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## NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—Sweeping down the home stretch toward July 25 election day, candidates this week were turning loose their "big guns" in a final drive for votes and jobs.

The governor's race, occupying top position in public interest, was to be decided largely on the issue of taxes and old age pensions. Gov. Alfred, asserting he is the first candidate who raised his voice for old age pensions in Texas, by urging adoption of the constitutional amendment, pointed to the payment of pension checks to nearly 50,000 aged July 1, and praised the Texas law as one of the most liberal in the nation, meeting requirements of the federal social security act. He said few, if any new taxes are needed, and said he had reduced state levies on property.

His opponents continued to attack his pension program. Fischer hammered away at his 15-cent oil tax and \$15 a month for all over 65; Sanderford asserted a 3-cent sales tax is the only way to pay pensions, and ridiculed Fischer as "an Oklahoma Republican who knows his oil tax plan would never pass the legislature." He rapped Alfred as an opponent of the Centennial and a "ribbon-cutter."

Pierce Brooks, the Dallas real estate man, continued to ridicule Alfred and urge free automobile licenses and abolition of the poll tax.

### PRORATION BIG ISSUE

Whether the existing system of prorating the production of oil to conserve a natural resource, as advocated by Ernest O. Thompson, rail commission chairman, shall be replaced by a "wide-open" policy of turning wells loose, as urged by his opposition, was the main issue upon which the voters must elect a railroad commissioner. In this race, public school and university funds, which benefit from oil taxes and from lease and royalty payments on school lands, have become an important point of discussion. Thompson claims the commission's conservation policy, made effective by the votes of the chairman and Commissioner C. V. Terrell, constituting a majority, has doubled the income of the school funds, by maintaining a fair price for oil and stopping "hot" oil which pays no taxes. His opponents advocate throwing open production, and reopening the "hot oil" refineries, which have been shut down by injunctions obtained by the attorney general for continued and flagrant defiance of the conservation laws. This policy, Thompson asserts, is not only forbidden by the state laws, but would immediately break the price of oil, and return to the chaotic days of 10-cent oil which marked the birth of the East Texas field, costing schools and state treasury millions of dollars.

### LAND COMMISSIONER

Campaigning vigorously as the windup neared, also was J. W. Hawkins, chief clerk and legal adviser to the commissioner of the general land office, who seeks to succeed his chief, Commissioner Walker, who is retiring. Hawkins, with 33 years experience in the department, hopes to carry on the tradition of promotion in an office where experience and familiarity with land records are regarded as valuable assets. His opponent, "Bill" McDonald, former clerk of Eastland-co., urges his youth and vigor as qualifications.

### CAMPAIGN INCIDENT

The layman never ceases to be amused at the antics of the politicians and those who manage their campaigns. One candidate for state office strolled into his headquarters this week, wearing a white linen suit with a black shirt and bright yellow necktie—a fashion foible affected recently by night club habitués and college students. The campaign manager

## Bond Issue for New School Carries

Though there was a margin of not more than four votes in each of four precincts, the heavy majority in the other carried the \$50,000 school bond election 116 to 81, Saturday in the newly-created district embracing Barnett, Champion, Goode, Mesquite and Maryneal over in Nolan county.

The new school, of which L. A. Woodridge of Sweetwater is to be superintendent, is to be in about the center of the district. An architect has been employed and work is expected to be started as soon as possible.

The vote was 116 for the issue to 81 against the bonds.

The vote by boxes follows:

Box	For	Against
Barnett	16	14
Champion	24	28
Goode	39	2
Mesquite	16	13
Maryneal	21	24

Advocates of the school, including members of the board, insist that no increase in taxation will be necessary to retire the bonds.

## MRS. CLAUDE SPIKES UNINJURED IN WRECK

Mrs. Claude Spikes was not injured when her car overturned near Quitaque Sunday, according to information received by her husband, but the car was badly damaged. Mrs. Spikes had started to Quitaque to visit relatives and struck loose dirt which caused her to lose control of the car.

## HOT RACE LOOMS IN 1938

Walter Woodward, Coleman lawyer, ex-senator and runner-up two years ago in the race for attorney general, was reported this week to be preparing for another bid for the latter office two years hence, following his election at Dallas as president of the Texas Bar association. Already an avowed candidate when Bill McCraw vacates it, is Lieut. Gov. Walter Woodul of Houston. Clyde Smith of Woodville, former secretary of state, is also reported as a potential candidate, if he fails to unseat Congressman Martin Dies in this month's primary, and Gerald Mann, Dallas, ex-S. M. U. football star and potent Allied ally, is still another rumored candidate. Politicians regard as an excellent springboard from which to jump toward the governorship, hence its popularity.

### PINWHEEL

More than 500 insane persons languish in Texas county jails today, awaiting admittance to overcrowded state institutions, members of the board of control declared at eleventh hour preliminary budget hearings. Many counties are refusing to hear lunacy charges, because there is no place to confine patients adjudged insane. Conditions in some of the jails are horrible in the extreme, and only largely increased appropriations can provide facilities for accommodating these unfortunate. . . Wright Patman of Texas and Ewing Thomson of El Paso are the only two Texas congressmen who are unopposed for re-election this year. Fourteen candidates seek the place of Joe Eagle, Huston, candidate for the senate. . . Five of the present state senators are unopposed, while 34 candidates are out for the other 11 senate seats to be filled this year. Twenty-eight members of the house are unopposed, and 446 are candidates for the remaining 122 seats.

## WHERE TEXAS PUTS TO SEA



The magic of transportation has played a vital part in building the mighty Texas of today. Both the harnessed vigor of the sea and its pleasurable pursuits will motivate Centennial activity. While the Houston ship channel bears cargoes of visitors to Texas, resorts along the coast will entertain them with sparkling regattas and water carnivals.

## BANK DEPOSITS SHOW INCREASE OVER YEAR AGO

Deposits in the First State Bank at the close of business on June 30, 1936, showed an increase of a little more than \$6,000 over deposits for the same date last year, according to statements made to the banking department. Loans showed a decrease of approximately \$1,000.

Deposits since the statement of March 4, 1936, had decreased \$35,430.28 and loans increased from \$36,629.28 in March to \$51,505.24 in June.

## MRS. DEGARMO OF COLORADO DIES

Death claimed an early settler of Mitchell county Thursday night in the passing of Mrs. Bruce DeGarmo, a resident of Colorado 38 years. She succumbed at the home of a brother, H. A. Cook, where she was removed from her own home last week.

Funeral rites were held Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock from the First Methodist Church, with the Rev. Cal C. Wright, pastor, officiating. Burial was made in the Colorado cemetery.

Surviving Mrs. DeGarmo are her husband, a son, Hall DeGarmo of Colorado; four brothers, H. A. Cook of Colorado, H. B. Cook of Loraine, H. J. Cook of Sweetwater and W. J. Cook of Baird; a sister, Mrs. Ruby Robertson of Stanton, and a half-sister, Mrs. Nora Robertson of Slaton.

## INFANT SON OF L. D. BLACKSTOCK DIED THURS.

Ramon Gene, 1 month and four day old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Blackstock, died at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brazil, in the Champion community last Thursday.

Funeral services were held at the Champion Baptist Church Friday afternoon at 4:30 with Rev. A. C. Hardin officiating. G. W. Hendrick was in charge.

## JUNE SALES OF NEW CARS INCREASED OVER YEAR AGO

Austin, Texas, July 13.—An increase of sales of new automobiles in Texas during June over the preceding month and the like month last year is reported by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Reports from fifteen representative Texas counties show a total of 8,226 sales, an increase of 33 per cent over May and 64 per cent over June, 1935. Aggregate sales in these counties during the first half year were 38,751, an increase of 23 per cent over the corresponding period last year. The percentage increase in sales of the lowest price group during June over the two comparable periods was greater than the percentage increase of all groups combined. For many months, past the lowest price group had been making relatively the poorest showing.

J. C. Hall and family are on a vacation trip to points in north Texas and Colorado.

## HARVEST QUEEN



Harvest festivals throughout the State are proving interesting Centennial attractions. Violet Slaton, queen of the 1935 Jacksonville tomato show, displays the products which have brought Texas wide recognition.

## APPETIZERS FOR SUMMER MEALS

"A fruit plate or vegetable salad added to any meal during the summer months will help to stimulate the appetite, which is so apt to be dull on these hot summer days," said Miss Emma Gunter, Mitchell County Home Demonstration Agent, as she demonstrated arranging a fruit plate to the members of the Bauman Home Demonstration club which met with Mrs. Oren Coon July 8 at 2:30 P. M.

A fruit plate or salad is easy to prepare and saves long hours in the kitchen. Fruits in season such as cantaloupe, peaches, apricots, grapes, pears and prunes may be peeled and sliced or mixed in a salad. Fruits and vegetables are rich in mineral matter, thus most of them are laxative and will help prevent our system from being sluggish. Fruit should not be considered as a luxury but a necessity in our diet.

The club meeting which was held with Mrs. Lester Webb on June 24 was to have been a business session but due to the absence of a voting quorum no business was transacted. Miss Gunter gave a talk on "Points of Interest at the Texas Centennial" and urged the club members to avail themselves of the wonderful opportunity to see a "Century of Progress" in Texas as depicted at the centennial. A game on identifying outstanding men of today was played by those present.

Refreshments were served at the close of both meetings. The next meeting will be July 22 at 2:30 P. M. with Mrs. Chas. Land, Club members are urged to be present to help plan our recreational party to be held next month, and attend to business matters of the club.

Reporter

## To Apply For All-Weather Roads

The highway committee from the Loraine Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday afternoon and decided to make an application to the district office of W. P. A. for an all-weather road from the Scurry-Mitchell county line south to intersect the newly designated road from Robert Lee to Colorado. An effort is to be made to get the support of Hermleigh and Scurry County to apply for a project on the road from the county line to Hermleigh.

The local committee is composed of Alonzo Phillips, J. L. Pratt, J. C. Hall, O. I. Griffin and Frank Crownover. They will probably make a trip to Abilene soon to put the proposition before the W. P. A. officials.

## REVIVAL TO START AT BETHEL CHURCH SUNDAY

Evangelist Dean Elkins "The Country Preacher" started a revival meeting in his big tent at Bauman Sunday. Services are being held daily at 10:30 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MEET THURSDAY NITE

The Loraine Chamber of Commerce is to hold its regular third Thursday meeting Thursday night of this week. All members are urged to be present.

## REVIVAL SERVICES FOR BAPTIST CHURCH TO START FRIDAY NIGHT

The Baptist Church will begin a revival meeting Friday evening, July 17, at the Methodist tabernacle.

Rev. Dick O'Brien will assist the pastor, Rev. A. C. Hardin, in the meeting. Rev. O'Brien needs no introduction as he is well known for his great ability as a minister and his messages will be a spiritual inspiration to all who hear him.

We extend a hearty invitation to all Christian people to join us in this campaign for the lost. Those provisionally hindered from attending the services, will you linger at a throne of grace. Church Reporter

## MRS. H. B. MEARSE BURIED WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. H. B. Mearse were held from the Methodist tabernacle Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock with the Rev. A. C. Hardin, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements were in charge of G. W. Hendrick, and interment was made in the Loraine cemetery.

Mrs. Mearse died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cline Taylor, following an illness of several days.

She was born in DeKalb County, Alabama, July 10, 1869. She had made her home in this community for the past eleven years. She was a member of the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church and lived a consistent Christian life. Mrs. Mearse is survived by her husband and five children. The children are: Tobe McCracken, Rising Star, Texas, Mrs. Mary Lou Metcalf, Melrose, New Mexico, Mrs. Marcena Albright, Loraine, Texas, Mrs. Eula Taylor, Loraine, Texas, and Floyd Mearse of Palmer, Idaho.

Pallbearers were H. J. Mearse, J. B. Mearse, H. D. Mearse, A. H. Mearse, W. L. Mearse and Albert Ivy. Flower girls were Lola Mearse, Gwendola Mearse, Marcela Mearse, Janice Mearse, Ora Richburg, Geneal Caswell, and Gertie Joe Mearse.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

A group of singers from the Boles Orphan Home at Greenville, Texas, will be with us Wednesday night, July 22. We invite you to come and be with us in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Edwards of Sweetwater are spending the week with Mr. Edwards parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Edwards.

## Rialto Theatre Changes Hands

Mr. G. A. Cole has purchased the Rialto Theatre from W. S. Wimberley and is now operating it under the same name. Due to the fact that the theatre has been bought outright Mr. Cole is remodeling the building both inside and out and is making a modern theatre for the people of Loraine and surrounding territory. Mr. Cole is changing the cooling system and within the next few days will have installed a washed air system that will keep the entire building from 15 to 20 degrees cooler than the outside. He is also working over the projection machines and making improvement on the sound.

