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Silverton A Better Trade Center; Trade at Home

Shoppers for bargains shouldn't pass up Silverton this Saturday, as merchants and business men are offering not only bargains, but gifts, that can't be beat.

Burson Formal Opening

The Market and Grocery operated by Troy Burson, and which has assumed the new name of Burson Food Store is staging a formal opening at the store south of the Palace Theater.

Twelve family-size baskets of groceries will be given away in the afternoon—one every thirty minutes beginning at one o'clock. Mr. Burson invites you to take part in the opening and says, "No purchase needed—just come in and register and be present Saturday."

King Beauty Salon

At the King Barber Shop another new business makes its appearance—a new beauty shop. Miss Sylvia Day of Matador is the operator and will have brand new, latest type equipment, wave machines, dryers, and all the accessories that go to make a beauty salon a real place of service. Two beautiful permanent waves are to be presented to the lucky ones at this place Saturday. Registering has been going on since last Saturday, and is the only requirement to win one of these beautiful waves—and the permanent can be gotten any time within the next thirty days. Ben O. says of his new shop, which opens Saturday, "I'm proud of this equipment and want all my friends to come in and see it."

McEwin Improves

The Silverton Grocery and Market is keeping right up to now by adding new fixtures, stock, and a lounge room for your convenience. Mr. McEwin is not sure whether or not the rest room will be ready by Saturday.

Regular Trades Day Cash

In addition to the inducements offered above, the Merchants Trade Association is holding its regular Trades Day meeting and five people are going to profit by five dollars apiece—be there.

Silverton, it seems, is getting tired of seeing some of its natural trade go to other towns. There's no real reason why this trade should leave. Spend your money at home, the stores are doing their best to accommodate you and get your business. Spend your money at home—maybe you will get a chance to get it back again if it stays in the community. Well, you won't if it's spent in a "foreign port."

RUDY VALLEE IN AMARILLO

For his first personal appearance in Texas the "Vagabond Lover" is coming to Amarillo next Monday, June 29.

So it will be "high-ho" for music-lovers and dancers at The Nat, Amarillo's dance palace.



RUDY VALLEE

Rudy Vallee and his orchestra were booked for a concert and dance by the Tri-State Fair to carry out a long-considered plan by the late William C. Hawk.

For his Amarillo engagement the crooner is bringing his full band, including six beautiful girls, the Stewart Sisters, the Three Grace and Judy Starr.

Three special cars, including a baggage coach for instruments and other equipment are required to transport the Nation's No. 1 dance and night club band.

Incidentally there's a Texan with the orchestra—Red Stanley, who comes from Waco.

Reservations for the concert which will begin at 8 o'clock next Monday night, are coming from every section of the southwest. Miss Lois Black of the News-Globe has charge of advance orders which may be made by mail or telephone. There are four cars for the concert—40 cents, \$1.10 and \$5.

Admission to the dance which will begin at ten o'clock, will be \$2.20 per person. Night club reservations at The Nat may be made by calling the dance palace.

Cowart Radio Shop Remodeled

Chas. Cowart has been busy for several days remodeling and moving his radio shop. From its place in the front of the Cowart Variety Store, it has been moved to the balcony.

He is planning on installing new testing equipment and will be better able to care for your radio repair business.

F. H. A. Loans in Briscoe Co.

Federal Housing Administration had insured 19 modernization notes, valued at \$5,435 in Briscoe County, through April 30, 1936, it was announced by H. P. Drought, state director of the National Emergency Council for Texas. For the entire state, 33,829 modernization notes, valued at \$11,168,322.16 had been insured.

The agency had accepted one mortgage, valued at \$2,200 for insurance in this county as of March 31, 1936, Drought reported. For the state, Federal Housing Administration had accepted for insurance, 2,353 mortgages amounting to over \$8,500.00.

It was estimated that through the Federal Housing Administration, some 30,000 Texas property owners have been enabled to obtain loans required to repair, improve or modernize their property while over 2,000 families have been enabled to finance the building or purchase of homes.

Local Boys Go To Scout Camp

The third period of the Boy Scout Camp was opened at Camp Post on Sunday evening, June 21. This camp is the last of a series of three camps conducted for Boy Scouts and their leaders in the South Plains Council. One more Council Camp is to be held in New Mexico, July 12 to 22 for a group of 30 older scouts. This camp will complete a very successful season with over 220 Scouts and leaders in Council Camps.

Troops that are attending this week are: Brownfield, O'Donnell, Morton, Muleshoe, Olton, Circle Back Littlefield, Lockney, Plainview and Silverton.

The Scouts from Silverton who are at Post this week are: Jack Burleson, Rex Douglas, Gwynne Williamson, Taylor Williamson, and Grady Martin. Homer Sanders, Jr., is in charge of the boys while in camp as Acting Scoutmaster, owing to the absence of Wilson and Peacock regular Scoutmasters. Mr. Wilson, who has employment in a Lubbock Lumber Yard, expects to visit and stay a day or so at the camp with the boys. Rev. Peacock is in Dallas and will stop at the camp Saturday evening and bring them home.

TWO OF A KIND

Texas has been host to the nation's chief executive and has enjoyed the experience. The charm and personality of Roosevelt has been as captivating to Texans as has been the courage of his policies and his determination to lift this nation from the bogs of depression into which it had drifted at the time he took over the reins.

Loyal Texans have found occasions to take increase pride in our own Chief Executive since the President's visit. As host to the Roosevelts, Governor Allred left nothing undone. Both in statesmanlike stature and in honest sincerity Governor Allred ranks well alongside the Chief. The glamor of the white light of publicity which is an adjunct of such affairs, did much to bring to the fore the best in each man.

Governor Jim Allred and President Roosevelt make quite a pair when together. Their records, courage and application to the affairs of the masses are parallel in many respects.

The fine compliments paid the Governor by the President left no doubt in anyone's mind that the leader of Democracy is sanctioning as best he may the political cause of Allred.

The approval of the President will mean a great deal to Governor Allred. It may mean that he can clean up the field in the first primary and so be left to carry the torch for his party in the so-called doubtful States.

President Roosevelt will certainly approve of that procedure.

Harley Redin and several of the high school boys were on a camping trip at Claude Crossinb Saturday night and Sunday. Worth Alexander is leaving with his parents for California soon and the boys were having a last round-up together.

The 2 for 1 offer of the News ends June 30. Have you fixed yours up?

BE CAREFUL JULY 4 TO AVOID TRAGEDY

On July 4, Texas will celebrate along with the States Centennial year the one hundred and sixtieth anniversary of National Independence.

Thousands of visitors will be in Texas on the National holiday, and it is up to loyal Texans to do everything possible to see that this day brings pleasure, not tragedy to our visitors and ourselves, says a warning from the State Department of Health.

"While there certainly is no desire to minimize the joys of this national holiday," said Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, "it is only common sense to respect hazards to life and to govern one's actions accordingly."

"Not so many years ago the newspapers on each July 5 would publish columns detailing the tragedies that were invariably associated with the dangerous fireworks by careless persons. For a number of years now, however, the press has been placing particular emphasis on the need for a 'Safe and Sane Fourth of July,' with the result that accidents of this kind have decreased.

"All injuries, however slight, may carry the lock-jaw or tetanus menace with them. Every wound should be cleaned thoroughly and all foreign matter removed. A physician should be consulted immediately, and tetanus antitoxin administered if necessary."

"Unfortunately, while the hazard of handling fire works has consistently diminished, that of the automobile has just as consistently been increasing. Every one will agree that to be careless in the operation of a motor vehicle on this day when the roads carry peak loads, is to invite possible injury and even death.

"Your future happiness and wealth and that of your family may depend on your recognizing and carrying out the ordinary rules of precaution. Obey these rules and live to enjoy many other fourths of July."

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The Briscoe County Ministerial Alliance makes the following report of the Sunday School attendance for Sunday, June 21, 1936.

Methodist	75
Calvary Baptist	58
Presbyterian	39
First Baptist	104

We submit for your reading a poem written by Mamie Gene Cole:

I am the Child —
All the world waits for my coming,
All the world watches with interest
to see what I shall become.
Civilization hangs in the balance,
For what I am
The world of tomorrow will be.

I am the Child —
I have come into your world
About which I know nothing.
Why I come, I know not,
How I come, I know not,
I am curious—I am interested.

I am the Child —
You hold in your hand, my destiny,
You determine, largely, whether I
shall succeed or fail.
Give me, I pray you, those things
that make for happiness.
Train me, I beg you, that I may be
a blessing to the world.

Come! Bring the child to Sunday School. Build today for tomorrow.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

L. E. KENT, Pastor

Our hearts were made to rejoice last Lord's Day by the great number of visitors we had in our service. Certainly, we appreciate every one of them and invite them to come our way again as soon as possible. Visitors are always welcome in our services.

We especially invite the public to hear the sermon Sunday morning on the "Forgotten Vow". We feel that all our hearts may be drawn closer, not only to one another, but also to God. The subject for the evening worship, "A Man, A House, and a Tree". We invite you to any or all of our services.

Let us try to increase our Sunday School attendance next Sunday. Teachers, try to enlist at least one new pupil for next Lord's Day.

"Work for the night cometh, when no man can work."

COOLER CLOTHES for summer.
CITY TAILOR SHOP

McEWIN BUYS BOMAR MARKET

The Silverton Grocery and Market, owned and operated by Chas. "Mack" McEwin, this week have enlarged their stock and fixtures by the purchase of the Bomar Grocery and Market, which has been operated north of the Bomar Drug Store by Roy Bomar.

The stock and fixtures were moved Monday and Tuesday and work is going forward as rapidly as possible in re-arranging the McEwin store to accommodate the larger stock.

Mr. McEwin expects to have a cool lounge room in the front end of the store, which should be greatly appreciated, especially by out-of-town shoppers. The store will be arranged whereby the customers may serve themselves if they wish.

The back room will house a well-equipped Produce Station, and Mack says that he will buy for cash or trade groceries for any kind of farm produce, including hogs and cattle.

The improved meat market is in charge of Bob King, handling fresh high class, local beef and fresh Bar-B-Q, as well as the usual line of meats.

Roy Bomar, who has been operating the Bomar Market, has employment with a San Francisco concern, and will leave soon for California.

Former Silverton Girl Wins First in Jack County Parade

Miss Barbara Ann Turner, formerly of Silverton, won first in Jack County's huge parade, as the most attractive rider and horse in the Centennial Celebration there.

She is the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Turner, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner of Silverton.

H. R. Tolley, Head of A.A.A. Chief Speaker at Short Course

According to announcement from College Station, H. R. Tolley, newly appointed head of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, will be one of the chief speakers on the A. and M. Farmers Short Course program to be held at College Station July 20 through 24th.

Tolley was born on a farm in Howard County, Indiana; graduated from high school at Converse; attended Marion Normal College; received his A. B. degree at Indiana U.; and taught school for the first few years after graduation.

In the position of assistant administrator of AAA and director of the unit called the division of program planning, he developed the regional and land-use plans which are now being used in working out the programs under the new Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act.

He will speak in Guion Hall at 11 o'clock on Friday, July 24, during the Short Course.

Boy Scout Essay Contest

Mailing of autographed pictures of handsome Fred MacMurray, Paramount star, to Silverton Boy Scouts who enter essays in a contest on "The Texas Rangers" was started today by the Texas Centennial Exposition.

To the Boy Scout who writes the best 500 word essay on "The Texas Rangers," King Vidor, famous movie director, and native Texan, will award an all-expense tour to the Texas Centennial Exposition. The winning scout will also be given \$25 in cash to spend as he desires. A supplemental prize of an autographed, de-luxe volume of "The Texas Rangers" by Prof. Walter Prescott of the University of Texas, will be presented by a New York publishing house.

Rules for the Boy Scout essay contest have been sent to the Silverton Scoutmaster, for explanation to the local scouts, the contest will end July 4. All essays should be mailed to Texas Ranger Contest Editor, Texas Centennial Exposition, Dallas, Texas.

Executive Meeting of the M. E. Women's Missionary Society

The Executive Committee of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society will meet at the church Saturday afternoon, June 27 at four o'clock to make out reports for this quarter. This committee consists of all officers in the Society.

