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## SENIOR PLAY TO

### BE GIVEN SOON

The senior class of '28 has selected for their annual play a comedy-drama of the Sunny South entitled "Mammy's Lal Wild Rose." The play is in three acts and has for its setting the cabin dooryard of Uncle Joe and Mammy Odie in the mountains of Virginia. Rose, an orphan, has been brought up by her Aunt Hester, an aristocratic maiden lady of the Virginia mountains. Aunt Hester has betrothed Rose to Wade Carver, a wealthy neighbor, but Daniel French appears—to tell more would spoil the whole thing. So just come out on Thursday, April 5, to the high school auditorium and see how things come out. You will be assured an evening's entertainment of one worth while besides a good first class play.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sweeten and son of El Paso visited relatives here the first of the week.

## Cemetery Association Reports Nice Sum Realized

The Cemetery Association cleared a good sum from the selling of refreshments at the dance last Friday. With the money donated, and selling of refreshments the sum of \$122.35 was made. The Bluebonnet Shows, which was here week before last, donated \$25 to the Association. With the money on hand the Association plans to improve the cemetery.

C. H. Heath of Del Rio was a Sunday visitor here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Brown have returned from a ten day visit at Sanderson and report

everything doing nicely there. Joe and Bozart Brown live at Sanderson and are doing nicely there in the ranch business. Mr. Brown reports Mrs. Joe Brown and her mother, Mrs. Shurley, being in Glen Rose for their health.—Rocksprings Record.

### Who Will Give a Book?

Books suitable for the use of the pupils are badly needed at the Mexican school. At the last meeting, the Parent-Teachers' Association undertook the task of sponsoring a reference library for this school. The success of this effort will depend upon the interest and generosity of Sanderson book owners.

Anyone having dictionaries, children's story books, reference books or National Geographic magazines that they wish to donate to this good cause can help put this move over by contributing a book or books. Mrs. Jack McKee, Mrs. Gayle Mussey, Miss Myrtle Harrell and Mrs. J. A. McMillan are the committee representing the P. T. A. and the Mexican school. If you have books to donate bring them to the school or phone one of the committee.

Here is hoping for a grand and glorious shower of books.

—Sanderson's vacation week, Chautauqua, April 17-20.

### Mrs. Reeves Loses Mother

Word was received in the city Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Mary Randolph, mother of Mrs. Flora Reeves, at her home in Munith, Michigan. Mrs. Reeves has been with her mother for some time, and the end was not unexpected.

The many friends here of Mrs. Reeves extend sympathy to her in her loss.

### Palmer-Strange Wedding.

Miss Nellie May Palmer and Mr. Charles J. Strange were quietly married at 5:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the First Methodist parsonage, the Rev. Gaston Hartsfield saying the ceremony. The couple was attended by a number of close friends. Mr. Strange is connected with the Orient railroad here. They will make their home in San Angelo.—San Angelo Standard.

The bride is of a prominent family in San Angelo, where she has many friends and is held in high esteem by the people in general.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Strange, prominent citizens of this city. For several years he worked here for the T. & N. O., just recently going to San Angelo where he has been working for the Orient. He is a most deserving and well thought of young man. His name is synonymous with sincerity, honesty and integrity.

Mr. and Mrs. Strange returned to their home in San Angelo Tuesday following several days visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Strange.

Charley's many friends here congratulate him on his selection of a life partner and wish for them a life of unalloyed bliss.

### CAR CRASHES INTO KERR MERCANTILE PLATE GLASS WINDOW

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. W. A. Banner had left her Dodge sedan parked at the side of the Kerr Mercantile store while she was inside shopping. Jean Banner, her young brother-in-law, and her daughter, Mary Elizabeth, were left in the car. In some manner Jean accidentally stepped on the starter and as the car was in gear it started off. Jean managed to turn the car around and thought that when it hit the curb it would stop. However, the car was going at such a speed and being in low gear, that when it struck the concrete curb it plunged forward and went right through the large plate glass window, tearing the back panel out of the window. Several cases on the inside of the store were torn loose and their glass door broken. Very little damage was done to the car. The only thing that kept the car from going right on in the store was the fact that the rear wheels failed to make the climb and skidded on the pavement.

Neither one of the children in the car were hurt.

### Auxiliary Has All Day Meet.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Presbyterian Church held its annual meeting Monday at an all day session at the home of Mrs. C. L. Sims. Much work was done and much good accomplished, as the spring and summer clothing needs of the little orphan girl we care for were fulfilled as well as similar needs of children in our town.

At the regular meeting hour, several items of business were transacted and the yearly report made, following which the officers of the ensuing year were duly installed in a simple but inspirational service, with Mrs. John F. Nichols as installing officer.

A special feature of the day's program was a "shower" given Mrs. L. M. VanZandt, one of our faithful members, who is about to leave our town. The members as they came into the room where Mrs. VanZandt was seated, literally "showered" her with gifts, tokens of their appreciation for the work she has done and of the regret they feel in their hearts on the occasion of her departure.

Plans were completed for the observance of a Sunrise Easter Service to which all the churches and the public are cordially invited, the services to be held at Big Hill on Easter morning.

