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Briscoe County WPA Offices Open Aug. 4

Intake offices for referral to WPA will be open in Briscoe County at the 4th according to A. W. Long, District Relief Administrator of Districts 16 and 17 which consists of thirty-five counties in the Lubbock, Amarillo, and Pampa territories. Intake offices in other parts of the two districts will be opened as soon thereafter as possible. Long states that all Offices will be opened before August 10th.

The act creating the 1936-37 WPA program requires that referrals to WPA be made by some public Welfare Organization. The Texas Relief Commission has agreed to accept the responsibility. Eligibility for referral is based upon one thing only—the basis is need. The only restriction other than that of need is in the case of an illegal alien who is not eligible. This new ruling eliminates the requirements calling for former referral status.

Mr. Long emphasizes the fact that the Texas Relief Commission does not make the actual certification or placement. The procedure that will be followed is that when one needs makes application at the intake office all facts necessary to determine the applicant's actual needs developed. The information required is in detail. Following this a worker makes a home visit to the home of the applicant obtaining all other information possible. Colateral visits to references given are made. After completing this information an adequate budget is developed for the particular family in question. No two families, even of the same size and same apparent conditions, have the same requirements. For this reason trained workers are necessary for the handling of these applications. After the budget is developed, income and resources are considered. From this information a need is determined. Applications are then either rejected or referred to the WPA. Whether the referral is accepted or rejected, the Texas Relief Commission has absolutely nothing to do with the actual placing of a applicant on a WPA job.

Quota on WPA at present is 100 persons, while there are 135,000 now certified. It is anticipated that an additional 50,000 will be accepted under the modified ruling. This makes a total of 185,000 eligible for only 81,000 available jobs. As there is practically no possibility of applicants obtaining jobs immediately and as some little time is required between the date of application and actual referral is completed, the Relief Offices are requesting that people not rush to the Intake Offices.

A meeting was held in Austin, Monday and Tuesday of this week to explain the new program.

BACK FROM SHORT COURSE

The Short Course at A. and M. College Station, called a halt on the Home Demonstration work in our county, but the women who attended from here are full of pep and enthusiasm for the Home Demonstration program and with the determination to bring Briscoe County on the map at the Short Course next year. The women attending the different educational lectures and exhibits on Home Making, by the Extension specialists and from the various Demonstration Clubs over the State of Texas.

These women give their reports to their clubs, they hope that they will be able to inspire them to do some profitable and better work in their homes and for their clubs.

Accompanying Miss Meador to Short Course from Briscoe County were: Mrs. V. T. Hall, of Quaitaque; Mrs. W. E. Schott, Antelope Flat; Mrs. Wade Steele, Rock Creek; Mrs. J. Lee Francis, Francis; and Mrs. M. Hill, Silvertown.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NEWS

The younger Christian Endeavor report a splendid conference in Canyon from Monday afternoon until Thursday morning. There were eight intermediates with Mrs. Griffith as guide, who went to the Silvertown Presbyterian organization last week.

Thursday evening the Young Women's Conference opened, with delegates from the Silvertown group in attendance. They were: Wilma Dickerson and Perry Jones. The older crowd will be in session for a full week. The class instruction are of great benefit to all young Christian workers. The camp activities furnish enjoyment and good times in most enjoyable environment.

Sunday evening a fine group of intermediates were in attendance at the Presbyterian church at six o'clock. After the devotionals and program, everyone enjoyed the midweek report on the Ceta Intermediate conference given by Phyllis Allred and others who had

FOUR TO ENTER HOME FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

Irlan Jack Austin, and Bailey Leo Eddleman, of Quitaque; and Bonnie Lou Hays and Dova May Yocum, left Tuesday for Dallas where they will enter the Baylor Hospital for crippled children.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Peacock, N. R. Honea, and Mrs. Yocum accompanied them.

Veteran Is Victim Of Pneumonia

Dave Graves, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Graves, was born September 14, 1887 near Lockhart, Texas, Caldwell County. At the age of 14 years he went to Beaumont, Texas. In 1906 he was an oil driller and continued in that work until 1918.

He was called to the World's War July 24, 1918 and served in France until August 3, 1919. Then he became a citizen of Hall county and Antelope Flat until January, 1934 when he moved near Silvertown. He was single and lived at home with his mother.

He was united with the Methodist Church this past year.

He was taken ill with pneumonia, November 19, 1935.

He was taken to the hospital at Albuquerque, New Mexico in January 17, 1936, where he stayed until death came on him Monday, July 20, 1936 at 8:10 A. M.

His survivors are: his mother, Mrs. Maggie Graves, Silvertown; nine brothers and two sisters, Floyd M. Graves, Oklahoma City; Iry O. Graves, Wellstan, Okla.; Cecil, Buster, Ernest, Homer and Adell Graves, all of Silvertown; Samuel Graves, who was unable to attend the funeral; Mrs. Dessie Archer, Wichita Falls; Benton Graves was killed in the World War October 8, 1918 and his father, Richard Graves, passed on December 30, 1930.

Interment was made in Fairview Cemetery at Memphis.

Pall bearers were: Earl Bullock, Chas. Bullock, Lloyd Bullock, Oscar Bullock and Paul Christenson.

Mrs. C. C. Brown, Mrs. George Weise; Misses Emma Bullock, Gussie Marie Bullock, Verla Barclay, and Nadyne Waldrop were in charge of the flowers.

DELISE BLACKWELL ON EXCURSION TRIP

Delise Blackwell left Friday on an excursion trip through Yellow Stone Park and other places of interest with the Biology Class of Southwestern State at Wetherford Oklahoma.

Special entertainment and lectures along the route have been arranged for by Mr. Naiman and Mr. Guffy who are instructors in South Western State College. They and their wives will accompany the young people.

A stop will be made at Denver University where they will visit the observatory and have an opportunity to look through the telescope at different planets and stars. This observatory is one of the largest in the middle west.

From Denver they will go directly to the south entrance of Yellow Stone National Park, through old Faithful camp and the upper and lower geyser basins. Special points of interest there will be the boiling pots, the morning glory geyser, which is continually bubbling and boiling, the eagle nests and many other things of interest and beauty.

The trip is then routed through Cody, Wyoming, and back to Estes Park Village.

J. G. Naiman plans for the group to visit the Ford assembly plant at Denver, where they will see cars in the making. They will also visit the Museum of Natural History and the National Broadcasting companies Studio at Denver's radio city. An excursion through a gold mine near Denver will be made and educational lectures given by a supervisor.

From these the trip will continue to Colorado Springs and Manitou. They will have an opportunity to visit the Garden of the Gods and the Cave of the Winds.

Pictures of interesting and historical places will be taken and slides will be made from these for educational purposes.

Duration of the trip will be two or three weeks.

Bob Williams, who has been employed here by Thurman Graham for some time, died last Wednesday in a hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. Williams' home was at Quitaque.

Joe Blocker says that the whole family has gone, including the cat which is visiting out at Wiley Bomars.

WANTED TO RENT OR TO BUY, GOOD USED PIANO. Mrs. Roy Hahn.

FOR RENT - 4-room house with bath. Completely modern. See - W. H. NEWMAN

LOST - Small boy's sandals on school ground. Please return to the Briscoe County News

Primary Votes Cast Number 1500

Two County Offices—County Judge and Commissioner Precinct No. 2. Call for Run-Offs in Second Primary. — Governor Alfred, Sen. Small, and Marvin Jones Re-elected

The polls of the first Democratic Primary closed at seven o'clock Saturday night, with a total of around 1500 votes cast in Briscoe County, including an absentee vote of over 150.

Excitement was rather strong Saturday night, even to the extent of a fist fight or two. These occurred about two o'clock and may have been due to the election—or to a little too much bottled ambition. All in all it was quite an election.

Only two run-offs for county offices will be necessary. W. W. Martin, County Judge, and W. Coffee, Jr., will have another month or so of worry and work; and W. V. Chandler and L. E. Graham will continue the fight for Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, down Quitaque way.

Governor Allred carried the county by a good majority, as he did the entire state. Senator Clint Small failed to carry Briscoe County, receiving 615 votes to 713 for Curtis Douglass from Panhandle. Taking the entire district, however, Senator Small was returned to office.

Below is given the unofficial election returns for Briscoe County, as given by precincts. It will prove interesting to look up the votes as cast in each section of the county:

	Quitaque, No. 1	Quitaque, No. 2	Rock Creek, No. 3	San Jacinto, No. 4	Red River, No. 5	Gasoline, No. 6	Silvertown, No. 7	Silvertown, No. 8	TOTAL
For U. S. Senator —									
Sheppard	192	267	60	46	37	37	97	96	832
Fisher	37	43	10	4	4	9	12	16	135
Bush	5	12	2	—	—	6	5	4	38
Price	17	13	1	—	5	—	5	9	50
Eagle	14	18	5	—	1	2	6	12	58
Glenn	10	11	—	1	3	1	4	3	33
For Governor									
Allred	140	238	46	48	26	24	79	71	672
Brooks	10	19	—	4	5	3	4	5	50
Fisher	25	36	3	4	4	8	2	20	102
Hunter	128	143	51	7	21	32	46	53	481
Sanderford	47	12	5	—	2	4	17	22	109
For R. R. Commissioner —									
E. O. Thompson	163	240	50	44	37	33	83	104	754
Hardin	67	67	27	8	7	12	36	23	247
Morris	30	54	6	—	—	8	9	13	129
Thompson	11	11	2	—	—	—	7	3	34
For State Comptroller —									
Sheppard	222	288	66	46	41	37	111	118	929
Terrell	39	51	5	6	3	11	15	17	147
Covington	17	20	6	1	1	2	7	9	63
For Land Commissioner —									
Hawkins	83	149	18	22	15	18	55	52	412
McDonald	193	224	56	27	29	34	69	84	716
For State Treasurer —									
Adair	27	50	11	4	4	6	16	17	125
Lockhart	152	204	45	32	39	73	73	98	675
Hopkins	60	73	13	10	7	10	22	16	211
For Lt-Governor —									
Woodul	373	463	407	61	60	81	157	178	1479
Ch. Justice S. Court —									
Curetton	375	463	108	62	59	81	157	178	1373
Assoc. Justice S. Court —									
Critz	372	462	109	62	60	81	157	179	1373
State Superintendent —									
Bullock	102	92	33	20	27	23	49	41	387
Wood	169	290	41	29	21	30	73	90	743
Commissioner Agriculture —									
Terrell	68	93	4	16	7	5	28	23	244
Siegrist	2	12	3	—	1	—	3	1	22
McDonald	54	68	15	8	5	12	27	31	220
Day	144	185	58	25	36	33	74	80	635
Justice Civil Appeals —									
R. W. Hall	370	463	109	61	59	81	154	183	1110
For District Attorney —									
Chapman	373	462	110	62	59	80	157	187	1112
For Congressman —									
Jno. R. Miller	54	86	21	11	9	14	22	27	244
Marvin Jones	265	332	70	43	49	51	123	128	1059
For State Senator —									
C. C. Small	147	193	45	41	14	27	70	78	615
Curtis Douglass	179	238	44	12	42	42	74	82	713
For Legislature —									
A. B. Tarwater	219	342	61	45	42	41	111	116	977
Syl Berkenfield	77	47	20	8	8	14	27	34	235
For County Judge —									
W. W. Martin	158	64	63	21	17	39	69	98	568
W. Coffee, Jr.	187	160	25	39	43	18	80	72	625
J. W. Lyon, Jr.	35	244	1	2	2	21	6	16	327
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor —									
N. R. Honea	211	309	80	46	50	48	95	121	960
G. W. Lee	168	158	30	16	10	33	54	64	533
For County Clerk —									
R. E. Douglas	371	471	110	62	61	81	156	186	1498
For Co. Treasurer —									
Miss Lizzie Gregg	373	465	111	62	60	80	136	188	1496
For Co. Surveyor —									
R. F. Stevenson	368	470	112	59	61	81	155	184	1497
Commissioner, Precinct 1 —									
H. L. O. Riddell	134	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	134
R. M. Hill	239	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	239
Commissioner, Precinct 2 —									
W. V. Chandler	—	144	—	13	39	—	—	—	201
L. E. Graham	—	185	—	—	37	25	—	—	247
W. P. Hawkins	—	139	—	—	4	16	—	—	159
Commissioner, Precinct 3 —									
Grady Wimberly	—	—	33	—	—	—	—	—	33
P. D. Jasper	—	—	74	—	—	—	—	—	74
Commissioner, Precinct 4 —									
J. R. Foust	—	—	—	—	49	—	—	—	49
Roy F. Barber	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	—	51
For Co. Attorney —									
C. W. Norrid	198	225	51	17	37	44	94	100	766
C. D. Wright	171	233	52	37	21	31	59	87	691
For J. P. No. 1 —									
T. L. Anderson (incomplete)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	558
For Co. Chairman —									
Potter	10	—	1	—	—	—	3	4	18
Tibbets	17	26	9	—	—	—	3	26	84
Sanders	32	39	—	7	—	—	3	22	114
Rice	—	13	—	—	—	—	2	1	16

