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This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

UNPLEASANT WARNINGS. CONSISTENCY. ELECTRIC HATCHERIES. FOREIGN COMPETITION.

Unpleasant warning, but necessary.

The Federal Government sees danger of another outbreak of infantile paralysis this summer. Dr. Harris, New York's health officer, warns against danger of spinal meningitis.

These diseases, puzzling to science, are as mysterious as were yellow fever and malaria before men discovered that mosquitoes, and nothing else spread both.

While waiting for definite information, do these things:

Screen doors and windows, using copper screens, that it may last.

Keep flies away from babies and young children, and away from their food.

Pasteurize or boil children's milk. Give foods rich in vitamin content.

Teach children not to put fingers in their mouths or nose—wash their hands well before meals.

Teach children that kissing is dangerous, especially on the lips.

And let adults know that their kissing should be limited to their own children. Every adult mouth and throat carry disease germs, latent, that might work havoc in a young child with undeveloped leucocytes protection.

Deborah Dix, wise young woman, first cousin to Hypatia and Portia, says, "Consistency is the sure sign of old age. I pray my opinions may always be flexible."

Accused of being inconsistent, Deborah Dix says, "I hope to goodness I am. I should hate like poison to be consistent."

Many mistake for consistency what is really old dullness.

When Harvey announced his discovery of the blood's circulation, giving proof that a child might have understood, his proofs were rejected by every doctor of reputation past forty years of age.

Even Napoleon, old physically but not in years did not use the improved rifle that a German had invented. And he had no time to give more than a minute to that American. The American was Fulton, trying to show Napoleon how steamboats would take him across the English Channel!

Interesting to chicken men. Pennsylvania has three electric hatcheries, holding 47,000 eggs each. The eggs, put in trays at the top of a refrigerator-like arrangement, gradually sink down, as days pass, until they reach the bottom, and the chicks walk out on the twenty-first day.

Empty racks rise to the top for more eggs, and a constant stream of chicks pour from an incubator that never stops, eggs being replenished twice a week.

Cockerels are eaten. Pullets stimulated by high feeding lay early, and electric lights burning in their coops keep them eating after dark and increase egg output.

When the hens, weary, slow down, they become chicken stew, and pullets replace them. A hard life, but not so different from ours. Nature gets rid of us, also, when our usefulness ends.

When the energetic British say they mean to increase their foreign markets, they mean it. They have built boats small enough to go through the Welland Canal, and will send low phosphorus pig iron to Chicago. Milwaukee and other American markets, at \$26 a ton delivered, duty paid.

You may say that our steel men should be able to compete with foreign prices. Possibly. But in any case our Government should see to it that American workers AND business men are protected from foreign competition.

Florida is Democratic, very, and Democrats usually oppose high tariffs. But all depends.

Florida's winter vegetable crop is menaced by Mexican competition, growers are facing ruin.

So Florida, wisely, pledges her candidates for Congress to a tariff that will protect American labor against destructive foreign competition.

LIONS TO HAVE CHARTER NIGHT MEET JUNE 22

Postponement Made To Suit Itinerary Of Dist. Governor

LAUNCH CONTEST

Allen Jones And Lee Wilson Are Chosen Team Captains

Charter Night will be observed by the Ozona Lions Club Friday night, June 22, it has been decided by the officers of the club. Postponement of the Charter Night banquet from Monday night, June 18, the date set at the regular luncheon last week, was made necessary to fit the itinerary of District Governor N. N. Rosenquest, Pres. Fulmer of the local club indicated. Mr. Rosenquest will attend Charter Night banquets in a number of towns in this section where new clubs have recently been organized and will be available on June 22.

A splendid program is being worked up by the program committee for the Charter Night affair and some interesting speakers and good musical numbers are promised. Ozona Lions and their ladies will be invited.

Except for several musical numbers rendered by Misses Vivian Baggett and Floy Friend, the club devoted most of the regular luncheon hour Monday to the transaction of business. Club dues, the attendance contest and other matters were discussed and settled. Rev. J. H. Meredith, a new member, made a brief talk.

Lee Wilson and Allen Jones were selected as team captains for the club contest which will get under way beginning with the meeting next Monday. The captains were selected by a committee composed of Nelson Hawkins, W. D. D. Barton and Bright Baggett. After their selection as captains, Wilson and Jones picked their teams and are lining up for a two months contest, the prize to be a banquet to be given by the losing team for the winners. Points are to be counted for attendance and new members.

The team captained by Lee Wilson is composed of W. D. Barton, Ira Carson, P. L. Childress, S. E. Couch, P. O. Drake, R. L. Flowers, M. M. Fulmer, Raymond Gant, Afton Gilbert, E. H. Hunt, Chris Meinecke, Joe Oberkamp, T. A. Onstott, Scott Peters, O. W. Smith, A. J. Sorrells, Lee Wilson, F. A. Gray and J. H. Meredith.

The team headed by A. W. Jones is composed of, Early Baggett, E. B. Baggett, John L. Bishop, Chas. E. Davidson, Jr., W. J. Grimmer, Nelson Hawkins, A. W. Jones, W. A. Kay, J. T. Keaton, E. B. Lumpkin, R. W. Meinecke, Dr. G. Miller, Sam Roberts, Geo. L. Russell, Pon Seaborn, J. O. Secrest, Evert White, Cal Word, Sr., and W. R. Baggett.

Registrar Named For Crockett Under New Vital Statistics Law

Crockett County has now been organized in accordance with the new Vital Statistics law, by the appointment of one registrar, it being advisable to combine all of the precincts into one district, according to advices from the State Health Department. E. B. Baggett, County Clerk, has been appointed registrar for the entire county.

Every birth is required by law to be reported to the local registrar of the district in which it occurs, by the attending physician or midwife, or if there was neither then by the father or mother, within five days after the birth.

The law prohibits the burial or removal of a dead body before a death certificate properly and completely filled out, has been filed with the local registrar, and a burial or removal permit has been secured.

The immense legal value of

G. O. P. Convention Highlights

By Albert T. Reid



9-Year-Old Girl Bitten By Snake

Ruth Curry Recovering After Treatment With Anti-Toxin

Two doses of snake-bite anti-toxin kept on hand at the Smith Drug Stores here probably saved the life of Ruth Curry, 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curry last week-end.

