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## Teachers to Gather in Waco With Program As Outlined Herewith

Teachers from a large area will be in Waco Feb. 12 and 13 for the annual meeting of the Central Texas district, Texas State Teachers' association, an outline of the program being given by Supt. R. H. Brister of the Waco schools, president of the Central Texas group.

The initial session will be held Friday night, Feb. 12, at Waco Hall. The welcome address will be given by President Pat M. Neff of Baylor University. Speakers will be Dr. R. J. Dangerfield, director of the McLennan-Falls school forum, and by Charles Newcomb lecturer and psychologist, Chandler N. C.

Saturday morning, Feb. 13, from 8:30 to 10:30 sectional meetings will be held at the high school. At 10:30 a general session will be held in the high school gym, the musical program will be in charge of Miss Roxie Grove, Baylor music faculty.

Dr. T. H. Shelby, University of Texas, chairman of the executive committee of the Texas Interscholastic League, will be one of the Saturday forenoon speakers.

Dr. Lewis B. Cooper, research director of the Texas State Teachers Association, Fort Worth, will discuss "Provisions and Present Status of the Teacher Retirement Law."

A business session will follow, at which officers for the year will be elected.

School superintendents and principals will assemble at 12:15 noon in the ballroom of the Roosevelt Hotel for a luncheon of the Central Schoolmasters' Club, at which the president Supt. H. O. Whitehurst of the Groesbeck schools will preside.

Supt. Ercell Brooks stated last night that most of the teachers of the local school would attend this meeting, which takes place of the regular State Teachers' Association that has been discontinued.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEETS

Called meeting of the Executive Committee of the Coryell County Interscholastic League has been called by C. D. Boyer, Chairman and Superintendent of Oglesby public schools system, for Tuesday, today, at 7:00 p. m., in the office of Supt. J. M. Witcher.

Other members of the committee who will meet with the chairman to set the regular date for the County Meet are C. C. Whisenant, E. D. Shelton, Mrs. Carl Eubanks, Mrs. John P. Reesing, C. A. Barton, Virgil Jones, and Supt. J. M. Witcher.

Due to high taxes tobacco prices are up 20 per cent in Japan.

## MARKET REPORT

(As of Feb. 8)

Mohair	50c to 60c
Wool	30c
Wheat	\$1.20
Corn, ear	90c
Corn, ground	\$1.35
Oats, loose	46c
Oats, sacked	48c
Cream, No. 1	26c
Cream, No. 2	24c
Cottonseed, ton	\$36
Eggs, candled	17c
Hens	8c to 10c
Roosters	6c



Feb. 7 to 13

BOY SCOUT WEEK

America's 27th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America will be celebrated locally, according to Scout Commissioner J. M. Witcher, who has outlined the following week's program, as follows:

Tuesday—Citizens' Day.  
Wednesday—Good Turn Day.  
Thursday—Father and Son Day.

Friday—Health Day.  
Saturday—Chicken Roast in Park.

Talks will be given by different citizens at different times during the week. Monday, Honorary President of the Boy Scouts, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt made a talk to the scouts listening over a national radio hook-up in which he said in part: "1936 the Boy Scouts had the greatest increase in numbers of any year and gained new holds on the youth of America."

There are at present 1,029,000 registered scouts in the United States. President Roosevelt invited all scouts to the Jamboree to be held in Washington, D. C.

June 30 to July 25 of this year, at which time 25,000 scouts from every civilized country on the globe will be present, and Washington will literally be a city of tents.

The President was introduced yesterday by James Head, president of the Boy Scouts of America, and Chief Scout Executive James E. West gave a short talk, after which all scouts listening in gave the Scout oath in unison, repeating with the speaker on the radio. The Scout oath is as follows:

"On my honor I will do my best: To do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout law; To help other people at all times; To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight."

Local officers are R. H. Miller, scoutmaster; E. W. Jones and K. B. Watson, assistant scout masters. The Scout Council is composed of E. D. Shelton, Pat Olsen, C. E. Alvis Jr., and D. H. Culberson. J. M. Witcher is local Scout Commissioner.

## Gov. Business and Prof. Women's Club to Have Banquet Thurs. Night

The Business and Professional Women's Club of this city will hold their first banquet Thursday night, Feb. 11, at seven o'clock, in the recreation hall of the First Methodist Church of this city, at which time they will have several out of town guests from Temple, Waco and Marlin.

An interesting program has been planned and officers will be elected during the hour.

## ADDITIONAL NIGHT-WATCH STARTED IN CITY LAST NIGHT

Joe Sasse is the city's newest employee, having started his tour of duty last night as night-watchman No. 2.

Mr. Sasse will work in conjunction with Pleas Walker and assist him in keeping order while the rest of us (printers excepted) sleep. This brings the watchmen in the city up to two who are on the city payroll. Merchants of the city pay a third.

## MISS LETHA DALRYMPLE IS WITH RE-HABILITATION SERVICE AT LAMPASAS

Miss Letha Dalrymple, formerly teacher of the 4th, 5th and 6th grades at Turnersville, has just accepted a position with the Re-habilitation Service at Lampasas and Mills counties, with headquarters in Lampasas. She left yesterday to assume her duties there.

Sup. Virgil Jones went to Waco and arranged for a teacher to take her place, but we were unable to learn the name. He was employed thru Baylor University.

## Flood Relief Here Is Now \$789.60; Clothing Has Not Started Yet

Gatesville and Coryell County's part in the relief for the flood sufferers in the mid-west, mounted to \$788.60, since the last report in the News, and one extra \$1.00 at the News office, making the total \$789.60.

Donations received since the last issue are O. C. Weaver, J. P. Pancake, Mrs. W. G. Andrews, Roy Hammack, N. Foote, Mrs. L. E. Jackson, J. S. Boyer, Ruth Raby Franks, J. H. Autrey, J. I. Powell, J. N. Weeks, Mrs. R. Thomas, Mrs. G. G. Ricketts, Edgar Culp, C. Lengefeld, G. A. Lightsey, Jennie Armstrong, Joe Rubarth, and Mary Ann Post.

Two people have brought in clothing to the News office, but we failed to get their names, however, the donation is gratefully received.

## PUZZLES ACCEPTABLE ON FRIDAY'S CONTEST UP TO THURSDAY EVE'NG

Friday's puzzle picture contest will present "just a little more difficulty" than those we have presented heretofore. All of which makes them more and more interesting.

There is yet time to get these puzzles into the News office to be in line for the prizes offered and who who knows, you might be the winner. There's a dollar, and a year's subscription to the News in it for the two lucky winners.

England has a shortage of turkeys and prices are soaring.

J. T. Carter of Richmond, Va. says he has kept a record of every cent he has earned and spent for the past 50 years.

## Judge Giles P. Lester On Dist. Court Bench Case Here This Week

Hi-jackers who were billed by the Grand Jury in its Wednesday meeting were given trial in District Court Saturday of last week, and the verdict in both cases was guilty and five years assessed in the penitentiary. Those convicted were Wm. (Shorty) Acklin and Sam Good, both charged with robbery.

Omar (O. C.) Woods, on a perjury charge was given two years in the penitentiary. No other criminal or felony cases were due to come up this session of court, as we understand the civil docket began Monday, with one case coming up, that of D. H. Culberson vs. Universal Automobile Insurance Company, suit for debt and damages.

At the time of going to press no verdict had been rendered in this case. Judge G. P. Lester, judge of the seventy-fourth district court of Waco, swapped benches with Judge R. B. Cross, the latter having been disqualified from sitting in the case.

## FORMER RESIDENT IS NOW SCHOOL PRINCIPAL IN HOUSTON

A clipping from the Houston Chronicle of February 9, was handed us by Mrs. O. B. Pruitt, and concerns a W. E. Moreland, formerly a resident of this county.

We quote in part: "W. E. Moreland, principal of Albert Sidney Johnston Junior High school for eleven years, was appointed to the new post of personnel director and assistant to the superintendent at a meeting of the school board Monday afternoon. The appointment was made on the recommendation of Supt. E. E. Oberholtzer of the Houston Public Schools."

"Mr. Moreland's principal duties will be to interview applicants for teaching positions. He will prepare data for selecting teachers on the basis of their credentials, their record of previous experience. Personal trait ratings obtained thru interviews, special examination and observation of the teacher in service."

He will prepare a list of eligible and approved candidates for various positions, prepare data for contracts of substitute teachers, prepare data on teachers on these substitute lists, of all teachers holding contracts.

Mr. Moreland has made an enviable record in Houston as an educator and is to be complimented on his splendid work.

## "UNCLE BUD" TAKES BOYS TO WORK ON SUGAR CANE FARMS

Eight of Coryell County's boys received complimentary rides in "Uncle Bud's" hack to the vicinity of Huntsville, where they will be presented with new suits, and implements with which to work the sugarcane fields, state owned, in South Texas.

Uncle Bud Russell, well known thruout the state, makes frequent trips on the population of every community in the state, hauling new boarders to the "Big House," at Huntsville and other branch houses near the main house.

The U. S. S. Medusa was seven years under construction, her keel was laid in 1917 and completed in 1924.

## Jonesboro-Levita Play County Finals in Gym Friday Nite At 8:30

Jonesboro and Levita Senior Boys Basketball teams take the gym floor at the local high school Friday night of this week to play off finals in the County Basketball Tournament, starting at 8:30 p. m., according to advices received from the County Superintendent's office late yesterday.

Besides this game, there will also be two other games scheduled, which as yet, are unannounced.

## CCC MEN ON VISIT IN GALVESTON FIND DEAD BODY

Harry C. Jones and Leon Anderson, a CCC camp man from the local camp while in Galveston over the week end, discovered the body of Dr. Felix Paquin Jr., 26, assistant professor of chemistry at the State Medical College there. A gun was also found on the scene and his body was lying beside his automobile.

Dr. Paquin was seen driving slowly on the beach a short time earlier. He was a Rice graduate and had taken a Ph. D. degree at Yale.

## EIGHT PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED IN COUNTY; FLU IS REASON

Eight of the public schools in the county have been closed or are now, on account of the "flu" epidemic which has been raging for the past several weeks. "Mud" also had something to do with it.

These schools are Copperas Cove, Antelope, Pidcoke, Flat, Maple, Coryell City and Mountain.

## "THE HILL CREST," PEARL HIGH SCHOOL PAPER OUT AGAIN

"Although late," they say, "on account of bad weather, exams, and flu," (what more calamities could happen) The Hill Crest, publication of Pearl High School, is again published.

Carrying principally school news and features, besides their usual nice run of advertisements, this, the oldest high school paper in the county, made its first appearance some two or three years ago.

## GOOD FARMS, GOOD TENANTS, EXPERIENCE OF SCS

J. D. Gilmore, renter on a farm in the Gatesville Camp area recently moved to another community. Within a few days, the owner of the farm, which was vacant, was swamped with applications to rent this farm. This was rather unusual, as the last time this farm was vacant there were very few applications.

Miss Leta Bennett, owner, was puzzled as to the increased desire of tenants to rent her farm and began asking the reason. Several of the applicants explained that they knew the farm was under a co-operative agreement with the Soil Conservation Service and they wanted to rent a farm that was being improved and taken care of like the other farms they had seen in this area that were under agreement with the Soil Conservation Service.

Motto: Good Farms, Good Tenants.