MRS. A. L. KELSAY WINS PRIZE OF \$100.00

Mrs. A. L. Kelsay was a very much surprised lady, upon arriving home Tuesday she received a telegram, telling her that she had won one hundred dollars and a ticket to the Centennial at Dallas.

This was one of the prizes given in a contest that was sponsored by Proctor and Gamble, advertising Crisco.

Finley White's Agricultural Briefs

Summer time and cotton weather are both here. If we could persuade the weather man to give us a little water to mix with these two items we'd be sitting pretty. With all the dry weather though, our cotton crop in Briscoe County is more promising just now than in any other county along the way from here to Houston.

Many places along the highways from here to Houston, the crops are badly burned and in other places they have had too much water. Where they have had too much water the cotton stalks are almost head-high with little or no fruit on them. I'm of the opinion after seeing a great deal of the state, that Briscoe County is not such a bad place to live in and farm.

Centennial Notes

Proof of the many interesting sights that may be seen at Dallas and Fort Worth can be had from any or all of the 4-H Club boys who took in the show last week.

From an educational standpoint, the Centennial was perfect—and as for amusement—well it's not to be laughed at. Every boy who made the trip from Briscoe will vouch for the Centennial that every citizen of Texas should see without fail.

Short Course

Although the method of procedure at A. and M. was changed somewhat this year, and the boys didn't get to attend and everything that they wanted to attend, I'm sure that none felt that the trip was useless. To visit the college and have access to that wonderful swimming pool and to be associated with all the boys and girls from all over Texas was worth lots to each of the boys.

Each of the boys who made the trip, and the writer too, takes this means of expressing our appreciation to those who made the trip possible. The money was well spent and the entire trip was thoroughly enjoyed by each of us. We hope that we will make better citizens of Briscoe County, by having had this educational trip. We will do our best.

Farm Program News

Many questions are being asked about when we will be measuring land and checking compliance. It now appears that checking off compliance and land measuring will not be done until after August. Any changes in this plan will be posted in plenty of time to give every farmer a chance to get his house in order for checking before measuring begins.

There will be no contracts to sign this year. Work sheets have already been signed. There remains now only two forms to sign. The compliance papers and the application for a grant. These forms will be furnished by the committeeman when measuring of the land is done. Everyone who signed a work sheet will be given an opportunity to sign these other two papers.

Trench Silo

If you haven't dug that trench silo yet now is the time to dig it. By digging the trench silo now, it is possible that you might catch enough water in it to save lots of water pumping when you get ready to put your feed away this fall.

AGRICULTURE BOYS ELECT OFFICERS

The local boys elect officers of the FFA Chapter. The Future Farmers of America is a National organization of boys taking agriculture. Many things have been accomplished through this organization. There will be a week set aside for these boys at the Centennial which is Thanksgiving week.

The officers that were elected are as follows: President, Lloyd May; vice-president Arnold Brown; Secretary, George Martin; reporter, Jack O'Neal.

Other boys present were: Marvin Montague, Menyard Long, Walter Bradley, Harley Redin, Thomas Olive Henry Crow, R. H. and Bill Stodgill, W. C. Donald, Eldon McCloud, Alton Strickland, Andrew Beavers, Hollie Frances, J. B. Smith, Raymond Bradley, William Long, and Chas. Dunn.

Another meeting will be called before long. Everyone watch the paper for announcement. A swimming party is being planned. The president has power to call meetings at any time. We would like to have other boys join us.

Home Demonstration With Mrs. White Next Tuesday

The regular first-Tuesday-of-the-month meeting of the Silvertown Home Demonstration Club will be with Mrs. Finley White. Don't forget the day—next Tuesday, August 4, at 2:30 P. M.

The demonstration of summer beverages will be one of the features of the next meeting.

Sam Thompson Dies Wednesday Evening

Sam Thompson, 60, passed away at his home in Silvertown Wednesday evening, after an illness of about three weeks. He died of pneumonia.

Mr. Thompson was one of Silvertown prominent and well-thought-of citizens. He came here in 1922 from Archer City and has been engaged in the building and contracting business. He helped to build the Methodist church of which he was a member, and many other buildings about town.

Mr. Thompson has been a member of the Masonic Lodge for over thirty years.

He started working for himself at the age of 14 and worked for several years on ranches as a cow hand. Most of his cowboy days were spent on the 066 Ranch in Archer county.

Samuel Broyles Thompson was born in Grayson County, Texas on August 16, 1876. In 1901 he was united in marriage to Miss Willie Thompson, at Archer City.

Six children were born to this union, five of whom are living. They are: Mrs. William Decker, Canyon; Bill Thompson, Silvertown; Kemp Thompson, Silvertown; Kate McKinney, Silvertown; and Miss Nora Mae Thompson, Silvertown.

He also leaves to mourn his loss, two sisters, Mrs. Nora Roberson, of Wichita Falls; and Mrs. Jim Taylor, of Wichita Falls; three brothers, Clark Thompson, Lubbock; F. S. Thompson, F. S. Thompson, Henrietta; Rufe Thompson, Pampa. He leaves seven grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held from the Methodist church in Silvertown, Friday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Joe Strother, formerly a pastor of the M. E. church here, will be in charge of the services.

TULL REPORTS TRACTOR SALES ON INCREASE

Marvin Tull, McCormick-Deering dealer, very modestly says that the tractor business is pretty good. He reports the following recent sales in this community:

R. C. Hutsell—new F-30 Farm-all on rubber tires.

Earl Mercer—new F-20 Farm-all.

R. E. Brookshier—new F-30 Farm-all.

Beth Joiner—new F-20 Farm-all.

Sim Reeves—new F-30 Farm-all on rubber tires and a ten-foot Angel plow.

Tom Bomar—new F-30 Farm-all on rubber.

Jim Brooks—new F-30 Farm-all.

And by the way Marvin usually has an ad on the back page. Watch for it each week. They give you a lot of dope on the McCormick-Deering.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO START MONDAY

On next Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock the Vacation Bible School will start, and everyone is invited to attend.

There will be classes for all ages, and for those who have had former courses and are more advanced. The school is non-sectarian and children from every church will enjoy the four or five days of intensive Bible study craft work and good times.

The Presbyterian pastor and his wife, from Hereford, both expert workers with young people, will be here to assist. Don't miss a day.

Come to the Presbyterian church Monday morning August 3 at 8:00 A. M.

FARM DEBT ADJUSTMENT COMMITTEE

The Briscoe County Farm Debt Adjustment Committee consists of Mr. Clarence Anderson, Mr. Q. E. Brown, and Mr. Emmett Brookshier. These men are prepared to offer you their services at any time.

It is suggested that all farmers who may be in need of assistance in regard to payments on their farms, immediately see one of the County Committeemen and have them fill out Form 100 in order that the Farm Debt Adjustment Section of the Resettlement Administration may be in a better position to render them help.

The headquarters for Farm Debt Adjustment for this section of Texas is Room 204 Federal Building, Wichita Falls, Texas. Mr. Homer E. Carrico, District Farm Debt Adjustment Supervisor.

Advertising is a proven success!

BRISBANE

THIS WEEK

Paris: Of Many Newspapers Surprise for Karl Marx Mr. Eden Was Tired Out A Big Somersault

This world is really no bigger, now, than the palm of your hand; wherever you are, news comes pouring in — a Pullman car on the Mohave desert has the "Examiner"; flying across, the Levant and brothers hurry to the airfield at Wichita with the latest "Beacon"; and on the ocean, a newspaper appears every day; the radio feeds it; in Paris, ten times as many newspapers as are published in New York tell you anything you choose to believe, from editorials written by men who do not know that the royal and imperial French families died and were buried after the war of 1870 to fiery-eyed moderns who think they can graft Karl Marx and Lenin on Jacques Bonhomme, the French peasant, and produce a French Utopia, with a Russian accent and a pair of high boots.



Arthur Brisbane

They do not know Jacques Bonhomme, who bought his land in the revolution at bargain prices with inflated assignats, and means to keep it, nor do they know the small-sized French bourgeois, who think more of one four-cent franc than some of our governing geniuses think of a billion 59-cent dollars. The Marx-Stalin-Lenin brotherhood in America, by the way, does not understand the inside feelings of the U. S. A. citizen, with his bungalow, automobile, radio set, washing machine and furniture, all "nearly paid for." Send HIM, instead of a bill for his last installment, the statement, "No more private property," and see what he says and does.

You take your choice of dozens of Paris daily newspapers; the wild kind, that say anything and lose money; the tame kind, that say nothing and make money, but very little of it; the mummified kind, that still take "Madame La Marquise" seriously, and think themselves back in the days of old Madame De Defland and Lord Bolingbroke.

You have, also, newspapers from all the Lilliput countries nearby—English, Italian, German—and the news is in them, only you must know how to extract it. They are queer little newspapers, and if that be provincialism, make the most of it.

In London, for instance, Lord Rothermere's newspaper tells you that Mr. Eden, British foreign secretary, has gone to "a secret destination" in the country for a week's rest. English statesmen always go to "a secret destination," for reasons unknown to Mr. James Farley, who relaxes at the ringside, or President Roosevelt, who rests fishing, on a battleship, with fifty reporters on another ship, nearby.

You wonder that a man as young as Eden should need a rest. Gladstone, at nearly twice his age, was talking in the Commons at four in the morning—but Gladstones are few, Tim Healy's also.

Rothermere's writer thinks Eden is all tired out after his Geneva speech, telling just why England lifted the Italian sanctions. It was he who made a speech recently, just as earnest and much louder, telling why those sanctions must NEVER be lifted. That was turning a big somersault. The English know how to do that, and you are supposed not to laugh.

