniture manufacturing, newspaper publishing, petroleum refining and steam railroad car shops.

New passenger car registrations in thirteen representative Texas counties during September totaled 5,364, a decline of 14.6 per cent from August, but an increase of 41.9 per cent over September last year, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Sales during the first nine months of the year in these thirteen counties totaled 51,642 cars, an increase of 21.8 per cent over the corresponding period a year ago.

The change-over to the 1937 models by a number of car builders doubtless accounts for the decline in sales from August to September, the Bureau's report stated. Usually large back orders announced by several companies should soon be reflected in expanding registrations, the Bureau added.

In On Sox Fund

Abilene, Texas.

Dear Uncle Bill:

Caddie sends her love—says she wants in on that Sox fund.

We read the News-Record religiously. Continue to give that so called Jeffersonian Democrats (who are not democrats at all) the dickens.

Sincerely,

W. A. Bynum

Fine Pecans Grown By Home Owners

While the late freeze last spring destroyed most of the pecan crop, yet, many of the home owners of Sterling are carrying in their pockets samples of the big fat pecans nuts which they have picked from trees they planted in their yards a few years ago.

Several years ago, a pecan planting campaign began among the homebuilders in Sterling. As a result, there are only a few yards that do not have pecan trees growing in them—many of them have reached the bearing stage.

C. C. Reynolds was among the first to plant his yard with pecan trees. Today, his new brick home is almost hidden in a pecan grove. These trees are not only ornamental and make splendid shades, but in the seasons to come, they will bear nuts that will be a source of considerable revenue.

There is no tree that is a native of these parts that is more symmetrical and makes a better shade than the pecan. Then, it grows rapidly when watered and cared for. Being a native, it is the best of all trees to plant. When you begin to gather nuts from the tree that you planted and cared for with your own hands it will give you a true thrill.—Uncle Bill.

Norther And Rain

A cool norther blew up out of the north last Wednesday, making the denizens of this town hunt up their last winter's coats and "long-handled undies." For several days previous the weather had been fair and warm and most every one had forgotten the last cool snap and was wearing the regular summer weights.

Early Thursday morning, it began raining, continuing a slow downpour throughout the day and last night. More than an inch of rain has fallen.

The rain covered a large area in West Texas, and prospects for winter range and small grain crops are the best in many years.

With The H. D. Clubs

Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, Clothing Specialist from College Station, met with the clothing demonstrators in Sterling County for a days work on foundation patterns on Monday October 19. The meeting was held at the Baptist church. Foundation waist and sleeve patterns were fitted and cut. The skirt patterns which were cut some time ago were checked. At noon a lunch of sandwiches, cookies and coffee was served to the group. Those present were: Mesdames, Lee Hunt, W. R. Hudson, Fred Hodges, L. R. Knight, C. A. Bowen, Trent Horton, Mrs. Barnes, and Miss Delene Reid.

Miss Lola Blair, Extension Specialist in Foods and Nutrition, from A. and M. College, was in Sterling County on October 15 and 16, working with Miss Delene Reid, County home demonstration agent. Plans were made for the Home Foods Supply Demonstration which is being carried by the home demonstration clubs in the county. A survey of the county in this interest was made. Two demonstrators were visited and each made a year's plan for providing the home food supplies for their families.

W. M. S. Elects Officers

Election of officers marked the meeting held by the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society at the church the last of the week. Thirteen members were present to discuss plans for the year.

Mrs. Raymond Collier was elected president. Serving with her will be Mrs. J. A. Revell, vice-president, and Mrs. W. B. Allen, secretary-treasurer.

Chairmen were named as follows: Mrs. I. B. Langford, education; Mrs. J. A. Revell, missions; Mrs. L. F. Wallace, personal service; Mrs. J. C. Alsop, stewardship; Mrs. D. C. Durham, periodicals; Mrs. George Conger, benevolence; Mrs. Claude Collins, Margaret Fund Mother; Mrs. D. L. Mercer, young people; Mrs. C. T. Sharp, librarian and Mrs. Lee Hunt, publicity.

