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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—The Fergusonian school of practical politics, as practiced by Mr. James E. Ferguson, of the Bell-co Fergusons, demands men, rather than issues, in order to function efficiently. For more than a year, the corporation and special interest lobby, with Jim Ferguson as chief lobbyist, has been striving to relieve the corporations and the special interests of all state taxes, by passing a sales tax and abolishing state ad valorem taxes. The need for funds to pay old age pensions is the lever which Mr. Ferguson has utilized recently in his effort to lift the tax burden off the corporations, and place it upon the backs of those who buy the necessities of life. Mr. James V. Allred, head man of the Wichita-co Allred clan, has so far succeeded signally in making a complete mess of Mr. Ferguson's sales tax scheme. Mr. Ferguson, whose shrewd political mind never hesitates to recognize defeat when it is necessary, has conceded that on the basis of the sales tax issue, he's been worse bottled up than the Stanford Indians had Bobby Wilson.

So Mr. Ferguson has changed his strategy. He has entered State Sen. Roy Sanderford, of Belton, in the governor's race against Mr. Allred. Mr. Sanderford frankly admits in his platform that he favors abolition of state ad valorem taxes, and a 3 per cent sales tax in its stead. Mr. Sanderford emerged from the obscurity of an automobile agency in Belton during the hey-day of Mr. Ferguson's power in that county, as a state senator. Then, two years ago, he managed the campaign of Charlie McDonald, upon whom Mr. Ferguson sought to drop his mantle as the state political head man. But Mr. Ferguson believes that Sen. Sanderford, who is fairly accomplished as a disciple of the Ferguson "pour it on" technique, may be able to divert public attention from the sales tax issue to Mr. Allred's habit of attending barbecues, rodeos, county fairs and other politico-social events at frequent intervals; or to his belief in prohibition; or to his difficulty in persuading a recalcitrant legislature to do the things he tells them to do; or to anything, in fact, but the fact that every man who buys a loaf of bread or a bottle of milk for his children must pay a sales tax on these articles, and every hamburger stand in the state must become a tax collector, under Mr. Ferguson's sales tax scheme.

All of these things explain Mr. Sanderford's entry into the 1936 gubernatorial sweepstakes. A minor consideration in the selection of the Belton senator to make the race is the fact that he is in extreme political difficulty in his own district, due to his having selected the wrong side in a local highway-routing controversy in Bell-co, which has made his reelection to the senate doubtful. His unquestioning loyalty to Mr. Ferguson in advocating in the senate all of the measures that Mr. Ferguson has sponsored, is another important factor. If the special interests whom Mr. Ferguson represents are willing to put up some important money, the governor's race may be very interesting this year in Texas. Political observers here recall that Mr. Allred, while fully capable of discussing issues in language that the voters can understand, is also quite gifted in the gentle art of "pouring it on." So if the interested parties put up the necessary cash for Mr. Sanderford to make a serious campaign, the gentleman from Belton probably will have a very busy summer.

Out of the welter of public works projects designed to create employment, there has come general recognition in Texas that the policy of joint state-federal ex-

Frank Crownover New Commissioner

Frank D. Crownover was appointed county commissioner to fill the unexpired term of W. D. McCarley, deceased, last Saturday by County Judge Benton Templeton. Mr. Crownover was a candidate for the office in 1934 for a second term and had entered the race again this year. He was sworn in Monday morning and attended the regular monthly meeting of the commissioners court.

BUSINESS MEN TO FORM PERMANENT ORGANIZATION

The committee appointed last week to formulate plans for a permanent organization for Loraine business men met Tuesday morning. A committee composed of O. I. Griffin, George Hutchins and Bob George was appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws for the permanent organization and to set the time when the entire body is to get together for the organization.

It was decided to continue the plan as stated for the gift purse until more definite plans can be worked out.

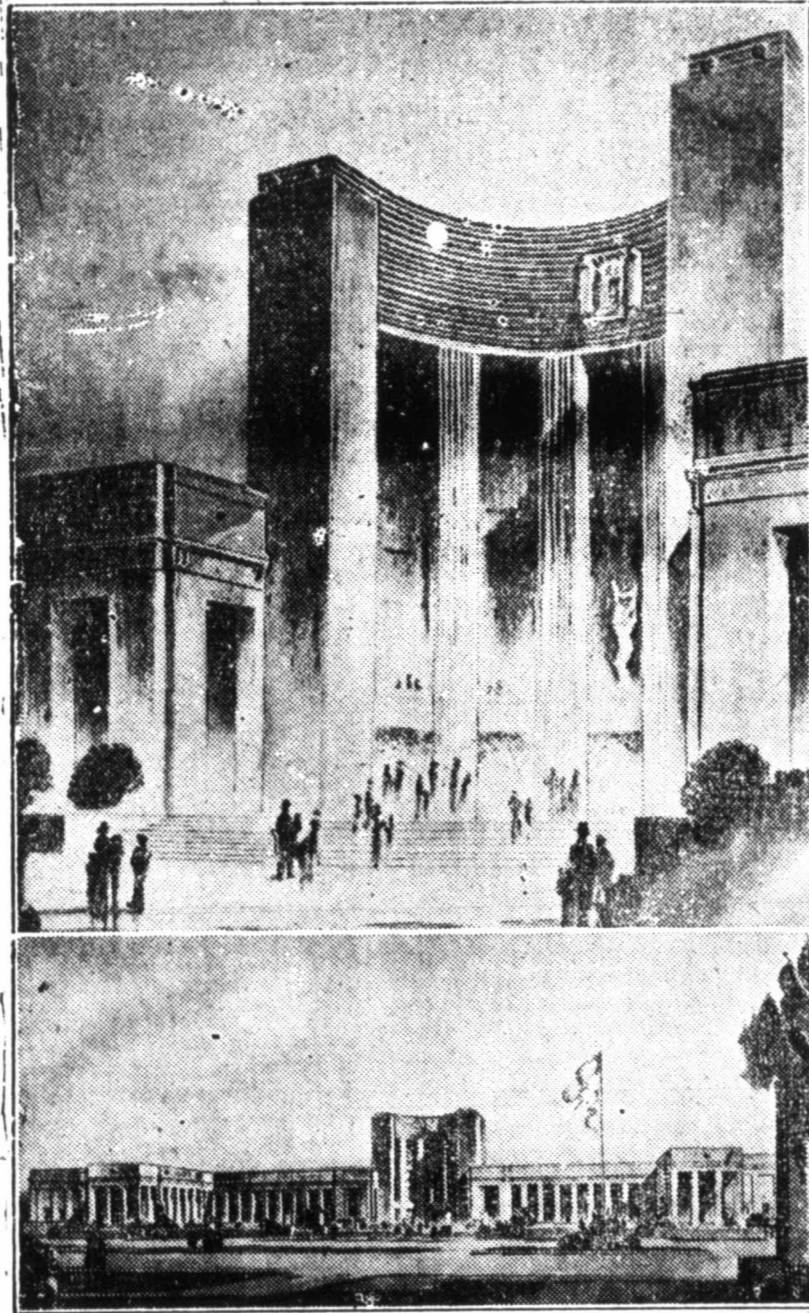
BUILDING NEW SERVICE STATION

The Sinclair Refining Company is having a new filling station erected on the lots on the opposite corner from the Gulf station operated by Homer Richards Living quarters for the operator will also be provided in the building.

penditure for public roads and highways, thru the state highway commission and the federal bureau of public roads, has resulted in lasting benefit to the state and its communities, and steady employment for a larger group of needy Texans than any other classification. The record compares most favorably with wasteful expenditure upon many local projects in the "leaf raking" category, with a \$40,000,000 highway program actively under way on Jan. 1. Far-sighted citizens throughout the state have recently been urging upon the highway commission and the Texas congressional delegation, careful consideration in the future work-relief plans, of a liberal allotment of federal work-relief funds to Texas for 1936-37, when work of this nature will fill substantially the need for jobs created by the continuation of the reduction of cotton acreage. The bulk of unemployed persons in Texas rural counties is farm labor, workless because of reduced cotton production. These workers fit better into the road-building program than into any other type of made-work project, relief authorities concede. And when the money is gone, the roads remain to serve the people for many years.

Agitation for increased allowable oil production in Texas recently has brought about an important, though unpublicized, development. This week in Washington representatives of the oil states compact group are quietly conferring with Sec. Ickes, and officials of the bureau of mines, to determine just how accurate are the forecasts of market demand, compiled monthly by the bureau, and used by Mr. Ickes in recommending allowances for the oil reducing states. There is a strong suspicion among officials in many of the oil producing states that the bureau has little actual information upon prospective market demand, but accepts without question the estimates of certain integrated oil companies. Out of these conferences may come a more liberal allowance for all of the compact states, including Texas, soon. Chairman E. O. Thompson of the Texas railroad commission, Texas' representative on the compact board, is in Washington, participating in the investigation.

Texas Centennial Hall of State



The glories of Texas will be praded before the eyes of millions of visitors to the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas in the great State of Texas building now under construction. Architects' conceptions of the facade and complete structure, shown above, give some idea of the magnificence of the project. Situated at the end of a beautiful esplanade of flags, the \$1,200,000 building will afford one of the most breath-taking vistas at the Central Exposition of the Texas Centennial Celebrations, opening June 6.

TEXAS TOWNS INVITED TO NAME DAY AT CENTENNIAL

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 13.—A general invitation to every city and town in Texas to name its own day for a special day at the Texas Centennial Exposition has been made by General Manager William A. Webb. He will write the mayor of every Texas town with a population of over 2,500 people asking him to designate a special Exposition day for their town between June 6 and November 29. Each town is invited to arrange a special program either with band, orchestra or other entertainment talent. Radio facilities will be provided them at the Exposition. An auditorium will be built for these broadcasts and the special-day entertainments and programs.

In connection with this invitation General Manager Webb announces every Tuesday during the Exposition period will be Children's Day. On Tuesdays all children under the age of 12 years will be admitted to the Exposition for five cents. Every concession's admission price will be reduced to a nickel for the youngsters.

CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE WILL EMPLOY LOCAL PEOPLE

The Centennial Stamp Committee is seeking a number of reliable men and women for local part-time employment. Experience is not necessary, provided the applicant has natural qualifications. An official application blank can be secured by writing to Texas State Headquarters, El Mina Shrine Temple, Galveston, Texas.

W. C. Pettitt of Shawnee, Oklahoma, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Neeley, Sunday.

MAHON WORKING FOR AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM

"A practicable farm program can and must be worked out, the Supreme Court notwithstanding; however, the far-reaching effects of the decision must not be underestimated. The fight for equality of Agriculture has only begun." Thus stated Congressman George Mahon in commenting upon the Supreme Court decision which ruled the Agricultural Adjustment Administration unconstitutional last week.

"I am confident that Congress will pass a bill now pending which provides for taking care of obligations already outstanding where the producer has complied with the terms of his contract. Such action is a responsibility which the Federal Government must assume, and action along this line should be expected in a very short time."

In discussing a possible substitute for the AAA program, Mr. Mahon said, "It will no doubt be a matter of several weeks before a definite plan can be worked out. I am going to work with our farmers, the Home Committee on Agriculture, and Department of Agriculture officials, in an effort to assist in developing a workable program that will help to maintain the progress realized under the AAA during the last three years. I am particularly interested in assuring our new and developing section fair recognition under whatever plan is finally evolved. Some features of our former program were somewhat ill-suited to the needs of our rapidly growing area."

Mr. Mahon spent Friday morning in the office of Secretary Wallace with one hundred and fifty farmers, several of whom were from Texas, in a meeting called by the Secretary to discuss possible plans for a workable agricultural program. Among the Texas farmers attending the series of meetings was Mr. Cliff Day of Plainview.

W. D. McCarley Buried Friday

Funeral services for W. D. McCarley, county commissioner for precinct 4, were held at the Baptist Church in Loraine last Friday afternoon at 2:30 following his death Thursday about one o'clock.