The little girl was bitten by a rattlesnake while on an outing with her parents on the Pecos river near Sheffield. She was riding a burro along the river and fell of the animal. As she struck the ground, a big rattler buried his fangs in the side of her foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry rushed to the Perner ranch a few miles away and telephoned to Dr. Rosenberg who secured the anti-toxin and rushed out to meet the family who had started into town with the little girl. Dr. Rosenberg met them about 18 miles out of Ozona and administered the anti-toxin. Another dose was given her a few hours later after reaching Ozona and she was recovering rapidly Wednesday. Officials of the Concho Drug Company indicated that a few doses of the snake bite anti-toxin would be kept on hand here in case of emergency.

J. I. Hancock of Miles was here this week completing arrangements for taking over the Hotel Ozona dining room and cafe July 1. Sam Roberts, who has had the cafe and dining room for the last several months, will turn the business over to Mr. Hancock on that date. Mr. Hancock has been in the restaurant business more than five years. He owns the Texas Cafe in Miles and until recently the Service Cafe in McCamey. He sold the McCamey Cafe recently, however.

these records makes it important that the citizens of Texas be given this protection by having a complete legal record properly filed in accordance with this law.

In the first three months of 1928 there were reported from Crockett County 12 births and no deaths. This indicates only about 70 percent of the total number which probably occurred. Let's go 100 percent from now on.

It is urged that you make every effort to comply with the law and to aid in securing complete registration in your county. For further information, address State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, Austin, Texas.

Ozona Scouts Return From Camp Kickapoo All Had Great Time

Seven Ozona Boy Scouts who attended the ten days encampment at Camp Kickapoo the past week returned to their homes here Monday with renewed enthusiasm for Scouting and with a brilliant camp record to their credit.

Among other honors, the boys won first place in troop inspection during the encampment over all troops, among the opponents being a crack troop from San Antonio in camping. The Ozona troop also turned in some individual championships. Pleas Childress, Jr. and Woodrow Wilson winning the championship for bringing in the largest armadillo for camp study. Pleas also was adjudged the champion "squidge" in camp, the "squidge" is the boy who is picked out for a test of good nature and his ability to be an all-round good fellow. The "squidge" gets the blame for everything that goes wrong in camp, he is "balled out" at frequent intervals by officers and is made the "camp goat." The Scout who bears up under this treatment with a smile, works harder in his Scout duties and proves himself the best all-round fellow in camp is adjudged the champion "squidge."

Boys from Ozona attending the camp were Billy Baggett, Woodrow Wilson, Joe Friend, Pleas Childress, Jr., Massie Ray Smith, Aubrey Fussell and B. B. Ingham, Jr. Lee Graves was another member of the Ozona troop but was forced to return home after a few days in camp on account of illness.

Wilson Motor Company Stages Sales And Service Banquet

Employees of the Wilson Motor Company of Ozona and also of the Big Lake branch were guests of the company at a banquet and sales and service meeting held at the Hotel Ozona Tuesday evening, beginning at 9:00 o'clock. All employees of the Ozona firm and the Big Lake branch were present and the program was divided between business and entertainment.

New policies for sales and service at both houses were outlined by Lee Wilson, proprietor, and a general round table discussion of problems affecting the business was held. All employees of the firm were enthusiastic over the new policies as launched and under the plan as outlined by Mr. Wilson, the Wilson Motor Company promises to be "the snappiest

Bridge Over Draw To Be Discussed

Committee Of Citizens To Lay Plans Before Lions Club

A committee of citizens living across the draw will appear before the Lions Club at its next luncheon Monday to unfold a plan which has been worked out whereby it is hoped to construct a bridge across Johnson's Draw at some point in the downtown section.

Information to this effect was given Pres. M. M. Fulmer of the Lions Club following the meeting Monday. L. L. Bewley, head of the committee seeking ways and means of constructing the bridge indicated that the citizens committee wanted to lay the plan before the Lions Club in an effort to awaken interest throughout the town in the proposal.

A bridge construction engineer conferred with leaders of the movement several days ago and gave estimates on the cost of constructing a 100-foot bridge across the draw and these figures together with plans for the structure will probably be disclosed to the club.

The committee conferred with the Commissioner's Court recently regarding the project and members of the court indicated that the county might be able to assist in financing the plan, the committee informing the court that the citizens proposed to finance the project with a little assistance from the county.

The Ozona Woman's Club held its final meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Hoover. A number of amendments to the club constitution were voted and plans were discussed for the club year book.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Grimmer were in San Angelo Tuesday.

place in town to trade."

Those present from the Ozona shop were Ralph Meinecke, V. T. Mark, "Smoky" Adamson, George Lattimer, John R. Weaver, F. H. Palmer, Fisher Powell, Woodrow Wilson and Lee Wilson.

Employees of the Big Lake branch present for the meeting were Dave Kiker, Ward McKinney, Latt Copeland, Earl Wallace, Geo. Adamson and Prunes Willingham. The Wilson Motor Company plans to have these meetings at intervals in the future to improve the service and to promote co-operation among employees.

HEAVY RAINS DROWN SHEEP WASH FENCES

Childress and Blain Report Loss Of 500 To 700 Head Sheep

DRAWS FLOOD CITY

Twelve Inch Fall Reported North Of Ozona, Four Here

Torrential rains north of Ozona almost assuming the proportions of a cloudburst sent draws in this section out of their banks Sunday morning and again Wednesday morning, resulting in the washing out of miles of fences and the reported drowning of several hundred head of sheep on ranches in the section between Ozona and Barnhart.

Approximately twelve inches of rain was reported by ranchmen between Ozona and Barnhart Sunday. The rain in that section, as in most of the area covered by the fall, fell in a few hours with the result that fences on flat prairie on the divide were washed down for miles. Practically every water gap in the section was washed out.

The rainfall in Ozona was estimated at nearly four inches, which fell in less than three hours. The heavy rains to the north sent both draws through Ozona on a rampage, the Johnson draw reaching the highest point it has been in several years. The water was back into the main street at the turn into the Barnhart road and was within twenty feet of the new hotel Ozona. It extended almost to the middle of the flat between Ozona and the Mexican suburb and the entire flat south of town was under water.

The rain Sunday extended south of Ozona for about twelve miles, Early Baggett reporting a good soaking rain, but not enough to do any real damage. South of his place, however, got only a slight drizzle Monday morning.

Automobile travel through this section was at a standstill Sunday and most of Monday. Several hundred cars were lined up at the Johnson Draw crossing on the O. S. T. leading west out of Ozona and draws between here and Barnhart were impassable.

Wednesday morning's downpour again sent the draws through here out of banks and the draw on the east side of town reached the highest point it has been in several years. The water did considerable damage to fences and residence property along its course. The rainfall in Ozona was estimated at from four to six inches with heavy downpours again being reported to the north. No estimates of the damage to livestock and fences had been received Wednesday.

