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State Health Department

Undulant fever or Malta fever, a disease contracted from cattle, goats or sheep which are infected with contagious abortion, is being reported sporadically throughout Texas and the nation, according to Geo. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. This indicates Malta fever to be a public health problem and the attendant need of more general recognition by the public to the disease.

Undulant fever is so called because of the wave-like variations in temperature. The symptoms include rise in temperature, loss weight and strength, chills, sweats and joint pains. The disease has rather a low mortality rate, but important symptoms may persist for a number of weeks and even months before normal health and strength are restored.

In Texas, the goat, horse and cows are the usual spreaders of this disease. The germs of undulant fever enter the body thru the mouth or skin. Therefore, care should be used in handling animals known to be infected and dairy products from the same sources should be pasteurized, if used. More men acquire this disease than women and adults seem more likely to have it than children. More cases are found in the rural areas than in the cities.

The true prevention of undulant fever is based upon the detection of the disease in livestock and the elimination of infected stock from the herds. Dairy herds should be tested for Bacillus abortus. This is a task that cannot be accomplished in a short time. Pasteurization of milk will prevent the spread from this source.

Womans Missionary Union

Ladies of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the G. C. Allen home to reorganize the long dormant Womans Missionary Union. Mrs. Fred DeLashaw was chosen for president; Mrs. Wylie Hillyer, vice-president and Mrs. Delbert Harmon, secretary-treasurer.

Plans were discussed for a study course. The time of meeting will be each Monday afternoon at 2:30 and the next meeting will be in the Roy Brey home.

Members present other than the chosen officers were, Mesdames J. C. Snead, H. E. Smith, Lamont Scott, Paul Good, Marvin Stewart, Roy Brey, and Miss Hattie Cobb.

Mrs. G. C. Allen, hostess, served ice cream and cake.

Friends of Tony Morris will be interested to learn that he recently took unto himself a wife. The young matron, whose former name was not learned, was a Water Valley girl. Mr. and Mrs. Morris are now residing in Sterling City.

Honored Few

Its really going to be an honor to be on the Honor Roll this year. This year, if you aspire to be an honor student, you must make 90 or more in all subjects, not just an average. And that pares the list down considerably. In the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades, not a pupil made the high mark. On the other hand, the second grade have more topnotchers than in all the rest of the school.

The honored few are: First grade; Doris Pettit and Patty Taylor--second grade; Jo Ann Bilbo, Tommy Joy Denman, Juanell Jay, Frances Johnson, Charline McCutchen, Dorotay McDorman, Winnie Ruth Boone, Floy Gunnells, Geraldine Blaylock, Stroud Roberts, Preston Ross, Jack Snead, Yvonne McCutchen, Ima Pearl Hurley--Third grade; Alleen Olsen, Maine Scoggins, J. C. Wallace--Ninth grade; Jim Mack Taylor and Maxine Craddock--Tenth grade; Zelma Slaughter--Eleventh grade; Bryce Stewart and Katherine Scoggins.

Gets His Bear

When news reached here last week that Ely Smith had killed a bear in New Mexico, W. E. Newton left for the third attempt of this season and he declares he intends to stay until he gets bear meat. "Little W. E." is with his father. The big hunt is in the vicinity of Cuba, N. M. LATER--W. E. Newton, Jr., brought home the meat Tuesday--a 190 pound bear.

Three of a party hunting on the Emmett Smith place near Cuba, N. M., also succeeded in getting bear. Ely Smith's bear weighed 77 pounds.

With the help of four dogs, the hunter treed the bear on Rondo Creek about a hundred miles north of Albuquerque.

New and Renewals

The following have subscribed and renewed their subscription to the Observer the past few days:

M. C. Price, Delbert Walling, A. J. Adkins, W. D. Markham, D. L. Vestal, Tom Wiggington, Calvin Wallace.

In mentioning the names of those who made talks during the visit here of Congressman South last week, the name of L. T. Youngblood of Bronte was inadvertently omitted. Mr. Youngblood made a splendid talk, and no man in the county has worked harder and given more of time for the advancement of Coke county.

