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REAL FOOD VALUES FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Sunbrite Cleanser, 3 for	10c
Clorox	14c
Purex, qt.	19c
Cedar Polish, 24 oz. bottle	24c

Dried Fruit	
Peaches, choice fruit, 4 lb.	49c
Apricots, 10 lb.	\$1.15
Prunes, 10 lb. box	69c
Raisins, 4 lb.	33c
Prunes, 2 lb. box Del Monte	23c

Flour, Royal Arch, 48 lb.	\$1.59
Flour, 24 lb. Gilt Edge	74c
Syrup, Double Check or Bud, gal.	59c
Coffee, W P, lb. 23c Hill Billy	27c
Baking Powder, Gold Label, 2 lb.	19c
Cocoa, 2 lb.	15c
Crackers, 2 lb. box	19c

Cereals	
Corn Flakes, box	11c
Puffed Wheat or Rice, box	9c
Post Bran or Raisin Bran, 2 for	23c
Wheaties, Krumbles, All Bran, 2 for	23c

Market Specials	
Roast, rib or brisket, 3 lb.	37c
Steak, good and tender, lb.	18c
Good Country Side Bacon, lb.	25c
Dry Salt Jowls, lb.	17c
Lunch Meats, all kinds, lb.	23c
Pork Chops, lb.	25c

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Mrs. Josie Adamson

Mrs. Josie Adamson was born Aug. 10, 1859, in Rockwall county Texas. Died June 9, 1937. She was 77 years, 9 months, 29 days old.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. Thursday conducted by Rev. V. A. Hansard, assisted by Rev. B. J. Osborn and Rev. M. E. Wells. Local pastors of our town. Special songs were a duet, "Will the Circle Be Unbroken" by Alton Hawkins and Clyde Adams, husbands of two of her granddaughters, and a quartette, "When the Saints Go Marching In", by Rev. B. J. Osborn, R. W. Alewine, Mrs. Ross Adamson and Miss Je Wells.

Members of the Adamson-Lane Post of the American Legion were pallbearers. They were Lake Dishman, Herman Kirkpatrick, Coyt Doherty, Robert Davis, Clifford Johnson and Ed Kinslow. Honorary pallbearers were W. E. Reeves, R. H. Jones, M. W. Mesley, J. T. Bain, J. A. Tollett, W. I. Rains, E. H. Watt, J. P. Devine, T. R. Mereman and J. B. Masterson. Those in charge of the flowers were Mesdames J. G. McDougal, W. I. Rains, J. B. Masterson, J. A. Moreman, E. H. Watt, J. A. Tollett, V. A. Hansard, R. H. Jones and S. C. Richerson.

A large crowd assembled to pay their last respects to "Aunt Josie", and the floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. She was laid to rest in the Rowe cemetery to await the resurrection.

Mrs. Adamson was married at Ocala in 1877 to S. L. Adamson, who departed this life in 1927. To this union nine children were born, two sons and seven daughters. Two daughters, Arva and Ula, died in infancy. Another daughter, Ludie, died at the age of 19. The youngest son, Wesley, was killed in the World War in 1918. Surviving children are Mrs. O. R. Culwell of Hedley, Mrs. Oia Weber of Denver, Mrs. Nova Tomberlin of Los Angeles, R. G. Adamson of Denver and Mrs. Ray Storseth of Amarillo.

Mrs. Adamson was a pioneer in both Collin and Donley counties. She and her husband came to Donley county in an early day. They joined the Baptist Church at Rowe then moved with the town to Hedley. One of her granddaughters was the first person to die in Hedley, another was the first child born here, both daughters of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Culwell. When they came to Hedley they operated a drug store, later moving to the farm. After spending several years on the farm they moved back to town.

Many Hedley families have had cause to bless Aunt Josie's help in time of sickness and her consolation in time of death. She was always willing to serve one and all, and her greatest joy was in helping others.

She and Mrs. W. I. Rains organized the Donley county old settlers' association. She was also a member of the rural demonstration club, now called the Good Will club. She loved her church, but was unprejudiced and enjoyed attending services at all churches. Her Christian life and deeds will be long remembered as an inspiration to all who knew her.

J. M. Everett and family have moved to Pottsboro, where they will make their home. Hedley friends regret to see them leave.

Vacation Bible School

The students in the Vacation Bible School will present a program at the First Baptist Church Friday night, June 18 at 8:30. Each department will have a part on the program, which will last about an hour. The school has an enrollment of 78 and has had an average attendance of over 50 each day. All parents and friends are invited to attend the program.

Sunshades in pastel colors, 15c at Hooker's

METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 9:45 A. M. Preaching, 11 A. M., 8:30 P. M. Missionary Societies Circle 1, Monday 8 p. m. Circle 2, 8:00 p. m.

Note the time of the evening services is changed to 8:30. On account of circumstances, the third quarterly conference was changed from Wednesday the 16th to Wednesday night 28. Please note the change and let's have a good report and good attendance. Bro. Barcus insists on all being present. Note: the year is swiftly passing. Let all of us do our very best to make this a great year.

Be on time at all the services next Sunday.

B. J. Osborn, Pastor

Scout News

The Bob White Patrol met Monday night and the Cat Patrol Tuesday night. Attendance was poor on account of the rain but both patrols finished up the year's work with a good report. Quite a few of the boys are about ready for advancement. An all night hike is planned for Friday night if the weather will allow.

Next Monday night will be regular troop meeting and application for new charter will be made. All scouts and boys who wish to join the scouts are urged to be present and bring their dues for the year so that they will have their name on the charter. All members of the local committee and scout boosters have been invited to attend. The district executive of the scouts from Pampa has been written to come. All scouts are urged to wear their uniforms to this meeting.

No magician can tell you when you may be relieved forever of your crop by a hailstorm, but you can insure with O. L. Johnson Insurance Agency.

Lieut. and Mrs. Everett Mann and children left Monday after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mann. They were en route to Norfolk Va., where they will make their home for two years. Lieut. Mann will be connected with the Construction Department of the Naval Base.

Rev. J. P. Reynolds of Dallas preached at the morning service at the First Baptist Church Sunday. Truman Caldwell preached at the evening service.

Special Friday and Saturday, three 5c candy bars for 10c at Hooker's.

Golden Welland and family of Panhandle spent the past week end here.

Alva Simmons and wife and W. C. Payne and family visited near San Antonio last week.

