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WHEAT HARVEST DRAWS TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

A wheat harvest estimated to have reaped one and one-half million bushels of wheat in Sherman County will with favorable weather conditions draw to a close this week. Although still hindered by lack of railroad cars for disposal of the wheat, the harvest was completed in perhaps the best organized manner of any which has been conducted on the plains in recent years.

Although much wheat still remains on the ground, most of the crop has been placed in some type of storage facilities.

Combines started operating in widely scattered sections June 7 but harvest as a whole did not commence until about the 15th of the month.

Organized direction of trucks and combines to the sections of the territory in which they were needed is credited with much of the success in which the wheat harvest was conducted.

End Of OPA Makes Little Change In Local Prices

Business men as a whole in Stratford have made little change in their prices as a result of the end of the OPA which expired Sunday at midnight. Although the release of the law has not had time to give local business men an insight to the reaction which will take place in factories they look forward to the release of the OPA administration as the signal for the manufacturers opportunity to resume mass production of merchandise.

They expect a small rise in the cost of merchandise until mass production is reached once more, when prices are expected to decline as competition reduces the price of merchandise produced on a large scale as it has in the past.

There is little objection to a small rise in the cost of materials providing mass production is once again resumed which will benefit the local business man as well as the consumer. Local business men as a whole however, prefer the OPA to a continuous unreasonable rise in the cost of commodities.

As a whole prices in local stores continue as they were under OPA ceiling prices with a few items listed below these prices to entice customers to visit their business establishments.

Miss Dixon Assumes Duties As County Demonstration Agent

Miss Dorothy Dixon, a Lipscomb county girl, arrived Sunday to assume her duties July 1 as Sherman County's home demonstration agent. Miss Dixon recently completed a three-month training course in home demonstration work at College Station. Miss Doris Leggett, District Supervisor, and Sherman County Home Demonstration club ladies will meet with Miss Dixon Friday to make plans for the promotion of the program they hope to advance in the county.

Political Announcements

(Authorized Political Announcements subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary to be held Saturday, July 27, 1946.)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor, and Collector:
JOHN KIDWELL.

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools:
L. P. HUNTER.

For District Attorney, 69th Judicial District:
KING FIKKE,
FLOYD H. RICHARDS.

For County Treasurer:
MRS. GERTRUDE WOODARD.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. LELAH BONEY.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
ROSCOE DYESS.

For County Commissioner; Precinct No. 2:
E. W. CARTER,
SIDNEY H. PARK.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
E. E. HAMILTON.

For State Representative, 124th Legislative District:
WILLIAM J. (BILL) CRAIG.

For District Judge, 69th Judicial District:
HARRY SCHULTZ,
JOHN ALDRIDGE.

Rural Life's Challenge To Religion New Topic

Rural life's challenge to religion will be a feature topic for discussion at the two-day meeting of rural church pastors of all denominations to be held on the Texas A. and M. College campus July 11 and 12, according to Daniel Russell, head of the college's rural sociology department. Almost 400 rural pastors are expected to attend the short course.

"This course is not designed to give the pastors a comprehensive course in agricultural practices but is aimed to give them an insight into the work of their congregations, as well as the agricultural service agencies through which pastors can obtain information they might need to help their people with farm problems," Russell said.

Speakers include A. and M. College President Gibb Gilchrist; Dr. Ide P. Trotter, head of the A. & M. College Extension Service, who will speak on "Soil and Souls," C. E. Bowles secretary, Houston Bank of Cooperatives, will discuss cooperatives; and Episcopal Bishop Clinton S. Quin of Houston, who will preside over the night session July 11.

Other topics which will be discussed with the pastors by members of the Texas A. & M. College staff and by prominent pastors are: soils, crops, meat production, health and recreational phases of farm life marketing farm products, the pastors place in rural life, and rural church architecture.

Rats Transmit Six Diseases

Because of the economic losses they cause to industry and commerce and the annoyance they create in homes, rats have been considered a serious menace to mankind since long before their role as vectors of disease was understood. Today at least six diseases which are transmitted to man from the rat are known to medical science, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state Health Officer. These diseases include the dread plague, typhus, trichinosis, a form of jaundice, tapeworm, and food poisoning. The whole history of the role rats play in the transmission of disease remains as yet unknown.

"It is necessary to public health" Dr. Cox said, that a continuous rat control program be maintained in every urban and rural area throughout Texas. This is of especial importance on farms where rats may flourish by feeding on grain and other farm products."