**EROSION CONDITIONS IN THE UNITED STATES**

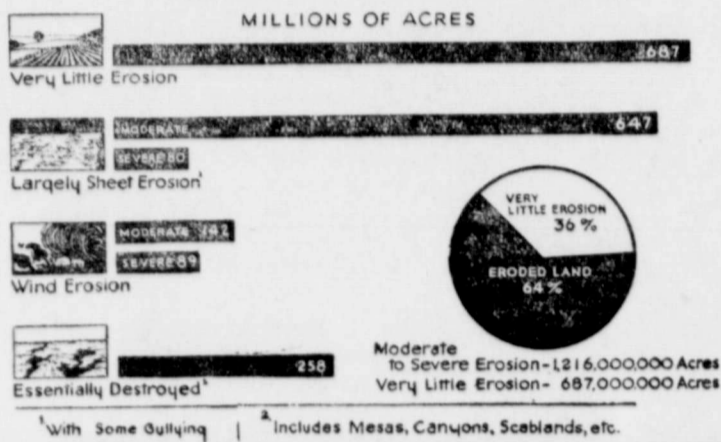
The annual report of M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer of the Texas Extension Service, reveals that 2,338,418 acres were terraced or contoured under the supervision of Texas county agricultural agents during 1936. The largest previous number of acres so protected against ero-

and erosion and poor management have begun to take toll on yet another 100 million.

These figures are part of a report recently passed to the President by the National Resources Board, which estimated that moderate to severe erosion has taken place on 64 per cent of the land in the United States.

The Agricultural Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act is

**EROSION CONDITIONS IN THE UNITED STATES**



sion in any one year was 1,038,888 acres in 1931.

Approximately 50 million acres of farm land in the United States are already so badly eroded as to be essentially unfit for agriculture and cultivation another 50 million acres are in a condition almost as bad. An additional 100 million acres are severely impaired by erosion and misuse;

designed to combat the conditions outlined above. Texas farmers and ranchmen, in cooperation with county agricultural agents, have long been taking steps to fight loss of soil and water, and between 1916 and 1933, more than 7 million acres were protected. Now the total has risen to almost 111 million acres.

WITH LOTTIE AT LEAIRD'S



"IT'S HOUSE CLEANING TIME WITH LOTTIE"

"With the first signs of Spring Sue, I was looking over my cleaning equipment, and while I was at LEAIRD'S this morning

Mr. Leaird told me he had something in the Cleaning Line he knew I would want, Sue. Well, I want you to know, Sue, Leaird's have some Rebuilt Hoover and General Electric (GE) Sweepers that look like new machines.

The shipper told Mr. Leaird that "each and every one of our ma-

chines are perfectly constructed to the point where they are equivalent of brand new cleaners in every detail, and are ready for many years of uninterrupted service.

"Sue, Mr. Leaird is selling the Hoover for \$19.95 — can you imagine! And the GE for \$18.50, and more unexplainable they are sold on terms. And Mr. Leaird said too Sue, that he could offer 'em to the trade with absolute confidence in their really outstanding value.

Yours for better bargains, LOTTIE.

P. S.—Above prices, Sue, are just a small part of what a new one would cost you.

—News Want-Ads Got Results.

**CORYELL COUNTY PIONEER, GEORGE A. CRAWFORD, 91, IS BURIED SATURDAY**

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Crawford cemetery at Coryell City at three o'clock for George A. Crawford of Turnersville, who, for the past year, has been in ill health, and succumbed to an attack of pneumonia some time Thursday. Rev. Marcus M. Chunn, pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city, officiated at the services.

Mr. Crawford, who was ninety-one years of age at the time of his demise, was born in Tennessee January 3, 1846, and came to Texas with his family when only a lad. For the past 75 years he has been a member of the Turnersville Methodist church and has rendered many good deeds to his church and community.

Deceased was buried in the Crawford cemetery which was formerly a plat of land settled by his father nearly a century ago. He is survived by a wife and several children.

**MRS. FRANCES McCROCKLIN**

Funeral services for Mrs. Frances Duncan McCrocklin were held Tuesday, February 2, at the Baptist church in Skidmore at 3 p. m., interment being in Evergreen cemetery near that city. The religious services were conducted by Rev. W. C. Binford of Beeville and the active pall bearers were V. E. Kessler, Kurt Hartman, George Galloway, Milton Rennert, Charles White, Robert Meuth, Jack Linney and Raymond Blaschke. Arrangements were by Galloway Mortuary.

The deceased had been in ill health for about four years, her illness dating from a fall which resulted in a broken hip. She suffered with Christian fortitude and was ready to go when the final summons came.

Born Frances Duncan, a daughter of A. O. and Laura (Powell) Duncan, at Alexander City, Ala., August 3, 1874, the deceased moved to Texas with her parents in 1886, the family home being established at Bartlett. There she was married to Will C. McCrocklin in April, 1894. Five children came to bless the union, all being girls. Four survive their mother, Mrs. John Voss and Mrs. Sam Powell, Gatesville; Mrs. Ben Hirsch, Skidmore, and Mrs. L. D. Rennert, Sinton. Mrs. Mc-

# VALENTINE DAY Special

## DRESS UP FOR VALENTINE

Smartness can be found throughout the store this week. Complete showing of novelty footwear, spring straw hats, dresses, suits and spring prints. All are attractively priced and are of fine quality.

### SMART TOELESS SANDALS

Toeless, high riding straps, ties and everything in leathers and gaberdines are being featured. See them this week.

**\$2.95 \$3.95 up**

### NEW SPRING STRAWS

Just received a large shipment straws in all leading shades, styles and straws.

**\$1.00 \$1.49 \$3.95**

# Spring DRESSES

## MANNISH SUITS

Smart suits in hard worsted greys. Made in action and plain backs. Made in men's styles.

**\$10.95**

## Silk Dresses For Spring

Just back from market with lovely printed silks, and solid tailored styles. Very smart sport styles are to be seen this week.

**\$4.95 to 16.95**

## New Spring Prints

Hundreds of spring prints in fine silk finished quadrigas, and Johnsons are being shown in our piece goods department. You'll find prints for the kiddies, fancy smocks, street dresses and men's and boys' shirts.

**10c, 12½c, 15c, 19c, 25c**

# LEAIRD'S DEPT. STORE

BYRON LEAIRD, Prop.

Crocklin is also survived by her mother, Mrs. L. A. Mayo (with whom she has made her home at Skidmore for the past 16 years), a sister, Mrs. Zoe Manning of Birmingham, Ala., a brother, Walter Mayo of Taft, and seven grandchildren.

The deceased joined the Baptist church at Gatesville in 1906 and had lived a very devout Christian life.

Honorary pall bearers were: A. H. Spiekerman, C. L. Blaschke, Herman Walker, H. Winborn, George Black, Fred Watson, Rev. J. Ray McVoy, Dr. E. S. McNeill, Dr. Jas. V. Dozier, Dr. L. J. an, Jos. R. Hunter, Philip Corrogan, E. J. Hoffer, Travis Hayes, Tom Teal, Oscar Fox, C. F. Randall and Rev. Bledsoe.—Bee-Picayune. (Beeville).

**PECAN GROVE 4-H CLUB**

The girl's 4-H club at Pecan Grove met at Davidson school

house Saturday and were fortunate in having Miss Sidney Gibson, county home demonstrator, who made a most interesting talk about tomatoes.

In her talk, Miss Gibson said that the tomato was a native of South America and a member of the night shadow plant. She also stated that they were grown in Europe as early as the sixteenth century, and were originally known as the Love Apple. At the conclusion of her talk she discussed the making of hot beds and gave each member several pamphlets which were entitled "Tomato Growing in Texas," "Farm and Home Hints" and "Making a Garden Plan."

Miss Jewel Melton was chosen by unanimous vote to fill the place vacated by Mrs. Hubert Morse on the council. The next meeting will be held February 20 at the Davidson school building. New members are invited to attend.

**MRS. A. M. RICHARDSON WAS BURIED MONDAY**

Friends and acquaintances of Mrs. A. M. Richardson will learn with sorrow of her death which occurred Sunday morning. Funeral services were held Monday morning at 11 o'clock and burial followed in the Wood Cemetery near Jonesboro, with Rev. Marcus M. Chunn, pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city, in charge.

Mrs. Richardson was born in Collin County, Texas, in 1856, and was married to Mr. Richardson in 1884. She has been a member of the Church of Christ for the past twenty years and her life was one of living goodness to her family, neighbors and friends, and she will not soon be forgotten by the many who loved her.

She is survived by a son, Bert of this city, two daughters of Waco and seven grandchildren.

**MUSIC RECITAL AT OGLESBY WELL ATTENDED**

(Oglesby Outlook)  
 On Thursday evening, Jan. 28, Mrs. Olin Lowrimore presented her piano and voice pupils in a Major Bowes amateur program with Joe Powell announcing. The program is as follows:  
 Reading—May Beth Green.  
 Major C on Parade, and The Clock—Patsy Hale.  
 I'm Just An Old Rag Doll—Frances Mae Lamb.  
 Knocking, and a Little Boat Song—Ethel Casey.  
 When A Lady Meets A Gentleman—Wayne Hale.  
 June Roses—Kathleen Walker.  
 The Waltz You Saved For Me, and Until the Real Thing Comes Along—Riley Lamb.  
 Plenty of Money and You—Jo Berta Draper.  
 Starlight Waltz—Ruth Mooncy.  
 That Little Boy of Mine—Ethel Casey.  
 Leola Waltz—Patsy Hale and Katherine Green.  
 Little Red Schoolhouse—Tommy Jane and Frances Mae Lamb.  
 The Swiss Music Box—Mary Beth Green.  
 The Right Somebody to Love—Wayne Hale.  
 Cherry Blossom — Kathleen Walker and Katherine Green.  
 Me and the Moon—Marcelle Magee and Marcus Lamb.  
 Over the Waves—Freda Green.  
 Pennies From Heaven—Moneta Walker.  
 Little Boy Blue — Katherine and Mary Green.  
 Reading—Mrs. Boyd.  
 Silver Spring—Ruth Patterson.  
 Bugle Call Rag (dance)—Kathleen Walker.  
 Warbling of the Birds—Katherine Green.  
 You're Not the Kind—Marcelle Magee.  
 Impersonation of Mae West—Katherine Green.  
 Flying Doves—Ruth Patterson and Freda Green.

Sing, Baby, Sing (song and dance)—Kathleen Waker.  
 When Nellie Got the Gong—Jo Berta Draper.  
 The Robins Return—Freda Green.  
 Copper Colored Gal — Marcus Lamb.  
 Over Hill and Dale—Freda Green and Dorothy Rogers.  
 I'm an Old Cowhand—Kathleen Walker and Katherine Green.  
 The Charge of the Uhlans—Marcelle Magee and Glennie Lowrimore.  
 Fine Romance—Class.

**HATLESS RANGER GETS A HAT!!!**



FRED ALLEN, comedy star of "Town Hall Tonight" on NBC Wednesdays, became a Texas Ranger last year but never got his official hat. When ten-year-old Maria Tom Squires, youngest person ever to hold a commission in the famous corps, learned this, she saw to it that Fred was presented with the proper headgear.