Fri. & Sat. Specials

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Vinegar, pure apple, 1-2 gal water bottle 24c

Spaghetti, 3 cans 25c Cocoa, 2 lb can 14c

Corn Flakes 10c Hooker Lye, 3 cans 25c

Jello, any flavor, 2 for 14c Tapioca 12c

Swans Down Cake Flour 35c

Black Pepper, 1-2 lb 25c Red Pepper, 1-2 lb 28c

Seibert's Fly Paper, 3 pkgs 10c

Pen Jell, 2 for 25c

Matches, Diamond, 6 for 25c

Cookies, all kinds, lb 20c

Ice Cream Salt, per package 10c

Jello Ice Cream Powder, per package 10c

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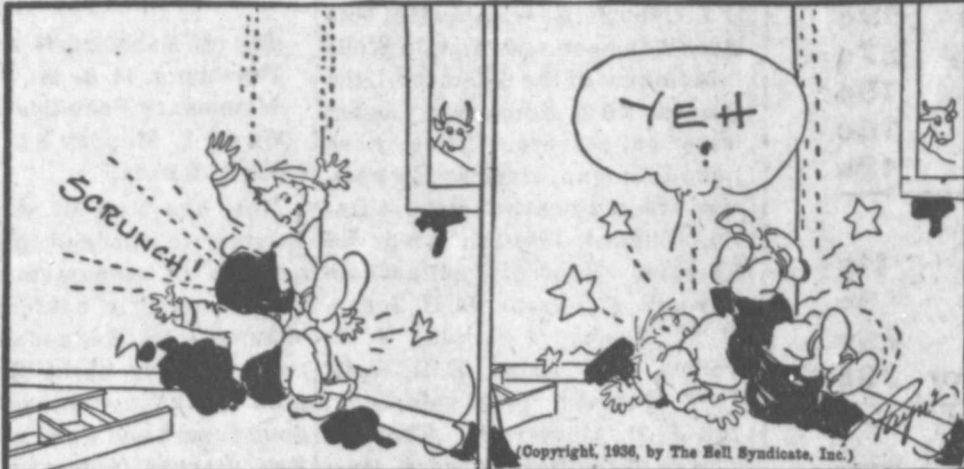


Cold Facts



'SMATTER POP—Ya Didn't Need to Be So Positive, William!

By C. M. PAYNE



MESCAL IKE

By S. L. HUNTLEY



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin



BRONC PEELER—Withers Applies for a Job

By FRED HARMAN



The Curse of Progress

Rare Foresight

Bridget had just started on her duties as housemaid, and on the very first day she came up to her new employer.

"Please, mum," she said, "would yez mind givin' me a recommendation?"

"A recommendation, Bridget!" exclaimed the mistress, with a look of alarm. "Why, you have only just come!"

"Yes, mum," admitted Bridget, "but you might not be wantin' to give me one when O'm lavin', mum."—Buffalo Courier-Express.

What a Menu

The little girl was tired of waiting for the store clerk to pay some attention to her so she resorted to strategy. "Hey, she called. 'My father is home waiting for his breakfast.'"

The clerk succumbed. "What can I do for you?"

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By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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Missionary Societies
Circle 1, Monday 8 p. m. Circle
2, 8:00 p. m.

B. J. Osborn, Pastor

Warning

All boys having air guns are cautioned to be careful when they shoot. Do not aim at ears, livestock or other property. A glass was broken recently in a Danley county car by a shot from an air gun. The next such accident might result seriously. Please be careful when you shoot.
Gay Pierce, Sheriff

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A revival meeting will begin at the Church of Christ Aug. 29. Tillitt S. Teddlie of Dallas will do the preaching. The public is cordially invited.

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Song Service and Preaching, 11:00
Evening Services:
Training Service, 6:30, Winfield Mosley, Director.
Preaching, 7:30, by the pastor.

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V. A. Hansard, pastor

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W. Hickman, Pastor

Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service, 11:00
N. Y. P. S., 7:30 p. m.
Preaching Service, 7:30

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution

State Of Texas
County Of Donley

Notice of Execution Sale
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 24th day of March A. D. 1937, in favor of G. W. Antrebus and against the said T. M. Little Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little, T. M. Little Sr., J. M. Lynn, Zeb Mitchell, W. H. Huffman, Monig Dry Goods Company, and Plough Inc., in the case of G. W. Antrebus against T. M. Little Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little, T. M. Little Sr., J. M. Lynn, Zeb Mitchell, W. H. Huffman, Monig Dry Goods Company and Plough Inc., I did on the 2nd day of June A. D. 1937 at 3 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels

of land situated in the County of Donley, State of Texas as the property of the said T. M. Little, Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little, and T. M. Little Sr., which said property is more particularly described as follows, to wit: all of lots Nos. 22 and 23 in Block No. 2 in the Original town of Hedley, Donley County, Texas, according to the official map or plat of said town, and on the 6th day of July A. D. 1937, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title, and interest of the said T. M. Little Jr., Milas J. Little, his wife, Elizabeth Little; T. M. Little, Sr., J. M. Lynn, Zeb Mitchell, W. H. Huffman, Monig Dry Goods Company, and Plough Inc. in and to said property.

Dated at Clarendon, Texas, this the 2nd day of June A. D. 1937.

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By Gay Wright, Deputy.

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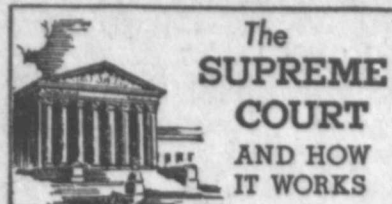


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Difficult Decisions

By ROBERT MERRILL

VIRTUALLY all cases brought before a court for decision represent strong differences of opinion.

This is also true of cases which come before the Supreme court of the United States—particularly those in which a citizen differs with congressional opinion on the grave question of whether or not his constitutional rights have been violated by a congressional act.

And, since the members of the Supreme court are not supermen but simply citizens trained in the law, they too differ on occasion.

More frequently, however, than many persons realize, they are unanimous in their decisions.

16 Unanimous Decisions.

On January 4, of the present year, for example, the Supreme court handed down 16 decisions. All were unanimous.

On February 1, it handed down 24 decisions. Of these, 23 were unanimous.

In cases where private citizens differ with congress on the constitutionality of a law, and the Supreme court is asked to act as umpire, the chances for unanimity of opinion among the justices are, of course, smaller.

Students of government have recently computed (as this is written) that, during its century and a half of history, the Supreme court declared laws unconstitutional in approximately 73 such cases. In thirty of these cases the justices reached unanimous decisions. In 23 of them there were either one or two dissenting votes.

Contrary, perhaps, to general opinion, the much-discussed 5-4 decisions were rarer. They occurred in about a dozen of those opinions.

Other decisions have run 6-3, 5-3, etc., varying, sometimes, according to the number of justices on the court.

