

## YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN COMMIT MOST CRIMES

Austin, Aug. 2.—The greatest single age-group in the Texas crime world is made up of young people under 25 years of age, state police noted today from a six month survey based on fingerprint cards received by the division of identification and records.

Of 16,979 persons charged with various offenses ranging from murder to vagrancy, 38.6 per cent of the male offenders were under 25 years of age and 48.2 per cent of the female offenders were under that age.

Because it is the policy of some agencies not to fingerprint juveniles, the percentage of youthful offenders was understated, state police pointed out, but nevertheless more than 17 per cent of the boys and 18 per cent of the girls were under 20.

Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., state police director, pointed to the fact that the percentage of young offenders is virtually "fixed"—that is, it does not vary impressively from one month to another.

"It's illuminating, though scarcely reassuring, to follow the progress in crime of these age groups. The youngsters under 20 are most likely to steal automobiles. Those under 25 are still mostly engrossed with crimes against property, but by the time they are edging toward 30 they are being arrested for such crimes against person as murder, rape, robbery and aggravated assault."

Car theft, the survey shows, claims its greatest number of offenders—40.1 per cent—in youths under 20. Slightly more than 25 per cent of car thieves are between the ages of 20 and 24, and thereafter the percentage drops as age increases until it dwindles off almost entirely past middle age.

Burglary shows the same trend, although not so decidedly. Percentages for this offense range from 39 per cent for boys under 20 to 24.2 per cent for young men between 20 and 24 and then downward as age increases.

Although more than 22 per cent of the offenders arrested for robbery are youngsters under 20, the percentage grows to more than 25 per cent for the next age group of 20 to 24, is still at more than 20 per cent for young men between 25 and 29, and declines only to 14.3 per cent for men between 30 and 34. In other words, it becomes a sustained career, Col. Garrison observed.

Murder grows in percentage from slightly more than 5 per cent for the youngsters and 9.6 per cent for youths between 20 and 24 years to 23.5 per cent for men between 25 and 29 years of age, 20.6 per cent for those in their early 30's, and 14.7 per cent for men between 35 and 39.

Both drunkenness and driving while intoxicated are offenses with high percentages in age groups between 25 and 40.

Among female offenders, prostitution claims more than 18 per cent under 20 years, 43 per cent between 20 and 24 years, 17 per cent between 25 and 29 and 13 per cent between 30 and 34 years. The largest percentage of women forgers are those between 25 and 30 years old, and the largest percentage of petty thieves are women in the same age group.

### VISIT IN ALABAMA

Walter Hyde and son, Spurgeon, and daughter, Faye, left Monday for Alabama to visit his mother, whom he has not visited in several years. He will be gone about fifteen days during his absence his son Joe will carry the mail on Route 66.

### REED FAMILY VISIT IN WASHINGTON

Following is a letter received by the Herald from S. N. Reed, manager of the O'Brien Co-Op Gin, who with his family left last month on their vacation.

Washington, D. C.  
July 28, 1939

Knox County Herald

Dear Mr. Garner:

We left Atlanta, Ga., July 25 and arrived in Washington July 27. We had a very beautiful drive through Georgia, Virginia, and the Carolinas. One thing that attracted our attention on the trip were the manufacturing centers in the Carolinas. I think Texas is asleep in this respect.

We took lunch in Fredericksburg, Va., and I had the opportunity of visiting the lodge where Washington was made a Mason. We visited awhile in Alexandria, Va., and after arriving in Washington we have been very busy going places. We visited the Washington Monument, going to the top. From there we went to Arlington Cemetery, then to Mount Vernon and through Washington's old home. We saw the room in which Washington died.

Today we visited both the House and Senate, met both George Mahan and Marvin Jones. This afternoon we attended a ball game between Cleveland and Washington and saw Bob Feller pitch. My friend Sam West won the game for Washington by making a three-base hit with two on. The score was 2 and 0.

Then we visited the printing and engraving department where money and stamps are printed. They print sixteen million dollars a day and are running day and night.

We plan to visit the Bureau of Investigation and a few other places before we leave Monday for New York by way of Baltimore and Philadelphia. We have enjoyed Washington very much.

Hoping Texas gets rain, best wishes.

S. N. Reed and family.

### VACANCIES IN U. S. MARINE CORPS

Twenty-five vacancies for service in the United States Marine Corps are to be filled during August at the Marine Corps Recruiting Station in Dallas, Postmaster J. A. Wilson said today according to information received from Captain J. D. O'Leary, Officer in Charge.

Applicants filling these vacancies will be selected from young men residing in Texas and Oklahoma of which the Dallas office is headquarters. Young men between the ages of 18 and 25, of good moral character and who have had high school training are eligible to make application. The Postmaster stated. Application blanks and other literature may be obtained at the Post Office or by writing to the U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Dallas, he said.

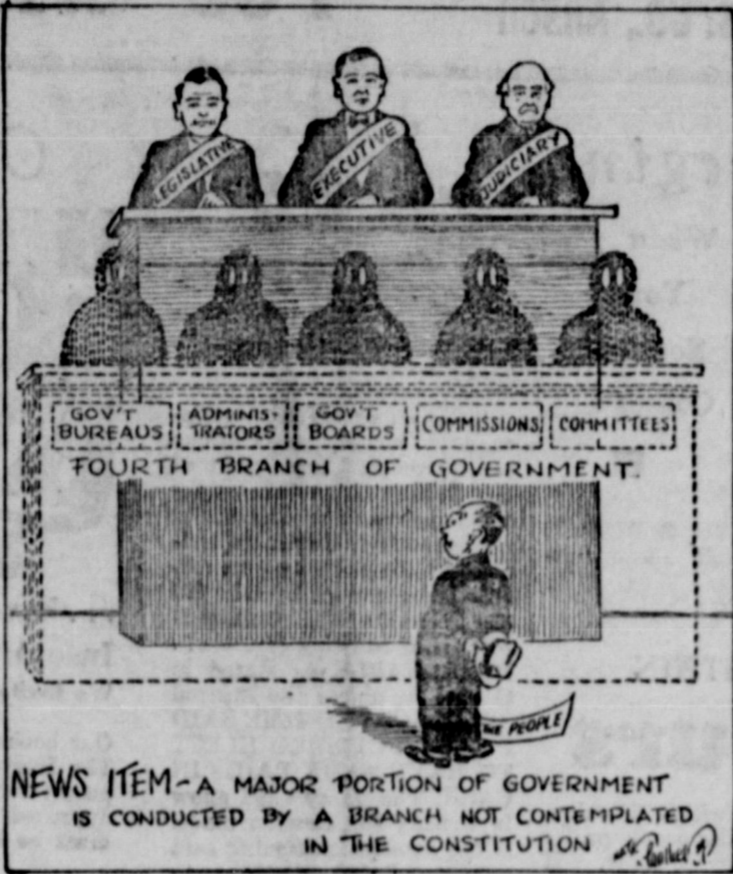
### VISIT IN MIDLOTHIAN

J. H. McGee and wife and daughter, Ruth, M. J. Hollough and little Miss Ruth visited relatives and friends in Midlothian last week. They report cotton and corn doing well. In fact, corn is already made, and as proof they brought back a number of ears which are on display at the Knox City Hardware Store.

Raymond Black of Truscott visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Cash this week.

Mrs. H. M. Thompson spent several days with her sister in Rice last week.

## THE INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT



## GOV. O'DANIEL HINTS AT RAIDS ON GAMBLERS

Austin, July 31.—Governor O'Daniel's next step to stamp out liquor and gaming law violations was hinted with interest today after a Sunday radio broadcast on law enforcement.

Hearers wondered if he will send State Rangers into cities on anti-liquor drives as Gov. Pat Neff did, or renew Gov. James V. Allred's ax-raids on gaming places.

He stressed the duty of local officers and said: "If the sheriff of any Texas county, the mayor and responsible officers of any city in Texas, tells me a condition of lawlessness has grown up in that city or county, I promise you now that the power of the state government will be immediately brought into play to see that law enforcement prevails."

