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AGGIE BRIEFS

By Finley R. White

seems that there is no end to things that are happening these days. First the farm bill and then things to begin in earnest—rain—Hitler's speech—the make an air raid on the banks—Joe Louis trains for a fight—Quitaque wins the county ball championship and finally our "pay off" papers from the Sam come in.

The application for payment on Monday and every one complied with the farm program in '37 is urged to get in to the agent's office at once and sign these papers. These are the last to be signed before the applications for payment sent before any checks will be issued at all. So lets hurry the along all we can by signing our own papers and urging our neighbors to sign theirs. It does like we'll have money to spend coming 4th of July!

Rain & Snow

The past week has been one of the wettest time not to put any more in our lakes. The mist, fog, rain and snow were all welcomed visitors (strangers) in these parts. Reports on the actual amount of moisture received range from a "trace" on the Hutsell farm of Silverton to as high as 2 inches in the Antelope country. Parts of the county as well as the entire panhandle area reports of snows and rains. Boy, oh, Boy, it's been having beats of storms all haywire! You can't vote up right now for a better rain. Just take a look at this wheat and see how much improved it is after getting moisture and it won't be any wonder to you as to why wheat at off 3 or 4c a bushel nearly day last week. Gosh! if these rains and snows had a few bushels had to grow a few bushels if they knew how many aches pains there were between sowing and harvesting—they'd prize the price of that precious at a fair figure and leave it.

New Farm Dope

As yet the information received the 1938 farm program is not set down to where a country can understand it. For that reason I'll refrain from trying to explain it 'til I know myself what all about. It is hoped that by the time this column is ready for next week some very definite information will be at hand as to you boys in the field. The only thing we know now sure is that Congress didn't the last vote on this farm bill farmers will have the last vote March 12th. Why we are going to vote and where we're going to vote will be published at a later so watch for the notice.

F. F. A. NEWS

By Pascal Garrison

The Agriculture boys have been making much progress during the few weeks. The leading boys W. C. Donnell, Louis Fanning, Minyard Long with 594, 576, 521 points respectively. I do believe that W. C. and Louis are the Haylake blood in them. The F. F. A. boys are going to the F. F. A. Stock Show at this year. There are about five boys who plan to go.

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NEW CREAMERY OPEN

The Swisher County Creamery has a branch here last week for the management of B. E. on, in the building north of the Barton Drug Store.

A. F. & A. M.

The Washington Birthday celebration scheduled for Friday, Feb. 25th, has been postponed. H. Roy Brown, W. M.

Best Snow In Years Falling Here Today

SIDELIGHTS ON THE NEW FARM PROGRAM

By Marvin Jones

The new farm bill will be of much benefit to the great Southwest. That a farm bill is desirable is manifest to every thinking person. Anyone with even a short memory can recall the days of five cent cotton and twenty cent wheat, ten cent corn and three cent cattle. These prices wrecked business and industry everywhere by destroying the purchasing power of the farm and ranch, thus causing millions of blameless people to walk the streets in idleness.

One of the features that is especially desirable for the South and Southwest is the one which makes the payments to the farmers who conserve their soil regardless of whether there is actual production. Representatives from many sections wanted payment to be made only on actual production. Of course, such a program would have reduced the payments in drought years to almost nothing just at the time when they are most needed.

Fortunately we were able to retain in the bill as finally adopted a provision that payments should be earned by the acreage planted and the soil treatment, regardless of whether the land actually produced a crop during the year. This provision will mean millions in added benefits to the Panhandle and Southwestern area.

In addition, the allotments will be on the basis of seeded acres rather than on the production. Another feature that means much to our section is the provision for a range program. This has been so adjusted that it can apply to the non-crop lands and pastures lands on the small farms.

Another matter of prime importance is the provision for an effort to secure a better freight rate structure for farm products. There has been entirely too much discrimination against agricultural products in the freight rate schedules that have been approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Heretofore there has been no one whose business it was to see that these discriminations were removed and that proper adjustments were made so that a larger percentage of the ultimate price paid by the consumer would go to the producer.

Our section of the country has been peculiarly fortunate in that we have been able to secure in the farm bill a provision which takes care of droughts and crop failures and that we have also been able to secure provisions that protect in every practicable way the live stock producer as well as the farmer.

The question of the success of the measure will depend largely on the cooperation of the farmers and live stock producers in whose interest the legislation has been passed. They can do much to help make it a success and of course no measure can succeed without their support.

Amendments may be necessary from time to time but the movement for a square deal for the producers of farm and ranch products much go on.

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A contract was let to F. M. Reeves and Sons, Inc., Amarillo to construct 0.302 miles of concrete multiple box culvert and roadway approaches across middle Tule creek, some 8 miles west of Tullia on highway 86.

Work on the caliche base laying of highway 86 west from Tullia to the Castro county line is progressing at the rate of around one-fourth mile per day when the weather permits workers to be on the job. Work has progressed beyond the site of the bridge and should be finished to the county line by early summer.

Contractor's price of culvert and approaches was reported to be \$10,138. Work is to begin within about three weeks according to reports of county officials.

With the completion of the bridge and the caliche work, it is believed that the work will begin in the summer of placing asphalt topping on the entire stretch of 86 from Tullia west to the Castro county line.—Tullia Herald.

Gauge Registers Slightly Over Half an Inch Thursday Noon

Briscoe County and the Panhandle of Texas is blanketed in white with a five inch snow at noon today (Thursday). According to the government gauge the moisture content is slightly over .50 inches.

The snow, a very wet one, began early Thursday morning and is still falling as the Briscoe County News goes to press. Every bit of the moisture is going into the ground and will do the maximum of good for the crops. No drifting.

Two weeks ago Briscoe County held about the bluest bunch of farmers to be found anywhere. Gloom has changed to joy. Frosts to grins. Something near an inch and a half of moisture has been received here since it started a week ago Monday. Roads are bad—who cares?

Briscoe County goes into the Spring of 1938 with as good or better prospect for wheat than last year—what a country!

TEXAS QUALIFIED FOR LOCATION OF CHEMICAL PLANTS

The "inherently creative" nature of typical modern-age industries such as chemicals—for whose location Texas is particularly qualified by physical advantages—is cited in a report of the All-South Development Council as marking these industries as especially worthy of attention by those seeking to attract new industrial enterprise to the state.

Economic soundness, progressiveness and stability of industries in this classification are shown in various studies, among them a recent series of charts prepared by the National Industrial Conference Board. These, covering the period 1929 through 1937, showed the graph lines for chemical manufacturing at consistently higher levels than the average of 25 other industries—slower to dip in depression times, but just as fast to rise when things got better. The margin held good in employment, man hour, and 'real' weekly earnings charts.

Expenditures of \$20,000,000 a year in research; the fact that 82 percent of the industry's workers are in plants of less than 1,000 workers; the investment of an average of \$8,260 in capital goods and equipment behind each worker and the high proportion of salaried employees (18.1) to hourly wage earners (the general average for all American industry is 12.7 percent) are other favorable points noted in the report, which urged a conservative state taxation policy toward industry to assure Texas' rightful growth in this field.

Texas is, of course, extraordinarily well stocked with the main raw materials of the chemical industry—salt and sulphur, limestone, coal and lignite, petroleum and natural gas, and high cellulose-content agricultural products. From these are made such chemicals as the basic acids, sulphuric, hydrochloric and nitric, the heavy alkalis, soda ash and caustic soda; the amazingly diverse chemical products of coals and petroleum; industrial gases like hydrogen and chlorine—and ammonia, industrial alcohols and other solvents, and plastics and synthetic resins.

"These products, directly or indirectly, ramify throughout every fibre of the web of our economic structure," the report quotes from Elmer H. Johnson, industrial geographer of the University of Texas. "The rapid advance of science and the so-called conquest of environment which science has made possible have not diminished the dependence of modern economic life upon natural resources; it has only made that dependence greater in extent and degree and thereby intricately complex. Nowhere are these scientific and technical advances better illustrated, or the dependence upon natural resources more pronounced, than in the modern chemical industry and its more closely allied industries."

"The vanguard of the third great movement in Texas economic history," is what Johnson sees in the recent development here in production of heavy alkalis using Texas salt as the raw material.

M. L. Johnson of Quitaque was buried here Tuesday of this week. Funeral services were held at Quitaque. Mr. Johnson formerly lived here and operated a tire shop. At the time of his death he was running a filling station in Quitaque.

Cars may be built for speed, but roads are not.

Dozen Years Ago In Silverton

The following items were taken from the Briscoe County News of February, 1926. Paul I. Odor was editor.

Political announcements: For County Judge: O. R. Tipps, J. N. Morton, Miner Crawford. For County Clerk: Clay Fowler, R. E. Douglas, Chas. Dickerson, M. R. (Bud) Alexander.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: Jim C. Whiteley, C. C. Garrison, E. L. (Lucian) Evans. For Tax Assessor: R. E. Brookshier. For County Treasurer: Mrs. Frances Dawson.

Railroad Contract Signed

A number of Silverton citizens affixed their names to the Denver contract this week and Jno. Burson is expected to leave Friday for Fort Worth where he will secure the signatures of the Denver officials. Those signing the contract up to Thursday noon were: Jno. Burson, T. L. Anderson, J. G. M. Waters, W. E. Schott, J. J. Fort, W. M. Wood, R. F. Stevenson and J. A. Bain.

Retail Merchants Assn.

At a meeting of merchants here recently, an organization to be known as the Retail Merchants Association was formed. N. M. Lawler was elected president and H. M. Bowers, was elected vice-president, with Miss Iris Mae Fox as secretary. There are at present 14 members and the following are on the board of directors: Roscoe Fort, R. E. Douglas, H. R. Brown, N. M. Lawler and H. M. Bowers. The Association will be affiliated with the State and National organizations.

Local News

A new cess pool has been completed for the courthouse and the sewage system is now in good order.