Beginning Thursday, July 23, a MONEY NIGHT will be started and \$15 in cash will be given away.

Mr. Harold Bennett and Mr. Leonard Davis, who have been operating the theatre, will continue working for Mr. Cole. The same kind of pictures that have been shown since being taken over by Bennett and Davis will be continued by Mr. Cole and he promises to give pictures, some of which will be shown in Loraine before being shown in larger towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole will move to Loraine in the very near future and plan to make their home here. The people of the Loraine community are invited to make their acquaintance and let them know that we appreciate them coming to Loraine and giving us a modern show.

## LORAIN LOST TWO IN A ROW LAST WEEK

The Loraine baseball team lost two games in a row last week ending losing to Coahoma Saturday at Coahoma 7 to 2, and to San Angelo on the local diamond Sunday 7 to 3.

Friday of this week the team will go to Ackerley to play at a picnic, and Ackerley will return the game Sunday afternoon.

The box score for both games:

Loraine	AB	R	H	E
I. Coffee 2b	5	0	1	1
Looney 3b	5	0	2	0
W. Coffee ss	4	1	3	0
Vest 1b	4	1	1	0
Simmons cf	3	0	2	0
Swafford rf	4	0	1	0
Allbright lf	4	0	0	0
Compton c	4	0	0	0
Strickland p	2	0	0	1
Muns p	1	0	0	0
Total	36	2	10	2

Coahoma	AB	R	H	E
White 2b	5	2	3	0
Harlow cf	4	1	1	0
Mahoney rf	4	1	2	0
Riggs 3b	4	0	0	0
Brown lf	4	0	1	0
Reid 1b	4	0	0	0
Rose c	3	1	1	1
Reimer ss	4	1	1	0
Hardy p	4	1	1	0
Total	36	7	10	1

San Angelo	AB	R	H	E
McKinney 2b	5	1	2	0
Sledge cf	4	1	2	0
Eschberger 1b	4	0	0	0
Jobe ss	4	1	1	1
Spoons p	5	0	1	0
Lowe 3b	4	1	1	0
Doren c	4	0	1	0
Probst lf	4	1	2	0
Kurchville rf	4	2	1	0
Total	38	7	11	1

Loraine	AB	R	H	E
I. Coffee 2b	5	0	1	0
T. Gressett lf	4	2	2	1
W. Coffee ss	4	1	2	0
Vest 1b	4	0	1	0
Howell ss	4	0	2	0
Simmons cf	3	0	1	0
Swafford rf	3	0	0	0
Looney 3b	4	0	0	0
Dorn p	3	0	0	1
Muns rf	1	0	0	0
Total	35	3	9	2

## STEAKLEY TO SPEAK HERE SATURDAY

Zollie C. Steakley, candidate for district attorney, is to speak on the streets here Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

# BRISBANE

THIS WEEK

In Ancient Nile Mud  
England Keeps Ready  
Let the Dead Sleep  
Murder Starts Early

Paris.—Reclining on her side,  
her body covered with gold,  
necklaces on her  
neck and on the  
ground nearby,  
archaeologists  
discover the well-  
preserved body of  
an Egyptian prin-  
cess whose fa-  
ther, the Pharaoh  
Chephren, built  
the second big-  
gest pyramid; it  
was his brother,  
Cheops, who built  
the largest.



Arthur Brisbane

Those pyramids were tombs for kings, and searchers found the princess in one of them. The Nile mud seeping into the tomb had helped to preserve her.

That princess, living 5,000 years ago, could tell an interesting story for the movies. She "built herself a small pyramid with stones given to her by her many lovers." Where do you suppose she is now? In some strange Egyptian heaven, perhaps, with all those admirers around her.

England, alarmed by European war threats, issues an official "white paper" explaining why—

"The relation of our own armed forces to those of other great powers should be maintained at a figure high enough to enable us to exercise our influence and authority in international affairs."

Unfortunately for all plans, the airplane in the hands of a desperate nation might upset all national "authority," just as a pistol in the hands of a desperate man upsets individual and police authority.

One bullet will stretch individual authority in the dust; 1,000 airplanes, attacking the heart of a great city, might cause national "authority" to end in demoralization.

England's new defense increase will be largely in her air force; that wise nation knows that the real "ocean" in future wars will be the ocean of the air.

In a desert of southeastern Utah, men and women, belonging to the cult of "truth seekers," were gathered around the body of Mrs. Edith

Dakhal, who died more than a year ago. You read about it, perhaps. Mrs. Ogden, leader of the "truth seekers," prayed over the body, which appeared marvelously preserved. The "truth seekers" believe they will bring the woman back to life, but the pathetic fact is that it would not in the least matter if they did.

The important thing is to improve the condition of 1,800,000,000 actually living on the earth. For one safely out of it to be brought back would be unimportant, in these days, and perhaps cruel.

America holds the world's "murder championship" for all kinds of murder, at all ages—quantity, quality, variety, volume.

A New Jersey boy, 16 years old, was sentenced to death.

In Wisconsin, a coroner reports that little David Holl, two months old, was killed by two boys four and three years of age.

They each held one hand of the younger one, and dropped it on the floor. It cried and would not stop. Then, one of the small boys explained, "We pounded him." These youngest "killers" puzzle the law. You can't "try" a four-year-old child.

Railroads tell the interstate commerce commission they would like fares reduced to two and a half cents a mile, instead of two cents. The railroads should have all possible consideration, for they have built up this country, but at two and a half cents a mile they will not compete successfully with automobiles carrying passengers for one-quarter of a cent a mile.

New York proposes to fingerprint everybody, new babies included. The baby of the future will be busy, with fingerprinting, tonsil and appendix removal, vaccination for smallpox and a half dozen other diseases.

The new treaty with France, reducing the duty on French wines and liquors by 50 per cent, interests California and other wine growing states. It should persuade them to stabilize the production of wines, establish official guarantees of purity, freedom from adulterations, mixtures, and especially "fortifying" with alcohol.

In Europe, notably in France, adulteration of wines is an offense against the law. With us, it is a business.

For advertising reasons, a group of men made a long distance hike on a diet of broken grain to prove the superiority of that diet. They were surprised when 53 hikers showed a total loss of 211 pounds in weight, while one, 66 years old, showed a gain of three pounds.

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## News Review of Current Events the World Over

Drouth Damage Estimated at \$300,000,000—Steel Fight Brings Union Labor Crisis—Landon Reconvenes Kansas Legislature.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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WHILE relentless heat drove the nation's farm losses from drouth toward the \$300,000,000 mark and sent grain prices soaring, long needed rains in scattered regions of the drouth belt brought temporary relief. In sections of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, and Ohio, which faced the prospect of the disaster already confronting the Northwest, the rains were a God-send to sun-parched corn fields, pastures, and crops of spring wheat. Rains in the Northwest revived portions of North and South Dakota, Montana and Nebraska.

But a heat wave lasting nearly a week had brought temperatures ranging from 90 to 114 in the Great Plains territory.

Twenty-three states, eight of them in the South, were listed as suffering in some degree from the drouth. Ten of them—North and South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Minnesota, Missouri, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Virginia and South Carolina—were already in a critical stage. Five others—Kentucky, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina and West Virginia—were borderline cases.

Eight others where the full severity of the drouth had not yet been felt were: Nebraska, Wisconsin, Iowa, Michigan, Illinois, Kansas, Indiana and Ohio.

With the full extent of the damage in the "dust bowl" area of the Northwest not yet known, the federal government made plans to deal with a long-range disaster. President Roosevelt, taking personal command of the relief program in Washington, announced that he would make a personal tour of the drouth-stricken areas within the next few weeks.

The President announced that the federal government had prepared a comprehensive plan whereby 170,000 out of 204,000 farm families impoverished by the drouth in the Northwest would be given immediate cash assistance. He declared that he will make his trip after the relief program has had an opportunity to get under way, to see for himself exactly how much damage was caused by the drouth and whether financially ruined families are receiving the proper assistance.

He said that 50,000 farmers were being given jobs immediately on WPA projects at an average wage of \$15 per week, carrying out useful work—digging wells, constructing earth dams to hold any rains which may fall in the near future and building farm-to-market roads. A livestock program is under way which would call for the movement of cattle from the arid sections as a private enterprise, to protect the foundation herds of the livestock growers.

ROMANCE outmaneuvered diplomacy in the life of Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, American minister to Denmark and former member of congress.



Ruth Bryan Owen

The engagement of the daughter of William Jennings Bryan to Captain Boerge Rohde, an officer of the Danish army, was announced in Denmark by the latter's mother. Captain Rohde is a member of King Christian's personal bodyguard.

Captain Rohde arrived in America on the liner Drottningholm a day or two after his fiancée had reached the country. They were married at an estate on Long Island.

In political circles the opinion was expressed that Mrs. Owen will probably resign her diplomatic post in a short time. While there are no formal regulations which compel an American woman minister to resign when she weds, it has been customary for women in minor positions in the American foreign service to retire when they marry.

GOVERNOR Alf M. Landon returned to Topeka, Kas., after a vacation in the Colorado mountains, for the reconvening of the state legislature and to prepare for the acceptance speech he will deliver at the Republican notification ceremonies July 23.

The Republican presidential nominee appeared before a joint session of the legislature and urged passage of amendments to the state constitution to provide adequate social security measures. Governor Landon declared that care of the needy aged and others suffering misfortunes is a "public obligation."

Following his address, the Kansas senate adopted a constitutional amendment by a vote of 35 to 1, empowering the legislature to enact a uniform system of direct aid for needy aged persons, indigent infirm persons and others suffering misfortunes which give them a claim on society for aid. It like-

wise passed by a unanimous vote another proposed constitutional amendment authorizing the state to levy taxes on employers and employees for systems of old age pensions and unemployment insurance to which the beneficiary must contribute.

Meanwhile, Governor Landon opened a series of major conferences with farm leaders for the purpose of drafting a farm relief program for inclusion in his acceptance speech. He conferred with former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, and former Senator Otis F. Glenn, Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, Representative Clifford Hope of Kansas and R. K. Laubengayer, a Kansas farm publisher.

AS THE long-awaited campaign to unionize the nation's steel industry was under way, one of the most serious crises in the history of the American labor movement arose when strife broke out between William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor and John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America and head of the Committee for Industrial Organization, who has promoted the unionization drive in the steel industry.



William Green

Meeting in Washington, the executive council of the American Federation of Labor considered the matter of suspending eight national and international unions on the ground that these eight unions have begun the formation of a rival, or dual labor federation.

John L. Lewis announced that he would not respond to a summons of the executive council to answer charges that he had violated the federation's policy by trying to organize 500,000 steel workers into one big industrial union instead of into several unions divided by crafts.

Should the rift widen and a break split, observers believe it would split the organized labor movement and affect its prestige and power at a critical time. Denouncing the action of the Lewis group, President Green declared: "It is sincerely to be regretted that the committee for industrial organization thwarted the purpose of the American Federation of Labor to inaugurate an organizing campaign in the steel industry."

Back of the collision over the attempted unionization of the steel industry are two contending schools of thought over the future of organized labor in America. One is that sponsored by Mr. Green which rose to power on a policy of trained craftsmen, trained by crafts. The other is championed by John L. Lewis who visions a powerful labor machine organized regardless of crafts, which includes the semi-skilled and unskilled workers as well as the trained craftsmen.

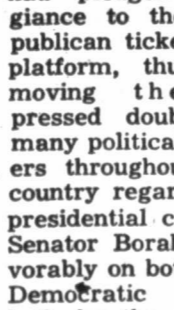
DEFYING the threats of Communist members of the chamber of deputies, the French government decided to use armed force "with care" to oust French strikers who refused to evacuate their places of business. The announcement of this new policy was made by Minister of the Interior Roger Salengro, following the outbreak of fresh "folded arm" strikes in Paris and the provinces. It was estimated that 80,000 workers were still on strike in various industries throughout France.

SENATOR William E. Borah, about whose future political plans considerable doubt existed, formally announced that he would be a candidate for re-election to the senate.

Several days before making his announcement the Idaho statesman had pledged allegiance to the Republican ticket and platform, thus removing the expressed doubts of many political leaders throughout the country regarding his stand in the presidential campaign. Previously Senator Borah had commented favorably on both the Republican and Democratic platforms, praising both for the stand they had taken on the question of monopolies.

The seventy-one-year-old senator in clarifying his position on the Republican platform said: "I have no intention of bolting the ticket."

"I am supporting the platform and I have been supporting the platform from the beginning."



