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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—With a strangely mixed record of good and bad legislation, the 45th legislature's regular session was brought to a final end in the wee hours of Sunday morning, with its clocks turned back, as members prepared to pay a flying visit home and return to resume their efforts at the first called session scheduled by Gov. Allred for Thursday of this week.

The governor specified nothing but repeal of pari-mutuel betting on horse races in his call, but pointed out omission of the usual reservation of his right to submit other matters did not preclude his doing that thing, provided progress on the race repeal measure justified submission of other matters. Bryan Bradbury of Abilene, author of the repeal bill in the house, planned to hold one-day hearings Friday and report the bill to the house floor immediately. Prompt passage by the house by a large vote was foreseen. What the senate will do remained doubtful. Frank Rawlings, shrewd senator from Tarrant county, who single-handedly blocked action through the special session of the senate, was expected to resume the battle to prevent a senate vote.

APPROPRIATIONS UP

Appropriation bills, rushed thru conference committees in the dying hours of the session, further complicated the state's woful financial condition. Budget appropriations for the biennium were hiked approximately \$10,000,000 total, as forecast in this column last week. John Redditt, chairman of the senate finance committee, constant comforter of the special interest's lobby, which fears taxation, however, promptly came to bat with an optimistic statement that he believed only \$5,000,000 to \$7,500,000 additional revenue would be necessary despite the current 10 million-dollar deficit and the upped appropriations.

Veto on Dental Bill?

Final passage of the silly measure which would prohibit dentists from advertising in newspapers with signs or otherwise, drew predictions that Gov. Allred would veto it on constitutional grounds. Newspaper publishers and others who have opposed it on the ground that it involves a principle questioned its validity and urged the governor to strike it down. They declared the legislature might decide next to forbid grocery stores, filling stations or restaurants to advertise their wares.

B. T. U. TO MEET AT PAYNE

Snyder, May 24.—"Stopping the summer slump" will be the theme of the quarterly session of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Training Union Association at Payne's Chapel church Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, announces J. C. Smyth, president.

The inspirational address will be brought by Rev. C. J. Childers, pastor of the Westbrook Baptist church. A member of the Loraine senior union will speak on "The Summer Slump." Rev. Hiram Duffer Jr. will conduct the devotional, and the Payne quartet will bring the leading special musical number. Snyder primaries, under direction of Adell Watkins, will present a program.

Rev. H. B. Naylor of the host church says preparations are being made by his congregation for a large crowd of visitors. The associational meeting has never before been held at Payne, which is in the corner of the association.

Several churches are expected to compete for the two banners awarded by the association quarterly—for efficiency and for attendance at the Sunday afternoon meeting. Payne won the attendance banner three months ago. Colorado the efficiency banner.

School Term Closing This Week

The 1936-37 term of the Loraine High School is closing a very successful year work this week. The final chapter of the school year will be written Friday night when the graduating exercises for the senior class are held in the auditorium. Seventh grade exercises are to be held Thursday night. The Baccalaureate sermon was delivered Sunday morning by the Reverend J. J. Strickland, Missionary for the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association.

The senior class is to present the entire program in their final exercises Friday night. Rev. P. D. O'Brien is to deliver the address to the seventh grade following their program Thursday night.

LORAIN, TEXAS TO COAHOMA SUNDAY

The Loraine baseball team lost its second game of the season Sunday to Coahoma 6 to 3 on the local diamond.

With a few more weeks practice the local team will be able to meet stiff competition. Just at this time it is short of good pitchers but that detail is to be worked out as rapidly as possible. The team is made up mostly of youngsters who are playing on a team for their first time.

DISTRICT COURT TO CONVENE NEXT WEEK

District court for Mitchell Co. will convene next Monday morning for the regular spring term. Grand jurors have been summoned and will begin work soon after court convenes Monday.

District clerk J. H. Ballard says the docket will be light this term with very few criminal cases on the docket. One case to be tried is the State of Texas vs. C. M. Hargrove, charged with violating the Social Security Act.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriage License Issued

A. A. Phillips, Colorado, and Mrs. Jewell Rowland, Paris; Edd Petriek, Colorado, and Miss Maxine Conaway, Colorado; Pablo Mesa, Colorado, and Miss Trinda Tercero, Colorado.

New Cars Registered

Rev. W. M. Elliott, Colorado, Buick Sedan; Happy Belting Co., Colorado, Chevrolet Sedan; E. M. Grindstaff, Colorado, Dodge Truck; E. L. Mayberry, Roby, Ford Pickup; M. M. Hines, Fordson, Chevrolet Coupe; T. K. Hardy, Colorado, Buick Sedan; C. T. King, Big Spring, Chevrolet Sedan; Truett Barber, Colorado, Oldsmobile Sedan.

Transfers in Real Estate

Lela A. Williams et vir to James W. Joyce, W 1/2 Lots 4, 5, 6, in Block 165, Colorado, \$10; Humble Oil and Refining Co., to J. D. Wood, Lots 16, 17, 18, Block 44, Colorado, \$900; S. N. Gentry to Assembly of God Church, Lot 6, Block 8, Colorado, \$10; Jas. T. Johnson et ux to O. B. Price, S 1/2 of W 1/2 Sec. 30, Block 26, T and P Ry. Co. surveys, \$10; O. V. Pylant et ux to Jno. A. Thompson, Lots 3, 4, 5, Block 137, Colorado, \$500.

DIVIDE COMING SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The strong Divide baseball team will be here Sunday afternoon to engage the local team in a game at the park. Divide has a team entered in the community league at Merkel and is said to have a good one. Anyway the game will be well worth seeing. The local team will go to Big Spring Saturday afternoon.

C of C Sponsoring New Road Project

The directors for the Loraine Chamber of Commerce decided in a meeting Monday afternoon to sponsor a project which calls for a better road into the Valley View community from Loraine.

A project is to be applied for on the strip of road two miles west and one mile north from the Sherrell corner. The road is to be widened to 60 feet if land owners will give the land a good roadbed graded up. Commissioner Frank Crownover promises that at least one mile will be calched. The other part will be calched when possible. The mile to be treated with a caliche top is along the B. D. Lefevre place.

FIFTH SUNDAY SINGING AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The regular fifth Sunday singing will be held at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30. Everyone is invited to attend.

FORMER LORAIN, TEXAS GIRL GRADUATES FROM COLLEGE

Miss Vesta Shultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shultz, formerly of this city, was graduated from Jacksonville College, May 21. Miss Shultz was a member of the 1934 Loraine High School graduating class. She has returned to Alvarado, Texas, the home of her parents.

W. M. S.

The Methodist W. M. S. met at the church in local circle meeting Monday with Mrs. W. W. Rowland in charge. The meeting was opened by singing "Let the Beauty of Jesus be Seen in Me". Prayer was offered by Mrs. Harold Martin.

The following World Outlook program was rendered: Work in the South—Mrs. Wilson; Louisville in the 1937 Flood—Mrs. Meadows; Impression of Council Meetings—Mrs. Rowland; China Methodist Women—Miss Isla Bruce.

Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock Mrs. Bickley of Big Spring will be here to speak to the ladies. We plan a nice program and are expecting a good crowd.

The hostess served delicious refreshments of lemonade and cookies to 11 members and 4 children.

NEW CHARTERS GRANTED IN TEXAS

Austin, Texas, May 24.—New charters granted during April totaled 141 against 143 the preceding month and 140 April last year, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research has reported. Capitalization totaled \$2,294,000, increases of 12.2 and 69.3 per cent over the preceding month and the corresponding month last year respectively.

"There were substantial increases in the number of charters granted the manufacturing and oil groups compared with last year and sharp declines in the number granted to public service, real estate, building, and transportation groups," the Bureau's report said.

CAR REGISTRATIONS LOWER THAN YEAR AGO

Austin, Texas, May 24.—Reports from thirteen representative Texas counties show automobile registrations during April totaled 5,848, 25.1 per cent below those of March and .2 per cent under those of April last year, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Aggregate registrations in these counties during the first four months of the year were 23,699 cars, an increase of 1.5 per cent over the corresponding period last year.

Cars in the lowest price bracket were the only ones to make an unfavorable showing in comparison with last year although all groups showed a decline from March.

Berry Crop Begins Moving

"UM! UM!" Who said dewberries won't grow in West Texas?

Be convinced. Go out to Larkin E. Crutcher's place on the western line of Loraine and see for yourself.

The subnormal 1937 crop will yield about 2,000 gallons—all luscious, succulent berries. Crutcher estimates normal crop at 4,000 gallons. But the excellent slow rain Monday night and Tuesday morning is expected to bring the 2,000 gallons a great deal higher because the berries coming on will develop in size.

Sitting on his front porch Crutcher pours out the berries into waterbuckets and other receptacles brought by consumers. For each gallon he receives 35 cents—and he gives full measure, heaped up and running over, as the newspaper reporter observed Monday.

At 35 cents a gallon the 2,000 gallon crop should bring in an increment of \$700. A normal year's dividend would be \$1400. "I have never been able to supply even half the demand," No. What's the use? People want the berries so bad that they come with their buckets.

Crutcher said he was led to berry growing about five years ago when he observed some local gardeners selling surplus yields consumers. He decided to undertake their culture on a small commercial way.

"And did you know," he said, "I have never failed to make a crop. In a little more than a year after the plants are set out they begin producing. And a dewberry plant is good for about twenty years as a producer."

"If it had not been for my dewberries my two sons—Leon and William—would not have been able to attend Texas Tech College."

Crutcher plans augmenting his patch of nine acres with five additional acres next year.

He thinks that farmers of this area are neglecting a source of steady spring income.

"The scarcity of fruit in West Texas increases the demand for berries," Crutcher said. "People come from all over this country for them. Even letters from a distance come asking for shipments which I cannot fill."

Loraine people might well undertake the cultivation of dewberries for their own home larder and for sale.

Newspapermen were invited by Mr. Crutcher last Saturday to take the first of the picking. Mitchell County News editor and a correspondent for state papers picked several gallons and were they delicious!—"Um! Um!"

GLEANERS CLASS

The Gleaners class of the Methodist Sunday School is sponsoring a Loraine night to Rev. Haley's meeting at Colorado. All persons interested in going report at the First Christian Church in Colorado at eight o'clock next Tuesday night.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Elder Joe Leece of Teague, Texas, will conduct a fifth Sunday meeting at the Primitive Baptist Church in East Colorado Saturday at 11 A. M. and Sunday at 11 A. M. Everyone is invited to attend.

