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Bauman Girls Are County Champions

The junior girls of the Bauman school won the county championship in playground ball in the final play Monday at Colorado. They not only won over the other rural schools of the county but also defeated teams from independent districts over the county. The girls will represent the county at the district meet in Sweetwater.

The girls are coached by Mrs. Drew Givens, a teacher in the school. The players are: Averill Hale, Nena Foy, Nila Foy, Ida Mae Neal, Doris Mae House, Aileen Waker, Dorothy Hall, Sue Landers, Eunice Compton, Betty Louise Compton, and Alma Ruth Collier.

J. M. BAKER LAID TO REST THURSDAY

Final rites for J. M. Baker, former Loraine merchant, were held at the Methodist Church here last Thursday afternoon following his death at his home in Abilene late Wednesday. Rev. Bryant, pastor of the Colorado Presbyterian Church, conducted a short service at the church before the body was taken to the cemetery to be placed in its final resting place. Services were also conducted in Abilene before bringing the body here.

Mr. Baker was well known in Loraine having been in business here for about 25 years before moving to Abilene several years ago. One daughter, Mrs. L. B. Walker resides here, and another daughter, Mrs. Frank Johnson, resides in Abilene.

Pallbearers were J. C. Hall, T. R. Bennett, C. W. Palmer, S. E. Meadows, Earl Jackson, and J. G. Bruce.

ANNOUNCE WEDDING OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Brians announced this week the marriage of their daughter, Inez, to T. A. Alderson of Midland. The ceremony was performed October 25, 1936, by the minister of the Church of Christ in Midland but had been kept a secret until this week.

The bride is a graduate of the Loraine High School, having finished with the class of 1935. The groom, a former resident of Loraine, received his education at Lelia Lake, Texas, where his parents now reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Alderson will make their home in Midland where Mr. Alderson has employment with the Broadway Garage.

ROSCOE ROAD COMMITTEE OFFERS ASSISTANCE

A committee from the Roscoe Lions Club were in Loraine Friday to offer assistance and co-operation to Loraine in their fight against the rumored change of the highway.

The committee was composed of W. R. Potter, president of the Lions Club, C. D. Maloney, druggist, and Wade Forester, Chevrolet dealer.

P. T. A. TO MEET THURSDAY

The meeting of the P. T. A. scheduled for last Thursday afternoon, was postponed until Thursday afternoon of this week because of the funeral of J. M. Baker conflicting.

The little folks of the school are to present a program Thursday that will be interesting to everyone and all are urged to attend.

SNOW FLURRY CAME SUNDAY

A snow flurry visited this territory Sunday afternoon, April 4. The flurry only lasted a few minutes and was followed by a light rain. The cool spell, however, reminded us that spring had not come to stay.

Two More Credits Granted School

Superintendent Ed E. Williams announced this week that he had received notice from the state department at Austin that two additional credits of affiliation had been granted the Loraine High School. One credit each was granted in General Mathematics and Typewriting. A very favorable report was also received on the Home Economics department and one credit will probably be granted in that subject soon. This subject is divided into one-half credit for foods and one-half for sewing and the foods course was completed at mid-term and sewing taken up.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Augustin Costello Colorado and Isabel Sierra, Colorado; H. E. Wilson Colorado and Miss Frances Williams Colorado; Bill Burke Sweetwater and Mrs. Mary Judd Sweetwater; Orvin Bradberry Sweetwater and Miss Helen Hedges Sweetwater; R. H. Green Brownfield and Miss Lillian Putman Colorado; Roy Dozier Colorado and Mrs. Mayne Taylor Colorado; H. W. Black Colorado and Mrs. M. E. Brookmale Colorado; S. T. Pond Jr. Colorado and Miss Velma Rogers Colorado; Ramon Vaughan Colorado and Miss Loraine Brymer Colorado; Harvey Compton Colorado and Miss Letha Redwine Colorado; Henry Cox Roscoe and Miss Eva Mae Cantrill Roscoe.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

T. C. Smith Jr. to Bray Cook E 1-2 of NW 1-4 sec. 60 blk. 26, T. and P. Ry. Co. surveys \$1460.00; W. N. Harrison et ux to H. B. and H. C. Broadus lots 1 to 6 blk. 11 and lots 1, 2 and 3 blk. 15 Newsom South-side Ad. to Colorado \$500.00; R. E. Lee to Hester Lee lot 5 blk 8 Colorado \$10.00; O. V. King et ux to W. S. Rhodes east 75 ft. lots 5 and 6 and S 1-2 of east 75 ft. lot 4 blk. 3 Colorado \$1500.00; Katye Lee Brown et vir to Howard Rogers lots 5 and 6 in blk 10 and lots 2 to 6 in blk 12 Watson Ad. to Colorado \$50.00; Sheriff of Mitchell County to C. R. Farris lot 7 blk 141 Colorado \$300.00; G. W. Plaster et ux to Foy Webb east 240 acres sec. 87 blk. 27 T. and P. Ry. Co. surveys \$1.00; Julia A Webb to T. C. Hart E 1-2 sec. 22 blk 28 south T. and P. Ry. Co. surveys \$150.00; Otis Muns et ux to R. B. Cope part sec. 51 blk. 25 T. and P. Ry. Co. surveys \$5,000.00; Jesse M. Brown as Trustee to North American Life Ins. Co. 322 1/2 acres from sec. 42 blk 26 T. and P. Ry. Co. surveys; G. B. Harness to O. B. Price lot 5 blk. 78 Colorado \$250.00.

ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE

Mr. William Houston and Miss Armetta Dean this week announce their marriage to relatives and friends here. The wedding took place on Sunday, March 21, at San Bernadina, California. The ceremony was performed at the First Christian Church in that city and was witnessed by the bride's father, H. A. Dean, of California.

The bride, following the close of school at Sul Ross State Teachers College last May left for California in June where she accepted a position as manager of a candy department and part time cashier of the Burns establishment.

She is a Loraine High School graduate and a graduate Beauty Shop of Abilene. She is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Zora Dean of Loraine.

Mr. Houston holds a responsible position with the Ford Motor Company of San Bernadina. They are at home in Apartment D of the Toenheden apartments in San Bernadina.

Clean-Up Week April 12th to 17th

Mayor J. C. Hall issued a proclamation this week proclaiming the week of April 12 to 17 inclusive, as clean-up and fire prevention week in Loraine.

Every resident and business establishment in the city is urged to make a thorough clean-up inside and out so that we will have a clean and healthful place to live. The accumulation of trash is one of the most dangerous fire hazards and a menace to health, so in order to keep down fires and safeguard our health we should all clean our premises thoroughly.

Mayor Hall stated that a truck will be hired by the city to haul away tin cans and other trash not burnable and it will make its rounds Friday or Saturday. If you will have your rubbish in the alley the truck will haul it away for you free of charge.

Lets all join in this move and make our town the cleanest in the country. We have noticed one place the past few days that has already been cleaned up. Mrs. Dottie Marshall has the cleanest yard in town right now.

WORKERS CONFERENCE MET HERE TUESDAY

Workers Conference for the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association met with the Loraine Baptist Church Tuesday in an all-day meeting with a large number of visitors present.

The program was carried out in full with every one on the program present. Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Rev. G. W. Parks, Rev. Clyde Childers, and Rev. Lawrence Hays were principal speakers for the day with Warren Williams leading the singing.

A very attractive lunch was served in the basement of the church to all attending.

The program was very inspirational and enjoyed by all in attendance.

"I Saw It in the News Review"

is a common expression among those who keep well informed on current events. They know that in the "Weekly News Review," which appears regularly in this paper, they obtain a comprehensive interpretation of world events written by Edward W. Rickard, one of the nation's most widely-known news commentators.

Weekly News Review deals with the important happenings and their effect upon our country. It is more than news—it is an interpretation of the news, and therefore much more valuable to the person who wants to understand what is going on in the world today.

Read it carefully from week to week. You will find it interesting and helpful in your discussion of world events with your neighbors and friends.

New Roscoe Road Talk a 'Scare-Crow'

Recent reports are apparently false that an effort is current in Sweetwater to cause the diversion of Highway 1 in such a manner as to cut Roscoe out of her main line of traffic.

According to officials in Sweetwater today, someone is laboring under false fears. So far as County Judge Charles Lewis knows, no one in Sweetwater has the slightest desire to divert the highway.

It was pointed out that approximately \$50,000 would not be spent to widen the highway as it runs at present, if there existed any probability that the road would be changed. The proposed expenditure gained the hearty approval of Sweetwater road officials.

Is "Scare-Crow" According to reliable sources,

City Officials Are Re-Elected

The city election here Tuesday created very little interest. Only 27 voters exercised their privilege at the polls. The retiring mayor and aldermen had no opposition for re-election and were re-elected by heavy majorities although there were a few scattered votes for write-in candidates.

J. C. Hall was re-elected mayor receiving 25 of the 27 votes cast. K. L. Taylor, W. W. Rowland, and W. E. Dickenson, candidates for re-election as aldermen, received 26, 14, and 22 votes respectively.

SCHOOL RECEIVES \$3 PER CAPITA

The Loraine school this week received \$3 per capita of the \$19 apportionment. The amount received this week makes a total of \$11 received this year. The check was for \$1338.

QUILT SHOW

The Thornhill dry goods store will have a Quilt Show at the store Friday and Saturday of this week. Entrants of quilts in the show is free and everyone is requested to bring in their quilts not later than Friday at noon. Read their ad in this paper.

WORST SANDSTORM

The worst sandstorm of the season thus far visited this section Wednesday of this week. The wind blew hard from the west until late afternoon when it switched to the north.

