

Monday March 15th Is Trade Day In Gorman

Organize Club To Sponsor Band Activities Here

At a meeting of the parents of members of the high school band last Tuesday night, at the school house, an organization was perfected to assist the student members of the organization in financing and running the band during the coming year.

Some fifteen were present at the meeting and L. W. Childress was elected president of the organization while Mrs. A. W. Franklin was elected Secretary.

Others who have children or who are interested in the band are invited to attend the meeting and assist in any way possible.

Rabbit Drives Are To Be Held

RABBIT DRIVE AT KOKOMO

There will be a rabbit drive at Kokomo next Thursday, beginning at 8:30 a. m. and lasting thru-out the day. Every one is invited to come.

RABBIT DRIVE AT OLIVER SPRING COMMUNITY WED.

There will be a rabbit drive at the Oliver Springs Community on Wednesday of next week, March 17th. All are invited to meet at the school house. Dinner will be served on the ground.

RABBIT DRIVE AT OAKLAND

Starting at the Oakland Cemetery at nine o'clock next Wednesday morning there will be a rabbit drive in that community.

There will be dinner for all the hunters at R. L. Palmer's home. The public is cordially invited and urged to attend and help rid the community of these pests.

RABBIT DRIVE TO BE HELD AT WILLOW BRANCH

On next Wednesday at the nine o'clock hour a number of men of Gorman are urged to attend a rabbit drive to be held at Willow Branch Community. They are requested to meet at Bedford Butler's place to start the drive.

SON BORN TO MR AND MRS. FLOYD GILBERT

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert of Abilene are the proud parents of a son, born at the Blackwell Sanitarium Tuesday of this week. The young man was given the name of Jack Niel. Both mother and babe are doing nicely.

ALL FARMERS SHOULD SIGN A WORK SHEET

All Eastland county farmers are urged to come to the community centers given below and sign a work sheet for participation in the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program. If you want to participate in the program, signing is necessary but will not obligate you.

Morning Nine to 12:00 o'clock—Pioneer Mon. March 15: Romney Tues. March 16: Okra Wed. March 17: Carbon Thurs. March 18: Colony Friday. March 19: Eastland Saturday March 20: Desdemona Monday March 22: Evening 1:30 to 4:00 o'clock—Scranton, Monday March 15: Cisco Tuesday March 16: Rising Star Wed. March 17: Gorman, Thursday March 18: Ranger Friday March 19: Eastland Saturday March 20: Alameda Monday March 22: —Elmo V Cook, County Agent.

Mrs. Paul Ormsby Miss Dorothy Dean and Miss Ater spent the week end in Dallas.

Lynn Brewer spent the week end in Stephenville.

City Election To Be Held In April

An election will be held in the City of Gorman on the first Tuesday in April, at the office of the City Secretary, to elect one commissioner to fill the expiring term of Dr. J. B. Brandon, who has served the city well in the post of Street Commissioner.

MISS MINNIE LEE SMITH --- WEDS MR. T. H. SELF

Miss Minnie Lee Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Smith of this city, was married last Sunday to Mr. T. H. Self, a prominent business man of San Angelo. The wedding ceremony was performed at Ballinger Sunday afternoon. The couple has many friends in Gorman who will join with us in extending our congratulations and wishing for them a long and happy wedded life.

MASONS TO HOLD SPECIAL CALL MEETING ON DEGREE

The Gorman Masonic Lodge will hold a special called meeting on March 20th for the purpose of conferring two M. M. degrees. The degree teams of both Lorena, and Breckenridge have been invited to confer the degrees and both have signified that they will be here. Refreshments will be served.

MOTHER OF J. E. AND J. C. BREWER DIES LAST SAT.

Mrs. Mandy Louise Brewer, aged 78 years, mother of our fellow-townsmen, J. E. and J. C. Brewer died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Y. B. Adams at Shreveport, Saturday night past. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at Camden, Miss.

Mrs. Brewer was well-known in Gorman, having spent a number of years here as a resident of this city.

She is survived by her two sons J. E. and J. C. Brewer of this city and two daughters, Mrs. Y. B. Adams of Shreveport and Mrs. E. W. Browning of Camden, Miss. Both J. E. and J. C. Brewer attended the funeral services at Camden.

PECAN RAISERS WARNED AGAINST TRANSIENT TREE SPECIALISTS

Pecan raisers of Eastland County are being warned not to allow strangers to bud, graft, spray and prune their trees as very often such "tree specialists" are only interested in the pay they receive for their work, and either cannot or do not do satisfactory work. In addition to taking money for such work, such men can damage valuable trees.

Last year the county agent personally inspected some work done by a man who represented himself as being a pecan budding expert. The work done is not only worthless but the trees were badly damaged and one year's growth was lost.

Free specialists who are reliable can easily establish that fact by giving references from persons who have had a job completed satisfactorily.

It takes at least three years to do a complete job of top-working a pecan tree. The average person cannot give a tree the proper care after it is budded and pecan growers should insist on a finished job contract with final payments due when the job is complete.

Mrs. H. H. Pullig and Mrs. Reese Allday were in Eastland on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Underwood and family of Eastland were in Gorman the past week end.

Luther Wright was in Eastland Monday afternoon.

Spraying Demonstration Scheduled Next Week

County Agent Elmo V. Cook, has set the following dates and places for holding his spraying demonstrations in this section. He is prepared to give a full demonstration of tree spraying and he assures us that it will be especially interesting to fruit growers of this section.

Wednesday 17th, 10 a. m. at the W. F. Bryant Farm near Kokomo.

Wednesday 17th, 2 p. m. the E. E. Todd farm near Gorman.

Wednesday 24th, 10 a. m. the W. C. Bedford Farm near Desdemona.

Wednesday 24th, 2 p. m. the B. C. Weeks farm near Chaney.

Excelsior Club

The Excelsior Club met March 9, with Mrs. Ernst Tetens as hostess.

Mrs. M. Scales presided over the business meeting. Mrs. W. M. Blair was elected president to serve next term.

An interesting program on Mexico was led by Mrs. Allen. Talks were made by Mrs. Allen, Mrs. A. W. Franklin and Mrs. Dona Moorman. Mrs. Allen presented the English Drill, a display of Mexican pottery and hand work followed the program.

Twelve members were present. The hostess served a lovely plate of typical Mexican foods.

Mrs. John Kirk will entertain the Club March 23 in her home.

725 FARMERS ATTENDED 1-37 FARM PROGRAM MEET

Seven hundred twenty five Eastland county farmers have heard the Agricultural Conservation program for 1937 explained in detail. The meetings were held at 12 different community centers of Eastland County. The program, as it would affect an average Eastland county farmer was explained and illustrated by the following:— Elmo V. Cook County Agent, Hugh F. Barnhardt, Asst. County agent, Layman N. Miller, Agricultural Conservation assistant, and members of the 1936 County Committee, composed of Dick Weekes, Chairman, R. R. Bradshaw, and R. F. Cox.

It was pointed out in the meetings that the payments made come under two classes: Class 1 Payment for diversion of cash crops as follows:—

Cotton not to 35 percent of base
Peanuts not to exceed 15 percent of base and General Feed Crops not to exceed 15 percent of base.

Class 2 Payment is for Soil building practices carried out during 1937, on the farm.

Meetings were held at the following community centers:— Pioneer, Scranton, Bradshaw, Cisco, and Okra.

Farmers who attended these meetings showed much interest in the 1937 program. Many of them said they saw no reason why the majority of Eastland County Farmers should not comply and profit for years to come, both financially and materially.

The program has been broadened so much this year that any farmer who has bases established on his farm may comply with the new program.

Miss Edna Eare Cason of Ft. Worth Spent the week end in Gorman.

Dr. M. L. Stubblefield was in Wichita Falls Tuesday attending a medical meeting.

Mrs. E. M. Garrett has returned to her home at Eddy after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Pendarvis.

Luncheon Club To Meet Tuesday 16

The Gorman Luncheon Club will hold its regular meeting at the Elite Cafe next Tuesday at noon, at which time topic of interest to the town and community in general will be discussed. Every merchant in the city or any interested citizen is invited to meet with their club and join in the discussions.

A program of music by the Grade School Choral Club will be given.

Band To Give Concert On Streets

Monday, March 15th, will mark the first public appearance of the Gorman Band under the direction of the new director Mr. Keever. Supt. Brummet, who informs us of this concert, states that the band is doing nicely and that he believes that the people of Gorman will enjoy the class of music these youngsters are now playing.

Come out Monday and lend a hand in encouraging these young people in their band work.

Baptist Church

The Spring Revival of Gorman Baptist Church begins Sunday March 14 at the 11:00 o'clock hour. There will be two services daily, at 10:00 o'clock and at seven-thirty o'clock.

The local force will hold the meeting, with the pastor doing the preaching and R. A. Pittman leading the singing.

It is desired that the prayer of the old Psalmist: "Wilt thou not revive us again that thy people may rejoice in thee?" will become the prayer of the entire membership. You are going to be expected to take part in this meeting. If you are a member of the Baptist Church no excuse will be accepted. —Avery Rogers, pastor.

W. M. S. Meeting

The Missionary Society met on Monday afternoon at the church in business session.

Mrs. Shell presided in her usual graceful way.

The service began by singing "My Faith Looks Up To Thee"

Mrs. Shell read the 11th chapter of Hebrews as a lesson. Bro. Franklin lead the prayer and then gave information concerning the banquet to be held April 23. These banquets are being held over the entire church as means of getting the people together. The place will be announced later. This is one feature of the Bishop's Crusade.

Mrs. Franklin read the minutes of the last meeting. The officers made reports of their departments.

The society voted to buy the study book and map of Africa and set April as study month.

Mrs. Pendarvis was elected delegate to the annual meeting at Temple, April 6-8. Mrs. Virden was elected alternate.

The society voted to have a silver tea the 4th Monday. Mmes. Eppler and Gates are hostesses.

The superintendent of Christian Social relations and committee plan need some work to brighten the lives of some of our shut-ins.

The society voted to send a box of miscellaneous articles to our superannate preacher and wife at Cisco. —Pub. Supt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Moake and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wylie and little daughter were in Comanche Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Jenkins, Mrs. Henry Capers, Mrs. Erny Todd, Mrs. W. I. Dixon and Mrs. D. J. Jobe attended a meeting of the Home Demonstration Council in Eastland Wednesday afternoon.

Pay your Subscription now.

Fine Rains Put All Farmers In Good Spirits; Working

Farmers thru-out this section of the country are in excellent shape for preparing their 1937 crops and the outlook for an excellent crop year is good. During the past week, farmers have been busily engaged in preparing their land for planting and in some instances portions of their crops are already planted.

Small grain and pastures were benefitted by the excellent rainfall of last week.

Farmers thru-out this section are planning to diversify the farming this year more than ever, and an abundance of fruit and vegetables ago to be marketed in Gorman this year, according to the indications we have received from the farmers of the surrounding territory.

Seventy-five pounds of the best melon seed obtainable have already been purchased and plans are being made to furnish those who want to plant melons for the early spring market here.

STAMPS RADIO QUARTET TO BE IN CARBON MACH 12

Next Friday night, March 12th, the celebrated and nationally known Stamps Radio Quartet of K. R. L. D. Dallas, will appear in concert at the High School Auditorium sponsored by the Baptist Church.

Admission prices will be 10c to all school children and Adults 25c. Make your plans now to attend this concert, to see and hear these radio artists.

DEBATERS ENTER SPEECH TOURNAMENT AT ABILENE

Last Saturday two carloads of high school speakers spent the day in Abilene at the Annual All-day Debate Tournament where about 25 of the largest schools in Texas competed.

Our boys' team defeated Albany and lost to Austin and Lubbock. Jack Bihsop, Harold Mehaffey and Truman Brown are boys' debaters.

Our girls team defeated Haskell and lost to Breckenridge and San Angelo. Dorothy Parker and Lonnie Huckabee are girls' debaters.

Both extempore speakers, Mary Todd and Marvin Moutray, were defeated by Abilene High in a separate Extempore Speech Contest held simultaneously with the debate tourney.

These speakers were accompanied to Abilene by Mrs. Sallie Bishop, Mrs. Bob Lindsey, Christene Lindsey, and Bob Lindsey Jr. speech coach.

Eastland County's four debate entrants, Cisco, Ranger, Eastland, and Gorman, will compete March 27th for county honors in the coming interscholastic league meet at Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE—Yellow Dent Seed corn, Pea seed, Buff Orpington eggs.—P. S. Pullig, Gorman.

Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey was in Comanche last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Boston are in St. Louis, Mo. at the bedside of his mother who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton were in DeLeon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Terry Braswell and Mrs. Neill Braswell of Eastland were in Gorman Monday afternoon.

Earl Pittman and W. D. Hamrick left for Freer Tuesday morning.

Miss Elvera Dickson has returned from her home in Mingus after an extended visit with her parents.

Mrs. Caroline Bennett spent the day in Cisco Sunday.

Auction Sales To Feature Evening

Monday, March 15th, is the monthly traders day for Gorman, and Gorman merchants are anticipating a large crowd of people from this and adjoining territories here on this day. Special featured sales for Trade Day are being offered by Gorman merchants for both Saturday and Monday.

One feature attraction of the day Monday will be a White Elephant Auction Sale which will start at one o'clock and continue until four at the trader's lot back of the Magnolia Service Station.

Any farmer in this trade territory who has anything of value about his home that he has no use for is invited to bring it to town with him and if he so desires, he may put it up for sale at public auction. No charge will be made by the auctioneer in selling the article and all deals will be concluded by the owners of the property after the article has been auctioned off.