Trade in Silverton and save money

Harvest Under Way; Better Than Expected

LOCAL TRUCKERS ORGANIZE

There will be a meeting of truckers, truck dealers, filling station operators, oil dealers and others interested in obtaining fair truck laws in Texas, at the court house Tuesday night at 8:30 P. M.

The purpose of this meeting is to form a local organization to work with the state organization of the Texas Truckers Association of Austin, Texas. R. H. Waters, regional organizer of Amarillo, will speak to the gathering.

The public is invited to hear what is being done through discriminatory legislation to drive one of Texas's largest industries, and largest tax payers out of business.

NOTICE

To comply with the short Work Week, we are authorized by the Department to close the Post Office for half a day each week. Beginning on Thursday, July 2, 1936, the office will close at 1:00 o'clock P. M. and remain closed for the rest of the day.

All incoming and outgoing mails will be dispatched as usual and the Rural and Star Route deliveries will make no change.

Please observe the above notice and be governed accordingly.

E. C. FOWLER, Postmaster

Munroe Buildings Damaged

Heavy wind, which was almost a tornado, destroyed several buildings at the J. W. Munroe farm Monday evening. The wind was accompanied by rain and hail which did some damage to the wheat and cotton.

Finley White's Agricultural Briefs

Harvest time is here! The old combines have been pulled out of storage where they have rested for the past two years. The cobwebs, hens' nests and what not have been removed, getting ready for the "cut". Several farmers started the combines this week. Next week we will all be going full blast. The only sad part of the story is that before we get started good we'll find ourselves thru. We won't be discouraged though for we still believe that "next year" we will make a big crop.

It may be that the only reports we get from the field are just from the fellows who cut the low spots of their wheat, but ten bushels is the lightest cut reported so far—some run as high as 18 bushels (if I knew where Ripley's office was, I'd send this to him).

The old adage, "It's an all wind that blows no good to anyone" is true, but it isn't any nearer correct than "It's a lucky break if a cloud passes over without hail". The clouds and wind too, got on a spree Monday afternoon. Clouds coming from the west county line almost over to the cap rock brought some rain and hail and wind. The hail damages ran from nothing to fifty per cent while the rain was called a life saver—and the wind—well it was just plain dirty and carried plenty of dust.

New Program News

The time has passed for Briscoe County farmers to turn under as green manure, any part of their wheat crop. Many farmers took advantage of the fifteen per cent turn-under.

Sudan grass may be planted on the diverted acres. Sudan can be harvested for hay, seed or grazed—and is still counts as a soil conserving crop. Peas, beans or any legume may also be planted on your diverted acres—or you can summer fallow it.

Briscoe County has one of the best set-ups under this new program of any county in West Texas. If we will follow the spirit of this new deal we can certainly conserve our soil and moisture and still have a "pay-day" coming on our diverted land.

The purpose of this new program is to prevent our soils from becoming "worn out" and "cropped to death" like the soils are back East. Let's get into the spirit of this program and do our part toward the conservation of our greatest asset—the land. Just think how much easier it will be for our boys and girls to pay the "Public Debt" with good farms, than with old run down, worn-out farms. We owe it to posterity to save our soils—let's pay off!

4-H Club News

The 4-H Club boys aren't letting any grass grow under their feet these days. They're doing things. Aside from carrying on their livestock and farm demonstrations they are making plans for taking in the Centennial and the Short Course at A. and M. They are arranging entertainments and pie suppers in an effort to raise the "do-re-mi" to pay a part of their expenses down to Dallas and A. & M. when the time comes.

Wheat harvest started here Monday when Roy Teeter delivered two loads to the Silverton Mill and Elevator. His test was 57 pounds and the wheat is making about fifteen bushels to the acre, which is considerably more than he had expected until he started cutting. Mr. Teeter has a hundred acres of this wheat.

Tuesday, J. N. Cline brought in the first of his crop to the Cline Grain Company and received a test of 61 pounds and a premium price of \$1.00 a bushel. All local elevators are paying a premium for the first load of wheat weighed over their scales. Mr. Cline's wheat was making almost ten bushels and was from one of his poorest fields. The first load received at the Silverton Farmers Elevator, was brought in Tuesday by H. Roy Brown. The wheat was rather green, and the yield was a little less than five bushels. The field was a volunteer patch.

Silverton and vicinity is going to surprise itself and surrounding territory in the amount of wheat of wheat raised (we hope.) A month ago it looked very bad but the timely rain put the wheat back into the running, although in many places it arrived too late to be of much benefit.

Ned Baird says that Silverton will ship a hundred cars of wheat, and although that may be a little high, it sounds good. Mrs. Fogerson, manager of the Fogerson Grain Company, thinks that figure too high, but admits that she likes to guess things a little low—so she won't be so badly disappointed.

By the last of this week combines will be going in most places and harvest will be on for sure. All local elevators are ready and waiting for the wheat, and a gang of railroad men has been at work repairing cars on track that they may be used to take care of the expected business.

Hail, the Waterloo of many a Briscoe County wheat crop, has done no serious damage as yet, although it has dabbled around in several places, with damage as high as fifty percent being reported. Here's hoping.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutsell. They have a baby girl at their house, born June 16th. They haven't found a name for the little one yet, according to Clyde. Mrs. Hutsell and baby are doing well at the Hutsell home.

DOUGLASS TO SPEAK HERE

Arrangements have been made for Curtis Douglass to speak in Silverton, Saturday, June 27th at 7:30 in connection with his candidacy for



CURTIS DOUGLASS

State Senator. He has a splendid sound equipment and Mr. Douglass will no doubt give an interesting talk.

Floral Club Met with Mrs. J. N. O. Burson

The Floral club met in the home of Mrs. J. N. O. Burson last Friday in an all day meeting. The day was spent quilting and visiting.

Those present were: Mesdames C. L. Dickerson, Bob Dickerson, W. W. Martin, R. M. Hill, R. L. Campbell, J. E. Daniel, Alex Jones, Tom Northcutt, N. W. Haynes, Miner Crawford, A. P. Dickenson, and the hostess Mrs. J. N. O. Burson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben McCowen of Dallas, visited over the week end at the Clyde Hutsell home. Mr. McCowen is employed by the Texas Refining Company and will be stationed at Amarillo for about six or eight weeks.

SEE ME B-4 U DIE. — Roy Teeter, (Insurance of all kinds).

LOST - Small tent between Turkey and Silverton. Return to Tent Show at Turkey and receive reward. Jack Alfred

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Some Reasons for Wearing Curlee

Clothes are Listed on Page 8 by

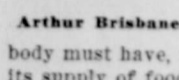
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BRISBANE

THIS WEEK

Lightweight Lives Long Eyes, Also, Work Japan Will Oblige The Russian Letdown

Gilbert K. Chesterton, dead at sixty-two, weighed more than two hundred and fifty pounds. As every doctor will surmise, he died of heart disease. His weight explains the unnecessarily early death. A pump breaks down if you overwork it; a sixty-two-year-old heart breaks down if you compel it to supply with blood—food, drink, oxygen—too many billions of cells.



Arthur Brisbane

Every cell in the body must have, from a laboring heart, its supply of food and oxygen, pumped every second. The brain, alone, contains thirty thousand million separate cells, according to Doctor Carrel. In his 100 surplus pounds, Chesterton carried scores of billions of useless cells, each making an unnecessary demand on the heart.

Do not let yourself remain fat after forty if you would live to be old. To become thin and stay thin requires some effort of the will, often more disagreeable than dying.

At one of the ultra-radical workers' meetings in France, the red flag displayed and the communist "international" hymn sung, there was radical and determined talk. Monsieur Thorez told the meeting the factories of France would soon belong to the workers.

If the plan is sent through some workers would discover that it takes more than a red flag and a hymn to run a factory and make it pay; if factories did not pay there would be no payrolls. Brains count as well as hands. The eyes carry no load, but they direct the feet and hands.

South China thought she wanted a war with Japan, and will probably have it. Troops from a Japanese naval squadron land at Amoy, Fukien province, accompanied by the usual convincing flock of airplanes.

War with Japan is the easiest thing to have, if you really want it.

In Canton, South China's big city, parades and mass meetings were organized to increase and express hatred of Japan.

The outpouring recalls Voltaire's description of a glass of English beer—"froth at the top, dregs at the bottom."

Russian sovietism came quickly, and might go quickly; signs of a breakdown are seen already. Those that do more and better work get special rewards; engineers, chemists, scientists occupy fine apartments compared with those of ordinary workmen. That is hardly "straight communism." Now Russia will have a constitution and house of parliament, important steps in the direction of conservatism.

Tell your little boy and girl to include in their prayers the following: "And please, Lord, do not send us any more wars."

Uncle Sam recently began delivering hundreds of millions of bonus bond dollars to 3,518,000 veterans of the war—many veterans and a big bonus, for a war in which we were not concerned until foolishness pushed us in.

The French Premier Blum, first Jewish prime minister in French history, is a man of unusual ability, combining common sense with the radicalism of his Socialist party. Mr. Birchall writes to the New York Times that there is fear of anti-Semitic outbreaks in France; observers "see a ground-swell of an anti-Semitic movement in the vicious attacks of the right against the new Jewish premier." French anti-Semitism, according to Mr. Birchall, has survived the Dreyfus case, which should have ended it.

Our railroads find it hard to make money, but at least they are safe railroads.

W. Averell Harriman presented a gold safety medal from the fund established in memory of his father, E. H. Harriman, to F. E. Williamson, president of the New York Central, which has not lost one life in 12 years.

It is interesting to learn from Mr. Ripley that the first Cunard steamship did not carry as many passengers as could be carried by one of the lifeboats on the Queen Mary. What is more important, each lifeboat has wireless apparatus.

Spain proves that it is possible for a country to be too radical for its own good. Labor troubles and discussions have put one million Spanish workers out of their jobs, a good many for Spain; and Spanish radicalism goes beyond other kinds, many having been killed by "terrorists."

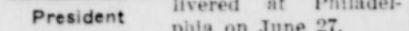
The last chapter in the Lindbergh murder and kidnaping tragedy is written with the return to Colonel Lindbergh of \$14,000 held by New Jersey as evidence against Hauptmann.

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Current Events IN REVIEW by Edward W. Pickard

President Returns From His Western Tour

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT returned to Washington from his tour through six western states and, though he was rather tired, he hoped to run up to New London, Conn., for the Yale-Harvard boat race. That depended on the congressional situation. He had to deal with the lawmakers who were all tangled up in the controversy over the tax bill, and also to complete his speech of acceptance to be delivered at Philadelphia on June 27.



President Roosevelt

The final speech of Mr. Roosevelt's trip was delivered at Vincennes, Ind., where he dedicated the handsome memorial to George Rogers Clark. He paid eloquent tribute to that conqueror of the Northwest, and found occasion to appeal for support of his own program. Said he:

"In his (Clark's) day among the pioneers there were jumpers of land claims and those who sought to swindle their neighbors though they were poor in this world's goods and lived in sparsely settled communities. Today among our teeming millions there still are those who by dishonorable means seek to obtain the possessions of their unwarlike neighbors.

"Our modern civilization must constantly protect itself against moral defects whose objectives are the same but whose methods are more subtle than their prototypes of a century and a half ago. We do not change our form of free government when we arm ourselves with new weapons against new devices of crime and cupidity."

In a series of rhetorical questions the President defended the AAA subsidies to farmers, soil conservation, reforestation, and preservation of wild life.

From Vincennes Mr. Roosevelt went to Hodgenville, Ky., for a brief visit to Lincoln's birthplace, and then his train carried him back to Washington.

Senator Norris Again Will Support Roosevelt

FOUR years ago Senator George Norris of Nebraska, independent Republican, warmly supported Franklin D. Roosevelt for the Presidency, and he now announces that he will again back the Democratic ticket. He urges his countrymen "to forget partisanship and come to the support of the man who more than any other man in recent years has stood for the welfare of the common people."

The senator said the Cleveland convention "nominated a man for President whose greatest asset is that nobody knows him and nobody knows what he stands for. It does not necessarily follow from this that the nominee is not a good man. But it does mean that if he will not take orders from the undisclosed bosses who made him, then these eminent gentlemen have been deceived."

Landon and Knox Are Named by Republicans

ONE of the greatest demonstrations of popular acclaim in the history of American politics, Gov. Alfred M. Landon was nominated for President of the United States by the Republican national convention meeting in Cleveland.

