

The Robert Lee Observer

There Is A Destiny That Makes Us Brothers -- None Goes His Way Alone
All That We Send Into The Lives Of Others -- Comes Back Into Our Own.

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Seven Special Acts

Seven special acts will be featured at the daily rodeo performances during the Fat Stock Show beginning at San Angelo Saturday, Culbertson Deal, manager, has announced. There are two women trick riders, one male fancy rider, two trick and fancy ropers, one trained horse with his master and a clown with trained mule.

Pauline Nesbitt and Reine Shelton are the women riders. Miss Nesbitt is new at the show here but has a "bag of riding tricks." Miss Shelton was here last year and was one of the performers.

Dick Griffith is back again with trained riding horse.

Bob Calen and Chester Byers will twirl their lariats between events each afternoon. Both are tops in their line and have appeared here previously. Calen will be the announcer of the events while Byers will serve as one of the rodeo judges.

Murle Alexander, Vancourt youth, with his trained horse, "Smoky" has been signed for a seven minute act during the rodeo program. Alexander's horse is two and a half years old and has been given training since 11 months old. The horse does about 35 tricks.

New to rodeo crowds this year will be Jimmie Nesbitt and his trained mule, "Billy Sunday." Nesbitt is from Denver and is one of the best rodeo clowns in the Southwest.

Fewer Failures

Only thirteen commercial failures occurred in Texas during January, a sharp decrease from a year ago, and total liabilities of the bankrupt firms showed even a sharper percentage decline, it has been announced by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

"Reports from Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., show a total of thirteen failures against 28 during January last year, a decline of 57.1 percent," the Bureau's statement said. "Total liabilities per failure were \$5,000, just half that of January last year."

School Faculty Chosen

The school board in meeting Monday night elected the following members for the 1937-38 faculty:

High School

G. L. Taylor--Superintendent,
A. F. Landers--Principal--His-

toy
Roy Brey--Science and Math.
Veta Spykes--English and Spanish.

Grades

Hyman Teague, Danice McClure, Virginia Griffith, Lois Vowell, Juanita Barger, Mrs. Mary Russell.
Grade teachers not all placed.

Ranchmen of County Organize

Monday, March 1st, 1937, 168 ranchmen and women met in the District Court room and organized the Agriculture Conservation Association for range conservation.

F. S. Higginbotham, of Bronte, and A. N. Counts of Water Valley, were elected Committeemen for Coke county.

Over seventy of those present signed range applications to have the range inspectors inspect their ranches. There will be approximately 170 ranchmen make application.

The program was explained by H. E. Smith, County Agricultural Agent.

The ranchmen are enthused with the program and Mr. Smith urges everyone to take advantage of some of the practices offered by the Government in the program.

Educational meeting will be started for the farm program in the very near future. The itinerary of these meetings will be published.

Surprised By Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roe were surprised last Thursday evening Feb. 25, when a number of friends called on them, at their ranch home, by bringing their supper with them. Each one brought a covered dish, which made the meal quite complete.

Those present for the occasion were:

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Willoughby, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker, of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snead, Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Good, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Smith, Delbert Walling, Misses Louise Roe and Gwyn Higginbotham of Robert Lee; Jim Eubanks, Allen Bell, Pharris Mackey, and Lucy Lowry, all of Bronte.

Bluebonnet Bridge Club

Miss Mittie Russell was hostess to the Bluebonnet Bridge Club last Thursday afternoon, entertaining at her home.

Decorations and appointments suggested the Washington birthday observance and refreshments were cherry pie with whipped cream and coffee.

Members present were Mesdames Rial Denman, F. C. Clark, Paul Good, J. S. Craddock, M. L. Woodmansie, Dolly Wylie, P. E. Mahon, Lamont Scott, and Chism Brown. Guests were Mrs. T. A. Richardson and Mrs. H. E. Smith.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. Lamont Scott.

The will of the late Mrs. Willie Allen was filed for probate Monday. Her sister, Miss Ollie Green, was appointed administrator of the estate.

Allen-Clift

In a beautiful and impressive ceremony, Miss Dorthey Simpson Clift of Robert Lee, and C. Allen Davis of Taft repeated the marriage vows in the Central Methodist church at Brownwood Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Robert Hall of Brownwood played the wedding music and also accompanied Mrs. Leta Newby Shelton, also of Brownwood, who sang "I Love You Truly."

Rev. S. E. Chandler of Brownwood read the ring ceremony as the couple stood before an altar effectly banked with palms and ferns mingled with Easter lillies and white dogwood blossoms. The ring used was one made from a broad gold band worn by the mother of the groom.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore an eton suit of beige crepe roma with embroidered batiste blouse. Her hat and accessories were also in beige with brown and she carried a tailored bouquet of calla lillies.

Miss Christine Glenn of Robert Lee was bridesmaid, wearing a short jacket style suit of coronation blue with accessories of black and carrying an arm bouquet of spring blossoms.

Mrs. W. B. Clift and Mrs. E. E. Davis, mothers of the couple, wore corsages of sweet peas and maiden hair fern.

Buster Hill of Dallas was best man.

Mrs. Davis is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clift of Robert Lee. She was born and reared here, was graduated from the Robert Lee high school and also from the San Angelo Junior College and was for a year or more, associated with the W. K. Simpson business which was founded by her grandfather, the late Rev. W. K. Simpson.

Mr. Davis, reared in Brownwood, is now manager of the Cage Funeral Home in Taft and Arkansas and is also president of the Chamber of Commerce at Taft. He is also a member of the Lions Club at Aransas Pass.

Attending the wedding from here were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clift and son, Wallace, Mrs. W. K. Simpson, Mrs. Cortez Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Simpson, Ajax Simpson, Misses Christine Glen, Virginia Griffith, Charline Morrow, Sybil Summers, Messrs. Woodrow and Winfred Gardner and Bill Tom Roach.

There will be services at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and afternoon. Elder Weldon Bennett of Abilene will occupy the pulpit, and the public is cordially invited.

The first Coke county car license for 1937 was issued to Mrs. Alma Marie Smith. Mrs. Smith's license number is 178-201 and Mr. Smith obtained the 178-202. Thirteen licenses were issued the first day.

4-H Club Boys Exhibits

The Coke County 4-H Club boys will exhibit their calves and lambs in the vocational Stock Show to be held in Bronte Thursday, March 4. Immediately after the Bronte show the Club stock will be moved to San Angelo for the San Angelo Show.

The club boys exhibiting stock are: Edward Williams, 1 milk fed Sr. calf; bred by J. B. Walker of Silver, Texas. Winston Modgling, 1 milk fed Sr. calf bred by J. B. Walker of Silver, Texas. Billie C. Taylor, 1 dry lot steer, bred by A. N. Rawling of Bronte. Dan Percifull, 5 fine wool lambs bred by his father J. S. Perciful of Bronte. Clark Glen, registered Herford heifer, bred by himself on his father's farm at Tennyson.

Entertains

Last Thursday night, Miss Eunice McLure entertained the Baptist Young People's Sunday School class at the home of Miss Mettie Russell.

Decorations and favors suggested the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington. Contests and table games furnished entertainment and a salad plate was passed to Misses Daisy McCutchen, Sybil Summers, Charlene Morrow, Christine Glenn, Mrs. Lula White, and Messrs W. K. Simpson, Hyman Teague and Weldon Fikes.

Country Needs Moisture

Farmers and ranchmen would welcome some moisture over this section. While the sheep range is fairly good, rain is needed to start the grass and to aid in crop planting.

Since the above small item was put into type, about an inch rain fell in this section Wednesday night, causing rejoicing among the farmers and ranchmen. Indications point to more rain.

New and Renewals

This Week

O. Farris, W. C. Shamblin, Blackwell, E. R. Connally, Guy Saunders, Pampa; G. S. Arnold, W. M. Simpson.

Watch your date on the label of your paper. It shows when your time is up, we have quite a number who have run over, and your attention to the matter will be thankfully acknowledged.