Eden told Baldwin what the doctor said, and Baldwin said, "By all means, my boy, hurry off to a secret destination," and Eden hurried. In America, the businessman would say, "Doctor, there are a few things that I must settle first," meaning, perhaps, his income tax. He would hang on and on, and finally go to a really secret destination, in the graveyard.

Driving through Normandy, from Havre, where the ships land, would interest American farmers, especially any whose lands are "worn out" after comparatively few years of cultivation. On lands in this part of the world, wheat has been grown for three hundred years, and today yields better, bigger crops than ever.

In Rome, as in other places on the earth's surface, one city is piled upon another. Dig down through one and the other appears. Invasions, plagues, famines and the grinding ice have wiped them out.

Those that read this today are the descendants of men such as the inhabitants of the Stone Age village. And still we are worried, looking down at the enemy, poverty, that may climb up and attack us in old age.

Current Events IN REVIEW by Edward W. Pickard

Bloody Civil War Rages in Spain

CIVIL war, desperate and bloody, broke out in Spain, and though the government in Madrid declared it was in control of the situation, such news as got through the censorship indicated that the struggle was by no means ended.

On one side were the Fascists and royalists led by Gen. Francisco Franco; on the other were the loyal troops and the workers, Communists and Socialists. The rebels started the game in Spanish Morocco and the Canaries and were soon in control there. Then Franco, who is only forty-three years old but a dynamic character, crossed over to Algeciras, followed by the Foreign Legion and a lot of Moors, Moroccans and black African troops. After a sharp battle at La Linea, close to Gibraltar, these contingents began a march northward toward Seville and Cadiz. There was severe fighting in San Sebastian, where the American embassy is located in summer, and in other border towns. Malaga was reported to be in flames.

Commanders of the rebels asserted their aim was to "save the republic," to keep order and to destroy the Marxists. In Barcelona their attack was directed especially against Luis Companys, president of the Catalan parliament, who was said to be besieged in his offices.

Jose Maria Gil Robles, leader of the Catholic C. E. D. A. (Confederation of Autonomous Right Parties) fled to Biarritz, France. An aviator who escaped the rebels in Morocco declared Gil Robles had instigated the revolt.

Premier Santiago Casares Quiroga resigned in favor of Diego Martinez-Barrio, speaker of parliament, but the latter held the office only a few hours. Then Jose Gil, former minister of marine, formed a cabinet with General Pozas, who has the support of both the powerful Civil Guard and Republican elements of the army, as minister of war.

The rebels sent word to the government that unless it capitulated they would bomb Madrid from planes.

Olympic Torch Started to Berlin Games

IN OLYMPIA, Greece, scene of the first Olympic games, a torch was lighted by the rays of the sun and a Greek runner seized it and started it on a 12-day relay to the sports field in Berlin where the Olympic flame is to be lighted on August 1. Five thousand distinguished persons were selected to carry the torch, these including King Boris of Bulgaria, King Peter of Yugoslavia, and a long list of princes, statesmen and sportsmen. On the last leg it was to be borne by S. Loues of Greece, winner of the marathon in the games of 1896. A hundred thousand Hitler youths will accompany Loues in a triumphal parade to the stadium.

Five thousand torches to carry the flame were donated by the Krupp works, so each of the bearers will retain one as a souvenir.

Hot and Dry Spell Broken by Rains and Cool Winds

RELIEF for the drought-stricken regions in the Middle West came with rains in many sections and cooling winds that sent the temperature down toward normal. However, it was too late to save the crops in many states, and prices of foodstuffs continued to advance. The farmers began to receive aid from the government in the form of cash, and no one could deny that they needed this help.

Loss of life throughout the United States from the unprecedented heat wave exceeded 3,850, an all-time high. Agronomists in Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois and Ohio expressed apprehension over the outlook for the corn crop unless general rains should develop rapidly.

Arriving at Bismarck, N. D., to help co-ordinate drought relief enterprises, Rexford G. Tugwell, resettlement administrator, was informed that approximately 60,000 farm families in the state were among the needy. A conference of state and federal officials in Bismarck developed a three-fold plan for the relief of dwellers in the desolated areas of the Dakotas, western Minnesota, eastern Montana and Wyoming. These included: Immediate advancement of money to needy families, repayable out of WPA earnings; granting of

funds to farmers desiring to keep small livestock herds for the purchase of feed and subsistence to be repaid by work on WPA projects; loans and grants to owners of large scale cattle enterprises to cover the cost of shipping animals to other states for feeding.

Nazi Decrees in Danzig Crush Opposition

UNLESS the protests of Poland are effective, all opposition to Nazi power in the Free City of Danzig is due to be crushed. Dr. Arthur Karl Greiser, president of the Danzig senate, which is controlled by Nazis, has issued administrative decrees ordering: 1. Dissolution of any organization whose members, with knowledge of its executive board, spreads news "endangering the state interest." 2. Prohibition of review by the courts of police measures of a political nature, including those aimed at the right of assembly, the press, and free speech. 3. Prohibition of Jewish ritual slaughtering for food purposes. 4. Imposition of three month protective custody on persons declared to be "endangering the public peace."

Thus the city's constitution is virtually set aside, and the Poles especially, having extensive economic interests there, are indignant.

Doings of Townsdenites in Their Convention

AN ALLIANCE between Dr. Francis E. Townsend, Father Charles E. Coughlin and Rev. Gerald L. K. Smith in the interests of a third party was announced at the Townsendite convention in Cleveland, attended by 12,000 followers of the California doctor who advocates pensions of \$200 per month for every person over sixty. In an address before the convention, Father Coughlin bitterly denounced the present administration and called upon the delegates to follow Dr. Townsend in endorsing the candidacy of William Lemke for the presidency on the Union ticket. Lemke himself appeared before the convention before it adjourned and made a speech in which he pledged himself to "stand foursquare behind the old age pension movement" and denounced the present administration as "national lunacy." The delegates applauded the first statement, but otherwise were rather apathetic toward the Union party leader. Doctor Townsend made no plea for him but merely urged his followers to concentrate on the election of senators and congressmen.

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Communist Campaign to Open on August 5

NATIONAL campaign headquarters of the Communist party have been opened in New York city and it is announced that Earl Browder, candidate for President, will start his speechmaking in Denver on August 5. From there he goes to Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Ore., Seattle, Butte, Bismarck and Minneapolis. All his speeches will be broadcast.

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"Jim" Farley Is Square Shooter

Never Has an Alibi for Any Mistakes; U. S. Finances Hard to Comprehend

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON—"Jim" Farley steps out of his job as postmaster general to pay exclusive attention to his job as chairman of the Democratic National committee and the re-election of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

I like Farley. He is an open-faced character and strictly on the level. If he makes a mistake he takes the punishment; and takes it without a whimper. Many men in his position deny they said the thing which has been their undoing. They say they have been "misquoted," or they adopt some other device to squirm out of the consequences of their own misdeeds; but Farley stands still and "takes it on the chin." Roosevelt likes him for that.

The administration's opponents have been delivering a pitiless attack on Farley. Sometimes it has been a brutally unfair attack, but as the late Huey Long said personally to him once: "Jim, I like you; and the reason I am attacking you is because when I am in a fight I always throw a rock at the biggest man." There you have the reason why the Republicans and the anti-New Deal editors have been trying to tell Roosevelt to get rid of Farley. . . . But Roosevelt doesn't let the opposition tell him what to do, so Farley merely takes a vacation as Postmaster General and stays with the shock troops during the campaign.

Admires Roosevelt.

Farley has always been a deep admirer of Roosevelt. He has fought the old-line organization New York state Democrats to a finish in Roosevelt's behalf. He is a nominal member of Tammany Hall in New York, but he has had the fight against Tammany for Roosevelt, whom Tammany does not like. A lot of squawking and uninformed editors complain that Farley has Tammanized national politics, but in New York city Tammany wouldn't throw Farley a rope if he was drowning. They would, however, be delighted if they could draw Jim into their ranks so they could use his political skill, but inasmuch as he remains with the progressive Roosevelt on the honest side of government, the Tammany Hall boys look on Farley as someone to be jumped on as soon as he is down—but no sooner!

Farley scored a victory for good government in 1930, when he was elected chairman of the New York State Democratic committee, and by 1932 he had the whole country lined up with enough delegates to nominate Roosevelt. He was at that time not only opposing the Al Smith sentiment and its great element in the party, but he also had to fight the unseen, underground opposition of the old guard Republicans who hated and feared Roosevelt (and for good reason, as it now appears) . . . In that year when Farley went out to Seattle ostensibly to attend an Elks' convention, he started his cross-country trek to nominate Roosevelt. He began to talk Roosevelt at a time when Roosevelt appeared to be a rank amateur in contrast to the Big League Al Smith. He was so successful that his opponents credit him with a victory; but are cowardly enough to ascribe to him pork barrel, dark lantern and illicit methods. I think this aspect of the fight hurts Jim Farley, who is, I believe, about as honest a man as ever fought his way to the top in politics.

One wholesale charge against Farley is that he has used the entire administration of government for political purposes, and his accusers back it up with the fact that there are now a huge number of government employees appointed politically and not taken from the civil service "merit" list. The figures covering the number of employees appear to bear this charge out, but the facts are, as I have related several times, that the great emergency required an immediate drafting of several thousand clerks, administrators and specialists, and the civil service could not meet the demand for the simple reason that there were not enough people on their qualified list.

Federal Finances.

It will be hard for the public to get a clear view of government finances this summer. The government's bookkeeping is vast and intricate; difficult to understand. Mix the natural confusion of large figures with the noise of a political campaign, and it will be an exceptional person who can comprehend it all. There is no dispute as to the wisdom of balancing the budget and paying out less than we take in—but it must be remembered that our present deficits in the bookkeeping at the U. S. Treasury are caused solely by the tremendous and generous policies of this administration in providing humane and necessary items of re-

lief, payment of the soldiers' bonus, and loss of the processing taxes by the Supreme Court's decision against AAA.

In counting up the appropriations of the session of congress just closed, it is impossible to apportion it off into calendar years and cover many situations not generally understood. For instance, congress appropriates for the Post Office department what looks like a huge expenditure—the public forgets that this sum is practically covered by the postal receipts—cash taken in for stamps at the post office windows.

So, when the orators charge that this last congress appropriated the unheard of sum of \$10,300,000,000, don't think it was for one year. It covered at least two fiscal years, and many items were spread farther. The objects which predominate are veterans, relief and unemployment, and assistance to agriculture. Nearest I can come to the amount appropriated for the current fiscal year which began July 1 and ends June 30, 1937, is \$8,817,000,000. The foundation stone of the new social security policy is included—a matter of \$475,000,000 to start off the fund which eventually will be made up of contributions from employers and employees for old age and unemployment insurance.

The largest item is, of course, relief, \$1,400,000,000. This government is committed to the policy of not permitting anyone to starve. Relief expenditures will probably dwindle with the betterment of business, but does anyone expect the existing industrial policies to absorb the slack in unemployment? I'm sure I don't. I think the machine age has perfected mechanical devices to the point where machinery will take the place of more human beings. This means we have to adopt shorter work days and shorter weeks, and that we must adopt an all-inclusive nationwide policy of cooperative industry so that the army of the unemployed can be put to work in the industries which supply them with their necessities of life.

Unemployment.