See Manley Woods for J. R. Watkins products

Quitaque defeated Silverton in a basketball game by the score of 8 to 6. The Silverton lineup was: Price Stone, Trupe Burson, Robert Hill, Bill Thompson, and Clyde Baxter.

Burson Motor Company announces a change in the price of the old "reliable Ford".

Mrs. Wright entertained the Junior Class at her home. The entire class was not present. Among the Juniors present were: Edward Minyard, Willie Hardcastle, W. E. Schott, Anna Burson, Bess Jenkins, Lillian Dickerson, Jewell Hodges, Zeola Davis, Carabel Biffle, Ike McClendon and Mr. Norris, class sponsor.

The first grade pupils who were on the honor roll last week were Wynona Bomar, Harley Redin, Bill Norrid, Mildred Formby, Dorothy Brown, Lois Davis, Junior Smith, Carl Bean and Imogene Pitts.

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D. T. 'Chick' Northcutt For Commissioner

SILVERTON TO RECEIVE FIRE INSURANCE CREDIT

According to an announcement made this week by Marvin Hall, State Fire Commissioner, Silverton will receive a 10% credit rating for the coming insurance year of 1938. Last year we received a 5% credit.

This speaks strongly of our local fire fighters, as there has been several fires during the past year that would have done enough damage to insured property to have caused a penalty, had it not been for quick action on the part of the firemen.

Commissioner Hall explained that once each year the Texas Fire Insurance Commission promulgates and publishes a fire record credit or penalty for all eligible Texas cities and towns. These fire records, effective for one year, are based on the loss ratio produced by a comparison of the fire insurance premiums written to the loss paid over a "fire record period" of five years. An average annual net fire insurance premium volume of at least \$1,500 over the fire record period is required before fire records are promulgated. The fire record varies from a 15 per cent penalty, or "bad" fire record, to a 25 per cent credit, or "good" fire record. Credits of 20 and 25 per cent apply only to those cities and towns whose average annual fire insurance premium volume is at least \$20,000.

"It cannot be overlooked," Hall pointed out, "that when a city receives a fire record credit, every person buying fire insurance pays that percentage less premium. Texas is the only State in the Union where this system prevails—where reduced fire losses result in a corresponding reduction in the fire insurance rates. Our insurance buying public can feel justly proud that here in Texas, there is a very real reward in dollars and cents to the policyholders when effective fire prevention and control is practiced and the losses are thereby reduced."

Home Builders Class Meets

The Home Builders Class will meet in the home of Mrs. A. L. Kelsay on Wednesday afternoon of this week for a business session and social hour. A fish pond containing useful gifts will furnish diversion. The guests will pay 10c for each catch, the amount realized to be paid on rugs that have recently been placed on the Sunday School rooms.

MARCH 20-26 IS NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK EVERYWHERE

N. R. Honea has been appointed as County Chairman for the promotion of National Wildlife Week, March 20-26. The week is planned in order that more people will try to aid in the preservation of desirable wild game. If you are interested, see Mr. Honea.

ODD FELLOWS TO HOLD HOME COMING HERE

Silverton Odd Fellows are planning a big night Tuesday, March 1, at the Silverton Odd Fellows Hall, when they stage the "Homecoming Meeting," which means that if you are an Odd Fellow or have been one, be sure to be on hand.

Several out-of-town speakers will be heard, and an all-round good time is planned. Plan to attend.—Committee.

WPA TO SPEND \$28,161 ON CAP ROCK ROAD WORK

The work on the cap rock on Highway 86 has been progressing slowly during the past two weeks. According to present plans \$28,161 will be expended on the work by WPA and the State Highway Department, will spend \$36,826. The project as laid out now will provide 94,840 man hours of labor.

According to Mr. Street, who is supervising the work at the Cap Rock, the work is laid out as a project to end June 30, 1938. The work started January 7, and to date \$3,200 have been spent, including all expenses and up till Tuesday of this week. Considering the \$64,000 to be spent, the work will probably last much longer—if it is decided to continue after the end of the WPA year.

Sixty men are now on the roll for work at the cap. Thirty are worked each shift—two shifts a day. The project was started with only fifteen or sixteen men. According to Street, more men than ever before are applying for the relief work.

Public improvement projects sponsored by local governmental agencies in 26 Panhandle counties gave employment to 2,547 men and women during January, it was reported by A. A. Meredith, administrative officer out of the Amarillo office.

Mr. and Mrs. Readhimer of Kress were visiting here Wednesday with Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Peacock.

Dim lights when parked on road shoulders for the benefit of approaching traffic.

News Bits

From Neighboring Towns

Church Dedication
The First Baptist Church of Crosbyton held a "getting out of debt" service Sunday, according to Dr. L. E. Kent—Ralls Banner.

Boy Scouts Clamp Down
Last Saturday, Floydada Boy Scouts were in control of city affairs and added considerable money to their treasury from the fines they assessed for violations. Homer Steen, editor of the Floyd County Hesperian, was one of those who ran a stop sign and was forced to pay a fine.

Plane Down
Two escaped injury last Wednesday at Goliath when the airplane in which they were traveling, was forced down because of ice on the wings. According to the Donley County Leader, only the landing gear and propeller were damaged. The aviators were Carl Hickerson and Floyd Murphy of Prescott, Arizona.

Cap Rock Relays
A special feature of the Cap Rock Relays to held in Memphis on April 15-16 will be a 75 yard dash for men over forty who weigh over 200 pounds. The race will be run in short legged pajamas. Other plans for the relays are being made every day, says the Memphis Democrat.

To Light Quitaque
The City Council of Quitaque voted last week to install street lights. Installation will start immediately. According to the Quitaque Post, the city finances are in the best shape for years.

Thrasher Gin Destroyed
A fire which broke out last Sunday morning destroyed the Thrasher Bros. Gin at Gasoline. The entire gin, as well as a new Dodge truck, was totally destroyed. The gin will not be rebuilt, according to the Turkey Enterprise.

WELCH - YOKUM

Mr. Wade Welch and Miss Opal Ruth Yokum were married last week in New Mexico. They returned here for a few days visit with relatives before going to their home on the JA ranch where Wade has been employed for some time.

HALL - KELLAR

Of interest to her friends here is the wedding of Mrs. Delia Kellar to Don Hall of Quitaque which took place in Floydada Saturday, February 12.

Mrs. Kellar was the former Miss Delia Askey who before her first marriage, lived here and attended school here. She is now employed as a nurse and instructor in the Plainview Sanitarium and Clinic.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services will be held next Sunday at the usual hours.
Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Morning Worship ----- 11 a. m.
Evening Vespers ----- 5 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Woman's Missionary Society Meets

The W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. M. J. O'Neal last Monday with 14 members present.

MRS. MARY WATSON JONES IN CAR ACCIDENT

Mrs. Mary Watson Jones happened to a near serious accident last Thursday when her car skidded on the ice, while rounding the curve into Hale Center, and turned over causing her to receive a number of bruises about the face and head. She was brought to the hospital at Plainview where she has been since, but is reported to be getting along fine and will soon be able to be back on duty again.

Mrs. J. S. Watson, her mother, was with her in Plainview from Friday to Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday of last week.

Charlie Becomes Ambassador



Charlie McCarthy has a new job—ambassador at large for the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition, on Treasure Island in San Francisco Bay. Here Edgar Bergen is handing Charlie his ambassador's commission and the NBC star seems pleased, to say the least.

News Review of Current Events

NAVAL RACE IS PROBABLE

Japan's Refusal to Tell Plans Is Starting Gun... Great Battle in Central China... New Regime in Roumania



Senator Ellison D. Smith of South Carolina is here pictured as he expounded his views on the farm bill.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Jap Refusal Starts Race

JAPAN having flatly refused to reveal her naval building plans, it is believed that the greatest navy construction race ever seen is about to start...

The President may be expected to order increase of the three battleships now planned from 35,000 tons each to 43,000 or 45,000 tons...

In order to obviate the restrictions on the size of battleships that inhere in the width of the Panama canal locks and to minimize the contingency of interruption of coast-to-coast communication through destruction of a Panama lock by an enemy...

Congressmen who fear the President is piloting the nation into war with Japan made probably futile moves to prevent our government from joining in the rearmament race.

Though Secretary Hull had denied that there was any understanding with Great Britain and France concerning Japan, opponents of the administration were still suspicious that it was planning joint action.

This view was shared by the Tokyo press, which charged that the controversy was brought on by a secret naval understanding among America, Britain and France...

Hearings by the house naval affairs committee on the President's big navy program went into the third week, with opposition dwindling as a result of Japan's unfavorable reply to the request for her intentions.

Singapore Base Opened

WITH impressive ceremonies Great Britain formally opened her powerful naval base at Singapore of the Straits Settlements...

Prominent among the carefully selected guests were Rear Admiral Julius Townsend and his officers of the American battle cruisers Trenton, Memphis and Milwaukee.

Great Battle in China

ONE of the greatest battles ever fought was reported to be taking place in central China, where the Japanese invaders smashed a Chinese army of 15,000 and forced to retreat across the Yellow river

under fire and without bridges, which had been destroyed by the defenders. Five Japanese armies were driving southward through the rich central China agricultural region...

From the south, three Japanese armies were advancing from the Hwai river.

Gen. Chiang Kai-shek had 400,000 troops along the north and south fronts fighting to prevent the Japanese from gobbling up the huge Lushan "corridor."

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Another Dictator State RUMANIA is now added to the European states under dictatorship. Octavian Goga's government...



Miron Cristea

Cristea, the key man of the government, was expected to take steps to regain the friendship of France and Great Britain, traditional allies of Rumania, without offending Italy and Germany.

Franco Masses Huge Army

DISPATCHES from Salamanca, headquarters of the Spanish rebels, said General Franco was getting together an army of a million men and planned a spring offensive that would end the bloody civil war.

Military observers believed his main effort would be directed toward a drive to the Mediterranean coast from the south Aragon front above Teruel. This would effectually divide the government territory now held by the government.

