



**WE HAVE COME ON STRANGE THINGS**

Some peculiar alignments are taking place this year. Down here in Texas we see an effort to keep Tom Love off the Democratic ticket because he says he will not support the presidential nominee, and at the same time we see a man who boasted that he bolted the presidential ticket four different times appointed by the National Democratic chairman as regional committeeman to raise funds for the party. We refer to Col. John Henry Kirby, who voted against Bryan three times and was a booster for the Bull Moose party when Wilson was elected the first time.

Then there is the race question. Texas Democrats refuse to allow negroes to vote in their primaries, while Jimmy Walker leads a negro Tammany political parade in New York. A negro can't even vote the Democratic ticket in Texas and yet Tammany, which is just now running the Democratic party, elects a negro year after year to the State Legislature, has two negro aldermen and had negro delegates to the National Democratic Convention that assembled in Madison Square Garden.

The Republicans nominate a negro for Congress in Chicago and Goose-neck McDonald proposes to deliver 250,000 negro voters to Al Smith in the November election.

Senator Bruce, a Protestant Democrat from Maryland, commends the Catholic church for encouraging the worship of the two races together in the rural sections of his state, and Tammany permits dance halls galore in New York where the races whirl together in the glories of the waltz.

Raskob and Lehman, members of the Union Republican Club, are respectively chairman and vice-chairman of the Democratic committee, while Alvin Moody, Cato Sells, Marshall Hicks, Frank C. Davis, leading Democrats of Texas, declare they will vote for Hoover.

Big Bill Thompson of Chicago deserts the Republican party and goes over to Smith, while seven Methodist bishops declare they will not vote for the Democratic nominee.

We have certainly come upon strange times.—Marshall News.

**KEEP YOUR CAR CLEAN**

The last two or three years have brought a very remarkable development in American body building. The mechanism of the modern motor car has reached an approximate degree of perfection, leaving the manufacturers free to devote more time to increasing the attractiveness of the vehicle. The present-day American car as it leaves the factory is really a thing of beauty with the highly polished surfaces and shiny metal. Naturally this has induced the owner to take more pride in keeping up the appearance of the gasoline steed. The result is that cleaning methods and equipment have greatly advanced over those of a few years back.

The most recent type of body polish is that which is sprayed on the surface with a large sprayer. In using this polish the body must first be thoroughly cleaned with water. If the body surfaces are merely dusty the polish may be sprayed on then wiped off with a clean cloth. After spraying the polish over the surface a piece of cheese cloth is used to

wipe off the excess. There is no necessity for vigorous rubbing.

Washing the car is not the casual job some owners seem to imagine. To begin with, the car should be washed immediately after it has been dirty. If mud is allowed to remain on the varnished surface more than a day it is difficult to eradicate it. For washing plain water should be used, neither too hot nor too cold, about 50 degrees F. A large sponge soaked in clear water and then sopped against the surface so that the water trickles down is best. Never turn a stream of water at high pressure on the body. This will grind thick particles of sand and other grit into the varnish to the detriment of the finish. The idea is to float the mud or dirt off the surface.

Soap should never be used on the body except for removing grease or oil spots. A small piece of soft cloth, well covered with castile soap suds serves very well to remove grease from the panels. The hood should never be washed while it is hot, as that will result in discoloration. In cleaning the radiator send a stream of water from the rear instead of the front, to keep moisture out of the mechanism.

In drying the body, a clean chambray skin should be used, rubbing being done in straight lines. If spots of tar or road oil are found on the body, it is best to treat them with salt, butter or kerosene. The latter softens the deposit so that it may be wiped off easily. Kerosene should be

applied locally and wiped off within a minute.—McLean News.

**DON'T MATTER**

A great many men who go fishing every summer would have a hard time explaining just why they do it. It isn't for the fish, exactly; some of the finest moments in a fisherman's career come on afternoons when his hook goes utterly unmolested. Except among the most hardened devotees, the success of a fishing trip depends in no way on the size of the catch.

Herbert Hoover, who took to the California trout streams to get in shape for the presidential campaign, has found the words to explain it.

Fishing, according to Mr. Hoover, is more an escape from a jazz-mad world than any positive enjoyment of angling in itself. Indeed, he believes that as many as seven-eighths of the men who go fishing go to get away from something rather than to get at the fish. It is the only occupation, he says, in which the average busy man can be alone and not be criticized or suspected.

Probably there is a lot to that explanation.

The city dweller these days finds life a pretty complex affair. One doesn't have to be a candidate for the presidency to learn that solitude and privacy can be almost unattainable. Modern life is restless, founded on never-ceasing movement. From the time a man gets up in the morn-

ing until he goes to bed at night there is no escaping it. He hurries through his breakfast, races for a trolley or speeds off in his auto to get to the office or shop, works all day at top speed, snatches home in the evening—and gets, nowhere, any moments in which to relax, commune with himself or take stock of his place in the general scheme of things. It is from that sort of thing that fishing offers a relief. And, obviously, this relief does not in the least depend on the size of the fisherman's catch. The mere atmosphere of the fishing country, with silent woods, lonely streams, quiet dawns and lazy afternoons when the sunlight comes down in wavering patches through rustling leaves to rippled water, is a tonic and a relief. Getting the fish is only a minor part of a man's business there. The real thing is solitude and freedom. A man can rediscover his own personality and build up barriers against the ceaseless assaults of modern city life.

It was remarked a long time ago that one must not try to live by bread alone. Too many of us are trying to do it these days. The fisherman knows the remedy. The luckless trout or bass is only an excuse. The real job at hand is idleness and meditation.—Lubbock Daily Journal.

**HIDDEN OUTDOORS**

No one ever found his lost youth indoors.—The American Magazine.

The Toledo Blade wants to know why the full automobile and not the full dinner pail be made the issue. Hereabouts it is the full driver that causes the most concern.

**VOICE OF SOLITUDE**

The solitude is vocal with the perings of all outdoors; it is a passion of nature's finest mood. The American Magazine.

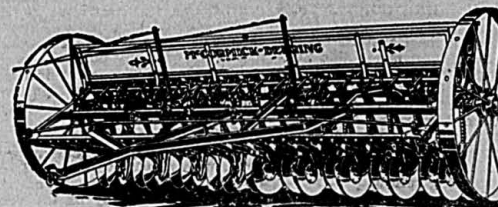
Gene Tunney has quit the ring largely because he was too of a gentleman to be there in the place. Even at that, he has managed clean-up without suffering bruises.