APPLICANTS FOR NOTARY PUBLIC COMMISSION ASKED TO NOTIFY COUNTY CLERK

Those who wish to be appointed Notary Public are asked to please notify County Clerk J. M. Herrington so that he may have you qualified while the legislature is in session. The present commission of Notaries Public will expire at midnight May 31, 1937.

SOIL PROGRAM FOR PANHANDLE PLANNED

College Station — Forty-eight of the counties of the Texas Panhandle will be affected by the wind erosion control program announced by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Jack Shelton of the Texas extension service said today.

The control measures will consist of a combination of cover crops and listing. The cover crops will be limited to sorghums, sudan grass and millet.

Mrs. Hasseltine Reddin of Colorado is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hallmark.

35 Boys Out For Football Training

Coach Newby Pratt has 35 boys out this week for spring football training. Light exercises were started the first of the week and will continue until the boys become hardened then football fundamentals will be taken up.

This is the largest number of boys ever to report for training in Loraine since the game of football was inaugurated a few years ago. Of course some of them are rather small and will need a year's growth before they can do much in the game. Some new boys have reported, however, who have plenty of weight and may develop into good material.

LORAIN WON THIRD PLACE IN COUNTY MEET

In the interscholastic league events held in Colorado last Friday and Saturday Loraine won enough points to place third as all-around county champion. Colorado first and Roscoe second. This year's meet was one of the best ever held in Mitchell County and competition was harder for the Loraine contestants than in the past several years. This is the first time in several years that Loraine has failed to win the county championship. The fact that Roscoe entered with the Mitchell County schools added much spice and feeling to the meet. The school benefitted very much from the meet. Over sixty per cent of the entire student body participated in the meet in some form.

Following is a summary of the events won by Loraine students: One-act play, 2nd place; high school girls debate, 1st place; Doris Glass and Billie Jean Barron; high school boys debate, 3rd place; Byron Bennett and J. W. King Jr.; high school girls declamation, 1st; Opal Martin; high school junior girls declamation, 1st; Wonnola Martin; high school junior boys declamation, 2nd; Travis Lucas; grade school junior girls declamation, Wanda Mae Smith 2nd; Gloria Martin 3rd; extemporaneous speech, Iona Callahan 1st; Duane Bruce tied for third; ready writers, Gloria Martin 1st; spelling, high school, R. L. Mahoney and Oma Richburg 1st; 6th and 7th, Royal James and Roy Hall 3rd; 4th and 5th, Merrill Martin and Billie Jean McCollum 2nd; choral singing, 2nd (35 students from 5th, 6th and 7th grades directed by Mr. Snivley and Miss Wilkerson); picture memory 1st, Betty June Trott, Rae Furlow, Hugh Elliott, Mason Richburg, Merrill Martin; number sense 2nd, Armando Baumann, James Beights.

Tennis: high school girls doubles, 1st, Earlene Brown and Clista Hoover; boys doubles, 2nd, W. F. James, Will Albright; boys singles, 2nd, William Simmons; junior boys doubles, 2nd, Marvin Hall, Howard Tartt; junior boys singles, 2nd, Robert James; grade school boys doubles, 2nd, Sidney Meek, Gene Baird; grade school boys singles, 2nd, Armando Baumann; high school junior boys playground ball, 2nd.

100 yd. dash, Baird 3rd; 220 yd. dash, Baird 1st; 440 yd. dash, Simmons 2nd; 880, Will Albright 4th; mile run, Hall 2nd; mile relay, Baird, James, Green, Simmons, 3rd; broad jump Simmons 2nd; high jump, Albright 2nd; Shot, Albright 3rd; vault, Albright 1st.

Bits O' Philosophy — A fast tongue and a slow brain are poor companions. The boss watches him who watches the clock.

Golden thoughts and silver tongues do not abide in temples of brass.

One way to stand up the boss in to go on a sit-down strike. Freedom of speech is not a license to lie.

Board Re-Elects All School Teachers

The board of trustees of the Loraine Independent School District this week re-elected all of the teachers in the school system except Mrs. John Johnson who headed in her resignation and stated that she did not wish to teach next year.

Supt. Williams and Coach Newby Pratt were re-elected to their positions a short time ago. Teachers elected this week are: High school: Mrs. Fred Ison, Miss Ruby Lee, Miss Roxie Hoshinson, Grade school: Miss Edith Wilkerson, Roy S. Lee, Lawrence Snivley, band director, Miss Gladys Spikes, Miss Joe Alexander, and Miss Lois Bivens, home economics.

TWO NEW TRUSTEES ELECTED SATURDAY

Two new trustees for the Loraine Independent School District were elected last Saturday by the voters of the district. Henry Beights and Harry Hallmark were the two elected. W. E. James and J. W. Roberts are the retiring trustees.

Interest in the election was small as there were only about 70 votes cast.

FATS AND LEANS TO STAGE BASEBALL GAME

Fat men and lean men of Loraine will stage an exhibition baseball game at the park next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. There will be a small admission charge to help the baseball team get started.

Everyone is urged to attend and help the team along.

Uncle Jim Says



"Phosphates make pastures produce more on most any farm." The most commonly known deficiencies in Texas pastures are generally phosphorus, humus, and nitrogen. These deficiencies not only result in a lowered yield of forage and an increase of undesirable grasses, but in a lowered mineral content in all plants. In other words, if a soil is lacking in phosphorus, the grasses will not only make less growth, but animals grazing the pasture will not get enough phosphates for their needs.

Barnyard manure at the rate of five to eight tons an acre, and usually applied in the fall, will give good results on most pastures. Since manure is strong in nitrogen and weak in phosphorus, it should be supplemented with superphosphates.

Superphosphate alone may be the most profitable, because it costs less than the other mineral fertilizers and encourages growth of legumes, which in turn produce more nitrogen for the grasses. The Agricultural Conservation Program carries provisions for benefit payments for the use of superphosphate. County agricultural agents can explain this feature of the program.

ATTEND SHOWER FOR COLORADO BRIDE

Mrs. H. B. Wilson, Mrs. Tennis Wilson, and Mrs. Marvin Martin were guests at a shower given at the home of Mrs. A. F. King in Colorado Tuesday evening. The shower was given in honor of Mrs. Edison Wilson, nee Frances Williams.

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Earle Meadows, as Guest Columnist, Cites A. A. U. Needs

Hugh Bradley has as his guest columnist today, Earle Meadows, the handsome twenty-one-year-old pole vaulter who won the Olympic crown last summer at Berlin and who came within a quarter of an inch of a new indoor world's record this winter. He tells of the thrills, problems and disappointments of an athlete on the wing.

By EARLE MEADOWS

MY INITIAL take-off into the realm of sports writing should, of course, concern the possibilities of a 15-foot vault. I think it is coming, and it's not so very far in the future, either. But the athlete who makes it—and there are many who have the potentiality—will need a good imagination and just a bit of "what it takes" to make that height.

I assume that the rabid track crowd is familiar with the forecast of George Varoff, the world champion, who has predicted a 15-foot leap within the next few years. That prophecy certainly is worthy of notice. But, even though George is one of my best friends, and even friends must disagree sometimes, I can hardly fall into line with his theory the vault will come as a result of combining two qualities, namely, his own push and the powerful pull of slim Sueo Ohe.

My contention is that it will not come by combining these two phases, for the simple reason that one asset would offset the other. It is quite impossible to combine such a marvelous pull as his with potent push that the Oriental possesses. The combination would ruin timing in the air. My credo is that the vault will result from the addition of a new technique—entirely from the standpoint of the actual mechanism.

After all, every vaulter will agree that working for form, rather than maneuvering through the air without a parachute, is his aim, especially at the above height. Varoff will agree, too, that when he made his world indoor record of 14 feet 4 1/2 inches at Boston last month, his off-balance in the air threw him down head first, proving that it makes the downward fall dangerous to the pole vaulter.

Get busy, coaches, the pole vault is not yet mastered as far as technique is concerned. Another point I would like to bring out is that with the present system of measurement—such as cost me a world record at the Garden in the New York A. C. games—a 15-foot vault is impossible. It would take all night or day to measure the bar and the athlete would lose his edge.

I'm not complaining or criticizing the officials. I'm only asking that they remember this point. An athlete trains for 13 years to achieve the honor of lifting his body to a height previously unachieved by man. To achieve this record, a tremendous amount of energy must be expended. It would seem, therefore, that the measurement should be checked carefully and announced before the record is attempted.

I thought that winning the Olympic vault in the rain at Berlin was the greatest thrill I had ever known, until that night at the Garden, when I cleared what I thought—and every body else, too—was a record height. I can't express how I felt because it was such an unusual feeling to be so happy. And then . . . the letdown, when they told me it was one-quarter of an inch short.

And all because of inaccurate measuring instruments. I admit that I didn't want the officials to check with a steel tape before my attempt that night, because they would have been standing there gabbling yet, probably, figuring out the ways and means, talking this over and that—hot air that would thoroughly have warmed an unheated Garden. By the time they finished I would have lost my edge.

At the age of ten I measured the crossbar by my own stature, the most accurate means. I'll never forget how I started to vault with an old worn-out rug cane and a clothes-line. And what a thrill I got out of it.

Finally, the old cane broke, and then came greater competitive desire to go higher than the other fellows.

My first ambition to become an Olympic champion came when I was thirteen. It grew and grew within me. Then, like a dream, I was in Berlin, competing as one of three representing the Stars and Stripes.



Earle Meadows

NOT IN THE BOX SCORE:

WITH the close of the Florida season Jack Dempsey will make a flying tour of South America, refereeing boxing and wrestling matches. . . The best jockey at getting a horse away from the post at Miami is a kid named J. Barba. . . Freddy Lindstrom's best chance for a big league hookup is with the Giants. . . Bowling is such a popular sport with the people who come to Florida for the sun that the newspapers have to carry special signed columns about the ten-pin art.