The following were elected as delegates to go to the Presbyterial which convenes in Brownsville next week: Mrs. D. A. Polard, Mrs. Lee Grigsby; Mrs. W. H. Savage; alternates, Mrs. P. F. Robertson and Mrs. S. C. Bodkin.

At the luncheon hour about 75 persons were served, the families of the members being present.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Stovell on Monday, April 9.

### SANDERSON BOYS

#### RECEIVE LETTERS AT SCHREINER INSTITUTE

Kerrville, March 19.—Following the announcement last week of Coach Bully Gilstrap, athletic director at Schreiner Institute, that eight members of the 1928 Schreiner basketball squad had been awarded the unqualified "S", Kendrick Harrell of Sanderson was elected captain of the 1929 Mountaineers. This is the second time in as many years that a Sanderson boy has been chosen to lead the Mountaineer team.

"Big Joe," who has lettered twice in both basketball and football and is now working for his second letter in track, led the team through what is considered the most successful basketball season in the history of Schreiner, this year. Playing the position of basket-guard, he was the backbone of the Schreiner defense. When the offense of the opposing team seemed working smoothly, it was "Big Joe" who broke up their passes and blocked their throws at the basket to discourage and demoralize them. Again, when the opponents of Schreiner began trying long shots, it was "Big Joe" who took the ball off the backboard and passed swiftly to a Schreiner forward to take the ball out of danger. Jansa was an excellent leader, playing in the dominant position that he did and supervising the play of his teammates with the admirable coolness that is typical of him at all times.

Harrell, the new captain, was one of the fastest, neatest men on the team this year. At either forward post or center position he was a constant threat on the offense, and at no time was there any improvement to be desired on his defensive work. His floor work was nothing short of brilliant, and was marked by a gracefulness that marked him as a finished player.

—Sanderson's vacation week, Chautauqua, April 17-20.

### Culture Club Meets.

An interesting meeting of the Culture Club was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Max Bogusch, with Mrs. Bogusch and Mrs. John L. Newton as hostesses.

Under the capable leadership of Mrs. Clyde Griffith the lesson of the afternoon, "Character Drawing," and "The Short Story as a Subject of Study," was well given. Interesting resume of the short story, "The Return of the Private," was given by Mrs. T. L. Williams. Mrs. J. W. Daniels also gave an interesting report on the story, "The Hiding of Black Bill."

At the social hour, which followed, a salad course was served by the hostesses.

### RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, it was the will of the Almighty God, our Omnipotent Father, to call from this earthly life of trials and sorrows to that celestial haven of rest the sister of our beloved Brother, P. F. Robertson;

Be it resolved by the officers and members of Sanderson Lodge No. 888, A. F. & A. M., that we extend to our beloved brother our deepest sympathy in his sorrow.

"And all is well, tho' faith and form  
Be sunder'd in the night of fear;  
Well roars the storm to those that hear  
A deeper voice across the storm."

(Signed)  
J. A. WHITE,  
W. H. SAVAGE,  
L. W. ERWIN.

### WOMANLESS WEDDING WILL BE GIVEN

The various women's organizations of the churches here will present the well known play, "The Womanless Wedding," on Friday night at the Princess Theatre.

A strong cast has been selected and those who attend are promised several thrills. The dainty bride and the handsome groom, as well as the attendants and relatives will all be there in their latest finery.

An admission charge of 25c and 50c will be charged and this price will include the motion picture as well as the play.

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### FULLER PEP



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**The Green Cloak**

By YORKE DAVIS

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**CHAPTER IX—Continued**

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The prophecy came true. At the very next corner the girl turned to the left, and then held on, straight across two avenues, until she reached a street where the cars ran. She made as if to cross this street, too, for she went straight out to the middle of it; then stopped, obviously at fault, and retraced her steps to the car rail nearest the curb.

"Well, that's plain enough," said Ashton in a tone of disappointment. "She's brought us so far, but can't take us any farther, for here is where he took the car."

"Wait a bit," said the doctor. "Watch the girl."

She was crouched very low again, and quivering around in a circle, just as she had done at the foot of the standpipe. Presently, to the surprise of all of us, unless it may have been that the doctor guessed, she caught a scent that satisfied her and led her diagonally back to the sidewalk; and once here, without a pause, she set out in the direction of downtown, straight down the middle of the sidewalk, her gait, that seemed unburied, unflinching, a sure-footed compromise between a walk and a run.

"It seems to be all right," said Ashton rather breathlessly, as we hurried on after her, "only I don't quite see what he went out into the street for."

"To see if a car was coming, I suppose," said the doctor. "There wasn't one in sight, so, rather than risk waiting, he set out on foot. And I think he did wisely. I haven't seen a car in either direction. Have you?"

We had not, and, what was still more to the point, followed the girl at the rapid pace she set, for half an hour without seeing one.

When we had first set out with her, our curiosity as to what she would do prevented us from paying much attention to the condition of the streets; but when the chase had straightened itself out into this long pursuit down the avenue, we had time to think of our surroundings, and to speculate whether they bettered the chances of the man we were pursuing or improved our own for catching him. The trolley wires were evidently down in every direction, and the streets were so glassy with the frozen sleet and so perilous with the snappers, spitting ends of live wires that trailed here and there, that what little wheel traffic there was moved only with the very greatest difficulty. Without the means of tracing him, which the doctor's hypnotic power over the girl had provided us with, he would, after several hours, have been absolutely secure from pursuit. There would have been no other way in the world of hunting for him than by this simple, primitive method of tracking him by his scent.

