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Legion Auxiliary Ends Convention At Carlsbad Sun.

Climaxing a strenuous convention campaign, the New Mexico American Legion Auxiliary Sunday at Carlsbad selected Mrs. Lorraine Zent of Silver City as president. She defeated Mrs. Crystal Darst of Artesia by only five votes. The vote was 63 to 58.

Closing their three-day convention here at Carlsbad in conjunction with the Legion, the Auxiliary adjourned after their election of officers featured by several close races between candidates.

Mrs. Ruth Dobbs of Carlsbad was named first vice-president in another spirited balloting as she bested a fellow townsman.

Mrs. Chester Beber of Albuquerque was named second vice-president. Some difficulty arose over designation by the Auxiliary of its choice for western area vice-president, an office to be filled at the national convention in St. Louis.

An effort was made to shut off candidates after the name of Mary Chapman was offered, but friends of Mrs. Cary Blair of Albuquerque rallied and got her name before the convention. In a vote between the two, Mrs. Chapman, who is from Santa Fe, was chosen, 63 to 49.

Blanche Lucero of Santa Fe was named treasurer of the Auxiliary and other officers were chosen as follows: Ophelia Valdez, Taos, historian; Mrs. Antonia Montano, Las Vegas, sergeant-at-arms, and Mrs. Florence Lebeck, Gallup, chaplain.

Delegates to the national convention are: Minnie Hyland, Las Cruces; Anna Killinger, Magdalena; Mrs. Ann Cook, Albuquerque; Mrs. Katherine Lieberman, Gallup; Mrs. A. L. Atherton, Albuquerque; and Mrs. Cary Blair, Albuquerque.

Alternate delegates are: Mrs. Barbara Cantrell, Gallup; Mrs. Albert Richards, Artesia; Mrs. Josephine Haller, Gallup; Mrs. Burns McIntoch, Albuquerque; Mrs. Shirley Nutter Gillam, Raton, and Mrs. Maude Jones, Albuquerque.

FIRE GUARDS REMOVED
Fire guards have been removed from all but two lookout towers in the Sacramento mountains, including one at Mayhill, it was announced at Alamogordo last week. General rains over the mountain section has made the presence of the guards unnecessary, it was stated.

MORE SALES TAX TOKENS ORDERED BY NEW MEXICO
SANTA FE—With a new order of 200,000 sales tax tokens to be purchased, Ben D. Luchini, director of the sales tax division, announced Wednesday that the total in the state soon will exceed 1,000,000, valued at approximately \$1,000.

Rancher Is Shot To Death Monday
Murder charges were filed late Monday against Silas McCabe, 50-year-old Pleasant Valley rancher, in connection with the fatal shooting shortly before noon of J. J. Rose, 43-year-old rancher, at Portales.

A coroner's jury at Portales in the afternoon found Rose came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by McCabe.

Both ranchers are residents of the Pleasant Valley community, about 16 miles southeast of Elida, and Deputy Sheriff Bob Poindexter of Roosevelt county, said family trouble was responsible for the shooting.

Rose was shot while he sat on the bannister of the county court house veranda, Poindexter said. McCabe, he said, allegedly walked up near Rose and pulling a revolver from his shirt, fired five times. Rose died almost instantly.

DOW SEEKS JUDGESHIP
Former Attorney General Robert Dow, and former Lovington attorney, may be the next federal judge in the Virgin Islands, according to word from Washington received in Santa Fe last week.

Dow, who is an attorney in Washington for the NRA and expects to wind up his work in that position in the next few months, has been actively seeking the island judgeship. He has been endorsed by many New Mexico citizens and officials.

Among those reported to have endorsed Dow is A. L. Zinn, supreme court justice, who was reported recently to have been seeking the Virgin Island bench place for himself.

400 Students In Junior College Seek Aid in NYA

The Eastern New Mexico Junior College has made application to Tom Popejoy, recently appointed assistant administrator for the National Youth Administration in New Mexico, for aid for 400 students, whose applications are on file at the office of President Donald MacKay.

Two building projects utilizing 100 students are contemplated if sufficient money can be obtained from the National Youth Administration to finance them.

A survey of Clovis, Portales, and Elida business, professional, industrial and agricultural interests is being completed to show the cooperation in the program for apprenticeship for the students attending college.

LA LUZ BRIDGE WASHED OUT
According to information Monday a ten-foot wall of water, flowing down a tributary wash into the La Luz canyon at the La Luz Clay Products plant six miles east of La Luz, washed out a large timber bridge spanning the draw.

Cotton Is Growing Off Rapidly Now

Cotton farmers may again have to battle the inroads of the leaf and boll worm, it was learned here the first of the week. The leaf or army worm has appeared in many fields in large numbers and is said to be especially prevalent in the Cottonwood section. The army worm which has given farmers considerable trouble this year, is believed to be the same as the leaf worm, which has made its appearance here in previous years during the fall months. The white boll worm has also appeared in large numbers over the cotton growing section, it is reported.

Despite the worm pestilence, cotton has made a rapid growth throughout the district during the past month and notwithstanding the fact that the plantings were later than usual last spring the development of cotton at this time is practically on par with the corresponding season of a year ago. There are quite a few bolls developed sufficiently to turn speckle.

MEN'S CLUB HOLDS FARMER'S NIGHT
The Men's club met in the undercroft of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday night and was served a most delicious supper by the ladies of the Presbyterian church. Twenty-two were present.

It was decided that the committee of the community fair would meet and further their plans on the matter.

J. T. West discussed the work on the improvement of highway 31 and a committee will be appointed to cooperate with Lovington and Roswell in the seeking of the improvement of this road.

E. O. Moore gave a highly interesting talk on the Felix shallow water basin covering the probable capacity of this basin, its origin and its fluctuations during the pumping season.

C. N. Moore gave a short sketch of the speech made by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace at Clovis during the meeting recently held there. He also gave a talk on the purposes and aims of the state taxpayers association.

In a letter to Frank McCarthy of the Men's club, L. C. Brown, the county agent, outlined advantages of commercial feeding of cattle and sheep in the Pecos valley, and the cooperative shipping phase of the plan. Also that Farmer's week at State College will begin on Monday, August 19, rooms will be furnished at dormitory, but bedding must be brought. Meals will be given for \$5.00 per week, and that Gov. Tingley will be there on the 20th.

VALUATIONS OF CORPORATIONS DROP
SANTA FE—A decrease of slightly more than \$2,500,000 was recorded in the state's 1935 corporate valuation, \$129,111,797 from that of 1934, \$131,638,967, Chairman Byron O. Beall of the state tax commission, said Friday. Principal factor in the slump, Beall explained, was the \$2,000,000 reduction in valuation granted the Chino Copper company plant at Hurley. Certified corporate valuations were mailed Friday by the commission to all county inclusion in county tax rolls.

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First Group of 27 Rural Schools Approved for WPA

About \$250,000 Figured For Group; Federal Government Will Contribute Over Half of Expense Involved.

SANTA FE—Gov. Clyde Tingley Tuesday announced the first group of twenty-seven rural school projects has been approved by the Works Progress Administration here and the projects have been sent now to Washington for final approval.

About a quarter of a million dollar expenditure is contemplated in the group. Applications for new schools have come from the following counties, the governor said: Santa Fe, eight; Rio Arriba, six; Valencia, two; Lincoln, one; Dona Ana, one; Sandoval, two; McKinley, one; Luna, two; Sierra, one; Colfax, one, and Curry, one.

Of the estimated expense of \$217,062.95 for the group, the federal government will contribute, if they are approved, \$148,652.72, and school districts will supply \$68,410.23 worth of material as their share. It is estimated 681 workers will be required on the first group.

Clovis To Get 1936 American Legion Meeting

Convention At Carlsbad Operates Under Own Charter for First Time In Two Years; Local Man Vice-Commander.

The sixteenth annual convention of the American Legion adjourned at Carlsbad Saturday after electing officers and selecting Clovis as the 1936 convention city. Among the officers elected included on from Artesia, W. H. Clady, as vice-commander. Edwin G. Hobbs of Melrose was elected as the new department commander and Ed Safford of Santa Fe, as national committeeman. The date of the next convention will be chosen by the new commander and his committee shortly after the first of the year.

Vice-commanders selected, including W. H. Clady were: H. C. Neuffer of Albuquerque and O. C. Brandon of Clayton. Dr. Wallace Martin was selected as alternative national committeeman and W. L. Russell of Albuquerque as chaplain and Lawrence Reed as sergeant at arms.

District commanders elected were: Felipe M. Garcia of Albuquerque, district one; Eben Jones of Raton, district two; L. R. Conarty, Carlsbad, district three; Harlow Hyland, Las Cruces, district four, and Don Redenbaught, Belen, district five.

Delegates to the national convention are Hobbs, Roy Cook of Albuquerque, Everett Grantham of Clovis; Paul Gantz of Silver City; Joe Lieberman of Gallup; Dr. R. G. Hollis of Fort Stanton, and the department adjutant who is to be appointed by the department commander.

New Constitution Chosen
Alternates elected were A. L. Atherton, H. C. Neuffer, J. W. Chapman, H. W. Kane, George T. Harris, Dan Vaughn and W. B. (Continued on last page, col. 2)

Wild Prediction Sends People At Roswell To Hills

The wild prediction that the Pecos river is to have a twenty-foot wall of water flowing down the valley hasn't come true at press time. This prediction, made by a seer, who is said to have predicted the death of Senator Cutting and the Morro Castle fire, has foreseen the sinking of the entire valley and a twenty-foot wall of water in the Pecos river sometime today. The prediction is said to have been taken seriously by several Roswell residents and traffic west from Roswell yesterday was said to be heavy. Some have camped on top of the Six Mile hill west of Roswell.

Apparently people here have paid little or no attention to the rumor, at least they are still in town and we "ain't" sunk yet.

Many Vaccinated Against Typhoid In Two Sections

Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer, and Mrs. G. C. Kinder, school nurse, drove to Lake Arthur Monday and vaccinated eighty-one people against typhoid. On the same afternoon Dr. Puckett and Mrs. Kinder were met at the Parker store on the Cottonwood by Mrs. Schaubel, Chaves county nurse, and assisted by Mrs. O. E. Puckett, vaccinated 125 people.

It was learned here Dr. Puckett plans to return to the Parker store on the Cottonwood Monday, where additional typhoid vaccinations will be administered.

STATE TO GET EROSION FUNDS
Recent allocations of funds for soil conservation work included New Mexico, H. G. Calkins, southwest regional conservator, has stated. New Mexico will get about \$2,177,721. \$1,026,084 of this for relief wages and the balance for administration, supplies, equipment and materials.

Oil, Gas Permits Extend to Dec. '37

WASHINGTON—The house last Thursday added its approval to that of the senate for a definite change of governmental policy affecting oil and gas prospecting on the public domain.

The measure went back to the senate for expected concurrence in house amendments.

Most important change made in the house was contained in an amendment offered by Greever. This provides for extension to December 31, 1937, of all outstanding permits which are in good standing.

The O'Mahoney-Greever bill provides for prospecting leases of five years on unproven or wildcat territory or so long as oil or gas are found in paying quantities. Leases on proven areas would be for ten years or so long as oil or gas is found in paying quantities.

Representative Righ (R-Penn.), member of the house public lands committee which considered the bill, took the floor to commend the work of Greever and Representative Dempsey (D-NM) on the bill.

DEXTER BOY ON COAST WITH SINGERS' GROUP
E. Oldham Moore, Sr., of Dexter, received a telegram yesterday from his son, E. Oldham Moore, Jr., member of a singing group called the "Balladores and Balladettes" of Amarillo Junior College, from San Diego, California.

The telegram stated that the group of singers gave their second broadcast over the National Broadcasting company network on Tuesday night of this week and will go on the air again on Friday night at 10:00 to 10:30 p. m.

It was also stated that the group which won the Texas Music Meet at San Angelo, Texas, last year, were to have transcriptions taken of their program Friday night by the Warner Brothers motion picture company.

Moore is a baritone in the group, Mr. Moore stated, and the entire group is scheduled to enter the junior college again in the fall to resume study.

STATE HAS APPROVED LOVINGTON STREET AND PARK PROJECT
Information from Santa Fe confirms the report that a project has been approved by state board for PWA work in Lovington, to improve the streets, such as proper grades and possibly a caliche surface. The town has long felt the need of a park, and if the plan meets with approval in Washington, the park will be included it is hoped. Lovington will unanimously raise her part of the funds for the projects.

PORTALES NOW HAS SECOND BANK
A second bank was opened in Portales Monday. While it is new to Portales, it is not a new bank, being the successor to the First National Bank of Elida, which was chartered in 1906. J. S. Click, who has been with the institution since the beginning will be president of the new Portales bank, which will be known as the Portales National Bank.

