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WE SHOULD HAVE GENERAL CLEANUP

It goes without saying that the effect of the cleaning up of our streets, which has been done through the medium of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation relief funds, has impressed everyone with the good results that have already been accomplished. In this connection it is interesting to note what is being done by other communities in connection with relief work.

One of the most practical of the schemes which is practiced is that of linking up a general city wide campaign with the work of cleaning the streets. A number of towns have done it and according to every report it has made these towns cleaner, healthier and more inviting, more than doubling their attractiveness. Another gratifying result was the great improvement in the public health.

We can have a clean, attractive town too. We are now getting clean streets, and they are nearly all cleaned by now, that is the more important streets. A few of our citizens have seen the value of cleaning up their own premises and thus add to the attractiveness of their own home, which is a real service to themselves and a laudable display of civic pride.

This is a starting point. The few citizens have shown that the idea of a general clean-up of the vacant and residence lots about town is an excellent one. Other towns have demonstrated that clean streets and clean lots will more than double the attractiveness and health of a town. One needs but to look at what a few of our citizens have done in this respect and there is no answer to the argument that we should have a city-wide clean-up. Not only would we have a clean, attractive town, but a healthier one, which is an end worth all our united efforts. Let us have a Clean-Up.

ELECTION BILL WAS PASSED

Plans for the holding of an election for the purpose of selecting a congressman from the 15th district to succeed Hon. John N. Garner, vice-president elect of the United States, were completed when the two houses of the State Legislature voted to pass the law which will permit the first primary in this district, the 15th, to be held at any time after the 20th. It is also understood that the first primary will be held about the 25th, the second two or three weeks later, with the final election coming about the middle of April.

However, interest is centered in the efforts being made to re-district this section. In one of the suggested regroupings our Kinney County would go with the Lower Rio Grande section. In the other we would go with the San Angelo group. Nothing definite however has been done as yet about it.

HAUL MATERIAL FROM FT. RUSSEL

Hauling of a quantity of miscellaneous material from Fort D. A. Russel, Marfa, to Fort Clark was begun last week when a group of army trucks, manned by several men from the pack train, a mechanic and several soldiers from Fort Clark, made the journey to that border post, returning with a quantity of material. Another group of the trucks went out Monday on the same errand. This material was among that remaining at Fort Russell after the First Cavalry regiment.

Efforts are still being made in the National Congress by Representative Thomason from that district and others towards saving the post there, but apparently without avail at this time.

SPECIAL OFFER

We are glad to report that since we started the Special Offer we have had several responses. We want more so we invite your attention to the offer. Here it is:

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LOSE FAST GAME TO EAGLE PASS

The Brackettville firemen, accompanied by a number of rooters and friends, journeyed down to Eagle Pass Sunday afternoon and played a game with the Eagle Pass team.

While our fire boys did not bring home the bacon, they put up a great game and gave the border boys plenty of hard work. The final score was—Brackettville 31, Eagle Pass 34. When the game was about half through our boys were trailing far behind. They buckled down to work in the latter part of the game and came near catching up with the border boys.

A return game with Eagle Pass will be played here, probably this week end. Watch for the game, and come out and help the boys win.

ESCAPES HIGH LINE VOLTAGE

While a service line was being strung from one of the high line poles on Spring Street to the rear of the Roland Williams Coffee Shop, one of the wires on the pole accidentally came into contact with the 11,000 volt high power line. There was a flash, crackling noises and immediately all lights in town popped off as the station switch threw off.

Domingo Castro, who was on the ground holding a section of the wire when the highline voltage came down, froze for a second or so under the shock. Domingo suffered a slightly burnt thumb, and was numbed for a few seconds. The shock apparently did not harm him in any other way.

The only damage wrought by the accident was when the high voltage burned out a radio and startled customers in the barber shop next to the McCabe Drug Store.

20TH AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION

History was again written into the Constitution on the United States last week when the State of Missouri ratified the Twentieth Amendment, which action gave it the required number of state ratifications to make it a part and parcel of the national Constitution.

This Amendment provides that the President of the United States and Congress as well shall take office in the month of January following the general November election. The Amendment is especially aimed at the elimination of the "lame duck" Congress, of which the present one is the last. Incidentally, the amendment just adopted will cut off several weeks from the term of President-elect Roosevelt's term.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARMY

The army appropriations are having a hard time getting thru the national congress with anything like the sponsors and friends want them to look like.

The C. M. T. C. camp measure was first eliminated by the Senate, but was returned to the measure by the House, and three million dollars were voted to keep the camps for another year. It will probably stay in, too.

At first it appeared as if there would be no remounts purchased for the army during the coming year. This caused a row and finally provision was made the purchase of a number of animals for the service.

A measure prohibiting civilian buying from the army post exchanges was included in the general measure.

No provision was made for any of the recently abandoned posts, it was stated.

However, things are still rocking along and no one seems to know what will be put in—or taken out.

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ROAD WORK BIDS ASKED BY STATE

According to a notice appearing in the San Antonio Evening News, under the heading of Austin, was contained information that bids for highway and bridge construction work would be opened by the Highway Department on February 8 and 9.

No information was carried at the time on the various projects to be bid on, but it was confident here that one of the projects on which bids are asked is that for the Sycamore bridge.

This bridge project would complete the Highway No. 3 through Kinney County, as construction work is already under way on Highway 3 east of Brackettville, which should be ready for paving late Spring or in early Summer. The bridge would be a huge project and would take time to complete. It will be a

fine highway, the best in this section of the state.

The first caliche pit has been left after about three and a quarters miles of road had been covered and prepared with the third caliche course. This then was to be wet down and rolled. The second pit will be opened and it is expected that it will furnish about twice as much material as the first one. As the construction company has now a capable organized crew at work, construction will undoubtedly proceed rapidly and smoothly, if the weather and general conditions permit.

May Be In Cabinet

According to newspaper dispatches last week end, there is a possibility that R. W. Morrison, who owns the "million dollar" ranch south-east of here, in the Anacastro mountains near Spoford, may get a prominent cabinet post. Mr. Morrison is a close friend of Hon. John N. Garner.

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OUR CHILDREN'S STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

THE BREEZES DECIDE TO HELP STRIPED CHIPMUNK

HAPPY JACK SQUIRREL and his cousin, Chatterer the Red Squirrel, stared at each other, and for a few minutes neither could find a word to say. What had become of all those brown nuts which the Merry Little Breezes had shaken down from the top of the tall chestnut tree, and over which they had quarreled and fought so bitterly? Not one was to be found. It was just as if there never had been



They Found Him Running Along the Edge of the Green Forest Looking for More Nuts.

any. The Merry Little Breezes knew what had become of them, and they chuckled. Sammy Jay knew what had become of them, and he chuckled the most of all. In fact, Striped Chipmunk was at that very minute tucking away the very last of those brown nuts in his secret storehouse. No wonder he chuckled.

Of course, Happy Jack and Chatterer soon guessed that while they had been so foolishly quarrelling, some one else had found those brown nuts and taken them away, but who that some one was they didn't know. What do you think they did after staring at each other for a few minutes? It sounds too foolish to tell, but they began to quarrel again. Yes, sir, Happy Jack and Chatterer began to quarrel again.

And then they went at it again, quarrelling as bitterly as before and quite forgetting that there were more nuts in the trees waiting to be gath-

Pretty Puff Sleeves



The little slashed puff sleeves and the double row of buttons lend interest to this child's frock in banana-colored crepe de chine.

ered. The Merry Little Breezes had been shocked at first, and now they were disgusted, very much disgusted. "And I thought we were going to help!" exclaimed the Merry Little Breeze who had first suggested shaking down the brown nuts that Happy Jack and Chatterer might be saved the trouble of climbing the trees for them. "I'll never shake down another nut for those fellows if I know it!" "But we did help!" cried another Merry Little Breeze. "We helped Striped Chipmunk. Wasn't it funny to see him get all those nuts while his cousins were quarrelling about them? I tell you what, let's go hunt up Striped Chipmunk and help him and leave these two bad-tempered fellows to get their nuts any way they can." No sooner was it proposed than off rushed the Merry Little Breezes to look for Striped Chipmunk. They found him running along the edge of the Green Forest looking for more nuts. "Hello, Striped Chipmunk! Come play with us!" shouted one of them, mischievously, knowing just what

Striped Chipmunk's answer would be. "Can't! I'm too busy," replied Striped Chipmunk, snapping his bright eyes at them.

"Will you play with us after your work is done if we will help you do it?" asked one of the Merry Little Breezes.

Striped Chipmunk paused to sit up and chuckle, as only he can chuckle. "I'd like to know how you can help me?" said he.

"How do you think all those brown nuts happened to be on the ground, the ones you have just hidden away while your cousins were quarrelling?" demanded a Merry Little Breeze.

"Why, I suppose they just dropped down," replied Striped Chipmunk wonderingly.

"You're wrong!" shouted the Merry Little Breezes. "We shook them down for your cousins. But we wouldn't have done it if we had known that they would quarrel over them. Now they may climb the trees and gather the nuts for themselves for all we care."

"That is something I can't do very well," said Striped Chipmunk. "You know I am not much of a climber. I have to depend on what I find on the ground, and sometimes it is pretty hard work to find enough. I didn't know you shook those down, but I'm glad you did. Now I must get busy. When my work is done I'll play with you." Striped Chipmunk started to hurry on.