Deny Powers to Court.

Many of the unanimous decisions finding congressional acts unconstitutional involved rights of citizens as well as fundamental principles of American government.

Several of them declared unconstitutional certain powers which legislation would have conferred upon the court itself.

Others upheld the right of trial by jury, the right of a citizen to refuse to testify against himself, the right to just compensation for property taken for public purposes, and the like.

One declared that even an alien in United States territory cannot be denied the right to indictment and trial by jury when charged with a criminal offense.

Even when the decisions were unanimous, however, the court, under its own rulings, could not suggest legislation. It could only say that the legislation as enacted did not conform with the Constitution and, in the case of the citizen who made the particular appeal, interfered with constitutional guarantees.

Court Can't Overrule Congress.

This point was recently expressed in one opinion of the court which read in part as follows:

"It is sometimes said that the court assumes a power to overrule or control the action of the people's representatives. This is a misconception."

"The Constitution is the supreme law of the land ordained and established by the people. All legislation must conform to the principles it lays down. When an act of congress is appropriately challenged in the courts as not conforming to the Constitutional mandate, the judicial branch of the Government has only one duty—to lay the Article of the Constitution which is invoked beside the statute which is challenged and to decide whether the latter squares with the former."

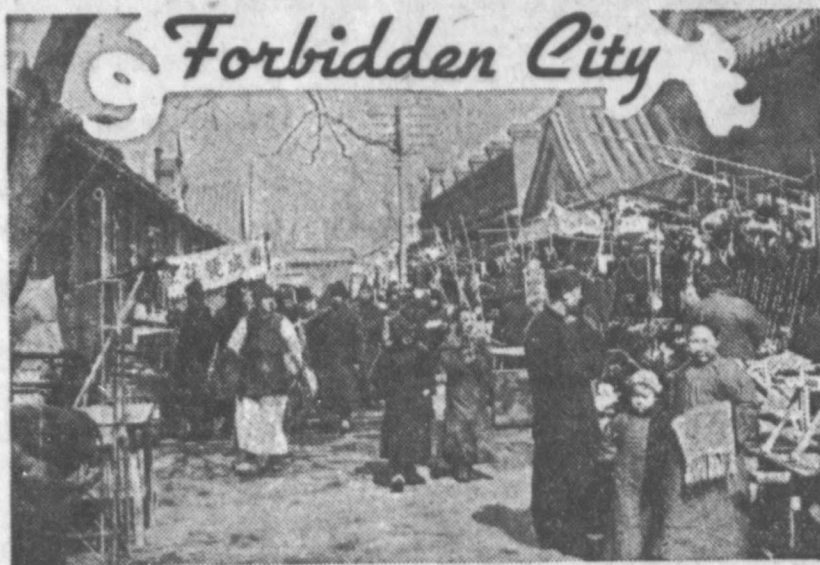
"All the court does or can do, is to announce its considered judgment upon the question. The only power it has, if such it may be called, is the power of judgment."

"This court neither approves nor condemns any legislative policy. Its delicate and difficult office is to ascertain and declare whether the legislation is in accordance with, or in contravention of, the provisions of the Constitution; and, having done that, its duty ends."

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Storks' Nests in Poland

In the cities and on the farms of Poland great white hillocks swell from the eaves of the hut, cottage, palace and hotel. They are the nests of the stork which bring luck and prosperity to the households they favor, observes a writer in the Boston Globe. Poland, perhaps more than any other country of Europe, is the summer home of the stork. For centuries he has been the faithful harbinger of spring and, with his nest, the herald of good fortune. For equal centuries therefore he has been protected, coaxed and spoiled. In the nesting days peasants often build round solid platforms on the ridges of their roofs. These are lures inviting the lanky birds to weave homes there for their babies. Once such a nest is built it becomes the enduring talisman for a household's prosperity and peace.



Peiping Merchants Bait Poles With Toys.

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service.

WITHIN the Imperial City of Peiping, on the exact center of all, oriented to the cardinal points of the compass, is the Forbidden City, the Violet Town, which was the residence of the Dragon emperors. It is an inclosure a little longer than broad, and lies behind a wide moat and a double wall. The moat, in the summer time, is full of flowering lotus, and white cranes stalk thoughtfully among the rose-pink blooms.

Each corner of the wall has its tower, small, but very richly ornamented. There are four gates, one to each face of the wall, and their names are notable: East Gate Glorious; West Gate Glorious; Gate of Divine Military Progress, which is the Shen Wu Men, the North Gate, wherefrom in 1644 the last Ming emperor went sorrowfully to strangle himself on Coal Hill across the way, while the triumphant rebel soldiers were breaking into the Imperial City outside. Through it fled the Empress Dowager when the International Column battered down the southern gates in 1900. On the south is the Wu Men, the Meridian Gate, the great gate of ceremonies, not opened since the fall of the empire.

Only from Coal Hill immediately to the north, or from the White Dagoba in the Pei Hai to the northwest, can you bring the Forbidden City within the eye at once. From either height, you see the simple outline of its plan. Down the center line the great pavilions march one behind another, their roofs tiled with imperial yellow, since all this was of the throne.

They are audience halls, council halls devoted to this phase or that of ancestral veneration, and imperial living quarters. Smaller buildings lie along the wall to east and west; houses for the concubines and eunuchs, and space for stores. Each pavilion has its courtyard and its formal approach. The courts are threaded by little conventional moats with white marble balustrades; the terraces are balustraded, as are the ceremonial flights of steps.

In the north end are the pavilions and gardens that the Empress Dowager used. They are small and intimate, landscaped, shaded by cypress and cedar, and traversed by narrow walks among flower beds and fountains, for the old lady loved such things.

Decoration Is Colorful.

Some of the buildings are used as museums, displaying much unusual treasure, although, at the time of the disturbances in 1932 and 1933, most of the exhibits were boxed and shipped south, to the great indignation of Peiping.

The Forbidden City displays the Chinese decorative scheme at its most extravagant and royal. It is done in reds and yellows and blues and greens, all most violent. A little money is spent on its upkeep, and perhaps the close-set walls save it from the grinding of the wind-blown dust that dulls the colors and the gilding of places in the open.

The proportions of the buildings are majestic without being vast, for the Chinese architect knew how to create his effects without relying on mere size. The clear sky and the brilliant sun enter into all conceptions; the secret of their excellence lies between the air and light and a just balance in line and mass.

Yet, as for size, there is a courtyard in the south section of the Forbidden City where, at a victory celebration in 1918, some 15,000 troops were arrayed, with a large number of civilian officials and spectators, and it is related that the courtyard seemed in no sense crowded.