The doctor pointed out that rats, like other living things, require food and shelter if they are to propagate and increase in number. Destroying their shelter and breeding places includes the employing of ratproof design in buildings, the use of ratproof materials in construction, employing ratproof methods of construction and installation, and providing for periodic inspection of buildings to insure permanent safety. This program will force the rat out into the open where its destruction may be accomplished.

Of equal importance as a control measure is the elimination of all food supplies. This consists of storing all foods in ratproof buildings or in ratproof containers, the proper storage and disposal of garbage and careful feeding of stock to prevent waste feed from being picked up by the rats.

Brown Duster Followed By Rain Sunday

Sherman County witnessed its first duster of the summer which originated from the Northwest Sunday afternoon when dust clouds towering 350 to 500 feet in the air lazily drifted across this section in an easterly direction. Although the winds driving the dust were cyclonic in nature, no damage was reported in this area.

Winds sweeping the ground followed the dust cloud, but later turned to a driving rain.

In contrast to the popular belief at the time that the storm was caused from activity of the atom bomb on Bikini, the weather bureau contributed the cause of the storm to the hot weather Sunday morning. The hot air rose, causing air from cooler climates to rush into this section.

Georgia Governor To Speak Sunday On Baptist Hour

Governor Ellis Arnall of Georgia will be heard on the Baptist Hour network Sunday morning as announced by The Radio Committee. As the first speaker in this new series on the general theme, "Faith Is The Victory," his subject will be, "Christian Patriotism for the New Day."

The Baptist hour may be heard in Texas at 7:30 A. M. over KGNC Amarillo, KPRC, Houston, WFAA, Dallas, and WOAI, San Antonio.

Beaver, Oklahoma will stage a huge Rodeo and celebration July 4.

Training Improves Fireman's Ability To Cope With Flames

Texas citizens take little note of the large-scale operations of the Texas A. & M. College Industrial Extension Service, which makes its itinerant instructors, who move from place to place teaching better methods of doing things, a hard-working but unsung corps.

But last week one of them, Paul Williams, got a bit of satisfaction as he mingled with the usual crowd of speculators viewing a Saturday night fire at Iowa Park. Williams' grin got bigger and bigger as he listened to the crowd comment on the improvement in the technique of firemen combating the flames, for he had been instructing them in new fire-fighting methods for a week.

Veterans Information Center Is Opened In Dallas

A Veterans Information Center has been established at 912½ Main Street, Dallas, where Veterans of both Wars can secure free information and service on the following benefits: Service Connected Pensions, Disability Pay Pension, Free Hospitals, Loans on Homes, Farms or Business; Free schooling, Vocational Rehabilitation, Furlough Pay, Free Burial Expense, Free Tombstone, Free Flag, Farm Training, On the Job Training, Dependent Mothers Pension; Widow and Orphans Pension, Insurance.

Free information will be mailed at once to veterans writing to the information center.

Sunray Farm To Market Paving Contract Awarded

Bell and Braden received the paving contract June 26 for the paving of 6 miles of road in Sherman county from the Simpson corner to the Moore County line, and for 10 miles of paving in Moore County through Sunray south toward Morse.

The paving contracts were let on the farm-to-market paving program.

Younger Set Will Spend 4th At Red River

Misses Lenoir Alexander, Wanda Jean Bryant, June McDaniel, Lovita Cowdrey, Peggy Morse, Mrs. Nelle Alexander, Bob Walters, Aubrey Jones, Melvin Mathews, Corky Mullican, and Jimmie Jackson will spend the 4th at Red River. The group will stop at Raton, New Mexico to swim and then proceed to Red River, returning home Sunday.

E. L. Koontz Builds For New Business

E. L. Koontz is having a 12x24 foot brick and tile building built on Main street just southeast of his ice business. He plans to open the new business with a stock of fruits, vegetables and groceries.

Mrs. M. B. Green Taken To Hereford Nursing Home

Mrs. M. B. Green was taken by ambulance to the Gowin Nursing Home in Hereford Monday where she will remain for a few weeks. Dudley Green, Hereford, and Mrs. N. D. Kelp accompanied their mother on the trip to Hereford.

New Equipment Added At Baptist Church

Last week 100 new metal folding chairs, venetian blinds for two new class rooms and a typewriter for the pastor's study were added to the equipment of the local Baptist church.