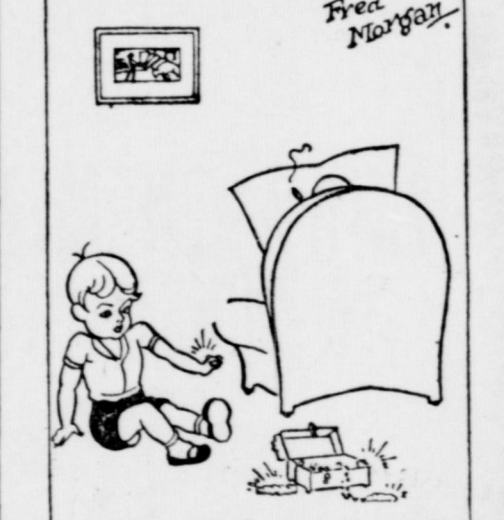
"Wait a minute," cried the Merry Little Breezes. "We are going to help you. You follow us and we'll shake down the nuts for you, but we must go where Happy Jack and Chatterer will not see what we are doing. What do you say to that?"

"Splendid!" cried Striped Chipmunk, chasing his tail from pure happiness. "Do you really mean it?"

"We certainly do!" cried the Merry Little Breezes. "Come on!"

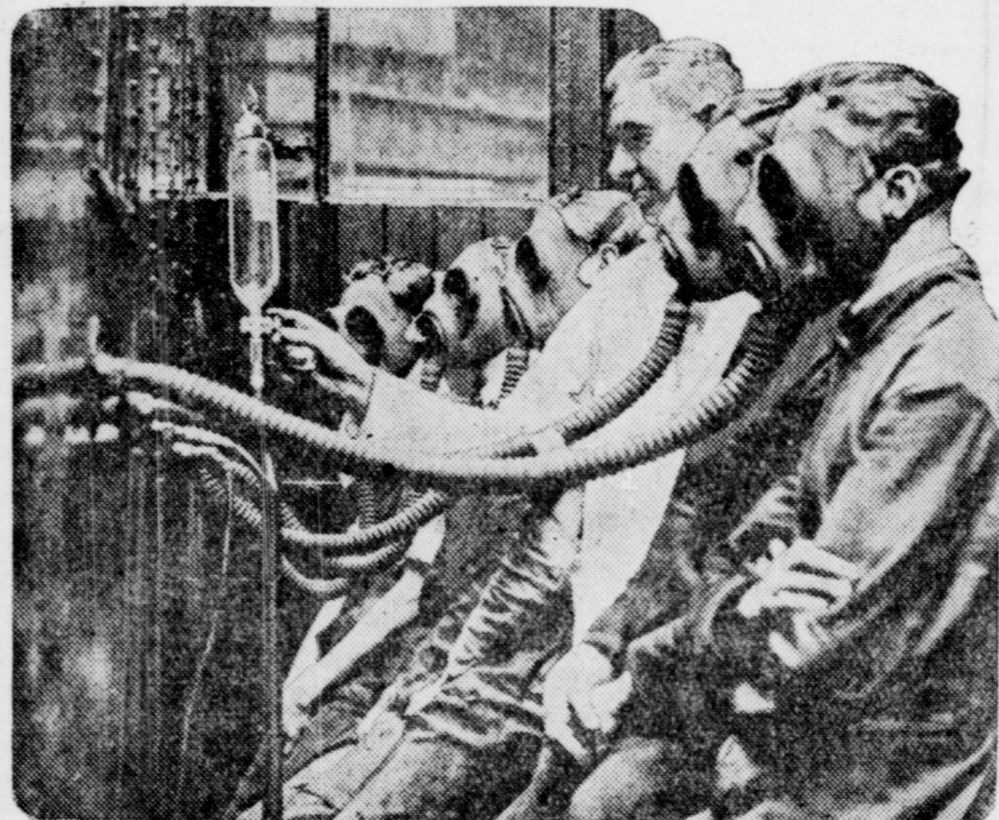
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DADA KNOWS—



"Pop, what is listless?" "Debutante on Sunday morning." © 1932, Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

Tempting Death by Poison Gases



DEATH stands nearby as these men calmly go about their business of breathing poisonous gases at an experimental station for testing gas masks in London, England. The masks are connected with a tank filled with the deadly fumes, which are inhaled by the men. A white-coated physician stands near to administer first aid in case the masks should suddenly fail to function.

DESSERT, FISH, MEAT SAUCES

DELICIOUS sauce to serve on a cottage pudding or any steamed cake is:

Butterscotch Sauce.
To one cupful of boiling water add one cupful of brown sugar, two tablespoonfuls of flour, a dash of cinnamon, and one-fourth teaspoonful of salt thoroughly mixed. Cook until the flour has lost its raw taste and the mixture thickens, stirring to prevent lumping. Beat in two tablespoonfuls of butter and remove from the heat, adding one-half teaspoonful of vanilla or coffee extract. This is good served hot on ice cream, custard or baked puddings.

Hard Sauces.
Cream together one-fourth of a cupful of butter and three-fourths cupful of powdered sugar, add one-half teaspoonful of vanilla and one-eighth teaspoonful of grated nutmeg. Long beating makes a creamy, hard sauce. Add the sugar slowly. For variety substitute brown sugar and flavor with maple or grated lemon or orange rind.

Spanish Sauce.
Add two tablespoonfuls of chopped onion to two tablespoonfuls of butter and cook until tender and yellow. Add one chopped green pepper, one-half cupful of celery, two teaspoonfuls of

minced parsley, one bay leaf, two cupfuls of tomato, one tablespoonful of flour and salt and pepper to taste. Blend the flour with a little butter before adding to the sauce. Cook for half an hour, remove the bay leaf.

KITTY McKAY

By Nina Wilcox Putnam



The girl-friend says that the fact her salary seems to have wings don't help her any in feathering her nest. © 1932, Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.



"Tis strange but true," says brainy Beulah, "but regardless of which shoe you grab in the morning, the left one always goes on last." © 1932, Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

BONERS



A bore is a kind of river pig, and a delta is the man who looks after it.

BONERS are actual humorous tidbits found in examination papers, essays, etc., by teachers.

Lincoln was shot by one of the actors in a moving picture show.

At Roman banquets the guests wore garbles on their heads.

State the economic value of fish. Fish drink up the water in time of flood.

Latitude and longitude are imaginary lines running around the earth to show where you are and which way you are going.

Charles the Bald died without a hair.

The Wedding Guest in "The Ancient Mariner" beat his breast because he had to buy the bride a present. © Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

For Sunday Night Supper, or Lunch

Well to Keep Supply of Canned Delicacies on Shelves.

Whether you keep house seriously or "kitchenetily," as some put it, you are almost certain to keep a supply of canned crab meat, tuna fish, salmon and lobster meat on hand. They are called on then for main dishes and salad, for lunch and for Sunday night supper and for canapes and for entrees—if you go in for formal dinners.

Of these four foods, lobster perhaps has the more distinct flavor. A very good brand of canned lobster must be selected on this account. Packs of lobster vary more than packs of the other fish unless it is the crab meat, which is of two distinctly different kinds. The Japanese crab meat comes in larger pieces, keeps its natural flavor, and is packed in such quantities that it is used largely. It is particularly good for salad whenever large pieces are desirable. Personally, a household authority says, I like both lobster and crab left in fairly large pieces when a salad is prepared. At least a third as much celery as fish is used for these salads, and mayonnaise is mixed with them. Tiny capers or minced green olives improve these salads. Tuna may be used the same way. When salmon is used as a salad, it is better left in larger pieces—as it comes from the can. Plenty of mayonnaise should be arranged, with hard-cooked eggs—cut into lengthwise eighths—around the salmon. Eggs are, of course, often used to garnish the other fish salads. Any one of these fish may be put into an aspic jelly with celery and sliced stuffed olives. A ring of salad of this sort may be served with cucumbers cut into dices and mixed with mayonnaise or with a mixed vegetable salad dressed in the same way.

For canapes, the fish is usually finely minced and well seasoned before it is spread on rounds of toast or fried bread. Sometimes the salad mentioned above is molded in tiny molds not more than one inch in diameter. When these are turned out of the mold they are put on toothpicks and eaten with canapes, as an appetizer.

For a creamed dish, or for its richer relation the Newburg, lobster and crab are the favorites. The creamed fish is served on toast in patty cases, or is put in ramekins or in a large baking dish, covered with crumbs and browned in a hot oven. When high seasonings and pimentos and green peppers are added to a creamed dish

It is sometimes known as "Devilled." Any of these fish make delicious timbales and souffles. One is as good as the other. Sometimes a Hollandaise or a Tartar sauce is served with these hot dishes.

One other delicious use for these sea foods should be mentioned. They make such delicious cream soups as "bisques," as they are called. Of course, they are a little heavy for dinner, but I know of one household where this is a specialty of the hostess and where guests are always hopeful of having a meal begin with her famous lobster bisque.

In either of the recipes given, of product can be used to better advantage, but we are quite likely to find good use for them often in their canned form.

- Salmon Timbales.**
- 2 tablespoons butter
 - 2 tablespoons flour
 - 1 cup milk
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon chopped parsley
 - 1/4 teaspoon onion juice
 - 1/4 teaspoon white pepper
 - 2 slices pimento
 - 1/2 cup ripe olives, minced
 - 1 cup flaked salmon
 - 1 cup bread crumbs
 - 1 tablespoon butter

Heat two tablespoons butter and add the flour, gradually add milk and stir until it thickens. Add salt, parsley, onion juice, pepper, olives, pimentos and salmon to mixture. Pour into buttered ramekins, cover with crumbs over which one tablespoon of melted butter has been poured. Place ramekins in a pan of hot water and bake in a hot oven (450 degrees Fahrenheit) until the crumbs have browned. Garnish with parsley. This recipe may be doubled for a luncheon dish.