Services were conducted by Rev. N. E. McGuire of San Angelo, Rev. C. E. Leslie of Hermleigh, and Rev. A. C. Hardin, pastor of the local church. Arrangements were in charge of G. W. Hendrick.

Death followed a stroke of paralysis at Big Spring Thursday morning at 10:30 while Mr. McCarley and his nephew, Delmer Roberts, were on their way to Andrews. Mr. McCarley was given medical attention in Big Spring and was returned to his home here an hour later.

Active pallbearers were the other three commissioners, M. C. Holt, J. E. Skelton, Jim Boyd, County Judge B. L. Templeton, T. R. Bennett, and county clerk J. M. Herrington. Flower girls were 16 nieces. Honorary pallbearers included all of his friends in Mitchell County and Will Underwood, Sam Smith, Dick Dillard and Edgar Burgett of Andrews, Nick Reed of Sterling City, L. L. Ferguson and Ben Caswell of Hermleigh.

Mr. McCarley had always led an active life until a few months ago when he suffered his first stroke of paralysis. Even after that stroke as soon as he was able he took up the duties of the office of commissioner along with looking after his holdings in this county and in Andrews County. He had been a member of the Baptist Church since the age of 16, and a member of the Masonic Lodge since he was 21. His presence and influence will be missed greatly in the community, in the church and in the lodge.

W. D. McCarley was born at Rockmart, Georgia, April 20 1873. He moved to Alabama with his parents at the age of 12. He came to Texas and settled in Ellis County in 1900, and moved to Mitchell County in 1904. He made his home in and near Loraine since that time. He was elected county commissioner in 1916 and again in 1918, but resigned the office in the spring of 1919 to take another position. He was elected commissioner again in 1934 and was serving his first term at the time of his death.

Mr. McCarley was married to Miss Lula Roberts in Blount County, Alabama, January 1, 1902. No children were born to bless the home.

Mr. McCarley is survived by his wife, five brothers and three sisters. The brothers are J. M. McCarley, Happy, Texas, A. K. McCarley, Colorado, T. P. McCarley, Bell, California, and M. G. and A. L. McCarley of Andrews. The sisters are Mrs. S. H. Hart, Loraine, Mrs. C. L. Hudson, Colorado, and Mrs. W. E. Watson of Lubbock. All were present for the funeral.

CHAMPION CREEK NEWS

Everything is moving along about as usual in these parts, health is generally very good, excepting a few cases of colds.

Boll pulling and feed hauling is about completed and the farmers are beginning to wonder what will be substituted for the AAA. Some few are breaking land, some burning tumble weeds, preparatory to plowing for another crop, some have not gotten possession of their new locations, and are anxiously waiting the removal of their predecessors.

Monroe Green will move to the place occupied by Tommie Nations last year, Russell Mote, from Valley View will be moving to the Rutledge farm occupied the last four years by Mr. Sellers, and we have been informed that Mr. Dixon is contemplating moving to New Mexico, just how true this report is we are not prepared to say.

Mr. Cornett from Red River County will move to the farm occupied the last four years by Mexican Lucas, and supervised by C. E. Green.

J. B. Derryberry Buried Monday

Funeral services for John Barclay Derryberry, 83, were held from the Loraine Church of Christ Monday afternoon at 2:30 with Willis Kreager, minister of Colorado Church of Christ, and Alonzo Phillips of the Loraine church, officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of G. W. Hendrick.

News of the death of Mr. Derryberry Sunday morning came as a surprise to the community as he had been sick only a few days, although his health had not been good for several years.

Mr. Derryberry was born May 27, 1853 at Columbia, Tennessee. He came to Texas as a young man and lived at Wichita Falls for several years, coming to Loraine in 1916 where he has made his home.

He was married to Miss Mary Tatum in October 1881, both of whom united with the Church of Christ in 1895 and have been faithful members since that time.

Mr. Derryberry is survived by his wife, four sons and two daughters, all of whom were at his bedside when death came except one daughter who arrived after his death. The children are: Homer and Ross Derryberry of Loraine, Barclay Derryberry of Big Spring, Carroll Derryberry of Sulphur, Mrs. C. H. Walker of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. J. H. Doyle of Tyler. He is also survived by three brothers, two of whom reside in Nashville, Tennessee, and one in Birmingham, Alabama, and a sister of Columbia, Tennessee, 16 grand children and 4 great grand children, one of whom was present for the funeral service.

Other out of town relatives present for the service were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Tatum of Dublin, Mrs. Louise Peacock and daughter of Dublin, Billy Tatum and son, Wesley, of Fort Worth.

Out of town friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hamilton, Mrs. C. E. Bruce, Mr. and Noah Sipe, and Mrs. W. H. Hale and children of Longworth, Mrs. Jim Onstatt of Dublin, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West of Snyder.

Active pallbearers were Fred Ison, O. I. Griffin, Luther Anders, Kirk Taylor, J. B. Mahon, and J. B. Holt of Colorado. Honorary pallbearers were Alonzo Phillips, D. E. Gunn, W. B. Westbrook, Aaron Johnson, C. W. Palmer, W. B. Davis, Lee May, J. B. Teaff, and Jeff Ison.

Grand daughters, assisted by friends, were bearers of the beautiful floral offering.

A special quartet "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown", was rendered by Bob George, Glen Coon, Mrs. D. E. Gunn and Miss Oza Gunn.

THE MITCHELL COUNTY NEW STUDENTS HISTORICAL ESSAY CONTEST AFFORDS ALL LOCAL STUDENTS OPPORTUNITY TO WIN \$1100.

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Read the announcement carefully. Make your entry NOW or later. Make your entry NOW or any time previous to the closing date, Monday, February 3, 1936. Prizes will be awarded on Texas Independence day, March 2, 1936.

The Winning Essays—in all divisions, will be reproduced in this publication. Additional details may be secured at The News Office.

Lewis Small is moving near Seven Wells and the farm occupied by him will be worked by Mr. Foy.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Supreme Court Finds AAA Unconstitutional—Democrats Pick Philadelphia for Convention—Bonus Measure Is Pushed Through House.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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SIX justices of the United States Supreme court, including Chief Justice Hughes, joined in an opinion that killed the Agricultural Adjustment act. Three associate justices, Stone, Brandeis and Cardozo, dissented. The majority decision, read by Associate Justice Owen J. Roberts, held that the AAA was wholly unconstitutional because it invaded the rights of the states in seeking to control farm production. The whole system of processing taxes imposed to finance the program was swept into disarray.

Not only are the processing taxes illegal but the court apparently declared the farm benefit contracts void and put up bars against any attempt of the federal government to regulate farm production by whatever means. Senators and representatives who immediately began planning legislation to continue benefit payments to farmers and to balance agricultural output did not seem to grasp the full significance of this part of the decision. The court said flatly that regulation of farm production is not within the scope of the federal government and of its powers to accomplish this, nor can it purchase adherence to a control scheme by federal payments.

The decision destroyed not only the original AAA but also the amended act of the last session of congress.

The dissenting opinion held that the AAA was a legitimate employment of the power to tax for the general welfare. It attacked the theory that the preservation of our institutions is the exclusive concern of the Supreme court and suggested that under the majority decision the unemployment work relief act is unconstitutional.

In his budget message President Roosevelt included revenue from processing taxes, so the Supreme court decision had the effect of throwing the 1937 budget still further out of balance by something like a billion dollars.

IN HIS speech at the \$50 a plate Jackson day dinner in Washington, President Roosevelt declined to comment on the Supreme court decision killing the AAA. "It is enough to say," he said, "that the attainment of justice and prosperity for American agriculture remains an immediate and constant objective of my administration."

Secretary Wallace called into consultation at Washington about 100 representatives of farm organizations to try to formulate some plan for speedy legislation to supplant the discredited law. Assurance that farmers who have fulfilled contract agreements would be paid was given by President Roosevelt when he advised administration leaders in congress to push through a \$250,000,000 appropriation.

Clarification of the status of \$1,200,000,000 paid in taxes by processors was expected when the court decides the eight rice processing tax cases argued recently. Legal experts in congress said an act of congress would be required if the \$979,000,000 in processing taxes paid into the treasury are to be refunded.

AUCTIONED off to the highest bidder, the Democratic national convention of 1936 was sold to Philadelphia by the party's national committee. The price was \$200,000, plus some prizes and concessions. Chicago and San Francisco also bid for the convention. The former offered a certified check for \$150,000. The California city made the same bid and later raised it to \$202,500.

During a brief recess Chairman Farley telephoned, presumably to the White House, and Vice President Garner moved among the members of the committee urging the selection of Philadelphia. Therefore the City of Brotherly Love won the prize. The opening of the convention was set for June 23, two weeks after the Republican convention in Cleveland.

NO TIME was lost in putting through the house the bonus measure that had been agreed upon by veterans' organizations and approved by the ways and means committee. It carries the name of the Vinson-Patman-McCormack bill and is a compromise that authorizes immediate payment of the bonus but offers no definite plan for raising the money. It would provide 3 per cent interest until 1945 for veterans refraining from cashing their adjusted service certificates at once, and cancel all interest still due on loans on the certificates.

NEUTRALITY legislation desired by the administration does not meet with the approval of Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois who, though a loyal Democrat, is sometimes opposed to the President. He says the law under consideration in senate and house committees would close the markets of the Middle West to world commerce, and

has asked the Illinois Manufacturers' association and the Chicago Association of Commerce to support his opposition to it.

As a substitute for the general neutrality law proposed by the President, Senator Lewis advocates enactments granting the chief executive authority to issue regulations placing embargoes upon shipments of commodities which would threaten American neutrality, but stipulating that these regulations should be submitted to the senate for acceptance or amendments.

WITH the obvious intention of building up public sentiment in favor of the special brand of neutrality legislation he desires, Senator Nye had before his senate munitions committee for several days J. P. Morgan, Thomas W. Lamont and other members of the great Morgan banking company. Nye and Stephen Rauschenbusch, investigator for the committee, sought to prove that the United States was drawn into the World war by the loans made to the allies by Morgan & Co. and its associates. The testimony concerning these loans and their implications was long and complicated. The financiers were well prepared for the inquiry and were armed with a great quantity of documents, and though there was a good deal of acrimonious talk, Mr. Morgan appeared entirely unperturbed.



J. P. Morgan

When the delegates to the naval conference in London resumed their deliberations Admiral Osami Nagano, chief representative of Japan, firmly repeated his demand that Great Britain and the United States concede the parity claims of Japan as preliminary to any agreement. This attitude stopped all discussion of the British, French and Italian proposal for exchange of information about naval building plans and threatened the conference with early collapse. The crisis was so serious that Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden himself took a part in the affair, calling the Japanese to his office in an attempt to induce them to adopt a more conciliatory attitude.

Japanese spokesmen declared they were interested first and last in the total tonnage question—under which they demand equality—and were not at all interested in other aspects of naval limitations.

SURROUNDED by kilig lights, microphones and movie cameras, President Roosevelt stood before the senate and house in night joint session and delivered what was nominally his annual message to the state of the nation. Actually it was not that at all, but a statement concerning the warfare and international disturbances on the other continents, followed by what the press generally considered an eloquent and militant political speech addressed to the people of the United States, who by the millions were listening in on their radios. Partisan opinion of his message is perhaps worthless. Of course his supporters praised it highly, and his opponents were equally emphatic in derogation.

Democrats and Republicans alike commended the President's opening paragraphs in which he boldly condemned the aggression of Italy and Japan, though without naming those nations; and there was little dissent from his assertion that the United States must maintain its neutrality while seeking to discourage the use by belligerent nations of any and all American products calculated to facilitate the prosecution of a war in quantities over and above our normal exports to them in time of peace.

The remainder of the message, devoted to domestic affairs, was devoted chiefly to a belligerently worded defense of the New Deal measures of the administration, an attack on those who oppose them and a spirited passage in which Mr. Roosevelt defied and dared his critics to move for the repeal of those measures instead of "hiding their dissent in a cowardly cloak of generality." In only two paragraphs did the President dwell on "the state of the nation." In these he said that after nearly three years of the New Deal national income is increasing, agriculture and industry are "returning to full activity," and "we approach a balance of the national budget."