**SPORTS**

**LEVITA'S SPORTS REVIEW FOR 1936**

Due to the two-division bracket, our Levita senior boys will play the powerful Jonesboro Eagles in the final game of the Coryell County Basketball Tournament for 1936. Having run thru the rural division with three games won in spite of regulars absent, they realize what is ahead of them. In tribute to the Jonesboro team and Coach Lemmons, Levita wants to say that they do not underestimate them. They are coached by one of the shrewdest coaches in the country and have proven the fact this year.  
 However, Levita is going to put up a good clean battle and know that they will get the same treatment in return. Levita believes their team will win, according to their reporter, and say they have enough confidence in the team to support them to the last whistle. But win or lose, they will know it is their best.  
 The Levita team is composed of Captain Thomas Lee, Raymond

Glass, Elwin Roberts, Paul Russell, David Lee, Raymond Waddill, Dalon Morgan, Chesley Benjamin, and William Collins.  
 This team made up of young boys, some of whom were juniors last year, has won nine out of sixteen games played this season of hard competition. Some of the teams won over were Pearl, Gustine, Copperas Cove, Cranfills Gap, and Ireland.

Some of the teams lost to were Pearl, Gatesville, Star, Center, City, Turnersville.  
 Due to injuries the team has not fared quite so well recently but claim they will be in full strength for the tilt with Jonesboro.  
 Levita says: "So, here's to the winner, and may the beter team represent our County at the district meet!"

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**"It's A Small World"**



9,000 UMBRELLAS were left in New York's subway during 1935 and 1936, and the other day they were sold at auction for \$400. Most of the umbrellas undoubtedly were borrowed in the first place and that's why they were never claimed at the Lost and Found. It's a funny thing about umbrellas—out of rain, out of mind. But listen to this: next to umbrellas, eyeglasses were the favorite of the forgetful—they left them in the Subway in large quantities. Also rounded up as part of the 442 lots of lost articles was a nice assortment of false teeth, and a quantity of religious articles. This proves that the Subway lulls you into a blissful state of unconsciousness in which you take leave of all sense of time, space and even eternity. It's just too bad when you lose your head this way, because you can't get it back at the Lost and Found.

AMERICA has the fastest trains in the World for distances of 800 miles or more. We have more trains operating at 60 miles an hour than any other country. Even the freights are now averaging over 40 in some places. No matter how fast they go, the motorists will always think they can beat 'em to the grade crossings.

IN ALL FINLAND there are only 206 workers idle, and they're having a hard time avoiding work, because there's a great shortage of labor. The population of Finland is 3,667,000—and if the unemployed in the U. S. were down to the same percentage it is in Finland, we would have only about 10,000 unemployed instead of almost ten million. Finland is also about the only nation that is paying off its debt, so maybe that's why there's work for all hands. Maybe we ought to try this system, and Finnish off our unemployment problem.

IT WAS a surprise to the five New Yorkers who received summonses the other morning in the mail to

appear before the Federal Trade Commission and testify about something they didn't know anything about. The Commission is using this system to get a fair view from the public on certain questions, and questionable practices, so don't be alarmed if you get a summons some morning. It just means the Commission wants to hear you talk about the sox you bought last week, or the labels on canned goods.

THE KERMIT ROOSEVELTS are going to drift down the streams of lower Germany and the Danube in a "faltboot" which is a little collapsible canvas boat. Look out Kermit. It's easy to drift into trouble in those waters. Hitler has a way of booting Americans around when they commit the unpardonable fault of doing something that displeases him.

P. T. BARNUM'S profile will appear on 25,000 new half-dollar pieces to be struck off in commemoration of the centennial of Bridgeport, Conn. The treasury announced that Secretary Morgenthau and the Fine Arts Commission had approved the design, but did not announce whether the new "halves" would be inscribed with Barnum's famous saying "There's a fool born every minute and most of 'em live."

BRITAIN'S giant liner Queen Mary finally broke the record, making the fastest westward crossing of the Atlantic. She's been trying to do it for a couple of months and with characteristic British sea-doggedness she finally did, but only cut 1 hour 25 minutes from the French liner Normandie's time. That isn't much. They ought to give the Atlantic "Blue Ribbon" pennant to the dirigible Hindenburg which could go to Germany and back in the time it takes the ocean liners to make the crossing one-way! However, Hitler won't fly any flag that hasn't got a Nazi swastika on it. The Blue Ribbon goes to Britain. Maybe Queen Mary will wear it on one of her hats.

**9,750  
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## SOCIETY

Mrs. C. E. Gandy Entertains Club.

Members and guests of the Thursday Contract Club were entertained at the home of Mrs. C. E. Gandy on Bridge street Friday afternoon. In games of bridge Mesdames R. L. Saunders and B. K. Cooper were recipients of high and second high score prizes, respectively.

Refreshments were served the following: Mesdames D. R. Boone, E. L. Stewart, R. L. Saunders, B. K. Cooper, Stewart Williams, Clay Stinnett, and Mrs. E. C. Slone.

B. T. U. Has Social At Church Thurs. Night

The Young People's Union enjoyed an informal social at the Baptist Church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Miss Leah Dale Franks the social chairman. Entertainment consisted of group singing and making popcorn balls.

Refreshments of apples, popcorn balls and hot chocolate were served the following: Misses Lois Welch, Winola Sasse, Leah Dale Franks, Emma Lera Gregory, Mildred Witcher, Elaine and Pauline Smith, Sara Bakke, and Messrs. W. H. King, Ennis Hamilton, Francis Harrold Bowlin David Corrigan.

Mrs. Rufe Brown Extends Courtesy.

Complimenting Miss Elaine Cross, bride-to-be of Denver Roberts of Pettus, Mrs. Rufe Brown entertained at a nine o'clock breakfast at her home on East Main street Friday morning. A blue and gold color scheme was used and the five tables were laid with blue, cloth centered with lovely arrangements of spring flowers in golden shades placed in blue holders, and the three-course breakfast was served on blue china dishes.

Following the breakfast the guests hemmed tea towels and embroidered their names on each towel after which each wrote a favorite recipe and presented it to the honoree. The hostess also presented her with a useful kitchen gift.

Those enjoying the affair, other than the honoree and her mother, Mrs. R. B. Cross, were Mesdames Billy Nesbitt, E. W. Jones Jr., L. K. Thomson Jr., Marion Burleson, Sherrill Kendrick, Francis Powell, B. K. Cooper, Floyd Zeigler, Jim J. Brown, C. E. Gandy, C. A. Morton, E. L. Stewart, Rufus McKinney of Goldthwaite, Morris Roberts of Pettus, R. L. Saunders, and Misses Lindsay Belle Dickie, Frances Austin and Buchie Wollard.

Miss Elaine Cross Given Kitchen Shower.

Mrs. Billy Nesbitt's party Friday afternoon at her home on East Main street was a delightful affair which took the form of a pre-nuptial courtesy honoring Miss Elaine Cross, popular bride-elect of Denver Roberts of Pettus. A blue and gold color scheme was carried out in the house decorations and each guest was given a small blue heart on which the name of some famous lover was written in gold ink. When the names on the Valentines were matched partners were formed for games of bridge which followed. High score awards went to Mesdames Morris Roberts and E. W. Jones Jr. who in turn presented them to the honoree.

A large gold Valentine with the name "Elaine" written in blue was suspended from the arch between the dining room and the living room, and at the appointed time was presented to the honoree who was surprised when several lovely gifts and a shower of rice fell from within. The hostess then presented her with many other useful gifts.

A delicious salad course was served the honoree and the following guests: Misses Ruth Raby Franks, Dorothy Culberson, Mesdames Sherrill Kendrick, E. W. Jones Jr., L. K. Thomson Jr., Floyd Zeigler, Marion Burleson, Clark Jenson, Kirby Perryman, Jim J. Brown, Charles Powell, H. K. Jackson, O. N. Hix, Morris Roberts of Pettus; Mesdames E. H. Nesbitt, O. G. Gilder, Rufe Brown, Frances Powell and Mrs. C. R. Bailey called.

### BANKS CLOSED

Gatesville banks will close on Friday, Feb. 12, account of Abraham Lincoln's birthday.

Mrs. Herschel Jones is confined to her bed on account of illness.

Miss Helon Chamlee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eimon Chamlee, is confined to her bed with the mumps.

Mrs. Joyce Touchstone, News Correspondent of the Buster community, was a pleasant caller at the office Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dewald of Hillsboro were guests of her sister, Mrs. Miller Stinnett and family over the week end.

Charlie Spross and Joe A. Tubbs of Coryell City were business visitors in Gatesville Friday.

Dick Hinson has returned to Gatesville on business after a several days of illness at the home of his parents in Copperas Cove.—Copperas Cove Crony.

Edwin Dittich, who was formerly with the Coryell Cotton Oil Company in this city but now of Cranfills Gap, was a Gatesville visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Holt attended mid-winter session of the Texas Press Association held in Austin Friday. While there they also visited their son Mayo, who is attending the University of Texas.

Ohio state's youngest student is James Darby, 15, freshman from Celina, Ohio.

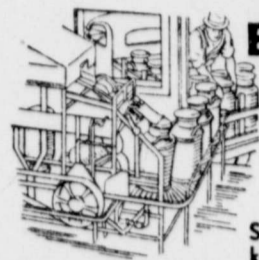
Mr. and Mrs. Victor Harper and children of Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harper and children of Marlin visited Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harper Sunday.

Horace Preston of Corsicana spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Preston at Pearl. He returned home Sunday and was accompanied as far as Waco by his brother, Dawson Preston and Misses Besie Earl Whitt, Lillie Mae Morris and Marjorie Wollard.

Rev. J. H. Baldrige, presiding elder of this district, was in Hamilton Sunday and spoke at the First Methodist church in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Everetts went to Austin Wednesday night to be with their daughter, Clara Bell, who is ill. She returned home with them Friday, and is recuperating at their home on Saunders street.

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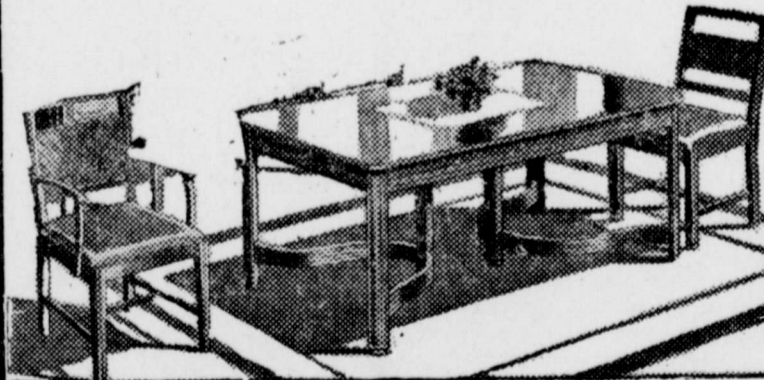
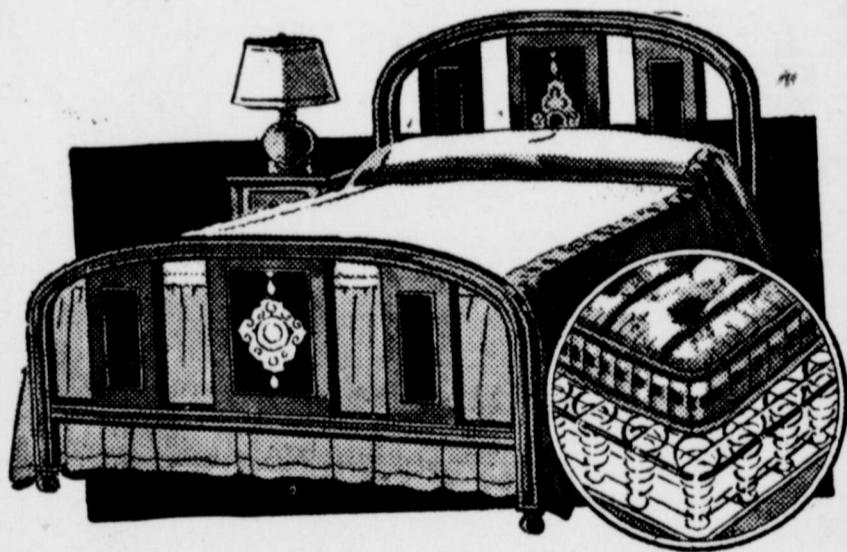
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**PERSONAL**

Miss Doris Polk is reported ill with mumps.