We have been promised an end to unemployment on various occasions. The brewers said that beer would end unemployment; that we would raise a billion dollars in taxes and put every jobless man to work if we could have the return of beer. Well, we now have beer, and also unemployment. Then we were promised an end to unemployment with the payment of the bonus. This bonus is a sort of midsummer Christmas. Business is getting those millions now and will continue to get more this summer and fall, and if this unprecedented expenditure does not provide sufficient increase in industry and commerce to furnish jobs for the workers now unemployed, then, in my personal opinion, we have come to the end of waiting for industry to make good.

The next step is a permanent policy of jobs by government enterprise—either conservation work and great public projects—or cooperative industry where the workers make their own goods.

As It Looks.

Political prophets take their reputations in their hands, but there's no harm in reporting the consensus as to how various sections of the country stand right now. "If the election were to be held today" I would say that Roosevelt has more than a mere majority of the popular vote, but that it is so distributed as to make it necessary for him to fight vigorously in some of the large pivotal states. I'd give the Republicans New England—but remember that the lower economic order the country over is going to vote for Roosevelt for the things he is doing for social justice. John Hamilton's statement that Roosevelt cannot carry six states is childish, as everyone knows. The solid South—11 states—is always for Roosevelt.

New York state was 400,000 to the good for the Democrats a year ago, but the Republicans claim the vote has shifted. Maybe so, but don't bet too heavily on it. Governor Lehman running again is a sure-fire vote-getter for the New Deal. Pennsylvania belongs to anybody. . . . things are confused there. . . . but Republican claims for Illinois based upon the grass roots ebullience are not verified by the younger crowd of newspaper men covering politics, who give Roosevelt the state by 250,000.

Michigan interests me. It went Democratic for Roosevelt, then came back strong G. O. P. for Vandenberg. The Democrats think they can take it by running Murphy for governor—I doubt it. Minnesota is Democratic now. California will go for Roosevelt by half a million; Washington and Oregon are safely Democratic. Idaho will see a fight. It seems Democratic enough to give its electoral vote to Roosevelt, but Bill Borah is out there and he's always a disturber. Oklahoma is Democratic despite the defection of Alfalfa Bill Murray. The Democrats have the nerve to say they can take Kansas from Landon. . . . I wonder. Nebraska appears to be a Republican state, but the chief Republican there is Senator George W. Norris, who is Roosevelt's strongest supporter.

It all adds to this: Roosevelt can win, but his crowd must fight unremittently in every pivotal state.

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DRAGONS DRIVE YOU

By EDWIN BALMER

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SYNOPSIS

Jeb Braddon, young and fantastically successful broker of Chicago, is infatuated with Agnes Gleneth, beautiful daughter of a retired manufacturer. Rodney, a doctor, in love with Agnes, visits his brother, Jeb. Rod plans work at Rochester. Jeb suggests that he make a try for Agnes before leaving. In Rod there is a deeper, obstinate decency than in Jeb. Agnes believes to be happy, a girl must bind herself entirely to a man and have adorable habits. Rod visits Agnes and tells her of his great desire, but realizes it can never be fulfilled. Agnes' mother is attempting to regain her husband's love. Agnes has disturbing doubts as to what Agnes' father in New York. Jeb tells Agnes he is going to marry her, and together they view an apartment in Chicago. Jeb asks Agnes to set an early date, but she tells him she cannot marry him. When the agent, Mr. not named, offers to show them a furnished apartment, Jeb asks Agnes to see it alone, saying he must return to his office. Agnes consents and Jeb leaves. A radio is blaring terrifically from one of the apartments. Colver raps upon the door, which is opened by a scantily clad girl, who draws Agnes into the room. Colver finds her husband, Charles Lorrie, fatally shot. He calls the police. Myrtle Lorrie asks Agnes to phone Agnes' father, a lawyer, to come at once. Agnes does. The police take charge. O'Mara arrives. The officers are antagonistic to him. Agnes sides with O'Mara. Agnes is to be a witness at the coming trial. Cathal's grandfather and father had lost their lives in the line of duty as city firemen, and his grandmother, Winnie, has built her all around Cathal, who, being ambitious, had worked his way through law school and, heading the appeal of the desperate and the despised cause, has committed himself to the defense of criminal cases. Thoughts of Agnes disturb Cathal. Mr. Lorrie had cast off the wife who had borne him his daughter to marry Myrtle, and after two years of wedded life she had killed him. The coroner's jury holds Myrtle to the grand jury. Agnes promises O'Mara to review the case with him.

CHAPTER V—Continued

"They told about Bert in the papers this morning," Agnes suddenly said, surprising him.

"Yes," said Cathal.

"Because I told them. I told the Grand Jury yesterday."

"Did you?" said Cathal, and watched her flush up to the roots of her fine, straw-yellow hair. She had on a simple blue dress (the same, it was, which she had worn for Rod); and in it she delighted this man too, though she was not thinking of him now.

"If I hadn't, wouldn't they have indicted her?"

He laughed, reassuring her, and she sat back. "You'd nothing to do with the indictment; and they knew about Bert, but they didn't know he'd called her at the flat while you were there with her."

"Did you know that?" asked Agnes. "Certainly; she told me."

"Oh!"

Her mother stirred herself. How familiarly her daughter had been conversing with this criminal lawyer!

"You have just referred to your client, I presume," she said to Cathal.

"Yes."

Suddenly curiosity caught her against her intention. "Does a woman like that tell her attorney all the truth about herself?"

"Some do," said Cathal.

"Did she?"

"She told me about Bert—and her relations with her husband. He knew it; and he knew about Bert—that Bert was in love with her, and she was in love with Bert. She's much like any other woman; and he was just a husband who'd made for himself too much money."

"If your daughter had happened to pass that door in the morning, instead of the afternoon, she'd have seen a husband and wife like enough to a million others. 'Tis the way with a crime like murder—especially murder, Mrs. Gleneth. It springs from nothing unusual. Just from the most usual things in the world, it comes from—the most human impulses pushed a bit further."

"What are you talking about?"

"The life all of us are living," Cathal replied, without breaking his calm. "And when one suddenly stops living it, from being shot by his wife, others can see plainer, perhaps, what they're up to. Take Charles Lorrie and his first wife—and his second who shot him: There's nothing strange in the three of them from start to finish—except the length to which two of them went with their impulses."

"Which two?" Agnes heard her mother ask.

"Lorrie and Myrtle—who, after he'd cast off her that bore his daughter to him, then married him. He started his trouble by what he did; yet he was following only the commonest impulses of men in middle life."

"What impulse do you mean?" inquired Myrtle.

"Infidelity is the kindest form it takes," Cathal said.

"Kindest!"

"At least," said Cathal, "sometimes. The wife—the real wife—more often gets him back, if she wants him. But Lorrie, when he fell under the delusion of the middle-aged man making money, didn't become unfaithful. He divorced his old wife, instead, and bought him a younger one."

"What do you call the delusion of the middle-aged man making money?" Agnes heard her mother press him on.

"Their imagination that, marrying again, they'll have again their youth—and that they can buy both body and soul of a woman. Of course, it's the money does it to them."

"How does the money do it to them?"

"It multiplied in him the most powerful of a man's instincts—most powerful in some men—to protect a woman in her innocence. To protect? To possess her, that was.

"God help you, Cathal!" Winnie would have cried with dread and fear for him, could she have seen him look up, from Agnes' memorandum, to Agnes.

Agnes' mother did see him; but in her mind there lay between her daughter and this lawyer an unbridgeable chasm which she could not imagine him, even in fancy, attempting to cross. Indeed, she left them alone a few minutes after Cathal began to review, in his clear, competent way, the items of evidence. The fellow—Beatrice Gleneth decided—was not offensive; on the contrary, he had a knack of dealing with most delicate subjects impersonally.

"You will make a good witness," Cathal said.

"For her?" said Agnes.

"For whom else?" asked Cathal.

"You'll get her off!" Agnes realized aloud, as she looked at him.

She liked him; she had liked him from the instant she saw him enter Myrtle's apartment, where the police already were. The people in the courtroom would like him; the jury would like him.

The tall clock in the hall surprised Agnes with its deep, booming stroke of five; the sun, unregarded, had cut its dimming radiance half across the room. It caught Cathal's head, and Agnes observed that his hair was not, as she had thought, black, but auburn of so deep a hue that only the direct sun brought out the red in it.

He had very nice hair; and he had better hands. In strength and shape, than any other man she knew—except Rod. His eyes were as blue as Agnes knew her own to be. This lawyer had eyes that could be cool, competent, practical; and then you could catch him looking away like a dreamer, a poet.

"I'll copy this; then that's all I'll need of you, now," he said.

"How did you get into your business?" Agnes suddenly asked him.

"The law."

"I mean, defending women like Myrtle Lorrie."

Finally he said:

"I was offered what you would call a good start in a law-firm, after I was admitted to the bar, Miss Gleneth," he said. "It was with a firm you'd highly approve—knowing nothing but the name of the partners and the clients they serve. You know some of them—the clients' daughters and sons. Some live along this lake shore, making their money—the men—in the city. Your father'd know many of them. I'd done well enough in law-school, and made an acquaintance that got me the offer of the job; but it wasn't entirely me they wanted. It was more my connections."

"Connections?" said Agnes.

"Mine, such as they were, which made me friends with some who had influence in fixing what others must pay to the support of the State and the city—in taxes. I could be useful, I found, in seeing real-estate assessments adjusted and taxes reduced to make properties more profitable for those owning them. I was to be used in the tax-cheating that was cutting the heart out of Chicago."

"I don't understand," said Agnes watching him.

"How would you? Don't think me putting myself above them that were asked to do what I wouldn't. You see, I was stopped by a stake of my own which I have in the city."

"You mean property?" asked Agnes, wondering at his feeling.

He shook his head. "No, not property. Nothing I own; merely a—a memory. At least, it made me thank them that offered me that job, and turned me to criminal law—taking the case of the Myrtle Lorries. Shooting's cleaner."

"Than what?"

He was striking back, Agnes felt; but not at her. It was at others whom he felt in some way associated with her—and how closely, she wondered.

(TO BE CONTINUED)



"You Will Make a Good Witness," Said Cathal.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for August 2

PHILIP'S MISSIONARY LABORS

LESSON TEXT—Acts 8:4-9.
GOLDEN TEXT—Therefore they that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word.—Acts 8:4.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Philip Tells the Glad News.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Philip Tells the Glad News.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Pioneering for Jesus.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Gospel Crosses the Frontier.

Evangelism is the work of every follower of Christ, and primarily the work of the layman. This duty cannot be delegated to the church as an organized body or to its official servants.

Philip was a layman, a deacon in the church by office, but an evangelist by the gift and calling of the Holy Spirit. His experience in leading the Ethiopian eunuch to Christ demonstrates that one who is yielded to the Spirit—

I. Will Find Opportunity for Soul Winning (v. 26). Most unexpected places will afford opportunities. Philip was in the midst of a great revival in Samaria when the angel of the Lord sent him to Gaza—a desert place. Who would he meet here? Remember that the great world-evangelist, Dwight L. Moody, was converted in a humble shoe store by the earnest approach of a Sunday school teacher.

II. Will Respond Immediately to the Spirit's Leading (vv. 29, 30). The Spirit said "go," Philip "ran." The fundamental of fundamentals in God's children is obedience. The opportunity, the inquiring soul, the equipped personal worker, all were prepared by God for just that moment. All would have been lost had Philip failed to obey.