Pumping Water Into New Tank

Reservoir Of Half Million Gallons Soon To Be In Use Here

The new reservoir of the Ozona Water Works has been completed and was being filled this week by pumps at the plant on top of the hill. The new reservoir is about fifty feet higher up on the hill and is more than twice as large as the old tank.

Connections have been made from the new tank and it will be turned into the mains as soon as it is filled, according to Judge Chas. E. Davidson. The Water Works company is planning to install larger mains on several streets in town and to improve the system throughout. The new wells have recently been sunk and new motor driven pumps installed.

The new reservoir is 125 feet across and is six feet high. It has a capacity of more than a half million gallons of water.

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A well-prepared mind hopes in adversity and fears in prosperity. —Horace.

It's just three weeks until Ozona's greatest rodeo, race meet and celebration—June 27, 28 and 29. Although the celebration this year does not fall on July 4th, that fact should make no difference in the crowds to attend. Last year the opening day of the show found more than 10,000 visitors here and fair officials expect fully that many at the opening this year.

The fair association has made thousands of dollars worth of improvements since last year and the program for this year's celebration is far ahead of any previous effort. The Crockett-County Fair Association is offering some real entertainment for all of West Texas and Ozona's reputation for entertainment will bring thousands here for the show.

A bedding committee headed by Scott Peters has the task of seeing to it that visitors find a place to stay while here. Ozona people who will have rooms to rent during the celebration are asked to list them with Mr. Peters or Mr. and Mrs. Hurst Meinecke, who are also members of the committee.

Ozona will be "wide open" for the celebration. It will offer every inducement to the visitor to have a good time and if anybody does not have a good time it will be his own fault. There will be free barbecue every day at noon in the park. There will be something doing every minute at the fair grounds, with rodeo events, horse races, stock show, carnival and dances to cram every day full of entertainment. All West Texas is cordially invited to attend the third annual Rodeo, Race Meet and Stock Show at Ozona June 27, 28 and 29.

A move for the construction of a new Baptist Church in Ozona has been definitely launched by the congregation of that church under the leadership of its pastor, Rev. M. M. Fulmer. This project, even though it is just getting on the move again after several months on the shelf while the church awaited a favorable opportunity to renew the plan, seems destined this time to be brought to a successful conclusion. A good building committee has been selected

and the congregation is to a man behind the proposal, and working for its success. Such a spirit is bound to win and we predict that the old frame building which has long ago served its time as a place of worship for the Baptist people of Ozona will soon be replaced by a handsome new building.

With completion of a new Baptist church, Ozona will have something to show the visitor in the way of earnestness and enthusiasm in religion. It will then have three modern and beautiful church buildings. The new Methodist church is one of the prettiest small churches in the state and the Church of Christ, which was just recently enlarged and improved, is a building of which any congregation could be proud. Knowing the Baptists and their pastor Ozona may soon expect to see construction work started on a new church for that congregation.

Ozona's building boom continues. A half dozen new residences are under construction now and as many more have just recently been completed. Besides these, four new business houses are just being completed. Ozona's growth has been steady and of a sound, permanent nature and the end is not yet in sight.

Death to the first one who says "Enough rain for you?"

The plumbers had their inning last winter. Now the fence builders are having theirs.

Harvard conquered Yale in the first "brain battle" in intercollegiate history. We wonder where the contending teams got the ammunition.

The Prince of Wales has taken up aviation. It seems to us the Prince has sailed through the air before!

A metropolitan paper made a grievous error recently when it printed "Landlady Slays Host" as a headline. It should have read, "Landlady Slaps Host," but we think the error is excusable. The way the news has been going in big cities, no doubt the force of habit misled the typographer!

A 276-pound boy, who recently ran away, has been found. The poor fellow had no place to hide!

The Society of American Magicians held its annual dinner in New York recently. None of them could figure out a way to make the speakers disappear!

Once a grocer, always a grocer. They tell this one on Richard Flowers, erstwhile general manager of Flowers' Grocery and now high powered commission dealer. Richard was in Marble Falls on business and in order to get out early to see his prospect the next morning he set an alarm clock at his ear in his hotel room before going to bed.

At the clang of the gong the next morning, he rolled over, gathered up the Big Ben, put his mouth to its face and in his most dulcet voice answered:— "Flowers' Grocery."

A man caught stealing \$120.00 said he needed the money to get "tools to crack a safe." Another poor victim of circumstance!

Political Announcements

- For Sheriff—
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W. S. WILLIS
- For Tax Assessor—
O. W. SMITH
- For County and District Clerk—
E. B. BAGGETT, JR.
- For Treasurer—
TOM CASBEER
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W. M. DAVIS
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POSTED—My ranch lands lying in Crockett County. Trespassing without my consent positively forbidden. S. E. Couch. —29-tfc

About Your Health
Things You Should Know



by John Joseph Gaines, M. D.

HOT-WEATHER DIET

A few days ago I had occasion to take a noon meal at a first-class restaurant which supplies a large trade. The mercury outdoors was reaching for the century-mark. The waitress dropped a menu-card in front of me which read:

OUR STANDARD FEATURES
Prime ribs of beef, au jus
Roast loin of pork, apple sauce
Pouterhouse steak—cuts to order
Breaded veal cutlets, lima beans
Goose-liver sausage, onions
Frankfurters and kraut
Old Home Farm sausage

A selection from that list, on a torrid day, and for a fat man with blood-pressure! There was one at a neighboring table, devouring one of those steaks served rare; he was calling to his aid a bottle of Worcestershire sauce, with which he literally forced his overworked stomach to swallow the insult! It is no wonder that apoplexy is still on our unconquered list.

In hot weather we do not need heat-producing fuel in the body. We have calories enough without adding more.

A capable breakfast at this season may consist of a dish of cereal, butter, toast, an egg, two strips of crisp bacon—a half-cup of black coffee if the day's task is strenuous—and an orange or half a cantaloupe.

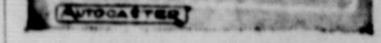
The noon meal should be sustaining: brown bread, buttermilk, well-cooked garden vegetables, stewed fruits, a moderate slice of boiled ham, or a much more moderate one of cold roast beef. The meal will be complete with the addition of a piece of plain apple pie or custard. The fewer condiments, ice-cold temptations, and fancy sweets the better.

And the evening meal? Well—as nearly nothing as possible, if you would retain the health that I am assuming you have. This bit of advice is not for invalids, you know.