Mrs. Wassie Austin of Evant was a Gatesville visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McBride and son Billy visited relatives in Killeen over the week end.

O. L. Wilson of Brownwood was a Gatesville visitor over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Ligon of Austin were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carlton.

Mr and Mrs. John E. Franks and grandson, Lorin Rivers, who is attending school in Austin, spent the week end in this city with W. L. Rivers and family.

Mrs Rufus Burleson and daughters, Misses Virginia and Lowrey, and Misses Voncille and Pauline Turner were Waco visitors Saturday. Miss Voncille Turner remained in Waco over Sunday and visited friends.

Miss Orpa Roe has accepted a position in Dallas.

Carl Wicker and Marvin Mayberry were Lanfapas visitors Sunday.

Clarence Jameson of Meridian was a week end guest of Miss Annie B. Hinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coward visited her mother, Mrs. H. T. Chathey at Turnersville Sunday.

Lieut. and Mrs. Walter F. Bunting were Waco visitors the latter part of last week.

Miss Margaret Dixon was a week end guest of Miss Callie Irene Burnett of Evant.

Miss Letha Benson spent the week end with her parents in Menard.

Miss Verona Franks of Waco spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Franks.

Miss Edith O'Neal of Waco is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hilton Hardie of the White Hall community.

Mrs. George Walton and daughter, Miss Louise, of Austin spent the week end in this city with Mr. Walton.

Miss Velma Roe, who is attending school in Fort Worth, arrived Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Otha Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris and daughter Janis and Mrs. R. T. Chatham of Waco.

V. C. Bradford and Rufus McKinney of Goldthwaite were visiting their parents in this city Sunday. Mrs. Rufus McKinney and daughter, Jeffry Ann, and Mrs. V. C. Bradford, who visited relatives here the latter part of last week, returned home with them.

**MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**



**NOTES**

The following have recently returned to their homes from the local hospital: Mrs. C. L. Kirby, Norrell Carroll of Harmon, Joe Ricketts, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bellamy and two children, Mrs. Guy Huskerson and baby.

Mr. Lois Payne is now a patient in the hospital.

Mrs. Joe Powell has been added as a nurse.

A. A. Harper is confined to his bed with the flu.

Grady Carson of Abilene spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kit Carson.

Seth McLarty and Miss Belva McCoy were Waco visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill of Winters were Gatesville visitors Sunday.

Misses Sidney Gale Gibson and Elaine Smith were Waco visitors Monday.

Miss Maxine Dollins is confined to her bed on account of mumps.

Mrs. Alene Wardell has been confined to her bed on account of illness.

Kenneth Hedgepeth of College Station was a Gatesville visitor over the week end.

Mrs. F. J. Battle spent the week end with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle, of Fort Worth.

Tom Autrey of Abilene but formerly of this city, visited friends and relatives over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Laxson of Belton spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laxson.

Mrs. Frank Poole visited relatives and friends in Waco and Fort Worth over the past week end.

Aurelius Poston, Buster Cummings and Byron Leaird McClellan were Austin visitors Sunday.

Taft Holloway of Baylor University, Waco, spent the week end in this city visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. W. J. Leonard and son Raymond spent the week end in Dallas where they visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy.

Miss Amelia Mae Witt and W. M. Fitzgerald of Houston were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percie Witt over the week end.

Mrs. Morris Roberts and little daughter, Katherine Ann, who have been visiting her father, Boone Gordon, for the past week, returned to her home in Pettus Sunday.

Dr. W. L. Ayres and family of Ann Arbor, Michigan, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres, and other relatives and friends in this city. Mr. Ayres is Professor of Mathematics in the University of Michigan, and will return to his work there after a six-months' leave doing research at the University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia and Princeton University; Princeton, N. J. Miss Dorothy Ayres of Austin was also a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres over the week end.

C. L. Kirby Jr., is very ill in a Brownwood hospital.

Ben G. Spross and son of Valley Mills were Gatesville visitors Friday.

Mrs. Walter Dildy and son of Waco were Gatesville visitors Saturday.

Miss Madge Miller, Western Union operator, is confined to her bed with the flu.

Harry Jones and Leon Anderson spent the week end in Houston and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolf of the Seattle community are the proud parents of a baby girl, recently arrived at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gray of Crawford are announcing the arrival of a daughter, born February 1st.

Miss Jo Marie Tubbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Tubbs of Coryell City, is confined to her bed with the mumps

Mrs Earl Walker and children or Larado are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Robinson Sr. and other relatives and friends in this city.

Miss Sally Brittain, teacher in the Post Oak school, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Brittain of Coryell City.

Mrs. Leonard Milner was hostess to members and guests of the Friday Contract Club at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Stone, on South Lutterloh avenue Thursday afternoon.

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Jack Bone, student in the University of Texas, Austin, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lad Bone.

Jack Malone and D. P. Lemmons left Monday morning for Donna where they will visit Swede Domstead and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones Jr., and Miss Ruth Raby Franks and Johnnie Bradford were Waco visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shelton of the Seattle community announce the arrival of a son born one day last week. He was given the name Tommie Newt.

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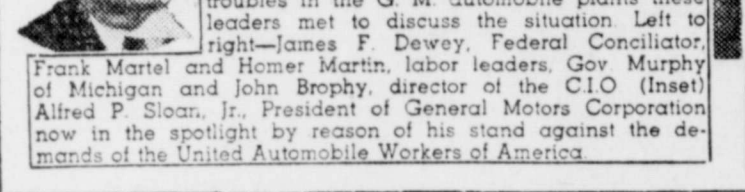
They laughed when Ed Wynn sat down at the piano—They didn't know that the master comic is an expert at tickling the ivories. Graham McNamee watches the Perfect Fool as he plays a solo on a recent Saturday night program over the NBC-Blue network.



**HONOR HIGHWAY HERO!**—Edward N. Hines, of Detroit, whose invention of the white center line for highways has saved thousands of lives by preventing head-on collisions, and other crashes, receives plaque commemorating achievement from President J. D. Tew, of The B. F. Goodrich Company, at annual meeting of American Automobile Association.



**SHIP AHOY!** Admiral Fred Allen and mate Portland Hoffa scan the horizon to see if all is clear before they set sail over the NBC-Red network airwaves Wednesday evening in their good craft, "Town Hall Tonight."



In an effort to bring a speedy end to the labor troubles in the G. M. automobile plants these leaders met to discuss the situation. Left to right—James F. Dewey, Federal Conciliator, Frank Martel and Homer Martin, labor leaders, Gov. Murphy of Michigan and John Brophy, director of the C.I.O. (Inset) Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., President of General Motors Corporation now in the spotlight by reason of his stand against the demands of the United Automobile Workers of America.

which are in active operation. Farming is the "principal industry of the system, and in 1935 there were 12,318 acres in cotton which produced 4,401 bales. Total revenues from lint, seed, and governmental rental and benefit payments amounted to \$330,817.78.

The system also has large vegetable and livestock industries and its canning and packing plant furnishes food not only for the prison system, but also ships surpluses to other charity institutions of the state.

The food manufacturing industry is located on Central Farm near Sugarland, and other manufacturing industries, mechanical and construction departments, printing shop, shoe shop, mattress factory, and license plate factory, are centered in Huntsville.

The total value of the principal farm crops in Virginia harvested during 1936 is estimated at \$107,075,000, or 3.3 per cent more than the 1935 valuation.

Secretary Woodring predicts the upper Mississippi River canalization will be completed "in its entirety" during the fiscal year beginning July 1.

### County Official Directory

- Floyd Zeigler.....Judge
- C. P. Mounce.....Co. Clerk
- Dave Culberson...Assr.-Collector
- J. M. Witcher.....Co. Supt.
- Joe White.....Sheriff
- O. L. Brazill.....Treasurer
- C. E. Alvis, Jr.....Attorney
- Guy Powell.....Co. Agent
- Sidney Gibson.....H. D. Agent
- H. E. Preston.....Com. Beat 1
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- Harry Johnson.....Com. Beat 3
- Oad Painter.....Com. Beat 4
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### KNOW TEXAS

Denton, Feb. 8.—The appearance of 1937 license plates in Texas this month focuses attention on the state prison at

Huntsville where these plates are manufactured. The factory, representing an expenditure of over \$38,000, provides work for a large number of the 5,300 prisoners, and makes all the plates

used in registering the 1,500,000 Texas motor vehicles annually.

The prison system includes a central plant and headquarters at Huntsville, and twelve farms

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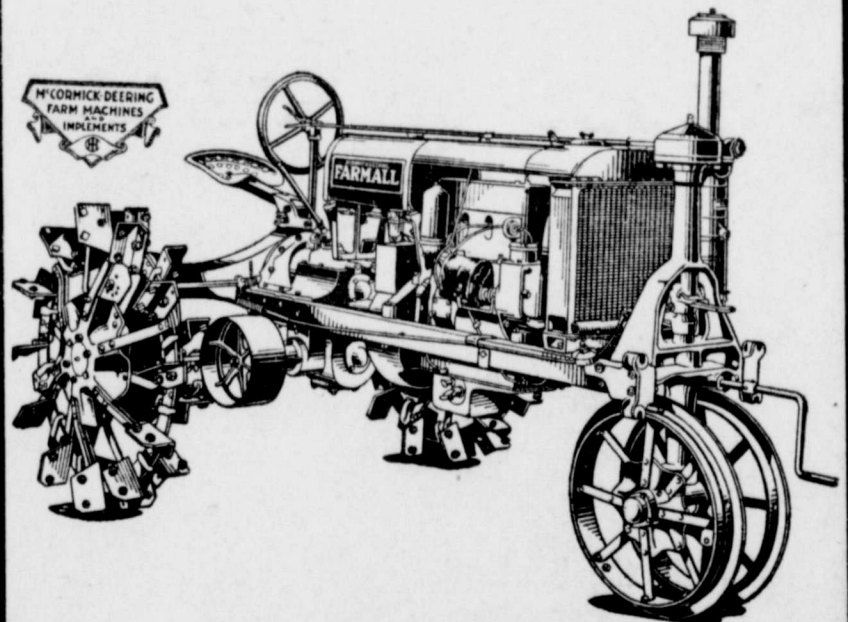
- 1935 Ford Deluxe Sedan, Extra Clean, good tires
- 1935 Ford Coach, good tires, good finish.
- 1935 Ford DeLuxe Coupe with radio.
- 1935 Plymouth Coupe, perfect.
- 1934 Chevrolet Coach.
- 1933 Plymouth Sedan.
- 1934 Ford Coupe
- 1933 Chevrolet Sedan
- 1933 Ford Coach
- 1934 Ford Coach
- 1929 Ford Coach
- 1929 Ford Roadster
- (2) 1929 Ford Coupes
- 1930 Chevrolet Coupe
- 1925 Model "T" Coupe
- 1926 Model "T" Sedan

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# In The WEEK'S NEWS



**UNDER FLOOD WATERS**—The inundated residence section of Poplar Bluff, Mo., as flood waters of the Black River swept into the town. The danger was relieved somewhat when the river washed out its levee and spread over a large farming area.