What now is seen in these palaces and courts is a setting only, a stage from which the players have departed, with their bright robes, their banners, and their stately processions.

About the public buildings of Peiping, the shrines, the halls, the pavilions, and palaces, there are many books written. German and Russian and British savants have measured, dissected and surveyed. French scholars have breathed much life into the dry bones of architecture, dwelling with ardor, also, upon the pavilions of pleasure, and the marble-capped wells in which were filled, head downward, discarded favorites, male and female, of not-too-immaculate sovereigns.

Many of the structures are jerry-built and flimsy. The Chinese lacquer with which the surfaces are faced is cheap stuff, prone to flake off before it attains age. The fine palaces that arch the streets and

define the approaches to important places are frail things which must be propped from every side while they are yet new. The stone, so intricately and beautifully carved, is soft and subject to quick erosion.

Many Lovely Things.

Many of the most imposing edifices, such as the White Dagoba that dominates the Pei Hai, one of the "Three Seas," are of brick and rubble, surfaced with plaster which, unless renewed every season, sloughs away in patches. Distant views are impressive, and close inspection disappointing.

Yet there are many things that are beautiful with an ageless beauty: corners of the Forbidden City, as delicate and fine as jewel filigree; the elaborate and cunning ornamentation under the eaves of the pavilions; the porcelain screens and arches; the timeless splendor of the tiled roofs, that persists in spite of the weeds and shrubs which spring from accumulations of dust in the cracks between the tiles. The patterns and designs are frozen in convention, but trees and water, air and light, are integral parts of every arrangement.

After you have dutifully followed the guidebooks through a score of temples and palaces, your impressions will tend to telescope upon themselves. But there are two things that you will never forget: the Temple of Confucius and the Temple of Heaven.

The Temple of Confucius is in the North City (the northern section of the Tatar City), between the Lama Temple and the old Hall of Classics. You come to it through noisome alleys that swarm with scavenger dogs and naked children.

A passage leads under murmurous dragon cypresses, between ranks of tall memorial tablets commemorating the visits and the patronages of emperors and princes. The passage opens upon a low terrace from which you descend to the central court by marble steps that flank a spirit stairway—Dragon eternally contending for the Pearl, between sculptured masses of sea and cloud.

From it you face the temple, looking along an avenue of ancient trees so thickly set that their interlaced branches cast a cool greenish gloom, very grateful in the summer time. Flanking it are low buildings that serve as storehouses and sleeping quarters for the priests.

The sun strikes through the trees and burns upon the old red walls of the pavilions, and the freshly painted patterns under the overhanging eaves glow richly in reflected light: turquoise blues and emerald greens, purples, and reds, and yellows. There are small, golden-roofed kiosks, and sacrificial burners of a bronze no longer cast. The noises of the city do not enter here.

A gentle, courteous old priest with hairless, ascetic face materializes from the shadows to attend you; he is unobtrusive and detached in robes of gray and black. There is no statue in the shrine: it is the High Place of an idea. Tablets, richly engraved, hang above the altar, publishing the virtues of the Sage, and the gray ash of joss sticks in the incense burner testifies to the devotion of many worshippers.

The thing is wholly of the spirit. You need know nothing of Confucius, nothing of China, to realize that here is peace made visible; here is tranquility; here are a balance and a symmetry removed from striving; the conception of minds that have, after mature thought, settled their problems.

The Temple of Heaven.

Very different is the Temple of Heaven, out to the south in the Chinese City. It stands most fiercely in the sun, its walls enclosing a park larger than the Forbidden City. You go up from the highway along a broad avenue, mounting by a ramp to the center of a terraced line of pavilions. To the north is the round Hall of the Happy Year, its brilliant blue tiles and triple-roofed silhouette one of the distinctive things on the Peiping skyline.

Turning your back upon it, you walk south, through open pavilions and successive archways, to a stark altar of white carved marble, approached between winged columns. The altar consists of three round terraces, set one upon another, the top one smallest. The steps that ascend to it are in groups of nine, the mystical number; and the flagstones of the pavement are laid in concentric patterns in multiples of nine. And the roof of that altar is the vault of heaven.

Here the Emperor came to offer the Great Sacrifice on the day of the winter solstice, to render his Imperial Ancestors an account of his stewardship, and to solicit their guidance for his people through the succeeding year.

Unobserved Exercise

By
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"THE accumulation of excess fat, in that it tends to reduce physical efficiency and not uncommonly to imperil life, should be regarded far more gravely than is the case. Now although there are a considerable number of different causes of overweight, yet in practice the majority of cases result from excessive food intake and deserve, therefore, our chief attention. Thus most people over the age of forty are too fat, although at first glance they might be passed as normal. Fat creeps secretly or unnoticed into the abdominal wall, and the abdominal organs, producing the middle-aged spread as its first sign. At this stage treatment is a simple matter and unassociated with danger. It may consist of either exercises or reduced food intake, or both."

I am quoting Dr. A. H. Douthwaite in a recent issue of the British Medical Journal.



Dr. Barton

Now in this early stage of overweight there is no question but that the use of simple, suitable exercises, properly and regularly performed, will not only prevent the protruding abdomen or middle-aged spread, but will give erectness to the carriage thus preventing further spreading.

For many years I have prescribed definite exercises for definite conditions; exercises to correct or prevent the protruding abdomen have been prescribed in at least three of every four cases treated. To have the individual place his hand on his abdomen as he lies on his back and raises his legs (knees straight) or sit up, or standing with knees straight and rocking from side to side, gives him the feeling that the exercise is catching the right spot—the muscles of the abdomen.

No One Notices This.

Now although taking these exercises at home and also at the gymnasium is practically always possible, it must be admitted that many fat individuals are not at home or where these exercises can be conveniently done; others live where there is no gymnasium; others may not have time or opportunity. For these a rather unique system of exercising the abdominal muscles is that of contracting and relaxing these muscles at will, even during working hours, and entirely unnoticed by others. It is just the same idea as tightening the thigh or calf muscles without really straightening the leg or extending the toe.

First the patient should be taught to pull his abdominal wall in and out while standing or sitting. This exercises the straight or up and down muscles in the front of the abdomen. These form the "wash-board" seen on those who are well developed. Secondly, he should learn to exercise the "oblique" muscles that run obliquely across abdomen instead of straight up and down. This is done by standing and drawing the hips and lower ribs together, first on one side and then on the other.

Thirdly, the back must not be forgotten. All fat people eventually develop a bad stance (posture), and a healthy abdominal wall cannot be achieved if its main point of attachment is weak and warped. In-stance should thus be placed on the importance of carrying the head and body erect—standing and sitting tall.