News from Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Heitman at State College, is that they are very pleasantly located. Frederick has a position in the office with F. C. Coffey and just recently had a very nice raise in salary.

BOY SCOUT JAMBOREE HAS BEEN CANCELLED
It was announced at Washington Friday that the Boy Scout Jamboree had been cancelled and Boy Scout officials sought to turn back thousands of Boy Scouts already en route to Washington.

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Hagerman Enters Team In Softball Tourney Aug. 26th

Long smouldering interest in softball has suddenly burst into flame with the announcement that Hagerman business men have succeeded in persuading an "All-Star" team to represent this city in the coming tourney at Roswell during the week of August 26th where the winner, it is said, will be sent on to Denver for further competition.

Alma Nail will handle the business affairs of the All-Stars, having already matched preliminary games with Carlsbad and Artesia in preparation for the following week's play.

Since Hagerman was the first town in eastern New Mexico to sponsor and equip a diamond for night ball, the team from here is naturally expected to be a contender for championship honors.

As last year, Wilfred McCormick has again been given complete charge of selecting and managing the All-Star aggregation that Hagerman will place on the field. He plans to re-organize most of the same stellar group that last summer easily held its own with the best that Roswell and other valley teams could send against them.

One of these games, local fans remember, resulted in a sensational 1 to 0 victory over the Roswell All-Stars in what was probably the most tightly contested battle ever to be staged here.

In speaking of the members he has named on the present organization, Mr. McCormick says: "I realize, of course, that there may be some criticism over certain players on my list. This is only natural. If every softball fan in Hagerman were to pick a team, it is doubtful if any two would be similar throughout. The men I am picking, however, constitute a team I feel Hagerman should be glad to support. Our pitching staff ranks with anything in the state, our boys can hit, they can field, they have confidence, and they will be good sports, regardless of the outcome."

Following is the team selected: Catchers: Harrison Hampton and Rufus Campbell. Pitchers: Ike Boyce and Sam Derrick. Third base: George Evans. Shortstop: Howard Beasley. Second base: Orville Ford. First base: Alma Nail and Wilfred McCormick.

Short field: Leonard George and John Langenegger. Left field: Brennan Witt. Center field: John Allen. Right field: Wayne Graham. Utility: Curly Derrick.

WYOMING PUBLISHER DIES
CASPER, Wyoming—A. J. Haggett, 70, publisher of the Inland Oil Index, died at his home here early Tuesday after a long illness.

State Allotted Sum \$1,244,000 for WPA

SANTA FE—The New Mexico senatorial delegation Tuesday night notified Governor Clyde Tingley of the approval of \$1,244,000 by the Federal Allotment Board, WPA, for the initial works progress projects in the state.

The allotment now is recommended to the president for his signature, the message from Senators Hatch and Chavez informed the governor.

Launching of the program in New Mexico by September 1 was the prediction given Tuesday night by Lea Rowland, state WPA director.

"Of course the money will not become available until President Roosevelt has signed the allotment but I probably shall be notified within a day or two that the presidential approval has been given," he said. The state is ready to begin work on its first projects as soon as the money is available, he added.

Rowland Tuesday was asked by federal officials for more detailed information on some projects recently submitted, and the segregation by counties of others which were submitted as a state-wide basis. This request was answered by return mail and action should be taken on the projects soon, he said.

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ROOSEVELT OK'S SOCIAL SECURITY

Measure Gives Protection To 30,000,000 People Thru Pensions; Unemployment Compensation Aids Many More.

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt yesterday signed into law a social security program he said would "provide for the United States an economic structure of vastly greater soundness."

"This social security measure," Mr. Roosevelt added, "gives at least some protection to 30,000,000 of our citizens who will reap direct benefits through unemployment compensation, through old age pensions and through increased services for the protection of children and the prevention of ill health."

The president spoke into sound cameras crowding the White House cabinet room after his pen welded to the statute books the security program molded in studies begun more than a year ago. It was seven months going through the house and senate.

(The law sets up systems of old age pensions and unemployment insurance, and special care for dependent children and mothers, and contains a huge tax program to raise the necessary funds).

About him stood Secretary Perkins, Chairman Harrison (D-Miss.) of the senate finance committee, Chairman Doughton (D-NC) of the house ways and means committee, and Senator Wagner (D-NY) and Representative Lewis (D-Md), who originally introduced security bills.

"Today, a hope of many years standing is in large part fulfilled," said Mr. Roosevelt, at the outset of his short talk. He concluded by saying that if congress had done nothing else "in this long and arduous session xxx the session would be regarded as historic for all time."

SPORTSMEN IN COUNTY HOLD ANNUAL MEET
Sportsmen estimated at 200 attended the Chaves County Game Protective association annual dinner-meeting at the Roswell Country Club last night.

Speakers at the meeting included Judge James B. McGhee, president of the county organization, J. Stokely Ligon of Carlsbad, game expert, and M. Stevenson, deputy game warden.

Elliott S. Barker, state game warden and prospective speaker at the meeting, wired his apologies and impossibility of his being present.

Mr. Ligon made the main speech of the evening using as his subject the Taylor Grazing Act in its application to game problems. In elaborating on the possible benefits to be gained by game if the rules and regulations covering the range practices as set down by the act are carried out Mr. Ligon stated that an increased amount of forage and seed would be made available for wild life as well as added coverage for birds and small animal life. Range forage, he stated, must be preserved in order to preserve wild life.

Mr. Stevenson's talk was devoted to the amount of feed stuffs available on ranges at this time for prairie chicken particularly, and other bird life in general, and he predicted the possibility of an open season non prairie chickens in this section in 1936.

Board Approves 546 Applications Grazing Permits

Five hundred and forty-six grazing applications were approved by the Southeastern New Mexico Grazing district board, it was announced at Roswell Friday, at the close of the session of the board of directors of district six. The board considered all applications on file and made recommendations regarding issuance of temporary grazing licenses covering stock being run within the district on public domain, customarily used by the applications, Sam Williams, board member, reported.

These temporary licenses are not to be considered allotments of range, but are intended to legalize the use of public domain by qualified applicants, until such time as permanent range allotments can be made.

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WNU SERVICE



SYNOPSIS

The little town of Heron River is eagerly awaiting the arrival of Anna ("Silver") Grenoble, daughter of "Gentleman Jim," formerly of the community, but known as a gambler, news of whose recent murder in Chicago has reached the town. Sophronia Willard, Jim Grenoble's sister, with whom the girl is to live, is at the depot to meet her. Sophronia's household consists of her husband, and stepsons, Roderick and Jason. The Willards own only half of the farm on which they live, the other half being Anna Grenoble's. On Silver's arrival Duke Melbank, shiftless lawyer, makes himself obnoxious. Roderick is on the eve of marriage to Corinne Meader, daughter of a failed banker. Silver declares her eagerness to live on the farm, and says she has no intention of selling her half, which the Willards had feared.

CHAPTER III—Continued

Rapidly he took stock of himself. It was three years new since he had been graduated from college, and although he still clung jealously to what he had learned there, the soil had taken him back to itself again. He had worked the Grenoble land since he was fifteen, and had vowed that some day it would be his own in fact. And now—

Roddy brought his car to a stop in the little garage beside the barn, and climbed out of it. He walked slowly through the starlit darkness up the path to the house.

He let himself in through the back door and struck a match, found the lamp and lit it. Odd, he thought, but he could have sworn he had heard a footstep in the front hall. He moved through the house and saw a white-faced girl standing in the hall with one foot on the first step of the stairway. She had a flowered, thick robe wrapped tightly about her, and she carried a flashlight and a pair of slippers. Her hair hung to her shoulders, and her eyes were in that startling moment, enormous.

Silver was the first to speak. "I suppose you are Roddy Willard," she said almost breathlessly. "Yes," he said, and came forward with his hand outstretched. "And you are Anna Grenoble, of course." He tried to relax his mouth into a smile, to check his agitation. "Yes," she said smiling faintly. "I only just heard—in Heron River—about what happened to your father," he said haltingly. "I'm terribly sorry."

Silver stood with one hand on the balustrade and gave him a shadowy look. "Thank you, I—" Her voice trailed away. "I couldn't sleep—so I went for a walk—down to the old house. I—I didn't expect to be caught prowling." She gave him an odd look, half apology, half defiance. "Good night," she said.

"Good night," he said. Sleep was out of the question. Roddy went back to the kitchen, turned the lamp low and stepped out the back door. The delicate bitterness of coming harvest filled his nostrils when he drew a deep breath. In a few days he would be a married man—and Corinne Meader established in the house of a farmer who looked into the future with blind eyes.

He found it difficult to believe that Jim Grenoble's death had coincided so nearly with his asking Corinne to marry him. It was almost like rust coming on the eve of reaping.

CHAPTER IV

TOWARD noon of the next day, Sophronia and Silver stood together on a crest of the gentle ridge which supported the new farmstead. The girl had her hands in the pockets of her white linen dress, and her eyes, which Phronie had ascertained were a very dark blue, were fixed upon the old Roderick had placed a ladder against the north wall, and with an armful of shingles and tools had begun the ascent of the roof.

"Tell me, Phronie," Silver asked suddenly, "are you moving into the old house because Roddy is getting married, or because I am here?"

"Because you are here?" Phronie was indignant. "I never heard the like! Roderick and I always said that as soon as either of the boys gets married, back we go to the old place. Young people have a right to start out by themselves, I always hold."

Silver was silent for a moment as she thought over what her aunt had said. "I'm glad," she mur-

mured at last. "I was afraid—perhaps—"

"Afraid of what?"

"I thought maybe Roddy's wife might not approve of me—because of dad."

The angry red sprang into Sophronia's cheeks. "She won't approve of me, neither, then—I'm Jim's sister, Corinne Meader ought to be glad she's got a home to come to. If I know anything, and I don't think she'll be fool enough to listen to every Tom-Dick-and-Harry's yarn. And if she does—let her! Jason'll stay with them in the new house, 'cause he fixed up his own room in the attic there just the way he likes it—with a skylight an' all for his funny oil paintin'. Jason's a queer one—but he won't bother Corinne, unless she can't stand him and his mouth organ."

"You said something about 'yarns,' Phronie," Silver said. "Do you mean things that fellow at the station last night has said about me?"

Sophronia hesitated for a moment. "Well, there's no use tryin' to hide from you what you'll find out for yourself anyhow, sooner or later. You know what people are, just as well as I do. When they've got nothing to do, they'll talk. Did you see that Duke Melbank when he was in Chicago this summer?"

"Dad said he came into our place one night, but I don't remember seeing him. So many people used to come and go."

"Well, he ain't worth rememberin' in. But he has been talkin' since he came back."

Silver laughed ruefully. "Was he talking about dad?"

"Well—mostly about you."

"Color rushed into Silver's cheeks. 'About me? What does that creature know about me?'"

Sophronia smiled reassuringly. "Some people talk most when they know least. As far as I can make out—the boys have been tellin' me—Duke don't say so much, but he hints plenty. There was a friend of Jim's, wasn't there? A fellow by the name of Lucas, I think."

"Gerald Lucas," Silver said, with her eyes fixed upon the downward slope of the hill. "I met him six months ago—two months ago—I thought I wanted to marry him."

"What manner of fellow was he?" Phronie asked, conversationally.

"Gerald used to practice law out West, but he got into some sort of trouble and was disbarred. Now he's against the world—and the world is against him."

Sophronia nodded sagely. "I guess I understand. Them outcasts appeal to women. I'm glad you got away from him without anything worse happenin'."

Silver's eyes darted to her aunt's face. Her heart sank. Sophronia was of another world, a good woman, placidly taking it for granted that her niece was still virtuous. Over the bleak loneliness that welled up within her, Silver resolved that it was better not to disillusion Phronie. After all, she need never know.

"Yes," Silver said breathlessly, looking away. "I might have married him. That would have been worse. But I told dad how I felt about him—and I knew as soon as I had told him that I'd rather die than marry Gerald. I can't explain it to you, Phronie. When I was away from him, I almost hated him. But as soon as he came back I was—well, I just can't explain it. I—I was sort of hypnotized."

"So that was why Jim decided to leave it all, eh?" Phronie asked with surprising shrewdness. "Duke Melbank has been tellin' it around that he seen you with him that night in Chicago, and you seemed kind o' stuck on him. I thought maybe Jim would have the sense to get you out of a mess like that."

"Yes," Silver said in a dull voice. "He wanted to get away because of me—partly. You see—he never seemed to realize that I was growing up."

"That would be like Jim!" Phronie explained and wiped her eyes. "I and sakes—let's not talk about it any more. You're here—safe with me, you poor child! Everything's all right from now on."