Here is an opportunity for you to realize something from the extra plow, set of harness, wagon, shot gun, wash pot, livestock, or what have you. Bring them in and register them at the Progress office or with the auctioneer before the sale starts at one o'clock.

Remember, no charge for the auction service, and all transactions will be handled by the seller and buyer.

OLD AGE PENSION ACTION POSTPONED

Austin, March 9. —Efforts to postpone further consideration of old age pensions two weeks or a month, threw the pension liberalization bill into new difficulties in the Texas house of Representatives today.

Action had not been taken when the house recessed at noon.

NEW TEACHER IN GRAMMER SCHOOL

Paul Eppler, who has been teaching out from Stanton, Texas has been elected to take J. W. Woodruff's place in grammar school. Mr. Eppler has a degree from Howard Payne and will be here Monday to start work.

New Deal THEATRE

Friday Only
Buddy Night
Edward Arnold Frances Latimore

"JOHN MEADES WOMAN"
Also Betty Boop, Pictorial

SATURDAY ONLY
Warner Oland & Helen Wood

"Charlie Chan at the Race Track"
Plus —Darkest Africa No. 12
Kicko The Kangaroo

SUNDAY & MONDAY
Trades Day Matinee
Claudette Colbert and
Fred McMurray

"MAID OF SALEM"
Plus Pathe News and Popeye

TUESDAY ONLY
(Bargain Night)
JEAN MUIR - WARREN HULL

"Fugitive In The Sky"
Plus Ken Murray in "Oily Birds"

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
Dick Powell, Alice Faye and
The Ritz Brothers

"ON THE AVENUE"
Also Fox News and Happy Heels

Coming:— Black Legion, Gods Country and the Woman, Love is News, High wide and Handsome.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Lewis and C. I. O. Gain Recognition From Steel Industry and Plan to Tackle Textiles—Neutrality Measure Adopted by Senate.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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YOU'VE got to hand it to John L. Lewis. The beetle-browed leader of the C. I. O. is going places and doing things, despite several setbacks in his plans to unionize all industry. The steel magnates are yielding to a great extent, and the threat of a general strike in that industry is fading out. With the Carnegie-Illinois corporation, largest subsidiary of United States Steel, leading the way, the biggest concerns in that industry are granting increases in wages and the 40 hour week, and agreeing to deal with the unions affiliated with the C. I. O. This is the first time in forty-five years that "Big Steel" has recognized union labor as a bargaining agency for its employees.

Lewis and Philip Murray, chairman of the steel workers' organizing committee, were jubilant, but the Carnegie-Illinois corporation issued an official statement that toned them down a bit.

"The company will recognize any individual, group, or organization as the spokesmen for those employees it represents," the statement said, "but it will not recognize any single organization or group as the exclusive bargaining agency for all employees."

"Under this policy the status of the employee representation plan is likewise unchanged. It will continue as the spokesman for those of the employees who prefer that method of collective bargaining, which has proved so mutually satisfactory throughout its existence."

The General Electric company declared its willingness to discuss a national collective bargaining agreement with the United Electrical Workers, a C. I. O. affiliate; and the indications were that Lewis and the Appalachian coal operators would be able to negotiate a new wage and hour agreement in time to avert a coal miners' strike.

The C. I. O. announced the formation of the United Shoe Workers of America with a nucleus of 20,000 members and went after New England's shoe industry. Still more important, Lewis and his aids let it be known that the next target of the C. I. O. drive would be the textile

Secretary of Commerce Roper and Secretary of Labor Perkins expressed much gratification over recent developments.

That the public, as usual, will have to pay for what the worker gains in all these negotiations was evidenced by the action of the steel companies which announced price increases of \$3 to \$8 a ton for semi-finished and finished steel products.

The sit-down strike policy was tried at Sarnia, Ont., and promptly was given a black eye. Fifty employees of the Holmes foundry there took possession of the plant, but 300 nonstriking workers battled them for two hours, threw them all out and sent nine to the hospital. The police did not interfere with the fight. Shortly after negotiations opened between the Chrysler motor corporation and the United Automobile Workers of America, the union presented resignations of 103 of the 120 employee representatives on work councils in Chrysler plants in the Detroit area. The resignations all said "the great majority of our constituents are heartily in favor of the U. A. W. A. as the sole bargaining agency to represent them."

Sit-down strikers in the plant of the Fansteel Metallurgical corporation at North Chicago, Ill., who defied court eviction orders, were routed by a force of deputies and police armed with tear gas guns and were arrested for contempt of court. Also taken into custody was the strike leader, Max Adelman, who had fled to Wisconsin. The strikers and their friends insisted they would prevent the reopening of the plant by strong picket lines and the corporation obtained an injunction against such procedure. The sheriff said he was prepared to deal with any act of violence. This is another C. I. O. strike, and Governor Horner of Illinois gained no glory in his efforts to settle it.

Among the many strikes in the Detroit district was one of 150 employees, mostly girls, of the largest Woolworth store in Detroit. They planned to extend the strike to all other units of the company there, meanwhile keeping the big store closed by the sit-down method.

BUSINESS men and economists again were talking about the prospects of inflation after the decision of the Supreme court upholding the New Deal's gold clause abrogation act for the second time. The ruling was made in the case of the Holyoke Water company, which, moved by a desire to protect itself against loss in the event that the dollar should be debased, had written into leases to the American

Writing Paper company clauses giving it the privilege of demanding from the latter payment in gold coin or bar gold. Now the Holyoke company must be content to accept payment in present depreciated dollars. The court's decision was regarded as removing the last barrier to the free exercise of authority over monetary matters by the administration.

GUESTS at "victory dinners" all over the country heard President Roosevelt deliver at the least in Washington a preliminary appeal to his party and the nation to support his plan to pack the Supreme court. He said that a crisis exists demanding immediate social and economic legislation to improve the lot of the common man and that there is no time to lose, lest a great calamity, such as a revolution or the advent of a dictatorship, be visited upon the country in the two or three years that might be necessary to remove the obstruction of the New Deal in the manner prescribed by existing law.

Incidentally, Mr. Roosevelt let his hearers understand that he has no intention of seeking a third term in the White House.

OUR War department has finally decided that the autogyro is a good thing—long after European nations reached the same conclusion. Secretary Woodring announced that six autogyros had been purchased for military purposes at a cost of \$238,482. They are the Kellett KDL wingless planes, which have a top speed of 125 miles, a minimum of 16 miles, a cruising speed of 103 miles, and a cruising range of 3 1/2 hours, or 361 miles. The plane is powered with a Jacobs I-4 engine, which develops 225 b. h. p. at 2,000 r. p. m.

The army air command for years resisted suggestions for tests of the autogyro but for the last year it has been tried out by all branches of the army and the report was that it was essential to the modernization of the army.

"FREEDOM of the seas" as an American policy was abandoned by the senate when it passed, by a vote of 62 to 6, the resolution submitted by Senator Key Pittman on behalf of the foreign affairs committee continuing the President's present power to declare an embargo upon the shipments of arms, ammunition and implements of war to belligerent nations.

The measure also provides that the President may declare it unlawful for any American vessel or aircraft to carry to warring nations any articles whatsoever he may enumerate. However, foreign nations may purchase such articles, arms and munitions not included, and transport them to their own countries at their own risk. And the act will not apply to an American republic, such as a South American country, engaged in war against a non-American country provided that the American republic is not co-operating with a non-American state in such a war.

Senators Borah and Johnson fought valiantly against adoption of the resolution but when it came to a vote only four others supported them. These were Austin, Bridges, Gerry and Lodge.

THERE is war on between Mayor Fiorella H. La Guardia of New York and Reichsfuehrer Hitler of Germany. The mayor, addressing a gathering of Jewish women, proposed that a "Hall of Horrors" be erected for the city's 1939 world fair which would include a figure of "that brown-shirted fanatic who is menacing the peace of the world."

Hitler himself made no retort but Ambassador Luther was directed to protest to the State department. The Berlin press raged against La Guardia, one of the mildest names applied to him being "scoundrel super Jew."

AFTER a lively debate the house of commons indosed Great Britain's huge rearmament program by a vote of 243 to 134. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, who outlined the principles of the British foreign policy, repudiated the policy of universal military commitments for Europe as "unworkable" with Germany and other powers absent from the League of Nations.

Next day the navy announced that its share of the rearmament program would cost \$525,325,000, this including the construction of 80 warships. Sir Samuel Hoare, first lord of the admiralty, said only \$135,000,000 of the cost will be borne by Britain, the new \$2,000,000,000 defense loan, forcing the nation's taxpayers to dip into their pockets for the additional \$390,325,000.

STAR DUST

Movie • Radio

By VIRGINIA VALE

THE biggest sensation of the year in motion pictures is the success of the Ritz Brothers, those three wild-eyed comics who rush into "On the Avenue" like a tornado and break up the show. They work with such whirlwind speed that in a stunt lasting only three to five minutes on the screen, they use up more genuinely comic material than most comedians develop in a lifetime. So, having made three pictures in their first five months on the screen, the boys have gone off to Miami.

Expert dancers rave about the Ritz Brothers' dancing; singers are sure that they must have had operatic training; actors suspect that they played in stock for years to develop the lightning-like flash of their line delivery. But according to Harry Ritz himself—he's the hardest working one in all their sketches—they have never had a dancing or singing or elocution lesson in their lives.

For days Joan Bennett had all of her friends in a perfect fever of excitement while she made up her mind about going to New York for a stage engagement. Back in New York Margaret Sullivan had announced that she was going to withdraw from the cast of "Stage Door," because she is going to play a mother role in real life soon. The producer thought it would be a grand idea to get Joan to take over her part. She was quite interested, and Walter Wanger, to whom she is under contract, said he was willing to let her go. But that wily Walter Wanger showed Joan the costume sketches for "Vogues of 1937" and that settled it.



Joan Bennett

If you have been wondering what Arthur Tracy, the Street Singer so long popular on the radio, has been up to, you'll soon see for yourselves. In "Backstage," a picture he recently made in London, he plays opposite Anna Neagle, the Gaiety-British star. Tillie Losch is in it too, the exquisite dancer whose hands writhed so seductively in "Garden of Allah."

Clark Gable, who thinks that Robert Taylor is a great romantic actor, and Robert Taylor who thinks that Clark Gable is tops, have persuaded Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to let them make a picture together. The story selected is "Spurs of Pride," a military story by Percival Wren.

There is a serious shortage of beautiful chorus girls in Hollywood right now, because all the studios are making big musicals. Girls who could not even get a few days extra work while the studios were all busy on dramatic pictures, are now signing ten-week contracts calling for as much as \$200 a week. Samuel Goldwyn's chief complaint about the beautiful girls who come to Hollywood seeking work is that they invariably try to look like some popular star, instead of being beautiful in their own way. The one sure way not to get an engagement in one of his pictures is to have someone tell him that you look just like Virginia Bruce, or Carole Lombard.

When Kathryn Witwer, popular MBS prima donna, first came to Chicago to win fame and fortune, she had exactly \$5 in her purse and some secretarial training which she traded for music lessons.



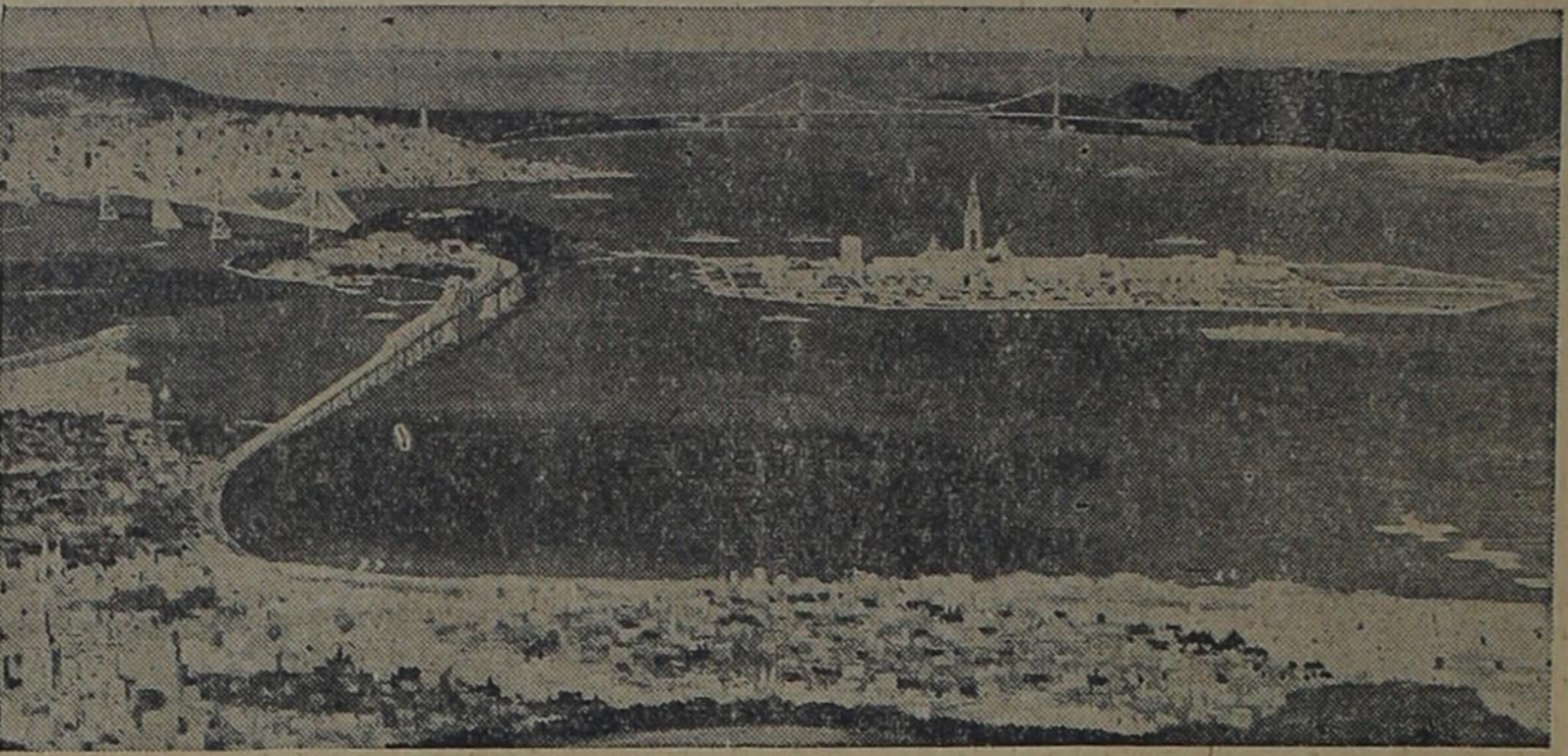
Kathryn Witwer

First prize in a National Music Clubs federation contest won her a chance to appear with Frederick Stock and also with Mary Garden at the Chicago Civic Opera. After her successful opera debut her home town of Gary, Ind., sent her to Europe for further study.

