

FROM THE FIELD

By W. M. FREE

One of the most interesting trips we have ever made was with County Agent W. P. Trice to the Simpson Ranch west of Rule across the Brazos. Mr. Trice told us that the grasshoppers were laid over there and wanted us to go with him and look over the situation. Not that we are grasshopper experts but as our readers know, what we see we tell them, which we trust makes interesting reading for some of our subscribers.

Trice told us that the hoppers were bad but he did not say how bad and we doubt if he could have found words to have painted a picture on the canvass of our mind that we could have realized the truthfulness of his statement. To make a long story short there were more hoppers in the cotton fields we visited on this ranch than we ever saw at one time before.

In all our born days, despite the fact that Simpson Bros. had put out Arsenic poison which had slain them by the thousands and they were running in the fields what Mr. Trice called "A Hopper Dozer" a thing pulled by six mules and horses with extending wings and an oil vat in which the hoppers were forced to fall in trying to make their escape and later taken out with a wire screen. Bushels of them were caught in this manner and still they are there by the millions. But they will never destroy that crop of cotton with such vigilant steps to fight them, Trice helped Mr. Simpson mix some poison bran mash on a previous trip which they put out, and all over the ground in the cotton fields the hoppers were lying dead in multiplied numbers but when we went to the border of the pasture we found them dead in great piles which no man could enumerate.

In addition to all of this they were burning hedges and fence rows with coal oil fires. They are going to win for no such effort is ever lost. P. P. Simpson told Mr. Trice that the poison bran according to the given formula kills the hoppers and he is going to give them another dose and keep the hopper dozer going until the battle is won. The only mistake made they did not begin to poison early enough to catch the hoppers around their nests. But we learn that they had never been infested with hoppers before and were taken unawares.

HABIT CLINICS FOR CHILDREN A SUCCESS

Department of Labor Reports Favorable Results in Treatment of Abnormal Cases.

Washington. — "Habit clinics" for young children, the latest development in the child hygiene field, are described in a report just issued by the children's bureau of the Department of Labor.

The habit clinic treats children displaying temper tantrums or other bad habits as "patients" and diagnoses and treats the bad habit on a scientific basis. By eliminating the cause of the bad habit the clinic helps the child to make a normal adjustment to his surroundings and develop into a well-rounded personality.

Dr. D. A. Thom, Boston, director of the habit clinics of the Community Health association of that city, is the author of the report issued by the children's bureau. He states that the first habit clinic, organized in 1921, was so successful there now are eight clinics, three under the association and five under the division of mental hygiene of the Massachusetts department of mental diseases. Doctor Thom also is director of this division.

Habits most frequently treated by the clinics relate to feeding problems, temper tantrums, pugnacity and shyness, problems relating to sex life, enuresis, destructiveness, delinquency and acute personality changes.

Children who just "won't eat" the wholesome food they need; children who respond to every attempt at discipline with a screaming, kicking attack of temper; children who are either too shy or too "bossy" to mingle happily with schoolmates and playmates, or even brothers and sisters; children who, without apparent reason, begin to lie or steal, and many others, come or are brought to the clinics to get their difficulties straightened out.

Prior to Doctor Thom's report this year, 180 cases were registered at the clinics, 180 of which were studied thoroughly. In only 19 cases, Doctor Thom reports, were results discouraging and no evidence of improvement shown. Of these discouraging cases, 12 came from families which gave no cooperation. Only seven children whose families cooperated failed to improve.

Lincoln, Famous Spy, Turns Up as Fascist



Ignatius T. Trebitch-Lincoln, probably the most amazing international character brought to public attention during the war and after, has again appeared, this time in connection with the Italian imbroglio surrounding the murder of Giacomo Matteotti. Dispatches from the Italian capital tell of the identification of "Otto Chirzel," one of those under arrest for the slaying, as Lincoln, Hungarian Jew and Anglican curate, British M. P. and German spy, and likewise one-time tenant of the Raymond street jail in Brooklyn. Lincoln's career takes in episodes from all over the world. It is said he once wrote letters which caused distraction among the police heads of Brooklyn's force.