It was fortunate for us that there were few pedestrians abroad that night, for the girl's strange, unsteady gait and our hurried, breathless pursuit of her would, in any other normal conditions, have created a sensation which would have rendered the pursuit itself impossible. As it was, the few people who had ventured out found all they could attend to in the ice-glazed sidewalks, the wind-whipped corners, the fog and electrical peril of the streets. A few curious glances were cast after us as we went hurrying by, but that was about all.

Suddenly the doctor dropped a hand on my arm. "I know where she's going," he said. "I ought to have guessed it before ever we started. Look there." As he spoke, he pointed ahead and upward, through the fog, and, following the direction of his pointing finger, I made out, faintly, a luminous clock face.

"What is it?" said I. "I haven't kept track of where we were going. The fog confuses me."

"It's the Western station," said the doctor, "and Wilkins, my boy," he punctuated the remark with a buffet on my shoulder. "Wilkins has gone to his office. I ought to have known him well enough by this time to have foreseen that that was what he would do."

"I don't believe he'd be such a fool," said Ashton, "but I hope you're right. If he's gone to Oak Ridge, we've got him. I've got two men out in the Morgan house watching it, on the lookout for anyone who might turn up there, and nobody who does turn up will be able to get away until they have accounted to me for their visit."

We had all lagged a little. "Come along," said the doctor. "We mustn't get too far behind."

We were pretty well winded, all of us, but we gathered up our energies for a final sprint, and turned into the great waiting room just behind her.

She went straight to the ticket window, but without a pause there or a glance through, she turned in a sharp angle, exactly as a dog would do, and padded across the waiting room toward the doors which opened into the train shed.

"Follow her!" the doctor commanded Mallory. "I'll see about the trains."

I was at his elbow when he spoke to the clerk. That functionary was gazing after the girl with wide, terrified eyes.

"In Heaven's name!" he said, "what is she? A woman or a beast?"

The doctor did not answer. He ignored the question utterly.

"When is the next train for Oak Ridge due?" he asked.

The ticket clerk rubbed his hands over his eyes. "Did you see her?" he asked. "That creature that just went through the door?"

I did not wonder that he was horrified. I remembered my own feeling when I had seen her start down the corridor toward Wilkins' room.

The doctor paid no attention, and in the same level voice in which he had spoken before, he repeated his question about the train for Oak Ridge.

With an effort, the clerk rallied his wits and answered him.

"There was a train pulled out about ten minutes ago," he said. "There won't be another tonight. The wires are down on account of the sleet, and we've practically abandoned the suburban service. It's too dangerous. Everything has to run without orders."

"Did you hear that, Ashton?" said the doctor, turning away. "The last train to Oak Ridge that will run tonight left ten minutes ago."

**CHAPTER X**

Ashton had followed Mallory part way across the waiting room, a little nervous, I think, at the idea of letting the girl out of his sight. So he had not heard what the clerk had just told Doctor McAllister through the ticket window.

"Well," he said, "that is all right, isn't it? We don't want to go to Oak Ridge. If the train Wilkins took started only ten minutes ago, there's ample time to arrange to have him arrested before he sets foot on the platform at Oak Ridge. Where's the telegraph office in this station?"

"It won't do you any good," said Doctor McAllister. "There will be no telegraphic communication with Oak Ridge tonight."

Ashton glanced thoughtfully about the room. "That possibility hadn't occurred to me," he said at last.

"It occurred to Wilkins," said the doctor. "That's why he went. He's the one man of us who really grasped the situation. He knew just what that sleet storm meant—that over a territory fifteen or twenty miles square electricity was going out of the business of serving civilization for a few hours. That one vital fact turns the world topsy-turvy, and makes some difficult things easy and some commonplace things impossible. For just tonight our thoughts can't move any quicker than our bodies can. So Wilkins has set out for Oak Ridge, and we can't head him off. The only thing we can do is to follow him. The question is, shall we try to do that?"

I followed Ashton's glance just then, and saw Mallory coming back with the girl. She seemed unconscious of his presence, and made straight across the room to where the doctor was standing in conversation with us. She halted beside him without a word, her manner perfectly quiet, though expectant. She was merely waiting for him to tell her what he wanted done next.

For the moment he paid no attention to her, did not even glance sideways at her as she came up.

"That's the question," he repeated to the attorney. "Shall we try to go out to Oak Ridge tonight? You spoke of having two men on watch there all the time. Can you safely leave the matter of coping with Wilkins to them?"

Ashton walked away a few paces, then whirled and came back. His look was troubled, disquieted.

"I wish you were there, Mallory," he said. "Green and Benson aren't any too wide awake. They'll have a man to deal with who has just outwitted us."

"There are two courses of action open to us," said the doctor. "One is to go home and go to bed. The other is, to get hold of an automobile and try to get out to Oak Ridge tonight. Our getting there at all is problematical with the roads in the present condition."

Ashton whirled round and spoke to Mallory. "Go and telephone to the

nearest garage for an automobile; quick!" he said. Then, addressing us, he went on: "There is no necessity for your going, Doctor McAllister, or Mr. Phelps, either. But Mallory and I can't afford to waste a minute."