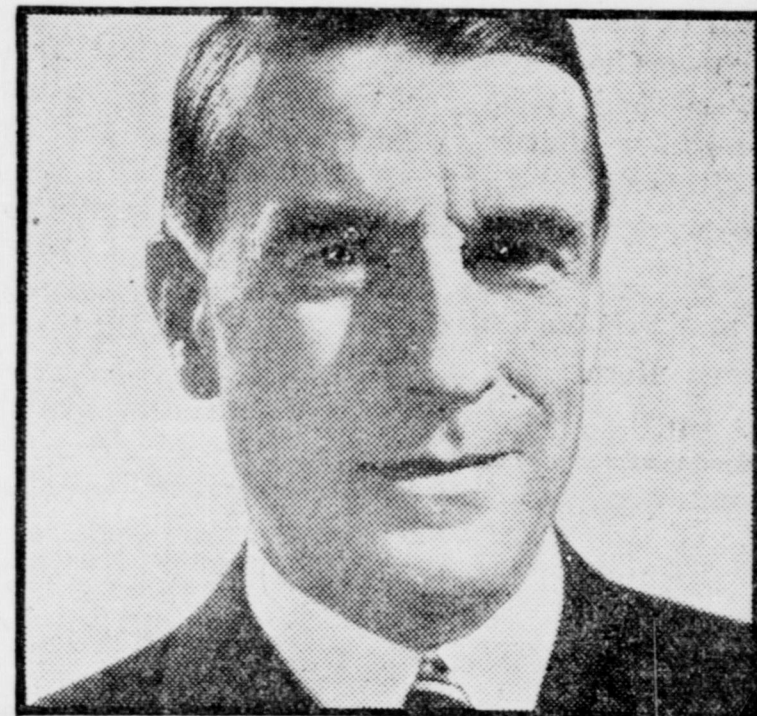
Spinach Ring Filled With Lobster and Crab.

- 3 cups cooked or canned spinach
- 1 teaspoon grated onion
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon black pepper
- 1/2 teaspoon paprika
- 2 eggs
- 2 cups cream sauce
- 1/2 cup fine bread crumbs
- 1 cup flaked lobster meat
- 1 cup flaked crab meat

Chop spinach fine and add grated onion, which has been browned in butter. Season with salt, black pepper, paprika and add the well-beaten egg yolks. Mix the spinach with one and one-half cups of cream sauce and fold in the well-beaten egg whites. Place in a buttered ring mold and dust with bread crumbs. Place in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) for twenty minutes. Loosen the spinach by pressing from the side of the mold with a knife, turn out on a hot platter and fill the center with lobster meat and crab meat garnished with rest of white sauce. Garnish with strips of pimento or slices of lemon or hard-cooked egg.

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How Old?



He doesn't look a day over fifty. And feels like forty. At the age of 62. That's the happy state of health and pep a man enjoys when he gives his vital organs a little stimulant! When your system is stagnant and you feel sluggish, headachy, half-alive—don't waste money on "tonics" or "regulators" or similar patent medicines. Stimulate the liver and bowels. Use a famous physician's prescription every drug store keeps. Just ask them for Dr. Caldwell's syrup pepsin.

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THE WAY WE FIGURE

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

PUT down two and carry one. So arithmetic was done in a schoolhouse ten by twenty. When some simple rule was plenty. Now the schoolhouse is as wide as the world where men abide, And I find, with problems bigger, That ain't now the way we figure.

Harder problem, harder school, And it takes a harder rule. Seems today, with all our troubles, What's divided always doubles. Here is what we seem to do: Put down one and carry two. Though the rules are simply stated, Life is much more complicated.

Soon it's two in place of one, So our troubles are begun, For there aren't very many Folks who never carry any. In life's school one rule is taught, That you never carry naught. Yet perhaps what makes 'em bigger Mostly is the way we figure. © 1932, Douglas Malloch.—WNU Service.

Champion of Jockeys



Johnny Gilbert was the champion jockey of 1932, his total of firsts being 208. This broke all records of the past 24 years.

Girls Less Than 5 Married
Fifty children, including thirty-nine girls less than five years old, are listed as married in Mysore state, India

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**Good Health Advice
for Girl in Teens**

By Amelia H. Grant, M. A., R. N.,
Director Bureau of Nursing,
N. Y. City Department of Health.

Your mental attitude has much to do with your bodily health. For that reason you must keep your mind healthy. The control of the mind and nervous system over the body is both conscious and unconscious.

Human behavior is affected more or less as the body gives way to impulses and animal instincts, or as it is controlled by the will. Proper mental control enables a girl to make her body her servant rather than her master.

By reading good books, by wholesome companionship, by clean conversation and by inspiring environment you build up a clean mental attitude, and a clean mind begets a healthy mind. Your success in life often depends upon the kind of exercise you give your mind, somewhat in the same way as muscular power depends upon adequate physical exercise. When you have developed the power of self control, your life is your own.

You must cultivate a healthy mind, will power and self control in your adolescence. In your later years it will be much more difficult, if not too late.

**Los Angeles Boy
Needed Help**

1116 Georgia St., Los Angeles, is a "regular fellow," active in sports, and at the top in his classes at school. To look at him now, you'd think he never had a day's sickness but his mother says: "When Leroy was just a little fellow, we found his stomach and bowels were weak. He kept suffering from constipation. Nothing he ate agreed with him. He was fretful, feverish and puny.

"When we started giving him California Fig Syrup his condition improved quickly. His constipation and biliousness stopped and he has had no more trouble of that kind. I have since used California Fig Syrup with him for colds and upset spells. He likes it because it tastes so good and I like it because it helps him so wonderfully!"

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The Everlasting Whisper

By Jackson Gregory

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FROM THE BEGINNING

Mark King, prospector, and his partner, Ben Gaynor, share with a desperado, Swen Brodie, knowledge of a vast store of hidden gold. King is impressed by Gloria, Gaynor's daughter. He strikes a house visitor named Gratton. In a spirit of adventure Gloria accompanies Gratton from San Francisco on a "business" trip. At Coloma she finds her father badly hurt. He gives her a message for King. With Gratton, she goes to the Gaynor summer home, but realizes she has compromised herself by her journey with Gratton. He proposes marriage, and Gloria apparently accepts him. King watches the ceremony through a window. At the last moment the girl refuses to utter the requisite "yes." King enters and Gloria appeals to him for protection. Gratton dismissed, reveals knowledge of the hidden gold. King emboldened by Gloria's appeal to him, urges her to marry him. Really in love with him, and seeing a way out of her dilemma, the girl consents. Gaynor's message reveals the location of the treasure, and urges King to go at once and secure it. After the wedding, Gloria asserting the necessity for rest after her trying experience, King leaves her and prepares for his trip. Next morning Gloria insists on going with him. On the journey her overwrought nerves give way, and she admits to King that she married him only to "save her name from gossip." King, humiliated, renounces her but refuses to take her home, declaring he is under promise to her father to lose no time seeking the gold. She is unable to find her way home alone, has to go with him. Gloria's horse goes lame, and has to be abandoned. King finds the gold. Gloria resents his giving her orders. King decides to start back and return with trusted men, but finds his horse has broken away. Their food is almost gone and King tells Gloria they must start home on foot, despite a raging storm. Gloria refuses to obey him or help him in any way, and in his despair he strikes her with a rope's end. Then he leaves her, bitterly regretting his action. Later, he decides he must, to save their lives, make his way out alone and send back a party for Gloria. He explains the situation, and leaves her. Alone, Gloria sees Gratton making a painful way through the storm.

CHAPTER XI—Continued

"But it is so easy," she cried to him, forgetful of her own terror at mounting up here. "I have done it."

"I can't," he said miserably. "It was all I could do to get this far. I—I think I am dying."

Again and again she pleaded with him. But he had either reached the limit of his physical endurance or, shaken and unnerved, he had not the courage to attempt the steep climb. He lay still; his eyes were shut, and to Gloria, too, came the swift fear that the man might be dying.

"I am coming to you!" she called.

She began making the hazardous descent. She did not take time to ask herself if she could make it; she knew only that she must. After a weary time she came to the base of the cliffs. Gratton was not a dozen paces from her. He did not move but looked at her in a strange, bewildered fashion. Seeing that he made no attempt to move, she made her way to him.

"It's you—Gloria Gaynor!" he muttered. "But I don't understand."

"I came with Mark King. The storm caught us. Just as it caught you. But you must come with me; if you die here you will be chilled; you will freeze."

He shook his head. "I can't," he groaned. "I am more dead than alive, I tell you. I have been since before dawn getting here." He cast a bleak look up along the cliffs and shuddered. "I'd rather lie here and die than attempt it."

Once more Gloria was urging and pleading. But in the end she gave up hopelessly, seeing that Gratton would not budge. And it was so clear to her that he would perish if he lay here.

"There's a hole in the cliffs just yonder," Gratton said drearily. "I was going to crawl in there when you called."

Then Gloria saw for the first time the opening to that cave which in Gus Ingle's Bible had been set down as Calve number one. It was almost directly under King's cave, at the base of the cliffs.

"Come, then," she said. "Let's see if it's big enough for a shelter."

Gratton heaved himself up with a groan. Gloria did not wait for him, but began the tedious breaking of a path the few feet to the hole. She could see nothing; she heard nothing. Nothing save Gratton's hard breathing close behind her. She got a grip upon herself and made a step forward, paused, extended her arms to grope for a wall, and made another step. There was still no sound; she breathed more freely, assuring herself that save for herself the cavern was empty. She stumbled over a rock, stopped again and called to Gratton. Only now was he entering.

She struck a match carefully, cupped the tiny flame with her hands, and strove to . . . what lay about her. There was a litter of dead limbs about her feet. She began gathering up some of the smaller branches, groping for others as her match burned out. It was Gloria's hands which started the fire and placed the bits of dry wood upon it. The flames crackled; the wood caught like tinder; the flickering light retrieved much of the cavern about them from the utter dark.

"Here I stay," said Gratton. He dropped down and began warming his shaking hands. A more abjectly miserable specimen of humanity Gloria had never looked upon. He was jaded, spiritless, cowed.

