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Medical Supplies to Be Flown to France



This picture, taken at Port Washington, Long Island, shows Polly and Edna Harter, Red Cross staff assistants, loading medical supplies aboard transatlantic clipper plane for France. The supplies were provided by the American National Red Cross, Washington, D. C., for the war.

Drive for Emergency Relief Funds the American Red Cross Will on Saturday; Workers Organized

George Self, Red Cross Chairman for Foard County, has called a meeting for Thursday evening (tonight), to be held in the county judge's office at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to organize a group of workers to secure money for emergency relief for the war refugees. The drive will start Saturday.

According to Mr. Self, the local Red Cross Chapter realizes everyone will probably want to donate to the Red Cross fund. They want any donation to be of their own free will. Do not give to get rid of a worker. If you are able to give, the American Red Cross does not want you to," Self stated. "On the other hand, those who are requested to give as much as they can. Several of our citizens have already donated, some in substantial amounts, and the local chapter greatly appreciates them. When the workers on you, please donate freely as these people are donating also giving of their time."

The drive which opens Saturday will be headed by Jack Seale, manager of the West Texas Utility Co. Workers in various communities are as follows:

Crowell—Mrs. H. Schindler, J. Long, Mrs. F. A. Davis, Mrs. B. Johnson, Mrs. L. A. Ann, C. B. Graham, Miss Joelle Vannoy, and the Girl Scouts under the direction of Miss Frank Kirkpatrick.

Thalia—A. B. Wisdom, Fred Gray, Will Wood, and Mrs. H. Gray.

Margaret—Mrs. W. A. Dunn, Mrs. J. S. Owens.

Foard City—Mrs. Grady Hall, Mrs. C. N. Barker and Mrs. B. Roland.

Rayland—Mrs. J. S. Ray and Bonnie Schroeder.

Greco Plant—Mrs. Floyd Marshall and Mrs. H. O. Waters.

Four Corners—Mrs. Frank K. Egan.

Wyan—Mrs. T. W. Cooper.

Gambleville—Mrs. E. M. Gamble and Mrs. Dave Sollis.

This group of workers may use other helpers from their various communities. The county chairman sends out the following appeal for the assistance of every individual in this laudable undertaking: "Please do not refuse to help. May it never be said that the world's wealthiest nation turns a deaf ear to the cries of the poor and hungry, who, through no fault of their own, have lost not only their loved ones, but also the means of sustaining life. These men, these children and these women, will either live or die, depending on our willingness to give a small portion of our substance. No blame can be attached to those who fall on the battlefield, but we cannot escape condemnation of the world if we ignore the mute pleadings of millions for the food and medicine needed that they may live. We will not fail."

ELECTED PRESIDENT

Milton Magee, senior at A. & C. College, has been elected president of the Agricultural Engineering Society for the year of 1940-41, according to information furnished The News. At present Magee is attending R. O. T. C. at Camp Bullis, near San Antonio.

Otto Schroeder Dies Tuesday in Riverside Home

Funeral to Be Held at Vernon Church Today

Otto Schroeder, 75, prominent farmer in the Riverside community for the past 27 years, died at his home in that community Tuesday night following an illness of more than a year.

Funeral services will be conducted from the First Methodist Church in Vernon this afternoon (Thursday), at 3 o'clock, with Rev. J. W. Kern, pastor of Peace Lutheran Church of Lockett, officiating. Burial will be in the East View Memorial Park in Vernon with the Henderson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pall bearers will be Tom Ward, J. H. Roberson, Dewitt Edwards, Walter Foerster, R. W. Kern and Carl Haseloff. Flower girls include Marguerite and Dorothy Streitt, Lily and Verena Fluhman, Lillian Foerster and Arline Rice.

Honorary pall bearers named are as follows: Fred Riethmayer, Dave Geller, Alex Streitt, J. S. Ray, Ben Bradford, J. B. Renfels, J. D. Bursey, Ben Graf, C. W. Beideman, H. W. Maas, Jack Froudiger, Monroe Karcher, Sam Kuehn, Jady Tole, Roy Ayers, B. J. Kern, J. Y. Lindsey, Ira Tole, C. L. Adkins, Will Johnson, Frank Edwards, R. L. Rhea, T. B. Klepper, R. H. Hofmann, W. O. Ferguson, H. L. Swan, Dr. A. L. Borchart, Dr. B. D. Flanigan, Dr. Hines Clark, Herman Gloyna, George Streitt, M. F. Foerster, M. L. Cribbs, A. C. Streitt, H. K. Haseloff, F. A. Streitt, W. H. Gfeller and H. C. Gfeller.

Employees of Texaco Plant and Johnson Ranch to Vote Here

An order was passed Monday at the meeting of the Foard County Commissioners Court whereby employees of the Texaco Plant and the L. K. Johnson Ranch will be allowed to vote in the Crowell voting box of Precinct No. 3.

Heretofore these voters have been voting in the Good Creek box and the only way they could reach the voting place was by way of Crowell.

OLD-TIMER VISITS

Mrs. C. M. Bohnefeld of Denzies, resident of Foard County from 1895 to 1900, was a visitor in Crowell Sunday and Monday. She left Monday afternoon for Sweetwater to visit a sister. Mrs. Bohnefeld is past 80, but is very active for a person of her age. The Bohnefeld family will be remembered by the pioneer residents of this county. Mr. Bohnefeld died many years ago.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. M. C. Jefferson died at Houston on Thursday, June 6, after an extended illness. She suffered a fractured hip from a fall on Mother's Day in May and had been ill since that time.

Her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jefferson, of Crowell attended the funeral services in Houston Friday.

Winners of Dallas News and Texas Almanac "Know Texas" Contest Make Stop in Crowell Tuesday Morning

Forty-three Texas school girls and boys, gathered from all sections of the state as winners of a "Know Texas" contest sponsored by The Dallas Morning News and the Texas Almanac and awarded a 2,000-mile tour of the state, stopped in Crowell for a short time Tuesday morning.

Tuesday, second day of the tour, was from Wichita Falls to Lubbock for an over-night stop. The children spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday seeing Dallas, and left early Monday morning for Fort Worth and Wichita Falls. Most popular places visited in Wichita Falls were the South-

Red Cross to Care for Millions of Civilian Refugees

To aid Europe's war-ridden millions, the American Red Cross is now embarked upon a relief operation greater than any previously attempted in its peacetime history. This gigantic task is expected only by the organization's operations during the first World War.

As representative of the strongest nation not engaged in war, the American Red Cross has become the only hope for victims of the European holocaust, particularly the 5,000,000 civilian refugees. As their own resources become exhausted, only the Red Cross stands between these hundreds of sufferers and starvation. The size of the European relief task may be appreciated by a comparison with the Ohio-Mississippi Valley flood of 1937, which (Continued on Last Page)

1,200-Foot Level Passed on Wildcat Oil Test Wednesday

Drilling on the wildcat oil test, No. 1 E. M. Gamble, 9 miles northeast of Crowell, was reported to be going ahead at a depth of over 1,200 feet Wednesday morning. A number of hard formations have been encountered since drilling operations were started last week.

The 2,500-foot test is being drilled by the Thomson Oil & Gas of Wichita Falls on the E. M. Gamble farm.

Saturday Last Day to File for Name on Election Ballot

Saturday is the last day for candidates for public office to file applications for their names to be placed on the Democratic ballot, according to information furnished The News by Jack Roberts, Foard County Democratic chairman.

Candidates must make application on or before that date to secure a place on the ballot.

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165,000 Bushels of Wheat from 1940 Crop Received by Foard Elevators; Rains Slow Harvest

George P. Brown Died in McKinney Hospital Thursday

Brother of Mrs. J. M. Allee and Former Resident

Hon. Geo. P. Brown, prominent attorney and Bible scholar of McKinney for many years, and brother of Mrs. J. M. Allee of Crowell, succumbed at the McKinney Hospital Tuesday afternoon, June 6. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Methodist Church with interment in the Pecan Grove Cemetery. Mrs. Allee and her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Magee, and Mrs. J. R. Allee attended the funeral.

Mr. Brown is well known in this county. He was among the early school teachers of Crowell and has visited his sister here many times during the last fifty years.