DIVIDED FEELINGS

This is the season of the year when the neighborhood filling station operator is a man of mixed emotions. He knows he's going to do a nice piece of business fixing up your car for that vacation trip—even some new tires, maybe, if he can get 'em. But then you'll be gone for a couple of weeks, dad gum it, and his station isn't on wheels.

LEGION BACKS AUGUST 14 AS WAR II ARMISTICE DAY

WASHINGTON, D. C. — World War II hostilities came to an end on August 14, 1945.

The American Legion has a bill in Congress to designate August 14 as the "Armistice Day" of World War II.

The measure is now before the Senate Judiciary Committee. National Legislative Director John Thomas Taylor, of The American Legion, is seeking an early hearing on the bill.

A SILVER LINING

One of the ways to keep silver bright and shiny, so Westinghouse home economists have found, is to line the drawer in which it is kept with dark outing flannel.

GAS SHOWING IN BLANKENSHIP WELL AT 2600

Cities Service Blankenship No. 1, located in the Northwest quarter of section 381, Block 1-T, 11 miles south of Stratford, is drilling with cable tools at 2,600 feet with a gas showing which is steadily increasing in volume.

Farm Labor Office Closed

The Sherman County Farm Labor office at Stratford has closed. J. G. Cummings operated this office during the wheat harvest and has done a very commendable job of handling the custom combines and farm labor personnel. The County Agent's office will continue to assist with the farm labor program.

Farmers needing labor may avail themselves of these services by advising the county agent of their needs. Timely information about labor needs and farm plans is very important in securing farm labor for special jobs, especially in cases of permanent employment.

Farmers desiring to take advantage of these services should list their labor needs in the county agent's office.

Boys Attend Camp At Canon City

Lloyd King, Phillip Bain, Fred Lee Green, Sonny Sloan, and Bill Riffe are attending Camp Holy Cross at Canon City, Colorado.

Abernathy's cooperative hospital will be started within 60 days.

Baptist Church

Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Sermon Subject, "Three Homes."
Training Union 7:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:30 P. M.
Sermon Subject, "I Have Sinned."

Wednesday
W. M. U. will meet at 3:00 at the church for the Royal Service program.

Thursday
The Officers Council of the training union will meet at the church at 8:30 P. M.

Assembly of God Church

Welcome to Assembly of God Church, across street from Court-house.

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evangelistic service Sunday evening 8:00 P. M.
Bible study and Prayer Meeting Thursday 8:00 P. M.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Intermediate MYF 6:00 P. M.
Senior MYF 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Woman's Society of Christian Service each Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.

Choir rehearsal each Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.
Youth play night each Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M.

First Christian Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 P. M.
Evening Services 7:30 P. M.
Choir practice 8:00 P. M. Wednesday.
You are always welcome at any and all these services.
G. M. Eastman, Pastor.



Our Insect Friends and Foes

WAR in the GARDEN

Nature has provided that insects shall constantly war on each other. Aphids are eaten alive by aphid lions. A single larva of a flower fly kills aphids at the rate of one per minute when feeding. At least eight varieties of Lady beetle and their young devour aphids all their living days. Certain kinds of wasps lay their eggs on the bodies of the aphids and when the wasp eggs hatch, the young wasps eat up the aphids. Thus our gardens and other growing plants are protected from almost certain destruction.

Natural protection is not enough for cultivated plants, and man must step into the fray with his black leaf 40 spray to help against the aphid and with lead arsenate and similar poisons to kill worms and chewing insects.

FOOD IS NEEDED

This is a year when every ounce of food crop that can be grown is needed. The whole world is crying for food—a garden is a duty and canning of food-stuffs is a patriotic obligation if the food emergency is to be met.

IN 1946 GARDEN for FOOD

The wide extent of the warfare in the insect world is shown by the case of the cotton plant which is attacked by five major insect pests. These five in turn are subject to attack by 41 different kinds of parasites and 59 insect enemies. Without this aid from nature, cotton growing would be impossible.

Spurlock News

There were 27 attending Sunday School Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Spurlock, Elsie Pearle

and Neal met Leon Bowen of Harlingen, Texas in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Hudson were Sunray visitors Saturday.

Allen Cartrite helped Owen and



We have faith in the future, too—faith in the future of the territory we serve.

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N. W. Hudson during harvest.

