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## ONLY 899 VOTE "YES" ON A.A.A. PROGRAM: 1041 VOTED: 114 VOTED 'NO'

Results of the local referendum on the AAA program, according to J. B. Roach, of the AAA office show that of the 2400 eligible voters only 1041 voted and 899 of these votes were for the AAA, 114 against and 27 were challenged, 1 was spoiled.

This vote was for the continuance of the AAA system, and throughout the state, early returns gave a big majority of those who voted for the AAA, but the vote throughout was light.

### VOTE ON COMMITTEEMEN TO BE FRIDAY, THIRTEENTH

Friday of this week, farmers

from all over the county will vote for Committeemen from their communities, and the voting will be done at the following places, beginning at 2 p. m.

Gatesville,  
Oglesby  
Antelope  
Flat  
Turnersville  
Purmela  
Slater.

This will complete the voting on the AAA for this year with the exception that the committeemen named in this election will in turn name the County Committeemen.

## Basket Ball Coaches Meet Thursday In Co. Supl's. Office

Thursday, at 4:30 p. m. there will be a meeting of the various basketball coaches of the Senior Basketball teams in the office of Superintendent W. D. Stockburger, according to announcement.

That is all! What they're up to was not announced.

## SPORTS EDITOR GETS POSITION IN LITTLEFIELD

Wilson Brazzil, formerly sports editor of the News left Saturday for Littlefield, where he has accepted a position with the newspaper of that place.

Wilson has been an employee of the News for some four years, and has handled the sports end of the paper and has created quite a following. Too, he has also worked in the "back end". Mrs. Brazzil accompanied him to his new home.

Billy McBride of Austin was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McBride, over the week end.



## DEER HUNTERS

Robert Earl Ashby, Seaborn Ashby Jr. Bythel Cooper, R. E. Ashby, Dawson Cooper, K. W. Ray, Dr. Otis Ray, W. A. Prewitt Sr. W. A. Prewitt, Jr.

## Markets

As of December 9

Corn, ear	50c
Corn, shelled	55c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20.
Cream, No 1	31c
Cream, No. 2	26c
Oats, sacked	34c
Oats, loose	32c
Eggs	23c
Fryers	12c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	8c
Hens, heavy	10c

## Tin Can Matinee To Feature Two Specials

Both theatre impresarios, L. B. of The Regal and Ritz, and Charles of The Palace, are to have special showings for the Tin Can Matinee, which is sponsored by the News, these showmen and maybe other folks, we don't know. It's open for any sponsorship and everyone is invited. There ain't nothin' in it for anybody, except just to see that everybody in Coryell County that we can possibly help has a Merry Christmas, and especially, something a little different to eat on Christmas Day.

Come on, folks, this is home promoted, home sponsored, not to go to overhead, badges, circulars, publicity or anything. It all goes to them as needs it. What more can you ask?

## Big — Sees Santa Claus Make Debut Friday: Kids Excited

They all came, at least, all the kids that could, and Santa Claus didn't let them down. He was here in a big way, followed by that nearly extinct feature of Americana, the calliope, which came from the famous Gainesville Circus Troupe.

Too, there were rigs with Shetland ponies (they may be scarcer now, if the Nazis have blown away their home, the Shetland Islands) drawing regular festive rigs, crowned with some of the loveliest of Coryell County's flowers. Gatesville's band, the drum corps of the State Juvenile training school. Included in the parade, were beautiful floats from several of the communities and schools, including Slater and Purmela.

And, a big time was had by all.



Everyone of the six Methodist Conferences in Texas and New Mexico, which are making their pledges to maintain the Methodist Children's Home at Waco during 1941, has sent orphaned youngsters to be brought up in it. In this group, whose ages run from four months to 20 years, Ludi Mae Jacobs, 7, at the left is from the big Texas Conference, which covers a large part of east and south-east Texas; Eva Mae McPherson, 16, is from the Northwest Texas Conference; John Henry Jones, whom she is holding, the Home's youngest child at four months, is from Southwest Texas Conference; Mary Cain, 20, is from North Texas Conference; Arthur Potts, 5, from Central Texas Conference; Charles Pruett, 12, from N. Mexico Conference. The Home is asking \$125,000 to take care of its 400 wards for the next year.

## ROCKS OR BONES? WE DON'T KNOW! HELP, DR. CLYDE BAILEY

We've got one we can't figure out. Mr. Q. F. Adams of near Ireland brought it in, and it's nearly as big as our window. Mr. Adams says it's a part of some prehistoric something, and so here's a call to Dr. Clyde Bailey, tooth, arrowhead, and specialist along that line.

This is one opinion, we'll leave to Dr. Bailey.

Anyway, you can come and look at it, it's laying on our floor just like it landed, and you can see it here.

# NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

### IDARWALD IS INTERCEPTED

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 8 (AP)—The blockade-running German freighter Idarwald was intercepted in the Caribbean sea by a British cruiser today and either scuttled by her crew or sunk by a torpedo. The crew got away in their boats.

The sinking occurred in waters in which President Roosevelt was sailing secretly on a United States cruiser.

### ITALIAN LINE COLLAPSES

Athens, Dec. 8, (AP)—The fall of Argirocastro, Albania, to counter-invading Greek forces was announced officially late today.

Church bells pealed throughout Athens to celebrate capture of this, the last of Italy's invasion bases on the Italian frontier.

### DISGUISED RAIDER ATTACKS

New York, Dec. 8, (AP)—A Q-boat—disguised raider—attack on the Norwegian motor tanker Hildesjord off the West African coast was indicated tonight in a distress signal picked up by Mackay Radio which also reported the torpedoing of a British steamer along the same coast.

### COTTON QUOTA SYSTEM

Washington, Dec. 8 (AP)—Another year of marketing and pro-

duction control over cotton was assured Sunday as returns from a grower referendum in 19 states piled up big pluralities for the Agriculture Department's quota system.

An incomplete count of Saturday's voting showed 721,117 for continuation of the cotton program and 61,408 against. The percentage approving was 92.5.

Agriculture officials said less than half of the 2,250,000 eligible farmers had participated in the referendum. Approval by two-thirds of those voting was required to continue the program.

### VIRGIN ISLANDS REFUGE?

Washington, Dec. 8, (AP)A proposal to offer the Virgin Islands as a haven for financially independent European political refugees is under consideration, it was learned Sunday, by the State, Justice and Interior Departments.

### LONDON SUFFERS—YET!

London, Dec. 8 (AP)—The Nazi air force, after a 48-hour absence from London, Sunday opened an attack on the city which in its early intensity suggested the devastating bombing of Coventry a month ago. After three hours the bombardment showed no signs of slackening.

In one residential district at least sixty incendiaries fell and burst.

### DUCE'S NAVY CHIEF QUILTS

Rome, Dec. 8 (AP)—Italy's overhauling of her topmost command spread to the navy today when its chief of staff joined two of the army's highest officers on the retired list.

Resigned was Admiral Domenico Cavagnari, navy chief of staff who was also under secretary of the navy.

### MORE ARMS PLANTS

Washington, Dec. 8 (AP)—Funds for scores of additional munitions plants will be asked of congress, defense officials reported today, to assure an adequate supply, in event of war, of guns, shells, tanks and planes for land forces of 4,000,000 men.

### VICHY SHIFTS TO NAZIS

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 8 (AP)—Chief of State Petain of France is planning a government shakeup to bring into his cabinet former Premier Pierre Etienne Flandin, pre-war exponent of an understanding with Germany, and perhaps others to replace ministers opposing Vice Premier Pierre Laval on collaboration with Germany.

## New Postmaster Is Named At Bee House

Elvis O'Neal has just been named Postmaster at Bee House, according to information received from Congressman W. R. Poage, who gave out this information Monday evening when he passed through Gatesville.

Congressman Poage, accompanied by Ben Sleeper, prominent Waco attorney were enroute to Waco after a trip to Evant and other parts of western Coryell County.

## SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE AND RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

By Rev. M. E. Dodd, D. D., LL. D. (Fourth Installment)

War clouds hang over the whole world and militarism is the antithesis of spiritual religion. Militarism is purely material. Christianity is spiritual. Militarism is cruel. Christianity is kind. Militarism is born of and promoted by hatred. Christianity is born and carried forward by love. Militarism is under the domination of the bloody god of war. Christianity is controlled by the Prince of Peace.

Swashbuckling dictators parade themselves up and down the earth. Democracy is in retreat. The freedom for which men and women have fought, sacrificed and died is in jeopardy. Many liberties are being destroyed. Christian ideals are challenged and Christian institutions, even the church, are on the defensive.

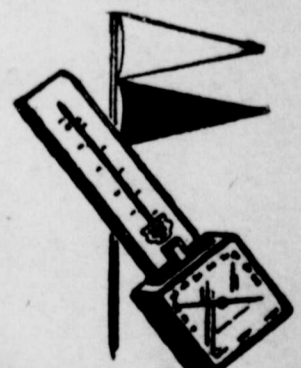
Vast sections of the world have lost freedom of action and freedom of worship. Russia has utterly annihilated organized religion. One thousand and five hundred Baptist churches and others have been closed in Roumania. In Germany it is worse. The minds and souls of the people are brought under the domination of conscienceless dictators. Countries which have led the world for liberty have temporarily submerged all freedom and subjected every interest to an over lord for the sake of immediacy and emergency. Even in our own country under the spacious plea and sinister guise of saving democracy elsewhere democracy at home is being crucified. It is foolishly thought that fascism can be killed by fascism.