Nominated on the first ballot, Governor Landon received the unprecedented number of 984 out of a possible 1,003 votes. The nomination was made unanimous. Although his name had not been placed in nomination, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho received 19 votes, including 18 from the Wisconsin delegation and one from West Virginia.

Col. Frank Knox of Chicago, publisher of the Chicago Daily News, was nominated unanimously for Vice President on the ticket.

Party unity and harmony were the watchwords of the delegates. The action of the three other leading candidates for the Presidential nomination—Col. Frank Knox of Chicago, Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan and Senator Borah—in withdrawing in Landon's favor paved the way for a militant and united front in the coming campaign by the Republican party.

The convention adopted a platform of "Americanism," pledging a broad farm relief program, repeal of reciprocal tariff bargaining, the elimination of monopolies and opposition to American entry into the League of Nations and the World Court.

Governor Landon in a telegram read to the convention by his campaign manager, John Hamilton, placed his own interpretation on certain planks in the platform. Under the title of labor he advocated a Constitutional amendment permitting the states to adopt legislation necessary to protect women and children in the matter of maximum hours, minimum wages and working conditions, provided it is not possible

to do so under the Constitution as it now stands.

He likewise advocated a currency expressed in terms of gold and convertible into gold, adding: "I recognize, however, that this requisite must not be made until and unless it can be done without penalizing our domestic economy and without injury to our producers of agricultural products and other raw materials."

Concerning the merit system in civil service, he suggested that it should include every position in the administrative service below the rank of assistant secretaries of major departments and should cover the entire Post Office department.

Russia to Become Only "Real Democracy"

RUSSIA proposes to establish what its rulers assert will be the only real democracy in the world. A new constitution, to be promulgated next fall, has been drawn up under the direction of Josef Stalin, the dictator, and will be acted on by the all-union congress of soviets on November 25. This document guarantees protection for private property, suffrage for all citizens more than eighteen years old, regardless of race, sex, religious belief, and previous activities or property ownership. The communist party will be retained as the only recognized political organization.

There are to be two legislative bodies, the council of the union, elected by the people, and the council of nationalities, selected by the present indirect system. These two bodies will elect a board of 31 officials to run the government. The chairman of this board will be equivalent to the president of a republic.

The official press in Moscow says bourgeois democracy is a "dictatorship of capitalism," whereas the Soviet democracy will grant the widest rights to all working people, the "old, exploiting classes" having disappeared over there.

Eastman Offers Program of Railway Reform

JUST as his office was about to expire, Joseph B. Eastman, federal coordinator of transportation, submitted a report in which he proposed a lot of reforms by which the railroads might win back the business they have lost to the truck and the automobile. Among his suggestions are lower fares, lighter weight, and speedier cars, use of buses and trucks by the railroads to meet competition and consolidation of terminals and other facilities.

He also advised the development of a nation-wide "container" service in the movement of freight by railway, highway and water, predicting that this would save millions of dollars in the handling of present freight and would create much new business. The containers are now used in a limited manner in some localities and industries.

Eastman recommended a "searching examination and thorough overhauling" of railroad pulman service, and a plan of operation under which the Pullman company would own and operate the cars and railroads, leasing them and retaining the entire revenue from the sleeping and parlor car service.

Pershing Says Outlook for Peace Is Not Bright

GEN. JOHN J. PERSHING is optimistic concerning world peace. Addressing the graduating class at the United States Military Academy on the fiftieth anniversary of his own graduation, the general said "no one can tell when we shall again need our armies." He continued: "The situation in the world today is far from reassuring. None can foresee the effect upon us of another world catastrophe. Loyal citizens cannot shut their eyes to the possibility of war. They owe it to all that is sacred to make ample preparation against an evil day."

The 276 cadets of the 1936 class go on three months' leave before reporting to their first stations as second lieutenants.

Death of G. K. Chesterton, Noted English Author

ONE of England's most distinguished and interesting authors and critics passed from the scene in the death of Gilbert Keith Chesterton, generally known as "G. K." He was sixty-two years old. Chesterton was converted to Catholicism in 1922 and thereafter much of his writing was devoted to his championship of that church. For many years his writings were very popular and in 1926 he established his own weekly magazine. He was the author of about 50 books and innumerable articles.

Chesterton loved to write something incongruous and was called "prince of paradoxes." Combative, unconventional, and dogmatic, his was a distinctive style. His outspoken criticisms in addresses and writings frequently led to controversies.

Loved Ballyhoo Days Are Gone

Radio Takes Glamor Out of Political Campaigns; Civil Service Charges

By EARL GODWIN WASHINGTON.—There was never anything quite so exciting as the old-time political rally, especially if it included a torchlight procession. These rallies solidified parties; made people personally interesting in taking part in public matters. Those were the good old days—horse-and-buggy days—stump speech days—patriotic days when the things we love in America were getting their start.

With all their dearly beloved ballyhoo the people liked these rallies, and now the radio has spoiled them for us. Folks stay at home and tune in on the candidates, and here's where the New Dealers were smart. They planned to concentrate a million or more people in some of the baseball parks and stadiums of the big cities on the night Roosevelt was to make his acceptance speech, and turn the occasion into an old-time political rally with fireworks, brass bands, torchlight processions and pageantry.

Of course anyone could stay at home and hear the speech, but the New Dealers planned to charge a dollar apiece admission to these big shows—the dollars to go to the campaign fund. A far better method than the old one of soliciting money as the campaign proceeds, for taking the public into the show is a popular way of raising a big amount from a great many people. It is a system to be preferred over the old method of tapping the bank accounts of a few wealthy men, don't you think?

FARLEY'S TWO JOBS

Some of you folks may have been influenced by the continued statements indicating there is something sinful in the fact that Jim Farley has been Democratic national chairman and postmaster general at one and the same time. At this writing he continues in both jobs. I have talked with him as to whether or not he intends to hang on to both jobs, but I don't know whether he intends to resign one of them or not—and at the last reports neither does Jim. I think he will do what President Roosevelt wants him to do, for he is exceptionally valuable in either or both jobs. This is an opportune time to discuss the matter. The campaign is about to start, and Farley has built the Roosevelt machine up to where it is now; and it is so good a machine that the opposition is throwing mud at Farley.

Just to show you that being Democratic national chairman hasn't put any creeping paralysis into Jim's arm when it comes to running the postal service, let me point out right now that the post office is handling mail with greater efficiency than ever before. To prove this by all the statements and figures available to the public would require a large volume, but I will take the evidence of a nonpartisan expert group—the National Council of Business Mail Users. These are the men who pay postage on tons of mail daily. Their testimony shows that the ever increasing efficiency of the postal service has reached a peak in 1936, so that it can be said in contrast to 1908, postal efficiency as measured by output per employee has increased 290 per cent—not through slave driving methods—just pure efficiency.

CIVIL SERVICE

This campaign starts off with the charge that Roosevelt has practically stolen the entire government set-up for deserving Democrats who need jobs. That's what the "outs" charge in every Presidential campaign; but this time the Republicans have laid the ground for more propaganda on the subject than I have ever seen. To tell the truth, the merit system, or civil service, has been better treated by Roosevelt than by any President since Wilson.

There isn't a man in congress now attacking Roosevelt on the false charge that he has wrecked the civil service who couldn't have started a move to extend the merit system over a wider area any time these past two decades, but try to locate one who did! Congress just doesn't want to give up the prerogative of appointing deserving constituents to federal jobs—postmasterhips especially. I don't know why; because for every man they appoint they make twenty enemies.

In spite of the politicians the civil service has grown steadily, but conspicuous exceptions are the first, second and third class postmasterhips. These are outside the civil service, postmasters to these offices being appointed by the President on the recommendation of the postmaster general, who gets his names from members of congress in the districts involved. If the congressman happens to be of the other party, then some political leader in the town makes the recommendation. Only the small post offices where the receipts are less than \$1,500 a year, where the postmaster's salary cannot exceed \$1,100 a year, are in the civil service. The postal plans are still political.

President Wilson smashed at the plum system. He set it aside by a bold executive order. All candidates were

to be tested by the civil service commission. The highest on the list was to be chosen, regardless of politics or any other consideration, which certainly played havoc with politics. President Harding cancelled that order, and during the short session of congress (the "lame duck" session now done away with by constitutional amendment) a Republican senate refused to confirm President Wilson's nominees selected by strict merit. This preserved hundreds of vacancies to be filled by incoming Republicans in accordance with the old practice. Democratic postmasters were asked to resign. The new administration and the Ohio gang, aided by Will H. Hays, postmaster general and campaign manager, tore out every vestige of idealism planted in the Post Office department by Woodrow Wilson.

It is the remnants of that crew which now charge Roosevelt with a spoils system in appointments, but unless I'm mistaken, and I don't think I am—there wasn't a Republican official or national legislator in all the years from Harding to Roosevelt, who suggested the restoration of a simon pure merit system in the selection of postmasters. After Roosevelt took office, his hands full of the debacle of appointment postmasterhips of the previous administration, he issued orders not to run the Republican postmasters out of office before their terms expired. That established a precedent in the treatment of partisan office holders, for changes of administration had always meant the clearing out of thousands—not only of postmasters, but attorneys, United States marshals, land office officials and others who gained office by political appointment and expected to be fired by politics; but there was no such general expulsion.

ANOTHER PHASE

These jobs were in the regular government establishments. There is another phase of the civil service story which has to do with the emergency establishments erected like dikes along a rising flood, the relief and public work organizations. The Federal Housing, Home Owners' Loan offices, etc., are mostly filled by political appointments, and there is great yelping on the other side of the political fence. There is one thing the public does not understand about the civil service; once you are in it there's almost no way of getting you out of it. So therefore it is highly desirable that all the emergency offices be so organized that they can come to an end when their appropriation runs out. This administration has arranged to have them function on a purely temporary basis.

Let us consider the Works Progress administration, which is the official name of Harry Hopkins' relief outfit. This is a purely temporary organization and lasts only as long as the appropriation for relief; yet the critics who condemn the administration for maintaining it, also condemn the administration for not giving it a permanent civil service status. In one breath they knock Roosevelt for organizing relief at all, and at the same time knock him for not making it permanent.

Roosevelt has kept on a temporary basis those jobs that should be completely temporary... at the same time he has announced the policy of extending the civil service to offices which time will prove necessary for permanent establishment.

BABY BONDS POPULAR

The old-fashioned sock, as a savings bank, is being displaced by the baby bonds. Folks are walking up to the post office windows and taking these bonds away at the rate of a million dollars' worth a day. The biggest day's business was a smashing total of \$4,313,874, reached on January 13 of this year. These bonds, which are handed out in units as low as \$18.75, are being sold everywhere the Stars and Stripes flutter from a post office flagpole. You will find them sold in Guam, Samoa, the Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico and Alaska, as well as in the confines of the United States. Last I heard about sales was that Illinois was leading in volume with about \$25,000,000, which interested me because it was ten million more than the great state of New York. And there is a huge mail order baby bond business right here in Washington, D. C. The treasury has sold more than \$20,000,000 of these little safe-and-sure certificates by mail.

Approximately one-third of the total have been sold in 50 of the larger cities; the remaining two-thirds in smaller cities and the rural sections. The great farming belt of the Midwest leads all other sections in the purchase of United States savings bonds, both in amounts and per capita sales. Thousands of people are buying them at regular intervals each week or each month. They are probably the surest investment that the average man or woman can make.

Many families are buying the bonds to set aside for educational purposes, to pay for school or college bills later on. For example, if there is a child eight years old in the family, the parents may buy bonds for \$75 each month for four years. Then, at the end of ten years, when the child is ready for college, this family will receive a government check each month for \$100 to see their son or daughter through the four-year college course.

Tropical Medicine From India

Tropical medicine is traced to a start in 1900 when the East India company carried doctors to the tropics.

Many Varieties

There are said to be 3,000 flowering plants and 200 orchids on the island of Jamaica.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for June 28 REVIEW: JESUS MEETING HUMAN NEEDS

GOLDEN TEXT—Jesus of Nazareth went about doing good.—Acts 10:33. PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Our Best Friend.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Because He Lives, INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Jesus Meeting My Needs. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Jesus Meeting the World's Needs.