"It shall never be my purpose as governor of this state to supplant local agencies that are charged with the enforcement of the law unless local law enforcing officials fail to do their duty."

"It is the responsibility of the state to supplement the work of local agencies and not to take the place of those local agencies. If we are to have law enforcement in this state, it must come from a better cooperation and a better co-ordination of the efforts of state and local public officials."

The governor also renewed his previous statement that interests favoring gambling seek a special tax session and said: "I yield to no man in my advocacy of adequately financing social security. But I believe the price of financing social security is too high when the price paid must be the licensing of pool-halls, slot machines, race-horse gambling and the re-establishment of the open saloon."

### GIRLS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Beginning Monday, August 7 and continuing through Friday, August 11, the Girls Tennis Tournament, both singles and doubles, will be played at the city park here. All those who wish to enter please see Mayme Shaver.

The fee for entering is 25c and each player must furnish her own balls.

Travis Thompson and Silva Favors were Sunday visitors to Stamford.

Mrs. Curtis Coates of Munday was a visitor to Knox City Monday.

### BENTON—WETZEL

Miss Pauline Benton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Benton, and Mr. Jack Wetzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wetzel of Fort Worth, were married at noon yesterday at the First Methodist Church here.

Miss Ellena Fayne White of this city and Miss Marjory Wetzel of Fort Worth, sister of the bridegroom, were attendants. Mr. Bill Moody of Fort Worth was best man and Messrs. Jack Benton and John Elbert Smith of Knox City were ushers.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Allen A. Peacock, local pastor. Mrs. Jack Wilson sang "I Love You Truly" and Mrs. E. O. Warren accompanied at the piano.

Mrs. Wetzel attended McMurray College in Abilene and was graduated from North Texas State Teachers College in Denton. The bridegroom attended Weatherford Junior College and received a degree from Texas Christian University.

The couple will take a trip to Monterrey, Mexico, after which they will make their home in Knox City.

### KNOX COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week are:

Mrs. H. E. Moore, Munday; Mrs. Guy Parks, Munday; W. W. Reeves, McCombs; J. G. Webb, Rule; Mrs. Carl Bullard, Rochester; Baby Charles Allen Sokora, Munday; Bob Roberts, Munday; Mrs. I. L. Smith, Rule; Mrs. O. A. Green, Knox City; Robert Adkins, Rochester; Mrs. W. W. Flournoy, Rochester; Master A. V. Jones, Rochester; Mrs. L. N. Bridges, Knox City; Fommie Greer, Rochester.

Patients dismissed from the hospital since last week:

Mrs. L. A. Haynie, Truscott; Mrs. J. F. Waldron, Benjamin; Bill King, Munday; Mrs. W. J. Weaver, Rule.

Deaths: Mrs. Dora Pettes, Knox City, July 29.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Frizzell, Jr., and Judge and Mrs. Clyde Grissom of Eastland are spending their vacation in the mountains of New Mexico.

Shorty Youngblood and Trav Thompson were in Fort Worth Tuesday with a truck load of cattle.

## ED GOSSETT ATTACKS "MACHINE TRUSTS"

### HENRY WHITE WINS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The city tennis tournament mens singles were played Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Henry White came out winner by defeating Chad Wilson in the finals. There were some very interesting matches and a nice crowd witnessed the semi-finals and the finals. Good sportsmanship prevailed throughout the contest and several matches were very close. The coincidence of the outcome was Henry White and Chad Wilson meeting in the finals, as they teamed together and were winners of the doubles tournament two weeks ago.

Following are the scores of the singles tournament:

Top bracket:  
Henry White drew a bye.  
Melvin Dutton defeated Geo. Wall, 6-0, 6-0.

Jack Benton defeated Jeff Graham, 2-6, 6-1, 6-2.  
Jack Wilson defeated Dickie Mullins, 6-0, 6-0.

Bottom bracket:  
Chad Wilson defeated Jack Herring, 6-4, 6-4.  
Lee Smith defeated Robert Travis, 6-1, 6-2.

Johnnie Wyatt beat Francis Swift, 1-3, 6-4, 6-1.  
Johnnie Thomasson defeated Roy Lee Mills, 7-5, 6-2.

Second flight:  
Henry White defeated Melvin Dutton, 6-1, 6-1.  
Jack Wilson defeated Jack Benton, 0-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Chad Wilson defeated Lee Smith, 6-1, 6-4.  
Johnnie Thomasson defeated Johnnie Wyatt, 7-5, 6-1.

Semi-finals:  
Henry White defeated Jack Wilson, 10-8, 6-0.  
Chad Wilson beat Johnnie Thomasson, 9-11, 6-3, 7-5.

Finals:  
Henry White defeated Chad Wilson, 6-3, 9-7, 6-2.

### METHODIST YOUNG FOLKS TO MEET HERE

The young people of the Stamford District will meet at the Methodist church at Knox City Thursday and Friday of this week.

The young people will register from five to six o'clock, then the group will go to the city park for a picnic supper. At 8:30 they will meet at the church for a sing-song led by Rev. Allen A. Peacock.

We are expecting more than a hundred young people and a number of pastors to be present during this district meeting. The following speakers will be presented during the meeting: Rev. Kitchens of Dickens, Rev. Cockrell of Westover, and Rev. Doyle Reagle.

Rev. Kitchens will deliver the address on Thursday evening and Rev. Reagle will preach Friday morning at the closing hour.

We want as many Knox City people to be present as possible. This is called a young people's meeting. Do you consider yourself old? Come and be with us during this meeting.  
—Rev. Allen A. Peacock.

### MRS. DORA PETTES

Mrs. Dora Pettes died in the Knox County Hospital Friday night after an illness extending over a period of several weeks.

She had been a resident of Knox City for two or three years, moving here from Truscott. The Warren Funeral Home had charge of the body and it was carried to Truscott Sunday afternoon for burial. Services were conducted by Rev. C. E. Cogswell, pastor of the Knox City Christian church. She is survived by three sons and two daughters, all of whom were present at the funeral.

Washington, July 28.—Representative Ed Gossett was on record Friday as urging the "destruction of the farm machinery trust."

In a speech on the floor of the house Thursday, Gossett asked congress to pass new legislation "to destroy this trust and monopoly that has for years preyed upon the farmers of this country."

Referring to a federal trade commission report on the farm machinery manufacturers, Gossett declared, "In the light of testimony, they stand convicted of maintaining a monopoly by which the farmers of this country are charged exorbitant



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prices for the machinery they are compelled to buy."

He told the house that prices of farm machinery have been going up since 1916 while the prices of farm commodities have fallen off.

"We have witnessed in the economic life of this country a startling situation," Gossett declared. "While prices of our farm commodities have gone down, the prices of farm tools have gone up. While the prices of many other commodities, such as automobiles, have gone down, the prices of farm machinery have gone up."

He told the house that the "family sized farmer can no longer buy machinery necessary to run his farm. If present trends continue, family sized farmers, if they continue to exist, will be forced to the undemocratic, dangerous necessity of pooling their resources to buy community machinery."

According to the FTC report, he said, "some five machinery companies, among which there unquestionably is a trust combination, probably do better than 90 per cent of the farm machinery business in this country."

"The courts have been unable to break up the farm machinery trust," Gossett said, and urged the enactment of new legislation to handle it.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jamison returned this week from Boulder, Colo., where they spent their vacation. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Jamison and Miss Yvonne remained for the rest of the month, Miss Yvonne is attending the State University there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith spent the week end in Reodosa, N. M., with their daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Davis.

Elder Bell, a teacher in the Abilene Christian College, will occupy the pulpit at the Church of Christ both morning and evening Sunday, August 6. After that date the regular pastor, Austin Varner, will be there.

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"Policies or certificates issued by burial associations shall provide for payment of the benefit in certain stipulated merchandise and burial service, which shall be scheduled in the policy or certificate and approved by BOARD OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS as being of . . . REASONABLE as stated in the policy, unless the Insured SHALL AT THE TIME SAID POLICY IS ISSUED ELECT TO HAVE SAME PAID IN CASH. The policy shall show in writing the election made. If the association issuing said policy shall fail or refuse to furnish the merchandise and services provided for in the policy, same shall be paid IN CASH."