Senator Borah

SOON after returning to his desk from a three-day pilgrimage to Virginia, President Roosevelt announced that he had granted Postmaster General James A. Farley leave of absence without pay from August 1 to November 5, the day after the presidential elections.

Thus Mr. Farley will be freed from official duties to devote himself during the next three months to the direction of the President's campaign for re-election. The announcement did not come as a surprise to those in informed political circles in Washington, but it had been rumored in some quarters that Mr. Farley would resign his cabinet post and retain his job as chairman of the Democratic National committee.

Mr. Farley announced that Representative Sam Rayburn of Texas would be chairman of the Democratic speakers' bureau. The campaign, he said, would be in full swing by Labor Day.

President Roosevelt's sojourn in Virginia took him to the dedication of Shenandoah National Park, to Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson and to Williamsburg, capital of the Old Dominion from 1699 to 1779. In an address at Jefferson's home, the President called on the nation to rekindle the "sacred fire" of "true freedom" which had lighted the "golden age" of American history. He declared the present emergency required the same leadership as that displayed by Thomas Jefferson.

CUTTING a big cake to celebrate his ninety-seventh birthday, John D. Rockefeller predicted that he would live to be one hundred. Despite temperature of 92 in the shade, the famous nonagenarian donned a sun helmet and went outdoors on his summer estate near Lakewood, N. J.

The multimillionaire oil man and philanthropist did not let the celebration of his birthday interfere with his daily nap or his daily afternoon automobile ride.

Mr. Rockefeller long since has given up all forms of athletic activities, including golf, formerly his favorite pastime. A few years ago he was down to a few holes of golf a day, but now he has given it up entirely. It has been his custom to spend his winters at Ormond Beach, Fla., and his summers either at Lakewood or at his other estate at Pocantico Hills near Tarrytown, N. Y.

WAR-WORRIED Europe shifted its anxiety from the Italo-Ethiopian sanctions problem to the newer and baffling question of what to do about the Free City of Danzig now seeking to free itself from the bonds of the League of Nations.



Adolf Hitler

The league disposed of the sanctions problem by voting to abolish them, thus to all practical intents and purposes removing Ethiopia from the family of sovereign states. Appearing personally before the league assembly, the refugee emperor, Haile Selassie, made a last moving bid for Ethiopia's freedom.

The "king of kings" denounced France and Great Britain without mentioning their names. To the generally expressed desire to reform the league, he said the weakness was not the league covenant itself, but a lack of international morality. The Negus' request for a loan of \$50,000,000 to Ethiopia was voted down. Previously Haile had informed Capt. Anthony Eden, British foreign secretary, that he would return to Ethiopia immediately to join his loyal tribesmen and fight for Ethiopian independence.

With Mussolini given satisfaction, the Danzig situation brought into the foreground the figure of Adolf Hitler, chancellor of Nazi Germany. He was a Nazi follower of Hitler, Dr. Arthur Greiser, president of the Danzig senate, who demanded independence for the former German city now surrounded by Polish territory and who denounced the league and Sean Lester, league high commissioner for the port.

Observers were of the opinion that Greiser was acting under orders from Chancellor Hitler. In view of Germany's expansionist program and its rearmament, they feel that Danzig will be the next Nazi objective now that the Rhineland is remilitarized. By the elimination of Commissioner Lester or by the curtailment of his authority over the international affairs of the city, it is believed the Nazi would be in a position to crush the opposition party and pave the way for annexation of Danzig by Germany.

A TOLL of 346 lives was exacted in the celebration of the Fourth of July throughout the United States.

Booming cannon crackers played a comparatively innocent part in the slaughter, for only 11 lives were lost in accidents due to fire-crackers.

But if the nation heeded warnings about the danger of fireworks, it forgot the menace of motoring accidents, for 208 people in 36 states were killed as the result of accidents on streets and highways. Ninety persons were drowned in 36 states. Miscellaneous tragedies accounted for 37 additional fatalities in 15 states.

## Lemke Promises Are Pure Bunk

Third Party Leader Advances No Real Constructive Ideas; Civil Service

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON.—Sooner or later the sham in a candidate shows up during a campaign—if he has a weak spot. I'm afraid that Representative William Lemke of North Dakota, candidate for the presidency on the so-called Union party ticket, has exposed himself as a political fraud before he ever had a chance to show the statesman in him. Remember, I predicted leadership for Bill Lemke at the time his cheap-farm-mortgage bill was defeated in the house? Well, he got the backing of the radio priest Father Coughlin, chose a labor union attorney from Boston as vice-president, and announced a new party favoring liberal ideas about cheap money; pensions for fifty-year oldsters, and a lot of other gilt promises. What he may do to help elect reactionary Alf Landon, and thus spoil everybody's chances of a really liberal government for the average man. Lemke has no chance of anything in this campaign—but he is a threat to Roosevelt if he can launch himself in enough states with sufficient party machinery. For that reason there is every suspicion that Lemke, if he is financed, will be owing the reactionaries for his sinews of war.

Well, instead of introducing himself to the country with a really constructive idea, he sails into the limelight on pure bunk, if I ever heard it. He promises 6,000 Iowa farmers that if and when he is elected, anyone can walk right into his office and have a really friendly time. He gives the impression that the world can walk right in on him and pass the time of day.

This is a very seductive promise. It makes the average listener feel that the candidate really needs the hourly handclasp, plus the advice of the average man, and that the four Lemke years would be just one grand public reception. Every man's yearning to tell the President of the United States just what to do will be fulfilled and satisfied when Bill Lemke is elected!

The trouble about that is this: You can't run the President's job and talk casually to the mass of people, any more than you can run a delicate airplane and permit everybody to come and play with you in the control room. I think the President's job is the most exacting one in the government. What Lemke is really aiming at is the vice-president's job, or the soft job of sitting outside a little used committee room doorway in the senate office building.

The President has to carry out so many individual duties laid on him by acts of congress that he doesn't have a chance to talk to the people he would really like to see. He has personally to sign so many papers that hours each week are thus consumed. He cannot delegate these duties to secretaries or deputies—congress makes the President work, and work hard. In fact, he works so hard and so intently that even members of his own staff do not have a chance to see him except on special occasion.

FULL STORY OF AAA

In the polished steel recesses of the new Archives building, where the government's final papers are laid to rest, will now remain for all time the official story of the AAA from the moment it started to the moment it ended under the hammer blows of the United States Supreme court. A 317-page report from Chester Davis, the former administrator for AAA, now a member of the Federal Reserve board, tells the whole story.

I am impressed with Chester Davis' emphasis on the legal difficulties. It gives me the impression that some day when we have risen higher in national intelligence, we will use that intelligence to locate a path of realism rather than permit ourselves to be run by legal technicalities. The AAA report is an eloquent plea for less law, fewer lawyers, and more light on ways and means of doing things directly.

The money story of AAA has been told in several ways. Here's the final sum total:

In the three AAA years cash incomes from the five major commodities under AAA—cotton, wheat, tobacco, corn and hogs, rose from \$1,365,000,000 in 1932 to \$2,593,000,000 in 1935. Cash income from all other products rose from \$3,012,000,000 to \$4,307,000,000. Three-fourths of the gain was from increase in prices; the remaining 25 per cent from benefit payments. The turning point in agricultural fortunes was coincident with the operation of the AAA. Furthermore, the farm spending for necessities increased. Forty per cent of the big boost in retail business throughout the coun-

try is due to improvement of the farm income.

CIVIL SERVICE

The administration seems to me to be very patient under the attacks of critics who keep saying that Roosevelt has extended the old-fashioned political spoils system and ruined the civil service. The administration, by presidential order or act of congress, has removed the greedy hand of the politician from 13 governmental agencies—and as far as I know no opponent of theirs has ever mentioned it yet. Incidentally, most of the agencies which have moved over into the civil service are agencies of social justice, carrying out the President's good neighbor ideal.

The list is headed by the New Deal's flail for driving crooked money changers out of the temple of finance. I refer to the securities and exchange commission, which is daily making it harder for crooks to flood the country with fake stock. Old Dealers tread softly in mentioning the work of the present administration in cleaning up the field of stock and bond selling—because there is still plainly visible the mark of ruin left by such institutions as the Insull empire.

The federal communications commission has come under the civil service. That commission protects the telephone and radio fields from pirates, and will be a strong hand in keeping down telephone rates. The social security board, with its old age pension policies, and aid to the infirm, the aged, and underprivileged children, is now under civil service—far removed from the politicians' appointing hands. The Farm Credit administration, developed by this administration into an agency potentially as powerful in agriculture as the Federal Reserve system in other fields, is under civil service now. There's an achievement to be proud of, yet you never hear the yelping critics make mention of it.

Now you would think that the great Republican party, which has been so pure about appointments in the past (!) would have jumped in the air and clapped three times for the opportunity it had in the last hours of congress to help put all postmasterships in the civil service. Most of them are there now; but the big plums are still appointive jobs, and politics is likely to rule instead of merit. It takes an act of congress to make such a change, but Roosevelt has indicated that he wants the civil service extended as rapidly as possible. Well, the Republicans have it on their record now that they managed to block that bill. They can't conscientiously charge Roosevelt with preferring politics to merit because they themselves, by parliamentary tactics, prevented this reform. Apparently they would rather have the situation just as it is—smearing and criticizing—but refusing to help matters. Dogs in the manger could not have played a more destructive role.

ROOSEVELT'S SMART MOVE

When the emergency organizations were thrown together in 1933 to stop the panic and feed the hungry, there were not enough persons on the civil service rolls to fill the jobs necessary. Roosevelt did the smart thing—he got the emergency organizations working by the quickest method—and then looked around to see how many should be retained and put under civil service. He took a look at the crippled civil service commission (the official body which secures and distributes employees for the government on strict merit)—and managed to get for it the money urgently needed to start competitive examinations throughout the country to get trained personnel. Politics is taboo in the civil service commission. I have been there several times, and honestly I'd be just about as welcome, if I went in to talk politics, as if I had brought a case of smallpox with me.

Roosevelt's critics dazzle the public with a lot of figures which attempt to show that the President has stuffed about a quarter of a million deserving Democrats into government jobs instead of letting the civil service appoint meritorious Americans regardless of party. The facts, however, do not bear this out. Non-civil service jobs, as I have explained, are emergency matters. They will be wiped out as the emergency dissolves, or if important enough to be made permanent they will be moved over into the civil service. Meantime, it is becoming the rule in Washington to require civil service ratings and standards. All in all, the charge that Roosevelt is engaged in debauching the civil service is more than bunk—it is a dangerous lie.

Governor Landon has advocated the extension of the merit system in the national government. His previous record is of interest in this connection. Although Kansas has on its statute books a civil service law, no appropriation for its enforcement has been made since 1919. This includes the four years of Governor Landon's administration. There is no record of any effort on his part to secure such an appropriation.

In 1934 it was suggested that prospective employees of the Kansas penitentiary be chosen by examination, but even this modest reform got no farther under the Landon administration.

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# DRAGONS DRIVE YOU

By EDWIN BALMER

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## SYNOPSIS

Jeb Braddon, young and fantastically successful broker of Chicago, is infatuated with Agnes Gleneth, beautiful daughter of a retired manufacturer. Rodney, a doctor, in love with Agnes, visits his brother, Jeb. Rod plans work at Rochester. Jeb suggests that he make a try for Agnes before leaving. In Rod there is a deeper, obstinate decency than in Jeb. Rod visits Agnes and tells her of his great desire, but realizes it can never be fulfilled. Agnes' mother is attempting to regain her husband's love. Agnes has disturbing doubts as to what attracts her father in New York. Jeb tells Agnes he is going to marry her, and together they view an apartment in Chicago. Jeb asks Agnes to set an early date, but she tells him she cannot marry him. When the agent, Mr. Colver, offers to show them a furnished apartment, Jeb asks Agnes to see it alone, saying he must return to his office. Agnes consents and Jeb leaves. A radio is blaring terrifically from one of the apartments. Colver raps upon the door, which is opened by a scantily clad girl, who draws Agnes into the room. Colver finds her husband, Charles Lorrie, fatally shot. He calls the police. Myrtle Lorrie asks Agnes to phone Cathal O'Mara, a lawyer, to come at once. Agnes does. The police take charge. O'Mara arrives. The officers are antagonistic to him. Agnes sides with O'Mara. Agnes is to be a witness at the coming trial. Cathal's grandfather and father had lost their lives in the line of duty as city firemen, and his grandmother, Winnie, has built her all around Cathal, who, being ambitious, had worked his way through law school. Thoughts of Agnes disturb Cathal. Mr. Lorrie had cast off the wife who had borne him his daughter to marry Myrtle, and after two years of wedded life she had killed him. The coroner's jury holds Myrtle to the grand jury. Agnes promises O'Mara to review the case with him. When Cathal calls Mrs. Gleneth asks questions regarding marital problems, in the hope that she might get a solution to her own problem.