But he was a human being, and she was no longer alone! She was lifted from despair to a realm bright with

hope. King had gone for succor; she had a companion to share with her the dread hours of waiting. She caught up a burning brand as she had seen Mark King do, and holding it high made a quick survey, going timidly step by step further from the entrance, deeper into the cavern. It was much like the one so high above. Gratton could not, or would not, climb to the higher cave; then why should they not make this their shelter? She would have to climb the cliffs again; but she would have to do that in any case. Once up there it would be so simple a matter to toss down blankets and food and cooking utensils; a half-hour would see her camp moved from one cave to the other. Eager and excited, she began to tell Gratton what she meant to do.

"Wait a while," he urged her. "I am terribly shaken, Gloria."

Presently he said: "Do you think we are ever going to get out of this alive?"

"Yes." Her voice rang with assurance. "Mark King has gone for help. All we have to do is wait for a few days."

His pale brows flew up.

"King? He has gone? He has left you alone here?"

Again she said: "Yes." Gratton began plucking at his lip, striding up and down now. It became obvious to her that there had been nothing wrong within him beyond what his frantic terror had done to him. Perhaps, left alone, he would have died out there in the snow; now, having already leaned on her, having her company and the hope she held out, he began to look his old self.

"Now I'll go for the things in the other cave," she suggested. And as



"You Beast!" She Panted. "You Cowardly, Contemptible Beast!"

an afterthought: "Now that you are feeling better, perhaps you will go up with me and help?"

"Why," he said, "Why—of course. Yes, we'll both go."

Having seen that she had done the thing with no mishap, he was willing to do what before he could not do.

"Come," he said. "Let's hurry."

They reached the upper cave. Her fire, though low, still burned. She put on more dry wood from the great heap King had left for her. She began to look about, planning swiftly just how easiest to move the few belongings which must go with her.

He came forward and stood warming his nervous hands at her fire.

"And you," he said, marveling, "you actually came with a man like King into a place like this!"

"I was a fool," cried Gloria. "A pitiful little fool. Oh!"

"You found King wasn't your kind," he announced. "You have quarreled!"

"From the very beginning," she replied quickly. "He is unthinkable. Haven't I told you I was a fool? I didn't know then quite what men were . . . some men."

She was not measuring every word now. She meant simply that she was determined to have done with Mark King, holding bitterly that she would go to anyone to be definitely through with King.

His eyes followed her as she gathered up her few personal and intimate possessions, comb, brush, little silken things of pale pink and blue. A faint color seeped into his usually colorless lips. When she saw the look in his eyes, she stared at him wonderingly.

"What is it?" she asked, her voice puzzled. "What are you thinking?"

He shrugged. "I was just thinking how superb you are," he replied, not entirely untruthfully. For his ulterior thought had been reared upon the vital fact of her triumphant beauty.

"Gloria!" he said hoarsely, "you are wonderful! And you have come to me!"

Gloria met his rather too ardent admiration with that cool little laugh which had been her weapon in other days. She was not afraid of Gratton.

"I came to you," she said frankly, "because I was a woman in distress and had no alternative. You understand me, don't you?"

He hardly heard her. To his mind the situation was clearness itself. Gloria had come alone into the forest with Mark King. She had been with

him all these days and nights. But she and King had quarreled; tired of each other already, perhaps. Gratton did not care what the reason was; he was gloatingly satisfied with the outcome. He had always coveted her.

He came a step closer and the firelight showed how the muscles of his throat were working. Gloria's eyes widened. But not yet did she fear.

"Mr. Gratton," she began.

"Gloria!" he cried out. "Gloria!"

His hands, suddenly flung out, were upon her. She tore them away, wrenched herself free from him, and started back.

"Oh!" she cried, shrinking not so much from him as from the thing she read so plainly at last. "Surely, you do not think . . . you misinterpret . . . my being here at all, my being with Mr. King . . ."

"No," cried Gratton wildly. "I misinterpret nothing. You gave yourself to him; you saw your mistake; you hated him. You have come to me. I have always loved you; I want you."

Her cheeks flamed red with hot anger. She drew back from him. He followed, his arms out. She was amazed, for the moment shocked into consternation. Then she marked the small stature, little taller, little stronger, than her own; the pale face, the narrow chest, the slender body.

"You know what I mean, what I want," he was muttering. "That sweet young thing innocence is all right in its place but that place is not here alone in the mountains with a man."

"Man!" she burst out scathingly. "You, a man! Why, you wretched little beast!"

But Gratton, his brain reeling with hot fancy, came on. His arms groped for her. Gloria swept up a dead pine limb that lay by the fire and swung it in both hands and struck him full across the face. He reeled back, his hands to his face.

"You beast!" she panted. "You cowardly, contemptible beast!"

His mouth was bleeding. And she read in the gesture and in the man's whole cringing attitude that danger of any physical violence from him was past and done with.

"An absolutely new sense of elation sang through Gloria's blood. She was fully mistress of the situation, and had found within her an unguessed strength.

"Mr. Gratton," she said swiftly, "you have made a mistake. Mr. King has never offered me violence of that sort. Remember that, though we are alone and in the mountains, I am the same Gloria Gaynor that you have known. And be sure that you treat me as such."

He nursed his battered lips and stared at her. The blow had dazed him. The stick was still in her hands; a shiver ran through him. His desire went out of him.

"I wish to God I had never seen you," he groaned.

She had meant from the first to take the upper hand. Now she was almost glad that this had happened. For now she was very sure of herself. She dropped the stick and wiped her hands.

"We have other things to think of," she said. She began dragging the blankets from her bed, tumbling them to the floor. "Take these," she commanded.

"I was a fool for ever leaving San Francisco," he muttered bitterly. "You let me think that you cared for me, and now you treat me like a dog. I spent time and money trying to be the one to find gold in these infernal mountains."

Gold! He stopped at his own word, his eyes flying wide open. During these later hours, fleeing from Brodie's men, stumbling upon Gloria, swirled away by mad longings, he had not thought of gold. But here was King's camp; straight here had King come after Gloria had brought him her father's message and old Honeycutt's secret. Then the gold was here! He began looking about him eagerly. King was gone? Then not for men to bring help to Gloria but to aid him in carrying off the gold. He began questing feverishly, shuffling about in the shadows while Gloria, busy with her plans for moving, wondered at him. Presently, he came upon the bag which King had meant to take out with him that day the horse was lost.

He went down on his knees by the sack, got a heavy lump in his hands, rubbed at it, and finally sat back, staring up at her with new flames of another sort leaping in his eyes.

"It's next thing to solid gold!" he gasped. "There are thousands—thousands—Millions!"

It struck Gloria that there was small justice in Gratton reaping any reward, having done nothing to earn it. "We have the things to move. Come, hurry."

"Why should we move, after all?" he demanded sharply. "Now that I have got up here, why not stay? King would know where to send for us, and—and those cursed dogs of Brodie's would never think of looking up here, even if chance did lead them along the gorge. They couldn't follow my trail if they tried to."

"Then, if we go down quickly, if we get your bag of food and put out the fire down there, and come right back up, it won't be very long before our tracks will be gone. Come; let's hurry."

"Coming," said Gratton. "Yes; we must hurry."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

**Our Government
—How It Operates**

By William Bruckart

MARKET INFORMATION

IN A nation that is as great as ours in volume of things produced, there must in the natural course be an enormous consumption at home of commodities and merchandise produced here. It is essential, therefore, that the producer of agricultural commodities, the processor of those commodities and the distributor of them, all must be up-to-the-minute on market data. The same is true if it be a package of pins, a gusher of oil, a manufacturer of automobiles, and on through the list. So there is the need for domestic facts and figures.

The bureau of foreign and domestic commerce is just as thorough in its study of the domestic markets as it was shown heretofore to be in the assembly of information from the foreign field. Possibly the gathering of information at home is a little more simple than it is abroad, but that is more apparent than real; it only seems more simple because we are more familiar with the practices of commerce and industry here than, say in France or Japan.

Throughout the United States, in all of the principal cities, the department maintains branch offices. Stationed there are men highly trained for their particular work. In the territory in which Akron, Ohio, is located, we find men who have intimate knowledge of the tire industry. Along the seacoast there will be men of shipping experience as well as men with knowledge of whatever other industries make up the principal businesses of the area. In the vast farming areas of the Middle West, there are men with intimate acquaintance with markets for agricultural staples, and so on.

These men are reporting constantly to the home office in Washington, and they are thus serving as advisers to the nation as a whole since it is calculated with some definiteness that our national consumption constitutes about 90 per cent of our production of all commodities put together.

Besides the "field offices," as they are called, there are the various divisions in the headquarters here with specific jobs to do. One of them, for example, has been engaged over a period of several years attempting to find out why some grocery stores prosper and why others alongside will fail. Another crew has been studying the reasons for demand in one section for certain types of merchandise while another community a few hundred miles away wants something of a different type.

The bureau's domestic division has men who are actually serving retail businesses of the country in exactly the same way as a physician treats a patient. They point out how to avoid wasting dollars instead of wasting health; they suggest ways to attract customers to increase trade instead of building up bodily resistance to disease, as the doctor would tell his patient. In other words, these are commercial diagnosticians, and the records would seem to indicate retail trade is on a very much firmer foundation and that the consumer gets more for his dollar as a result of their work.

Statistics constitute an important adjunct of this service, as well as that supplied by the foreign service, and in this the bureau of the census plays its role in behalf of business. I used to think before I knew better that all the bureau of the census did was to count the noses of the nation, but that is only a minor part of its work. It does that job every ten years, and it is an immense task, but all of the other time it is engaged in finding out how many washing machines were produced last year, how many pairs of shoes were manufactured in the first three months of this year, etc.