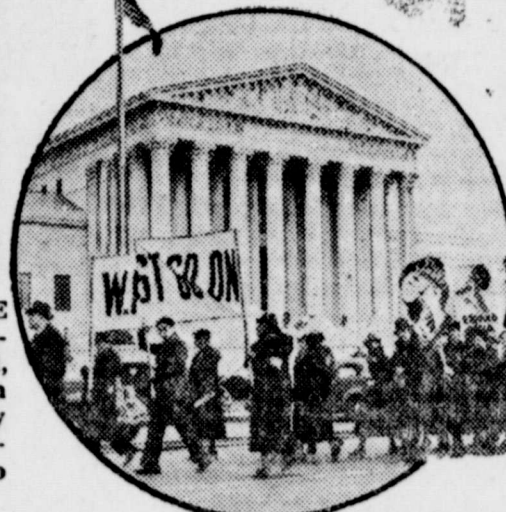
**"A TWELVE STATE SWEATER"**—A tribute to the riding quality of the modern car is demonstrated by Mrs. S. D. Weinberger of Los Angeles who knitted this "Twelve State Sweater" while riding across the Continent from Summit, New Jersey. She is pictured in her new Plymouth Sedan.



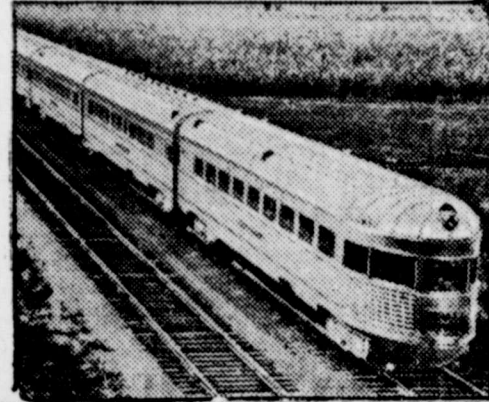
**RUNCIMAN VISITS ROOSEVELT**—Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade of Great Britain, who was a week end guest of President Roosevelt. Great Britain's indebtedness to the United States was reported to be one of the subjects discussed.



**INAUGURAL STYLE NOTE**—At the second inauguration of her husband, Mrs. Roosevelt wore an evening gown of silvery blue with a fox fur bordering the long scarf, dyed to match.



**RELIEF MARCHERS PARADE**—A part of the group of WPA workers, numbering 3000, shown marching past the U. S. Supreme Court Building carrying banners demanding expansion of the WPA program.



**AND NOW THE STREAMLINED COW**—Breeders are giving attention to streamlining dairy cows to obtain as much beauty in them as in modern trains and autos. No longer are dairy cows wanted with huge udders carried close to the ground. The streamlined model cow pictured, a Guernsey, produces just as copious quantities of milk and is less subject to injury.

## Lets Talk about Clothes

TEXAS STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (CIA)

Denton, Feb. 8.—Beige has staged one of the most exciting and successful revivals of fashion. Beige clothes fill shop windows and cause more furore than

a new hat Beige suits, stunning two-piece wool outfits to wear under a black Persian lamb fur coat with telling distinction, slim dresses with demure high necklines, and swagger coats to wear over straight line black wool dresses are a few of the new beige numbers.

It's a warm, magically flattering tone of beige, honey beige,

to be exact. The wools are soft, feminine and smooth, and the clothes are flawless. Dull black ball buttons fasten the prim front of a beige jacket blouse top to a skimpy straight skirt, and a dull black silk ascot muffles the throat.

Another beige wool one-piece dress that is a favorite with girls at Texas State College for Women has one of those tricky swathed necklines, short sleeves, a pencil straight skirt, and not a sign of plait, tuck, or trimmings. This makes an ideal dress for daytime to wear with dark accessories for fur or wool coats.

Beige dramatized with black is a knockout! You can buy beige fitted packets with black wool skirts, and you will find swagger coats of beige wool with chevron shaped pockets outlined with a black zipper, the zipper ending in coal black wool tassels.

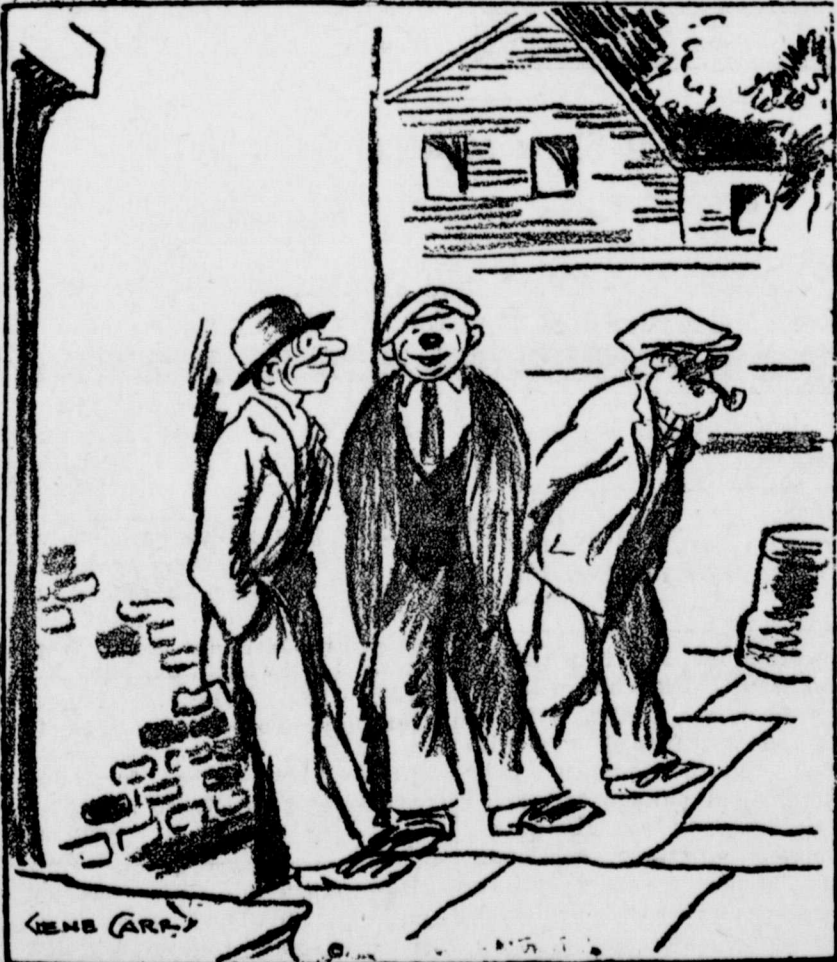
You'll find beige topcoats that end of the kneeline, or short and smartly higher coats that end at the thigh made with braided edges or tuxedo collar, cuffs, and pockets. Those are lined with black silk, and you can wear them with anything.

### City Officials, Gatesville

- C. E. Gandy.....Mayor
- R. L. Saunders.....Alderman
- E. Routh.....Alderman
- J. O. Brown.....Alderman
- Lewis Holmes.....Alderman
- Elland Lovejoy.....Assessor-Coll.
- Elland Lovejoy.....City Secy.
- Dr. Kermit Jones, Health Officer
- J. B. Graves, Chief of Police
- R. H. Miller.....Fire Chief
- Pleas Walker.....Fire Marshal

## JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"What Did Sandy Bring to th' Golden Weddin'?"  
"A Goldfish."

## FIRST QUARTERLY CONF. OF M. E. CHURCH TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Rev. J. H. Baldrige, local presiding elder of the M. E. Church, has called the first Quarterly Conference of the First Methodist Church for tonight, Tuesday, February 9, at 7:15 o'clock.

This is an important meeting and every official in the church is expected to be present.

The reports from various organizations will be made and a full attendance is expected.

The pastor says: "We magnify the business of the church when we place it on par with the best of the community."

Plans for the Easter season will be set up at this meetg.

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

### Deeds Recorded

W. H. Smith and wife to Fred G. Prewitt.

R. M. Cole to J. L. Sims and wife and R. E. Sims.

J. H. Jones and wife to H. T. Leonard and wife Lovine Leonard.

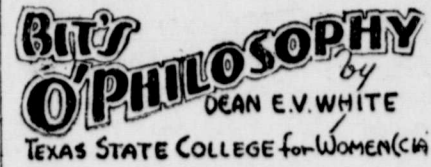
Trustees of M. E. Church of Stockton Chapel to W. A. Urbantke.

### Marriage Licenses

James Franklin Love and Miss Margaret Ann Vandiver.

### New Cars Registered

Alf Lockhart, Plymouth Touring Sedan.



You cannot substitute paint for blushes.

Be a good animal, but don't be a lower one.

The pessimist thinks he is about to wear out the holes in his pants.

Some people depend more on their clothes than on themselves.

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Matinee starts at 1:30.

**NOTICE**

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**ENTRIES FOR CORYELL COUNTY MEET**

**Foods Contest**

Senior entry: A well planned school lunch for a normal weight 12-14 year old boy or girl, packed in a convenient easily cleaned container. This lunch does not have to be packed in an expensive lunch kit. This entry will be judged from these stand-points:

I Well balanced menu. (a) necessary food values; (b) calories; (c) variety of foods.

II. Palatability.

III. Packing.

IV. Container: (a) ease in handling; (b) ease in cleaning and sunning.

The menu, number of calories, and age of child the lunch is prepared for must be written on a convenient slip of paper and included in the lunch—may-

be pasted in top of container.

Junior Entry: A plain minced loaf cake, made preferably with the whole egg. This product may be exhibited on a picnic plate.

Sub-Junior: Oatmeal drop cookies. Arrange 4 cookies on a picnic plate that has been covered with a paper napkin or a doily.

These products will be judged from these standpoints:

I. Texture.

II. Flavor.

III. Appearance.

A school must have an entry in each division before it is eligible for the foods cup. Products will be judged for places in the county then according to classification of school.

—Emma Scott.

Warwick, the "kingmaker's" retainers consumed six oxen at breakfast.

**"It's A Small World"**



LADY, a black and white fox hound, trotted into the maternity clinic at Washington University in St. Louis the other day, of her own accord, and showed clearly that she knew what she was about by having a blessed event — six pups — in the maternity clinic. Litterly a smart dog.

DOWN IN South America, two countries—Bolivia and Peru—are anxious to develop fishing in Lake Titicaca, high in the Andes, and they want to send a commission to the U. S. to study fishing and fish culture. They'd like to get some salmon and trout from our northern States. Here's a chance for our local boys to make a good haul. This is a welcome relief from the usual fish story—it's pleasant not to have to listen to the usual stuff about the big one that got away. But there must be a catch in it somewhere. If the South Americans can't catch any of their own, they must not be using the right bait, or else the place is all fished out. More than likely they want a few wealthy Americans to go down there and show 'em how to do it, and their expedition is just fishing for the tourist trade. If so, they're using good bait.

THE Harvard Dental School is studying the growth of teeth, and has made teeth grow in the hind leg of a rat! If they can do that, maybe before long they can make Grandma grow a third set. This would be a wonderful thing for Grandma, and the human race generally—provided Science can bring it about that the teeth grow in the usual place and not in the leg. Grandma does enough kicking as it is, and things would get pretty hot if she could kick and bite all at the same time.