Low Grade Flour Being Marketed

A warning to consumers that low standard flour is being offered for sale in Texas was issued today by the State Department of Health's Division of Food and Drugs. At the same time, Mr. F. D. Brock, Director of this Division, sent notices to millers and dealers in flour calling their attention to the law prohibiting the sale of adulterated food. He based his notice to the dealers and manufacturers on Article 707, Section 6 of the Texas Food and Drug Law which provided that, in the case of food:

"An article shall be deemed to be adulterated if it consists in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed or putrid animal or vegetable substance or any portion of an animal or vegetable unfit for human consumption, whether manufactured or not. The penalty for violating this law is a fine of from twenty-five to two hundred dollars."

"It has long been the custom of certain dealers and manufacturers of flour and other cereals," said Mr. Brock, "to resort to the practice of sifting out worms from flour which has thus become contaminated and again offering this flour for sale to consuming public who are ignorant of the fact that the flour has been infested by worms in great numbers in many cases. Dealers and manufacturers seem to labor under the impression this practice is legitimate through their opinion, this is deceptive and in violation of the above State law. Our conclusions are based upon the results of laboratory examinations of many so called 're-conditioned flour,' in which was found segments of worms, insects and their excreta, rat hairs, rat excreta, grit and dirt."

"In the case of flour being sifted and resacked, it is often mixed as to brands. This is in violation of a law recently passed by the Texas Legislature which provided that each package of wheat flour, other cereal flour and corn meal shall have the net weight, name of manufacturer (meaning the person, firm, association, or corporation which processed the wheat or other cereal into flour, or which processed the corn into meal) and the name of the place where milled, printed or plainly marked on it in letters and figures clearly readable and that it shall be unlawful for wheat flour, other cereal flour or corn meal, to be packed for sale, offered for sale or sold within the State of Texas unless it shall be so labeled. By this it will be seen that mixed brands of flour cannot be properly identified as to place of manufacture or name of manufacturer."

"Inspectors of the State Health Department are empowered to bring criminal prosecution against any person known to be adulterating or misbranding flour, as described above, and to bring seizure proceedings against any flour thus reconditioned."

Miss Cecil Irene Reed of Sterling City was one of thirty students who were admitted to the Melpomenean Players, Abilene Christian college Dramatic club, at the fall competitive trials, September 29.

C. R. McMillan, 65, who died at San Angelo, Monday, was the father of out fellow citizen, T. A. McMillan who is with the cleaning and pressing department of the Bailey Men's Store.

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Warry Wakeup lay awake all night last Wednesday night, trying to decide whether it was much of a sin to steal a pin, or a greater sin to steal a tater.

Suckrod Punkinblossom says that a nigger caught a big catfish on the Brazos river not long since. The nigger got tangled in the line, and the fish dragged him into the water and drowned him. Mr. Punkinblossom is wondering whether the nigger was fishing or the fish was niggering.

These Republicans who are pleased to call themselves "Jeffersonian Democrats" are just a bunch of mutineers aboard the ship State, boring holes from within. About the only difference between these fellows and Judas, is that Judas, after selling out and betraying the Master, he was man enough to go and hang himself.

Gabby Rumblegourd says that the preacher at Polecat Center last Sunday told the congregation about a talking jackass. He said that a guy named Baalam was riding the jackass along a rock fence. The old burro got scared at something that Baalam couldn't see and ran against a rock and hurt his foot. Baalam got down and whipped the donkey. While he was pounding the whey out of the critter, the critter said: "Am I not thine ass?" Gabby said while it was hard to believe, but he believed it, but it was the only jackass he ever heard of talking in plain English.

Next Tuesday week will be general election day, Nov. 3. If you have the good of yourself, family or country at heart, you will go to the polls that day and vote your judgment. Sure, the primaries settled most of the things, but not the most important things. A great lot of things will depend on the number of votes for governor. Then you are to cast your vote for president and vice president. Never in the history of this nation was so much depending on the election of a president as it does now. It will be too late if you stay at home thinking: "George will do it." George may stay at home too.