She brought her tremendous long arm down about Silver's shoulders, drew her awkwardly toward her for an instant, then got nightly to her feet.

"Well," she blurted out, "you take a walk around and get acquainted with the place. I'll go down and fix dinner."

Silver watched the tall, gaunt woman stride away toward the house, then she walked to the eastern slope of the hillside and seated herself. In the field below the great black horses were being unhitched from the binder and led toward the

barn. She saw Roddy run his hand down one shining black shoulder, and observed that in the act there was compassion, affection. In his attitude toward herself, last night, she thought unhappily, there had been little more than chilly formality. He had been polite enough, it was true, but far from cordial.

Well, she would not bother him. This was her place, in a deeper sense that it could ever be his. It was too soon for her to make any plan, any pattern, for her life from now on. But for the time being she would remain here, let Roddy Willard bring home a hundred wives who disapproved of her. Whatever had been beautiful and unmarred in the spirit of Jim Grenoble was still here—the pure and inviolable ghost of the boy who had known this earth. She needed this land that held the very roots of her being—she needed it to obliterate forever the dread and insecurity and violence of that other life, and the memory of Gerald Lucas.

Roddy had brought the horses to the watering tank, and as he glanced up at her on the slope, she looked quickly away. Presently he came up the slope toward her with long, swinging strides.

In the suddenness of their encounter last night, she had not really seen Roddy, she thought. Now she observed him with a cool sense of detachment and indifference. His face was blunt-been, his cheekbones and brows prominent; although his gray eyes were deep-set and unsmiling, they were widely spaced so that the upper part of his face had a surprised, boyish look; his nose was high-bridged, and seemed almost square with its well-defined nostrils; his mouth above the obstinate jaw was unexpectedly mobile. He was darkly burned, and beads of perspiration margined his forehead. He gave her an odd smile.

"I came up here to apologize for the way I acted last night, Silver," he said, and seemed to hesi-



"Two Months Ago—I Thought I Wanted to Marry Him."

tate on her name. "If it isn't too late, I want to tell you how glad I am that you came straight here—to Sophronia."

He flushed a little, and Silver looked at him wonderingly.

"Thank you," she said simply. His mouth drew to a straight line. "You are very polite," he remarked. "I didn't feel exactly polite toward you—last night I—well, I had other things on my mind."

"Of course," she said. "Phronie told me about it this morning. I hope you will be happy."

"Thanks." He looked away for a moment. "That was part of it, I admit. The rest can wait."

"You mean—about the land?"

"I don't want to trouble you with that business right away," he replied heavily. "But you'll probably want to sell and get your money out of it as soon as you can. The rent we've been paying isn't much. Phronie told me you said you want to stay here with her, but I don't believe you will for long. I don't think this sort of life will appeal to you."

She regarded him with darkly brooding eyes.

"You may as well be honest with me, Roddy," she said slowly, "even if you don't know me very well. You don't want me here, do you? I know you mean to be kind—and you feel sorry for me, and that sort of thing. But deep down—you resent my owning half this land. You resent my right to be here. And you are afraid of what your wife will think of me."

Roddy looked at her curiously, and strove to speak as he would to a child who was in error.

"I'll confess to your first charge," he said gravely, "up to a point. I've worked your father's land since I was a kid. I've always looked forward to the day when it would be my own property. I was afraid last night that I was going to lose it. But as for resenting your right to be here—I'm not quite as mean as that, Silver." He paused and looked away with misgiving as he sought for the right words in defense of Corinne. All morning the question of how she would accept Silver Grenoble had plagued him to his shame. His doubts implied

a lack of trust in Corinne's generosity that was mortifying.

"And as for the girl I am going to marry," he resumed resolutely, "you wait until you meet her before you jump at any unfair conclusions. You are probably over-sensitive." He halted, hating to put into words what was in his mind.

But Silver leaned back on her palms, threw back her head and uttered a dry little laugh.

"I know what I'm talking about, Roddy, never fear," she said softly. "I had one friend after another in boarding schools, until their mouths looked up my background. But for all that—Her eyes widened brilliantly, and her full, sweet lips parted in a serene smile. "I wouldn't have given up one single day with my father."

"Everybody who knew him round here thought highly of him," Roddy said. "I'm sorry I never met him. Of course, I was only a boy then, and our farm was miles away from here."

Silver turned abruptly toward him. A change had come over her face, a guarded, secret look.

"I'm sorry," she said. "I didn't mean to speak of—of my life before I came here. I don't want you—any of you—to think that I've had a hard time of it. I—I really haven't. It was all splendid, in a way—but you would never understand that. But this—She moved her hand lightly before her and gazed down on the land below. "—this is what I want now. I want to be here, where my father was happy. I don't think he ever really was—afterward. So you see you are quite wrong if you believe I won't want to stay."

Roddy thought of Duke Melbank and his mouth twisted in wry silence.

"Phronie," Silver went on, musingly, "probably didn't tell you what happened at the depot last night in Heron River, did she?"

He gave her a startled glance. "No. She didn't mention anything out of the ordinary."

"Well, you'll probably hear about it. I suppose it's the kind of thing that keeps a small town talking for a long time. But I'll tell you to prove to you that I'm not going to be scared away."

With ironical brevity she related the occurrence at the depot the evening before, while Roddy, under his tan, turned livid with wrath. He gave vent to an oath that shook his voice. Then he got abruptly to his feet and extended his hand to Silver.

"Come," he said harshly. "Let's go down to the house."

She stood for a moment looking coolly up into his eyes. "I know now," she said, "why Phronie didn't tell you. I don't think there's any use in your getting into a rage about that person. You see—people will just have to get used to me, Roddy. They can get used to anything."

"I'll use my own judgment about Duke Melbank," he replied blackly and taking her arm he led her in silence down the slope to the house. Jason, meeting them in the yard, looked at his brother with a whimsical smile.

"Old Shad Finney just called up," he reported in his soft voice. "He thought maybe we'd like to know that Duke Melbank left town last night."

It was Jason, unfathomable and dark and silent, who drove Silver and Sophronia two days later on that last quiet errand for Gentleman Jim Grenoble. Without ritual or dirge, Jim's ashes were scattered into the open soil above Anna Grenoble's grave, and when the dark earth wound was closed again a single yellow poplar leaf drifted down upon it and lay as though sealing what was done.

Jason said, "Trees know."

On the day before Roddy was to leave for Ballantyne to marry Corinne Meader, Sophronia and Silver put up the last crisp curtain in the old house. The pine floors and moldings had been scrubbed white, the rag rugs washed, the horsehair sofa and settee in the sitting room treated with gasoline. Beds and bedding had been moved down from the big house, and other essentials had been bought in Heron River.

Sophronia went to the narrow stairwell that rose almost vertically from the kitchen and called to Silver. "Come down and have a bite of supper, Silver."

When Silver appeared, Sophronia glanced out the back door. "There's Roddy," she remarked, "goin' into that old shop of his. Wonder if he don't know it's supper time. He's been actin' awful funny today."

Silver was standing beside her at the open door. "I'd like to see the inside of Roddy's workshop," she said. "Do you suppose he'd mind if I went up now and called him to supper?"

"Like as not," Phronie replied with a tolerant smile. "He probably thought you weren't interested in it. He's got everything in saucers and little bags and glass jars—with tags and labels and fingers—(ill) it would make you dizzy to look at 'em."

"His corn has won a number of prizes, though, hasn't it?"

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Man Likes to Make Trouble

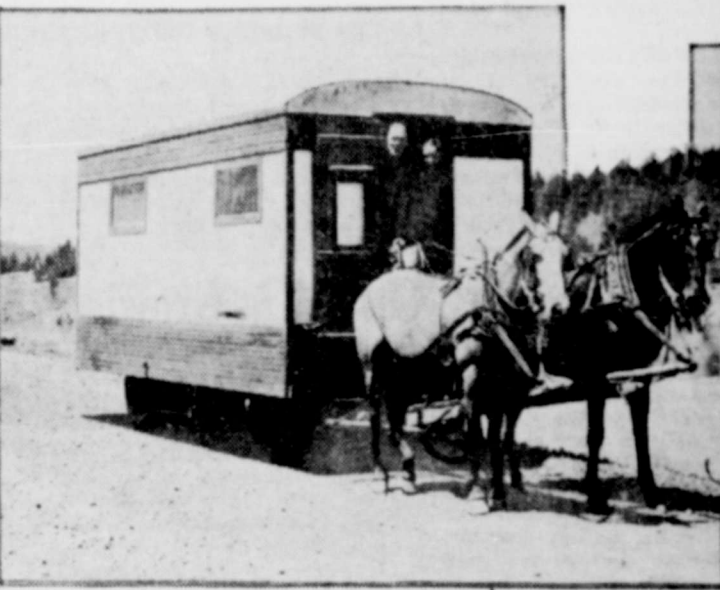
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Scenes and Persons in the Current News



Combined Yale-Harvard track and field meet that defeated Oxford and Cambridge in London. 2—Munists in New York mobbing the German liner Bremen in a demonstration against the Nazis. 3—The angel Moroni of the Mormon religion which was dedicated on the Hill Cumorah near Palmyra, N. Y.

"Covered Wagon" in Yellowstone Park



Mr. and Mrs. George W. Scott of Arcadia, Neb., are using this novel vehicle as their means of transport through Yellowstone park. They have found that it eliminates haste, dust and smoke. They are making their way through the park leisurely and plan to spend several months exploring every roadway and trail. When the going gets too tough for their combination wagon and automobile chassis, they unhitch their ponies and take to the saddle.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Statesmen in Geneva Struggle to Prevent Italo-Ethiopian War—Progress of the New Deal Measures in Congress.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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CRAPPE ANTHONY EDEN, British ambassador for League of Nations affairs, was exceedingly busy in Geneva, trying to find a way to avert the war between Italy and Ethiopia. He was aided and abetted by Premier Laval of France and together they evolved a plan for procedure by the league council which appeared promising, until it was communicated to Premier Mussolini. Then Baron Aloisi, Italian delegate, and together they evolved a plan for procedure by the league council which appeared promising, until it was communicated to Premier Mussolini.

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Italy was expected to protest against time limits fixed in the draft of the projected peace formula. One deadline was set for September 1, by which time the arbitrators on the Italo-Ethiopian conflict commission, who would receive their work, would be required to report to the league council.

Nevertheless, it appeared probable that the tax measure would be enacted before adjournment, for the administration leaders had promised this to Senator La Follette and other "liberals," and besides that, they have no desire to pass a taxation bill in a Presidential election year. As produced by the house and means committee after great travail the measure embodies an 87 per cent confiscation of large fortunes and increased levies on the rich which would produce perhaps \$250,000,000 of additional annual revenue.

Another time limit was set for September 4, when the three powers and Ethiopia would be required to report their findings to the league council. In any event the council would be scheduled to meet September 4.

SENATE and house committees investigating the activities of lobbyists went their separate ways, neither thinking very well of what the other was doing. Senator Black's quiz occupied itself much with the doing of representatives of the Associated Gas and Electric corporation. An Executive order from the White House directed the secretary of the treasury to make available to the senate committee all incomes, excess profits, and capital stock tax returns to the extent necessary in the investigation with the so-called "holding company bill or any other matter or proposal affecting legislation."

George Huddleston of Indiana, the members of the utilities bill scored another victory over the supporters of the New Dealers. The Senate's motion that the bill be referred to the senate action on the bill was defeated, 210 to 190. The bill was then returned to the house, but to no avail. He was voted against his motion and favored by the administration, and at the same time had read testimony before the senate lobbying committee effect that a New Jersey senator suggested the utilities bill start a whispering campaign regarding the sanity of the bill's leaders. Still the big majority in the house insisted on re-adopting the Rayburn motion.

SENATOR GLASS scored perhaps the greatest victory in his long public career when the senate, without a record vote, passed his draft of the 1935 banking act, rejecting the central bank features urged by Gov. Marriner S. E. Eccles of the federal reserve board and favored by the administration. The bill was once secretary of the treasury, had fought desperately against the Eccles scheme and his triumph was decisive. There was no demand for a roll call on the final vote, for the fate met by the proposers of various amendments showed this procedure would be futile. Senator La Follette sought to strike out a provision permitting commercial banks to underwrite securities and his proposal was beaten, 59 to 22. Senator Gerald Nye of North Dakota, another radical Republican, offered the central bank plan of Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, a radio priest, which would set up a government owned and wholly dominated system. It was voted down, 50 to 10.