III. Will Find That Men and Women Are Ready to Receive the Truth (vv. 28, 31-34). God prepares souls, and more are willing to be saved than we think. Whether it was through his experience at Jerusalem, his spiritual hunger before he went up, or the reading of the Word, or all these together, the eunuch was ready.

Neighbors, schoolmates, tradespeople, fellow workers—they may present God's opportunity for us.

IV. Will Find That God Honors Men by Using Them to Win Others. He could "save a man all alone on the top of the Alps," but he doesn't ordinarily do it. Remember it was "the sword of the Lord and of Gideon" that wrought a victory. The eunuch needed an interpreter of the truth. Philip was God's man.

V. Will Know God's Word (v. 35). We cannot interpret what we do not know. One who is not personally acquainted with the Living Word by regeneration, and the Written Word by diligent study, is not able to help others. Could you begin (as Philip did) at Isaiah 53:7, and lead a man to Christ? If not, should you not begin to study your Bible with such an end in view?

VI. Will "Carry Through" to a Decision (vv. 36, 37). A salesman may be brilliant, cultured, and persuasive, but what counts is the signature on the dotted line at the bottom of an order. Philip pressed for and obtained a decision.

VII. Will Follow-up His Convert (vv. 36, 37). Much so-called evangelism fails to go beyond a mere profession—a declaration of faith. The eunuch and Philip both knew that an inward faith declares itself in an outward act—and he was baptized.

VIII. Will Recognize That the Message Is Important, Not the Messenger (v. 39). When the work was done the evangelist was carried away by the Spirit. God's work goes on. His workman we set aside. As an advertising company has well expressed it, "The purpose of advertising is to impress the product upon the reader's mind, not the medium."

It is a fine testimony to the effectiveness of Philip's ministry that although he was gone his convert went "on his way rejoicing." His faith did not rest on the evangelist nor any human fellowship—he knew God. Let us be sure to win souls to God and not simply to a personal allegiance to us or to a religious organization.

Why not be a Philip? Any man or woman who knows the Lord Jesus Christ as personal Savior can be a winner of souls. It has well been said that all that Philip had was "a love for souls, a knowledge of the Word and a sensitiveness to the leading of the Lord. That is all we need. If every Christian were a Philip the world would be won for Christ in ten years."

Plenty of Comfort in This Youthful Culotte

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE
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There are few village smithy shops today under the chestnut trees. One reason is that there aren't Blacksmith any more chestnut trees. Another is that the motor car is rapidly driving horses and vehicles drawn by horses out of business.

I used to think that in fifty years or more practically all the village smithies would disappear. But lately I have learned better.

Here in a little coast town in Maine is a village blacksmith who has more work than he can do, though he has probably not shod a horse or repaired an agricultural implement in twenty years or more.

For a time after the "devil wagons" began crowding horses and horse drawn vehicles off the road, he had little to do.

Then one day he saw some ornamental grill work that had been sent to his town to be used as an adornment on a new building.

He examined it carefully, then went home and thought a little.

"There is no reason in the world why I cannot do that kind of work," he said to himself. "I will do it, by Gosh."

Today the children still "love to see his flaming forge and hear the bellows blow."

Over the anvil on which he used to fashion horse shoes he makes beautiful things of steel and iron. Visitors seeing him at work have

come in to inquire if his handiwork was on sale.

He assured them that it certainly was, and that more of the same kind of work would be in evidence as soon as there was a demand for it.

He is known today all over the state, and in many other states, whose residents have bought his work.

And if he had the advertising gift that some people have he would have a wide reputation.

But not, I am sorry to say, a great business.

For his work is artistry, and cannot be done in quantity over a single anvil.

It cannot be said of him that he is another Benvenuto Cellini. He works in iron, not in silver and gold.

But he is a master craftsman, which he never might have become had he not been forced by changing conditions to become something besides the village blacksmith.

I saw him at work the other morning on a pair of beautiful andirons.

I asked him what they cost.

"A lot of time," he said.

"Yes, but how much money?"

"Oh, not so much. But the fellow I'm making them for isn't rich so I wouldn't like to charge him too much."

And there was proof that he really had the soul of an artist.

The Mind Meter

By LOWELL HENDERSON
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The Completion Test

In this test eight incomplete statements are made. Each one can be completed by adding one of the four words given. Underline the correct one.

1. The Wightman cup is contested for by—golf teams, baseball teams, football teams, tennis teams.
2. The tenth President of the United States was—James Monroe, John Tyler, Franklin Pierce, U. S. Grant.
3. "The Virginian" was written by—Richard Harding Davis, Owen Wister, Louisa M. Alcott, Mark Twain.
4. The Columbia river is noted for its—pickerel, salmon, sardines, mackerel.
5. The capital of Pennsylvania is—Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Hazelton, Harrisburg.
6. The modern birthstone for August is—emerald, topaz, pearl, diamond.
7. Iago is a character in—"Idylls of the King," "Othello," "Midsummer Night's Dream," "Hamlet."
8. The "Panhandle" state is—Iowa, Georgia, West Virginia, Delaware.

Answers
1. Tennis teams. 5. Harrisburg.
2. John Tyler. 6. Topaz.
3. Owen Wister. 7. "Othello."
4. Salmon. 8. West Virginia.

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THIS REALLY HAPPENED: The young man, age 12, walked into his sister's bed room as she was dressing. She immediately jumped him in the fond way sisters have, for not knocking. "Why," said she, "I might have been all undressed." "Oh, I knew you weren't," said the intruder. "For I looked through the key hole before I came in."

ROY BOMAR WRITES from California and says he is having the time of his life. Got a good job and everything. One thing needed to make his happiness complete, he says, is the Briscoe County News—and then forgets to give an address. I'll just send him one in care of the Police Department.—Just found out his address and will give it for the benefit of the fair ladies from whom he might be trying to escape. It is 767 Grove Street, San Francisco, California. And the price to you Mr. Bomar, is \$2.00 C. O. B. H. (Cash on the Barrel Head).

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, according to many business men, means that a printer can do his work for nothing.

'T WAS IN THE RESTAURANT they met. And Romeoed what Juliet.

WORDS OF WISDOM, these, and they came from H. Roy Brown: "A fellow who doesn't worry about his debts, seldom takes time off to pay them". He told me that as we were making out an order for some furniture. I wonder . . .

DOC MINYARD, city secretary, acting city treasurer, and a bachelor of some 26 lonely summers, almost gave me a printing order the other day. He said, "We've got to get together with you and figure out some way to get this printing done so that we can profit, and so you won't lose money".—Well, I guess that's right. Us country newspaper ginks are supposed to be in the business because we like the work.

LAUGH THAT OFF! said the wife of a fat man, as she sewed his vest button on with baling wire.—Floyd County Hesperian.

TOURIST TIPS. PREPARING THE CAR

Millions of motorists will take to the open road this summer for vacation trips. Some will start with no preliminary preparation of their cars, others will make sure beforehand that all is well mechanically. The chances of enjoying a 100 per cent pleasurable tour are strongly with those who carefully groom their cars for the trip. In fact, "tune up before you tour" is advice that, if followed, will do more than any other one thing to make a trip a real pleasure trip.

Many drivers who use their cars daily for only a few miles in their regular routine, with never any trouble, do not realize that a car that seems to work well in the city may be quite unfit to undertake long-distance trips. Little faults that need correction remain unnoticed through months of ordinary driving; when the car is suddenly called upon to work at full power over long periods, these little faults may develop into bigger faults that detract largely from the fun of motoring.

Both safety and pleasure are at stake when vacationists start out without having their car carefully inspected and its faults corrected. The principle safety items, of course, are brakes and steering—and in most cases simple adjustments are all that they require. Good tires required for both safety and pleasure. All lights should have good bulbs and headlight beams must be properly adjusted. New windshield wiper blades are not costly, but are of much value when needed.

For comfort and undisturbed pleas-

THE OBSTRUCTIONIST



ure, everything should be done that will guarantee continuous travel without enforced halts. A motor tune-up is one of the best of precautionary measures. The battery should be checked carefully, and the generator charging rate adjusted for long distance running at good speed. A complete change of lubricants in crankcase, transmission and rear axle is recommended and, of course, a thorough greasing of chassis. Shock absorbers always are subjected to severe use on a vacation trip over strange roads, and should be adjusted before the departure.

For some strange reason, vacation motorists are always much surprised to find that cars that have seemed all right at home "heat up" as soon as they get out on the open road. They have overlooked the fact that the faster the run and the heavier the pull the more heat the engine develops, and that the cooling system that was good enough for runs to the office and the country club may not be up to the job of carrying off several times as much heat on a long climb in the mountains. To function properly, the cooling system must allow free circulation of the water, which calls for a clean radiator and good rubber connections, with re-

newed or tightened pump packing. Highly important, too is the proper adjustment of the fan belt, which on long, fast runs must carry a far greater load than in city driving.

Incidentally, bodies that seem dead silent on city boulevards often reveal an astounding variety of squeaks and rattles when the car really gets going. It will add a lot to the vacationist's happiness if he will have the body belts tightened, door hinges and catches tightened and oiled, and everything made snug.

There will be more motoring this year than ever before. And there will be a lot of pleasure for millions of tourists—especially for the drivers who carefully groom their cars for the trip before they start.

Mrs. W. H. Cash and Mrs. Charles Cowart were in Tulia Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter of Claude, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Porter Sunday evening.

R. E. Brookshier has taken over the Phillips 66 agency here. He will no longer be connected with the Continental Oil Company as he has for the past eight years.

Don't wait till you're clear out of stationery to re-order. Order now, and remember that you have a good printing house right here in Silverton.

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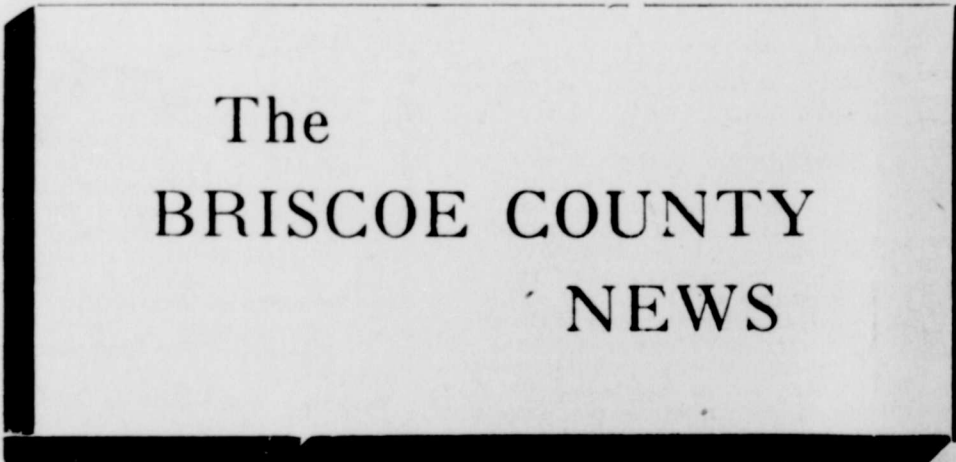
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FAYE ALLARD, Reporter

Miss Claudine Chitty Becomes Plainview Bride

Saturday evening, July 25, at 6:30 o'clock, Miss Claudine Chitty was united in marriage to Mr. W. S. Berry, Jr., at the home of the Justice of the Peace, J. P. Siler of Plainview. Mrs. Berry is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Chitty of Silverton. She is a member of the 1936 graduating class of Silverton High School. Mr. Berry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Berry, Sr., of Plainview. The happy young couple will reside in Plainview for awhile, after which they will go to Los Angeles, California where they will make their home.