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### HARRASSING HUMAN FREEDOM DANGEROUS

Addresses presented at the International Association of Chiefs of Police convention at Colorado Springs, recently contained advice which if followed will help prevent crime and improve the moral standards and safety practices of the nation.

Simon, M. D., traced the history of crime, its increase after the war which demoralized nations and drove large numbers of virile and courageous members of the human race leaving the residue to carry on the burden.

We can limit and harass human freedom to such an extent that even normally balanced individualism is oppressed without the individual will seek unlawful means and will seek unlawful means.

These have usually worked in the past, but now they are being used to defeat their own purpose, creating a taste for the forbidden and leading to a perversion of the law and unbridled licentiousness.

Simon states a great truth when he says that human freedom is limited and harassed to such an extent that the individual will seek unlawful means of expressing his personality by laws proposed which make it "unlawful" to sell or use small arms.

This has a more particular bearing on American citizens than on any other people because the second amendment to the United States Constitution gives all citizens the right to possess and bear arms. This is a liberty expressly given to us and not enjoyed by the people of any other nation.

Further, it was a national defense measure in lieu of maintaining large standing armies. Hundreds of thousands of Americans have worked for crime prevention and law enforcement would immediately become law breakers if denied the right to own revolvers and pistols.

Thus, as Simon points out, measures can be made so drastic that they defeat their own purpose. Crime prevention can be promoted by reasonable laws, prompt law enforcement, education and those things that strike deeply into the life thru the avenue of precept and the surge of emotion, the cultivation of true sportsmanship which teaches fair dealings.

**PENALIZING CHILDREN**  
The records of the California health department will never again use the word "illegitimate" after the birth of any child's birth.

"All births are legitimate," says a resolution from the board, "and all children are legitimately born."  
This follows a similar remark by Superior Judge Leon Yanwick of Los Angeles, who was hearing a suit in which one of the figures was a child born to unmarried parents. References by the contending lawyers to the illegitimacy of the child irked the judge, and at last he burst out:

"There are no illegitimate children—only illegitimate parents."  
And the health board issued the following statement explaining its policy:

"If there is any illegitimacy involved in the process it pertains to the parents and not to the children. There may be illegitimate parents, but it is to be deplored that many sections of our so-called civilized society still insist on stigmatizing the children. This is a relic of the dark ages and should be abrogated without further delay from our minds and actions."  
That's all perfectly true, and we

can hope that other states can follow suit. Penalizing a child for the misdeeds of its parents is pretty shoddy stuff.

But the matter of illegitimacy isn't the only one in which children have to pay for what their parents have done or have left undone.

Go through any city and make a little tour of inspection. Visit first, the "better class" residence district. You'll see big, roomy houses, shaded by elms and maples with smooth lawns where kids can run and tumble and play all day long, enjoying sunlight and fresh air and good health and safety. These kids get plenty to eat and have nice cool places to sleep; when they're sick they get the best medical care, and they have lots of nice shiny toys to play with. Their fathers, you see, are successful men and have plenty of money.

Then go down to the poorer quarters. You won't have any trouble finding them, even in this great prosperous age. There aren't any trees there. The children play in the hot, dirty streets, and now and then one or another of them gets its life crushed out by a truck. In the summer the kids swelter and fret at night, maybe sleeping out on fire escapes to get a little breeze. If they get sick they're apt to be out of luck; maybe the doctor can't be called until it's too late, if at all.

What have these children done, that they should have so much less than the others? Nothing; they just happen to have fathers who don't

earn as much money as the other children's fathers. They're being penalized, in a dreadful way, for the shortcoming or hard luck of their parents.

Don't ask us what the solution is. We do not know. And don't get to thinking about it too much, or you may get some notions that are too radical for a contented and wealthy nation like ours.—Childress Post.

### NOT BONE DRY

There are those no doubt whose abhorrence of alcohol is so intense that they will be shocked to learn they themselves are not bone-dry, that there is a small per cent of alcohol in the blood tissues of every normal individual. This has long been suspected but until recently tests sufficiently delicate and accurate had not been found. While the amount of alcohol normally in the tissues is comparatively minute its presence means that it is being constantly formed by some process in the body. The determination of the percentage of alcohol normally in the body is of considerable scientific and diagnostic importance. When alcohol is taken into the stomach it is readily absorbed into the blood and soon begins to be eliminated. If more than one-hundredth of one per cent is found in the blood, urine or tissues, it means that alcohol has recently been imbibed. The per cent of alcohol thus found multiplied by the weight of the body will indicate the amount that has been consumed.

In cases of drunkenness from four-tenths to five-tenths of one per cent is usually found, and this means that as much alcohol as is contained in a pint of whiskey has been imbibed. From eight-tenths to one per cent of alcohol in the blood and tissues is sufficient to cause death—Bureau of Public Relations, Kansas Medical Society.

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The Goodwell Gazette made its appearance last week. H. M. Lewis is the editor and publisher, and the initial number is a good looking paper. Mr. Smith states that the mission of the Gazette is to help make Goodwell a better place in which to live, to print the news of the town and community, and to tell the world of the Panhandle Agricultural and Mechanical College located at Goodwell. We wish the Gazette all kinds of success.

**THE SLOGAN AT OUR MASTHEAD**

"Take care of the boy and the man will take care of himself."

The motto at the head of the Higgins News was put there for a definite purpose.

It was put there at a time when some of our lads were in hard straits and the community had been set to thinking.

Every so often some boy or boys go wrong and we all wonder just how it all came about and why such things happen in a well ordered community and so on and so forth. And each and all of us go at once into the matter without stopping to think how we vowed the last time trouble came to boys that we would be big brothers and sisters to the lads and do something to help them to grow up into decent, law abiding citizens. And then we forget the matter. Fact, isn't it! Now probably somebody will remember that a Boy Scout Camp might help a bit; somebody else may think of a Father and Son movement or some other good plan, but who will put these good things in force and make them attractive to the boys of our community?

That is the question.

When boys are not in trouble, is the time to take care of them.

One boy saved, is worth all the time and trouble it will take to be

helpful to the boys who are growing up in our community.

Men and women go hither and yon, looking life, quite content to let things swing along in the same old rut, but the boys who are growing up have not reached the state of being and are unsettled, easily influenced for good or for evil.

It is at this uninformed period of life that we may be helpful in bringing the boy to himself.

Yet people go on their way giving scant thought to the great needs of youth who is reaching manhood.