CRATIC congressmen started the week briskly determined through the President's "rich" tax bill at this session. Opposing the bill with equal vigor were the members of the administration who had considered the bill since its introduction until the time the bill was studied in conference with the next year. These Republicans are calling for an early adjournment of congress. Senator McClellan of Delaware has introduced a resolution setting August 15 as the day for quitting and was to have it brought up for consideration before passage of the measure. Senator Vandenberg, also mentioned as a possibility, also de-

manded postponement of the tax legislation until January, and he gave out a statement denouncing the administration's plan as a "sterile political gesture" which would raise "only a little extra pocket change" and declared that "we chatter of taxes in millions to offset known deficits in billions."

PASSAGE of the bill to restore \$10,000,000 to Spanish war veterans' pensions was completed when the senate accepted the house measure, the only opposing vote being cast by Senator Hastings of Delaware. This nullifies the various adjustments made by the President for the purpose of economy to carry out the party pledge of a reduction of at least 25 per cent in the cost of administration of the federal government.

FREDERICK H. GILLET, who represented Massachusetts in the house for many years, for six years was speaker, and thereafter served as United States senator, died in Springfield, Mass., at the age of eighty-three. Able, dignified and unflinchingly courteous, Mr. Gillett was highly esteemed by his fellow congressmen, whatever their party affiliation. In his home town he was known as a politician who said little and did much.

JAPAN will probably have another cause for complaint against the United States. Secretary of the Navy Claude A. Swanson has announced that strongly fortified naval bases will be established in the Pacific ocean upon the expiration of the naval limitation treaties on January 1, 1937. He said he considered the creation of naval bases the result of the treaties' expiration.

He revealed that the navy long has given consideration to Pacific fortification problems and that impetus had been given to the study since Japan's abrogation of the naval treaties. The necessity for adequate bases in the Pacific was demonstrated forcibly last May during the annual fleet maneuvers off Hawaii and the Aleutian Islands. According to reports, the navy high command in a report of the lessons learned in the exercises strongly recommended an Aleutian Islands base.

SOVIET Russia sustained a major naval loss when the submarine B-3 collided with a surface vessel during maneuvers of the Baltic fleet and sank immediately. Her entire crew of 55 officers, seamen and cadets perished. The sub, which was built near the close of Russia's participation in the World war, will be raised if possible.

GERMANY'S diplomatic note concerning the Communist attack on the liner Bremen in the port of New York took the form of a request that the offenders be punished but asked for no apology. Acting Secretary of State William Phillips in his reply handed to the German chargé d'affaires, Dr. Rudolf Leiten, the brief efforts of the New York police to guard the vessel and to subdue the mob, and pointed out that some of those who took part in the attack were arrested. The German note said the incident constituted an insult to Germany.

FROM the Communist International in Moscow comes the word that the reds are planning a strike "of unprecedented scope" by seamen and dock workers on the Pacific coast of the United States, beginning in September. Sam Darcy of San Francisco, an American delegate, told about it. He repeated what had already been said by Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist party in the United States, that Communists were responsible for the seaman's and dock workers' strikes on the American Pacific coast and the San Francisco general strike last year.

Washington Digest

NATIONAL TOPICS INTERPRETED
By William Bruckart
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Washington.—President Roosevelt has settled a controversy by the simple expedient of transferring two men from responsible positions in the Virgin Islands to jobs in Washington. He has taken Paul M. Pearson from the post of civil governor of the Virgin Islands and has made him assistant director of housing in the Interior department and has transferred Federal Director Judge T. Webber Wilson from his post in the islands to the federal parole board here in Washington. Each man has accepted his new appointment and in so far as a current controversy is concerned, the book is closed.

It will be recalled that Governor Pearson and Judge Wilson long have been at loggerheads over Virgin Island affairs. The battle was bitter. It came to a head when Paul Yates, executive assistant to the governor and a former Washington correspondent, resigned his job and came back here with a bag full of charges against his former chief. The Yates allegations ranged all the way from minor charges of poor judgment to gross accusations. He succeeded in getting a senate committee investigation and it was at that time that the Pearson-Wilson feud flared so openly that administration officials here were dragged in and the whole scope of differences aired.

As a matter of fact there is every reason to believe that Governor Pearson was far from a successful executive in the islands. He frequently aroused the ire of natives and, according to testimony adduced by the senate investigation, had very little to show for the sums of money he expended in attempting to give the Virgin Islands a new lease on life. All of the information tends to establish that the islands continue to be "an effectual poorhouse," just as President Hoover described them on the occasion of a visit during his term as Chief Executive.

But Governor Pearson had his supporters in the administration. Chief among these was Secretary Ickes whose department is responsible for administration of the islands. Just why Mr. Ickes has been so enthusiastic about Governor Pearson's regime is not fully disclosed in any evidence here except that the interior secretary has certain ideas about social reform that some ardent critics refer to as pure socialism which Governor Pearson had been attempting to impose upon the island inhabitants. Governor Pearson has expended vast sums of PWA funds in the islands in his efforts to carry out the Ickes program of reformation. It seems, however, that the schemes were not as practical as they might have been and so trouble started in a rather extensive fashion.

The President stayed outside of the row until in the course of the senate inquiry Senator Tydings, a Maryland Democrat and usually an anti-Roosevelt Democrat, received a letter from Mr. Ickes. Mr. Ickes accused the investigating chairman with having whitewashed a witness whose testimony was all anti-Ickes and anti-Pearson. The senator flared up in a big way at that letter. His reply is likely to become a classic in official correspondence. He did not mince his words. After voicing his general conception of the attitude exhibited by Mr. Ickes and accusing him of attempting to interfere in the investigation, Senator Tydings informed the interior secretary that he may as well attempt to run the Department of the Interior and let the senators run the senate. He used just about those words.

That was the signal for Mr. Roosevelt to take a hand. It was easy to see that a few outbursts of that kind and Mr. Ickes might have found himself in a splendid position to resign from the cabinet. So the President got the feudists into his office, singly of course, and when those conferences were over the senate investigation into the Virgin Island situation was suspended for two weeks. The transfer of Governor Pearson and Judge Wilson resulted.

One might properly inquire why all of this agitation has occurred about the Virgin Islands. They are not miles from Washington. They lie in the Caribbean sea, considerably out of the usual pathway of ships; they are populated by about 22,000 individuals, 95 per cent of whom are negroes, and may generally be described as a "backward" place. They may have some military and naval value. That has never been fully demonstrated. But the fact remains they are possessions of the United States and if our government is to be their protector, it is responsible for a sane administration of their affairs.

had its start in the Virgin Islands, but it has progressed beyond that point and is a domestic battle now. It is safe to say that for 18 years, which is the time the islands have been under United States rule, there has been a dire need for a plan of government suited to those people. Each year congress has been appropriating thousands of dollars for the island government and each year there has been miserably little in the way of improvement to show for these funds.

Almost as frequently as congress has appropriated money it has made changes in the administration methods in use there. There has never been a long term program laid out and there has been nothing whatsoever done showing the sympathy of a so-called intellectual people as we claim to be for those down-trodden masses that populate the Virgin Islands.

All of this, it seems to me, shows the useful need for careful consideration of that situation. It seems to me equally apparent that as long as congress keeps meddling in and as long as politicians from the mainland are sent there purely on a political basis we will continue to have a pack of trouble bundled up in those Virgin Islands.

If congress continues in session past August 15, and it is now apparent that it may, it will have been in session 225 days, some two weeks longer than the average of the so-called long sessions of congress. Prior to adoption of the "lame duck" amendment which did away with sessions of unequal length, the shorter sessions of congress averaged about 170 days. The longer terms were around 215 days before final adjournment was taken. Thus, the current session stands in a fair way to be among the list of hardy sessions.

All of which is by way of saying that the current session of congress has worn down its members both physically and mentally to an extent quite unusual. I was talking a few days ago with a veteran senator, a man who has served almost 25 years in the upper house of congress. He is known as a physically strong individual and usually lasts very well through the work that piles up before senators and representatives. I inquired of him concerning the general health of congress and his reply was:

"I regret to say we are just a bunch of debilitated old men, incapable of doing the job that is expected of us and everyone is hoping against hope that we can live through this work and this heat."

As a result of that conversation the thought came to me that there was an answer to the oft repeated declaration that members of congress failed to earn their salaries of \$10,000 a year. I have observed congressional proceedings almost a score of years and it is my mature conviction that few times in that period has congress failed to earn its salt.

There is another reason why congressional sessions should not run so long and should not be carried on in the intense heat of a Washington summer. One condition nearly always has obtained near the close of a long session. As the days drag by, persons with axes to grind and individual interests to serve have a way of digging up questionable bills that theretofore had been side-tracked and assumed to be dead. With resistance low, the average senator or representative is unable to fight off legislation which he knows to be bad with the same spirit that accompanied his activities earlier in the session.

Improved Uniform International LESSON

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Lesson for August 18
MARTHA

LESSON TEXT—Luke 10:38-42; John 11:17-28.
GOLDEN TEXT—Jesus loved Martha, and her sister, and Lazarus.—John 11:5.
PRIMARY TOPIC—A Home Jesus Loved.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Home Jesus Visited.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Can I Help at Home?
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—A Home That Attracts Jesus.

The lesson committee designated Martha as a home-maker. That she was a home-maker is to be conceded, but to view this lesson only in that light is to miss its vital point, for Christ's teachings here are equally appropriate to male and female, in the home, office, shop, schoolroom, farm, etc.

1. Jesus revealing to Martha her Supreme Need (Luke 10:38-42).
1. Jesus welcomed into her home (v. 38). Though Jesus had no home of his own, he could come into this home at any time and throw off the restraints incident to public ministry. What a blessed thing it would be if all homes were open to receive Jesus.

2. Mary sitting at Jesus' feet (v. 39). While this was Martha's home, Mary seemed to have lived with her. Mary had a peculiar spiritual insight which prompted her to sit at Jesus' feet and listen to his words. The real place to hear Jesus' words is "at his feet." Let no one imagine that Mary did not render any service, for the little word "also" indicates that she had been serving with Martha.

3. Martha's complaint (v. 40). She was so bent on providing a good meal for Jesus that she was on the verge of distraction. Her many assumed duties had so got on her nerves that she not only found fault with Mary, but even censured Jesus for allowing Mary to sit at his feet while dinner was being finished. She even assumed the authority to command Jesus to send Mary back to help her. The sure way to serve without distraction is to first sit at Jesus' feet and listen to his words.

4. Jesus' reply (v. 41, 42).
a. He rebuked Martha (v. 41). This rebuke he administered most tenderly, for he knew that Martha loved him sincerely. Those who are supremely occupied with Jesus are anxious for nothing (Phil. 4:6).
b. He defended Mary (v. 42). In this defense he declared that there was but one thing needful and that Mary had chosen that good part which could not be taken from her. Those who choose this good part cannot be robbed of it by friends, foes, or circumstances.

11. A Revelation of Christ's Love (John 11:1-30).
1. The sickness of Lazarus (vv. 1, 2). Even those who are in close fellowship with the Lord are not immune from sickness. Sorrow comes even to the homes where Jesus is loved.

2. Martha and Mary send for Jesus (v. 3). Because they had come to know Jesus as more than a mere man they instinctively turned to him when this shadow fell across their home.

3. Jesus' strange delay (vv. 4-6). They sent for Jesus because he loved Lazarus. They said, "He whom thou lovest is sick." Jesus abode in the same place because he loved Lazarus and his sisters (v. 5). This mystery is to be explained by the fact that Jesus was divine and knew all things.

4. Jesus goes to the Bethany home (vv. 7-17). His mission in going into this home was twofold; to minister to the sisters and brother and to strengthen the faith of the disciples (vv. 11-15).
5. Jesus teaching Martha (vv. 18-27). As he was nearing the village, Martha met him with a complaint because of his delay. He ignored her complaint and taught her concerning the resurrection and the life.
a. "Thy brother shall rise again" (v. 23). He is saying these words to every sorrowing sister, brother, wife, husband, child, and parent.
b. "I am the resurrection, and the life" (vv. 25, 26). He is the source of life, and all who are joined to him by a living faith are in such vital fellowship as to be unaffected by bodily change.
6. Jesus weeping with Mary (vv. 28-25). In response to the Master's call Mary fell at his feet, uttering the same words used by Martha, but, no doubt, in a different tone of voice and attitude. Her words were responded to with tears. "Jesus wept." He still mingles his tears of sympathy with those he loves and those who love him.

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By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



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ETHEL W. MCKINSTRY Managing Editor

NEIGHBORS—BROTHERS FRIENDS

There was such whole-heartedness and spontaneity and happiness in the greeting last Saturday morning of our neighboring city friends that it was really a pleasure to watch and to be one of the group. After all—we are one big family; brothers, friends, in business, social, civic and religious interests. We live in the same section of a flourishing and prosperous valley, we like to be together, visit and exchange experiences and comment on friendly rivalry. It takes all those things to make us grow "bigger and better each day."