We should not think it strange that the same logical and inevitable steps toward loss of all liberties are being taken. We have seen the subjugation of business, commerce and industry to a centralized authority. Dollars are dazzled before the face until the eyes are dizzy. Those who are unable to

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## THE WEATHER



Barometer reading ..... 30.15  
Temperature ..... 72  
Rain ..... .00  
Western Union Forecast:  
Partly cloudy and cooler Tues.  
Fishing—Fair



DEAR SANTA: Please bring me a tricycle, steam shovel, tank, air plane set, rubber building blocks, some color books and a good story book and remember the other boys and girls too.

Your friend,  
CUBBY McDOWELL

DEAR SANTA: Please bring me a doll that has real curls and can stand alone. I want a doll buggy and a doctor set and some house shoes. I am four years old.

Your little friend,  
JANELL GREEN

DEAR SANTA: Please bring me a pretty doll, some dishes and some story books and don't forget all the other little boys and girls.

BEVERLY ANN BOYD

DEAR SANTA: I want a doll and a scooter for Christmas, also some nuts and candy and quintruplet paper dolls.

With Lots of Love,  
BETTY BAUMAN

DEAR SANTA: I want a doll and a pair of skates, some quintruplet paper dolls, some candy and

nuts.  
With Lots of Love,  
PHYLLIS JEANNE BAUMAN

### Hornettes Victorious Over Abbot Team

(By J. Mc.)

The Gatesville High Hornettes copped their opening tilt Friday night when they journeyed to Abbot and took the game 24-14. The girls showed up good for their first game. The starting line-up was, Moore, Patterson and Simms as forwards, and Lester, Black and Mueller at the guard posts. All twelve of the traveling squad played in the game. Moore was high point, making thirteen tallies, and Patterson was second with nine.

The Hornettes will have their first home game tonight in the local gym when they play Pidcoke and Lampasas. Both games are expected to be good. The first game of the evening is scheduled for 7:00 o'clock. Let's all be out to see the games and give the team some support.

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# TOYS

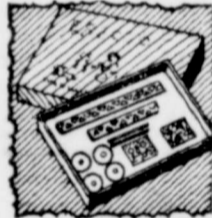
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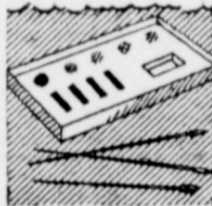
### CHOOSE THESE GIFTS TO PLEASE THEM!



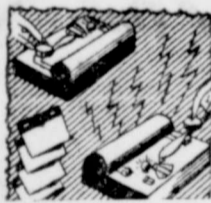
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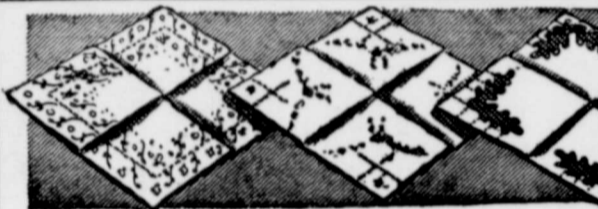
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**SOCIETY  
In The**

By  
**ANNIE RUTH WITT**  
News Society Editor

**NEWS**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1940

**Mrs. Winters Entertains  
At New Home in Evant**

Mrs. S. B. Winters was hostess to a group of friends when she entertained with a bridge party at her new home in Evant Friday afternoon. The Christmas theme prevailed in the decorations and other appointments, and seasonable flowers adorned the reception suite, where three tables were arranged for the games.

Concluding the affair, the hostess served delectable salad and dessert courses. Included in the compliment were the following from Gatesville: Mrs. Wade Sadler, Mrs. John Thomas Brown, Mrs. Bob Saunders, Mrs. Francis Johnson and Miss Joyce Baker.

**Doris Ament Weds  
Byrom Coward**

In a quiet ceremony performed at the Baptist parsonage in this city Friday evening at 6 o'clock, Miss Doris Ament, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kay Ament, became the bride of Byrom Coward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coward of the Ames community. The Rev. C. M. Spalding officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in a lovely soldier blue frock with brown accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations. Miss Margaret Melton, Miss Pearl Deen Coskrey and Noble Coward were the only attendants.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for a short honeymoon trip to Austin, after which they will be at home in the Ames community, where the bridegroom is in the ranching business.

Mrs. Coward was graduated from Gatesville High School and attended an Austin Business College. Mr. Coward also graduated from Gatesville High School.

**SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND  
STATE AND RELIGIOUS  
LIBERTY**

By Rev. M. E. Dodd, D. D., LL. D.  
(Third Installment)

Once again that issue confronts the religious leadership of the world. Kagawa is in jail in Japan. Neimuller is in a concentration camp in Germany. The messages of ministers are controlled in other countries. If we continue the direction we are going in the United States it will not be difficult for ministers here to get themselves in jail. To preach the gospel of God's grace is the imperative need of this day. If society is to be saved, it must be saved on the inside first and then saved by saved individuals.

The second imperative service which we can render is in the field of Christian education. The moment a state secures a monopoly on all education, then the free processes of thought are at an end. A monopoly in the business world

is not good for the people. How much less is a monopoly in the intellectual world, even though it be a monopoly by the state. We must look to our Christian colleges if freedom of thought and freedom of action and freedom of religion are to be maintained.

I submit that there is a definite and direct relationship between spiritual ideals, Christian education and democracy. Let us see how this is confirmed in our own country.

At the beginning of the United States practically all of our academies and colleges were founded under Christian auspices. It was written into the corporate law of Harvard, Yale and Princeton, that youth should be educated in godliness. They said: "Piety without education would perish, and education without piety would be a curse."

Most presidents, principals and teachers were ministers of the gospel and practically all of them were definitely Christian. Each session of the public school was opened with Bible reading and prayer and Christianity was as natural and normal to the school life as athletics is now.

Furthermore, the text books of the earlier schools were definitely Christian, the Hornbook, which was a sort of paddle with translucent cover, contained the ten commandments, the Lord's Prayer and the apostles' creed. The New England primer, published by a Baptist printer in 1690, reached a circulation of three million, contained the alphabet in the form of the Scripture verses, the Lord's Prayer, the shorter catechism and much more religious material. The famous Blueback speller, published first in 1785, of which twenty million copies were sold, contained religious and moral teachings on at least 26 of its pages.

Then came a host of definite Christian colleges in the North, South, East and West. A Christian College may be said to be a college founded by Christian people, operated by a Christian board of trustees, taught by Christian teachers, with Christian character, conduct and service as its objectives.

From these sources there came into being and grew into power the world's greatest and grandest democracy, the United States of America.

But evil tendencies were initiated. The support of schools by government taxation made the contention for the separation of church and state seem reasonable and this resulted in the silent, slow and insidious elimination of one after another of Christian principles from the schools.

Laws have been passed here and there forbidding school boards to ask the religious affiliation of any candidate for a teaching position. Text books have gradually eliminated religious and moral material.

Dr. J. M. Price of Southwestern Baptist Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, says: "A study of 1,291 readers and spellers in the Congressional library reveals that while 22 per cent of the materials in those published in colonial days were religious, 50 per cent moral and only 28 per cent secular, the books of recent years have dropped in these points to no per cent religious, only 3 per cent moral and 97 per cent secular."

It is no wonder that Dr. Walter S. Athern of Boston University says: "We are fast drifting into a cultural paganism." It is paganism all right, but it may not be so very cultural. Paganism in the raw is seldom mild.

Horace Mann: "Let the common school be established and nine tenths of crime will become obsolete." But 100 years after the common school has been established, crime instead of becoming obsolete has increased 500 per cent. And, what is more, the average age of the criminal has fallen until it is now among the high school and early college students.

Edwin C. Hill, writing about the triumphs of modern science, says: "Tremendous as has been the advance of material knowledge, they cannot make for real happiness, for tranquillity of the human spirit, for the actual security of society and civilization, unless a new morality, a new spirituality walks with science into and along the hidden paths of the pregnant future. What the country needs today is less efficiency and efficiency experts and more human heart. Without this, material progress is futile and even fatal. Without them, we travel a road which leads only to disillusionment and to despair. Moral values outweigh every material gain that mankind has made in 5,000 years."

There are three institutions which must carry the brunt of responsibility in these matters; namely, the home, the school and the church. We are the product of God who made and endowed us, of

the home which inspired us, of the school which taught us, of the church which directed us, of the government which protects us and of the society which provides for us. Only God can create. The school can only train. The government can only enforce the law. We shall have exactly the kind of government which we demand and deserve.

God bless America! Keep her people free; may she ever possess the precious jewels of economic freedom, and above all religious freedom upon which all other freedom depends.



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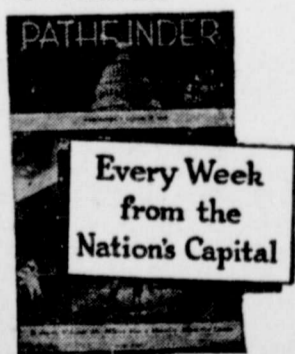


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## Personals

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Miss Minnie Lou Witt was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haney

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of Kamay during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Thomas and daughters, Eloise and Joyce, attended a birthday dinner given for Mrs. Dean Turner and Walter Moran in Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Rutherford and son of Luling spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McBride of Jonesboro and also Mr. Rutherford's sisters, Misses Margaret and Irene Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bridges and sons of Stephenville spent Sunday with Mr. Bridges' brother, Kit Bridges, in this city.

Mrs. Frank Truitt of Hamilton visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Wollard of Hamilton is a guest of Mrs. Jack Wollard and other relatives in this city this week.

Miss Peggy Louise Wollard has moved here from Hamilton to attend school and is making her home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wollard.