In a big sense every boy in the community belongs to us and we should be vitally interested in his welfare.

As a community we are not without blame, because we have done little to make the boys better, except, of course, in a vague, general way.

Wake up and think this matter over.

Boys will be boys, it is true, but boys will be pretty much as we let them become when they grow up without the helpful efforts of the older members of the human family.

Children are worth saving and the way to save them is to be interested in their welfare and help them to grow up and mature without having a stain on the names they bear. Each boy and each girl is a gift that has been given into our keeping and we, as a community, are responsible for that gift. If that gift is broken and bruised and tarnished by bad habits, how far are we responsible for not recognizing the fact that our boys need an outlet that they may know and develop into self respecting manhood and if worthy things are not offered, Satan, who is by no means as careless as we are, will find plenty of work for the lads to do.

Citizens and friends, it is time to wake up.

"Take care of the boy, and the man will take care of himself."—Higgins News.

Water melons on ice may be bought at the ice plant.

Don't forget that Allen King's sale on men's ready-to-wear starts Saturday morning.

Much to the relief of everybody, President Coolidge accepted the resignation of Secretary Hoover; just think what would have happened had he refused!

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3812p. T. J. COMPTON, Goodwell, Oklahoma.

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**NOTICE**

In the guardianship of John Cator and George Cator, Minors. No. 107.

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford county, Texas, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the welfare of John Cator and George Cator, Minors and the due service hereof does cite them, to appear at the next regular term of the county court of Hansford County to be held at the courthouse thereof on the first Monday in September, 1928, the same being the 3rd day of September, 1928, and contest if they see proper to do so, the application of Vina Cator which has been filed in said court for the guardianship of the persons and estate of said John Cator and George Cator, Minors.

Herein fail not but have you before said court at the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. E. Womble, Clerk of the county court of Hansford county. Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in the city of

Hansford, this the 22nd day of August, 1928.

J. E. WOMBLE, Clerk of the County Court, Hansford County, Texas.

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Miss Norma Berner who has been visiting the past two weeks in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Berner two miles east of town, returned to Amarillo Sunday with Miss Beatrice Gibner, where she will visit a few days with her sister, Mrs. Cap Richardson, and then go to Duncan, Oklahoma, where she is a member of the school faculty for the coming term.

Harry Thaw says he is planning a flight to England, and we have not heard of anyone trying to stop him.

**FOR SALE**

One good four-year-old Jersey milk cow, fresh in about two weeks. See me at Spearman Hardware. 371f. PAUL HIGGS.

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Both summer and winter weights of underwear. I shall sell out my stock of summer underwear, such brands as Hanes, Topkis, and Babe Ruth at 85c per garment.

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Fred J. Daily and baby  
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Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hester spent  
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ing business matters.

Mr. Reese of the Womble Hard-  
Company and Pete Reese, man-  
ager of the Hinge Pin Alley, spent  
the day with their folks at Dalhart.

Mr. Curfew Clifton returned  
from Canyon the first of the  
week where she attended the summer  
camp of W. T. S. T. C.

Mr. B. G. Yarborough was here  
Monday the first of the week  
attending to business matters and  
staying with Mr. Yarborough.

Miss Bernyce Burran, Miss Opal  
and Miss Myrtle Balentine  
were Berger visitors Saturday after-  
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Tompkins  
returned the first of the  
week from a visit with relatives at  
Houston, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Holland re-  
turned the first of the week from a  
week's vacation, spent in the  
Sierra mountains.

Mr. Harry New and little daugh-  
ter Abbie, returned the first of the  
week from a two weeks' visit with  
relatives in Missouri.

Mr. B. Cozart Inc. will store your  
wheat and make a liberal advance on  
it. Also want oats, barley, maize  
and kafir. Call and see us at the  
Porter Elevator, Spearman, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McLaughlin and  
little daughter left the first of the week for  
Houston, where they will spend the  
week. They have been here the  
week of summer taking care of their fine  
crop in the Holt community.

Miss Alma and Miss Mae Buckley  
returned home the first of the week  
from a visit with their sisters at  
Dallas City and St. Louis. Miss  
Alma is again at her post in the tele-  
phone office.

Mr. Ruby French and little daugh-  
ter Julia Lorene and Miss Julia  
of Brownwood, Texas, and Mrs.  
Lowe and Mrs. Bill Lowe of  
Colorado City, Texas, are visiting  
relatives here this week.

Mr. R. L. Hazlet, who has been  
at the Church of Christ, this  
week during the summer, left Monday  
for Amarillo where he will entrain for  
Colorado, to enroll in the  
University of Colorado for the fall  
semester.

Mr. D. W. Hazelwood and child-  
ren Alice, Junior and Paul, Miss  
Hazelwood and E. B. Kelly  
returned to Texhoma Sunday where  
Hazelwood and the children re-  
mained for the week to visit with her  
relatives and other relatives.

Miss Beatrice Gibner came from  
Houston Saturday to spend Sunday  
with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. P.  
She was accompanied by  
Miss Ruth Castle of Tyler,  
Texas, who visited until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gibner and  
little daughter Lorene and little daughter  
Miss Julia Fry of  
Brownwood, Mrs. Ruel Lowe of Colo-  
rado City, Texas, and Miss Ruth  
Castle of Tyler, Texas, were Sunday  
visitors to Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fuller and  
children John Walker left last Sat-  
urday for a two months visit with  
relatives and friends in south Texas  
and Arizona. They are also going to  
spend some time seeing the sights of  
Mexico before they return. John  
remains with his father, J. J.  
Fuller, at Wilbur, Arizona, and at-  
tends school there this year.

**THANKS**

We take this means of thanking the business firms of Spearman, the children, young ladies and young men and all others who assisted us in any way in putting on the Merchants Pageant the first of the week. Without this cooperation we could not have made a success of the venture and we most heartily express our thanks and appreciation.  
Ladies of the Missionary Society.

**THANKS**

To the voters of Precinct No. 4, Hutchinson County, Texas:  
I wish to thank one and all who aided me in my race for commissioner.  
For those who did not support me I have no ill feeling.  
I shall offer a pledge of service.  
J. R. KIRK.

**LOST HORSES**

One team of brown, chunky mares, weight about 1200, and one bay saddle horse, weight about 950, one white foot and saddle marks. Have been missing since Friday, August 24. Please notify  
R. C. BENNETT,  
Six miles south and one mile east of Spearman.