W. P. A. SEWING ROOM MAKES A REPORT

In the months of April and May there have been 912 garments delivered from Loraine Sewing Room to the Mitchell County store room in Sweetwater. Salaries to employees, including supervision on the project, have been paid, amounting to \$1,007.34, most all of which has been spent with local merchants. Mrs. Nettie G. Britton is Supervisor, and Mrs. Sloan Zellner is superintendent.

College Graduate



Ruth Johnson

RUTH JOHNSON GETS DEGREE FROM DENTON

(Special to The News)

Denton.—Miss Letty Ruth Johnson of Loraine will receive her bachelor of science degree from North Texas State Teachers College at the 47th annual commencement exercises, Wednesday evening, May 26.

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of 211, eight of whom are taking master's degrees, were held Sunday morning May 23, in the college auditorium with Rev. W. R. Hall, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Corsicana, acting as guest speaker.

Miss Johnson has been interested in extra-curricular work while a student at the Denton college. She is at present a member of the Current Literature Club.

WEEKLY HEALTH LETTER

Austin, Texas, May 24.—"One of the striking examples of overworking a good thing is the enthusiasm displayed by thousands of persons in trying to secure a sun tan too quickly. Under a misguided conception of the sun's health giving power, such persons deliberately or thoughtlessly submit their unprotected faces, backs and legs to over-exposure and suffer painfully, sometimes seriously, as a consequence," comments Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"The discomfort and annoyance of even mild sunburn should deter people from repeating this folly from year to year. However, especially where younger persons are concerned, the enthusiasm for fun and the desire to become speedily tanned are likely to exact the inevitable price with painful regularity."

"It is one thing to apply the principles of sun treatment scientifically and quite another one to place the tender skin unreservedly under the direct rays of the sun. It should be understood that when the sun is employed as treatment patients are exposed for but a few minutes at a time, the periods being gradually extended as the tanning develops."

"The uninformed and the thoughtless, on the other hand, give the sun free rein, submit themselves frequently to hours of continuous exposure and naturally reap misery and illness as a direct consequence."

"Before becoming too ardent over sunbathing, one would do well to ponder that many a vacation or weekend excursion has been ruined solely because the blistering and illness-producing power of the sun's rays upon the tender skin was insufficiently appreciated."

Mrs. C. H. Thomas, secretary of the Cemetery Association, reports \$2 collected from J. C. Lee on April 23.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tartt returned home Monday after a weeks visit with his brother, Wayne Tartt, at Abilene. They also visited another brother, Walter Tartt, at Hobart, Oklahoma, Sunday.

Typewriter second sheets, good for school children to use in practice. 500 sheets 50 cents. The Mitchell County News.

Good Rains Cover Territory

A very timely rain fell throughout this territory Monday night. The rain started to fall early in the night and continued most of the night, amounting to an inch and a half here in town. Other parts of the territory report heavier rains.

This rain came just at the right time. Most farmers already had all their cotton and feed up to a good stand and some had plowed over their crops. There is ample moisture in the ground now to carry the crops for quite a while and they will grow in a hurry with the splendid moisture and warm weather.

No hail or wind damage was reported anywhere in this section.

SENIOR GIRLS ENJOY SLUMBER PARTY

The girls of the senior class met at the home of Mrs. Ed Williams Tuesday night for a slumber party with all present except Marie Sipes, Mary Merket and Dorothy Chammess.

The first thing on the program was a six o'clock picnic lunch at the Colorado park which was enjoyed by all. After the lunch they attended the show at Colorado and then returned to Mrs. Williams' home for the rest of the night. They enjoyed such amusements as a lively bunch of senior girls would enjoy for their last party in high school. All returned home Wednesday morning with sleepy eyes and sorry the three absent members were not present to enjoy the fun.

GRANDSON OF J. A. CROSBY BADLY HURT

A. D. Ash, 7, of Gorman was seriously injured in a car accident near Gorman Saturday night when the car in which he was riding with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ash, was run into by another car. Al D. Suffered a crushed skull and is in a serious condition. No one else was hurt in the accident. The car was hit by a driver who is said to have been drunk.

J. A. Crosby and Allen Beaty went to Gorman Sunday to his bedside. Word from the little fellow Wednesday stated that he is still in a serious condition.

PROGRAM FOR FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT SWEETWATER CHURCH

Following is the program to be rendered at the East Side Missionary Baptist Church in Sweetwater Friday, Saturday, and Sunday of this week.

8:00 P. M. Friday: Was the Church or Kingdom of Christ Set up by Christ during His Personal Ministry on Earth, and is it the Missionary Baptist Church?—Led by Elder H. C. Goodman of Big Spring.

10:00 A. M. Saturday: Does Paul Mean to teach in Romans 11:25-27 all Jews (National Israel) will be saved when Christ comes for His Saints?—Led by Elder Roy Kemp, Abilene.

8:00 P. M. Saturday: Did God Elect or Choose Persons to Salvation before the foundation of the World or in time?—Led by Elder J. L. Davis, Ft. Worth.

10:00 A. M. Sunday: What is the Gospel of Christ, and is the Everlasting Gospel preached today?—Led by Elder R. L. Ripptoe, Loraine.

2:00 P. M. Sunday: Do the Scriptures teach that Baptism in water is for (in order to) the Remission of Sins?—Led by Elder Charlie Mathis, Roscoe.

8:00 P. M. Sunday: Sermon by Elder J. L. Davis, Ft. Worth.

Question box open at all times. Revival meeting to begin on Monday night following the 5th Sunday meeting. Everybody is invited to attend.

The senior boys, accompanied by Mr. Pratt Mr. Williams, and Mr. Marshall, enjoyed an all night fishing trip on the Colorado River Monday night. The night was somewhat dampened by rain but the boys all enjoyed the trip.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Van Devanter Quits Supreme Court and Robinsont May Get Place—Cardinal Mundelein Enrages the Nazis—Windsor Marriage June 3.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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ASSOCIATE JUSTICE WILLIS VAN DEVANTER notified President Roosevelt that he would retire from the Supreme court bench immediately after the summer adjournment of the court on June 1, and there were rumors in Washington that his example would be followed by Chief Justice Hughes and associate Justices Sutherland and Brandeis when the contest over the President's court enlargement program is settled.



Senator Robinson

Speculation as to Justice Van Devanter's successor began at once and it was generally agreed that Joseph Robinson, Democratic leader of the senate, had the best chance for the appointment. It was believed he had been promised the place at the first opportunity some time ago, and his many friends in both parties were quick to extend their best wishes. Of course there was talk of his ineligibility because of the recently enacted statute permitting Supreme court justices to retire on full pay for life. The Constitution provides that "no senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States which shall have been created or the emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time." But several authorities declared this would not apply in the present case. Some observers believed that Robinson was so useful to the administration in the senate that Mr. Roosevelt would seek to be relieved of his alleged promise to give him the appointment.

Senator Lewis of Illinois predicted that by mid-summer Justices McReynolds, Sutherland, Cardozo and Brandeis would resign.

BY THE expected vote of 10 to 8 the senate judiciary committee rejected the President's Supreme court bill. The line-up of committee members had been certain for many days. Supporters of the measure then turned to compromise, some of them backing the proposal of Senator Logan of Kentucky permitting the appointment of "temporary" justices at the rate of one a year for every sitting member over seventy-five. The opponents of the bill, however, rejected this and all other compromises, which was the only consistent course they could pursue. So the bill was reported adversely to the senate, and the battle will continue in that body.

It appeared that neither this setback nor the retirement of Justice Van Devanter had changed the determination of the President to insist upon the passage of his bill as originally submitted. Senator Wheeler said Mr. Roosevelt should now withdraw the measure. Senator Ashurst declared "everything that has happened since the bill was introduced has helped it" and predicted it certainly would be passed. Senator Borah asserted: "The Van Devanter retirement will have no effect on the court bill. The lines have already been drawn and will not change."

CARDINAL MUNDELEIN of Chicago, dressing five hundred priests of the archdiocese, hotly attacked the German government, its highest leaders, and its propaganda methods which he said were directed against the Roman Catholic church and designed to "take the children away from us." He called Reichsfuehrer Hitler "an Austrian paper-hanger and a poor one at that," and charged the reich with breaking the concordat with the Holy See.

He opened the speech by recalling that after the World War the German government complained of "atrocious propaganda" aimed at German troops by the allied nations. He continued:

"Now, the present German government is making use of this same kind of propaganda against the Catholic church."

"Through its crooked minister of propaganda it is giving out stories of wholesale immorality in religious institutions, in comparison to which the wartime propaganda is almost like bedtime stories for children."

"It will be not only unwise, but cowardly as well, if we take the thing lying down and do not fight back every time the subject is brought up outside."

The vials of Nazi wrath were immediately opened and its press called on the pope to rebuke the cardinal publicly. Dr. Angriff, personal organ of Dr. Paul Joseph Goebbels, Nazi minister of propa-

ganda, charged the cardinal "spoke in a tone heretofore reserved for the lowest brand of agitators."

The official news agency of the government alleged that "Mundelein defended the crimes of Catholic priests and laymen" on trial in German courts and called on Catholic bishops in Germany to make a reply.

In Vatican City prominent churchmen said Cardinal Mundelein had every right to speak his mind and that the Vatican would not concern itself with the speech, either to defend or to repudiate it. The cardinal's attack seemed to meet with general approval of Catholics, Protestants and Jews in the United States.

Under instructions from Berlin, the counselor of the German embassy in Washington lodged with the United States government an informal protest against Cardinal Mundelein's speech.

HITLER returned to Berlin from his summer house in Bavaria and heard from industrialists gathered in extraordinary meeting that many of them would be unable to continue production satisfactorily because of the shortage of raw materials and skilled labor and the general financial situation. The bad conditions affect especially factories working with rubber, metals and foreign textiles.

WALLIS WARFIELD will become the duchess of Windsor when she is married to Edward, the duke, on June 3 at the Chateau de Candé, near Monts, France. But whether she will be "her royal highness" is at this writing still a disputed question. Edward, through his American friend Herman L. Rogers, has virtually told the world that she will, the New Yorker saying to correspondents: "I think she automatically would be called that." It was taken for granted that Mr. Rogers would not have said that without the approval of the duke.