THE French franc is back to a nickel again. France had to knock it down because the American dollar and the English pound have become so "cheap" that the franc was about the most expensive thing in the international money-market, and nobody would buy 'em. During the last few years the franc has been worth about 6½ cents in our money. Now you can get 'em for 4½ cents if you want any. There's a bargain for you, say the French—and it's not a "rubber" franc or a "baloney" franc either, still being technically backed by gold. Ho-hum, francly we're not interested, thank you.

IT'S NICE to hear of somebody travelling slowly and leisurely, instead of striving to clip another few seconds off of some speed record. One of the slowest Atlantic crossings in a hundred years has just been completed by Cap't. Kristian Christiansen in his Norwegian schooner Gad. He took 76 days gadding from Sunderland, England to Halifax, and all the time he was worrying about losing money. Now isn't that just like a Norwegian? An American would have been fussing and fuming about the lack of speed. The ship was becalmed for 50 days, and sometimes the wind was from the West and only blew them backwards. "I make no money going backwards," moaned Cap't. Christiansen.

IN MONTREAL they stole an 8-family house while the police weren't looking. It just disappeared, and the owner is trying to collect from the city. He says he told the cops to keep an eye on it. Rumor says that 300 unemployed tore it down and carted off the material.

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REGAL SATURDAY

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—WOOL AND MOHAIR: Now contracting the 1937 spring clip. See J. P. Houston at Hallman's Mill. 13-15-c

—Attention POULTRY RAISERS If you want chicks that will live and make you a profit, write or see me. I can furnish you with English White Leghorn baby chicks, day-old pullets, or started pullets, and you are guaranteed satisfaction. Bernice Herrmann, Pearl, Texas. 13-9tp

—ROOM FOR RENT: See Mrs. Fred Mayberry at the Ed York house, 302 South 6th st. 13-1tc

—FOR SALE: Good Ferguson seed oats. See Chas. Guggolz, Rt. 1, Gatesville, Texas 10-3tp.

—LOST: Singer Sewing Machine Co. Receipt Book on streets of Gatesville, between 2 and 4 p. m. Monday. Finder please return to Jim Martin's Tailor shop.

—SEE OUR SEEDS, it's time to plant now. Torbett's. 13-tfc

—FOR RENT—Nice furnished apartment, 1310 Waco street. 9-tfc

—How much of your time do you spend in bed? Have that old mattress renovated and made new, or buy a new one. Try Winfield. 72-tfc



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**WORLD COMMENT**

Joe Burns

**Trouble for America**

Americans who complacently dismiss the arrival of World Revolutionist Leon Trotzky in Mexico as of no consequence to this country are speaking in ignorance of conditions which prevail in many parts of this fair land.

They forget that the name "Trotzky" has for two decades signified but one thing, and that the owner of that name has espoused but one principle; that of world revolution of the proletariat, in which the workers of the world will rise against their "capitalistic oppressors" and create a workers paradise.

Communism has made but few inroads among American workers and farmers, although periodical furors have been raised in the nations press as to the communist "menace." But never has Communism in America been directed by such a shrewd and practiced doctrinaire as is Leon Trotzky.

What about the Townsend Plan and Huey Long's Share-the-Wealth movement? Truly cynical, these schemes for the economic salvation of America attracted to their banners millions of fervent believers who could envision a huge income in their old age or a division of the wealth of the country.

There is no basis to assert that America is fool proof to such visionary policies as originate in the brain of Trotzky. Not in view of the crazy-quilt history of American politics since 1930.

Current news lends no substantiation to hopes that a return to prosperity will lead to a diminution of social unrest in this country. The General Motors strike is still unsettled, and bitter feelings have been engendered between labor on the one hand and the motor corporation's executives.

The strike itself, and the disastrous walkouts which characterized 1936, of which the longshoremen's strike was the most notable example, are indicative of widespread social unrest.

Since President Roosevelt's first inauguration in 1932 the plight of the American tenant farmer, especially in the submarginal regions of the South, has been repeatedly brought to the attention of the people. The Resettlement Administration, of which Rexford G. Tugwell was constructive step toward alleviating the desperate conditions prevailing among these poor people, but much is to be done yet. The disastrous floods of the last few weeks will hamper reconstruction efforts of the RA. These efforts include removal of the submarginal tenants to better acreage, and educational and sanitation work among the tenants.

It could hardly be denied that the South would be a fertile field for Socialistic propaganda skillfully directed from the neighboring Latin republican view of the general conditions prevailing now only among the submarginal tenants, but also among whites and blacks laboring on the cotton plantations.

Leon Trotzky could not have chosen a better field for the labors of his last few years than Mexico. There, Socialistic doctrines have been inculcated into the people since Plutarco Elias Calles first assumed the presidency in 1928, nine years ago. In conformance with good Communist doctrines, the Catholic church has been attacked and in some provinces suppressed, socialistic education has been instituted in the government-directed schools, and in some estates of the aristocracy confiscated and distributed among the peons.

No Communist hold official positions in the Mexican Government, but in no other country than Russia are they tolerated as in our neighboring state. The Mexican President, Lazaro Cardenas, is probably a better Communist than are many of the Mexican (and Russian) Communist. He firmly believes in the enrichment of the poorer classes at the expense of wealthy landowners and industrialists.

Driven successively from Turkey, France and Norway by Russian diplomatic pressure, Trotzky may well look forward to the opening of a rich field of endeavor in the New World where he may out-revolutionize and out-Communist his great rival Joseph Stalin of the Union Socialist Soviet Republics.

**TRUCK ACCIDENT RECORDS GIVEN FOR CORYELL COUNTY**

Houston, Tex., Feb. 3.—Figures were released today by the Railway and Express Employees Association of Texas, showing the five year toll of deaths and injuries resulting from truck accidents on highways of Coryell county, or involving residents thereof.

The report, which has been compiled from clippings of newspaper accounts of Texas truck accidents, shows that through the years 1932 to 1936, inclusive, trucks participated in 16 Coryell county accidents, in which none lost their lives and an additional 21 sustained injuries.

**NEW FEATURE IN A. C. C. SPEECH TOURNAMENT AT ABILENE**

A new wrinkle in American college forensics—a radio speech contest over a commercial station judged by designated radio listeners will be included in the fifth annual Abilene Christian College Speech tournament on February 5 and 6 at Abilene.

Debate Coach Don H. Morris of A. C. C. and Gene Heard, program director of station KRBC have announced that the radio feature of the tournament will be open to all teams in the event.

Truck accidents for the entire totalled 8,416, in which 2,195 were killed and 11,963 were injured.

Each school may have two contestants in the preliminaries which will be heard over the public address system in Sewell auditorium, and the finals of the contest will be at the banquet for all contestants Friday evening, February 5. Speeches in this contest must read from original manuscript and are limited to exactly four minutes—a variation of five seconds disqualifies the speaker.

One hundred schools in Texas and neighboring states have been invited to attend the tournament. Team trophies will be awarded to winners in debate, oratory, extempore speaking, radio-speaking, and men's and women's poetry reading contests are new in this tournament also.

**RELATIVE OF GATESVILLE LADY WRITES FROM FLOOD DISTRICT**

In short note to Miss Jessie Fauntleroy of Gatesville, Mrs. B. Foster of Evansville, Indiana, in the flood district writes as follows: "We are getting along all right and don't need anything. We can use the phone now, and got water today for washing purposes only, which is a great help. Haul drinking water here in tanks and purify it. The gas is off and we cook on grates."

This note shows the conditions still existing in the flood area even after the waters have subsided.

**RED CROSS THANKS PEOPLE FOR PART IN FLOOD RELIEF**

In a letter to Andrew Kendrick and M. B. Sasse, Chairman of the local chapter of the Red Cross, W. M. Baxter Jr., manager of the Midwestern Branch of the American Red Cross has the following to say:

"This will acknowledge, with sincere appreciation, receipt of your chapter's remittances in the amount of \$666.86, representing contributions for relief work in the Ohio and Mississippi flood area.

"Congratulations on the splendid achievement by your Chapter in behalf of the Red Cross Relief Fund. The needs continue to grow. The Red Cross is furnishing immediate emergency relief for refugees, including shelter, food, clothing, bedding, nursing, and medical care which must continue for many weeks until the water has receded from the entire district and people can return to their homes.

"I hope that the citizens of Coryell county will continue to respond to the fullest extent of their generosity.

Sincerely,  
Wm. M. Baxter, Jr., Mgr.  
Coryell county has glorified itself in this most liberal giving, and contributions are, and will continue to be taken and sent in. As some may be out of money, we may substitute old clothing, and it can be brought to the News office, where it will be forwarded to the authorities in St. Louis.

**LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL GIRL MAY WIN TRIP TO WASHINGTON**

Frances McCoy, local high school senior, has a chance of winning a sight seeing trip to Washington, D. C., as announced by A. M. Tate of Waco, District State Supervisor, as a gift from the Daughters of the American Revolution. Tate will select one out of the sixteen girls by lot within the next few days, who will represent this district in the state drawing, which will be held by L. A. Woods, and the one whose name is selected will get the trip, which will start April 20.

The trip is called a "good citizenship pilgrimage," and selections are on the basis of good citizenship.

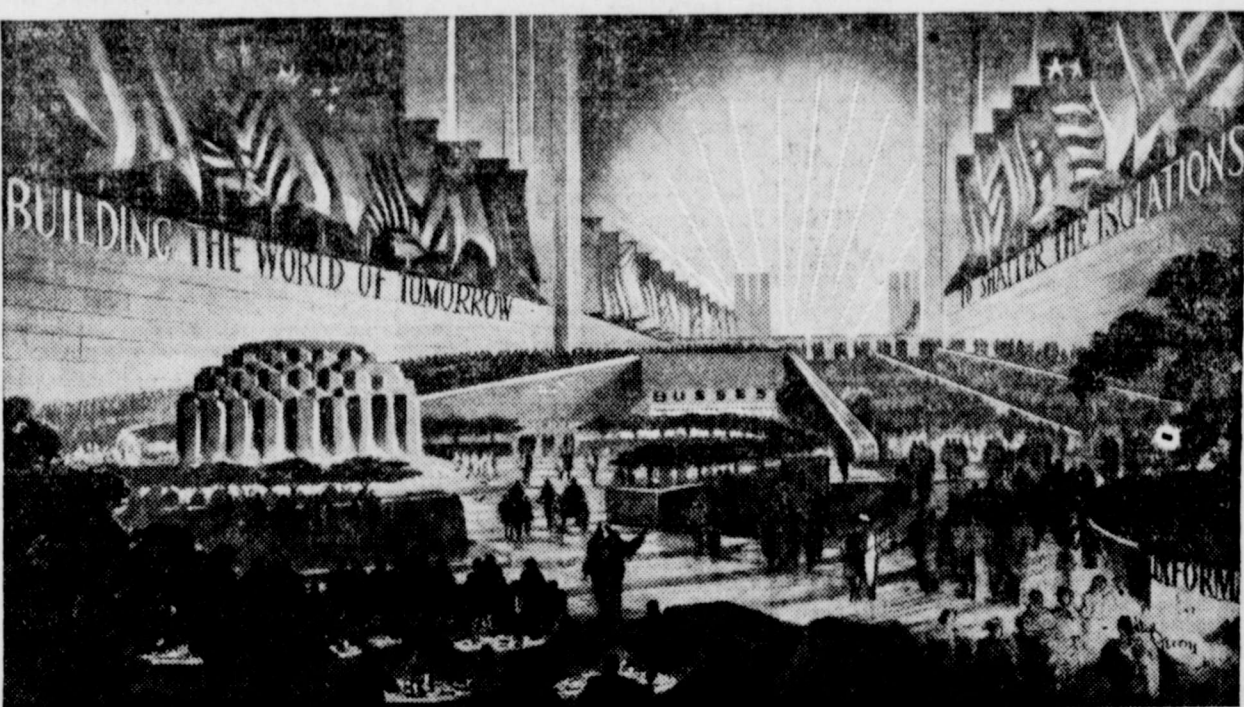
In 1936 the American Red Cross was called upon to help four times as many people as were aided in 1935.