If you are not a subscriber you have a cordial invitation to have your name placed on our fast growing list.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams are parents of a nine pound son born here Thursday. The baby has been named Billie Sherman.

Adulterated Flour

Cracking down upon flour manufacturers who use sacks not laundered or properly cleaned after previous use, the Bureau of Food and Drugs of the State Department of Health is continuing its campaign to stop this filthy practice, Dr. Geo. W. Cox State Health Officer announced. Flour sacked in such manner is adulterated under section 707 of the State Food and Drug law. Prosecution will be instituted against bakers, grocers, millers or any others where such sacks are found to contain food.

The practice of returning used bags to the mill for use without proper recleaning has been the cause of finding many bags of flour adulterated and these were condemned because of the presence of weevils and other filth.

In numerous instances it has been found by inspectors of the Bureau of Food and Drugs that no care whatsoever has been exercised by bakers in keeping sacks intended for refilling at the mill in a clean condition. One lot of sacks of this kind appeared to have been used in wiping machinery and mopping the floor of the mill. Another lot was found mouldy. Another was found to be a breeding place for insects.

"From these findings it becomes evident that such practices constitutes a constant and growing menace to the health of Texas. The Bureau of Food and Drugs intends to bring protection against such practices.

Gift Shower for Bride

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen Davis, whose marriage was told in Brownwood Sunday afternoon, Misses Christine Glenn, Charline Morrow, Virginia Griffith, Sybil Summers and Gwendolyn Higginbotham and Mrs. F. M. Wylie, Jr., were hostesses for gift party given Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's uncle, W. M. Simpson and Mrs. Simpson.

At the conclusion of a series of games featuring the Easter theme, Martha Francis Smith, costumed as an Easter Bunny, hopped into the living room and led the bride to an Easter basket of gifts.

Present other than the honorees and hostesses were Misses Vivian Roane and Mettie Russell; Mesdames Cortez Russell, Marvin Simpson, Lamont Scott, Dolly Wylie, Frank Smith, F. C. Clark J. S. Craddock, Messrs and Mesdames W. J. Cumbie, Paul Good, Bill McDonald, Rial Denman, A. F. Landers, F. C. Clark, Fred McDonald, H. E. Smith, W. B. Clift, Bailey Russell, and Messrs Woodrow Gardner, Wilfred Gardner, W. T. Roach, Hyman Teague, T. M. Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis left for their home in Taft Wednesday after a brief visit here.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the lives of little people



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin

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The FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne

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First Stirrings of Spring



THE chic young miss above, center, says, "I make my own clothes. I learned sewing from Mother first, got a touch of it in school, and a real exposure in 4-H activities. I choose this dress for Spring because it looks like Spring, and because it takes the minimum of time and money. Puff sleeves and princess lines give a formal note if I wish to impress the folks (which I often do) and the peplum jacket is added for frivolous reasons—when I want to feel a bit sophisticated, and it makes a sweet all-occasion dress."

A Practical Choice.

The Lady on the Left says, "I'm practical. I choose patterns that I can cut twice; then I have a gingham gown to set me off in my kitchen and an afternoon dress in which to entertain the Maggie-Jiggs club. The all-of-a-piece yoke and sleeves make me look years younger, the shirred pockets give the decorative note every dress needs, and I can run it up in an afternoon."

Three-Purpose Pattern.

The Girl in the Oval has a far-away look in her eyes. She says it's because she wears glamorous blouses like this one. She cuts her pattern three times—no less—and evolves a blouse in eggshell for her velvet skirt; one in velveteen for her tweeds, and the third in metallic cloth for after-five activities. "The skirt with its simple well directed lines is equally well suited to tweeds for sport, velvet for dress and wool for business," says Madam.

The Patterns.

Pattern 1832 (above left) comes in sizes 32 to 44. Size 34 requires 4 3/4 yards of 39 inch material.

Pattern 1263 (above center) is designed in sizes 12 to 20 (30 to 40 bust). Size 14 requires 4 3/4 yards of 39 inch material for the dress and 2 1/4 yards for the jacket—to line it requires 2 1/4 yards of 35 inch material.

Pattern 1958 (above right) is available in sizes 14 to 20 (32 to 46 bust). Size 16 requires 2 3/4 yards for the blouse in 39 inch material

Foreign Words and Phrases

Caetera desunt. (L.) The remainder is wanting.

Lingua Toscana in bocca Romana. (It.) The Tuscan speech on Roman lips; i. e., the most correct Italian.

Pleno jure. (L.) With full power.

Quo jure? (L.) By what right?

Au fait. (F.) Well informed; master of; skilled.

En arriere. (F.) In the rear; backward; behind.

Lares et penates. (L.) Household gods.

Ore rotundo. (L.) With full utterance.

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My Favorite Recipe

By Dorothy Dix
Writer

Barbecue Chicken

Broil the chickens in the usual way and when they are dished pour over them this sauce:

Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, add the same quantity of vinegar, a teaspoonful of made mustard, a strong dash of tobasco, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, a teaspoonful of sugar, a saltspoonful of salt and half as much pepper. Blend all together, heat to a boil and pour over chickens. Serve in 5 minutes.
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The Word "Nazi"

Dr. Scholz of the German Embassy says that the word "Nazi" is composed of the two first syllables of national, pronounced nazional in German. The term, Nazi, was very easily introduced into the German vocabulary since it resembles literally the familiar expression used in the Bavarian vernacular (slang) for a peasant boy. The latter Nazi naturally derives from the given name Ignatius or Ignaz in German.

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"Quotations"

Education to be valuable must be primarily character education rather than a mere accumulation of information.—*Newton D. Baker.*

Democracy substitutes self-restraint for external restraint.—*Louis D. Brandeis.*

The manner in which the community takes care of its sick and incapacitated is the gauge by which the degree of civilization of a people may be judged.—*Fannie Hurst.*

In the long and dreary history of war, no idea has yet been conquered by force.—*Cordell Hull.*

Exploration is less a matter of waiting for breaks than of creating them.—*Richard E. Byrd.*

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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of Chicago.
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Lesson for March 7

LIFE HERE AND HEREAFTER THROUGH CHRIST

LESSON TEXT—John 14:1-15.
GOLDEN TEXT—I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me. John 14:6.

PRIMARY TOPIC—In the Heavenly Father's House.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Many Mansions.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why We Need Christ Always.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Life Here and Hereafter through Christ.

It was the night before the darkest day in the world's history. On the morrow the Son of man was to hang on Calvary's tree for the sins of the world—for your sins, and for mine. But for the moment he was alone with his disciples. The last Passover had been eaten together, the betrayer had been discovered, and the Lord had told them that he was soon to go where they could not follow. Peter had, by his bold self-assurance, brought forth the prophecy of his denial. The disciples were disturbed. Then came from the Saviour the words of comfort, assurance, and power which have been the strength and solace of his people through all the centuries. Our life both here and hereafter is in His mighty hands.

I. Comfort (vv. 1-3).
Troubled hearts are everywhere—in the palace and in the cottage, on land and sea. There is a place of rest, thank God! There is One who still speaks the majestic words, "Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in God, believe also in me."

His comfort is one which covers the future life, for he says:

1. "I go to prepare a place" (v.2). Concern about future destiny is settled at once when Christ Jesus becomes our Lord and Saviour. We need worry no longer. He has gone on before to the Father's house to prepare a place for his own. When we come to that ever-peaceful shore we shall not come as strangers, but as sons and daughters to a prepared place in our Father's house.

2. "I will come again" (v.3) is the word that gives present meaning to the future promise. He not only prepares the place, but he it is who brings us there. The glorious hope of his coming again is the Christian's greatest comfort and mightiest incentive to useful, holy living.

II. Assurance (vv. 4-11).
The doctrine of Christian assurance is one of vital importance, and should be taught in all its scriptural power and beauty. Unfortunately it has so suffered violence at the hands of some of its friends that others have not only come to fear it, but even openly to oppose it. This is most regrettable, for it is manifest that until one has assurance he will make but little progress in Christian usefulness.

The believers assurance rests fundamentally on Christ himself. Two grounds are given in the text.