Two pretty feuds have been simmering in Miami all winter. One is between the local bookies and the visiting bookies, mainly from New York, who have cut in on the cushy play. The other is between those two veteran Colonels—One-Two Bradley and Flamingo Joe Widener. Gossipers insist that when money and other substantial assistance was needed several seasons ago Widener solicited Bradley as a partner. Now they aver that—with business being very good and a new governor making everybody behave—Flamingo Joe doesn't believe in partners.

Bicycle riding has become almost as popular in Florida as in Bermuda. You can rent the things out on the beach for \$1 a day. . . Although the men do the most blabbing about big losses, clubhouse and grand stand messengers insist that fully 40 per cent of the racetrack wagering is done by women. Most of the girls, it is true, debate the matter for hours before splitting a \$2 ticket but there are others, plenty of them, who send it in in C note lots. . . One of them devoted half an hour to standing in front of the gate the other day complaining about having to pay \$1 tax on a clubhouse ducat when she had meant to bring along the 50 cent tax grand stand variety of pass.

Sarazen Has Ideas About Ryder Cup

Gene Sarazen, who, of late, has gone in for all kinds of reducing diets and exercises, is down to 152 pounds. He thinks this year's Ryder Cup team should be composed of Sarazen, Hagen, Manero, Shute, Horton Smith, Ralph Guldahl and Picard. . . The Cards, by the way, have little fear of the Giants this year. They think Pittsburgh probably has the best team in the league but that the Cubs will provide the main opposition and that Rip Collins will star in the full 154 games.

Harry Voller, the fight movie man has plans to win the light-heavyweight championship with Al Delaney. Delaney's injured hand, incidentally, has entirely healed and he will soon resume fighting. . . One of the prides of the Stevens Brothers, the racetrack and ball park restaurant men, is that they have more than 1,500 employees. But that no valued employee ever has left them except on account of death or extreme old age.

Millionaire John Hertz doesn't seem to care who knows how sore he is about rumors that the Illinois Racing commission will favor Washington Park over his Arlington Park in the assignment of dates this year. . . Wilsey Moore, former Yankee sinner ball pitcher, still has a span of mules called Babe and Ruth which he won from the home run king his first year on the club. Babe bet Moore that he wouldn't make three hits during the season.

He made four. . . Moore is a gentleman farmer at Hollis, Okla., in the winter. . . He is with the Kansas City Blues this season. . . Stan Laurel, the movie comedian, interrupted a vacation cruise to stop in Cuba and watch the New York Giants work out. . . Benevolent citizens of Auburn, Wash., are caring for Amos Rusie, old New York Giant pitching star, and his wife, who were dispossessed recently when a mortgage was foreclosed on their farm.

Although his best friends tell him to forget it Jack Dempsey still dreams of promoting one big heavy-weight championship fight. . . Harry Hooper, regarded as one of the finest sun fielders in major league history, once was charged with three errors on two successive pitched balls when playing right field for the White Sox. . . He fumbled two flies and made a wild throw on one of them. . . Shoeless Joe Jackson now weighs 230 pounds and owns two automobiles. . . Joseph Widener has shipped four juveniles, Unbreakable, Entertain, Silver Spear, and Soda to England. . . Fred Perry shares Ellsworth Vines' enthusiasm for golf. . . Hans Steinke, former heavy-weight wrestler, is a mat referee on the Pacific coast.

Two sophomores with the Iowa baseball team on its southern trip are relatives of major league players. . . Harold Manders of Adel, Ia., right-handed pitcher, is a cousin of Bob Feller and Arthur Manush of Burlington is a nephew of Heinie Manush. . . Although Glenn Cunningham set them both in the same race, the American mile record is lower than the world's. . . Cunningham ran the distance in 4:06.7, but since the International federation does not recognize tenth of a second timing in races above a quarter of a mile the world mark is listed as 4:06.8.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK...

By Lemuel F. Parton

When Floods Subside

NEW YORK.—Two men in the news this week attest the fact that floods subside and wars end. It was only a few weeks ago that Churchill Downs was a dismal swamp. And now the Kentucky derby fanfare is on again, with the purse upped \$50,000 and the durable Colonel Matt Winn taking bows for having lined up again all the truly illustrious three-year-olds in the country, flood or no flood.

Ol' Man River backs away, and there is assured a braver flare of silks and trumpets than ever before, as the pastures grow green again in Wall street and Kentucky. This will be Colonel Winn's sixty-third Kentucky derby. He saw his first one in 1875, won by a little red horse called Aristides. He was a grocer's boy, watching the race from the tailboard of his employer's cart.

Being a romantic Irish lad, the excitement never stopped boiling. After that, he never could keep his mind on his groceries. He has had many a run-around in the racing business, but, at seventy-five, he isn't the least bit track-sore. As president of the Kentucky Jockey club and executive director of Churchill Downs, he rides recurrent floods like Noah and always finds dry land.

In 1907, the late James Butler opened the Empire City track, but the nabobs of racing hereabouts refused to recognize it. Mr. Butler signed up Colonel Winn to run it. In eight months it was given full recognition.

When Charles Evans Hughes squelched racing in New York state, Colonel Winn tried his fortune in racing and management at Juarez, Mexico, with unhappy results. He returned to Kentucky, where he just naturally belongs, and now he just about runs racing in Kentucky and Illinois. He is president of the American Turf association, which controls not only Churchill Downs, but also the tracks of Chicago and Laurel, Md.

The years paw at the Colonel's robust person the way the river paws at the track. So far, neither has won a decision. The Godolphin Arab, ancestor of all the Bangtails, was never more alive than the white haired Colonel Winn, with his genial, round face, up-tipped Irish nose and bright, twinkling eyes.

Proof the War is Over.

IT IS Dr. William R. Valentiner, curator of the Detroit Institute of Art, who provides this week's reminder that the war's over. As one of the most authoritative and highly respected art critics of the country, he passes as authentic the lost Rembrandt "Juno" portrait, which arrived in New York recently.

Seventeen years ago, there was considerable public concern as to whether Dr. Valentiner should be allowed to return to this country. This writer dredged up a most inopportune editorial on that subject—Yellow with age and strangely unreal in the world of today.

Dr. Valentiner, frock-coated and dignified curator of decorative arts at the Metropolitan museum, had been in Germany when the war started. He remained to fight for Germany. He was an artilleryman, twice decorated.

He wrote happily to his confreres at the museum that his elevation to the rank of vice-sergeant major relieved him from currying his own horse. He resigned from the museum when we entered the war.

Before coming to America, he had attained distinction as a curator at the Hague and at the Royal museums of Berlin. He became one of the world authorities on Rembrandt.

He contends that, of the 175 supposed Rembrandts in the United States and Canada, only forty-eight are genuine—incidentally, worth \$50,000,000, as "time and the river" roll on for 350 years.

Campos the Conqueror

ANOTHER Harvard man in the news—also in jail. The incarcerated Pedro Albizu Campos has been the spark plug, or main irritant, of the incipient revolution in Puerto Rico, flaring up again at San Juan with seven killed and fifty injured.

A wavy-haired mulatto with Valentino sideburns, pearl-button shoes and a Harvard degree, he has aspired to become the Henri Christophe of Latin America, spilling sesquipedalian words over eleven countries. His father was a Basque and his mother Spanish, Negro and Indian. He is frail in physique, of café con leche coloring, passionately intense and racked with patriotic fervor.

Last month, the nationalist party, leading the present agitation for independence, again elected him president. Several years ago, he started his movement with a black shirt army with wooden guns. His arrest and trial for sedition, with seven others last July, has kept Puerto Rico boiling ever since.

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Solons Excited Over Next War

Would Plan Sort of Insulation So We Could Be Free From European Squabble

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Our hard working lawmakers are in great excitement over the next war. Not our war—nobody here ever plans on that except the professional warriors of the army and navy, but our farseeing lawmakers have heeded the urge of the folks back home and are right now trying to arrange a sort of insulation so that we will not be affected adversely by someone else's war in Europe or Asia; nor be drawn, dragged or pushed into a foreign war as we were in 1917. War seems far, far away to the average American at home attending to his own affairs, but it is close to our far-flung diplomatic scouts who have an intimate view of Europe.

Along with these efforts at safe and war-shedding neutrality goes the slogan, "The time has come to take the profit out of war." Our American people long ago reached the idea that a war profiteer is pretty low down. That goes for the people who make ships, cannon, guns, powder and shot—but I'm wondering whether or not it will be acceptable to all the people when we learn that practically everything we grow as well as nearly everything we can make, will be needed abroad in war time.

We are all unanimous on keeping out of war—but we are divided on the method. We are, however, certain that we will not permit the death merchants to ship guns, shells, explosives, warplanes and other death-dealing material to any warring country. That keeps Americans from doing business with Spain right now or with any other European nation that may go to war. That's one big step forward and we have written that into a so-called neutrality law.

But when other nations start warring, their men are taken out of the fields and factories, and immediately will start buying their necessities here. That's where our difficulties will begin. For more than a hundred years we shipped stuff everywhere under the old red-white-and-blue slogan of the "Freedom of the Seas." We fought the War of 1812 for that freedom. We armed our merchant ships against German submarines in an effort to preserve that ideal in the last world war. Now we have apparently grown up sufficiently to realize that maintaining the freedom of the seas for ships, industry, exporters and what-have-you isn't worth the lives of thousands of young men and the expenditure of several billion dollars.