ODDS AND ENDS . . . Marlene Dietrich has confided to a few close friends, who told several thousand other people, that Merle Oberon is going to marry Brian Aherne soon in London. Remember the love scenes in "Beloved Enemy"? Evidently they weren't just acting . . . Ed Bergen, the ventriloquist who has made such an outstanding success on the Vaalée hour, has been put under contract to make pictures for Warner Brothers . . . Barbara Stanwyck has a huge new ruby ring, a gift from Robert Taylor. Incidentally, when handed her check for five thousand dollars for a three-minute sketch on the radio recently, Barbara got the giggles. She suddenly recalled that just twelve years ago she was mightily pleased to get a night club job at thirty-five dollars a week. © Western Newspaper Union.

GOLDEN GATE EXPO TAKES FORM

"World's Fair of Western America" Will Rise on Man-Made Isle Now Nearly Completed; Said to Have First Ideal Plan.



Artist's conception of the finished Golden Gate International exposition in 1939. Oakland is in the foreground, San Francisco in the background, the San Francisco-Oakland bridge at the left, the Golden Gate bridge at top center and the fair on the island in the bay.

By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

THE largest island ever created by man is rising in San Francisco bay under the shadow of the two great new bridges there. Flat and barren now, and a little lonely but for the government workmen and the dredges, it will two years from today glow with the beauty and hum with the activity of the "world's fair of western America"—the 1939 Golden Gate International exposition.

This exposition, the first to be held in the bay area since the famed Panama-Pacific exposition, whose exquisite beauty enthralled some 14,000,000 visitors in 1915, expects to concede nothing in the way of beauty and interest to the old fair, and is confident of outdrawing it in attendance. Claims now are that 20,000,000 visitors will be attracted during the 238 days from February 18 to December 2, 1939. A fifty per cent increase in population in the western states, as well as vast improvements in transportation since 1915 form a basis, in part, for these claims.

The Panama-Pacific exposition celebrated the opening of the Panama canal; the Golden Gate exposition will also commemorate new and important developments in transportation and communication—the world's two largest bridges, the trans-Pacific and transcontinental air routes, the network of western highways and streamlined rail services, and the progress in the arts and sciences of moving pictures, radio and television.

First to conceive the 1939 exposition was its dynamic president, Leland S. Cutler, San Francisco insurance man. It was his efforts, largely, which obtained the federal grants that made possible the building of the two bridges and, later, the construction of Exposition island. He has been ably supplemented by his assistant, Howard Freeman, whose work in securing important exhibitors has been especially notable.

World's Longest Span. So stupendous in size and so magnificent in setting are the two new bridges that, especially for the traveler whose home is in the interior of the country, they in themselves are worthy of a visit to the Coast.

One of them, the San Francisco-Oakland bridge, is already carrying its burden of traffic across the bay, having been opened last November. Built at a cost of \$77,000,000, this gigantic structure is eight and one-fourth miles long. In reality it is a series of bridges from Frisco to Yerba Buena island and thence across to Oakland. Its double-decked six-lane highway takes care of automobile as well as interurban train traffic. It may be said to go far under the earth and far above it, for the bridge, by means of the world's largest vehicular bore, tunnels through Yerba Buena, and the towers over the bay are 520 feet above the water, higher than the city's skyscrapers. Some of the foundations lie more than 200 feet below the level of the bay, and required construction engineering methods never before employed.

The Golden Gate bridge, not yet completed, rises out of the presidio to project the world's largest suspension span over the open sea—the only bridge of its kind in the world. The great span, 4,200 feet long, is 700 feet longer than that of the celebrated George Washington bridge in New York. It joins San Francisco with Marin county and the famed "Redwood empire" to the north. Its 746-foot towers are the tallest structures west of New York. When completed, the bridge will have cost \$35,000,000.

The island where the exposition will lie is being created over Yerba Buena shoals, off the island of that name. It is now about three-fourths completed; the last shovelful of the 20,000,000 cubic yards of fill will go in by August 1. Work began about a year ago, when United States army dredges began filling in the site.

Finest World's Fair Plan. The exposition area will be over a mile long and about two-thirds of a mile wide, covering about as much ground as Chicago's Century of Progress exposition. Around it is being constructed a 16,000-foot seawall, using 220,000 tons of rock to protect the grounds from the waves of the bay.

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To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle Household Arts Dept., 259 W. Fourteenth St., New York, N. Y. Write plainly your name, address and pattern number.

Doughnut on Mayflower

From no less an authority than the American baking industry itself comes the information that the doughnut came over on the Mayflower. The theory is that the Pilgrims had learned to make them in Holland, indicating that this familiar pastry came into the New World by way of Plymouth Rock as well as New Amsterdam.

The information that the first doughnut shop in America was opened in 1796 puts the appropriate stamp of venerableness on a ubiquitous institution.—St. Paul Dispatch.

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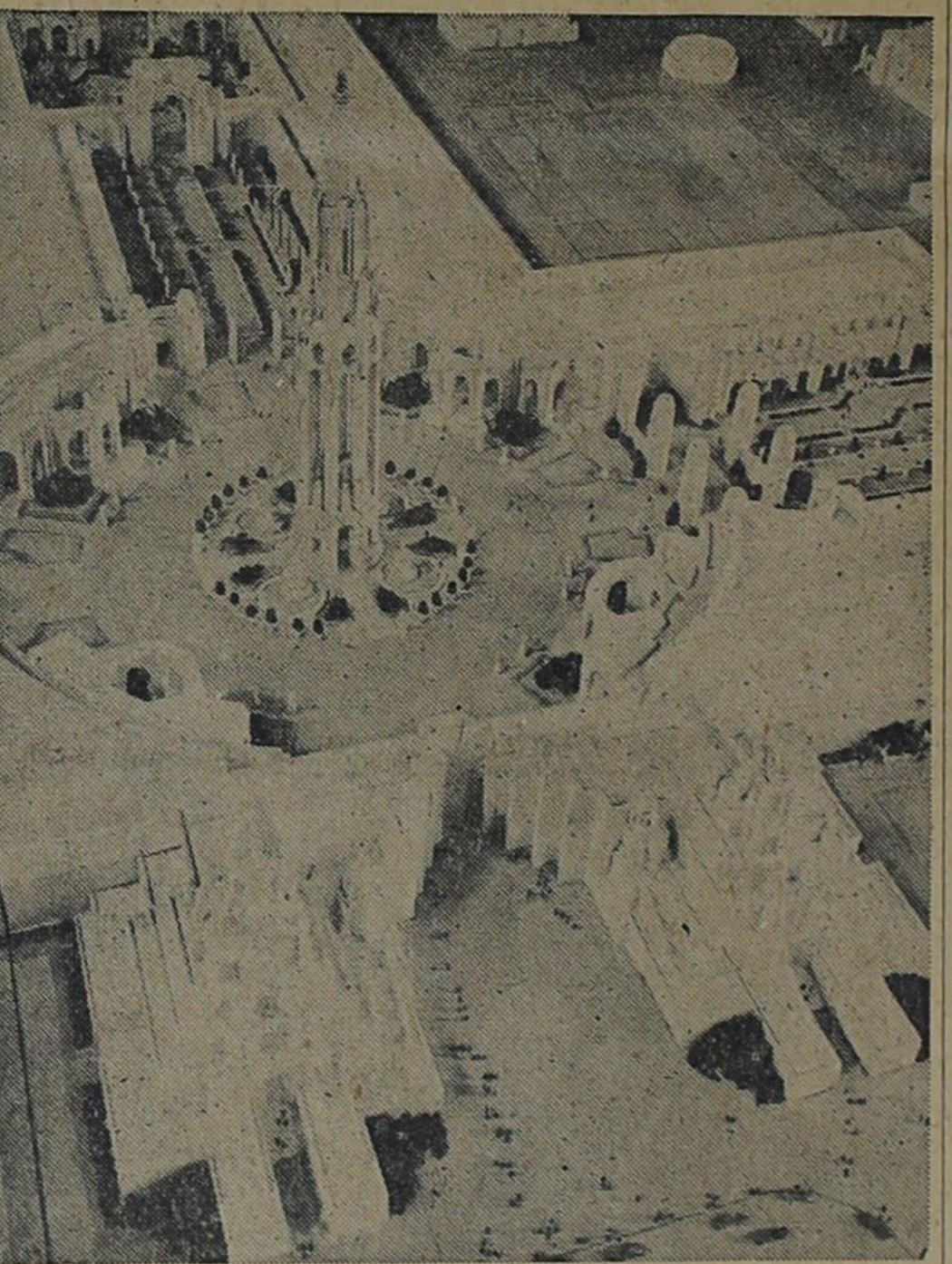
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Model of tower and court of the exposition.

arising from Exposition island. The first buildings under construction are a \$715,000 airport terminal and two hangars costing \$400,000 apiece. The former will be used as an administration building during the exposition and the latter as exhibit buildings. When the fair is over the site will become a metropolitan airport for both land planes and the far-cruising "clipper ships," and will be one of the four or five finest in the world.

Exhibits Air-Conditioned. The plan calls for a double row of exhibit palaces, running on two axes, at right angles, with a large lagoon and tower on the eastern edge of the site. The exhibit palaces will be entirely artificially lighted and air-conditioned. All courts and areas in which visitors will congregate will be in the lee of the high walls of the buildings. Illumination, upon which \$500,000 is being spent promises to be spectacular. Exposition authorities consider the areas around the lagoon ideally suited to the features allocated to that area—playgrounds, sports and wild life and musical programs. Along the axes of the plan will be the formal gardens, the ornamental features, and the reflecting pools and fountains.

The fair will lie in the geographical center of a metropolitan area © Western Newspaper Union.

MRS. BELLAMY HONORED
Friends of Mrs. Amanda Bellamy was honored Tuesday: Mrs.

C. D. Graham as a peddler brought in a large box of course everyone wanted to buy, but some how everything just fit Mrs. Bellamy

a frilly little bonnet, beruffled aprons with pockets and many other things that would exactly suit the taste of every dear old

grandmother; a love gift from them, no night was too cold or too dark, no road too long or bad for this good woman to go to a sick neighbor. Indeed she has spent many years in humble service for the master she loves and addition to all this service for others and the raising of her children. This helped her fine stepchildren to be noble God fearing men and women

Amanda Caroline Snyder was born in Upsher county August 29 1857, Being reared near Athens, Texas She was married at the age of 21 to George Estep, to this union four children, Oscar, Estep, Mrs. Anna Johnston of Oklahoma and Mrs. Parker Sanders, Littlefield one dying in infancy,
Mr. Estep died fifty two years ago. His widow moving her little family to Comanche County.

Mrs. Estep was married to Hezekiah Bellamy June 1890, coming to the farm on which she now lives with her daughter Mrs. W. E. Wilson, the only child in the last marriage. Mr. Bellamy passed away fifteen years ago

Mrs. Bellamy was converted at the age of fifteen and united with the Methodist Church later uniting with the Baptist and has lived a consecrated member of that church for the past 47 years. She is only living Charter member of the old nineveh Church.

As long as her health would permit Mrs. Bellamy visited the sick, sat up with them and waited upon

them, no night was too cold or too dark, no road too long or bad for this good woman to go to a sick neighbor. Indeed she has spent many years in humble service for the master she loves and addition to all this service for others and the raising of her children. This helped her fine stepchildren to be noble God fearing men and women

—GRANDVIEW—

Everyone appreciated the fine rain and farmers will be busy planting and with field work,

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Battenfield and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Westmoreland.

Mrs. Emma Caye and son Jack of DeLeon spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Duggan Miss L. V. Brown was in Dublin Monday night.

Miss Minnie Goodwin is visiting the week end in Gorman

Miss Fannye Murl Boucher spent the Weew end in Gorman.

Mrs. Ileta Harbin has returned to her home in Fort Worth after an extended visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Millard Westmoreland

Miss Pearl Griffith spent the week end with her parents who live near Ranger.

Several From Alameda, Leon and Gorman attended the singing here Sunday evening We were very glad to have them all and invite them back again.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lamb and children were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pres-

tidge Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs Fred Rodgers and daughter, Alice visited Mr. and Mrs. Odie Monrie of Gorman Sunday night.
Miss Fannye Murl Boucher was in DeLeon Monday night.
Miss L. V. Brown was in the Alameda Community Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John White of Eastland visited Mrs. Crawley last week.