It may be that Franco will lose his Italian "volunteers," for London had a rumor that the British cabinet was considering a secret agreement with Mussolini by which Britain would recognize the Duce's conquest of Ethiopia if he would withdraw his troops from Spain.

More for Dole Asked PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT in a special message asked congress to appropriate \$250,000,000 more for relief to supplement the billion and a half relief fund.

A bill to carry out the President's suggestions was introduced in the house immediately and speeded toward passage.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK... By Lemuel F. Parton

NEW YORK.—In 1929, at the age of seventy-one, Frederick H. Prince, the Boston banker, was still playing polo. He has great faith in the durability of the men, institutions and governments, as long as they behave themselves.

Time Better Than Reform for Business He left for Europe to forget about business for a while and intimates that it would be a good thing if the government would be similarly neglectful.

Time has treated him nicely and he may well give it a testimonial. At seventy-nine, he is the grand seigneur of American business. Only four years ago, he engaged in a hard-hitting slugfest over the control of Armour & Co.

He got what he was after—the chairmanship of the board. He has many such trophies, having controlled 46 railroads, and, in general, one of the biggest cuts in the American dream of any man of his day.

His (mainly liquid) fortune is estimated at around \$250,000,000. But for many years, he says, he has made it a point to be about \$20,000,000 in debt. That is revealing in connection with his ideas about money and success.

It isn't money unless it is working. Stagnant money just dries up and blows away. Hence you draw cards even if you do have to drag a few chips for markers.

He's a little too heavy for polo, with a massive gray head, deep sunken, pondering eyes, and heavy, gray moustache; a bit grim, perhaps, but not formidable. When, early in October, 1929, a small black cloud appeared on the horizon, he viewed it with a telescopic eye, saw it for what it was, and got out of the market.

The cyclone never touched him. Until a few years ago, he was still riding to the hounds at Pau, in southern France, master of the hunt. He has marble palaces here and there, one of them the former mansion of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, at Newport. Remarkably that he has been in business 55 years, he says this little squall will blow over in two or three months.

THE reason isn't quite clear but, these days, the colleges compete for tuba players as well as athletes. Dr. Walter Albert Jessup deplors this and other phases of the scramble for students in the annual report of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, of which he is president.

Other leading educators join him in this, but the big mill has to have plenty of raw material, to keep on grinding, or else become just a crossroad plant. So they go after even the tuba players. At any rate, each can blow its own horn.

Dr. Jessup was president of the University of Iowa from 1916 to 1933. A native of Richmond, Ind., he was educated at Earlham college and Columbia and gathered several honorary degrees in later years.

He is superintendent of schools in Indiana and dean of the college of education of Indiana university. He has won high distinction in the educational field and is the author of a book on arithmetic.

One gathers that he would not recommend Benny Goodman for a college faculty and that quite probably the next Carnegie report may find adversely on the shag, the jeep-er and the susy-q. He is for low kicking and high thinking, as against the prevailing reversal of this formula.

Consolidated News Features. WNU Service.

Accident Taps Riches Treasure has been brought to light near Cairo, Egypt, by an excavator's lucky accident. He stumbled on the burial place of middle-class Egyptian men and women of 5,000 years ago.

Beautifully carved articles made of alabaster, schist, dolomite and breccia were found, three of them vessels of a kind previously unknown. A knife of flint is so fine and thin as to be practically transparent.

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SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL By Carter Field

Washington.—A horde of mediocre, irresponsible, yet well-dressed and smug people is an unnatural sight to behold. For, outside of Washington, men and women are known by their looks. The stamina of the laborer is written in his weathered face and on his hard hands.

But in Washington, as nowhere else, you see the dull, unworried face leeches by tens of thousands, smug in futile security. From half past three on, just as the workers in competitive life are buckling down to make hay of the day's effort, the capital crowd swarms out of its marble palaces, gaily jamming the poky street cars and two-bit taxis, heading for cocktail lounges or more hours of indolence at home.

Along miles of corridors in the Departments of Commerce, Agriculture, Interior, Post Office, you see them going through the motions of work earlier in the day. But much of the work is mere motion, for by gesture and voice the worker reveals that it doesn't matter much whether the task turns out good or bad.

Not All Are Drones How many of these jobs are necessary to the nation's welfare nobody knows. Probably more than half are justifiable, maybe three-quarters. But generally speaking two out of three of the jobs could be held down by any bright person who wanted to try.

But there are happy exceptions in this city of drones. Most congressmen, doubt it or not, are fairly devoted to toil. The post office superintendent of air mail, for example, works like a masher dog.

There must be thousands who do their honest best. A big order from the chief in the White House reverberates along the Ionic colonnades and thousands must lay to, whether they like it or not.

Wants Labor Law One of President Roosevelt's greatest ambitions, a labor standard law to give the unorganized millions of workers a minimum wage of about 40 cents an hour and a maximum work week of 40 hours, has gotten exactly nowhere in a two-year battle of words.

Right now three or four American companies are asking this government for financial assistance in building airships. One of them has what seems to be sufficient achievement behind it to justify federal aid.

Out of our association with Germany we shall learn all the Germans know about building and flying lighter-than-air craft.

How far has he gotten with his program? Pretty far. To cite a few examples, the securities exchange law put a severe snaffle bit in Wall Street's mouth. The labor relations act forbids business to interfere with the formation and functions of labor unions.

But there is now considerable question whether the wage-hour chapter of the Roosevelt program

can be realized. A mighty effort will be made in the latter part of this session of congress to enact it into law. A wage-hour law is such an important factor in the whole scheme that if it isn't passed the New Deal must be considered as having failed to cross over to the land of milk and honey.

Unorganized Labor

For after all, only a small percentage of American labor is organized and able to demand high wages through collective bargaining. The rest are scattered, helpless and unable to make themselves heard.

Why has the wage-hour bill made no progress? Because only the administration is fighting for it. Industry is against such a law because it fears the government, given an inch, would take a mile and clamp more irons to its leg.

Besides the administration, of course, the millions of common workers want a minimum wage. They can vote, and it would seem that congress would respond to them.

If the President and his supporters can enact a 40-hour wage-hour law they can hoist their banner, stack arms, and wait for the morning sun to show what manner of country they have captured.

Take Up Dirigibles

Next summer another German airship, much like the giant Hindenburg which burned 36 people to death at Lakehurst, N. J., last May, will cross to the United States. Its first passengers back to Europe will be a few adventurers willing to risk anything for a thrill.

But though the United States has a monopoly on helium, Germany seems to have all the skill in building and flying dirigibles. German dirigibles bombed London during the war, kept the British during the war, kept the British during the war, kept the British during the war.

Meanwhile the United States failed dismally in lighter-than-air pioneering. Why? While Germany studied lighter-than-air as a distinct science, this country treated it merely as a sideline for the navy.

For certainly it cannot be assumed that the Germans have some supernatural knowledge or secret formula. No, the critics say, the Germans just worked hard at the job, that's all.

Ask Financial Help

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Of course scientists in all mechanized countries are trying to develop a gas to substitute for helium, the best of them say it's a pretty hopeless task—but so it seemed before the Wright brothers was man's attempt to fly.

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Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!

"The Murdering Horde" By FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter

HELLO, EVERYBODY: Here, boys and girls, is one of the strangest you have seen in a long time—sent to me by Edward E. Kay of New York City.

Ed is a movie cameraman, and that's how he happened to India with a crew that was taking animal pictures. They were quartered in Rajmahal hills, near Karharbari, in Behar province—quartered on the edge of the jungle, not far from the tents of a semi-savage native.

Says Ed: "One of my first acts was to take out my girl's picture and nail it on the wall. A native boy frowned as I started but I ignored his warning. As I drove in the first nail the plaster crumbled, leaving an inch wide hole. The boy drove back, and I soon knew why."

Black Bugs Came Out of the Hole.

"An ugly black bug came out of the hole—and dozens and more followed the first. I couldn't stop them until the boy brought a piece of wet paper to plug the hole and killed all those crawling at us. Then I understood why the natives lived in tents. Hordes of insects hollowed the walls of every house built in that locality."

Now let's leave those strange bugs till later. On the twelfth Ed came down with fever, and the crew went off leaving him bed-ridden. Ed tossed feverishly on his cot all day. In the evening they still returned, so Ed spent that first dreadful night alone.

At dawn, though, he was awakened by loud cries from the tent. He lay still for a while, wondering what was wrong, for he was too weak to get up and investigate. By raising himself on his elbows



Still They Came Mounting Up and Up.

though, he could see through the open doorway. The sun beat down a bright, powerful heat, and the ground shimmered like lacquer.

Then, strangely enough, Ed saw a shadow—an immense black shadow where no shadow should have been.

It was a long time before he realized what that shadow was. Then, suddenly, it came to him. Ants! Millions of them, moving in a great wave. Ed had seen those ants in small groups. They were long, and black, with vicious biting fangs. He had heard that they came in a great swarming drove and that they devoured everything that was before them.

Nothing Could Stop the Ant Horde.

The natives said they could kill a trapped elephant. No matter how you fought them they came on and on—millions of them to replace that one slain.

"My cot," says Ed, "offered me no safety from that oncoming tide. I was too weak to run. There was a half-barrel of boiled, purified water in one corner of the room. Also there were several film cans dragged myself over to them."

The leading couriers of the ant pack were on the door sill as I fled. In a few minutes I had each table leg resting in a can full of water. I had finished, several ants were climbing my ankles. I staggered my feet and crawled up to the table."

Ed had no sooner gotten himself set on that table than the ants were coming in droves. The floor became black—solid black—every inch of it. And still hordes of the insects came crawling on. They poured into a mouse hole in the wall. They scoured nests of other insects under eggs. They swarmed over the movie crew's food supply like great, black blankets. An army of them tried to reach Ed. As they mounted the water cans to reach the table legs, they drowned.

"But," says Ed, "the drowned ants floated. The live ones began crawling across over their bodies. They got to the table legs. I smashed them as fast as I could, but one table leg was covered with them, and still they came, mounting up and up."