"You've wasted one already," said the doctor, "telling Mallory to go into that telephone booth."

Ashton, heartily cursing his own stupidity, darted off after his messenger.

"I think I'll go along with them," said I to the doctor, "just on the chance of my being of some service."

He laughed. "Are you thinking you'll leave me behind? Come, Phelps, you know me better than that. No, we'll all go."

His gesture included the strange, silent, expectant figure that had been standing at his elbow all the time.

"Do you mean to take her?" I questioned.

"She's brought us so far. She's given us, up to this point, every material fact that has made it possible for us to establish Haines' identity and get on his trail."

It just happened then that my eyes were on the girl. I saw her shiver, saw a look of human intelligence and perplexity appear for the first time in that strange face of hers. I tried, with a nod, to direct my chief's attention to her, but before he could get my meaning, Ashton came hurrying back.

"There's a garage only two or three blocks away," he said, "and Mallory ought to be back with a car in a very few minutes."

Then he held out his hand to the doctor. "I can't begin to tell you," he said, "how grateful I am for the help you've given us, nor for your patience with my unenlightenment."

"No valetdetories now," said the doctor interrupting. "You're not going to be rid of us so easily. We're all going with you."

"Good!" said Ashton. "I hoped you would, though I felt I hadn't any right to ask it of you. Come! There's the motor. Let's lose no time."

My memory of the next two hours is one of unrelieved discomfort and constantly increasing apprehension. We skidded across street car tracks and had a dozen of what in normal times we should have called narrow escapes, in the first dozen minutes. After that, we stopped counting. The excitement of the chase was mounting in our veins.

"He must be there by this time," said Ashton at last with a shudder. "I wish I knew that Green and Benson were still alive."

"I tell you they won't kill," said the doctor, "not if he can help it. He'll do it if they succeed in forcing his hand; that I admit. But his own cleverness is the greatest safeguard those two men could have—his cleverness and their stupidity."

"I wish I shared your confidence," said Ashton.

"Think a minute what the situation is," said the doctor. "Suppose we had him now, safely, in our hands. We know what he is. We know that he is morally responsible for the murder of Henry Morgan. But suppose you were not the district attorney. Suppose that Haines came to you and retained you in his defense. Wouldn't you tell him that, with the criminal law in its present state and the methods of prosecution, criminals what they are today, you would have an excellent chance of riddling any case that we could make? Wouldn't you tell him that, never in the world, could he be convicted of murder in the first degree, by any court or any jury?"

"Yes," said Ashton ruefully, "I suppose that's true."

"You may be sure," the doctor continued, "that Wilkins realizes that. And realizing it, you may be certain, also, that he will not commit an indubitable first-degree murder, if he can help it."

"Murder—"

The word made us all start. It was uttered, hardly above a whisper, by the wild half-human creature, through whose instrumentality we had been able to get on the true murderer's trail. And yet, in some subtle way, she had spoken in a new voice; not the soft-throated guttural speech of the Maori girl, nor yet in Jane Perkins' New Zealand modification of cockney.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

**SHE HAS NO FEAR OF NITROGLYCERIN**

Woman Hauls It to Fire-Fighting Husband.

Amarillo, Texas.—Her husband's dangerous vocation is shared by Mrs. Tex Thornton, wife of the man who puts out fires in the oil fields by tossing nitroglycerin into the flames. But she finds no thrill in it.

It is Mrs. Thornton's job to haul nitroglycerin to her husband. Recently she drove an automobile 800 miles over rough roads, carrying 1,500 quarts of the explosive. Scores of motorists who saw Mrs. Thornton approaching abandoned their automobiles and scurried across the prairie. But she insisted there was "nothing to make a fuss about."

Mrs. Thornton had to change tires five times before she delivered the nitroglycerin to her husband, who was fighting a costly gas fire at Corpus Christi.

"My work is just colorless routine," she remarked after the perilous trip. "Tex has all the fun, and I envy him. His work really is dangerous, and he accomplishes something. My bit is incidental and anybody could do it."

Thornton's "fun" consists of donning an asbestos suit, crawling to the edge of a fire crater and hurling 50 to 100 quarts of nitroglycerin into the flames. If several blasts fail to extinguish the fire, he digs deeper into his bag of tricks and gets water and steam to help him.

Mrs. Thornton also takes care of the storage of the family stock of nitroglycerin. While she does not dread the explosive, she does fear the mice and snakes which she finds in the storeroom.

Since their marriage five years ago Mrs. Thornton has been helping Tex fight the fires. Her hobby is airplanes, and she longs for the day when her husband can buy her one.

**Man-Made Earthquakes Aid Railroad Builders**

Leningrad, U. S. S. R.—Man-made earthquakes, recorded some distance away upon a simple form of seismograph weighing only a few pounds, are helping Russian engineers to survey the site of the proposed Turkestan-Siberia railroad.

The method is to detonate charges of explosives underground and to record the travel of vibrations through the ground in different directions. By a minute study of the records so obtained it is possible to secure data on the geological formation of the locality.