**FOR SALE**

My one-half interest in the Star Cottage Camp and Camp Filling station, in east Spearman. A good, live business. Right price on a quick sale. See  
JOSEPHINE CRAWFORD,  
Spearman.  
3812p.

**LOST KEYS**

Edwin Anderson of Dombey, Oklahoma, lost a bunch of keys in Spearman last Sunday. Mr. Anderson will pay for the return of the keys. Finder will please leave at the Reporter shop.

**SPEARMAN HOMES FOR SALE**

We have a number of homes in Spearman, most any size, for sale. Terms as same as rent. Small down payment. Also, have several calls for land near Spearman.  
SPEARMAN LAND CO.

**WANTED**

I have a house near the school house and am now able to take care of both roomers and boarders. High school pupils will find this a convenient place to stay. See  
3811. MRS. LUCILE WILBANKS.

**WILL SHIP HOGS**

The Spearman Hog Company will ship hogs from Spearman on Saturday, September 8. All hogs must be in on Friday, September 7. 3812

A real buy in fancy sweaters at Allen King's sale.

We have them; water melons on ice. Call at the ice plant.

Mrs. B. C. Holt was shopping in town Wednesday.

See Allen King's ad for the kind of bargains you will get at his sale, starting Saturday.

Fine ice cold watermelons at the ice plant.

Boys don't pass up the chance to buy your school clothes at a bargain at Allen King's sale.

C. B. Cozart Inc. will store your wheat and make a liberal advance on it. Also want oats, barley, maize and kafir. Call and see us at the Porter Elevator, Spearman, Texas.

**IOWA CREAM SEPARATORS**  
With the Patented Curved Disc Bowl

The world's closest skimming separator and it costs less to buy it than any other standard separator. It is also easier to turn, easier to wash, sold on easy payments, and we take in your old separator.

**SNIDER PRODUCE**

Phone 115 Spearman

**Meats**

—are very important these hot days. It is important that the meats you serve are FRESH.



We sell only Fresh and Cured Meats of the highest quality—and the price is lower.

Steaks and T Bones	30c	Hamburger	20c
Ribs of beef	15c	Fresh sidepork, sliced	20c
Ribs of pork	15c	Pork steak	30c
Beef roast	15c to 25c	Pork chops	30c
Pure Pork sausage	25c		

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SAME OLD STAND PHONE 103 SPEARMAN

**Your Harvest Money**

There is one safe and sure place to put your harvest money until you need it—in this bank—between now and the time you will need it to buy seed or supplies. Or if you prefer it in a checking account, we will be glad to handle it that way—but put it in the bank where it will be safe.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Spearman**

Security Reliability Courtesy

**MONDAY**  
Sept. 3  
is  
**LABOR DAY**



You'll want to take a little vacation trip before the fall work and school begins. But before you start, be sure your TIRES are in good shape.

TRADE IN YOUR OLD ONES ON A NEW SET

**JACKSON TIRE SHOP**

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Repairing  
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Spearman

**P L O W S**

for sale  
at a ...

**B A R G A I N**

Two six-foot and One ten-foot

**OLIVER**  
"Gold-Digger"

One-Way Plows

These plows are in stock now. Call and see them. We want to dispose of them and are offering them at a bargain. If you need a one-way, it will pay you to investigate these fine plows.

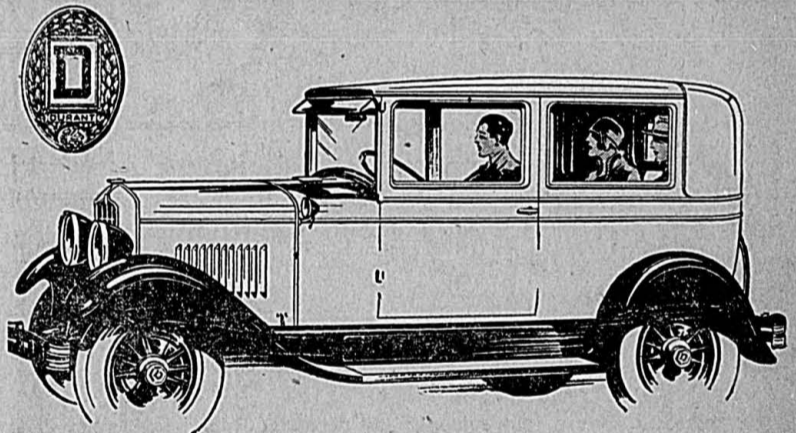
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Authorized Ford Dealer

Lower Main  
On the Pavement

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Spearman



Watch for  
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**Talking Durant**

IT WILL BE HERE NEXT WEEK

**Monday, September 3, 1928**

—for a three days' daily performance—at 4:00 o'clock and 8:00 o'clock each day.

**\$ 1 0 0** will be **Given Away**

\$50, \$30 and \$20—Ask for full particulars

Mr. Billy Von, noted actor, is with this car. He is a real entertainer—hear him.

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**MONDAY, SEPT. 3**  
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Spearman, Texas

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Sub-Division  
North One-Half of Out Lot No. 39

Spearman, Texas

With A

# Big Lot Sale

Lots in this beautiful sub-division may be bought at any time. Make your selection, and a cash payment will hold your lot, until the last day of the Sale, Saturday, September 8, 1928. Lots are 50x140 feet in size. This sub-division affords the prospective Spearman home-owner the greatest opportunity yet offered to obtain a high class building site, convenient to schools and churches, having the advantage of electric lights and water, yet far enough away to avoid crowding, and at a price you can afford to pay. Inside the Corporate Limits, of Spearman.



This Big  
Lot Sale  
Will Close

## Saturday, Sept. 8



1928 Model, New  
**CHEVROLET IMPERIAL**  
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READ THIS:—Every purchaser of a lot in the Maize sub-division, will have an opportunity to win a Chevrolet "Imperial Landau" absolutely FREE.

Numbers will be placed in a hat; a certain number will win the Chevrolet. Your number may be the one that will win this beautiful automobile. At least you can not afford to miss the opportunity of winning such a valuable prize. The car with all equipment is valued at over \$900.