Mrs. Grace Bellamy and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nettles visited Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Nelson in Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coward and daughter, Patsy Ann, were guests of Mr. Coward's sister in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Pruitt attended the Masonic Home-Dallas football game in Dallas Saturday.

Miss Johnye Carroll and Mrs. Donald McKinney were Waco visitors Monday.

Cam McGilvray spent the week end in Wichita Falls as a guest of David Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Thomson and son, Tom Post, Mrs. John T. Post, Mrs. Annabel Chamlee and son, Billy, were guests of Mrs. J. T. Leeson Jr. and sons in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Clark and Mrs. W. H. Everett spent Monday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Lively visited Mr. Lively's mother, Mrs. Alice Lively, near Dublin Sunday. Mrs. Lively returned home with them for a visit.

Jan Jones, student at SHSTC in Huntsville, and Bryan Jones, who attends Texas University at Austin, were guests of their parents the past week end.

Mrs. Aurelius Poston of Dallas spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Farmer, in this city. She returned home Saturday with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Williams of Mexia were here Thursday night and attended the Pageant of American Democracy staged at the local school.

James Bradley, who is in the U. S. Army stationed at Fort Sam Houston, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bradley.

Miss Ruth Hanna, who attends Baylor University, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanna, during the week end.

Miss Virginia Bureson and her roommate, Miss Jean Wadkins of Dallas, students at Baylor University, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bureson, at the State Training School. They will return to Waco Wednesday.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Spalding and daughter, Jennie Kathryn, during the past week end were, Miss Margaret Burton and Hollis Moore of Kerrville, who are students at Baylor University.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Liljeblad, Mrs. G. W. Byrom and Miss Fred Byrom spent Sunday in Temple with Mrs. Edd Wilson.

Dr. Carl Holder of Corpus Christi, former resident of this city, visited friends here Saturday. He was en route to Dallas.

Mrs. Blanche Powell and Miss Elizabeth Bigham were week end visitors of relatives in Alice.

### Levita

Mrs. P. H. Permenter, cors

We are having some beautiful weather, a little cooler; good for hog killing and several have already killed some.

One day last week Mrs. Dee Collins, Mrs. Bud Dickie, Mrs. Kate Permenter spent the afternoon with Mrs. W. C. Miles and had a good time.

Mrs. Jocie Dutton is not doing any good. She has gotten where she can't turn herself in bed and can't sit up any.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Davis have moved in Levita having leased their farm out to Mr. Earnest Trammel. Mr. Davis wanted to be close as his wife is one of the teachers in the school here.

Mr. Herbert Dickie and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dickie, Sunday.

Mrs. Matie Rogers, Mrs. Kate Permenter called on Mrs. Ethel Rogers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Gran Rogers is buying some turkeys. Hope he makes a success. The League is still doing a good work for the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and baby of Athens visited Mr. and Mrs. Boss Anderson. Mrs. Cox's parents and also Robert Cox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cox, of Athens and daughter, Miss Sible Anderson, are visiting relatives in Odesa. They went Saturday after Thanksgiving and will stay until about Christmas.

Mrs. P. H. Permenter has been off on a visit about three weeks, but is back home again. She went to Houston and stayed a week with

her granddaughter, Mrs. Leeta Morgan, and had a grand time; she attended church while there and had a big fish and oyster dinner. Then she came to Navasota, where she visited another granddaughter, Mrs. Zelma Dyer, at Dyer's Mill and was water bound for two days. She at two Thanksgiving dinners while there.

### White Hall

Robbie Mae Chambers, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut visited High Davis Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Westerfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lander Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wright entertained the 84 Club Saturday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schloeman, and daughter, Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lander and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crawford last Wednesday night were, Mrs. Emily Jones, Mrs. David McBroom, Mr. Stanley Leland, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wright, and children, Mrs. Sudie Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard and Joe Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rankin, Mrs. Tom Davidson Jr. and daughter, Lavetta Nell, went to Waco Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of Ab Chesnut, an uncle of Mr. A. D. Chesnut and Mrs. C. E. Rankin.

Several from this community attended the Santa Claus parade at Gatesville Friday.

Those visiting home folks from Brownwood this week end were, Mr. Raymond Blankenship, Roland Wright, Otha Stanley, James Nichols, and Paige Blankenship.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCarver and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wright Saturday night.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut last Thursday night were, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCarver and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lander, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wright and children, Mrs. Sudie Blankenship and Mr. Stanley Lander.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Blankenship last Thursday afternoon were, Mrs. Sudie Blankenship, Billie Rae and Patsy Nell Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blankenship.

### Loony Lucy

Langtry, Texas, Dec. 7, 1940.

Mr. Ward Burris, Sports Editor, The Express, San Antonio, Texas. Dear Chum:

I seen where Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Knox is a gallavantin' around the Carribean Sea a lookin' fer defense bases to inspect. I hope they knows one when they sees it. Maybe it ought to be all right to take along a Genrul or a Admirul—it could be they'd know somethin' about inspectin' defense bases. Oh, well—it's a nice time of year to go boat ridin' down south.

My boy friends is in the draft. His ma wanted him to go to West Point and be an officer, but he wouldn't do it. He said some folks might like to be a Kernul, with a eagle on his shoulder, but that he wanted to be a private with a chicken on his knee.

I guess I better write to old St. Nicholas. I ain't plowed up any cotton this year and I ain't got no checks from the Government. I shore could use a load of hay in my sock. My burrows is a findin' the pickin' sorta short these days.

I think somebody musta sung a song, "Stand up, Stand up fer Aggieland," just before the Texas game. Fer as I can remember the Aggie line and blockers was a standin' up half the afternoon in Austin. The other half the Longhorns had 'em knocked down.

I see where the Aggie Association in San Antone had a dinner and bull session and showed pictures of the Rice game. I guess they'd rather see pictures of the Rice game than the Texas game.

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## PAGEANT OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY IS COLORFUL EVENT STAGED BY STUDENTS

In a beautiful setting of red, white and blue, the pageant of American Democracy, "I Am An American", was presented by the Gatesville Schools Thursday evening in the local gymnasium under the capable direction of Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook.

Every detail was suggestive of the patriotic theme. Directly above the center of the stage entrance was a large lighted United States flag, and steps led to either side of the stage from the auditorium floor; these steps were draped with striped material tied at intervals with red bows. Blue with white stars formed the background with the white throne centering the stage. Back of the throne was a large lighted star, and on either side were groups of small U. S. flags.

Opening the program was the playing of The Star Spangled Banner by Mrs. Elworth Lowrey, pianist, who rendered the music throughout the evening. Scouts, Jack Pruner, Henry Straw, Robert Warren, Don Burdette, Ayres Anderson, Louis Shelton, Paul J. Ashby, Milroy Powell, George Hodges, Robert Routh, Harold Smith and Seldon Graham, entered and formed a canopy with flags. Heralds, Lanelle Brooks and Patty Louise Ashby, preceded the announcer, Lee Hord, who made an appropriate speech.

Soldiers, led by the drummer, Mary Ruth Franks, were represented by the Marines, Barbara Baize, Nellie Ruth Walker, Betty Jo Cantrell, Doris Chambers, the Air Corps, Jean Hill, Dorothy Chamlee, Wilma Earl Colvin, Martha Ann Burdette, the Army, Kathleen Flatt, Glyn Hayes, Helen Thompson, Hallie Jo Jackson, and the Navy, Celestine Rabbe, Patti Ruth Stewart, Jerry Davis, Norma Joy Pollard.

Our Fair North and Our Sunny South was represented by Jimmy Byrom, Yankee Doodle, and Ann McClellan as Miss Dixie. After their entrance was the presentation of Mr. Equality, John Frank Byrom, and Mr. Justice, Hulon Thompson.

### MR. DEMOCRACY ANNOUNCED

Jimmy McClellan, as Mr. Democracy, was announced and took his place at the throne. Following this was the presentation of The Spirit of American Democracy, by representatives from the High School Clubs: Spirit of Personal Liberty, Girls Basketball, Doris Patterson, Dick Anderson; Spirit of Equal Suffrage, Library, Doris Riley, Donald Daniels; Spirit of Religious Tolerance, Band, Betty Jane Jones, Robert Earl Ashby; Separation of Church and State, Press, Katie Spradley, Norris Graves; Spirit of Free Speech, Football, Mary Margaret Holmes, Billy Oldham; Spirit of Free Press, Home Economics, Peggy Etchison, Harold Hedgepeth; Spirit of Free Education, Choral Club, Julia Ann Melbern, Bert Floyd; Spirit of Trial by Jury, Pep squad, Camille Lester, Kenneth Fry; Spirit of Racial Tolerance, FFA, Betty Jo Stewart, Anson Bertrand; and Spirit of Equal Opportunity, Dramatics, Harriet Robinson, Robert Stockburger.

Represented by Classes, The Spirit of American Government was featured by the following: The Mayflower Compact, 7th Grade, Pauline Martin, Carl Gandy; The Virginia House of Burgesses, 8th Grade, Betty Jane Galloway, Dan Edwards; The First Continental Congress, Elementary School, Rosella McCoy, George Painter; The Second Continental Congress, 6th Grade, Dorothy Hodson, Sam Ed Franks; The Declaration of Independence, Eleventh Grade, Adeline Powell, Carl Floyd; The Articles of Confederation, 10th grade, Madlon Copeland, Fred Post; The Constitution of the United States of America, Eleventh Grade, Mary Jane Slone, Ben Owen Crow; The Legislative Department, Ninth

Grade, Grace Wiegand, Jimmie Dick Thomas; The Executive Department, Ninth Grade, Helen Johnson, Charles Caruth; and The Judicial Department, 10th grade, Sara Frances Graham, Joe Hanna.