## CHAPTER V—Continued

"Than much that is done in a city," he replied to her.

"Where do you live?" Agnes asked him, with sudden directness.

"What am I, you mean—besides a criminal lawyer? I live now near Milwaukee avenue in the city; but I was born on Archer, as was my father."

"Your father, too?"

Cathal smiled. "I know why you ask. You wonder why I speak so, when it was my grandfather that came over, and he a leader. His father brought him in the steamer, and on another ship at sea at the time, was the girl the lad was to meet on Archer road and marry."

"Your grandmother?"

"The same. You'll see her at the trial. She comes to all I'm defending."

"Does your father too?"

"He's gone," said Cathal. "He was a city fireman, and his father before him. He—my grandfather—was one of the twenty that went to the top of the tower of the Cold Storage building, at the World's Fair, when it burned."

"He was one of them that died that day, as each of them did in life of duty, Miss Gleneth," said Cathal proudly. "And his son, my father, died like him, in line of duty for Chicago. That's my stake in the city, I mentioned. Who can have more? Would I sell it out by fixing taxes for clients for my living? I'll take the defense of Myrtle Lorrie, as I've taken that one. . . . But it's my speech that still surprises you. It wouldn't if you knew Winnie."

"Winnie?" asked Agnes.

"The grandmother I mentioned. She might have come over sixty hours instead of sixty years ago. . . . Do you know Padraic Colum, the Irish poet and writer, who was over here on tour a few years ago?"

"I want to hear him speak," said Agnes, wondering what now was coming.

"So did I," said Cathal. "For they told me he'd been going through Ireland having repeated to him the last of the old Celtic tales that had never been printed. He was collecting them to write them all down. I told him he'd been wasting his time traveling. He should have come straight to Chicago, and he'd have heard them all—from Winnie. And I found, in fact, she had one he'd never heard from any other. The strange thing, it was always my favorite."

"You knew it?"

"Knew it? Wasn't I rocked and reared on them? And this I could never hear enough—the Green Bear of Babbletree."

He was holding Agnes' memorandum of what Myrtle Lorrie had said and done, after having shot her husband; and suddenly aware of it, he contrasted it to the matter in his mind, and smiled.

"The women, Miss Gleneth, used to be much more enduring," he said. "They certainly put up with more in those days."

"What days?"

"Of the old tales. Take her that loved the Green Bear of Babbletree. The Green Bear was, of course, right by a prince, her true love," Cathal confessed, "but hideously bewitched. But

though he was in his horrible guise, she must recognize the soul of him, and seven long years must she follow him over the fiery mountain, though he might never so much as turn to look at her once. If she perseveres through the seven years, she breaks the spell; he's her prince; and she has him."

"Does she?" said Agnes.

"She does, through everything," He repeated:

"Green Bear of Babbletree, Turn, thou, and look to me; Seven long years I've followed thee, Over the fiery mountain."

He had gone. Agnes was lying with eyes closed on the chaise-longue in her bedroom, when she heard her sister's voice. Bee went in first to see her mother, so Agnes had a few minutes more of dreamy reverie before her sister pushed her feet more to the side and sat down facing her. It was six o'clock.

"Your friend Myrtle's lawyer," said Bee, "seems to have queerly affected Mother."

"What did she say to you?"

"That perhaps we'd misunderstood your murderous little friend Myrtle. He certainly has done something else to Mother, too."

"Yes."

"What is it, Agnes?"

"I think she came to see somewhat differently why Father's doing—what he's probably doing, Bee."

The dark head, covered by its smart little toque, looked away. "All right, if he helped her. . . ."

The Dark One wandered to the window.

"Who's that? Jeb?"

"Might be," said Agnes, sitting up.

Jeb had had an exceptionally profitable day; and on no day, within recent memory, had business been bad. The market for stocks—rails, industrial, utilities, oils, amusements—was soaring. Today it had been almost a runaway.

Bankers, merchants, clerks, barbers, bootblacks, shopgirls, dentists' assistants, hair-dressers, manicurists, elevator boys, street-sweepers—everybody young or old, enlightened or illiterate, capable or stupid, with millions or with a scraped-up dollar or two, was playing the market. And whatever their state of mind, or of body or soul, they were all making money.

Jeb was exultant. He had never been so right. He had made money not only for himself but every client for whom he traded and whom he advised. He had lived in a chorus of acclaim and gain all day!

He ran halfway upstairs to meet Agnes coming down.

"Glen, what a day! We can do anything we like—anything, when you say the word!" He caught her up on the landing. "Now you'll say it? Why not? Oh, you little fool, why not? . . . That damned trial! We'll marry and come back for it. Or I'll get you out of it!"

"You can't, Jeb."

"Was that Irish slyster here?"

"Jeb!"

"Did you see the papers this afternoon? I've left them in the car. . . . They were downstairs together."

"Sweet-scented situation O'Mara's trying to profit on. Lorrie, it seems, was insured for two hundred thousand dollars—fifty of which he had left in the name of his first wife as beneficiary; but dear little Myrtle had seen that he had her written in as beneficiary for one hundred and fifty thousand."

"The companies paid today the fifty thousand to the first wife whom he divorced; but they're holding up payment of the hundred and fifty to sweet little Myrtle. If she's cleared, by O'Mara, Myrtle gets the hundred and fifty thousand insurance as an additional reward for the shooting."

## CHAPTER VI

Davis Ayreforth lay awake in the dark, with his wife asleep in the bed beside him. He was not happy; and he was trying to figure out what he could do differently in order to make Bee admire him.

She still loved him, he believed; for her let it be a proof of love that his wife physically did nothing, in respect to another man, to which he could take exception, and that Bee continued without complaint—indeed, only too complacently—to be his wife.

So Davis said to himself: "She loves me; she loves me. . . . But she admires Jeb more. . . . She doesn't admire me at all."

"It's because Jeb is making so much money," Davis argued with himself. "Money is all Jeb has that I haven't got."

"It's not more money she wants for herself, or for me or for the boys. But she wants me to make more money. . . . I've got to make more money—a lot of money, as much as Jeb Braddon. I can do it! He has nothing on me!"

Jeb, as every one knew, had made millions for himself. To such a star, Davis hitched the weak wagon of his abilities as he wrestled in the dark with his disappointments.

Davis' business was canning—a good business in Chicago, safe and steady, though never spectacular, and well suited to Davis, who was by nature a safe, steady person, though he tried not to appear so.

He was thirty-two, a cheerful, healthy, stocky man of medium height, thoughtful of others and tireless when he set out to do anything.

Yet it all seemed only to amuse his wife. Even his excellence in golf, which once she had admired, seemed almost to amuse her now. He did not understand why.

Millions now became the measure of a man. The old slow, conservative scale of progress was gone. Salary, dogged, dependable work, was nothing. A man went out, in these days, and made—millions!

Davis did not want to do it at all; he was, for himself, exactly suited. But Bee—his wife, the mother of his boys—believed Jeb the better man. Jeb thrived her; her husband, though she "loved" him, bored her.

There was that fellow Collitt, who had come around to the office the other day with Ken Remble. They were forming a company for underwriting new investments, real-estate developments. There was millions in it, they said; millions!

They wanted him to become a partner and put about a hundred thousand into it. He'd thanked them and hardly thought of it.

Davis turned again with more hopefulness toward the dark head on the pillow of the other bed.

It was a month later that the resignation of Davis Ayreforth, as treasurer of a canning company, took effect, and he sold back to the officers of the company all his stock. Davis also sold sixty-five of his best bonds; for it happened that Collitt had somewhat under-estimated the new capital required, and so Davis put up, not one hundred, but a hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

But the firm of Collitt, Ayreforth and Remble was formed, and promptly promoted and marketed their first investment line.

Myrtle Lorrie, who now for over a month had been in jail, decided to invite Agnes to visit her.

Myrtle was not having much of a time. She was confined, of course, to the women's quarters of the jail, and therefore to the company of other girls and women awaiting trial. Most of them were accused of serious offenses; for they had not been admitted to bail.

Agnes, on the morning that Myrtle's missive arrived, had risen for breakfast with her father.

She, the Light One, and Bee, the Dark One always had had breakfast with him when they were children. He was never too hurried to joke with them; and he produced from his pockets surprises, on occasion, of thimble-



"I'm Not Marrying Jeb This Spring—Summer, Father."

like things that inflated into bunnies and miraculous buds that needed only to float in a finger-bowl to flower. It was fun to have breakfast with Father.

Her mother so invariably had risen with him that Agnes never had pictured breakfast without them together until, last fall, her mother ceased to come down before her father left the house.

This signaled some decline in the relations of her parents which Agnes felt but did not let herself define.

"Talked with your mother about summer plans, Light One?" he suddenly demanded, one sunny morning.

"No. What are they, Father?"

"You're to make them."

"I? How?"

"Largely by what you do. There's the trial first, of course; but they're moving that along. Then what with you, Light One?"

"You mean about Jeb?"

"That's it."

"I'm not marrying Jeb this spring—or this summer, Father."

"Because of us?"

"I don't know why not, Father; oh, I don't know why not!"

He had to turn away.

Agnes saw the lawn and "their" shore of the lake that she loved, through the mist of tears.

What and who was she that counted with him more than her mother and her and all his memories here? What could she be to him, to mean so much?

Her father was thinking of that person, unknown to his daughter and scarcely more defined to his wife, but whom his wife had called "Cash."

"Cash!" What a name for her! It had been fastened upon her by his wife, and in this manner:

On Friday of last week, which was the first of the month, Beatrice Gleneth had gone to Chicago in the forenoon for shopping, and she was to remain in the city for the afternoon concert of the Chicago orchestra. For twenty-five years she had two seats, which she had shared on special days throughout the years with her husband.

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## Walker an' Bartell Have Own Opinions of Squawks, Hexes

IT IS long past midnight at the sign of the Toy Bulldog. The boys who have been cutting up old touches get around to the twin subjects of squawks and alibis. Since this is a prize fight crowd the debate is loud and long. Mickey Walker, who has been listening quietly, now grins and saunters over to the table.

"Maybe there's a time and place for everything," suggests the squat little man who used to ask nothing of giants save that they keep on swinging. "For instance, did I ever tell you about the time I fought Dundee?" He grins again at the memory of the night.

"Well, anyhow, Joe smacks me so hard over one eye that I lose the duke and have to go to the hospital."

"Naturally I'm weighing in with some man-sized beefing because it hurts plenty. All the while, too, I hear a guy on the next table sort of growling, but I don't figure he's got any cause to be sore at me and so I don't pay much attention to him. Instead I just lay there and every time the Doc pulls one on the next row I let out another yelp."

"All of a sudden the guy on the next table bounces up so's they've got to stop operations on him."

"Say, you," he says to me. "You know what I'm in here for. Well somebody bounced a bottle off my conk and I've been stretched out here for almost an hour while they've been digging glassware outta my dandruff. That's what they've been doing. Here I was out for a bit of fun and wasn't harming nobody."

"—an' you," he says. "Getting hit is your racket, ain't it. An' you got paid 10 G's for tonight, didn't you? Well, then, what right've you got to squawk?"



Mickey Walker

It is almost time for a double-header to start. Adolfo Luque stands in front of the Giants' dugout shaking an excited finger at Dick Bartell.

"You oughta done it," he says. "You—"

"Yeah," says the shortstop. "But I didn't have time. I was—"

"It makes no difference," the veteran coach abandons such feeble medium as a long finger and spreads both arms in eloquent gesture. "How we gonna win. How we—"

"Well, I got warmed up anyhow, didn't I?" Bartell's life is built on the theory that a good attack is the best defense. So he plainly is out of his element now. Nevertheless he tries warmly to cover up.

"You warm up! Huh!" Luque sputters feebly with the English idiom for a moment, relieves himself with rippling Spanish phrases and then returns to the language by which he may be understood. "Three weeks you warm up with me, hey? Three weeks you get hits. You warm up with me today. No. Well, then how you expect to—"

He shrugs his shoulders that speak volumes. Then sinks down on the bench overcome by the futility of it all. He becomes as silent as he had been loquacious.

Bartell is not a superstitious lad. He knows that a bat is of considerable more assistance than a rabbit's foot when you are up there cutting for base hits. So he grins at this notion.