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

Last Rites for J. J. Casey Held Wednesday Afternoon

Last rites were said for J. J. Casey at the home Wednesday afternoon with the Rev. DeLashaw and Rev. Jake Richards officiating.

Mr. Casey, born in Arkansas 82 years ago, came to Texas with his family in 1888 and had resided on the old homestead in Valley View for more than 40 years. In March of last year he and his companion of 57 years were separated by the Grim Reaper. Mr. Casey had been in declining health for some time and passed away Wednesday morning about 3:00 at the home of Pat Havins.

Surviving are nine children, Cleve Casey, Mrs. Monroe Parker, Mrs. Linn Cowley, Mrs. Pat Havins, Martin Casey and Mrs. V. H. Collett, all of Coke county, and J. E. Lee of California, W. H. Casey, Goose Creek, Texas, and Mrs. J. H. Vowell, Stafford, Okla. There are about 40 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. All of the children were present for the funeral except Mrs. Lee, who arrived Thursday, and Mrs. Vowell who was unable to come.

Grandsons served as pallbearers and granddaughters carried flowers.

The body was laid to rest beside the grave of his wife in the Valley View cemetery.

Simpson Undertaking Parlor was in charge of arrangements.

Red Cross Nurses Set Visiting Mark

American Red Cross nurses established a new record during the year ending June 30, 1937, by making 1,035,774 visits to or on behalf of sick persons. James L. Fieser, vice chairman in charge of domestic operations, announced, coincident with the twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of Red Cross public health nursing.

Mr. Fieser said that more than 3,600 nurses were called into action by the Ohio-Mississippi Valley floods. Others had been combating epidemics, instructing groups of mothers and young women in better health practices, and responding to calls for assistance in disasters.

There at present 38,579 nurses registered on the first and second reserve lists of the organization and all of them are subject to call in disasters or other national emergencies.

It was just twenty-five years ago that Red Cross public health nurses started out over rough country roads and along the fringes of settlements to bring messages of better health to those deprived of medical services because of the barrier of distances," Mr. Fieser said.

"Since that time the Red Cross has established a total of 2,977 public health services and rees-

Social Security Fund Safe

There is one statement in former President Hoover's broadcast statement Tuesday night which should not be permitted to pass unnoticed. He said:

"Is it moral for a government to collect hundreds of millions from the wages of workmen under the promise that they are kept in a fund for their security and then spend the fund on its current expenses and extravagances?"

Mr. Hoover wanted listeners to believe that Congress and the Executive are looting the Social Security fund. There is no basis for that charge. Instead of borrowing from the banks, Uncle Sam is borrowing from the Social Security fund and for every dollar borrowed he is depositing his own interest-bearing paper--the soundest security in the world.

There is not the slightest danger that a penny of the Social Security fund will be lost or improperly diverted. Mr. Hoover knows that, and it is unfortunate he wasn't frank enough to say so. Labor Journal.

Blue Bonnet Bridge Club

Mrs. J. G. Snead, Jr., used pumpkins, black cats and witches in creating a Halloween atmosphere when she entertained members of the Blue Bonnet Bridge Club and other guests, last Friday. The orange and black colors were emphasized in refreshments of open face sandwiches, pie and black coffee.

Guests were Mesdames Roy Brey, Wylie Hillyer, and Fred McDonald. Members present were Mesdames Cortez Russell, W. B. Clift, Freeman Clarks Lamont Scott, Joe Long Snead, Paul Good, Fred Roe, H. E. Smith, T. A. Richardson, and Miss Mettie Russell.

Sustains Fractured Skull

James Page, 12-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Page, is in a San Angelo hospital suffering from a badly fractured skull sustained Tuesday when he fell from the back of a car driven by his father. The Page boy and two of the Delmar Sheppard boys were returning home from the Green Mountain school when the accident occurred.

It was reported Thursday morning that James had spent a bad night.

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established 616 others. During the last ten years 12,000,000 visits to or on behalf of patients have been made by these women, who have forgotten inconveniences and discomforts in their desire to assist those needing help."