This widens the breach between Edward on one side and the British cabinet and Anglican churchmen on the other. The duke's friends assert that Prime Minister Baldwin and his associates have broken a pre-abdication promise concerning the marriage, and they and the duke are angry because, at the behest of the government, no member of the royal family will be present at the ceremony. The announcement of the marriage, issued from the Chateau de Candé, said there would be only a few guests in addition to the witnesses and the servants.

Though the entire controversy seems rather foolish, it appears to mean a lot to the British and it is interesting reading.

NEW YORK asked and obtained from congress an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for its world's fair, with the provision that the money was to be spent by the fair commission. But President Roosevelt vetoed the measure; and in his message he rebuked congress for "an unconstitutional invasion of the province of the executive" in setting up a commission to direct the expenditure.

When the message was read in the house the Republicans roared with laughter and the Democrats, or some of them, raged. Sam McReynolds of Tennessee and John J. O'Connor of New York especially voiced their resentment, and open threats were made to cut down the relief appropriation demanded by Mr. Roosevelt.

The house killed a \$1,250,000 appropriation for a naval air base on the Columbia river in Oregon; and the appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the construction of a national highway through the Blue Ridge mountains in Virginia and North Carolina was attacked. But the latter was saved when Chairman Doughton of the ways and means committee said: "I have it on the highest authority that the President favors it." Incidentally, the highway will run near a large farm Mr. Doughton owns in North Carolina.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT sent to the senate a number of State department appointments. Assistant Secretary of State Sumner Welles was nominated for the post of undersecretary of state. Assistant Secretary R. Walton Moore, who died with Welles for the post of undersecretary, was nominated for the newly created office of counselor of the Department of State.

John Cudahy, former ambassador to Poland, was nominated as minister to the Irish Free State; Alvin Mansfield Owsley of Texas as minister to Norway; and Edwin L. Neville of Ohio as minister to Siam.

SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL

By Carter Field

FAMOUS WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT



Washington.—Lightening of the war clouds over Europe—when viewed from any point within the United States—is one of the most interesting developments for months. Incidentally it fits in with the old tradition that wars are started only when the harvest is in—when nations have something to eat during the war.

The real truth about the present situation was pointed out in these dispatches last fall as the consensus among Washington's diplomats—perhaps as well informed a group of people as exists in the world. Nearly every nation sends her shrewdest and longest-eared diplomats to Washington, and there are so many spheres of influence that there is plenty of opportunity for swapping information.

The fact is that no one of the big European nations that come under the spark and tinder-box category is really ready for war. All are convinced that war is coming, but all are anxious to avoid it until they are all set for it. So that with nobody wanting to start a war now the sparks may fly as they like; they fall on wet powder.

Mussolini has been sounding off again, but the diplomats point out that he does this at frequent intervals. Just ten years ago, in the spring of 1927, he made a terrific speech—much more sabre-rattling in tone than his recent one. He talked then of 1935, strangely enough, saying that by 1935 Italy must have so many airplanes that they would hide the sun, that then Italy's voice must be heard, and much more along the same line.

Almost on that schedule he attacked Ethiopia, defied the League of Nations—a fairly safe practice—and pulled the long-suffering British lion's tail.

Some Friction

Recently, however, some friction has developed between Germany and Italy. Which confirms another theory set forth in these dispatches last fall, and originating in the diplomatic corps here. This was that there was no certainty of allies for the time being; that the crystallizing process of uniting groups of nations for the inevitable conflict had not been completed.

The fact remains that while there is the general idea that Japan and Germany would fight the Soviet republic and possibly France, there is grave doubt as to which of the two camps would attract certain other nations.

Diplomats here privately point out that Britain seems to have revamped part of her war policy, striving for a huge air force and navy in her new armament program, but obviously not planning for a great expeditionary force to be dispatched to the continent of Europe in the event of a war, as she did in 1914.

They point out in the same connection that France is concentrating her army, and not attempting to build that sort of navy she was thinking about just a few years back. She is planning two additional airplane carriers of considerable size, and building a strong submarine force, but she is not going strong on battleships.

The French viewpoint is that they are not concerned one iota with the strength of either the British or the United States navy! There is no possibility, as the French view it, of their ever being in conflict with either one within the possible useful life of any ship that might be constructed now.

In the Doldrums

Cessation of White House news during the President's fishing trip in the Gulf of Mexico brought out sharply the doldrums into which Washington has dropped in the last month, after what amounted to a Pandora's box of sensations earlier in the session.

There are very obvious reasons for it. In the first place there has been a series of really important news developments in other places—the coronation, the Spanish fiasco, the irritation of Mussolini over the world's discovering that the troops he sent to Spain were not as invincible as the Italians had come to believe, the Hindenburg disaster, etc.

But these merely shoved already frayed or disintegrated subjects to the inside pages. Let's look at them for a moment:

Supreme court enlargement: Suffering from too much wordage. Every conceivable argument on either side has been advanced not once but ten to a hundred times. Moreover, its fate is still in suspense, with very little new development, no sensational flops from one side to the other, the doubtful senators still on the fence, and best opinion as to the probable outcome not having changed for nearly a month. Obviously not a likely candidate for front page of any one's newspaper.

New taxes: Everybody knows there must be some, sooner or later. Everybody knows roughly that taxes on the wealthy and corporations alone will not produce suffi-

cient revenue. The only question is when they will be imposed.

Cutting the Costs

Economy—cutting government expenditures: Tremendously important, but not frightfully interesting to the average reader. Moreover, it is difficult for the proverbial milkman in Omaha to get worked up over whether economy is achieved by a horizontal cut of ten per cent in all appropriations, or fifteen per cent in such appropriations as the President, in his discretion, may consider proper. A really self-governing people, in the school-book sense of the words, would get all hot and bothered about this, but there is no indication of much interest.

Neutrality: Promised just a few months ago to be a real issue. But at that time there was genuine fear throughout the country that there would be a big European war very shortly, in which the United States might easily become involved. For reasons difficult to explain, and having very little to do with the truth, this fear, which was so high but a short time back, has subsided. Consequently there was almost a total lack of interest when the neutrality bill finally was passed.

Government reorganization: This never did excite the public half as much—not a tenth as much—as it did the senators and representatives. The lawmakers have selfish interests, friends in bureaus which might be reduced, transferred or abolished. But the mechanic in Detroit, the steel worker in Gary, and the farmer in Iowa care nothing about it whatever.

Economy Road

The economy road is not so easy for the federal government as the average business and professional man seems to think. In fact it is just about as difficult a thing as one can imagine.

Consider the mental processes of a senator or member of the house, for example, when he tries to decide whether he will follow the wishes of the President, and vote for a discretionary cut of fifteen per cent in all appropriations, or whether he will follow some of the house and senate leaders, and vote for a horizontal ten per cent cut.

The discretionary cut means simply that congress would arbitrarily reduce every appropriation by one-tenth, leaving the President no discretion at all.

In approaching a decision as to which way to vote the congressman knows that both solutions are bad—unbelievably bad. In fact, probably the only thing that could be worse would be not to economize at all!

The congressman right here lives. He knows if he votes for that and should later on want a little mercy shown some particular project affecting his own district or state, he will have to go on his hands and knees to the White House for it. Or worse still—he might have to go to some arbitrary and not even politically minded bureaucrat for his favor—say Harold L. Ickes or Harry L. Hopkins! And before he got what he wanted—he can be sure as he now looks at the picture—he would have to promise to vote for whatever the White House or that particular bureaucrat might want at the time.

Finds Reasons

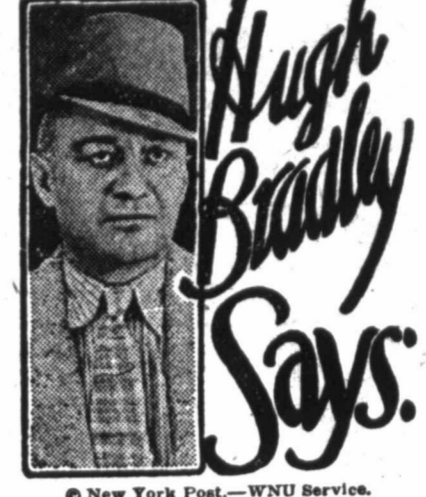
But when he examines the ten per cent horizontal cut, he finds there are plenty of reasons why he should oppose that. On its face it is unscientific. It is clumsy. It is inflexible. Its surgical cure not only impairs but destroys efficiency in the most unexpected places. Judging by the results, it is like taking a sixteen-inch naval gun to kill a mosquito.

Yet to attempt to discriminate—to have congress perform its logical function of deciding just how much shall be spent by each bureau of the government—is impracticable in the face of the certainty of log rolling. You vote for my appropriation and I will vote for yours. Which always winds up with the total appropriations bigger than ever.

Then there are the personal angles. A senator may believe that economy-inspired cuts should be imposed in bureaus A and B and C. He may be enthusiastic about more spending in X and Y and Z. But it suddenly appears that he has a host of political lieutenants who are employed in bureaus A and B and C. Some of them would lose their jobs if he votes with a majority to cut the allotments of these bureaus. So his logical course would be to vote for larger appropriations for all six bureaus.

Privately, most senators and representatives admit that the only way for the federal government to economize is to permit Presidential discretion.

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War Admiral, Jock Worked Out Perfect Getaway at Barrier

JUST a note to one of the old folks at home:

Dear Red—Pop Kurtsinger's wild thumping heart burst six buttons off his vest when his boy Charley came galloping down to the wire atop the winner. The beauty and chivalry of Kaintucky were so elated that they only jacked up prices 500 per cent for the firemen who missed the first train out, but—

Well, Red, that's why an admiring friend who hasn't seen you for a long while is writing this letter. It was a swell Derby, that one so easily won by War Admiral, but there was something missing. That was you, Pop. All the while that little brown colt—really he's little only as compared to such big red giants as yourself—was shaking those four feet to make every post a winning woman in the shoe and a quarter. What I was saying was, "Gee, but I wish his old man could see him now."

Lots of other folks were saying the same thing, too, Red. You needn't think because you're stuck off in a green pasture a couple of counties away that honest-to-goodness people have forgotten you. Ever since the race was run I've heard hundreds of them saying the same thing. "My, my," they've been saying, "he looked just like Man o' War, didn't he?"