1. "I am the way, the truth, and the life" (v. 6). These words are their own best commentary. Read them again, slowly, weighing the meaning of each word. If we are in him who is the way, how safe we are! If we are not in him? Read his own solemn words in verse 6, "No man cometh unto the Father but by me." (v. 11).

In Christ dwells all the fullness of the Godhead. He is not only a supernatural being, he is God. How can anyone deny that and read his words in these verses? To do so is to make Jesus a liar and blasphemer.

III. Power (vv. 12-15).
His followers are not left in a world of sin and need as a little group of hymn-singing weaklings, thinking only of the day when they shall be in a brighter land. Ah, yes, they sing hymns and rejoice in them; they look for a better land; their weapons of warfare are not carnal—but weaklings? Oh, no! God uses them to do great and mighty things for his glory.

1. "He that believeth" (v. 12). This army of God carries the royal banner of faith.

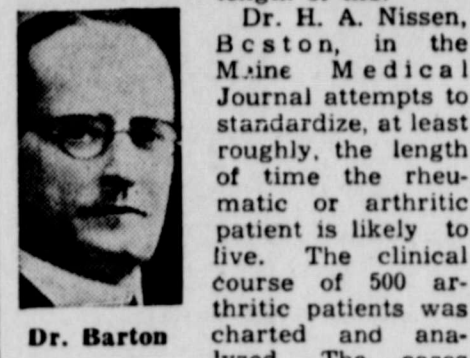
2. "Greater works... shall he do" (v. 12). Jesus only began his work on earth. Its greatest development was to be the joyous privilege of his followers.

3. "If ye ask... I will do" (v. 14). Someone has called this a signed blank check on all the resources of God. Faith fills it in, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Moody knew how to use it. So did Mueller, Livingstone, J. Hudson Taylor—the list might go on indefinitely. Shall we dare to trust God and add our name as one of those who ask in faith?

HOW ARE YOU TODAY

DR. JAMES W. BARTON
Talks About

Chronic Arthritis.
WHEN we see so many individuals crippled with rheumatism we may wonder what chance they have of living for any length of time. Unable to use certain joints, suffering more or less pain at times or all the time, the effect upon their appetite, digestion, bowel activity, and outlook on life is bound to affect their health and length of life.



Dr. Barton

Dr. H. A. Nissen, Boston, in the Maine Medical Journal attempts to standardize, at least roughly, the length of time the rheumatic or arthritic patient is likely to live. The clinical course of 500 arthritic patients was charted and analyzed. The cases where the arthritic or rheumatic symptoms had existed for less than five years were not included in this study. The duration of the rheumatic symptoms ranged from five to twenty years.

In any group of so-called arthritic patients 68 per cent (about 7 in 10) can be assured of improvement. The remaining 32 per cent or 3 in 10 are the ones which Dr. Nissen states physicians should carefully study, keeping a careful record so as to be able to measure or compare the changes in the course of the arthritis.

Knowledge Worth the Effort.

This may mean patience and effort but the knowledge gained will be worth the effort expended if it proves to show the degree of arthritic disturbance, and what the future holds out in the way of encouragement for the patient.

It is only by this long patient effort that the physician can really know whether his care of the case has been good, bad or indifferent.

There is no question but the above advice is sound because when an ailment is an old or chronic one such as arthritis, the patient, and the physician also, are apt to try various treatments for short periods of time in an endeavor to get or give quick relief.

The treatment of rheumatism or arthritis today consists of the removal of any infection (in teeth, tonsils, sinuses, gall bladder, intestine), diet—starch foods are cut down; application of heat in some form followed later by massage; the moving or manipulation of the joints; and the use of drugs known as the salicylates.

Thus with 7 out of 10 arthritic patients assured of improvement in their condition, and the other 3 in 10 receiving careful supervision and treatment, the outlook for length of time and enjoyment of life for arthritics is encouraging.

The Building-Up Foods.

In the early days of the automobile many of the women of the country and the villages cast covetous eyes on the sleek, well-fed well rounded women of the city who went by in the open automobiles of those days. "If those women had as much work and worry as I have they would not look so smooth, sleek and placid."

And today, we find that our women of the country and village, and even of the city itself are not at all anxious to look sleek, well fed and plump. In fact as two of every five of our adult population are believed to be overweight, it would seem that perhaps a little more work and worry would prevent the increase in weight.

Naturally then for one who wishes to increase weight the main thought is rest, light exercise to induce appetite and prevent constipation, and a little extra food, rich in food value. "Rest, relaxation and fresh air are important parts of the day's schedule if the diet is to be successful in increasing weight."

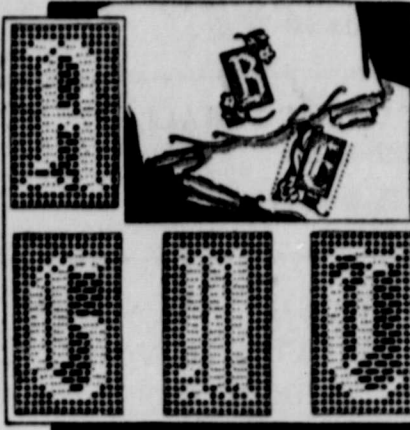
However, despite the fact that a tendency to thinness or leanness seems to run in some families, many individuals are underweight because of some infected teeth or tonsils, chronic sinus infection or tuberculosis.

The idea of a rich or high caloric diet is to make sure that the food contains all the materials needed for the various tissues of the body, and to this is added a further amount of food to build extra tissue or to replace tissue that has been lost.

As mentioned before, starch and fat foods are the great energy givers, and proteins—meats, eggs, fish, cereals—are the great builders or rebuilders.

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Warning In Figures

It should interest everyone around Robert Lee to know that never before were there as many accidental deaths in a single year as in 1936--and it should at the same time serve as a warning. Accident figures have just been totalled and the result is amazing.

According to carefully kept records there were 111,000 fatal accidents last year, or 11,000 more than for 1935. In addition there were 400,000 people permanently disabled and 10,300,000 temporarily hurt. But don't get the idea that most of the fatalities resulted from the operation of autos. Surprising as it may seem, more people met death in the homes of this nation in 1936 than on the streets and highways. Fatalities in homes totalled 39,000 slightly more than the number killed by automobiles.

Here is something to think about, you who have been supposing that home is the safest place one can be. Falls and burns and the intense heat waves of the summer months accounted for the greatest number of deaths in homes, and most of the falls and burns are attributed directly to carelessness. That is not a very pleasant charge to face, nor is the fact that of the 36,000 deaths through the auto more than one-half could have been avoided if proper care had been used. It is something to command serious thought, and out of it should come such a shocking warning that no one will forget. Read those figures again. Then you surely must realize that wherever you are--in the home or in the auto--you must practice the ABC of safety, which is--"Always Be Careful."

Burying Money

There's a lot of money buried in this country every year thru the planting of worthless farm and garden seed. Quite a lot of it goes into the soil of this community, too. Local seed dealers exert every effort to prevent this kind of waste, and yet they are powerless to do so so long as there are people willing to take a chance on any kind of seed so long as they are "cheap". Dealers who sell seeds here do not experiment with unknown qualities but handle tested products from seeds-men who long ago established a reputation for honest goods. That alone is worth much when it comes to to buying seed. The fact that you are getting a reputable brand and tested quality lessons your chances wasting not only your money but the time you spend in cultivation. Planting time is just around the corner, so make up your mind now that this year you will not be guilty of burying your money through planting a doubtful quality of seed.

New Kidneys

If you could trade your neglected, tired and aching kidneys for new ones, you would certainly get rid of Night Blindness, Nervousness, Headaches, Rheumatism, Burning, Itching and Aching. To correct functional kidney disorders, try the guaranteed Doctor's special preparation called **CHUCK'S** (Blue-Label). Send for you in 5 days of money-back. Each bottle...