One idea about keeping us out of war is a complete embargo: no ships to leave our ports for any warring country at all. That is impossible to arrange and has never worked out with other nations. But we can adopt a "cash and carry" plan by which the nations at war ships, buy our goods and have full title to them before they leave our ports. That would put the responsibility on the other nations and we wouldn't have to defend shipments abroad to anybody. If the stuff being shipped should be sunk by one of the warring nations' ships or submarines—too bad; the U. S. A. is not involved. It is very much as if you brought the children in the house and locked the doors when there was a street fight out in front.

But it is far from being just that simple. If other nations should start warring within the next two or three years all of them would have to come here for goods and money. On this "cash and carry" basis, of course, the ship which carried American wheat, for instance, would have to be defended by its own navy for the enemy navy would be after it like a shot. Now the effect of such a "cash-and-carry" policy, then would be to give the strongest navy the benefit of our American trade. That means only England and Japan could buy from this country and get the goods home. That, the other countries are now saying, would practically make them the allies of Japan and England—because other countries could not defend their American purchases against the navies of either the Japanese or the English. Those things lead to war. You might say—"don't let's deal with any countries at war" but, brothers, remember that when the price of wheat, corn, beef, pork and other commodities shoot skyward, it becomes difficult to the point of impossibility to say "No," especially when other countries to the south of us rush forward with just as much wheat and just as much beef as we have. There will be no horror of warfare here—but a swell market and lots of cash. That is what happened in 1914.

But diplomatic experts say this strict cash-and-carry theory and neutrality by act of congress sounds well in debate but will never work out. What we need, they say, is a policy as to how we would react against war—and we should then give the President plenty of authority to make negotiations with the

other countries at the time the war starts and the complexities begin to face us. Lawmakers generally are inclined to fear this sort of executive power, although it is distinctly written into the Constitution. The President has charge of negotiations with other countries. As a nation we have begun to be wary and scared of executive power in dealing with other nations. The old urge to keep out of entangling alliances is tremendously strong with us. We have a national idea that we can isolate ourselves from the rest of the world—and do it by law. We trust congress rather than the President. Sounds solid and good, but it doesn't work. The other fellow will cheat us out of our eye-teeth and drag us into war, law or no law, unless we give our chief executives leeway to negotiate and do the right thing at the right time in case of a European or Asiatic war.

I think, however, that the President will accept any neutrality law congress gives him to sign. There has been a difference between the senate and house on the matter of leeway. The senate wants hard and fast neutrality and strict cash and carry terms. The house wants the same thing in general—but would permit the President to administer the cash-and-carry idea himself and steer us on that principle clear of the wiles of European diplomats. If he saw the cash and carry idea going haywire, he could use his judgment.

Indications are that the President will accept any bill handed to him to sign and let it ride until war threatens. If he can't keep us out of war by the means then in hand he will rush up to the Capitol as Woodrow Wilson used to do and put the matter squarely up to congress—and get the power he needs on the spot.

Right now people should realize that war and neutrality, seemingly so far off, are a bread and butter matter with us. Right now Germany needs fats, oils—pigs. Germany lost before partly because she was short on this farm product. The Southern Confederacy was able to hang on for months because the South had learned to breed the razor back hog. To this country in wartime would come hog buyers who would offer prices for hogs that would make each porker look like a gold mine, and in addition there would be a propaganda which would make this country ask: "Why shouldn't we help those fellows over there with our hogs. It's patriotic—and profitable."

The best journalistic minds here believe the President's Supreme court proposal will win in congress if the present general situation prevails. There are about thirty senators out of the present ninety-five who will never change their "no" to "aye." That is looked on as the irreducible minimum. The White House people are counting on about sixty votes in the senate, but the house is for the President and his plan to liberalize the American people by the mild short cut of a liberalized Supreme court.

The one solid element in organized American life backing the President is organized labor, which has been so badly treated by a majority of the court. Farm organizations are divided on the subject; and yet the Supreme court has denied all federal power to deal swiftly and directly with farm and agricultural problems. No matter what economic farm problems spread widely across the nation, transcending state lines and submerging the farm population under a flood of difficulties, the Supreme court majority said in the AAA opinion that agriculture is a local concern; the federal government cannot help.

The growing feeling here is that there is too much dictatorship in the Supreme court; that the five-to-four opinions which have upset the expressed will of the voters of states and the nation time and time again are closely allied with tyranny. For at least twenty-five years past the Supreme court has been turning down by narrow margins, laws designed to regulate labor in the interests of humane conditions, better hours, minimum wages, etc.

I have been deeply impressed by the number and fine character of the deans and heads of great law schools who stood before the senate judiciary committee to plead for the President's plan to enlarge the court if necessary, and inject liberal freedom into the work of the court. Dean Green of Northwestern university; James Landis, about to become a dean of Harvard law school, the great Professor Corwin of Princeton university; Dean Konop of Notre Dame, and many others whose views of the Constitution and the court are not clouded with retainers and fees from corporations, have warned the senate that the court has been out of touch with modern conditions. These men, like Justice Holmes, look upon the Constitution as a living thing. They see in it the people of the United States giving power to their legislatures to use all the power latent in the people, that is, all the power there is anywhere.

The practical situation left by the court in some of its labor and wage opinions is that organized labor leaders have leaped at the chance to declare that inasmuch as neither the federal nor state governments can help the working classes, the time has come to take matters into their own hands. That is what starts strikes and labor troubles.

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UNCOMMON AMERICANS

By Elmo Scott Watson

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Christmas Flower

WHEN you buy one of those scarlet-petaled flowers called the poinsettia to add to the festive appearance of your home at Christmas time, you are helping perpetuate the fame of an American who little realized that his name would become associated with one of the symbols of the Yuletide. For Joel R. Poinsett had so many other claims to distinction that it seems curious he is best remembered because a flower bears his name!

Born in South Carolina in 1779, he studied both medicine and military science abroad but his father induced him to abandon his intention of entering the army and to become a student of law. Poor health forced him to give that up and he asked President Madison for a commission in the army. He was about to be appointed quartermaster-general when the secretary of war objected.

Instead he was sent on a diplomatic mission to South America where he mixed in the politics of Chile, and fomented revolution until he became known as "the scourge of the American continent" and was recalled. Next he was sent to Mexico. Always interested in botany, he brought back from that country the flower which was given the scientific name of "Poinsettia Pulcherina."

Just as he had been a stormy petrel in international politics, so he was a disturbing element in the politics of his native land. During the Nullification controversy in South Carolina he organized and led the Unionist forces. By doing that he won the esteem of the national government and President Van Buren made him secretary of war.

Poinsett improved and enlarged the army, organized a general staff, built up the artillery, directed the Seminole war and managed the removal of some 40,000 Indians to Indian Territory. In the midst of this activity his scientific interests were not neglected. He experimented with scientific agriculture, sent out the Wilkes expedition into the Antarctic and was largely instrumental in founding the National Institute for the Promotion of Science and the Useful Arts which later was merged with the Smithsonian Institution. His busy career came to an end in 1851 while he was living in retirement as a plantation owner in his native state.

Brooklyn Bridge Jumper

BACK in the eighties the Brooklyn bridge was one of the wonders of the modern world. Its dedication on May 24, 1883 was an event of nation-wide interest but three years later it was even more in the news because of a man with whose name that great span has been linked in popular memory ever since.

He was Steve Brodie, bootblack, street car conductor, sailor and worker around the docks who became a professional walker as a means of earning some easy money. But he was never better than a second-rater and none of his walking matches ever benefited him greatly. In the summer of 1886 he was nearly "broke."

One day in July he heard some of his friends talking about the latest casualty among the men who had tried for fame and fortune by diving from the Brooklyn bridge to the river, 135 feet below. Seven of them had tried it and all of them had been killed.

"Huh, I bet you I could do it and not be killed," boasted Brodie. "Bet you \$100 you can't!" replied a friend. "You're on!" was Brodie's answer. But he was evidently none too confident that he could make good on his boast for he took out a life insurance policy for \$1,000 as a protection for his wife, just in case . . .

On July 23, 1886 Brodie jumped off the bridge and came up without a scratch. Officials of the life insurance company were furious because he had risked \$1,000 of their money to win \$100. They returned his premium and cancelled his policy—which was foolish, for he lived to a ripe old age!

His successful jump was widely publicized. It won him an engagement in a melodrama called "Blackmail" in which he had to dive off a great height into a net—a feat which, he declared, was even more dangerous than his jump from the bridge—and his performance in this (at \$100 a week) made "Brodie, the Brooklyn Bridge-Jumper" famous all over the country. His achievement encouraged imitators and during the next few years no less than 11 others tackled the nation's most spectacular high dive. Although the first seven had perished in their attempts, Brodie seemed to have broken the jinx, for every one of the 11 survived. By that time the novelty of such a feat had somewhat worn off. But Brodie's fame as the first to make a successful jump was secure. Moreover, he contributed another picturesque phrase to the American language, for "doing a Brodie" is still a synonym for a spectacular jump or plunge from a height.

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Tackle the work just in front
of you. Strive in an honest way
to do the best you can, and if,
having done your best, there
seems to appear the hand of some
over-ruling power which hammers
you, take it like a good piece of
steel and come right off the anvil
with a better temper and a keener
edge.—C. W. Post.

A gentleman is one who thinks
more of other people's feelings
than of his own rights; and more
of her people's rights than of his
own feelings.

JUNIOR GINGLES

If it always takes Ruby's hair
from Saturday afternoon until
late Sunday nite to dry.

If Wilmon knew Opal thought
he was "cutting off his nose to
spite his own face" when he
tries to spite her.

Whom Eldridge will take to
the Jr.-Sr. banquet.

Why Roy Jr. always gives a
current event about someone mar-
rying.

Roy Jr. and Wilburn won first
place in track Friday nite.