The first game starts. Magicians pop up from nowhere to snare hard-hit line drives. The Giants lose that one. The second game starts. A sturdy little fellow continues to slap line drives that should be good for extra bases. They continue to be caught. The Giants lose that one.

When old man Luque comes down the clubhouse steps the next afternoon a blond little fellow is waiting there, ball and glove in hand.

"Hey, Adolf, catch," he calls. "I've been waiting here 10 minutes. How do you expect me to get warmed—"

That afternoon Dick Bartell gets his base hit and the Giants win.



Bartell

ROWING people, who hate louder and longer even than fight managers, have topped the Hatfields and McCoys again. This time the feud is between the Cornell and Navy coaches. . . . Incidentally, the National League again heads the baseball squabbling list with the Frankie Frisch-Umpire Babe Pinelli vendetta. . . . Ralph Mondt, brother of the famous Toots, succeeds Rudy Dusek as matchmaker for Jack Curley's wrestlers. . . . Unless Andy Kerr does something about his guards, Colgate may have football trouble next fall. . . . Mad John Leon, who goes in for statistics when not promoting fights or playing the Aqueduct end book, reports that Schmeling's right hand landed on Louis 57 times.

Lou Little still limps as the result of the illness that has troubled him for several seasons, but his physicians report he will be in top shape before Columbia takes to the gridiron in September. . . . Sam Rosoff, the eminent contractor, makes more noise than any six fans at a prize fight. . . . Gabby Hartnett, who usually hits better than any of them, is the only Cub who does not use a Billy Herman model bat. . . . Mrs. Ken Smith, wife of the very good baseball writer, now is emoting for the Players' Guild of Manhattan. Rated numerous stars in the role of a murderess last night. . . . Jimmy Walker will do the foreword to the book about Jim Braddock now being penned by Lud, the Hudson Dispatch sports ace.

Van Mungo is willing, but very few Dodgers pass the time of day with the moody fireballer. The boys just cannot forget his rude remarks during the recent one-man strike. . . . Howard Braddock is having his tonsils removed—because he wants to grow up and be a heavyweight champion, too. . . . St. Louis's fairest fowler says that Joe Medwick is a swell singer and that you should hear him croon about "Minnie the Moocher." . . . Pete Reilly, who for the first time in numerous years is not managing the world's featherweight champion, still has some claim to fame. He held Joe Jacobs' cigar during the fight. . . . Does any one know why the State Amen Commission permits Pedro Montanez to go chasing welterweights when there are so many capable boys of his own size begging for a crack at his big gates?

## Jim Braddock Is Pep Martin's Hero

Jim Braddock is Pepper Martin's sports hero. An autographed picture of the heavy-weight champion adorns the Iron Man's St. Louis locker. . . . Matty Geis, Princeton track coach, tabs Lou Burns as the future star miler. Says the Manhattan sophomore will move up next year to succeed Bon-throw, Cunningham, Jim Braddock Venke and Mang-an, all of whom will hang up their shoes after the Berlin finale. . . . Billy McCarney, the celebrated fight manager, changes to a different colored bow tie three times a day. . . . Casey Stengel stepped the first home run ever achieved at Ebbets Field. That was during an exhibition game with the Yankees, who had Hal Chase at second base and Frank Chance at first, in the spring of 1913.

If you wish to believe the rumor-mongers, the Dodgers have been sold to Cap Huston for delivery in the fall. . . . Also a local group of celebrated citizens are determined to form a stock company and purchase the Giants. . . . Those fight weighing-in pictures you see so often in the papers are never the McCoy. That is because the boys must doff their pants for the real scales test.

Cornell will beat several good football teams this fall, but the Big Red eleven will not be quite as nifty as the experts have been suggesting. The athletes are very young and will need a season or two to become accustomed to the big-time grind. . . . The Giants have the smallest representation of any major league club in the Association of Professional Ballplayers, for unfortunate old-timers. Yet the dues are only \$10 a year.

Ed Kelleher, who did a very good basketball coaching job at Fordham, now is being touted to succeed Buck Freeman at St. John's, where he was head man 15 years ago. . . . Joe Reddy, who won the quarter at the first rejuvenation of the Olympic Games at Paris in 1892, returned to Princeton this spring for the forty-fifth reunion of his class. He was one of the men who had an audience with the King of Greece, which resulted in the first official renewal of the Games at Athens in 1892.

Frankie Frisch holds the shortest clubhouse meetings of any manager. They usually last just one-half minute flat—or just long enough for Frankie to yelp, "Go out and beat those bums!" . . . The Junie Freys have ordered a small Frey. . . . Mike Jacobs did the best of his many good jobs in handling the crowd at the Stadium the other night.



Jim Braddock

## Rough Work, Gentle Work

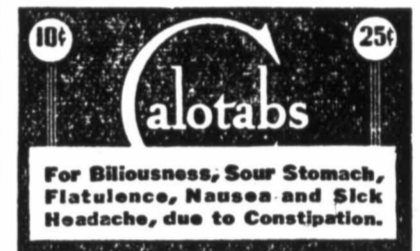
There must be work done by the arms, or none of us could live. There must be work done by the brains, or the life we get would not be worth having. And the same men cannot do both. There is rough work to be done, and rough men must do it; there is gentle work to be done, and gentle men must do it; and it is physically impossible, that one class should do, or divide, the work of the other.—John Ruskin.

## REMOVE FRECKLES, BLACKHEADS, QUICK

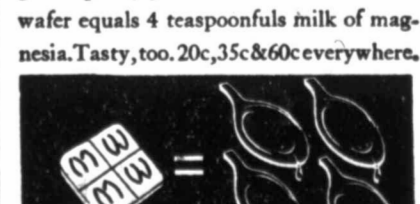
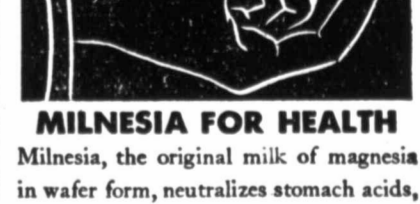
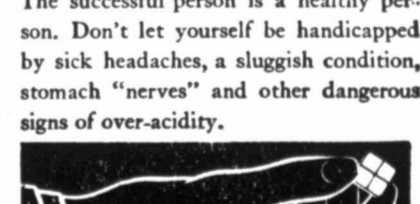
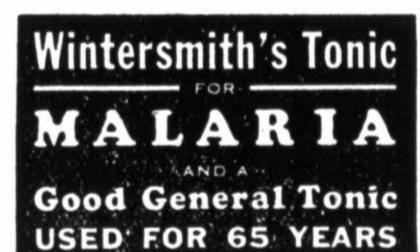


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**ON TEXAS FARMS BY Minnie Fisher Cunningham**

Under the non-interpretative title of "program planning project," men and women in the rural communities of Texas have been meeting during the last six months and analyzing land use customs on Texas farms and ranches.

The object of this work, which was inaugurated by the Extension Service, is to start a flow of live information from the farm to the Department of Agriculture, and the method was for small groups of neighbors to meet and using prepared schedules, map their own and the whole community's land use.

Two hundred and four counties having been engaged in this work, 70 of these counties made out schedule seven which had to do with gardens, orchards, and sweet potatoes, all for home use.

Figures compiled for the State from these 70 counties are very revealing; 31,649 acres more of orchards are needed in these 70 counties to supply fruit for the home tables; 20,716 more acres of garden are needed in these 70 counties to supply vegetables for home use; and 6128 acres more of sweet potatoes are needed by the families in these 70 counties.

In releasing these figures which he has assembled from the county reports, George E. Adams, assistant state agent, who has had charge of this project comments: "These are not the findings of county agricultural and home demonstration agents, but of the men and women who themselves live on Texas farms and ranches. Having come to the conclusion that they need this additional acreage in food for home consumption, it is logical to expect that 1936 will see a considerable increase in home gardens and orchards."

**WOMEN ORGANIZE BASEBALL TEAM**

Monday afternoon of last week the married women and single girls organized two baseball teams. After the organization they played the boys team and beat them 7 to 5.

The next game was played on Tuesday of this week, the single girls defeating the married women 9 to 3.

These games are very fast and interesting and more women and girls are invited to join the clubs. They would like to have more spectators at the games. Another game will be Thursday.

Let your home town printer do your printing for you—it pays to trade at home.

**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 PRM. 4:**  
Frank Crownover  
J. A. (Abb) Black  
J. A. (Scott,) Brown

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE:**  
B. L. Templeton (Re-election)  
A. F. King

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER:**  
Mrs. Mayme Taylor (Re-election)

**FOR COUNTY CLERK:**  
J. M. Herrington (Re-election)

**FOR SHERIFF:**  
J. N. (Nick) Narrell  
Diek Gregory

**FOR ASSESSOR—COLLECTOR:**  
Roy E. Warren (Re-election)

**FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:**  
George W. Outlaw (Re-election)  
Zollie C. Steakley

**FOR DISTRICT CLERK:**  
J. H. Ballard (Re-election)

**OR REPRESENTATIVE:**  
Howard C. Davison (Re-election)

**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:**  
B. N. Carter

**FOR JUDGE 32nd DISTRICT:**  
A. S. Mauzey (Re-election)

**HOT WEATHER CALLS FOR CAREFUL LIVING**

Austin, July 13.—Keeping cool and standing the heat during the hot summer months is in a large measure dependent upon the individual, health authorities agree. Over indulgence in food or exercise may cause much suffering.

"The clothes we wear and the food we eat play an important role in keeping us comfortable during the hot season," said Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

"Summer clothing should be light in weight and color and of a porous texture. White clothes reflect the rays of the sun and therefore are cooler. Frequent change of clothing, particularly of that next to the skin, is especially conducive to comfort.

"The summer diet should consist of light, nutritious, and easily digested foods. Fresh fruits and vegetables are particularly desirable as hot weather foods because of their ease of digestion and wide range of variety in the manner they may be served. Meat and heavy pastries should be eaten sparingly. A balanced diet may be maintained without these foods. Do not eat when you are tired.

"Exercise should be taken in hot weather but good judgment must be used in the amount that is taken. Swimming is fine exercise and is more refreshing than other forms of exercise. If sunbaths are to be indulged in, care

**Wooden Indian Answers Questions**



In the General Motors Exhibit at the Texas Centennial Exposition at Dallas is the famous "Chief Pontiac," mechanical Indian, who answers questions asked by visitors. Decide him are Phil Harris, orchestra leader and Leah Ray, singer.

should be taken to accustom the skin by exposing the body for short periods in the beginning.

Plenty of rest is necessary during hot weather. Sleep a sufficient number of hours and eat at regular meal times. Acquire regular habits of living and develop a cheerful outlook on life, and you will find that it will help you to spend a comfortable summer at home or on vacation."

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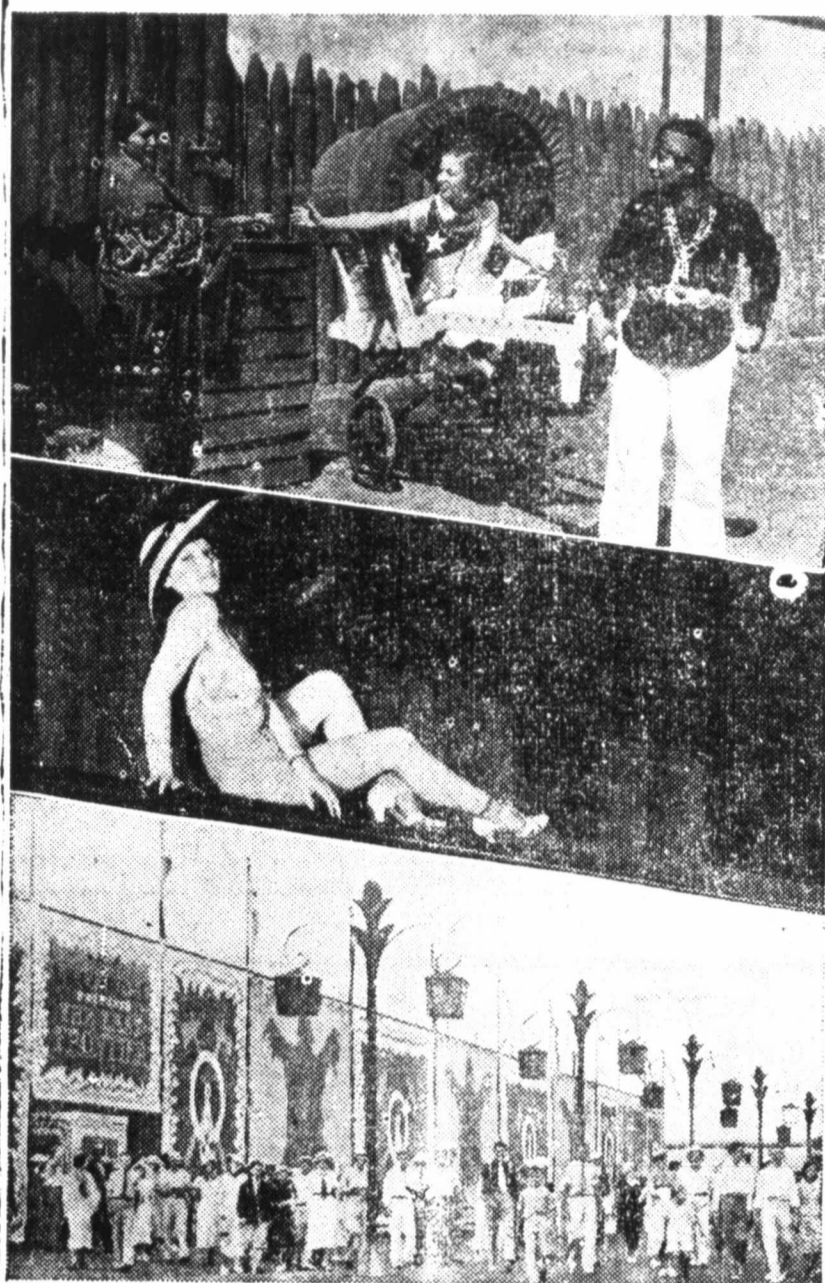
**Let's Build LORAINÉ**