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that on October 19th, 1936, at a stockholders' meeting of the First State Bank, located at Robert Lee, Texas, the proposition was duly submitted to the stockholders to close the business of the corporation and that at said meeting the following resolution was adopted, to-wit:

"WHEREAS, the stockholders of the First State Bank, of Robert Lee, Texas, have been called and are now in meeting assemble to consider the liquidation of this bank; now, therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, that the business of this bank be closed; that all depositors, and all creditors of every nature, be paid in full; that after paying all depositors and creditors, and discharging all remaining liabilities, the remaining assets of said bank be distributed proportionately among the stockholders; and that this bank surrender and have cancelled its corporate franchise. Be it further

"RESOLVED, that the officers and directors of this bank be hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary steps, and execute all necessary papers, to carry into effect this resolution."

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the undersigned directors, certify that the foregoing proceedings were had at such meeting and that the resolution hereinabove quoted was duly adopted

J. C. JORDAN,
T. A. RICHARDSON,
W. B. CLIFT,
FRED ROE,
MRS. E. FIE ROE.

BUSINESS ON UPTURN, SAYS DURSTINE

ADVERTISING'S outlook for 1937 is unquestionably better than for any year since 1928," according to Roy S. Durstine, President of Batten, Barton, Durstine and Osborn, New York Advertising Agency.

"Business is definitely on the upturn. Business reports are no longer crammed with wishful thinking. According to Secretary of Commerce Roper, the national income is up 44% from 1932. Money is loosening up for the first time; people are spending and are spending heavily. Whether all the spending is sound remains to be seen. If this is a sound prosperity, it is."

"Let's look at the national picture as of December 22, 1936," says Durstine.

"Department store sales are up 33% for the year over 1935.

"Retail sales are up 70% for the year over 1935.

"The building industry is definitely squaring off for a boom. In the metropolitan area alone, building contracts totalled more than 260 million dollars for the first ten months of 1936 as against approximately 184 millions in the same period of 1935. In 17 typical cities, 1936 building permits total 400 million as against 300 million in 1935.

"The pent-up demand of seven years for all sorts of consumer goods to replace things worn-out or obsolete, and wealth in the hands of new spenders should create a 1937 market of tremendous volume for manufacturers and retailers."

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A good deed is never lost. He who sows courtesy, reaps friendship. He who plants kindness, gathers love.
--Richard Brooks.

Will power rubs a man's eyes open in the morning, but it's won't power that makes him turn over and take another little snooze.

Some old-timers in Coke county can remember away back when a man who wanted to work was entitled to some consideration.

When a young married couple holds hands it's a case of love but when a couple who've been married twenty years holds hands it's a case of self defense..

Another thing this country needs is a weather man who can send rain and flood in July and August instead of in January.

In this world the good-looking women get talked about, and usually it's the ugly ones who do the talking.

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MICKIE SAYS--

WHEN A READER GETS SORE AN' STOPS THE PAPER, IT STOPS US JEST LIKE A MEN STOPS AN AUTO BY RUNNING IN FRONT OF IT!



RIGHT OUT OF JOAN BENNETT'S OWN COOKBOOK



Joan Bennett Insists that Practical Housewifery Is Just As Much Her Job As Movie Glamour, And Proves It With This Taste-teasing Recipe Suggestion

JOAN BENNETT, prettiest and youngest of the three glamorous daughters of Richard Bennett, may be one of Hollywood's most important stars and hard at work in the starring role of the new Walter Wanger-Paramount picture "Wedding Present," but she makes no secret of the fact that first and foremost she is a housewife and the mother of two adorable little daughters. Every day before she leaves for the studio she plans the day's meals, and because she feels that her own irregular hours are apt to impose hardships on her cook, Joan Bennett is a devotee of any clever speed cooking ideas which will make a meal as quick and easy to prepare as it is delicious to the palate.

A favorite dish on the Bennett-Markey table--Joan is married to Gene Markey, you know--is a vegetable-beefpie. It's gorgeous

ly good eating and an exciting new dish to boot, because it's made of soup! Also, and this will appeal to your economy streak, it's a grand way to use leftovers. Simply blend 2 tablespoons of butter with 2 tablespoons of flour. Add one can of a rich-flavored vegetable-beef soup such as Hormel's. If you have a cupful of leftovers (diced meat, carrots, peas or potatoes) pop them in, too. Cook and stir until slightly thick. Then pour the mixture in a pie plate and cover with a ready prepared biscuit mix--cut in rounds. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) until brown. There you are--a juicy, taste-tempting main meat dish that is almost a meal in itself comes steaming from your oven--and all in fifteen minutes by the clock!

The Cost Of Whiskers

Despite the fact that you now seldom see a man with a long flowing beard, many of the older generation in Robert Lee can recall when it was one of the most popular forms of facial adornment. In fact there was a time when a fellow wasn't considered a man unless he could display a full-grown beard. Shaving was a long and tedious task in those days. It was so difficult to mow off the fuzz that most men gave it up altogether and beards, sometimes reaching almost to the waist-line were as common as they are unusual.

Then came a newer generation and with it the safety razor, and whiskers quickly went out of style. Today the razor business is one of the country's largest industries. And why not when someone has figured that to shave a man must cover an area of 48 square inches; that the average number of whiskers on this area is 25,000, with an average growth of one-hundredth of an inch to each whisker every 24 hours. That means the average face produces 250 inches of

whiskers daily and this, multiplied by 45,000,000 grown men who shave means a daily crop of 150,000 miles of whiskers, produced over an area of 375 acres of faces.

When you figure on the amount of time consumed by Americans in shaving, and the value of that time in actual money, you probably will conclude that the country would be far better off financially if men stuck to the old style and let their whiskers grow. But you couldn't get the average man to agree to it.

Oklahoma is asking an appropriation of several million dollars to prevent future dust storms in that state. It is hardly likely that anything can be done about it as long as Mother Nature has something to say about the dust storms.

Our idea of a lazy college student is one who pretends he's drunk so his fraternity brothers can put him to bed.

An optimist is any man who believes that the future will be different from the past.

Sleepless 19 Years

Without sleep for nineteen years, Mirko Gruen, a 49-year-old Rumanian clerk living in Vienna, has sold his head to the Rockefeller Institute at Monaco. After his death scientists at the institute will study the case.

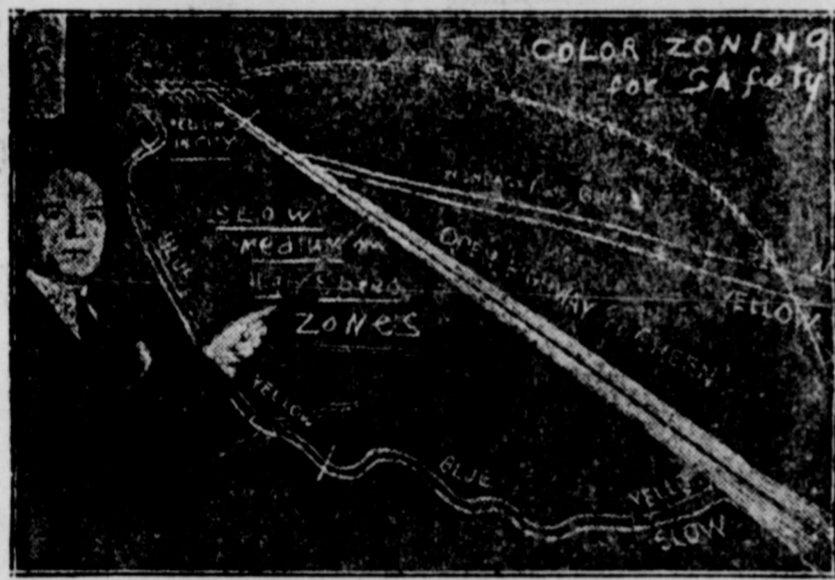
During the world war Gruen suffered concussion of the brain when a grenade exploded near him. Since then he has not been able to sleep. During the night he lies quietly on a couch or listens to music on the radio. In the morning he takes a cold bath and goes to work. His appetite is enormous.

Hattie Cobb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cobb, is seriously ill of pneumonia. Her mother and sister, Mrs. Delbert Harmon, are suffering from flu and the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon was given an operation in San Angelo Sunday night. He is reported to be doing very well.