From Poverty To Riches



Elizabeth Hildegard Welsh, 11-year-old Chicago girl who inherited half a million dollars. Her father invented a centrifugal pump engine, on which he worked night after night before going to war and giving his life for his country. Little Elizabeth was in need, but now has every luxury.



Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carson and children spent a few days the first of the week visiting Mr. Carson's parents in Bertram.

Ladies, make your old shoes look like new. No matter how delicate the work, our new shoe repair man can rebuild them and your shoes are as good as new again. Jones Saddlery.
LOOK AT YOUR SHOES. EVERY BODY ELSE DOES.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Lyles were here from their ranch near Sanderson last week to attend the wedding of Miss Emma Lou Phillips and Clay Adams. They will visit friends.

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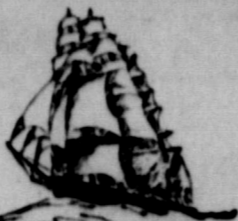
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SYNOPSIS

Palmyra Tree, aboard the yacht Rainbow, discovers a stowaway, who is disappointed in his mild appearance and tells him so. Obeying his command to glance at the door, she sees a huge, fierce, copper-hued man with a ten inch knife between his lips. The stowaway, Burke, and the brown man, Olive, go up on deck and tell stories of adventure which are not believed. Palmyra decides she loves Van. The night the engagement is announced the Rainbow hits a reef. John Thurston rescues both Van and Palmyra—but Palmyra thinks Van saved her.

A sail is sighted after three days on an island. It is Ponape Burke, the stowaway! Burke has to put her ashore on an island, as a Japanese man-of-war is sighted and it would be dangerous to have her aboard. Olive swims to the island and joins Palmyra. She is in fear of the brown man. Now read on—

CHAPTER IX

The Imperial Japanese Gunboat Okayama, upon a preceding day had been steaming against the sea when word came down to Commander Sakamoto that a sail had been sighted, apparently a raft with shipwrecked white men. The Okayama swung over so as to bring the odd float aboard. Soon Sakamoto, through his glasses, made out an American flag, union down.

"Send their officer aft," he instructed.

Presently John Thurston and Van Buren Rutger came striding along the deck. For Thurston and his crew, by the exercise of no small ingenuity, had got their crazy craft together again and were once more bravely under way.

Sakamoto, seeing he had to do with gentlemen, offered his hand in congratulation. "And I hope," he added when they were seated, "you, you leaved your peopies comfortable—on their desert island?"

Thurston sprang up. "My God, Captain," he cried, "you've heard from her? You've got her safe?" The commander begged for an account of what had happened. But when they had reached the abduction, he himself jumped up, interrupting excitedly. There was a new look on his face, a look that had advanced through astonished incredulity into mortification and distress.

"Now I—understand," he cried. "Of her I—know only one thing. This Ponape Burke—she is out of his hands."

"Thank God!" from Thurston. But Sakamoto exclaimed. "No, no! It is—not good. It is bad. Ponape has loosed her because a kanaka, O-lee-vay, has taken her—for himself."

Sakamoto, in his cautious English, went on to explain. A large native craft had beaten out after the Okayama, signaling urgently. Aboard was an island pastor with one of his villagers, upon whose

feeding roost—maintained for these man-o-war hawks the Line islanders sometimes used as a sort of carrier pigeon—a stray bird had alighted with a strange letter. Most imperative!

Commander Sakamoto spoke in he said, "the bird stop wrong sympathy. 'It is very good thing,' place with the letter, and spoil—the plan. This letter says after Ponape had stole the high-chief lady, the native stole her a-gain from Ponape and, and now the..." He groped longer than usual for the right expression. "And now they, they con-tend for her very big," he went on with satisfaction. "O-lee-vay's friends were to hurry with man-y boat and arms. Ponape being strong man, to certain island—and save him there so he shall, shall get away nice—with her for himself."

Palmyra's impulse on sighting this seeking ship—for it was the Okayama—was to whirl around and shout the joyful fact. In this moment all her new aversion for the brown man was forgotten. But, as she moved, the words froze upon her lips. They too, by this intervention, were no longer friends. From the steamer Olive would fly almost as quickly as from the Pigeon of Noah.

Aboard the Imperial Japanese Gunboat Okayama as it passed within arm's reach of the distracted girl and then steamed on, was the ship's company of the wrecked Yacht Rainbow. Gathered on the deck were all who best loved Palmyra Tree in life. But though these swept the sea with their binoculars until their eyes could no stand no more, none ever knew.

Even as the girl made piteous attempt to cast a mirror's rays across the gulf, Commander Sakamoto was turning to John Thurston with fatal decision.

"My dear—master," he said, "That Ponape—he has caught the poor Miss Tree back again—very sure. We got the bird letter and that ruin all the kanaka's chance. For him to reach this far unhelped even if nobody makes some chase, would be of a—too much."

Wherefore, Sakamoto, put all to the wrong by Olive's strategy of stealth and deviousness threw the Okayama northward and steamed forever out of the field of pursuit never to pass within sight of canoe or schooner; deserting the girl in that hour when white savage and brown closed in for possession of her body.

Palmyra's knowledge of their course was so vague that she had not known whether they sailed the Sunrise or Sunset chain of the Marshalls.

Olive unexpectedly dived. There was one plop of his toes at the surface and then she saw his outstretched fingers clutch a stone at the bottom. He brought his feet down and moved, crouching, as if he were stooped on dry land, looking for something lost.

She could see as well as if there were no water. Olive was moving to one side now. The great clam

was lying immediately behind him its upper shell raised like a trap. She was momentarily uneasy, then laughed.

Suddenly before she could realize it as she looked placidly on, he had stepped backwards. The trap snapped shut across his foot.

Instantly, the brown body was contorted. A gush of bubbles—silver gobules streaming upward from his frantic cry. The girl uttered a shriek, covered her eyes.

Why, why had she not warned him! She'd known the danger.

But, as the girl lay shuddering, something wet touched her arm. Recoiling with a gasp, she found herself looking into the dripping face of the brown man, which smiled pleasantly.

When she opened her eyes she knew that she had fainted.

She looked at this creature, awed. He was alive, seemingly unharmed; rather pleased with himself and her astonishment.

He drew the knife she had given him and with a gesture or two made all plain. Olive had thrust the blade in between the valves of the clam's armor and severed the muscles that snapped these together.

Having explained, he rescued the coconut shell which was bobbing away on the water, and prepared to dive anew. When she understood, the girl cried out in protest. "Oh, don't, don't try again, I, I cannot bear it."