One passage in the message was interpreted by some as a threat to close the lower courts to suits attacking the constitutionality of federal laws. The President told congress that its enactments require "protection until final adjudication by the highest tribunal," and added that congress "has the right and can find the means to protect its own prerogatives."

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BRISBANE THIS WEEK

AAA Is No More Who Will Pay Now? Only 11 Can Run Fast The State of the Union

The Supreme court decision rejecting AAA, the "agricultural adjustment act," affects every American directly. Issued just as the President announced his program to balance the national budget within one thousand million dollars, the decision upsets that administration program.

Men with large incomes, of whom few survive, may worry, for the decision takes from the government seven hundred million a year of processing taxes that will have to be made good elsewhere. The manufacturers, the little people, was, in reality, a sales tax on life's necessities—cotton cloth, flour, meat.

The question is, Who will provide cash promised the farmers, since the Supreme court will not sanction the sales tax, disguised as a "gross" tax? Whence will come the hundreds of millions the government owes to farmers under its AAA promises and, has not yet paid? The farmers did their part, the government could hardly fail to do its part by paying.

International News Service sports department shows that out of about 1,800,000 human beings on earth only 11 are known that can run a mile at really high speed. Of these not more than four would have any chance of beating an individual named Glenn Cunningham of Kansas.

You would think that the billion unknown uncounted among the so-called "backward races," many with native energy, free of civilization's handicaps, could easily be trained to beat the 11 fast ones, but it is not probable.

The President's address "on the state of the Union" was, like nearly all Presidential speeches, an address on the state of the administration.

Discussing danger of war, if it is true that "85 or 90 per cent of all the people in the world are content with the territorial limits of their respective nations," that would leave only 10 or 15 per cent of the aggressive type.

Lloyd George, playing a little politics with his friend Prime Minister Baldwin, exults in the noble moral uprising of the British, rejecting the terrible, immoral plan to divide Ethiopia and placate Italy. Something "without precedent," Lloyd George calls it.

Where England is concerned, "dividing up" is, indeed, almost without precedent. England's custom as a rule is to swallow things whole, as she did with the Transvaal, India, and other territories that have kept her old fighting flag always in the sunshine.

The Methodist Episcopal church is proud to announce in Nashville, Tenn., that it begins 1936 with 2,783,290 regularly enrolled members, an increase over the preceding year of 31,298, with 21,861 baptized infants not included. This is the reply of the Methodist Episcopalians to the "high church" Anglicans of the English church that suggests giving up Protestantism altogether as a failure.

Children will learn with pleasure that it is not necessary to eat spinach unless you like it. Other vegetables take the place of spinach with a menacing person called "Pop-Eye."

The government, through WPA, will print a book on what to eat and how to eat it. One well known New York physician ventures the opinion that spinach contains an objectionable amount of "vegetable uric acid."

The English, horrified by Italian bombing in Ethiopia, would be interested, if they have forgotten about it, to see photographs of one big Egyptian city after British warships had finished its bombardment. It was an exceptionally complete job, nothing left standing.

A twenty-year-old Poughkeepsie girl, "from the other side of the tracks," working for \$6 a week, was invited by a young man to get into his automobile. "Want to go somewhere for a drink, baby?" was the invitation formula. In the morning the unfortunate girl was found in the man's car in a garage, dead, horribly mistreated and beaten to death. The excuse for mentioning so dreadful a crime is that it ought to warn all girls foolish enough to accept invitations from unknown men.

New Jersey says the execution of Hauptmann, close at hand, will be no theatrical show. No woman reporter will be allowed to witness Hauptmann's death, an excellent idea, although some young ladies will not think so. Female reporters, let us hope, will have babies later on. Watching a miserable creature writhing in the electric chair would not be good for the babies, although science no longer believes in prenatal influences, as Voltaire did.

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Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted By WILLIAM BRUCKART

Washington.—President Roosevelt has told congress that he wants it to finish its labors and adjourn in short order. He has figured that about three months ought to give the members sufficient time to mull over the problems that confront them and that they then should return to their several homes. But the President is doomed to disappointment if he sincerely believes that he can get congress out of the Capital by the end of March. The best guess right now is that the congress will be in session at least four months and, it is well within the range of possibilities that it will remain in session almost to the time of the national conventions.

There are a number of factors that make realization of the President's early adjournment wish impossible of realization. Probably the most influential of these is the fact that this is a campaign year. Every member of the house and one-third of the senate, along with Mr. Roosevelt himself, are affected by the election date and politics must have its turn. Every four years this same condition obtains and every four years politicians do about the same things in furtherance of their own political interests. The bulk of the legislation to be considered has its political tinge. Politics even creep into the annual appropriation bills—and usually the result is a swelling of their weight in order that some gears of individual political machines may be oiled just a bit for smooth running in the campaign.

While the appropriation bills are important from a political standpoint, their weight in this session of congress sinks rather below par because there are such things as the bonus for the World War veterans, the Townsend old age pension plan, various New Deal reform measures and such repeal legislation as may be necessary since the Supreme court kicked over New Deal propositions like the Agricultural Adjustment act with its processing taxes and sundry other schemes. However the Roosevelt leaders in congress may desire to act, the machinery of legislation can be run only so fast in an election year.

One of the chief reasons why a congressional session in an election year drags on longer than usual is because of the publicity value the sessions have for individual representatives and senators. Members of congress discovered a hundred years ago that the chambers of the house and senate constituted splendid sounding boards for the dissemination of political views. There has been increasing use of this potentiality as the years have gone by until now the older members of the house and senate have become very adept in capitalizing on this factor. It takes no stretch of the imagination to discover that a senator or representative, speaking from the floor of his respective chamber, gets much more publicity than his opponent back home who talks only as a private citizen. It is perfectly natural, therefore, that those members seeking re-election want to take full advantage of the publicity vehicle available to them in Washington.

The use of this publicity weapon is available to opponents of the New Deal as well as to its supporters. While the approaching election may be expected to knit the house Democrats more closely into a unified front for the November election, the same condition is not true in the senate. In that body, there are a number of old-line Democrats who do not like the New Deal and who are going to utilize every available opportunity to make their record as Democrats as complete as it is possible to do before they must speak to the home folks in person. It is obvious that such men as Senator Carter Glass, of Virginia, cannot desert the Democratic ticket and run for re-election independently. So it is to be expected that men of this type will establish for themselves a comprehensive outline of their political beliefs as Democrats while distinguishing their position from that known as the New Deal. They must look to the future when, according to all indications, they feel the party machinery will again be controlled by the Jeffersonian type Democrat instead of by the reform type of Democrat headed by men and women with the New Deal outlook.

An additional factor operating in the senate is the presence of two Republican Presidential possibilities in the persons of Senator William E. Borah of Idaho and Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan. Senator Borah is actively seeking pledged delegates to the Republican national convention. Senator Vandenberg says he is not a candidate, but the well-known bee is buzzing around and there are many observers who think that Senator Vandenberg is hoping that, in case of a convention stalemate, the assembled delegates may riot and turn to him as the nominee.

Such a condition means, as it has meant before, that these two men will

desire to see all of the political issues aired in congressional debates. It is only natural and logical as well that the Republican minority in the house and senate will seek to foment as much debate as possible in order to obtain a record of what the majority party thinks or proposes to do if returned to power.

In all respects, the session will be the most political, therefore, since Mr. Roosevelt took office. His Presidential message on the state of the Union already is being kicked back and forth and picked to pieces in the preliminary campaign gunfire. There is simply no way by which this situation can be avoided. The opening of congress was the opening of the 1936 campaign.

In an earlier letter, I reported to you concerning the question of a neutrality policy and declared at that time that it was the most important item to come before the current session. It remains so. I believe the situation is even more delicate than in my earlier analysis of this problem and it may well be that congress will stall along in reaching a decision on this policy in order to give foreign developments an opportunity to manifest themselves further. The administration apparently is willing to let congress work out the legislation without such interference but the leaders realize that a decision will be difficult as long as foreign maneuverers continue to present an almost daily change in the scenery.

Reference is made to the neutrality question here because it is one of the things entering into the combination that will cause a longer session than the President wishes.

There seems to be no doubt that passage of a bill to pay the soldiers' bonus at an early date will be accomplished in this session. Likewise, there is hardly the shadow of a doubt that if congress passes such legislation and Mr. Roosevelt vetoes it, the bill will be passed over the veto. It is a campaign year and it is not a good time for politicians to antagonize an organization with the vast membership of the American Legion or the other groups of ex-service men. This legislation will not contribute much to the length of the session but in all such cases representatives and senators must make their speeches and be on record as to why they voted for or against a bill.

The Townsend plan cannot get anywhere in the current session. I do not mean that it will be dodged as a subject of discussion. This is impossible. There will be plenty of debate on it. In the end, however, it will be sidetracked.

Then, there was a flock of inflationary schemes due to horn in on the parade as the session moves forward. Farm mortgage refinancing is one of them. It is unfortunate that the inflationists—those who are willing to prostitute the currency in any manner—are leading in this fight.

In all probability, also, the current session of congress will be called upon to meet some problems resulting from adverse decisions by the Supreme Court of the United States. The court has before it any number of cases involving New Deal policies, including such as the AAA, the TVA with its Tennessee Valley power yardstick, the attempt to regulate wages and hours of labor under the Guffey coal bill known as the Little NIRA, and a half dozen other policy propositions. It seems unlikely, although no one can guess, that all of these measures will be held constitutional. If any are held invalid, naturally the President will ask congress to draft new legislation.

As a sample of the political aspect of the current session, one can sight the furor that was stirred up when President Roosevelt delivered his message on the state of the Union to a night session of congress. Except for one instance, Presidents always have delivered or sent their message to congress at noon of a day after the session has had two or three meetings. Mr. Roosevelt chose to get his message to congress on the very first day of the current session but in order to do it and allow for consummation of the usual routine of the opening day, it was necessary to hold a joint session at night.

The White House announcement of this decision immediately precipitated a biting demand from Henry F. Fletcher, Republican national chairman. Mr. Fletcher charged that since the President's speech was being delivered "out of hours" and was being broadcast to potentially the greatest radio audience ever to listen to a Presidential message of this kind, the broadcasting companies must agree to allocate time for the Republicans to answer it. The Republican chairman asserted that the message was reduced to the "common level of a political speech" and so he demanded for the opposition the right to analyze it from the opposition standpoint through the same number of radio stations and to potentially the same radio audience.

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Prehistoric knitting needles, five-teeth combs and spoons of mammoth bone have been found in an ancient settlement near Obdorsk, northern Siberia, by an expedition sent out by the Institute of Anthropology and Ethnography of the Academy of Science of the U. S. S. R. It has excavated 12,000 articles of pottery and bone, some of which are unique.

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CAUGHT IN THE WILD

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

Garth put his fingers to his lips for silence, and held a fuse-wrapped stick of dynamite close to his match. The miner let go of his rifle and straightened upon his feet, his hands high above his head.

The match flickered out. Garth dropped the dynamite and darted forward. He was none too quick. The slight thud of the fallen rifle had wakened Huxby. As Garth paused behind the corner of the lean-to, the engineer peered out, with his pistol thrust forward.

As Garth jumped he struck with the butt of his belt-ax. It cracked down on Huxby's wrist. The engineer's pistol dropped. With a curse, Huxby grasped at the weapon, but Garth was quicker. As he caught it up, Huxby clutched at his throat. Garth felled him with a tap of the ax butt on the temple.

Wakened by the sudden flurry, the two miners in the lean-to were grasping at the pair of rifles on which Huxby had lain. Garth whirled the pistol to cover them.

"Hands up, and get out beside your mate," he ordered. "We want you down like dogs if you interfere."

One of the pair jerked up his hands. The other man hesitated. The miner outside called warningly: "The jig's up, Laney. The other feller has got the drop on us too."

Laney lifted his hands and stared out after his bed-mate. Huxby was staggering up, still dazed from the blow that had felled him. Wild with desperate rage, he struck out furiously. Garth side-stepped and thrust in a tripping foot.