The old time Comanche Indian would turn green with envy if he could be in Spain today and see how badly he was outdone in cruelty. While the Spaniard is an artist in cruelty to his fellow man, yet, he is somewhat of a fighter, but he didn't even have a look-in in '98 when he matched a scrap with Uncle Sam. What surprised the Spaniard most in '98 when his fleet met Uncle Sam's fleet at Santiago and was knocked completely out, and when the American tars began to cheer was when Admiral Schley raised a protesting hand and said: "Don't cheer, boys, the poor devils are dying." The Spaniards could not understand why one should not cheer when an enemy was down and out.



CAN A COW KICK BACKWARD?

Of course a cow can kick backward. But there is a great argument going on as to whether she can or not. Some say she can, and some say she can't. But I know she can kick backward. I have been shown more than once—not told—that a cow, calf or steer can kick backward.

The controversy began when a dairy hand in California happened to pass too near a kicking cow's heels and she let him have it on the shin.

The Industrial Accident Commission of California held that a cow couldn't kick backward, and therefore the injured man was not entitled to collect damage on his accident insurance policy.

That started the row, California veterinarians held that a cow can't kick backward. Middle West farmers and cattlemen declare that a cow can and does kick backward. H. C. Spencer, farmer of Wellsville, Kan., wrote to Timothy Reardon, Chairman of the California Accident Commission: "A cow can and does kick backward—a regular Joe Louis biff at that, believe me."

Those California veterinarians must be of the drug store variety, or else the California cow has lost her kick. If those boys were to come here and experiment with old Texas range cows, it wouldn't take them two minutes to find out whether or not a cow can kick backward. If they would sharpen the end of a short stick, say about two feet long and slip up behind and jab an old cow in the frog of her heel with the stick when the experimenter came to, he would have no doubts about a cow's ability to kick backward.

While no bull ever kicked me from behind, I have often been busted with the heels of cows, steers and calves.

While swinging on a bull calf's tail about 75 years ago, he reached backward with his heel and planted a hoof track over my left eye that I have worn every day since to remind me that if I had business with a bull calf, I should go in front of him and do my business with him there.

Many is the time while plowing a yoke of snaky steers that I have been knocked cold by a backward kick from one of them while adjusting the clevis. During hee-fly time, I would tickle their heels with a stick to see how high they could kick backward. This was a mean trick, and very likely those steers evened up the score by kicking me when I had work to do near their heels.

An old kicking milch cow has a

method all her own when delivering a blow to the one milking her happens to squeeze a sore teat. Her's is a side-swiping backward kick. Old Sukey rarely misses her aim. Just when you have comfortably squatted or seated yourself on the stool with the bucket underneath the milky fountain, and with both hands making two streams of nectar flow into the pail like a jerker makes the soda fountain fill a glass with foam, old Sukey raises her right hind leg, brings it forward, then sweeps it outward so as to catch the pail first then you next and then with a backward stroke, she sends you on your back to the ground with the pail of milk on top of you.

Another thing about old Sukey, she has a rule that she rarely ever breaks. She always waits until the pail is about full before she kicks.

Because Sukey can kick forward, sidewise and backward at one sweep is no sign that she can't kick a quid of tobacco out of a fellow's mouth straight from behind, the veterinarians of California to the contrary.—Uncle Bill

POLITICAL HATRED

It is easy to understand why many voters oppose Roosevelt's reelection, but the extreme bitterness with which flavor their opposition is harder to explain. Their rage exceeds by far that which led to Hoover's defeat four years ago. Men and women who had lost jobs, homes and savings were inclined to hold the President personally responsible. Yet the bitterness against Roosevelt comes largely from the rich—from men who are richer now than when Roosevelt came into office.