It always has been a matter of interest to me to observe those census statisticians "in action." They will examine a tabulation several feet square, spend hours doing so. From these figures they make others. Every movement, however, is towards a definite end, namely, a fact.

Here is one result of constant calculation and one that illustrates better than any that comes to mind at the moment: In the census office is a giant electric clocklike machine. It has several hands, moving in clock manner, around the perimeter, and every time this "clock" ticks, it records the birth of an American citizen. In something of the same manner, a death is registered.

Of course, that machine does not register deaths or birth; it merely registers figures on these vital statistics that represent the average number of deaths and the average number of births that have been shown to occur through tabulation of statistics.

One may say that has nothing to do with business, but that is an incorrect assumption. How, for instance, would manufacturers of boys' clothes be able to plan their production programs for ten years hence, say, if they could not figure on a certain increase in population in the territory they reach? That example may not be the best, but it will serve to show to what extent those statistics may be used. It serves to indicate likewise that the domestic staff of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce digs around in the most unexpected places for material with which to fill this new style Pandora's box, into which we will next examine.

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To the Public

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of the News-Mail will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Local News

Valentines, 1 cent, at the Candle Light

C. D. Covington was in Del Rio last Saturday afternoon on business.

E. Webb and L. B. Langston were in San Antonio Tuesday on business.

H. J. Toft of San Antonio was here and spent the week end visiting his son, Harold and family.

C. D. Covington was busy this week moving about one hundred head of cattle to pasturage below Spofford.

Mrs. J. D. Harwood and Mrs. Mary C. Hunt spent the week end visiting Mrs. Harwood's mother in Stockdale.

Friends of Robt. Keplinger will be glad to learn that he successfully underwent the serious operation that was found necessary upon his arrival in San Antonio last week, after several week's illness following an attack of the flu.



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FEBRUARY 4th (SATURDAY)-

Mask Of Fu Manchu

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FEBRUARY 5th (SUNDAY)-

Washington Merry Go Round

With Lee Tracy. Good. Souvenir and Comedy.

FEBRUARY 6th (MONDAY)

Chandu The Magician

With Edmund Lowe. Cartoon: Pitts Todd Comedy.

FEBRUARY 7th (TUESDAY)-

Cabin In The Cotton

Starring Richard Barthelmess. Comedy - News.

FEBRUARY 8th (WEDNESDAY)-

Central Park

With Joan Blondell. Cartoon, Comedy Spotlight

FEBRUARY 9th (THURSDAY)

Night Club Lady

With Alophe Menjou. Spotlight and Our Gang.

Miss Virginia Webb came out from San Antonio Sunday to attend the funeral of C. C. Belcher in Del Rio Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and Mrs. Anderson and daughter Ella Mae of Del Rio visited Mrs. Josephine Keplinger Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Lowe and daughter Miss Marguerite, Mrs. C. L. St. John and Mrs. Cullins were Del Rio visitors Saturday afternoon.

C. R. Adams of San Antonio was in Brackett Monday evening visiting E. Webb and family. Mr. Adams attended the funeral of C. C. Belcher in Del Rio Monday afternoon.

The Editor of the News-Mail has been trying for about a week to interest some of our good looking young ladies to send in their photographs for the San Antonio Express Contest. Any lady wishing to enter the contest please see us at once.

Rev. W. C. Drake was in Montell last Sunday morning and filled the pulpit there at the morning services. He will go there again next Sunday morning and will return in time to fill his regular evening services at the Methodist Church here.

A new residence is being built by Alex Schubach next to his home, and it is a well equipped and appointed home. This new home fills out the block with residences. Only a year or so ago the block contained only the Methodist parsonage, and now boasts of seven good houses.

Heavy payment of car licenses was made Tuesday, the last day of the period set aside for the securing of 1933 licenses. Quite a few cars went into storage. Newspapers Wednesday carried information that both houses of the State Legislature would permit extending time to get 1933 licenses until March 1. That, however is not yet in effect.

Mrs. Robt. Keplinger, Mrs. M. Keplinger and Mrs. Homer B. Jones returned last Saturday evening from San Antonio where they spent several days with Robt. Keplinger who recently underwent a serious operation. We are glad to report that Robt. is recovering and is expected home today.

Unusually fine weather, more like that of Spring than anyone could possibly expect in winter, at this time of the year, has been with us for several weeks past. As a result, grass is now growing strong, and many trees and plants are beginning to show signs of life. The only fear is that a belated cold spell would come soon and do much damage.

C. C. Belcher

C. C. Belcher, prominent Del Rio attorney and for several months past ranching in Kinney County, died Saturday evening about five o'clock, after an extended illness.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon in Del Rio, and was one of the largest ever held there. About fifty Brackettville citizens went over to the funeral.

Mr. Belcher was well known here. He is survived by his mother, a brother, his widow and two children.

Card Of Thanks

We cannot find words to express the measure or the sincerity of our gratitude to these many friends whose tender kindness both to our now departed loved one, Carrie D. Stratton, and ourselves, partook of the real Christ spirit. We thank Him for these friends. We appreciated also the beautiful floral remembrances. The Family.

Radio Bargain

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Basket Ball

The Brackett Firemen basket ball team has been going strong and their last four games have resulted as follows:

- Firemen 42, E Troop 18.
- Firemen 22, E Troop 11
- Fireman 42, B Troop 9.
- Firemen 31, Guarantee Shoe Co. 34.

The firemen went to Eagle Pass Sunday 23 and played the Guarantee Shoe Co. At the end of the first half the firemen were 21 points behind. At the end of the game they were only three points behind. It was a clean game and the Eagle Pass boys were a bunch of clean sports. The same team will return the game next week.

The firemen went to Eagle Pass Thursday 2, to play another team a game. Then that team will also return the game to the firemen real soon. We will also have games matched with Del Rio, Camp Wood and probably Uvalde soon.

So the people of Brackettville are promised some real good games before the season's over.

Dwelling Burns

A small lumber building facing the alley in the rear of the Victor Hidalgo Blue Diamond Store was badly damaged about five o'clock Monday afternoon by fire. The flames spread swiftly and fanned by a light breeze soon wrapped the buildings in flames and but few of the belongings of the occupants, the Juan Ramos family, were saved. Firemen extinguished the blaze with several score people as spectators. Prompt action was needed as there were several residences, a warehouse and Store in the vicinity.

Beginning this week, Miss Winifree Thompson, representative for the Rose Shop in Del Rio, announces that flowers purchased through her will be delivered in Brackett or Ft. Clark free of delivery or telephone charges.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

No. 1274.
Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio Railway Company, et al, vs. Albert Schrader, Sr., et al.

In the District Court, 63rd Judicial District, Kinney County, Texas. THE STATE OF TEXAS - To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kinney County, Texas - GREETING: You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Kinney, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Albert Schrader Sr., whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of the 63rd Judicial District of Texas, held in and for Kinney County, to be holden at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Brackettville, on the eighth Monday after the first Monday in January, 1933, the same being the 27th day of February, A. D. 1933, then and there to answer a Second Amended Petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1933, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 1274, wherein Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio Railway Company and Texas & New Orleans Railroad Company are plaintiffs, and Albert Schrader, Sr., Del Rio Stone Company and Paul D. Page, Jr., Receiver of the Del Rio Stone Company, are defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit: Suit in trespass to try title of and for, and for possession of, all that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Kinney County, Texas, near Pinto Creek, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

A part of the M. Valdez Eleven League Grant, beginning at a point 50 feet southwestward from the center of the main line track of plaintiff, Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio Railway Company, opposite a point 1060 feet N. 32 degrees, 45' W. from the center of west pier of bridge over Pinto Creek, measured along the center of said main track:

Thence S. 7 degrees, 45' W. 2952 feet to pile of rock for corner;
Thence S. 64 degrees, 50' E. 992 feet to corner in the center of said creek;
Thence Northward, following the meanderings of said Creek and in the middle thereof, to a point 50 feet southwestward at right angles from the center of said main track;

Thence N. 32 degrees, 45' W. parallel with and 50 feet from the center of said main track, 1175 feet to beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to the Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio Railway Company by J. H. Pratt and John Hays, by deed dated June 8, 1893; and also for damages in the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars; plaintiffs also claiming and alleging title by limitation under the three years statute, five years statute and ten years statute, and alleging that they have had title and possession of said property continuously for ten years prior to 1893, and during all times since said period beginning ten years prior to 1893, and that they have regularly paid taxes thereon; plaintiffs alleging that they, and each of them, are the fee simple owners of title to said property, and that they also have title under the statutes of limitation of three, five and ten years, and by prescription, and for a period of more than twenty-five years.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of 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 Brackettville, this 10th day of January, A. D. 1933.

Witness: CHAS. VELTMANN, Clerk of District Court, 63rd Judicial District of Texas, in and for Kinney County, Texas. (Issued same day.)
By CARL KARTES, Deputy.

New Bus Service

From Brackettville to Eagle Pass via Spofford

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Notice

In compliance with the law providing for a system of county depositories, I hereby give notice that the Commissioners Court of Kinney County, at a regular term to be held beginning February 13, 1933, will receive proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in this county desiring to be selected as depository of the said funds of said county.

All bids shall be sealed and shall be delivered to me before 10 o'clock A. M. February 13, 1933, stating the rate of interest the bidder offers to pay on the funds of said county for a term of two years beginning sixty days after February 1933. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of \$150 as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and if his bid should be accepted he will enter into the bond required by law for county depositories.

The Commissioners Court will publicly open said bids at 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, February 13, 1933, and select as the county depository the bidder offering the highest rate of interest per annum for said funds, to be computed upon daily balances of the credit of the county with such depository and shall be payable to the County Treasurer monthly.