SIXTH GRADE NEWS

Mr. Nobody warns Patricia
she shouldn't have moved away;
her beau is courting another gal.
Guess who?

We are proud of the Sixth
grade. Gloria won first place in
essay. Wanda May won second
place in declamation and Gloria
won third. The members of the
sixth grade which were in Choral
Singing helped to win second
place. The sixth grade girls base-
ball team were beaten by Roscoe
fourteen to fifteen. The boys
sixth and seventh grade baseball
team were "skunked" by the
Colorado team.

SOPHOMORE SIGNALS

We are very proud that some
of our sophs won in the events
that they were entering. Iona
Callahan won first place in ex-
temporaneous speaking.

We wonder why so many were
absent April 1. They must have
gone on an April fool picnic.

SENIOR PLAY

At last the characters for the
Senior play, "In the Corner
Cupboard", have been selected!
All the characters are working
diligently on their parts. The date
hasn't as yet been definitely set
for the play but it will be decid-
ed soon. Everyone watch for the
date of the Senior Play.

HOW IS BUSINESS

"Business is Poor," says the
beggar.
Said the Undertaker, "It's Dead."
"Falling Off," said the school
teacher.

The Druggist, "Oh Vial," he
said.

"It's all Write with me," said
the author.

"Picking Up," said the man on
the dump.

"My Business is Sound," quotes
the bandman.

Said the athlete, "I'm kept on
the jump."

The bottler declared it was Cork-
ing.

"I make both ends Meet," said
the butcher.

The tailor replied, "It Suits me."

BAND NEWS

The Band has been rushed the
last week-end. Monday night
March 29, the band was invited
to play a brief concert at the
High School Auditorium in Colo-
rado before the one-act plays of
Loraine and Westbrook Friday.
April 2, the Band played a short
concert at the assembly program
of the Interscholastic League
Meet.

A tour has been planned for the
Band in the near future. A lot of
hard work is being done by the
Band preparing for the Contest
in which they will participate.
At Lubbock April 30-31. This
Contest includes several bands
from over Western Texas.

FRESHMEN FROLICS

Some of the Freshmen are get-
ting "kinda" frisky. Why would
you believe that?

Wennola had a date every
night of the week end.
That La Verne went to Colo-
rado over the week end quite a
bit.

That Doris met a "gab" of
new boys Friday.

Frances Riden went to Colo-
rado Monday nite. Wonder
whom she went with?

That Travis spent Friday night
at a hotel in Colorado.

Really, folks, the Freshmen are
getting a bit too frisky.

PROVERBS

A woman's promise to be on
time carries a lot of weight.

Will-power is the ability to eat
one salted peanut. A real tree of
knowledge is the date tree. Some
girls don't mind going out with
strong silent men as long as they
let their money do the talking.

No engagement can last unless
it's built on a stone foundation.

The modern girl may know her
English, but she doesn't object
if a guy ends a sentence with a
proposition.

ODDS AND ENDS

The Seniors have received their
play books and have selected the
characters.

Billie Rowland visited in Lub-
bock over the week-end.

Ruth Anne Hall was absent
from school Monday because of
illness or maybe its the cooking
she ate over the week end at
Riden's.

Where could we find that Joe
Allbright to day? Too much Od-
essa?

Al Simmons did right well in
the County Meet Friday. If we

had all done that well, where
would Loraine have been?

Ruby Jo: "Who's the Close-
mouthed fellow over there in the
corner? He hasn't spoken a word
for the last fifteen minutes."

Price: "Him? That's Alden
Lee. He ain't colse-mouthed he's
jiss wait'in' for the storekeeper to
bring back the spittoon."

Jesses: "Yes, I've seen a few
bad crop years in my time too.
One year our stringbeans were so
poor that the crop didn't even
pay for the string."

"That's nothing, Jess. In 1914
our corn crop was so bad that my
brother Bob James who has a
very poor appetite, ate up 14
acres of corn at a single meal."

Marvin: "Father, my Sunday
school teacher says if I'm good
I'll go to heaven"

Father: "Well?"

Marvin: "Well, you said if I
were good I'd go to the Circus;
now, I want to know who's tell-
ing the truth?"

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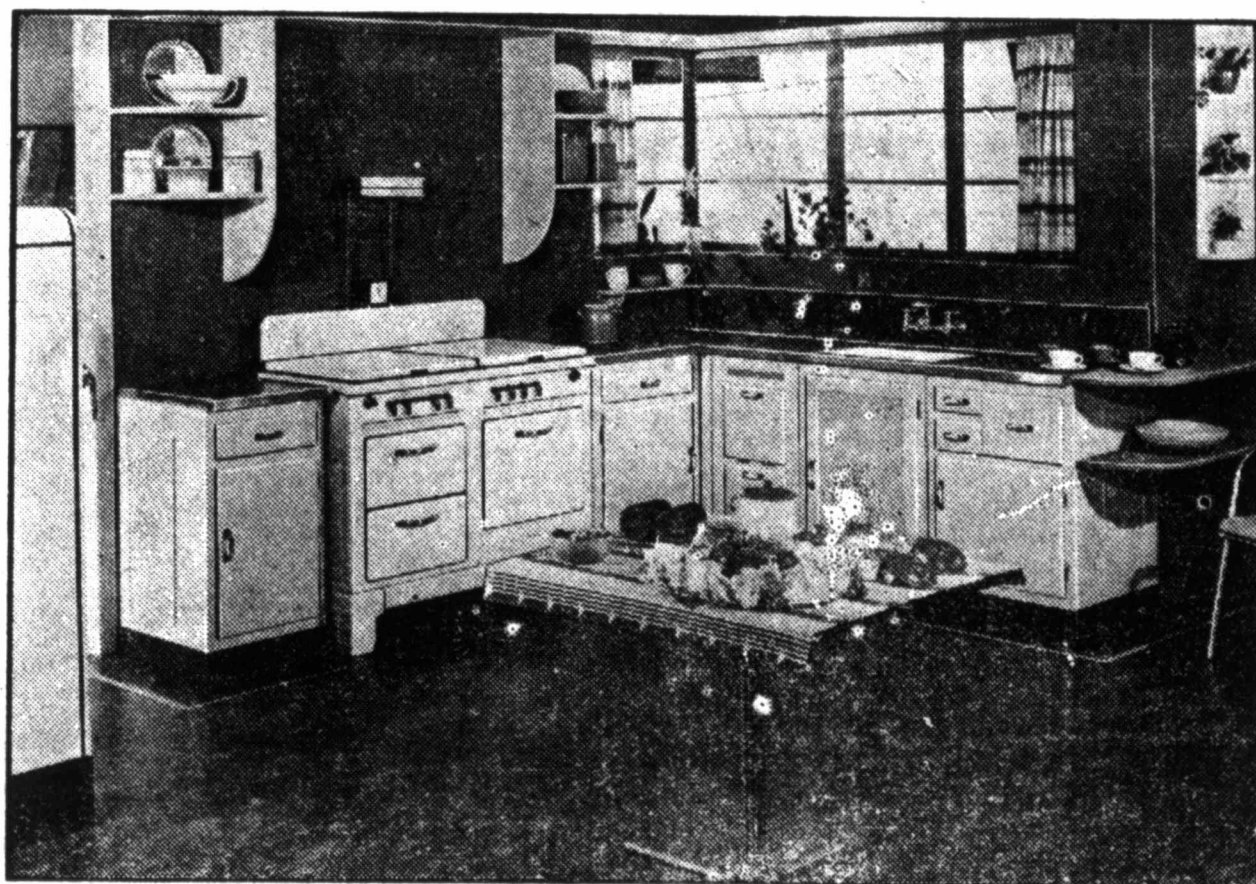
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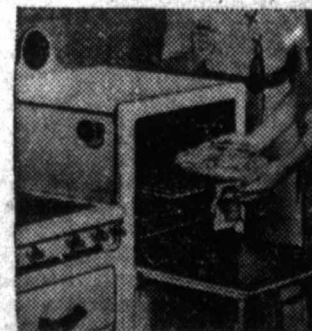
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WEEKLY HEALTH LETTER

Austin, Texas April 5.—Governor James V. Allred has proclaimed May 1 as the eleventh annual Child Health Day in Texas, in conjunction with a national observance of the day under proclamation issued by the President of United States. The State Department of Health is sponsoring May Day in Texas.

Governor Allred said, "May day has become an incentive for campaigns to immunize our children smallpox, diphtheria, typhoid fever, Whooping cough to encourage child health clinics—dental, prenatal, preschool, and to find and treat crippled children; to wage safe milk campaigns, realizing that the health and security of our children are essential to the well-being of our State and

Nation, and as such deserving encouragement through the development of plans to promote maternal and child health and to extend child welfare, now therefore, I, James V. Allred, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby proclaim May 1 as Child Health Day, and urge all agencies, public and private, concerned with the health and welfare of children, on this day to cooperate in the plans of Federal, State and local agencies in promoting the health and security of the mothers and children of Texas, and to make arrangements for carrying these benefits to the children of every county in the State."

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PROCLAMATION

BY THE MAYOR

The week of April 12th to 17th inclusive, has been designated as SPRING FIRE PREVENTION CLEAN-UP WEEK.