**33 MITCHELL COUNTIANS BORROW \$7,351.40 ON MODERNIZATION PLAN**

Fort Worth, Texas, July 9.—Latest figures reveal that 33 loans amounting to \$7,351.40 have been made in Mitchell County under the Modernization Credit Plan or Title 1 of the National Housing Act, according to a statement today by P. S. Luttrell, Associate Director of the Northwestern Texas District of the Federal

Housing Administration. The Northwestern District of Texas with headquarters in Fort Worth comprises 113 counties of north and west Texas. During the 20 months operation of the Federal Housing Administration, there has been a total of 9,610 loans amounting to \$3,241,505.08 made under Title 1 throughout this district, states Luttrell. Title 1 or Modernization Credit Loans are made by banks and other financial institutions approved by the Federal Housing Administration; the loans are made for repairing, altering, modernizing and the improvement of real property. The obligation is repaid in small, equal monthly payments over a period of years not to exceed five. This particular section of the National Housing

**Fort Worth Ready for Gala Opening**



The Last Frontier — Pioneer Palace — Jumbo — Casa Manana — Nude Ranch! Marvels of entertainment will go on parade in Fort Worth Saturday, July 18, when the Texas Frontier Centennial opens its gates to the world. But mere gates, closed during rehearsals, have not kept out the crowds. Bess Harris, for instance, boldly travels the "Sunset Trail" in a modern covered wagon, mus-

ing Act expired on April 1, 1936, but because of the demand for this type of loan, and the great benefits to property owners, building material dealers, and labor in the building trades, the Modernization Credit Plan was extended to April 1, 1937.

"Altogether, many thousands of business firms, and millions of wage earners, have profited," says Mr. Luttrell. "The recovery evident during the past year and a half in practically all lines of industry related to housing indicates that the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration has acted as a substantial force.

"The impetus gained as a result of this emergency measure is being enlarged and carried forward by increased home-building activity, which was given a start and has been greatly accelerated by the timely inception of the Insured Mortgage System or Title 2 of the Federal Housing Administration. New residential building started during the first six months of 1936 is double that of the first six months of 1935, based on building permits issued in the district.

"This revival of home-construction has resulted in the rapid reemployment of building-trades workers, to such an extent that in many areas there are today no idle skilled craftsmen available," states the FHA official.

"The widespread effect of the National Housing Act may best be judged from the fact that loans have been made in all except four of the one hundred and thirteen counties in this district," says Luttrell. "Information on the FHA plan of financing repairs, alterations and modernization of homes as well as for the construction of new homes may be had at any lumber yard, building material dealer, approved lending agency or by writing direct to the Federal Housing Administration office in Fort Worth, Texas."

**LOW PRICES PREVAIL ON CENTENNIAL GROUNDS**

Dallas, Texas, July 13.—One of the outstanding features of the Texas Centennial Exposition's amusement zone is the low scale of prevailing prices for the many attractions as well as the eating establishments. A recent check of the grounds and admission charges revealed that an adult can visit eighteen of the leading attractions on the grounds for less than six dollars. This included the fifty-cent general admission price to the Exposition itself.

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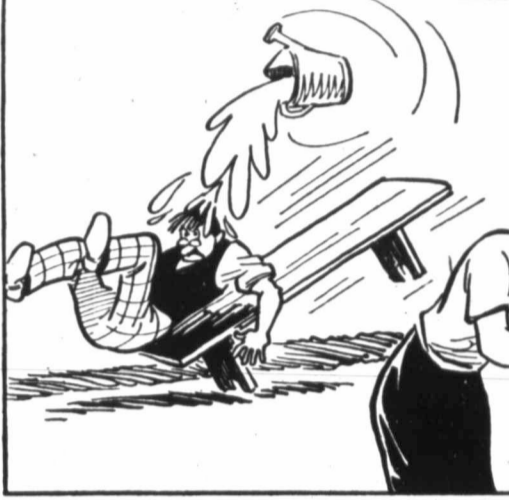
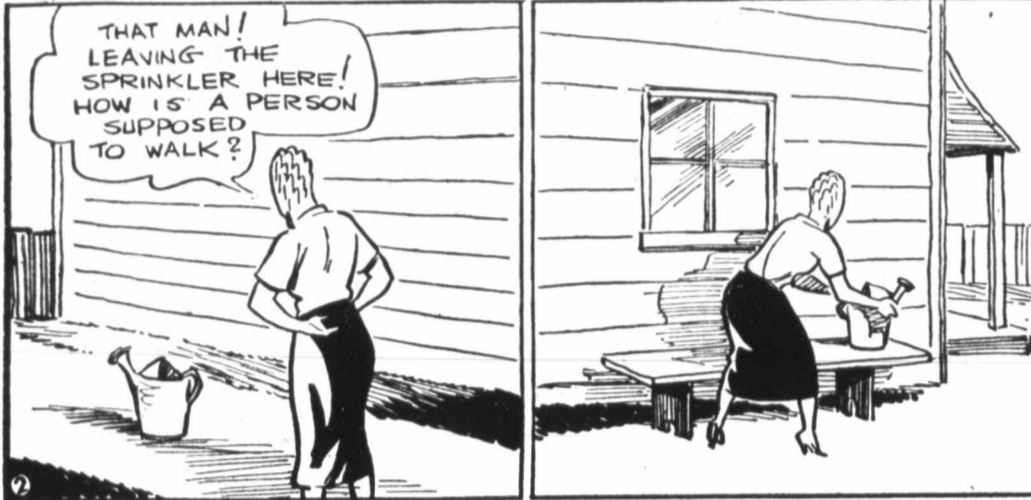
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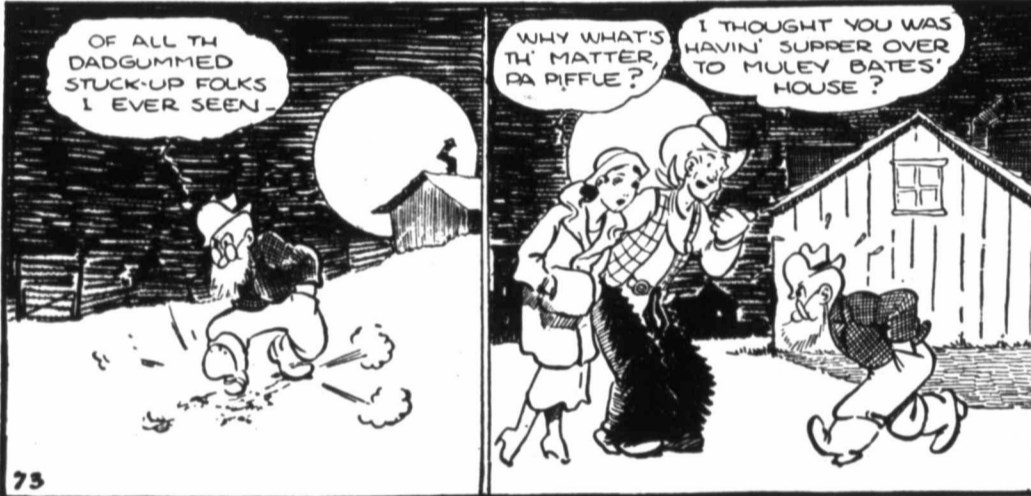
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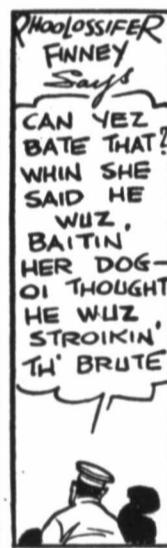
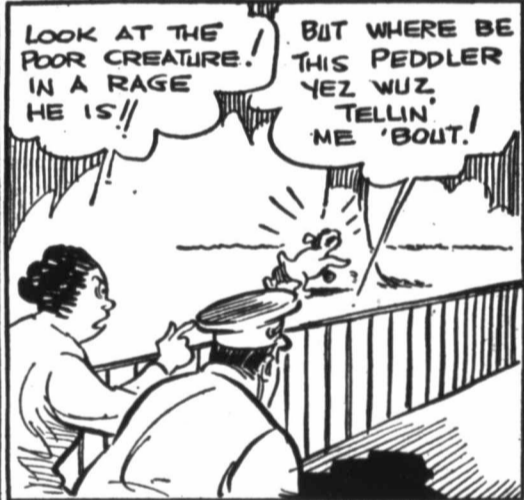
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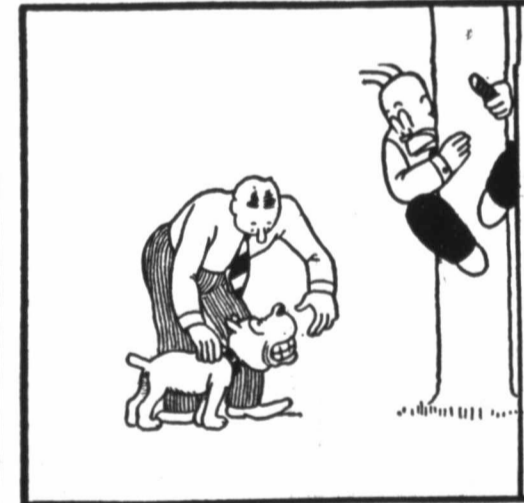
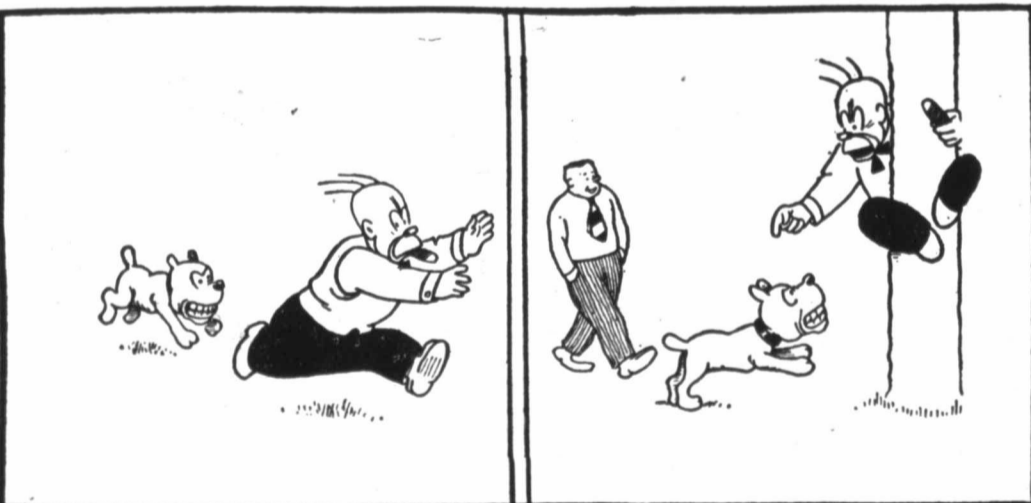


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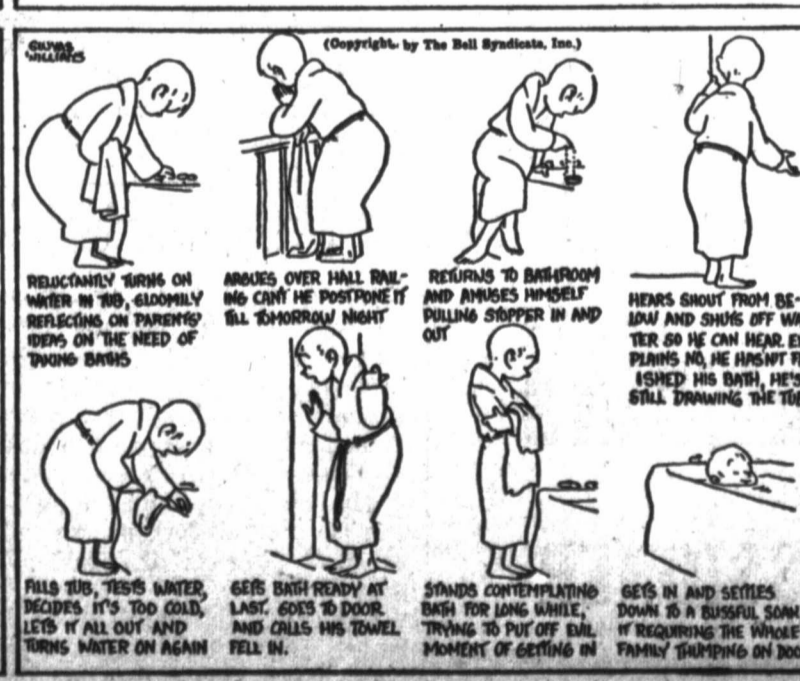
### Beauty

In the elevator of a big store she noticed a very attractive poster advertising beauty treatment. Out of curiosity she asked the elevator attendant (a funny little Cockney) where the beauty parlor was. He turned and gave her a good look, noticed presumably that she did not use make-up at all, and then said, "You don't want ter go there mucking your face about. Why not stay as y'are— plain but 'olesome?" —Troy Times-Record.