You MAY DEMAND Payment in CASH, if you have it so stated in application. The above law protects you, if you wish to avail yourself of its provisions, which will protect you later, if such should be desired.

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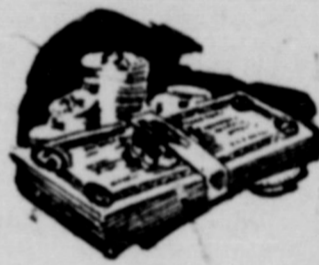


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**It Takes Cash**

TO MEET UNEXPECTED EXPENSES, and if this has not been arranged, it forces an embarrassing situation, and frequently a burden of debt, (and debts are harder now to pay than ever before for the average person). If you are barely "getting by" while all are in good health, the load will be much heavier on others if one of the best providers should be taken.

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We know from our experiences the weak points of our burial associations. We are all too easily persuaded to let our sympathy for those we feel are our friends, to take risks that are not best, when we have the privilege of letting others help us pay, which will always override the rules of safety.

**There Was Another Hurtful Cause . . .**

We found that in a number of instances, those who had put the worst risks on our association, quit paying soon after receiving their money. They perhaps felt that they had better quit, while they were ahead. Yet, after they refused to help protect those who had provided the money for them, in their bereavement, their actions by quitting, spoke in no uncertain though silent terms, "That While you have helped to bury our loved one, you can make your own arrangements now to bury your folks". Actions like that caused uncomplimentary statements about our association, from those who perhaps wanted to ease their conscience for their failure to help those who had helped them.

"Special Favors" to bad risks are never best.

**As We Operate NOW:**

Each individual must stand on his own merit, as an insurable risk. We depend upon the reports we get, regarding applicants' health, before we issue policies. Our experience has taught us that there are but two things to safe insurance:

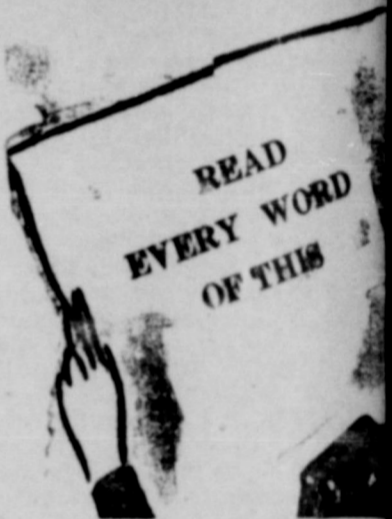
The kind of risks we take, and the rates we charge. If bad risks are taken, there are no reasonable rates that could be safe over a period of years.

**Our Strong Reserve TODAY . . .**

is evidence that our rates are safe, and that the care we have taken in selecting our risks has been best for those who have their protection with us.

**Under Present Laws, We Must PAY . . .**

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Growers of row crops will want to be on hand next Monday to witness a brief preview of the new Farmall-A tractor at the Fred Broach Implement Company.

This latest addition to the Farmall line is regularly equipped with rubber tires and is sold at a new low price to interest every farmer. It promises to bring power farming to men who cultivate from 40 to 60 acres of land and who have heretofore relied exclusively on horses.

"Multi-Vision" is the feature possessed by this tractor that will appeal to the careful operator. The design of the tractor enables the driver to see the work he is doing, not only behind and ahead of the tractor, but directly underneath as well. Thus a row crop farmer can cultivate cleaner with less damage to the crop because he has the same "vision" afforded by the ordinary horse-drawn riding cultivator.

Factory production has been started by the International Harvester Company and soon samples will be on display everywhere. In the meantime a preview has been arranged by Fred Broach of Knox City in order to show interested growers something new in the way of a row crop tractor for small and medium operations. We are told the new Farmall-A will be here Monday evening for a few hours only.

**FOR TEXAS YOUTH**

There are more than two and one half million youths between the ages of 16 and 25 in this country. Texas is well represented in this vast and proudfest army of both boys and girls. They are members of families of all walks of life, many of them with income of less than \$40 per month.

President Roosevelt has asked the United States Congress to provide \$123,000,000 to insure the future of these youths who figure in the National Youth Administration's program that serves Texas along with all other states.

"There is no one who can gainsay the fact that the youth of today are the foundation of flesh and bone, brain, heart and character upon which the future is solidly laid," stated Pierce Brooks, Dallas business man. "The surest and only way to build a better Texas or a better America is to train youth for the responsibilities of citizenship. With work scarce and the ranks of the unemployed ever lengthening, the NYA has come to this country to stay. It is as permanent as any branch of government and perhaps the wisest investment our government makes in the young life about us. The record of the National Youth Administration is that of major accomplishment. In front and around NYA projects you will not find the modern saloon, honkytonk and gambling devices such as may be seen near some quarters where government projects, under the social security measures, are to be seen. We know of no governmental agency that has done more for building manhood and womanhood than the National Youth set up.

The greatest objection to it seems to be in the fact that its

advantages are not open to every boy and girl from 16 to early manhood and womanhood. It is a well known fact that the greatest crime in the ranks of youngsters is between the ages of 19 and 21. That is the age when they feel that everyone is against them and that is the age that the NYA serves. Keep the good work going."

**MAKING EVERYONE  
TAX-CONSCIOUS**

San Antonio Light: It is only when the great public becomes tax conscious that politicians begin to act like statesmen.

Most of the legislative ills of the country have been saddled on us because people are not awake to the fact that every new law takes money to enforce and to enforce it requires more office holders.

Now the only way to raise this money is to tax payrolls and pay-envelopes.

The Gallup American institute of Public Opinion has revealed as the result of a country-wide poll that twenty-five per cent of the adult population of the United States are unaware that they pay taxes.

This twenty-five per cent is mostly, the report says, found among those who earn \$20 a week or less.

These persons actually said they were not taxpayers.

As a matter of fact, most of them are making \$20 a week or under just because they do pay taxes.

They pay taxes without having the money visibly taken from them.

Recent studies show that persons earning \$20 a week pay about \$100 a year in taxes, conservatively estimated.

That is almost \$2 a week.

They pay taxes on everything they buy.

There are taxes in the fare you pay for transportation as well as in your food and clothing.

There is a tax hidden in each item of your twenty-cent lunch.

There is a tax hidden in the three cents you give for your newspaper.

There is a tax hidden in the five-cent ice cream cone you buy in the evening.

If 25 per cent of the people of this country are not conscious of these and many other taxes, there should be a campaign inaugurated to make them tax-conscious.

For as soon as the politicians are aware that the country is one hundred per cent tax-conscious they will set about giving us government for the people and not for the job-holders.

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\*Carrying 16.7 tons of brick up 12 feet in a day—      \*Wheeling 51 tons up 3 feet in a day—      \*Shoveling 25 tons of dirt up 5 feet in a day—

a man's work equals 25 watts, or enough for small light bulb.      a man's work equals 12 watts, or enough to run large electric clock.      a man's work equals 11 watts, or enough to operate small radio.

\*Based on average wattage generated.

ONE kilowatt-hour equals 1,000 watts of electric energy. This is one-third more than one horsepower. Therefore, we say: "Reddy Kilowatt is one-third stronger than a horse." And many times stronger than a man!

A man, for example, hammering eight hours does 480,000 foot-pounds of work. It takes 2,655,200 foot-pounds to make one kilowatt-hour. Thus we learn that the man with the hammer does 18 per cent of a kilowatt-hour's work in an average day. This is equal to 22.5 watts, or, in turn, 22.5 watt per hour. So it takes a man approximately six days to do the amount of work that Electric Service does in one hour!

IT therefore seems foolish—and unnecessary—for Men or Women to do work that Reddy Kilowatt can—small should—do. Electric cranes, pumps, hammers, etc., do small jobs more cheaply and efficiently than men.

Why do Women continue to perform the hard tasks in the home? No one has taken time to figure the foot-pounds of energy she expends in washing dishes and dishes, cooking over kerosene-type stoves, sweeping and other similar distasteful work. Whenever the amount, it's safe to suppose it might be reduced by one-third if the home was ALL-ELECTRIC.