A Spring Clean-up Campaign should receive the enthusiastic support of every man, woman, and child. First, every citizen should have a wholesome pride in his home city, its streets, playgrounds, and buildings. Homes and surroundings freshly painted, with well kept lawns and gardens increase property values and intensify community interest. Cleanliness creates cheer, courage, and confidence. Secondly, because every dollar in property destroyed by fire, which frequently is the result of "careless" housekeeping in the home and in the average place of business, is a serious drain upon our present economic condition. Thirdly, and humanly most important, because in the last ten years too many of our citizens have lost their lives due to carelessness in the daily use of fire, and the preservation of human life is an important matter.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. C. Hall, Mayor of the City of Loraine, do hereby designate the week of April 12th to 17th, inclusive, as SPRING FIRE PREVENTION CLEAN-UP WEEK and most respectfully call upon all departments of the city, Civic Clubs, Patriotic Organizations and our people in general to take an active part in this Clean-up Campaign.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto sign my name and seal of office this the 5th day of April, A. D. 1937.

J. C. HALL,
Mayor of the City of Loraine, Texas.

ATTEST:
JACK TILLISON,
City Secretary.

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SOUTH CHAMPION NEWS

Rev. Clyde Childers of Westbrook filled the pulpit here for Rev. Merrett Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Merrett is helping Rev. Childers in a spring revival this week.

Our Y. W. A. girls put on an Easter program Friday night of last week at the church. Those taking part were Hantine, Laton and Neal Bankhead, Opal Joe and Ledger Dyess, Velma and Zelma Garrett, Pauline and Gracy Lee Richey, Mildred and Pauline Hair, Ora Lou, Burnice and Marie Hawkins, and Annie Kiser. Mrs. Merrett, Y. W. A. president, was at the piano. The program was beautifully rendered before a large audience.

The B. T. U. study course was

well attended last week.

Champion Home Demonstration Club met Monday to paint their room and to make curtains. 10 ladies were present. The club met in regular meeting last Wednesday with 13 present. Mrs. Lentz, Mrs. Blackwell and our president, Mrs. Johnson, were hostesses. A lovely time was had by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wiman, Mr. and Mrs. Mearse, Mrs. Ruth Garrett and Misses Bera Thraillkill, Ora Lou Hawkins, and Bankhead attended workers conference at Loraine Tuesday of this week.

Reporter.

Let your home town printer do your printing for you—it pays no trade at home.

Pan American Fair Traces Mexico's Mails Back Through Centuries to Indian Runners

PAN AMERICA, Dallas, Texas, March 29.—From the days when Aztec runners carried hieroglyphs of tribal chieftains to Montezuma and emperors before him, through the centuries down to today's super-efficient postal system of Mexico, the means of communications below the Rio Grande will be shown in an exhibit planned as part of the Mexican participation in the Pan American Exposition at Dallas.



Mexico's Postmaster General Alfonso Gomez Morenita

Postmaster General Alfonso Gomez Morenita of Mexico has not committed his government definitely to the idea. In a recent visit with Director General Frank L. McNary of Pan America, however, he described the plan he has for portraying an intriguing story; how the mail has gone through between Mexico City and points outlying from the capital since the days when it was Tenochtitlan.

Long before European governments first thought of systemized postal service, the Incas and Aztecs had a runner system of carrying their cochineal-dyed writings on silk and maguey fibers about official business of empires that flourished before the Golden Age of Greece.

In Montezuma's reign, communications had developed to the stage that, when Cortez landed his conquistadores at Vera Cruz the news was transmitted in less than twenty-four hours to the emperor at the capital, 200 miles away. The mails from Spain and how they were carried, how mail was introduced as a new and faster beast of burden and developments from the very start of the Mexican national government are on record as part of a treasured collection in the postoffice department at Mexico City.

LONE STAR TWINKLINGS

Several from this community attended the singing at Pleasant Ridge Sunday.

The Lone Star school enjoyed a picnic at Valley View April 1.

The pupils have finished their six-weeks exams and those on the honor roll are: First grade A, Jane Coffe, B Tabuaga Linam; Second grade B Janell Henderson, Devel Taylor, Lucile Taylor, Billie Gene Finch; Third grade A Lavern Henderson, Billie Joe Preston, Evonne Crowover, James Barron, Elmer Lee Hays, Norris Taylor, Billie Tom Clements; Fourth grade A Darwin Hamilton, Mary Lee Coffe; B Robert Earl Smith, Eloise Hays, Ruth Martin, Mary Frances Walker; Fifth grade A Maxine Bullard; B Merdin Bennett, Raymond Nix, Billie True Linam.

The writer failed to get the honor roll for Mr. McPherson's room, it will be sent next week. George Hall was elected trustee Saturday to succeed Charlie Hamilton.

Marvin Walker is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanders of the Pyron Community visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sanders, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bennett of Sweetwater spent Sunday in the

home of his mother, Mrs. J. F. Bennett. Reporter.

METHODIST W. M. S.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist Church met at the church Monday afternoon at three o'clock with eleven members present.

The study course was presented by Mrs. T. C. Wilson. The secretary, Miss Isla Bruce, gave an interesting report.

We had a very interesting business meeting. Mrs. W. S. Thomas was elected delegate to the conference at Stamford.

The 100 Psalm was used for devotional. Two songs, "Give of Your Best to the Master" and "Let the Beauty of Jesus be seen in Me" were sung.

We were dismissed with prayers by Mrs. F. J. Piquet, Mrs. T. A. Martin, and Mrs. T. C. Wilson. Reporter.

We want to publish all the news about the people in and around Loraine. We cannot do so without YOUR help. Won't you please call 65 if you have had visitors from out of town or have visited out of town yourself?



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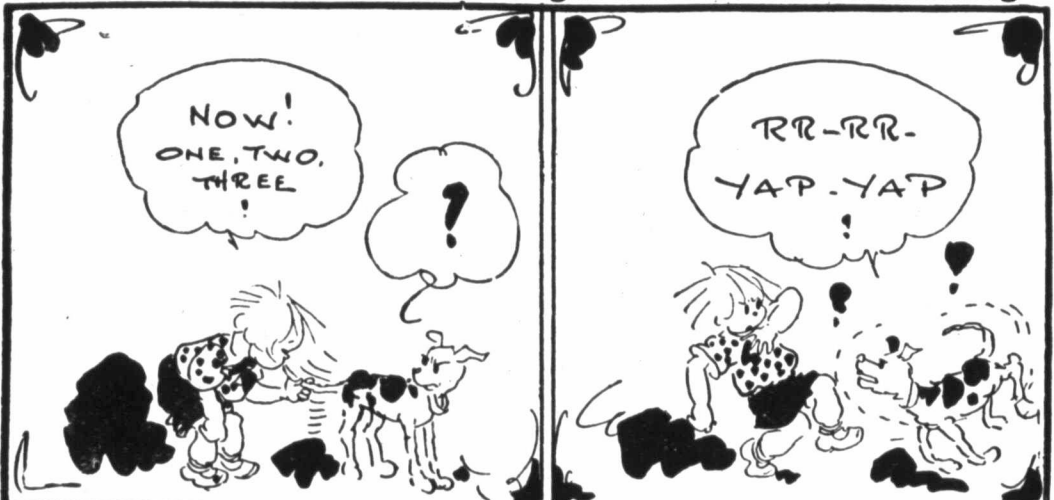
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It's Quack



SMATTER POP—The Pooch Might Have Learned Something



A Break for Muley



MESCAL IKE

By S. L. HUNTLEY



Counter Attack



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Withers Overhears a Name



DOOR-BELLS

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



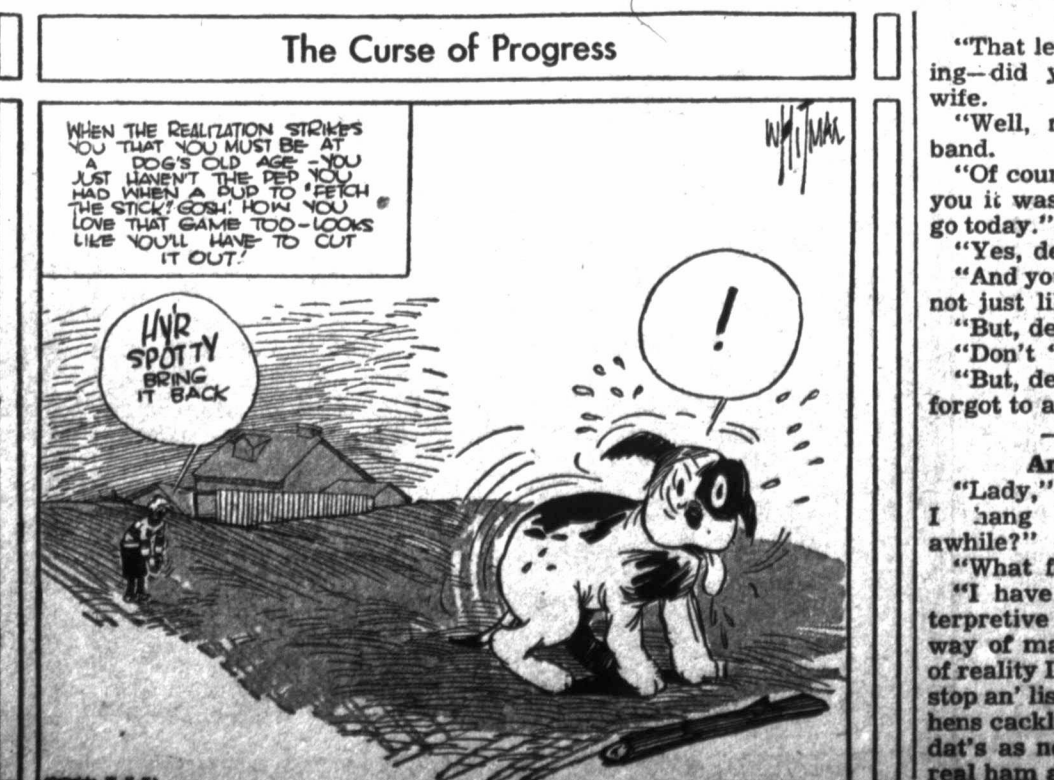
The Curse of Progress



Oversight



An Art Experiment



My Favorite Recipe

By Irene Rich
Film Actress

Chicken Stew
Divide a chicken, stew until tender, and remove to hot platter. To the stock add one-half cupful of rice and dumplings made as follows:
Beat one egg, add one-half cupful of water, pinch of salt, and sufficient flour to make a thin batter; drop by spoonfuls into the stock and cook about ten minutes. If rice is uncooked it should be boiled twenty minutes before dumplings are added.
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FOR EARLY MORNING HEADACHES



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Liking Duty
The secret of happiness is not in doing what one likes, but in liking what one has to do—Elbert Hubbard.