But then Hagerman and community did no more than was expected, we've lived here a good many years, and time after time we have seen the people of this community rise to meet occasions in a big way, and each time we have swelled a little more with pride, that we could be a part of such a "big" little place.

And we are glad to have as neighbors such genial people as those whose faces we saw in the crowd. They are generous, progressive business men and women, and it means much to have them as citizens of the Pecos valley. ROSWELL COME AGAIN!

Girl Scout News

One hundred and six Girl Scouts are beginning the third period of camping at Camp Mary White, Girl Scout regional camp in the Sacramento mountains near Roswell, this week.

There are girls in camp from as far east as New York, as far west as California, as far south as Houston, Texas, and as far north as Lansing, Michigan. Eleven states are represented by 106 campers from thirty-seven localities.

They were introduced to the camp with a program of a medieval Norman monastery "Gabriel and the Hour Book," a story in which the prayer of a poor peasant boy comes true. Girls from the "Escandide" ranch presented the dramatization.

Tuesday, August 13, the program was "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," presented by girls in the "Fernst" group.

Girl Scout troops Nos. 1 and 2 hiked last week to the Lane ranch. This has been an annual stunt of theirs for several years. They went in the afternoon, and cooked their supper over campfire at the ranch and spent the night there, sleeping on their bed rolls, hiking back to town the next morning. About twenty girls went and were accompanied by their leaders, Misses Martel Graham, Maggie Burrell, Mable Cowan and Mrs. T. D. Deavenport.

LONG MAY RUN FOR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON—Senator Huey Long of Louisiana has told colleagues in the senate that he has decided definitely to run for the nomination for president of the United States on the democratic ticket in 1936.

If President Roosevelt is re-nominated he would run as an independent unless the republicans put up a candidate he could support.

Plans were reported to the Associated Press by several senators with whom Long talked. Senator Long, however, refused to discuss the rumors, saying he had no comment.

RESTORES SPANISH WAR PAY

WASHINGTON—Asserting that his action established no precedent for World War pensions, President Roosevelt Tuesday signed the Spanish-American war veterans bill.

The bill restores all pensions to the dependents and the veterans of the Spanish-American war, Boxer rebellion and Philippine Insurrection at a cost estimated by the veterans administration as \$45,581,000 a year. It will return approximately 50,000 persons to the rolls. Widows will gain by about \$6,000,000.

"THAT LITTLE GAME"—CAUGHT SQUINTING



LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

CALL FOR BIDS

Bids will be received at the office of the clerk of the Dexter Municipal Board of Education, District No. 8, Chaves County, New Mexico, until 6:00 p. m., August 17, 1935, for the operation of school bus routes Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 in that district during the school term 1935-36.

Forms and information for bidding may be obtained from the undersigned clerk of the board. 29-5tc FRANK WORTMAN.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, General Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, July 19, 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given that James L. Mathes, of Hagerman, New Mexico, who, on July 18th, 1929, made Homestead Entry, No. 036949, for N 1/4, Section 20; N 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4, Section 21; N 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 22, Township 14 S., Range 24 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 29th day of August, 1935.

Claimant names as witnesses: L. K. Waggoner, of Dexter, New Mexico, James L. Hemphill, James Deen, A. L. Turnbaugh, these of Hagerman, New Mexico. PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

United States Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., July 5, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office its School Indemnity Selections List as follows:

Serial No. 046462 List 9678, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, S 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 4, T. 15S., R. 31E., with Oil & Gas, Potash and Sodium reserved to the United States. Serial No. 046189

List 9654, SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 14; NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 15; SE 1/4 NE 1/4, E 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 24; E 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 25, T. 12S., R. 30E., with Oil & Gas, Potash and Sodium reserved to the United States.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely an opportunity to file their protest against the approval of the selections. PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE PROOF

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, August 9th, 1935.

I, George Veale, of Lovington, New Mexico, who, on April 24th, 1931, made Original Homestead Entry, No. 042490 for lots 3, 4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 Sec. 1; and W 1/2 Section 12, Township 14S., Range 30E., NMP Meridian, hereby give notice of my intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. J. Fox, a Notary Public, at Tatum, New Mexico, by two of the following witnesses: Clyde Browning, of Lovington, New Mexico; Frank Lattion, of Hagerman, New Mexico; Jim S. Seely, of Lovington, New Mexico, RT. 1; Sam Williams, of Artesia, New Mexico. GEORGE VEALE.

The taxpayer makes his bed and has to lie in it; the politician makes up his bunk and has to lie out of it.

Alamogordo Dam Is To Be Built

The Texas-New Mexico controversy over the Alamogordo dam and the allocation of waters of the Pecos river is expected to work out so that the present water distribution will be retained and the dam will be built, according to Attorney General Frank Patton, who attended the conference in Washington and returned to Santa Fe the first of the week.

The attorney general said that Texas had tentatively agreed to withdraw its protest against the building of the \$1,500,000 Alamogordo dam near Fort Sumner, in view of New Mexico's agreement to allow the same amount of water to continue to flow into Texas for the Red Bluff irrigation district. James Hervey, Roswell attorney, counsel for the Carlsbad irrigation district, remained in Washington to complete the details, Patton said.

"Secretary of the Interior Ickes took the position," said Patton, "that the whole matter was one of facts-finding and referred it to Dr. Elwood Mead, commissioner of reclamation. We conferred with Dr. Mead several times and I believe reached a definite agreement."

"The Alamogordo dam will not retain any more water than the McMillan and Avalon dams were intended to impound. Both of those dams are affected by gypsum conditions and McMillan is impounding only about 20 per cent of the amount it was believed it would hold."

"The Alamogordo dam will be built out of the gypsum district and will hold the required amount of water. Building of that dam will not increase the present irrigated acreage but will insure it water."

GAME COMMISSION IS AGAINST PLAYAS PLAN

SANTA FE—The state fish and game commission, at the concluding session of its regular meeting here Monday, decided to continue "bucking" the establishment of the Playas Wildlife refuge in Hidalgo county.

A letter from State Game Warden Elliott Barker to Senator Carl Hatch, in which Barker insisted on the state's administration of game within New Mexico boundaries, both "as a matter of principle and from the standpoint of practicability," was discussed, with the commission voting to maintain the present attitude.

The commission approved an approximate detained working budget of \$111,380, which would leave a balance of \$25,045.84 at the end of the 24th fiscal year. The budget was based on estimated receipts of \$112,960 during the current year. Balance on July 1, Barker said, was \$23,465.84.

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THE CHURCHES

Changes in time of worship services, subjects, etc., must be in The Messenger office by Wednesday of each week. Pastors or members of congregations whose church announcements do not appear in this column are urged to send them in. Churches in Dexter and Lake Arthur are especially desired.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Greenfield)

Morning worship, Sunday, 10:30 o'clock. Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend any and all of these unusual services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

F. H. Evans, superintendent. Sunday school, 10 o'clock. We especially want the young people to attend our Sunday school and extend an invitation to all to come.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. Mid-week services on Wednesday and Saturday nights. Everyone welcome. DAVID L. LAUGHLIN, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning sermon, 11 o'clock. N. Y. P. S. and J. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m. Evening service 8:00 p. m. A spiritual church in a friendly community.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. Young peoples service at 7:30. Preaching 8:00 p. m. J. W. Slade.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. O. J. Ford, superintendent. You are invited to attend Sunday school with us. Place of meeting of the Missionary society will be announced Sunday morning.

HAGERMAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Preaching service 11:00 a. m. Theme: "Builders of Babel" or "Man's Search for An Immortal Name." Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m. Missionary Society at the Manse Monday at 2:30 p. m. We had a delightful solo from Mrs. Smith Pardee last Sunday morning. We are going to ask her

Locals

Miss Maxine Kiser, Elton and Roy Kiser visited last week with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Boyce, their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Youree arrived last Friday from Denver, Colorado, and will visit with the families of Perry and Dub Andrus.

Ernest Langenegger shipped five carloads of horses to the market at Ft. Worth yesterday, Bill Langenegger going with the load. Each year Mr. Langenegger ships several carloads of horses.

From Hagerman to meet the Roswell Goodwill tour last Saturday morning at Dexter went Frank McCarthy of the Hagerman Drug; J. Vedder Brown of Kemp Lumber Co.; Perry Andrus of Hagerman Service Station; Geo. Brown, PWA engineer; O. J. Ford of Akin Gin; J. W. Slade, pastor of Methodist church; Brennan Witt, local school athletic coach; Robt. Conner, First National Bank; Cass Mason of Mason's and Hagerman's mayor. Hon. J. T. West. These cars led the procession into Hagerman, and helped complete the morning's program.

Miss Caroline Paddock returned on Tuesday evening, coming with the "University of Tours," a party of about 500 teachers, which was sponsored by a Georgia college. The trip included scenic points in Colorado, Pike's Peak, Manitou and around Denver, Yellowstone Park, a trip via boat to British Columbia, Seattle, over the Columbia river route, Mount Ranier and down to the famous California redwoods, Los Angeles, the exposition at San Diego, Catalina, Tia Juana, Grand Canyon and the petrified forest, Gallup. While in this part of the country the party will visit the Carlsbad Caverns.

A little school girl offered the following composition on anatomy: "Anatomy is the human body. It is divided into three separate parts, the head, the chest, and the stomach. The head holds the skull and the brains, if there is any, the chest holds the liver, and the stomach holds the vowels, which are a, e, i, o, and u, and sometimes w and y."—Ex.

to sing again for us. This Sunday morning we shall have a special number by Bobby and Polly Cumpsten, Dorothy Sue Devenport and Jeanne McKinstry, and others whose names we have not received. If you are not worshipping elsewhere come with us. James A. Hedges, Pastor.

NOTICE

A revival meeting of the Church of Christ will begin at Lake Arthur school auditorium on Sunday morning, August 18th, at 10:30 and continue throughout the week at night services. Everyone is especially invited to attend these interesting meetings.

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The AAA Program Brings \$11,928,571

The agricultural adjustment programs, which have as their objectives the control of crop acreage and the raising of farm prices to pre-war parity, have brought in to New Mexico a total of \$11,928,571. By commodities, these benefit payments are listed as follows, according to Ralph R. Will of State College, who has just received a report from the comptroller of the agricultural adjustment administration: Cotton, \$5,562,312; wheat, \$4,454,058; corn-hogs, \$1,907,500; sugar, \$4,641. These figures are for total benefit payments to New Mexico farmers through May 31, 1935. Since that time, however, a considerable amount of money has come in for cotton, wheat and corn-hog benefits.

The agricultural adjustment administration recently reported that it had collected from New Mexico firms processing taxes from May, 1934, through May, 1935, in an amount of \$256,787. The processing taxes are presumably passed on to consumers. It appears, therefore, that from the standpoint of income and out-go, the agricultural adjustment programs have been an immense financial benefit to the state of New Mexico. New Mexico as an agricultural state has profited from the "farmers' tariff," as the processing taxes are commonly termed.

Fall Ranch At Three Rivers Is Reported To Be Sold Yesterday

LOS ANGELES, California.—The historic Albert B. Fall ranch at Three Rivers, New Mexico, where the Fall family have resided as "tenants at will" since foreclosure by the Pacific Securities Company, either has been sold or is on the auction block.

R. M. Sands, general manager of the company, yesterday denied that the sale had taken place or that the Fall family had been ordered to move off, as reported by the El Paso, Texas, Times. Sands freely admitted, however, that a deal was pending.

"If Mr. Fall has been asked to vacate the ranch, where he and his family have been tenants at will, I am unaware of it," Sands said. "In case the ranch is sold he naturally would expect the new owners to take possession."

The Times, at El Paso, said that the E. L. Doheny interests operating the ranch had sold it to the Palomas Land and Cattle Company and that members of the Fall family had been notified to vacate the property by August 15.

We know a man who pulled a modern "Paul Revere-ride" on his vacation. The only difference between the modern and the original Paul Revere is that the original rider knew where he was going and the former didn't.

COMBINE STATE MUTT AND JE

AUSTIN, Texas.—The state police department is the famed Texas mobile highway patrol active being started by legislation.

The thirty-six state highway groups of the state at large. Personnel of the into the new form all are on production civil service examination.

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MUTT AND JEFF—Bill Fields Has Nothing On Jeff As A Juggler



By BUD FISHER



Lease Sale Brings \$17,699.62 At Sale Held At Santa Fe Aug. 10

The monthly sale of state oil and leases held at Santa Fe Saturday by the state land commissioner netted the state a total of \$17,699.62 in addition to four bids for minimum after the sale. Tract 8, sold to Roy Barton of...