They Fled From the Dreadful Bugs.

Ed began to think he was done for just about then—began to feel he had come all the way to India just to furnish a meal to a few scavenger ants. But suddenly there was a crash. A wall, under the ants, collapsed. Plaster fell all around. Then followed a strange spectacle.

"Out of the wall," says Ed, "came a shower of the ugly black bugs that I had seen the day before when I tried to tack up my girl's photo. At the sight of those bugs, the ants turned to flee. The black bugs went crawling after them. Death fought death! The ants outnumbered the bugs, thousands to one. They have slaughtered them easily. But they fled before the bugs as they dreaded their very sight. Sicker than ever, I watched the black bugs move on. In half an hour not a single ant was in sight, but I was on the table until late that evening when the members of my party turned. If they hadn't taken my camera along with them what a picture I could have filmed. And all they got was a 'shot' of a star monkey!"

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Dutch Olykoeks

Dutch olykoeks, or stuffed raised doughnuts, were made with great ceremony. The yeast was set to lighten a little after noon. Just before supper this was made into a rich dough by the addition of many eggs, much butter, and nutmeg flavoring.

Birds Have Equal Rights The female phalarope attained equal rights ages ago. Its plumage, contrary to general rule, is brighter than the male's and it runs at large while the male minds the eggs.

Genre Painting

Though practiced in early Pompeian frescoes, show, of the Middle Ages, genre painting not recognized independently until the Sixteenth century in Flemish where it was popularized by Pieter Bruegel. It reached its height in Holland in the Seventeenth century with Gerard Dou, Ter Borch, De Hooch, Vermeer and others.

Kolinski From Weasel Animal Kolinski fur is from a small animal, found on the island of Iceland. It was a Russian who found it there, and also discovered the animal. The suffix "ski" in Russian possessive; hence, the name Kolinski.

Artillery Ranges

Artillery of the period of the Civil War was fired at a maximum range of 1,000 yards. The most effective range was at a point-blank range of approximately 300 yards.

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"Does there have to be a consul?" "Either that or some authorized officer from the embassy. Any preacher in good standing can do the trick, but the presence of an American official as witness is what makes it legal at home."

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then looked up and grinned. "I admit it's pretty bad, sir, especially since I come as a private citizen."

"What do you mean? I haven't fired you yet."

"I was merely anticipating," said Dirk, looking around.

"What are you hunting for?" "Two things. A chair with a washable cover and a drink."

"Forgive me, my boy. Sit anywhere you like; there's nobody to kick about it since I'm a grass-widower from a week ago till the Christmas holidays. I'll ring for your usual. Come on, now; what's on your mind?"

"I'm here for assistance, sir. I want you to help me marry Miss Joyce Sewell of La Barranca this afternoon."

The ambassador collapsed into the nearest chair and groaned. Then they talked—talked as only two men who possess an identical background can talk. The rapid fire of questions and answers covered not only Dirk's absence but swept from Dirk's absence but swept from

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Soil Contributes to Value of Food

Needed Elements Supplied Through Refertilization

By EDITH M. BARBER
"AS the soil is, so are the people," declared Dr. David Lilienthal, at the recent convention of the American Dietetic association. He went on to say that the significance of this fact is just dawning upon the people of this country. Nature has been so generous to us that we have taken for granted that we could take our supply of food without making any return. Of course, in many parts of the country where scientific farming is carried on, the refertilization of the soil is the first thought. One of the most important materials which all living things need can only be supplied through the soil. This is the mineral phosphorus, without an adequate amount of which, human life will deteriorate.

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Household Hints

By BETTY WELLS

"ON BEAU nights, we hate to feel discarded too," writes the mother of a pretty daughter, "so we'd appreciate ideas for doing over a little back

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THIS WORTH (less) Alexander, who claims to have seen all, heard all, and been all 'round, really got slipped up on right here in Silvertown last Saturday night. He saw the ad for the Palace Theatre show "Cherokee Strip", and remembering some of the things he had seen in California, he shoves off for the show, and was sadly disappointed when it wasn't a leg show.

HERE'S ONE THAT was sent to me by a dear Republican friend in Kansas—one of the members of the old school who believe that if your dad was a Republican, it is imperative that you be one too, no matter what changes may have been made in party policies. Here's the story: A young couple were about to christen their son but had never decided upon a name. Finally they agreed that the first name that entered the father's mind during the christening would be the baby's name for life. When the preacher asked the baby's name

the father replied, "Franklin D." When they returned to their seats, the mother asked, "Now what made you think of that name?" "Well," replied the father, "He kept smiling at me, yet all the time he was smiling, he was soaking me."

HERE'S ONE FOR YOU land sharks—Did you know that with land at \$25 an acre, for a nickle you can buy enough land to build a garage to house your car? Well I didn't think so either, but get your pencil and figure it for yourself.

A LADY TOLD me the other day that when she got married, she fixed the nicest write-up for a daily paper you ever saw—and was she burned up when it came out on the Sports Page!

A LITTLE WARNING to youse merchants—Lee Bomar meant to tell Roy that he was just window shopping. He spoke his mind, I think though, when he said he was just "shoplifting".

SPECIAL to Archie Castorberries: It is to the best interest of all concerned that you take that C.O.D. out of the Post Office.

JOE LOUIS DONE it again. A KO in the third round took the man out of Mann and the big boy with the dark complexion is still champion of the world. I'm still banking on our German friend, Schmelling to get the job done this summer. It would be a neat arrangement methinks, if he'd use Boss Hitler as a sparring partner.

ELMO (Elmer) WALLING is no longer employed at the Bomar Pharmacy. I heard that he quit because of the way they talked to him. D.O. said, "We can't use you any longer"—and Elmo said he didn't have to take that kind of talk off of anyone, and quit.

SILVERTON IS getting considerable notice over the territory as a "good" grocery town. Which is as it should be. Folks just can't afford to go out of town when they can buy cheaper at home. Read the grocery ads this week. You can buy 2 dozen bananas for 18c — 2 pounds of steak for 25c — a pound of coffee for 16c. Look up these bargains, and save money by trading with these stores. It doesn't make much difference at which place you buy—you get

real bargains at the M System, or Farmers Food Store, Force's Feed and Fruit Store, or Roy's Cash Market.

HAVE YOU PAID your chain store tax? If you have sold as much as fifteen cents worth of anything you better dig. It only takes one link to make a chain according to that law.

AND IF YOU haven't made out an income tax report you better do it. Or if you are kinda on the edge, mebbe so and mebbe not, you still better make a return—the inspectors will getcha if you don't watch out.

HERE'S A LITTLE dope on it that might help you:

Who must make a return? Every citizen of the U.S., who has had a gross income of \$5,000 or over, or whose net income is \$1,000 if single; \$2,500 if married and living with husband or wife. Or if the combined net income of husband and wife is \$2,500, you must make a return. And when? The return must be sent to the collector of internal revenue on or before March 15. How? The tax may be paid in full when the return is made or in quarterly installments. Why? Your guess is as good as mine.

THE INCOME TAX however, is one of the most democratic taxes in the United States. If you make it, you pay it, if you don't make it, you don't—what could be fairer? What Texas should stay clear of is the toy money used in sales taxes.

IF YOU AREN'T mind reader enough to fill out your blank, see Woodson Coffee. That's the reason he has that heavy head of hair, is from worrying over other peoples' income tax returns.

SINCE MR. JOHN L. Lewis has been mentioned by his followers as possible presidential timber in 1940, a lot of people in Washington have turned back their newspaper files to last January 5, when Mr. Lewis made a speech in Tucson, Arizona.

On that occasion Mr. Lewis said he believed our form of government had failed; that it was about time we tried something else in America. And then he went on to indicate that he might be in favor

THE NEW SCRUB WOMAN



trying Communism. Said he then: "Some people have found they could live happily and successfully in a communal form."

EXTRE, EXTRE-E-E — Water tank catches fire! The fire truck made on of the most spectacular runs last Friday night to one of the most unusual fires that it has ever been my experience to witness.

The fire was at the Gatewood home in the west part of town and of all things, it was his WATER TANK that was on fire. The stand and tank were damaged somewhat. The fire siren failed to work and Doc Minyard and Clovis McGavock were the only fighters on hand. There is one thing that we've got to hand it to Doc Minyard for, and that is, when there's a fire, he's on hand. He was just as wet, and took just as big a chance of getting hurt at the water tank fire, as he would have had the court house been burning.

Then love-sick swain don't be dismayed. As on lifes road you pass; For every lad that roams around, Will find a lovely lass.

On mountains high or vales below, The countries or the towns; You'll find some dressed in calicoes And some in lovely gowns.

Like peaches on a lovely tree, Where all the fruit is thick; Decide which one you like the best, For you may have your pick.

Each widower that's young or old, Whose mind is free from hate; Can find if he will look about, A nice congenial mate.

Then don't give up the ship my boy. Though life may seem to whirl; Some way, some how, some time, You'll meet the proper girl. —Contributed

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PNEUMONIA IS SPREAD BY PERSONAL CONTACT

Pneumonia is a seasonal disease, in that the incidence and mortality is much increased during wet, cold weather, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. It is more prevalent and serious in towns where contacts with people are more common. Pneumonia is always dangerous but it is especially so to persons with run down conditions. This accounts for the number of cases following illness with some other disease.

The germs that cause pneumonia are spread by careless coughers, sneezers, spitters and the things that they infect. The first symptoms are usually a severe chill and fever, a very sick feeling, loss of appetite, rapid breathing, and a heavy sensation in the chest. Sometimes coughing brings up blood from the inflamed lungs. Any of these signs should be the signal for going to bed at once and sending for your doctor.

The familiar rules of the prevention of other respiratory diseases apply to pneumonia. These rules should become personal habits and not be put on or off at times of prevalence or absence of disease. Persons should avoid care-

less coughers and sneezers even if you have to be rude. Wash your hands thoroughly before each meal. Keep your hands, pencils, money and other such things away from your mouth and nose. Get plenty of fresh air day and night. Exercise and eat in moderation and wear clothing suitable for the weather.