Thirtieth Infantry Ranks High in Marksmanship

San Francisco, Cal.—The Thirtieth infantry, stationed here, is establishing the reputation of being the best regiment of marksmen in the army. It is said at Western division headquarters. Recently 40 men of the regiment went to the rifle range at Fort Barry with automatic rifles. The qualification of "expert rifleman," the highest grade awarded for marksmanship, was given to 44 and the other two won the rank of "sharpshooter," the next highest grade.

The automatic rifle, a light, air-cooled machine gun, is carried and fired like an ordinary rifle and requires expert handling.

Out of 90 automatic gunners of the regiment 85 have qualified as expert riflemen this year and the other 5 rank as sharpshooters.

A \$10,000 Soupbone

Muskegon, Mich.—A \$10,000 soupbone threatened to be an issue in circuit court here. Mrs. Mary Kurzdell, through her attorneys, has filed suit for that amount against the city of Muskegon Heights, alleging that the officers arrested her and took a package containing the soupbone from her, believing it to be liquor and that she was released when the officers discovered their mistake.

POST

As we failed to kick in last week we will try and tell about how the people are spending their time in our community.

It seems like everybody in Haskell county went to Leaders today, judging from the cars that were on the road.

Rev. Lowrance, our county missionary, is holding a revival at McConnell with very good attendance considering the number of folks that are going to the encampment.

The summer school at Post closed Friday.

Post school called in the S. S. and B. Y. P. U. for the day Sunday, allowing the people to attend elsewhere for the day.

The revival at the Post Baptist Church begins next Sunday, the pastor doing the preaching and Bro. Brandon leading the singing. Everybody has a special invitation to come and worship with us.

The members of the church have just installed a piano.

Lawrence Livengood and family of San Antonio have been visiting in the home of his uncle, R. L. Livengood. They have not seen each other for 40 years.

W. D. Ake and wife and J. E. Jackson and two sons of Abilene spent the night on their return trip from Boulder, Colo., and other points with R. L. Livengood last week.

Mr. Lewis Caton of Snyder, father of Mrs. R. L. Livengood, and Carl Perryman visited Mr. Livengood and family and attended the encampment.

D. Livengood and family and Papa Livengood and family are visiting their sister, Alty Gibson in East Texas.

We are still dry here but crops are holding up well.

DOUGLAS

After a weeks vacation on account of the rush of threshing I will come now with the news for both weeks.

The wheat is all better than it has been for several years.

Alyne and Kernet Howard spent last week with their brother Fred of Roberts.

Lloyd Brannon and Miss Willie Bell Gay of Rose surprised their many friends on Saturday July 12th, by driving to Rev. C. Jones tin shop and were married. We all wish them much joy in life.

A bunch of young folks attended the ice cream supper Saturday night at the home of Mr. Clarence Massey at Roberts. All report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brannon spent Sunday afternoon with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stanford of Roberts.

Several people from this place attended the singing at Wemert Sunday.

On account of the rain the people made their usual visit to town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNeill of Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Harold McNeill and Raul Howard visited the Roberts Sunday School Sunday.

TO THE VOTERS OF JUSTICE PRECINCT NO. 1.

Thanking you for the splendid vote you gave me in the last election, and this being my first term, I ask you to again return me. I have given you my best, and will again if elected. I will try to help enforce the law, without fear or favor. You are the judges. Again asking you for your support, I am, respectfully,

S. A. HUGHES,
Candidate for Justice Peace, Prec. 1
(Political Advertisement)

Mrs. Darr and Mrs. Peebles and baby of Fort Worth are visiting Mrs. F. M. Morton. Mrs. Darr is a sister of Mr. Morton, and her daughter, Mrs. Peebles, is his niece.

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JUDGE WALTER S. POPE'S STATEMENT TO THE VOTERS

Judge Bryant has published in various newspapers, articles at different times and by speeches in the District a rehash of different alleged unwarranted conversations between him and myself to the effect that I had broken faith with him and Bryant seeks thereby to show that I am an untruthful man.