A mighty empire was portrayed by the following classes: The States of New England, Eleventh Grade, Johnnie Belle Coskrey, Ray Ward; The States of the East, Ninth Grade, Vivian McKelvy, James Reid Powell; The States of the Middle West, 11th Grade, Louise Griffith, Charles Bailey Sydow; The States of the Far West, 10th grade, Josephine McClellan, Harold Thomas; The States of the South, 10th Grade, Jean Stinnett, Bob Cross; and The Possessions of the United States, 9th grade, Jane McCown, John Barry.

After the song, Where Else But Here?, Miss Liberty, Mabel Marion Brown, and Miss Happiness, Frances Reesing, were announced.

### MISS AMERICA PRESENTED

Flower girls, Ann Miller, Carol Ann Schwarz, Mary Nell Floyd, Joann Jones, Amanda Lou Hatter, and Betty Bauman, made the path to the throne beautiful preceding the presentation of Miss America, Jennie Kathryn Spalding. Miss America wore a beautiful white taffeta gown with a sweeping train adorned with silver sequins. She wore long white gloves and carried an arm bouquet of large white chrysanthemums, tied with red, white and blue ribbons. Her headdress resembled that of the Statue of Liberty. Miss Liberty and Miss Happiness wore taffeta frocks of red and blue with long trains and carried arm bouquets of large chrysanthemums.

The song, Our Glorious America, preceded the presentation of The Spirit of American History, represented by: The Puritans of 1628, Marie Meharg, Dickie Harmon; The Spirit of '76, Liberty Bell, brought to the stage and placed at the throne by two soldiers; The Trail of the Golden West, 1849, June Chamlee, Bobbie Melton; The Blue and the Gray 1865, Yvonne Davis, Gaines Franks, Juanita Yates, George Studer; The Gay Nineties, 1890, Jo Ann Bailey, Ralph Bailey; and Over There, 1918, Martha Lou Phillips, Kenneth Paxton. Before the Liberty Bell was presented, Mabel Marion Brown, soloist, was featured in the song, Peace and Freedom.

Julia Ann Melbern sang, Your Flag and Mine preceding the Pledge of Allegiance, The Star Spangled Banner, and the songs, I am An American, by the cast.

The program, presented for Miss America and Mr. Democracy, consisted of the following numbers: Balloon Drill, First Grade; Three Tumblers, Betty Pat Sherwood, Janet Sadler, Harvey Jean Hamilton; Colonial Dance, Third Grade; Acrobatic Dance, Doris Jean Hodson, and a Military Drill, Fourth Grade.

The concluding number was the song, God Bless America, with Billy Oldham featured as soloist.

### Birthday Dinner Given At E. P. Berry Home

The brothers and sisters of Mrs. Hugh McClesky of Stephenville and their families met at the home of their aunt, Mrs. E. P. Berry, Sunday, December 1, to celebrate Mrs. McClesky's birthday. Enjoying the delicious dinner with the honoree were, her family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sellers, Miss Delphia Farquhar, and Mr. and Mrs. Berry.

### McGilvray Home is Scene Of Bridge Club Meeting

Complimenting members and additional guests of the Ace High Bridge Club, Misses Thelma and Truie Pearl McGilvray entertained at their home on Fennimore Street Friday evening. Poinsettias

were placed at vantage points about the reception rooms, and red candles in white holders, carrying out the red and white color scheme, centered each of the four tables.

After prizes had been presented Miss Linnie Fore and Mrs. Joe Ricketts, who held high and second high scores, respectively, the hostesses served an appetizing salad course.

The guest personnel included: Misses Dorothy Culberson, Linnie Fore, Maude Alyce Painter, Ann Hill, Bess Holmes, Minnie Lou Witt, Lois Grantham, Aurora Yon- gue, Wilhelmina Cayce, Mary Old-

ham, Mary Ross, Joyce Baker, and Mesdames Noma Hodson, Joe Ricketts, and Robert Scott.

### Clements-Dawson Nuptial Rites at Copperas Cove

Miss Margaret Clements, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clements of Copperas Cove, and Lester Roy Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dawson of Copperas Cove, were married at 2 p. m. November 28 at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. L. L. Brown officiating.

The bride wore a soldier blue costume suit with dubonnet accessories. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Nada Sue Clements,

who was attired in a royal blue suit. Mr. Dawson was attended by Miniard Crabb as best-man.

The wedding music was played by Miss Mary Crabb.

Mrs. Dawson graduated from Copperas Cove High School, attended Mary Hardin-Baylor College, and graduated from John Tarleton College. She has been employed in Gatesville since June. Mr. Dawson graduated from Lampasas High School and will receive his degree from the University of Texas next June.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson left for a short wedding trip, after which they will make their home in Austin.—Copperas Cove Crony.

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## THE PEACEMONGERS AND AMERICAN SECURITY

There are two ways of analyzing the relation of the United States to World War II. One is the short-range view, based upon sentiment, prejudice, and historically. The second is the long-range view, predicated upon realism, objectivity, actuality, and a recognition of new forces and factors at work in Europe which render perilous any comparison of present events with those of the past.

The first viewpoint was that adopted by the hapless French, who assumed that the present war would be fought with the same tactics employed in the last conflict. Defense strategy, use of the blockade, starvation in Germany—these would destroy the forces of totalitarianism, reasoned the French and the British. We need not recapitulate the destruction of France and the present plight of Britain, resulting from acceptance of this fallacious thesis.

Unfortunately, many Americans share this short-range vision.

This column is amazed that intelligent Americans should fail to realize the hideous potentialities of a totalitarian victory in Europe, Asia, and Africa to American security; that they have slept through the ruthless destruction of Aus-

tria, Denmark, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Norway, Belgium, Holland, and France; that they are unaware of the grandiose scheme of the dictators to divide the world among the Germans, the Russians, the Japanese, and the Italians, leaving not one square inch of territory under the dominion of a free people.

This column categorically repudiates the reasoning of those who adhere to this short-range view of America's strategic and economic position in respect to the war and to the possibility of a Nazi triumph, and will endeavor herewith to dispell some of the common arguments advanced in support of this fairy-tale viewpoint:

First, we are told that as early as 1934 Americans were cognizant of the implications of Nazidom to the European status quo and to peace, and that consequently the British and the peoples of Europe now living under the heel of German oppression also should have recognized the dangers of Hitlerism and have prepared accordingly.

If the American people possessed such clairvoyant powers during the period from 1933 to 1939, why did they fail to take steps to prepare their own defenses until Europe was in a shambles? The British and their democratic al-

lies are condemned for not arming while the United States waited until this year to undertake large-scale rearmament in the face of unfriendly relations with Japan since 1931 and with the Germans since 1937.

In retrospect, we in America realize that the British, the French and their allies never should have trusted Hitler, who lured them into a sense of false security by frequent protestations that his ambitions would be satisfied with but one more concession by the democracies. But should the American people have trusted the leadership of banker and financiers and industrialists who led them down the path to economic ruin in 1929? The incredulity of both actions is amazing but factual.

While acceding that the British and the French should have fought Hitler several years before 1939—perhaps when he marched into the Rhineland in 1935—we nevertheless must have sympathy with the natural reluctance of these peoples to plunge Europe into another bloody holocaust with vivid remembrances of the four years of hell from 1914 to 1918 regnant in their memories.

For in World War I we fought only a year and a half on soil 3,000 miles from our shores. We underwent comparatively few hardships and privations. We lost relatively few men. The peoples of Europe fought for four long years—some of them longer thru internal disturbances and revolutions. They fought on their own soil, and witnessed the demolition of their homes, cities, churches, factories, agricultural lands. They underwent the most severe privations and lost millions of men.

Can we rightly blame the European peoples for making all possible concession in order to avert the recurrence of another such

calastrophe? Do they not merit our praise and admiration for admitting their fallacy of judgement from 1933 to 1939 and for again assuming arms rather than submit to a foe incomparably stronger? (To be Continued)

## Secrest, Pearson Get Hospital Jobs

L. S. Secrest, local architect and engineer and T. Brooks Pearson of Waco were awarded a contract to design and submit plans for the proposed County-City Hospital.

These men have also been designated to supervise the construction of the hospital when the plans have been completed.

## SCHLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, December 5, there will be services. The pastor, Rev. H. L. DeVaney of Waco, will conduct the services. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 6:45 p. m. There will also be services Saturday night at 7 p. m. The pastor and members invite the general public to attend.

Rev. H. L. DeVaney, pastor.

## FRIDAY, THE THIRTEENTH

Yes, that's the date that several people will be lucky, because on that date there will be an Amateur Program at the New Olive School house at Leon Junction.

Everyone who can play a fiddle, pick a banjo, sing a song, dance a jig, or what have you, is cordially

invited to come and compete for the cash prizes.

The performance will be at 7:30 p. m. at the school auditorium. A small admission will be charged to all except contestants. Let us know ahead if you want to take part on the program.

## Courthouse News



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# In The WEEK'S NEWS



Parachute Built for Two—Annette Gipsen, aviatrix, designed it for her two-year-old son, Edward Magotfin, Jr.

Goodbye for a Year. Estelle Harris kisses her brother, Milton Harris, a trainee, as he leaves for Camp Upton, New York.



"Radio Academy Award" goes to Mary Margaret McBride, writer and columnist of the air, at Mexico, Mo. Curtis Mitchell, editor of Radio-Movie Guide, made "the award for excellence in broadcasting" during statewide observance of "Mary Margaret McBride Day," proclaimed by Gov. Stark.