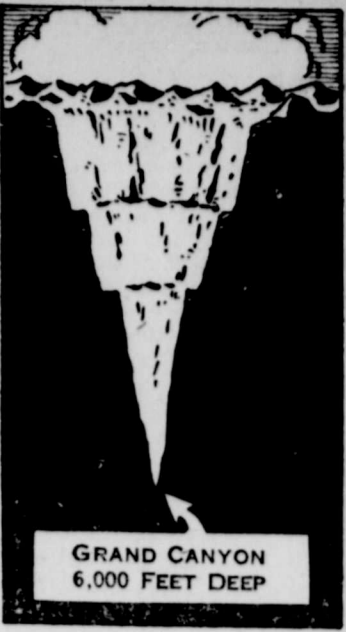
Pneumonia ranks second as a cause of death in Texas. In 1932 almost six thousand persons died as a cause of this disease. It should be remembered that contagious and infectious diseases cannot be decreased or eliminated without the cooperation of the people and that means that people who are sick with contagious or infectious diseases should be isolated and visited as little as possible by relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright made a trip to Dallas last week.

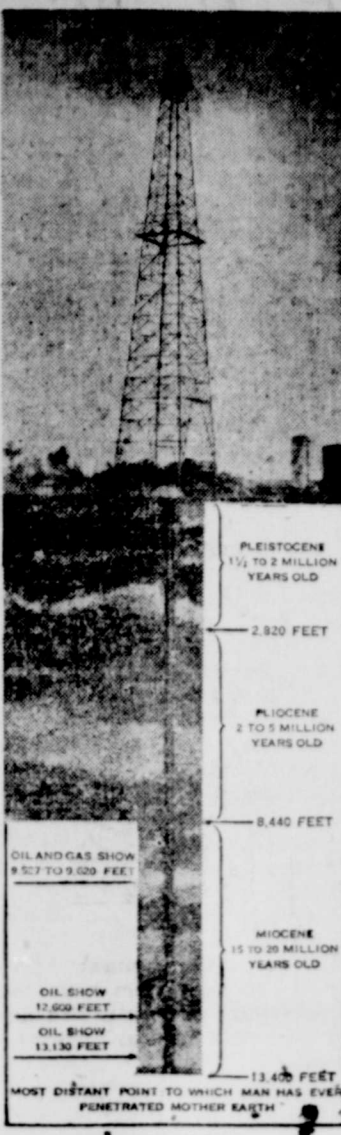
Howard and Doc Brown made a trip to Plainview last Sunday.

Mr. Homer Sanders, Mr. Jim Tunnell of Quitaque and Mr. Jim Willson of Floydada were guests of T. M. Nichols in Tullia for a chicken dinner on Wednesday night of last week.

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Occupation of a Lady
Silk-making in West Texas may seem a bit queer, but according to a report on the early industries of the state, the cultivation of silk worms had a bright future. The description says that "The mulberry tree is of common growth and thrives vigorously in Western Texas, the climate of which is well adapted to the rearing of silk worms." According to this writer one of the best aspects of the situation was that the silk industry "would afford an easy and advantageous occupation to females and children."

Where Bellhops Thrive
Among the quotable figures that might come in handy when visiting relatives are around are those concerning the hotel business. Texas alone has 1,724 of the 28,822 hotels in the U. S., ranking as the seventh state in the amount of receipts in 1935. Delaware has the lowest supply of hotels with only 33, and New York is highest with 2,297. The average per state is about 600.

Flag Complication
One would hardly suspect the Texas flag, with all its simplicity, of being a geometrical problem, but so it is. Its width must equal two-thirds of its length, and the three stripes must be exact duplicates of each other in size, with the blue at the side, the white at the top and the red at the bottom. The diameter of the circle passing through the five points of the star is equal to three-fourths of the width of the blue stripe upon which it is placed.

LIBRARY NOTES
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By Joe Hill Jr.

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Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemons returned last week from a two weeks visit to the Valley. They also visited their son Joe who is attending the University of Texas at Austin.

C. W. Norrid with Lewis Graham of Quitaque made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday of this week.

Raymond Waldrop from Antelope Flat was in town on business last Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Kellum of Bastrop, Texas came in last Saturday to be with her husband, who is employed in Kings Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Goodrich and Mr. W. A. Goodrich of Benjamin visited in the R. L. Campbell home here last Sunday. Mrs. Goodrich will be remembered here as Miss Billie Burnett, who has visited here a number of times before her recent marriage.

Mrs. Pearl Strange returned last Saturday from Childress where she has been at the bedside of a sick friend for several days.

All the churches in town dismissed their Sunday night services to go to the Calvary Baptist Church to hear their new pastor, Rev. B. P. Harrison, who comes here from

the First Baptist Church of Kress. Rev. Harrison and family moved here Thursday of last week.

His text Sunday night was "Life" taken from the 4th chapter of James.

C. V. Durning of Plainview and A. P. Morton of Tullia, tax supervisors, were in town last Friday collecting taxes and explaining the phases of the chain store tax. The bill which became a law in 1935 was contested by the chain

stores of Texas and has been in Court until last week when the Texas Supreme Court at Dallas decided in favor of the state, an men throughout the state employed by the Comptroller are busy explaining and collecting these taxes which with this year are three years past due.

Miss Marie Riche visited with her family in Memphis over last week end.

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RIGHT OUT OF THE AIR

By R. F. SERVICE



Margarette Shanna, lovely star of "Arnold Grumm's Daughter," believes she is jinxed. A few weeks ago she slipped on an icy pavement and had to work on crutches for three days. She slipped again shortly after and found herself on crutches once more. She thought her woes had ended, but an acute attack of appendicitis necessitated an operation. Now she's hoping that the jinx has been finally banished.

John Conte, probably the youngest announcer in big-time radio, enjoys the distinction of having been signed by Burns and Allen for a long-term contract without the customary required audition.



Mark Warnow, "We, The People" music director, makes a hobby of finding musical cues appropriate to the adventures and professions of persons appearing on the Gabriel Heatter Thursday night CBS air show.

Mary Margaret McBride still says "tomato," "leather" and "apricot" with a long "a." It gives a distinct pain to this Missouri girl to hear folks saying "Pank avenyoo" and "N'Yawk."



Lucille Ball is Phil Baker's attractive heckler in his Sunday broadcasts over CBS. Lucille doubles between the CBS studios and the RKO lot where she is busy with pictures.

With only one previous network appearance to his credit, Tenor John Carter, shown here, stepped into an important singing assignment on the air when Nelson Eddy left the big Sunday night variety show to go on a concert tour. Carter was a vaudeville dancer and never had a singing lesson until a year and a half ago.

The musicians' union in Hollywood has just put the seal of authority on the bazooka by giving Bob Burns a union card, official recognition that the noise-maker, heard on the Thursday night Music Hall, is a musical instrument.

Kate Smith never misses buying a bag of chestnuts from the old Italian on the corner near her office.

Strange Tunes

A motley mixture is poured into the folk tunes of Texas. The negro songs which form such a great part of our handed down music are filled with Spanish and French music and rhythms. The cowboy songs, which spell "Texas" to so many people, are usually adaptations from songs the cattlemen heard on the sea and elsewhere and sang so much on the range that the music gradually became associated with them. Some of the most original tunes came from the first Mexican cowboys.

Fifty Carloads

A carload of calves every three minutes was the selling record made last October when the price of West Texas calves and the number of out-of-state buyers reached a new high in the Highland Hereford sale at Marfa. Fifty carloads of calves were sold in two hours and thirty minutes. Representatives of nine states were there to buy.

It is not how close but how far you can get from a passing car.

Give one-eyed cars plenty of room.

Two Billion Dollars Spent for Used Cars

By W. E. Holler
Chevrolet Motor Division

The Used Car business in this country is a 2 Billion dollar industry. In 1936 and last year it averaged nearly 7,000,000 cars. The annual dollar turn-over in the Used Car business is greater than that of food, clothing or the combined jewelry and furniture business.

A host of comparisons may be made with this recent giant in commercial circles but they would not make it any smaller. The Used Car business is truly a giant.

It has not been appreciated in its true size until recently. When there was much national concern, during the early winter, about the slowing down of the automobile factories with consequent unemployment ripples that swept over most of the business surfaces of the country, mention was made that Used Cars were responsible. There was a jam in the sale of Used Cars, it was said, and that stalled the new car market. The unemployment, from the automobile and supply factories shutting down or curtailing their work, still further jammed the Used Car market.

Many have asked, Are Used Cars that important in our industrial life?

They are. I can answer wholeheartedly. The automobile industry is based upon Used Cars. They are a by-product of the automobile industry. Whereas the new cars are manufactured or fabricated in a plant, the used cars are manufactured by nearly 29 Million motor vehicle owners.

Of the 29 Million owners in this country, it is approximated by the Petroleum Institute that 10,000,000 of those owners have never owned a new car.

That means there is a very large market for Used Cars in this country. It also means that such a large group cannot escape the economic currents that sweep the nation from time to time.

It is the size of the Used Car market, coupled with the extensive ramifications of the customers who compose it into all lines of business, that make it difficult to gauge, or to handle easily.

The brief picture of the Used Car business foundation in this: You trade in your present car to a dealer who allows you so much money value on the new car that you wish to buy. You drive away in the new car and forget the car that was left in trade. The dealer must resell that car you left in trade. It is a Used Car. The dealer has an investment in that Used Car of what dollar value he allowed you for it.

The dealer must sell it for an approximation of that price, plus whatever service and repairs he puts into it for reconditioning.

He often has to take another Used Car in trade to sell the Number 1 Used Car and then must sell the Number 2 Used Car before he can say whether he has made a profit, broken even or lost money on the three transactions that started when you entered his store to buy the new car.

If the dealer gets too many Used Cars on hand, his liquid capital is exhausted and he has to curtail any more selling of new cars that necessitate a Used Car trade-in.