In the autumn issue of the Southern Review, Herbert Agar quotes some of the Federalist invectives against Jefferson and expresses the opinion that it was "this implacable and half-witted hatred which drove the Federalist party into oblivion." When Jefferson tried to run the Government in the interest of the plain man, "the Federalists were so angry they lost their heads and in the end removed themselves from public life. One of the recurring miracles of history is the way at which rich men fly into the most inexpedient rages at the suggestion that society might benefit if they were slightly less rich."

Hatred against Roosevelt already has made Al Smith a sour old man, deserted by most of his former political following. Many Republicans and some of those who erroneously styled themselves Jeffersonian Democrats are working themselves into a similar pathological lather. If this bitterness grows, it may take more than the sugar-coated pills of Dr. Hearst to restore lost vigor to the G. O. P.—Dallas News

Judge Bean Tours State To Tell Exposition Story



DALLAS, TEXAS, August 8.—Judge Roy Bean, "Law West of the Pecos," goes on tour of Texas to talk the Centennial Exposition. He has forsaken his little cabin on the Exposition grounds, temporarily, for the open road. In civil life Judge Bean is Ross Hoyt of McAllen.

Beginning Monday, August 10, Judge Bean starts an itinerary that will carry him over the state. His first appearance will be at Denton. He will appear before civic and luncheon clubs with a message that will prove living costs in Dallas have not been increased and that the Centennial Exposition gives the biggest fifty cents worth to be had upon the North American continent.

Judge Bean's itinerary: Aug. 10, Denton, Gainesville and Whitesboro. Aug. 11, Sherman and Denison. Aug. 12, McKinney, Farmersville and Greenville. Aug. 13, Bonham, Honey Grove and Paris. Aug. 14, Paris, Clarksville, DeKalb and New Boston. Aug. 15 and 16, Texarkana. Aug. 17, Mt. Pleasant, Pittsburg, Daingerfield and Jefferson. Aug. 18, Marshall and Longview. Aug. 19, Gladewater, Kilgore and Henderson. Aug. 20, Tyler and Jacksonville. Aug. 21, Rusk, Nacogdoches and Lufkin. Aug. 22, San Augustine, Jasper, Woodville and Kountze. Aug. 23, Beaumont. Other dates will be announced later.

TERRACING PASTURE LANDS

Terracing pasture lands will not only conserve water, it will hold back the soil and the plant food stored in it that is so necessary to the growth of grass and other forage plants. Not only this, terracing will hold back the million tons of fertilizer that is dropped on the range and which is now being washed away to choke up the streams. Surely the rancher who owns his land should know enough to improve it and make it more valuable instead of letting it go to the bad.

While the range was virgin and no animals in herds grazed upon it, nature provided turf that kept it from eroding, but today, herds of stock are kept on it in such numbers to keep the grass cropped close and the surface of the ground trampled so that each rain carries away the soil and depletes the soil of its fertility. It is only a matter of time when something will have to be done, or the owner will be "land-poor" because they own poor land. Terracing is the only known answer to the problem.—Uncle Bill

The majority of the Republicans live in the States where they produce no cotton, little grain, wool, mohair, mutton, pork or beef. Therefore, most of these people are buyers of these products. On the other hand, most of these people are interested in transportation, the manufacture of cloth, iron, steel and machinery. It is perfectly natural for the buyers of wool, cotton, mohair, grain, beef and mutton to get it as cheap as they can. On the other hand, it is natural for the buyers of cloth and other manufactured products to buy as cheap as they can. Most of the former products are raised in the South. That is why the South is solid and Democratic. The Democrats would like to keep the price of cotton, wool, mohair and the other things up. On the other hand, the Republicans would like to see the price of these things return to those of the latter days of Hoover. Some people say they can't see any difference between the Democrats and the Republicans. But they can easily see the difference in the prices of the things the farmer and rancher had to sell in 1933 and 1936.