Man o' War

War, didn't he?" Actually they're a little wrong on that, though, Red, if they're speaking of mere outward appearances while the kid's standing in his stall. Maybe—because of what I hear about the way you've been spending your last fifteen years you're sort of like the old woman in the shoe and get mixed up about the younger ones now and then—I'd better set you right about him.

War Admiral, this kid of yours, has a nice easy stride, pretty close knit conformation and may be a trifle light in back. Carries his head like you but otherwise he takes after his mammy's family in looks. His mammy, you may have to be reminded, was a little mare named Brushup and her daddy was Sweep.

Once out on the track, though, you can't miss him as a Man o' War. Walks up to the barrier just like you did, kind of proud and disdainful and wondering at the nerve of those other gee gees even thinking they could run along with him for money, marbles or the next peck of oats.

Just like you he's full of pep and vinegar at the barrier, too, but I wouldn't take too seriously those stories you may read about him being a bad actor there. Actually what happened there was that your kid and Pop Kurtsinger's boy, Charley, were giving the first evidence of that perfect teamwork which won them the race in the second best time in Derby history.

What Charley and your kid really were doing at the post when everybody thought they were cutting up was thinking and acting. They were wheeling in and out of their stall because they wanted to be on their toes when the break came. If they'd stood there nice and flatfooted maybe it would have looked nice in a book of manners but where would they have been when the wire went up? Probably still standing there, eh Red? Or maybe piled up over the fence in the infield.

So Charley and your kid were putting on the act. They figured that if they were a little long lining up the starter'd make his move as soon as he got them in line for once. That's what happened and from then on it was just like as if you were doing it yourself, Red. Hee-ly, who's always a mite impatient at the start, maybe had a head lead for the first hundred yards. After that your kid was never in trouble.

Maybe Kurtsinger did go to bat on him once, turning into the straightaway, but it wasn't even necessary. Pomponer, who looked like a much better horse than he did in the Wood Memorial, was challenging then, but even if this son of Pompey hadn't been carried wide it wouldn't have made much difference. Your kid only won by two lengths but he won well in hand and he could have made it six.

Won at a good price, too, Red even considering the field of twenty was one of the best ever to start in Kentucky. Maybe \$5.00 winners seem like long shots to you with your record, but \$ to \$'s not peanuts.

NOT IN THE BOX SCORE:

STEVE CULLINAN, possibly Princeton's best center in the past decade, has turned down a pretty offer to take Art Lane's place as coach of the Harvard Scrubs. No more aid for the Crimson on how to stop the Tiger attack—as last fall—for Lane graduates from Harvard Law and will take a job with a New York firm. . . . Val Fitch, Clide Dudley, Walter Shanes and Frank DeHaney, all of whom performed in baseball's big-time short seasons ago, are members of the Elizabeth branch of the Motion Picture Operators' union.

The Giants were not interested when Boston's Bees tried to peddle them First Baseman Buck Jordan, recently traded to the Reds. . . . Manager Jimmy Wilson had a swell article called "Fixing the Phillies" in a recent issue of a sports magazine. . . . Coach Fritz Crisler is reported as feeling the 1937 Princeton football team will be fuller of fight than any Tiger team since 1932. . . . Leon Cadore, the Brooklyn pitcher who hurled 26 innings one day, now is associated with a Jamaica track bookie.

Names alike in sports: Jim Crowley, fight referee—Jim Crowley, Fordham football coach. Jack Doyle, Irish heavyweight—Jack Doyle, Broadway billiard and betting magnate.

Low Raymond, Washington welterweight—Low Raymond, fight matchmaker.

Ben Johnson, prelim featherweight—Ben Johnson, Columbia sprinter.

Sandy MacDonald, Texas heavyweight—Sandy MacDonald, Duluth Herald sports.

Moon Mullins, Indiana featherweight—Moon Mullins, former Notre Dame football star now coach at Loyola university.

Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, high commissioner of baseball, once was a champion bicycle rider. When he was seventeen years old he had won so many cash prizes in races at Indiana county fairs that he decided to become a business man. Opened a skating rink and went broke.

Class in Kentucky Derby history.—The smallest purse ever offered in this stake was in 1875. The value to the winner then, the first year the race ever was run, was \$2,850. In 1923 Mrs. John D. Hertz received \$55,375 when her Reigh Count came home in front. From 1875 to 1895 the race was at a mile and a half. In 1896 it was changed to the present mile and a quarter. Faisito, defeated in the 1875 renewal by Lord Murphy, sired three winners of the Derby. They were Chant, in 1894; His Eminence, in 1901, and Sir Hnon, in 1906.

Grimm Is Happy Over Frey's Fine Showing

Charley Grimm gives Cubs dug-out visitors rave notices about Lonny Frey, the young shortstop obtained last fall when a new era dawned in the Brooklyn front office. The Chicago manager particularly likes Lonny's competitive spirit.



Charley Grimm

which, no doubt, is news to the Dodgers' directors. Max Umer, who plays so well at left fullback for the Furriers Union Soccer club, is the brother of Ernest Umer, the famous film director.—The poster advertising the International Amateur Boxing tournament at Milan, Italy, features the picture of a fighter whose tights are decorated with the flags of all the competing nations. The big blot on the poster at Stillman's gym is where the Nazi swastika used to be before Eric Seelig, barred from his native land, got through operating on it.

One of Casey Stengel's most prized possessions is a gold-headed cane. Got it from the University of Mississippi students as a reward for coaching their baseball teams for several weeks 20 springs or so ago.—Chick Wezelske, the celebrated fight press agent, has numerous other claims to fame but likes best to relate that he has bought 23 automobiles in 23 years.—Su Saks, who operates a driving range near New York, has a new waistline cure. Waits until his customers have driven 1,000 balls. Then goes out and picks up all the balls.

P. Jay Donohue usually is given credit for nicknaming the Giants. The name came into being in the summer of 1885, when Chicago and New York were fighting for the championship, and was meant as a tribute to sterling playing deeds rather than to the size of the players. The Pirates were so named in 1888 when—in an attempt to beat the inter-league rules of that day—the Athletics failed to protect properly their rights to Louis Bierbauer, star second baseman. This made Bierbauer a free agent, and he was quickly persuaded to sign with Pittsburgh. It was a perfectly regular procedure under the existing rules and served the Philadelphia club right. But at the time there was high excitement and such widespread acrimony that one Philadelphia writer referred to Pittsburgh's part in the transaction as "an act of piracy on the baseball sea."

The Pirates are such nice, quiet fellows that nobody wants to beat them—and nobody will unless National league managers stop this spell of sweetness and light and bear down on the Pittsburghers.

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CHAPTER I
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With a nice sense of dramatic values, the heel of Brooke Reyburn's shoe turned sharply as she ran across the street. She went down on one knee just as the traffic light turned green. She had a confused sense of an automobile bearing down on her, the screech of brakes, of panting cars, of arms lifting her to the sidewalk.

"Hurt?" a voice demanded.

"I'm all right, really I am. It was my silly heel that threw me," she assured breathlessly, even as she moved her knee experimentally. It worked. It wasn't broken.

"Why wear such fool heels? If you're not hurt, why did you wince?"

The man's voice was husky; his eyes had a third-degree intentness which roused a little demon of opposition. Brooke retorted crisply:

"If you insist upon probing the secrets of my young life, I think I've skinned my knee."

She thought the man spoke as she merged in the stream of passers-by. She passed the building to which she had been hurrying to keep an appointment when she crossed the street. She wouldn't go in yet, she'd better wait till her still thumping heart quieted before she entered the offices of Stewart and Stewart, Attorneys at Law, she had too much pride to appear there breathless and shaken. That had been a narrow escape, not only for her, but for the man who had snatched her from the path of that speeding car, and—horrible thought—she hadn't even said "Thank you!"

If only she knew who he was she could write to him, but he might have been a stranger passing through the city whom she never would see again. In that case she would have to bear alones this pricking sense of being ashamed of herself, it would bring her sitting straight up in bed when she thought of it at night.

She stopped at a flower shop. Its color and beauty were like a soothing hand on her smarting conscience. The air had but a hint of the crispness of early October.

Overhead a steeple clock chimed. The sound reminded Brooke of her engagement. She winced as she moved.

After a furtive look about, she examined her knee. Skinned. She had known it. Shreds of her silk stocking clung to the raw flesh. She winced as her lowered skirt scraped it. Her unknown rescuer need not fear that she would forget that lesson in a hurry, she thought as she entered the office of the junior partner of Stewart and Stewart.

There was Mr. Jed Stewart? There was an open book on his large flat desk. The title fairly jumped at her.

UNDERWOOD ON WILLS

Brooke's heart did a nose-dive. Did that particular book on that particular desk mean that Stewart and Stewart were preparing to contest the will in which she had been named residuary legatee?

Silly, she derided herself, wasn't the firm executor of the estate of Mary Amanda Dane? Hadn't Mr. Jed Stewart notified her that the will had been allowed, that she had acquired a fortune, hadn't he asked her to be at his office today at four? It was her late shake-up and this gloomy room which had started her imagination on the rampage. Where it wasn't knotty pine it was walled with books impressively, if mustily, bound in calf.

From outside came faint distant noises in the corridor; footsteps thudding, scuffling, springing past; the incessant clang of elevator doors. Inside, "Tick-tock! Tick-tock!" the wall clock marked time for the quick procession of the minutes.

And the minutes were marching along. Where was Mr. Stewart? Was it part of legal procedure to keep clients in suspense? The secretary in the outer office had shown her into this room, had said that she was expected, that the junior partner was in conference but would be at liberty in a few moments.

Restlessly she crossed to the win-

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dow. She slipped behind one of the hangings to shut off the electric light in the room behind her. What a view! Roofs. Tiers of roofs alive with pigeons. Patches of bright blue broke up the pattern of gray clouds. Weather vanes pointed to the north. Innumerable wires etched gigantic cobwebs against the sky. Skylights shone like sheets of molten brass as they reflected the sun.

Her eyes lingered on the roofs. Beneath them business units were pitched together. Honesty and fraud; virtue and vice; ups and downs; efficiency and stupidity; ambition and lethargy; each unit moving in its own orbit and each thinking itself of supreme importance in the complicated pattern of the business world. She had been buffeting her way in it for five years.

"Miss Reyburn ought to be here, Mark, but I suppose like the majority of women she has no idea of the value of a man's time."