ALLARD -- GARVIN

Miss Mary Eva Allard and Mr. Reese Morgan Garvin were united in marriage last Friday afternoon at Plainview. Mrs. W. B. Hill, sister of the bride, accompanied them. Mrs. Garvin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Allard and well known among the younger set. She attended school in Silverton and was a member of the 1936 graduating class. Morgan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garvin of Silverton. Friends of the young couple extended their congratulations and best wishes.

Mrs. Dick Cowart Entertains At Bridge Party Tuesday

Mrs. Dick Cowart entertained her Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Bland Burson, Mrs. E. W. Hahn, Mrs. Carroll Gunter and Mrs. Thurman Graham were guests of the afternoon. The following members of the club were present: Mrs. D. O. Bomar, Mrs. Marvin Tull, Mrs. Jim Davis, Mrs. Elmer Allard, Mrs. J. H. Sammons, and Mrs. Ernest Davis.

Bobbie Allred Surprised

On Tuesday evening Bobbie Allred was asked to meet with the Entertainers at the home of Mrs. Clyde Wright to attend a business meeting. The other members were invited to celebrate Bobbie's birthday. Conscientious Bobbie disapproved the proposition to have a lawn party before the "business" but added herself to a majority's program. The young folks played games in the shady yard for an hour then someone announced that it was time "get down to business". The crowd stampeded into the dining room. Again Bobbie disapproved.

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for it was cooler out of doors. Again the majority ruled and they prevailed upon her to enter the dining room where a large white birthday cake decorated with pink rosebud confections and garlands of green frosting was lighted with thirteen candles. The initials B. A. were made of delicately tinted cocoanut and pink rosebuds. Around the cake were several packages for the honoree. One girl said, "If Bobbie hadn't been such a good sport, she never would have come in to find out what our "business" was. While the gifts were being unwrapped the boys served fourteen guests with cherry-lemon punch and slices of birthday cake. Rev. and Mrs. Thorns and their grandson, Jack, were appreciated guests.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to our many friends for their kind deeds and loving sympathy extended us during the dark hours.

Mrs. Maggie Graves, Floyd Graves and family, Cecil Graves, Mrs. James Archa and daughters, I. O. Graves and family, C. S. Graves and family, C. W. Graves and family, Samuel Graves, Buster Graves, Adelle Graves, Ernest Graves, Homer Graves.

CITY LOCALS

Mrs. L. B. Hancock of Hobbs, N. Mexico, and Mrs. Dallas Fry of El Paso, Texas, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Porter. They left Tuesday morning for Grady, N. Mexico for a visit with relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bullock and son Jimmy are spending the week in the W. B. Edens home at Lodge.

Cecil Terrell and W. Coffee, Jr. were in Amarillo Friday on business.

Betty Jane Simpson returned on Tuesday from an extended visit with her aunt Mrs. Dena Harmond in Amarillo.

Frank Havron was in Plainview Wednesday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kelsay and family returned the first of the week. Mrs. Kelsay has been visiting with relatives at Waxahachie, while Mr. Kelsay has been in summer school.

Mrs. Lois Cook is operating at King's Beauty Salon this week. Miss Sylvia Day, who is ill, returned to her home in Matador Wednesday.

La Verne Terrell of Lubbock, was here over the week end visiting with relatives.

Miss Margaret Nell Singleton of Sulphur Springs and Mr. James Arvey Finley of Commerce were issued a marriage license July 28.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whiteside, Gaynelle Douglas and La Verne Terrell are in Fort Worth and Dallas this week on business. They will visit the Centennial.

Mrs. Kate Fowler and Mrs. Joe Ed Burleson were in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cowart, Plainview, visited in the home of his brother, Mr. C. L. Cowart Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Puckett of Bronson, Colorado; Mrs. R. L. Johnson, and Mrs. Ernest Dickerson are visiting relatives in Temple this week.

F. M. Hill of Vigo Park was transacting business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith were Turkey visitors Saturday.

Mrs. R. M. Hill and Miss Geneva Meadows returned the first of the week from College Station where they attended the Summer Short Course.

Cleone and Cleve Diviney are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Stark at Quitaque this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Penn of Lockney were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Diviney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Parks of Weslaco, Texas visited the Joe Blockers

the first of the week. Mrs. Parks is a sister of Mr. Blocker. Snookie accompanied them to their home in Weslaco for a visit.

Ona and Jack Blocker left Wednesday for the Clark Key Clinic at Lubbock, where they will be under the care of physicians for some time. Mrs. Joe Blocker accompanied them.

Mrs. W. R. McDonald is visiting relatives in Plainview this week.

George Childress and Wayne Gerdes of Tulla were transacting business here Tuesday.

Mrs. William Dickerson of Canyon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Higgins, White Deer, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Morton this week.

Mrs. Homer Sanders, Mrs. R. E. Douglas, Mrs. W. Coffee, and Mrs. A. Peacock attended the Methodist Zone meeting at Kress Tuesday.

Mrs. Bruce Burleson and children and Martha Lee Bain left Monday for a short visit in Dallas.

Miss Josephine Daniel is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Daniel at Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Simmons and family were in Plainview Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Henry Rowden, Wade Welch, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Piercy of the

J. A. Ranch were in Silverton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith were transacting business in Quitaque on Monday.

Albert Foster visited his mother, Mrs. W. T. Diviney and family on Thursday.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Mrs. R. R. Upton were in Turkey Monday. Mrs. Upton remained for a short visit at the home of her brother, Will Hardcastle and family.

Jim Haynes of Plainview is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. E. B. Brady and Mrs. A. C. Doyle returned to their home Sunday at Erick, Oklahoma after an extended visit here with Mrs. E. C. Seamey.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Stark of Quitaque were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Diviney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deolis Nix left Monday for a visit at the Centennial.

Iwana Simpson and Mrs. Morgan Garvin were in Plainview and Lockney Monday.

Mrs. Bud McMinn is receiving treatment at the Plainview Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mullis and Mr. and Mrs. Don Woods of Clovis, New Mexico were visiting relatives here Saturday.

Elizabeth Schott who is attending school at Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Schott, Sr.

Lee Gilmore visited Mrs. P. E. C. Cowart and other friends here last Thursday. Mr. Gilmore taught school here several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Puckett of

Bronson, Colorado visited relatives here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Biffle Fort, Geraldine and Fred Biffle are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Castleberry at Boulder, Colorado this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cash left Sunday for Dallas and Fort Worth. Ray Cash who has been visiting relatives in that vicinity for some time, will return home with them.

Mrs. J. R. Guest is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dan Skelton at Dallas this week.

Geraldine Patton Wynn is well on the way to recovery, according to recent reports received here by friends. She has been in a very dangerous condition and is in the hospital at Plainview.

Mrs. Roy McMurtry, Dorothy Roy, Roberta, and small son returned to their home after an extended trip, Wednesday evening.

Mr. J. R. Foust was in Amarillo Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Jeff Morris and son Joe of Amarillo, visited at the Joe Blocker home several days last week. Mrs. Morris is the former Fern Blocker. Mrs. Hugh Lusk is in the hospital at Plainview.

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To The Voters of Briscoe County

With a heart full of gratitude to those who supported me during my recent campaign for County Judge, and with no malice to those who didn't, I wish to make this appeal for your help in the Second Primary. I am not asking for your support on account of what any man has, or has not done.

I am basing my claim on my record and the fact that I am asking for a second term. My books and records are open to any voter in this county who cares to examine them.

The records of all former Judges, are here and I respectfully invite you to examine and compare my record with any of them. If, after you have done this, you find that my record is as good as any Judge's who has ever held this office, don't you think that I should be elected for a second term?

Believing and trusting that you will elect me for one more term, I am,

Very Truly Yours,

W. W. MARTIN

Thanks, Friends

I wish to thank the Voters in Precinct No. 4 for their support in Saturday's Election. I shall do my level best on this job of County Commissioner. I hope that none of you will have reason to regret your choice.

Yours very sincerely,

J. R. FOUST

Thanks Folks !!

Although I was unsuccessful in my race for Commissioner, I wish to thank those who gave me their vote and support, and I wish to congratulate my opponent.

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To The Voters of Pre. No 3

I wish to take this method of expressing my appreciation to the people of Precinct No. 3 for the result of last Saturday's election. There is no sore spot in my heart for anyone. You have given me the office for two more years and again I pledge to you, my best efforts. I wish to express my appreciation to my opponent who co-operated with me in conducting our campaign on a high level. When I can be of service to any of my people, remember that I am here to serve you.

Again I thank you.

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TO THOSE WHO VOTED AND WORKED FOR ME
NO WORDS WILL EXPRESS MY SINCERE APPRECIATION
AND HEARTFELT THANKS

To those who saw fit to support my opponent, I wish to state that I hold no malice toward them, and that I will do all I can to make a good officer for all the people of Briscoe County.

TO THE KIDDIES

Who throughout the entire campaign, cheered me on in my race, I can only say that I'm glad they are my friends; and in return for this friendship, I shall ever endeavor to deserve the faith they have in me.

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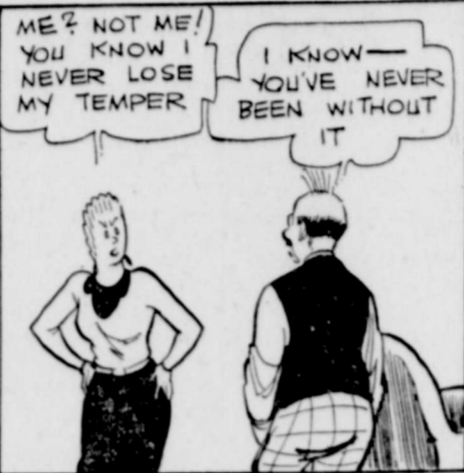
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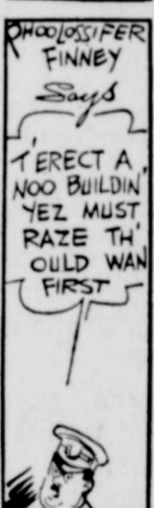
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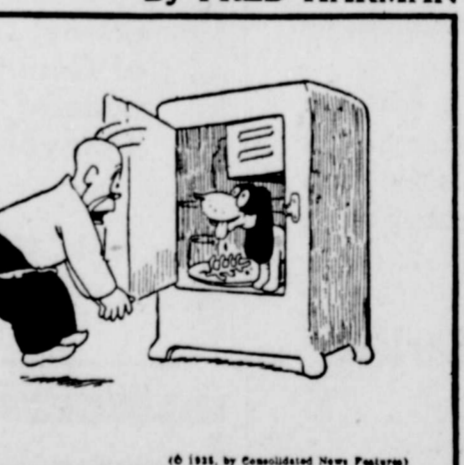
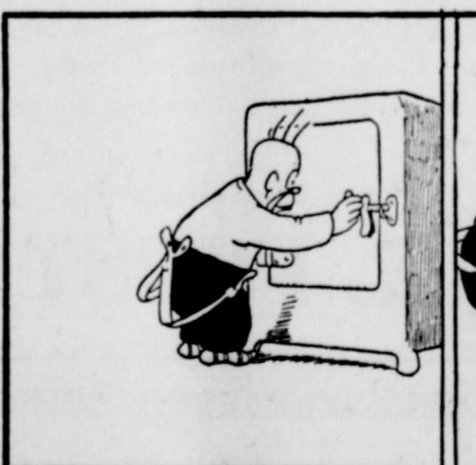
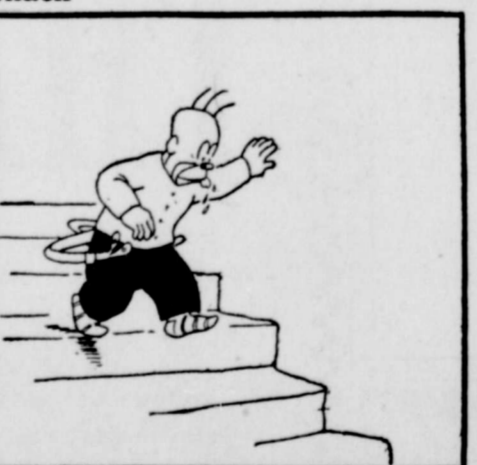
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By Ted O'Loughlin