All bids shall be in conformity with this notice, and no proposition, aside from a straight per centum bid, will be considered.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand this the 19th day of January, 1933.

JNO. S. FRITZER,
County Judge, Kinney County, Texas.

Price & Kamps have received a fresh shipment of Radio "B" Batteries, light and heavy duty sizes. If you need them, we can fix you up.

Social Happenings

Of Brackett and Fort Clark

BY MARY LOUISE THOMPSON

Contract Bridge

Mrs. O. R. Davis was hostess to the Contract Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Denver Keeney.

A delicious sweet course was served.

Bridge-Tea

Mrs. Hamilton H. Hawkins and daughter, Miss Nancy Hawkins, entertained with a lovely bridge-tea on Wednesday afternoon at the Officers' Club.

The club rooms were attractively decorated with spring greenery and the tea table held a lovely center piece formed of candytuft and daffodils with low ovals of violets at each end. Mrs. T. E. Boudinot and Mrs. Wm. Conrow and Mrs. W. W. Yale and Mrs. Dana G. McBride assisted in serving the guests.

Pretty souvenirs were given for high score at each of the nine bridge tables.

Among those from town who attended the party were Mrs. A. E. Bartberger, Mrs. T. J. Martin, Mrs. O. W. Zuehl, Mrs. H. V. Atkinson, Mrs. W. W. Jamieson, Mrs. Rosa Perry, Mrs. John H. Stadler, Mrs. Harry Stadler, Mrs. J. F. Beidler, and Misses Melrose Jamieson, Bess Zuehl, Ammie Lee Jamieson, Gertrude Zuehl and Ellie Perry.

Birthday Party

Miss Joe Alice Judge entertained with a pretty bunco party Sunday in celebration of her 12th birthday anniversary, carrying out a clever Valentine idea in the details and decorations.

Each of the three tables held a small bud vase of red and white

winter stock blossoms for the central decorations. Tally cards were red and white hearts. The luncheon course also portrayed the Valentine motif, fruit salad was served with heart-shaped sandwiches and hot chocolate.

Miss Betty Jean Hybarger and Rufus Moore were successful in the bunco game, each receiving a fancy-candy container in Valentine effect: Susan Yerby and Lloyd Riley were awarded the booby prizes which were also suggestive of the Valentine season.

Those who helped to make the day a happy remembrance for the honoree were Betty Weir, Betty Jean Hybarger, Kathleen Bless, Susan Yerby, Rufus and Harold Moore, Kay Bailey, Lloyd Riley, Francis Louise Rose of Del Rio, Roberta B. Cowley, Katherine, Patsy and Ernest Judge.

Loses Mother

Brig. Gen. Hamilton Hawkins, commanding the Fort Clark post and the First Cavalry Brigade, was called to Washington, D. C., Monday by the death of his mother, 90 years old.

The General's many friends in the post and Brackettville extend condolences.

District Court

District Court will convene in Brackettville on the 27th. inst. with our new District Judge, Hon. Brian Montague, on the bench.

The docket facing this Court will be the heaviest in recent years. Criminal cases, suits, a variety of civil cases, election contests, and other matters will make it busy and interesting.

Carrie Stratton Dies

Miss Carrie D. Stratton, who had been the lone survivor of the tragic automobile accident which on Sunday, January 15th, snuffed out the lives of her brother, Joe R. Stratton, and Joe J. Bosch of Fort Clark, and later cost the life of Harold Bery, third member of the party, died in an Eagle Pass hospital Sunday evening about 7 o'clock.

The condition of Carrie had been considered as critical by her physicians since the time of the accident, and she had been hovering between life and death for two weeks. She suffered considerable from deep burns, bruises and internal injuries received in the crash. Skilled physicians, patient, kind nurses and the loving members of her family surrounded her with an aura of skill, tenderness and love in an effort to pull her through the crisis. All efforts proved fruitless, and the hand of death wrote finis to the most terrible and shocking tragedy in which any of our people had been.

The body was brought to Brackettville Monday evening about dusk. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. from the family residence.

Rev. Father Peter Tomson conducted the religious services at the St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church and the cemetery. Many friends and acquaintances of the family attended the body on its journey to its final resting place. There, surrounded by the sorrowing family and loving ones, and grief-stricken friends, she was laid to rest by the side of her brother, Joe. Myriads of beautiful flowers banked the grave. Many an unbidden tear dimmed the eyes of Carrie's young companions as they witnessed the last rites.

The death of this young lady brings the total number of deaths resulting from this terrible accident up to four. If possible, it deepened the gloom which had prevailed in this community since that tragic night.

Carrie D. Stratton was born in our community, all of her tender sixteen years of life having been spent here with her parents. She was attending the Brackettville high school at the time of this tragic event, and was a young lady of charm and likeable personality. Surviving Carrie are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stratton, two sisters, Mrs. Geo. Sampson and Miss Elizabeth Stratton, and other relatives.

During the time Carrie was in the Eagle Pass hospital many acts of kindness were shown to the injured young lady, to her family, and to Maj. and Mrs. H. F. Wilson, who did everything in their power to mitigate suffering and sorrow.

The heart-felt sympathy of our people go to those sorrowing who have lost loved ones. Their cross has been heavy; may their sufferings partake of the glory that came to the Man of Sorrows.

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Methodist Church

This is the pre-Easter season, when we should be concerned more especially about the resurrection of Our Lord—the final triumph of GOOD, MANLY life over death. Let us keep in mind the fact that the pastor shall hold a two week's revival meeting or adjustment time, beginning on the second of April and lasting until Easter Sunday; there will be preaching services in the evening and a study class in either the morning or afternoon.

This is the time to come to Sunday School! Bring or send those little children!

Service next Sunday is as follows:

Sunday School, 9.30 a. m.
No morning service
Evening Services, 7.30 p. m.
W. Corcoran Drake, Pastor.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas
County of Kinney
R. Floyd Earwood, et al, Plaintiffs
vs.
Paul Rosenow, et al, Defendants

In the District Court of Val Verde County, Texas.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Val Verde County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1933, in favor of R. Floyd Earwood, Del Rio Wool and Mohair Co. and Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, and against the said Eugene I. Lissner, T. R. Owens and Paul Rosenow and other defendants, Number 3796 on the docket of said Court, I did on the 28 day of January A. D. 1933, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the described tracts and parcels of land situated in Kinney County and State of Texas and belonging to the said Eugene I. Lissner, described as follows, to-wit:

6880.27 acres of land described in nine tracts as follows:

1. 132 acres out of Survey 333, Patented to Mathew Kuykendall, Pat. 472, Vol. 4.

2. All of Survey 333, Patented to J. W. Wilkinson, Pat. No. 356, Vol. 5, containing 321 acres of land.

3. All of survey 335, in section 10, Patented to F. A. Waite, Pat. No. 473, Vol. 4, containing 549 acres.

4. 2535.27 acres out of Survey 384, Patented to Fr. Gilbeau, Pat. No. 300, Vol. 6, being two tracts; in first tract containing 1392.43 acres and the second tract containing 341.74 acres, both of said tracts lying North of the G. H. & S. A. R. R. right of way.

5. 793 acres out of survey 313, patented to Thos. A. Watson, Pat. No. 368, Vol. 5.

6. 329 acres being the East part of Survey 836, patented to John Jones, Pat. No. 22, Vol. 38.

7. 731 acres out of Survey 327, patented to Adam Byerly, Pat. No. 498, Vol. 8.

8. 711 acres out of Survey 607, patented to John Erwin by Pat. No. 454, Vol. 23.

9. 768 acres out of survey 323, Patented to Ralph W. Giffin, Pat. No. 331, Vol. 3.

All of said lands being more particularly described in a deed from R. Floyd Earwood to Paul Rosenow which is of record in the Deed Records of Kinney County, Texas, reference which is here made for a more particular description, said land being approximately fifteen miles Southeast of Brackettville and what is generally known as the Eugene Lissner ranch, and on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1933, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said Eugene I. Lissner and the other defendants in and to said property.

Dated at Brackettville, this the 28 day of January A. D. 1933.

J. H. BALLANTYNE,
Sheriff, Kinney County, Texas

Spofford News

Mrs. Okley Jones has returned after spending a month with home folks at Kerrville.

Henry Dillon was a San Antonio visitor one day last week.

Mrs. H. C. O'Dell and Mrs. H. A. Luce spent Thursday in Del Rio.

Mrs. R. C. Carley and little son returned home Thursday after spending the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Bud Custer and Mrs. W. English from the Anacacho ranch spent Monday afternoon with friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Reid Hale spent Tuesday in Brackettville.

Mr. Aren Patterson was a business visitor in Uvalde one day last week.

Mr. Boicourt returned home after spending several weeks in San Antonio.

York Wilbern of Brackettville was a business visitor here Sunday.

Mr. Steve Matlock of Del Rio spent a few hours with friends Tuesday.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met Wednesday with an all day meeting. Mrs. Brooks from Sabinal taught a missionary book entitled "Great Joy" to a class of twelve. Refreshments were served.