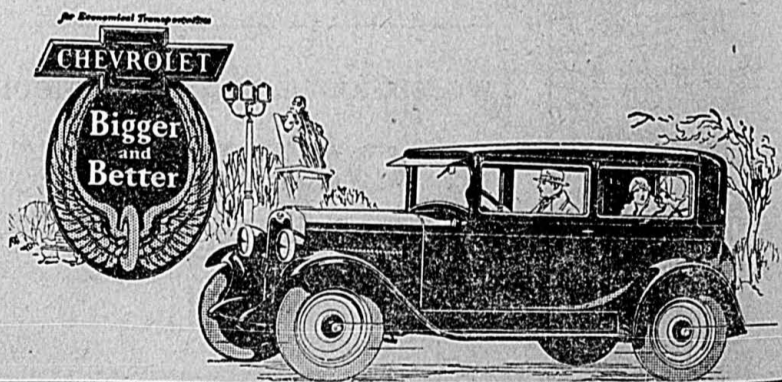
This beautiful new car, fully equipped and decorated, is now on display at the McClellan Chevrolet plant in Spearman. There are no ifs nor ands about it. This car will be given away to the person holding the lucky number.

Only Forty-Four Lots Will be Sold

—and as many as thirty-five must be sold or your money will be refunded. This gives every purchaser of a lot, at the very least, one chance in forty-four to win a \$900 automobile ABSOLUTELY FREE.

Not Over 3 Lots to Any Customer

Make Your Selection Early



LOTS ARE PRICED AT

\$90 to \$150

The price is marked plainly on every lot. A most ideal place to build a home—nice, level, high and dry.

Remember: Sale closes at 2 p. m., Saturday, September 8. See plat of this sub-division at the McClellan Chevrolet Company plant in Spearman.

Someone will get a fine residence lot and a \$900 automobile for \$90 to \$150—WILL IT BE YOU?

# F. W. MAIZE, Owner

Spearman, Texas

**ECHOES OF THE NEWS**

A Wisconsin man, held in the county hospital for the mentally deranged for 11 years, was discharged the other day and immediately asked for \$4,000 as wages for work done. That guy should never have been suspected of weak-mindedness.

Captain Courtney now has had sufficient notice that there are serious hazards in connection with attempts to fly across the Atlantic ocean.

"It won't be long now" until the colleges are swinging into action again, if they can find sufficient football material.

Employees of Illinois manufacturing concerns are reported to own 18 per cent of the business. Pretty soon they can indulge themselves in selling themselves just what they think of themselves.

The Americans failed to win the hammer throw at the Olympic games, the other day. Unfortunately the hammer able hammer wielders in America don't go in so much for athletics.

It used to be business that slumped in a presidential year. Now it is athletic stars.

A Chicago woman beggar paid a fine of \$25 the other day with five gold pieces. Wonder what the ancient and highly paid mendicant fraternity thinks of the easy public?

If Tex Rickard does not like his experiences as a fight promoter, he can feel perfectly free to put on the gloves and try for revenues in that department.

A 56-year-old Illinois woman jumped out of her husband's auto the other day with purpose to walk back. Evidently she did not have the right conviction, for unlike the girls who are reputed to so jump, she was made a corpse instead of a heroine.

Three American Boy Scouts, now in Africa, have each shot a lion. Don't criticize the scouts—they are said to have been warding off lionization.

Unfortunately, the easy method of presenting "movies" in color, announced from the Eastman laboratories at Rochester, came after the black ceased to be used or be fashionable.

"Two hundred made ill in Boston from eating pie" runs an arresting line in the news. Perish the thought that beans should also prove recreant in Boston.

A lot of people say that Mr. Coolidge is going to be president of the United States Steel Corporation. What's the matter with American steel?

About 75,000,000 pencils are sold in America yearly, but we can't learn who buys them.

Peggy Joyce's prospective new husband is a lord, but if he really carries her he will qualify as a compeer.

Ralph Pulitzer of the New York World went to press with second carriage the other day. Two extras of the first regular edition were present.

At last Lindbergh has had a real thrill. He got to ride in the cab of a locomotive.

**SILENT OR TALKING MOVIES?**

King Vidor, one of the best-known and most capable moving picture directors in America, is not at all happy about the great strides which the talking movies are making. In fact, he believes that they are a sign of weakness.

"We were just beginning to get somewhere with the films," he explains. "They had developed out of their infancy to a point where, with intelligence, they could be made into something approximately an art. We had begun to learn the deeper means of expression. Now and then we were escaping the banal and getting to that basic simplicity which is the truest medium of universal expression."

"Now one goes to Europe and comes back—and lol everyone has gone crazy over talking pictures. I believe that a certain amount of sound might add something to a picture. I've always liked the news reels with sound but at present it seems to me that, with proper direction, the sound element is unnecessary, and a weak substitute for true cinema expression."

We're rather inclined to agree with Mr. Vidor. The talking movies are highly interesting, and they certainly represent as marvelously ingenious a mechanical contrivance as anyone ever heard of; yet whether they will actually advance the movie as a means of artistic expression is something else again.

There are two ways of looking at the movie. One is to consider the camera and screen mere substitutes for the stage, and make them come as close as possible to duplicating the work now done in the legitimate theatre. The other is to consider the movie an entirely new form of art, in which all old standards go by the boards. Viewed from this second attitude, the movie, obviously, does not need sound films.

Take some of the best films ever made, for example. There was "The Last Laugh," which had not even a subtitle. All the dialogue in the world would not have improved that picture. Nor would voices have helped the magnificent pageant of "The Covered Wagon," or made more impressive the endless procession of trucks bearing soldiers to the front in "The Big Parade." The best movies have always made their appeal directly to the eye. Seeing them, you are not conscious that they are silent. You do not feel that they are in any way incomplete.

The talking movies are very interesting, and there are fields in which they can be highly valuable. But we doubt whether they should replace the silent films entirely. We think King Vidor knows what he's talking about.—Exchange.

Word comes from Blagovyeschensky, Amur, Siberia, of a terrible disaster. The alphabet appears to have overflowed.

A beautiful girl with grey eyes has been seen with Col. Lindbergh. They all fall sooner or later—mostly sooner.

**WE CAN SMILE**

Faces are built for smiles, not tears. Even nature herself balks at tears, shows her utter disapproval. She leaves familiar and undesirable evidence so that the world may see—red lids, smarting, difficult vision and discomfort for the victim of tears. Even gloom and frowns are heartily condemned by nature. She imprisons a furrow for the frown, and a drooping mouth for the expression of a perpetual gloom.

But a smile, the most it leaves is little laughter wrinkles, which aren't really wrinkles at all, only ennobling meshes that have learned the trick of catching the sun. Everybody likes the sunshine. Count the folks coming and going on a rainy cloudy day; then count the number when it's sunny.