He divined her meaning, grimaced back reassuringly. A moment later he was once more crouched, holding to the lava floor.

For an interval the bubbles came flying up. Then the man followed. He placed himself aboard, scarcely listed the frail craft from an even keel.

The girl, still dizzy with shock, sat and stared at the coconut bottle that had brought tragedy so near. Olive amused, presently picked it up and offered it. When she did not respond, he raised the shell above his mouth, tilted it until the contents spurted out—and drank.

Palmyra laughed hysterically. He had filled the thing at the bottom of the ocean a hundred feet from land. Yet now he drank.

She took the sphere when he of-

ferred it again and tasted experimentally; sweet, fresh water; clear, cold as from a spring.

The girl drank deeply. Then, holding the shell upon her knees, she sat for a long time, looking covertly at this brown thing.

He had all but given life itself that she might have the water she craved.

And he would have given life itself had she taken his knife and not granted her own.

He would be—dead.

The brown man pointed to the sand in the canoe—an island Then he extended his arm; the island was located; there ahead and somewhere unseen, to starboard. Then he flattened out his palm horizontally, laid his cheek upon it, closed and began to snore.

Soon would this nightmare of

wind and sea be ended. Soon would she be liberated from this rack of torture. She could throw herself down in never-waking slumber.

Her hand stole toward the opening of her dress and her fingers closed, caressingly, over the handle of the knife hidden there. For Olive had given it back.

The topfasts of the Pigeon of Noah appeared. Olive snatched down sail and mast. He lashed them flat. With a glance he assured himself everything aboard was secure. Then, paddle in hand, he kept their craft to the hollow of the seas.

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Arthur Phillips was a business visitor to San Angelo Thursday and Friday of last week.

Dick Flowers and Dr. J. A. Fussell returned Tuesday night from Marble Falls where they went on a business trip.

Wesley White, rancher living between the Bunger and North ranches west of Ozona received a message Saturday of the death of his mother at Merkel.

Mrs. Andy Nelson is in San Angelo this week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Baggett, and Misses Pauline Perner, Mary Childress, Kathryn Baggett and Beulah Baggett went to San Antonio Sunday for a few days visit.

Kelly King spent the week-end in Miles visiting his family.

N. W. Graham and Rob Miller were in Fort Stockton Monday on business.

LAST CALL

Only one more week in which to have your watch repaired by me. I expect to leave June 25, so if you want the watch repaired leave it at No. 1 drug store or bring it to my home. Those having watches repaired don't fail to call for them before I leave. —Walter Cook. —Adv.

ELDER COOK TO PREACH LAST SERMON JUNE 23

Elder Walter Cook, who recently resigned as pastor of the Church of Christ here, will preach his farewell sermon Sunday June 23.

His subject at the morning hour will be "My Parting Message to the Church" and at the evening hour his theme will be "My Parting Message to Ozona."

It is urged that every member of the church attend these services and a cordial invitation is extended to the citizens of Ozona and Crockett County to be present for the evening services.

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a beautiful rose bowl and Mrs. Jake Short won high score prize. Salted pecans were in the green and lavender baskets on the tables and a delicious salad course was served at the close of the afternoon's enjoyment.

Those present were: Mesdames W. J. Grimmer, Bryan McDonald, Jake Short, Joe Oberkamp, Robert Austin Albert Bailey, Arthur Phillips, Joe T. Davidson, Nelson Hawkins, Evert White, Massie West, Ralph Meinecke, J. C. Montgomery, Misses Dixie Davidson, Floy Friend, Rachel Schraeder, Ethel Childress, Mary Augustine, Louise Coates and Lillie Flynn Myers.

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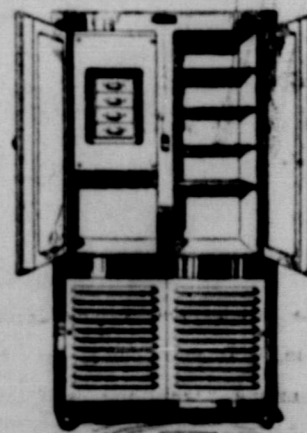
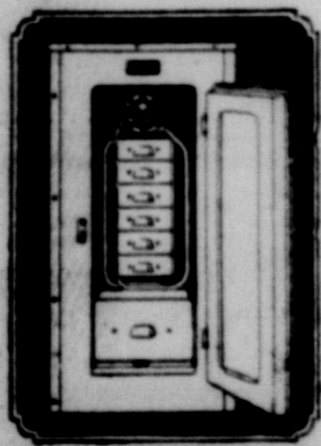
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The Ozona Giants will journey to Sonora Sunday for a game with the Bronchos Sunday afternoon to decide the championship between

the two nines. As it stands now, the Giants and Bronchos are tied for honors, the Mustangs having taken the first game at Sonora and dropped the second on Giant soil. Kelly King probably will be called on for mound duty for the Giants while Bud Smith likely will be in the box for the Bronchos. With this the deciding game of the series between the two teams, a big crowd of Ozona rooters is expected to accompany the team to Sonora.

Mrs. Strick Harvick and children and Mrs. Lee Childress left for Temple Tuesday to be with their father, T. A. Kincaid, who is in a hospital there suffering from a severe throat infection. Mrs. Kincaid is also at her husband's bedside.

Mrs. Sam Smith has purchased the Paul Perner house and is moving the structure to the vacant lot west of Greene Cooke's home. Mr. Perner is having a new home constructed on the site of the old.

METHODIST NOTES

It seems that some folks have forgotten the fact that we are still doing business at the same old stand. Still trying to supply people with the spiritual food they need as badly in summer time as in winter time. We try to fit the sermon to the occasion, when we see folks beginning to fidget or go to sleep we either quit or sing a song.

Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45.

Preaching services at 11:00. Subject, "What is Righteousness?" Text: I. Peter: 4:18.

For Sunday night "What's on Your Trail?" Text: Psalms: 23: 6.

J. H. Meredith, pastor.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Pursuant to order of Commissioner's Court of Crockett County made and entered because of a legal and valid petition filed in said Court it is my order and notice that an election be held at the several voting boxes in Crockett County, Texas on June 23rd, 1928 to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle, and also hogs, sheep and goats shall be permitted to run at large in said county.

Polls will be opened in the following places:-

In Precinct No. 1 at Court House and I appoint John Bailey presiding officer.

In Precinct No. 2 at the school house in Leon Powell, and I appoint L. P. Powell presiding officer.

In Precinct No. 3 at ranch house of Wilse Owens, and I appoint A. C. Hoover presiding officer.