The following paragraphs are taken from the McKinney Daily Courier-Gazette of Friday, June 7:

"Mr. Brown, at the time of his death, was one of the county's best known native citizens, being 75 years of age. He descended from hardy Virginia stock. His father and mother, John D. and Rebecca Russell Brown, were members of families which pushed westward to Texas and to Collin County in the last days of the Lone Star Republic, in 1845, and whose children have been highly esteemed and influential during the 95 years of the county's existence.

"The deceased was born March 28, 1865, in the Spring Creek community of South Collin, near what is now Plano.

"By application and study, Mr. Brown rose quickly in the eyes of the people. During young manhood, he taught school, later turning to the law profession, in which he found acclaim and success.

"He was elected County Attorney two terms, and for four years served as Assistant United States District Attorney for the Eastern District of Texas. In private practice he appeared in civil and criminal courts of the State and the United States.

"George P. Brown lived an unpretentious life, serving his God and his people to the best of his ability. For thirty-eight of his forty-one year residence in McKinney, he taught the George P. Brown Sunday School class at the First Methodist Church, where he worshipped."

Survivors include his wife, who is a McKinney public school teacher; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Brown Dowlen of Houston and Miss Esther Brown of El Paso; one sister, Mrs. J. M. Allee of Crowell, and a grandson, Bobby Dowlen, of Houston.

E. G. Spears Elected City Alderman Tues. In Special Election

E. G. Spears was elected as a city alderman in the election held at the city hall last Tuesday. Mr. Spears was unopposed and received all of the nine votes cast.

The newly elected alderman will succeed Granville Lanier whose term expired recently but who served as a member of the city council until the special election could be held.

Application for CCC Enrollment Must Be Made In Near Future

Youths of Foard County who are planning to enter the CCC are urged to place their applications as soon as possible as the deadline will fall within a short time, according to information released this week.

It is reported that since the war started in Europe there has been a decrease in the number of applications and it is believed that it might be thought that the CCC enrollees would be automatically transferred into Army service. CCC officials are stressing the fact that the Corps is not a military organization in any sense of the word.

Following is a paragraph taken from a letter received from the State Department of Public Welfare in Austin: "You have the President's word that it will not be militarized in any way. In the event the Army is increased for any purpose, the fact that a boy is a member of the Corps will not automatically transfer him into Army service, for he will be as any other man at home and will not be considered over a clerk, banker or other citizen."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued from the county clerk's office in Crowell to Garvis Rushing and Miss Christine Roberts of Paducah on June 7, and to Everett R. Sprague and Miss Martha Anderson of Gilliland on June 10.

ICE CREAM SUPPER

The ladies of the Missionary Society of the Assembly of God Church will give an ice cream supper on Monday night, June 17, at Joe Bradley's residence in the southwest part of Crowell. Everybody is invited to attend. Every cent will be used to improve the church building.

ON TOUR

Mrs. Lewis Sloan and Miss Frances Hill left Tuesday morning for a trip to Georgia, Tennessee, Washington, D. C., and the New York World's Fair.

Nazi Troops Reported to Be Within 12 Miles of Paris; England Rushes Men, Materials to Help Defend City

Thursday morning, Great Britain was rushing all available soldiers and materials to the aid of her ally as the French pilots are making preparations for a last great battle with the invading German hordes before having to retreat into the city itself. German advance troops were reported to be within 12 miles of Paris along the Oise River north of Paris.

Encircling Paris

At present, it seems as though the Germans, led by thousands of tanks and armored cars, are attempting to encircle Paris. To the west of Paris, Hitler's forces have crossed the Marne River and taken Chateau Thierry, where the Americans helped break a German advance 22 years ago.

Should the Germans be able to complete their encirclement of the French capital, the city would be forced to surrender, however, the city will not be given up until after a terrific struggle and the French report that Hitler is paying a high price for the ground that he has taken.

Italians Busy

Italy jumped into the war last Monday at the side of Germany. Thursday her first announced objective of the war was made when the Italians moved to cut the Mediterranean Sea in half with mine fields in an effort to completely box in the British fortified island of Malta. Her other activities against the allies since entering the war are largely unknown.

Sympathies With Allies

In an address to the graduating class of the University of Virginia at Charlottesville a few hours after Italy's declaration of war, President Roosevelt accused Italy of driving "a dagger" into the back of its neighbor and pledged the Allies "the material resources of the United States."

President Roosevelt called for "full speed ahead" in order that the United States might be able to supply the Allies with materials and at the same time prepare the United States to be able to cope with emergency.

In answer to the President's preparedness plan House of Representatives gave quick approval 401-1, Wednesday on an \$1,706,053,708 bill providing funds for 3,000 new planes, 68 warships, 95,000 additional men for the army, a far-flung system of naval (Continued on Last Page)

Wheat Still Green

Another great factor in the slowness of the harvest to get into full swing is that wheat is ripening very slowly because of the cool weather. Many of the larger wheat growers report that their wheat is still too green to cut and numbers of others have harvested small parts of their crops and are waiting for the grain to ripen.

Last week, elevator men estimated that Foard County would produce between 600,000 and 650,000 bushels of wheat, and to date, only a small part of the county's crop has been gathered.

This will probably be the longest harvest that Foard County has seen since combines took the fields from the thrashing rigs, due to late and varied ripening of wheat and weather conditions.

Elevator men had prepared for a heavy rush season, but at the close of the first week they announced that the rush experienced in other years will not be had this year as wheat is being brought in as fast as it ripens at the present time. This will mean that a smaller number of combines and trucks will be needed in the 1940 harvest.

Government Loan

It was announced last week that the government loan on wheat had been changed to the same basis as last year, which will be as follows: 85c basis on No. 2 wheat with a protein content of 12, delivered Galveston; 86c basis on No. 1 wheat with a protein content of 12. A premium of one cent will be given for each full point of protein over 12 on No. 1 wheat.

The tests of wheat being delivered is still averaging well over 60 pounds per bushel, and as yet there have not been enough of the fields finished to start getting good estimates of the yield, however, the larger number of farmers who are harvesting report that they believe they are averaging 15 bushels per acre or more. The estimate of the crop as given by elevator men will place the average yield at between 13 and 15 bushels.

During the first days of this week, there has been comparatively little wheat coming to the elevators as it has been too damp, but the flow started increasing Wednesday and by next week the elevators are expected to be running at full capacity.

H. D. Council of County Lay Plans At Meeting Here

Plans which included sending five Foard County Club women to Extension Short Courses and an encampment were made at the meeting of the Foard County Home Demonstration Council last Saturday afternoon, June 8, in the office of the Foard County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Joelle Vannoy.

Three women will attend the meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association; one will meet with the Land Use Planning Committee; one will act as sponsor for girls' 4-H Clubs.

The delegates to the Association are Mrs. Floyd Berchardt of Crowell, Mrs. Joy Bledsoe of the Margaret club, and one member from the Black club, Mrs. Blake McDaniel of the Foard City club. Mrs. Donald Norris of the West Side club will act as the girls' 4-H Club sponsor.

The encampment will be started on Friday morning, July 19, at 10 o'clock, and will continue through breakfast on July 20.

Items from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE (By Bonnie Schroeder)

Mrs. J. R. Coffman and daughters, Dot and Addie, of Albuquerque, N. M., spent from Monday until Wednesday with their brother and uncle, G. W. Scales, and family.

Dr. A. L. Borchardt of Vernon was called Monday morning to see Otto Schroeder, who is seriously ill at this writing.

Mrs. John Ray left Wednesday for La Grange, Mo., for a short visit with her parents. While there she will attend their golden wedding anniversary which will be celebrated June 9.

Minnie Ward, who is a student nurse in the Methodist Hospital of Dallas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ward, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler and Mrs. Iva Ruth Cribbs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs of Hess, Okla. They were accompanied by Faith, Hope and Kay Cribbs, who had spent last week here visiting relatives.

Roy Lee Whitten and Joe Wallis Walser of Oklahoma City are visiting in the Luther Whitten home.

Mrs. Arlie Cato and little son, Freddie, of Crowell spent the week-end with his mother in a Vernon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr and little son spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sitton, of Five-in-One.

Bonnie and Emma Schroeder visited Ariene Rice of Vernon Fri-

day afternoon. Mrs. Howard Boyd of Amarillo, Mrs. M. C. Adkins, Minnie Wood, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey and Mrs. Jessie Faye Wisdom of Thalia spent Sunday afternoon in the Earl McKinley home.