Truss it She had just begun housekeeping, with the laudable intention of paying ready money upon all occasions, and she entered a high-class poultryer's shop to purchase a chicken. She selected one, and while she was fumbling in her handbag for a purse the shopman politely asked: "Trussed, madam?" "Oh, dear, no," she indignantly replied. "I wish to pay for it now." —Sydney (Australia) Hall.

### BOY GETTING INTO A TUB

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



### The Mind Meter

By LOWELL HENDERSON

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#### Similarities Test

In each problem of the following test there are three words. The first two bear a certain relationship to each other. Write in a fourth word which will bear the same relationship to the third word that the second does to the first.

1. Bat, baseball; racket, \_\_\_\_\_
2. Norway, Haakon VII; Sweden, \_\_\_\_\_
3. Minnesota, gophers; Michigan, \_\_\_\_\_
4. Colorado, Denver; Arkansas, \_\_\_\_\_
5. Homer, poetry; Plato, \_\_\_\_\_
6. Telephone, Alexander Bell; lightning rod, \_\_\_\_\_
7. Mississippi River, United States; Amazon, \_\_\_\_\_
8. Kentucky Derby, horse racing; Poughkeepsie regatta, \_\_\_\_\_

#### Answers

1. Tennis.
2. Gustaf V.
3. Wolverines.
4. Little Rock.
5. Philosophy.
6. Ben Franklin.
7. Brazil.
8. College rowing.

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# NEW DROUTH MAY RIVAL THAT OF '34

## Rainfall Far Short of Former Dry Periods; Dakotas Hardest Hit; Federal Government Acts to Prevent Disaster.

By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

ONCE again the plains of the West are thirsting in a major drouth that may surpass in destruction, desolation and despair even the record drouth of the spring of 1934. Rainfall has been far less in some states this spring than in 1934, although this year there has been an absence of the sweltering heat which accompanied the earlier drouth.

Worst conditions have been in the western part of the Dakotas, eastern Montana and Wyoming; in a somewhat smaller area were the corners of Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and Oklahoma meet; another area of about the same size in southeastern Missouri, and over a vast region of the Southeast, including generous slices of Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia, the Carolinas, Kentucky, Virginia and Pennsylvania. Over the remainder of the states between the Alleghenies and the Rockies, except for some areas about the Great Lakes and in New England, poor pasture conditions exist.

The result has been to throw thousands of farm families on the relief rolls; to cause more thousands to move out of the drouth regions into other states; to drive prices of food higher and higher, with dollar wheat once more returned to Chicago and other markets, and to spur the federal government to swift operation of remedial agencies.

### Drouth Talk Displaces Politics

There is little talk of anything else but the drouth in the stricken plains; the speculation as to the chances of rain overshadow even the argumentative possibilities of politics in one of the most colorful and interesting political campaigns of the nation's history. The barometer and the thermometers are under even closer scrutiny than primary returns and stray votes.

Prayers for rain by the farmers of the Northwest have been largely in vain, with clear, unclouded skies still looking down over the parched grazing lands. Crops are suffering from the effects of the dust blown upon them, while live stock are hungry from lack of feed, which has been likewise damaged by the silt.

There has been some little rain in the Southwest, indeed heavy rainstorms the last week in June in Texas were so severe that 26 persons were drowned in the flood which resulted. Dozens of homes were swept away along the banks of Big Sandy creek near San Antonio. The Southwest benefited little from slight precipitation during May.

The Dakotas probably have been the hardest hit. The governors of both states, as well as Senator Nye of North Dakota, regarded their situation as serious enough to warrant their making a personal visit upon the President of the United States, to make a plea for money to feed live stock and bring relief to distressed farming people. The government has undertaken to render what assistance it can; cattle will be moved out of the drouth lands into better pasture, but there will be no wholesale slaughter as there was last year. During the month of June some of the Dakota grazing land in the worst areas received only about an inch of rainfall, where 3.2 inches is normal.

Cost Is \$250,000,000.

From April 1 to June 24 during the "big dry" of 1936, North Dakota had only 2.06 inches of rainfall; during even the record drouth of 1934 these three months saw 3.83



Masks like these were not uncommon in the Southwest during the dust storms which followed the long dry spell of 1935.

inches of rain. South Dakota fared some better, getting 4.31 inches, as compared to 4.54 in 1934. In Montana 3.17 inches of rain fell, as compared with 4.15 in 1934. Texas' rainfall during the spring months was only 7.1 cent of normal.

By July 1 this year's drouth, it was estimated, had cost a damage of 250 million dollars. In the Northwest alone, 100,000 farm families were forced to seek subsistence aid from the government.

In Washington a drouth emergency committee was set up under J. W. Tapp, to make arrangements for the purchase and processing of a million head of cattle, which would perish if the drouth continued, although it was predicted that there would be some rain within a few days.

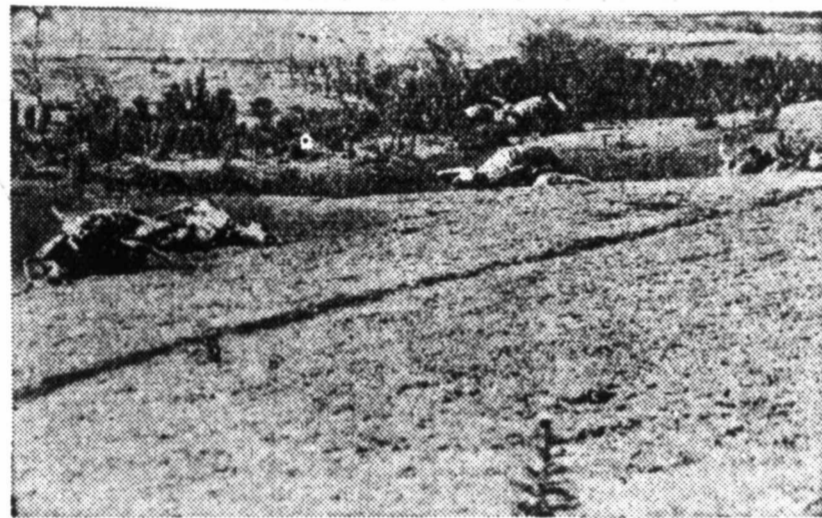
A survey of conditions in the drouth area, compiled by Harry L.

Hopkins and the WPA revealed that hundreds of family heads would have to be transferred to the relief rolls immediately. Their cattle had been sold and in most cases they had already piled up what Mr. Hopkins called "mountains of debt."

Reporting about results of the dry spring of 1934 and other drouth periods, Hopkins said during the six months before last December 15, more than 32,000 persons had been forced to leave their homes in the "dust bowl" and migrate to California.

### Third Drouth in Six Years

"Most of the Great Plains area faces its third major drouth in six years," said Hopkins. Some of the regions, particularly those in the central and western Dakotas, have



What 1934 Drouth Did to Once Rich Grazing Lands.

had low crop yields since 1930. In practically all of the areas, the severe drouth of 1934 intensified the distressing rural economic conditions which have been accumulating over a period of years.

"The extent of wind erosion and crop damages has varied widely in different sections of the stricken area; a few sections, favored with normal rainfall over a long period, have escaped soil and crop ravages altogether. This is true of sections of the Red River valley in North Dakota, part of southeastern Dakota and to some extent southeastern Nebraska."

In other regions, such as the north Texas plains, he said, wind erosion has damaged as much as 95 per cent of the land. Some of the land is damaged so badly that it is doubtful whether it will ever be able to support crops in the future. Hopkins declared that much of the crop land in sandy loam areas should be converted into permanent grass land.

Drastic reductions in the herds of cattle in some of the states have resulted from reduction of pasture land by three-fourths. In the Dakotas, Minnesota, Montana and Wyoming, officials estimated that

conservation program. This does not refer to the entire substitute AAA program, but only to that part of it which actually is soil conservation proper. This means the work and the educational program undertaken by the soil erosion service of the Department of Agriculture.

Attempts are being made to restore vegetation on thousands of acres of plowed fields, on the theory that such vegetation will combat erosion and conserve moisture. Nine contour furrowing demonstration stations have been set up in the West. This furrowing consists of the development of small terraces with closed ends. These are supposed to conserve the rain.

In many regions the CCC is assisting the soil conservation service in the undertaking. It is believed that if the farmers can be taught to put vegetation on part of their land and to furrow correctly, the campaign will be successful in eliminating most drouth disasters.

To make possible the storage of water for use in times of drouth, the reclamation service of the Department of the Interior has under way a series of dam and irrigation projects in the western states. Some lesser projects of this nature have been on the WPA schedule.

These projects are of ambitious scope and wide range. At the top

of the list are such enormous and expensive ones as the giant Fort Peck and Grand Coulee dams, and at the bottom are numerous small streams which have been dammed at comparatively lower costs, although their costs have been attacked from time to time in many cases as wasteful "boondoggling." Officials believe that eventually water from the reservoirs behind the large dams will make possible the use of much land that is now unproductive, and that the smaller dams will help in relieving the situation generally.

### Resettlement Program.

In a third division of the program, the resettlement administration, under Professor Tugwell, has under way a \$10,000,000 schedule of purchase of submarginal lands to convert them into pasture in combating drouths. Under this plan, it is proposed to buy 1,282,522 acres of the submarginal land at \$2 an acre; it has already made some little progress. The program is divided into two parts, one of which involves six projects in the Plains states, embracing 415,000 acres. The other part includes the purchase of 867,522 acres of Indian grazing land on the Rio Grande watershed of New Mexico.

The conception of the resettlement program includes the moving of 650 families to better land at a cost of \$3,300,000—that's \$5,076 a family. It also comprises \$2,645,000 for the purchase of land, and \$300,000 for antierosion work and the development of plains land.

There was a fourth division of the federal government's battle against the drouth menace, the \$75,000,000 shelter-belt program, but this program has been dropped, due largely to opposition which labeled it impractical. Approximately \$3,000,000 had already been spent.

The idea was to plant a belt of trees 100 miles wide and more than 1,000 miles long, stretching from the Canadian border across the Great Plains to Texas. Its proponents contended that such a shelter belt would break the erosion-causing winds and conserve some of the moisture. The weather bureau says that it would have no effect on rainfall itself. However, congress refused to appropriate the funds needed for the project, and Comptroller General McCarl, recently retired, ruled that the President could not use \$15,000,000 of drouth relief funds for the purpose. McCarl did, under protest, permit the use of a smaller sum.

Some shelter-belt strips, along a 1,300 mile line, have been planted. Such a strip consists of a narrow row of trees up to a half mile long.

### Winds Cause Uniform Climate

Winds, when not opposed by mountain barriers, tend to cause uniformity of climate, over extensive areas. They largely determine rainfall, therefore controlling distribution of life.

First of the three divisions is the soil

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, © Western Newspaper Union.