The lessons of the quarter center in one supreme person and have one transcendent theme, Jesus Christ the world's Savior. The best method of review for senior and adult classes will be to refresh the mind with the principal facts and leading teachings of each lesson. The following suggestions are offered:

Lesson for April 5. The great supper represents God's gracious provision of salvation for mankind. The urgent invitation is extended to all to accept Jesus Christ as Savior. The making of excuses illustrates the sin and folly of men in rejecting God's free grace.

Lesson for April 12. The resurrection of Jesus Christ is the supreme proof of the deity of Jesus Christ. The empty tomb is the divine guarantee that Christ was what he claimed to be, and that his offering on Calvary's cross was accepted by God.

Lesson for April 19. The center of interest in this parable is not the prodigal son or his brother, but a certain man who had two sons. He who fails to see the heart of our Father God will miss the purpose of the parable. The whole of revelation as it pertains to a sinning race and a pardoning God is swept before us in this narrative.

Lesson for April 26. The story of the rich man and Lazarus gives us a look into two worlds. In this world the rich man lived in luxury while Lazarus begged at his door. In the other world, their positions are reversed. Death is coming to rich and poor. Worldly condition is not a test of man's relationship to God. The rich man did not go to hell because he was rich, neither did Lazarus go to heaven because he was poor.

Lesson for May 3. Forgiveness is a Christian obligation. Humility is a Christian quality. Gratitude is an uncommon grace. The nine lepers who were healed failed to express gratitude to the healer.

Lesson for May 10. Prayer is an obligation on the part of the believer. Spiritual growth is absolutely impossible without it. Men should pray under all circumstances.

Lesson for May 17. Zacchaeus brushed aside all difficulties in order to see Jesus. He proved the reality of his conversion by making restitution. He was saved instantly upon receiving Jesus Christ. Salvation is a present reality to those who believe on Jesus Christ.

Lesson for May 24. Jesus warned against the scribes. They claimed to be loyal to the Word of God yet showed their lack of the saving grace of God. In connection with his teaching in the temple, Jesus prophesied of his return and warned against unpreparedness as to his coming.

Lesson for May 31. The last meal that Jesus ate with his disciples was the passover, the memorial of the national deliverance which pointed to the supreme deliverance to be effected by Christ on the cross of Calvary. In connection with the passover, the feast of the new covenant was instituted. This feast has a double import, looking backward to the great deliverance wrought through Christ's atoning death and forward to the even greater deliverance which he shall accomplish at his second coming.

Lesson for June 7. Jesus' indescribable agony in the garden shows what it cost the sinless Son of God to identify himself with the sinning race, when in anguish he sweat as it were great drops of blood.

Lesson for June 14. The crucifixion of Jesus Christ was the greatest tragedy of all history. May the fact of the sinless Son of God suffering for a sinning race, move all sinners to accept salvation at his hand.

Lesson for June 21. Jesus, having given the disciples the parting message to evangelize the world, ascended into heaven. May these last words of our Lord be received by us as our supreme obligation to take the gospel to every creature.

The lessons of the entire quarter have been rich in teaching material. A faithful presentation of the Bible messages given should mean conversion for some and growth in grace for many.

Pray Continually

Accustom yourself gradually to carry prayer into all your daily occupations. Speak, move, work, in peace, as if you were in prayer, as indeed you ought to be. Do everything without excitement, by the spirit of grace—Fenelon.

Great Designs

Great designs are not accomplished without enthusiasm of some sort. It is the inspiration of everything great. Without it no man is to be feared, and with it none despised.—Bovee.

DRAGONS DRIVE YOU

By EDWIN BALMER

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SYNOPSIS

Job Braddon, young and fantastically successful broker of Chicago, is infatuated with Agnes Gleneth, beautiful daughter of a retired manufacturer...

CHAPTER I—Continued

He laughed in his honest way. "Two months that I distinctly remember. Vaguely before that—exactly how long vaguely, I don't know. D'you care?"

The building was a tall, new apartment structure of splendid spread and height, with an agent in the ground-floor offices only too glad to show them through.

Of course some one might enter and recognize them; some acquaintance might step into the elevator which lifted them from floor to floor. That made it more exciting; yet it was disturbing enough to step into an empty apartment, and having inspected the front rooms, follow a pattering little speckled man into another chamber...

"Let's make it soon, Glen; not wait! Why should we wait? We'll marry with a wedding, as we ought to do. At church, and a reception at the house; but all that need be only a month away. Your ring's being made; I'll have it tomorrow. Today, I'll lease this place; we'll furnish it together."

"I might show you how this arrangement looks when furnished," Mr. Colver offered. "That's a good idea," said Job. "You'll look, won't you?" He turned to Agnes. "I'd like to, too," he said, for the agent's benefit, "but I ought to be back at my office. But you'll look further."

"Yes," said Agnes. "I'll look." For she realized that, by agreeing, she was lessening his chagrin. It was astonishing afterward to look back and consider that this crack in his character—this moment's pique to his pride and her response to it—could so profoundly affect the rest of her life. Except for it, she would have left the building with him. As it was, the three of them got into the elevator together; Agnes and Mr. Colver got out on the next floor; Job descended to the street.

The radio, which Agnes had heard when in the empty apartment above, was roaring from within the door before her. Evidently it had a large and powerful amplifier which must have been turned on full. It was impossible to ignore the noise. "Mrs. Lorrie," said Colver, raising his voice to be heard, "must have had the radio turned to some quiet program and forgotten it and gone out. Then this came on."

Shriek of terror shrilled through the door, while the radio uproar continued. "For God's sake, come in! Come in!" the girl now was shrieking.

Little Mr. Colver went pale as Agnes stared at him. "That's Mrs. Lorrie," he was saying. "She's very young." And he tried to turn the knob of the door.

"For God's sake, come in!" "Mrs. Lorrie! I can't!" Mr. Colver managed to shout. Then Agnes heard the knob turned from the inside, and the door swung in, a girl holding with both hands the knob and supporting herself upon it.

"Who're you?" She glared at Agnes. Suddenly the terror in her eyes turned to awful, imploring relief, and she thrust the door away from her and seized Agnes, clamoring to her: "Oh, God, I'm glad to see you—glad to see you!"

"Mrs. Lorrie!" the little agent was mouthing. "Why, Mrs.—Mrs. Lorrie!"

It was Colver who must have closed the door; at any rate, it was closed behind them, and the three were within the apartment. All the time, the radio sustained its roar. At last, Colver went to the cabinet and shut it off and the silence re-echoed.

The girl called Mrs. Lorrie never for an instant relaxed her hold on Agnes. She dragged Agnes down beside her in a big overstuffed chair which had a litter of cigarettes about it.

"What's happened?" Agnes implored. "Oh, what has happened?" "Nothing's happened!" the girl declared. "Oh, I'm in a hell of a mess!"

She was soft and moist and warm where her body pressed against Agnes. But her hands were cold and moist in her clamoring terror. There was gin on her breath, but she was not drunk. That was not the trouble with her.

A heavy, sensuous perfume overpowered the gin; it seemed to be all over her, especially in her short mane of bennaed hair. She had arched, plucked eyebrows, and mascaraed lashes, and skin spotted with rouge which perspiration had streaked; her wet lips had distorted the crimson smears of lipstick. She was slim but plump-bosomed, and she was in negligee—lacy, fussy underwear and sheer stockings under her lace and pink-silk peignoir.

Her neck and shoulders and arms and her legs curled under her were slender and dainty. She would be pretty, Agnes realized, if she were not in such a state; and she was no older than Agnes herself.

"Mrs. Lorrie, what's the matter?" the little agent Colver begged of her. "Can't you tell me what's the matter, Mrs. Lorrie?" "Don't go down there!" Mrs. Lorrie cried.

"I'll look for something—salts," Mr. Colver said, and he started toward the bedrooms—where the girl screamed, and Colver stopped. "Go on!" called Agnes. "See what happened!"

The girl pushed back from her and leaped to her feet, but then she did not move; she stood swaying slightly as she stared toward the bedrooms, where the little agent had disappeared.

"Oh!" she heard, and Agnes heard Colver's cry. "Mr. Lorrie! Mr. Lorrie!"

Then there was nothing they could hear clearly till Colver came back. He was so scared that he looked silly.

"You know what we walked in on? A killing—a killing," he rambled at Agnes almost as if Mrs. Lorrie was not there. "He's dead back there—the blood on the floor!"

"Who?" Agnes managed. "Her husband—Mr. Lorrie—he rented this apartment from me! He's on the floor in there—with holes shot in him. She shot him! That's what we came in on!"

The girl continued to sway. She had shut her eyes and opened them and shut them. "You don't know a damn thing what I did! What he did, what I did! You don't know a damn thing!" she cast back, with her eyes shut. Then she fell forward, and Agnes caught her.

Pressed down in the huge soft chair by the weight of the girl, Agnes did not move; and the warm, limp form she held was motionless. She held her in her arms and stared over her at the sun slanting in through the south windows; and Agnes recollected that thus the sun was slanting in

upstairs in the empty room, the splendor of this, which she had examined with Job—how long ago? Ten minutes ago?

Here, in this apartment, had husband and wife lived together? This wife in her arms, and the husband on the floor in there with holes shot in him.

The wife—she was a widow now; and was she also a murderer—lay limp across Agnes and the soft overstuffed arms of the chair; she lay on her breast, her head hanging down. Agnes roused to an effort and turned her over.

"What you want?" the girl complained as if from sleep. Agnes shook her. "Did you do it?" "Maybe I did."

But again Agnes shook her. "What you want?" "When was it? What time did you do it?"

"Two o'clock. The damn clock was striking when I come out here." "Two! Now, by the ticking, gold-faced clock on the mantel, it was a quarter past three."

"You sat here all the time?" "Sure I sat here." And this recollection now roused her to pity for herself. "All alone. All alone!"

Suddenly, startlingly, a phone bell rang. The arms about Agnes clenched tighter and then let go. The girl pushed back and leaped up and scurried to the instrument on the stand in the corner. "Hello! Hello!" Then she heard a voice, and she dropped to one knee as she made response, whispering; but in the stillness of the room her voice came clear. "Oh, God, Bert!" she said; and she listened again.

She wanted to speak, but she stared at them and did not. "Bert," she repeated the name, "something's happened. . . . Yes; to Charley! He died today." And she slammed down the phone on its rest.

Now Colver seized the phone. "Operator?" he clamored. "Operator? Give me the police!"

Halfway from the phone, the girl, Mrs. Lorrie, had stopped and turned, but she made no interference at all; she merely listened to him call the police.

Agnes had risen from the great soft chair, and the girl seized her hand. "Now you help me," Mrs. Lorrie demanded. "Get me a lawyer. I've a right to a lawyer, the best damn lawyer in this town. You don't know what happened here—or anything! Get me that lawyer!"

"What lawyer?" said Agnes. "O'Mara. Martin O'Mara; that's his name. Oh, do that for me, won't you? Just get him on the wire; and I'll talk to him."

She was back at the telephone and fumbling at the pages of the directory so pitifully that Agnes took the book from her hand and found the name Martin O'Mara; and then she made the call.

First a woman's voice answered; then a man's said: "O'Mara." "Here he is," said Agnes, but the girl had slumped to the floor.

"I am calling," said Agnes into the phone. "I am calling from an apartment where a man has been killed." "All right," said the voice O'Mara. "Go on. What apartment? Where is it?"

Agnes told him. "I do not know the people," she proceeded. "Only their name. It's Lorrie. I just happened in. I am here with Mrs. Lorrie now."

"All right. Go on. Who's killed?" "Her husband." "How was he killed?" "She shot him."

"All right. Go on. Who are you?" "I'm Agnes Gleneth." "Related to Robert C. Gleneth?" "He's my father."

"Did you say you didn't know the Lorries?" "I didn't." "All right. Go on. Then how did you happen in?"

"I was with the agent. I was looking at another apartment in the building." "All right. Have the police been called?"

"Just now, they were." "All right. Now try to remember this: Tell Mrs. Lorrie I am coming at once. Tell her to talk to no one, not to any one—not even to you, until I get there. Especially and absolutely she is not to talk to the police. Tell her they cannot make her talk. No one can; no one has a right to. Tell her to stay there and not to try to go away, and not to let any one take her away."

"And you must stay there too; and you had better not talk till I get there. You are going to be a witness in this case; you cannot possibly escape it. I am very sorry for you, but there is now nothing that I or any one can do about it. I will be there as soon as I can."