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THE FIRST DUTY

The United States has been truly called the "melting pot of the nations." The first pioneers who brought their rugged wagons between the narrow passes of the Alleghany Mountains shouted "Westward Ho!" and their cry was carried around the world for the men of all nations to hear.

"Westward Ho!" their sons repeated as they plunged across the desert wastes toward the promised gold of California; and again the cry was heard and new streams of immigrants forsook their homelands for the promise of a free land where they might prosper peacefully with their fellow-men.

Polish, German, Norwegians, Swedes, Italians, French and Englishmen all undertook the perilous journey across turbulent waters in frail crafts that they might know the sweet taste of freedom—and from these dissimilar groups there has sprung the homogeneity of a proud race of people who call themselves Americans. The United States is well termed "the melting pot of the nations" but now, with the passing of years, come new problems.

The United States has been built upon the immigration of sturdy, self-reliant

REGULAR FELLERS



YOU DON'T KNOW HOW HARD I HATE TO SEE YOU GET INTO THE OFFICE TO FIND YOUR MOTHER'S DINNER AND WIFE AND FAMILY ALL EVERYBODY

It's Squash Pie Now



OH MOM! SHE'S GOING TO THE STORE FOR SQUASH PIE

WHAT?



WHAT? SHE'S GOING TO THE STORE FOR SQUASH PIE? SHE'S GOING TO THE STORE FOR SQUASH PIE?

By Gene Byrnes



SHE'S GOING TO THE STORE FOR SQUASH PIE? SHE'S GOING TO THE STORE FOR SQUASH PIE?

peoples from the mother countries. So long as there were still lands for the newcomers, so long as there was still work for willing hands, the gates were flung wide to all who came in good faith. Now we are without lands and without labor to offer those who wait at our portals.

Despite these facts, and despite the fact that there are millions of unemployed in the United States—the land of their birth—there are many who would continue unrestricted immigration into this country. They argue that the United States was built and nurtured on the immigration of foreign stocks, and that they will provide work for these newcomers whom they would admit.

The first argument may be dismissed as trivial. By the same token one might argue that Rome was built by immigrants, and that today that mighty city owes a place to all who care to come. Both Rome and the United States were built by immigrants but today the descendants of these peoples have developed their own identity and problems. The United States is today a nation of people from many lands welded into a compact society whose first duty is to its native-born citizens.

Work can be provided for immigrants, yes. But for every immigrant employed, a native American must go without work. For immigrant accorded the dignity of the right to labor, a native son's name is inscribed on relief rolls. For every immigrant who is sheltered and protected, an American and his wife and children are deprived of shelter and protection.

Until such a time as the United States can again guarantee employment and protection to its own citizens, we believe that it is the duty of every thoughtful citizen to insist that immigration from foreign lands be completely stopped. The first duty of a society—of any society that would perpetuate itself—is to its own, its native born.—National Printer Journalist.

"Zeke Sez"

By Nugent Ezekiel Brown

Austin.—Five members of the committee to investigate fire insurance rates in Texas adjourned to August 14, after requesting the Board of Insurance Commissioners to postpone a 10 per cent reduction in rates. As three members of the committee, Knard, Coggitt and Heflin, are fire insurance agents, postponement of the rate reduction automatically postpones a reduction of their commissions. In the face of this situation, can you blame the public for having little or no faith in this investigation? The Republic of Texas company doing the largest volume of fire business in Texas last year, actually earned 33 1/2 per cent of its capital invested in Texas. The Home, a New York company, made 90 per cent on its Texas investment, incidentally. E. E. Hamer, secretary for the state department, testified he was "satisfied" with having records kept by a private checking bureau—records which the insurance department shall keep. What can you expect from the Alford appointee, Marvin Hall?

Rumer still persists in Capital circles that some changes will take place shortly in the higher up personnel of the Liquor Control Board. Rumors are believed to be behind the scenes.

"The Little Man" is probably the most unaccountable man about the State Capital. A north Texas weekly says: "The blind man may boast that he has a lock for State Treasurer next year." We are warning our money that the candidate who spends good money trying to take this office away from the little man will be acting pretty blind. From every little village in Texas, come reports that everybody knows "The Little Man," as he is referred to affectionately. A man who overcame great physical handicaps to make a real record.

From every standpoint, the most important department in Austin is the state's book-keeper who now also has become the state's principal collecting agent. This is the Comptroller's department, under George H. Sheppard of Nolan county. This department, with its many divisions (several of which do the work of an average department) collected over 100 millions of the state's total revenue of 124 millions in 1932. This department handles nearly three and one half million warrants yearly now. Just think of 87 Times and one half million checks! Every time a new department is added to the State government (and there were plenty during January Alford's time) more work is piled on the already overloaded back of the State Comptroller. Let's see how this happens. For instance, when the Unemployment Commission was set up, exactly 100,000 new warrants had to be prepared each month. In the Comptroller's office, and 115,000 warrants for the Old Age Act are sent out through the Comptroller's office each month. All warrants for the Liquor Board must also pass through the Comptroller's office each month. Now, do you begin to see how work piles up for this department? Let's look a little further: In the gasoline tax refund division alone, the department handled over 250,000 refund claims in 1932 (which was work for 35 additional employees). In the motor fuel division, one of the

MOTOR MEMOIRS advertisement featuring illustrations of motorcycles and text promoting 'CAESAR'S GHOST' and 'ROUGH RIDER' models.

largest divisions in state government, a total of 50 millions was collected in 1932. Bear in mind this was done by the Comptroller Every filling station in Texas which sells gas on which the tax is reduced must have a license from the Comptroller in the cigarette division (eight district offices) the revenue has jumped to seven millions annually. In the gross receipts division, the Comptroller collected 22 millions in 1932 as compared to only eight and one half millions in 1930. Only \$34,000 was allowed for collection of the chain store tax in 1932, yet field forces for other divisions totaled up and the job was done. (There is a total of \$3,000 applications to be handled in this division.) When George H. Sheppard took office in 1930, he found many of the tax collector's rolls had not been audited for several years, so a seven month keep up with this work each year. The district office help keep down traveling expenses. In checking up with Chief Clerk Pat Dudley and Chief Auditor E. S. Calvert, it was learned that Mr. Sheppard turned back \$254,000 of his appropriation last year, so his appropriation was cut in 1/2, summer this year. Then Governor O'Daniel cut it still more, eliminating many jobs. "But I am amazed at the amount of work done in your department," the governor told Mr. Sheppard, who replied that his department would cooperate in every manner for reducing expenses "even if we have to do more doubling of our work." This is what Zeke calls real cooperation, eh?

We wish to thank "We Die" in the Yoakum Herald for his plug for our column. We thank you very much, Mister We Die. We are trying to give some of the inside facts, that's all.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pevett returned Sunday from Fort Collins, Colo., where Mr. Pevett attended the state school located there. He will teach at Dallas again this year.

The Knox City base ball team defeated the team from O'Brien Sunday afternoon at the local field by a score of 9 to 8.

THE WIFELY PRICE YOU PAY FOR BEING NERVOUS advertisement with an illustration of a person and text describing symptoms and treatment.

YOUR EYES advertisement with text: Are you giving them proper care and attention? -Dr. Glen Stone, Optometrist, Munday, Texas.

City Barber Shop advertisement with text: Visit the City Barber Shop for good service.

Constipated? ADLERIKA FRIZZELL'S DRUG STORE advertisement with text: For 20 years I had constipation, tried all laxatives, medicines and barks until Adlerika helped right away.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Caniney and son left Sunday for Carlsbad, N. M., to visit the caverns. They will return home Friday.

Shirley Gray of Roscoe was the guest of friends in and near Knox City the past week end.

Television Takes New Role: Casts Theatrical Show



Illustration showing a theatrical production... In the upper illustration the Olsen, comedian and producer, is pointing out some of the pleasing first readings of the production, while Gita Johnson, his partner, operates the electrically controlled television camera. Lower right shows Johnson telegraphing a love scene over television with Olsen performing at the television camera. In the lower left photo, Olsen and Johnson (seated) are testing their show from the images on the television screen, while Ray M. Hamdell, vice president, Philco Radio & Television Corp., offers advice on television requirements.