New Ambassador to France is Rear Admiral William D. Leahy, Governor of Puerto Rico and former Chief of Naval Operations.

Jackie Coogan and Betty Grable arrive together at Edgar Bergen's "childhood ambition" party.

Good Coffee for the Army is pledged to Gen. Clifford Corbin, Assistant Quartermaster General, (left) by W. F. Williamson of the National Coffee Association. Lt. Col. Paul Logan, Supply Service, (right) stated the U. S. Army's need—5½ cups of coffee a day per man.

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see beyond their noses, or who have no desire beyond their physical appetites, who think more of their stomachs than of their souls, are easily coerced and cajoled into surrendering one right after another. It is a case of doing good that evil may come of it. Men give up the greater for the lesser. Some Christian groups whom it suits to be served by the state fall for this fake. They will find out too late that they have sold their souls for a mess of political pottage, and have lost their religious freedom.

The first step, economic and industrial enslavement, has gone pretty far. It is now in the president's power to close banks; to change the value of money; to take over any business which does not do as told; to determine hours and wages; to say who shall or shall not work, when or where; to make business contracts and deals with foreign countries involving vast sums of money without consulting either the cabinet or congress and to do various and sundry other things.

The second step which is political domination has widened its circle considerably within the past few years. This is done under the spacious pleas of "a mandate from the people," emergency, etc. This is the same claim that Hitler makes. His people voted him every authority that he possesses. But people may be coerced, as in Germany, or bribed, as in the United States, into voting a given ticket. A national poll shows 80 per cent of those on relief vote for the hand that holds the dough. One individual writes the platform for a political party, dictates the vice-presidential nominee and makes it impossible for the convention to nominate anybody else but himself as head. This third term demand is in contempt of a tradition established at the beginning of the republic, maintained through 150 years of its life and held by Washington and Jefferson to be sound, sensible and safe for the country. We have heard much of "must legislation," by which the legislative department is made subservient. There have been efforts at political purges for no reason than opposition. They are unlike the European purges only in that they are bloodless. Worst of all was the effort to bring the supreme court of the country under subjection.

The third step toward securing a complete dictatorship, as practiced in past centuries, and in other parts of the world at the present time, is in the religious realm. This, too, has begun in our time and in our country. The recognition of God hating, Christianity destroying Russia was a slap in the face of all religion. How different from President Taft's abrogation of a treaty with Russia on ac-

count of religious persecution. The present president's appointment of a representative to the Vatican constituted what might easily be the opening wedge for the recognition of state religion. At least, it followed the shrewd political movement of Constantine in throwing in a sop to a great group for the consideration of political support. Another item in the totalitarian direction was the proposed legislation which would bring ministers of religion into the circle of the social security program and which would give the government its first handhold on the churches. But for the awareness and alertness of certain religious groups that legislation would have been passed. There is pending at the present moment similar legislation

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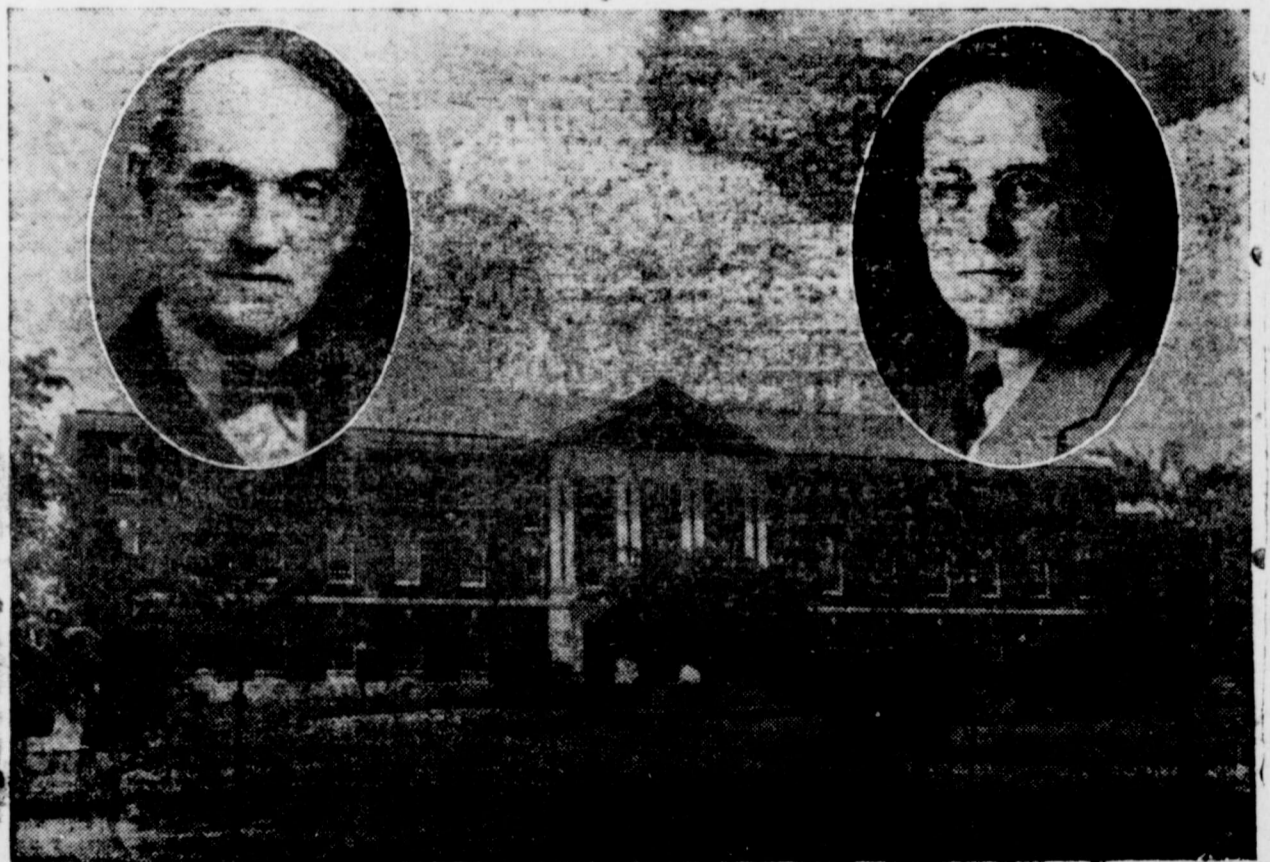
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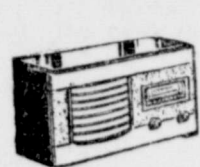
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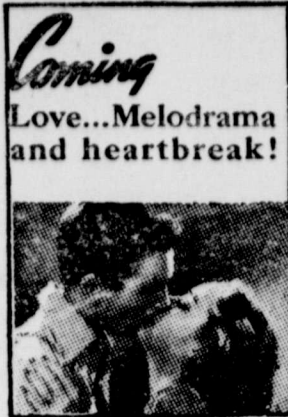
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Johnny Mason, young New York attorney, goes to Boston to get a deposition and comes back with a bride. He met on a street corner. They fell in love when he took a cinder from her eye. When Johnny tells Judge Doolittle, his boss, about the marriage, the judge is unimpressed. Doolittle had the idea Johnny was interested in his daughter Eunice. Instead of getting six weeks off for a honeymoon, Johnny gets only two. Then he takes Jane to meet his mother. Mrs. Mason faints when she learns they are married.

**Chapter Two**

Standing together on the embarkation deck of the SS. Normandie, Jane and Johnny were deliriously happy. Two weeks... two whole weeks alone — together. Life ahead promised nothing but happiness. Mrs. Mason had come out of her faint without further complications, and though she assumed the attitude of a martyred saint, she seemed resigned to the fact that her dear boy was married. It was agreed that when Jane and Johnny returned from their honeymoon, all three would live together, just one happy family. And there she was on the deck with them, bidding a tearful farewell. Repeatedly she admonished Jane. "Don't let him eat strawberries. He gets rashes. And when you get to London don't forget to make

mandie sailed, Jane and Johnny stood on the pier, his arm around her shoulders, almost tearfully watching the ship put out to sea. "I hate that Carter," said Jane. "We've still got our tickets," Johnny comforted her. "I hate Judge Doolittle." "I'll bet you hate me too," said Johnny, yielding to his own depression. Jane leaned her head against his shoulder. "Oh, Johnny —" she said tenderly. The Normandie sailed on, and out of sight.

There was no time for a honeymoon once Johnny got back to the law office. He worked night and day on the Higgins vs. Higgins case. In court, he won the first round of the legal battle. Meanwhile, Jane found an apartment in Washington Heights, an apartment with barely enough room for herself, Johnny and Mrs. Mason. But she was a happy bride, trying in her inexperienced way to make a comfortable home.

Mrs. Mason wasn't much help. She regarded herself an object of charity. She never directly offended Jane, but in small ways she managed to make things uncomfortable.