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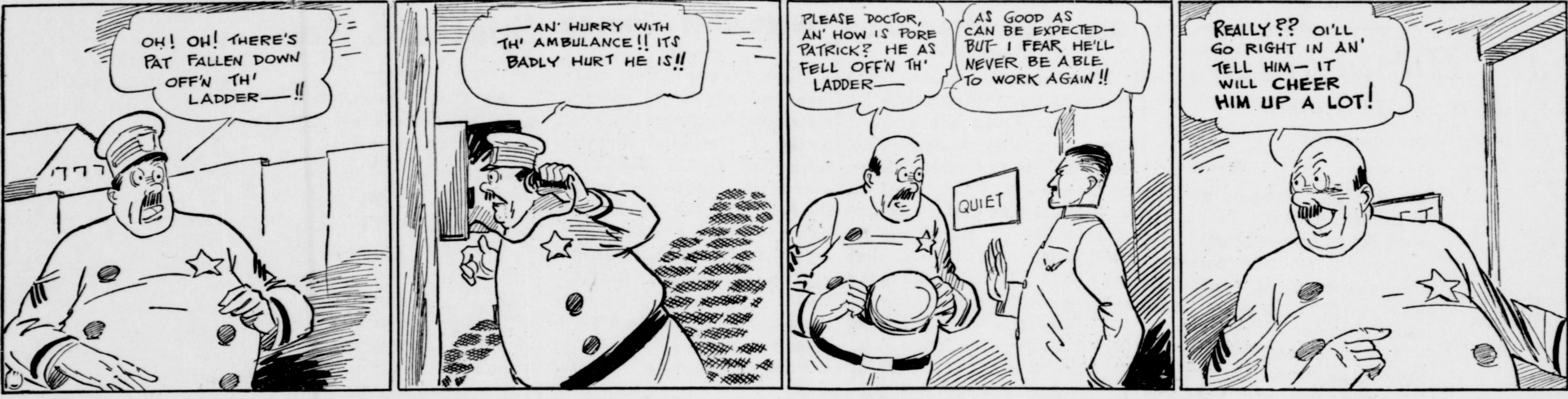
THE FEATHERHEADS

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FINNEY OF THE FORCE

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No Candidates



ONE TOO MANY



"Why don't you get married?"
"Too expensive—I belong to two sparring clubs now."

A DIRTY SLAM



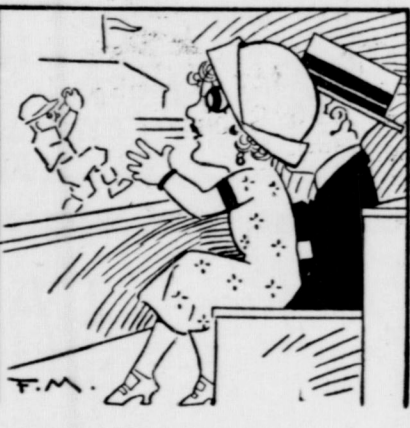
"Burglar got into the house last night—ought to have seen me going downstairs!"
"Was he on the top floor?"

A STRONG CHARACTER



"Tom is a man of very strong character."
"You surprise me. What makes you think so?"
"I heard him publicly admit he liked prunes."

AT THE GAME



She—Isn't he a fine pitcher? Such accuracy I never saw!
He—A fine pitcher—what!
She—Yes; he seems to hit the bat so often, you know.

WELL DESERVED



He—All the big bugs present complimented that girl athlete on her wonderful feat.
She (jealously)—And so they might—that woman wears a number eight!

HIS ANTIQUES



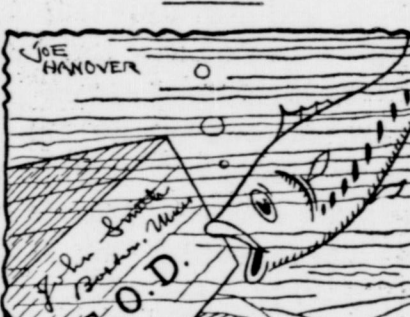
He—I may be miserly, but I'm a great lover of antiques.
She (who has ridden in them)—Do you refer to your automobiles?

LUCKY



"Didja hear about Joe Goof?"
"No! Did he win some more money?"
"He's the luckiest guy I know."
"Lucky me eye! Poor Joe fell 1,000 feet out of an airplane."
"Well, I betcha he landed feet first."

POOR FISH



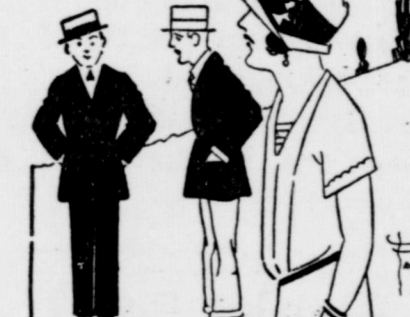
Good gracious, they must have some poor fish in that box!

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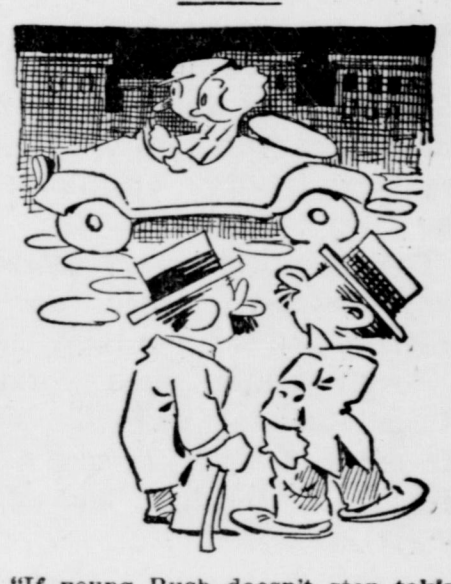
She—I just bet you'd look good in Cinemas.
He—I bet I would, too, but I always wear a night shirt.

THROWING THINGS



"Before she married him she regarded him as a good catch, they say."
"And since she married him she thinks herself a good pitcher, I hear."

THE PROBABLE RESULT



"If young Rush doesn't stop taking that girl on motor rides it'll result in breaking her heart."
"Don't think so—it's more likely to result in breaking her neck."

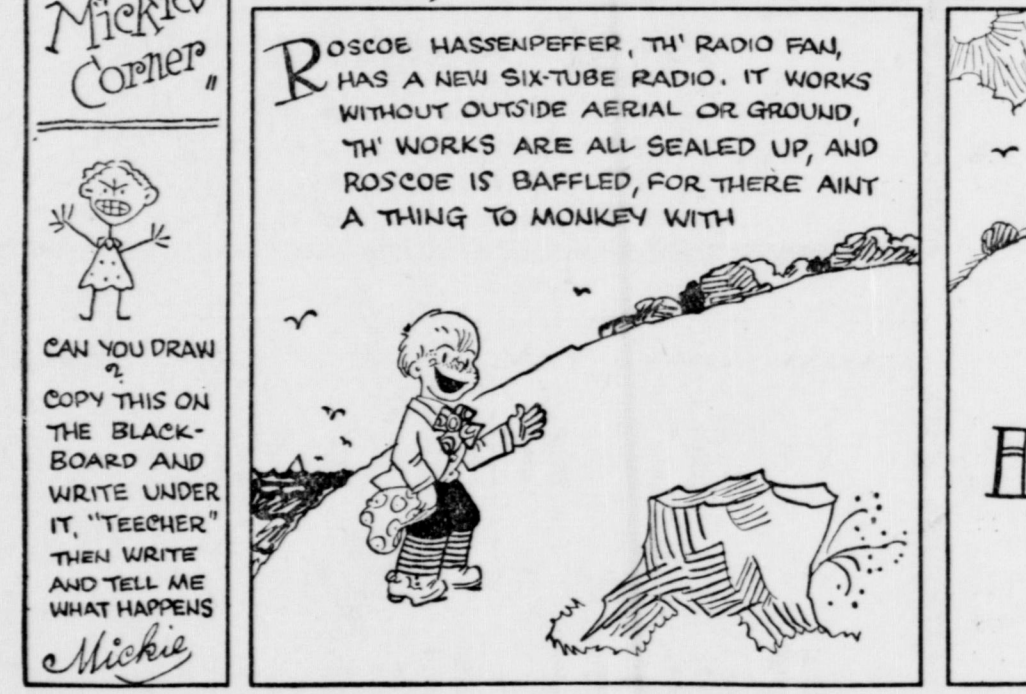
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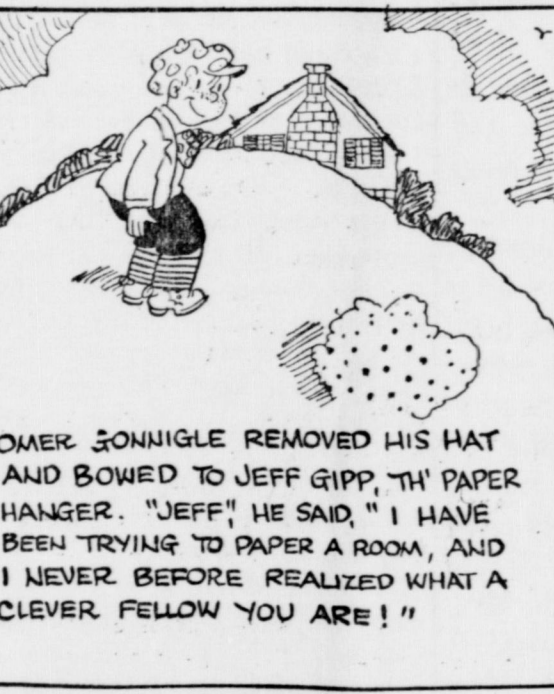
"His suicide was a great shock to the community, I suppose?"
"Decidedly—he used ten sticks of dynamite, they say."

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

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ROSCOE HASSENPEFFER, TH' RADIO FAN, HAS A NEW SIX-TUBE RADIO. IT WORKS WITHOUT OUTSIDE AERIAL OR GROUND, TH' WORKS ARE ALL SEALED UP, AND ROSCOE IS BAFFLED, FOR THERE AIN'T A THING TO MONKEY WITH.



HOMER BONNIGLE REMOVED HIS HAT AND BOWED TO JEFF GIPP, TH' PAPER HANGER. "JEFF," HE SAID, "I HAVE BEEN TRYING TO PAPER A ROOM, AND I NEVER BEFORE REALIZED WHAT A CLEVER FELLOW YOU ARE!"