Thyroid and Angina Pectoris.

A number of surgeons have lately been removing the thyroid gland in severe cases of angina pectoris where the blood vessels supplying the muscular walls of the heart have become partly blocked. The walls of the heart have not been getting enough blood to maintain their strength and attacks of angina and heart failure occur.

Dr. T. C. Davison, Atlanta, Ga., in Southern Surgeon, states that the removal of the whole thyroid gland gives immediate and prolonged relief in the majority of cases of angina pectoris, apparently because the lower or slower rate at which the body processes work (with no thyroid juice to speed them up) has decreased the amount of work the heart has to do.

Sometimes when the thyroid gland is removed and the processes work at a slower rate, the fat tissue in the food or in the body doesn't get completely burned and the individual puts on fat. In these cases small doses of thyroid extract may be given which will remove the fat and yet not stimulate the heart too much.

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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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Janet Gaynor
Movie Star

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1 pound butter
5 cups flour
1½ cups sugar
3 eggs
Dates and nuts to suit
Vanilla flavoring

Cream the butter and sugar. Add the eggs, one by one, beating the mixture meanwhile. Add the five cups of flour gradually while beating the mixture. Add the dates and nuts, which have been previously chopped into small bits. Add the flavoring. Shape this into a roll. Put in the ice-box overnight. In the morning slice into thin layers, making the cookies, and bake in a moderate oven.

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"Solitary, me eye . . . I gotta roommate!!!"

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The GARDEN MURDER CASE

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CHAPTER XV—Continued

"The disconnected buzzer wires gave me the answer this morning," explained Vance. "Her scheme was both simple and bold. She knew that, if she followed Swift upstairs before the big race, she would have no difficulty in enticing him into the vault on some pretext or other—especially in view of the fact that she had shown a marked interest in her. Her intention was to shoot him in the vault, just as she did, and then go into the study and shoot you. Swift's body would then have been placed in the study, with the revolver in his hand. It would appear like murder and suicide. As for the possibility of the shot in the study being heard downstairs, I imagine she had tested that out beforehand under the very conditions obtaining yesterday afternoon. Personally, I am of the opinion that a shot in the study could not be heard down here during the noise and excitement of a race broadcast, with the study door and windows shut. For the rest, her original plan would have proceeded just as her revised one did. She would merely have fired two blanks out of the bedroom window instead of one. In the event that you should have guessed her intent when she entered the study, and tried to summon help, she had previously disconnected the wires of the buzzer just behind your chair at the desk.

"But, good Lord!" exclaimed Floyd Garden in an awed tone. "It was she herself who told Sneed about the buzzer being out of order."

"Precisely. She made it a point to be the one to discover that fact, in order to draw suspicion entirely away from herself," Vance paused. After a moment he went on.

"As I say, her plan had to be revised somewhat because Doctor Garden had not returned. She had chosen the Rivermont Handicap as the background for her maneuvers, for she knew Swift was placing a large bet on the race—and if he lost, it would give credence to the theory of suicide. In a way, Doctor Garden's absence helped her, though it required quick thinking on her part to cover up this unexpected gap in her well-laid plans. Instead of placing Swift in the study, as she originally intended, she placed him in his chair on the roof. She carefully wiped up the blood in the vault so that no trace of it remained on the floor. A nurse with operating-room experience in removing blood from sponges, instruments, operating table and floor, would have known how. Then she came down and fired a blank shell out of the bedroom window just as soon as the outcome of the race had been declared official. Substantiating suicide.

"Of course, one of her chief difficulties was the disposal of the second revolver—the one she fired down here. She was confronted with the necessity either of getting rid of the revolver—which was quite impossible in the circumstances—or of hiding it safely till she could remove it from the apartment; for there was always the danger that it might be discovered and the whole technique of the plot be revealed. Since she was the person apparently least under suspicion, she probably considered that placing it temporarily in the pocket of her own topcoat, would be sufficiently safe. It was not an ideal hiding place; but I have little doubt that she was frustrated in an attempt to hide it somewhere on the roof or on the terrace upstairs, until she could take it away at her convenience without being observed. She had no opportunity to hide the revolver upstairs after we had first gone to the roof and discovered Swift's body. However, I think it was her intention to do just this when Miss Weatherby saw her on the stairs and resentfully called my attention to the fact."

"But why," asked Professor Garden, "didn't she fire the revolver upstairs in the first place—it would certainly have made the shot sound more realistic—and then hide it in the garden before coming down?"

"My dear sir! That would have been impossible, as you can readily see. How would she have got back downstairs? We were ascending the stairs a few seconds after we heard the shot, and would have met her coming down. She could, of course, have come down by the public stairs and re-entered the apartment at the front door without being seen; but in that event she could not have established her presence down here at the time the shot was fired—and this was of utmost importance to her. When we reached the foot of the stairs, she was standing in the doorway of Mrs. Garden's bedroom, and she made it clear that she had heard the shot. It was, of

course, a perfect alibi, provided the technique of the crime had not been revealed by the evidence she left in the vault. . . . No. The shot could not have been fired upstairs. The only place she could have fired it and still have established her alibi, was out of the bedroom window."

He turned to Zalia Graem. "Now do you see why you felt so definitely that the shot did not sound as if it came from the garden? It was because, being in the den, you were the person nearest to the shot when it was fired and could more or less accurately gauge the direction from which it came. I'm sorry, I could not explain that fact to you when you mentioned it, but Miss Beeton was in the room, and it was not then the time to reveal my knowledge to her."

There was another brief silence in the room.

"But, Mr. Vance," put in Doctor Siefert, frowning, "your theory of the case does not account for the attempt made on her own life."

Vance smiled faintly. "There was no attempt on her life, Doctor. When Miss Beeton left the study, a minute or so after Miss Graem, to take my message to you, she went instead into the vault, shut the door, making sure this time that the lock snapped, and gave herself a superficial blow on the back of the head. She had reason to believe, of course, that it would be but a short time before we looked for her; and she waited till she heard the key in the lock before she broke the vial of bromin. It is possible that when she went out of the study she had begun to fear that I might have some idea of the truth, and she enacted this little melodrama to throw me off the track."

Siefert had leaned forward and was studying Vance closely.

"As a theory, that may be logical," he said with skeptical gravity. "But, after all, it is only a theory."

Vance shook his head slowly. "Oh, no, doctor. It's more than a theory. Miss Beeton herself—and in your presence—gave the whole thing away. Not only did she lie to us, but she contradicted herself when you and I were on the roof and she was recovering from the effects of the bromin gas—effects, incidentally, which she was able to exaggerate correctly as the result of her knowledge of medicine."