The First Great Lakes steamer to carry passengers was the "Walk of the Water," launched on Lake Erie in 1818.

The population of Osaka, Japan, has passed 4,450,000.



**THROUGH BROAD AND BEAUTIFUL ENTRYWAYS VISITORS WILL PASS TO THE NEW YORK FAIR**



NEW YORK, (Special).—Forty thousand persons an hour—visitors from every state and every nation—must be accommodated in comfort at but one of the entryways to the New York World's Fair of 1939, according to arrangements the Fair Corporation is completing to handle a maximum daily attendance of 800,000. The artist's drawing, as reproduced above, calls for a magnificent double-decked entryway with underpasses, over-passes, pedestrian walks, bus terminals, comfort stations and bridge connections assuring comfort while providing an area of architectural splendor.

Shown is a ramp leading from the exposition grounds toward the I.R.T.-B.M.T. subway terminal, at a point where it is necessary to cross over the Long Island railroad tracks and to avoid undue congestion of pedestrian traffic. Shown in the left foreground is a domed restaurant within a fountain basin and a concourse bordered by grown plane-trees, and, nearer, an open-air cafe and an information kiosk. Along the flanking walls the artist has delineated the Fair's world concept which looks to the building of a peaceful, happier World of Tomorrow.

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### WHY BOTHER?

Why bother about registering birth and deaths? Some of us have wondered why, and learned by sad experience the necessity of these two things. If you've been fortunate enough NOT to have learned by sad experience, here's some reasons.

**For Registering Births:** To prove that you are born, sounds silly, but, listen. You prove inheritance of property, for settlement of insurance, establishing identity, tracing ancestry, legal dependency, for child-health programs. It proves the data of birth for these reasons: entrance to school, for first work permit (if there is a child labor law), automobile license, right to vote, right to marry, right to enter Civil Service, military service, for SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS, and settlement of pensions.

Too, these prove place of birth for passports, immigration and emmigration and lastly, for establishing citizenship.

**For Registering Deaths:** Proves fact of death for life insurance and settlement of estates. To prove facts about deceased: for circumstances of death, for time and date of death, for age, sex, color, for nativity, for names of husband or wife and parents.

To furnish official statistics: For health departments, to establish causes of death, to prevent disease, to plan health programs. For life insurance, to establish premium rates. For mortality statistics (used in estimating population) by establishing place of death, and residence.

These facts may be registered by physician, midwife, parents, or in death, the undertaker or representative. This is very important for present and future information for both you and your decedents.

Register birth and deaths as soon as they happen!

### "IN OUR



Not a letter this time but from "Harper's Harp," a publication, or house organ, of the Harper Standard Engraving Co., edited by Jark Harper, in a "breezy" manner. It reads as follows:

"We really 'got acquainted' with the entire production force of the Coryell County News of Gatesville, Texas, when we read its fourth anniversary edition, dated December 22, making it the Christmas edition also. The writers got down to rock bottom and told us all about each other in a very friendly and informal manner. This semi-weekly publication skipped an issue to give the employees a long holiday around Christmas. The 3 sections, which were on green, light red and white paper respectively, contained thirty pages.

#### Town's Bawlingest Brat

The life history of each employee is given humorously and in detail. The liontype operator is referred to as "the man who runs that big lead typewriter in the back end of the shop, with so many gadgets, motors and whatnots. It states that one man was 'once known as the meanest and loudest, bawlingest brat in South Gatesville being licked from five to ten times a day.

"The paper even divulges the name of their 'Arthur Brisbane,' a columnist who has been writing under a nom de plums because he was a high school student when he started his 'World Com-

any feature syndicate at the time of the DuPont-Roosevelt marriage... The price is \$2,100—with an additional letter by the DuPont widow thrown in—... Thank you very much... but this column doesn't go in for that kind of stuff and besides we have a genuine affection for our Chief Executive



... George H. Friedman, the hair magician claims that a lot of women would look more attractive if they spent as many hours in a night gown as they do against a night bar... George should know!... In front of Minsky's burleycue a sidewalk salesman offers copies of famous Mae West jokes — a few steps away a competitor tempts burlesque patrons with "love letters of Mary Astor — the 'real McCoy'..." Rheba Crawford, the famous "Broadway angel" of Salvation Army fame says there is no money in heaven, which probably explains why so many people go to h— trying to get hold of some!... The Broadway Parade.

ment' column. He is now attending college. There is an article about the paper's local historian and folk lore writer.

#### Razz Sport Editor

"The sporting editor is really put on the gridiron. Among other things, it states that when he was in college the officials 'tumbled him from his exalted position of magazine editor for printing too much truth with too much humor,' and he still 'isn't handy with the salve and soft-soap but has a first rate sports column.'

"The society editor is called 'our Cholly Knickerbocker and Walter Winchell in one.' Every carrier boy is given a writeup and every active rural correspondent is listed and some are given special mention. Another excerpt: 'Our bookkeeper got her position by marriage just to help 'papa.'

"There are several good editorials by the publishers and owners, W. Mat Jones and S. F. Bethel, who bought the paper from Ayres Compton, now director of the Dallas Safety Cam-

aign. "We think this paper deserving of a special article because of its friendliness, humor and 'humanness.' It would have been better if a cut of each employee or one group out of the 'gang' had been used."



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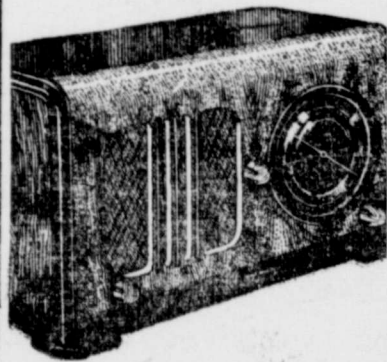
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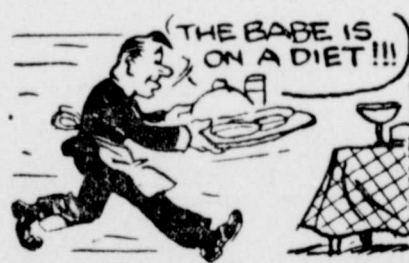
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## Broadway LIMITED



by W. A. S.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Standing in front of the Lyceum Theatre and having nothing better to do at the moment... I watched two men get out of a taxi, pay and tip the driver with great ceremony, go into a deep conference and then split up... one taking one side of the street... the second the other... and start panhandling!... At a famous beanery Babe Ruth confides he is on a diet... and proves it by swallowing three hookers of bonded stuff and gobbling down a double planked steak



and trimmings... I remember the time before the Babe was on a diet when he could really stack it away!... That night at the Hotel Montclair Casino Walter Huston, "Nan" (Mrs. Huston) Sutherland, and Brian Aherne of the not-so-well received "Othello" dine with Noel Coward and Gertrude Lawrence of the highly successful "Tonight at 8.30"... Huston says that he is forsaking Broadway for Hollywood... Coward remarks that he is not forsaking anything that will bring in money... "I am offering twenty-one autographed letters" writes a collector, "written by P. S. DuPont, founder of the DuPont dynasty, to his most intimate friend, Mme. Lavoisier—they should be 'pie' for

## Spring

He Didn't See His Shadow!

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**T. C. ROBERTSON**

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church Feb. 2 for T. C. Robertson, familiarly known as Uncle Tom. Rev. M. M. Chunn of First Methodist church, conducted the services with burial in the city cemetery.

Thomas Canada Robertson was born on April 16, 1847 in Benton county, Ala. Had he lived until 16th of April, he would have been 90 years of age.

He was united in marriage with Francis Simpson in Bell county, October 25, 1883. To this union was born 8 children, five of whom are living, the other 3 having died in infancy. At an early age he was united with the Methodist church, and has been a faithful worker ever since.

At 7:25 o'clock Jan. 31, Uncle Tom passed to his reward, after a week of suffering, with all his children present at his bedside. He is survived by the following children: Homer Robertson of Carlton, Mrs. W. A. Wise of Waco, Mrs. M. J. McKinney of Waco, Mrs. Dan Hirsch of Gatesville, Mrs. Parker Hirsch, of Gatesville, and the following grandchildren: Glenn McKinney of El Paso, Weldon McKinney of Houston, Bill Tom Wise of Waco, Virginia Hirsch of Gatesville and one great-grandchild, Parker McKinney of Houston.

**MRS. MARY MACK BURIED THURS. AT HEMMELINE CEMETERY**

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the German Bethel church near Plainview for Mrs. Mary Mack, who had been an invalid for several years and died from an attack of influenza on Tuesday, Feb. 2. Rev. W. H. Buening conducted the services and burial followed in the Hemmeline cemetery with Scot Funeral directors in charge.

Mrs. Mack was born in Washington county, Texas, September 1, 1888 and has lived in the Plainview community since her married life. She is survived by

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**"It's A Small World"**



**THERE'S PLENTY OF JOY** in Mudville this season. A new all-time high home-run record has been hung up by the New York Yankees—the hardest-hitting team, apparently, that ever played baseball. 175 homers so far this season, against a previous high of 173 (Phila. Athletics in 1932) and there are 16 players on the Yankees' home-run list! Lou Gehrig leads, with 48. In his whole baseball career, he has a total of 427, as against 714 by Babe Ruth. "The infant" Joe Di Maggio has hit more homers than he's had birthdays—29. In 1927, when this same team with Ruth in the line-up, registered 153 home-runs, the world wondered and predicted there'd never again be anything like it—which proves that it's a small world, as we say up above. Well, the record-breaking's not over yet for the World Series is still ahead and the fans will probably break a record of their own before Baseball winds up its Grand Finale of 1936.

**AT HARVARD'S 300th birthday** festivities up in Cambridge, Professor Friedrich Bergius, of Germany, explained how he had perfected a process for making artificial food. He takes saw-dust and other wood-waste, and turns it into foodstuffs with all the vital elements of nutrition. This sawdust-food takes the form of sugar. It was fed to animals as fodder, and Dr. Bergius says they grew "fadder and fadder." This startling discovery will undoubtedly start the breakfast-food people off on a frenzy of inventing new kinds of breakfast-foods—they've given us about everything else but wood already, and now we'll be having "wood-pulp porridge" and "crumbled spruce" and "puffed poplar" and "chips off the old block" and "old hickory flakes" and so on. Well, hats off to Dr. Bergius—these Germans certainly know their groceries.

**PEOPLE KEEP DOING** the funniest things. Here's a young couple just back in San Diego from a 3-years honeymoon on the briny deep, in a 16-foot canoe. They've paddled, sailed and thumbed lifts from

a husband, Martin Mack, two daughters, Eva Louise and Lillian two sons, Harry and Robert; four brothers, John and Fred Koch of Plainview community; Gus Koch of Gatesville; Albert Koch of west Texas, and one sister, Mrs. Will Schultz of Ill.