Agnes put down the phone. No man had ever sought, by his voice, to rule her so. She felt, as she faced about, that she ought to resent it; but she did not. She felt herself, instead, depending upon it—upon the assurance and domination of that man (a voice and a name O'Mara) who was on his way to her.

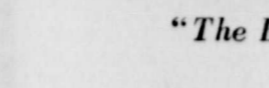
The girl on the floor had sat up. "You got him for me?" "Yes," said Agnes. "I got him. He's coming now."

Little Mr. Colver was at a window. "Here's the police," he said. "A— a homicide squad, I suppose."

"You're not to talk to them," Agnes said to Mrs. Lorrie. "You're not to say a word to any one. They have no right to make you. You're not to say a word about anything till Mr. O'Mara gets here."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Floyd Gibbons Adventurers' Club Hello Everybody!



"The Bridge That Wasn't There"

By FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter.

WELL, give a good look at this one, boys and girls, from Dr. Alexander E. Strath-Gordon of East Orange, N. J. If you ever read this yarn he is going to tell you, in a novel, you wouldn't believe it could happen. If your own brother told it to you, you'd tell him he was just plain goofy.

Doc Strath-Gordon thought he was cracked himself when he found out what had happened. And the people he told his story to thought he was crazy, too—for a while. But here are the simple facts, all checked and attested and sworn to. You can't get around the truth of the thing.

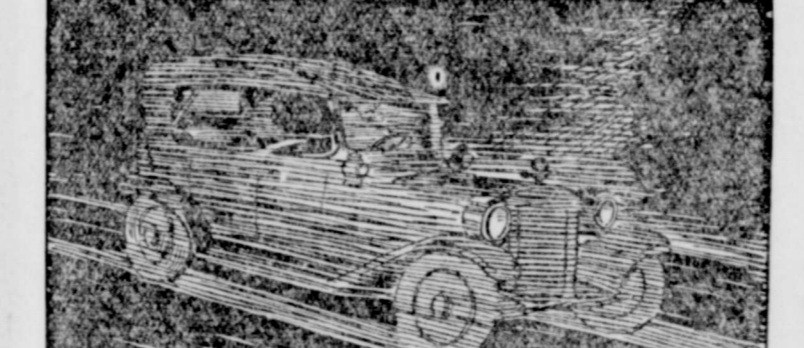
You can't say it was a dream, because a bridge is a big, heavy, solid object. If it's there, it's there, and if it ain't, it ain't. You can't dream it out of place and then back again.

All of which leads up to Doc's story. The date is August, 1909, and the place is—well—somewhere on the road between Seattle, Wash., and Duwamish Head on the other side of Elliot bay. Doc was practicing medicine in Seattle and he had received a hurry call from a patient in Duwamish Head.

Patient's Husband Thinks Doc Flew to Sick Room. He started out in his car, and you know what those 1909 vintage automobiles were like. To make matters worse, the dirt roads of the time were wet from a week's steady rain. Parts of them were flooded. But a patient had called him, and even though he was twenty miles away, it was up to Doc to get to him if he possibly could.

The night was pitch dark. The roads were unlighted, and the flickering kerosene headlamps that rattled on the sides of Doc's horseless carriage didn't throw any light on the road at all. There were two ways to get to Duwamish Head and Doc took the shorter. It took him an hour and a half to cover that twenty miles, but when he got there, his patient's husband said: "Good gosh, but you made that trip fast. How did you manage to get here so quickly?"

Well, Doc thought that was funny, but he didn't say anything then. His patient was waiting, and he was needed in the sick room. He worked over her



The Car Crossed Like an Acrobat on a Tight Rope.

for half an hour until she was out of danger, and then he went out to assure her husband that everything was all right.

Doc Hears He Crossed Bridge That Was Out. He sat down for a few moments' rest before starting on the return trip, and again his patient's husband brought up the subject of the quickness with which he had arrived.

"How the dickens did you come here, anyway, Doctor?" he asked. "Did you fly?"

"Why, I came by the Bay Side road, of course," said Doc. The man looked at Doc sort of curiously. "You couldn't have," he said bluntly. "The bridge is out."

Doc thought he was joking, and tried to laugh it off. But the man insisted the bridge was being repaired—that the planking was all off and it was unpassable. He told Doc that the only available route to his house was the upper road, a 28-mile trip.

He began to urge Doc to stay all night, and at last Doc saw he was serious. Then it occurred to Doc that the man must have gone insane, or become unnerved by his wife's illness.

Daylight Reveals That Bridge Wasn't There.

Says Doc: "I decided to stay with him, partly to humor an overwrought man, and partly because I didn't think it safe to leave his sick wife alone with one in such condition. I spent the night at his house, and in the morning he brought the subject up again at breakfast. He said: 'Now Doc, let's both go down and look at that bridge before you go back to town.'"

There was something in that fellow's manner that reminded Doc of a sane man humoring a sick one. It occurred to him then that this bird thought he was the crazy one. But he agreed to go down and look over the bridge, which was only a mile away from the house. They got into Doc's car and drove the short distance down the road. They got in sight of the bridge, and then—

"Imagine my surprise—even horror," says Doc, "when I saw that bridge in broad daylight. All that he had told me was true! There was nothing left of the bridge but the gaunt string pieces—two of them—running from one side of the river to the other.

Strath-Gordon Had Piloted Car Over Fingers of Death. The planking—the rails—the superstructure, all had been taken away. And yet, I had come across that bridge in the darkness of the night. I knew that. I wasn't crazy. And yet, for a moment, I began to think that I was losing my mind.

"The string pieces were the answer. They were less than a foot wide, each, but they were separated by the same width as the wheels of my automobile. I had driven across them in the dark, like an acrobat on a tight wire. My heart came into my throat when I thought of what might have happened.

All the local people knew that the bridge was impassable, so no warning sign had been posted. I, not knowing this, and having crossed it so many times before, drove over it automatically. The only way I can explain the miracle is that, having a surgeon's hand, I drove with the same steadiness with which I performed operations. Had I deviated an inch from the straight path over that bridge, I would have fallen into deep water—and I might not have attended my patient."

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History of the Fan Is as Old as Civilization

Ever since the vestal virgins used fans to encourage sacrificial fires, women have prized these time-honored implements of coquetry, states a writer in the Kansas City Star. Cupid, according to mythology, tore a wing from Zephyr's shoulder when he was flirting with Psyche and presented it to her to prove he was the better man.

"Helen of Troy," Euripides wrote, "knew when she suffered from summer heat how to cool her cheeks, fresh and velvety as a ripe peach, by the use of a peacock's tail arranged fan-wise."

Queen Elizabeth loved fans and her subjects vied with one another in giving them to her. It is said she had 27 in her wardrobe when she died. Shakespeare demanded a wing of paint-

TYPICAL DIFFERENCE

Leave ten men to describe "a typical American" and there would be ten wholly different descriptions.

NEW KITCHEN STOVE MAKES ITS OWN GAS

Housewives Marvel at Coleman Range That Lights Instantly Like City Gas—Cooks a Meal with 2c Worth of Fuel

A new kitchen range that offers every cooking convenience of the finest city gas range is now available to housewives, wherever they live.

W. C. Coleman, pioneer inventor of gas-pressure appliances, brings to a lifetime of inventive genius his crowning achievement in this amazing new Coleman Safety Range. This new stove makes its own gas from ordinary, lead-free gasoline. A patented method of carburization converts liquid fuel into gas, much the same as in present day automobile engines.

The Coleman Range lights instantly, like city gas. Its fuel-saving Band-A-Blu Burners, another of Mr. Coleman's outstanding developments, produce a clean, clear-blue flame, so hot that a low flame does all ordinary cooking. Tests show an average family meal for five takes about 2c worth of fuel.

Coleman Ranges are finished in gleaming porcelain enamel. Their pleasing colors combine outstanding beauty with unequalled performance.

Readers of this paper wishing full information about these wonderful new Coleman Ranges will receive beautifully illustrated literature and a valuable stove check card by simply addressing a post-card to Mr. W. C. Coleman, Dept. WU-236, Wichita, Kansas.—Adv.

So We've Noticed

None of the pleasant episodes in life seem to be called "experience."

CARDUI

Cardui is a purely vegetable medicine for the relief of functional periodic pain, nervousness and weakness due to poor nourishment.

"I have used Cardui and had good results from its use," writes Mrs. W. E. Barnett, of Taylors, S. C. "I suffered with cramping and headaches and would have a chilly feeling. Sometimes I would feel miserable and have pain more than a day, and I would be nervous. After taking six bottles of Cardui, I had less pain and was regulated. I feel much better."

Of course, if Cardui does not seem to relieve your trouble, consult a physician.

Blemishes Made Her Old Looking

Face Clear Again with Cuticura Soap and Ointment

Here is a letter every skin sufferer should read. Its message is vital. "There were blemishes on my face, of external origin, and they made me look old and haggard. They were red, hard and large. They would hurt, and when I scratched them the skin would become irritated, and I would lie awake at night and start digging at my face.

"But after using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one tin of Cuticura Ointment my face was cleared again." (Signed) Mrs. L. Whetzer, 2nd St., Florence, Pa., June 15, 1935.

Physicians can understand such letters. The Cuticura formulas have proved their effectiveness for over half a century. Remember, Cuticura Soap and Ointment are also for pimples, rashes, ringworm, burning of scoma and other externally caused skin blemishes. All druggists. Soap 25c, Ointment 25c.—Adv.

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No Need to Suffer "Morning Sickness"

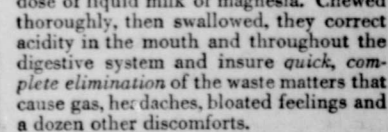
"Morning sickness"—is caused by an acid condition. To avoid it, acid must be offset by alkalis—such as magnesia.

Why Physicians Recommend Milnesia Wafers

These mint-flavored, candy-like wafers are pure milk of magnesia in solid form—the most pleasant way to take it. Each wafer is approximately equal to a full adult dose of liquid milk of magnesia. Chewed thoroughly, then swallowed, they correct acidity in the mouth and throughout the digestive system and insure quick, complete elimination of the waste matters that cause gas, her daches, bloated feelings and a dozen other discomforts.

Milnesia Wafers come in bottles of 20 and 48, at 35c and 60c respectively, and in convenient tins for your handbag containing 12 at 20c. Each wafer is approximately one adult dose of milk of magnesia. All good drug stores sell and recommend them.

Start using these delicious, effective anti-acid, gently laxative wafers today. Professional samples sent free to registered physicians or dentists if request is made on professional letterhead. Select Products, Inc., 4402 23rd St., Long Island City, N. Y.



35c & 60c bottles 20c tins

The Original Milk of Magnesia Wafers

Briscoe County News

"Official Paper for Briscoe County"

ROY W. HAHN
Editor and Publisher

Subscriptions in Briscoe and adjoining counties—Per year \$1.50
Out of above district, \$2.00



Entered as second-class mail matter at the post office at Silvertown, Texas in accordance with an act of Congress March 3, 1879.

YOUNG McEWIN came in the office Saturday, "Say have you got any circulars to circle out?"

HOLLIS SWEAT Knows the new Beauty Operator, Miss Day, at the King's Barber Shop. This said that he has given orders to the rest of the boys to stay "way---not even go into Ben's end of the place."

LADEEZ AND GENTLEMEN your attention please. I have been asked to announce the formal opening of two new business places in this town Saturday. The most stupendous, colossal, gigantic, and terrific opening in the history of the grocery business in Silvertown will be the opening of the Burson Food Store. Plenty of prizes. ALSO the King Beauty Salon, opening Saturday will put before the public, the newest, most-wanted and appealing aesthetic work, since Mae West was a baby. With two permanent waves thrown in to prove it, and with never a crimp in the old pocket book.

THEY SAY THAT JOE felt better at the end of the fight than at the beginning. And I don't mean Louis. But the Editor wasn't the only sap in town.

Mr. Hodges of East Swisher county, was in Silvertown on business Monday. He is farming with irrigation and says that his wheat is very good—maybe twenty-five or thirty bushels to the acre. His oats and barley are making good yields.

WORD FROM ARCHIE Castleberry: To the editor and devils: Have arrived at Boulder and my happiness would be complete if you would change my address to — (I left the address out, Archie, just in case). We want the "great family weekly" to be sure and come our way."