Harvest is winding up throughout the community.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. C. W. Dees and Mrs. S. L. Cunningham and Lt. Elmo Cunningham were Dalhart visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelley and Mrs. Lawler were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. O. K. Gamble and daughter, Karon, Clapham, New Mexico, visited Mrs. Osa Gamble Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harding and Mrs. Charles Wisdom were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Wardene and Betty Jo Gunnels, Dumas, spent last week end with their aunt, Mrs. T. D. Chisum.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trainham and son, Destry, went to Slaton to attend the celebration on July 3 and

**NUMBER 724
NOTICE TO DEBTORS
AND CREDITORS**

TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM A. HUBBARD, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed sole and independent Executrix of the Estate of William A. Hubbard, deceased late of Sherman County, Texas, by L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 24th day of June A. D. 1946, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said Estate to present them to her within the time provided by law at her residence in Stratford, Texas where she receives her mail. Dated July 1, A. D. 1946.

JANE POOLE, Executrix of the Estate of William A. Hubbard, Deceased. 39-4tc.

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L. M. Price and Frank Judd were in the Lubbock area on business this week. Dick Diehl was in Amarillo Monday buying cattle.

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Senator Allan Shivers is basing his appeal for promotion to lieutenant governor on service to his state and his country. Dean of the Texas Senate, he is rated one of the ablest and most active members of the legislature and, on his record alone, is entitled to be promoted to the rank of presiding officer of the Senate. He spent two years overseas as a soldier in World War II.

worth, San Diego, California, arrived Wednesday morning for a visit with their cousin, Mrs. Earl Shirk, and Mr. Shirk.

G. L. Taylor and Bill Bagley went to Hugo, Colorado Wednesday morning on business and also plan to attend the July 4th celebration there.

Little Miss Sharon Kay Gibbins is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibbons.

Mrs. G. R. Garrison gave a birthday dinner for her husband, Sunday, and had as guests their daughter, Mrs. Bobby Gillis and Mr. Gillis, Dalhart, their son, W. R. Garrison, wife and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp were in Amarillo Thursday and Friday of last week, where Mrs. Kelp was having dental work done.

Bill Garoutte of Guymon was here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spruell are the parents of a 4 pound 14 ounce son, William Phillip, born at Loretta hospital. Mrs. Spruell was brought home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates left Tuesday night to attend the gift showing at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morourer, Greensburg, Kansas, have written friends here that another branch has been added to their family tree. A baby daughter was born to them on June 21. She weighed 11 and 3-8 pounds and has been named Carolyn Sue. Mr. Morourer was formerly agent for the Rock Island Railroad here.

Miss Jo Wayne Harding returned home Monday from Oklahoma City where she has spent several weeks visiting with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet O'Quin, Peryton, were dinner guests in the T. D. Chisum home.

Mrs. Charles Wisdom and children and her mother, Mrs. Albert Armstrong and daughter were in Dalhart Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Bradshaw, Turkey, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hodges Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl were in Dalhart Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Price and son, William Leslie, were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill King, from New Mexico, visited the W. G. O'Briens Tuesday.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
COUNTY OF SHERMAN:

TO those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of Lieu Zettie Strother, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Lieu Zettie Strother, deceased, late of Sherman County, Texas, by L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 10th day of June A. D. 1946, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to me within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 10th day of June A. D. 1946.

ROY A. STROTHER,
Executor of the Estate of Lieu Zettie Strother, Deceased.

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To The People

of the

69th Judicial District

Should the District Judge be selected by the Governor or elected by the people?

So far in the history of the 69th Judicial District the Judges have been only those who were originally appointed by the Governor to fill a temporary vacancy. These vacancies resulted from the original creation of the district, and the death or resignation of a former judge.

It seems sound reasoning that prompted the framers of our State Constitution to provide by Section 12 of Article 4 that * * * * * Appointments to vacancies in offices elected by the people shall continue until the first general election."

Equal wisdom seems to have prompted the inclusion in Section 27 of Article 5 of our State Constitution the provision that the first general election " * * * * * shall be to fill the unexpired term only."

The good fortune of securing the appointment has always given the incumbent a great advantage over any other aspirants to this office. This has resulted in only those who the Governor appointed to fill out the term of a vacancy having an opportunity of serving in that office.

It is a well known fact that in Texas the public officers are usually selected in the July primaries, and it is at that time that most of the people vote, rather than in the November general election. The former District Judge did not resign until after the primary election in July 1944. In the general election in November 1944 only a small per cent of the voters of the District voted for either of the candidates for District Judge.

When the last appointment of District Judge was made I was serving with the 2d Infantry Division on the Normandy beachhead. Consequently I did not have a chance at the appointment, nor to run for the office in November 1944.