The new seismograph invented by Prof. Paul M. Nikiforov, director of the Physico-Mathematical Institute of the Russian Academy of Science at Leningrad, is similar to one recently invented in the United States by Dr. John A. Anderson of the Mount Wilson observatory in California.

Its main part, the pendulum, is a small vertical cylinder of pure gold suspended a little off center on a pair of fine wires.

Whenever there is any vibration the cylinder turns slightly in proportion to the strength of the shock. A tiny mirror attached to the pendulum reflects a beam of light on a constantly advancing sheet of photographic paper. Every turn of the cylinder, no matter how small, shifts the light spot considerably and it traces a wavy black line. Several of the new instruments are now installed at earthquake stations in Turkestan and Crimea and give complete satisfaction.

**Rock Deflects Drills, Oil Engineer Finds**

Tulsa, Okla.—Because of deflection of oil-boring tools in underground strata, it is a wise oil man who actually knows where and at what level his well hits production, H. P. Bowen, Tulsa oil engineer, believes.

Bowen says flatly that no drill hole is vertical, and points to the recent instance of two offset wells coming together at a depth of 2,100 feet as proof.

He has worked out a deflection table which shows that a 6,000-foot hole that strays 25 degrees from perpendicular ends up almost half a mile from its surface location, and actually is only 5,433 feet deep.

"As a rule a rotary hole shows the greater amount of deflection," Bowen says. "It has been reported that a 6,200-foot rotary hole of the Roxana Petroleum corporation, on being surveyed, showed a deflection of 25 degrees from perpendicular. Actually, then, it was only about 5,900 feet deep."

**Britons Must Import 3,700,000,000 Eggs a Year**

London.—Great Britain consumes 3,700,000,000 eggs a year, and native fowls produce only 2,000,000,000 eggs.

Forty-seven per cent of Britain's imported eggs come from countries outside the British empire. The sum of money spent for these eggs exceeds the value of all the motor cars, motorcycles, cycles and rubber tires which Britain exports, and the Imperial economic council wants something done about it.

English hens are now laying 100 eggs each annually as against 72 eggs in the pre-war period, but their eggs are smaller. Denmark and China are the chief sources of Britain's imported eggs. It is suggested by the economic council that home-laid eggs should be identified in such a manner that the public may give them preference.

**Wanted No Witnesses to Theatrical Flight**

In Sir James Barrie's play "Peter Pan," Tinker Bell gets up on her stage wings, hovers about the room and flies out of an open window. The playwright, watching one of his rehearsals, expressed a desire to try the mechanism by which this flight is achieved. So attendants attached the wires to the distinguished gentleman and prepared to hoist him in the air.

The amusing part of the story followed. Sir James, a veteran in the world of the theater, was suddenly struck by a terrible and overwhelming stage-fright. He commanded that every one leave the boards, and had the front curtain put down and the pass doors securely closed.

Then, alone in the room between

the backdrop, the curtain and the wings, he was lifted up, maneuvered over Tinker Bell's route, and, in all his disheveled dignity, soared out the window unperceived.

**Darwin's Life Work**

Darwin, the famous expounder of the theory of evolution, was born in 1809, the son of a physician at Shrewsbury, England. From 1831 to 1836 he made his voyage round the world in the Beagle, on which he was the naturalist. In 1859 he published his great work, "Origin of Species." Subsequently he elaborated and defended his theory. Among these works was the "Descent of Man." He died in 1882.

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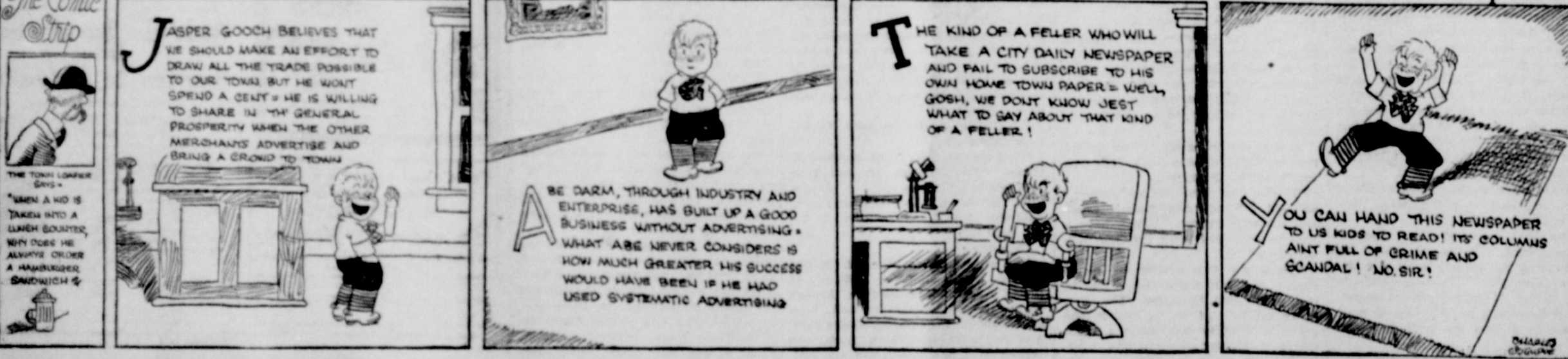
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**Seagulls Brought Friends**  
One day two seagulls alighted on the lawn of the Peterson home at Los Angeles. They were fed with great delight. Nothing more was thought of the incident until a few days later a large flock made their appearance and waddled around expectantly. Of course they were fed. The Petersons now wonder how many friends the two seagulls will bring along on the next trip.