Longer Program for Robert Lee Quartet

Beginning Sunday, Nov. 7, the Robert Lee quartet will sing thirty minutes instead of the usual fifteen, over KGKL, San Angelo.

Next Sunday will consist of the songs of the quartet plus other local talent. The members of the Happy Go-Lucky club are guests of the quartet Sunday and will sing several numbers.

If you haven't been listening to these programs, tune your radio on KGKL at 1:15 p. m. and get a real treat in sacred songs. The quartet will be glad to sing any request that is sent in and they would like to know whether or not you like these programs.

The singers are, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jay, Gilbert and Willie Wallace and Emory Davis and Mrs. Sam Jay. Pianist, Miss Mary Katherine Brooks.

The Methodist Church

Throughout the Methodist church November 7 is being observed as Armistice Sunday. In keeping with the occasion Rev. Hoggard will preach at the Robert Lee church on the general theme of the day and will present the position of the Methodist church as adopted at its General Conference of 1934.

A cordial invitation is extended to all citizens of the community attend the services of the church at all times.

Services Sunday

Church School, Mrs. J. S. Gardner, Supt. 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
High School League, 6 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.

Rev. Hoggard reports that the Conference held at San Antonio was one of the best and most beneficial he has ever attended. An outstanding feature of the Conference was the overwhelming vote in favor of the reunification of the three Methodisms in America, The Methodist Episcopal Church, The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and the Methodist Protestant Church.

Although Reverend and Mrs. Hoggard expected to be returned to Robert Lee, they were delighted when the Conference did reappoint them here.

Lucky Nine Club

The "Lucky Nine" Club hasn't met but a few times but is doing good on the start.

The hostess, Cleo McCutchen, served lemonade and cookies, and the club played games.

The members are the following: Mary Batten, president; Main Scoggins, Doris McCutchen, Charlene and Ima Pearl Hurley, Geraldine Wright, Cleo McCutchen, and Ada Belle Fish,

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Your Schools

When their children starts off to school in the morning that seems to end interest in them until they return home with a vast number of mothers. Somehow it has never occurred to them to take a few minutes off from household duties some afternoon and drop in at the school house just for a little visit. They do not realize that it bolsters the morale of the children to see their parents interested in school work, and that it also reflects a genuine interest in the welfare and progress of this all-important institution. Teachers and pupils alike will take more interest in their work when they find, through the personal visits of parents, that interest is being taken in them. It will also serve the good purpose of revealing how well and capably the children of school age are being taken care of by those in whose charge they now spend a goodly portion of their time. You may be sure of a welcome, and you will return home with a deeper pride in your school.

The success of The Observer is founded on the faithfulness and loyalty of its old subscribers and advertisers, and it never forgets them in its search for new business.

A Blow at War

When officials of over 300 big insurance companies gathered in London recently and resolved that henceforth no losses will be paid on property damaged thru war, uprisings or revolutions, it was the hardest blow ever struck at war. They assert that if big business realizes it is not going to have its properties and munitions stocks and war supplies protected, then there isn't going to be enough profit in war to warrant the gamble. And that is the way we have long felt about it. Take the profits out of war and the chance of starting one will be greatly lessened. When war begins to flatten pocketbooks, there will be a more general demand for peace. The insurance men have hit the old God of War an awful rap, and humanity owes them a debt of gratitude for doing so.

It is a sad reflection on civilized man when so many laws have to be passed to keep him honest.

The old-fashioned man who never thought anything of walking 10 or 12 miles in an afternoon has a grandson who never thot of it either.

No farmer whose cow has had the colic, can understand how a radio crooner can get \$1000 a week for making the same kind of noise.

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Watch for further dates.--Thank you.

School Carnival

Saturday night the parents and teachers of Robert Lee and community are sponsoring a Carnival, and if you are looking for an evening of fun and frolic you should be on hand.

The entertainment features of the Carnival are too numerous to mention, so you'll just have to attend to find out about them.