This procedure illustrates that the Used Car business is an industry located in the stores of automobile dealers. There are more than 60,000 dealerships in this country.

It is conservative to make an average allowance of five men to each dealership who make the majority of their wage from the Used Car business—mechanics and salesmen and managers and bookkeepers. These 300,000 people, with the dealers, run the Used Car business of this country.

They have made great strides in the last few years in reconditioning and merchandising Used Cars. The confidence of the buying public has been increased in Used Cars bought from dependable

dealers because of fair treatment and honest value.

These basic things have done more to build the gigantic Used Car business in the last few years than any other factors.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the following positions:

Landscape architect, various grades, \$2,600 to \$3,800 a year, National Park Service, and the National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Medical pathologist (research), \$3,800 a year, and associate medical pathologist (research), \$3,200 a year, National Institute of Health, U. S. Public Health Service.

All States except Colorado, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Utah, Virginia, Washington, and the District of Columbia, have received less than their quota of appointments in the apportioned departmental service at Washington, D. C.

Full information may be obtained from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city which has a post office of the first or second class, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

WORLD'S LONGEST FLOAT WILL BE IN MOTHERS-IN-LAW DAY PARADE, MARCH 9

Privilege of riding on the world's longest float will be accorded 500 mothers-in-law March 9 in Amarillo.

Places aboard the float are free, but cannot be obtained except by advance reservation.

"If you are a mother-in-law and want to pass in review on the world's longest float before Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt please let me know at once and I will send you a reservation card," says Miss Louise Evans, in charge of arrangements for the first chartered club in Amarillo.

Special places have been reserved in the parade for the oldest and youngest mothers-in-law of the Southwest.

Who the oldest and youngest mothers-in-law are will be determined through a survey conducted by newspapers of the Southwest.

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JAMES HAYNES GETS HAND

Canyon, Texas
February 15, 1938
Mr. and Mrs. John H. Haynes
Silverton, Texas

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Haynes:

The quality of work done during the Fall Semester by your son James was of such a high order that he ranked in the upper five percent of the student body and his name has been placed on the Honor Roll. Allow us to congratulate upon this very superior performance.

If at any time we can be of service to you or James, we shall be glad to have you call upon us.

Yours very sincerely
D. A. Shirley

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending February 19, were 17,899 compared with 20,182 cars in the same week last year. Received from connections were 4,450 cars compared with 6,739 in the same week of 1937. Total cars moved were 22,349 compared with 26,921 in the same week of 1937. Santa Fe handled a total of 23,479 cars in the preceding week this year.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS GO IN FOR BOXING

The high school boys have gotten gloves and other equipment and will do a little intensive training for the next few weeks. They hope to schedule some matches with Lockney boxers and other teams in the near future. If possible to stimulate enough interest, an elimination tournament will be held here soon, with the proceeds being used for football sweaters.

MEASLES MAY BE SERIOUS SAYS STATE HEALTH OFFICER

From report reaching the Texas State Department of Health it seems as though measles are quite prevalent throughout the State. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has the following to say in regard to this disease.

"Many people still insist that measles are nothing serious and

that children should get them early and get it over with. However, measles are a very widespread, highly contagious disease and over one hundred children in Texas die in Texas of them each year. Children generally have active disease seven to 14 days after contact with a person ill with measles. Children must be excluded from school for a period of 21 days from onset.

"One never knows at the beginning how serious the attack will be, so a physician should be called when measles is suspected. Most deaths from this disease occur in children under five years of age.

If you have a baby or a very young child your first consideration must be to keep him out of houses where measles exist. Prevent him from playing with children who, you think, may have the disease.

"If your child shows signs of measles, running nose, sneezing, eyes red and watery, put him to

bed at once. While waiting for the doctor see that the child is warm. The room should be ventilated, but glare and draughts prevented. Give him a light diet, milk, soup, and cereal. Keep him in bed until the doctor permits to be up. When recovering from measles he is less able to stand other diseases. The doctor should see the child two or three times in a year following recovery to guard against bad after effects.

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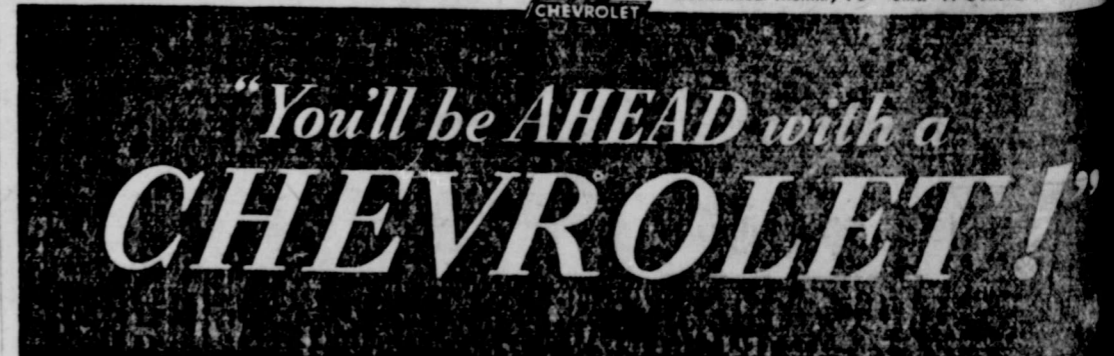
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LOCALS

C. L. Landers made a business trip to South Plains and Plain Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid made a trip to Lubbock Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Albert Reid has been quite busy the past week, but is better at present.

Mr. McMinn visited last Tuesday night with Joy Sealey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burson have moved to their new home north of Silverton. It is one of the attractive farm homes in the country.

IF YOU LIKE home meals, then you will like ours. We want you to try our Silex Coffee Shop.

E. Vickers of Lubbock, purchased a new Chevrolet here last week from Burson Motor Co. It is a deluxe Town Sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bain of Silverton were in town on business Tuesday of this week.

Virgil Garrison of Portales, New Mexico, is here for several days visiting with his, Earshell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher were in town to see the doctor. Mr. Fisher is the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Humphrey. They returned Tuesday and said the child was better.

Time Walling who has been employed at the Bomar Drug Store, returned this week for Alvin at the Ford Motor Co.

Wright B. May, of the San Jacinto neighborhood, purchased a new F-20 McCormick Deering tractor on rubber, and a power plow and planter from Tull Cement Company this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hand Lotion — a special formula for cracked-open hands. After shaving lotion. At the Pharmacy, 25c and 50c.

Dan Dean from Antelope Flat was in town Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sanders and Lauren Conger of Chicago and Aurelia Sanders were guests in the E. W. Schied home in Quitaque Friday night of last week. Table games were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee and Willie Mae Lanham from Roswell, New Mexico were visiting here last week end. Miss Marie Riche returned with them, and will keep house for Mrs. Lee. Mrs. Lee will be remembered here as Miss Ethel Lanham.

Quite a number of ladies enjoyed a quilting in the home of Mrs. Bud McMinn on Tuesday of last week. Two quilts were quilted. A general good time was had.

Those attending were Mesdames Jim Bomar, J. R. Foust, Chas. Garrison, Claud Hay, Hughston Henderson, Eural Vaughan, Elma Sealey, Tressie Bradley, and R. E. Stevens.

Mr. Eural Vaughan has secured a position at Abernathy with the Texaco Oil Station and he and his family have moved there to make their home. Eural has been there for several days, but Mrs. Vaughan moved there last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn moved their furniture last week end. They also went on to Lubbock and visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry McMinn, returning by way of Lockney for a visit there with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinn, their parents.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society held its annual meeting in the home of Mrs. John Thorns on last Monday February 20th. Officers elected for the coming year were as follows: President, Mrs. O. T. Bundy; Vice President, Mrs. John Thorns; Secretary, Mrs. Fred Lemons.

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Infant daughter of O. Morris died in the Lubbock Hospital Sunday night after a lingering illness. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church of Flomot and burial in the cemetery there.

Lewis Graham made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Finley White of Silverton was a local visitor Monday.

Mrs. Bradford of Clarendon is visiting Mrs. Settle this week.

Miss Rose Lee of Lubbock visited with her parents over the week end.

Mrs. Don Hall of Plainview was a Quitaque visitor over the week end.

Quitaque News

Esker Curtis sold out his shoe shop to Ernest Morris this week.

Viola Robbins and Onnie Grundy who are attending school at Wichita Falls, visited relatives over the week end.

M. L. Johnson, father of W. O. Johnson, died in the Plainview Hospital, Sunday. Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon, and burial was in the Silverton Cemetery.

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enormous. Tuberculosis can be arrested if found in its early stages, therefore, the State Department of Health urges that every one not feeling up to par should go to their family physician for a complete physical examination. In this way early beginnings of tuberculosis or other disease may be discovered in their early curable stage.

most as much as the total value of the production of gold, silver, zinc, lead and copper mines in the United States.

Heritage of Names
Most Texans have heard that their own state is named after an Indian word meaning "friends" or "allies," but few may know that twenty-four states in the union have names derived from Indian words. Among those that are particularly colorful are Connecticut, which means "River of Pines"; Mississippi, "fish river"; Oklahoma "red people"; Alabama, "I clear the thicket," and Arizona, "dry belt."

FOR SALE - Brand new Royal Portable Typewriter, 1938 Model. — Briscoe County News

Know Texas

More About Cotton
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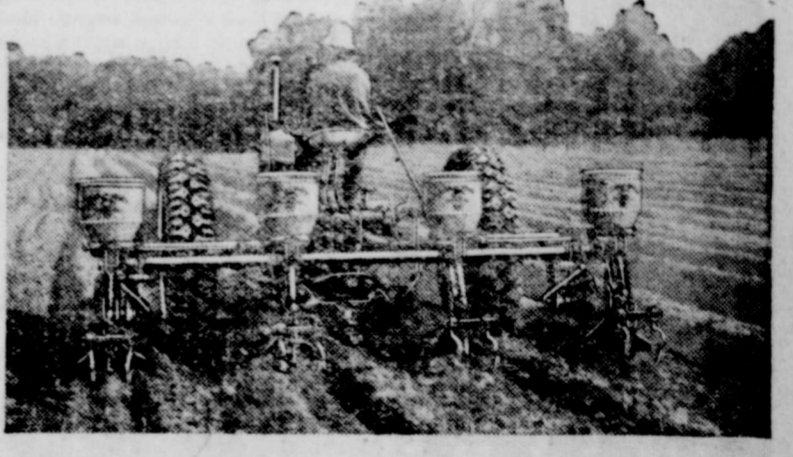
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Send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) for this pattern to The Sewing Circle, Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Ave., New York.