Tom Burson was carried to Vernon last week for medical aid. Mrs. J. R. Coffman and daughters, Dot and Addie, of Albuquerque, N. M., visited in the Cap Adkins home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulyses Berry of Lovelland spent the week-end with Mrs. Berry's brother, Richard Johnson, and family.

Zelma and Janice Ward are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schroeder and little son of Amherst, were called Monday to attend the bedside of Alfred's father, Otto Schroeder, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin of Grapevine spent from Friday until Monday in the D. M. Shultz home. Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Shultz are sisters.

Mrs. Leotis Roberts and daughter, Dana Loy, Mrs. Elmer Roberts and daughter, Nell, of Thalia spent Sunday afternoon in the Cap Adkins home.

Mary Evelyn Adkins spent Sunday with Marion Self in the G. A. Neill home of Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nansie of Washington, D. C., visited the latter's father, R. L. Whitten, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmonds and children of Stroud, Okla., spent the week-end in the home

of R. G. Whitten and other relatives.

Albert Lowke and family of Five-in-One were dinner guests of Herman Gloyna and family Sunday.

Weston and Lewis Ward and Jewel Ward of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with their parents.

Marvin and Gene Billingsley are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Key of Rayland spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Rennels, and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Rennels.

TRUSCOTT (Special to The News)

Mrs. J. T. Abbott, who has been visiting here for some time, returned to her home at San Angelo last Saturday. L. C. Abbott, her grandchild, accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cash of Crosbyton, who visited in Truscott and Gilliland last week, returned home. He is back with his combine to cut wheat in the Gilliland, Truscott and Crowell communities.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley went to Lubbock Sunday.

Granville Westbrook, who has been attending college in Searcy, Ark., returned home last week for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clark went to San Angelo last Thursday.

J. M. Cash of Gilliland had an attack of appendicitis Saturday of last week and was carried to Knox City Hospital and operated on Sunday. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Ed Black returned home Saturday from Lubbock, Slaton and Lovelland, where she spent a week.

J. F. (Red) Waldron of Benjamin was electioneering in Truscott Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn Hickman and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chowning went to Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Keller, who has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. R. T. Haynie, for several weeks, returned to her home in Shawnee, Okla., Sunday.

Miss Exa Fae Hutton of Knox City visited in the home of J. C. Black last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens spent Sunday of last week in Foard City with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Turner spent Sunday with her parents in Foard City, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel.

Otis Cash of Crosbyton is here with combine and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Alfred Shaw returned to her home in Freer, Texas, last Sunday after visiting in Truscott and Gilliland two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon made a trip to Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Stan Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bivens and Mrs. Dee Bivens went to Knox City Tuesday. They carried Mr. Bivens to a doctor there.

Jack Russell's father, who lives at Margaret, is very sick. Jack goes over to be with him at night.

Billie Hornbecker of Galveston and Ray Hornbecker of San Antonio, sons of Mrs. I. T. Huckaby, visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Huckaby from Tuesday of last week till Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Huckaby carried them to Hillsboro Monday to visit their grandparents there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown and family have moved out to the Westbrook Ranch since school closed. They will remain till next school term.

Mildred Black and Miss Exa Fae Hutton went to Brownwood last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie of Amarillo visited his mother Sunday. Mrs. R. T. Haynie, who is in the Knox City Hospital.

Clarence Evans, his son and wife from Mountain Air, N. M., visited in the homes of Frank, Lester and Gwynn Hickman, Thursday and Friday.

Joe Couch from Vernon was in Truscott Monday.

Joe Cade from Gilliland was in Truscott Monday.

Mrs. Hughston McLain of Foard City was visiting in Truscott Wednesday in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat. Also Mrs. Lester Patton of Crowell was here.

Mrs. Shirley Moore and Mayne Aubrey Cash came to Truscott and Gilliland Monday to the bedside of their father, who is in the Knox City Hospital. They all live at Ralls.

We had about an inch of rain in Truscott last week which was very much needed.

Mrs. J. A. Abbott of San Angelo returned home last Wednesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Solomon, for several days. Sammy stayed with his grandparents to visit for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Eubank from Wichita Falls are here at his parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank. He is working in the wheat harvest.

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Rex Snowden of Tyler visited here a while last week. He was accompanied home Thursday by his wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, here.

Mrs. J. R. Coffman of Albuquerque, N. M., and daughters, Miss Dot of Albuquerque, and Miss Addie of Superior, Wyo., visited their brother and uncle, G. W. Scales, and family here a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Coppage and daughter, Jackie Sharon, visited relatives and friends in Port Worth, Denton and Morgan last

British 'Fuehrer'



Pictured in character as the leader of England's "Blackshirts" is Sir Oswald Mosley, arrested by Scotland Yard in a great roundup of suspected enemy agents and "fifth column" operatives.

Miss Naomi Morris of Clarendon visited her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Jackson, and family here this week.

Mrs. H. R. Randolph and Mrs. Luper of Vernon visited Mrs. Lee Sims here Wednesday.

E. F. Henry and family of Olney visited his uncle, Will Wood, and family here a while Thursday.

Miss Eunice Banister of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister, here last week.

Mrs. M. H. Jones returned home Sunday from a week's visit in Roton with relatives.

Miss Avis Payne of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne, here last week.

Mrs. J. D. Miller and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell visited Mrs. C. H. Wood Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Coffman and daughters, Misses Dot and Addie Coffman, and Mrs. G. W. Scales and Zella visited Mrs. J. F. Matthews a while Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Boyd of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins, here Sunday.

Bryan Banister has entered Teachers' College in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Day and Mrs. Bridges of Roton visited Mrs. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones, here Sunday.

M. C. Adkins visited in Fort Worth Sunday.

Marvin Gray and family moved to a farm near Matador Sunday.

Use Caution in Getting Suntan, Advice of Dr. Cox

Austin.—"Use caution in getting your suntan this season" is the advice of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Under a misconception as to the amount of sun they can take without ill effects, many persons thoughtlessly submit their unprotected faces, backs and legs to over-exposure to sun and suffer painfully, sometimes seriously, as a result," Dr. Cox pointed out.

Restraint in acquiring a suntan is advised. Exposure of ten minutes the first day should be ample, and the amount of time spent in the sun can be increased on a day-to-day basis as the skin becomes accustomed to sunlight.

Advising sun-bathers to "learn their limits" Dr. Cox further pointed out that individual differences may determine the length of time that a person can stay in the sun without being burned.

Before becoming too ardent over prolonged sunbathing, one would do well to remember that many a vacation or week-end has been ruined because the blistering and illness-producing power of the sun's rays on tender skin was insufficiently appreciated.

Some persons are susceptible to sunburn but don't tan; other individuals tan over a longer or shorter period, but the same general rule applies to all—"don't overdo."

Most sunburns, according to Dr. Cox, are similar to first-degree burns, but some, as the result of over-exposure, reach the blistering stage characteristic of a second-degree burn.

A little lemon juice added to the water in which lettuce or other salad greens are freshened will revive and crisp them.

One egg is equal in leavening quality to one-half teaspoon baking powder.

A small paint brush is handy for cleaning in the corners of stair steps.

The production of pianos in the first three months of 1940 showed a 16.7 increase over the same period in 1939 and was the highest in twelve years. With the coming of radio and modern talking machine the sale of pianos fell off rapidly. The past three years, however, have showed a return to the appreciation of the piano and each year has shown an increased production over the preceding year.

Iceland, Now In the World Spotlight, Is A Remarkable Nation

Do you think of little Iceland—the international spotlight since the German occupation of Denmark, its "mother country"—as a barren and backward land tucked among the icebergs of the Arctic Circle? Many do. But contrary to this impression, Iceland has a livable climate, had trial by jury before England, and has a remarkably progressive people, according to Vilhjalmur Stefansson, famed explorer, writing in the current Rotarian Magazine.

"It is Iceland and not England which should be called the Mother of Parliaments, for Iceland had a parliamentary government from A. D. 930—one, incidentally, which is still functioning, now in its 1,011 year!" Stefansson's article reports. "If we accept the common premise that prosperity depends on natural resources, then the economic situation of modern Iceland is a near miracle. For the land has fewer natural resources than any of the democracies, but nevertheless has come nearer than any other democracy to abolishing poverty."