The funds go for a worthy cause, which is more reason why you should lend your support.

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Fire destroyed eight bales of cotton in the yard at the Planters Gin last Friday night. The fire was discovered by the night-watcherman who turned in the alarm. The cotton belonged to different parties and we understand was covered by insurance.

Work on the new school building is progressing nicely. They are putting on the roof now, and the contractor is figuring on completing the building sometime in December.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Stewart of Sw etwater are occupying apartments at Mrs. T. E. Puett's. Mr. Stewart is employed on the Baptist church building.

If you can live past babyhood there's never very much danger in being killed by kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bel were guests in the Charlie Barker home on the Divide Sunday.

Census reports shows that 4412 bales of cotton ginned in Coke County from the crop of 1937 prior to Oct. 18th as compared with 2156 bales for the crop of 1936.

Americans are the most optimistic people on earth. Think how many slot machines they try to fool.--Ex.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. M. Stroud have changed their minds about moving to town and will remain on the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Stroud, it is understood, will also remain on his father's farm.

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Campus Chatter, by Snooper. The big, husky Miles Bulldogs were caught off watch several times and several times were
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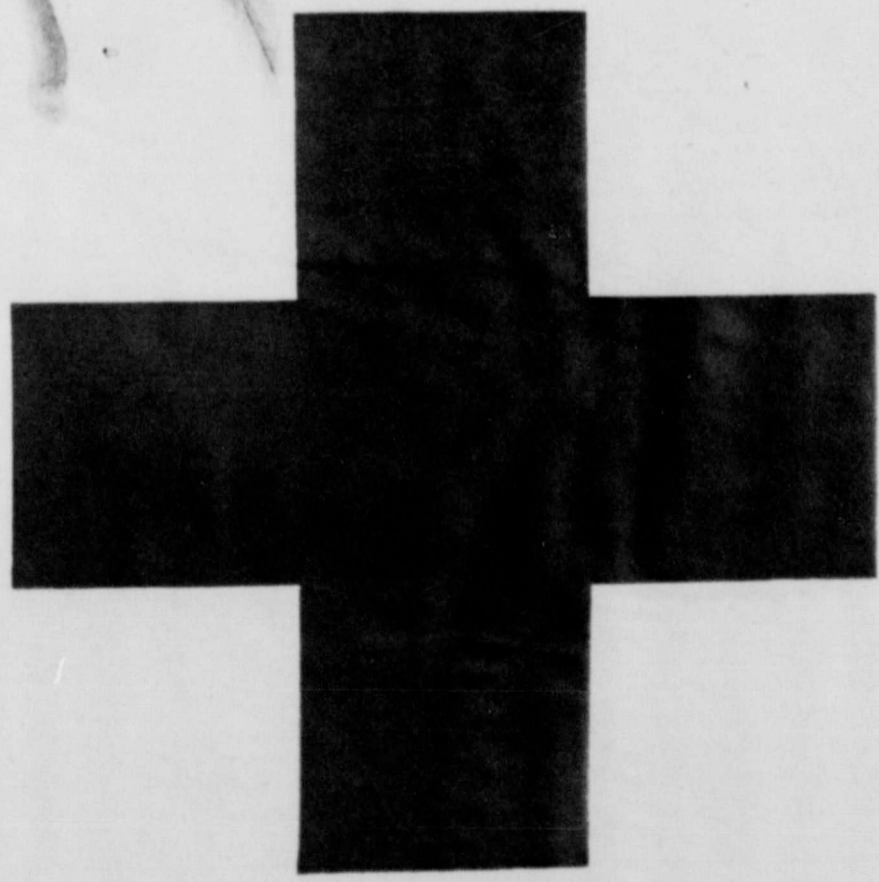
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The PEOPLE'S RED CROSS



PERMANENT INJURY AVOIDED—Demonstration at one of 1,600 Red Cross highway stations; here trained first aiders help to reduce accident death toll.



HAPPY HOME AGAIN—Dairy stock replaced by Red Cross on flooded farm; one of 250,000 families aided to self-support resources.