**MRS. ELIZA V. FISHER WAS BURIED WEDNESDAY AT ATER CEMETERY**

Funeral services were conducted at Ater Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Eliza V. Fisher, 88, of Turnersville who died of heart attack Tuesday, Feb. 12. Mrs. Fisher was born May 9, 1848 and was married to A. J. Fisher. At the time of her demise, she had attained the age of 88 years, 8 months and 22 days. Her many friends are in deepest sympathy with the bereaved ones.

**CORYELL VALLEY**

(Intended for Friday.)  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher visited Mr. and Mrs. Matton Fisher here this week end.  
John Woods visited O. R. Minson Saturday.  
Eiland Lovejoy and Patsy Ruth of Gatesville were pleasant visitors in the Tud McCallister home Sunday.  
Hub Franks and the Glaze brothers are visiting in this vicinity.  
Evans Painter and Jackie of White Hall were callers with Tud McCallister Monday of last week.  
Messrs. and Mesdames Mann Fisher, R. H. and J. H. Benton Fisher visited relatives in the

bigger boats since Oct. 9, 1933, mostly along the Mexican and Central American coasts. This is certainly launching matrimony in a frail craft and reminds us that nobody has gone over Niagara Falls in a barrel for quite sometime now.

**A WOMAN DIED** recently at Glen Head, Long Island, and left a will directing that the ashes of her dog Billie, which died 10 years ago, be buried with her. She had kept the dog's ashes in a gold receptacle in her room. That's the way with dogs. They win their way into your heart and when they die you miss 'em something awful.

**AT THE TIME** of going to press, the Polish balloon Lopp, one of those which started out from Warsaw in the annual Gordon Bennett contest, was still lost and unheard from. Another balloon, a Belgian, entered in the contest, travelled 1125 miles, so it's hard to tell where to look for one that's lost. The balloon which travels the greatest distance is the winner, and the mysterious disappearance of the Lopp leaves the outcome of the contest very much up in the air.

**HENRY FORD** sat on a rail fence the other day and remarked that farm problems were his hobby. Meanwhile it was announced that he would build a model village in the Michigan forests, where farming would join hands with industry. Ford forest-workers will farm in the summer to add to their wages from the motor company. In the winter they'll cut logs. Strikes us this is a pretty good idea—bringing the farm to the factory—but most folks seem to want to get away from the farm altogether. It's lots more fun to ride around in Fords.

**THE FRENCHMAN**, Lieutenant Detroyat, not only won hands down from all the American aviators, but he called them "good sports" when they protested at his using a million-dollar airplane in the Cup Races recently held on the Pacific Coast. This cups the climax.

Mountain Community recently.

Rev. Mr. Conely of Gatesville visited in the home of Oscar Minson Monday of last week.

Bob Kitley and wife and daughter Jane visited in Arlington this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nichols of White Hall spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McCallister.

John January has been confined to his bed with the flu but is up again.

Mr. Hplmes of White Hall school enjoyed a fox chase with J. J. Nichols and A. M. McCallister recently.

Hundreds of articles for the entertainment of Japanese soldiers in Manchuria, presented by Baron Takakimi Mitsui, of the famous business family, included phonographs, radio sets, moving picture projectors, movie reels, skates, footballs, tennis equipment and indoor games.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank our many friends who were so kind to us during the sickness and at the death of our Mrs. Laura Delvra Moreland, who was buried at Ater on January 28.

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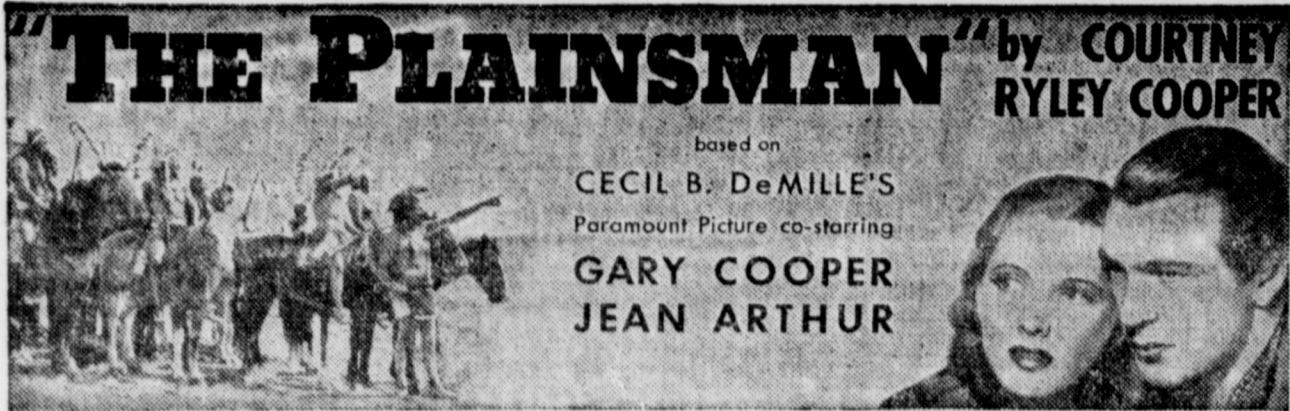
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**CHAPTER I**  
**W**ILD BILL HICKOK, homeward bound, leaned against the deck-rail of the river steamer, Lizzie Gill, about to embark on its long voyage from St. Louis up the Missouri to Fort Leavenworth. Evidently Wild Bill was not happy about it. He put his views into an abrupt sentence:

"There ain't nothing that can make a bigger fool of himself than a man in love."

He meant the remark for an old pal of the plains, all dressed up like a cavalry horse, even to a swallow-tail coat.

"Buffalo Bill!" snorted Wild Bill Hickok. "Running in double harness. It ain't natural."

For there at the gangplank, surrounded by well-wishers, stood William Frederick Cody, otherwise Buffalo Bill, beaming like a lighthouse, and with a young woman on his arm who excitedly told all about the wedding trip which had just been concluded, and laughed at their fears concerning this great voyage upon which she was starting into the West. Again



Wild Bill Hickok, all dressed in dude clothes, was trying to tell the starry-eyed Louisa Cody that her husband, Buffalo Bill, would never settle down but be a scout at heart forever.

Wild Bill snorted, finally to turn at an interruption. A nattily dressed, but somehow ratty type of man stood beside him, puffing grandiloquently upon what Wild Bill thought at first was a piece of chalk, Wild Bill's first sight of a cigarette. "Jack McCall's my name," said the newcomer. "You're Mr. Hickok. I've heard of you."

The warning whistle of the boat sounded, drowning the words for a moment. The levee was alive with noise. Cody came aboard with his bride, who, of all things, lugged a bird cage. Jack McCall made a remark about it. Instantly Wild Bill bored him through. "Your toothpick's on fire!" he growled.

The intruder chose to take the remark as a great joke. He laughed and puffed, and walked away. Wild Bill Hickok again leaned against the rail, watching the activities of the levee. Unlike Buffalo Bill, he was dressed in the uniform of an army private, shabby from long usage. He and Cody had gone into the war at about the same time—but

Buffalo Bill always had been lucky. He had been mustered out three months before, to woo this pretty, piquant girl of Old Frenchtown, St. Louis. Wild Bill's release was less than twenty-four hours old.

The noise grew louder, the excitement more tense. With a glance at the levee, Wild Bill saw that practically all the cargo was loaded, except a few long boxes of extreme weight. Vaguely Hickok wondered why they should be consigned to

Hickok knew nothing of that. The whistle blew for departure and merely to check the time, Wild Bill pulled forth a typical bulbous time-piece of the period, containing a tiny set of chimes which, upon the pressing of a button, played "The Bluebells of Scotland." Wild Bill snapped open the case. But he forgot to look at the time. Instead, his eyes riveted themselves upon a picture in that case, of himself and a pretty girl. Somewhat sourly he muttered:

"Guess I'd better act the gent with Mrs. Cody. Bill ain't the only one who ever made a fool of himself over a woman."

That opportunity came several times as the lumbering Lizzie Gill made her slow way through the treacherous channel of the muddy Missouri. One night, it reached a climax. Wild Bill, all dressed in dude clothes stood on deck with Louisa Cody near the door of the ship's bar where sat Buffalo Bill in an attitude of much concern, at a table with several overdressed gentlemen. Wild Bill, in the fatherly manner which had

been his ever since the day when he had rescued Cody as a boy on his first freighting trip from a bunch of drunken bullwhackers, had been attempting to tell this starry-eyed girl that Cody would not settle down, that he would remain a scout at heart forever. Suddenly he moved away:

"Excuse me, Ma'am," he begged. A half hour later, sitting where Buffalo Bill had sat in a most discouraging poker game, Wild Bill shoved his cards face up on the table. It had been a hand of many bets—even Wild Bill's most prized possession, that watch which played "The Bluebells of Scotland," lay out there with the rest of the stakes. The man's eyes were steely, his features grim. A talon-like hand clawed for one of two deadly white-handled revolvers at his belt. Then the gun was placed on the table, its muzzle toward the river gambler who sat opposite.

"I'm calling," said Wild Bill. "The hand that's in your hat."  
(To be continued)

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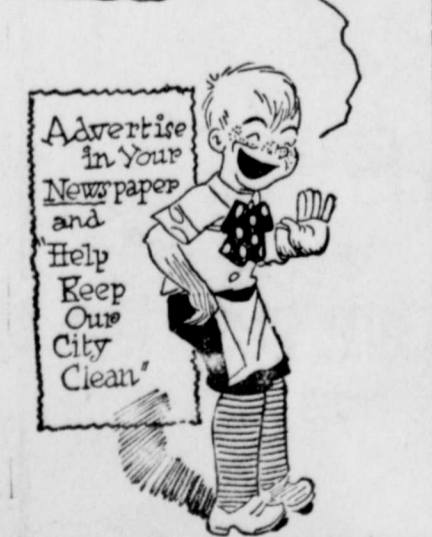
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**BUSTER NEWS**

Uncle George Crawford, succumbed to pneumonia at ten o'clock Friday morning February 5, having been ill ten days. His many friends extend their sympathy to his bereaved family.

Mrs. L. A. Wendeborn and daughters spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joyce Touchstone and son.

A good many Buster people attended Uncle George Crawford's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Latham spent Friday night with Mrs. Fred Touchstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller and son Kermit visited with relatives at White Hall Friday.

Following is a list of Buster people who have had the flu, but have recuperated.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr., Ruth Williams, U. Z. Touchstone, Dona Jo and Bob Williams, Foy Gene Grimland, Mrs. Clyde Lee,

**SEATTLE ITEMS**

Clyde Lee Jr. Mrs. M. E. Franks, Mrs. R. L. Hamilton and two small sons, Maudie Henderson, Dutch and Lynn Sheppard, Jess Davis, Mrs. Clara Teague.

Patsy Ruth Grimland has had the mumps.

George Blankenship has been receiving medical attention. Mrs. E. O. Walters was ill for several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Palmer of the County Line community visited Mrs. Palmer's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Faucet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henderson and son Ernest of Hubbard were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Lew Farris, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Copeland visited relatives at Temple over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. O. F. Williams of The Grove were guests in the A. P. Dixon home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee visited

their son Clayton in the County Line community recently.

D. D. Dixon, Clayton Lee and Oscar Palmer were business visitors in Waco recently.

Australia is promoting the study of the Japanese language.

Japan attracts nearly half of the 1,032 Chinese students studying abroad. American colleges annually enroll about 300 young men and women from China.

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