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Lake Arthur Items

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. Joe Funk of Artesia made a short visit at the D. Ohlenbusch home Tuesday morning. Miss Betty Jo Stevenson of Central, New Mexico, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting with Miss Loraine Gibson. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lampton of San Antonio, Texas, made several short visits in Lake Arthur Tuesday. Mr. Lampton was a former Lake Arthur boy.

LOCALS

E. P. Malone of the Cottonwood community was in Hagerman on business yesterday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowen are driving a new car, and Wiley Grizzle, who lives west of Hagerman has one. Mrs. A. Fruit and daughter Miss Joyce of Picacho visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Garner and John. George and Bill Pardee, Misses Betty Mason and Jeanne Pardee made up a swimming party yesterday afternoon at Lake Van.

COMMISSION WILL NOT ENFORCE U. S. DOVE SEASON DATES IN N. M.

New Game Refuges Are Created; Short Season On Pheasants Here. Young lady, to cop at busy intersection: "What's the idea—no traffic light here?" Officer: "I'm the light at this corner, lady." Young Lady: "Then turn green, so I can cross."—Airy Views.

The state game and fish commission decided at Santa Fe, will make no effort to enforce new federal regulations governing dove season dates. The commission decided the state dates for dove shooting will not be changed, from September 1st to December 15th. The duck and goose dates were fixed to conform, however, with the federal season.



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A dove season in the Magdalena mountains was fixed for November 20 to 24 inclusive with 125 permits at \$2 each. New game refuges are at Patos in Lincoln Forest, East Elk Mountain near Beaverhead and the Tom Summers west of Quemado. There will be a short open season on pheasants October 20 and 21 in Chaves, Eddy, Bernalillo, Valencia, Socorro, Sierra and Dona Ana counties, with the bag limit three cocks for the season. The commission opposed purchase now of Bassett Lake in Luna county and decided against an open season on prairie chicken this year due to last year's drought. Lake Van, near Roswell, was closed until October 15 on reports big bass were not striking but smaller fish were being caught.

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Cotton Forecast Above Set Quota WASHINGTON—An administration prediction of a 11,798,000 bale cotton crop for 1935 Friday sent cotton prices tumbling downward and drew a statement from Secretary Wallace that he saw no cause for "anxiety." The forecast, which was hundreds of thousands of bales above both Bankhead act allotment and most private estimates, was accompanied also by an administration statement that ample credit facilities to market the crop would be made available to farmers. In a formal statement, Wallace told the cotton trade that prices would be maintained. There was no mention of the amount of a possible loan on the 1935 crop, and in some quarters it was indicated that an effort would be made to delay raising a load price until late fall. Wallace's statement said if world consumption was maintained at present levels, foreign and domestic mills could be expected to require considerable more than 11,000,000 bales of American cotton. Wallace said that if, when the new crop begins to move in volume, there appears to be a tendency for prices to be depressed, the administration will not hesitate to offer "ample loans" that would immediately absorb excess supplies. The Bankhead allotment for 1935 was 10,983,264 bales. The carry-over of American cotton on August 1 was estimated at 8,500,000 to 9,000,000 bales. NO COUNTY LIQUOR FEES WITHIN MUNICIPALITIES SANTA FE—The attorney general's office has ruled that county licensees have no power to assess license fees against liquor dispensaries within corporate municipal limits. The case grew out of Guadalupe county, where such a situation prevailed, the office explained. D. M. Barringer of Alamogordo was advised he did not have to have a trucking permit to haul his own timber to a railroad point.

MAZE A MINUTE SCIENTIFACTS BY ARNOLD EARTH'S GREAT SPEED! RIFLE FIRED IN THE DIRECTION EARTH WOULD NEVER REACH IT, EARTH TRAVELS 50 TIMES FASTER THAN A BULLET. FROG WINKS WHEN FROGS WINK THEIR EYES, THE LIDS MOVE UPWARDS. AIR BURNER - A SINGLE BLAST FURNACE WILL CONSUME \$7,500 CUBIC FEET OF AIR PER MINUTE.

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Cotton Forecast Above Set Quota WASHINGTON—An administration prediction of a 11,798,000 bale cotton crop for 1935 Friday sent cotton prices tumbling downward and drew a statement from Secretary Wallace that he saw no cause for "anxiety." The forecast, which was hundreds of thousands of bales above both Bankhead act allotment and most private estimates, was accompanied also by an administration statement that ample credit facilities to market the crop would be made available to farmers. In a formal statement, Wallace told the cotton trade that prices would be maintained. There was no mention of the amount of a possible loan on the 1935 crop, and in some quarters it was indicated that an effort would be made to delay raising a load price until late fall. Wallace's statement said if world consumption was maintained at present levels, foreign and domestic mills could be expected to require considerable more than 11,000,000 bales of American cotton. Wallace said that if, when the new crop begins to move in volume, there appears to be a tendency for prices to be depressed, the administration will not hesitate to offer "ample loans" that would immediately absorb excess supplies. The Bankhead allotment for 1935 was 10,983,264 bales. The carry-over of American cotton on August 1 was estimated at 8,500,000 to 9,000,000 bales. NO COUNTY LIQUOR FEES WITHIN MUNICIPALITIES SANTA FE—The attorney general's office has ruled that county licensees have no power to assess license fees against liquor dispensaries within corporate municipal limits. The case grew out of Guadalupe county, where such a situation prevailed, the office explained. D. M. Barringer of Alamogordo was advised he did not have to have a trucking permit to haul his own timber to a railroad point.

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THE SAD TRUTH

"How's your wife getting along with her driving, Abe?" "She took a turn for the worse last week, Moe."—B'nai B'rith Magazine.

As Long as It Works

Mother—Did I see you kissing that young Allen last night? Beryl—Well, mother, he told me he had lost an uncle, and I felt awfully sorry for him.

Mother—If I know anything about that young man he won't have a relative left in a week's time.—De Goeit.

Come Again, Sir

The Man—Can I see the office boy? Stenographer—No, sir. You can see the manager, but the office boy is busy figuring.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Forever After

"Madam, if you'll buy the car we'll put your initials on free." "Oh, it's not the initial cost. It's the upkeep."—Toronto Globe.



OUR FAMILY CORNER

ILLUSTRATED CURRENT NEWS, FASHION, HOUSEHOLD and ENTERTAINMENT for the JUNIORS

Where Uncle Sam Will Bury Billions of Gold



IN PREPARATION for another major transfer of the government's huge gold reserve, secret orders have been issued in Washington for the rush construction of a subterranean vault in the center of Fort Knox (shown here from the air), an army post 31 miles from Louisville. Into the vault will be transferred a good portion of the billions in gold now held by the government in New York and Philadelphia. The structure will be built in continuation of the policy of moving precious monetary reserves away from vulnerable cities on the coast to more isolated inland territory.

BEDTIME STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

DANNY FINDS A REFUGE

AS DANNY MEADOW MOUSE anxiously looked this way and that way for a place to hide from Buster Bear, a sharp, squeaky voice almost in his very ear made him jump. "What are you doing over here, Cousin Danny? Aren't you lost?" said the sharp, squeaky voice.

Danny turned quickly to find a little round hole in the ground



"Now," said Whitefoot, "You Have Nothing to Worry About From Buster Bear."

between the roots of the tree, and just inside was the trim little head of his cousin, Whitefoot the Woodmouse.

"Oh!" cried Danny, "Buster Bear is trying to catch me, and I don't know what to do." "Come in here," replied Whitefoot promptly.

Danny didn't need a second invitation. He darted in just as Buster Bear reached the tree on the other side. Buster promptly tried again the trick by which he had so nearly caught Danny. He reached a great paw around the trunk of the tree and brought it down swiftly. But he was too late. There was no one under that big paw. Buster watched and listened, but he saw nothing and heard nothing. Then he walked around the tree to investigate. There was no sign of Danny Meadow Mouse. But between the roots of the tree was a little round hole.

"Huh!" grunted Buster Bear, and began to dig furiously.

Now Buster Bear's claws are long

and stout and when he sets out to dig he makes things fly. But Whitefoot the Woodmouse knew all about those great claws, and when he made that little round hole he made it right under the big roots of that tree. It didn't take Buster long to find out that it was quite useless to try to dig out Danny Meadow Mouse. You see, those big roots were in the way. So after a minute or two of useless digging Buster gave up. It was foolish to waste time there when he might be hunting for and finding sweet little beechnuts. So, grumbling deep in his throat, Buster walked off and once more began to rake over the leaves in search of beechnuts.

Meanwhile Danny Meadow Mouse had followed his cousin, Whitefoot the Woodmouse, along a little tunnel among the roots that led him some distance away from where he had entered. It was a very nice little tunnel. Danny said as much as he scampered along after Whitefoot. Whitefoot was pleased but he didn't say anything. He just scampered along and Danny followed. After a while they came out in the heart of a big, hollow stump.

"Now," said Whitefoot, "you have nothing to worry about from Buster Bear. Tell me what happened and what are you doing so far away from home."

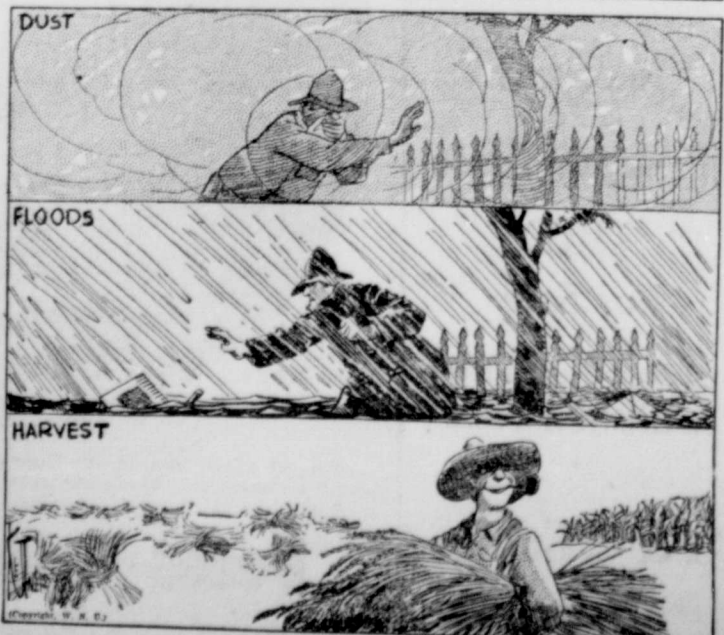
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GIRLIGAGS



"One thing a girl must stoop to conquer," says corpulent Cora, "and that is a rolling waist line." WNU Service.

The Passing Months



A LITTLE NEW SOUL

By ANNE CAMPBELL

A LITTLE new soul came down today On a sunlit cloud, from far away. She stole the blue from the morning skies, And a star for each of her pretty eyes.

She grasped at the dawn, and in her fingers The rosy glow of the morning lin-gers.

A little new soul came down to lift Our weary hearts with her hopeful gift.

She brushed by the sun and plucked its gold, And she brought God's love for our arms to hold.

A little new baby, with dreams in her eyes, Came to show us the pathway to Paradise!

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Through A WOMAN'S EYES

by JEAN NEWTON

THE BANDITS WASTE THEIR TIME

A YOUNG "bandit" describing a criminal career which will put him behind bars probably for the best part of his life, announced that his whole "career," which included a number of robberies and hold-ups, had netted him only \$50. The stigma of crime, a medium of harm to his fellow men, his life ruined—for \$50!

The comment is obvious that a similar amount of interest, enthusiasm and effort expended on constructive work would have brought this deluded young man at least a good living, peace, security, respect. And it might have brought him a good deal more. It might have brought him success, leadership, distinction.

It is the age-old story of trying to get something for nothing. And it is not only in the pursuit of crime that we find constant evidence that this does not pay, that it leads always to tragic failure. There are ways besides crime in which people try to get something

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

OUTDOOR MEALS

AS PICNIC days are here again, we turn to our lists of good things which we have enjoyed and plan a picnic lunch. Those who find some food hard to digest will enjoy them and have no discomfort when eaten out of doors after a brisk hike, or even a stroll through the woods.

When packing a lunch, remember to put in some of the foods that add zest, such as green onions, fresh radishes, cucumbers and a few pickles, sweet and sour. Pickled beets, onions, chow, are all relishes which are enjoyed with the other food.

The sandwiches may be cut and

made just before serving, with lettuce, a slice of cucumber and onion, as filling. Baked bean sandwiches are always enjoyed for a hearty meal. Serve them with sliced sour pickle.

Most picnic lunches are made up of starchy and sugar foods. Some of these are needed but the alkaline foods will be needed or head aches and indigestion will result.