While man has no direct control over the elements of wind, rain and clouds, he isn't as helpless as we sometimes have ourselves believe. He can smile. And smiles are man-made sunshine.—Cimarron News.

**'PARKED IN THE DARK**

(By A. J. DUNLAP)  
The ribbon-like road wandered through the wood;  
The motor was humming beneath the hood.  
She laughed as we flew through the evening air.  
That played hide and seek in her golden hair.

I knew that her love was all mine and true;  
I read the old tale in her eyes so blue.  
She nestled up close as we sped along  
I sang in the twilight an old love song.

I parked in the dark by an old oak tree  
Along with my daughter, just half past three.  
The reason we parked—there's no secret in that—  
I felt the bump bump of a tire gone flat.

**'DEMENTIA'**

There are, in this great land, vari-

ous ways of attaining fame, or a kind of fame; but few men ever left a fame gained in a stranger manner than did Delphin M. Delmas, San Francisco lawyer who died the other day.

Rack your brain for a minute, unless you happen to belong to the younger generation, and you'll recall the name. Sure—he was the lawyer who defended Harry Thaw when

Thaw was tried for the murder of Stanford White. It was he who invented the phrase "Dementia Americana" for Thaw's mental condition.

That when you stop to think of it, is a peculiar sort of fame; the fame that comes to a man who defends America's most notorious murderer and found a new way to cheat the electric chair.—Lubbock Daily Journal.

Typewriter ribbons at Reporter.

**REAL ESTATE**

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REAL ESTATE lets you sleep o' nights. It isn't subject to the dizzy gyrations of the stock market. It is stable—always there. You can see it with your own eyes any time you want.

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All kinds of beauty work done, including permanent waving, finger waving, marcelling, manicuring, shampooing and facials.

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**RIGID RULES FOR HAIRCUTS GIVE WAY TO INDIVIDUALITY**

Bobbed hair has entered a new era. It has passed the period of set rules and has now become a matter of originality. The new rule is that the haircut must bring out the individuality of the wearer and under this edict scores of styles are flourishing.

Also, declares Helen Rawson Cades, beauty expert for the Woman's Home Companion, longer styles are favored by nearly all women aside from Parisiennes, who still prefer the shorter, although varied modes of haircutting.

"A few years ago when we began considering our hair in a serious way," says Miss Cades, "it was a grave question whether we should bob or whether we shouldn't. Once convinced that bobbing was the thing to do, we bobbed in spite of age, opposition, personal disabilities and terrible barbers."

"Our attitude is now more flexible and more progressive. If experience has told us that we look a fright with our hair cut, we are thankfully growing it out and tucking it under. If we are convinced that our head line should remain flat, we are continuing to patronize Pierre, who wields the shears. And if we are younger and our faces are interestingly right for it, we are unconcernedly straddling the question with hair that is neither short nor long. Everywhere we see young things with their hair tucked back of their ears and curling up on their necks behind. It's quaint, becoming and a delightful change from the harsh, cropped neckline."

Modern barbers for women, adds Miss Cades, have learned that hair-dressing styles can hardly be the same for any two women, and, with a marcel iron or fingers, they can change the whole appearance of the face.

**IF YOU WERE VERY RICH**

Most people engage at times in speculations as to what they would do if they were rich. They find it easy to plan for the comfortable and beneficent disposition of their lives if they were so fortunate as to have an income of fifty thousand or a hundred thousand dollars a year. They would live without ostentation, in moderate luxury; they would travel; they would assist all their needy relatives and friends; they would contribute generously to all good causes.

So it is a comparatively simple matter for anyone to plan a satisfactory disposition of his income if only he were rich—just rich. But suppose you happened by some freak of fortune or your own outstanding ability as a money-maker to become one of the very rich—one of those whose income is to be reckoned, not at a hundred thousand dollars a year, but at five hundred thousand or a million dollars a year. The richer one is the more difficult must become

the problems what to do with the money. Divide most of the surplus income among the employees in the industries from which it comes, advises one person. But it has been demonstrated that to pay in one department or industry or in a single establishment wages that are far in excess to the market value of the labor is to the disadvantage of the general public. Employees in other departments or establishments stirred by jealousy insist upon an increase in their wages; that increase can only be granted through increasing the cost of the product to the consumer.

So, if you were not merely rich, but overpoweringly rich, what would you do with your money? Some persons distribute vast fortunes in endowments to colleges and schools and hospitals, in the promotion of specific research, in gifts to museums and libraries. One very rich man in Philadelphia has devoted his entire fortune of \$60,000,000 to establishing an orphanage—not merely a boarding house for orphans but an institution that shall furnish the orphan children admitted to it with an education that will insure their being useful and self-supporting citizens.

When one reflects that the total endowment of Harvard University is not much more than \$60,000,000 the possibilities of usefulness of Mr. Hersey's orphanage with its generous endowment are not easily to be grasped.—Youth's Companion.

**PASTOR SAYS YOUTH IS SAME TODAY AS ALWAYS**

"The same inherent emotions that trouble the youth of today, troubled their fathers and mothers. Youth has the same human nature that has always existed," Rev. Ulmer S. Bird said at last week's Rotary luncheon.

"For the young people I have known, 'Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth,' has not lost its appeal. Youth is as ready to follow sincere leadership and to challenge the most difficult task in as noble and sacrificial spirit as ever before.

"But you cannot fool them. If you tell them to follow a moral code that you are not trying to live up to, they will detect your deceit before the words are out of your mouth.

"They won't be fooled and they won't be driven, but wherever they find true sincerity they will respond to the call of the highest. They will not throw away the sacred things of the past in the freedom of the present. They are ready with the proper help, understanding to remember their creator—with as fine and sensible faith as ever any young people went forth to conquer life."

Call it a Chrysler, or by any other name and the unwary pedestrian will continue to dodge just the same, in spite of the recent merger.

**NOTICE**

No. 106.  
The State of Texas.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County, Texas.

Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week for four successive weeks, exclusive of the return date hereof in some newspaper of general circulation, published in said county which has been continuously and regularly published in said county for a period of not less than one year, the following notices:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To all persons interested in the estate of W. B. Hart, deceased:

Maggie E. Hart has filed in the County Court of Hansford County an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said W. B. Hart, deceased, filed with said application and for letters testamentary of the estate of W. B. Hart, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said County Court, commencing on the first Monday in September, 1928, same being the 3rd of September 1928, at the court house thereof, at Hansford, Texas, a which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application should they desire so to do.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on said day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Hansford, Texas, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1928.