If you believe me to be qualified, or worthy of a chance to show whether I am qualified for that office, I will be grateful for your support and vote to give me a chance to serve you as District Judge. If elected, I will have no commercial or other interests that will conflict with my duties, and I promise to devote my entire time to the prompt dispatch of the business of the office.

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Rev. and Mrs. Rosenberg and relatives in Sanford, Texas this week. Miss Ruby Dell Harding visited week.

Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton leaving the latter part of the week for a visit with relatives in the state of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wington and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brannan are

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Local News
 W. L. Foxworth, Dallas, spent the week end here visiting Miss Josie Foxworth and looking after business interests. W. L. Williams took him to Dalhart Monday evening.
 Mrs. J. G. Cummings was a visitor in Dalhart Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney were visitors in Amarillo Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brannan were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Brannan Sunday.
 Miss Ermalee Bonar left Sunday afternoon by plane for Austin where she will attend summer session of the Texas University.
 Mrs. Ernest Lovelace and Chester Plunk were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gillis, Dalhart, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Garrison Sunday.
 Mrs. C. E. Henderson and Mrs. Wynell Gill spent the week end in Perryton with their husbands who are working there.
 Mrs. R. E. Kessie and Mrs. C. M. Headrick, Amarillo, visited relatives here Sunday.
 Miss Eula Fern Highso, Dalhart, is a guest of Miss Marjorie Boney this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bradley, Hereford, spent the week end here as guests in the homes of their daughters, Mrs. Grady Mullican and Mrs. Otis P. Vickers.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney and Mrs. Denney's mother, Mrs. McIntrie, were guests in the home of Mr. Denney's mother in Springfield, Colorado Sunday.
 J. E. Brannan spent the week end in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brannan.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Allen were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.
 Mr and Mrs. Billy Garrison visited her mother in Dalhart Saturday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson returned this week from a visit with relatives in Camden, Arkansas.
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 A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:
 Action to dissolve marriage bonds between plaintiff and defendant, and for custody of children, based on drunkenness and threats injuring health of plaintiff by defendant, and abandonment of plaintiff by defendant for more than two (2) years, as is more fully shown in Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.
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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brannan are spending the fourth with relatives in Weatherford, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney met their son, Roy, in Amarillo Tuesday night. He will make a short visit in Stratford.

Mrs. W. L. Riddle and daughter, Bena Miami, Texas, were week end guests of her niece, Mrs. Grady Mullican, and Mr. Mullican.

Misses Ermalee and Kathryn Bonar visited with Mrs. Joseph A. Friz and son in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett left Wednesday for Red River, New Mexico on a fishing trip.

Mrs. M. C. Reynolds and grandson, Bob Newkirk, Bakersfield, California, arrived last Saturday night for a visit in the homes of her daughter and son, Mrs. G. C. Dortch and Ted Reynolds.

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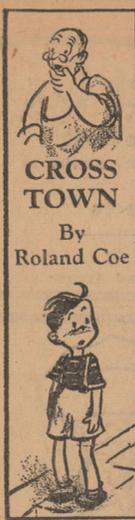
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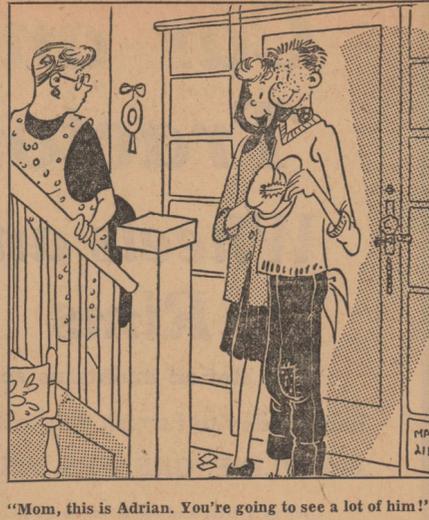
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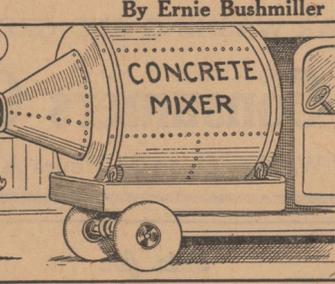


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DO YOU FELLOWS DO INSIDE WORK?