SALVAGE FROM THE FLOOD—Boy and dog view the family's worldly goods piled on river bank where Red Cross found them, provided shelter and care.



REFUGEE—The terrors of the flood linger with this infant, rescued by Red Cross.



EPIDEMIC HALTED—In this Red Cross field hospital, typical of 281 in flood area, a meningitis epidemic was averted by Red Cross doctors and nurses.



WORLD FRIENDSHIP—Chairman Cary T. Grayson of Red Cross with children of foreign ministries in Washington, representing Junior Red Cross all around the world. Eight million U. S. children are members.

A Year of Record Service

More than a million persons, flooded out of homes and livelihood by nation's greatest flood catastrophe in Ohio-Mississippi Valleys rescued, fed, housed, clothed, and given medical care.

A quarter million families rehabilitated in homes, farms and small businesses in flood zone.

Relief fund of \$25,000,000 contributed by the public, expended for flood-stricken families.

Relief given in 115 additional disasters, 90 in the United States, 20 in insular possessions and 5 in foreign nations.

Red Cross public health nurses made 1,000,000 visits to the sick, 35,000 persons taught Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, 220,000 persons taught First Aid, 80,000 persons taught Life Saving, 50,000 CCC enrollees taught both courses.

1,600 Emergency First Aid stations established on highways to cut motor accident toll. Mobile First Aid units put into operation.

7,000,000 homes and farms self-checked for accident hazards.

8,000,000 school boys and girls enrolled in Junior Red Cross.

Aid given disabled veterans, their dependents and men now in active service. Civilian Relief given by Red Cross Chapters in 725 communities.

Service given by half million volunteers in flood, making garments, transcribing braille books for the blind, motor corps and canteen services.

The Red Cross operates through 3,700 Chapters and their 9,000 Branches. Every one who joins through the local Chapter supports these services to the public.



WHAT IS YOUR PROBLEM?—War veterans, their dependents, and service men, in hospital or out, are aided by Red Cross in solving their difficulties.



SWIM WITH SAFETY—Eighty thousand taught annually Red Cross methods of rescue and resuscitation of the drowning; Pensacola aviators demonstrate "carry" of unconscious victim.

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Robert Lee High School

STEERLINE

News of the week

Editor, Sports & Joke Writer
Bobby Lee Davis

Campus Chatter, by Snooper.
Pep writer, Katherine Scoggins
Senior Reporter, Bob L. Davis,
Junior Rep., Gail McCatchen
Soph. Rep., Prudie Creech
Freshmen Rep., Geraldine Davis

TO MILES

Over the hill and through the dale
Till they reached their destination,
And what the Bulldogs thought they'd do
Is beyond our imagination.

The whistle blows, the steers stampede,
The bulldogs think "there's a place to feed".

But the steers ran out in a hurried rush,
The Miles bulldogs were a pile of mush.

The half is ended, not a score,
That no sign there'll be no more,

For the steers had planned all the time
They could cross the steer goal line.

Signals! Hike! The game is on,
And you should hear those Miles boys moan,

For big Ed Hickman crossed the line,
We knew he'd do it all the time.

In case you heard a Miles fan cussing
The score was Robert Lee 7, Miles 0.
--Editor.

Steers Wins From Miles Bulldogs 7-0

The big, husky Miles Bulldogs were caught off watch several times and several times were they threatened by the lighter Robert Lee Steers. The Steers were greatly outweighed but not outplayed. They roundly outplayed the Bulldogs in every manner, the ball game being played almost entirely on the Steer goal zone. The Steers threatened several times by getting within 1 yard of the touch-down line and finally in the last quarter, went over for a touch-down and had it not been for the whistle of the merciful umpire the score would have been more than 7-0 in favor of the Steers.

Steers Have Off Date

The Steers were turned out to graze for the rest of the week and will not be rounded up until next week, Nov. 13, where they meet Norton for the outstanding game of the year. The Steers are not out by any means. They have won 2 out of 3 conference games and the game will break the tie, so with all of Robert Lee out to see the game, the boys should win district this year.