SICK HEADACHE? It may be due to constipation!

Every headache doesn't come from constipation—but many of them do! If your tongue is coated, if you're bilious and upset, if you have that dull, low feeling—how are your bowels?

Thousands get real relief from "constipation-headaches" by taking Ex-Lax, the laxative that tastes like delicious chocolate. Try Ex-Lax yourself the next time you're troubled that way!

For more than 30 years Ex-Lax has been America's favorite family laxative. Now it is Scientifically Improved. It's actually better than ever. Ex-Lax now TASTES BETTER than ever, ACTS BETTER than ever—and is MORE GENTLE than ever.

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LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for March 6

SERVING WITH WHAT WE HAVE

LESSON TEXT—Mark 6:1-13. GOLDEN TEXT—Such as I have give I thee.—Acts 3:6. PRIMARY TOPIC—When Jesus went home to Nazareth. JUNIOR TOPIC—On a Journey for Jesus. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Serving With What We Have. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Serving With What We Have.

One of the difficulties we mortals face in dealing with spiritual things is that we interpret things in the realm of the spirit according to the principles and measurements of the physical world. We are quick to say "We cannot" on the basis of logical human reasoning, when an appreciation of the power of God operative on our behalf would enable us to say "We can," and having left God out of our thinking we find that indeed we cannot.

The lesson before us presents two pictures from our Lord's second visit to His home country, Nazareth. On His first visit they had tried to thrust Him over the precipice, and He in all the glory and poise of the Son of God had walked through their midst and gone His way. Now He comes again with His disciples. We then see how His home folk virtually made the power of the omnipotent God impotent because of their unbelief. On the other hand we see the weakness of men made mighty because of obedience to the command of God.

I. The Paralysis of Unbelief (vv. 1-6). The world, the flesh, and the devil have brought forth a dark list of wicked things, but perhaps the most destructive and distressing of all is the foundation sin of unbelief. When we think back to the underlying reason for any sin or weakness in man it will be found that there is a failure to believe God. Men do not believe what He says about sin and its penalty, nor do they believe Him when He offers them grace and strength for victory.

At Nazareth the unbelief which limited the Son of God revealed itself in two questions—

1. "Whence hath this man these things?" (v. 2). They could not deny His mighty works so they turn their attack on His person. "Is not this the carpenter?" (v. 3). Essentially this was envy, "the difficulty of acknowledging the superiority over themselves of one of their own number" (Morgan).

We are ashamed of the attitude of the men of Nazareth, but we follow in their footsteps. Heavy among the burdens a Christian worker must bear is the unbelief and ridicule of his own people. Because a man has sold us groceries, or painted our house or driven a taxi in our town we cannot see how he could ever be a preacher or a missionary. Well, he can, and it is such folk that God often calls.

2. "What is this wisdom?" (v. 2).

The wisdom of Jesus was the wisdom of God (John 7:16). But how could they know that? How can we know? In John 7:17 Jesus gave the answer: "If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God, or whether I speak of myself." We see then that the reason for their unbelief was really an unwillingness to do the will of God. The controlling motive of their life was wrong. Had they been moved by a desire to do God's will, and a purpose to live in accordance therewith (even though there might have been failure in that earnest effort), they would have known that Jesus had His wisdom from God.

The principle is just as true today; no man will long be in doubt who really wants to do God's will in his life.

II The Power of Divine Commission (vv. 7-13).

Just as unbelief hinders even the Son of God, so faith in God and obedience to His command makes of weak and poorly equipped men the mighty servants of God. In fact, their very dependence on Him for all things sets them free to devote themselves fully to the ministry of preaching and healing.

Note that they went "two by two." We have forgotten that divine plan, and often send men into remote and dangerous pioneer work—alone. Man needs fellowship; he needs counsel and control.

Consider also how they were to learn to trust God for their daily sustenance (vv. 8,9). They suffered no lack (see Luke 22:35). These rules for the life of religious workers were modified later (Luke 22:36), but the principle remains the same—the man or woman who is not ready to depend on God for everything had better not set out to follow Him. It is a blessed and delightful life!

The same is true of the power given the disciples. They ministered in the days of beginning of the Gospel and God gave them special powers which are not needed in our day. But it is still true that the power for service which we so much need today must come from God. All our labors are in vain without His blessing. "Except the Lord build the house they labor in vain that build it" (Ps. 127:1).

Fun for the Whole Family

THE FEATHERHEADS By Osborne



S'MATTER POP—One Point for Old Timer



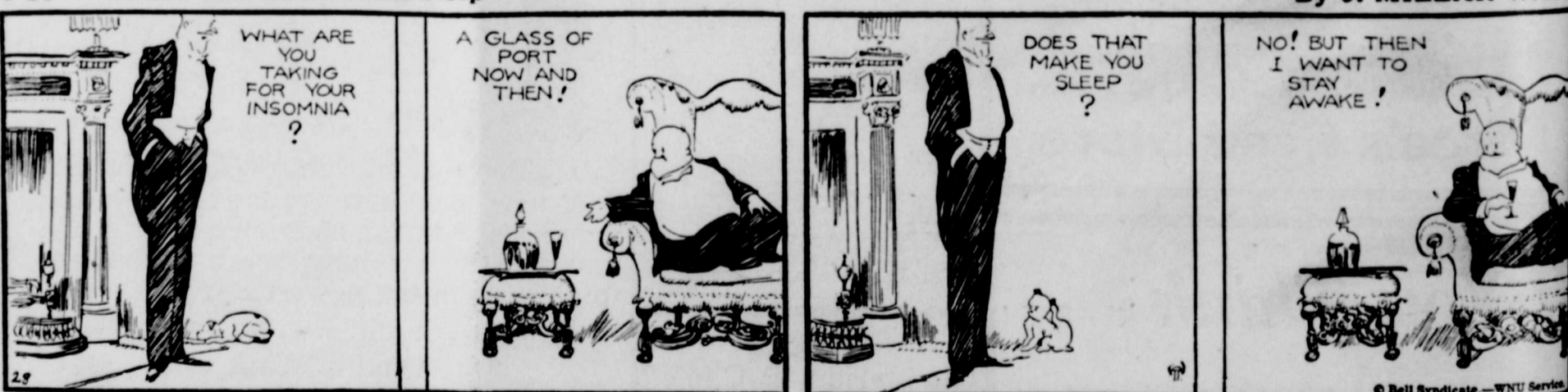
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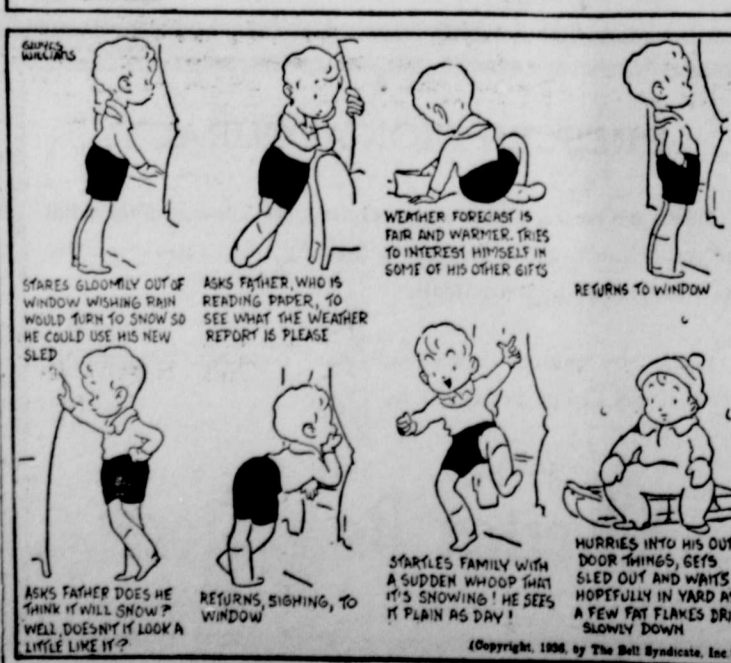
FINNEY OF THE FORCE By Ted O'Loughlin



POP—When a Man Doesn't Miss Sleep



THE NEW SLED By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



MY GOODNESS

Teacher (pointing to a deer at the zoo)—Tommy, what kind of animal is that?

Tommy—Gee, I dunno.

Teacher—Oh, come now. What does your sister call your brother?

Tommy—Gosh! Don't tell me that's a louse!

That Was Why

He—You look like a sensible girl. Let's get married.

She—Nothing doing. I'm just as sensible as I look.—Stray Stories Magazine.

Coin-Cidence

"I'm a coin collector."

"So am I! Let's get together and talk over old times."—Boys' Life.

SHE GAVE UP!

They tell of a shiftless character who piled into bed one night after a con hunt, with all his clothes including boots. After a while his wife shook him. "Get up. You're shoes on."

To which he mumbled, "That's right. They ain't my good ones."

Pepsodent with IRIUM wins over Dull-Looking Teeth

Irium contained in BOTH Pepsodent Tooth Powder and Pepsodent Tooth Paste

What a "kick!"... When your mirror shows you teeth that sparkle and shine with all their glorious natural radiance! How thankful you'll be that you decided to try Pepsodent containing Irium! See how wonderful Irium helps Pepsodent gently brush away dulling, clinging surface-stains from tooth enamel. See your teeth glisten and gleam as they naturally should... And Pepsodent containing Irium WORKS SAFELY! Contains NO BLEACH, NO GRIT, NO FUMICE. Try it today!