The Texas Townsendite still believes that \$200 a month could be paid to all persons over 65 years of age, yet, if he will look around him, he will find that Texas is crowded to the "nine holes" to raise as much as \$15 per month for the old timers in actual need. Their proposed 2 per cent tax sales are about as reasonable as the fabled Rat and Cat Ranch scheme. Their idea is that cats could eat rats and rats could eat the cats. These people could easily raise themselves by their bootstraps. The boy who tied a big gourd to each of his toes and thought he could swim by this means, found that his feet floated all right, but there was nothing to keep him up so he wouldn't drown. The Townsend scheme is a bully one if it would work. Townsend made money on his scheme—lots of it, but it was by hooking verdant suckers instead of a 2 per cent sales tax.

Thoughtful Thunderbucket says the reason why the palms of a colored man's hands and feet are white was caused from an oversight in creation. He says that while the Lord was painting the colored man black, He had him on his hands and feet and forgot to paint the bottoms of them.

THIS WEEK

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enemically; interesting probably not important. Until some professor can produce "some counterpart of life," able to think, manufacture telescopes, explore the universe and run for office, man's domination will not be threatened. A cigar store Indian is a "counterpart," but not an Indian.

European nations are preparing to recognize the Spanish rebels when they take Madrid and set up a national government.

The idea is to take prompt action and forestall the victorious insurgents' giving Spanish territory to Italy or Germany; the Balearic islands to Italy for instance, to use as naval and air bases, with Ceuta for Germany. This would upset the balance of power in the western Mediterranean and disturb old England, with Egypt and the Suez Canal on her mind.

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Walker Morgan Floral Shop guarantees satisfaction on all orders.
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Local Items

Rambouillet Rams for sale.
—Philip Thompson

For flowers, for all occasions, see
or phone Mrs. W. N. Reed.

For Sale: Baby buggy and play
pen, see or phone Mrs. Virgil F.
Bomar.

Phone Mrs. J. A. Revell for all
kinds of flowers, bulbs or pot plants
from Walker Morgan Floral Shop.

Oscar Findt and W. F. Kellis were
surveying land in the vicinity of
Stiles last Monday and Tuesday.

Ralph Carter who accompanied
T. J. Kellis to Arizona two or three
weeks ago, returned home a few
days ago. Ralph says he didn't like
mining so much.

Sam Roach of Coleman came up
last Tuesday to visit his two grand-
sons, Masters Billy Sam and Jim
Tom Kellis and incidentally be a
guest of his daughter and son-in-law
Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Findt and
children came in from Clairemont a
few days ago to visit relatives here.
Mr. Findt had been stationed at
Clairemont during the summer as a
trapper of predatory animals for
the U. S. Biological Survey.

The Baptist church is observing
this week as "State Mission Week."
Prayer meeting is held each evening.

This meeting is sponsored by the
W. M. S. Sunday school and Train-
ing Unions. The pastor will preach
on State Missions next Sunday.

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Dr. Ray Visits Here

Dr. Cyrus N. Ray, head of the
Archaeological Society at Abilene
was a visitor to Sterling City last
Sunday. He had read of the recent
finds of prehistoric bones in the
News-Record. He easily identified
the tooth found by Bade Brothers
last week as being that of an Im-
perial Elephant. Dr. Ray is said to
have one of the best and most in-
teresting collections to be found
anywhere in Texas. The Doctor
promised to come again soon and go
bonehunting with some of our local
bonehunting boys.

Miss Ernestine Stone Is Married

Miss Ernestine Stone, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stone of this
city, and Mr. M. M. Croft of Jack-
sonville, Texas, were married in
Alpine October 3, with the Rev. F. R.
Poage officiating. They will make
their home in Marfa.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Bro. Black, Superintendent
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
"Harvest Fields"
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
"A Whale of a Story"

She Wins!



Miss Mary Frances Woods of
San Benito smiles triumphantly as
she looks over the "spoils" from
the recent freshman presidential
election held at Texas State Col-
lege for Women (CIA). After a
vigorous campaign, approximately
1000 freshmen chose this diminutive
brunette to guide their class
activities.