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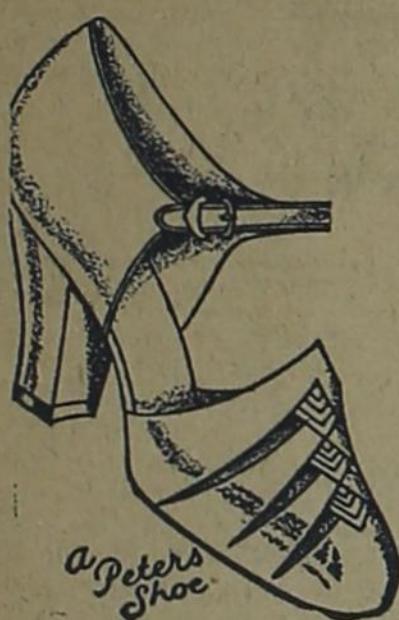
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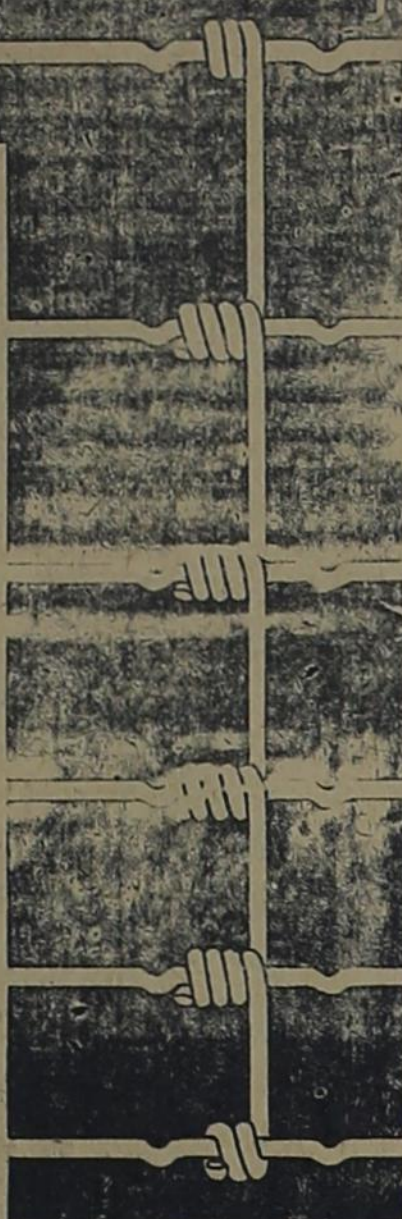
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Personals

John Kimble was in Austin on business over the Week end.

Mrs. Ellen Oldham, Mrs. Frances Scott and Mrs. J. E. Brewer were in DeLeon Sunday afternoon.

James Morgan of Breckenridge spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hooker.

Mrs. W. B. Reeves was in Brown wood Sunday.

Edward Smith of Austin was here the past week end.

Mrs. Babe Burke spent the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rider.

Elverna Dickson who has been

visiting home folks at Mingus and friends in Putnam has returned to Gorman.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Kimble were in Eastland wednesday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Hamrick, Miss Mary Lou and Nell Hamrick were in DeLeon Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. W. L. McDonald were in Breckenridge Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hooker were in Breckenridge Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Dillon and Miss Sara Joe Moorman were in Fort Worth the past week-end shopping.

Miss Helen Dawley spent the week-end in Elisville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. David and

Son Billy were in Mineral Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Blair were in DeLeon Sunday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kinney of Brady visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Teetens Sunday.

Jim Russell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dorsey the past week-end.

George David Rogers little son of Dr. and Mrs. Verle Rodgers of Dallas is spending the week-end with grand parents Dr. and Mrs. George Blackwell.

Mr. R. B. Robinson of Ranger was in Gorman Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Francis Considine of Graham visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon.

Fidelis Matron's Class

The Fidelis Matron's Class held its regular monthly meeting March 5th in the home of Mrs. W. N. Jenkins. Mrs. Calvin Swan was Co hostess.

Devotional—Mrs. Foster Frayer—Mrs. Bennett

Mrs. L. E. Moake, presided over the business meeting. New Chrysanthemum friends were selected. Mrs. Bennett gave the treasurer's report.

The afternoon was spent in piecing quilt blocks.

Mrs. Swan conducted a contest. Nine members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodges was in DeLeon Monday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon were in Breckenridge Sunday afternoon.

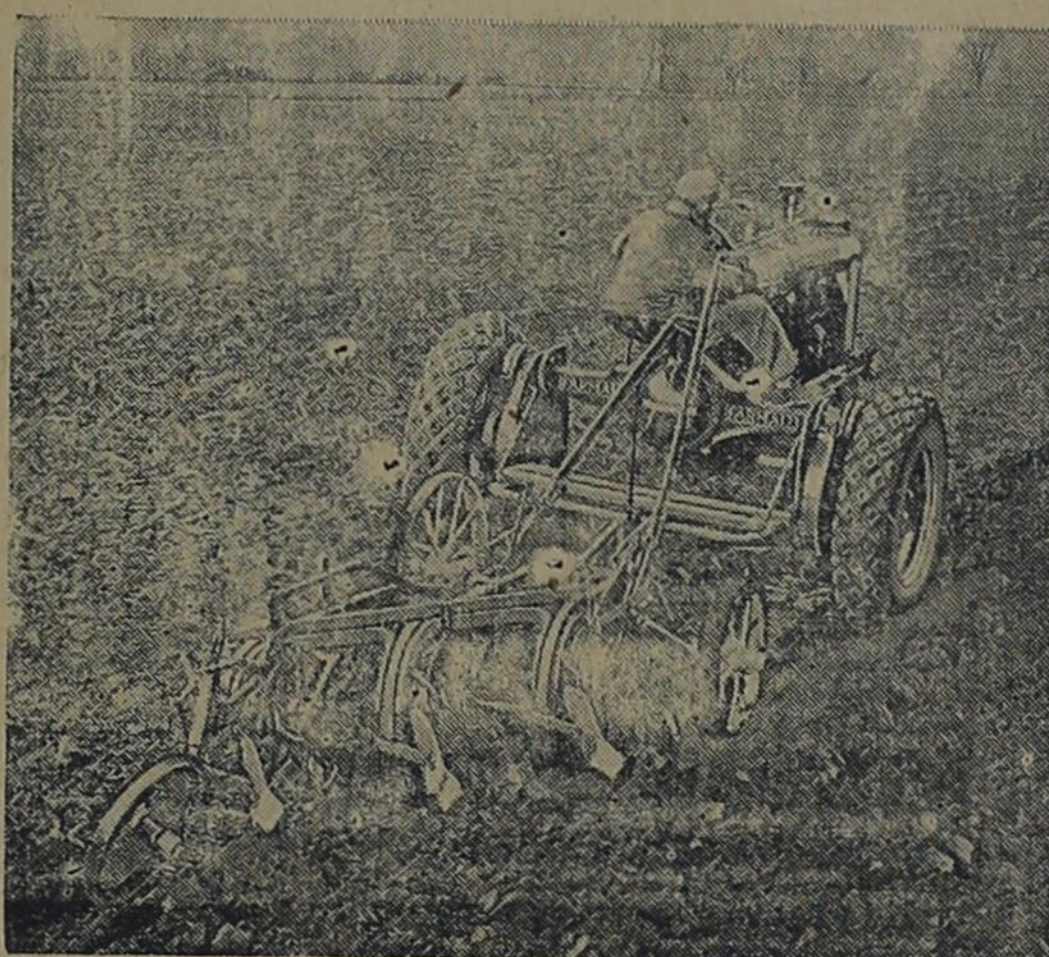
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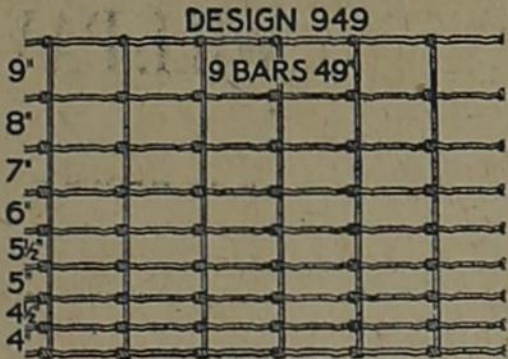
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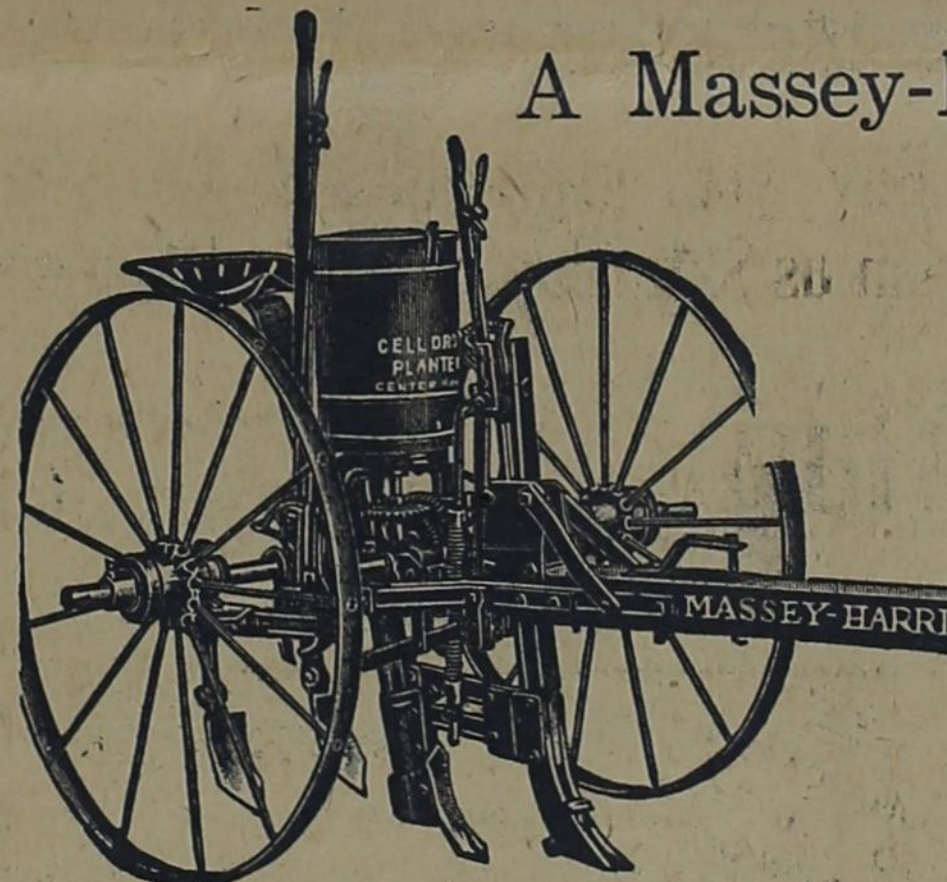
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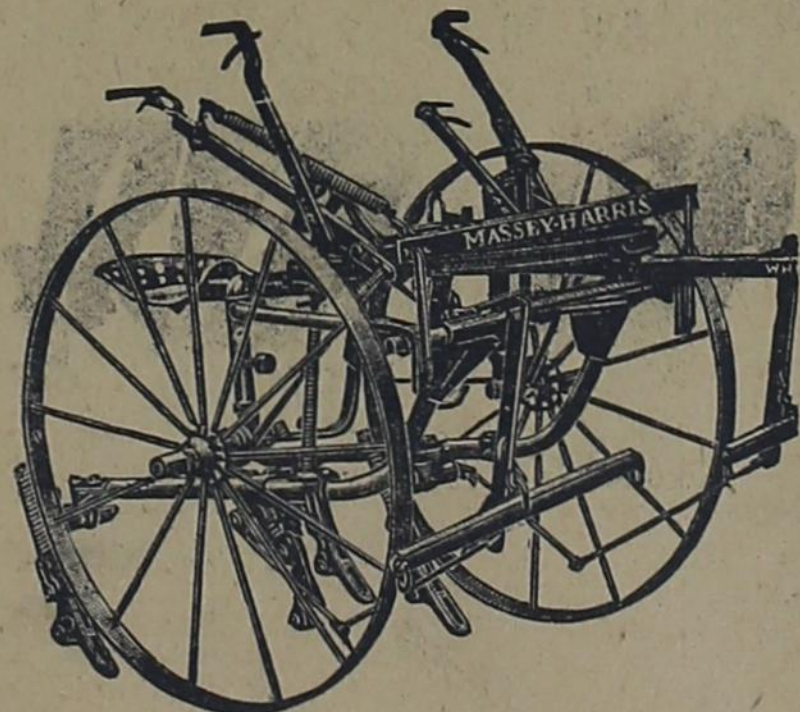
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By Lady Nancy Astor

Virginia Batter Bread

- 1 egg
- 1 pint of buttermilk
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- Little piece of butter and piece of lard the size of a small egg.
- 3/4 cupful of meal

First melt the butter and lard together. Then mix in the other ingredients and put in last one heaping teaspoonful of baking powder. Bake twenty to thirty minutes.

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Eating Habits of Hindus

As a rule the Hindus are not meat eaters and the women never are. In India it is not the custom for a man to go abroad and eat food prepared by others. He takes his meal in his own house. Fire and wood are sacred to him, and their purity must be guarded. The Hindu woman will not cook any food without first taking a bath. She will not start cooking without having made her pujas—which doesn't mean a prayer of ten minutes or so, but a complete disciplinary system of meditation.