Fruits, green vegetables, celery tomatoes, are all good to combine with the sandwiches, rolls and cakes. Meats are acid forming foods and should be used sparingly.

With the crisp lettuce carried in a towel, well wrapped, add sliced oranges or tomatoes or apples and serve with a french-dressing all prepared and carried in a tight jar or bottle.

With all the disadvantages, snakes, mosquitoes, poison ivy, the more we go on picnics, the more we learn what to avoid and the more pleasure we get from them.

Where there is a stream of clear water or a spring, all the green things may be kept cool and fresh as if taken from a refrigerator at home. Much can be said of the sunshine, the glorious out of doors, trees, grass and flowers, sunbaths, swimming, games, and just loafing when you picnic. They all outweigh the discomforts, which upset stomachs and disturb the regular routine.

Fan Pleats



Fan pleats from neck to hem and from shoulder to elbow appear in this casual afternoon dress of off-white crepe. The fringed sash is polka dotted black satin. From Maggy Rouff.

Question Box

By ED WYNN

The Perfect Fool

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am a coed, at a well known college, and am crazy about a boy my own age who goes to the same college. He gave me a lovely cigarette holder for my birthday and his birthday is next Saturday. I saw a whisky flask, in a shop window, which was made to look like the seven of spades. Don't you think that is a cute present to buy him?

Sincerely,

LILLY KUPPS.

Answer: The present is all right, but he's liable to leave it on a table in some fraternity house, and some other student might come along with the eight of spades and take it.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I bought a new suit, the other day, and the first time I put it on, the coat split up the back. How do you account for that?

Yours truly,

I PICTICT.

Answer: The buttons were sewed on too tight.

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Good Samaritan Aids Helpless Birds



THEY were just three baby sparrows in need of protection when Frances A. Urban, fourteen-year-old high school girl, saw them flapping about helplessly in her back yard in Hollywood, Calif., and decided to befriend them. At her home, the girl placed them in a cage near a window. A day later she heard a flutter and saw a grown sparrow, then two, beating wildly against the screen. Suspecting the visitors were the birds' parents, she placed the cage in the yard and opened the door. One of the birds flew in with worms and fed them, daily.

LORD'S PRAYER IN OTHER

Language Changes by Time's Passage

Few people realize what changes have taken place in English language during the 800 years. Here are some of the Lord's Prayer in use in periods in our history:

A. D. 1158: Fader ure heu weide beith thi neune, kuerliche, thi wille beed, heune and in erthe. Thidawe oriend, gif one thilk detoures. And lene us temptatation, but delyor us Amen.

A. D. 1300: Fader ure in Halewyn be thi name, thi come, thi wille be done as in earthe. Ous orle dede give us to daye. And forgyvettes as we forgyve ourse. And lead us nor in temptatidelyvor us of yvil. Amen.

A. D. 1370: Ourre faller the kingdom come to, be thi wille in erthe as in heune, zee to daye oure broed oure other forgyve to our detours, lene us temptatation; but delyor us yvel. Amen.

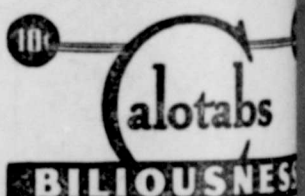
A. D. 1524: O our father arte in heaven, hallowed be thy Let thy kingdom come. Thy be fulfilled as well in earth as in heaven. Give us this daye daily brede. And forgyve us trespasses, even as we forgyve trespassers. And lead us not into temptatation but delyor us from Fyr rhyne is the kingdom of power and the glory for ever.

A. D. 1561: Our father ure in heauen, sanctified be thy Let Thy kingdom come. Thy done as in heauen, in earth Give us today our superbread. And forgyve us our de we forgyve our detours. And not into temptatation, but delyor from evil. Amen.

A. D. 1711: Our father ure in heauen, hallowed be thy Thy kingdom come. Thy wille in earth as it is in heauen. This day our daily bread. Give us our debts as we forgyve debtors. And lead us not into temptatation, but deliver us from ethyne is the kingdom, and the er and the glory forever. In London Tit-Bits.

BOYS! GIRLS! Read the Grape Nuts ad in column of this paper and letter to join the Dizzy Dean Wynn win valuable free prizes.—

Simple Prescription For cramps, wear a bone head of a cod.—Old Belief.



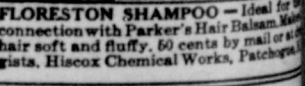
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DOAN'S PILLS

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Says WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS—Well all I know is just what I read in the papers, or what happens day after day. Finished my movies and wanted to just stay around home and have a little fun without some director doling at me. "Come on! Get on the set here and quit loafing!"

I been just messing around doing this and that and not much of either. Get on old "Soap Suds" and ride off up a little canyon I got here with running water in it. Don't mean a thing to you all in most of the place where you might unfortunately read this, but to us folks out here in California, or in any of those arid states I tell you running water is just about the last word.

Couple of Sundays ago we had a nice little gathering out of what we humorously call - Ranch - Betty, (that's the little woman) she invited some of our old friends out Mrs. Amelia Earhardt and her husband Mr. Putnam, and a darn nice fellow, and a mighty congenial pair by the way. Well he is awful nice and this Amelia, she would be great in any business, or in no business at all. She captivates the women too, which is unusual. She told me a lot about her trip to Mexico. She is crazy about Mexico. Well everybody is that goes there, and she thinks this President is very sincere and wants to get all this religious trouble settled and get everybody feeling fine.

She has sure got the nerve that gal. She didn't make her flight from there to N. Y. around the edge of the Gulf of Mexico, she just lit out and set a compass course and left the land at Tampico Mexico and didn't hit land any more till she got away along about New Orleans. The thing I like about her is that she always has a few words to say about all the other aviators. Not one you mention here that has some particular quality or ability that she will boast as being superior to others. Jealousy is not eating her heart out in regard to her fellow flyers, either male or female.

Another old friend, Will Durant, our great philosopher, he is out here teaching philosophy in the University of Cal at Los Angeles. He is a great fellow. Bill, our oldest, has just finished up at Stanford this June. This philosophy was the racket he had majored in, and he sit around open mouthed and drank in every that Will Durant said. Durant had written and sent us the book, a new one, "The Story of Civilization, Our Oriental Heritage." Its just a little what you might call "Throw Away" or pamphlet. Its only got 1178 pages in it. Mrs. Rogers been working on it. I will get after it some afternoon when I haven't got any calves to rope. Thats an awful lot of civilization for the amount we have had.

You would like Bill Durant, regular guy, charming wife and daughter. Pauline Frederick is out here again and going to go in the movies. She has been on the stage for the last few years, and a big success. She is a neighbor and old friend of Beverly Hills days. Pauline can ride a horse had really loves it.

Fred Stone and his middle daughter Paula was out. And say here is some news you will all be tickled to hear. He is simply great in his first picture. He is playing with the charming person Miss Hepburn, and this picture is immense and of course this is marvelous as usual, but so is this. Especially a sensational bit, and Pauline serious sent in the whole of her business toward him, for he worked hard for it. And Paula younger Carol are both working in pictures and doing fine.

Jimmy Minotto and wife are in Arizona, a beautiful country, a beautiful count. They are in the country, ex-actor, ex-actor, ex-actor. She is in the country, ex-actor, ex-actor. She is in the country, ex-actor, ex-actor.

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Colorful Midsummer Silk Prints

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



MIDSUMMER prints are simply gorgeous. Adjectives, no matter how extravagant, how eloquent or picturesque, fall short of describing them. It is impossible to capture their beauty or color and design and release it via mere words. Like the full blown rose that reaches perfection of bloom in mid-summer, the lovely prints now worn, especially the sumptuous evening prints, have reached to such heights of glamorous beauty one's very being thrills at the sight of them.

The enchanting gowns here pictured are self-explanatory as to why women continue to adore prints. The superlative loveliness of the stately model to the left in the group carries the message that no happier choice can be made in the way of a summer evening gown than a filmy, vaporous printed chiffon which silhouettes huge white waterlilies touched with pink and green shadows against a misty black background. The scarlike arrangement which falls across the shoulders, floating in summer airiness at every move, is typical of current styling.

Then there is a frock of perfectly beautiful flower-printed silk fantasy crepe which the lady seated is wearing. To mar the perfection of this glorified print with a superfluous trimming touch would be an unforgivable gesture. Which is why the designer, fashioned this super print along absolutely simple lines. This print is vivid with splashes and dashes of warm tropical colors—as gay, as gorgeous as a bird of brilliant exotic plumage. The lovely dress with a cape centered in the picture has a story of fascinating interest to tell. It is of violet-gray mouseline de soie. Huge flower appliques, cutouts from a silk poppy print, are festooned on

FALL FORECAST

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



The picturesque, fashionable afternoon hat in the illustration is in bright green velour. Its crown is cut sharply in half by a beautiful black and white plume which emerges underneath the brim, curling softly down over the neck. The other hat is a type which milliners are showing for wear with dinner dresses. The body of the hat is sheersat net—serves as a foundation for the luxuriant feather which constitutes the brim and trim.

FLOWERS CURRENT THEME OF STYLISTS

"Flowers for Madame" is the current theme song of the stylists.

Fresh flowers are being used as a definite part of current costume ensembles, used in new and unusual ways. There is, in case you didn't know it, a "tailored corsage" of orchids, for wear with tailored daytime costumes. The stems are wound with velvet ribbon, in a color to harmonize with the ensemble, and are pinned against the collar of the frock or jacket.

For evening gay young things are wearing a spray of small pink orchids across the back of the head, tiara fashion. Flowers in the hair are all the rage just now. Reminiscent of Carmen are the sprays of red camellias worn by dashing brunets these nights on their dark curls, just behind the right ear.

Another new idea is that of jeweled a single orchid to your jeweled bracelet.

New Silk Patent Leather Belts for Daytime Wear

Like soft, crushed girdles are the new silk patent leather belts for daytime dresses. They fit snugly around the waist, and are just a bit wider than the belts you've been wearing. The colors match or contrast with all your new summer dresses—bright red, dark red, pink, lilac, yellow and black. They give a smart touch that adds so much to your costume and proves that it pays to be up-to-date even in details!

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Two Birthdays
Mussolini Waiting?
Italy's Gold in London
Match This, Mr. Swope

Two important human beings celebrated their birthdays recently. Henry Ford was seventy-two. If you saw him going upstairs two steps at a time and guessed his age, you would say, at most, fifty-five.

Mussolini has just celebrated his fifty-second birthday. You may spend a profitable three minutes contrasting these two leaders of men in your imagination's eye.

Henry Ford has made millions of people independent of the law of gravitation. History will tell exactly what Mussolini has done. His test lies in the future.

The London Times and Universal Service announce a clash between Ethiopians and Italians, 20 Ethiopians and 40 Italians, killed, a stream supplying the Italian camp turned in a new direction and the Italians compelled to retreat.

Rome "has no information" on the incident. Perhaps Mussolini, who knows that war should supply only good news, is waiting to add something such as "Air bombardment of Addis Ababa has inflicted swift retribution for the killing of 40 Italians."

Italy has \$100,000,000 in gold stored in London and can't get it. Why cannot Italy get that gold? England says to Italy, "When you pay the money you borrowed in the war, you can have your gold."

Britons are practical. When they lent money to Italy they said, "Send along your gold; not that we question your honor, but as a mere formality."

Too bad this simple-minded country didn't think of that when it shipped \$100,000,000 abroad. Perhaps we shall think of it next time, more probably not.

The General Electric company has developed, electrically, a temperature of 13,000 degrees Fahrenheit, announced as "hotter than the sun's 9,000 degrees."

But 9,000 is only the sun's external temperature. Go to some distance into the sun's interior, where atoms are throwing off electrons to supply us and other planets with heat and light, and you would find a temperature of 40,000,000 degrees centigrade. When will Gerard Swope develop that temperature artificially?

Thomas E. Dewey, chosen to fight racketeering in New York, says in a broadcast:

"The criminal underworld plays no favorites. It preys on the public, on industry and on labor alike. Organized labor has been one of its most recent and most tragic victims. Many originally honest and sound labor unions have been slowly but surely infected with the virus of organized crime. Today certain corruptive leaders operate as extortionists both upon industry and upon members of their own unions."

An intelligent group of motorists announce a "safe driving campaign for August," urging automobile drivers to consider safety, particularly in their own cars.

The safest thing would be to send tens of thousands of cars now running to the junk pile, get new cars and live longer. Modern tires give miraculous mileage, but often they look "good for ten thousand miles more" when they have reached the danger point.