A Good Laxative

The bad feelings and dullness often attending constipation take the joy out of life. Try a dose of Black-Draught at the first sign of constipation and see how much better it is to check the trouble before it gets a hold on you. Black-Draught is purely vegetable and is so prompt and reliable. Get refreshing relief from constipation by taking purely vegetable

BLACK-DRAUGHT

Radiant Sunshine
Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves.—J. M. Barrie.

A FAMOUS DOCTOR

As a young man the late Dr. E. V. Pierce practiced medicine in Pa. After moving to Buffalo, N. Y., he gave to the drug trade (nearly 70 years ago) Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Women who suffer from "nervous," irritability and disturbance associated with functional disturbances should try this tonic. It stimulates the appetite and this in turn increases the intake of food, helping to rebuild the body. Buy now! Tab. 50c, Liquid \$1.00 and \$1.35.

Injuring Friendship
He takes the greatest ornament from friendship, who takes modesty from it.—Cicero.



Tax That's Collected
Someone wants to tax sin. Well, isn't it taxed?

Watch Your Kidneys!

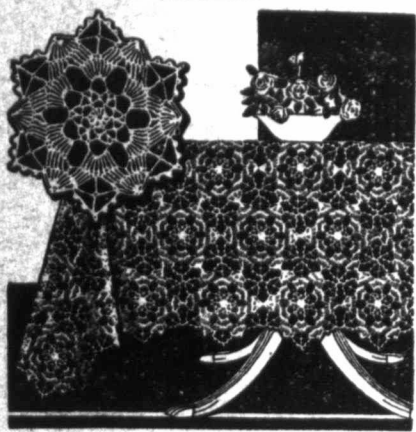
Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste
Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.
Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength.
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There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have been winning new friends for more than forty years. They have a nation-wide reputation. Are recommended by grateful people the country over. Ask your neighbor!

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"Quotations"

One of the most valuable of all kinds of self-mastery is the power of switching off thoughts at the bidding of the will.—Dean Inge.
The man who is a law unto himself is not a social or, strictly speaking, a moral creature.—William Stead.
The will to live is often more powerful than any drug. When the will gives in the body surrenders.—Bruce Barton.

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Pattern 1345

A chance at rare beauty—genuine luxury—is yours in this lovely crocheted lace cloth! Just a 6 inch medallion crocheted in string forms it—you'll have a quantity of them together in no time. And what lovely gifts you can make of them—chair sets, scarfs, pillows, buffet sets are but a few suggestions. They cost you next to nothing and are something that will last and be cherished indefinitely. Pattern 1345 contains directions for making the medallion and joining it to make various articles; illustrations of it and of all stitches used; material requirements.

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Write plainly pattern number, your name and address.

Sheep in Wolf's Clothing

R. C., department store manager in an Idaho town, scanning the aisles for shoplifters, spotted a "suspicious-looking" woman. He trailed her to another store, informed the manager, and left, thinking himself quite a sleuth. A few minutes later the Chief of Police phoned. "That woman you've been watching for the past two hours is one of the detectives you hired to stop shoplifting."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a tonic which has been helping women of all ages for nearly 70 years. Adv.

Friends in Adversity

True friends visit us in prosperity only when invited, but in adversity they come without invitation.—Theophrastus.

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Wills vs. Wishes

Great souls have wills; feeble ones have only wishes.—Chinese Proverb.

CARDUI

In this modern time something wonderfully worth while can be done for practically every woman who suffers from functional pains of menstruation. Certain cases can be relieved by taking Cardui. Others may need a physician's treatment. Cardui has two widely demonstrated uses: (1) To ease the immediate pain and nervousness of the monthly period; and (2) to aid in building up the whole system by helping women to get more strength from their food.

Govern Your Thoughts

"It is thy power to think as thou wilt.—Walter Pater.

Stomach Gas So Bad Seems To Hurt Heart

"The gas on my stomach was so bad I could not eat or sleep. Even my heart seemed to hurt. A friend suggested Adierika. The first dose I took brought me relief. Now I eat as I wish, sleep fine and never feel better."

—Mrs. Jas. Miller.
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Dr. H. L. Shook, New York, reports: "In addition to intestinal cleansing, Adierika greatly reduces heartburn and colic." Give your bowels a REAL cleansing with Adierika and see how good you feel. Just one spoonful relieves GAS and stubborn constipation. At all Leading Drugstores.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

A lady comes to clean our house. Who bothers me a lot. So scornfully she bangs around. What little things I've got.



New Suits Stress Contrast Wools

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



ALMOST any suit is trumps in spring fashions. The great variety of wool fabric has been an inspiration to the designers, who have outdone themselves in creating irresistible suits ranging in type from the most casual sports model to the most formal dressmaker suits.

The outstanding appeal of suits this spring is their ingenious play of contrast—the most fascinating contrasts in weaves and in patterns, some plaided, some striped, others such as bright tweeds with multi-colored nubbings and other amazing novelty weaves, these contrasted with plain most fetchingly.

The old story of mannish tailored suits is given several brand new twists this season, greatly due to revived fashion interest in fabrics that were your grandmother's favorites when she was a girl.

The old-fashioned, now new-fashioned tweeds which are showing such strong revival are as adaptable to dressmaker suits, which are femininity itself, with their quaint pleums and soft stitched lapels as they are to strictly classic tailors.

TAFETTA WITH NET

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Net enters into many phases of the mode this season, not the least important of which is its use for daytime dresses and for tailored themes, in contrast to its sprightly bouffancy for full-skirted party frocks. The very good-looking tailored afternoon dress here shown is of black net of bengal yarn banded with black taffeta. You'll find this gown a friend indeed all spring and all summer. Just now it is ideal to wear under your coat. Top with a gay little chapeau and you will be ready to go anywhere social appointments may call.

Acetylene Speeds Fruit Growth
Acetylene—the fuel which gives the acetylene torch its hot flame—is claimed, in a patent granted, to cause pineapples to flower and mature four times faster than normally.

Locomotive in Museum
The locomotive which pulled the first train on Japan's first railway, in 1872, was recently transported by truck to the new Railway museum in Tokio, where it will stay.

Gray, beige, postman blue and navy are favorites in tweils.

Sheer wools and wool crepes in solid or novelty patterned fabrics answer to the call for bolero and eon jacket suits. Often the bolero, or some such jacket type, is of the novelty wool topping a suit or tailored dress of monotone weave. These feminine devices in refreshing versatile moods will be flourishing the entire season through and we've seen them with linings and blouses in bright or pastel taffeta with either swing or full-pleated skirts.

For planning a spring wardrobe, the three-piece suit is a logical beginning. By three-piece we mean any type suit or tailored wool dress you may choose plus a weather-resisting topcoat or a debonair cape (capas are so very smart) in a gorgeous woolen that accents color glory and weave to an exciting degree.

Your suit choice may be delightfully frivolous and youthful, stressing a perk jigger coat, (the young set adores this new type) especially if it is of gay tapestry plaid woolen in colors of saddle-tan and brown as centered in the group pictured. Note the small pointed collar and diagonal slash pockets. The skirt in saddle-tan shetland-weed has three stitched gores in front, and the matching border-stitched tuxedo of the coat buttons down on either side of the collar.

Perhaps you prefer to top a lustrious fleece wool in saddle-tan with a finger-tip swagger coat that fastens high at the neck with an unusual leather clasp, as illustrated to the left. The suit itself has five leather buttons down the front of its jacket, because leather trimmings are quite the rage this season.

In the model to the right the color contrast theory is worked out stunningly in that the collarless cutaway jacket worn with this smart finger-tip jacket-suit of men's wear flannel, is of gray and red check woolen with a red belt and ascot for accents. Topped with its jaunty swaggy coat in a gray herringbone wool the idea of using three contrasting wool weaves is demonstrated to a nicety. And so in conclusion, whatever system you use, in a swank suit, you'll lead in fashion-rightness—and with finesse.

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WHIMS OF FASHION

Redingotes are "tops" in early spring coat showings.

Saddle-stitching is the latest word for high-lighting leather belts and bags.

Forehead ringlets are said to be next in the general trend of hair styles.

Cloth coat dress with fur neck-piece competes with suits and top-coats.

More and more braid trimming details appear on better dresses this spring.

Tweed suits with suede coats are being sold for spring and travel wear.

It seems there's a possibility—at least a certainty—that knee-length evening dresses are coming back, with belts slung inches below the normal waistline.

Laziness Is Unknown
Laziness is unknown in Barbados. To eat, one must work, so it is either work or starve. The result is that Barbadians are anxious to do any kind of work that presents itself.

An Escadrille
The modern meaning of the word escadrille is a squadron (usually eight) of war vessels. In the French army it means six airplanes. It is the French word for squadron.

HOW ARE YOU TODAY

DR. JAMES W. BARTON

Talks About

Inherited Overweight

WHEN a patient consults a physician regarding a reduction in his or her weight one of the first questions the physician will ask is about the parents: grandparents, uncles, aunts and cousins. If there is a "tendency" to overweight on the side of either of the parents, the physician knows that the weight reduction is likely to take time.