Raymond Jay is planning the erection of a building for the housing of his feed grinders, and will probably be located near his residence.

Pay your water bill by 10th of each month or service will be discontinued. City Commission.

"CONTROL SPEED AND YOU CONTROL ACCIDENT," SAYS MINNESOTA PLANNER



Frank C. Berry
"There should be uniformity throughout the States."

"SPEED too fast for road conditions" is the most common cause of automobile accidents and of the 37,000 annual motor killings in the U. S.," say investigations of State Safety Commissions, Automobile Club executives, independent safety organizations and safety authorities of the federal government.

"One of the most important death causes," says Albert St. Clair, director of the Accident Prevention Conference of Washington, D. C., "generally ignored publicly, but recognized by all informed persons, is the temptation to speed under dangerous conditions

held out to drivers. Deaths can be decreased if the nation will face the facts about all major accident causes and adopt and enforce remedial measures, regardless of selfish protest."

No. 1 conclusion at the end of the Washington Conference, attended by nationally known figures interested in safety problems, and by the representatives of 45 state governors, was "recognition of high speed as an accident cause and control of it by more stringent methods than driver education . . . such as mechanical controls or general zoning of all federal highways." One of the leaders in focusing attention on the problem, developing plans and effecting methods of control and enforcement, is Frank C. Berry of Minnesota. Mr. Berry, safety director of the Minneapolis Automobile Club, a member of the State Public Safety Committee, has given months of study to the problem and solution. He has worked closely with highway commissioners and others in state office and his recommendations to the Accident Prevention Convention Conference have reflected the combined efforts of authoritative, thinking men. They have the endorsement of and will give the complete co-operation of A. V. Rohweder, chairman of the Minnesota Public Safety Committee and Vice President of the National Safety Council. These suggestions, under the title of "The Minnesota Plan" have been distributed by Washington to the state safety executives of the country.

The Minnesota Plan is based on a theory that safe speed under various conditions will materially reduce major accidents and deaths involving automobiles. Briefly, it recommends that color zones be established, and that top speeds be controlled in cities, villages, suburban areas, and on the open highways, according to these color

zones. Also that highways be slow zoned for bad curves, and railroad crossings. That secondary highways themselves be restricted to moderate speed where they are out of date and were not engineered for the modern, 100-mile-an-hour car.

The automobile has developed much more rapidly than the highway system of the nation, with the consequence that the speed available from the modern vehicle is too great for almost all of the roads on which it is used. The Minnesota Planners do not wish to hamper the motorist, or impair his freedom where speed can be used in safety. Under the plan, colors will be designated to indicate the various zones and it will be an easy matter for the driver to see what top speed will assure him and the occupants of his car a safe journey. The motorist has never known where his safety begins or where it ends. By this system he will at all times be aware of top speed limits as set by competent authorities. Top speeds now being considered are 30 for the city zone, 45 for the secondary rural highway or suburban zone and 60 for the modern high-speed open highway. These are suggestions and could be varied to meet any local conditions of other states or municipalities.

Those behind the plan in Minnesota are extremely interested in getting national consideration for it so that there will be uniformity throughout the states.

The "Minnesota Plan," as it is called, is now being given serious consideration by the local legislature and is being watched with a great deal of interest by officials and executives all over the country who would like to see an effective and uniform method of materially reducing deaths by automobile.

Betty's Beau Is Calling



"I'd love to go," Betty says, her face all smiles.

The young fellow she met Saturday—the one Dad liked so well—is calling to suggest a movie.

There used to be long, lonesome evenings. But since Dad got a telephone . . . well, Betty has a beau.

To the Betty's of this world—as well as to the rest of us—the telephone brings happiness, gives pleasure. If you don't have one in your home, you're missing something. Ask at our business office . . . today.

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Angelus **MARSHMALLOWS**, 1/2 lb bag 7c
1 lb bag 13c

F & P **ASPARAGUS**, No 1 picnic tin, 2 for 25c

SYRUP, Pan Cake or pure Louisiana Cane no 5 can 29c
no 10 can 55c

NAPKINS, 80 count asst. colors 2 pkgs. 15c

PRINCE ALBERT, 10c
CIGARETTES, 15c - Carton \$1.49

TOILET TISSUE, A.P.W. Heavy, 1000 sheets rolls 3 for 19c

Red & Gold **COFFEE**, Ground as you buy, 1 lb bag 19c

Bulk COCONUT, 1 lb cello bag 15c

PRUNES, 4 lb bag 19c

LUCKY DAY FLOUR, 24 lb bag 95c
48 lb bag 1.89

Sliced **PINEAPPLE**, Dole's large No 1 1/4 flat can each 10c

MOPS, They are just mops, but worth the money, each 15c

LETTUCE, Calif. firm heads, 3 for 11c

Texas Seedless **GRAPEFRUIT**, bushel basket 89c

Vegetole **Shortening**, 4 lb ctn. 62c
8 lb ctn. 1.14

Skinner's **Macaroni or Spaghetti**, 3 pkgs. 19c

Kellogg's **Corn Flakes**, 2 pkgs. 22c

Heinz Tomato Juice 46 oz tin 25c
12 oz tin, 2 for 15c
Soup, small tin, 3 for 25c
large tin, 2 for 25c
Catsup, 14 oz bottle 19c

Brown SUGAR, 2 lb bag 10c

PICKLES, full quart, sour or dill, each 15c

Crystal White **SOAP**, 6 Giant Bars 23c

Table SALT, 2 pkgs. 5c

Thompson Seedless **RAISINS**, 2 lb bag 15c
4 lb bag 29c

CORN, No 2 Del Monte Cream style, 2 for 25c
Sunny field, Corn, 3 no 2 cans 25c

Lye, Hooker 2 cans 15c
Babbitt 3 cans 25c

Sunbrite **CLEANSER**, 2 cans 9c

Market Specials

Our Market will carry at all times a complete assortment of fresh and cured meats.

Swift's Premium Box **BACON**, lb. 34c | **BEEF ROAST**, lb. 15c

SLICED BACON, the kind we slice, lb 31c | Martell's Pride **HAMS**, 1/2's or whole lb. 24c

Weiners, all meat no cereals lb. 17c

Uncle Phil Says:

Doubt, the Pernicious Weed
A suspicious person raises a large crop of doubt.

Add one new word to your conversational vocabulary every day; first you will surprise your friends, then floor them, then lose them.

Conceit is deceptive, but it is rarely perceptible.

Don't expect to escape trouble; but when it comes, buoy yourself up thinking of the good time coming when it's gone.

Raise the Standard

Equality of all men doesn't mean that the "quality" of all is to be reduced to that of the lowest level.

It takes men who know men to govern men; any kind of recluse, scholar or otherwise, has a slim chance.

Strong-minded wives are a treasure whenever husbands do not want to be bothered making a decision.

ONLY LUDEN'S

MENTHOL COUGH DROPS

will do these 3 things...

and all for . . . 5¢

- 1 Clear your head
- 2 Soothe your throat
- 3 Help build up your

ALKALINE RESERVE
WHEN A COLD STRIKES!

Waste Brings Want

Hundreds would never have known want if they had not first known waste.—Spurgeon.

IF COLD is in YOUR CHEST

do this now

Before you go to bed rub Penetro on your chest and throat, then apply hot cloth. Relief quickly follows because Penetro is stronger, contains 113% to 217% more medication than any other nationally sold cold salve.

And because Penetro has a base of mutton suet, it conserves and concentrates body heat to enable this stronger medication to help nature break up congestion. The aromatic vapors of Penetro also help to relieve stuffiness and soothe the inflamed area.

Ask your druggist for PENETRO. 25c, 35c, 50c and \$1 jars.

Honesty Is Best Judgment

Mere honesty in a man doesn't insure that he has good judgment in all things.

When You Feel Sluggish (Constipated)

Take a dose or two of Black-Draught. Feel fresh for a good day's work.