Interest In Study Class

There is still quite a bit of inter-
est being manifested, as well as in-
crease in attendance in the class,
studying 'preface of Racial Under-
standing', the largest attendance be-
ing fifteen members. At this meet-
ing Mesdames Clyde Bowen and
Marvin Churchill served delicious
refreshments.

Monday the 19, the World Out-
look program was given. The sub-
ject was "Protestant Co-operative
Endearment of China, Mexico, Bra-
zil and Africa. Mrs. Marvin Chur-
chill was leader, assisted by Mes-
dames Stone, Walter Lipps, Roy
Foster and J. B. Atkinson.

Oil and Gas Bargains

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In The WEEK'S NEWS



BRILLIANT ILLUMINA-
TION—A view of the Los
Angeles City Hall, during
the huge illumination dis-
play and celebration which
marked the first transmis-
sion of Boulder Dam power
over 266 miles of wire to
that city.



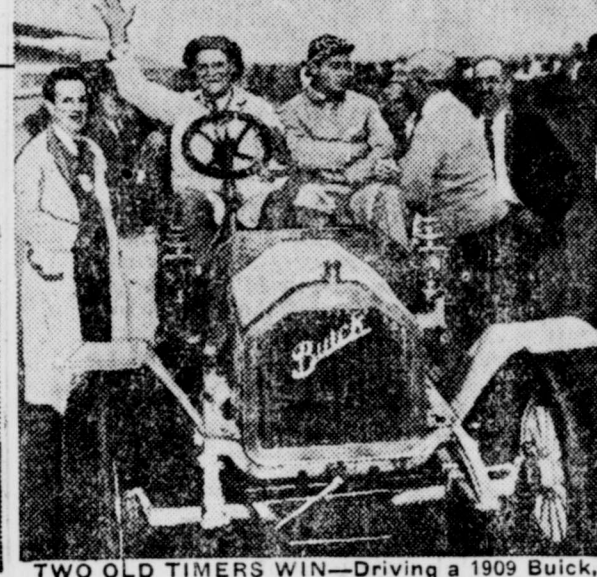
TAKEN FOR A RIDE—Three bobbies escort
a young lady to the patrol wagon during dis-
turbances caused when Anti-Fascists fought
police in London as the former attempted to
break up a demonstration of Sir Oswald
Mosley's British Union of Fascists.



ARTHUR C. BARTLETT, man-
aging editor of Country Home
Magazine, whose researches re-
vealed that a dog was the first
passenger to land on Plymouth
Rock from the Mayflower. He's
written a book about it for chil-
dren, "Pilgrim and Pluck."



MOST PERFECTLY
GROOMED—Ann Sothorn,
film actress, was awarded a
medallion recently when she
was chosen the most per-
fectly groomed Hollywood
star.



TWO OLD TIMERS WIN—Driving a 1909 Buick,
Louis Chevrolet, noted race driver, whirled to
victory in the Old Timers' Race at Roosevelt
Raceway, Long Island's spectacular new track.
With Chevrolet in the race rode Jack Krindler,
New York restaurant owner.



FOR YOUNG CO-ED—
Betty Grable displays a
fine example of a smart
afternoon frock for the
young co-ed. She wears
a black crepe satin dress
made with the new high
waistline and full skirt.
The sleeves are gath-
ered at the shoulders
and the bodice is gath-
ered into the neckline.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce
the following candidates, subject to
the action of the Democratic Pri-
maries of 1936.