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Noble Thoughts

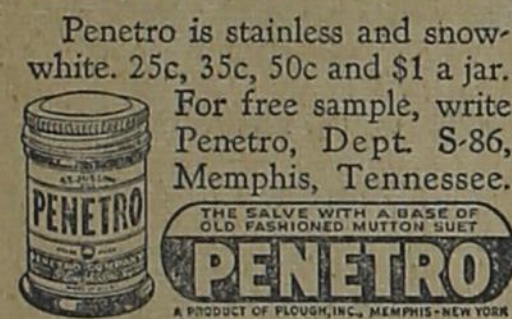
They are never alone who are accompanied with noble thoughts.—Sir P. Sidney.



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And because Penetro has a base of mutton suet, it conserves and concentrates body heat to enable this strong medication to warm the skin, help break up congestion and bring comfort and relaxation. In addition, the aromatic vapors of Penetro are inhaled into nasal passages to relieve the stuffiness and soothe the inflamed area.

Ask your druggist now for Penetro to give you relief at once, bring you rest tonight, and make you feel better tomorrow.



Trifles Make Perfection
Trifles make perfection, but perfection is no trifle.—Michelangelo.

WOMEN WHO ARE AILING

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription stimulates the appetite and this increases the intake of food, helping to build up the body. Read this: Mrs. J. W. Spahr of 709 W. 26th St., Texarkana, Texas, said: "For weak women, and associated with functional disturbances, I heartily recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic." Buy now! New size, tablets 50c, liquid \$1.00 & \$1.35.

True Leisure
Leisure is time for doing something useful.—Dr. N. Howe.

DEAF or HARD OF HEARING?

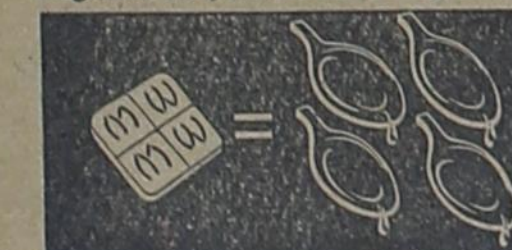
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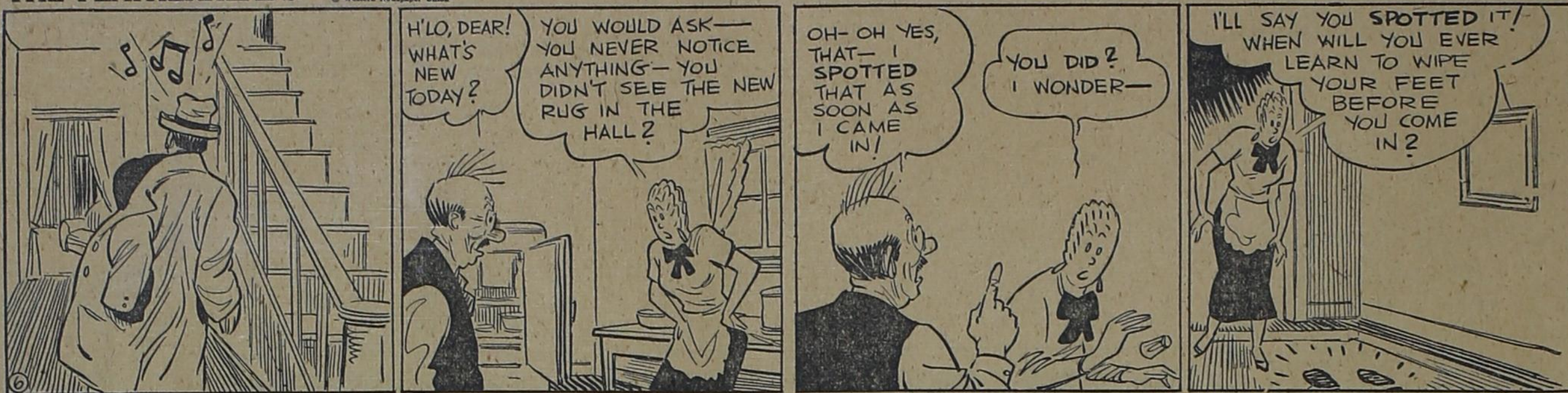


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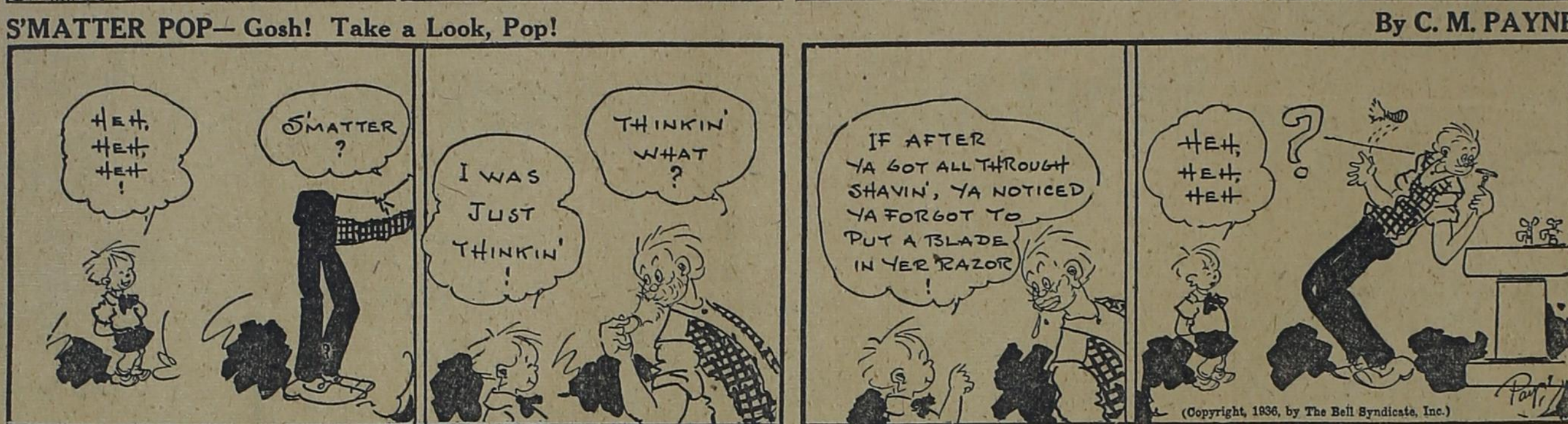
THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne



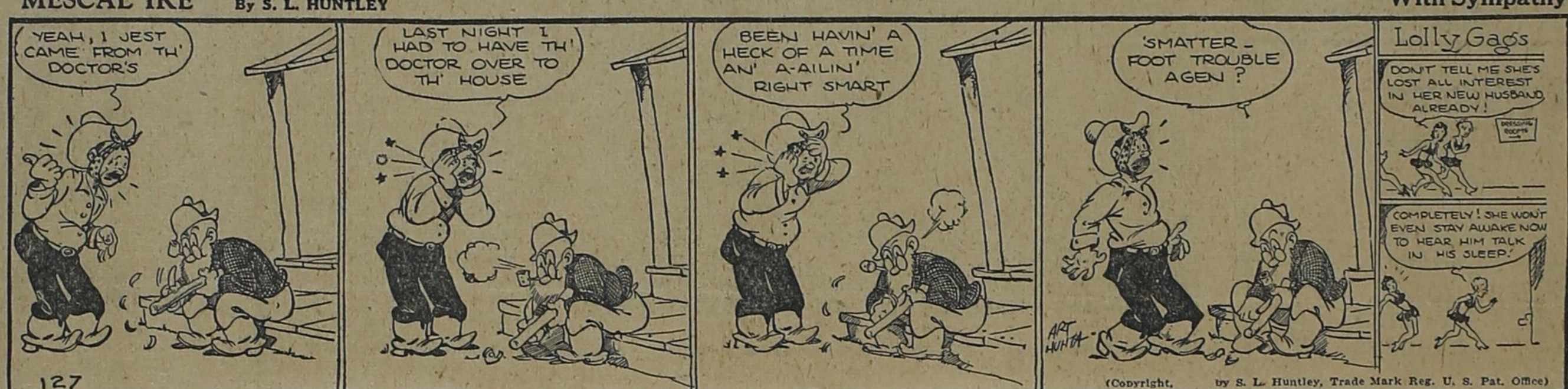
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S'MATTER POP—Gosh! Take a Look, Pop!

By S. L. HUNTLEY



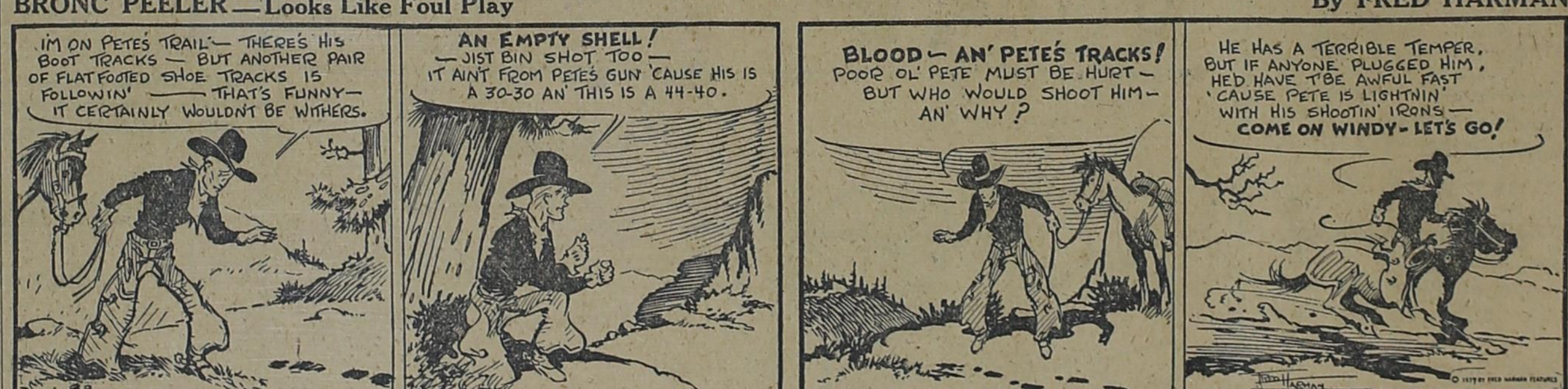
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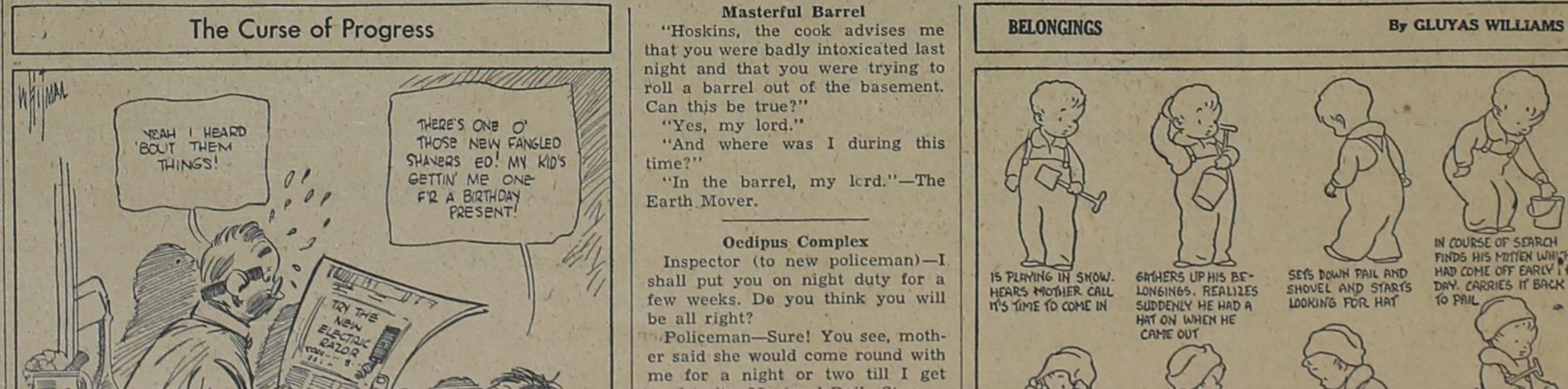
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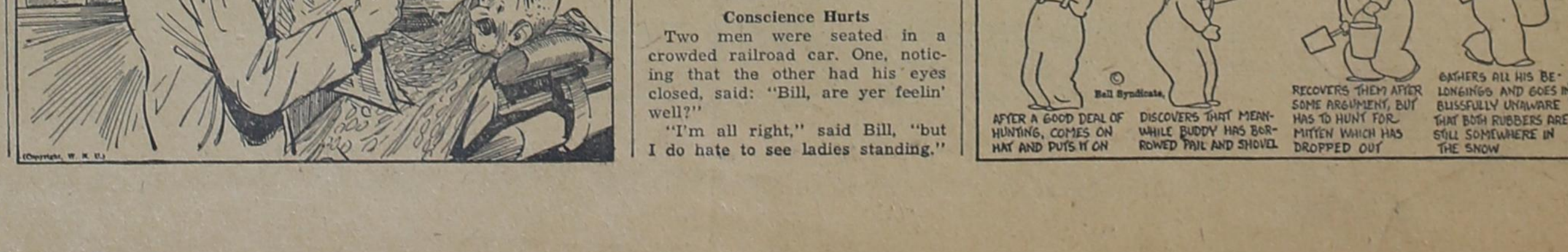
BRONC PEELER—Looks Like Foul Play

By FRED HARMAN



The Curse of Progress

By GUY WILKINS



Household Questions

To make lace look new, squeeze in hot, soapy water, then in cold water, and then in milk to stiffen it. Press on the wrong side with a fairly hot iron.