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## CLING TO CUSTOMS OF CENTURIES AGO

Tyrolese Recall Memories of Hannibal's Campaigns.

Hazleton, Pa.—The congregation of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, which holds the distinction of being the first Tyrolese organization of its kind to be formed in America and which, with intense national pride, styles itself Tyrolese even though the Trentino now is part of Italy, has just dedicated a handsome chapel at its parish cemetery. Made of marble and perched on the slope that commands the burial grounds, the building makes an impressive appearance when viewed from the Hazleton-Allentown-Philadelphia State highway.

The celebration of All Souls' day at the cemetery also is a possibility now that this consecrated structure has been put into use and this arrangement is considered quite desirable. The building also will be used for services at times that this stormy section of the state makes outdoor conditions intolerable and grave digging sometimes out of the question. Services can be held at the chapel and the burial can be effected later.

Rev. Lewis Luechli is the pastor of the congregation of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and has a devoted flock. To the student of history, when he meets and knows the Tyrolese, comes a light on the accounts of Hannibal's campaigns, with their story of aid given the Carthaginian in his campaigns against Rome. The auxiliaries came from the hills, where the inveterate enemies of the republic lived.

Among the Tyrolese are found names like Annabale, which is Hannibal with the "H" missing. Amalcare also is to be found, and the name of the favorite general of Hannibal, Hamilcar, is recalled. Alcare is encountered, and Alaric's name thus is found preserved in a people's traditions, after the expiration of many centuries. Naturally, the Tyrolese who kept their national entity in those days of the Roman empire wish to keep it still and they are not disposed to accept the designation of Italian citizens, if unaturalized, but still call themselves Tyrolese.

## Day Steals From Night, but It's Slow Pilfering

London.—Old Grandmother Earth is getting just a little teeny-weeny bit more sunshine in her life as Old Father Time clicks off the revolving centuries. It isn't a great deal, in the sunshine and daylight measurements as reckoned by puny man, but in her time it may amount to quite a lot.

Sir Frank Dyson, astronomer-royal at Greenwich observatory, has calculated that the days are lengthening at the rate of something like one second in every thousand centuries.

In a lecture on "The Observation of the Solar Eclipse," Sir Frank explained how the eclipse in Nineveh in 753 B. C., enabled astronomers to discover that the speed of the rotation of the earth was gradually being reduced.

Halley's calculations of the eclipse in Nineveh showed that that city should have been some hundreds of miles outside the zone of observation. To make his calculation fit the facts, he suggested that the month was getting longer, and subsequent work had shown that the movement of the tides was lengthening the day by a thousandth part of a second each century.

## Find Ancient Tracks Across Grand Canyon

Washington.—New finds of fossil footprints in the rocks of the Grand Canyon of Arizona, but this time on the north rim, 14 miles from the site of previous discoveries on the south rim, are reported by Dr. Charles W. Gilmore of the United States National Museum and Glenn F. Sturdevant, government naturalist of Grand Canyon National park.

Slabs bearing the foot imprints of small reptiles or salamanderlike amphibians were found at two levels, one in the Coconino and one in the Supai formation. These correspond with two of the three formations on the other side of the canyon in which tracks have been found during the last few years, but further exploration and examination of specimens will have to be carried on before it can be determined whether the levels match up exactly and whether the tracks represent the same kinds of feet.

The fossil footprints from the south side of the canyon thus far discovered represent 30 species, distributed among 28 genera.

## Wife Shaves Man as Husband Talks Politics

Paris.—Francis Albert, who was senator from the Vienne department and minister of education in a recent cabinet, is preparing his candidacy for the April general elections. His opponent is a Socialist and a barber. M. Albert called on him the other day while the barber was shaving a customer.

"Glad to see you, Monsieur Albert," said he, "of course we have lots of things to talk about."

"Then he called to his wife who was in the kitchen:

"Marie, come out here and finish this customer."

Marie dropped her preparations for the evening meal, grabbed the brush and the razor and shaved the customer while her husband and the other candidate talked politics.

## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By Mary Graham Bonner

### GOLDFISH STORY

"Our home," commenced the goldfish known as Mr. Tokyo Jones, "is here, in this large bowl."  
"We have nice gravel in it and some pretty plants, and every morning we get a little food."  
"I know it is morning because I am hungry. That is fairly bright of me considering I am nothing but a goldfish."  
"Of course I am bright in color, but not in brains."  
"That is the way I know it is morning," said Mr. Peking Baxter.

"And that is the way I know it, too," said Mr. Shanghai Wainwright. The goldfish had been named by their little owner Lucy.

"Of course if I didn't get fed I mightn't be sure of it," said Mr. Tokyo Jones.

"I'd never be sure of knowing anything," said Mr. Peking Baxter.

"And neither would I," said Mr. Shanghai Wainwright.

"Well," said Mr. Peking Baxter, "you might as well tell us what you have to tell us. You were going to tell us something, you know."

"What was it? I've forgotten already. My memory was never very good."

"I believe I've forgotten myself," said Mr. Tokyo Jones.