The annoyed comment in the room behind her snapped Brooke out of her reflections. How like a man to assume that she was at fault. She would make a dramatic entrance, and then—

"Glad she is late. I told you, Jed, that I didn't want to meet her. It was a beau geste for her to offer me half of the money, all of which



"I Told You, Jed, That I Didn't Want to Meet Her."

should be mine by inheritance. I'll make my get-away before she comes. Let her move into Lookout House pronto. I'm the only person in the world with the right to contest Aunt Mary Amanda Dane's will, and, much as I would like to own the family heirlooms and add her part of the house to mine, I won't do that. I would have to prove 'undue influence' or 'unsound mind,' wouldn't I? How could I do that when under oath I would have said she would cut me out of her will? The fact that I didn't believe she would do it wouldn't cut any ice with the court. Nothing doing. I've had publicity enough over my domestic casualty to last the rest of my life."

Brooke's hand dropped from the hanging. That must be Mark Trent's deep voice tinged with anger. By "her" did he mean herself? So he thought her offer to share with him merely a beau geste. Should she have refused to take any of the legacy? This was hardly the tactful moment to make her entrance. He was going. As soon as the door closed, she would appear and explain to Mr. Stewart why she had been at the window; meantime she would be strictly honorable and not listen. She stuffed her fingers into her ears.

At the same moment on the other side of the hangings, Jed Stewart was saying:

"I never did understand why Lookout House was cut in two, Mark."

"It wasn't. Grandfather Trent had two houses built exactly alike, one for his daughter, Mary Amanda, and one for his son, my father; the Other House, the family called ours. Not satisfied with that, he had them set side by side on a rocky promontory—he intended them for summer homes only—with doors through the library downstairs and the hall on the second floor and connecting balconies; he was a glutton for balconies. Aunt Mary Amanda recently has lived there the year round. I inherited Father's house, but I haven't lived there since—well, for three years. It has been closed. I haven't rented it because I thought it might be unpleasant for my aunt to have strangers near when she was wheeled into the garden which serves for both places. Now, see what she does to me. She picks up this girl and later, while I'm starting a branch office in South America, leaves her her half of the real estate and all her money. Well, I'll be off. I have a date."

"Don't go, Mark. I asked Miss Reyburn to come here this afternoon to tell her what financial arrangements have been made for her, but principally to get you two face to face so that we could straighten out this mess about the personal property in the house."

"Mess! Do you call a sound, unbreakable will a mess? Aunt Mary Amanda Dane warned me that if I married Lola she would cut me off with the proverbial shilling; then, when my divorce became necessary, she was more opposed to it than she had been to the marriage. Can you beat that for inconsistency? I've always had a hunch that the French man and wife who have worked for and worked Mary Amanda for years might hypnotize her into leaving all her property to them—I warned her against them and somehow they found out and have hated me ever since—but I didn't think she would leave it to a comparative stranger. In my opinion, Clotilde and Henri Jacques are no better than a couple of bandits; they'll bear watching. I don't trust the Reyburn female either, her fine Italian hand drops up all through that will, but I don't like the idea of a girl living in the same house with them. However, she'd probably think I had an axe to grind if I warned her."

"Yellow journals and hectic fiction to the contrary, lawyers don't talk about the affairs of a client, even to their best friend, fella."

"Don't blow up like a pouter pigeon, Jed. Of course I didn't expect you to tell me; equally, of course, I wouldn't try to upset that will. My aunt's High Church convictions wouldn't permit her to approve of my separation from a wife who had been sordidly unfaithful. I thought she might soften toward me when Lola married the third time, but evidently not. If she wanted to bequeath her house, her money, and her jewels to a girl she had picked up via radio, okay. But why didn't she tell me about the Reyburn female? Why not ask me to meet her before I went to South America? That's what makes me suspicious. The secrecy of their friendship. Was the girl afraid that if I knew I would try to influence my aunt against her? If I was so dense, how do you suppose she got wise to Mary Amanda's fortune? I understand that she had supper and spent a night with her once a week, the night the companion-nurse had off. She must have had a strong motive to commute 20 miles after business hours. She's a fashion adviser in one of the big shops, isn't she?"

"Yep. Worked up from a model. Mary Amanda Dane tuned in on the radio one morning just as Brooke Reyburn was giving her fashion talk. She fell in love with her voice, and wrote to the girl asking what the well-dressed invalid tied to a wheel chair was wearing. Miss Reyburn answered with such sympathetic understanding that your aunt invited her to Lookout House."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

June Bridal Party in Summer Velvet

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



SUMMER velvet is important fashion news for the bride-to-be who is seeking a radiantly beautiful and out of the ordinary material for the making of her own gown as well as for her attendants.

No word picturing can do justice to this enchanting fabric, for the loveliness of summer velvet cannot be visualized by the mere telling. Unless you have seen summer velvet you are due for a surprise for it is not all-velvet by any means. Imagine, if you can, a sheer filmy mousseline de soie or chiffon or dainty organza background strewn with exquisitely delicate interwoven velvet designs or motifs, well that's summer velvet.

The idea of costuming the bride and her attendants in summer velvet becomes the more intriguing in that a most fascinating play on color is made possible for the velvet motifs can be any color you choose.

The scheme is worked out in this manner for the gowns pictured. White mousseline de soie patterned with tiny winged motifs of white velvet is used for the youthful wedding gown as here shown. The bride wears pearls and a diamond clip at the low V-shape décolletage. Her bouquet is the new idea—pale lavender orchids carried in a handle of carved crystal, forming a fan effect.

The matron of honor to the right in the picture also wears summer velvet—white mousseline de soie with green velvet motifs posed over a

matching green slip. The sash is of bands of matching green velvet and pale yellow. The hat, a new version of the poke bonnet, is in the same green shade with a huge bow and long streamers of wide green velvet ribbon. The matron of honor's bouquet is of palest yellow and white freesias. Her Aris gloves are white glaze kid with delicate embroidery in gold thread. Emeralds are set in necklace and clip. White and yellow are worn by each of the other bridesmaids with jewelry tuned to correspond. These frocks can be worn all summer.

Completing the scheme for this summer wedding the bride's mother, pictured to the left, wears the same summer velvet fabric but in a patterning of delphinium blue bows on a silk sheer with tiny flowers of delphinium, with a velvet sash of matching color. When the jacket is removed the dress has a low formal neckline. Her hat is a smart new tricorne of navy straw with tiny flowers of delphinium. The dainty corsage is of lilies of the valley in the center of which are a few delphinium blossoms.

For that "something different" look that brides covet for their wedding pageantry here are a few suggestions. If the bridesmaids have long streamers to their hats a clever touch is to snap one of the streamers about the right wrist under a bracelet bouquet. Then there is the idea of veils for the bridesmaids. These are of tulle in colors related to each costume. They are worn deep and fall gracefully about the shoulders.

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SHORT DANCE FROCK

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



When the new short-length dance frock first made its appearance it created quite a sensation. However, it did not take long for it to become a general favorite. The dress pictured is of lovely printed silk chiffon. It accents the slender waistline such as fashion demands—a return to the silhouettes of the long ago. The gown was worn by a prominent society debutante at "The Silk Parade at Waltz Time," a benefit affair recently taking place in New York.

Langvin Jackets Are Made of Silver or Gold Kid

Silver or gold kid is used over and over again for evening at Langvin's where flowing robes are trimmed with oriental applications of leather.

At the same house are separate jackets entirely of stitched kid which is so soft and fine that it looks like lacquered satin.

LACE FOR SUMMER BRIDE NEW STYLE

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

The June bride will be fashionably attired this season when she chooses lace for her gowns. With the present vogue for lace for daytime wear, for evening gowns, and for the highly popular house coats and delicate negligees, the romantic appeal of this material makes it a favorite for wedding gowns and bridesmaids' dresses.

Cut on classic lines, the beautiful lace patterns of this season allow for exquisite details of workmanship for the bridal gown. One lovely gown seen recently is perfectly simple in line but has fine details of applied seamings at the point below the hips where the slight fullness starts. The very full train, and the skirt and neck edges likewise, have an applied scalloped edge of lace. This intricate treatment shows to advantage particularly as the veil is quite short and does not fall to the train. In general these lace wedding gowns have shorter veils so that their delicate patterns are not obscured.

Wedding Parties Dressed All in Lace Is Fashion

Wedding parties dressed entirely in lace are in the fashion picture this year. One of the best we have seen is of all-white peau d'ange in a Chantilly pattern for the bride. There were no seams to the dress, avoiding any unnecessary line that might interfere with the beautiful pattern of the lace, and the edges throughout were entirely hand-applied. A matching mantilla head-dress was worn with this wedding gown.

The wedding party, all in lace, made a charming and appropriate setting for the bride. The bridesmaids' dresses were of novelty all-over lace in pastel shades. The headresses, in contrast with the mantilla of the bride, were formed like a hood, from the collar at the back.

Hints on Tints

Capucine colors will be among the new color accents during the coming season. They have their origin in the various shades of the popular nasturtium.

Smiles

Barberous
For some moments the two small boys had watched the barber singe a customer's hair. "What'd you suppose he's doin'?" one asked finally. "Don't be so dumb," answered the other. "He's lookin' for 'em with a light."

Swimming Instructor—That's better, sir. You ain't swallerin' so much water—doin' more to the gallon so to speak.

A (DON'T) COMEBACK

"Pretty place," approved Percy, after surveying his friend's estate with a patronizing air. "Bit bare, though. Trees are so small."
"Don't let that worry you," replied his host, genially. "Probably they'll be grown to a good size next time you're invited out."

A Word for It
He was spouting with great vigor against corporal punishment for boys, which he declared never did any good. "Take my own case," he exclaimed. "I was never caned but once in my life and that was for speaking the truth."
"Well," retorted somebody in the audience, "it cured you."—Washington Star.

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Borrow trouble for yourself if that's your nature, but don't lend it to your neighbors.—Kipling.

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Today's Acts

The acts of today become the precedents of tomorrow.—F. Herschell.

What SHE TOLD WORN-OUT HUSBAND

She could have reproached him for his fits of temper—his "all in" complaints. But wisely she saw in his frequent colds, his "fagged out," "on edge" condition the very trouble she herself had whipped. Constipation! The very morning after taking MR. (Nature's Remedy), as she advised, he felt like himself again—keenly alert, peppy, cheerful. MR.—the safe, dependable, all-vegetable, laxative and corrective—works gently, thoroughly, naturally. Stimulates the sluggish, inactive tract to complete, regular functioning. Non-habit-forming. Try a box tonight. 25c at druggists.