One gallon of coffee will serve 25 medium sized cups. The size that would accompany a dessert after a dinner.

Chocolate stains may be removed by washing in cold water or by soaking in boiling water to which borax or a little glycerin has been added.

Rayons should be pressed with a warm, but not hot iron. A hot iron will melt some synthetic materials.

Dishes that have contained sugar or greasy articles should be soaked in hot water before washing.

A couple tablespoons of molasses will make beans brown nicely.

When blankets are to be washed for the first time they should be soaked over night in cold water and then rinsed. This is to remove the sulphur used in bleaching. After this they should be soaped until clear in a lukewarm lather made with boiled soap and water, and then rinsed well in clear water.

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Levity in Best Minds
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If you toss in bed and can't sleep on right side, try Adlerika. Just ONE dose relieves stomach GAS pressing on heart so you sleep soundly. Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowels and brings out foul matter you would never believe was in your system. This old matter may have poisoned you for months and caused GAS, sour stomach, headache or nervousness. Dr. H. L. Shoub, New York, reports: "In addition to intestinal cleansing, Adlerika greatly reduces bacteria and colon bacilli." Mrs. Jas. Filler: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I could not eat or sleep. Even my heart seemed to hurt. The first dose of Adlerika brought me relief. Now I eat as I wish, sleep fine and never feel better." Give your bowels a REAL cleansing with Adlerika and see how good you feel. Just ONE dose relieves GAS and constipation. At all Leading Druggists.

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Dodge Controversies

Controversies only make you warm and your face red and lead to quarrels.

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Local supervisors of rural rehabilitation are being instructed to do more thorough jobs of supervision, even if it calls for cutting down the number of acres handled. This is one of the several steps being taken by Resettlement Administration to carry out more effectively the recent recommendations of President Roosevelt for improving conditions of tenant farmers and helping them toward eventual ownership of their land.

New instructions are being passed down the line from D. P. Trent, regional director, and members of his staff who accompanied him recently to Washington for a week of conferences. Upon his return, Trent said that farm and home plans would be reviewed where necessary, to determine whether funds in each case are adequate for financing a satisfactory program. "A complete job of rehabilitation in a more limited number of cases will be our goal," Trent said, pointing out that in the past

the supervisory activities of the organization have been heavily handicapped by the large case load. More than 90 Texas and Oklahoma families have been served with grants or loans to reach employees of the Resettlement Administration in the combined, county, state and regional offices, Trent said.

Lists have already been prepared showing the number of families who will be dropped from Resettlement Administration rolls in each county because of lack of funds or "because they have not shown ability to be rehabilitated." Last year there were 28,700 "farm plan" families under Resettlement supervision in Texas, but during the first two months of the new year only 15,000 such families have been scheduled for aid. Sixty-one percent of these families have already received the initial check on loans for 1937 which in the final aggregate will amount to more than \$3,000,000.

In Oklahoma, where 12,500 "farm plan" families were listed last year, approximately one-half that number have been scheduled this year. The larger part of them

have already received their initial check on a prospective total loan of \$1,200,000.

Terrace lines have been run on 16,622 acres of farm land by National Youth Administration workers in the Wichita Falls District. H. H. Zeigler, assistant district supervisor, has reported to Lyndon B. Johnson, state director.

Four hundred National Youth Administration boys in Ft. Worth are converting the 162-acre Frontier Centennial plot into a recreational area. Workers are now busy leveling the grounds and planting trees, C. P. Little, Jr. district supervisor, has reported to Lyndon B. Johnson, state director.

Ross B. Jenkins, Callahan agent, reported at a recent meeting of the Callahan County National Youth Administration Advisory that he was running now more terrace lines in one month with the help of NYA boys than he did in a year's time before the NYA soil conservation program was put in operation.

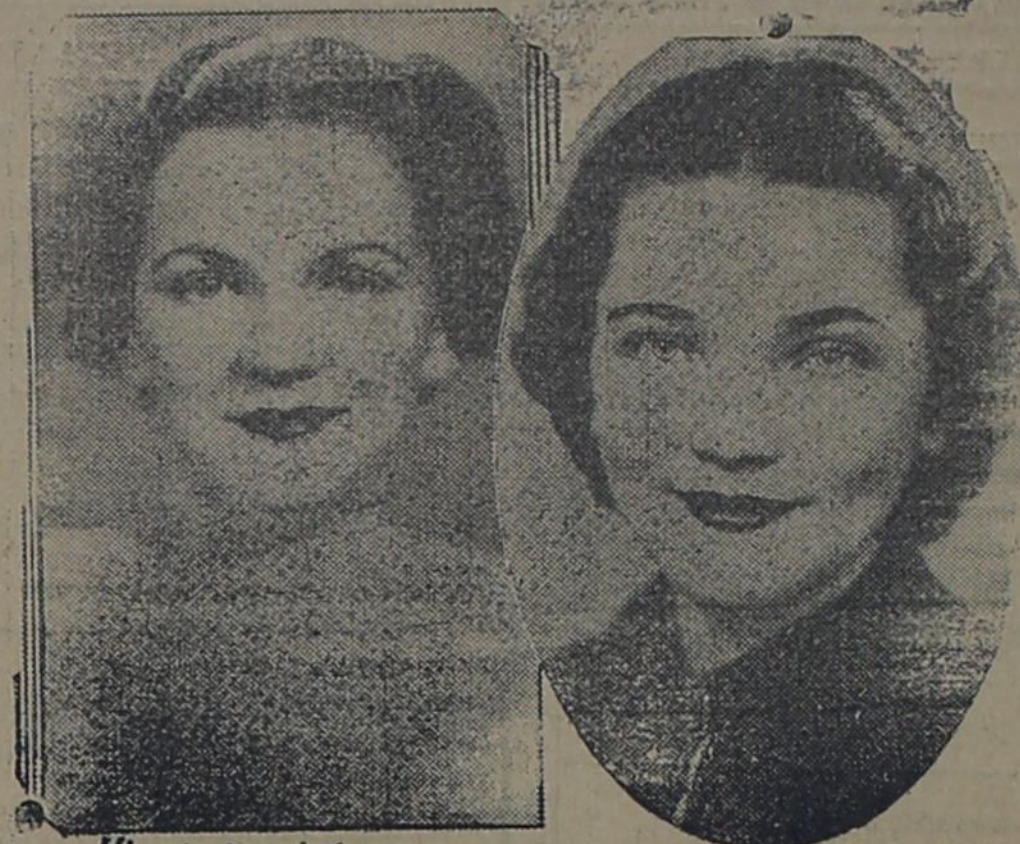
THERE'S GAS IN AUTO TIRES THAT'S WHAT MAKES 'EM WEAR BETTER

Borger, Texas (Special) March 3—America's millions of automobiles roll on tires filled with just plain air—but there are billions of cubic feet of Texas natural gas in those tires, too.

Preposterous? Not at all. Of course, you don't put it in with a hose. But it's built into the tires in the form of Carbon black, a little-known but vital industrial commodity made almost exclusively from natural gas—and more than 81 percent of the United States output is accounted for by Texas plants, says a report of the All-South Development Council.

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Cotton Queen to Reign April 2



Virginia Johnson Dorothy Ehlinger
Miss Dorothy Ehlinger of New Braunfels has been selected Queen of the Cotton Ball at A. & M. College and will reign over annual pageant and style show to be held April 2. The tall, vivacious brunette, president of the student body at Texas State College for Women (C. I. A.), will be escorted by Earl T. Duke of A. & M. as king. Miss Virginia Johnson of Seymour will attend her as maid of honor.

mons. "is shown by the conditions existing in Minnesota, Tennessee and other states that have misguidedly upset their road program.

"Untimely legislation now pending in Texas, if passed, would work an irreparable hardship on the Texas motorist. One example of this type of legislation is seen in House Bill 363 which would divert \$4,180,000 annually from the highway fund to a county lateral road fund.

Officially certified figures show that this diversion would make it impossible for Texas to carry on its maintenance operations, finance the highway patrol, meet overhead expenses and match regular and emergency federal aid. The calculation discloses that by March 10, 1939, if this bill were passed, the highway fund would be in the red -3,050,000, while by the

W. M. S. Meeting

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. C. T. Moorman on Monday afternoon Thirteen members and two visitors were present. The lesson, led by Mrs. Avery Rogers, was taken from the Societies, "Royal Service" The subject being the Spanish and Portuguese. Mrs. Josie Atteberry gave the devotional and others taking part were Mmes. John Hamrick, Homer Miller, and Miss Juddie Martin. A round table discussion followed the lesson in the form of a true and false questionnaire.

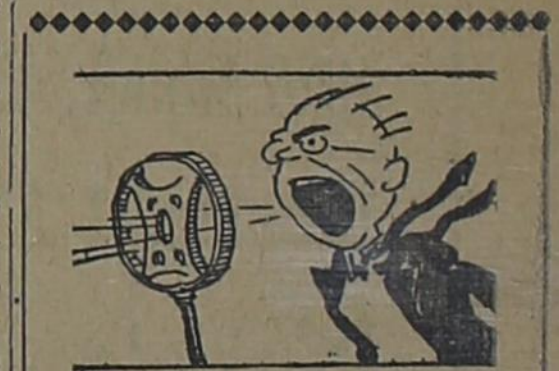
Sandwiches, coffee and pie was served by the hostess.

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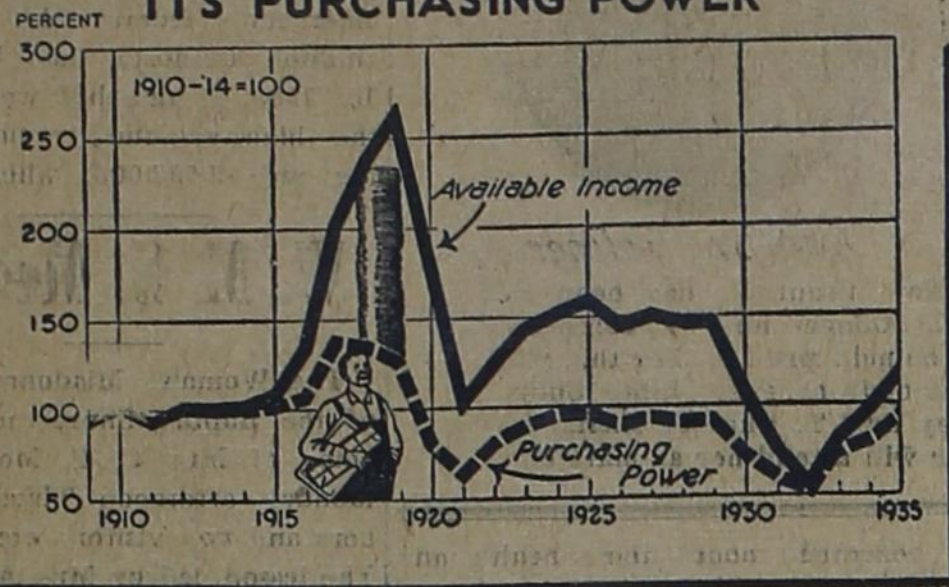
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San Antonio, March 3—Misfortune which directed the hooves of tiny goat-headed horses into the treacherous quicksands of the Texas Panhandle more than a million State Teachers College paleontologists ago is now being hailed by Dr. C. Stuart Johnston West Texas gist, as good fortune for science.

Supervising a small band of WPA workmen, Dr. Johnston is discovering that the long-dried quicksands have preserved skeletal remains of the extinct horses in almost perfect condition. The prehistoric animal is described by Dr. Johnson as being slightly smaller than the modern pony but with a

head as large as that of the average draft horse.

The WPA workers are excavating and helping to reconstruct a veritable menagerie of strange and extinct animals which once roamed the western plains of Texas. For several decades the rich fossil beds of West Texas have been combed for scientifically significant deposits by representatives of out-of-state museums and scientific institutions, Dr. Johnson said. With the provision of federal funds it has been possible to employ workers and researchers to excavate Texas fossils for Texas institutions. Reconstructed skeletons of prehistoric animals are being placed in the Panhandle Plains Museum on the WTSTC campus at Canyon.

In one 3,700 pound block now on exhibit at the museum are the bones or rhinos, camels, saber-tooth tigers, prehistoric dogs and horses, all figures in the million-year-old drama of the Texas Panhandle which is being unfolded by the small band of researchers. One of the rarest specimens uncovered by the workmen is a complete skeleton of the giant ground sloth unearthed in Briscoe County.

Untrained workers rapidly become proficient in the unusual task involved in this project. Dr. Johnston reports, and several of the WPA workmen have been qualified as skilled workers in excavation and preservation of fossilized deposits.

DESDSMONA NEWS

Mr. Harvey Morris of Kilgore visited friends in Desdemona this week end.

Ruth Abel has returned home after a three week visit in Conhoma. She was accompanied by Miss O. T. Arthur, Paul and Evan Baker and Raymond Arthur.

Evelyn Lane of Longview visited friends and relatives here for several days last week.

A formal dinner was given at the home of Miss Dorothy Parks on March 4, at seven o'clock. The guests were Mr. Travis Roach, Herbert Hilliard, Phil Reid, and Misses Ruth Crenshaw, Pauline Moore and the hostess, Dorothea. After dinner the guests attended the show in Gorman. A delightful evening was enjoyed by all.