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- What President of the United States was wounded in the Revolutionary war?
- How many dials has Big Ben, the famous clock of London?
- Upon what is the right of an accused person to be confronted by his accusers ultimately based?
- What great newspaper publisher was once a candidate for the presidency of the United States on a major party ticket?
- What is the number of degrees around the equator?
- What fish provides genuine caviar?
- What name is given to a Mexican herdsman?

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COURT FEUDS OLD STORY

WASHINGTON. — Some people seem to be laboring under the impression that wrangles are new in the Supreme court. Actually, wrangling began soon after the court was formed, with the attempted impeachment of Justice Samuel Chase, continued vigorously under John Marshall and has flared-up intermittently ever since.

Latest wrangle, prior to the Jackson blow-up, was between amiable Chief Justice Harlan Fiske Stone and austere Justice Owen J. Roberts. Although Republicans and Hoover appointees, they did not get along well in recent years, and there was one hot, though private argument between them over the question of sitting on a case involving Stone's former law firm.

Before that, however, the most virulent feud on the Supreme court revolved around cranky, crusty Justice James C. McReynolds, the only justice credited with driving an associate of the court. For six years Justice John H. Clarke sat beside him, and for six years McReynolds never spoke. Finally Clarke resigned.

McReynolds also tried to drive the late Justice Louis D. Brandeis off the bench. He would rattle his papers or even leave the bench when Brandeis rendered an opinion. And, when the jurists adjourned for their customary sandwich or soup and crackers at the noon recess, McReynolds turned up his nose at lunching at a table with Brandeis. Instead, he duffed his robe, drove downtown and lunched by himself.

ROW DURING GRANT'S REGIME

Another bitter battle inside the Supreme court took place during the Grant administration over the legal tender act. Justice Robert C. Grier, then senile, was induced by Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase to change his vote, thereby helping to make the legal tender act unconstitutional. This was a great embarrassment to the Republicans, who needed the legal tender act to support their fiscal policies during and after the civil war.

"The chief justice," charged Justice Samuel F. Miller, "resorted to all sorts of stratagems of the lowest trickery."

LINCOLN SPANKED JUSTICE

Another period of near-civil war took place in the court after the last war, when the nine justices were called upon to pass on the espionage cases. The court was so split, that a committee, including Justices Willis Van Devanter and William R. Day called on Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes to ask that he not write one of his usual vigorous dissenting opinions.

"You know what my ideas of the law are, and I will not change them," he replied. And for some months following this, the justices stopped speaking to each other.

Probably the most vitriolic criticism ever leveled against the court by anyone in high places came from Abraham Lincoln, when Chief Justice Roger B. Taney called upon the commanding officer at Fort McHenry in Baltimore to relinquish a prisoner during the Civil war. This the commanding general refused to do.

"The judicial machinery," remarked Lincoln at the time, "seems as if it had been designed not to sustain the government but to embarrass and betray it."

FEUD OVER JUSTICE FIELD

There was also the court feud over Justice Stephen J. Field at the time the Supreme court declared the income tax law unconstitutional in 1895. Field, then nearly 80 years old, led the attack against the income tax. Senile, and frequently asleep in court, a committee of his colleagues suggested his retirement but he only flew into a tantrum. His vote against the income tax made it necessary to pass a constitutional amendment to make the income tax legal.

EVERYBODY GETS HIS

Sen. Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma introduced an amendment to the OPA bill removing price ceilings on timber, petroleum, cotton, milk, livestock, tobacco, poultry, fish, grain, fruits and vegetables.

This caused Connecticut's Sen. Brien McMahon to remark: "You can't beat that one. Elmer's got something in there for every member of the senate."
In this case, though, the amendment was beaten.

HELL-BENT FOR INFLATION

Despite all the confusing furor of the senate OPA debate, two things definitely stand out: (1) when price controls are removed, prices rise; (2) most senators are far more susceptible to the pressure of business lobbies than to the unorganized but overwhelming demand of the American public in favor of price control.

Florida oranges were selling for \$3.85 when price controls were removed. Immediately they jumped to \$4.47, then to \$5.45.



THERE was a pleasant period of existence during which one could turn to the sporting page with the prospect of reading about sports.

"On the sports page," as the late William Lyon Phelps once told me, "you read about competitive achievement—a round of golf in 67, a home run with two on, a three-hit game, a long run, a thrilling horse race, a story to lift you above the humdrum of dull days."