## Benjamin News Items

Miss Sibyl Davenport of Vera started work in the county agent's office last week, making the staff of young ladies still more complete.

Mrs. Myrtle Bisbee and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Will Glenn left Wednesday for Dumas, where they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Denman until Sunday. Mrs. Glenn remained with her daughter for a long stay.

Paul Eubank of Matador was a visitor in Benjamin last week, spending most of his time with Supt. and Mrs. W. C. Cunningham. Mr. Eubank was very popular when he was a teacher in our school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pettit of Odessa visited his sister, Miss Ruth Pettit, at the telephone exchange last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snailum purchased the R. S. Brannin place in southeast Benjamin and moved into their own home Thursday.

Miss Martha Jean Coates of Seagraves spent last week with her little cousin, Miss Betty Handley.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hudson Thursday night, July 27, at the Baylor County Hospital at Seymour. Both mother and son are fine.

amid the smell of printer's ink and makes a living rattling a typewriter in a busy newsroom.

If it were not for the newsboy, the reporter would gather his facts and write his stories in vain. And vainly the mate of the linotype would click and the big presses rumble, were it not for these patient heroes plodding through the ice of winter and summer's heat to place your paper on your porch or those others who cry their wares a hundred times to make a single sale.

Miss Pauline Pettit of Fort Worth visited Miss Ruth Pettit at the telephone office Friday evening.

W. W. Rice was in Fort Worth last week, returning Saturday with Mrs. Rice and their little daughter. Also Mrs. Rice's mother accompanied them home for a week's stay.

Clarence Poole and son of Seymour were visiting friends in Benjamin Wednesday.

District Attorney and Mrs. L. M. Williams, Clyde Edward, and Miss Polly Chamberlain returned Friday from a three-week tour through Arkansas, Missouri, Mississippi, Tennessee, Louisiana and Texas. They declare the trip was all they had anticipated.

M. F. Billingsly of Munday was a business visitor in Benjamin Monday.

Tom Farr and Buck Coody of Seymour were here Friday on cow business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross West are back at home after several months spent near Uvalde.

County Agent W. W. Rice, Joe Harper and Wallace McCoussie attended a business meeting in Wichita Falls one day last week.

Judge E. L. Covey informs us that work started Monday on the new school building at Gilliland. It is a WPA project and fifty or sixty men are employed on the job.

Mrs. Bland passed away Thursday afternoon at her home on the League Ranch. She had been in failing health several months. Left to mourn her passing are her husband, four children, several brothers and sisters, and many other relatives. Burial was in the Vera cemetery with the Rev. Jonah of Jackboro in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Swanson of Holiday visited home folks over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer of Megargel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moorhouse.

Miss Faye Hyde, who is employed in the office of H. B. Sams, joined her father and brother of Knox City Monday for a vacation trip of two weeks to Alabama.

Mrs. T. A. Parsons spent Sunday at Megargel with her father-in-law, Geo. F. Parsons. Mr. Parsons is 83 years old, but he was very busy on his horse rounding up cattle preparatory to sending them by truck to Fort Worth. It is seldom a man of that age is as active as Mr. Parsons.

Miss Clarence Glendenning left Tuesday for her home at Stanton to spend her vacation with her parents.

Master Carl Fred Glover spent several days on the McFaddin ranch last week.

Mrs. W. D. Lusk left Monday for O'Donnell to visit her youngest brother, Emmett Vandevere. She expects to return Thursday.

Judge E. L. Covey and W. F. Snody were in Austin Friday and Saturday on highway business for the county.

Sheriff and Mrs. Louis Cartwright and sons spent Sunday and Monday at Plainview with the lady's mother, Mrs. W. D. Lusk. They were accompanied by Austin Cartwright of San Antonio, who spent the week end here.

Miss Ruth Roper left Sunday to spend several weeks with her brothers at Brownfield and Seagraves.

Johnny and Vera McGaughey spent the week end at Vera with the John McGaughey family.

Mrs. Garland Feemster and children spent the week end with her parents at Westover.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cunningham were called to Lamesa Tuesday by a message stating that Mrs. Cunningham's father was seriously injured. They left immediately for his bedside. Their many friends are trusting the injury will not be as serious as the first message inferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burton had as their guests Monday

Mr. and Mrs. W. McGregor and Linda Lee and Misses Doris Jane Burton, Juanna Hunter and Ruby Hutchison, all of the Thorpe community.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Powers and Billie of San Diego, Calif., arrived Tuesday for a visit with Sam Powers here and with Fred Harrison at Knox City. Mrs. Sam Powers returned home with them after a visit in California.

Mrs. A. B. Sams returned home Sunday after several

weeks spent with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Edwards at Dickens and with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sams at Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Melton were in Wichita Falls Monday on business.

Mrs. Lillian Luther of Vera, who has been nursing Mrs. Charles Moorhouse for the past several months, left Tuesday afternoon for her home. She will also visit relatives in New Mexico and Lubbock.

Two eerie experiences in single morning:

In rummaging through some papers, I found an unopened letter; it was from a dead man. The letter was written last spring; it had trailed me around over the state, had been misplaced and it was months after it was written before I read it.

Then, in turning the pages of a several months' old magazine I came across a picture of the president, surrounded by newspaper correspondents, on a fishing cruise. And there, staring at me from the page, was a close personal friend, who passed away last summer.

Death and the hope of immortality have produced the most profound thoughts of great writers. Shakespeare has Hamlet saying, "To die, to sleep—but in that sleep, what dreams may come?" In Holy Writ are found rich promises of another life; and, agnostic though he was, Robert Green Ingersoll—when he stood beside the bier of his beloved brother—declared, "In the night of death, Hope sees a star and listening Love can hear the rustle of a wing."

A philosopher exclaimed, "It would be no more miraculous that the dead can live than that the living die." Life is a miracle that none can understand; only immortality can give meaning to the events of earthly existence.

Mark Twain said that everybody talks about the weather but nobody does anything about it. Well, Jerry Sadler talked about the danger of numerous trucks on the highway on Sunday, which is the only day that most of us private citizens get a chance to enjoy motoring, and then Sadler went ahead and did something about it. As a member of the State Railroad Commission, he caused an order to be written keeping trucks (except those handling perishables or doing emergency hauling) from stretches of the five principal highways in Texas. This action will reduce the toll of death and injury and has been applauded by the people generally. Several spokesmen of the truck industry have approved it and, though some modification may be necessary, those in the trucking business would be well advised to agree to the principle. After all, the roads were built by the people and the people have a right to use them in safety, particularly on Sunday which is, by religion and law, a day set aside from business pursuits.

Newsboys are among the most interesting of all people to me. Of course, not all of them are boys; some are middle aged, some are stooped and gray. A few are women—in Fort Worth there is a blind woman who chants alternately the headlines and passages of the Bible.

One newspaper vendor in Covtown has long, curly, white hair and a distinguished mustache. He occupies a folding chair and has the demeanor of a Congressman—or the demeanor that we think of a Congressman as having. Then there is another "newsbo," there who is the double of the late Andrew Mellon.

Several years ago, this chronicler wrote a poem about Fort Worth, in which it was referred to as "the city of infinite noise." One reader commented:

"You didn't mention the chief noise—the yelling of the newsboys. But then, I suppose, since you are a newspaper man, you didn't want to knock your own line of business."

Truth to tell, I had never thought of the newsies' cries as noise. Their shouts are music to one who grew up

## THE HERALD SNAPSHOTS



LAUNCHING ENGLISH FIRM IN AMERICAN TRADITION

Distinguished New Yorkers and leaders of the Fifth Avenue Association, joined in the festivities in launching the American branch of Ciro's of Bond Street at New York Above Mr. Harrison Dun, (right) Chairman of the Association, officiated at the opening. Tony De Marco (left), famous dancer congratulates Mr. H. M. Penney London representative of Ciro's as latter takes a sip from Renee De Marco's glass slipper.