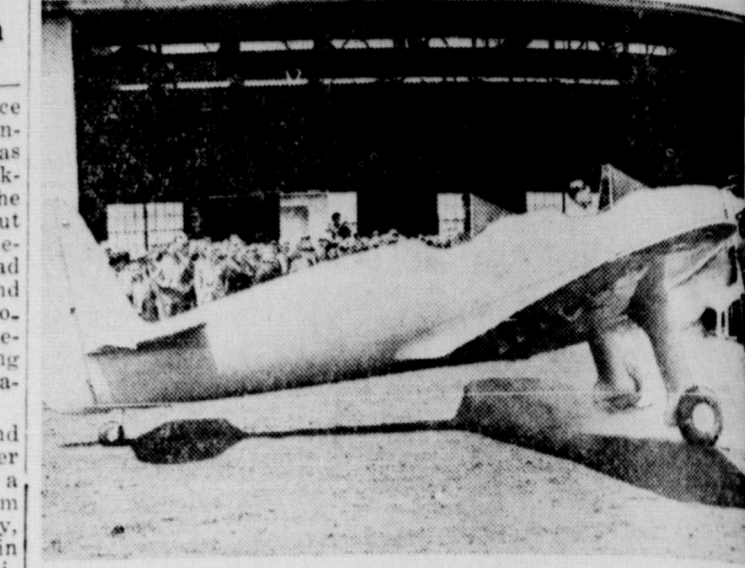
"Iceland, a high land in a warm sea, has mountains which capture snow enough to create larger glaciers than any of Europe or of the mainland of Asia. The coldest seaport town of Iceland is not so cold in January as Portland, Maine, and Reykjavik, the capital, is as warm as Philadelphia. . . . It is from almost the sole resources of grazing and fishing that Iceland has abolished poverty. Its percentage of unemployment for several years has been lower than that of France, England, or the United States. Unemployment insurance, old-age insurance, and similar measures are in force. Iceland is advanced also in the effectiveness of its public health measures. This country which in 1810 had less than one hospital bed for each 10,000 persons now has a free bed for every 110."

Stefansson tells Rotarian readers, "An upper and a lower house compose the Althing, or parliament, with theoretic executive power resting in the King of Iceland. Although Iceland was acknowledged a sovereign state in 1918, with the King of Denmark acting as the King of Iceland, this tie was severed on April 10, 1940, when the Germans having invaded Denmark, the Iceland Parliament declared that because the King of Denmark was a prisoner of a foreign power, he was unable to function as King of Iceland."

"A third or a quarter of the people of the United States, potentially the wealthiest nation in the world, live at a lower level (measured in food, clothing, housing, education, medical attendance, etc.) than that of perhaps even a single family in Iceland," Stefansson declares. Indeed, Iceland is a remarkable little country!

Gambusia, or mosquito fish, natives of Texas, are live bearers, not hatches of eggs, and a half dozen to 60 may compose the brood of this diminutive fish.

Warming Up World's First Plastic Airplane



Here is the world's first complete plastic airplane, "baked" in oven just like a cake, being warmed up for its first trial flight. The plane is built of spruce plies over wood, coated with phenolic resin plastic liquid, then molded and baked. It is claimed such planes can be made more quickly.

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Last year nearly 3,000 attended the Day and Evening Schools, and 14,000 were enrolled in the Correspondence School. The Bible is the principal text book, but courses are offered also in Sunday School administration, Gospel music, public speaking, home economics, manual training, homiletics, apologetics, Greek, Hebrew and medical subjects for missionary work.

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Jim Thorpe Predicts

I am certain that within the next 50 years some streamlined sprint wonder will come plunging off the starting marks, his legs tattooing the hard-packed cinders with a speed never before seen. Where the average athlete requires, today, 45 1/2 strides to cover the distance (100 yards), this superman, adding extra inches to his stride, will require no more than 43. Where the average athlete feels fatigue at 60 yards, this superman will not know it until 80 yards. He will bullet into the tape at almost maximum velocity—and he will run 100 yards in 8.8 seconds! That is my prediction.—Jim Thorpe, regarded by many as the greatest

athlete of modern times, writes in the Rotarian Magazine.

Think Your Way

Today, more than ever, concentration is essential to the enjoyment of pleasures or to effective work. This is an age of distraction, with interruptions by phone, by friends, by noise, by fears, and by our own flights. Increasingly work must be done under conditions which are inhospitable to concentration, yet concentration depends, more and more, on a man's success in a specialized world.—William Martson, distinguished psychologist, writing in the Rotarian Magazine.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. Of what is General Max Weygand in command?
 2. In what European country is the Somme River located?
 3. In what European country is the city of Dover located?
 4. Of what European country is Reynaud the premier?
 5. In what European country is the city of Liege located?
 6. In what European country is the city of Rotterdam located?
 7. Whom did General Max Weygand replace as General of the French army?
 8. In what European country is the city of Antwerp located?
 9. What European school library rebuilt after its destruction in the World War by donations of American money has been again destroyed by the German army?
 10. In what European country is the Meuse River located?
- (Answers on page 3).

"MY SKIN WAS FULL OF PIMPLES AND BLEMISHES"

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Items from Neighboring Communities

RAYLAND

G. Garvin of Dallas spent week-end with his wife and here.



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last week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark.

Mrs. Lora Priest of Margaret spent Thursday evening visiting Mrs. Ernest Churchwell and Mrs. J. C. Davis.

Mrs. Floyd Hood and children, Leroy and Louise, of Irvin spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Rintha Creager.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips and son, Carroll, of Levelland, Mrs. Bill Barrett and children of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blanton of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Holland and children of Kilgore and Miss Margie Davis of Vernon visited part of last week in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett of Lockett visited Mrs. Rintha Creager Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davenport of Gambleville visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Smith and son and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark and children visited relatives and friends in South Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Smith, Mrs. Buck Clark and Mrs. Dora Faughn attended church in Vernon Sunday night.

T. F. Lambert, who underwent an operation in a Wichita Falls hospital recently, was returned to his home here Thursday.

Lambert is doing nicely. Mr. George Key was ill last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis of Nocona, a son, Tommie Clark. They are former residents of this community.

VIVIAN

(By Rosalie Fish)

Wanda Faye Adams of Crowell returned home Thursday after spending several days in the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Fish.

Lloyd Mathews of Fort Sill, Okla., came Saturday to spend a few days with his father, B. W. Mathews and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keller of Skellytown spent Sunday with Mrs. Keller's sisters, Mrs. Egbert Fish and Mrs. B. W. Mathews.

Clarence Martin of Albuquerque, N. M., spent from Friday until Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Henry Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Golden and son, Clark, returned home Wednesday after spending several days with Mr. Golden's sister, Mrs. H. C. Collins, of Pampa.

Tom Johnson of Lubbock spent from Saturday until Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskeew.

Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and son, James Marvin, of Anson, returned home Friday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family.

Several from this community attended the funeral of Tom Patton in Crowell Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Young and sons, Billie and Clark, of Houston have returned home after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. H. Young, and his brother, Roy. They were accompanied home by Misses Ina Maye and Winnie Young, who will spend several weeks there.

Mrs. Egbert Fish and daughter, Bernita, and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and children spent Thursday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Young and sons, Billie and Clark, of Houston spent Friday and Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskeew.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee Thomas and son, Billie Norman, of Floydada spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans. They were accompanied home by Miss Evelyn Evans, who will spend several days there.

Mrs. Walter Simpkins and sons, Walter Dwayne and Berl Lynn, of Paducah spent from Thursday until Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson, and family.

MARGARET

(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Rev. J. Bristo and wife moved here from Butler, Okla., Wednesday. He filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday. We are glad to welcome them to our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jolly, and little granddaughter, Betty Lou Jolly, of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Priest visited friends in Crowell Saturday.

The home economics class with Miss Patterson of Crowell met with Miss Frances Haseloff for group work Friday.

Marion Schindler, Robert and Clarence Priest of Vernon visited Frank Priest Sunday.

Mrs. William Bradford spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bonman, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wright returned Sunday of last week from Wichita Falls where they spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jonas. Her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Dolberry, and little son, Jimmie Don, came with them and visited until Saturday.

Miss Anita Wesley of Riverside visited Misses Opal and Ruby Priest Sunday.