J. E. WOMBLE,  
(SEAL)  
County Clerk, Hansford  
Filed August 7, A. D. 1928.  
J. E. WOMBLE, County Clerk,  
3514.  
County, Texas.

Carbon paper at Reporter office.

**NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS**

To: J. R. Collard, R. L. Porter, M. M. Dillon, A. R. Junod, John O'Loughlin, Ray M. Moss, Carl W. Donovan, and J. R. Cox, residing in Hansford County, Texas.

You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of freeholders acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners Court of Hansford County, Texas, will on the 8th day of September A. D. 1928, proceed to lay out and survey a road as follows:

Beginning at the end of Collard Street, in Spearman, Texas, and running thence with and on the south side of the railroad right of way to the point where the now established public road intersects the south line of Section No. 9, Block 4T, Grantee, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. such road now established on this line to be widened from a sixty foot road to an eighty foot road; and also to lay out and establish a new road eighty feet in width, and of the first class, beginning on the south section line of said Section 9 above mentioned, and running thence with the railroad right of way and on the south and east side thereof, to the Hansford and Ochiltree county line, and terminating at said last mentioned point; and which proposed widening of the present road and the laying out of the new road may run through certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

Witness our hands, this the 14th day of August A. D. 1928.  
3614.

T. H. TAYLOR.  
H. L. WILBANKS.  
T. O. THOMPSON.  
HOMER ALLEN.  
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### CLOTHES RUN RIOT OF COLOR, EXPERT COMPLAINS

His clothes are running riot in color, declares Archer, men's fashion expert writing in the Woman's Home. He recommends that if you must have color, they should have the brilliant hues to house your must throw a rainbow dust over your shoulder," he says, "concentrate on doing it in the privacy of the home. Break out as lurid as you please in pajamas and gowns or the brilliant new color schemes inherent in arising in the pajamas patterned in mauve and green, donning in one of these robes, bathing in one of these mauve or sea-green tubs, and the cook hasn't come, going down to make the matutinal chicken in a Chinese red percolator, stirring the cereal which cooks in a double boiler, with a yellow double spoon, your feet in red slippers, meanwhile tread the bright gaiety of the kitchen. The man whose color sense is not adequate expression in his eyes like this had better join the army or start training for the Russian ballet."

He also bewails the modern tendency in socks, of which he says: "Not so long ago some misguided soul found a way to produce striped, plaid and brocaded hosiery in the cheapest grades. Accidentally the patterned sock, if it is not elaborate in design, has its place in informal sports wear, but it should not make the ankle the most conspicuous portion of the human anatomy."

The all-American Holstein heifer of the other day for \$11,100. She had fender wells, spares on the sides, and a spotlight operated by the inside. The extra \$100 was for the fifth tire.

The police of Kokomo, Ind., were alerted on the lookout, the other day for a scantily clad man reported passing through the residential section. What's the good of a Constitution, we ask, when only women may be for the pursuit of happiness?

Sen. Thomas J. Walsh of Montana reported to have hooked two fish on the line, recently, just like the president. What has become of senatorial courtesy, one would like to know.

George Bernard Shaw will visit Hollywood next year, but presumably not for a wife.

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Last week, U. S. Attorney General John Garibaldi Sargeant approved a parole for Legger Dwyer, who had served a year and six months of his term. The reason: a very sick man was Legger Dwyer. After paying the government a \$10,000 fine, he was entrained for Manhattan.

### STAY! STAY!

"Robs corset shop at point of gun," headline. And how many bones did they get? (Note: Pardon us but corsets like codfish, are boneless now. Editor)—Farm & Fireside.

An Indiana woman recently tendered 6,000 pennies as part payment for a bedroom suite. She had saved them over a period of three years. More proof that the little things in this world do count up if you give them a chance.

Detroit is to have a new \$25,000,000 hotel. Geel the girls who check hats will have to be pretty to make it pay.

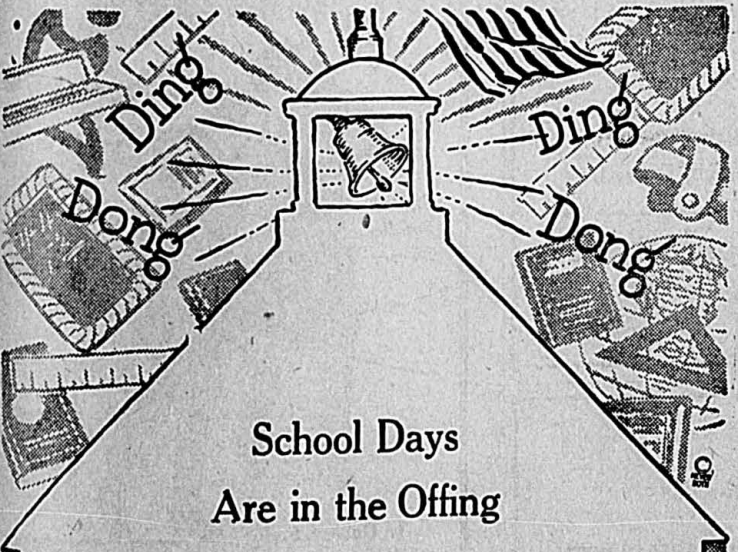
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## International Sunday School Lesson BY DR. J. E. NUNN

FOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1928

General Topic—Paul in Thessalonica  
Scripture Lesson:—Acts 17: 1-12.

- Now when they had passed through Amphipolis and Apollonia, they came to Thessalonica, where was a synagogue of the Jews:
- And Paul, as his custom was, went in unto them, and for three sabbath days reasoned with them from the scriptures.
- Opening and alleging that it behooved the Christ to suffer; and to rise again from the dead; and that this Jesus, whom, said he, I proclaim unto you, is the Christ.
- And some of them were persuaded, and consorted with Paul and Silas, and of the devout Greeks a great multitude, and of the chief women not a few.
- But the Jews, being moved with jealousy, took unto them certain vile fellows of the rabble, and gathering a crowd, set the city on an uproar; and assaulting the house of Jason, they sought to bring them forth to the people.
- And when they found them not, they dragged Jason and certain brethren before the rulers of the city, crying, These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also;
- Whom Jason hath received; and these all act contrary to the decree of Caesar, saying that there is another king, one Jesus.
- And they troubled the multitude and the rulers of the city, when they heard these things.
- And when they had taken security from Jason and the rest, they let them go.
- And the brethren immediately sent away Paul and Silas by night unto Berea: who when they were

came thither went into the synagogue of the Jews.