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Haylake Happenings

Imagined by Bill Bingham
Haynes McClendon and Shorty Bingham are camped in the wild breaks this week wolf hunting. Don't be surprised when you see them with new fur coats.

The editor tells me that he aims to visit each home in Haylake soon. Get your old hens and cash ready if you want the Briscoe County News with some kind of a magazine.

Mr. A. T. Brooks was in town Tuesday. He made delivery of 100 calves to a buyer from Spearman.

Joe Spencer met Dud Waters in the road at Haylake. He was carrying a lantern. He says to Dud, "What are you doing with that lantern?" Dud said that he was going courting. Jake said, "You don't need a lantern to go courting." Dud said, "You do too."

Look what some of these guys got.

Bill Bingham has bought a red Jersey cow. Mart Self and Jim Brooks have been coming over before daylight and milking her. Their cream check has doubled in the past few days.

Arlon Donnell purchased forty five lambs from D. O. Bomar and Grady Wimberly. He is planning to feed them sixty days before taking them to market.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert London spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bo Shied.

COLLEGE CAMP

Frank R. Phillips, head of the department of agriculture, is outlining activities and plans for The Western Life Boys' Camp, which he will launch next summer.

The camp is located on State Highway 65 in the Santa Fe National Forest area, three miles above the Forest Ranger station in Gallinas Canyon. It is twenty miles northwest of Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Counselors for the camp have not been named, but Mr. Phillips has specified that these men must be college graduates and have done some outstanding work in their chosen field.

Mrs. Frank R. Phillips will be camp mother and dietician.

Carroll Killbrew, former student and art teacher in the Pampa schools and former director of the Palo Duro Art Colony, will conduct art classes for those interested in art. He is also designing the cover for the catalog describing the camp.

Mrs. J. W. Smith of Plainview was here Wednesday visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Kendrick.

While driving, may we be courteous to men, women and children afoot.

NO WAR STOPS THIS AMERICAN BOY!



WAR in China does not prevent this husky American boy from getting his full share of healthful rice, for he is eating American rice grown in our own Southern states. The United States produces all its own rice now, which is good news for housewives planning Lenten menus. Rice has always been a traditional food for this season.

THE COST OF CARELESSNESS

If you're an average American, you've one chance in thirteen of being accidentally injured or killed during 1938!

Basing their statistics on past performance, the National Safety Council this week predicted that over nine million Americans will be temporarily disabled during the coming year by falls, fires, and the fury of auto drivers—that 375,000 more will be doomed to life-long pain by permanent injuries—and that 106,000 will die for their carelessness.

Ten million dead and disabled a year! That toll is greater than the annual casualty list of all nations in the World War. In four years of modern American living, 39 million Americans will meet death or injury through carelessness. That is the cost of peace!

POLITICAL

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Briscoe County News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the July Primary. Every name in this column is a paid political advertisement.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, 120th DISTRICT

A. B. TARWATER
(Re-election)

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

KENNETH BAIN
ALTON B. CHAPMAN
(Re-election)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

WINFRED F. NEWSOME
JOHN A. HAMILTON
(Re-election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE AND EX-OFFICIO SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

W. COFFEE, JR.
(Re-election)

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR, AND COLLECTOR

N. R. (Jake) HONEA
(Re-election)

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

R. E. DOUGLAS
(Re-election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

MISS LIZZIE GREGG
(Re-election)

MRS. AGNES (Donnell) TURNER

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1

C. M. STRICKLAND
R. M. HILL
(Re-election)

J. E. WHEELOCK

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 3

P. D. JASPER
(Re-election)

GRADY WIMBERLY

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 4

J. R. FOUST
(Re-election)

D. T. (Chick) NORTHUTT

SPENDING FOR NEW JOBS

A single steel company spent more than eight million dollars last year in research work to create new products and more employment. Sixty-four buildings housed the laboratory activities of the company and the money spent in research totalled \$8,400,000 during the year.

THE FIRST TIRE

The first pneumatic tire for an automobile was produced in 1896 in a factory employing only a handful of men. Today it is estimated that more than a million persons are employed, either directly or indirectly, producing material for which about 1,225,000,000 pounds or rubber are required annually.

TWELVE YEARS AGO

(Continued from Page 1)

The following second grade pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the first half of the term: Wallace Alexander, Alpha Edwards, Blanton Garrison, Henry Norris, Aline Penn, and Ruth Thomas.

The eighth grade students were entertained at the Home Economics Cottage Saturday night with a tacky party. They played many charming games and listened to the music made by Mrs. Gourley and Miss Marguerite Morgan. Refreshments were served, being sauer kraut and corn bread, with punch and cake to finish off with. (born 12 years too soon.)

Preacher Anxious to return Money

During the slight agitation of the eastern molecules Saturday, due to the gentle zephyrs that were fanning our Plains, Rev. P. B. Hinderlite found a sum of money on the sidewalk in Silverton. Rev. Hinderlite has only recently come from the wilds of Haskell County where they have sand storms which probably accounts for the ease with which he found the money when it had been practically stepped on by scores of other people, without their noticing it. Rev. Hinderlite, being a preacher and having no use for the filthy lucre, is anxious to return the money to its rightful owner and will do so when the said owner correctly describes same.

Let INTERNATIONAL Trucks Solve Your Hauling Problems



Your hauling problems will be solved easily and economically when you invest your transportation dollars in a new International.



Above: International Model D-2 with pick-up body. International Pick-Up Trucks available in three sizes.

The new International is the finest value of the year, up to date in engineering, tested and proved for hard service, and to please every owner. We can supply the right body type for every kind of load. Ask us for a demonstration.

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Did You Ever Think of It??

That a new washing machine costs around \$130.00

That you can do your laundry here for 40c an hour?

That at that rate it will take you over six years to pay for a machine?

Think it over—we'll have some accurate facts on this for you soon—watch our ads.

NEESE'S HELPY-SELF LAUNDRY



CURLEE CLOTHES

Dress Up For Spring...

Now's the time of year when even we mere men like to spruce up a bit. And there's no better way to do it than to put away the winter clothes and step out in a new Curlee Spring Suit.

We are showing you the latest thing in suits, both in styling and materials. The new, smart gabardines are "the thing" this season. They're light and easy to wear—and take a press, and hold it like a Scotchman does a dollar.

The high quality of materials and expert designing of all Curlee Suits insure you of months of extra wear, at no extra cost. Curlee guarantees the high quality of these suits—and we guarantee the fit!

Compare these prices: **\$25.00** (one pant) **\$29.50** (two pant)

Whiteside & Company

"The Store That Strives to Please"

Real Estate Bargains

Briscoe County Land is in demand—and right now I have listed several attractive tracts of land. They can be bought at the right price—and with the right terms. See me at once—

H. C. (Curtis) King
West Side Square

WE DON'T MEET PRICES..... WE MAKE PRICES

Farmers Food Store

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Save more!

Carnation Flour	
48 lb. sack	\$1.75
24 lb. sack	95c
10 lb. sack	55c
Carnation Meal	
20 lb. sack	45c
10 lb. sack	28c
White Swan Corn Flakes	
3 pkgs.	25c
Compound, 8 lb. carton	79c
Cocoa, 2 lbs.	15c
Coffee, White Swan, 3 lbs.	85c
Bananas, per doz.	10c
Crackers, 2 lb. box	15c
Mity-nice Bread, 2 for	15c
Tomatoes, 2 cans	15c

MEATS

Good Sausage, lb.	15c
Good Steak, 2 lbs.	25c

Jeff Gray FRIEND OR FOE?

When a man saves your daughter's life, he's a friend. When he tries to shoot you in the back, he's a foe. Jeff Gray was both, for he rescued beautiful Ruth Chiswick from a drunken cowboy, then drew a bead at her father, Lee. Was the man insane?

You'll follow this mysterious desert rider with intense interest as he joins forces with Sherm Howard, a cattle rustler... as he helps the brigands steal Chiswick cattle... and as he finally shows his true colors during an exciting gun battle that made history in Arizona!

Jeff Gray was not a scoundrel, but you'll learn the truth about him in our exciting new serial story

"TO RIDE THE RIVER WITH"

Buy Want Sell

BULL FOR SERVICE - My registered Jersey bull will be at Buel Hill's stable in the west part of Silverton. Fee: \$1.50 in advance. No cows bred unless tested for contagious abortion.
BILL BINGHAM

NOTICE—All kinds of furniture repairs, saw sharpening, any kind of household repairing.
J. N. MORTON

FOR SALE—'36 long wheelbase Chevrolet truck. In good shape, and good tires. 47-1tc
BURSON MOTOR COMPANY

FOR SALE—Good International tractor on rubber. 47-1tc
BURSON MOTOR COMPANY

SINGER SEWING MACHINES new and used, and service on all makes. We'll save you money on machines and on repair work. Phone, Plainview—610.

We've added a new line of Ladies Ready-to-Wear at our store on 708 Broadway featuring latest styles and rock bottom prices.
G. W. FORD

45-4tc
Plainview, Texas

WANTED—Young ladies with high school education to enter the Plainview Sanitarium Training School for nurses. For information, write or phone Mrs. Rex Riggs, Superintendent, Plainview Sanitarium, Plainview, Texas. 45-2

FOR SALE—Good used reconditioned Farmall on new rubber, with lister-planter and cultivator.
TULL IMPLEMENT CO. Silverton

Cut Feed Costs

BY USING OUR SPECIAL **COW FEED**

We have prepared a special feed for dairy cattle, prepared from a formula given us by Lem Weaver, the agriculture specialist.

By using this formula and mixing our own feed we can save you over 25% over patent feed prices—and its a feed that has been thoroughly tested for results. If you are milking some cows make them show a profit by feeding them a well balanced dairy ration.

A NEW CAR OF COAL ON HAND

"Master of the Plains" Flour will stand every test made by a good cook. Please your wife by taking home a sack.

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