The schedule for the remainder of the year is as follows;
Nov. 13, Norton here
Nov. 19, Wingate there
Nov. 25, Bronte there.
Then, lets go to Bi-district.

Pep Squad News

The pep squad was very vain Saturday. The boys won the game with Miles, and we were all proud, and we all had new caps to wear. They are a part of the new set of uniforms we intend to have by the end of the year. We are still doing very well towards getting the uniforms, even though at this rate it would take us quite a while to pay for them all.

This week there will be no game and we can drill and practice to have a better pep squad even by next when we play Norton here.

Snooper's Column

Are you still helping your candidate for queen? I'm sure she will need all the help she can get, so do what you can and tell everybody else.

What junior boy was that we saw with Troy's girl friend Sunday night?

Who was Katherine two-timing Sunday nite? Was it ? or was it. We are wondering, too. Someone says "what about Christine"?

Everyone is wondering who the "lovable" couple parked in the model A was.

Daniel says, "Lets go modern T like a V-8. Of course we understand!

Did anyone notice the smooth floor of the creek bridge Monday morning?

Who said Bronte is our 'enemy' Joyce doesn't think so.

What certain "blonde" is Bob Lee crazy about? We wonder which one.

Senior News

Some of the Freshmen seem to think their candidate will be elected "queen" but we take this opportunity of inviting you to the carnival to see Katherine Scoggins, the Senior candidate, crowned "queen".

The tabulation up to date shows the Freshmen candidate in the lead, but wait until Saturday night and we will see the crowning of the Senior candidate as "queen".

In case any of you good people don't know what an "Innkeeper" is, just study commercial law under Miss Downey.

Where was Ed Sunday night? Nobody knows!

The Senior class is afraid Joyce will decide to move to Bronte. Is that right, Joyce?

Junior News

Candy was sold Friday noon for the purpose of raising money to help our candidate for carnival queen, Zelma Slaughter, to win. We all feel sure that if you attend the carnival Saturday night you will see the proud faces of the Juniors as they watch Zelma being crowned queen.

Freshmen News

Just as we expected! The Freshmen candidate is ahead for the carnival queen, and that is not all, at the time of the writing she has almost twice as many votes as the next 3 candidates. Lets go, Fish.

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Uncle Phil Says:

A Wide Difference

The difference between perseverance and obstinacy is that one often comes from a strong will and the other from a strong won't.

Sport that is sport only for the onlookers, is not sport.

Intimate fellowships sail the sea of Give and Take.

Being "resigned to the inevitable" is sometimes an excuse for the yellow streak.

Impudence is not due to lack of respect so much as it is to bad training in manners.

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All Serve It

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STAR DUST

Movie • Radio

By VIRGINIA VALE

CARY GRANT is all set to be the busiest actor in Hollywood for the next year. Now working with Katherine Hepburn in "Bringing Up Baby," he is all set to rush from that to "Love on Parade," with Miriam Hopkins, after which he will support Ruby Keeler in her first R. K. O. picture.

Columbia pictures hold a contract with him also, and will have several stories ready for him just as soon as he finishes his stint on the R.K.O. lot. And somehow or other, Cary expects to find time to play one of the leads in Sam Goldwyn's production of the ever-popular romance, "Graustark." If you heard him on the air recently with Irene Dunne, giving excerpts from "The Awful Truth," which theaters will be showing soon, you don't need to be told that it is a thoroughly delightful picture.

Practically all of the motion picture companies have decided that comics in sets of three bring surt success. R.K.O. has the Marx brothers now, Twentieth Century-Fox have the Ritz brothers with their hilarious antics, and Paramount has signed up the Yacht Club boys to appear in three more pictures for them.

Hollywood producers wish that plump girls were fashionable. Insistence on streamlined figures causes them no end of worry. Many of the stars noted for their beauty and chic have to live on strict diets in order to stay slim, and when they are working on a strenuous schedule they get so run down that they have no resistance to colds. Recently on the ailing list were Carole Lombard, Alice Faye, Joan Crawford, Virginia Bruce, Simone Simon, and Zorina, the lovely Russian dancer who is soon to make her debut in Goldwyn pictures.