Misses Boyd Crenshaw and Jolene Arnold were in Gorman Saturday night.

Miss Frances Arnold attended a show in Eastland Sunday.

Coach Roach spent the week end at his home in Rising Star

Misses Ruth Abel and Ellen Sloan attending the show at DeLeon Sunday.

Mr. Style McIntyre is improving after a serious illness.

Mrs. Travis Hilliard was able to be at work after a week's illness.

Two hundred National Youth Administration workers have begun work on the University of Houston campus beautifying and improving the school grounds. W. O. Alexander, district supervisor, has reported to Lyndon B. Johnson, the state director.

Austin, March 11 Immediate completion of all original investigations numbering nearly 214,000 was foreseen this week by W. A. "Jack" Little, assistant director and acting chief of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission, as he declared that the pension board had passed the second phase of its work.

"We have completed every investigation of every application in 18 of the 20 districts. Only 4,000 had not yet been investigated last week and these were in the Houston and Texarkana districts. We will complete them before March 15.

We have rushed special investigators to Houston and Texarkana to finish the job," Little declared.

"The purely mechanical process of certifying the investigators' reports will be completed soon, and by April, 1st all applicants who have not yet heard from their applications will have been notified whether or not they are eligible to receive assistance," he pointed out.

"We have entered the second phase of our work, we are now ready to turn our attentions to re-investigations almost entirely, of course, about one thousand new applications will come in monthly, but this will be small matter considering the 18,000 to 20,000 applicants that we investigated each month throughout the past year.

"We have reached the place where we can correct any inequalities that may have been caused by the previous rush of investigating thousands of applications. Now we can go back over our work and determine which grants should be raised and which should be lowered. We will check to see if any person previously found ineligible Little said.

"Practically all those cases removed from the rolls through the deliberalization mandate of the Legislature have been studied, and the worthy ones put back on the list.

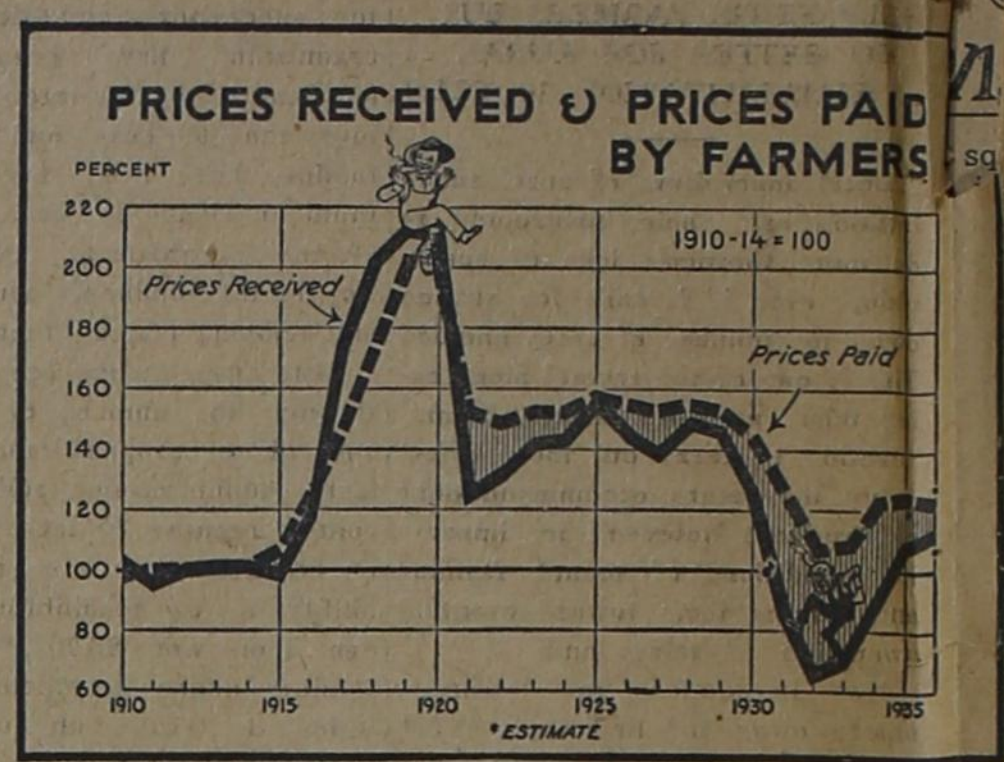
"We have had the complete and sincere cooperation of county officials throughout the 254 counties. And I wish to thank them for their interest in the deserving aged of their counties," the assistant director stated.

SHOWER GIVEN FOR ADOPTED SON OF MR. AND MRS. T. O. SHELLEY

Mrs. O. D. Brogdon entertained some 16 guests at her home last Thursday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower for Jack Benney Shelley, the infant adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Shelley.

During the course of the afternoon each guest was provided with a needle and thread and assisted in making the young man a beautiful quilt, this was in addition to many other lovely gifts that the guests brought.

A book of Advice, in which was written some word of advice, from each guest present, was presented to the parents of the young man and at the late hour, refreshments were served to those attending.



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I had to use telephone booths or side rooms, where I could sneak a cigarette and light it myself.

By NEIL STAFFORD

I REMEMBER quite well that as a youthful member of the human race, I held to a great number of strong, definite opinions concerning this and that, many of which have long since gone overboard and are now far astern. I was always astonished by the irritability of elderly persons, amazed by the suddenness with which they flew off the handle over mere trifles and I well remember saying: "So, that's the way old folks act, is it? Well, I will take good care never to be like that, fussing about nothing at all, growling and swearing at everyone."

That's what I said and I meant it, and to my astonishment, I realized the other day that I am now as cranky and fussy as those old gentlemen ever were, and I go about wishing people had a little more sense. Take the simple habit of smoking. I smoke cigarettes and I like to light my own cigarette, using my own match and my own fingers, and when I am alone, this is possible, but it is different in a hotel or restaurant, where in some rare instances, the bell boys are given bonuses for beating a customer to the light.

There was one hotel with a marble floor, uniformed boys all over the place and the lad who lighted the most cigarettes per week received a cash award. Whenever I reached for a pack of cigarettes, four boys came sliding across the marble, four matches were stuck under my nose and the honor of the hotel was apparently saved again.

Now with me, part of the pleasure of smoking is to light the tobacco, using the Australian crawl or overhead lighting stroke and any outside interference simply destroys the job. If you have ever observed an old pipe smoker in the peaceful act of lighting up, you realize his loving solicitude and the comfort he gets out of it. Each man has his own manner of lighting a cigar, excepting those uncouth souls who do not understand tobacco and care nothing about the finer things. In this hotel, it was so bad I had to use telephone booths or side rooms, where I could sneak a cigarette and light it myself.

These helpful ones, of course, are animated by a desire to be courteous and therefore a person cannot be openly resentful or annoyed. In my favorite restaurant, there is a waiter who for years has never understood and I don't like to hurt his feelings, so the way I do, I wait till his back is turned and by bending over and working fast, I manage to light the cigarette before he sees me.

I Want to Pour It.

That's only one item—smoking. Take the matter of pouring beer into a tall glass, or even a short one. I am fond of a cold bottle of beer, with the little moisture beads on the outside and I long to pour it myself in my own way. There ensues always a little race between me and the waiter, for he wants to pour, and only one waiter in eight hundred knows anything about pouring beer.

The accepted and universal waiter custom is to tip the glass at a sharp angle and the bottle at another sharp

angle until their noses meet and then slide the beer softly along the inside of the glass, leaving no foam. This, of course, is all wrong and barbarous. The right way to pour beer, you slam the beer bottle into the glass roughly, making as much foam as possible and watching it rise to the top and spill over. That's my way, but if I am reading a paper or preoccupied, the waiter pours and when I glance up, there is my beer, all poured out and looking like stale cider that has been standing on the table a week.

Consider the super-courteous young gentlemen in the filling stations of an ambulant nation, who certainly are not to blame for their kindly energies, as the gasoline companies require them to do certain things. When I am in an occasional hurry, I do not wish my tank filled. I want ten gallons of gas and that's all and nothing else.

So what happens? A bright-eyed and rosy-cheeked youth bobs up with three chamois skins and two bottles of something and begins cleaning me up before I can shoe him off. He is the glass boy or shiner-upper and he goes at it feverishly, no matter how clean my windshield may be. Another young man lifts the hood on both sides to see how my oil is. A third young gent removes the radiator cap and a man starts to fill my battery with distilled water. I am requested to drive to the air pumps and have my tires checked and at any instant, I expect to be given a shine, haircut, shave, shampoo and brush-off.

Telephone Trouble.

There is excuse for persons who are trying to be courteous and helpful, no matter how mistaken they may be at the moment. But what can be said for those other people, who are not trying to be courteous, such as the perfect stranger who rings your telephone and asks in a cold, clear voice: "What number is this?"

That is the individual I definitely dislike. Sometimes it is a male, but usually, a female, and her ambition apparently is to waste an afternoon in idle persiflage. The proper way to use a telephone is to get your number and state quietly: "This is Mr. Higgins speaking. Is Mr. Jones there?"

It so happens I have no office in a tall building, no secretary or outer line of defense and I work in my home, when I work. I have long since arrived at the point where I don't want to talk to anyone on the telephone about anything. Years and years ago, it became apparent to me that nine out of ten telephone calls were bad news and would be better unanswered.

The nine out of ten referred to something I didn't wish to do, didn't wish to talk about or consider in any form—such as, would I be interested in buying a boat, joining a beach club, buying a sedan or seeing the insurance man.

And so, as time wore on, I became a natural enemy of the telephone, but am often forced to answer, and, therefore, I come into contact with those idle souls who wish to know what number is this? The lady on the other end doesn't want to speak to anyone. She will give no information whatever and continues to chatter about numbers until I hang up and go sadly back to work. If it's a salesman, he simply wants to make certain of your number, so he can call you tomorrow and I often give him the number of a friend down the road and let him handle the trade.

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FATS' RELATION TO DAILY DIET

They Supply Fuel Needed for Our Body Activities.

By EDITH M. BARBER

AMONG the foods which supply us with fuel for our body activities are fats which are known as concentrated foods. Although fats contain the same elements, carbon, hydrogen and oxygen, that are found in starches and sugars, the proportion of the first two is much larger. When they are burned by the body they produce two and a quarter times as much heat as do the other so-called fuel foods.

Fats differ in degrees of hardness. Liquid fats, such as olive, cottonseed, coconut and corn, are known as vegetable oils. From animal sources are produced fats from the livers such as cod and halibut oil. Besides these we have milk fat which is known as cream and which in its solidified form is called butter. From the adipose tissue of animals hard fats are obtained. The one most used in cooking and which is obtained from hogs is known as lard. Vegetable oils are often solidified by being treated with hydrogen in order to produce products which are known as hardened shortenings under various commercial trade names.

All of these fats and oils supply the same food value. Their digestibility, however, varies. The lower the melting point the less loss there is in digestion. Fats play an important part in the well-rounded diet, as they seem to act as regulators for the passage of food through the stomach. Contrary to the general opinion, there is no advantage in having food pass too quickly through the stomach. It should stay there long enough to be acted upon by the digestive juices in this portion of the alimentary canal. When, however, other foods are fried in fat, especially to the saturation point, digestion may be delayed too long on account of the coating of fat. For this reason fried foods should not have too large a place in the diet.

If fats are allowed to take too large a place in the diet a condition of overweight will result, as the body stores in the tissues what is not needed for immediate use. There should, however, be some storage in the interest of body health.

French Fried Onions.

Select six large onions, peel, slice, crosswise one-eighth inch thick. Separate the rings, using only the larger one, saving the rest for other use. Cover with milk; soak one hour. Drain, dip in batter and fry in deep, hot fat (385 degrees Fahrenheit) about two minutes. Drain on soft paper.

Spinach With Cream.

1 peck spinach
 Salt, sugar
 Pepper
 1 teaspoon minced onion
 ½ cup sour cream
 Look over spinach and wash carefully. Cook without water in a covered kettle with a little salt and sugar six to eight minutes or until tender. Season with pepper and more salt, if necessary. Serve on a hot dish. Add minced onion to whipped sour cream and pile on top of spinach.

Mayonnaise

¾ teaspoon mustard
 1 teaspoon salt
 Cayenne
 ½ teaspoon sugar
 1 egg yolk
 Lemon juice
 Vinegar
 1 cup oil
 Mix dry ingredients and add egg yolk. Mix well, add one-half teaspoon vinegar and add oil slowly, beating with the egg beater. As the mixture turns thick thin with lemon juice or vinegar and continue adding oil. It should be very stiff when finished. Keep covered in ice box.

Potato Salad.

4 cups cold boiled potatoes
 1 chopped onion
 1 cucumber
 2 pickles, chopped
 ¼ cup French dressing
 Cooked salad dressing or mayonnaise.

Dice the potatoes, add onion, cucumber and pickles and mix well with the French dressing, which should be very highly seasoned. Let stand in ice box two hours. Mix with mayonnaise and serve on lettuce. A bit of chopped bacon or some chopped celery may be added.

Griddle Cakes.

2½ cups flour
 ½ teaspoon salt
 4 teaspoons baking powder
 1 tablespoon sugar
 1 egg
 2 cups milk
 ¼ cup melted shortening
 Mix and salt dry ingredients, beat egg, mix with milk and stir into first mixture. Stir in melted shortening. Bake on both sides on hot greased griddle.

Stuffed Celery.