11. Now these were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, examining the scriptures daily, whether these things were so.

12. Many of them therefore believed; also of the Greek women of honorable estate, and of men, not a few.

Time:—The middle of the second missionary tour, A. D. 50-52. Place:—Thessalonica; Berea, about forty-seven miles to the southwest; Athens, 250 Roman miles south of Berea by land.

Golden Text:—The opening of thy words giveth light.—Ps. 119:130.

### Introduction

In our last lesson, we studied about the first reaching of the gospel in Europe. Under the influence of Paul's preaching to a prayer meeting group of women, Lydia, a merchant woman, was converted and baptized, being the first Christian convert in Europe. A half crazy, demon possessed slave girl was healed by a miracle. Her owners were so incensed because of the loss of their influence and financial profit through this girl's supposed powers of fortune telling that they caused Paul and Silas to be seized and beaten by a mob and thrust into a dark, filthy underground prison. Even in prison and in great suffering they prayed and sang praises to God. By a great earthquake the prison doors were opened, the jailer was convicted of his sins, sought and obtained salvation through personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Leaving the prison and Phillip, Paul and Silas journeyed southwestward toward Athens, passing through the coast cities Amphipolis and Apol-

onia, and came to Thessalonica. Here they found a Jewish synagogue, apparently the first one they had found since coming into Europe. Paul, according to his custom went into the synagogue on the sabbath day and preached to the Jewish congregation. This he did for three consecutive sabbath days, proving from the scriptures "that this Jesus, whom, said he, I proclaim unto you, is the Christ", vs. 2 and 3.

### Old Testament Prophecies, v. 3.

"Opening and alleging that it behooved the Christ to suffer." Paul opened the meaning of the Old Testament passages and alleged that they proved the necessity of death and resurrection of the Messiah, in fulfillment of ancient prophecy. The Jews expected a Messiah who would reign as a glorious monarch, overcoming all the enemies of the Jews and extending their domain over all nations. "And to rise again from the dead." In proof that Christ must suffer Paul would use such passages as Isa. 52:13-53:12, and in proof that he must rise from the dead he would use such passages as Ps. 16:10. Without the resurrection, indeed, the preaching of the cross would be a proclamation merely of death and despair." It was the resurrection that transformed the crucifixion into glorious victory.

### The Mob in Thessalonica, v. 5

"But the Jews, being moved with jealousy." They had been leaders in the synagogue, and now saw strangers coming into their places of leadership. "Gathering a crowd, set the city on an uproar." It is easy to raise a mob in an Eastern city, and a mob is often all the more excited and violent the less it knows about the origin and purpose of the turmoil. "And assaulting the house of Jason." Evidently the apostles were lodging at Jason's house, but were not there at the time of the assault. In his letter to the Romans, written from Corinth (Rom. 16:21), Paul refers to a Jason who is a "kinsman," perhaps this same man, who in that case was a Jew.

### "Turned the World Upside Down" v. 6.

"Crying, These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also." This is high praise, especially as coming from the enemies of Christianity. The religion of Jesus must already have obtained a formidable influence in the Roman Empire when this could be said of it. The people of Thessalonica had heard of its triumphs. Its coming had been heralded from afar. It was known to be on its conquering way over the world. And it was realized that wherever it came it would accomplish many great reforms, setting right terrible wrongs and abolishing horrible iniquities. Christianity has

maintained this reputation ever since.

### Paul in Berea, v. 10

Paul was very unwilling to withdraw from Thessalonica, for he rejoiced beyond measure in his converts there, who proved to be among the chief glories of his ministry: their noble Christian character becoming known far and wide over Greece and contributing much to the spread of Christianity (1 Thes. 1:7; 2:17-20). But the Jews were very bitter, and a continued stay might easily do more harm than good. Berea was another Macedonian city about forty-seven miles southwest of Thessalonica. "Who when they were come thither went into the synagogue of the Jews." Paul followed his usual custom of beginning his work with the Jews and in the synagogue.

### "Readiness of Mind," v. 11

In Berea "they received the word with all readiness of mind." "The word" was the word of God, the divine teachings of Jesus Christ set forth by the apostles. Readiness for truth, and eager search for all that will enlarge the domain of the mind and soul, is the first quality of real nobility, because without it there can be no other gain, no progress toward the best, no development of the individual or of society. "Examining the scriptures daily, whether these things were so." The Bereans did not take for granted even the teachings of so great a man as Paul, but tested them for themselves, doing their own thinking as Paul would have them do it. And they carried Paul's teaching to the one great source of religious truth, the Bible. This is pre-eminently the Sunday school verse of the Bible, the motto for the Bible student.

### Intelligent Faith, Not Blind Credulity

"True nobility of soul consists in willingness to receive the Word, combined with diligent testing of it. Christ asks for no blind adhesion. The true Christian teacher wishes for no renunciation, on the part of his hearers, of their own judgments. 'Open your mouth and shut your eyes, and swallow what I give you,' is not the language of Christianity, though it has sometimes been the demand of its professed missionaries; and not the teacher only, but the taught also, have been too ready to exercise blind credulity instead of intelligent examination and clear-eyed faith."—Alexander Maclaren.

### Credulities of the Ancient World

Christianity has gradually done away with the credulities of the ancient world. The social changes wrought by Christianity are nothing less than marvellous. "Ancient cities flaunted their licentiousness in the light of day. Some of the most shameful haunts of impurity were within the temples, and some of the worst offenders were the priests and

vestal virgins who represented religion." Children, when they happened to be female, or were not wanted, were exposed, so that cold, or hunger, or cruel beast or bird, might put an end to their existence. "Slavery existed on a larger scale, and in more terrible forms, in the ancient than in the modern world. Five hundred was not an uncommon number to be owned by one person. Pollio, a Stoic, amused himself by feeding his fish with fragments of his mutilated slaves. Many were furnished to the amphitheatres to be killed in public festivals. Old and infirm slaves were abandoned to die of hunger. Human life, when it ceased to be of value to the state, was reckoned unworthy of care. No provision existed for the sick among the poor, or for the blind, the deaf, the crippled,

the idiot, the insane. The world still very far from being a kingdom of God, but it is immensely nearer than it was when Christ came our midst."

Bob Tom was over from Perryton Wednesday evening.

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