Work seems easier, life pleasanter, when you are really well—free from the bad feelings and dullness often attending constipation.

For nearly a century, Black-Draught has helped to bring prompt, refreshing relief from constipation. Thousands of men and women rely on it.

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A GOOD LAXATIVE

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Current Events
IN REVIEW

by Edward W. Pickard

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Senate Committee Studies Supreme Court Scheme

CHAIRMAN HENRY F. ASHURST of Arizona gathered together the members of his judiciary committee and began formal consideration of President Roosevelt's proposition for federal judiciary reform, including the packing of the Supreme court. It was understood the committee would arrange for public hearings at which opponents and proponents of the plan would be privileged to speak their minds. Not long before, Mr. Ashurst and several other senators were called to the White House to discuss the strategy of the fight the administration faces. The Arizona senator and Majority Leader Joe Robinson of Arkansas, who was among the conferees, only recently were vociferous in declaring a constitutional amendment was the only proper way to accomplish the President's purpose. But now they are obediently supporting the administration measure.



Senators Frazier of North Dakota, Bone of Washington and Nye of North Dakota also were summoned to the White House, but what they heard there did not change their stand against the President's plan. Mr. Nye, indeed, soon after delivered a radio address against it. He did not especially defend the Supreme court, but said he thought there are better ways of attaining the objective in conformity to the Constitution than the way of packing the court proposed by Mr. Roosevelt. He could not see "wherein an 8-7 decision is any more desirable than a 4-5 decision, which has served to agitate us against the alleged course of permitting the Supreme court to declare acts of congress unconstitutional.

"However foreign to the President the thought of dictatorship may be, in connection with his present request it is good warning to look out—not for him necessarily, but for those who would in other days have opportunity to use the power which he would have us now extend."

Ex-President Herbert Hoover in an address before the Union League club of Chicago uttered solemn warning that the President's plan was a serious threat against the ultimate safeguard of liberty, and condemned any such "quick and revolutionary change in the Constitution."

At this writing 32 senators have declared publicly against the bill; 30 are on record for it, and 34 have not committed themselves. The administration leaders expected to pick up at least 12 from the non-committal group, and claimed more.

Winant Quits as Head of Social Security Board

JOHN G. WINANT, who as chairman of the social security board had a lot of trouble with certain senators over patronage and whose reappointment to membership on the board had not been confirmed by the senate, sent his resignation to the President. Mr. Roosevelt said Mr. Winant was retiring to attend to pressing private business and would be back in the federal service before very long. The former governor of New Hampshire has been considered a logical candidate for the post of secretary of social welfare if that department is created by congress.

Succeeding Mr. Winant as chairman is Arthur J. Altmeyer, already a member of the board. To fill the vacancy in the membership the President nominated Murray W. Latimer of New York, who has been chairman of the railroad retirement board.



Arthur J. Altmeyer

Sit-Down Strike Worries Governor of Illinois

GOV. HENRY HORNER of Illinois and Martin Durkin, his state director of labor, were making earnest efforts to bring about a peaceful settlement of a sit-down strike in the plants of the Fansteel Metallurgical corporation at North

Chicago. Their problem was much like that faced by Governor Murphy of Michigan in the General Motors strike. The sheriff of Lake county, armed with contempt citations, had tried to evict the strikers but he and his force of deputies were repulsed and it was reported he would not take the sole responsibility of clearing out the plants by force.

The corporation had refused to treat with outsiders who sought to represent the employees who belong to a union allied with the C. I. O. The heat had been turned off in the plants, but when the weather turned cold President Aitchison of the company ordered it turned on again, believing a majority of the men in the buildings were held there against their will.

Governor Hoffman of New Jersey is one executive who has taken a firm stand against the sit-down strike. He announced that he would use all the resources of the state to prevent such seizures of property. The C. I. O. organizers denounced him as an enemy and "the strike-breakers' candidate for President," and went ahead with their unionization activities in the steel, wire and rubber companies of New Jersey. Their field director said: "When C. I. O. workers decide to use sit-down strikes, they will use them. We pay no attention to Governor Hoffman. We know our legal rights."

Union Labor Takes Hand in Navy Steel Affair

BOTH the American Federation of Labor and the Committee for Industrial Organization accuse steel manufacturers of collusion in refraining from bidding on navy steel contracts and have instructed their chiefs to ask the Department of Justice to investigate the reasons for a shortage of armor plate needed by the navy.



Wm. Green

President William Green of the A. F. of L. said he believed the absence of bids was caused by desire on the part of steel makers to avoid labor restrictions of the Walsh-Healy act.

"The federation council took a very definite position," Green said. "We could not sponsor or favor any modification of the Walsh-Healy act as it applies to those steel corporations refraining from bidding."

"The American Federation of Labor sponsored that bill and it is a reasonable and fair measure providing work standards that are reasonable and fair. We gain the impression that there is collusion on the part of the steel corporations because no single steel company has submitted a bid."

Death of Congressman James P. Buchanan

CONGRESS lost one of its really useful members when James P. Buchanan of Texas died of heart disease at the age of seventy-three. He was chairman of the powerful house appropriations committee and personally was an advocate of rigid economy. The chairmanship now goes to Representative E. T. Taylor of Colorado.

Nanking Offers Peace to Chinese Communists

OFFERING to make peace with the Chinese communists against whom it has waged war for ten years, the National government at Nanking announced the terms on which those reds would be allowed participation in national affairs. The Kuomintang's demands are: Abolition of the communist army and its incorporation in the National government forces; dissolution of the Chinese communist state and its unification with the central government; cessation of red propaganda opposed to Kuomintang principles, and stoppage of the class struggle which divides society into antagonistic classes and invites mutual destruction.

That the Nanking government is steadily growing stronger is made evident in the more conciliatory attitude adopted lately by Japan. A spokesman for Hayashi's new cabinet in Tokio indicated Japan was willing to abate its demands for simultaneous settlement of all pending Sino-Japanese incidents and negotiate separate settlements for each.

STAR DUST
Movie • Radio

By VIRGINIA VALE

OVER at the Paramount studio you are just a wallflower if you don't know your American history. Directors, players, authors and any visitors who happen to be around swap stories about pioneer days, and anyone brash enough to mention current events like who won the second race at Santa Anita, or what happened last night at a cafe, is quickly squelched.

To the great success of "The Plainsman" goes the credit—or the blame—for all this pride in the past. The company is so enthusiastic over that picture, and the forthcoming "Maid of Salem" that they are delving into history for their next big production, "I, James Lewis," the story of the early days of the Wells-Fargo express.

Actors are apt to be a pretty gloomy and pessimistic lot when you know them well. They are always worrying because the career of an actor is apt to be short, always pointing out men in the extra ranks who only a few years ago were stars. Now they have suddenly discovered that their worries were imaginary. Jack Holt, after twenty-four years in pictures, just signed a new contract with Columbia to make six Westerns a year. He is as popular as ever, maybe more so.



Jack Holt

Instead of raving about Henry Fonda and Sylvia Sydney in the gripping tragic "You Only Live Once," Hollywoodians come out of the theater making up silly couplets. That is what the company gets for dispensing with grammar in the title. One of Henry's best friends said, "You Live Only Once" may be better grammar, but "You Only Live Once" is elegant dramma." Another one, playing with the same idea, said, "You Live Only Once" may be more grammatical, but "You Only Live Once" is very dramatical."

Susan Fleming thought that she had retired from the screen when she married Harpo Marx, but she made the mistake of stopping in at the studio to have luncheon with her husband, and then she knew the director called out, "That girl over there—she's just what I've been looking for." So, she is playing in "A Day at the Races" with her husband and his giddy brothers.

Ginger Rogers is not only the most popular girl in Hollywood these days; she is the most surprising. Night after night she is out dancing with one of her many beaux—Jimmy Stewart, or Cary Grant, or the visiting socialite, Alfred Vanderbilt—but all that gayety hasn't stopped her from breaking into a new career. She has written a song called "I Can't Understand." Maybe you heard Fred Astaire introduce it over the air recently.