Strengthened Life

Life is to be fortified by many friendships.—Smith.

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Your money back if you don't like Cannon's Liniment. It kills screw worms, heals the wound and keeps flies away. Ask your dealer. (Adv.)

"Quotations"

The difficulty is not that enough treaties have not been signed, but that enough treaties are not being kept.—Sir Austen Chamberlain.

The only good conversation today is embossed in books.—Fannie Hurst.

It is still the greatest, the freest and the sanest country in the world, and I still get the greatest kick in life coming back to America.—Ludwig Lewisohn.

I think if you can see the funny side of some things it's easier now and then.—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The public schools and some of our colleges have taught the masses just enough to make them discontented.—Chase S. Osborn.

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Uncle Jim Says



"There won't be much left for the children if land keeps disappearing as fast as it does now on some farms."

It is estimated by M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer of the Texas Extension Service, that 75 percent of the cultivated hilly land of Texas slopes two and one-half feet or more per 100 feet and is subject to erosion; 60 percent of the total area of the State is subject to erosion.

In the entire United States, 100 million acres have been damaged by erosion; 35 million acres have been abandoned. It is estimated that the total annual loss to farms is not less than two billion dollars.

Texas farmers have terraced and contoured more than 12 million acres of land since 1916. Reports from county agricultural agents indicate that even more land will be terraced and contoured this year than in 1936, when more than two million Texas acres were protected against loss of soil and rainfall.

The Agricultural Conservation Program carried provisions for benefit payments which help farmers by refunding part of the cost of terracing their farms. County agricultural agents can give details of the program as it affects individual farms.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

H. J. R. NO. 26—A HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adopting a new Section to be known as Section 51d, which shall provide that the Legislature shall have the power to provide, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient for assistance to destitute children and for the payment of same not to exceed Eight Dollars (\$8) for one child or Twelve Dollars (\$12) for the children of any one family per month; further providing that the Legislature may impose such restrictions and regulations as to it may seem expedient; providing that the amount to be expended out of State funds in any one year for such assistance shall never exceed the sum of One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000); and providing that the Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for assistance to destitute children; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof, and prescribing the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a Section to be known as Section 51d, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51d, Subject to the limitations and restrictions herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions, and regulations as may be provided by law, the Legislature shall have the power to provide for assistance to destitute children under the age of fourteen (14) years; such assistance shall not exceed Eight Dollars (\$8) per month for one child nor more than Twelve Dollars (\$12) per month for such children of any one family; provided that the amount to be expended for such assistance out of State funds shall never exceed the sum of One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (1,500,000) per year. The Legislature may impose residential restrictions and such other restrictions, limitations, and regulations as to it may seem expedient.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States such financial assistance to destitute children as that Government may offer not inconsistent with the restrictions herein above provided."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Monday in August, 1937, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"For the Amendment to the State Constitution providing for assistance to destitute children under the age of fourteen (14) years not to exceed Eight Dollars (\$8) per month for one child nor more than Twelve Dollars (\$12) per month for such children of any one family, and providing for acceptance from the Government of the United States of America financial assistance for such payment."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the State Constitution providing for assistance to destitute children under the age of fourteen (14) years not to exceed Eight Dollars (\$8) per month for one child nor more than Twelve Dollars (\$12) per month for such children of any one family, and providing for acceptance from the Government of the United States of America financial assistance for such payment."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

Edward Clark
Secretary of State.

S. J. R. No. 16

- A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article III, Section 52, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 52d; providing that the Legislature may authorize by law, after a majority vote of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein, the adoption of a plan for the construction of paved roads and bridges or both in Harris County and in road districts therein; providing for the levy of a tax to pay for such construction; providing for the necessary proclamation; and appropriating funds to defray the expenses of the proclamation, publication, and election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Section 52, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section, to be known as Section 52d, which shall read as follows:

"Section 52d; Upon the vote of a majority of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein so authorizing, a county or road district may collect an annual tax for a period not exceeding five (5) years to create a fund for constructing lasting and permanent roads and bridges or both. No contract involving the expenditure of any of such fund shall be valid unless, when it is made, money shall be on hand in such fund.

"At such election, the Commissioners' Court shall submit for adoption a road plan and designate the amount of special tax to be levied; the number of years said tax is to be levied; the location, description, and character of the roads and bridges; and the estimated cost thereof. The funds raised by such taxes shall not be used for purposes other than those specified in the plan submitted to the voters. Elections may be held from time to time to extend or discontinue said plan or to increase or diminish said tax. The Legislature shall enact laws prescribing the procedure hereunder.

"The provisions of this section shall apply only to Harris County and road districts therein."

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State on the fourth Monday in August, 1937, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the amendment to the Constitution providing that Harris County and any road district therein may upon a vote of the people therein adopt a road plan and levy taxes for road and bridge construction in lieu of the issuance of said bonds"; those voters opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to the Constitution providing that Harris County and any road district therein may upon a vote of the people therein adopt a road plan and levy taxes for road and bridge construction in lieu of the issuance of bonds."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

Edward Clark
Secretary of State.

S. J. R. No. 9

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section 16, Article XVI, of the

Constitution of Texas; providing that the Legislature shall authorize the incorporation of banking bodies and provide for the supervision and regulation of same; providing for all of the capital stock to be subscribed and paid for before charter issued; restricting foreign corporations from doing banking business; restricting corporate business to one place.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 16, Article XVI, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 16. The Legislature shall by general laws, authorize the incorporation of corporate bodies with banking and discounting privileges, and shall provide for a system of State supervision, regulation and control of such bodies which will adequately protect and secure the depositors and creditors thereof.

"No such corporate body shall be chartered until all of the authorized capital stock has been subscribed and paid for in full in cash. Such body corporate shall not be authorized to engage in business at more than one place which shall be designated in its charter.

"No foreign corporation, other than the national banks of the United States, shall be permitted to exercise banking or discounting privileges in this State."

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the quali-

fied electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Monday in August, 1937. At this election all voters favoring the proposed amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the following words:

"For the amendment of Section 16 to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the amount of the liability of stock-holders in State banks."

Those voters opposing said amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the following words:

"Against the amendment of Section 16 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the amount of the liability of stock-holders in State banks."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election, and to have same published as required by the Constitution and the amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

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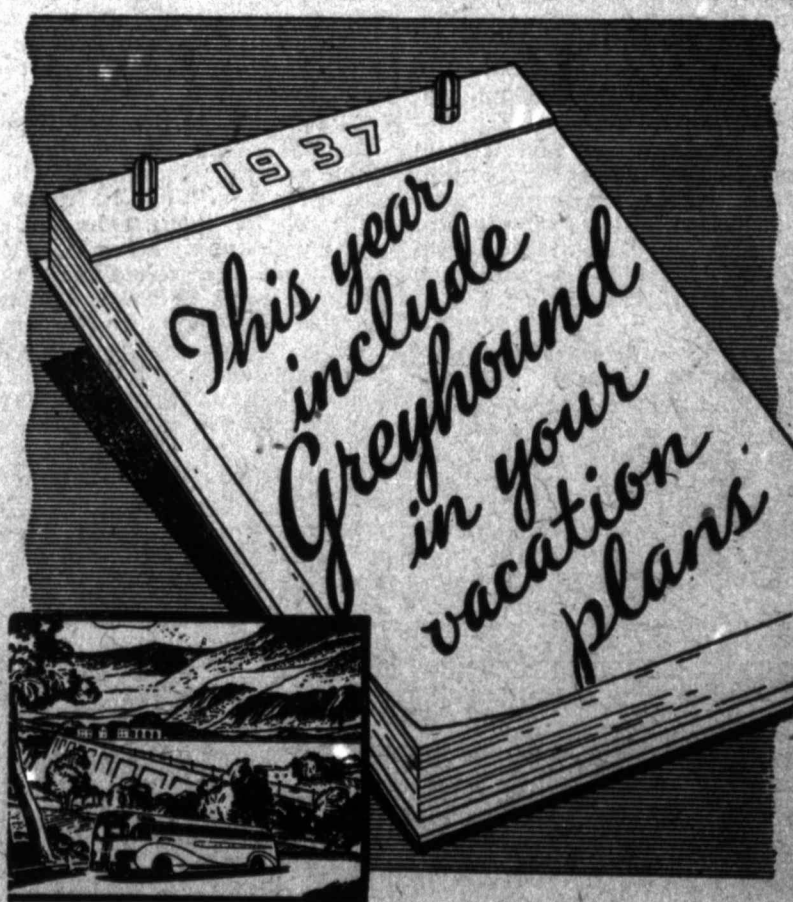
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Lesson for May 30

THE REMAKING OF JACOB

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 28:16-22, 32:24-28.

GOLDEN TEXT—And be not conformed to this world; but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind. Romans 12:2.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jacob's Great Discoveries.

JUNIOR TOPIC—What Changed Jacob.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Finding One's Better Self.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Face to Face With God.

Front Page News! "Well-Known Crook Converted!" After years of deception, thievery, and all kinds of wickedness, Jacob, "the supplanter," had a transforming experience of the grace and power of God and became Israel—"a prince of God." That is indeed front-page news and the marvel of it all is that we may today proclaim the grace of God in Christ Jesus for the redemption of every one that believeth.

Memorial day is a most appropriate one for our lesson, for the first portion tells us of a memorial stone, and the last section tells of a great victory. We do well on this day to remember the days that are gone, to recall the heroic deeds of our valiant dead. It is right that we should honor them for victories rightly won and for a noble cause. But let us not fail to recognize that the great battles of life are those fought in the realm of the spirit and that the victories won there endure for all eternity. Every teacher of a class in the Bible school should with God's help endeavor to make this a day of blessed memory and victory in Christ for the boys and girls, or men and women of the class.

We consider today two experiences in the life of Jacob, both of which have their counterpart in the lives of many of God's children in our day.

I. A Vision and a Vow (Gen. 28:16-22).

Jacob met God. Have you met Him face to face? Have you had "such a revolutionary experience in some 'unexpected spot'?" What a sacred place it has become in your life. Perhaps it was at mother's knee, or in a little crossroad church, or on a busy city street. God was there—you dealt with him—he blessed your soul—life was changed. Such may be the experience of each one of us. The place where Jacob had this experience had been known only as Luz. Now it became Bethel—"the house of God."