In Precinct No. 4 at Collins Coates Howard Well ranch house and I appoint Sid Millsbaugh presiding officer.

In Precinct No. 5, at school house in El Masho and I appoint George L. Thompson presiding officer.

In Precinct No. 6, at main office building of Pecos Valley Power & Light Company and I appoint J. R. Jones presiding officer.

All persons qualified to vote in a general election may vote in this.

However, you are cautioned that because one statute covers hogs, sheep and goats and another statute enumerates only horses, mules jacks, jennets and cattle it will require two ballot boxes and a set of returns for each box, and each voter will cast two ballots, one for the hogs, sheep and goat box, and the other for the horse, mule jack jennets, and cattle box.

In either case the tickets are the same, and the voter desiring to keep hogs, sheep and goats from running at large will hand in a ticket which has written or printed on it "For the Stock Law"; if the voter does not wish to restrain hogs, sheep and goats from running at large he will hand in a ticket which has written or printed on it "Against the Stock Law." Whichever ticket he hands in will be deposited by the officers of election in the "Sheep" box, after of course it has been numbered and the voter's name and number entered on the poll list. Then the same voter in like manner hands in a ticket for the Horse, Mule, Jacks, Jennets and Cattle box. The officers of election will be supplied with two sets of Election papers, and they are asked to keep in mind that they are really holding two elections.

Officers of Election have ten days after election in which to deliver the Returns to County Judge

of Crockett County at Ozona, Texas. Respectfully submitted this 16th day of May, A. D. 1928.

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But on, on came the topmasts, the topsails, rising against the sky. The girl gasped in terror. On came the sails, on and on, nearer and nearer, taller and more definite—more greatly to be dreaded.

And then, in this awful moment without a word of warning, Olive sprang overboard. Palmyra uttered a wail. After all he had braved to forsake her now? To seek his own safety in flight? No! It was unthinkable.

And scarcely the unworthy thought, than the brown man's hand shot up, seized the outrigger gave one twist. The next second Palmyra was floundering in the water, the canoe capsized.

With a stroke the savage reached out and caught her by the hair. As a kitten held in its mother's teeth, she ceased to struggle. With another stroke he recaptured the canoe, bottom up. He put his foot on the outrigger, tilted the hull so the imprisoned air could escape. With one arm he bore down upon the canoe, their combined weight to sink it and control its motion. The other arm held the girl, submerged, so that she choked and fought for breath.

On, on the Lupe-a-Noa indeed had come, nearer and nearer—but not too close. Careening under its spread of sail it had been unbelievably close and then, all unknowing, had flown away. Ponape Burke, with his binoculars, had glared straight over them in his scrutiny of the more distant sea.

He placed the girl's hands on the now buoyant canoe, returned its gear, lifted himself up and in. He had stooped for the more difficult feat of hauling Palmyra aboard when, startlingly, he let go his hold with a guttural cry.

She turned frightened eyes over her shoulder, then screamed. For there, cutting the surface, a little jet of spray rising from its edge, was another sail—the dreadful latten of a shark!

The man-eater was almost upon her. Frantic, she turned her eyes to Olive. There he stood, for the first time at fault. His hand, with lightning instinct, had flown to the sheath at his belt, had found it empty. The girl saw that, in throwing his knife away, she had made her own death certain.

But, instantly now, the savage rallied. Only for a second did paralyzing discovery unnerve him. The shark had all but seized its victim. A moment and action would be too late. But in that flash of time the man leaped, landed with his feet upon the shark's back. The impact threw the monster into brief panic.

She tore at her dress; thrust out the knife. He snatched it;

Just as the man-eater made to seize its prey, Olive dropped below the surface. The heavy fish had no chance to stop. As it swept over his head the savage thrust upward with the knife in a lunge that reached the heart.

Olive did not waste time over the adventure of the shark. He had killed sharks before.

Throwing the canoe into its course, he sailed on for the island. For an interval they went on, before it became evident that Ponape Burke had made them out.

Presently the schooner was so close Palmyra could make out Ponape Burke on its deck, covering them with his glasses.

The reef wall was now so immediate at hand she could see that this rim, by reason of the coral broken off and packed by the trample of the surf, was higher than the rest of the reef behind, the surface or reef-table, which outstretched inland to the beach. The barrier was armored in brown knobs of living coral, with their toothed faces like a giant nutmeg grater against which the sea could grind the canoe into splinters.

And now, as the girl looked, Olive dug his paddle in, put all his weight upon it. The craft veered and took a new course—straight for the reef. Palmyra sat stunned. She had hoped against hope that she was wrong, that he still saw a way. But here was surrender. Even for such a one there could be no further shift.

Scarcely had the canoe changed than the Pigeon of Noah also swung in toward the reef. Palmyra could see Ponape Burke waving his arms, shouting orders. She gave one shuddering glance at the cauldron ahead, then back to the white man. The race was run.

And even now, in confirmation, Olive sprang up, let go the sheet, slashed the cords that held the mast; whipped the whole gear overboard.

But immediately, to her bewilderment, he seized the paddle again, plunged it into the water, began to speed toward the barrier.

The roar of the surf—most frightful of sounds—deafened her. But as she clung desperately to her place, staring ahead into the tumult of waters—she could smile. If Olive chose death to defeat, so could she. But such her faith, she felt that, impossible as it seemed, he must still think to escape.

Now, as her navigator began to calculate the seas, to hold the canoe back at times, Palmyra saw there was a slight recession shoreward in the line of the reef. It swung in at this point just sufficiently to create a lee. The surf

did not burst upon it with the direct drive of the wind and, protected through most of the year from the sweep of the trades, not so much broken coral had been packed down here and the rim was lower. In a flash she perceived that he must have had this place in mind from the first; that, the tide in their favor, it might be possible in sufficiently skilled hands, to hurdle the reef.

There was just one phase in the rhythm of the surf when he could succeed. He must catch the moment when the wave had crashed down upon the coral teeth; when the violence of the impact had abated, but not one second of the precious after inrush had been lost. For, if that had not carried him far enough, he would be caught by the recoil to follow.

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A Broken Engagement

Dear Miss Vera,

I am twenty years old and very much in love with a fellow who is a few months younger than I. I met him two years ago after going together for three months we became secretly engaged. Later we decided that since we should have to wait a long time to get married, we would break our engagement—but it was with the understanding that some day we would marry. After that decision he seemed to be indifferent and finally ceased writing.

I had always been true to him—told him everything—he promised to do the same, but didn't. He deceived me and lied to me. He finally confessed and asked my forgiveness. I forgave him but it couldn't be the same.