"But I don't recall—" Vance checked him. "Surely, doctor, you remember the story she told us. According to her voluntary account of the episode, she was struck on the head and forced into the vault; and she fainted immediately as the result of the bromin gas; then the next thing she knew was that she was lying on the settee in the garden, and you and I were standing over her."

"That is quite correct," Siefert said, frowning at Vance. "And I am sure you also remember, doctor, that she looked up at me and thanked me for having brought her out into the garden and saved her, and also asked me how I came to find her so soon. If she had been unconscious, as she said, from the time she was forced into the vault to the time she spoke to us in the garden, how could she possibly have known who it was that had found her and rescued her from the vault? And how could she have known that I found her soon after she had entered the vault? . . . I see, doctor, she was never unconscious at all; she was taking no chances whatever of dying of bromin gas."

Siefert relaxed and leaned back in his chair with a faint smile.

"You are perfectly right, Mr. Vance."

"But," Vance continued, "even had Miss Beeton not made the mistake of lying to us so obviously, there was other proof that she alone was concerned in that episode. Mr. Hammle here conclusively bore out my opinion. When she told us her

story of being struck on the head and forced into the vault, she did not know that Mr. Hammle had been in the garden observing everyone who came and went in the passageway. And she was alone in the corridor at the time of the supposed attack. Miss Graem, to be sure, had just passed her and gone downstairs; and the nurse counted on that fact to make her story sound plausible, hoping, of course, that it would produce the effect she was striving for—that is, to make it appear that Miss Graem had attacked her."

Vance smoked in silence for a moment.

"As for the radio-active sodium, doctor, Miss Beeton had been administering it to Mrs. Garden, content with having her die slowly of its cumulative effects. But Mrs. Garden's threat to erase her son's name from her will necessitated immediate action, and the resourceful girl decided on an overdose of the barbital last night. She foresaw, of course, that this death could easily be construed as an accident or as another suicide. As it happened, however, things were even more propitious for her, for the events of last night merely cast further suspicion on Miss Graem."

"From the first I realized how difficult, if not impossible, it would be to prove the case against Miss Beeton; and during the entire investigation I was seeking some means of trapping her. With that end in view, I mounted the parapet last night in her presence, hoping that it might suggest to her shrewd and cruel mind a possible means of removing me from her path, if she became convinced that I had guessed too much. My plan to trap her was, after all, a simple one. I asked you all to come here this evening, not as suspects, but to fill the necessary roles in my drama."

Vance sighed deeply before continuing.

"I arranged with Sergeant Heath to equip the post at the far end of the garden with a strong steel wire such as is used in theaters for flying and levitation acts. This wire was to be just long enough to reach as far as the height of the balcony on this floor. And to it was attached the usual spring catch which fastens to the leather equipment worn by the performer. This equipment consists of a heavy cowhide vest resembling in shape and cut the old Ferris waist worn by young girls in pre-Victorian days, and even later. This afternoon Sergeant Heath brought such a leather vest—or what is technically known in theatrical circles as a 'flying corset'—to my apartment, and I put it on before I came here.

"This waistcoat, or corset," he said, "is worn under the actor's costume; and in my case I put on a loose tweed suit today so that the slightly protruding rings in front would not be noticeable."

"When I took Miss Beeton upstairs with me, I led her out into the garden and confronted her with her guilt. While she was protesting, I mounted the parapet, standing there with my back to her, ostensibly looking out over the city, as I had done last evening. In the semi-darkness I snapped the wire to the rings on the front of my leather vest without her seeing me do so. She came very close to me as she talked, but for a minute or so I was afraid she would not take advantage of the situation. Then, in the middle of one of her sentences, she lurched toward me with both hands outstretched, and the impact sent me over the parapet. It was a simple matter to swing myself over the balcony railing. I had arranged for the drawing-room door to be unlatched, and I merely disconnected the suspension wire, walked in, and appeared in the hallway. When Miss Beeton learned that I had witnessed to her act, as well as a photograph of it, she realized that the game was up."

THE END

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for June 6

JOSEPH'S READINESS FOR SERVICE

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 41:33-44.
GOLDEN TEXT—Seest thou a man diligent in his business? he shall stand before kings. Proverbs 22:29.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Joseph's Errand.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Joseph Goes Before the King.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Ready to Serve.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Preparation for Public Service.

Public service—that position of opportunity and responsibility—merits far better treatment than is commonly accorded to it, for we know only too well how often it is nothing but a political football carried hither and yon as the dictates of partisan purposes may indicate.

Scripture holds a very exalted view of the public servant. Paul tells us to "be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God" (Rom. 13:1). The Bible clearly teaches that every governmental agency and every public servant from the policeman on the beat to the President in the White House, is only permitted to exercise authority over his fellowmen because God has ordained that there should be such government. Clear it is that every right-thinking official of state and nation should be humble, teachable, discreet, and wise in the exercise of his power, and God-fearing in the discharge of his responsibility.

Joseph, the one in the procession of the patriarchs of Genesis who passes before us in the lesson today is interesting from many angles. His personal history is charmingly written and a model of appealing biography. He is a marvelous type of Christ, and one could devote hours to such a study of his life. But our lesson subject presents him as one ready for public service, and we may well profit by the lesson. He is an example of what men who serve their country should be.

I. Before God—Humble and Teachable (vv. 33-36).

The background of our lesson is found in the four preceding chapters. Joseph, the boy with dreams and aspirations, has learned obedience, humility, purity, and many other useful lessons in the hard school of experience. It has well been said that the tuition of that school is high, but the lessons are well learned.

Now he stands before the king to interpret a double dream, sent as a warning to the nation. The wise men who knew not the true God had vainly sought to answer the king's questions. Joseph sets them an example—he receives instructions and guidance from God, and speaks wise words because taught of him. Would that all those who stand as counselors before kings and presidents in our day would listen for the voice of God before they speak.

II. Before Men—Spiritual, Discreet, and Wise (vv. 37-39).

Pharaoh recognized that the Spirit of God was in Joseph. That is a great testimony for Joseph, and at the same time it reflects credit upon the king. Who can say what would be the result if our government officials were chosen for their spirituality?

Spirituality is not the only qualification, however, for such service. The Christian who expects men to favor him because he is a Christian, even though he be careless and incompetent, finds no comfort in the study of Joseph. He was discreet and wise. The follower of Christ should distinguish himself by diligent and intelligent application of all his powers to his work. Then men will honor both him and his God.