Spiritual experiences are not simply for our pleasure; they carry a real responsibility. Jacob recognized this and set up a memorial and made a vow. The depth of his purpose is revealed by the fact that it touched his earthly possessions.

The pledge of one-tenth to God is in accord with the Old Testament principle of the tithe. Many earnest believers regard the tithe as equally obligatory in our day. Others contend that it is an Old Testament principle only. Well, there is no need to differ too sharply on that point, for is it not clear that as children of God all that we have belongs to Him? Surely then we would not wish shamefacedly to admit that we give less than the Old Testament tithe. All that we have comes from His bountiful hand. He it is that gives "bread to eat and raiment to put on." Let us be cheerful (hilarious) givers of what he has entrusted to us, that his work on earth may be put forward.

II. A Struggle and a Victory (Gen. 32:24-30).

After varied experiences of both victory and defeat Jacob turns back to his own land. He hears of the approach of his brother Esau with 400 men. Before he meets him he spends a night alone. Whether it was in fear or in trust that he approached God on that night, we do not know. But we do read of the great struggle. It was more than a physical battle—real as that was—for here we have God wrestling with a weak and defeated, but proud man, seeking to bring him to the place where he will once for all "let go and let God" have his way with his life.

Into the night of struggle at Peniel have gone God's people in all the centuries, and lo, those who have submitted themselves to the mighty hand of God have come out as those that have "power with God and with men" (v. 28). Such an experience is the key to successful living and fruitful service for God. It is still true that "God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble." (Jas. 4:6).

A Strong Arm

Give me the pure heart, O Lord, to feel Thy presence near me. Give me the clear mind that understands. Give me the stainless soul that shall return to Thee fearless when my time shall come. And give me the strong arm to defend, with all my heart, with all my mind, with all my soul, the glory of Thy kingdom.

Doing Right

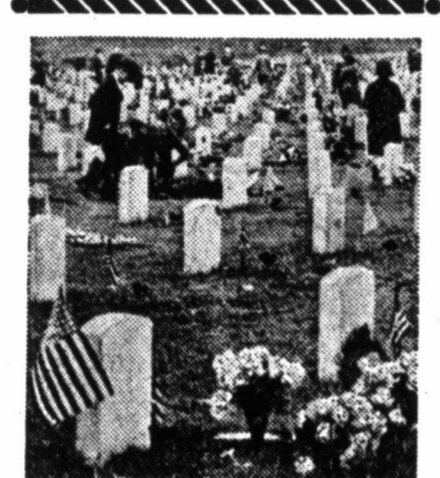
Do right and God's recompense to you will be the power to do more right.



**LAST PARADE of
"The Boys in Blue"**

The last parade of the Grand Army of the Republic at the close of their convention in Washington, D. C., as the aged veterans of the Civil war marched through the streets as they did more than seventy years ago.

**DECORATING
HEROES' GRAVES**

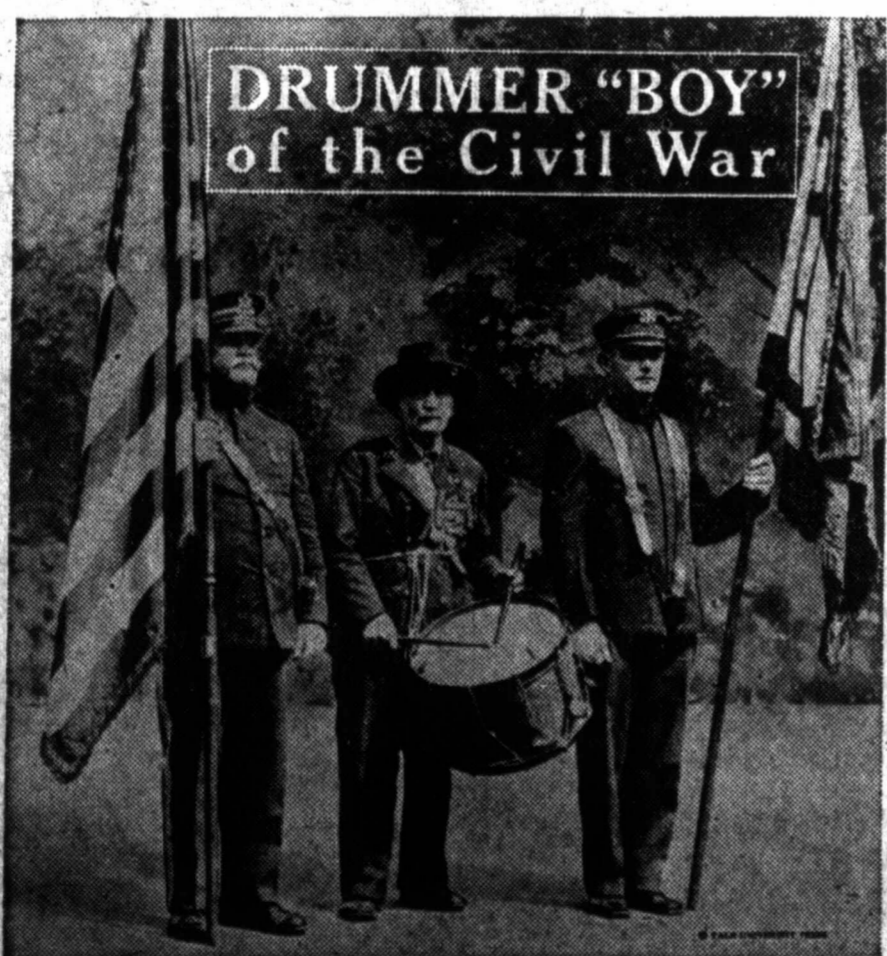


Above, loved ones of brave boys of all wars, placing flowers upon their graves. Below, Boy Scout, marking grave of a soldier.

Stone Lions War Gift.
Two stone lions from the ancient Menin Gate have been placed at Canberra, Australia, the gift of Ypres, France, to the Australian War Memorial museum. Through the historic gate during the World war marched the armies of the British empire, France, the United States and Belgium, fighting in the battles of Ypres.

NAME DUE TO CLOTHES

THE term "butternut" was applied to soldiers of the Confederate army because many of their homespun uniforms were dyed light brown from the shell of the nut.



**DRUMMER "BOY"
of the Civil War**

Civil war veteran and the drum he "beat" to aid his comrades to "keep step" as they marched to the bloody battles. With him are members of the Sons of Veterans with their stands of colors.

**"Angel of Mons" Story
Made Plenty Realistic**

THE legend of the miraculous intervention of angelic bowmen under the patron saint of England, St. George, during the British retreat from Mons in August, 1914, was invented by the English author, Arthur Machen. He wrote a story called "The Bowmen" which appeared in the Daily News of London on September 29, 1914. This was an entirely fictitious account of how, during the days when the British were hard pressed by the enemy, an English soldier happened to utter the motto (in Latin): "May St. George be a present help to the English."

Immediately after he had spoken, he saw "beyond the trench, a long line of shapes, with a shining about them. They were like men who drew the bow, and with another shout, their cloud of arrows went singing and tingling through the air toward the German hosts."

This story was immediately taken up as an authentic record, states a writer in the Detroit News. Soldiers back from the trenches told of it as eyewitnesses.

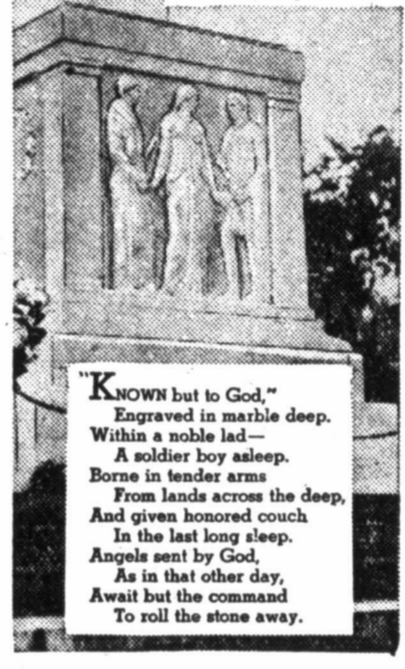
**IN THE DAYS
OF 1861**



In the North, in 1861, masculine attire developed a strong trend in the direction depicted above. Drawing by Felix O. C. Darley.

**The Unknown
Soldier**

By Emmet Glazner
In Indianapolis News



KNOWN but to God.
Engraved in marble deep,
Within a noble lid—
A soldier boy asleep.
Borne in tender arms
From lands across the deep,
And given honored couch
In the last long sleep.
Angels sent by God,
As in that other day,
Await but the command
To roll the stone away.

**Nation Pays Tribute to
War Dead in Arlington**

ARLINGTON National Cemetery just across the Potomac from the Lincoln Memorial is the scene each Memorial day of elaborate but solemn ceremonies honoring America's hero dead. These ceremonies are held in the magnificent Memorial Amphitheater provided through the efforts of the Grand Army of the Republic as a fitting memorial to our soldier dead and a suitable assembly place for the thousands in attendance at the services on Decoration day.

Usually attended by the President of the United States, other high government officials and foreign diplomats, Arlington Decoration day services are to the nation what the local observances are to each community throughout the land, observes a writer in Pathfinder Magazine.

For the benefit of those who have never visited Arlington cemetery and its magnificent Memorial Amphitheater a short description of the circular white marble structure will be interesting. The open-air structure covers an area of 34,000 square feet. In the amphitheater are seats of marble for 5,000 people. Several thousand more can find seats and standing room around the sides. On the stage there is room for several hundred more.

Civil War Men of Note

The Twenty-first regiment of the O. V. I., recruited in northern Ohio at the outset of the Civil war, was noted for the men among its ranks who rose to distinguished heights. Of its recruits, Stanley Matthews became associate justice of the United States Supreme court and Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley became presidents.

A GOLD STAR MOTHER

THE Gold Star Mothers' association defines a Gold Star mother as one whose son was killed overseas during the World war or who was killed on the sea while serving in the war.

Fate of Millions Still Unknown

Of the 16,000,000 soldiers and sailors who died or disappeared as a result of the World war, the fate of more than 7,000,000 is still unknown, asserts a writer in Collier's Weekly.

Fashions to Pep You Up!



HERE'S spring tonic for you, Miss America, done up in fine formula by Sew-Your-Own! The ingredients are bracing and please the taste.