I couldn't trust him. Finally we quarrelled when I said that we couldn't be friends—he asked for friendship after love. I refused so we "quit." Even though he broke my illusions of love and deceived me, I can't forget. I go out with other fellows but I tire of them and my thoughts go back to the one I love. It seems as though I can't go on, not knowing whether he cares or not. Should I write to him and find out for myself? He will never come to me even if he cares, for he is very contrary. I'd be satisfied if I knew. If he cares I'd wait but if he doesn't I'll do something to forget—perhaps marry. Would that be wise?

JACK.

Dear Jack, your letter is one of the most interesting and one of the hardest to answer of all that I have received.

My sincere opinion is that the young man no longer cares, and that you should strive further to forget him. To write him may only puff his vanity. But do not marry until you forget him—that would be unfair to the man you may pick.

I am sure you will be able to forget him in time. If he still cares, which is doubtful, he may get in touch with you after all. Then things may be better. But try to forget it all—erase it from your mind.

If you cannot, try inviting him to a party or some affair, sending merely a formal note—and see how he responds to this gesture of friendliness.

Too Young to Marry

Dear Miss Vera,

I am a girl eighteen years old and am in love with a young man

two years my senior. I have known him for a year, and after going with him for four months I became engaged to him. We planned our wedding for a real late date but he insisted that I marry him before that time; but I refused then because I thought I was just a little too young to marry and I didn't feel like giving up my other boy and girl friends just yet.

Lately he has been giving other people the impression that he doesn't care for me any more. He says he has to do something to forget, so he has been smoking to excess, drinking a little, and going about with a lot of girls; he says that I am the cause of it all. I don't want to be the cause of ruining his life. He knows I will marry him some day but I am not quite ready to get married now. Would it be wise for me to marry him?

Do you think he would lead that kind of life after we are married? Everybody tells me that he is not worthy of my love, and that I'd be foolish to marry him. But I love him and no one else.

YVONNE.

Dear Yvonna, your problem is a difficult one. I agree that you are too young to marry. In my opinion you should not do so. It is likely that the boy will stick to his habits if you marry him.

But when you see him be as considerate and understanding as you can. Try to get him to reform. After some time passes and you feel you are old enough to marry, marry him if he has changed for the better and if you still love each other.

To marry him now would not be wise, I think. You might make your life difficult by doing that, to judge by his habits, and your love might pass. Wait and see if your love keeps up. And try to convince him that yours is the wisest course and that he should make himself worthy of you.

SONS OF REST TO PLAY COMSTOCK HERE SUNDAY

The Sons of Rest baseball club of Ozona will attempt to get vengeance on the Comstock nine when he latter invades Ozona Sunday for a return game on Powell Field. The game is slated to start at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The Weary Willies suffered an 8 to 10 defeat at the hands of the Comstock aggregation on the latter's own ground two weeks ago and Manager Casbeer of the locals is lining up his lads to give

the visitors a run for their money Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Bonham and son, Sam and daughters, Misses Mary Kate and Lelia Bryarly Bonham of Clarksville, Texas, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otho Drake. Mrs. Bonham is Mrs. Drake's mother.

Red Hair and Blue Sea

when the water flung upon the reef poured back into the ocean.

Olive paddled furiously to get far enough in so that the back-sweep could not grip them, drag them down to destruction. Nearly he had succeeded. But, the reef having rained the coral almost bare, the outrigger struck a knob of limestone, broke from the canoe. Instantly, the man leaped out, caught the girl up in his arms. He sprang upon a coral boulder that raised them above the sliding water. The canoe sucked back over the brink, but Olive held.

The moment the downrush ended, he raced with his burden, bounding over the rough coral, until he had reached another knob rising above the level, perhaps fifty feet in from the ledge. Here they weathered the next sea and its subsequent retreat.

Another dash across the shallow and they were safe from the ocean. But not as yet from Ponape Burke.

As the brown man carried Palm-yr, her face, over his shoulder, was turned toward the Lupe-a-Noa. The girl saw that the schooner, beaten at last, had gone about and was working back out of danger. She saw that the white man had clambered part way up the rigging. And then she gave a warning cry as, from

the shrouds, there flashed out a spurt of flame.

Instantly, Olive, understanding, threw himself flat into the three foot water. A bullet came cutting along the surface almost where

they had stood.

Olive, leaping up, sprang with the girl behind another boulder in time to escape a second bullet. Several shots Ponape Burke fired in his jealous rage, though

now he had no target. Then, the Pigeon of Noah gaining way, dived off, and the pursuit, in this phase at any rate, was ended.

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USED CARS

with an OK that counts



Special Values This Week

This week we are offering some exceptional bargains in a number of reconditioned used cars.

The cars in this group all bear the famous red "OK" tag—which is your guarantee that all units have been inspected, worn parts replaced by new parts and that the car's condition is honestly represented. Come in today. You are sure to find the car you have been looking for—properly reconditioned and properly priced.

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The kind of protection you get only when it is built into the tire—protection that cannot be duplicated by another line.

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With the present low rubber prices, what's the use of worrying along with the ordinary tire. Take advantage of this Trade-In Sale to still further reduce the first cost. Run this year and next year on Generals for less than you formerly paid for tires of half the mileage.

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OZONA BIG LAKE

George Metcalf Hurt When Car Overturms

George Metcalf of Ozona suffered a broken collar bone and other injuries Saturday night when his car turned over at the sharp turn in the Barnhart-Ozona road at the McNutt place. Mr. Metcalf was returning to Ozona from San Angelo and in attempting to take the curve in the road his car skidded off the road and turned over into the ditch.

Mr. Metcalf was brought to Ozona where he received medical attention and is recovering. The car was badly damaged.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder D. L. Hukel of Crosbyton, Texas, will preach at the Church of Christ Saturday night, Sunday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night, it was announced this week by Elder Walter Cook. Elder Hukel is being considered by the local congregation as pastor of the local church succeeding Elder Cook, who has resigned the post and expects to leave Ozona about June 25.

Our new shoe repair man has had years of experience in rebuilding slightly worn shoes and is an expert on ladies shoes especially. All kinds of fancy retouching and repairing work on fine shoes at Jones Saddlery.

LOOK AT YOUR SHOES. EVERY BODY ELSE DOES.

Pleas Childress, Jr. will spend the summer at Camp Stewart near Kerrville. Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress, Sr., and John William Childress leave with him Friday.

Mrs. Leila Phillips leaves Friday for San Antonio for medical treatment. Arthur Phillips, her son, will take her as far as Del Rio.