"Oh, dear, that's too bad," said Mr. Shanghai Wainwright, splashing and waving a fin at Mr. Tokyo Jones.

"You're a naughty, naughty forgetful fish," he said. "To be sure I might be the same way myself, quite easily."

"Quite easily," echoed Mr. Tokyo Jones.

"We'll have to help him remember," said Mr. Peking Baxter.

"Perhaps each of us could remember a little, little bit and so we'd get the whole together after a time," suggested Shanghai Wainwright.

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"Every Morning We Get a Little Food."

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"We don't want to splash too much with excitement," said Mr. Shanghai Wainwright.

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By each thinking of something, they helped Mr. Tokyo Jones to remember that he had been going to tell them about a little girl who had been visiting the house where they lived.

"There was no extra bedroom," said Mr. Tokyo Jones, "as the house is very, very small, though it is bigger than the bowl we live in anyway."

But the little girl slept on the couch in this room where we live.

"She was afraid of us at first for fear we would jump out of our bowl and land on her."

"What could we do to her if we did such a thing?" asked Mr. Peking Baxter.

"We can't live out of water and we would just be no good at all if we jumped out, and we could be of no harm, either."

"She got over her fear, after a few nights," said Mr. Tokyo Jones, "and then she laughed at us."

"This is what she said:

"Those silly goldfish follow each other around and all they do is to blow bubbles, and eat sand and then drop it out of their mouths, and eat their breakfast at the top of the water each morning."

"That's all," ended Mr. Tokyo Jones.

"Dull story like we are—it just suits us, eh?"

And the others waved their fins in agreement.

### He Should Say He Did!

"Well, Tommy, did you behave in school today?" asked Tommy's father of his young son, who had not been going to school very long.

"Behave?" exclaimed Tommy in a tone of amazed surprise. "Of course I did! Why, the teacher said she never saw a pupil who behaved so."

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Little Jimmy had just returned from his first birthday party.

"Jimmy," his mother asked, "did you have a good time, and did you dance with the girls?"

"No, mother, I didn't dance once, and there were lots of empty girls, too."

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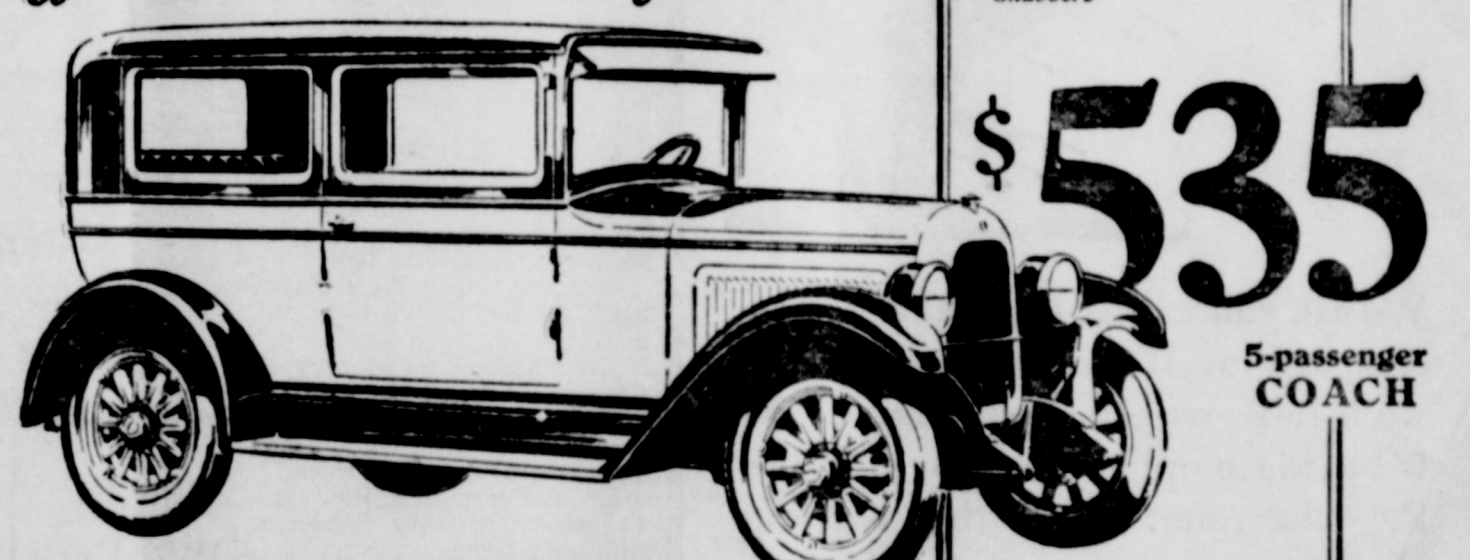
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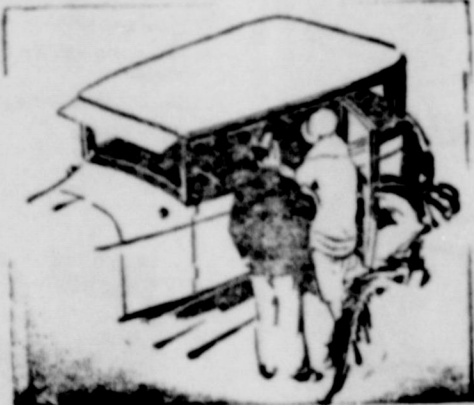
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Mrs. William Veazey of Van Alstyne, Tex., arrived Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Bee Watson at the Kerr Hotel.