Mrs. P. Y. Long and son, R. L., of Pampa spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Lois Wright, and family. Miss Lois Wright came with them after spending several days visiting there. Mr. Long returned home with them Sunday after spending several days here doing painting work for Mr. and Mrs. Wright.

Miss Opal Priest visited Miss Anita Wesley of Riverside Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright and children visited Carl Taylor and family of Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Luke Bledsoe was hostess to a wedding shower Friday afternoon honoring Mrs. Glenn Gunter. Mrs. Gunter received many nice gifts. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest and daughter, Opal, visited in the home of J. C. Davis and others in the Rayland community Thursday. Miss Joyce Drew of Crowell, who had been visiting here, went with them for a visit with Miss Nettie Lee Churchwell.

While riding his motorcycle Sunday afternoon, Frank Priest sustained a double fracture of his right arm when he jumped from the machine on account of a locked wheel. He was taken to Crowell where his wounds were dressed by Dr. Hines Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas of McLean visited relatives here from Wednesday until Sunday.

Wilburn McCurley left Sunday for a visit in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCurley, of McLean.

Mrs. John L. Hunter Jr. visited her mother, Mrs. Joe Owens, of Foard City Saturday.

Herman Blevins has been transferred back to the bridge gang here from Lubbock.

G. R. Choate of Post spent Sunday with homefolks.

Tom Russell of Longview came Saturday to be at the bedside of his father, J. F. Russell, who has been seriously ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vice left Saturday for Post where he has been transferred to the bridge gang there. Elmer Cagle came Friday to take charge of the gang here as foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins of Truscott visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. J. Bristo is visiting relatives at Floydada.

Mrs. J. S. Owens returned Wednesday from Fort Worth where she had been taking treatment.

Mrs. Ed Taylor left Saturday for Cheyenne, Wyo., to visit her son, Lawrence Patterson, who is with the Army and stationed at that place.

Many-Sided Sandburg

In the personality of the man Sandburg are the same contrasts seen in his writings. He has a childish love of childish things and has written reverentially of prairie, industry, and obedience. He will also sit with friends till dawn spinning yarns, roaring with laughter. "It's the hobo streak in me," he will say. The next time you see him he will be the cat that walks alone, mystic, aloof, haunted by the fate of man and the role of death and the loneliness of man no matter what may happen after the next war or revolution. — Lloyd Lewis, Chicago newsman, in the Rotarian Magazine.

Fish was regarded as a rare delicacy by the ancient Romans, some of whom paid as high as \$1,200 for a single mullet.

Slothful Ways Are Natural to Him



An animal that makes a habit of spring fever, regardless of the season, is the sloth, world's laziest animal. Here one of them "speeds" up a pole held by his captor, A. W. Anderson, who returned recently to the United States from Nicaragua with two dozen of the slow-moving creatures in his charge.

Spread of Summer Complaint Warned Against by Dr. Cox

Austin.—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today warned city and county health officers over the state to take immediate control measures against the spread of diarrhea and enteritis (summer complaint.) Widespread outbreaks of the disease have already been noted in several parts of Texas, and unless immediate checks against the disease are inaugurated, there is a likelihood that the 1940 morbidity and mortality total may rise above that for 1939, when a total of 2,338 deaths were reported in Texas.

"June, July, and August of each year witness the peak prevalence of intestinal disorders, most of the victims being infants who suffer from so-called 'summer complaint.' Adults are also affected, the aged being quite susceptible," Dr. Cox further pointed out.

Illness is usually of sudden onset, accompanied by fever and severe diarrhea due to inflammation of the lining of the bowel (enteritis). The patient suffers loss of bodily fluids, and the bowel discharges often contain blood and mucus. Convulsions and coma frequently precede fatality, particularly in the infantile type of summer diarrhea.

Of the 1939 total of 2,338 fatalities, 1775 affected infants and children under two years of age, and 563 deaths were among persons over two years of age (chiefly elderly people).

Diarrhea and enteritis as a rule result from the use of contaminated food products or contact with a patient or carrier. Dysentery bacilli or germs are often found through laboratory examination of intestinal discharges. Laboratory studies demonstrated that many patients with diarrhea and enteritis (summer complaint) are really suffering from bacillary dysentery. This infectious disease is very similar to typhoid fever in its method of spread from person to person.

Prevention of diarrhea and enteritis is dependent on positive control factors such as: (1) Safeguarding food, milk, and water supplies. Foods should be covered at all times to prevent access of flies; raw vegetables and fruits should be thoroughly rinsed before using, and should never be sprayed either in transit or in commercial establishments with water other than that approved as being free from contamination.

(2) Improvement in sanitation, methods of excreta disposal, and fly control. Breeding places of flies should be destroyed to prevent propagation; houses and commercial establishments should be thoroughly screened to prevent their entry; garbage should be placed in covered containers to prevent access of flies, and collection and disposal of the garbage should be more frequent in the summer during the fly-breeding season. In localities where approved sewage disposal systems are not available, surface toilets should receive special attention as to sanitation. It is recommended that excreta be covered with waste oil, sand, ashes, or lime frequently during the summer season for satisfactory sanitation.

(3) Ready access of food handlers to soap and water so that cleanliness in the preparation and serving of food may be had.

(4) Scrupulous attention to the matters of infant care and home hygiene. It is urged that special care be taken in the preparation of the infant's diet. Unless the home is fully screened against flies, the baby's crib should be screened or covered with netting.

Citizens are urged to report to their local city and county health officers any cases of diarrhea and enteritis of which they have knowledge so that immediate control measures may be inaugurated to prevent the further spread of the disease. Persons contracting diarrhea and enteritis (summer complaint) are further urged to get in touch with their family physician for immediate medical care.

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Choose the best way of life, and habit will soon make it pleasant for you.—Pythagoras.

A well-governed mind learns in time to find pleasure in nothing but the true and the just.—Abeel.

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.—Confucius.

Every duty brings its peculiar delight, every denial its appropriate compensation, every thought its recompense, every cross its crown; pay goes with performance, as effect with cause.—Charles Mildmay.

The objects we pursue and the spirit we manifest reveal our standpoint, and show what we are winning.—Mary Baker Eddy.

It isn't the man who knows the most, but the man that knows the best, that's wisest.—Anon.

With each returning year, higher joys, holier aims, a purer peace and diviner energy, should freshen the fragrance of being.—Mary Baker Eddy.

He is only anxious about the future to whom the present is unprofitable.—Seneca.

Remember this also, and be well persuaded of its truth: the future is not in the hands of Fate, but in ours.—Jules Jessorand.

Difficulties are things that show what men are.—Epictetus.

Adversity is sometimes hard upon a man; but for one man who can stand prosperity there are a hundred that will stand adversity.—Carlyle.

Step by step will those who trust Him find that "God is our

refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."—Mary Baker Eddy.

Adversity reminds men of religion.—Lively.

ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2). 1. The French Allied forces. 2. France. 3. Great Britain. 4. France. 5. Belgium. 6. The Netherlands. 7. General Maurice Gustave Gamelin. 8. Belgium. 9. Louvain. 10. France.

An Orderly World

Nothing will bring peace to our world until there is a will among human beings everywhere to make an orderly world. It must be a world in which, quoting from the statement of the international officers (of Rotary International) "freedom, justice, truth, sanctity of the pledged word, and respect for human rights" are accepted by every people. Anything less will be only an armed truce. The teaching will take time. To the patient labors of such a teaching we Rotarians dedicate these Institutes (of International Understanding).—Allen D. Albert, sociologist and editor, in the Rotarian Magazine.

URGES DUCK REGULATIONS

Duck hunting regulations, which if adopted by the U. S. Bureau of Biological Survey, would undoubtedly bring better fall sport to Texans, have again been urged upon Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, chief of the Bureau, by the executive secretary of the Texas Game Department.

Regulations recommended by the Texas game chief include: allowing of hunting to start at sunrise rather than 7 a. m., an earlier season in the northern half of the state, and the use of a few live decoys. These are the principal objections Texas sportsmen have to the regulations on migratory waterfowl. The game chief urged the same recommendations upon the Bureau last year, but federal authorities were unable to adopt them.

CHACHALACAS ARE SPREADING

Not only are the white winged doves moving northward, but surveys made by the Texas Game Department biologists reveal that the chachalaca, a fine game bird found in the Rio Grande Valley, has extended its range to northern Willacy County. They are also ranging along the Rio Grande through Zapata County.