The engineer pitched face-down on the hard-crusted snow. Before he could spring up again, Garth jumped upon his back. The blow knocked him breathless. It was then as easy matter to click Constable Dillon's handcuffs on the wrists of the murderer.

"Stop that cursing, or I'll gag you," Garth said. "There's a lady present. All right, Miss Ramill. Join us."

Huxby fell silent, to gaze like the miners at the skin-clad form that came forward out of the black shadows into the freight. The girl still carried the constable's pistol raised ready to shoot. Huxby saw enough of her face in its border of wolverine fur to make certain Garth had not been bantering him.

"Lilith! You?"

"Yes, it's me, you cowardly sneak killer! I came after you with Alan, and he has let me catch you."

The murderer twisted around with his back to her and the fire. His head sagged forward. With a sudden return of alertness, Lilith turned her gaze away from his shadowed profile to watch the three lined-up miners.

Garth did not smile at the girl's needless caution. She had earned the right to think herself an invaluable helper. He allowed her to stand guard while he gathered up the three rifles and unloaded them.

"Right-o, Miss Ramill," Garth said. "Sit down. It's all over now but the talking."

She lowered the pistol but drew back where she could watch Huxby as well as the miners. Garth looked soberly at the men.

"If you know Kipling, you'll bear in mind that the female of the species is more deadly than the male. I dare say, though, you can safely venture to lower your hands and sit down with us."

At the welcome permission, the three dropped their arms. Two of them at once squatted on a log. Laney lingered for a surly question, before following suit:

"What's the play?"

"All we came for was to arrest Huxby. Help with the cabin plane, and there will be no mention of any shooting other than his murder of the constable. What wages did he promise you?"

"Double the usual. Tole us he had to get in his assessment work before the freeze-up."

"The claim belongs to me," Garth replied. "I will pay you the double wages."

"Ugh," growled Laney. "You outplayed the d-n fourflusher. It's a deal. You're boss. We're working for you."

Garth walked back into the blackness of the spruce trees. He returned with the flour-sack packbag, his own and Lilith's buckskin suits, and a hind-quarter of fat caribou meat. At his invitation, the men eagerly went at the frozen mear with an ax, and put the big teapot, full of snow, on the fire.

Lilith and Garth had eaten before coming down from the igloo. They sat back, on a snowdrift, and watched while the others devoured the tender broiled meat and gulped down cups of hot tea. The flesh of the old she-bear had been as tough as leather and her fat very rank.

Huxby continued to sit in morose silence, with his back to the fire. The feasters paid no heed to him. After a time Lilith began to stir uneasily, at last she had to act. She handed

her pistol to Garth, and went to put a piece of meat on a spit. When it was broiled, she took it and a cup of tea to Huxby.

He started up at her as if dumfounded, then shook his head sullenly. She put down the cup and plate beside him, and returned to Garth. At his look of cool inquiry, her eyes flashed with defiance.

"I don't care! It's not right to starve anyone."

He replied in a noncommittal tone: "You're a woman."

The murderer took up his cup of hot tea in his manacled hands and drank. He began to eat the meat.

When daylight came, Garth ordered everyone out to the cabin plane. The hard-frozen slush ice gave solid footing over the bog. It also gave a solid foundation out at the plane upon which were based the engineer's lifting operations. The ice had been chopped from around the floats, and a crib built under the inner end of each wing. By hoisting first on the outer end of one wing and then the other, the cribs had been heightened until the floats were level with the top of the ice.

A glance inside the cabin showed Garth the body of Constable Dillon lying where he had left it. Laney explained, with a jerk of a mittened thumb to Huxby:

"He first says we'd chuck the stiff under the ice. Then he says, no, to wait an' heave it out when we was flying over the muskegs."

"We'll wait still longer," Garth said. "That brave constable is going to receive an honorable burial. Now get to work with those sapling levers. Another pair of logs on the cribs will raise the floats high enough to roller her clear."

Garth showed the men how to skew the rollers for turning the plane. He went to shove sideways on the tail. The plane started to curve around.

A shriek from Lilith whirled Garth face about. Huxby was rushing at him, with an ax lifted high in his manacled hands. Lilith flew at the attacker as if frenzied. She sought to block his charge. He gave her his shoulder with the skill of a football player. It caught her on the chin and sent her spinning.

But the slight check allowed Garth time for a leap in under the ax before the blade could whirl down on his head. His left fist appeared to punch deep into the pit of Huxby's stomach. His right drove up under the chin of the gasping murderer. The uppercut lifted the killer off his feet and dropped him on his face, clean knocked out.

With no more than a glance at his fallen attacker, Garth sprang to help Lilith's dazed effort to sit up. "Well played," he said. "Not hurt, are you?"

"N-no—I—you—he didn't!" she cried, and burst into tears.

Garth gave her a pat on the head, and turned away, embarrassed. "No wonder you're overcome. It's been too much for a girl. We'll hop out of here at once."

He lashed the unconscious killer's wrists to his belt, tied his ankles together, and climbed into the cockpit of the plane. After replacing the breaker points, he had the men take turns spinning the propeller. He then tried the self-starter. The engine roared. Pulled by the whirling propeller, the plane slid forward off the log rollers.

After cutting the gun, Garth ordered two of the men to heave Huxby into the cabin. The third man he sent for the rifles. "I want the one with which he shot Constable Dillon. But you may as well bring the others—also a lot of that bear fat."

He himself went to pick up the still-lingering girl and help her to the second seat in the cockpit. He made sure of the supply of gasoline, and climbed down again to see that the men gave the bottom of the floats a thorough greasing with the bear fat.

After that, when all were aboard, and the rifles in Lilith's keeping, he started the engine. The plane at first moved slowly. The floats dragged on the rough surface of the frozen slush. But when they glided out on the streak of glare ice, the friction became less than that of a water take-off.

Within a half mile the speed had so increased that an easy pull on the joystick sent the plane skimming up off the glassy surface. Garth banked in a long curve to the left, listening to the roar of the warmed motor. Every cylinder was hitting sweet.

He made a wide spiral over the valley for elevation, and drove out eastwards above a saddle in the jagged mountain barrier. When clear of the valley, he did not keep straight on across to the Mackenzie. He turned more to the south.

CHAPTER XII

Squaw Lilith.

The cross-country flight brought the plane to the Mackenzie at the great bend below the Laird. But Garth did not come down at Fort Simpson. He flew on up the vast river to Great Slave lake, and east across the lake to Fort Resolution.

Some time before sunset, he set the

cabin plane down at the landing of the Airways base by the mouth of the Slave river. After handing Lilith ashore, he left her standing while he went to speak to the Airways superintendent. That courteous gentleman hastened to tell the girl that his wife would be delighted if the daughter of Mr. Burton Ramill would honor their hospitality.

Garth was not invited. He turned away to meet the red-coated sergeant of police for whom he had sent. Lilith did not see him again until the next morning.

Told by her hostess that Mr. Garth wished to speak with her, she made a hurried effort to adjust her borrowed dress. Though more stylish

He looked soberly past her shoulder at the amused face of her hostess. "Well, yes, I dare say you can. We're going first to Edmonton. Your father is there. I sent him a message that we are coming."

She plucked at the wolverine fringe of her parka hood. "You—you cheat!" He took her into his arms, regardless of the onlooking lady. "My girl, we are back in civilization. We are first going to be properly married."

"But these caribou suits?"

"Best of flying costumes. We're taking a two-seater. The suits will come in handy again this winter when I teach Mrs. Garth how to drive a dog team. Until that it's to be silks for my girl. I must first testify at the trial. After that we'll hop over to Victoria and take a steamer to Japan for our honeymoon."

"Oh, Alan, how—how delightful! But Japan? Why, I never dreamt a prospector like you would care to travel in the Orient. So, if—if you'd rather go back to the valley, dear—"

Her hostess could no longer keep silent.

"Prospector, Miss Ramill! Is that all you know about Mr. Garth? His father is one of the heads of the Hudson's Bay company. He himself is a member of our parliament, a fellow of the Royal Geographical society, a noted explorer—"

"And the winner of the gamest girl I ever knew," Garth cut in. "Come on, Squaw Lilith. You've proved yourself a mate woman. Now you're going to be my lady wife."

[THE END.]



He Kissed Her Red Lips and Scarlet Cheeks and Tightly Closed Eyelids.

than the one loaned to her on the steamer by the Fort Norman missionary's wife, it was not cut for her lithe figure. She went hesitatingly into the room where Garth waited alone for her.

Sight of him in his caribou parka brought her to a startled halt. Her eyes widened. "Oh, still in your skin suit! You—you're going back!"

"What difference does it make to you?" he asked. "You'll soon be in Edmonton—and civilization."

She stepped suddenly close to him, her hands held out in appeal. "No! I—Alan, take me back with you!"

"Back there? Don't tell me you like that squaw life. Those days in the valley and the trip out must have been a—l of torment to you—dirt, rags, mosquito dog, flies, starvation. And now ice, snow, bitter cold."

"Anything—anything just to be with you, Alan—dear!"

He put his arms about her. He kissed her red lips and scarlet cheeks and tightly closed eyelids.

"My girl," he said, "you are going with me wherever I go. Get on your parka."

Her arms were clasped tight about his neck. She lingered a moment to return his kiss. Then, her blue eyes aglow, she ran to obey him.

When she came hastening back, in her Eskimo costume, she ventured an appeal: "Can't I have a comb and brush and—and soap, Alan?"

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for January 19

JESUS PREPARES FOR HIS WORK

LESSON TEXT—Luke 3:21, 22; 4:1-13. GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve—Luke 4:8.

PRIMARY TOPIC—When Jesus Grew Up. JUNIOR TOPIC—When Jesus was Tempted. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Making a Right Start for Life. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Finding God's Way for Life.

The statement of the subject of this lesson is not quite satisfactory. His baptism and temptation were not means of preparation, but were respectively his formal entrance upon his work and the first conflict with the devil, whose works he came to destroy.

1. Jesus Entering Upon His Mediatorial Work (Luke 3:21, 22).

1. His baptism (v. 21). In his baptism we see the symbolic act of Jesus dedicating himself to the work of redemption through the cross, or the act of consecration on his part to the work of saving the world through his death and resurrection. His baptism did not mean his obedience to the law of God, but his entrance upon the sacrificial work which on the cross of Calvary made a real foundation for full righteousness.

2. His anointing (v. 22). As he thus dedicated himself to the task of bringing in a righteousness, he was anointed with the Holy Spirit.

3. The heavenly recognition (v. 22). This act of devotion to the divine will was attended by the declaration of divine approval. "Thou art my beloved Son; in thee I am well pleased."

II. Jesus' First Conflict With the Devil (Luke 4:1-13).

Jesus went from the place of anointing and heavenly recognition as the Son of God to meet and to spoil the arch enemy (Heb. 2:14). Instead of the temptation, therefore, being a preparation for his messianic work, it was a demonstration of the inseparableness of the divine and human natures in the incarnation. It is to be noted that the Holy Spirit, not Satan, led Jesus into the wilderness to be tempted.

1. The place (v. 1). It was in the wilderness of Judea. The first man, Adam, was tempted in a garden, with the most pleasant surroundings. The second man, Jesus Christ, was tempted in a barren wilderness, surrounded by wild beasts (Mark 1:13).