Dr. Barton

Dr. R. Gurney, Buffalo, in Archives of Internal Medicine, Chicago, studied seventy-five stout women in the outpatient department of the Buffalo General hospital, with three points in mind: (1) the factors associated with the onset of overweight as compared to the same factors or circumstances occurring in a non-stout group of women; (2) the incidence or occurrence of overweight in the parents of the stout group as opposed to that in the parents of a non-stout group; (3) the body build of the progeny or children of different matings with especial reference to inheritance of build.

Fifty-five women who were definitely not stout were chosen at random as "controls" (that is, for comparison because they were of normal weight and build). These "controls" were of the same age group as the stout women and had practically the same number of operations and the same number of children — operations and childbirth were named by both groups of women as the time at which they noticed the great increase in weight. Others reported that the great increase in weight came on at puberty (14 to 16 years of age) and others that it came on at the change of life (45 to 50 years of age).

When the "build" of the parents of the stout group and of the control group is investigated a difference in the occurrence of overweight is noticed.

Many Had Stout Parents

Of sixty-one stout women whose family history was easily investigated, twenty-six had a stout mother, nine had a stout father, and fifteen had both a stout mother and a stout father. In contrast to all this stoutness in the family history, of the forty-seven not stout patients whose family history was also easily investigated, fourteen had a stout mother, one had a stout father, and three had both a stout mother and a stout father.

Thus in the non-stout group there was a total of 38 per cent with either one or both parents stout as opposed to 82 per cent in the stout group.

It is in the cases with an "inherited" tendency to overweight that a physician is justified in using gland extracts. Where the excess weight is distributed all over the body, the thyroid extract may be of help. Where the excess weight is over abdomen, hips and shoulders, with forearms and lower legs slender, the use of extract of the anterior pituitary gland (the little gland lying on the floor of the skull) should give results.

Planning Health and Energy

When the business man plans that his income will take care of expenses, he is said to budget his financial undertakings. A great many housewives work on or use a budget, putting aside so much for rent, for food, for fuel, for clothing, for medical and dental attention and a little for the savings bank.

It would seem then that it would be only good sense if each and every one of us were to budget our health, our energy, so that we could do all that was possible for our health or energy to do without robbing ourselves and so causing ill health and lack of energy.

Dr. George Crile, in his book "Diseases Peculiar to Civilized Man" shows how the insane desire for speed of all kinds which afflicts and sometimes seems like to ruin this rather mad generation, is the cause of such well recognized ailments as ulcer of the stomach and intestine, increase in the activity of the thyroid gland in the neck, so that all the processes of the body are driven at an increased rate of speed, weakness of the muscular and nervous system, and brought about the knowledge of how to cure these conditions by cutting the transmission between the brain and the overdriven organs.

The treatment is for the physician to show the patient that it is overspending of energy in work or play that is causing the symptoms. Copyright—WNU Service.

Flag Display on Capitol

During the daytime, when congress is in session, the national flag is displayed over the senate and a house of representatives wings. When either of those bodies is not in session, the flag is not displayed over that wing. At night a light in the lantern at the top of the dome of the Capitol indicates that one or both branches are in session.

Two Islands

The Japanese island of Tsushima becomes two islands at high water.

AROUND the HOUSE

Items of Interest to the Housewife

Boiling Cabbage — When you cook cabbage, put a small handful of breadcrumbs tied in muslin into the pan. The bread absorbs all the bitter juices and makes the vegetable more digestible.

Worn Socks — Children very often get enormous holes in the heels of their socks. This is often due to the lining of the shoe which has worn rough. If the ragged bits are cut off and the inside of the shoe covered with adhesive tape, many a large "hole" will be prevented.

Washing Embroidery — Do not wring embroidery after washing. Press out as much moisture as possible between the folds of a towel, then spread on a towel or blotter to dry, face up.

Cooking Vegetables — A small piece of butter added to the water in which vegetables are to be cooked will prevent them from boiling over.

Flavoring Gravy — Half milk and half water makes the best colored and best flavored gravy.

Suede Shoes — Rain spots can be removed from suede shoes by rubbing with fine emery board.

Sausage and Fried Apples — Pan broil the required number of small sausages or cakes of sausage meat and as soon as the fat

collects, add as many halved, cored and unpeeled apples as required, first dipping them in flour to which a little sugar has been added. Sauté slowly until soft and browned. Place on a serving dish, with two small sausages on each half.

Ironing Shirts — Soft collars attached to shirts should be ironed on the right side first, then on the wrong side. This prevents wrinkling the collar. WNU Service.

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A Kingly Act

It is a kingly action, believe me, to come to the help of those who are fallen.—Ovid.



Dare to Win

You have greatly ventured, but all must do so who would greatly win.—Byron.

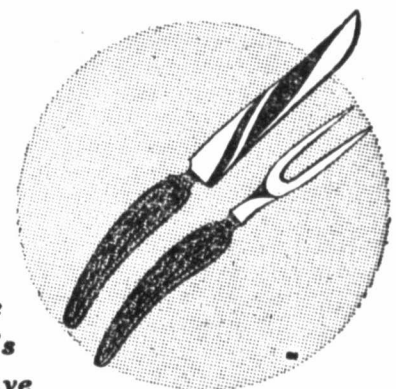
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By Fred Neher



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LOCALS

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brannon of Levelland visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wilcox of Odessa spent the week end here with home folks.

If you want the best selling Radio today, both Farm and Electric. See it at Hutchins and Hall (Drugs).

Robert Hendrick left Sunday for San Angelo where he has accepted a position in a store.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin of Abilene was a visitor in Lorraine Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Shofner and daughter of Levelland spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Coffee.

Good Cooking is made easy on a new Norge Range. See Hutchins and Hall (Drugs).

Mrs. Henry Glestine of Hermleigh spent Tuesday with Mrs. H. W. Hallmark while Mr. Glestine attended the workers conference at the Baptist Church.

Our tailor-made suits and clothing and pressing cannot be beat. Give us a trial and be convinced. Leggotts Tailor Shop. (Adv.)

Mrs. Brock of Hermleigh spent Tuesday here with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hallman.

We have a nice assortment of straw hats to pick from at reduced prices, both work and dress wear. Leggotts Tailor Shop. (adv)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hale Wednesday a new baby.

Permanents \$1 and up. Mrs. D. L. Cranfill.



The Radiant Lady

Cool and lovely as the creamy lily, she has a secret: It's about how she got that way! It seems that she visits a charming place where a skilled artist works magic to beautify all who come there. Listen! She'll tell you its name—

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If you can't eat or sleep and awful gas bloats you up try Adlerika. One dose rids you of gas and cleans foul poisons out of BOTH upper and lower bowels. Hutchins and Hall, Druggists.

If you have not renewed your subscription to The News, better do so now before you miss an issue or two. Only \$1 a year.

S. M. Hallmark is reported on the sick list this week.

Walter Honea left Sunday for Corpus Christi where he expects to find employment.

Merchants Sales Books 40c, per dozen at The News Office.

Dr. H. L. Ison and granddaughter, Betty Jean Ison, of Legion, Texas, are visiting Dr. Ison's brother, Jeff Ison this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spikes and Winnedell left Tuesday for Pampa to visit Charles.

Shoe Repair Shop Open



I have re-opened my Shoe Repair Shop in the same location and your business will be appreciated.

I have installed a new Dye Machine and can dye your shoes any color.

N. J. Brians

QUILT SHOW

Friday-Saturday

April 9th, 10th

Quilts Must be in Store not later than Friday noon.

Winners of prizes will be determined by free votes.	
Most Attractive Quilt	\$2.00
Second Prize	\$1.00
Prettiest Quilt Top	\$1.00

Thornhill Dry Goods

LORAINE, TEXAS

Goodbye, Mr. Gloom!

... We're a jolly bunch of renegades ... our sole purpose in life is to give Old Man Gloom the gate and usher in Mr. Sunshine by way of a million laughs. Turn to the Funny Page in every issue and let us help dispel those troubles!

• No man can really live by bread alone. Yes, we admit he'll EXIST, but there will be heavy lines of care running down his face, he'll forget how to smile.

• Verily, we humans need a few hearty guffaws now and then to chase away those wrinkles of care and give our spirits a lift. That's why this newspaper runs a collection of laugh-provoking comic strips on the Funny Page. Amid the depressing news of floods and earthquakes, crime and war, economic troubles and a host of other maladjustments on the face of Mr. World, it's a pleasant relaxation to shut your eyes on the day's bad tidings.

• You can get a joyful lift in spirits from the comics. We invite our readers to take a big swallow of this bottled sunshine. Turn to the Funny Page right now and forget your troubles!

• Our comic characters are a versatile lot, as you'll notice by glancing down the accompanying panel. If you want to chuckle over real troubles, turn to C. M. Payne's strip "S'Matter Pop," and see what a whale of an order he has to keep these boys of his under control ... Or glance at the adventures of the intellectual Adamson, as drawn by O. Jacobson.

• Something that will truly draw tears—of laughter—are Gluyas Williams' mischievous but lovable youngsters, Junior and the Baby ... Then there's "Finney of the Force," by Ted O'Loughlin, as comical and as true-to-life an Irishman as ever slipped a night stick ... Life out in Cactus Center, as described in S. L. Huntley's "Mescal Ike," has its exciting moments when its rip roaring citizens are on the loose ... And when it comes to "The Featherheads," by Osborne, they speak for themselves. In fact, that's the best thing they do!

• Let these bearers of fun whittle your blues down to size. Toss trouble right out the window and get a new lease on life through the comic page—turn to it right now!