Miss Rita Watkins of Gulf, Texas is visiting Mrs. Allen Robinson. She plans to stay until next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. West are spending a few weeks in California.

LADIES SHOES REBUILT. French heels re-covered and all kinds of fine shoe rebuilding work done by an expert. Jones Saddlery **LOOK AT YOUR SHOES. EVERY BODY ELSE DOES.**

Dishwashing Champ!



Sylvia Bolder, of Los Angeles, is the dish-washing champion of the Pacific Coast, winning over twenty contestants—and helping prove "ye modern flapper" knows her way about in the kitchen.

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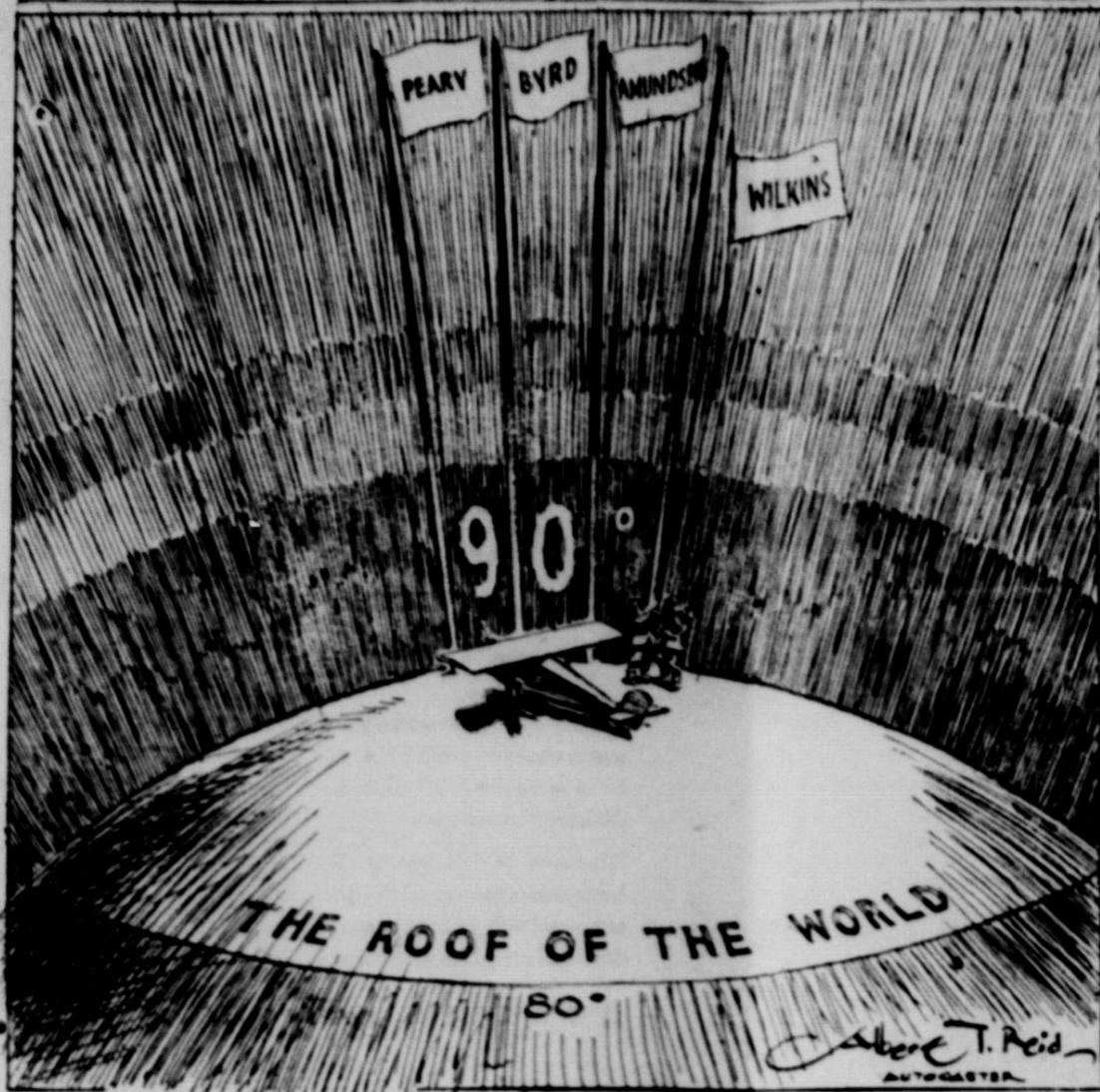
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"There's Always Room At The Top" By Albert T. Reid



Miss Alice Henderson of San Angelo spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends.

FOR LEASE to sheepmen—55-sections at \$5.50 an acre. Will put sheep fence all around if can lease. Well watered, 30 miles northwest of Ft. Stockton, Texas.—W. W. COURTNEY, Pecos, Texas 10-2tp.

Two new Buicks were delivered recently by the Wilson Motor Company of Ozona and Big Lake. A Master Brougham Sedan went to J. E. Edwards and a Standard Coupe, leather upholstery, went to John Carr.

Mrs. Dee Massey of Alpine is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bill Easterling. She was accompanied here Monday by her daughter, Mrs. Lillie Phelps, who returned Tuesday to Alpine.

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Bug infested poultry should be fed **MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE**
Guaranteed by Chris Meinecke.
—Adv.

Wanted—Board in private residence, noon and evening meals. Call Bill Coker at Smith Drug Store No. 2. 1tp.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Henderson are the parents of a daughter born Thursday morning in San Angelo. Mother and baby are reported doing well.

Bill Mitchell has leased half of Judge Montgomery's ranch between Fort Stockton and Sanderson, about 22 miles from Fort Stockton and moved Saturday with his family to their home on the ranch.

Why throw away your slightly worn shoes. Have them rebuilt at Jones Saddlery. **LOOK AT YOUR SHOES. EVERY BODY ELSE DOES.**

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Slider and little daughter, Geraldine, arrived Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Slider's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kittle. Mr. Slider has returned to Comanche while Mrs. Slider will remain here for a few weeks visit.

T. A. Kincaid, Jr., who graduated from A. & M. this year, has returned to Ozona to spend the summer. Miss Mary Kincaid, who has been attending Hockaday at Dallas, has also returned.

Waydelle Hill of San Angelo has arrived to take charge of the prescription department of the Smith Drug Stores here. Mr. Hill is a graduate of the School of Pharmacy at the University of Texas.

Men's Suits For Spring & Summer

Tailor-made suits made by master tailors are available to Ozona men without going out of town. Just as easy as buying a new shirt or pair of socks.

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