2. The method (vv. 2-12). Christ as the world's Redeemer sustained a threefold relationship; the Son of man, the Messiah, and the Son of God. Therefore, Satan made each one a ground of attack.

a. As Son of man (vv. 2-4). Satan made his first assault upon Jesus as a man by appealing to the instinct of hunger. Satan urged him to use his divine power to convert a stone into bread. Hunger is natural and sinless. Real human life experiences hunger. The appetite of hunger was normal and right. The temptation was to satisfy a right hunger in a wrong way. To have yielded in this case, though his hunger was desperate, would have been to renounce the human limitations which he had taken for our sins. To use divine power to satisfy human needs would have been to fail as Savior and Mediator. To do right in a wrong way is to fail.

b. As Messiah (vv. 5-8). Here the temptation was to grasp his rightful dominion by false means. The devil offered to surrender unto him the world, if he would adopt his method—worship him. The force of this temptation was in the fact that the kingdoms of the world are Christ's by God's covenant with him. God's method by which Jesus was to possess the world was the sacrificial death on the cross. The temptation which Satan is placing upon the church today is to get possession of the world by other means than that of the cross.

c. As Son of God (vv. 9-12). Here Satan tries to induce Christ to presume upon God's care. He quotes a messianic psalm to induce him so to act. To do the spectacular thing in order to get publicity is to fall into Satan's temptation. For Jesus to have placed himself in danger in order to get God's special help in delivering him would have been to sin. To test God as to whether he will keep a promise is the greatest distrust; it is to sin and fail.

d. Christ's defense (vv. 4, 8, 12). It was the Word of God. He met every onslaught of the enemy with "It is written." Our defense is God's Word. May every Sunday School teacher and believer know how to use it.

e. The issue (v. 13). Satan was vanquished. If we but trust God and use his Word, we too can overcome the devil.

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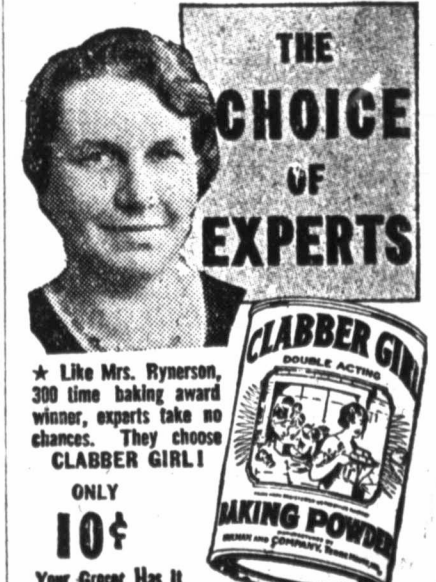
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no doubt that international problems would be more easily settled if those responsible were more optimistic in their outlook.

Advertising men take a good deal of beating when it comes to 'carrying on' in face of all the material evidence which normally would put a man 'out of step.' With things even at their blackest and markets apparently dead, I have heard Advertising Agents and Manufacturers discussing new campaigns, including luxury articles too, with an absolute disregard for tradition or even the laws of economics.

Advertising, if in right hands, need never bow to any state of mind or condition which tends to retard the forward movement. "Let optimism and the intelligent application of common sense prevail."

WEEKLY HEALTH LETTER

Austin, Texas—This is the season of the year when influenza or "Flu" is most prevalent, according to Dr. John W. Brown State Health Officer. Colds, grippes, influenza, whatever we may call them, are believed to be spread from person through discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from such disease, here are some things to be remembered:

Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everybody is susceptible to it. No matter how many times you have had the disease you may contract it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are sneezing, coughing, or sniffing or who are actively ill with colds, influenza, or pneumonia. Keep away from crowded places. Have your towel and always wash your hands before eating, and sneeze or cough into your handkerchief.

Keep fit by drinking plenty of water, by eating simple nourishing food, by some exercise out of doors every day, by dressing according to the weather, by having plenty of sleep in a well ventilated room, and by keeping the bowels regulated.

Don't neglect your "cold." If you have the slightest suspicion of fever go home, go to bed immediately and call your physician. Stay in bed until he tells you that you can get up, and follow his advice explicity.

Disastrous results may ensue if influenza cases are allowed to get about too soon. Persons convalescing from influenza are particularly susceptible to other infections. If you are just getting over some illness, return to your normal routine of life gradually.

CHURCH FORCES OF TEXAS TO HOLD CENTENNIAL

A state-wide Committee repre-

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates have authorized The Mitchell County News to announce to the voters of Mitchell County their candidacies, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

- FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER:
John Seown
- FOR COMMISSIONER PRE. 4:
W. J. (Jim) Manly
Frank Crowover
- J. A. (Abb) Black
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
B. L. Templeton
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER...
Mrs. Mayme Taylor
- FOR COUNTY CLERK:
J. M. Herrington
- FOR SHERIFF:
J. N. (Nick) Narrell
- FOR ASSESSOR—COLLECTOR
ROY E. WARREN

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We are pleased to be able to offer the Brisbane column as a regular feature of this paper. You will enjoy it and find it full of valuable information.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our deepest thanks to our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and words of sympathy at the death of our husband and father. We also deeply appreciated the beautiful flowers.
Mrs. J. B. Derryberry; Homer Derryberry and family; Ross Derryberry and family; Barceley Derryberry and family; Carol Derryberry and family; Mrs. C. H.

Walker and family; Mrs. J. H. Doyle and family.

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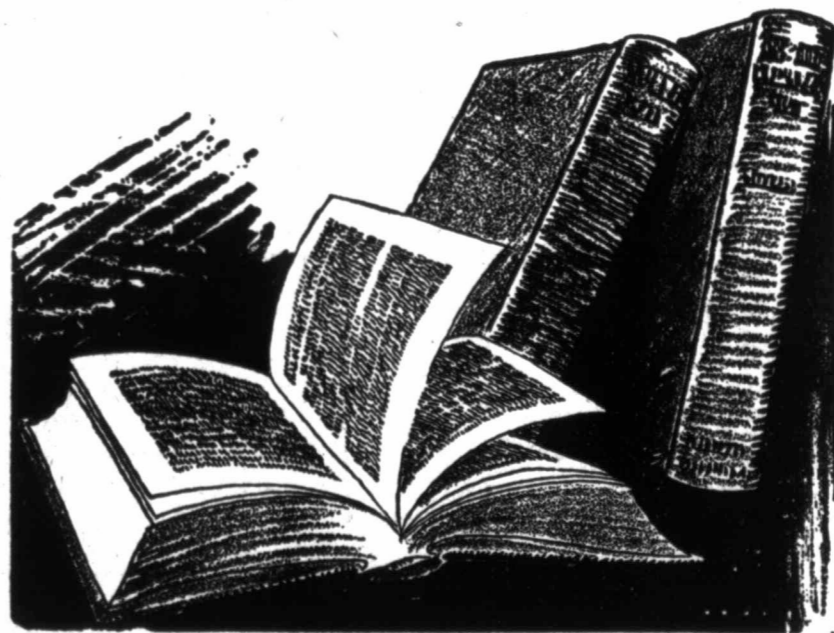
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The Mitchell County News

THE HUDDLE

Volume 1 Number 18
Lorraine High School

Editor-in-chief ---Lula Mae Roberts
Society Editor ---Ruth Ann Hall
Sport Editor ---Eldon Mahon
Joke Editor ---Edwin Hallmark

SENIOR NEWS

What a class! What a school! What a world! We are now starting our second semester of school. Seniors! It won't be long now! During the last week a lot has happened to the seniors. First, our dear little friend Katha Lee Harrell moved to Lubbock. We certainly miss her. Aldin Lee, is a member of our class again. We are very glad to have him back. You know folks he's that young gentleman that was such a football hero for awhile. Some of the girls still think he's a hero, but not in football. We seniors are planning to have a lot more to do towards good times this last semester, but that won't prevent our studying hard. (like we always do.)

The Senior Class extends their sympathy to the three classmates, Lula Mae Roberts, Junice Hart, and Rue McCarley, whose uncle passed away last week.

JUNIOR NEWS

Calling all readers! Calling all readers! Stand by for the Junior News! After the basketball game Friday night, Maurine Robertson wondered how she would play ball when she felt well. We wonder if Billie Marie went to Fort Worth just to see her sister or to meet Sam Baugh. Who said Iris wasn't going to be a forward. She really played ball Friday night. Duane Bruce is getting to be a ladies man. Better be careful, Bruce Dear! Ask Opal how she likes for Chubby to wash her face with a cold, dirty, wet rag.

Calling all readers! Calling all readers! Standby every week for the Junior news. That is all.

FRESHMEN NEWS

Weldon Wiggins is going to Champion this week. We are sorry to lose him. Guindola Mearse is moving to Valley View and Janice and Marcella Mearse are moving to Lone Star. We hate to lose all these students and we hope they can come back sometime in the future. Doris Black hurt her leg the other day. We hope it gets well quickly and she won't have to miss much school.

The English students got their new literature books Monday. Everyone seems to think they will like it and make good grades on it.

It is rumored that James Manly intends to be a mechanic. Whether he does or not that is all he talks about.

HEAL THOSE SORE GUMS

Even after pyorrhea has affected your stomach, kidneys and your general health, LETO'S PYORRHEA REMEDY, used as directed, can save you. Dentists recommend it. Druggists return money if it fails.

Hutchins and Hall Druggists

BAPTIST NOTES

There was an increase in attendance at Sunday school Sunday. Bro. Trott had charge of the devotional, in the adult department, which was very inspiring.

Mrs. Tolson's class gave a very interesting program during the opening exercise in the junior department.

We had a large crowd in B.T.U. Sunday evening, but dismissed preaching service and visited the Methodist people in their worship. Rev. Wright's sermon on influence was very impressive.

Teachers meeting and prayer service will be on Thursday evening of this week as Rev. Hardin is attending the pastors retreat at Abilene.

We are hoping and praying that everyone of our community will find it in their hearts to assemble somewhere for worship each Lord's day during the new year. We would be glad to have you meet with us.

IMPROVED BEDROOM LINENS GOAL FOR CLUBMEMBERS

Simple pillow cases are always more appropriate than elaborately decorated ones, said Miss Emma Gunter, county home demonstration agent as she showed the members of the Bauman Home Demonstration club, which met with Mrs. Vernia Prescott Jan. 8, various classes of pillow cases suitable for use in family or guest bedrooms.

During the past few years most housewives have failed to keep up their supply of linens, due to decreased incomes. One of our goals as cooperators in 1936 will be to improve our bedroom linens and protect our bedding with covers.

Club officers elected for another year were: Mrs. Dee McCollum, president; Mrs. Lester Webb, vice president; Mrs. Oren Coon, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Barbara Jodan, reporter; Mrs. Vernia Prescott, yard improvement demonstrator and Mrs. Coon bedroom improvement demonstrator.

Each club member is asked to bring material to learn decorative stitches for pillow cases and dresser scarfs to the next meeting which will be with Mrs. Lester Webb Jan. 22 at 2:30 P. M. Visitors or new members are always welcome.

BAUMAN NEWS

The attendance at Sunday School was good Sunday. There was also a good crowd at church services Saturday night including some visitors from South Champion. Saturday night the pastor discussed the first chapter of the book of James. Sunday morning he brought a message on "The Lord's Supper" and Sunday night his subject was "On the Road without Jesus."

There were several visitors from Looney at church Sunday night. We are always glad to have visitors and invite them to come back again.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foy of Landers are moving into this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Barber and son attended a birthday dinner at Conway Sunday at the home of Mr. Barber's brother. The occasion was in honor of the two Mr. Barbers birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fine from Sweetwater visited his sister, Mrs. D. L. Collier and family Sunday.

A. R. Miles added a storeroom to the north side of his store last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Landers of Westbrook visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tody Landers Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Marshall of Lorraine visited Mrs. J. C. Lee last Friday. Bauman School has an enrollment of 62. Last Friday marked the close of the third six weeks. The following is the honor roll.

First grade A; Mary Landers, Lois Finley, Billie Jo. Hale, Ivan Barber Jr. B; Jeanene Stubblefield. Second grade A; Hattie Mae Wiggins, Jean Brown. Second B; Doyle Hale, Clyde Clepper, Leta Carbrough, Third grade A; Pierce Givens, Wendell Willis, Bradford Landers, Elvis Lee, Third grade B; Lawson Clepper, Irene Neal, Latrice Bassham, W. A. Miles, Lura Hale. Fourth grade A; Albert Givens, Douglas Brown Alma Ruth Collier. B; Harold Thompson, D. C. Stubblefield. Fifth grade A; Sue Landers, Charles Finley, Raymond Lee, B; Jestead Lee, Margaret Watson, Averill Hale, Paul Banta, Sixth grade A; Alma Lee, Seventh grade B; Cecil Collier.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends for their kindness and words of sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and brother. We were especially grateful for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. W. D. McCarley; J. M. McCarley and family; A. K. McCarley and family; T. P. McCarley and family; M. G. McCarley and family; Mrs. S. H. Hart and family; Mrs. C. L. Hudson and family; Mrs. W. E. Watson and family; J. W. Roberts and family.