1 cake cream cheese
 1 teaspoon onion juice
 2 teaspoons chili sauce
 ½ cup chopped Brazil nuts
 12 stalks celery
 Mix cheese with seasoning and half the chopped Brazil nuts. Stuff celery and dip each stalk in the remaining chopped nuts.

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Household Hints

By BETTY WELLS

JEAN is in her first year of high school and feels terribly grown-up. Especially since her father and mother recently have done over her bedroom in recognition of her position as the young lady of the family now that Helen's married.

The new furniture is a walnut and very nice. Of course, Jean has been in a breathless state deciding on the wall paper and the chintzes and selecting new lamps. The room finished up not exactly according to her mother's notions, but Jean thinks it's absolutely perfect, which is all that really counts.

The wall paper is pink with a tiny white flower in it and the curtains are cream net with seven inch ruffles. The draperies are lavender rayon taffeta with more wide ruffles, but pleated this time like an old-time taffeta petticoat flounce. The bed-spread is a flowered chintz on a cream ground with lovely very French bouquets for the design. It is finished with pleated taffeta ruffles to match the draperies. There is a chair in this same chintz, and the rug is a tranquil light gray.

Naturally, Jean feels her importance in a room like this! And her responsibilities too. At first her



Jean feels terribly grown-up.

mother thought that it was much too fussy for a girl Jean's age, but even she's getting sold on the idea now that she's seen how much pride and pains Jean takes with the room. She's gotten as neat as a pin and more careful of those taffeta ruffles than of her best party dress. If a room can teach those qualities to a fourteen year old, it's a success, decoratively speaking, Jean's mother confided to us.

The Living Room.

May Lee is throwing prudence to the winds and doing over her living room just the way she'd like to have it, not the way that might seem safest and sanest. In the end hers will probably be the color scheme that all the ladies in town will be dying to copy.

First—Walls of walnut veneer which is like panelling but doesn't cost so much because it's very thin. (There are also some wall papers that look so much like real wood panelling that the smartest interior decorators are using them). Then a sofa in a very scintillating shade of blue-jay blue. Cretonnes for several of the other chairs in an English floral design on a warm coral ground... an odd chair in coral... Cream celene curtains tied back with heavy cream cords and made with pinch pleated tops... her old cream ground Oriental rug... lamps with brass bases and cream shades... accessories with brass... picture frames in gold leaf... andirons and fire things in brass... some pieces of pottery in coral... a pair of porcelain vases and a tea set in blue-jay blue.

It's a perfectly lovely room which started us to thinking about dark walls. We wouldn't advise them in some places, in others we would.



Everybody in town will be dying to copy May Lee's new decorating color scheme.

Naturally they do make a room less bright and sunny looking. But in the average house where there are plenty of other rooms to be bright and sunny, it's interesting to have one that has the contrasting effect of tranquility and repose and that aloneness you feel as you step out of a glare into a serene shadowy glen or into a quiet library at dusk. That same mood can be achieved in a room with dark walls. But in order to keep it from seeming sombre and depressing, be sure to have other things in the room of lighter tone.

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Georgian Dining Room
 A Georgian dining room seen recently has woodwork of a warm cream tint. The polished floor is covered with a sage-green rug and the walls are painted in a pale Georgian green. The furniture is mahogany Chippendale.

Experiences of Life—

Their Significant Interest and Some Ways to Meet Them

THE journey through life is filled with experiences from the time we are born to the day we die. Without them life would be dull and uninteresting. The



A Child Is Puzzled Over Some of Her Experiences and Believes Mother Is Free From Such Things.

more experiences are crowded into our lives the fuller and more interesting they become.

When we are in the midst of events that have elements of danger or when they are of momentous proportions with matters at stake that may be disastrous, should things turn out differently from our wishes, the mind is too excited or too much engrossed with results to grasp anything but the immediate moment.

Reviewing Experiences.

However, on looking back over the past, we discover what thrilling times we went through, and how the experiences stand out as dramatic and of significant interest. Often we find ludicrous features entered into the experience

but we had no eyes to see them at the time.

Since life is so full of experiences some of which turn out felicitously, and others not so satisfactorily, there must be a good reason for our having to go through the events. I remember when I was a little girl and there was something which, to me, seemed very important to decide rightly, how I envied grown-ups. They always knew just what to do! The fallacy of this assumption we all know.

The benefits of our life experiences come through our way of taking them, and on our wisdom of decisions when these require our consideration. If we think of ourselves only we become selfish, hard, and difficult. If we decide with a larger vision of results, and of the best good to others as well as to ourselves, we become fine and strong characters. By the exercise of good judgment and by making the best of things we learn to develop well by experiences.

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SALLY SNOOP

Well folks, the last time you heard from me my boy friends was trying to deceive me, and he is still trying. I haven't heard from Billy Jo yet so I'll ask Murl and see if she will give me some advice

trying to step out with the girls lately, I wonder what this world is coming to.

I guess O. B. Has learned a lesson. Maybe he will keep his finger out of the girls faces, since he's had his finger nearly bitten off by some "sweet" little girl.

What's this we have heard of Billy Joe and Jack adopting three

rabbits? It seems that Jordan can step out with girls even if the Sophs don't have a picnic. He has been seen with Vada Turner lately. Let's watch them.

D. C. is getting anxious for the Seniors to have another picnic or something. Can you imagine why? I was snooping around the freshman room the other day and guess what I saw? Alva Mac making eyes at Alex Phillips and I see that Minnie Lee and Joe Bob are still on a flirtation.

You know I haven't been watching Anna Lousie Butler and Albert Stephens lately. I don't know whether he is still writing her or not.

Louise hasn't been getting in much time on debate lately. She and Billy have been fussing and making-up so much lately until she doesn't have time for anything

else. The Soph class must want Santa Claus to come to see them next Christmas because every one of them is being so truthful lately. Even Ralph has been telling the truth.

Jack Bishop has been giving a certain Sophomore girl a good many disappointments lately. I haven't heard of any of Jack's new girls. Could it be true that he has quit flirting.

It seems that Johnnie Bennett's accident with the car hasn't stopped his going to Desdemona. I hope the girl doesn't feel rushed. Poor Wilma! She felt badly for not getting to ride in their new car before Sam took his girl riding. Wilma you will have to hurry if you keep up with your little brother

Some advice for Elvey. You had better watch Dorothy. I heard she found an escort while in Abilene Saturday. He was a trifle good looking too.

as I have some school work, to adn the Second is for your last name.

BAND NEWS

The band has been meeting from 8:00 to 9:00 and from 3:00 to 4:00 each day, and it met and practiced last Thursday night. The band has made noted progress in the past week since Mr. Kevert came.

The band will meet two nights a week from now on so that all the members may practice together. A concert is being planned for the near future.

Everyone has already become very fond of Mr. Kevert, and this will influence the band considerably. There are many students in our school that we feel should be in the band, and we shall be very glad to have new members.

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ELECTION ORDER

"Be it ordered by the City Commission of the City of Gorman, Eastland County, State of Texas that an election be held in the City Office within the city of Gorman Texas on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the 6th day of April, 1937 A. D. for the purpose of electing one commissioner for the ensuing two years. That Frank Dean and Mr. Frank Morrow be and are hereby appointed as judges of the said election with the power to appoint such clerks as may be needed to assist in the holding of said election.

That notice of this election be given publication of this order in the Gorman Progress for a period of at least twenty days immediately preceding the election."

Witness our hands and seal of office this 25th day of February 1937 A. D.

G. T. Blackwell, Mayor.
 J. E. Walker Jr., Sec.

ELM CLUB NEWS

On Monday March 8, the Elm Home Club demonstration Club held its Semi-monthly meeting.

The organization met at the home of Mrs. Lucy Newell. Members have not prepared the club house for meetings.

Members present were Meses. Lucy Newell, Emma Pearcey, Minnie Newell, Etta Finley, Gladys Cunningham, Nora Lucke, Lucie Harrison, Gena Lucke, and Miss Annaf Lou Finley. Mrs. Ava Mason was an Honored guest. Miss Ruth Ramey, home demonstration agent was present.

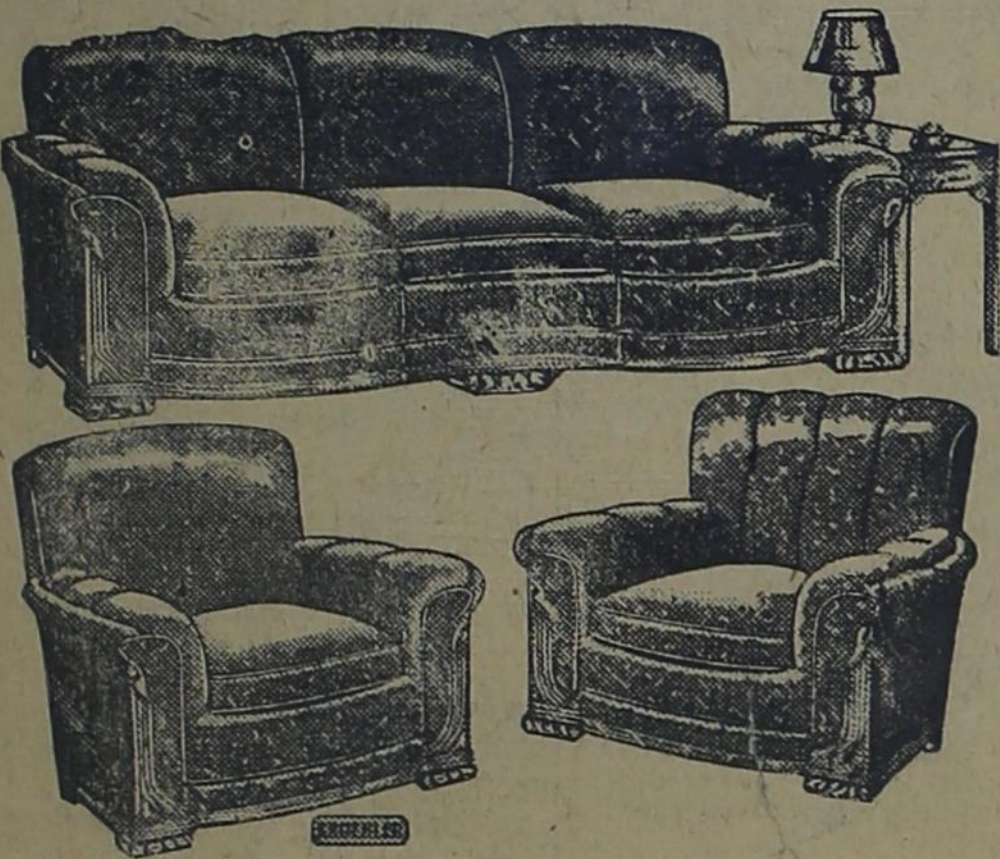
The president called the house to order. There was no old business to discuss so new business was promptly attended. Our program was "Window Treatment". Miss Ramey brought samples of curtains and curtain material to show the most suitable for different Her discussion was very interesting and useful.

Everyone of the members enjoyed the gathering. The next meeting will be Monday March 22. The club urges all members to be present at all meeting and on that date. Visitors are always welcome at the Elm Club.—Reporter.

Mrs. T. L. Gates has returned from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Grundy Sheppard of Wichita Falls.

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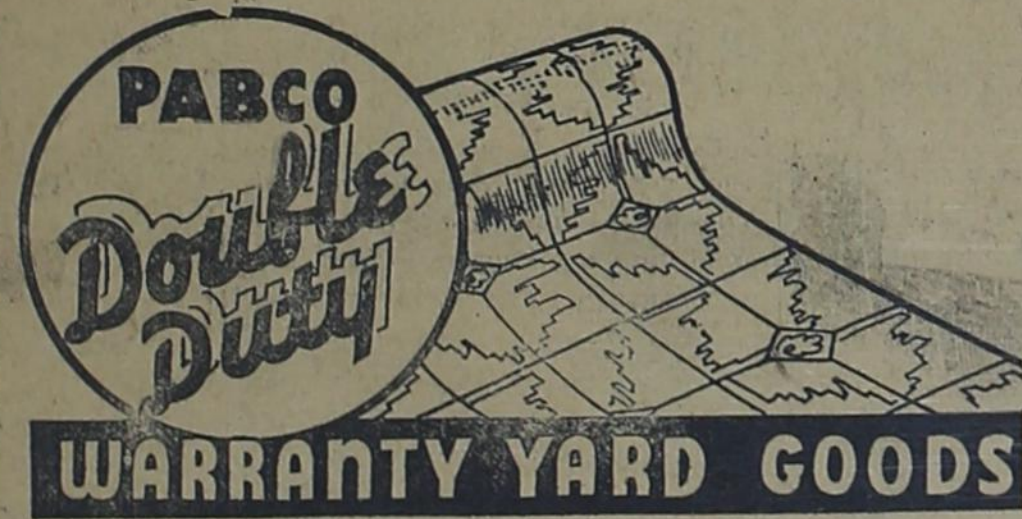
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ENROLLMENT IN APRIL FOR C C C CAMP

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"The same requirements for eligibility as formerly are in force, i. e., the applicant must be from a family receiving assistance from the government agency, and between the ages of 17 and 29, and able to pass a physical examination". Mr. Sweeney further stated. "Actual quotas have not been established, and will not be until an accurate estimate can be made of the number of boys available. Consequently all those who desire to go at the next enrollment should immediately call at their county welfare office and make application."

The present session of Congress has appropriated funds for continuing the CCC program for several months, and there is no doubt that it will remain one of President Roosevelt's major programs. Those boys who apply themselves will receive promotions and increase in pay that will be more than they would be able to earn in private employment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wright were visiting in Brownwood Sunday.

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