Denmark could not be expected to prove a match for Germany. She has an army of only 10,000, a navy of two large cruisers, and air force of 34 planes. She makes no pretense of being a warlike nation.

Superlative Is Courage

Courage is the superlative quality that makes the world stand at attention. And it is contagious today, driving out cynicism and defeatism, and bringing back ideals and the will to achieve. If you would know life to the fullest, let courage be your watchword. Others will catch the spirit and follow you as their leader.—William F. McDermott, Chicago journalist and clergyman, in the Rotarian Magazine.

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By humility and the fear of the Lord are riches and honour and life.—Proverbs 22:4.

Many who brag on the good old days, the horse and buggy days, forget that a part of the good old horse and buggy days were mud roads, no telephones, few bath tubs, no rural delivery, no parcel post, no radios, no airplanes, people with appendicitis died, there were no automobiles, no picture shows, no one swatted flies, there were no mechanical refrigerators, hospitals were few and far between.

Some of these fine days this country is going to wake up to the fact that it is nursing a viper in its bosom in the form of a lot of foreign isms bent on the destruction of this government.

About the meanest trick that could be played upon the C. I. O. would be for the management of industry to step out, turn the management over to the C. I. O. and take a job in the factory under the conditions that the C. I. O. seeks to impose.

Political Announcements

For District Attorney, 46th Judicial District: CURTIS RENFRO, Vernon T. JEAN RODGERS, Quanah JESSE OWENS, Vernon R. R. DONAGHEY, Vernon

For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS CLAUDE CALLAWAY

For County Attorney: FOSTER DAVIS

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. W. LILLY E. H. (Ebb) SCALES LEWIS SLOAN JIMMIE FRANKLIN JESSE D. MILLER

For County Treasurer: MRS. RUTH MARTS LOTTIE RUSSELL

For County and District Clerk: J. A. STOVALL

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. B. WISDOM W. G. CHAPMAN E. H. (Dick) CROSNOR ROY C. TODD J. C. TAYLOR

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: E. G. GRIMSLEY

For Commissioner, Precinct 3: A. L. DAVIS CARVEL THOMPSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: HARTLEY EASLEY

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: H. E. FERGESON

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1: FRANK MOORE W. E. HIGGS S. H. (Henry) ROSS

For State Representative, 114th District: GRADY ROBERTS of Munday

It is predicted that at the end of 1940, airplane factories of America will be capable of turning out 40,000 completed planes a year. It requires, however, four years to build a super dreadnaught battleship. This makes it necessary for a country to anticipate its battleship needs four years ahead.

All through the agricultural middle west the water level in the soil is getting lower and lower. Wells and springs that never before failed are going dry. The condition is brought about by the fact that man has straightened streams, drained ponds, cut off the timber and plowed up the sod. To correct it man is going to have to restore the timber, put more of the country back to grass and build large ponds and lakes.

The time will never come in this country when there will not be a pressure group demanding higher old age pensions regardless of the size that pensions may attain. No one ever got so much that he did not try to get more.

Can it be that this country's tolerance in permitting every ism under the sun to find refuge here and plot against the democratic form of government is going to be the thing that will one day lead to our downfall? The case of Norway is undeniable evidence that enemies working quietly within can pave the way for the occupation of the country by a designing foe.

Selfishness will drive away more friends than most any other type of meanness. Most folks will put up with other faults if the offender is unselfish, but a broad streak of selfishness lying close to the top will drive away every worthwhile friend.

Church members today are no different than they were in the time of Christ. A certain number are willing to follow the preacher, to attend church regularly and to support the work and a certain number are always ready to fire the preacher.

Fortune tellers are smart. They always tell their customers that they are going to get some money or take a trip. Everyone hopes some day to get some money and to take a trip. People are apt to believe they are going to do the things they want to do.

The man who sells for less than a fair price gives the buyer a wrong idea of the true value of the merchandise.

What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

During the past few years, in fact ever since the World War, a number of plans have been proposed for world peace. Nearly all of them are founded on the promise that several nations of the world adopt the principles of Christ and apply them in their relationship one with another.

The difficulty lies in the fact that several nations of the earth who are war minded seem to have no disposition to beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks and seek war no more.

In the meantime what? I would suggest as an interim remedy and a deterrent against destructive wars that there be set up a police power in the world strong enough to say: "Thou shalt not," to an erring nation, and have the physical power to enforce its edict.

These three nations should make whatever preparation might be necessary to enable them to enforce their edict. That there would not continue the present mad race for armament among the nations of the world this triumvirate should assume the right and the authority to limit the armament of all other nations to that necessary to preserve peace within their own borders.

I believe that the time has come when the peace minded nations of the world have a right to demand peace and a right to punish nations who disturb that peace the same as society assumes the right for the protection of society.

There is no defense to the present system that permits war mad dictators to run amuck in the world at will and destroy the fruits of civilization's labors.

Some will object because, I suppose, to put force back of a demand for peace but I would call attention to the fact that the religion of Christ contains a number of "Thou shalt not's." The only thing that makes them effective is the power and authority and the surety of punishment that attends their transgressions.

The time has come that this civilization if it is going to save itself from demoralization and destruction, that its Christian leadership is going to have to rise up in its power and might and say: "Thou Shalt Not" and say it with the power of steel as well as Christ behind it.

If these three nations which lay claim to being Christian cannot stand together for the obvious right then there is little hope for this civilization. The solution will automatically be handed down to the civilization, that otherwise will without doubt, take its place.

No man ever succeeded at anything that he did not have a restless, and a burning desire to do. Success cannot be wooed indifferently. It is a jealous thing that requires all of a man's time and energy and thought.

An extremely selfish person is not happy unless they have their own way. If they can't get it by bulldozing they will try coaxing, the sympathy racket, or tears. They are not above using any means just so they get their own way.

The boy who gets mad and runs home with his bat and catcher's mit when things don't go to suit him on the ball team, doesn't change much when he grows up. He continues to be the same sort of spoiled person when he becomes a man.

The devil no doubt is very jealous of Adolf Hitler. Up to the coming into power of Hitler the devil enjoyed the distinction of being the prince of liars. He has been relegated to a subordinate position.

A girl, if she is pretty, can let her tongue be sharp and still keep lots of friends, but if she is plain and desires lots of friends she better have a kind disposition and a soft answer.

If newspapers were no cleaner than many of the popular and widely read books they would probably be denied admission in the mails and to many homes that read with interest the dirty books.

No man can expect to be popular in any neighborhood if he insists on spoiling radio reception during the morning news broadcast while using his electric razor.

It may be hard for a rich man to enter heaven, but did you ever stop to think how hard it is for a poor man to live on earth?

A pampered lamb often turns out to be a black sheep.

One's dreams are more apt to come true if one doesn't persist in having too many dreams.

GOSSETT BILL BECOMES LAW

Washington, D. C., June 10.—Among the bills today reported by the President with his approval was H. R. 9013, entitled: "An act to transfer Hardeman County, Texas, from the Fort Worth division of the Wichita Falls division of the northern judicial district of Texas."

This bill was introduced by Representative Marvin Jones in 1935 when he represented Hardeman County in Congress. The same bill was introduced by Representative W. D. McFarlane in 1935 when he represented Hardeman County in the Congress. The present bill, which has become the law, was introduced by Representative Ed Gossett in March of this year.

Pierce Brooks of Dallas Seeks Office of R. R. Commissioner

Pierce Brooks of Dallas, candidate for Railroad Commissioner, is promising Texas a fair and impartial administration in behalf of all the people and of no particular class. This statement was made here last week by B. E. Burnett of Pittsburg, who is touring this section in behalf of Brooks' candidacy.

"Six years ago," Burnett said, "Brooks campaigned Texas at his own expense, and as a private citizen, in behalf of the adoption of the social security amendment, providing assistance for the aged, the blind, the destitute children and participation in teachers' retirement funds."

"In this campaign for Railroad Commissioner, he favors the conservation of our natural resources. He opposes Federal control of the oil industry. He wants to see stability established so that the school fund of Texas may reap the largest possible benefit from the exhaustible resources of the State. In the event the legislature makes additional levies on resources for social security purposes, he promises to administer such law with fairness to all, always bearing in mind the purpose of the tax."