ARTHUR ANK PAINTED HIS CAR WITH A PAINT WHICH WAS GUARANTEED TO MAKE ANY CAR LOOK LIKE NEW. ART'S CAR WAS A 1918 MODEL, BUT SOON AFTER HE FINISHED TH' JOB, SOMEBODY STOLE THE CAR!

Village Gossip

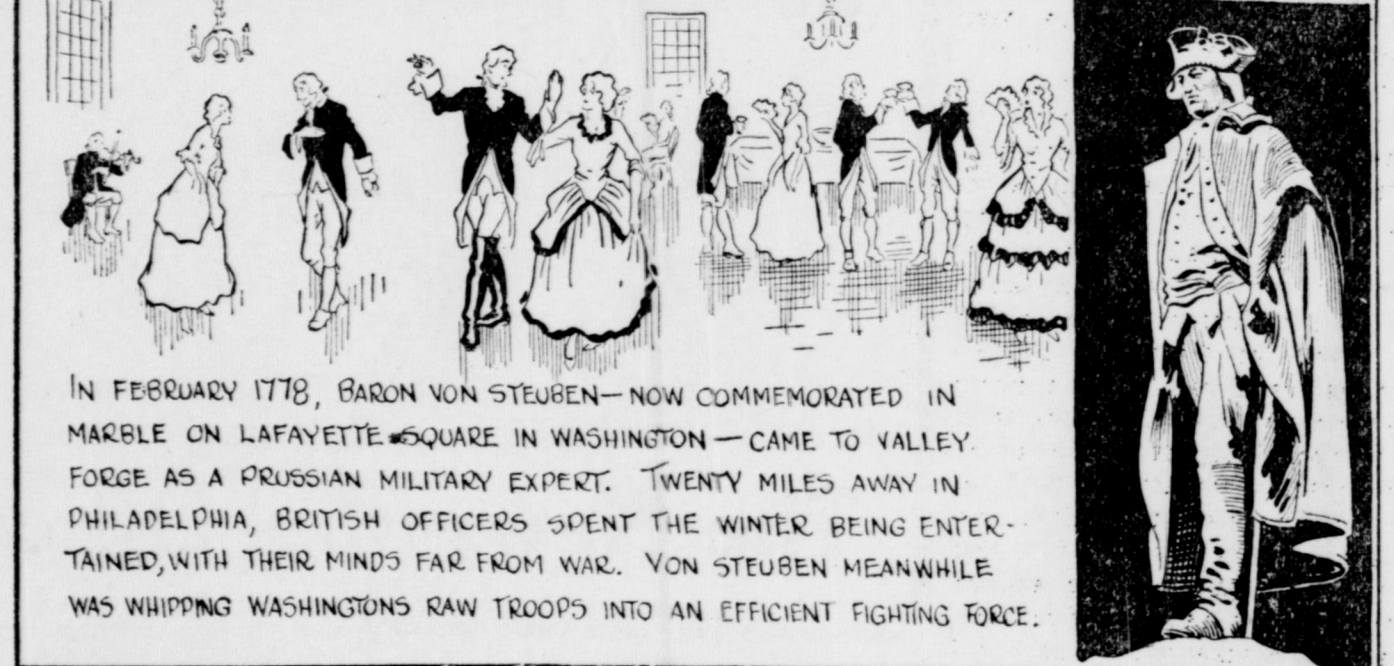


JIMMY SNOOK GOT HIS PAIR OF SNOW SHOES FROM TH' MAIL ORDER HOUSE TODAY, AFTER WAITING ALL WINTER, BUT THEY NEGLECTED TO SEND ANY SNOW, JIMMY SEZ.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S TRAVELS

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Historically Correct Sketches
By CALVIN FADER



IN FEBRUARY 1778, BARON VON STEUBEN—NOW COMMEMORATED IN MARBLE ON LAFAYETTE SQUARE IN WASHINGTON—CAME TO VALLEY FORGE AS A PRUSSIAN MILITARY EXPERT. TWENTY MILES AWAY IN PHILADELPHIA, BRITISH OFFICERS SPENT THE WINTER BEING ENTERTAINED, WITH THEIR MINDS FAR FROM WAR. VON STEUBEN MEANWHILE WAS WHIPPING WASHINGTON'S RAW TROOPS INTO AN EFFICIENT FIGHTING FORCE.



SIR HENRY CLINTON WHO HAD SUCCEEDED LORD HOWE MADE AN ATTEMPT TO GET HIS TROOPS OUT OF PHILADELPHIA AND UP TO NEW YORK. HE MADE A HURRIED MARCH TOWARD MONMOUTH ON JUNE 18, 1778, HOWEVER WASHINGTON WAS ON HIS TRAIL AND BEAT THE BRITISH IN THE BATTLE OF MONMOUTH. IT WAS IN THIS BATTLE THAT CHARLES LEE PROVED HIMSELF A TRAITOR. IT WAS AT MONMOUTH ALSO THAT MOLLY PITCHER TOOK THE PLACE OF HER HUSBAND AT A CANNON AS HE LAY DYING AT HER FEET.



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Rev. P. Tonson, Rector.

Railroad Schedule
SOUTHERN PACIFIC MAIN LINE
Spofford, Texas.
EAST BOUND
No 2..... 11:28 AM
WEST BOUND
No 1..... 6:40 P.M.
Eagle Pass Branch
South
Mixed Lv. Spofford... 5:00 AM
North - Coming In
Mixed Ar. Spofford .. 4:00 AM

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Two Fox terriers, one black and white, other brown and white, two years old; wore collars. Reward offered for return to Gen. Hamilton Hawkins, Fort Clark, Texas.

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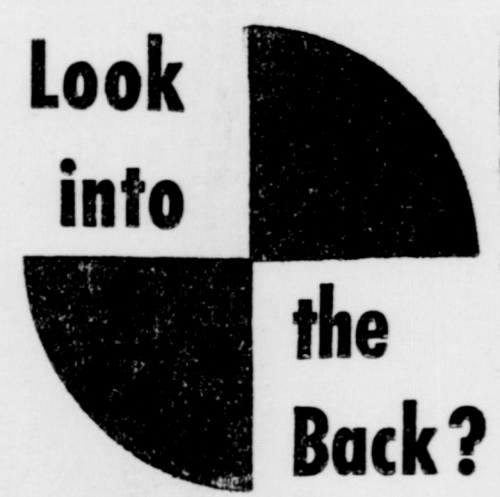
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Posted
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THE TAX MENACE A GROWING CRISIS

By FRANCIS H. SISSON
President American Bankers Association

NO danger, economic or social, more seriously menaces our life, happiness and prosperity than the rising tide of taxes which threaten to engulf us. This is not simply a problem of the depression. It has been developing for many years, growing more serious all the time. The depression merely brought it to a climax. Unless drastic steps are taken to reverse this trend the problem will not end with the depression. It will continue to weigh down and retard progress for an indefinite period.

In city, county, state and nation the orgy of spending has run on. It is estimated that in the United States the total cost of all government is nearly five times what it was before the World War. Many localities have been brought to the verge of bankruptcy by their expenditures, while many have saddled their citizens with a debt burden that will darken their lives and hamper their progress for years to come.

The total cost of Federal, state and local government in the United States is estimated at forty-six million dollars a day. Based on national income in 1930, this represents about one-fifth the total income of our people, or about \$110 for every individual in the nation. Total taxes in 1931 are estimated to have taken more than 22 per cent of the national income. It is occasion for serious thought on the part of everyone when one day's income out of every four or five must be contributed to the maintenance of government machinery.

Reductions Possible
United States Government expenditures were reduced one hundred and forty million dollars during the first quarter of the current fiscal year. The recent action of bankers in calling a halt to unnecessary expenditures of New York City as prerequisite to loans will reduce the cost of government in the country's metropolis, which is second in its expenditures to only the Federal Government. No state in the Union, in fact, no other government on this hemisphere, spends half as much as this one city. These savings in Federal and municipal costs are only the beginning of a movement needed throughout the country, if we are to be led out of depression into prosperity.

Unless the people can be made to realize that money for governmental expenditure can come only from their own pockets as taxpayers, casting depressing effects on both individual effort and general business, there is an imminent threat that we may be forced to meet economic difficulties similar to those that have so seriously handicapped other countries. The question is not primarily one of merely paring government salaries or shaving budgets, but rather of curtailing government activities for which we cannot afford to pay.

The idea that money for these mounting extravagances can be raised by following the slogan "Soak the Rich" is utterly fallacious, for such a policy will simply exterminate "the rich" and eliminate sources of revenue. It is also important to realize that corporate business in this country is in no position to withstand the effects of indefinite advances in tax rates. Current earning reports reveal that fact beyond shadow of doubt. The tax base must be broadened, and it therefore seems likely that Congress will be called upon to reconsider the sales tax, at least as a temporary measure to help meet a critical condition in the nation's finance.

Deposit 'Guarantee' Fails of Purpose

LOS ANGELES.—While the idea of the guarantee of bank deposits by some legally enforced plan seems to appeal to many people who give it casual thought, the fact is that it has not only failed in every instance in the eight states where the experiment was tried, but actually produced unsound banking and increased the number of failures. It was declared by the recent convention of the American Bankers Association held here.

"Guaranty of bank deposits carries an idea that naturally appeals to people in general on casual consideration," the declaration said. "However, in principle it is unsound and in practice it is unworkable. It has been tried in eight States and it has not only failed in every case, but it has resulted in increasing the number of bank failures. Taxing properly managed banks to make up losses of failed banks is not only unfair and unreasonable, but it weakens the whole banking structure. Again, guaranty of deposits places the incompetent and reckless banker on an equal footing with the able and conservative banker, which encourages bad banking at the expense of sound banking. We are therefore opposed to the passage of any law carrying a guaranty of bank deposits and believe that it is against the interest of the people of the United States to develop any such system."

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