Those features still exist—but lately they have been clogged with strikes, unions at work, Mexican lawsuits, football players being hailed before the courts for contract troubles, lawyers' pleas, judges' decisions. The gaunt shadow of Blackstone has fallen rather drearily across the scene. The courts are becoming enmeshed in football, baseball and racing cases, with lawyers, judges, union leaders and politicians horn-ing in on what once were tests of skill, courage and stamina. It all is part of the badly befogged times.

There isn't any questioning the fact that many things have been out of line. Neither football nor baseball contracts can be held legally valid when the employer can hold a man for life, but also fire him on 10 days' notice. That, of course, is not a contract. It may be a necessary way to handle certain intricate situations, but there is nothing legal about it. Club owners in baseball long before this should have set up a minimum big league wage and also should have made some provisions for division, with the player in question of the price for which the player was sold or traded. Many baseball club owners are extremely liberal, others are not—strictly to the contrary. The ballplayer deserves better protection than he has received in too many cases heretofore.

In professional football we read where most of the clubs in the two leagues sign up from 50 to 60 players apiece—but their league rules say they can keep only 33 of these players. What about the contracts the others have signed—those who will be released on short notice? If a player can be fired on quick notice, why shouldn't he jump on quick notice for better pay?

It is a tough problem, since baseball and football are strictly competitive games wherein certain ball parks, because of their size, such as the Yankee stadium, will draw more paid admissions by mid-June than smaller parks in cities such as St. Louis will draw over the course of the season. It isn't often that a Tom Yawkey comes along who has little interest in the financial side of his team and who is willing to spend millions to get a winner.

What the Future Holds

All this happens during the best season baseball ever has dreamed of in the way of crowds and public interest; and to what looked to be the best season professional football ever has known.

Just how the sports public will react to all these complications still is a guess. It may be that the public has taken such a beating from so many wrecking strikes that it has become numb and no longer feels any pain. Every side has been protected and defended except that of the public, which happens to represent more than 100 million of our population. These 100 million apparently don't count. They are only around to be shoved aside.

Just how the keyed-up fanatics who pay the toll will react to all this outside trouble is anybody's guess. The odds are that most of them won't bother. The public always has been a glutton for a beating, and habit is hard to change.

There are many tangles and tough breaks to beset the athlete. Those drafted or sold to tail-end teams get all the worst of it. A college player can pick his own campus and most of the better high school players like to be enrolled with winning teams. It's better to win than to act as a door mat on an outclassed squad.

It may be that a union could help in professional baseball and football, but it would have been a better way if the leading players had arranged their own organizations to deal with club owners. An outsider stepping into the working clubhouse of a ball club or a football team to harangue the players is something out of line.

It wouldn't have been a bad idea if baseball and football players followed the lead of the golfers, who have had their Professional Golfers' association working ably for some time. This organization has been well directed by Ed Dudley, the president and a capable board of directors and other officials.

The one cheerful note in all this is that a large part of the public is turning more than ever to the playing side rather than toward that of the spectator. This is the healthiest sign we've seen in many years.



Grantland Rice

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for July 7

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THE LAW IN JESUS' DAY

LESSON TEXT—Deuteronomy 6:4-9; Matthew 5:17-19; Mark 10:17-22. MEMORY SELECTION—Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets: I am come not to destroy, but to fulfill.—Matthew 5:17.

Jesus Christ is the believer's final authority. He is both our Saviour and our Lord. He is our teacher, our guide, our pattern in all things. It is therefore of the highest importance that we know his attitude toward the Old Testament laws, and that is just what we are to consider in the lessons of the next three months under the general title, "Jesus Interprets Old Testament Laws."

Our introductory lesson tells us of the origin, interpretation and application of the law, then we go in later lessons to consider the Ten Commandments in the light of the teachings of Jesus.

It is appropriate to point out that, far from being outmoded, the Ten Commandments are really the basis of all moral law. They need a diligent restudy and re-emphasis in our day of disregard of moral standards.

I. The Law—Given by God (Deut. 6:4-9).
Our God is the one true God who is to have the complete and constant devotion of all. The fact that so many men have ignored him explains the awful depth to which the world has fallen.

This one and only true God has given through his servant, Moses, the fundamental moral law for the government of man, and he is to give diligent attention to it at all times.

Religion in the household (v. 7) should include the teaching of the Word, and the easy natural discussion of spiritual things in all the varying circumstances of home life. Blessed are the parents who make it easy for children to talk about the things of God as naturally and unaffectedly as they discuss the other phases of life which interest them.

The law of God should go with his people into their daily occupations (v. 8), not in any formal or stilted way but as the normal expression of their love for him. It should be evident to all who enter the home that the Lord is loved and honored (v. 9).