COMMERCIAL FAILURES ON DECLINE

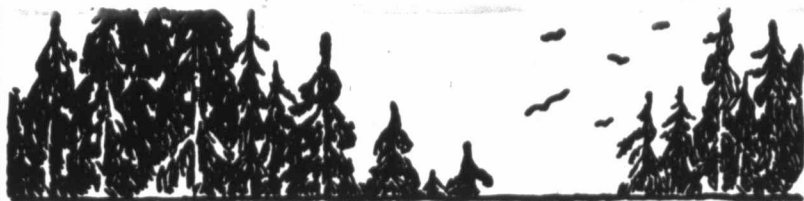
Austin, Texas, Jan. 10.—The statistic on commercial failures in Texas during December showed mixed tendencies in comparison with the preceding month and the corresponding month last year, according to the report of the Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas.

There was an average of five failures a week during the month against six the preceding month and four during December a

year ago. Average liability per failure was \$18,000, a decline of 28 per cent from December, 1934, but double that of the preceding month.

Typewriter ribbons, a new stock at The News Office.

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By HAROLD TITUS
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REPORT OF CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK
Of Lorraine, in the State of Texas, a member of the Federal Reserve System, at the close of business on December 31st, 1935. Published in accordance with calls made by the State Banking Commissioner of Texas, and the Federal Reserve bank of this district.

ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts	77,129.44
3. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	30,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	1,800.00
5. Banking House, \$14,400.00. Furn. and Fix. \$1,600.00	16,000.00
7. Real Estate owned other than banking house	662.75
3. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	43,891.49
3. Cash, balances with other banks, exchanges for clearing house, etc.	88,083.08
10. Cash items not in process of collection	19.65
18. Other asset	411.20
TOTAL	257,997.61

LIABILITIES

14. Demand deposits, except U. S. Government deposits, public funds, and deposits of other banks	179,138.53
15. Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds, and deposits of other banks	13,088.32
16. Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	3,835.14
18. Deposits of other banks, certified and officers' checks outstanding, etc.	850.24
Total of Items 14 to 18, Inclusive:	
Secured by the pledge of loans and or investments	None
Not secured by the pledge of loans and or investments	\$196,912.23
Total Deposits	\$196,912.23
31. Capital account:	
Capital Notes and debentures:	
(1) Sold to Reconstruction Finance Corporation	\$25,000.00
(2) Sold to others	\$ 5,000.00
Common stock 300 shares, par \$100 per share.	\$60,000.00
Undivided profits—net	1,085.38
Total Capital Account	61,085.38
Total, including Capital Account	257,997.61

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Mitchell, ss. We, C. H. Lasky, as President, and K. L. Taylor, as Cashier of said Bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
C. H. Lasky, President
K. L. Taylor, Cashier
CORRECT—ATTEST:
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, A. D. 1936.
J. C. Hall,
S. M. Hallmark,
Directors.
Notary Public, Mitchell County, Texas.

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Homer Richards

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The M. A. Giddens Hatchery of Colorado is now operating in its new location across the street from the Ice Plant. Capacity has been doubled and we are amply prepared to care for your needs.

If you have a good flock of Heavy Breed chicks please call on me as I could use more heavy breed eggs.

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Colorado, Texas

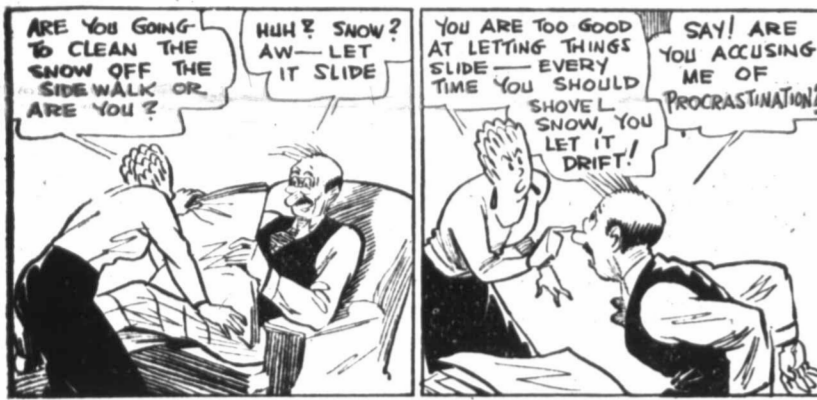
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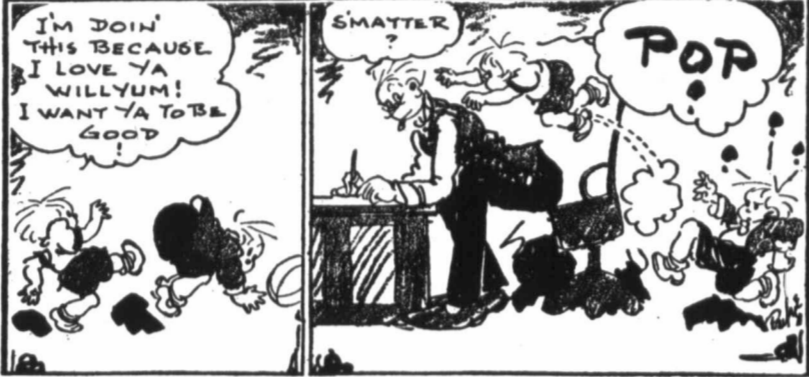
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SMATTER POP—William, He Was Going to Return the Love!



By C. M. PAYNE



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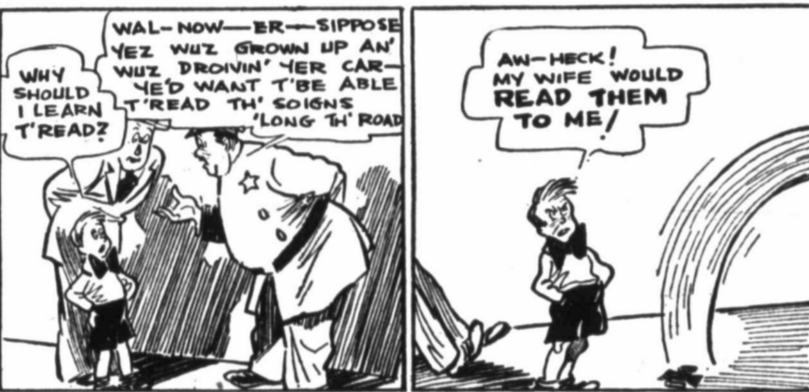
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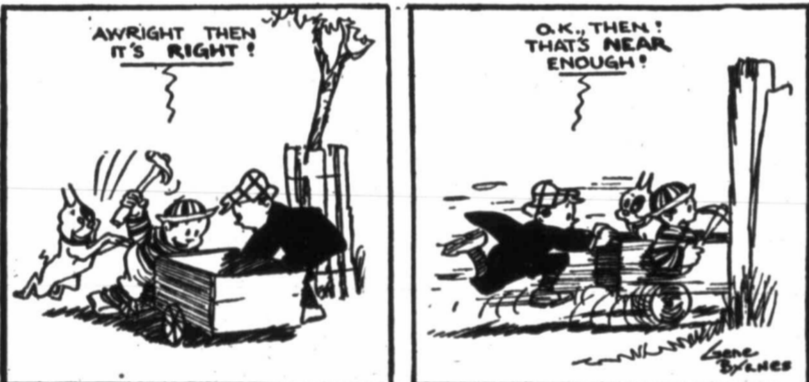
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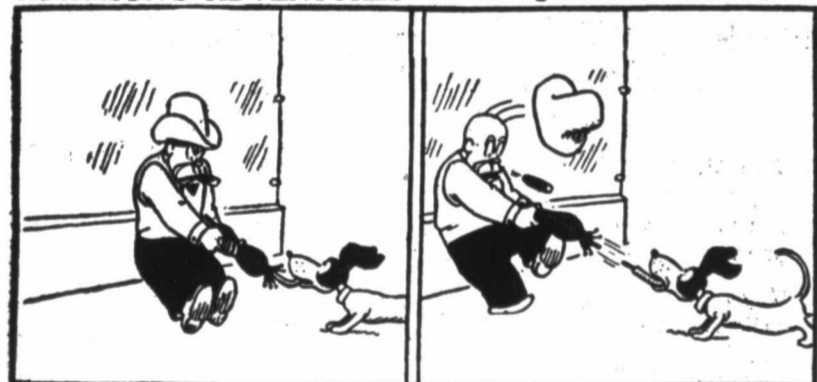


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ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES

Through A Window Glass



By O. JACOBSSON



BRONC PEELER Gettin' Off Lucky



By FRED HARMAN



HI, THERE—HAVE YOU TRIED WRIGLEY'S LATELY?



WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT THE PERFECT GUM

AIDS DIGESTION

Our Pet Peeve

By M. G. KETTNER



Bob Davis Reveals

What Owl Wagon Chefs Have Done for Hams, Eggs, Etc. "IT WOULD be an excellent idea," writes a communicant whose advice is much appreciated, "if in your column you were to devote more space to the subject of cooks, cooking and the influence of food upon the human race."

While concurring in the broad proposition that in matters dietetic there is endless interest, the fact remains that Americans are not as a race sufficiently advanced to make a stand against the horrors compounded in our kitchen under the guise of home cooking. That our forebears, farseeing enough to draft the Constitution, a tamperers hit into it, could have perfected a system of diet designed to weaken the national stomach, passes all understanding. Coincident with the Declaration of Independence, the Bill of Rights and the framing of constitutional law came the mince pie, the frying pan and the greasy conglomeration believed to be essential to the preservation of life. For more than 150 years my beloved country was weltered in the agonies of foul blows struck below the belt by housewives experimenting at the range.

United States Richest Field. We have been slugged with overcooked meats and vegetables, death-dealing biscuits, cement puddings, hell-brewed condiments and kitchen bouquets for so long a stretch that the scientific study of metabolism and digestion finds our United States the richest of all fields for experimentation. "Save America for us," is the battle cry of the test tubers. It may well be that they have arrived too late and that the next generation, weakened by the long siege inaugurated by the Puritan poisoners, is beyond redemption.

In reviewing the past one must take into consideration the tendency to overindulgence, superinduced by a prolific supply of provender. No country on the face of the earth produced more of the raw material, requisite to slack hunger, or less capacity for the proper serving of it. The flood of cook books handed down from Colonial days should have been expurgated with the same care that cautious mothers, lest their daughters blush for no good purpose, combed best sellers during the mauve period. Good digestion is equally important with good manners. Immorality and bi-carbonate of soda unite in the pit of the stomach.

In the great revolutions that have taken place in human history there is always to be found a cause that, though seemingly trivial, is the very fountain head of what in time comes to be recognized as a renaissance into which civilization plunges with exultation and joy. In the present disorder I look for the reconstruction to take its inspiration at the snug counters of the vast army of owl wagons lining the highways and bisecting the Atlantic states.

Chefs Are Future Saviors. Believe it or not, the white capped chefs ruling over the destinies of the owl wagon, wielding the pancake turners, broiling ham and bacon, scrambling eggs, putting a golden brown on thin toast, brewing fresh coffee and serving the simple menu on hot plates are the future saviors of our afflicted people. Indeed, these former distributors of vitrified sandwiches, pies that carried a content of fruit peeling served between slabs of horse blanket; fried eggs burned on both sides, flapjacks of synthetic rubber splashed with New Orleans molasses, each, every and all courses smelling of Spanish onions or fish, have so completely transformed the service that the evil wayside inn with its odors of antiquity, its slow service and utter indifference to discriminating palates, must look sharp or vanish from the roadside. Some genius, whose intelligence is now being widely pirated by the better class of owl wagons or dining cars, as they are now called, resembling as they do swank, ornate, well-lighted pullmans, set up a line of eating places so immaculate in cleanliness and so up to date in appointments that it is a pleasure to climb up on the revolving stools and watch a white-garbed, nimble-fingered young man with the art of W. C. Fields juggle a line of short orders in full view of the consumer.