In Yugoslavia 20 years ago Alexander Bogar, now living in Minneapolis, Minn., killed a friend in a fight. Wishing to make amends, he offered to marry the widow. That could not be done. He has saved \$15,000, working in mines, and now offers the money to the twenty-two-year-old daughter of the man he killed. She is poor and will accept. Atone ment by payment is almost as old as murder. There are still countries in which crime may be paid for in cash, the amount depending on the rank of the person murdered.

George, former king of Greece, will take the crown if 60 per cent of Greeks vote in his favor. He thinks 60 per cent enough. Once crowned, George might be surprised to find what 40 per cent of Greeks could do.

The British forbade shipment of arms from England to Abyssinia, also shipments from England to Italy. Annoyed, the emperor of Ethiopia declines to provide special guards for the British legation at Addis Ababa. The British will send their own guards. They have a way of protecting their nations.

SIMPLER FOODS ESSENTIAL PART OF CHILD'S DIET

By DR. JOHN L. RICE, Health Commissioner, New York City. Every child, from babyhood to adolescence, should be reared according to the cardinal rules of health if that child would be healthy, strong, vigorous and happy. He must have ample sleep, plenty of fresh air and sunshine, and a "balanced diet."

There is nothing mysterious about a balanced diet, for such a diet demands merely plenty of fresh vegetables, fruit, a quart of milk daily, and dairy products in addition to the ordinary staple foods.

Sleep, and plenty of it, is absolutely necessary for the growing child. Tests have demonstrated that sleep actually is almost as important as food. In fact, it has been shown that animals and human beings may go longer without food than without sleep. Physicians agree that a baby should have 12 to 14 hours sleep, every day, until he reaches the age of six. From that year on to ten his sleeping hours may be reduced to ten, and after that he should have at least eight hours, and if possible nine.

Every growing child should also have plenty of fresh air and sunshine. From his first month on up to five or six years he should be clothed as lightly as possible so that the sun will have an opportunity to reach every part of his body. This daily sunbath is needed to tone up the child's system, but care must be taken that he is not sunburned. He then should be allowed to creep, romp or play in the open, and even in the winter he may play in the snow, providing his wet clothing is removed when he enters the home.

The minerals in fresh vegetables, fruits, milk and dairy products assist the child in building up strong bones and healthy teeth. Plenty of vegetables, particularly apples, oranges, bananas and grapefruit, not only furnish bulk to aid in daily elimination, but they give us important vitamins so necessary in maintaining health.

Virgin Islands Bought for Future Naval Base

There are surprises in store for Americans who visit the Virgin Islands without knowing their history. Although Denmark owned the group for two and a half centuries,

from 1698 to 1917, Danish was never spoken as a language. English was used by the natives from the first. Danish money is still very much in use. The population is 75 per cent negro, 17 per cent mixed blood, while only 7 per cent is white. There are three main islands, St. Thomas, St. John and St. Croix and half a hundred islets, most of them uninhabited. The three main islands have an area of 132 square miles.

St. Thomas has one of the best harbors in the West Indies. Ships drawing 31 feet may dock at its wharves. On the hills sloping up from the harbor is the largest town in the new American possessions. It is now called St. Thomas, but under the Danish regime it was Charlotte Amelia.

This harbor is the reason for the islands now belonging to the United States. Denmark wished to sell, and the United States, to prevent this excellent naval base from falling into the hands of a European power, made the purchase. The price, \$25,000,000, was the highest ever paid by this country in a territorial purchase.

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There's only one way to make your car stay beautiful for life—and that is to Simoniz the finish. If it is dull, first use the wonderful Simoniz Kleener to restore the lustre. It quickly brings back all the beauty your car had when new. Simoniz, too, is easy to apply and it protects the finish, makes it last longer, and keeps the colors from fading. So, the sooner you Simoniz your car, the better.



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DIZZY DEAN spears a hot one!

HERE YOU ARE, JOE THIS BOMB WILL BLOT 'EM OUT
AND ALL YOU GOTTA DO, JOE, IS TO THROW IT WHEN THE GOVERNOR GETS IN THE REVIEWING STAND
I GOT IT!

LOOKOUT! A BOMB!
IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR YOU, I'D BE BLOWN TO BITS!
SHUCKS! ANY BUSHER COULD HAVE SPEARED THIS!
IT—AND YANKED OUT THE FUSE
GOSH—IT'S DIZZY DEAN!

THAT WAS SURE A GREAT CATCH, DIZZY! AND FAST THINKING TOO!
WELL, SON, TO THINK FAST YOU GOT TO BE WIDE-AWAKE. AND TO BE WIDE-AWAKE YOU GOT TO HAVE PLENTY OF ENERGY

HOW CAN I HAVE PLENTY OF ENERGY?
I'LL TELL YOU ONE SWELL WAY—EAT GRAPE-NUTS. IT TOPS THE BATTING ORDER FOR MAKING ENERGY. I KNOW—I EAT IT MYSELF

Boys! Girls!... Get Valuable Prizes Free!
Join Dizzy Dean Winners—carry Dizzy's Lucky Piece!
Send the top from one yellow-and-blue Grape-Nuts package, with your name and address, to Grape-Nuts, Battle Creek, Mich., for membership pin and copy of club manual, containing list of 37 nifty free prizes. And to have loads of energy, start eating Grape-Nuts right away. It has a winning flavor all its own—crisp, nut-like, delicious. Economical to serve, too, for two tablespoons, with whole milk or cream, provide more varied nourishment than many a hearty meal. (Offer expires Dec. 31, 1935. Good only in U.S.A.)

Dizzy Dean Winners Membership Pin. Solid brooch, with red enameled lettering. Free for 1 Grape-Nuts package-top. In ordering membership pin, be sure to ask for Prize 301. Dizzy Dean Lucky Piece. Just like Dizzy carries—with his good luck motto on reverse side. Free for 1 Grape-Nuts package-top. In ordering lucky piece, ask for Prize 305.

JUST KIDS—It Sure Is Hot!

By Ad Carte



N. M. PRACTICALLY FREE OF BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS

The agricultural department recently announced that Colorado and New Mexico have been officially designated as modified accredited areas, which means "practically free" from bovine tuberculosis. The department said the work in both states was completed earlier than had been expected and very little infection had been found in either state. There are now twenty-four states in the tuberculosis-free area.

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OLD TIMERS DAY TO BE AT ROSWELL

For their thirteenth annual meeting, the Old Timers of New Mexico and especially those of the Methodist church, South, of Roswell, will assemble in Roswell September 8, to celebrate a day given over to them.

Each year this church, which is the oldest in Roswell and Chaves county, sponsors this gathering of the pioneer settlers of this section, at which the Sunday sermon, and the following "Old Timers" banquet are arranged especially to please the honor guests.

Potash Output Is Less for 1934

Potash production in the United States during 1934 amounted to 275,732 short tons of potassium salts equivalent to 114,342 tons of potash, a decrease of 17 percent in gross weight but an increase of .7 percent in k20 content, compared with the 1933 production when 333,110 tons gross weight and 143,378 tons of k20 were produced, according to figures recently released by the department of interior.

During 1934, 224,875 tons of potash salts with a k20 content of 114,122 tons, which was 18 and 21 percent respectively less than the production, were sold. The sales were 31 percent for salts and 18 percent for k20 content less than in 1933 when 325,481 tons of potash salts with a k20 content of 139,067 were sold.

The value at the plant of potash sold was \$2,813,218, a decrease of 47 percent below the price at the plant of potash sold in 1933 which was \$5,296,793. The average value per ton was \$12.51 in 1934 as compared with \$16.27 in 1933. The per unit value consisting of 20 pounds of k20 was 25 cents in 1934 and 38 cents in 1933.

About 96,000 tons with a potash content of 50,000 tons remained in producer's stock at the close of the year. The average k20 content of the 1934 production was higher than in 1933, being 50.7 percent as compared with 42.7 percent.

Chief sources of potash in this country were the natural brines at Trona, California, and from potash minerals mined in Eddy county.

During 1934, 486,167 short tons of potash salts were imported with an estimated k20 equivalent of 178,533 short tons. This was an increase of one percent in gross weight over the 1933 importation which was 479,429 short tons.

IN SOCIETY

Phone 17 (Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

Social Calendar

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet on Wednesday afternoon, August 14th, at the home of Mrs. Harry Cowan.

T. CLUB ACTIVITIES

The T. club has been enlarged, and will meet every week until the quilt is finished. This quilt will have one hundred and twenty-one blocks in it, which makes a large quilt. The new officers in the club are as follows: Gladys Lawing, president; Ethel Hanson, vice-president; and Abbie Marrs, secretary and treasurer.

SHOWER AND PARTY FOR MRS. HOMER INGLE

Mrs. Ethel Hanson was hostess last Friday at the home of Mrs. Richmond Hams at a shower and party for Mrs. Homer Ingle, a recent bride. Lovely gifts were showered upon the honoree by her many friends present.

BEAUTIES HONORED IN ROSWELL FRI. AND SAT.

Thirty of the most charming and unusual beauties, winners from over fifty cities in Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico, will arrive in Roswell Friday morning at ten o'clock for the final Beauty Pageant contest to be staged there at the Yucca Theater.

The beauties will be presented on the Yucca stage Friday night in both beach and evening dress at 8:30 p. m., and Saturday night they will be presented at 8:00 p. m. and again at 10:00 p. m., with the final winner "Miss Queen of the Southwest" being announced at 10:00 p. m.

On Thursday night, a dance will be given in Carlsbad, where they will visit before going to Roswell, and another final dance will be given in their honor in Roswell.

Music will be furnished by Bob Sandusky and his orchestra. The final winner will be photographed by Pathe News Reel cameraman, as will the entire group. Another cameraman will cover the complete contest and the pictures will be released nationally.

AUXILIARY NEWS

At the American Legion convention last week in Carlsbad, the local Auxiliary carried off several honors. They won first in history contest. This history of Hagerman Unit No. 43 by Jeanette Michelet is very interesting, containing all about boys from here and pictures of them and others.

Security Safety

"MUST We Live Up To Our Income?" No! Perhaps you don't HAVE to save.

Perhaps your weekly pay check will satisfy all your needs for a time. But if you look into the future you will see possible emergencies for which it is best to prepare.

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man, Artesia, Lovington, Hobbs and Carlsbad. Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Michelet, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harshey and Mrs. John Langenegger went on Saturday afternoon. There were quite a few social affairs planned for the Auxiliary attendants.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PARTY

A big round moon led enchantment last Friday evening and helped light the lawn at the Methodist church for a very pleasant party given by members of the local Epworth League.

MISS GODDARD MARRIED

Friends of Miss Jacqueline Goddard of Riverside, Illinois, will be interested in the news of her marriage the latter part of July to Frank Brown. Mr. Brown is a student at Yale, and this autumn will be sent to the Orient, including Syria and other countries on an expedition for the university.

"MURDER" PARTY AND SCAVENGER HUNT

Quite a gay party gathered last Friday evening on the lawn at the Buck Boyce home and whiled away the moonlit hours in "murder" games and scavenger hunts, and other merry games.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY

The society met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. James A. Hedges, the subject for the afternoon was "Orientals in America," and the review was given by Mmes. Hedges and Robt. Cumpsten. There was a good attendance of members.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID

Mrs. E. E. Lane, assisted by her two young daughters, Misses Lila and Blanche, entertained the Presbyterian ladies on Wednesday. The devotionals were led by the president, who called on each to respond with a Bible verse.

WHEN TO PLANT FALL VEGETABLES

Some of our readers may be interested in planting fall gardens. A. B. Fite, meeting with the Atoka Woman's club last week, gave an outline of planting time for many vegetables.

Carrots, August 1 to August 15; beets, August 10 to August 20; Onion seed, August 1 to August 10; head lettuce, August 25 to September 1; spinach, October 1 to November 15; turnips, September 1 to September 20; radishes, most any time.

He also stated that such crops as turnips if planted too early will get woody and will be of poor eating quality. For most all of these plants the seeds are planted approximately one-half inch deep, with the exception of carrots, and they should be barely covered.

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HOG MARKET REACHES NEW HIGH ON 14TH

CHICAGO—Wholesale prices for fresh pork in the Chicago area yesterday had reached a high of \$29.50 a hundred pounds, or more than 350 per cent increase in two years.

Tuesday's jump amounted to an even dollar and brought prices \$23.00 higher than the extreme low of \$6.50 a hundred pounds in 1933.

One of the major causes of the record high pork prices was last year's drought with the consequent shortage of corn. The Institute of American Meat Packers point to the Agricultural Adjustment Act as a contributing factor.

This, however, was not the view taken by Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace in Washington, who said: "The facts are that consumers now would be paying somewhat more for pork, if there had been no pig purchase program in 1933."

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On The Stage... 30... BEAUTY WINNER... "Queen of the Southwest Beauty Pageant" YUCC

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