III. In Service—Responsible and Powerful (vv. 40-44).

He who had humbled himself under the mighty hand of God was exalted in due time. (See I Peter 5:6.) Joseph was willing to abide God's time, and did not run ahead of him as did his father, Jacob.

The record shows that he used his place of honor and privilege to perform a difficult and arduous task and to do it well. Right-spirited men do not glory in position or power, but use the opportunity to give themselves in sacrificial service to God and their fellowmen. Someone has aptly said that a politician is one who has his eye on the next election while a statesman has his eye on the next generation and its welfare. God give us more statesmen!

Never Despair

Let no man despair of himself. We may be sepulchres full of dead powers; but Christ is the resurrection and the life, to make us shrines full of living, seeing, soaring, rejoicing thoughts and passions.—Dr. W. L. Watkinson.

Advantages of Tact

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A General Quiz

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1. How many different recognized religious sects or denominations are there in this country?
2. Has Russia a dictator in the sense that Hitler and Mussolini rule?
3. What was the first steel vessel?
4. What did the World war cost the United States in dead, wounded, and dollars?
5. How many motion picture theaters in the world are equipped for sound pictures?
6. In what manner may foreign debts to this country be paid?
7. What does the United States spend a year to care for its criminals?; to educate its children?
8. What area do the United States national parks cover?
9. How big are the largest bell buoys in this country?

Answers

1. This country has 213.
2. The situation is not the same. Russia is not governed by a one-man dictatorship. When the chairman of the political bureau dies or resigns another is carefully chosen. The stress is on the party machine rather than on the man.
3. A Cunarder, the Servia, built in 1881.
4. In dead, 126,000; in wounded, 234,000; and in money, \$51,000,000,000.
5. Of the 60,000, more than 41,000 are so equipped, and 19,000 of them are in the United States.
6. In only three ways—in gold, goods, or services.
7. About \$1,500,000,000 to care for 300,000 criminals; only \$1,700,000 to educate 28,000,000 children.
8. An area of 13,665 square miles.
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

M. E. Wells, Pastor
Morning Services:
Sunday School, 10:00, Edward
Beliver, Supt.
Song Service and Preaching,
11:00
Evening Services:
Training Service, 6:30, Win-
field Mosley, Director.
Preaching, 7:30, by the pastor.

Joe, the noted Morgan horse,
will make the season at my place
1 1/2 miles east of town.
T. R. Moreman

Warning

According to a decision of the
Texas Supreme Court, beer is
considered as liquor, and it is
therefore illegal, in dry territory,
to possess more than one quart
Please take warning.
Guy Pierce, Sheriff

Mesdames E. A. Mitchell and
John Stone of Panhandle visited
Mrs. F. M. Acord last Thursday.

Fred Wells is working in
White Deer

Announcement Party

Mrs. George Thompson enter-
tained with a party in her home
Thursday, June 10, to announce
the engagement and approaching
marriage of her sister, Margaret
Spear, to Blaine Doherty of
Pampa.

Pink and white roses were
used in decorating the entertain-
ing rooms - the color scheme fur-
ther used in tallies and refresh-
ments. Bridge furnished the di-
version; but prizes going to Mrs.
Hobart Moffitt and Mrs. Eb
Hooker. The honoree was pre-
sented with a lovely and useful
gift.

The announcement was made
when the ice course was served.
Each guest found on her plate a
small scroll, bearing the inscrip-
tion, "Margaret and Blaine,
June 20."

Attending were: Mesdames
Clifford Johnson, Lake Dishman,
Ray Moreman, Leon Reeves, Ted
Dudley, Ross Adamson, Hobart
Moffitt, Ed Kinslow, Zet Mit-
chell, Lyman Spalding, Charlie
Barnett, Eb Hooker, Richard
Lengshere, Ray Doherty, Misses
Myrtle Reeves and Opal Woods.
Mrs. Carl Gerlach of Memphis,
Mrs. Everett Mann of Calif., and
the honoree, Miss Margaret
Spear.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each and
every one who so kindly helped
to plant at my place Wednesday
of last week.

Mrs. J. R. Cowan and children

John Stroud of Amarillo spent
the week end with his brother,
W. H., here.

PASTIME THEATRE Clarendon, Texas

Last Times Friday June 18

Norma Shearer in Romeo and Juliet

Also Fox News and Variety
Short

10 25c

Saturday Only June 19

Chas. Starrett in Two Fisted Sheriff

Also Betty Boop Cartoon and
Comedy

Admission, Matinee 10c to every
one. Night 10-15c

Saturday Prevue Sunday and
Monday June 19 20 21

Jack Haley and Patsy Kelly in Pick a Star

Also "A Day With the Dionne
Quintuplets"

10 25c

Tuesday Only June 22

Bargain Day!

Margaret Lindsay in Song of the City

Also Screen Snapshot.

Also Sports Reel

Admission, Matinee 10c to all
Night 10-15

Wed. Thur. Fri. June 23 24 25

Bette Davis in Marked Woman

Also Our Gang Comedy

10 25c

Coming Attractions

Errol Flynn in "The Prince and
the Pauper"

Charlie Ruggles in "Turn Off
the Moon"

Matinees each day at 2 p. m.
Evening shows at 8:00
Selected short subjects

CARD OF THANKS

Dear friends and neighbors
all, we want to thank you from
the very depths of our hearts for
the many words of sympathy,
kind deeds and beautiful floral
offerings which came to us dur-
ing the illness and death of our
precious mother. Especially all
who came and stayed through
the days and relieved us so much.
May God's richest blessing al-
ways rest on you.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gailwell
Mrs. Ola Weber
Mr. and Mrs. George Tom-
berlin

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Adamson
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sterner
and grandchildren

For Sale Cheap—4 stay chains,
1 one section harrow, 1 good
trailer frame, 1 good mule hal-
ter, 1 cow chain.

See Mrs. C. E. McLaughlin

Bargains in shaving cream and
talcum powder at Hooker's.

We are sorry to report that
Mrs. J. H. Cooper has been con-
fined to her bed for two weeks.

Walter M. Hammond Jr. of
Long Beach, Calif. is visiting
his grandmother, Mrs. Frank
Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Church
and daughter Wanell, and Mr.
and Mrs. B. Turner of Claude
visited in the Eb Hooker home
Sunday.

Rev. M. E. Wells went to
Washita Sunday to preach the
funeral of Mrs. William Victor,
an old friend of the Wells family.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Ray Moreman enter-
tained with a party Tuesday,
June 18, at her home, honoring
her son, Jack, on his second
birthday. Games were played,
pictures made of the group and
the honoree displayed his many
nice gifts to the guests.