New National Marble Champ—Wildwood, N. J.—Harry DuBois, 14, of Landenberg, Pa. who won the National Marbles Tournament here over three million youngsters.



"No Kidding" about this tiny duck's friend intentions towards the baby goat.



Newly invented lightweight portable radio does everything Operates on either battery pack or light socket with loudspeaker or phone. Ingenious new Wavemagnet aerial patented by Commander E. F. McDonald Jr. Pres. of Zenith Radio Corp. listens to windows of trains planes buses boats automobiles etc. and literally pulls music out of the air.



Passion Fruit Costume worn by Miss Patricia O'Brien which won her the title of Queen of the Fair at the San Diego, Cal. County Fair.



A general view of the unique air-plane shaped Swift Exhibit at the New York World's Fair shows the burnished cedar "hull" and the outstretched wing (foreground) ending in the glass-enclosed Bacon Pavilion. Fountains play in the 100-foot circular pool surrounding the tip of the building. The tower in the center rises from the glass ovens where hams are smoked in the Main Hall.

## AUGUST FACTORY TO YOU SALE BE HERE EARLY

Millions of people will take advantage of this sale to cut down their cost of living.

Rexall laboratories produce this finest of quality merchandise solely for Rexall Drug Stores, who get the merchandise fresh and full quality. Naturally the savings of this plan are passed along to the consumer.

It is the tremendous buying power of millions which makes it possible for the Rexall Plan to operate. Be here early because these special bargains are in effect only as long as supplies last. No merchandise to dealers.

## Jones Drug Store

### Sensational MID-SUMMER SALE

# Firestone

HOME AND AUTO SUPPLIES

SAVE UP TO 50% ON HOME AND AUTO SUPPLIES

QUANTITIES LIMITED

SAVE ON A SPEED KING BICYCLE

NEW LOW PRICE \$19.95

While They Last

SAVE 50% Firestone WAXING KIT

WAS 79¢ NOW 39¢

SAVE 50% SENTINEL AUTO HORN

WAS \$2.97 NOW \$1.49

LOWEST PRICE ON PORTABLE RADIO

WAS \$24.95 NOW \$19.95

\$200 Trade-In Allowance FOR YOUR OLD BATTERY ON A NEW Firestone BATTERY

Extra Power, Extra Life, or Double

NOW FIRESTONE HAS A BATTERY AS LOW AS \$4.45 AND YOUR OLD BATTERY

15¢ ALLOWANCE ON YOUR OLD PLUGS ON Firestone SPARK PLUGS

NOW 50¢ AND YOUR OLD PLUG

## GIGANTIC TRADE SALE

# Firestone

STANDARD TIRES

SCIENTIFIC SAFETY TREAD GIVES LONG NON-SKID MILEAGE

CUM-DIPPED COPPER BODY GIVES PROTECTION AGAINST BLOWOUTS

GET OUR LOW PRICES

LIFETIME GUARANTEE NO TIRE OR MILEAGE LIMIT

NEW LOW PRICE GARDEN HOSE

WAS \$1.49 NOW 75¢

WAS \$1.99 NOW \$1.19

See Firestone Tires made in the Firestone Factory and Exhibition Building at New York World's Fair. Also visit the Firestone Exhibit at the Golden Gate International Exposition at San Francisco. Licensed by the Union of Firestone with Richard Crooks, Margaret Speck and the Firestone Symphony Orchestra, under direction of Alfred Wallenstein, Monday evening, Nationwide N.B.C. Red Network.

Ashcroft Chevrolet Company  
Knox City, Texas

**CHEVROLET SALES ON UPWARD TREND**

Detroit, July 27.—A reversal of the downward trend that ordinarily characterizes the retail automotive business index during the midsummer months was reported by Chevrolet's Central Office here today as figures for the second ten-day sales period in July showed gains over both the preceding period this year and the same period in 1938.

A total of 21,798 new passenger and commercial cars were sold at retail by Chevrolet dealers the nation over, the report shows, which is a gain of 3,289 units over the 18,509 reported for the first ten days of the month and an increase of 4,985 over the 16,815 for the period last year.

In the month to date, Chevrolet dealers have retailed 40,307 new units, 10,450 more than the 29,857 sold during the first 20 days of July, 1938. This represents an increase of 33 per cent.

Used car sales also showed a substantial gain for the period as against the preceding ten days. A total of 50,761 units were sold, for an increase of 26.6 per cent over the 40,096 retailed from July 1 to 10. This is a unit gain of 10,665.

Used car sales, month to date, also were up, with 4,312 more units being sold thus far in July, 1939, than in the same period last year. The month to date total was 90,860.

**A POPULAR MOVEMENT**

In recent years the greatest of popular movements in the nation is that which centers around old age pensions. This is not due to any special cupidity on the part of aged citizens. Fundamentally it is due to the fact that millions of Americans have sensed the central need of the times which is for a purchasing power in line with production power. The citizens have seen that there is poverty in the land not because there is a necessity for such a distressing condition, but because some numbers in financial ledgers are put down in the wrong places, and by the wrong people. They have come to realize that the trouble is not with production but with distribution. Men, as a consequence, are idle because the buying power is not present to purchase what they would produce if employed.

Increasing numbers are realizing that this is an economic truth and as this intelligence gains circulation, it creates a situation in many states bordering on a genuine cause for alarm.

The question is asked over and over again: "Why is it that the rich are getting richer and the poor are getting poorer?"

"State Legislatures, governors and the Congressmen have been straining at gnats and they may soon find that they will have to swallow camels, for the pension movement is certainly not one that will pass away nor one that can be beaten down," stated Pierce, recent run-off candidate for Lieutenant Governor, speaking at Belton. "Pension agitators and their followers aren't alien agitators, dupes, communists or dangerous radicals. They are ordinary Americans, with ordinary American backgrounds, some of them your own fathers and mothers, and they salute the Stars and Stripes and sing Glory Hallelujah with fervor equal to the most sincere and devout citizens among Uncle Sam's dutiful children."

"A national system of pensions is certain to come, just as the NYA is here to stay. The task of statesmanship is to see that they come soon."

**TO TEST SALES TAX SENTIMENT**

A movement has been started in South Texas to submit the sales tax question to the Democrats of Texas in the 1940 primary. Under an old law, seldom invoked in recent years, the primary voters would say whether the sales tax should be a party platform plank. So far as the Democrats are concerned, it would be a referendum on the question.

The law was passed in 1906, or thereabouts, because some legislators were fed up on their party's platform. The party's convention had adopted a platform in the usually perfunctory manner. The governor, T. M. Campbell, insisted that the legislature enact all the platform planks into the law. Feeling that undue emphasis was being placed on a routine and largely meaningless proceeding, the legislature enacted a law that a platform demand should not be considered binding unless it had been approved by the primary voters.

The law was invoked on two occasions by the dries, in an effort to obtain adoption of a state wide prohibition plank. It was also invoked by advocates of repeal of the Robertson in-

urance law. Even when a proposal is favored by the primary voters, the legislature does not always regard the result as a mandate. In the prohibition contests, legislators were inclined to vote in keeping with the figures in their own districts. On one occasion that attitude prevented submission of a prohibition amendment after the primary referendum had favored it.

The best that can be said for the law is that it provides a makeshift test of public sentiment on a pending proposal. There is no reason, of course, why the sales tax should not be put to that test.

**IS IT BEING DONE**

Monday, July 10, this advertisement was printed in the Jacksonville, Texas, Daily Progress. It was headed, "An Apology to the Farmers," and said:

"We are extremely sorry it takes us so long to unload you at the cannery. We know that many of you get discouraged and let your tomatoes rot in the field. But we cannot work any faster, because of lack of women peelers. The WPA has most of the help the two canneries had last year. . . . Also we are sorry so many of you

report to us that you can't get pickers, because so many are on WPA and relief and hence your tomatoes must go to rot. . . . Maybe you and we had better sell our farms and canneries to the government and 'join up'. . . . Relief, in its place, is excellent but when it stops industry we need some change somewhere. . . . We wonder who will help the farmer pick his cotton this fall?"