Two years ago, Brooks polled more than 400,000 votes for State office, despite the fact that for much of the runoff campaign he was in bed as the result of an accident. "His friends," Burnett said, "believe he is entitled to another opportunity to serve the people of Texas. He was petitioned from 205 counties to enter the Commission race before he announced."

Dr. Henry Lee Smith of Columbia University, New York, is said to be able to tell from what section any person comes by the dialect that he uses. Dr. Smith rarely makes an error in his guesses. His claim is that every section of the country has a distinct dialect.

Evidence that Texas should close the fishing season January 1 instead of March 1, is piling up in the office of the state game department. Stomachs of four of five female fish taken in mid-winter contain eggs.

A plan has been instituted in this country to aid the children of European countries made refugees by war. The 30,000,000 American children will each be asked to contribute one penny for each year of their age to a foreign child refugee fund.

Tree-Top Table



Here's something new in tables, displayed at Chicago's Merchandise Mart. The table will hold a six-foot tree. Julia McCarthy is admiring the cactus, but plans on planting an evergreen in her own tree table. The new home furnishing is constructed of amber mahogany, with a copper lining and leather top. One of the most unusual pieces of furniture exhibited, it attracted widespread attention from dealers all over the nation.

The 40 story Equitable building erected in 1915 in New York City is rated as the most valuable building in the city. It is assessed at \$20,000,000.00. It is followed by the RCA building as \$28,500,000.00 and the Empire State at \$28,250,000.00.

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A mill has been opened North Carolina to convert American grown flax into cigarette paper. In the past practically all the cigarette paper used in this country has been manufactured in France. The new mill employs 900 people. Though it has been in operation only one year a program is already under way to increase the mill's capacity 50 per cent. Most of the flax now used by the mill comes from California and Minnesota. The mill was built by the Ecusta Paper Co., and located at Pisgah Forest, N. Carolina.

Trailer and truck bodies now being constructed of stainless steel. One large truck body manufacturer placed an order with the manufacturer of stainless steel truck bodies and trailer bodies for 10,000 stainless steel truck bodies.

Mr. Smith Says: "Look for quality first when you buy Printing! Because if it's worth printing at all, you ought to have it done by people who know all the tricks." THE NEWS, for instance, it has a trained staff of printers, the most modernly equipped shop to be had in a town the size of Crowell and they keep abreast with the new developments in the printing field. Don't look for a "bar-gain" in printing, because there isn't such a thing. The News' prices are low for the work they do!"

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The basis on your Government Wheat Loan will be the same as last year, 85c for No. 2 wheat delivered Galveston, plus 1c premium for No. 1 and 1c premium for each full point protein over 12. We will have the papers to complete your loans as soon as they are printed and are available.
Should you need the money on your wheat before the loan papers are available, we are prepared to take care of your needs.
You will receive a Federal Bonded Warehouse Receipt for all wheat placed in loan and a State Bonded Warehouse Receipt for any wheat held in local elevator.
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FLOUR Gold Medal 48 lbs. \$1.63
BEANS, Green, No. 2 Wapco 3 for 25c
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DRINK FREE COFFEE HERE SATURDAY
BACON, SLICED, 1 lb. 20c SATURDAY ONLY
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FREE Delivery LANIER'S PHONE 72

June 13, 1940

Locals

Half gallon ice cream freezers only 98c at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. Frank Hofues of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson, this week.

Half gallon water bottles only 19c at M. S. Henry & Co.

William Bell is here from Lubbock visiting his mother, Mrs. W. S. Bell, and other relatives.

Sherwin-Williams house paint, in 5-gallon cans, only \$2.89 per gallon at M. S. Henry & Co.

Robert Little of Lorenzo visited his sisters, Mrs. Luke Denton and uncle, Veck Allen, and families last week.

Listen! 1941 Zenith radios \$14.95. up.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Bennie Witt and baby son and Miss Susie Johnson left Crowell last week for Mrs. Witt's home in Shreveport, La., after visiting in the homes of their father and brother, A. L. Johnson and Homer Johnson.

Miss Genevieve Ferguson of Lubbock arrived in Crowell this week for a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. S. J. Ferguson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Hutchinson and son, John Franklin, will leave Saturday for a two-weeks' vacation to points of historical interest in Tulsa, Okla. They will also visit Mr. Hutchinson's parents in Tulsa.

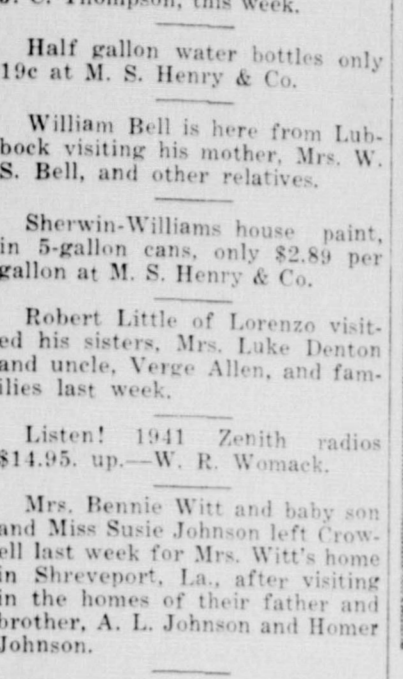
Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Rea have returned to Crowell from a trip to points in West Texas. They were married in Fort Worth last Tuesday and will make their residence in Crowell in an apartment at the home of Mrs. J. H. Shultz.

Sam Crews Jr., who attended Texas A. & M. College in College Station during the past term, arrived last week to spend the summer months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crews. He is employed at the Farmers' Elevator here.

H. K. Edwards Jr. arrived last week from College Station where he has been attending Texas A. & M. College and will visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Edwards Sr., during the vacation months.

Carol Ann and Bud Hamilton of Electra have been guests in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson, for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson and son, John Franklin, took them home Sunday.

Mechanical Mutt



Latest in bed room, living room furniture.—W. R. Womack.

J. F. Russell, who has been critically ill for about two weeks, is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Eddie Poe and small daughter of Plainview spent Tuesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vergie Allen.

Need a good lawn mower, hose, hoe, file, sprinkler? We have 'em.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cook left last week for an extended visit in Tulsa and Weber Falls, Okla. They will visit their daughters, Mrs. William Curtain and Mrs. R. B. Schooling, in Tulsa and will visit Mr. Cook's sister, Mrs. Claire Rolland, in Weber Falls.

County Attorney Jean Rogers of Quanah will be released from the Hardeman County Memorial Hospital this week after a two-week illness. Mr. Rogers, who is a candidate for district attorney, has been laid up with a serious throat infection.

Zenith, portable, battery, or electric radio only \$29.95. It plays anywhere.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper and son, Billy, spent the week-end in San Antonio visiting Mrs. Klepper's brother, W. K. Newton and family. They returned home Monday afternoon accompanied by Mr. Newton, who will spend the week here. On the way to San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Klepper and Billy spent Thursday night in Brownwood where they visited Mack Boswell, former assistant editor of The News.

Mrs. T. D. Roberts and daughter, Doris Jean, of Wichita Falls are visiting relatives and friends in Crowell this week.

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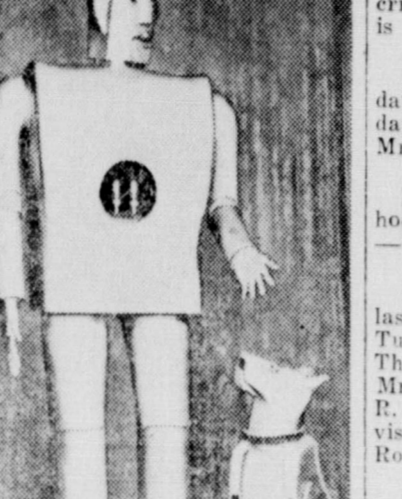
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'Fightingest Man'



Gen. Paul Rollet, 71, "fightingest man in France," has requested active war duty. Rollet was retired in 1937, after 43 years of service. He is one year younger than Gen. Maxime Wegand, allied army head in the Near East.

BLACK (Mrs. Sherman Nichols)

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Boman and son, Kenneth, of Five-in-One spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nichols and family. Nina Jo, who spent the week with them, returned home.

C. E. Gafford spent the past week with his brother, Ellis Gafford, and sister, Mrs. Syd Lindley, of Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bursey and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Bursey and daughter, Carolyn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knox of Crowell.