On the night of Jane's first dinner party for Judge Doolittle, Eunice and Carter, Mrs. Mason so antagonized Annie, the maid, with her interference in the kitchen, that Jane practically had to beg Annie on bended knee not to leave before the meal was ended. By the time Johnny came rushing home to get dressed before the



The ice cream had the consistency of gravy.

him wear his raincoat." Then, as an afterthought, "And take care of yourself, too." When the cry, "All ashore!" rang across the deck, Mrs. Mason clutched Johnny as though she never expected to see him again, then stumbled down the gang-plank. It made Jane feel like a kidnapper, but the feeling was forgotten when she and Johnny were alone in their tiny stateroom, smallest on the ship. Johnny looked at her adoringly. "Remember when I took that cinder out of your eye in Boston?" "I'll never forget it — we had to meet," Jane answered, going to his arms. "Oh, Johnny — isn't everything just beautiful?" Their lingering kiss was interrupted by a sharp knock on the door. Pulling apart, they exchanged glances. Johnny opened the door. Carter, of Johnny's office, stood there, a smug expression on his face. "Oh, hello Carter," Johnny greeted him. "Nice of you to come down." "Judge Doolittle sent me," said Carter. "You've got just ten minutes to get off the boat." "What're you talking about?" demanded Johnny. "Higgins against Higgins. It goes on the calendar for next week." "But I got a continuance," Johnny yelled. "And it fell through. Doolittle wants you back!" Franically, Jane leaped into the conversation. "Johnny, they can't do that to you!" "Certainly not!" he agreed. "Is that what you want me to tell Doolittle?" asked Carter. "Yes!" Jane shouted. Johnny's firmness, however, was melting. He asked Carter to step out while he talked to Jane. "Believe me, Jane," he told her when they were alone again, "under ordinary circumstances I'd tell Doolittle to jump in the lake. But this is a special case. If I win it there's a chance I might get into the firm. And a firm like that — So it was that when the Nor-

guests arrived, Jane was almost a nervous wreck. Johnny's hopes of getting into the firm were at high tide. "What's for dinner tonight?" he asked Jane between kisses. "Roast beef." "Zowie! Doolittle delight! Between roast beef and Higgins against Higgins — how can he lose?" They both raced through their dressing. When they entered the living room to make last-minute preparations, they still were chattering excitedly about Johnny's future. "Hurry! Old granite puss is due here any minute," yelled Johnny. From the other end of the room came a voice. "Good evening!" Judge Doolittle and the guests had already arrived. The dinner was a nightmare to Jane. The roast beef was tough. Mrs. Mason insisted on arguing with the judge. Annie walked out before the dessert course was over. The ice cream had the consistency of gravy. But Jane was not dismayed. She hoped that before the evening ended, Doolittle would announce Johnny the newest member of the firm. Doolittle finally leaned back, pulled from his vest pocket a cigar, and lighted up. "Is it true," Jane prompted, "that something is going to happen in the firm next week?" "Oh yes," said the judge, "we're considering a blood transfusion... I'm only speaking metaphorically, of course. What I mean is we're getting some new blood into the firm — appointing a junior partner." The judge paused and looked across the table at his daughter, Eunice, who was sitting next to the smug Carter. "As a rule," Doolittle continued, "I always trust my own judgment, but when it comes to picking men, I think there's nothing like a woman's instinct. Of course Eunice doesn't know much about law — but she does know people." "Beginning next Monday, the name of the firm will be —"

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## New York Heartbeat

**Memos of a Midnigher:** Farmer Paul Whiteman gave farmer Frank Norris of Time's staff a nice Aberdeen angus bull and farmer Norris is mighty appreciative . . . Ex-Senator McNaboe says if that item about keeping the wackiest company referred to him (which it didn't) he can prove it's inaccurate, etc . . . Eddie Cantor, whose flickers (except "40 Mothers") never grossed less than two million dollars, is 3,000 miles from H'wood, where they are producing a dozen musicals. No wonder the bankers who back some of those movie firms are getting grayer . . . Reader's Digest will soon have another competitor . . . Geo. Miller of the Jolson show is looking for the press agent of Kelly's Stables for erroneously coupling him with Martha Raye via nightly phone calls there.

**Sounds in the Night:** At the Circle Club: "Don't ever get the reputation of being 'a good guy' on Broadway. It's as bad as being a 'nice girl'!" . . . In the 48th St. Tavern: "He got his earache from his wife—and his eyestrain from other women" . . . In Jimmy Kelly's: "Why, he's so yeller he could give transfusions to a lemon" . . . At Club 18: "He's as cheap as glue and twice as sticky" . . . At the Russian Kretchma: "He's a nerve specialist—gets on everybody's" . . . In the Stork: "Has anybody ever called them Berlinsects?" . . . In the NBC news room Sunday night at 9:14: "Flash! The Italian army has just advanced twenty miles—into Italy!"

**New York Novelette:** Harry Nielson is a bartender in a saloon at 663 2nd Ave., New York . . . If he hadn't heard about customer Daly's "robbery" of two diamond rings, two innocent girls might have gone to prison . . . The girls are Wendy Martin and Jean Sauve, who were visiting Daly's apartment when he said his two diamond rings (valued at \$350) disappeared . . . He caused the arrest of the girls . . . Miss Martin's lawyer bailed her out, but Miss Sauve had to stay in a cell . . . Then one Robert Mallon read the item in the papers and happened to mention it to bartender Nielson, also a friend of Daly's . . . "Why, Daly never lost any rings. I've got them

in an envelope in my safe for him!" said Nielson. "He was too intoxicated one midnight to be carrying such valuables, so he gave them to me for safekeeping" . . . Finally, Daly, whose brain had cleared by this time (weeks later!) told the District Attorney of his mistake . . . The complaint against the two innocent girls was dismissed without even an apology or expression of regret.

**Broadway Ticker-Tape:** Merry Madcap Fahrney tells chums she will marry that German Baron when his decree is final. And that they'll dwell in a Berlin castle. Well, it serves them both right . . . F. Tone picked up the darndest burning epidermis at Palm Springs, Calif . . . Edith Luce, the lovely "Louisiana Purchase" show girl, and Eduardo Matthews are One and One Who Make Twooooo . . . Irene Morgan, 17-year-old senorita at Havana-Madrid, still gets posies and taffy from Bill Young, whose pop is an exec at a baking firm. They eloped when they were 14—three years ago. Their folks had it annulled—making them wilder about each other than if they were sealed! They will wed in June when she's 18 . . . Ambassador J. P. Kennedy's real ambish is to become a movie producer! . . . The H. R. Luces of Time, Life, Forchin, etc., plan a holiday (a what?) in China, in January . . . Is Bullitt to succeed Ambassador Daniels in Mexico? . . . The papers say the Greeks are chasing the Mussolinis in tanks left behind by the run-aways . . . That revises the proverb to read: "Beware of gifts bearing Greeks!"

**Typewriter Ribbons:** Jean Dickenson's: Hollywood is like its fruit—colossal in size, but you're not quite sure of its flavor . . . Thomas Mann's: The waves lowered their heads like bulls and charged against the beach . . . Sinclair Lewis': A smile like an airy pat on the arm . . . Abe Martin's: He holds a dancing partner as if he's afraid she'll explode . . . Jerome K. Jerome's: Idleness and kisses, to be sweet, must be stolen . . . Gellert Burgess': He had a hand like 20 cents' worth of bananas . . . Hugh Walpole's: She was the sort of disagreeable old woman who is forever slapping the face of the present with the dead hand of the past . . . Guy De Maupassant's: She wept like a gutter on a rainy day.

**Manhattan Murals:** The first glimpse of New York city by air—like the taste of your second glass of champagne . . . The money jive talkers in Harlem: "Lend me a foot," meaning lend me \$2 . . .

The punch-drunk third-rate fighters, who loiter near 8th and 51st in The Pursuit of Slap-Happiness . . . The girls who have bulls-eye trigger fingers in those midtown shooting galleries . . . The chalked message on the wall at 48th and 9th: "Margie. You didn't show up. Nuts to you. S.S."

## MENUS

### TURKEY STUFFING

Half a loaf of bread crumbs without the crust, half a teacup of butter (or some take finely chopped suet), 1 tablespoonful of powdered sage or thyme, half a teaspoonful of pepper, 1 teaspoonful of salt, and 1 or 2 eggs well beaten, a pint of oysters taken from their liquor and all particles of grit and shell removed, are nice added to the dressing.

### A MODERN METHOD OF BAKING TURKEY

Prepare one of the poultry stuffings and fill cavity not too full (leave room to expand) after rubbing the inside with a little salt. Sew up the opening. Place fowl in a roasting pan, breast downward at first, and brown, cover the pan, and add 1-2 cup of water, reduce the heat to moderate and cook until tender. Allow fifteen minutes for each pound. Pieces of salt pork, bacon, or the chicken fat itself, may be placed over the breast to insure a juicy meat. A little salt, pepper and flour, mixed together, may be sprinkled over the fowl at the beginning if one desires. Serve with giblet gravy.

The word milliner comes from Milaner, after inhabitants of Milan, Italy, which once was a great center for feminine finery.

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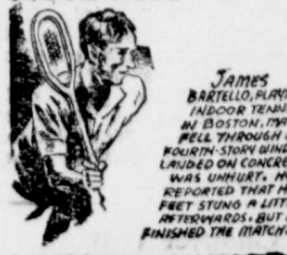
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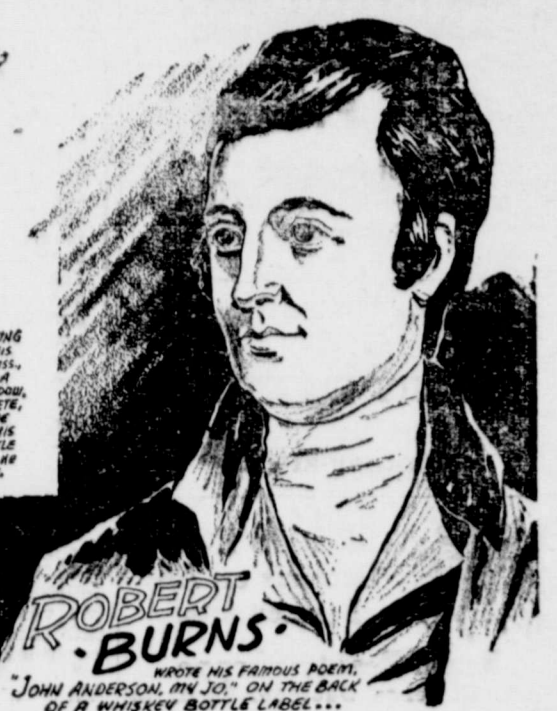
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## "In YOUR Opinion"

By NORMAN CHANDLER

Chairman,  
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NORMAN CHANDLER

YOU may or may not be worried about the size of the national debt.