I deny that I have either broken faith with Bryant or that I am an untruthful man. My answer to these

and all other assaults on my personal integrity and professional ability is seventeen years of continuous clean, truthful and upright living and successful practice of my law profession in this Judicial District.

Bryant's 12 to 15 years of office holding at Austin and elsewhere seem to have formed in him the habit of political medicine making, the effect of which on the patient if taken, causes him to forget the main issues in the race. I refuse to take this political medicine and warn the voters against it by calling attention to the

following true issues.

Issue No. 1 is, shall the people, who live in the district and pay the taxes or shall the Governor say who shall be the district Judge? When the Governor appointed Bruce W. Bryant to be Judge until the November election I was an applicant with a splendid endorsement of the majority of the lawyers and many of the leading citizens of the district. Two other honorable men and lawyers, who like myself had resided continuously in the district for many years next before the appointment, were also well indorsed,

yet, the Governor ignored the wishes of all three of us, your neighbors, and appointed Judge Bryant, an actual non-resident of the district for about seven years, thereby ignoring the wishes of the people of the district. At the primary the voter will say whether the Governor shall rule the district by voting for the Governor's appointee, Judge Bryant, or whether the people shall rule the district by voting for me. Judge Bryant by applying for and accepting the appointment has put this issue in the race.

Issue No. 2 is, Clean Politics versus mud-slinging and dirty politics. When I announced for District Judge, I announced on my own merits without mentioning the name of Judge Bryant. Judge Bryant with no claim on the right of the people except by force of Neff's appointment, undertook immediately to humiliate and slander me by publishing in all the papers of the district, articles assailing my moral character by saying that I had broken faith, with him and leaving the inference that I was an untruthful man, probably hoping to make the voters believe that I am unworthy of their votes.

The intelligent voters will brand all assaults made by one candidate on the good name and personal and professional ability and intelligence of his opposing candidate as mere political bunk.

Bryant complains that at the time I entered the race that I did not say to him that he was failing to make good as a Judge. At that time I had never been in his court. But since he has raised the question the voters will do well before voting for Bryant to investigate the record he made in the three courts he held before I announced for office against him.

Bryant in commenting on the disadvantages he has in holding court since my announcement, fails to tell you that during many days he was away from court, quite equally as much as I was, electioneering at Anson, Stamford, Hamlin, Haskell, Roby, Hawley, and Leanders, making picnic speeches and etc. That beginning with July the 5th with the exception of a few hours work on the following Wednesday and Saturday he has a paid vacation extending to the later part later part of September during which time he draws his full salary of about \$10.00 a day including Sundays.

During Bryant's continuous 7 years absence from the district, he has acquired and has brought back to the district with his judgeship appointment the strange idea that I, who had applied for this judgeship and had failed to receive same, did not at any time thereafter have the right to ask the people for said judgeship.

If in asking for the people's support I have occasioned any inconvenience to the personal interest of Bryant, I believe I have done so respecting the dignity, interest and wishes of the

people, who want a sane, firm, efficient, economical and law enforcing judge to preside over their court.

I have never before been a candidate for office, but I have run a clean race and ask for justice by receiving your support.

WALTER S. POPE
(Political Advertisement)

Clarence Perrin, who has been away from home some time, is back.

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County of Haskell,

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Haskell County, of the 14 day of July 1924, by Emory Menefee, Clerk of said County Court for the sum of Three Hundred Eighty Eight and 65/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. U. Fields in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1252 and styled J. U. Fields vs. R. M. Hays placed in my hands for service, I, W. C. Allen as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 14th day of July, 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

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the W R line of subdivision 2, 3 and 4 of said A Richie survey 1851.9 vrs; for the S W corner of this tract; Thence E 240.6 vrs to the Wichita Valley Railroad right of way; Thence N 10 degrees 45 minutes E along the right of way 2167.0 vrs to the N E corner of this tract; Thence W 537.2 vrs to the place of beginning and containing 200 acres more or less.

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