Angel food cake, bearing the
greeting, "Happy Birthday" a
present from his Grandmother
Mann, was cut and served with
ice cream to the following: Ben-
ny Ray Darnell, Wanda Lou
Saunders, Tommie Irene Mc-
Dougal, Charlene Barnett, Laura
Ann and Betty Jane Thompson,
Jackie Quisenberry, Blanche Sue
Dudley, Carolyn Reeves, Wanda
Joyce Hall, Gene Wilson Cal-
dwell, Jimmie Lamberson, Carolyn
Gerlach, Mattie Irene Strickland
and Mesdames Charles Barnett,
Pete Darnell, Ott Saunders, Tom
Lamberson, Keyce Hall, Alton
Quisenberry, Truman Caldwell
and R. E. Mann.

WIFADASOS CLUB

The Wifadasos Club met with
Mrs. Reese June 8, with a good
attendance, but several were ab-
sent and they were missed. 18
members present and 5 visitors.
Glad to have back with us, a long
time absent member, Mrs. Brin-
son, also welcomed one new mem-
ber, Mrs. Reed. Secretary being
absent, no minutes or report,
President called house to order
and Mrs. Reese gave the follow-
ing program:

An article on the Big Bend
Park, read by Mrs. Adamson.

Flowers on the highways, Mrs.
Newman.

Why we live in West Texas,
Mrs. Reese.

Those present answered roll
call with a joke, but before the
program a very helpful hour was
spent piecing a quilt.

The meeting adjourned and
Mesdames Reese and Marshall
Stene, assisted by the girls pre-
sent, served angel food cake and
ice cream which all enjoyed.

Next meeting will be July 14
Mesdames Adamson and Mar-
shall joint hostesses.

Reporter

Out of town relatives who at-
tended the funeral of Mrs. Jessie
Adamson last week were Ira
Foster and family of Wheeler, E.
O. Adams and family and Mil-
dred, Ray, Edgar and Buster
Culwell of Amarillo; Nita Cul-
well of Mercedes; Alton Hawkins
and wife of Laverne, Okla.; Joyce
Armstrong and family of Los
Angeles; E. G. Adamson and
Mrs. Ed Weber of Denver; Ray-
mond Sterner and family and
Weldon Tomberlin and wife of
Amarillo; Mrs. Geo. Tomberlin
of Los Angeles; Mrs. Docie Gun-
ter of Wichita Falls; Miss Eunice
Kysar of Ft. Worth and A. G.
Gailwell and wife of Altus, Okla.

W. H. Burden and family en-
joyed a trip last week to Kansas
City, Hot Springs, Ark., Oklahe-
ma City, Paris and other points.
They report crops good every-
where. Mesdames T. B. Bent-
ley and L. A. Snowden of Paris,
mother and sister of Mrs. Bur-
den, returned home with them
for a visit.

Misses Mary Sears and Lu-
elle Edwards of Troup visited
Miss Nita Culwell Tuesday en
route to Amarillo. Miss Culwell
plans to join them in Amarillo
this week to go to Boulder, Colo.,
where they will attend Colorado
U. this summer.

Mrs. L. F. Gunn and children
and A. B. McPherson and family
of McLean visited Mr. and Mrs.
L. A. Jamar Thursday.

G. W. Antrobus of Clarendon
was in Hedley Monday.

Gleaners Class

The Gleaners Class of the First
Methodist Church held a busi-
ness meeting Friday afternoon
in the home of Mrs. Richmond
Bowlin. To open the meeting, a
lesson was read and a prayer
was given by the president, Mrs.
M. G. Whitfield.

After the business session, a
most pleasant hour was spent in
conversation. The hostess then
served delicious refreshments;
after which goodbyes were said,
each feeling a profitable and plea-
sant afternoon had been spent.

We will meet Friday, June 25,
with Mrs. John Edwards.
Mrs. Richmond Bowlin, reporter.

Woodmen Circle

The Woodmen Circle met Sat-
urday evening, June 12, in Sev-
erign Milner's home. Officers
for the present term were an-
nounced as follows:

Guardian, Sovereign Ora Keen-
inger

Advisor, Sev. Mattie Blanken-
ship

Chaplain, Sev. Janie Grimsley
Banker, Sev. Orpha Swinney
Clerk, Sev. Lydia Milner

Inner Sentinel, Sev. Jewel
Grimsley

Reporter, Sev. Mattie Blank-
enship

Our district deputy, Sev. Geor-
gia Easum of Amarillo, gave an
inspirational talk on the work,
and extended an invitation to our
grove to attend the district meet-
ing at Amarillo June 25.

We urge that each member be
present at our next meeting, 1st
Saturday of each month at 8 p. m.
Reporter

Mrs. G. L. Johnson and chil-
dren and Miss Ruby Moffitt have
gone to Taos, N. Mex. for the
summer.

Jack Battle is visiting in Daw-
son, N. Mex.

M. G. Raney of Amarillo was a
Hedley visitor last Thursday.

Lee Read and family have
moved to Wichita Falls, where
he will engage in farming. Best
wishes of their friends here go
with them.

Dorothy Dishman has returned
from a visit with her grandpar-
ents at Amarillo.

Mesdames C. L. Kinsey and
John Aull of Amarillo attended
the funeral of Mrs. Jessie Adam-
son Thursday.

Murry Donald and wife of Pam-
pa spent Sunday in the John
Blankenship home.

Miss Rosemary Boston of
Perryton is visiting here.

Miss Margaret Spear visited
Mrs. Paul Kirkpatrick at Pampa
last week end.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Frank E. Chism will
preach in Hedley, at the Church
of Christ, the second Sunday of
each month.

Everybody is invited to come
out and hear him.

Bible Classes every Sunday
morning from 10 to 11 o'clock.

J. W. WEBB, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon
Hedley, Texas
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Residence Phone 20

NAZARENE CHURCH

W. Hickman, Pastor
Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service, 11:00
N. Y. P. S., 7:00 p. m.
Preaching Service, 7:30

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Bulk Vinegar gal. 25c	Super Suds, 3 10c boxes with bowl 31c	
	Meal, Yukon Best, 10 lb. 40c	
	White Swan Peaches, 2 1-2 can 20c	
Lard, 8 lb. carton \$1.08	New Spuds, pk. 37c	
Honey, gal. 98c	Shorts, 100 lb. \$2.15	
Pickles, qt. jar 15c	Apples, doz. 25c	
Flour, Light Crust, 48 lb. \$1.89	Flour Yukon Best 48 lb. \$1.85	
Syrup, ribbon cane, gal. 60c		
Matches, carton 6 boxes 20c		
New Onions, lb. 4c	Lettuce, head 5c	
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