Myrna Loy isn't complaining, but she does think wistfully nowadays of W. S. Van Dyke, and the way he can direct a marvelous picture like "The Thin Man" or its sequel in eighteen or twenty days. She has been working in "Parnell" for three months and the end isn't anywhere in sight. John Stahl, who directed "The Magnificent Obsession" and many other thrilling pictures, is very deliberate about his work, and in making "Parnell" he is just as apt to have Myrna and Clark Gable do scenes over and over as he is to repeat the scenes of minor players.

ODDS AND ENDS: No love scenes have been filmed in any of the studios for the past week and more because of the flu epidemic . . . with the rest of the country rhapsodizing over spring flowers, Claudette Colbert is surrounded by blizzards, dog teams, and mountains of snow at Sun Valley, Idaho . . . the eleven most beautiful artist models who usually smile at you from cigarette advertisements have been signed to appear in "Vogues of 1937," a musical Walter Wanger is making.

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Household Questions

Never fasten suspenders below the reinforced hems of stockings. Wash stockings with lukewarm lather and squeeze out gently—they'll ladder if they are wrung.

A pinch of alum added to the water when washing blue or green articles of clothing will prevent the colors from running.

Two or three slices of bacon placed on top of a liver loaf during baking adds to the flavor.

Press woolens the right side up with a woolen pressing cloth. Apply moisture to muslin cloth on top of wool and press with hot iron.

Keep your body free of accumulated waste, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. 60 Pellets 30 cents. Adv.

Need Privacy
Sometimes the great must envy nobodies whom the public let alone.

When You Want to Alkalize Stomach Fast



Try This Amazing Fast Way
—The "Phillips" Way
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SYNOPSIS

Philo Vance, famous detective, and John F. X. Markham, district attorney for New York county are dining in Vance's apartment when Vance receives an anonymous telephone message informing him of a "disturbing psychological tension at Professor Ephriam Garden's apartment" advising that he read up on radio-active sodium, consult a passage in the Aeneid and counseling that "Equanimity is essential." Professor Garden is famous in chemical research. The message, decoded by Vance, reminds him that Professor Garden's son Floyd and his puny cousin, Woode Swift, are addicted to horse-racing. Vance says that "Equanimity" is a horse running next day in the Rivermont handicap. Vance is convinced that the message was sent by Dr. Siefert, the Gardens' family physician. He arranges to have lunch next day at the Gardens' penthouse. Vance is greeted by Floyd Garden and meets Lowe Hammie, an elderly follower of horse racing. Floyd expresses concern over Swift's queer actions. Mrs. Garden, supposedly ill, comes downstairs and places a \$100 bet on a horse. Gathered around an elaborate loud speaker service, listening to the racing are Cecil Kroon, Madge Weatherby and Zalia Graem, who bet varying amount on the race. There is tension under the surface gaiety. Zalia and Swift are not on speaking terms. Kroon leaves to keep an appointment before the race starts. Miss Beeton, a nurse, and Vance bet on "Azure Star." Swift recklessly bets \$10,000 on "Equanimity" and goes to the roof garden to hear the results. Floyd follows Swift, remaining away several minutes. Zalia Graem answers a phone call in the den. Soon after the announcement that "Azure Star" wins, the guests hear a shot. Vance finds Swift dead, shot through the head with a revolver nearby. He says Swift has been murdered. After calling the police, he finds the door of a vault ajar. Kroon returns and is sharply questioned by Vance, who finds he had not left the building. Vance orders Miss Beeton to guard the stairway and prevent Mrs. Garden and Zalia from viewing Swift's body. Floyd Garden admits the revolver belongs to his father. Further questioning by Vance reveals that the revolver had been found recently by Zalia in the presence of the other guests. Floyd hints that Swift bet so recklessly because of Zalia.

CHAPTER V—Continued

Garden shrugged carelessly, as if the matter was neither important nor unusual.

"Probably," he suggested, "the pater didn't shut the door tightly when he went out this morning. It has a spring lock."

"And the key?"

"The key is a mere matter of form. It hangs conveniently on a small nail at the side of the door."

"Accordingly," mused Vance, "the vault is readily accessible to anyone in the household who cares to enter it."

Vance went to the door. "Miss Beeton," he called, "will you be good enough to run upstairs and see if the key to the vault door is in its place?"

A few moments later the nurse returned and informed Vance that the key was where it was always kept.

Vance thanked her and, closing the den door, turned again to Garden.

"There's one more rather important matter that you can clear up for me—it may have a definite bearing on the situation. Can the garden be entered from the fire exit opening on the roof?"

"Yes, by George!" The other sat up with alacrity. "There's a gate in the east fence of the garden, just beside the privet hedge, which leads upon the terrace on which the fire exit of the building opens. When we had the fence built we were required to put this gate in because of the fire laws. But it's rarely used, except on hot summer nights. Still, if anyone came up the main stairs to the roof and went out the emergency fire door, he could easily enter our garden by coming through that gate in the fence."

"Don't you keep the gate locked?"

Vance was studying the tip of his cigarette with close attention.

"The fire regulations don't permit that. We merely have an old-fashioned barn-door lift-latch on it."

We could hear the sharp ringing of the entrance bell, and a door opening somewhere. Vance stepped out into the hall. A moment later the butler admitted District Attorney Markham and Sergeant Heath, accompanied by Snitkin and Hennessey.

"Well, what's the trouble, Vance?" Markham demanded brusquely. "I phoned Heath, as you requested, and brought him up with me."

"It's a bad business," Vance returned. "Same like I told you. I'm afraid you're in for some difficulties. It's no ordinary crime. Everything I've been able to learn so far contradicts the usual facts. He looked past Markham and nodded pleasantly to Heath. "Sorry to make you all this trouble, Sergeant."

"That's all right, Mr. Vance."

Heath held out his hand in solemn good-nature. "Glad I was in when the chief called. What's it all about, and where do we go from here?"

Mrs. Garden came bustling energetically down the hallway.

"Are you the district attorney?" she asked, eyeing Markham ferociously. Without waiting for an answer, she went on: "This whole thing is an outrage. My poor nephew shot himself and this gentleman here"—she looked at Vance with supreme contempt—"is trying to make a scandal out of it." Her eyes swept over Heath and the two detectives. "And I suppose you're the police. There's no reason whatever for your being here."

Markham looked steadfastly at the woman and seemed to take in the situation immediately.

"Madam, if things are as you say," he promised in a pacifying, yet grave, tone, "you need have no fear of any scandal."

"I'll leave the matter entirely in your hands, sir," the woman returned with calm dignity. She turned and walked back up the hall.

"A most tryin' and complicated state of affairs, Markham," Vance took the matter up again. "I admit the chap upstairs appears to have killed himself. But that, I think, is what everyone is supposed to believe. Tableau superficially correct. Stage direction and decor fairly good. But the whole far from perfect. I observed several discrepancies."

Garden, who had been standing in the doorway to the den, came forward, and Vance introduced him to Markham and Heath. Then Vance turned to the fergant.

"I think you'd better have either Snitkin or Hennessey remain down here and see that no one leaves the apartment for a little while." He addressed Garden. "I hope you don't mind."

"Not at all," Garden replied complacently. "I'll join the others in the drawing-room. I feel the need of a highball, anyway." He included us all in a curt bow and moved up the hall.

"We'd better go up to the roof now, Markham," said Vance. "I'll run over the whole matter with you. There are some strange angles to the case. I don't at all like it."

He moved down the hall, and Markham and Heath and I followed him. But before he mounted the stairs he stopped and turned to the nurse.

"You needn't keep watch here any longer, Miss Beeton," he said. "And thanks for your help. But one more favor: when the medical examiner comes, please bring him directly upstairs."

The girl inclined her head in acquiescence and stepped into the bedroom.

We went immediately up to the garden. As we stepped out on the roof, Vance indicated the body of Swift slumped in the chair.

"There's the johnnie," he said. "Just as he was found."

Markham and Heath moved closer to the huddled figure and studied it for a few moments. At length Heath looked up with a perplexed frown.