For Representative of 91st. Legisla-
tive District:

Penrose B. Metcalfe

For Judge, 51st Judicial District

John F. Sutton

For District Attorney, 51st Judicial
District:

O. C. Fisher.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector-As-
sessor:

V. E. Davis.

For County Judge:

G. C. Murrell

For County and District Clerk:

Prebble Durham

For Commissioner, Precinct, No 1

R. T. Foster

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:

C. A. Bowen

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

W. G. Welch

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:

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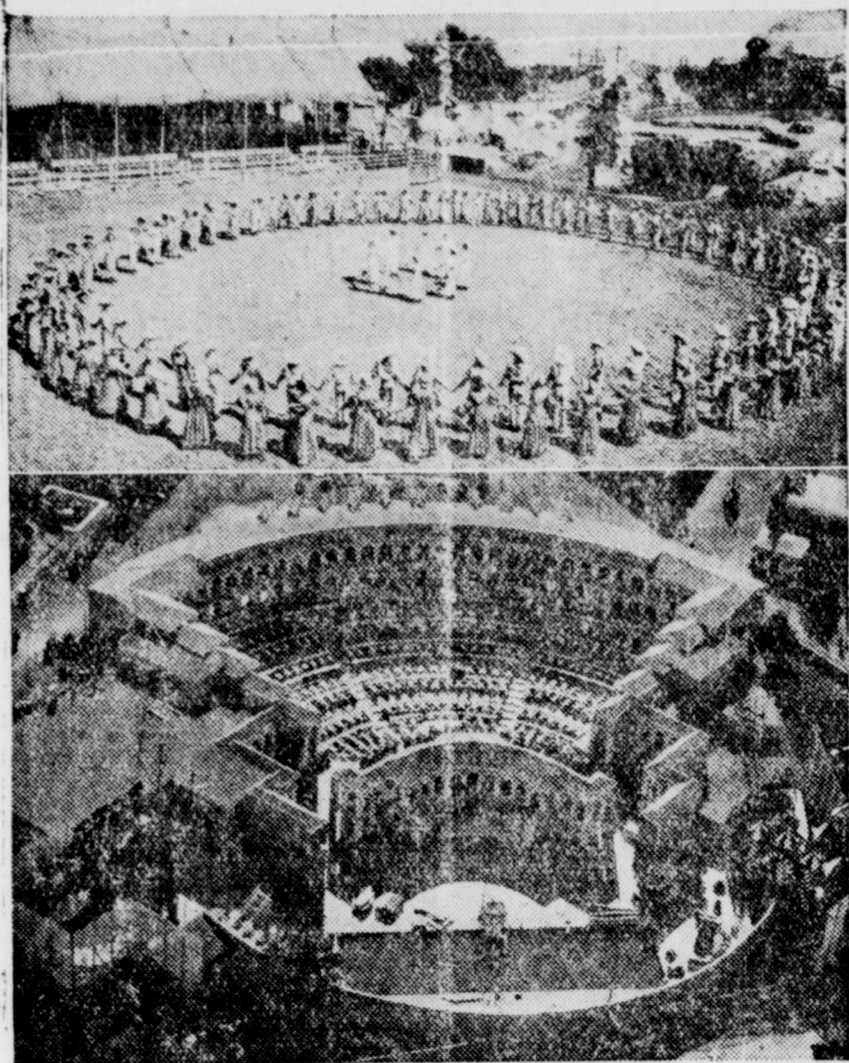
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Where Broadway Crosses the Sunset Trail



The saga of the last frontier of western progress blends curiously but effectively at the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial today with the new frontier of entertainment. "Sashay All", rousing musical climax from "The Last Frontier", is shown above, scores of Texans participating in modern conceptions of folk dancing of the period. And below is an air-view of "Casa Manana", most talked-of cafe-theater in the world, with its huge circular stage floating in water and revolving the cast before the eyes of 4,000 spectators. Close by these glittering attractions on the Frontier Centennial grounds are "Pioneer Palace" and its Honky Tonk revue, and "Jumbo"—"Bigger than a Show, Better than a Circus."

Home Economics I Serves Breakfast

The Home Economics class I gave a breakfast Tuesday, October 6, with Miss Faries and Mrs. Heffley as guests. Ellis Fisher was hostess and Gerry Lee was host with Sue Knight as waitress.

The following menu was served:
Pineapple Juice
Brookfield Sausage
Scrambled Eggs Toast
Jelly Cream Sugar
Cocoa

The breakfast was carried out very nicely and the food was good, with the exception of the toast and it could have been better.