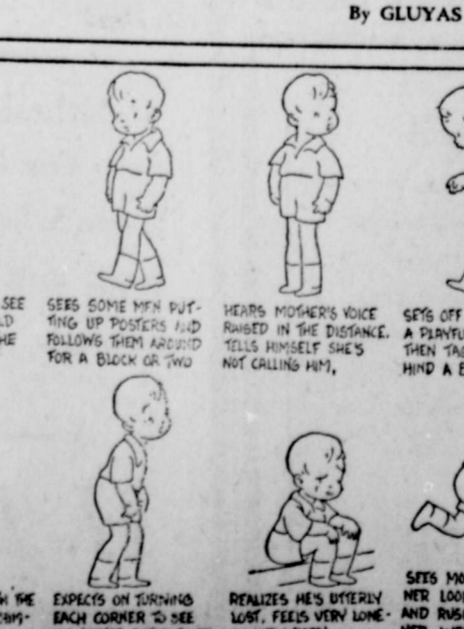


BRONC PEELER A Midnight Snack

By FRED HARMAN



Our Pet Peeve



His Change
A planter in Alabama hadn't seen one of his former workers for a year, until he saw him in Montgomery one Saturday. "Well, Well!" the planter exclaimed. "What are you doing now, Uncle Mose?"
"Ah's done gone to preachin'," the venerable negro replied.
"What! You preaching?"
"Yes, suh!"
"Well, well! Do you use notes?"
"Naw, suh! At the fust Ah used dem; but now Ah has to have cash!"

Competition
An enterprising young florist, in order to increase his trade, displayed this sign in his window: "We give a packet of flower seed with every plant."
His competitor across the street promptly sought to meet the competition by placing in his window the following announcement: "We give the earth with every plant."

LOST

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Can't keep up with the big boys, finds self left alone. Expects on turning each corner to see his house, but doesn't. Realizes he's utterly lost, feels very lonely and weary. Sets off in pursuit of a playful collie and then tags along behind a ball team. Sees mother turn corner looking for him, and rushes to meet her, weariness gone.

One More Drop and Man Should Be Out

The scientist, returning meditatively from a lecture, came upon the recumbent figure of a man in front of a house. He discovered that the man lived there.

He piloted him upstairs and, opening a door, pushed him in.

On reaching the ground floor again, another human being confronted him, and he also needed help to the first floor. But when the scientist found yet another fellow-creature in distress his curiosity was aroused, and he said, "This is very strange."

The prone figure spoke: "Mister, don't drop me down the elevator 'ole again."

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Adventurers' Club

Hello Everybody!



"Too Much Courage"

By FLOYD GIBBONS
Famous Headline Hunter.

SOMETIMES it's a fine thing, boys and girls, to have one of those cast-iron, copper-plated nervous systems that don't get all in a jitter the minute something happens.

Steeplejacks have them—and so have structural ironworkers who spend most of their working day twenty stories above the street, balanced on a ten-inch iron beam, playing baseball with red hot rivets. I've always sort of envied birds like that for their courage.

And again, at times, I've been glad I don't have nerves like theirs. After all, our nerves are about the best warning signals we have—and you know what usually happens to the guy who doesn't pay any attention to the signs.

Take the case of Bill Woods, for instance—William H. Woods of Brooklyn, N. Y. Bill isn't an ironworker, but he's got an ironworker's nerve. Put him in a burning building, and my guess is that he wouldn't begin to get excited about it until the fire actually began creeping up his coat-tails. I'm judging him now from the way he acted in that restaurant in Brooklyn on April 30, 1934.

This Adventure Starts With a Cup of Coffee.

It's quite a story, boys and girls—a story that starts out with a walking tour through the streets of Brooklyn. Bill and his friend, Charley Young, had been taking an evening stroll, and eleven o'clock found them at Boro Hall park. Charley suggested that they drop into a cafeteria for a cup of coffee before they hit the hay. Bill agreed, and they crossed the street.

They went into the cafeteria, took their checks from the machine at the door and went over to the long counter. They ordered coffee, and the counterman turned to get it. But no sooner had he turned than he swung back toward the door and said: "What's the matter over there?"

That's the first intimation Bill and Charley had that anything was wrong. They looked in the direction in which the counterman was staring. Several men were scuffling over near the door. Then, suddenly from the center of that milling group came the sound of a shot!

Bedlam Breaks Loose in Cafeteria Following Shots.

"In the moment that immediately followed," says Bill, "no one stirred. Everyone in the place had stopped eating and all eyes were turned toward the door. That moment of indecision didn't last long, how-



The Man Fell Over Backwards and Was Still.

ever, for suddenly another shot rang out, loud and deafening in that enclosed space. No one knew what had happened, but you couldn't mistake that sound.

At that second shot, bedlam broke loose in the cafeteria. Women screamed. Men jumped up from their seats. Tables were overturned. Everyone thought of just one thing, and that was getting under cover. Everyone was running about in frantic haste to get a door between them and that revolver—everyone, that is, but Bill Woods. In all the hullabaloo he alone kept his head. And it nearly cost him his life.

Bill looked around for Charley. He was gone—evidently into a milling crowd of people who had run toward the back of the cafeteria and were trying to crowd into the washrooms. Those who weren't there were crawling on their hands and knees, trying to get under a table. Bill noticed that and decided to get under cover himself. There was a radiator with a screened grill in front of him and he dropped down behind that. There followed a brief silence punctuated only by the sounds of struggling men, then another shot reverberated through the room. That was when Bill's curiosity and his nerve got the better of his common sense. He stood up to take a look.

Bill Made a Fine Target for the Man With the Gun.

Over by the door, a man, gun in hand, was standing, back up against the cashier's counter, while half a dozen younger men tried to wrestle the gun away from him. "One of the younger men," says Bill, "picked up a heavy sugar container and hit the older man over the head. I saw the glass break and the sugar scatter over the floor, but the man with the gun seemed invincible. They couldn't beat him down. They were too many for him in the end, though, and finally he fell behind the cashier's desk. And then, thinking all danger was past, I walked over to the counter."

Bill walked over until he was within ten feet of the fallen man when, to his amazement, the man started to sit up. The gun, still in his hand, rose until it pointed straight at Bill's midriff. Too late, Bill began to wish he'd been one of those nervous individuals who had taken refuge in the washroom.

Timely Arrival of Copper Saves Bill's Life.

Then, the only thing that could save Bill's life happened. Through the restaurant door came a police sergeant with a drawn pistol. He got the situation at a glance, took deliberate aim at the man with the gun, and shot him through the stomach. That was the end. The man fell over backwards and was still. A red circle of blood slowly widened beneath him.

More policemen came. They began asking questions. The cashier of the restaurant had been creased over one ear by a bullet, and one young man, shot through the shoulder, was leaning against the counter, trying to staunch the flow of blood.

They told the story. The man with the gun, they said, had been drunk. He had walked over to a table and accused another man of laughing at him. An argument started and the drunk drew a gun. That was when Old Lady Adventure stepped in and started shaking up thrill cocktails—one for everybody in the house, and a deadly one for the man with the gun.

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Women Wore Men's Shoes

During Ohio's yesteryears the forests were so swampy that women could scarcely walk to church or to other gatherings in their pretty footwear. So instead they wore the rough heavy shoes used by the menfolk. Close to their destination they would deposit the rough shoes in a fence corner or some other near-by place and put on their dainty shoes to wear inside. Thus their Sunday footwear lasted years and years.

Montreal's Historic Crosses

Many of the historic crosses in Montreal were raised by the pioneer inhabitants to commemorate being spared from the St. Lawrence River's ravages before it finally was brought under control. Founded by the man who erected its first and most famous cross, Paul de Chomedey, le Sieur de Maisonneuve, Montreal is frequent-ly called the "City of Crosses." Maisonneuve's cross was erected almost 300 years ago.

STAR DUST

Movie • Radio

By VIRGINIA VALE

THE death of Thomas Meighan may not mean very much to the younger movie-goers, but it will shock those who remember him as one of the big stars of the days of silent pictures. Like many stage stars, he was not too sure at first that he would like pictures.

But he did "The Miracle Man" and with it hit his stride. Oddly enough, Lon Chaney made his name in that picture too. And so did Betty Compson, who was finding it none too easy to climb the ladder of fame.

Nobody suspected that "The Miracle Man" would be such an epoch-making picture as it was. But it established its three leading actors as stars almost overnight.

And speaking of star-making pictures, see what's happened to the people who appeared in "The Private Life of Henry the Eighth," none of whom were well known in this country till it was released—and the rest of the world had acclaimed only Charles Laughton, of the cast.



Charles Laughton

But since then Laughton, Robert Donat, Merle Oberon, Wendy Barrie and Binnie Barnes have been welcomed by Hollywood. All have been extremely successful in American pictures.

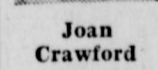
Since her marriage Jean Parker has been luckier than many Hollywood brides; she has had assignments that provided a pleasant honeymoon. First they went to Texas, on location with the company that was making "The Texas Ranger"; now they're off to Mammoth lake and the mountains for "King of the Royal Mounted." Now all she needs is an engagement with some company that's headed for Honolulu, Hollywood's pet honeymoon spot.

Joe Penner is going to make that picture at last. And because children have become sure-fire hits on the screen, he'll be assisted by Patsy Lee Parsons, a five-year-old who sings and dances. The dancing teachers of this land ought to give Shirley Temple a medal or something. Everywhere—even out in the country where you wonder where and how they can take dancing lessons, you see little girls doing tap dancing nowadays. And Shirley is responsible for that!

Just one more story of the way things happen in Hollywood. Samuel Goldwyn wanted a German actress for a role in "Come and Get It." He was sure that none of the local talent measured up. So he had old German films run off for him, for days and days, in the hope of seeing exactly the right actress in one of them. If he found her, of course he'd have to find out where she was, and put her under contract, and have her brought to California at once.

He found the girl in a picture called "Frederika" and the wheels began to turn. Then it was discovered that she is Mady Christians, who has been right in Hollywood for two years, yearning to make a lot of pictures but not getting too many assignments.