"DOC" MINYARD and myself took a load of Scouts to Camp Post Sunday, where the boys will be in Scout camp for a week. That's the longest road I ever saw. 90 miles or so south sure make a whale of a difference in crops. Corn is beginning to tassel out and is four and five feet high. Other row crops are way up there and some of the cotton is ten inches tall.***And we got lost, just about. Some old gent told us to go through a cattle guard and out across country. And we did, only it was the wrong guard. Their roads have a habit of just rambling 'round and after about so long they go up to the canyon and stop. We tried all of them and for a while it looked like we were going to have to make camp with the kids.

THE WIFE OF George Hell of Des Moines, has been granted a divorce. Now there'll be Mrs. Hell to pay—Flower Herald.

A LADY BROUGHT in a news item. Mrs. Somebody from Someplace is visiting in Silvertown with Somebody. She had forgotten the details. If you have anybody from there visiting here, maybe that's what the item was about.

Mrs. A. F. Jones returned to her home in Gainsville Tuesday after a week end visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Oran Bomar and family.

Friends of R. B. Boyle will be sorry to hear of the death of his mother a few days ago. She has been in poor health for some time.

Rock Creek Newsettes
Mrs. R. N. McDaniel

Mr. Joe Johnson and Charlie Johnson, spent the latter part of last week in East Texas.

Mrs. R. N. McDaniel spent Monday in the Hill and Shelton homes.

A birthday dinner was given Sunday in the Bob McDaniel home celebrating the birthdays of R. N. McDaniel, Sr., Mr. Clifford Simmons, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel. Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberson and daughter Imogene; Ollie Glass; Glyn, Gordon and O. B. Fore, all of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Simmons and family; Mr. and Mrs. Abner Wimberly and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and family.

Mr. Rowell and family moved on Monday, and the Milt Jaspers are moving in. We are sorry to lose the Rowells but are glad to welcome the Jaspers into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele were Amarillo visitors Thursday. We received a nice rain in spots Monday afternoon; also some hail and wind. Wade Steele had the misfortune of getting his crop hailed out.

A big crowd attended the quilting at Mrs. Gardner's last week. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. E. Davis in an all day meeting.

Antelope Flat
By Emma Bullock

Mrs. John Rhea and son Burl and daughters Joan and Romona of Paloduro, spent Tuesday in the W. N. Bullock home.

Miss Gussie Marie Bullock who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea of Paloduro returned home on Tuesday.

Elmer Sanders and W. N. Bullock were in Memphis Tuesday.

Miss Naydine Waldrop is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill of near Clarendon.

The Ladies Home Demonstration Club met at the school house Wednesday and pieced and quilted a quilt for Mr. Ansel Barton, our superintendent of schools.

Pete Salmon of Brice spent last week with his nephew, Dan Neise Dean.

John Johnson of Chillicothe, spent the week with his brother-in-law, W. N. Bullock.

J. W. Kent and son Earnest and Jack Reed of Paloduro attended here Thursday.

Mrs. Noah Basingame of Silvertown and Miss Julia Foley of near Clarendon visited here Friday.

Mrs. Tom Basingame returned to her home Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Morris of Clarendon.

Several people of this community were in Memphis Saturday.

Misses Bonnie Nell and Dorothy Faye Edens of Lodge, who have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edens, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bullock and son Jimmy of Silvertown spent Saturday night and Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Rickey and daughter Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. John Richey spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Graves and children and Miss Hazel Merrill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heckman of Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Salmon and daughter Gaye Lynn spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilsey Barclay and daughter Nancy and Mrs. W. D. Barclay, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gibson of Brice.

Brother Applewhite of Lockney filled his appointment here this week end.

W. R. Durham and sons Whitle and John; W. N. Bullock and son Earl, and daughters Emma and Gussie Marie, Elmer Sanders and son Aubrie and Bill Merrill were among those attending the Leslie-Parnell baseball game at Leslie Sunday.

Jess Salmon and Homer Griffin of Brice, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. Ansel Barton is visiting with relatives at Pampa this week.

Wallace Locals
Nettie Edwards

Mr. M. M. Edwards and daughter Nettie were in Silvertown Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. Ada Cox called at the M. M. Edwards home Friday morning.

Mr. Ralph Edwards was in Silvertown Tuesday morning.

Brother Copeland preached a fine sermon at Lakeview Sunday morning.

Edward and Nettie and J. D. Taylor were in South Plains Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deavenport and

children were in South Plains Sunday evening.

June Weast spent Saturday night with Pauline and Vera Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fisch and son Berle; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Spencer and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers, and Miss June Weast were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards and Mr. W. N. Edwards.

M. M. Edwards and son Edward and Mrs. Andrew Edwards returned from Oklahoma City last Thursday.

Mrs. Lloyd Readhimer of Kress has been spending several days at the Peacock home. Rev. Peacock is at Dallas attending a minister's business meeting.

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T. C. and D. O. Bomar
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A Bigger and Better Grocery and Market FOR SILVERTON

This week we have enlarged and improved our store by adding the stock and fixtures of

THE BOMAR MARKET

This undoubtedly makes our store a better place to trade and we want you to give us a trial.

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WE WILL TRADE

Groceries for Hogs, Cattle or any kind of Farm Produce, Cream, Eggs, Hides, and Poultry.

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Silvertown Grocery and Market

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Harvest Is Here

We are prepared to handle your wheat, and offer the same Honest, Courteous Service.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID

FOR ALL GRAIN

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THE PLAINS PRODUCE IS MOVING MONDAY TO THE SECOND BUILDING FROM EAST END ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SQUARE. READY FOR BUSINESS MONDAY MORNING.

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with highest market prices offered you at all times.

Mrs. Cleora Watson Turner will again be in charge of weighing and bookkeeping.

WE APPRECIATE all the business you have favored us with in the past and solicit any part you feel disposed to turn this way this harvest.

WE THANK YOU!!

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One Test For Our Oil....

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Make that test during this harvest when the going is really TOUGH.

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Opening

King Beauty Salon

Saturday, June 27th

Our New Beauty Parlor will be ready for business on Saturday, the 27th, and we want you to see our latest equipment, all of which is POSITIVELY NEW, and get acquainted with the operator, Miss Sylvia Day, of Matador.

To introduce this beauty service, we are giving away,

Absolutely Free

2—PERMANENT WAVES—2
One \$5.00 Wave One \$3.00 Wave

The only requirement for this gift is that you come in and register between now and the 27th—No obligation to you.

King Beauty Salon

Sylvia Day, Operator Ben O. King, Prop.
At the Ben O. King Barber Shop

SOCIETY

FAYE ALLARD, Reporter

Federated Meeting of Ladies Held on June Twenty-ninth

A Federated meeting of ladies, including all the churches in Silverton, will be held at the Presbyterian church June 29, at 3:00 P. M. An interesting program in the form of a social will be presented by members. Every lady is asked to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher and W. H. Williamson and daughter Lou Ann attended the Singing Convention at Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Allard and daughter Charlie returned Monday to their home after an extended visit at Lockney and Lubbock.

Mrs. C. S. Cline and daughter Sara Jane returned from Wichita Falls on Tuesday. They have spent the past week there on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bain and children of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. Bain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bain and children Allyn and George of Plainview visited friends and relatives here on Saturday.

Northcutt Reunion

With the exception of one son, Olan Northcutt of Dallas, all of the children of Mrs. Lena Northcutt were present in the home of Mrs. Roy Al-

lard Sunday. This was the first time in several years that the family have all been together.

Those enjoying the happy occasion were: Mrs. Lena Northcutt and her children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Farnsworth, Mrs. Velma Rhodes and daughter, Wanda Nell of Denver, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Northcutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt and family; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Northcutt and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard. Friends and other relatives were: Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Rorie of Turkey; Mrs. J. N. O. Burson, Mr. R. A. Watson, and Buster Allard.

Miss Frances O'Daniel of Amarillo spent Sunday with her father J. D. O'Daniel here.

Mrs. J. M. McCammon of Dallas visited with her brother Mr. J. D. O'Daniel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Hill were in Quitaque on business Monday.

Max Burson of Plainview visited with friends in Silverton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Zumwalt and daughter Lela Mae of Duncan, Ariz. have been visiting Mrs. Zumwalt's sister Mrs. Jim Bomar for the past week.

Mrs. Tony Burson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery at Happy last Thursday.

Mrs. Jerome English of Hatch, Ariz. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Windes, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Windes of Phoenix, Ariz. were guest in the Jim Bomar home last week.

Mrs. F. R. White and Mrs. L. E. Kent attended a club meeting in Cottoncenter Thursday.

Mrs. J. T. McDonald of Amarillo returned to her home Wednesday after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Clay Fowler.

Iwana Simpson returned Tuesday after a three week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Dana Harmon in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Benson and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White of Cottoncenter were guests in the L. E. Kent home. R. E. Brookshier attended the District Continental Oil Company meeting at Plainview Wednesday night.

Mrs. Robert London is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Shied at Saragato this week.

Doris Dansby of Bryan and Bobbie Ann Buchanan of Ranger are visiting in the home of Mrs. R. L. Buchanan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin returned Friday from Wichita Falls where they had been transacting business.

IF YOU WANT a guaranteed income at 50 years of age, ask Roy Teeter for particulars.

Sudie Lee Foust stopped here Saturday from Canyon. She was on her way to Matador, for a visit there with friends.

Joe Smith of Skellytown, Bunk Gilmore and Mary Collins of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel visited relatives in Tulla Sunday.

Mrs. Jesse Hill returned Friday from Turkey where she has been receiving treatment at the Sanitarium for some time.

Bobbie John Kent Enjoys Eighth Birthday

Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. L. E. Kent, with Mrs. F. R. White assisting, entertained a group of Bobbie John's friends on his eighth birthday. Bobbie John is the son of Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Kent.

After interesting games were played, a beautiful birthday cake topped with eight candles, and ice cream were served to the following guests: Aliene, Pauline and Billie Joe Peacock, Jane and Wayne White, Lou Ann Williamson, Kleave and Cleo Diviney, Joe Allard, Wilma Joyce Smithee, Fay Tice, Patricia Bomar, Linda Griffith, Hubert Bechtol, Sally Ann and Leslie Kent, Jr., and the honoree, Bobbie John.

Antelope Flat Demonstration Club Organized May 12th

The Ladies of Antelope met May the 12th with Mrs. L. L. Waldrop and organized a Home Demonstration Club with twenty-one charter members.

A quilt for Mrs. J. C. Bullock that was made by pupils and patrons of the school was quilted and a covered dish luncheon was served.

Emma Bullock Reporter The above club notice was delayed in sending to the News. The editor really appreciates getting club reports and when sent in on time are interesting news.—R.H.

Mrs. Bob Dickerson and Mrs. Bruce Burleson and son Carl Bain were in Amarillo Sunday visiting Mrs. W. L. Bain and Mrs. Sales Coffee.

Martha Lee Bain returned to her home in Amarillo Sunday after an extended visit with relatives here.

Geraldine Biffle, who has been attending Art Institute in Chicago for the past nine months, returned Saturday to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Biffle Fort.

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Deserves the Best of Protection Get Complete Lubrication, not just a grease job.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY, June 26-27

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A Jungle Thriller

Starring - FRANK BUCK

COMEDY SERIAL

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday - June 28, 29, 30

Dick Powell, Ruby Keeler, Jack Oakie

and Joan Blondell in —

"COLLEEN"

THURSDAY, July 2

Harold Lloyd in —

"THE MILKY WAY"

NEWS COMEDY

We Thank You

We have disposed of our Market to Mr. McEwin and wish to thank our friends and customers for the business they have given us in the past.

We invite all of you to continue your trade with Mr. McEwin.

Bomar Market

Roy Bomar

Wylie Bomar

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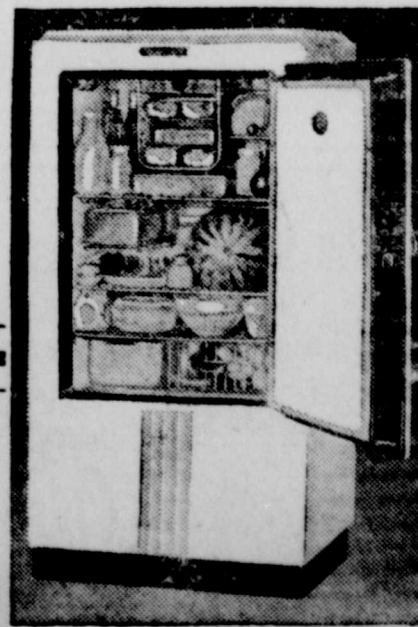
From its modern streamline beauty to its famous time-tested, Hermetically-sealed Mechanism, it has everything you ever hoped for in style, convenience and economical operation.