You may favor or disapprove farm loans or pensions to aged stockbrokers.

You have a perfect right to your own opinion on any subject that affects this community or this nation. But, if your opinion is going to count, it must be based on knowledge.

If you told me you favored a law controlling traffic on Mars, I would question your right to that view—simply because we haven't any news reports on Mars.

You can interest me in the Polish refugee problem or in the November elections or the 1941-model cars. Those things have been duly reported by people you and I know to be trustworthy and accurate in what they report.

In fact, it is your duty to have opinions—and to express them—on two important phases of life.

1. You must have opinions on the laws and the men and the policies of the government. We are a SELF-governing nation. If we don't watch and help and control, we don't deserve to be free.
2. You must know the value of money and what it will buy. Few of us have so much money that we can fulfill our every whim. We have to pick and choose from all the things that are offered—so that we get the essentials of diet, health, comfort, security in full measure from our dollars.

Thus, unless you want to be the blind puppet of some dictator and as thoughtless of tomorrow as a Hottentot, you have to know what is going on around you. Which means, of course, that you must have newspapers—and good ones, at that.

Germany's newspapers or Russia's wouldn't help you much. Perhaps, by constant propaganda, they might teach you to forget your ideas of freedom and to forego your dignity and competence as an individual created in God's image.



Read, for instance, these few sentences from Adolph Hitler's "Mein Kampf":

"Propaganda has always to be directed more and more towards the feeling, and only to a certain extent to so-called reason. All propaganda has to be popular and has to adapt its spiritual level to the perception of the least intelligent of those towards whom it intends to direct itself.

"The masses, however, with their inertia, always need a certain time before they are ready even to notice a thing, and they will lend their memories only to the thousandfold repetition of the most simple ideas."

Now turn through the newspaper you are reading. Notice the news. See how carefully it is put together to give you a quick and accurate picture of what actually happened everywhere. Look at the respectful way the merchants and manufacturers beg for your patronage. Can you imagine an American advertiser commanding you or threatening you if you refused to like his wares?



Can you imagine your newspaper editor writing down to you, treating you like an animal, to be trained "by the thousandfold repetition of the most simple ideas"?

In your opinion, isn't your role as a free citizen, armed with accurate news and truthful facts about values, a rather desirable role?

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## MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY



**Pearl**

Mrs. Leo Brown, Cors.

The entire community was shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Tom Keeton. She fell dead at the barn, where she had gone to milk the cow. Mrs. Dessie Meyers was with her at the time of her death. Dessie had gone to spend the night with Mrs. Keeton, as

Mr. Keeton had left Thursday morning for Brownwood to work. She was buried on Saturday in the Spring Hill cemetery. Her children, Mrs. Gentry of Roscoe, Mrs. R. E. Goff of Hamilton, Mrs. Hodges of Gatesville, John L. Walker of Port Arthur, Mrs. Charlie Freeman of Pearl, were all present at her funeral.

Mr. Edison Hoosier of Ewing spent Friday night in the home of T. H. Oney.

Mrs. Betty Peavy of Mound has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Henry Edmondson was brought home from a Waco Hospital Sunday. He is doing very well. Henry and Novis Huff were in a car accident in Waco last week. The car was badly wrecked.

Emmit Cox and family are moving to the George Whitt place. Emmit has bought the place.

Johnnie Carswell's mother and Mrs. Pat Carswell of Molen visited him Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Sanders of Liberty visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris Sunday. Arthur is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Charlie Smith received a message that she had a new grandson, born to Mrs. Floyd Smith on November 28. He has been given the name Jerry Mace.

A. V. Freeman of Austin spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Freeman.

Albert Gates and Tom Harper of Port Arthur are bird hunting in the Pearl community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Featherston of Goldthwaite were visitors in the J. A. Carswell home Sunday.

M. Tharp, Henry and Nona Jane Franks, Bessie Earl Whitt and Merle Brown were visitors in Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hodo's home at Evant Monday night.

**Ater**

Mrs. Birdie Coward, cors.

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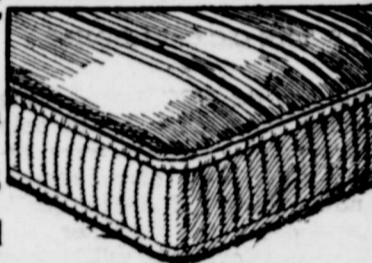
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## New York Heartbeat

**Memos of a Midnigher:** Farmer Paul Whiteman gave farmer Frank Norris of Time's staff a nice Aberdeen angus bull and farmer Norris is mighty appreciative . . . Ex-Senator McNaboe says if that item about keeping the wackiest company referred to him (which it didn't) he can prove it's inaccurate, etc . . . Eddie Cantor, whose flickers (except "40 Mothers") never grossed less than two million dollars, is 3,000 miles from H'wood, where they are producing a dozen musicals. No wonder the bankers who back some of those movie firms are getting grayer . . . Reader's Digest will soon have another competitor . . . Geo. Miller of the Jolson show is looking for the press agent of Kelly's Stables for erroneously coupling him with Martha Raye via nightly phone calls there.

**Sounds in the Night:** At the Circle Club: "Don't ever get the reputation of being 'a good guy' on Broadway. It's as bad as being a 'nice girl'!" . . . In the 48th St. Tavern: "He got his earache from his wife—and his eyestrain from other women" . . . In Jimmy Kelly's: "Why, he's so yellor he could give transfusions to a lemon" . . . At Club 18: "He's as cheap as glue and twice as sticky" . . . At the Russian Kretchma: "He's a nerve specialist—gets on everybody's" . . . In the Stork: "Has anybody ever called them Berlinsects?" . . . In the NBC news room Sunday night at 9:14: "Flash! The Italian army has just advanced twenty miles—into Italy!"

**New York Novelette:** Harry Nielson is a bartender in a saloon at 663 2nd Ave., New York . . . If he hadn't heard about customer Daly's "robbery" of two diamond rings, two innocent girls might have gone to prison . . . The girls are Wendy Martin and Jean Sauve, who were visiting Daly's apartment when he said his two diamond rings (valued at \$350) disappeared . . . He caused the arrest of the girls . . . Miss Martin's lawyer bailed her out, but Miss Sauve had to stay in a cell . . . Then one Robert Mallon read the item in the papers and happened to mention it to bartender Nielson, also a friend of Daly's . . . "Why, Daly never lost any rings. I've got them

in an envelope in my safe for him!" said Nielson. "He was too intoxicated one midnight to be carrying such valuables, so he gave them to me for safekeeping" . . . Finally, Daly, whose brain had cleared by this time (weeks later!) told the District Attorney of his mistake . . . The complaint against the two innocent girls was dismissed without even an apology or expression of regret.

**Broadway Ticker-Tape:** Merry Madcap Fahrney tells chums she will marry that German Baron when his decree is final. And that they'll dwell in a Berlin castle. Well, it serves them both right . . . F. Tone picked up the darndest burning epidermis at Palm Springs, Calif. . . . Edith Luce, the lovely "Louisiana Purchase" show girl, and Eduardo Matthews are One and One Who Make Twooooo . . . Irene Morgan, 17-year-old senorita at Havana-Madrid, still gets posies and taffy from Bill Young, whose pop is an exec at a baking firm. They eloped when they were 14—three years ago. Their folks had it annulled—making them wilder about each other than if they were sealed! They will wed in June when she's 18 . . . Ambassador J. P. Kennedy's real ambition is to become a movie producer! . . . The H. R. Luces of Time, Life, Forch, etc., plan a holiday (a what?) in China, in January . . . Is Bullitt to succeed Ambassador Daniels in Mexico? . . . The papers say the Greeks are chasing the Mussolinis in tanks left behind by the run-aways . . . That revises the proverb to read: "Beware of gifts bearing Greeks!"

**Typewriter Ribbons:** Jean Dickenson's: Hollywood is like its fruit—colossal in size, but you're not quite sure of its flavor . . . Thomas Mann's: The waves lowered their heads like bulls and charged against the beach . . . Sinclair Lewis's: A smile like an airy pat on the arm . . . Abe Martin's: He holds a dancing partner as if he's afraid she'll explode . . . Jerome K. Jerome's: Idleness and kisses, to be sweet, must be stolen . . . Gellert Burgess's: He had a hand like 20 cents' worth of bananas . . . Hugh Walpole's: She was the sort of disagreeable old woman who is forever slapping the face of the present with the dead hand of the past . . . Guy De Maupassant's: She wept like a gutter on a rainy day.

**Manhattan Murals:** The first glimpse of New York city by air—like the taste of your second glass of champagne . . . The money jive talkers in Harlem: "Lend me a foot," meaning lend me \$2 . . .

The punch-drunk, third-rate fighters, who loiter near 8th and 51st in The Pursuit of Slap-Happiness . . . The girls who have bulls-eye trigger fingers in those midtown shooting galleries . . . The chalked message on the wall at 48th and 9th: "Margie. You didn't show up. Nuts to you. S.S."