This was signed by the E. R. Adams Canning company, and tells a story that has probably been duplicated in other places. The Adams company is a reputable concern, and there is no reason to believe that it has not stated facts. Perhaps the company does not pay very high wages. Yet they were able to get all the necessary labor heretofore. As a matter of fact wages could not be very high,

because of the close margin on which canneries must operate, and because the work does not require skilled labor.

From all over the country have come, and are coming, reports similar to this, yet every time they are made someone representing the WPA says that an employe of the WPA refusing employment by private enterprises will be stricken from the rolls. Does anyone know of one case in which this has been done?

**USE MORE MILK**

"Nature's Best Food"

**Knox City Dairy**

**HAY FEVER**

Test This Quick Relief

Try one dose "Dr. Platt's RINEX Prescription." Relief usually begins in a few minutes. A physician's internal medicine in convenient capsule, lactose-free form for sufferers from Hay Fever, Rose Fever, Head Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, Not habit-forming. Sneezing, wheezing, itching eyes, running nose quickly relieved. Satisfaction within a few hours guaranteed or money back. Your druggist recommends RINEX, \$1.00.


**PAUL AND EADS BARBER SHOP**

Bill Paul and Red Eads

Courteous and Prompt Service

Your Patronage Solicited

**TEXANS TODAY** OUTSTANDING LEADERS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN THE CONSTRUCTIVE DEVELOPMENT AND BUILDING OF "THE LONE STAR STATE"



**John Nance Garner**

JOHN NANCE GARNER WAS BORN NOV. 22, 1869 - EDUCATED IN PUBLIC SCHOOL. LAW EDUCATION IN PRIVATE OFFICE. ADMITTED BAR 1890. EDITED UVALDE LEADER. PUBLIC LIFE BEGAN 1894 AS COUNTY JUDGE TWO TERMS TEXAS LEGISLATURE. MARRIED MISS MARIETTE RHEINER, NOV. 25, '95 - ONE SON.

CARRIES OWN DEER TO CAMP 1938; OUTDOOR ENTHUSIAST, FEARLESS CHAMPION OF THE RIGHT; ALWAYS ON THE JOB, IN COW CAMP OR CAPITOL. "CACTUS JACK" GARNER CAN BE DEPENDED UPON, ONLY LIVING MAN WHO HAS BEEN PRESIDING OFFICER BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS.

ELECTED 50th CONGRESS 1905 - SERVING TO '35 - BECAME VICE-PRESIDENT. SINCE START OF CAREER, MRS. GARNER HAS BEEN HIS SECRETARY IN WASHINGTON'S MOST REMARKABLE POLITICAL PARTNERSHIP. HE HAS BROAD COMPREHENSION OF NATION'S POLITICAL, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS, GAINED FROM SERVICE ON MOST IMPORTANT WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE UNDER WOODROW WILSON. SOUND JUDGMENT AND UNEQUALLED LEADERSHIP.

AT DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION IN 1932 - GARNER HELD MORE THAN 90 VOTES FOR PRESIDENT - BUT RELEASED TEXAS AND CALIFORNIA BELONGATIONS TO FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, SHATTERING PRECEDENTS A GARNER TRADITION. TODAY RANKS AS FORTIETH PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY OF THE NATION.

JOHN NANCE GARNER HAS ALWAYS BEEN CONSISTENT IN HIS EVERY ATTITUDE TOWARD NATIONAL POLITICS - AND THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE. HIS PHILOSOPHY OF GOVERNMENT IS SIMPLE. HE EXPRESSED IT IN HIS ACCEPTANCE SPEECH IN 1932: "THERE ARE JUST TWO THINGS TO THIS GOVERNMENT AS I SEE IT. THE FIRST IS TO SAFEGUARD THE LIVES AND PROPERTIES OF OUR PEOPLE. THE SECOND IS TO INSURE THAT EACH OF US HAS A CHANCE TO WORK OUT HIS DESTINY ACCORDING TO HIS TALENTS. THIS INVOLVES PROTECTING HIM FROM BEING INJURED OR OPPRESSED BY THOSE OF SUPERIOR ACQUISITIVENESS AND PERHAPS LESS CONSCIENCE."

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**At 1/2 Price!**




The New Thin Gillette Blade Has Edges Of An Improved Kind. The Steel Is Easy-Flaming And Hard Enough To Cut Glass. You Get Refreshing Shaves At A Big Saving.

Now Gillette announces a super-service razor blade of top quality to save you money. You get good-looking, comfortable shaves that protect your skin from the smart and burn caused by misfit blades. Gillette alone, with its world-renowned facilities, can produce a blade like this. And it sells at only 10c for four. The edges are of an entirely new kind—stand up where the going is tough. Get a package from your dealer today.

4 for 10c  
8 for 19c

Thin Gillette Blades Are Produced By The Maker Of The Famous **Gillette Blue Blade** 5 for 25c

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OUR PROTECTION LEAVES YOU FREE to call the UNDERTAKER OF YOUR CHOICE when bereavement comes, and to buy where CASH HAS GREATEST PURCHASING POWER.

IF LOWER RATES WERE SAFE WE WOULD HAVE THEM

When a death occurs to our policy-holders, we ask that we be called at our expense, as quickly as possible. We do not wait for you to come for your money. WE TAKE IT TO YOU, that you may FEEL FREE and have full exercise of EVERY LIBERTY, which is YOUR SACRED PRIVILEGE.

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Anson, Texas. Phone 73  
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FARMALL-A is the biggest news in the tractor business these days. It's a powerful, go-getting, all-purpose tractor—the great new value in the \$500 class!

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Find out about "CULTI-VISION," the greatest time, crop, and man saver ever built into a tractor. Sit in the seat and see what this new feature means to you. Find out about the low price, the simple quick-attachable machines, the handsome appearance, and the design that lets you be comfortable when you drive the new FARMALL-A.

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This is a Privilege Every One should enjoy. The undertaker whose tender manner of conducting the last sad rites is distinctively human, and when his methods are known to you, you may feel at ease to leave the management to him; this is worth a lot to you.



### YOUR PRIVILEGE IS TO USE

YOUR MONEY WHERE IT BUYS MOST, and when there is no feeling of obligation this is always the case. There should certainly be no feeling of obligation at this sad hour.

### WHY NOT BEGIN NOW?

TO BE PREPARED, that should the unexpected happen tomorrow, you may know you have acted wisely in making a preparation that lifts the burden that will linger long, if such steps are not taken.



## Youth and Age

... ALIKE MUST bow to the inevitable. Sooner or later the Grim Reaper, death, will call and the unexpected MUST BE MET.

INSURANCE is the only thing that we cannot wait until we need; then take money and buy.

### We Must Buy Insurance In Health ...

and pay for it with money, or its equivalent. The monthly payments you make to us to protect your entire family, will be far too small to make monthly payments that may be required for even one funeral. The time when it may be needed is so uncertain, that none can foretell.



## Words and Pictures Fail ...

In their efforts to describe the loneliness and helplessness felt by any mother, when she is forced to face the responsibility of becoming the sole protector and breadwinner for herself and dependent children.

Many times this burden is greatly increased by Funeral Debt and doctor's bill, that everyone wants paid. Responsibilities are often heavier because of no previous experience in management of finances.

### A Planned Protection Under the Law ...

is the best and safest answer. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" and this can be arranged so easily and at such small cost with us. "There is no use to lock the barn after the horse has been stolen", and your reason for delay will be such a poor excuse to try to satisfy your conscience, and absolutely will not satisfy your creditors. Will your family have to wonder, "did Dad and Mother not have our interest in mind?"

## Write Us Today!

It takes so little time, and could mean so much to you and those dependent upon you.

### We Will Then Send Our Representative

Who will give you full information regarding the splendid protection we give and advise you how easily and conveniently you can make your payments. Be sure you give your address as requested, that we may find your home more readily.