### Lesson for July 19

#### SOCIAL SERVICE IN THE EARLY CHURCH

LESSON TEXT — Acts 4:32-35; II Corinthians 8:1-9.

GOLDEN TEXT — He said: "It is more blessed to give than to receive."—Acts 20:35.

PRIMARY TOPIC—How Jesus' Friends Shared.

JUNIOR TOPIC—When Christians See Others in Need.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Christians Sharing With Others.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christians and Social Service.

Social service in the early Church was a by-product of the gospel and not the gospel itself. Those who are saved by the gospel will show their concern for their fellows, especially those who are fellow members of the body of Christ.

1. Characteristics of the Primitive Church (Acts 4:31-35).

1. It was a praying church (v. 31). The early Christians for every want and need took themselves to God in prayer. Their faith caused them to go to the living God, believing that their needs would be supplied.

2. The Spirit-filled church (v. 31). When they prayed, the place was shaken wherein they were gathered together and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit.

3. It was a church which had great boldness in preaching the Word of God (v. 31). The ministers of the Spirit-filled church will not offer any apology for the Bible, but will preach it.

4. It was a united church (v. 32). They were all of one heart and soul.

5. It was a generous church (v. 32). They held nothing back from those who had need. The needs were supplied from a common fund. This was not Communism any more than when the church today helps from a common fund those who have need.

6. The ministers had a powerful testimony (v. 33).

7. It was a church whose members possessed unblemished character (v. 33). Great grace was upon them all.

II. Generous Act of Barnabas (Acts 4:36, 37).

He sold a piece of land and turned over all the proceeds to be used for those in need. It is not said that Barnabas sold all the land he had. His act, therefore, cannot in any real sense be used as a precedent for a community of goods in the church.

III. Stephen the Deacon (Acts 6:1-8).

As soon as the church had relief from external troubles, difficulties arose within. Up to this time it would seem that the problems of the church were in the hands of the apostles. A congregational meeting was called, the case placed before the church, and the church instructed to select seven men of good reputation and Spirit-filled, to administer the temporalities, giving the apostles time for prayer and the ministry of God's Word. Among the seven deacons thus chosen, Stephen had first place. While engaged in his duties as a deacon, he shined into the light as an eloquent and powerful preacher.

IV. The Good Deeds of Dorcas (Acts 9:36-43).

Dorcas was a practical Christian woman. She was full of good works and almsdeeds which she did, not what she talked of doing. Her death was a real loss. If all professing Christian women would use their needles as Dorcas did, there would be more real testimony for Christ.

V. Christian Stewardship (II Cor. 8:1-9).

1. Examples of true Christian benevolence (v. 15). The liberality of these Macedonian churches exhibits practically every principle and motive entering into Christian giving.

a. The source of true giving (v. 1). It is said to be the grace of God.

b. They gave from the depths of their poverty (v. 2).

c. Their willingness surpassed their ability (v. 3).

d. They were insistent on being allowed the privilege of giving (v. 4).

e. They first gave themselves to the Lord (v. 5).

2. Emulation of Macedonian benevolence urged (vv. 6-15).

a. Not as a command (v. 8). Acceptable giving must be spontaneous.

b. As proof of the sincerity of love (v. 8). Sincere love is benevolent action toward the object loved.

c. As the completion and harmony of Christian character (v. 7).

d. The self-sacrificing example of Christ (v. 9).

e. The true principle upon which gifts are acceptable to God (vv. 10-12). The motive of the giver determines the value of the gift.

f. Every Christian should give something (v. 13-15).

### Philosophy of Bacon

"While a little philosophy leads away from religion, much philosophy leads back to it." The man who said this was not an outsider, but a philosopher of the philosophers—Francis Bacon—the one, indeed, on whose inductive philosophy all the science of our modern world is built.

### Waste of Life

The true waste of life consists in the love we have not given, the service we have not rendered, the sacrifice from which we have drawn back.

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### Epigrams From Pen of Mark Twain

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A man should not be without morals—it is better to have bad morals than none at all.

If you tell the truth you don't have to remember anything.

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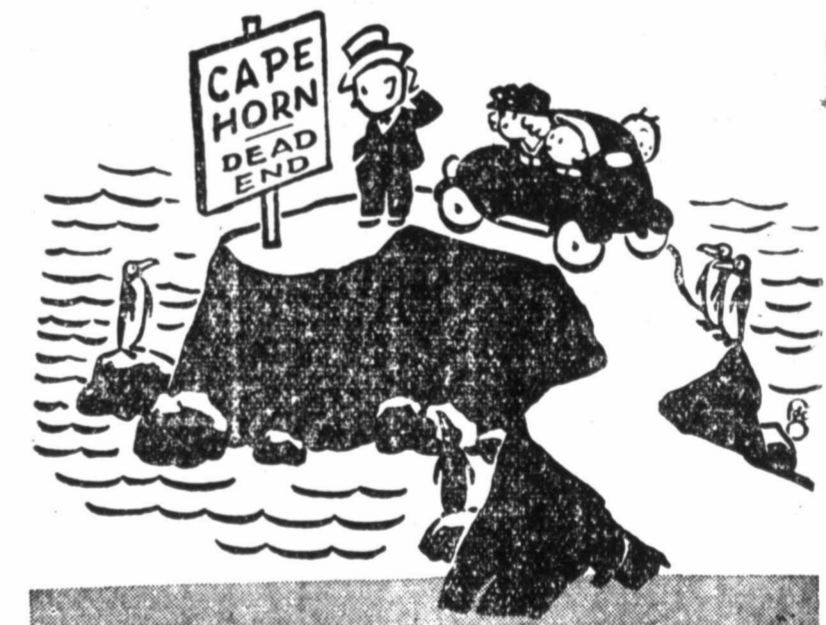
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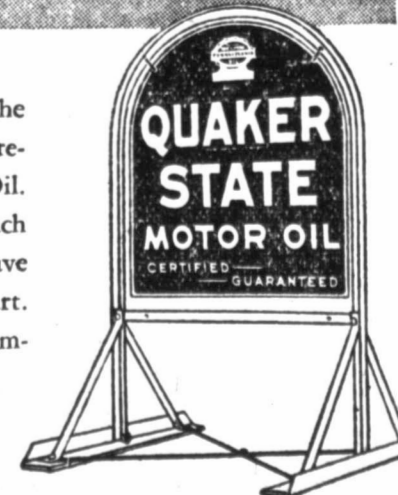
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W. B. Thompson of Dublin spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson.

Ask about the 10-year warranty on Norge Refrigerators at Hutchins and Hall (Drugs)

Mrs. Avas Wagley of Abilene is here at the bedside of her father, I. B. Baird, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Blaine and baby of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. Blaine's sister, Mrs. Ed Williams and family. Mr. Blaine's mother, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Williams for several days, returned home with them.

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Mrs. S. J. Norman left Sunday for Lamesa where she will join her son Dewey and family for a vacation trip to Denver, Colorado

Mrs. W. H. Duke left Saturday for Cross Plains where she will make her home in the future.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Coley on Monday night a fine young son.

See the new White and Black Norge Range at Hutchins and Hall (Drugs)

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richards and children visited in the home of Mr. Richards' sister, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thomas of the Bauman community, Sunday.

Gene Williams had his tonsils removed Friday. Drs. Bruce and Homer Johnson doing the operating.

Miss Quita Richards is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brannom of Lubbock visited friends here on July 5. Loeita Martin returned home with them for a visit of two weeks.

New 37 models, latest Radios, both farm and electric, at Hutchins and Hall (Drugs).

Arthur Callahan left last Thursday for Mabank to join his wife and daughter for a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Callahan. Miss Geneva Nelson accompanied him and will visit her grandparents at Bask. Earl Flowers of Roscoe also accompanied him.

Leon Crutcher, son of L. E. Crutcher of Loraine, made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of A.

Lavelle Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Jones, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Sweetwater Sanitarium last Wednesday. She was brought home Saturday and is doing well.

Arnold Marshall and Elvis Narrell are at home until the first of August when they will again go with the Hardin-Simmons Cowboy band to Dallas to finish their engagement at the Centennial.

O. I. Griffin returned Saturday night from Dublin where he had been for several days after a load of telephone poles to be used in the construction of rural lines.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Woodard and daughter, Evalene, spent Sunday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. W. King.

Mrs. F. B. King and daughters, Frances and Eunice, spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. W. E. Honea.

Robert Hendrick of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hendrick, Saturday.

Harold Marshall, who has been employed at Breckenridge, has been transferred to Abilene where he will be assistant manager of the store.

Mrs. W. H. Howell is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howell, in Abilene this week.

Miss Opal Martin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hamilton in Lamesa. She accompanied them on a vacation trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker of Silver City, New Mexico, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Honea and daughter left Thursday for Dallas for a visit to the Centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Elliott and family of Colorado visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin Sunday.

Clara Ann Taylor of Colorado is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Taylor for a few days this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Taylor at Colorado last week a girl.

Little Miss Joe Ella Smith of Snyder is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lillie Bennett.

Mrs. Wayman Kirkpatrick underwent an operation Saturday at the Root Hospital, Dr. Hester being the surgeon. She is doing nicely.

**BAND WENT TO LONE STAR THURSDAY NIGHT**

The Loraine Municipal Band and a number of local business men went to Lone Star Thursday night of last week for a short concert. W. J. Coon spoke for a few minutes telling the people of that community about the automobile the merchants of Loraine are to give away.

The band will make other trips during the summer as dates can be arranged.

**SCHOOL BUSES WILL RUN AGAIN THIS YEAR**

The Loraine school buses will be operated again this year, according to Ed E. Williams, superintendent. The routes will be about the same as last year with minor changes to benefit more children. Children transferred into the district will be taken care of by the buses where possible, according to Mr. Williams.

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Come in and look through our large, fresh stock of **QUALITY FOODS**—

Canned goods in the popular brands you desire. Soups, Cereals, Salad Dressing and ingredients for your quick lunch.

**MEATS**

We offer you only **QUALITY Meats**, yet we charge you no more than you would have to pay for just any kind.

EVERYTHING MUST PLEASE

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**"GOOD FOOD"**

For your convenience we carry a small line of Groceries and plenty of **BUTTERNUT BREAD** in stock.

Visit us on Sundays for the things you forget on Saturday.

**BEST-YET CAFE**

**The Latest Patterns**

You'll find the Latest Things in our Fall and Winter samples for Made-to-Measure Suits for men and women

NEW FABRICS—NEW PATTERNS

ORDER YOURS EARLY

**Leggott's Tailor Shop**

WE DO IT RIGHT AT ALL TIMES

**Summer Specials**

- \$1.98 Wash Dresses \$1.59
- 98c Wash Dresses 89c
- \$1.98 Men's Wash Pants \$1.69
- \$1.19 Boy's White Pants 89c
- \$1.00 Men's Creswood Shirts 89c
- \$2.49 ladies' white Sandals \$1.98
- \$2.00 children's white Sandals \$1.59
- 79c children's Buddy Play Suits 49c

**FRED B. ISON**  
Dry Goods

**Friday, Saturday, Monday**

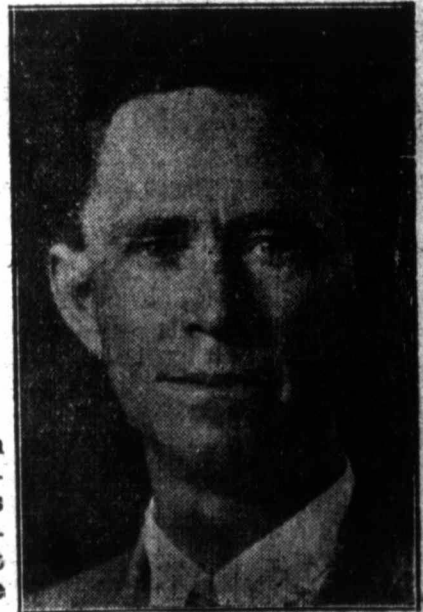
- Grape Juice, quart bottle 25c
- Flour, the old price, Buy Now
- Coffee, all lb pkgs. 19c
- Pork & Beans, full lb can 5c
- Salmon, tall cans 10c
- Laundry Soap Crystal White 5 br. 22c
- 10 bars 42c

GET YOUR FREE TOWEL FOR MORE SPECIALS SEE OUR STORE

**CITY GROCERY SELLS FOR LESS**

**Asks Reelection**

**George W. Outlaw**  
FOR District Attorney



With sincere appreciation for the goodwill and co-operation the people of this district have given me during my first term I solicit your support and influence for a **SECOND TERM**.

In asking for the office again I pledge the continued devotion to duty that I have tried to show in the past.