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See our complete line NOW. There is a size and combination of features that exactly meets your individual requirements.

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WORLD'S BEST COMICS

Lighter Side of Life as Depicted by Famous Cartoonists and Humorists

THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne



Ys QUAK
A COLD IS THE RESULT OF UNSETTLED WEATHER, AND BOTH THE EYES AND NOSE HAVE IT

S'MATTER POP— If in Trouble Scoot Back

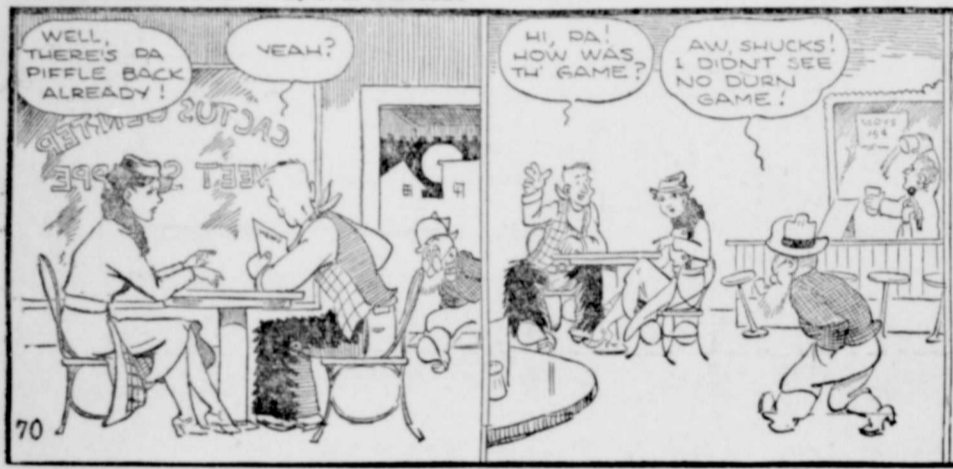
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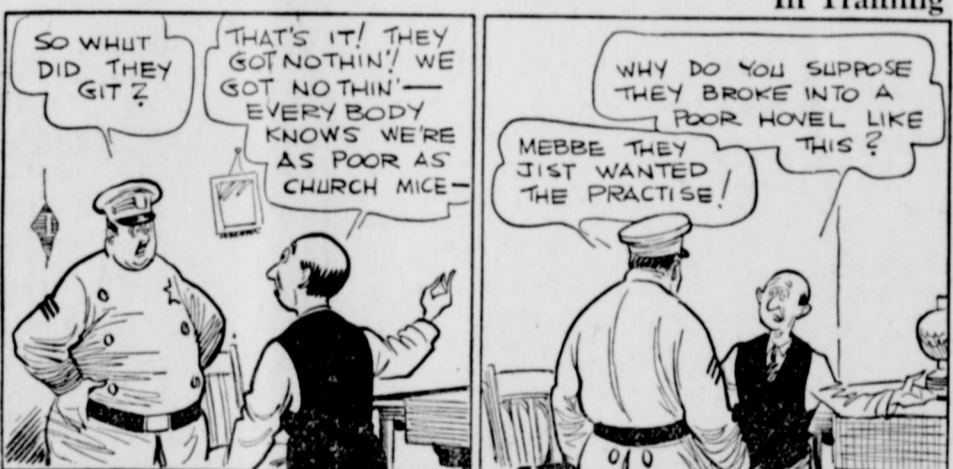
And There Were No Knot Holes



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin

In Training

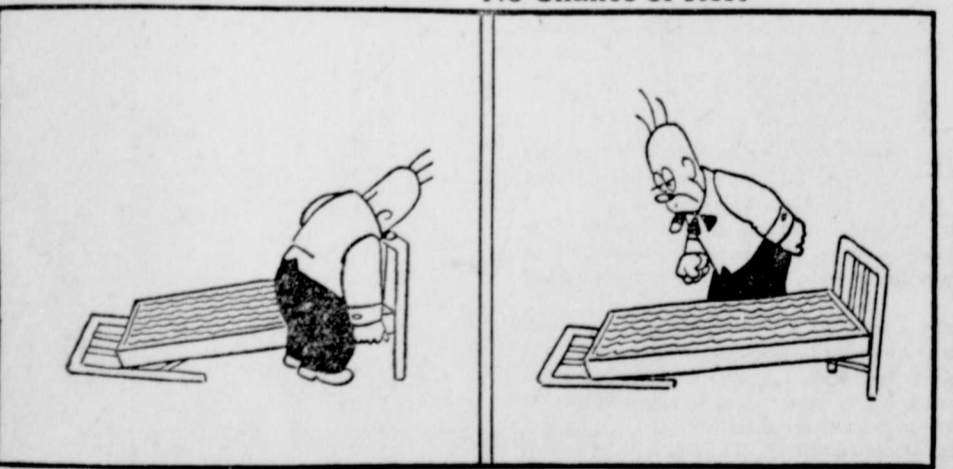


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WHIN A BURGLAR FOINDS YER MONEY IS IN A SAFE HE IS LOIKELY TO BLOW UP

ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES

No Chance of Rest

By O. JACOBSSON



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Our Pet Peeve

By M. G. KETTNER

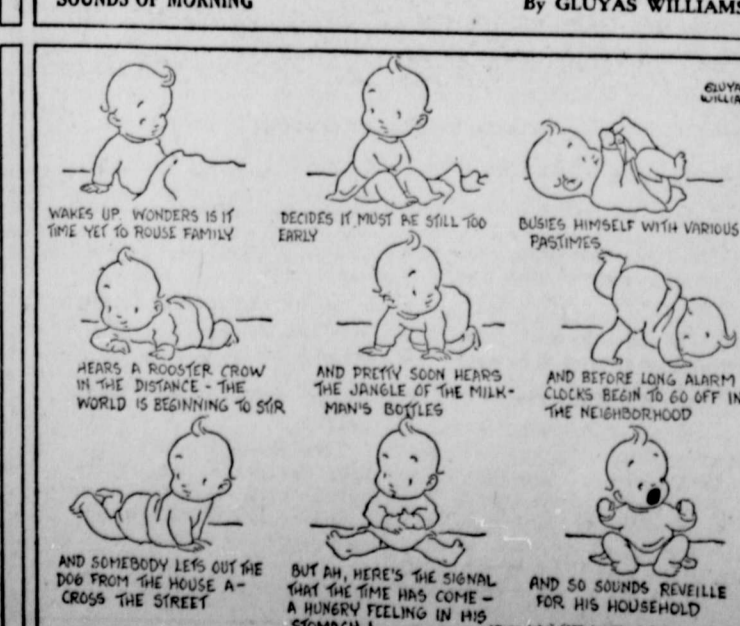


Telling Time at Night

Mrs. Green bought a sundial at a sale and had it erected in her garden. She called in the builder and instructed him to move it to a more suitable place.
"Where would you like me to put it?" asked the builder.
"Under the electric lamp in the porch," she replied. "Then we shall be able to see the time when it's dark."—Pearson's Weekly.
Quite So
The fisherman saw what looked to be a likely pool and turned to a man lounging on the bank.
"Is it a crime to catch fish here?" he asked.
"Crime?" was the retort. "If you catch any it'll be a miracle."
Give Him Time
Teacher—Johnny, do you know the population of London?
Johnny—Not all of them, miss; we haven't lived in London long enough.—Vancouver Province.

SOUNDS OF MORNING

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Week's Supply of Postum Free
Read the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this paper. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it.—Adv.

Learning and Teaching
The improvement of the understanding is for two ends; first, our own increase of knowledge; secondly, to enable us to deliver that knowledge to others.—Locke.

Whitens, Clears The Skin Quickest Way

No matter how dull and dark your complexion; no matter how freckled and coarsened by sun and wind, NADINOLA Cream will whiten, clear and smooth your skin to new beauty, quickest, easiest way. Just apply at bedtime; NADINOLA, tested and trusted for over a generation, begins its beautifying work while you sleep. Then you see day-by-day improvement until your complexion is restored to creamy white, soft-smooth, loveliness. No disappointments, no long waiting for results. Money-back guarantee. At all toilet counters, only 50c. Or write NADINOLA, Box 47, Paris, Tenn.

May Be So
How the prehistoric animals might laugh if they saw some of the models in the museums intended to be replicas of them.

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Quick, Soft Relief For Eyes Irritated By Exposure To Sun, Wind and Dust

Love Gives All
Love stops not to think how much must be given and what must be kept; it gives all.—H. W. Webb-Peipol.

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A Friend, Indeed
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NEW "KLAN" TERRORIZES MIDWEST

Authorities Say Membership May Run Into Millions; Killing in Detroit Arouses Public Indignation; Gang on Way Out.

By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

A NEW "masked menace" has been discovered lurking behind every other rock in the Middle West. It is the kind of masked menace which springs up every decade or so to strike fear into the hearts of the lawful and fire the imaginations of those who retain enough of their boyhood romanticism to "eat up" stories about secret and terrible organizations which ride the night in ghastly masks and fearsome ceremonial robes.

No doubt the Black Legion is already being used as a threat to scare little children into eating their spinach or practicing their music lessons. But the law, inclined to scoff at first, has decided that it is high time the outlaw order be taken in deadly seriousness. Authorities, it is reported, are even ready to believe that the secret members of the Black Legion and its affiliations may number 6,000,000 persons.

There are today even reasonable grounds for suspicion that the organizations may have roots in other sections of the country. In many localities there are movements to demand the truth about secret, robed organiza-

Black Legion claims that he was forced to accompany members to a formal meeting, a sternly costumed gathering that awed him completely. He is a small employer. He claims that he was threatened with being flogged to death if he did not return to work two members of the Black Legion whom he had discharged. He returned them to work forthwith. Police, in their questioning, have noticed that a high per-

South has had its Night Riders or "White Caps." And the coal fields of Pennsylvania once quaked in fear of the Molly Maguires. All of them were brought into being to create a need and disappeared when the need disappeared.

The Vigilantes arose to defend the weak and law-abiding in the days when men of the pioneer West lived by the celerity of their gun hands. They saw that justice was meted out in trials where the murderer would have ordinarily been acquitted through fear or admiration in ridiculous court proceedings. They cleaned up the West and made it a safe place in which to live, even in the early days. But they were unlike other organizations in that they were not masked and their membership rolls were no secret.

KKK Born in South.

The Ku Klux Klan first gained prominence, and was probably born, in the reconstruction period following the Civil war. Its methods were ruthless, but were at that time probably justified as the only means of protecting the South against the army of carpetbaggers and villains who sought to control the government of the South at that time.

The theatrical costumes and the dramatic rites of the KKK were aimed primarily at negroes who sought political superiority to whites after gaining their freedom. It was not hard for the blacks to believe that the white-robed Klansmen were the ghosts of Confederate soldiers returned to haunt them. To have discouraged the superstition would have been to contribute to the defeat of the Klan's purpose, so the members wisely encouraged it. If they lynched occasionally, it was at that time defensible on the grounds that it was the only protection the South had against the abuses of the northern carpetbaggers.

As the need for the Klan began to vanish, it turned its energies toward personal grudges and exaggerated causes. As a result it finally died out for an extended period.

Within the memories of most readers the Klan was revived by William Joseph Simmons and his crowd in the days following the World war. But its purpose was not confined to political injustices. It aimed at alleged intolerances of religion as well as race. At its height, this second edition of the Ku Klux Klan was said to have had more than 9,000,000 members. Its treasury was believed to have boomed, at one time, a sum of \$30,000,000.

The Molly Maguires Appear.

The new Klan died from many causes, most of them relating to its absence of weighty purpose. But the death blow was really struck when D. C. Stephenson, who had been Kleagle of the district of Indiana, abducted a young Hoosier girl, mistreated her and failed to get her medical attention, leaving her to die when she took poison in her shame. His acts had nothing to do with the Klan itself, but so aroused public opinion that the Klan has been little heard from since. Stephenson was sent to the state prison in Michigan City.