## MENUS

### TURKEY STUFFING

Half a loaf of bread crumbs without the crust, half a teacup of butter (or some take finely chopped suet), 1 tablespoonful of powdered sage or thyme, half a teaspoonful of pepper, 1 teaspoonful of salt, and 1 or 2 eggs well beaten, a pint of oysters taken from their liquor and all particles of grit and shell removed, are nice added to the dressing.

### A MODERN METHOD OF BAKING TURKEY

Prepare one of the poultry stuffings and fill cavity not too full (leave room to expand) after rubbing the inside with a little salt. Sew up the opening. Place fowl in a roasting pan, breast downward at first, and brown, cover the pan, and add 1-2 cup of water, reduce the heat to moderate and cook until tender. Allow fifteen minutes for each pound. Pieces of salt pork, bacon, or the chicken fat itself, may be placed over the breast to insure a juicy meat. A little salt, pepper and flour, mixed together, may be sprinkled over the fowl at the beginning if one desires. Serve with giblet gravy.

The word milliner comes from Milaner, after inhabitants of Milan, Italy, which once was a great center for feminine finery.

## FEATURES

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Walter Winchell  
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# NEWS

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## But It's True



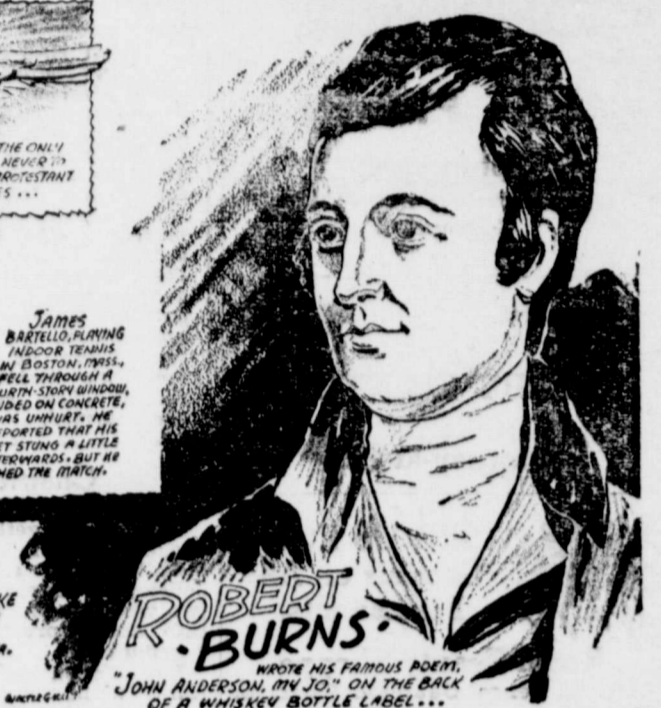
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JAMES BARTELLO, PLAYING INDOOR TENNIS IN BOSTON, 1915, FELL THROUGH A FOURTH-STORY WINDOW, WAS UNHURT. HE REPORTED THAT HIS FEET STUNG A LITTLE INWARDS—BUT HE FINISHED THE MATCH.

RUBBLEVICKO RIBBLEMUCKERTAKE IS THE NAME OF A MAN WHO LIVES IN THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA.

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ROBERT BURNS  
WROTE HIS FAMOUS POEM, "JOHN ANDERSON, MY JO," ON THE BACK OF A WHISKEY BOTTLE LABEL . . .

Burns wrote many of his poems in taverns, often under the influence of alcohol. Bartello landed on his feet. He later reported that they tingled slightly for a week. He ascribed his good fortune to the fact that he let himself land completely relaxed.

## "In YOUR Opinion"

By NORMAN CHANDLER

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YOU may or may not be worried about the size of the national debt.

You may favor or disapprove farm loans or pensions to aged stockbrokers.

You have a perfect right to your own opinion on any subject that affects this community or this nation. But, if your opinion is going to count, it must be based on knowledge.

If you told me you favored a law controlling traffic on Mars, I would question your right to that view—simply because we haven't any news reports on Mars.

You can interest me in the Polish refugee problem or in the November elections or the 1941-model cars. Those things have been duly reported by people you and I know to be trustworthy and accurate in what they report.

In fact, it is your duty to have opinions—and to express them—on two important phases of life.

1. You must have opinions on the laws and the men and the policies of the government. We are a SELF-governing nation. If we don't watch and help and control, we don't deserve to be free.
2. You must know the value of money and what it will buy. Few of us have so much money that we can fulfill our every whim. We have to pick and choose from all the things that are offered—so that we get the essentials of diet, health, comfort, security in full measure from our dollars.

Thus, unless you want to be the blind puppet of some dictator and as thoughtless of tomorrow as a Hottentot, you have to know what is going on around you. Which means, of course, that you must have newspapers—and good ones, at that.

Germany's newspapers or Russia's wouldn't help you much. Perhaps, by constant propaganda, they might teach you to forget your ideas of freedom and to forego your dignity and competence as an individual created in God's image.



Read, for instance, these few sentences from Adolph Hitler's "Mein Kampf":

"Propaganda has always to be directed more and more towards the feeling, and only to a certain extent to so-called reason. All propaganda has to be popular and has to adapt its spiritual level to the perception of the least intelligent of those towards whom it intends to direct itself.

"The masses, however, with their inertia, always need a certain time before they are ready even to notice a thing, and they will lend their memories only to the thousandfold repetition of the most simple ideas."

Now turn through the newspaper you are reading. Notice the news. See how carefully it is put together to give you a quick and accurate picture of what actually happened everywhere. Look at the respectful way the merchants and manufacturers beg for your patronage. Can you imagine an American advertiser commanding you or threatening you if you refused to like his wares?



Can you imagine your newspaper editor writing down to you, treating you like an animal, to be trained "by the thousandfold repetition of the most simple ideas"?

In your opinion, isn't your role as a free citizen, armed with accurate news and truthful facts about values, a rather desirable role?

It's your opinion that counts. If you and enough of your neighbors want some other system, you can have it. And if you like our present system, it's really up to you to preserve it!

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## MESCAL IKE By S.L. HUNTLEY

## This Begins to Look Like a Crime Wave



**Pearl**

Mrs. Leo Brown, Cors.

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Johnnie Carswell's mother and Mrs. Pat Carswell of Molen visited him Friday.

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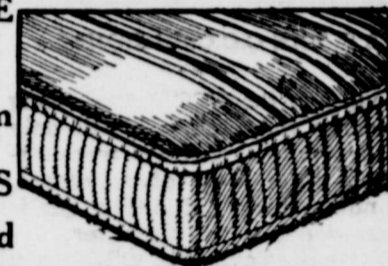
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## WHAT THE C.C.C. IS DOING

Long ago the CCC ceased being an agency for relief, made up only of boys whose families were receiving some type of assistance, and now the main eligibility qualifications are good character, desire for employment, willingness to learn, 17 to 23 1-2 years of age. Those boys with natural aptitudes and interest in mechanics will find plenty of opportunities in CCC camps to learn both the theory and practical sides of gasoline motors under trained instructors. There are over 43,000 units of automotive equipment in the CCC, the largest fleet of motorized equipment in the United States. Over 100,000 expert truck and tractor drivers are turned out each year, and other thousands are trained to do the most complete over-hauling and repair jobs. Telephone line construction, building of roads and bridges, ra-

dio and signal communications, photography, first aid and many other skills of important defense value are being given attention. Over 5,000 cooks are in training all the time, and, henceforth, many more and better ones will be turned out. Members of the CCC who have no dependents are now allowed to have \$22 of their monthly pay remain on deposit with the Finance Officer, and receive the accumulated amount upon discharge, thereby providing themselves with resources to tide them over until employment is found or to allow them to enter some business, or continue their education. Applications for enrollment in January should be made at once with your County Welfare Worker. These applications will be taken each Tuesday. Changes have been announced regarding the pay of all members of the CCC. Beginning January 1st the amount sent home monthly

will be reduced from \$22 to \$15. \$7 will be placed aside for the boy, to be given him upon discharge. \$8 will be paid to him in cash at the camp, as heretofore. Training is being intensified in building, operations, and repairing bridges, roads, and telephone lines so that youth may become competent repair men and fit into the general defense program. Healthful outdoor work and good food is reflected in the physical improvement of members of the Corps. The average gain in weight is ten pounds within the first two months. With doctors and dentists available in all camps every boy is assured of first class attention. When serious illness develops he is sent to one of the Army Hospitals for treatment and care. Operations may be performed only with the consent of parent or guardian. Alertness and health go hand in hand and the CCC has an outstanding record of returning boys to their homes better citizens who are confident and able to cope with problems that must be solved in everyday life.

## Cranfills Gap

Mrs. M. C. Terry, cors.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon in St. Olaf Lutheran Church for Mrs. Matt Johnson. She passed away suddenly Sunday afternoon. Mrs. John Sorley broke her arm when she stumbled and fell over some pot plants Sunday night. Mr. Martin Bertelson took very ill Sunday. We hope he soon well again. Monday morning the doctor was called to see Grandma Sorley. Seems that she is ill very often, but she endures the pain with patience. Mr. Alfred Christaffson was taken to a Dallas hospital for an operation Sunday night. We are sorry to report that Mrs. R. T. Fort is very ill. Mr. Rodgers, one of the school teachers, has resigned, we are sorry to lose him.

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Mrs. Walter of Stephenville is still ill. She isn't improving as fast as relatives think she should. The Red Cross Committee is glad to report that this year's local Red Cross membership is considerably more than what it has been for a number of years.

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