Remember Joan Crawford, in "Dancing Lady"? The picture is being re-issued, not because of Joan's popularity, but because Fred Astaire had a small part in it. Nelson Eddy had a bit, too—just a flash and he's gone. And now see what fame the gentlemen have attained on the screen! Fred Astaire has achieved an unprecedented popularity in the gay night club type of vehicle; Nelson Eddy has become the idol of millions of movie goers as well as radio listeners.



Joan Crawford

ODDS AND ENDS... Don't miss "The Moon's Our Home" if you want to see a very funny picture... Richard Arlen has just entered the Vancouver \$5,000 golf tournament; he'd rather golf than eat... Joe E. Brown and his wife went to Peoria, Ill., for the opening of his picture, "Earthworm Tractor," Peoria being the world's tractor center... This last year in radio has proved that the public doesn't care any more for programs that depend on gags instead of funny situations... And the fact that Ed Wynn failed to regain his former popularity is one proof of it... Rubinoff (and his violin) turned down an offer to reappear with Eddie Cantor... Constance Bennett, Simone Simon, Lorena Young and Janet Gaynor will work together in "Ladies in Love"—and Hollywood looks for displays of temperament from at least three of them before the picture's finished.

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Foreign Words and Phrases

Allez-vous-en! (F.) Go! Off with you! begone!

Bon soir! (F.) Good evening.

Cumo grano salis. (L.) With a grain of salt; with reservations.

De facto, (L.) Actually existing.

Exceptis excipiendis. (L.) The proper exceptions having been made.

Faux pas. (F.) A false step.

Hommes de lettres. (F.) Man of letters; a literary man.

In vino veritas. (L.) In wine there is truth (i. e., intoxication makes one communicative).

Ab intra. (L.) From within.

Lex scripta. (L.) Written or statute law.

Mutato nomine. (L.) The name being changed.

Noli me tangere. (L.) Touch me not.

Pax vobiscum! (L.) Peace be with you!

Look Outward On Your Vacation

There is no other rejuvenator equal to a vacation taken in the right spirit. If you go away with your mind filled with your business, your profession, your household cares, your studies, or your plans for the future, and if you keep thinking of those things, you might as well stay at home. If your eyes look inward instead of outward; if your ears still hear the hum of the factory and the noise of the busy streets; if you carry with you the burdens and perplexities which have been pinning you down and robbing you of sleep and comfort, you will gain nothing from your outing.



Hasten Slowly
Take time for all things. Great haste makes great waste.—Franklin.



GOOD LIGHT Every Night
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This is the little Coleman lantern with the big brilliance. It lights instantly and is always ready for any lighting job in any weather.

All Around the House

Grease the measuring cup before measuring sirup or molasses and the ingredients will not stick to the sides of the cup and there will be no waste.

Always sweep rugs and carpets the way of the grain. Brushing against the grain roughens the surface and it tends to brush the dust in instead of out.

Partly cook cereal in a double boiler the night before using and leave it on the back of the stove, being sure to cover well with water. It will be well cooked in the morning.

Sugar sprinkled over the tops of cookies or sponge cakes before putting them into the oven forms a sweet crust and makes a richer cookie.

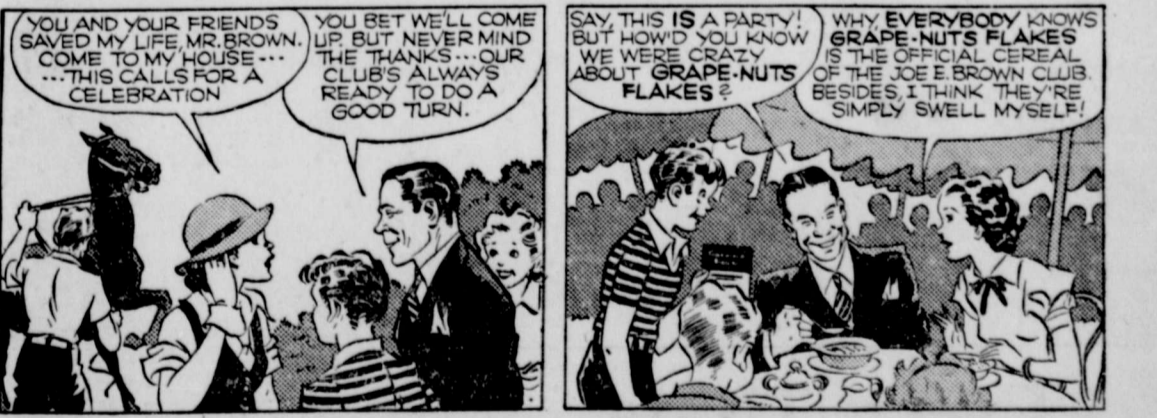
Cloths saturated with polishing liquids and stored away in closets often cause fires through spontaneous combustion. Store the cloths in covered tin or galvanized cans.

Cocoa should always be cooked in a small amount of water before milk is added.

If you wish to avoid bean rust, do not pick beans when the dew is on them or after rain.



JOE E. BROWN TO THE RESCUE!



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Find out about these dandy prizes. Just send one Grape-Nuts Flakes box-top—and you'll get the membership pin shown here and the Club Manual, illustrating 36 different and valuable prizes. This manual tells you how to get them—free! How to work up to Sergeant, Lieutenant and to one of Joe's Captains. So start eating Grape-Nuts Flakes right away and save the box-tops. These crisp, crunchy flakes are so good—you'll "go" for 'em in a big way. Every spoonful is a real taste-thrill! And served with whole milk or cream and fruit, Grape-Nuts Flakes pack more varied nourishment than many a hearty meal! Offer expires Dec. 31, 1936. Good in U.S.A. only. A Post Cereal—made by General Foods.



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The every-night revival being held at the Baptist church is drawing nice crowds each night.

The sermons are good, and the music service alone is worth your time and attendance.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Calvary church aided by the other churches of Silverton.

Word has been received by Mrs. G. W. Blair, from her son, Leon, that he is having a fine trip and is now at Mobile, Alabama.

METHODIST CHURCH A. A. PEACOCK, Pastor

The services of the First Methodist Church were well attended last Sunday.

Now that your work is not so rushing we hope that you will realize that your presence is necessary in Sunday school and church.

You would not stay out of your class if you would stop and think what your presence may mean to some child.

You are invited to attend our services next Sunday morning.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Briscoe County News is authorized this week to announce the following candidates...

FOR COUNTY JUDGE Of Briscoe County

W. W. MARTIN Re-election, 2nd Term W. COFFEE, Jr.

Exposition to Honor Great Texan



JOHN NANCE GARNER

A special proclamation by Governor Allred has proclaimed August 5th as John Nance Garner day...

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin of Petersburg, spent Sunday in Silverton at the W. H. Newman home.

RADIE BRITAIN'S HEROIC POEM TO BE BROADCAST

Radie Britain Moehller's heroic poem, 'The Lindbergh's Flight to Paris', has been broadcast recently over National hook-ups by the Chicago Philharmonic Orchestra.

Richard Czerwonkey, conductor of the orchestra, also conducted the group that played the composition at the World Fair in Chicago.

A picture of Mrs. Moehller appeared in the Chicago Tribune last week with the following writ-up: 'Miss Radie Britain, 5225 Blackstone Avenue, whose accomplishments range from herding cattle on her father's ranch in Texas to making her debut as one of America's foremost women's composers in Munich, Germany, will be represented on the Grand Park concert program Sunday evening with the Chicago Philharmonic Orchestra when it plays her heroic poem 'The Lindbergh Flight to Paris'.'

'She is the third Chicago composer and the first woman writer to be featured by this orchestra this summer. The composition was inspired by Lindbergh's Flight to Paris and won an International prize in Hollywood Bowl competition in 1930.'

Radie Britain is a former resident of Briscoe County. She is well known to many in Silverton.

Read Racing Less Dangerous About a generation ago automobile races were held periodically in many parts of the country, and were one of the most popular and thrilling of the hazardous sports.

The races were customarily held over public highways between important communities and ranged in length from 100 to 500 miles. On

race day no other traffic was permitted to use the roads. Every precaution was taken to keep the height of way clear for the dare devils who were competing. The cars used were naturally in the best of condition, and every driver was a qualified expert.

No inexperienced driver took the wheel in a road race—if he did his demise was just a matter of time.

But road races were eventually outlawed, principally because of the great dangers to the ones connected with the sport. Deaths and injuries—to spectators, as well as the participants—became too common.

Today our highways are thronged with cars which travel at speeds greater than those attained in the old road races. Many of these cars are in bad mechanical condition and driven by drivers who are incompetent.

Is it any wonder that we have 36,000 lives sacrificed each year on our highways?

LOOK! Who's Here



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Thanks

I wish to take this means of expressing my sincere appreciation to you voters for the nice support given me in the Election on last Saturday.

I made an honest effort to see all the voters of the County before the day of the election, however, it was not my good fortune to see all of you. I hope that you will realize that it is almost impossible to see every voter but if I fail to see and talk to you personally before the election on August 22, I want you to know that it is purely accidental and that I am just as much interested in your vote as in any in the County.

Again, I wish to thank you for the past support and solicit a continuation of it. Those of you who supported another in the past election, I want to ask for your consideration on August 22.

W. COFFEE Jr.

Candidate for County Judge

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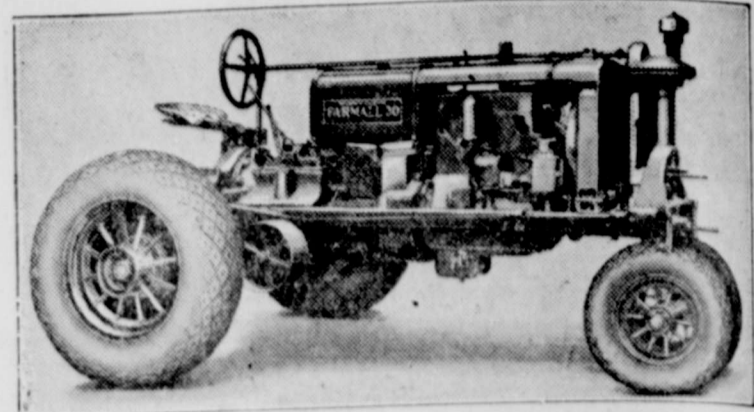
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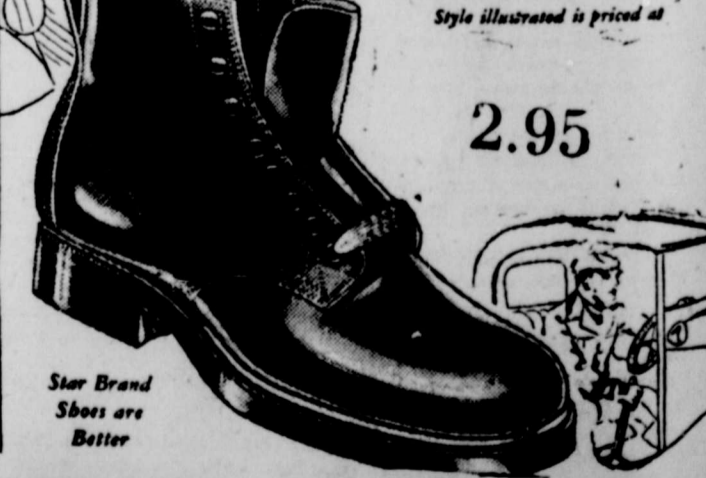
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