The Molly Maguires sprang up in the Pennsylvania coal fields in the '70s, and their stamping out established the fame of the Pinkerton Detective agency. The



Two Detroit police officers dressed in the regalia, and displaying the weapons of the Black Legion, whose membership some estimates place at a maximum of 6,000,000.

tions which, under the guise of "true Americanism," allegedly seek to grasp political power by terroristic methods.

Find State Employees Members.

Positive proof of the existence of such a band seems to have been uncovered in Michigan, where thirteen men, allegedly members of the Black Legion, were held in the murder of Charles Poole, a twenty-two-year-old WPA worker of Detroit. Authorities there claim that in a district of 135,000 persons there are at least 3,000 and possibly 40,000 Black Legionnaires. Three state employees have been dismissed because of their membership, and twelve others have been suspended from state, city and county pay rolls.

In some 15 or 16 states, investigations are now under way, probing into past, unsolved cases of mob violence, and into complaints by citizens that they are being terrorized.

Detroit's own case probably began last August, when a ballot box scandal reeked with charges of terrorism by a secret masked brotherhood; but police laughed at the idea. When Poole was killed, however, the police, in seeking some clue to the murder, discovered that he had been a member of a club which met in a little meeting hall and celebrated weird rites. Dozens of witnesses questioned revealed that the Black Legion had existed since 1933, at least, although there were a few who insisted that it dated from the Mayflower or from the Boston Tea Party.

It is considered possible that the organization may have been an outgrowth of the Ku Klux Klan. The officers dress in white garb somewhat similar to that of the KKK, and the ritual is said to be similar. Detroit authorities are inclined to believe the story of Dr. William Jacob Shepherd of Belleaire, Ohio, who claims that he was an Exalted Cyclops of the KKK, and organized a Black Guard which developed units in Ohio and Indiana and then spread like wildfire.

"Provided Interest in Life."

There were many groups who were attracted by the black robes and mystery of the new offspring, Doctor Shepherd said. Arthur Lupp of Detroit, who seems to have been the chief recruiting officer of the Black Legion, insists that it never countenanced violence of any sort. He explained its growth by declaring that, during the depression, it gave thousands of men an interest in life that they would not otherwise have had.

Other witnesses claimed that the primary purpose of the organization was the securing of jobs for its unemployed members, and to keep employed members in their jobs. Each member was "sworn by holy and terrible oath" to do his best to secure a job for another member in the place where he worked.

One of the complainants against the

centage of employment exists among the witnesses charged with being members.

The principal fear which was instilled into the hearts of honest citizens by the Black Legion was the possibility of their appearing at some time a great leader able to organize the Legion to transcend regional boundaries and make of the order a general Fascist movement, difficult to measure or control because of its under-cover operation.

Precedent in History.

Authorities are virtually certain that members, wherever they are, are burning their hoods and robes at a rapid rate, and that the organization will die as others before it have, in



Fingerprinting Black Legion Suspects at Detroit.

the light of public discovery and disapproval.

The United States, like many another country, has in its diary many records of secret fraternal orders whose members cloak their identity. Indeed, what group of small boys has not formed its "secret" and fearful society, like that of Tom Sawyer and his friends, signing covenants full of misspelled words in blood painfully pricked from their little fingers?

Every section of the land has had its secret orders which were an important phase of its history. The West was saved from "bad" outlaws largely by a band of "good" outlaws, the Vigilantes, who took the suppression of crime into their own hands when the law proved inadequate. The Ku Klux Klan has seen two periods of activity in the South and Middle West. The Middle

Mollies fought the introduction of foreign miners into their area and stopped not even at murder to achieve their cause. But in time the outfit, its need outgrown, became nothing but a great extortion ring.

One of the principal figures in the breaking up of the gang, Charles A. Wilgert, died only three years ago. Upon his death the New York Sun carried the following editorial (in part):

"The Molly Maguires had long before abandoned the original philanthropic purpose of its organizers and had become known, early in the '70s, as a system of extortion. . . Its method of operation has been copied, perhaps somewhat unconsciously, by some of the modern racketeers."

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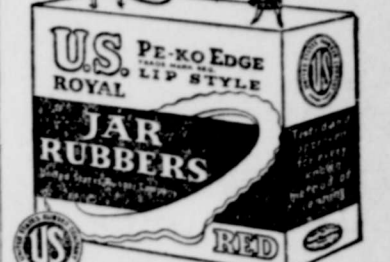
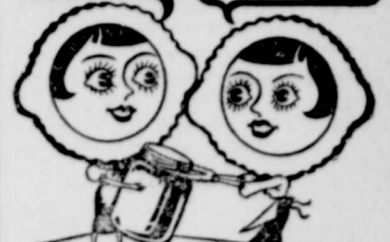


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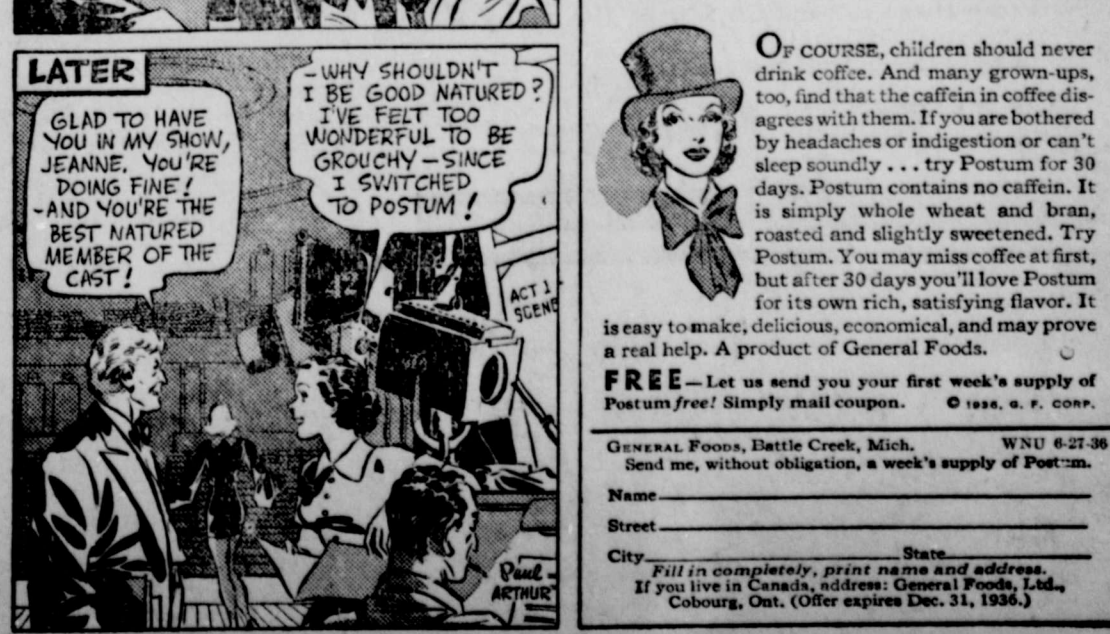
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A FARMER'S LIFE
"As He Lives It"
By ED HOLMES
STATION C.E.H. FARM

I've been serving on the Grand Jury. I think it would be a lot more natural if I had been "facing" the twelve. Several that were called before the jury were even more surprised than myself. However, it was an experience that I sure did appreciate.

This rural community, along with many others, is being served by an ice route. Three times each week. It is easy for him to sell his wares when the little red line passes 100.

My first soldering job was last week when I soldered an old leaky faucet in the bottom of a 3-gallon bucket. We hang a one-half bucket that has been punched full of holes on the faucet and with the aid of a pulley that is nailed to the ceiling, we raise the full bucket of water up high for a real country shower. The system cost us four cents.

Boys, a 30c file used on your go-devil knives each half day or often-er, until they get too blunt will kill lots of extra weeds, save you many dollars and lots of extra trouble this summer. Try it.

The best example of 'double negative' I know of was the other night

Charles Baker and R. V. Tinnin were raiding after they had gone to bed. I came through with some cold water and offered them a drink. Chas. had apparently gone to sleep so I just poured a little water on him. R. V. was laughing about it being a good joke when Charles raised up and told us, "It would have been all right if I had been asleep, but I was awake." Come to find out the next morning, he was asleep when he told us he was awake.

It's going to be interesting to watch the third party movement, known as the Union party against the regular Democrats and Republicans. Mr. Lemke, candidate for President on the new ticket, is the representative from Wisconsin who has been trying to pass the Frazier-Lemke Refinance bill that if passed would save the ten farmers that I mentioned last week an average of \$198 annually. When the facts are known, he will get the support of many debt ridden farmers and business men from this producing section. It is going to be hard to separate facts from lies from here on out. You better study and know your source of information.

We are raising two little filly colts this year. With the average farm income per farm population at around \$200 per year, I surely think it is practical for farmers to help nature "grow" some of our farm power and send the \$200 with the same busi-

ness men for something we want that we can't help nature grow.

If and when the farmers we move by taking their land and working it with tractors, can find profitable employment: "producing" some material thing, I will buy a tractor and easily work double the average farm. It is sensible that we could easily be more prosperous that way.

But listen, Mr. Sensible Man! Be careful that you don't foolishly control many times the average farm, work it with mechanical power that you must pay for out of the sale of farm products, spend many times an average gross income that the farmers do receive. You in turn place these same farmers on relief and force upon yourself the job of supporting them for they are producing nothing, yet they must consume some thing.

You shouldn't get mad at me for simply stating the facts.

If you had eight boys that were all healthy and ready to work, you wouldn't believe that it would make seven of them more prosperous and give all the credit to one, and in turn, let him loan money to the others and live off them through the interest route, would you? Good Old Uncle Sam. He has I think, been persuaded into that very thing. The producing farmer seems to be the "goat". I will quote the facts and figures next week.

one is invited. The singing will be over in time for the regular church service.

Robert E. Gulley, Minister

HARD TO GET A HEARING

Candidates for State offices are finding it difficult to get a hearing, especially in this section of the State. People of the State are Centennial minded and even candidates for Governor who are campaigning while Governor Allred has been assisting the Centennial, are finding crowds of forty and fifty out to hear them. From talking with voters from various points in the State, it becomes more evident daily that Governor Allred is going to win in the first primary. Neither of the candidates opposed to him have been able to get up steam. Frankly we look for the biggest one-sided election in the governors race that this State has held in a number of years. And with the record that Governor Allred has made he richly deserves it.

Mr. and Mrs. True Burson and Wayne Crawford were in Amarillo last Thursday on business and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer left Monday for Dallas where they will transact business and also visit the Centennial.

Sarah Frances Smith who is attending the W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith.

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Church Services 11:00 A. M.

Regular League and Preaching will be held in the evening.

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Evening worship at 8:15 P. M. The subject: "Limiting God".

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11:00 A. M. Preaching
11:45 A. M. Communion
8:30 P. M. Preaching

Monday

3:30 P. M. Ladies Bible Class

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8:30 P. M. Mid-week Bible Study
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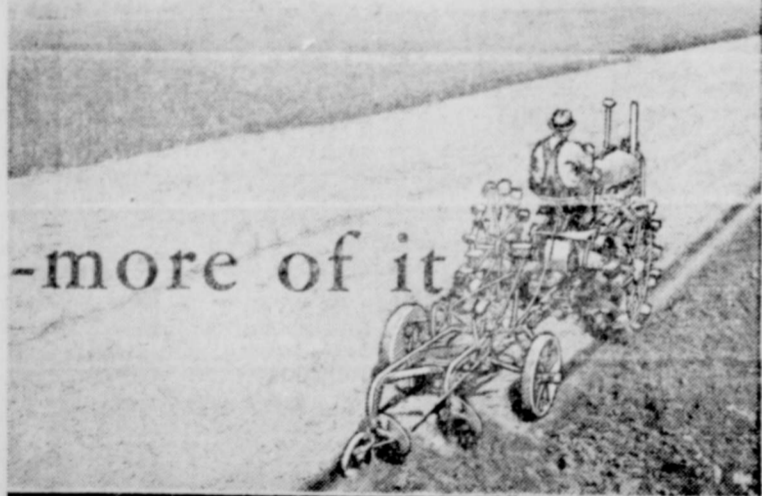
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