## An Announcement

By W. H. LITTLEFIELD

As Secretary-Treasurer of Ideal Security Life Insurance Company, it has been my desire to render to all the people who wanted protection, at a reasonable cost, such as each family desired.

We therefore write the small amounts for those who have other protection, but want something that will pay quickly if an emergency should arise. This also accommodates those whose ability is limited that makes larger policies impossible.

We strive to make the smaller policies of greater value by paying as quickly as we learn of a death, that your money may have greater purchasing power.



We appreciate the confidence the people have shown in helping to build an Insurance Company with the greatest number of policy-holders of any other in West Texas for the time we have operated.

We exercise every precaution to feel that we are safe, as we expect your money to be ready, should a death occur in your home. We pay the telephone call at this end, so that you may have our office called without expense to you, so we may be with you as quickly as possible for your assistance and satisfaction of knowing you have selected your protection wisely.

We have endeavored to have salesmen that you could rely upon what they tell you, and we always want you to feel that we want to make our dealings entirely satisfactory. Our office help are courteous and take pleasure in making you feel that our greatest interest is in your welfare.

## To The PUBLIC:

We, the undersigned Undertakers, who operate Funeral Homes wish to make this statement, individually and collectively that the readers may fully appreciate our peculiar professional position.

We feel that our work is one that calls for the best that is in us. For we are only called when your sorrows are greatest. It is our duty to administer to your needs at that time, in the tenderest capacity that is humanly possible, that we may in a measure, relieve you of every weight that so heavily burdens you.

For that reason, and with the firm belief that every family has the sacred privilege of selecting the Undertaker, that in their minds can fulfill their needs, is why we appreciate so much the selection you make, and try so hard to meet your expectations.

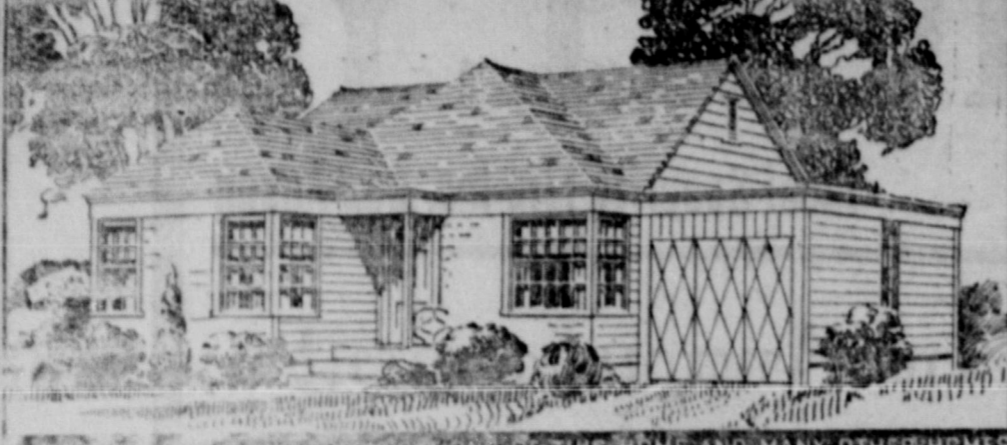
We therefore wish to subscribe to the belief that we feel our business should be one within itself, and do not feel it our place to enter the Insurance field that others may feel that we are, in any way, trying to coerce business or to commercialize on your sorrows through the sacred profession of Funeral Director.

Since it is our lot to make the last preparation and presentation to and for you of your loved one, we strive to leave a picture in your minds that will not add to your grief as time passes.

While we have not heretofore committed ourselves to any specific line of INSURANCE, yet we feel we are in position to appreciate any line of INSURANCE that pays promptly and in full, and does not disappoint when bereavement has left added burdens. For this reason, we feel that we can attach our names in this connection.

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| J. H. KINNEY                   | PHONE 10  |
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| SETH W. LAWRENCE               |           |
| GAUNTT FUNERAL HOME            | DULS      |
| F. R. GAUNTT                   |           |
| MANSSELL BROTHERS FUNERAL HOME | ROCHESTER |
| MANSSELL BROTHERS              |           |
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## WM. CAMERON & COMPANY

Alvin Darr, who is employed with the Odessa Motor Company at Odessa, spent the week end with his parents here.

Mrs. Harry Garrison and little daughter of Hereford spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Roy Baker and son left Wednesday for Carlsbad, N. M., where they will spend their vacation.

The meeting at the Church of Christ, which has been in progress the past ten days, closed Sunday night.

### TEXAS THEATRE

HASKELL, TEXAS

Friday August 4  
SHIRLEY TEMPLE in  
"SUSANNAH OF THE MOUNTIES"

Saturday August 5  
Little Tough Guys in  
"CODE OF THE STREETS"

Sun. and Mon. August 6-7  
BETTE DAVIS in  
"DARK VICTORY"  
with George Brent, Humphrey Bogart.

Tuesday August 8  
BUCK JONES in  
"UNMARRIED"

Wed.-Thur.-Fri. Aug. 9-10-11  
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MUNDAY, TEXAS

Friday Nite and Sat. Matinee August 4-5  
CHARLES STARRETT in  
"WESTERN CARAVAN"  
Also last chapter of "Dick Tracy Returns."

Saturday Nite August 5  
Double Feature Program  
"SOME LIKE IT HOT"  
"GRAND-JURY SECRETS"


Sun. and Mon. August 6-7  
JAMES CAGNEY in  
"THE OKLAHOMA KID"  
News, Scenic and Cartoon

Tue. and Wed. August 8-9  
MICKEY ROONEY in  
"ANDY HARDY GETS SPRING FEVER"  
Also Comedy.

Thursday August 10  
"THE HOUND OF THE BASKERVILLES"  
with Richard Greene, Windy Barrie.  
Bargain Show, 5c-15c

### Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. J. K. Miller says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas was present in my food. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never feel better."




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Imperial Cane	SUGAR,	25 lbs.	1.25
From Cool Colorado	Fresh Beans,	2 lbs	15c
Purasonow	FLOUR	24 lb. sack 48 lb. sack	75c 1.35
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DelMonte, No. 1 Plats	Pineapple,	3 for	25c
Armours Small Cans	MILK,	9 for	25c
	Matches,	6 boxes	16c
	Salmons, Chum, can		11c
P. & G. or Crystal White	SOAP,	7 bars for	25c
Del Monte	Peaches, No. 2½ can		15c
Armour's Star	SLICED BACON,	lb.-pkg.	25c
Loughorn	CHEESE,	pound	17c
	Steak, Seven,	lb.	15c

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### METHODIST CHURCH

We are glad to report a fine service last Sunday morning. As your pastor I can feel a different atmosphere since the meeting and I am looking forward to greater things the remainder of the year.

We rejoice over the good reports from the meeting being held at the Baptist church and I pray that our people may attend every service.

Pray for me as I am working in the meeting at Westover. Rev. Cockrell will preach for us next Sunday. Please keep this in mind and give him a good hearing.


No services Sunday evening, as we will worship with other churches that are in revival campaigns.

—Allen A. Peacock, Pastor

Jim Stevenson of Denton is visiting friends here.

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## SPECIALS

### FRIDAY - SATURDAY

AUGUST 4th and 5th

Ice Cream	PINTS	10c
	QUARTS	19c
Drumsticks and Dixie Cups		5c
Country Gentleman		
CORN,	No. 2 can	10c
No. 2 Cans		
TOMATOES,	4 for	25c
Cloth Bag		
SUGAR,	25 lbs.	1.25
Folgers Drip or Regular		
COFFEE	1 pound can 2 pound can	25c 49c
Armours Small Cans		
MILK	8 cans	25c
Pewley's Biscuit Baker		
FLOUR,	48 lbs	98c
Round Fed Beef		
Steak, lb.		25c
Pure Pork		
Sausage, 2 lbs		25c
Loin and T-Bone		
STEAK, Fed Beef, lb.		19c
Armours No. 1 Dry Salt		
Bacon, lb.		9c
Armours Loughorn		
Cheese, lb.		17c
Armours Crystal		
BACON,	pound	15c
Swift's Premium, Center Slices		
HAM,	pound	35c

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