Jack Edwards of Alpine was a business visitor here this week.

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Terrell County. 435,234 sq. yards of one course asphalt surface treatment, using crushed limestone cover material, on 41.31 miles of Highway No. 3 from the Pecos-Terrell County line east through Sanderson, Texas, 41.31 miles.

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Specifications and proposals can be had from the office of the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for Maintenance Surface Treatment in Terrell County," enclosed in another envelope and mailed to Gibb Gilchrist, State Highway Engineer, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashier's check for 5 per cent of each bid, made payable without recourse to the order of the State Highway Commission of Texas, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond.

**DRYDEN NOTES.**  
 By Mrs. W. R. House.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Frost and baby spent Saturday and Sunday in Langtry visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds and baby are visiting at the home of Mrs. M. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds are driving a 1928 Chevrolet coupe.

Mrs. Bartlett shopped in Sanderson Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nichols and children of Sanderson were down Sunday evening visiting friends.

Miss Martha Thomas spent the week-end with home folks, returning to San Antonio Sunday, where she resumed her studies at Incarnate Word.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor were Sanderson visitors this week.

Sanderson's vacation week, Chautauqua, April 17-20.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rutledge visited G. W. Rutledge at Marathon several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hall made a business trip to Sanderson Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell King were Sanderson visitors Friday evening and attended the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lindley have gone on a fishing trip to be gone several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blalack were in Sunday from the ranch.

Strong, healthy chicks: \$8 for 50; \$15 for 100 after April 10. Highland Hatcheries, Alpine, Texas.

Born, Monday, March 19, to Mr. and Mrs. John O'Dell, an 8 1/2 pound boy. Both mother and baby are doing well.

Fred Charlton of Dallas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Charlton.

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**Notice of County School Trustee Election**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
 COUNTY OF TERRELL.

To All Whom This May Concern:

By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order and notice is hereby given that there will be an election held on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1928, by the qualified voters of the various Commissioner's Precincts of Terrell county, Texas, at the voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commissioner's Precincts as follows:

At the Court House in Sanderson, Texas, in Commissioner's Precinct No. 1, in Common School District No. 1, Terrell County, Texas, for the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. 1:

At the Dryden School House in Dryden, Texas, in Commissioner's Precinct No. 2, in Common School District No. 1, Terrell county, Texas, for the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. 2.

At Chandler School House in Chandler, Texas, in Commissioner's Precinct No. 4, in Common School District No. 2, in Terrell county, Texas, for the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. 4.

Said elections shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers that hold the election for Common School District Trustees in and for said Common School Districts, respectively; and the polls at said election places shall be open at 8 o'clock A. M. and shall not be closed before 6 o'clock P. M.

G. J. HENSHAW,  
 County Judge, Terrell County, Texas.

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**...Chautauqua... APRIL 17 TO 20**

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 LEE A. COOK.  
 W. J. BANNER.

For County and District Clerk:  
 LUELLA LEMONS.  
 E. F. HOWARD.

For Tax Assessor:  
 JIM NANCE.  
 FRED YEATES.

For County Treasurer:  
 FRANK K. HARRELL.

**RATTLE OF THE RAIL.**

Fireman C. J. Pollock went to El Paso Tuesday night to take a switch engine assignment.

Fireman G. M. Medlock came down from El Paso Tuesday to work on extra board here.

Fireman I. D. Hendricks returned Saturday from a visit to El Paso.

S. S. Daggett and O. T. Ward returned Sunday from San Antonio where they attended the fuel meeting.

Engineer G. Stead and Fireman D. Newton on the El Paso division passenger run will attend the General Fuel Convention to be held in Chicago in May.

Fireman Tom Arrington was in Houston several days this week.

Fireman P. D. Lowry has been assigned to a passenger run between El Paso and Sanderson.

Fireman R. J. Gillis has been assigned to a freight run out of Del Rio.

Fireman Fred Ellis has been assigned to a regular freight run on the Sanderson-Valentine district.

Owing to increased business Firemen A. W. Toman and H. R. Krause are now working out of Del Rio.

Mrs. Troxie Daugherty spent the week-end in Alpine with relatives.

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Mrs. J. Calvin Stansell returned home Tuesday from San Antonio where she underwent a major operation several weeks ago. Her many friends here will be glad to know that she is doing nicely.

Fred Yeates and Clyde Mills were business visitors in Del Rio several days this week.

Charles Anderson of Stockton, Cal., visited his sister, Mrs. A. D. Brown, here over the week-end.

**Sunbeams Meet.**  
 The little band of Sunbeams had a meeting Tuesday afternoon at the church. An interesting lesson was given by Genevieve East as leader.

Next Tuesday afternoon the Masonic Hall the Sunbeams will have a social meeting. All members are urged to present and enjoy the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Pipes returned out from San Antonio Friday to visit her mother, Luella Lemons. Mr. Pipes turned home Sunday, and Mrs. Pipes will remain for a visit here with friends and relatives.