"Well, Mr. Vance," he announced querulously, "it looks like suicide, all right." He shifted his cigar from one corner of his mouth to the other.

Markham too turned to Vance. He nodded his agreement with the Sergeant's observation.

"It certainly has the appearance of suicide, Vance," he remarked.

"No—oh, no," Vance sighed. "Not suicide. A deuced brutal crime—and clever no end."

Markham smoked a while, still staring at the dead man skeptically; then he sat down facing Vance.

"Let's have the whole story before Doremus gets here," he requested.

Vance remained standing, his eyes moving aimlessly about the garden. After a moment he recounted succinctly, but carefully, the entire sequence of events of the afternoon, describing the group of people present, with their relationships and temperamental clashes; the various races and wagers; Swift's retirement to the garden for the results of the big Handicap; and, finally, the shot which had aroused us all and brought us upstairs. When he had finished, Markham worried his chin for a moment.

"I still can't see a single fact," he objected, "that does not point logically to suicide."

Vance leaned against the wall beside the study window and lighted a cigarette.

"Of course," he said, "there's nothing in the outline I've given you to indicate murder. Nevertheless, it was murder; and that outline is exactly the concatenation of events which the murderer wants us to accept. We are supposed to arrive at the obvious conclusion of suicide. Suicide as the result of losing money on horses is by no means a rare occurrence. It is not impossible that the murderer's scheme was influenced by this account. But there are other factors, psychological and actual, which belie this whole superficial and deceptive structure." He drew on his cigarette and watched the thin blue ribbon of smoke disperse in the light breeze from the river. "To begin with," he went on, "Swift was not the suicidal type. In the first place, Swift was a weakling and a highly imaginative one. Moreover, he was too hopeful and ambitious—too sure of his own judgment and good luck—to put himself out of the world simply because he had lost all his money. The fact that Equanimity might not win the race was an eventuality which, as a confirmed gambler, he would have taken into consideration beforehand. In addition, his nature was such that, if he were greatly disappoint-

lar is at least three inches above his exquisite mauve shirt. No man could endure to have his clothes so outrageously askew, even on the point of suicide—he would have straightened them out almost unconsciously. The corpus delicti shows every indication of having been dragged to the chair and placed in it."

Markham's eyes were surveying the limp figure of Swift as Vance talked.

"Even that argument is not entirely convincing," he said dogmatically, though his tone was a bit modified; "especially in view of the fact that he still wears the earphone . . ."

"Ah, exactly!" Vance took him up quickly. "That's another item to which I would call your attention. The murderer went a bit too far—there was a trifle too much thoroughness in the setting of the stage. Had Swift shot himself in that chair, I believe his first impulsive movement would have been to remove the head-phonc, as it very easily could have interfered with his purpose. And it certainly would have been of no use to him after he had heard the report of the race. Furthermore, I seriously doubt if he would have come upstairs to listen to the race with his mind made up in advance that he was going to commit suicide in case his horse didn't come in. And, as I have explained to you, the revolver is one belonging to Professor Garden and was always kept in the desk in the study. Consequently, if Swift had decided, after the race had been run, to shoot himself, he would hardly have gone into the study, procured the gun, then come back to his chair on the roof and put the head-phonc on again before ending his life. Undoubtedly he would have shot himself right there in the study—at the desk from which he had obtained the revolver."

Vance moved forward a little as if for emphasis.

"Another point about that head-phonc—the point that gave me the first hint of murder—is the fact that the receiver at present is over Swift's right ear. Earlier today I saw Swift put the head-phonc on for a minute, and he was careful to place the receiver over his left ear—the customary way. But now the head-phonc is on in reversed position, and therefore unnatural. I'm certain, Markham, that head-phonc was placed on Swift after he was dead."

(TO BE CONTINUED)



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ed the result would be self-pity and hatred of others. He might, in an emergency, have committed a crime—but it would not have been against himself. Like all gamblers, he was trusting and gullible; and I think it was these temperamental qualities which probably made him an easy victim for the murderer . . ."

CHAPTER VI

"But see here, Vance," Markham leaned forward protestingly. "No amount of mere psychological analysis can make a crime out of a situation as seemingly obvious as this one. I must have more definite reasons than you have given me before I would be justified in discarding the theory of suicide."

"Oh, I dare say," nodded Vance. "But I have more tangible evidence that the johnnie did not eliminate himself from this life."

"Well, let's have it," Markham fidgeted impatiently in his chair.

"Imprimis, my dear Justinian, a bullet wound in the temple would undoubtedly cause more blood than you see on the brow of the deceased. There are, as you notice, only a few partly coagulated drops, whereas the vessels of the brain cannot be punctured without a considerable flow of blood. And there is no blood either on his clothes or on the tiles beneath his chair. Meannin' that the blood has been, perhaps, spilled elsewhere before I arrived on the scene—which was, let us say, within thirty seconds after we heard the shot—"

"A far-fetched theory," muttered Markham. "All wounds don't bleed the same."

Vance ignored the district attorney's objection.

"And please take a good look at the poor fellow. His legs are stretched forward at an awkward angle. The trousers are twisted out of place and look most uncomfortable. His coat, though buttoned, is riding his shoulder, so that his col-

French Flag Once Waved Over the State of Texas

While it cannot be claimed that France ever owned what is now the state of Texas, it is true that early in history the French flag flew over part of that area, states a writer in the Detroit News. The only period during which the French held any of this territory was in 1685 and for a short time after, when La Salle landed at Matagorda Bay and established a colony on Lavaca river, which was soon abandoned. Alarmed by this unsuccessful French invasion, the Spaniards of Mexico established missions and forts in the territory, but many of these were given up and the Spaniards failed really to settle the country prior to 1821, when the first colonization by American families under Stephen Austin began.

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You are still your neighbors friend

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best

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How much I love and cherish
The things you have done for me,
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And cause you to always remember

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 Each day more and more
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"Winterset"

Coming to the Alamo Theatre March 14-15 is a Dramatic Masterpiece, being the blue ribbon winner for the month of December, selected by National Screen Council.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clift of San Angelo has been quite sick for a month. It was reported here Wednesday that his condition is causing grave concern.

Pay your water bill by 10th of each month or have your service discontinued.

City Commission.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation of every kindness shown us during the long illness and death of our loved one. May we be near, dear friends, to help you in any time of need.

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 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peays and family
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Key & son
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Specials For Friday & Saturday March, 6 & 7

Bird Brand Shortening, 8 lb carton	1.14
4 lb carton	62c
Red & White Coffee, 2 lb Tin	59c
1 lb Tin	31c
Singleton Syrup, No 2 1/2 can	19c
No 5 can	32c
R & W SALMON, no 1 tall 23c	
B & W Prepared SPAGHETTI, no 300 can	10c
B & W Early June PEAS, 2 no 2 cans	33c
B & W, TAMALES, no 2 special can	13c
Beverly POTTED MEAT 1/4's, 3 cans	10c
FLAV-R-JELL, 6 flavors 6 packages	25c
B & W Apple Butter, quart	18c
R & W Grape Jelly pure fruit, 16 oz jar	21c
R & W Assorted Preserves, 16 oz jar	21c
Concentrated Super Suds, 1ge pkg.	19c
R & W ASPARAGUS, picnic tins,	15c
Sinclair Green Lima BEANS, No 2 cans	10c
R & W Cream of TOMATO SOUP, 16 oz can	13c
Raycraft Pears Salad pieces in heavy syrup, 2 1/2 can	18c
R & W Quik or Regular OATS, large	19c
3-Minute Cup and Saucer OATS, package	21c
R & W Buckwheat Pancake Flour.	13c
R & W Pineapple Juice, 12 1-2 oz cans	9c
CABBAGE, Head, Green, pound	1c
LETTUE, Firm Green Heads, each	3 1/2c
ORANGES, Extra Large Texas, 150's, each	3c
GRAPEFRUIT, Texas Seedless, 64's, each	4c
APPLES, Fancy Wash. Winesaps, Size 252, each	1c

W. J. Cumbie