Bing Crosby, who always insists that he doesn't know anything about music, or about anything, in fact, but race horses, received an honorary degree from Gonzaga college in Spokane, Wash. He was a student there before he joined Paul Whiteman's rhythm boys and got launched on a radio career. Incidentally, Bing gets so much fun out of his radio appearances that he would like to be on the air more than once a week.

Radio and picture stars have their favorite performers, just like the rest of us. Rudy Vallee insists on having Jack Oakie in the picture he will make for Warner Brothers soon. He says Oakie makes any picture a success. Jack Benny would like to have Abe Lyman on his radio program permanently—thinks he adds a lot of laughs.

Closest friends of Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., thought that his great success as an actor in "The Prisoner of Zenda" had cured him of all ambitions to be a producer in England. Douglas says they are wrong. As soon as he finishes playing opposite Ginger Rogers in "Having a Wonderful Time," he will be off to London again to be the big boss of a production company. In the future he will spend six months of each year in Hollywood working as an actor, the other six in London producing pictures.

Ginger Rogers

These outward manifestations of our oneness with Christ have an inward controlling power—for in our hearts "the peace of Christ" is to "rule." The word means to serve as "umpire," as a referee in times of difficulty. There in the Christian man's inmost being we also find the "word of Christ" dwelling, really abiding, and not in scarcity but "richly." Small wonder that there is in such a heart a never-ending song which glorifies God's grace and which helps and admonishes others.

ODDS AND ENDS—One of the most important instruments in B. A. Rolfe's radio orchestra is an ordinary tin can filled with coins. Shaken by the drummer, this gives out those tinkling notes like Oriental bells that build up the gruesome atmosphere of Ripley's weirdest Believe It or Not. . . . Eddie Cantor's recent high spirits, even higher than usual, are due to the general verdict that his new picture "Ali Baba Goes to Town" is by far the best he has ever made. . . . Ginger Rogers' favorite tribute came from a cameraman when she had finished her big dramatic scene in "Stage Door." He hollered at her: "Throw away those dancing shoes."

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UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for November 7

CHRISTIAN CHARACTER AND PEACE

LESSON TEXT—Colossians 3:1-17. **GOLDEN TEXT**—And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body.—Colossians 3:15. **PRIMARY TOPIC**—In His Name. **JUNIOR TOPIC**—In His Name. **INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—How May I Have Peace? **YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—The Christian Cure for Strife.

Armistice day is but a few days away, a fact which was probably in mind when the title of our lesson was chosen, for while it speaks of "Christian character" it also refers to "peace." But the peace spoken of here is the peace of God which is the result of peace with God and which issues in holy living. The only hope of this world for a real and lasting peace is in the winning of men and women to glad allegiance to the Prince of Peace, our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Altogether proper is the close connection in Scripture between the most profound spiritual truth and practical holy living. Whether it be done in a land of enlightenment or in the midst of heathen darkness the teaching of the deep things of God brings forth in the receptive heart an appreciation of God's provision for our redemption, a consciousness and hatred of sin and an appropriation of victory in Christ. All three of these factors emerge in the study of our lesson.

I. "Seek Those Things Which Are Above" (vv. 1-4).

Faith in Christ makes us one with him in his death and in his resurrection. We are therefore to live in resurrection power. Our Lord has entered into heaven, and is there seated at God's right hand. If we are in him, if we have died and arisen with him, we are dead to the things of this world and our one desire is to "seek those things which are above."

The mystic union of the believer with Christ brings us so close to God our Father that we may say with the poet:

"Near, so very near to God,
Nearer I could not be,
For in the person of His Son
I am as near as He."

We are "hid with Christ in God." He is our very life. Note however that this union with Christ expresses itself in a most practical manner for we as Christians are admonished to

II. "Mortify Your Members . . . upon the Earth" (vv. 5-9).

The most spiritual Christian is the one who is most sensitive to sin and most earnest in his purpose that it should be mortified—which means "put to death." We may not temporize—we must not compromise with sin. Put it to death.