The freshmen home economics class entertained with a breakfast Wednesday, October 7, with Mr. Barr and Mr. Carter as guests. Marjorie Hudson Rosemary Durham were host and hostess, and Joy Ligon as waitress.

The following menu was served:
Tomato Juice
Brookfield Sausage Scrambled Eggs
Toast Jelly
Coffee Cream Sugar
The meal was very good and every thing turned out excellent.

Future Home Makers Meet

Wednesday afternoon, October 7, the "Future Home Making of America" met for the second time this year.

The club voted for each member to pay 25c for dues each semester to finance the club. The constitution of the club was also read and discussion adopted by the members.

The meeting days were set for every first and third Wednesday of each month. The club colors are green and white and the motto in latin is "Boni dome boni cives faciunt" meaning "Better Homes Make Better Citizens."

The new members of the club were initiated with a brief initiation program. New members that were initiated were Marjorie Hudson, Sue Knight, Ellie Mae Fisher, and Rosemary Durham.

All members and officers of the club were present.

The next meeting will be held October 21.—Violet Onstott

"Walking Catfish"

Harry Tweedle, a few days ago brought in from a water tank at Garden City a yellow spotted Water Dog and two strange creatures which he called "Walking Catfish."

These creatures are about eight inches long. Their skin resembles that of a catfish. Their heads are very much like those of a "polly-wog" catfish, except they have no horns that are found on the catfish. They have perfectly formed gills, and on the flaps of each gill are three "feelers" resembling those to be seen on the upper lip of the ordinary catfish, only these feelers are blunt and thicker than those of a catfish.

These fish or reptiles, have four legs with feet resembling those of a frog on which they walk when they are out of the water. They have no true fins, but their somewhat flattened tails like those of an eel, serve as a means of propulsion in the water.

These strange animals were taken out of a concrete water tank where Mr. Tweedle found them swimming around in a puddle of water on the outside. He says these fish live in lakes and water tanks on the plains country in the vicinity of Garden City. He says that when the water dries up where they live, they take to the dry land and walk to the next pool of water. Some of the people call them "walking catfish."

In water tanks and lakes in this vicinity are found a number of different types of the Water Dog or Salamander, the Mexicans call them Aqualotas, pronounced "Qualotas," but all these types differ from the Walking Catfish because they have neither gills nor legs.

The books says that the Salamander, or Water Dog have gills when they are very young, but in the adult stage the gills disappear and they take the form of a lizard.

I read in one book that if the tail, or eye of a Salamander is destroyed, it will soon produce another one. In

old times, people believed that fire would not hurt a Salamander, but of course that is a fable.

The ways of nature are truly strange. Water, air, sunshine and earth is the mother of all animal and plant life. The myriads of forms of animal and plant life which spring from these elements are wonderful. A plant or animal born of these elements exists in one form until one of these elements fails then it either dies, or adopt itself to its environments. In this adoption, it changes its form to fit its surroundings. It might be that environments caused a catfish to grow legs in order to reach another waterhole when the one in which he lived dried up. On the other hand, a Salamander may have found from the abundance of the water in which he lived, that it was necessary to have gills in order to live in the water all the time like a fish.

I am still convinced that the laws of Nature are the laws of God. That he who knows most of the laws of

Nature, knows most of the laws of God.—Uncle Bill

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MANY a tenderfoot has protected the camp from a high-behind, but not one of them has seen this fabulous beast.

The high-behind, as all Westerners know, is equipped with a stiff tail, the end of which was fashioned like a posthole digger.

The chief delight of the high-behind was to turn on its back, balance on the tail and spin madly in circles. The rotary action of this, bored a hole in the ground into which the high-behind disappeared.

Night duties of a tenderfoot frequently included replenishment of condensed milk cans around the camp. This was the favorite food of the high-behind. The beast opened the cans with his metal tail and after three drinks was lulled into such abiding peace that the camp was safe for the night from his attacks.

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