II. The Law Fulfilled by Jesus (Matt. 5:17-19).

The law of God is eternal, never to be abrogated, never set aside. Christ himself, although we might properly say that he was in reality the lawgiver and thus had power and authority over the law, indicated his purpose in coming to be that of giving the law its full meaning, not of destroying it.
One could wish that those who profess to be his servants might have the same measure of regard for God's law. If they did, they obviously would not be so ready to ignore it, so quick to change it or ready to accept with their Master every "jot and tittle"; that is, even the minutest detail of his Word.

It is a mark of greatness "to do and teach" the law of God (v. 19), and of pathetic smallness to break his commandments and to teach others to disobey God. Some of the supposed great men of this world are mighty small when they are measured by God's yardstick.

The one who recognizes Christ as the fulfillment of the law will go on in consistent living. In his strength and by his grace we are to obey every moral precept.

III. The Law—Applied to Man (Mark 10:17-22).

The moral law, which is God's law, is good and in its keeping man finds guidance for his life. Apart from Christ, however, he finds himself unable to keep the law.

The gospel of the grace of God in Christ Jesus takes us a step beyond the law, and it is a great step for here we meet and follow the one who is greater than the law, the giver of eternal life.

Obedience to the commandments brings a man up to the very entrance upon that life, but to enter in he must have more than the "things" of the law; he must have the person who is "the door" to eternal life.

The young man who came to Christ was rich. His mind was obsessed with things. He had made it his business to observe the law, and had done well (v. 20), but his soul was not satisfied. He thought one more "thing" that he could do would accomplish his purpose.

The general attitude of the man was commendable. He sensed his lack of the vital something which would remake his life. He came to the right one—the Lord Jesus—with his question.

His failure to go beyond the things of the law to a faith in Christ, however, showed that he loved his possessions more than he desired to follow the Lord.

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AROUND THE HOUSE

Use the cuffs from dad's worn-out shirts for making shoulder pads. They're firm and generally give you all the padding you need.
In order to get much Vitamin C, turnips should be eaten raw. Turnip sticks or slivers really are delicious in the relish dish or salad bowl.
A broom that is sprinkled with kerosene occasionally will gather dust more easily.
To give your dinner party an air of the unusual, serve a small scoop of orange sherbet floating in chilled apple juice.
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Put some cologne on cotton and tuck it into your clothing for a delightful scent.

On any small apron sew numerous pockets. Into these slip your toilet articles. Fold the apron and put it in your suitcase. Then when you need a freshening up, toilet articles are where you need them.
In patching underwear, use small cross stitches around the edge of the patch, say the experts. This makes for elasticity.
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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Gunnels, and Louis Gunnels, Amarillo, visited in the T. D. Chisum home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lollis, Texoma, visited their mother, Mrs. J. T. Gibbons, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tillery were business visitors in Dalhart

Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kendrick were in Seminole on business Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vincent, Gruber, were guests Sunday in the W. G. O'Brien home.

Mrs. Ralph Keener gave a birthday party June 28 in honor of her

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son, Sherrydon, on his ninth birthday. A lovely time was enjoyed by six small children.

Miss La June Miller, San Angelo, Texas, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyon. Miss Miller is in nurses training and is on her vacation.

Mrs. C. R. Foster, Miss Peggy Foster, Miss Ineva Headrick, Ama-

rillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dietrich left Sunday morning for a visit with relatives in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

What this country needs "less of" versus "more of," is a subject for research. Up to now we been going in for "more of" - we been getting more and more promises - and less margarine. That sorta sums it up. Any program chairman at the book review and lunch club, if she is up against the problem of a subject, having run out of psychologists or geniuses with a flare for making simple things complicated, they are free to use my suggestion, and delve into the "less of" versus "more of" subject. "More of" lots of things is good. Take leisure, that is good, but you get it down to where you work only 35 hours a week, there are 133 hours left over, 56 hours for sleep and 77 hours for deviltment. And if you choose to skimp a bit on sleep, you can cut it down to 6 hours a day and can have 91 hours for frolic.

But on the other side of the argument on what we have "less of and could use more," look at mama's girdle, and no rubber in same. The government can take over a railroad, or a coal mine, or a power house, and get by with it, but when it fumbles with mama's regalia, it is on thin ice. Well, says Henry, both sides of "less of versus more of" can agree on one thing, we got plenty of confusion.

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