The model at the left is the type to take right away before spring advances further. It is especially beneficial to the willowy figure with its alluring swing and grace, its delicate waistline, becoming collar and stylishly cuffed sleeves. Any of the lovely sheers will do well here.

Miss Athletic Girl.
The center package is labeled Miss Athletic Girl. She goes for it because without fuss and furbelows it still is feminine. And, too, she knows that the smart lines down the front and back are not gores but tucks which give the same stylish effect, and necessitate half the effort, thanks to the clever designing of Sew-Your-Own.

A Builder-Up.
Upper right is the Builder-Up for the younger Lady of Fashion. Because of it and her other Sew-Your-Owns she will go down in the Year Book as the Best Dressed Girl in the class the first thing she knows. This two-piecer has style unmistakable in its absolute simplicity of line, round collar so tiny as to be a mere suggestion, and in the perfect balance of its flared sleeves, peplum, and skirt.

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14 requires 4 1/2 yards of 39-inch material plus 11 yards of bias binding for trimming as pictured. Pattern 1288 is designed for sizes 14 to 20 (32 to 42 bust). Size 16 requires 3 1/2 yards of 39-inch material plus 3 1/2 yards of ribbon for trimming as pictured.

Pattern 1294 is designed for sizes 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 years. Size 10 requires 2 1/2 yards of 39-inch material. Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., Room 1020, 211 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each.

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Hello, Toots?

In a small town in West Virginia, the telephone directory, evidently through someone's overwhelming desire to do a thorough job, includes each subscriber's nickname such as Babe, Butch, Red, Duke, Slim, Hippo and Toots.—Collier's Weekly.

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You Need a Laxative**

It is better for you if your body keeps working as Nature intended. Food wastes after digestion should be eliminated every day. When you get constipated, take a dose or two of purely vegetable Black-Draught for prompt, refreshing relief.

Thousands and thousands of men and women like Black-Draught and keep it always on hand, for use at the first sign of constipation. Have you tried it?

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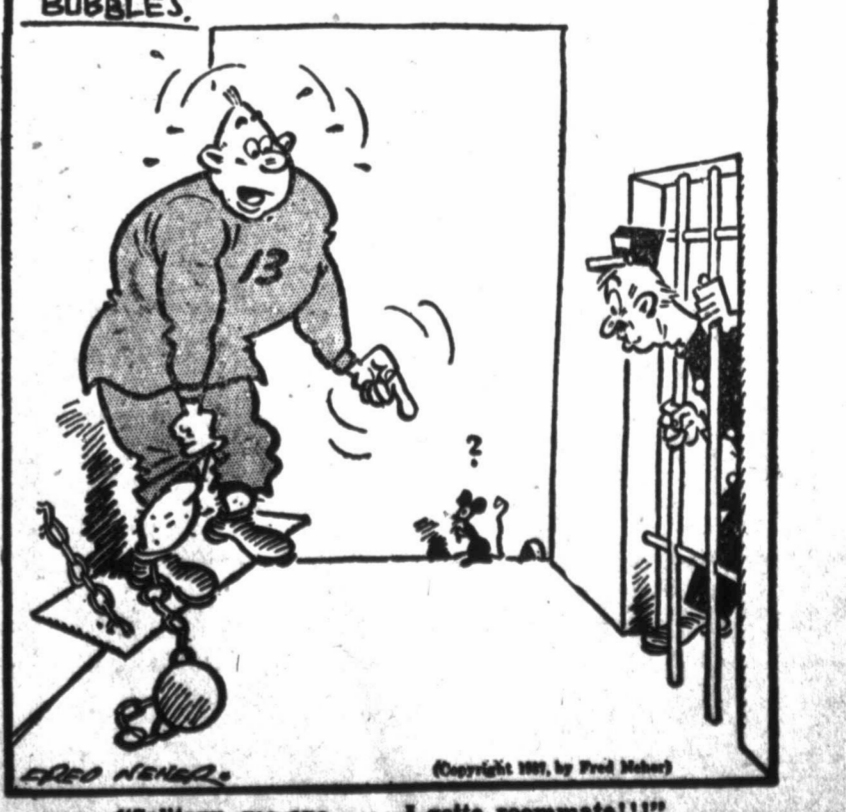
The Victims
The humble suffer when the powerful disagree.—Phaedrus.

**Miss
REE LEEF
says:**

"CAPUDINE
relieves
HEADACHE
quicker because
it's liquid...
already dissolved"

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



LOCALS

Mrs. Joe Bennett and daughters Margaret and Helen were in Colorado shopping Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Lankford is in Fort Worth this week receiving medical treatment.

C. T. Fort of Austin, State recruiting man for Watkins Products, spent Friday night here with H. M. Haygood, local representative.

When in need of better cleaning, pressing, alterations and repairing bring it to Martin Cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. West and family of Inadale visited her brother, H. M. Haygood and family, Sunday.

J. F. Haygood of Inadale spent last week with his son, H. M. Haygood and family.

Mrs. Isa Mae Poe spent the first of the week with her husband, G. M. Poe, near Brownfield.

F. W. Altman of Arlington was here Monday and Tuesday visiting his sister, Mrs. C. M. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Honea and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Palmer attended the Baccalaureate service at McMurry College Sunday morning. Miss Josephine Palmer is receiving her degree from the college.

"Always Good Foods." Best—Yet Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnton West and Mrs. Boyd House of Big Spring visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Miss Helen Bennett left Wednesday for Abilene to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pratt of Abilene visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pratt Wednesday.

Guaranteed house paint \$1.95 per gallon. Loraine Furniture Co.

Lee Kidd left on the Sunshine Special Wednesday morning for Desota, Missouri, for an extended visit.

Mrs. Jim Johnson left Monday for Dnton to attend the graduation exercises of North Texas State Teachers College where her daughter, Ruth, is receiving her degree.

NOTICE!

We have an advance of 10 percent on June 1st on all Coolers. Buy yours now and save money. Be sure and place your order before June 1. J. C. Meek, Ice and Fuel.

Don't fail to come in and see our special price on tailor-made suits. Leggotts Tailor Shop.

S. W. and F. B. Altman of Cisco visited in Loraine the first of the week.

Classified Ads

A few used Ice Boxes sell cheap and will give terms. Hutchins and Hall, Drugs.

For Sale—A good all purpose stallion, weigh 1500 pounds. See him at my farm one mile east of town. J. W. Richburg. 50-5tp.

For Sale—Good first year cotton seed See J. T. Draper. 2-tp

Very slightly used kerosene refrigerator at a real discount. Ohlenbusch Store, Inadale, Texas. 3-4tp

For Sale—Two good work mares at low price. Fred C. Ohlenbusch, Inadale, Texas. 3-3tp

For Sale—One six volt, 4 light windcharger plant complete with 26 foot tower, batteries, etc., \$32.50. Ohlenbusch Store, Inadale, Texas. 3-3tp

For Sale—Small stock farm seven miles southeast of Loraine. B. C. Greer, Roscoe, Route 1. 1tp

320 acres of good land, 80 acres in cultivation, fair improvements, to sell or trade worth the money. See J. A. Crosby.

For Sale—House and three lots on highway, 4 rooms, lights, gas, water. Cheap. J. A. Crosby.

We have a lot of summer pants \$1.25 up. Martin Cleaners. 1tc

Lost—Several pairs of ice hooks. Reward for return. J. C. Meek, Ice and Fuel. 1tc

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas announced the birth of a grandson David Clinton, born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas of Colorado last Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coffee, who have been in Carlsbad, New Mexico, for the past several weeks are visiting here this week. They will move to Colorado soon to make their home.

Good used 5-burner Perfection oil stove \$22.50. Terms \$5.00 cash, \$4.00 per month. Loraine Furniture Co.

Mrs. Beatrice Simpson, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. J. Riden, and family for the past several days has returned to her home in Midland.

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It's Summer

So naturally you need new clothes in general and new Prints in particular. We have just received many dresses in the latest patterns and colors. See them today! \$4.95 and \$5.95 values for—

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New hats in both straw and felt and among which you'll find the latest fashion trends reflected. There are both wide and narrow brims from which to choose. A limited number at this price.

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LATEST STYLES

Devine Dress Shop

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. I. kner at Big Spring Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Bivens of Weatherford visited her nephew G. K. Baker and Mrs. Baker last week.

Mrs. Magee of Divide is visiting her son, Frank Magee, and family.

We carry the famous Beau Brummel Dress Shirts. A nice assortment to choose from, \$1.35 each. Leggotts Tailor Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor of north of town were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Callahan Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Capps received a message Friday stating that Mrs. Capps' uncle had died at Vance, Texas. Rev. and Mrs. Capps left early Saturday morning to attend the funeral which was held at 3:30 Saturday. They will visit their parents for a few days while there.

Mrs. Horace Hyde and little son of Sweetwater visited her aunt, Mrs. H. D. Mearse, last Thursday.

Complete line of cigarettes, candies and tobaccos. Best-Yet Cafe.

Mrs. H. D. Mearse gave an all-day quilting at her home last Thursday, each guest carrying a covered dish. The dinner was enjoyed and in the afternoon several more came in. At six o'clock all left reporting a very enjoyable day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mahoney and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Leggott Saturday.

Alvin Brown visited his son Loal at Odessa last week.

J. A. Faulkenberry spent last week in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. (Dutch) Baumgarten of Midland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall. Mr. Baumgarten has been elected coach at Nacogdoches for another year.

J. W. (Red) Howell left Monday for Abilene where he has accepted a position with the Citizens National Bank. He was formerly employed by the bank but left them several months ago to accept a position in the postoffice here.

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Wade Preston has accepted the position in the postoffice left vacant by Red Howell.

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Mrs. Hamilton Wright was called suddenly to Cisco Tuesday evening in response to a message telling of the grave condition of her sister, Mrs. Addie Slatten Lane. Mrs. Lane has been in failing health several months. The Lane family live at Scranton, eight miles southeast of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Hallman returned to their home in Midland Sunday after spending several days here at the bedside of Mr. Hallman's mother, Mrs. J. D. Hallman, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. W. E. Spencer and two children of Dalhart are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hall.

L. B. Henderson returned home Sunday after spending several days in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richardson, at Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Thurston of Nacogdoches are here visiting their son, Arthur Thurston and family, also her sister, Mrs. W. H. Tartt.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Page of Nacogdoches are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurston.

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