The list of things which are to be put away include a number of sins which we recognize at once as utterly inconsistent with a Christian profession. But note also that there are a number of them which are all too common among Christian people—covetousness, anger, wrath, malice, and so forth. Lying and shameful talk are condoned by some (and practiced by many).

III. "Put On the New Man" (vv. 11-17).

Christianity is positive. We put off sin—we put on righteousness. Knowing no lines of racial or creedal distinction we recognize Christ as "all and in all." Then as "God's elect, holy, and beloved," we are clothed with the Spirit of Christ. Tenderhearted, kind, lowly, meek, of a forgiving spirit, long-suffering; all these Christlike ways of living should appear in those who are hid with him in God. As the encircling band which holds together these beautiful and precious virtues, we have love, "the bond of perfectness" (v. 14).

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Our final verse sums up the life of the Christian, for in whatsoever he does there is but one motive, one purpose—a willing thankful response to the will of God. He does nothing that he cannot do in the name of the Lord Jesus.

ASK ME ? A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

1. What is the origin of the acre?
2. What is the difference between a Zeppelin and a dirigible?
3. What queen of a foreign country was married to an American citizen?
4. What is the length of the Great Wall of China?
5. What is the shortest verse in the Bible?
6. Have ships ever sailed through a northwest passage above Canada?
7. How large a navy has the Irish Free State?
8. Who is the best-known woman inventor?
9. Why does the moon seem to change its size?

North Carolina is the most prolific inventor, with 52 patents registered.

9. The moon appears larger near the horizon because the atmosphere has magnifying properties and the blanket of atmosphere surrounding the earth is limited in height but unlimited as we gaze along its surface. When we look at the moon near the horizon we are gazing through more atmosphere and it seems larger.

Answers

1. Originally it was the area a yoke of oxen could plow in a day.
2. A dirigible is any aircraft lifted by gas which may be guided and propelled by mechanical means. A Zeppelin is a rigid dirigible of the type invented by Count von Zeppelin.
3. Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii married John O. Dominis, a native of Boston.
4. The length of the Great Wall of China, including all its spurs and loops, is estimated to be 2,500 miles.
5. "Jesus wept," John 11:35.
6. Two ships recently met in Bellot strait, one from the east and one from the west, thus effecting intercommunication, which has been the object of navigators for four hundred years.
7. It has no navy. The name of this country has lately been changed by act of parliament to Eire, pronounced Air uh.
8. Miss Beulah Louise Henry of

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To the eyes of art as to the eyes of affection, the unessentials of life do not count.—Thornton Wilder.

What America needs is one great, healthy ability to say "No."—Dr. Carl Jung.

The luxuries of the last generation are the comforts of this and the comforts of our fathers are the necessities of their children.—William Allen White.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Wojtek and children and Mrs. Evie Sides visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wojtek, Sr., in Christoval Sunday. The elder Wojteks have been in Christoval for some time taking treatment.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred DeLashaw returned Tuesday from onham where they were called because of the death of Rev. DeLashaw's brother-in-law, Robert Duncan.

Miss Nina Barger has returned from Hart where she has been for several weeks caring for the little son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lovell. Mrs. Lovell has been doing substitute teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Yarborough of Post are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Allen. Mrs. Yarborough and Mrs. Allen are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Allen and son, Billie, and Misses Christine Glenn and Charline Morrow spent Sunday in Sterling City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tubb had as their guests Sunday his mother and sister from Eldorado, and Mr. Tom Boykin of Miles and his half sister, Miss Bessie Hart, of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Schooley of Longview were here over the weekend visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Turney Casey and Mr. Casey.

Mrs. Kate Melton and little son, Jerry, visited the families of her brothers, Raymond and Sam Jay, last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Davis went to Brady Wednesday to visit with her nephew, Weldon Wetzel and Mrs. Wetzel. The three will go to Corpus Christi later in the week for a few days fishing.

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