Sanitary and Efficient. From a sanitary standpoint, the owl wagon equipment is now 100 per cent. All cooking apparatus is electric; ice boxes under glass, ham, bacon, fruits, bread, butter, etc., wrapped in waxed paper, and all edibles of the highest grade. Practically all of these diners operate in, eight-hour shifts. Sixty cents of any man's money will secure a three-course meal with iced fruit and perfect coffee that cannot be improved upon in the swiftest hostelry on earth.

I am advised by the driver of a truck plying between New York city and Poughkeepsie that the best place to eat along any roadway is where the truckmen stop. "If you want good cooking mark down a spot where they congregate—at any hour of the day or night—and nothing will ever happen to your digestion," he declared. Copyright—WNU Service.

HOW ARE YOU TODAY

DR. JAMES W. BARTON Talks About

Safe and Sure Reducing THE treatment of obesity (overweight) is far more simple than we are often led to believe. During the course of the treatment the patient's strength should improve and his cheerfulness be maintained. Obesity is due to too much food and too little exercise. Insufficient thyroid juice may occasionally account for a case, but in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred too much food and too little exercise causes obesity.

The above was written by Dr. Elliott P. Joslin of Boston twenty-five years ago in Modern Treatment, edited by Dr. Hobart A. Hare, professor of therapeutics and materia medica, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. "Excess of food. Eating is much of a habit. Thus the patient may be accustomed to eat before retiring, or to take fruit between meals, or to enjoy two portions of dessert, and in this way the secret of his overweight is explained. The habit of eating large quantities of food may have been contracted when the individual took more exercise. The duties of active or business life shortened or lessened the time for exercise, but not for exercise meals."

"Lack of exercise. Lack of exercise is fully as common a cause of overweight as increasing the amount of food eaten. Two individuals may exercise and eat alike, yet one sleep an hour longer than the other. The one who sleeps the hour longer naturally chooses a reclining chair and the other selects an upright chair. One is quiet while the other makes frequent movements even in the simplest conversation—always on the move—thus using up the food eaten and preventing gain in weight. Gain in weight usually takes place at that time in life when one is most apt to decrease the amount of exercise."

Old Words Still Apply. You can thus see that while these words from Doctor Joslin are now about twenty-five years old they apply exactly today as to the cause of nearly every case of overweight—too much food or too little exercise, or both.

In the treatment of overweight the same reason for trying to reduce the weight—pride in one's appearance—was the biggest factor twenty-five years ago in getting these individuals to eat less food and take more exercise.

The recommendation as to diet was that all foods be reduced; that in the total intake be reduced. Then of the foods eaten starches and fats should be cut down most and proteins (meat, eggs, fish) very little or not at all. Proteins are needed to maintain the strength and structure of the body and also because they increase the rate at which the body processes work, thus further preventing the formation of fat.

Cutting down completely on table salt in the diet at once causes a lowering of the body weight.

Exercise Holds Protein. Exercise helps to hold or maintain protein in the system because exercise develops or builds muscle, just as lack of exercise allows body protein to be gradually lost. For this reason exercise should always be used to reduce weight. It is not generally recognized that muscular work uses up fat and sugar but not protein. In other words exercise favors the loss of the very tissues which it is most desirable to remove in the treatment of obesity.

Exercise should be prescribed along with the diet above mentioned (cutting down on starches and fats but not on proteins). The exercise should be progressive, regular, and suited to the needs or ability of the patient to take it. Doctor Joslin speaks also of the use of thyroid extract which was in use at that time. Thyroid extract should not be used until after cutting down on the food and increasing the exercise has failed to reduce weight after several weeks' trial. The pituitary extract which is used in those cases when the excess fat is on shoulders, breasts, abdomen and hips, but not on the lower legs or forearms was not in use for reducing weight at that time.

A Patient's First Visit "Every patient who first visits a doctor is in a state of fear. He is thereby more easily influenced by suggestion and the attitude of the doctor, whether encouraging or discouraging, can profoundly affect the nervous system through the emotions, and thereby practically every chemical action throughout his body may be affected. Herein is the scientific explanation of the fact that the best of tonics is hope.

"But an essential factor in hope is faith. The patient must believe in his doctor, in his knowledge, care, and skill. "The doctor will have to give good grounds for his faith, and in order to inspire this faith no aspect of the case must be neglected." I am quoting Dr. W. Langdon Brown in the British Lancet. Copyright—WNU Service.

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Quilt of Blocks That Picture Nursery Rhymes

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



Quilts made of blocks that picture the nursery tales that every child knows will interest both old and young.

Outfit No. 49-1 consists of four 9-inch blocks stamped on a good quality bleached quilting material and will be mailed to you for 10 cents.

Indians Stage a Rally; Population on Increase

The records of the United States government show that in 1865 there were 294,574 Indians on reservations.

The total number of Indians in the United States and Canada today is 443,395, or more than half the number estimated to have roamed the continent before the coming of the white man.

Skeletons in Armor Suits Are Found on Battle Site

Skeletons fully arrayed in medieval armor have been found in excavations in the vicinity of Venice, all in a perfect state of preservation.

One of the many skeletons in armor was found to have a sword still between the ribs. Presumably the man fell in battle and has lain undisturbed all these centuries.

In and Out Love is funny. You fall in because you are together too much, and fall out for the same reason.

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion.

Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, your druggist is authorized to guarantee Creomulsion and to refund your money if you are not satisfied with results from this very first bottle.

Biggest Girl Weighing 322 pounds, fifteen-year-old Stanka Anghelova of Sophronia, Bulgaria, claims to be the biggest girl in the world.

For Bad Feeling Due to Constipation

Get rid of constipation by taking Black-Draught as soon as you notice that bowel activity has slowed up or you begin to feel sluggish.

BLACK-DRAUGHT

Don't be Tormented by ITCHY, BURNING, SKIN relief follows the use of Resinol

Short Sighted Those who are proficient, but not good natured, think very little of good nature.

FOUND! My Ideal Remedy for PAIN

Though I have tried all good remedies Capudine suits me best. It is quick and gentle.

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Here Are Two All Star Teams Tough to Beat

While striving manfully to dig his way out of the mail that probably should have been attended to days ago your reporter has uncovered two letters unadorned by holly wreaths and pictures of Santa Claus.

Since the lucky winners of this balloting are to have tablets erected in their honor in the proposed baseball hall of fame, your reporter was at first disposed to reply with a letter of protest.

thought, though, he has desisted from another vain attempt to persuade the club owners to behave like reasonable human beings.

This list is divided into two sections of ten each. One section is composed of players who were frequently observed by your reporter during the specified years.

PERSONAL OPINION Pos. HEARSAY

Walter Johnson P Cy Young Lefty Grove P Rube Waddell Bill O'Rarrell C Roger Bresnahan

Rumor "Explains" Trade of Young Johnny Allen

THINGS the box score forgot to mention: Unkind persons say that Johnny Allen was traded by the Yankees because he couldn't get along with Lou Gehrig.

One reason why Madison Square Garden still seeks an opponent for Jim Braddock is that Colonel Kilpatrick kept Max Schmeling waiting too long in his anteroom on the day the German visited him.

Bill Tilden, the old scared cat, will take his first airplane ride soon. He will fly from California to New York so that he may play in the pro tennis tournament.

Joe Medwick's correct name is Molewoczek. Although St. Francis (of Brooklyn) is not in the big gate football class the athletes did well for themselves last fall.

Between the halves Indian Yabok, the coach, fed them lumps of sugar dipped in pre-war brandy so that they might be inspired to greater deeds.

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BROOKLYN fans are up in arms again. They are warning the club owners not to hire Billy Evans as business manager.

Mr. Evans failed so completely in his home town of Cleveland when he had oodles of money to spend on the Indians that he could not possibly be a success in strange and straitened surroundings.

Sports writers, long accustomed to such inane tactics, are chuckling at the newest evidence of masterful thinking displayed by the Middle Atlantic States conference.

At the meeting of these better minds, Penn's athletic press agent was the lecturer on "College Relations With the Press."

All this in spite of the fact even the diligent camp compilers at Princeton are not as adept at antagonizing reporters as is the Penn publicity chore boy.

Frankie Frisch and Jimmy Wilson, sworn enemies as late as last September, lunched together in Chicago recently.

Frisch, by the way, picked up the check. There are 34 members of the Johnston family headed by James J., the matchmaker.

A prominent alumnus will tell you that, if he wants it, Fred Swan, Temple line coach, can have that Lafayette football job.

In Canada they take no chances with their hockey officials. Before the game starts the goal judges are locked in a wire cage so narrow that they can barely stand upright in it.

Also, unless there is snow on the ground, Montreal fans will not attend hockey games. Although 15 years ago the Geographic board decided that the Civil War battlefield should be spelled Kennesaw Mountain, Judge Landis, who was named after the spot, still sticks to one N.

The Chicago stadium now is imitating New York and Philadelphia by offering big-time basketball attractions. De Paul, the northside college team which has won 36 of its last 37 games, is featured.

Coaches Praise System of Deap Prep Academy

College football coaches have a lot of faith in the integrity of Danny Sullivan, director of athletics at Deap academy. They say that, when a coach goes to the trouble of sending a promising young football player to Deap, Danny makes sure that when he is ready for college the boy enters his sponsor's fountain of higher learning.

French papers, once enthusiastic about him, have stopped printing pieces about Danno O'Mahoney's mat successes. He wrestles too often and the cable tolls are too high.

One of the strangest things in sports is the complex leading negro boxers have about performing against members of their own race.

Football firsts (supplied by a Pennsylvania reader who still is too modest): Chicago—to organize a letter club (1904); to use numbers on the backs of players (1913).

Franklin and Marshall—to use the pushing form of wedge (1899). Harvard—to build a stadium (1903); to use goal posts (1874); to charge admission to a game (1874); to play an international contest (1874) against McGill university; to use the flying wedge; to win a game that was being broadcast in England (the Yale game in 1930); to introduce football into the United States in the form in which it now exists (1870). Illinois—to employ the huddle constantly. Michigan—to win a Rose Bowl game (from Stanford in 1901).

A resident of White Haven, England, recently wrote to Joe Jacobs requesting, of all things, the autograph of Tony Galento.

Babe Ruth always looks carefully at any sheet of paper he is requested to autograph. That is to make sure that no wise guy has slipped a check or something of the sort underneath it.

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A Few Spicy Dishes From the Old South

Seasoned Specialties of New Orleans, Famous for Cookery.

New Orleans has always been famous for its cookery. It has an individuality which it owes to both the Spanish and the French who settled in Louisiana.

There are a number of famous restaurants in this old city where you will find specialties. Many of them are highly seasoned, some of them with herbs which are not used much in other parts of the country.

Place the onions with the butter in a baking pan, sprinkle with the sugar, and bake until tender.

Canapes a la Creole. 1 cup minced boiled ham 1 onion 1 clove garlic 1 tablespoon butter 1 tomato 1 green pepper 6 slices buttered toast 1/2 cup Parmesan cheese Salt Pepper Cayenne

Mince the onion and garlic and add with the ham to the butter, melted in a frying pan. Cook three minutes and add the tomato and green pepper, which have been chopped fine.

Season, and cook the mixture until thick enough to spread on strips of buttered toast. Dredge with the grated cheese and bake five minutes in a hot oven (450 degrees F.), or place under the broiler for one minute.

Creme de Marrons. 2 dozen french chestnuts 1 tablespoon butter 2 egg yolks 1 cup powdered sugar 2 cups milk

Roast the chestnuts, peel them, and pound until very fine. Blend with enough milk to make a thick paste. Add the well-beaten yolks of the eggs and the butter. Beat well and add the powdered sugar. Scald the rest of the milk, add the other mixture, and cook in a double boiler 20 minutes.

Neige a la Creole. 4 egg whites 1/2 cup powdered sugar 1 pint cream 2 tablespoons vanilla or lemon extract 1/2 cup browned almonds

Whip the cream and set on ice. Beat the egg whites to a foam, add the sugar, and beat until the mixture becomes very stiff and glossy. Add the flavoring and fold in whipped

cream. Place in small custard glasses or a large dish and sprinkle with chopped almonds, which have been blanched and browned in the oven. Serve very cold.

Bouilli a la Marseillaise. 10 thin slices boiled beef (the bouilli) 12 small onions 2 tablespoons butter 2 tablespoons sugar 3 tablespoons flour 1 bay leaf 1 sprig thyme 1 slice lemon Salt Black pepper Cayenne 2 cups water 1/2 cup sliced mushrooms

Place the onions with the butter in a baking pan, sprinkle with the sugar, and bake until tender. Sprinkle with the flour and seasoning, add the water gradually, return to the oven, and cook until the gravy thickens. Add the beef and the mushrooms, cook ten minutes, and serve at once.

Cabbage Gumbo. 1 small head of cabbage 1 slice ham 2 tablespoons fat 1 pound sausage meat 1 onion 1 pint milk Salt, pepper, cayenne 2 tablespoons flour 1 cup rice, boiled

Wash and chop the cabbage. Cut the ham into small pieces. Melt the fat, add the ham, and stir until it begins to brown. Add a chopped onion, the sausage meat, and the cabbage. Stir well and add enough water to prevent burning.

Inebriate Youth Should Have Been Tossed Anchor He is what, for lack of a better name, is sometimes called a young man about town. On the morning after he is clinging for support to a lamp post.

An individual connected with the street cleaning department walks up to a hydrant, dragging a length of hose behind him, and, fitting a wreath to the cap, proceeds to unscree it.

"Don't—please don't!" cries the youth anchored to the lamp post. "Don't do what?" asked the functionary, halting in astonishment. "Don't wind up this street any tighter. She's spinning round too fast as it is."—Bystander.

Man Still Is Rated As "Forest Enemy No. One"

Man still ranks as "Forest Enemy No. 1." More than half the fires in national forests this year, reports the Forest Service, were caused by man.

The number of these fires was 5,777, as compared to 5,282 last year, and to an annual average of 4,891 over the 1931-34 period.

These fires were started by brush burners, by residents on land newly acquired by the forest service—many of whom still believe that an annual "burning-over" is good for the woods—and by campers, hunters, recreationists, and tourists who have made greater use of national forest facilities this year than ever before.

AMERICA'S GUILTY CONSCIENCES HELP ENRICH TREASURY

America's guilty consciences, first officially recorded in 1811, have swelled the treasury's famed "conscience fund" to \$618,263.88, officials revealed.

The first deposit was in President Madison's term, in 1811, when an unidentified person, claiming to have defrauded the government, sent in \$5. Since then, contributions made in every year but 1848, have ranged from a 1-cent stamp to \$30,000. The banner year was 1916 when \$54,923.15 went into the public coffers.

Correspondence in the treasury's conscience fund files relates chiefly to anonymous explanations of remittances intended to lift loads from worried minds. One batch tells the tale of a drafted man in the Twenty-third Engineers who, after having paid the government \$25 in conscience money, decided he wanted it back. He discovered it would take an act of congress.

The treasury officials told also of a man who sent a small remittance only to have the government discover he owed a whole lot more. The government collected in that case but normally contributions to the conscience fund are accepted without question or investigation.

The treasury has another fund composed of contributions from known donors, totaling \$1,580,279.00. To this was added the \$250,000 bequest of the late Supreme Court Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes. The smallest known bequest, made in 1892, was 10 cents.

In 1883 contributions from known donors totaled \$971,390.23. The war years were conspicuous for bringing to the government contributions from persons desiring to help it pay its way. Requests in 1934 totaled \$36,320.55. Requests have been made in every year without a break since 1913.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Break up that COLD

Perhaps the surest way to prevent cold from catching hold and getting worse is, at once, to Cleanse Interiors with FREE SAMPLE cup way. Flush the system with a hot cup of Garfield Tea.

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To dissolve and expel these acid crystals and so gain relief, write to: Dept. 1, Matthews Laboratories, 121 W. 17th St., New York City for an absolutely Free Trial Treatment of Rutolol.

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Millions have found in Calotabs a most valuable aid in the treatment of colds. They take one or two tablets the first night and repeat the third or fifth night if needed.

How do Calotabs help Nature throw off a cold? First, Calotabs is one of the most thorough and dependable of all intestinal eliminants, thus cleansing the intestinal tract of the germ-laden mucus and toxins.

Second, Calotabs are diuretic to the kidneys, promoting the elimination of cold poisons from the system. Thus Calotabs serve the double purpose of a purgative and diuretic, both of which are needed in the treatment of colds.

Calotabs are quite economical—only twenty-five cents for the family package, ten cents for the trial package. (Adv.)

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LOCALS

W. A. Jackson and family of Fort Sumner, New Mexico, were visitors in Loraine Saturday.

Good home ground meal made from hand picked corn, 2½ cents per pound. Ask your grocer about it. J. C. Meek, Ice and Fuel.

Extra Special prices on men's suits at Wilson's Toggery.

Misses Alice and Frankie Dunnahoo of Fort Worth visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dunnahoo, last week.

Classified Ads

ROSCOE HATCHERY

We are now operating and set on Saturday and Wednesday. Bring us your eggs for custom hatching. Let us figure with you on your chick needs. E. M. Cooper. 37 4tp

For Sale—Farmall Tractor 20 in A-1 condition and equipment. \$600.00 terms. C. L. Harrison, Roscoe, Texas. 37 4tp

For Sale—3 open O. I. C. gilts and young male hog. C. H. Hackfeld, 3½ miles East of Loraine. Phone 187F12. 37 2tp

Lost—Maize fork between Loraine and Lone Wolf Mountain. Finder leave at News office or with W. T. House. 38 2tp

For Sale—Double disc plow, single row cultivator and milk cow. Wiley Walker. 38-2tc

For Sale Blackberry plants \$1. per 100. Mrs. S J Norman.

For Sale—Work Stock D. S. Patty. 2tp.

For Sale or trade—Cabinet style Crosley battery type radio, new batteries. Hubert May. 38-2tp

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We are equipped to grind your feed, any kind, any day. J. C. Meek.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mahon and Miss Annie Jarratt attended the graduation exercises at Snyder last Friday night. Their niece, Genevieve Jarratt, was a member of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Baker are moving to Mineral Wells where they will operate a cafe.

Bring your corn to town every Saturday. J. C. Meek

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Burns and family moved this week to Rotan where Mr. Burns will farm this year.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Trott and family visited in the home of Mr. Trott's son, Rev. Lawrence Trott, and family in Sweetwater Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Ohlenbusch of Goldthwaite were in Loraine on business for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wimpkin of Hermleigh visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leggett Sunday. Mr. Leggett's mother returned home with them for a few days visit.

ROY WARREN ASK 2ND TERM AS ASSESSOR—COLLECTOR

Roy Warren authorized The News this week to announce to the voters of Mitchell County that he is a candidate to succeed himself for a second term as tax assessor and collector.

Mr. Warren is now serving his first term in the office and he says he is willing for his record in office to be the platform upon which he asks re-election.

"I will appreciate the continued support of my friends throughout the county in my race for this office," Mr. Warren stated Wednesday.

J. N. NARRELL IN RACE FOR SHERIFF

J. N. (Nick) Narrell has thrown his hat into the ring as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Mitchell County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Narrell has spent practically all of his life in and near Loraine. He is well known in all parts of the county.

Mr. Narrell made the following statement: "I am entering the race as a candidate for sheriff of Mitchell County after having been solicited to do so by many of my friends in Loraine, Colorado and other parts of the county. I have never asked for a public office before and am doing so now solely upon my own merits. My only platform will be the life I have lived among my fellow citizens and it is upon this basis that I am soliciting the support and influence of my friends in all parts of the county."

J. A. (ABB) BLACK IN COMMISSIONERS RACE

J. A. (Abb) Black authorized The News this week to announce

to the voters of Precinct 4 that he has entered the race for commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Black has been a citizen of the Loraine community for a number of years and is well known. His qualifications for the office he seeks are also well known.

Mr. Black made the following statement: "I have never asked the voters of this precinct for any office, and I am doing so now on my own merits and the promise that if I receive your support I will do my best to fill the office in a creditable manner. I have no promises to make except that I will do my best at all times and try to give everyone a square deal. I will make an effort to see each voter personally before the primary election and will appreciate any efforts in my behalf on the part of my friends."

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BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT IN PROSPECT FOR 1936

Austin, Texas, Jan. 6.—Prospects for a continued improvement in business conditions are apparent as the new year starts, in the opinion of Dr. F. A. Buechel, assistant director and statistician in the Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas.

"The upward trend in general business activity which began in July has not yet been reversed, but during the past three weeks the rate of increase has slackened considerably, and there are indications that a temporary recession in industrial activity may occur early in the new year," Dr. Buechel pointed out.

"Notwithstanding this possibility, the outlook for next spring and the entire year 1936 is distinctly promising. Such uncertainties as exist are mostly of political origin—the convening of Congress and the tradition, unfounded though it may be, that a presidential election year is detrimental to business."

"Among the reasons for expecting a relatively good business

year in 1936 are: The cumulative improvement in farm buying power; the probable cyclical upswing in construction, both residential and commercial, as well as in other durable goods industries; and the present tendency of many industrial concerns to launch programs of plant improvement with the view to lowering costs of production on as evidenced by the sharp rise in activity in the machine tools industry. Although these constructive forces will, in part, be offset by growing taxes, a widening of profit margins should nevertheless result as industry attains more nearly its normal production stride."

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PIANO RECITAL

Pupils of Mrs. K. L. Taylor are to be presented in recital at the Methodist Church Friday Evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited.

Piano Solo	In Old Vienna	by Carl W. Kern	Wennola Martin
Piano Solo	(a) Old Folks at Home	by Stephen Foster	
	(b) Merry Brook	by Anna Risher	Melbaree Mahon
Piano Solo	Sonatina-op 55 No. 3	by Kuhlau	Fay Johnson
Reading	Selected.		Emma Jean Walker
Piano Duet	My First Duet, Low, Gypsy	Ted McCollum, Mrs. Taylor	
Piano Solo	Twilight on the River	by Renk	Iona Callahan
Piano Solo	Happy Farmer	by Schumann	Patricia Hooker
Piano Solo	Goblins Frolic	by Stephen Heller	Dell Johnson
Accordion Solo	Selected		Iona Callahan
Piano Solo	Fairyland Music	by Ada Peaget	Loeita Martin
Reading	The Land of Make Believe	by A. Daily, Mary Love Walker	
Cornet Duet	Treasure Island	Mr. Paul Brannom, Douglas Taylor	
Piano Solo	(a) Auld Lang Syne, by John Williams		
	(b) Song of the Drums, by Anna Risher		Wanda May Smith
Piano Solo	La Fontaine	by Carl Bohm	Opal Martin
Piano Solo	Waltz of the Flower Fairies	by Marie Crosby	Doris Butler
Piano Solo	Les Sylphes, by Bachmann		Billie Marie Rowland
Piano Solo	(a) Evening Prayer		
	(b) Farries Dances	by John Williams,	Margaret Glass
Piano Solo	Dolly's Funeral, by P. Pschakowsky		Maxine Hooker
Piano Solo	Moonlight Serenade, by G. Bingham		Quita Richards
Piano Solo	Fairy Footsteps, by F. E. Farrar		Louise Hallmark
Piano Duet	Purple Pansies, by J. S. Searis		Loeita Martin and Maxine Hooker
Piano Solo	Valse in E-Flat, by Durand		Kent McGowan
Piano Solo	Rock of Ages, by R. Stephan		Ruth Ann Hall

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