H. A. White happened to the misfortune of throwing his arm out of place while playing with his cousins at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Agnes Dunn, at Margaret.

Mrs. C. E. Gafford and daughter, Iva Ruth, and Winnifred Connel visited Mrs. Gafford's sister, Mrs. D. E. Thomson, of Quanah Sunday.

Mrs. Clint White and daughter, Barbara, of Crowell visited Mrs. Albert White Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Parsons of Quanah visited Mrs. Parson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer White, Sunday.

Mrs. R. G. Nichols entertained her sister, Mrs. Walter Nichols, Wednesday, June 12, with a birthday dinner. Several old friends attended. Those present were, Mrs. L. Kamstra, Miss Mayme Teague and Mrs. Earl Moody of Crowell; Mesdames Homer White, Albert White, C. E. Gafford, John Nichols, Sherman Nichols, Clyde Cobb, J. D. Bursey and Misses Jo Ann and Eulalah Nichols, Wanda B. Cobb and Iva Ruth Gafford. Mrs. Nichols received several nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy La Rue and son, Bartell, of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teague and daughter, Carol, of Canyon spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Clyde Cobb, and family.

Powell Crosley Jr., of the Crosley Corporation of Cincinnati, has designed a small automobile to sell for \$325. The new midget car has an 80-inch wheel base, 40-inch tread, a two cylinder air cooled engine which gives a speed of 50 miles an hour and from 50 to 60 miles to a gallon of gasoline. Production has started at 200 cars a day. The Crosley midget cars will be sold through the 25,000 Crosley radio and ice box agencies throughout the country.

Increase of the Texas ad valorem tax rate by 57 per cent to the constitutional maximum, by the State Automatic Tax Board, added, \$3,500,000 annually to the Texas oil industry's tax bill.

Experts have never been able to agree as to whether or not a panther ever screams.

BLACK

Electro, the mechanical man, and Sparko, the mechanical dog, get together in New York, where they are on display at the fair. Sparko barks, wags his tail and sits up. Elektro is equally versatile.

Bicycles on easy payments at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. Robert McCown is visiting relatives in Odessa and Andrews this week.

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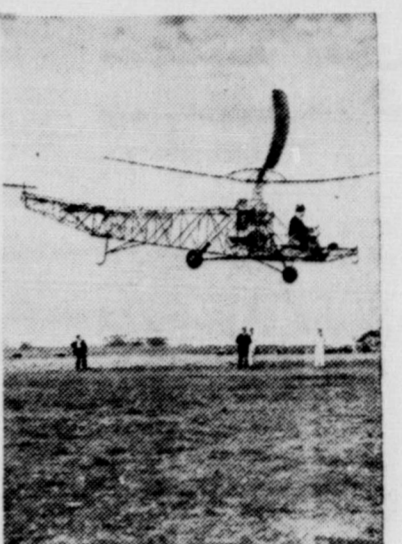
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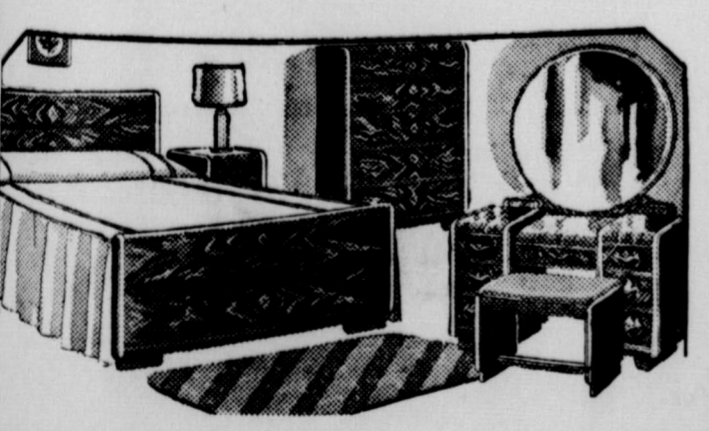


Igor Sikorsky, aircraft designer, claims success for his airdream to rise and descend vertically. It looks ancient, but here it is—1940 model—hovering over the airport. Mr. Sikorsky is at the controls.

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Mrs. Walter B. Woodson, wife of Rear Admiral Woodson, just before she acted as sponsor to the newest addition to Uncle Sam's submarine fleet, the U. S. S. Trout. The Trout has recently been launched at the Portsmouth navy yard.

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- PRUNES gallon 27c
- Grapefruit Juice .. 1/2-gal. tin 16c
- BELLE of VERNON FLOUR 48 lbs. \$1.45
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FOR SALE—12-foot Oliver combine with auxiliary motor, grain tank; perfect condition, used on two small crops. Bargain—Powell-Cavanaugh Truck & Tractor Company, Coleman, Texas. 52-11c

I HAVE some AAA laying stock Buff Orpington roosters for sale, about 2 lbs., \$1.00 a piece. Phone 727F11 if interested.—Mrs. A. R. Johnson. 51-31c

Used Car Bargains

Table listing used cars: 1939 Plymouth Coupe \$395, 1937 Ford Fodor \$325, 1937 Ford Tudor \$295, 1936 Ford Tudor \$265, 1935 Ford Fodor \$215, 1937 Ford Truck \$295, 1937 Ford Pick-Up \$90, 1932 Ford Coupe \$125, 1936 Pontiac Coach \$295, 1926 Model T Sedan \$40

FOR SALE

Real Estate and Life Insurance

J. P. DAVIDSON, Office City Hotel, TYPEWRITER PAPER — 100 sheets to package 35c at News office.

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 25.836 miles of Seal Coat from Pease River, North, 0.13 Miles; From N. Fork of Wichita River N. 7.7 Miles; From Crowell, North to Pease River and From 6.2 Miles North of Benjamin to North Fork of Wichita River.

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Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Rates for work performed in excess of the maximum hours per week as stipulated in the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938," approved June 25, 1938, (Public No. 718, 75th Congress) shall be

CAT ATE 31 PERCH

How many 3 to 3 1/2 inch fish can a 2 1/2 pound catfish eat in a night? Your guess is probably way off, but W. E. Fairless of Shackleford County just about knows the answer. Mr. Fairless recently placed a catfish in a live box along with thirty-one bream each approximately 2 1/2 inches long. The next morning the bream had all disappeared and when he cut open the bulging stomach of the cat he found all thirty-one of the sunfishes there.

Weighing Strike Costs

The lowest estimate of the losses involved in the 98-day Pacific Coast maritime strike of 1936 was 330 million dollars. By way of comparison, the total combined cost of three of the world's greatest and most useful engineering

No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 11c

TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdams. 15-11c

NOTICE

POSITIVELY NO ROCK HAULING out of Hendrix Estate Lands. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Frank Hendrix. 49-11c

Thalia Lodge No. 666

A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, June 15. Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome. C. C. WISDOM, W. M. C. H. WOOD, Secretary.

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., June 17, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. Election of Officers. C. B. GRAHAM, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

On Highway No. 283, covered by Cents. 98-1-8, 98-2-5, 98-3-9 and 98-4-11, in Hardeman, Foard and Knox Counties will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a. m., June 25, 1940, and then publicly opened and read. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project:

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subject to the applicable provisions of this Act. Plans and specifications available at the office of H. T. Cunningham, Resident Engineer, Childress, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 52-21c

projects, the San Francisco-Oakland Bridge, the Golden Gate Bridge, and the Hoover Dam in the Colorado River, was only 276 million dollars. . . The losses in the recent Chrysler strike have been estimated at 50 million dollars, or four times as much as the total 1939 expenditures of the American Red Cross.—Almon E. Roth, president of the San Francisco Employers' Council, in the Rotarian Magazine.

Be Wary For Health

The art of keeping fit is simply to tread warily and as far as possible to avoid getting sick. "Eat, drink, and be wary"—and thereby enjoy good health. Charge the "wary" to "merry" and interpret it as many do, and you know what the old saw says—"tomorrow ye die."—Dr. C. T. Tidmarsh in the Rotarian Magazine.

MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY



CHURCHES

Christian Science Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock. Sunday, June 16, 1940. Subject: "God the Preserver of Man." The public is cordially invited.

East Side Church of Christ Each Lord's Day—Bible classes at 10 a. m.; worship service at 10:45 a. m.; Young People's class at 7 p. m. Each Wednesday — Mid-Week Bible class at 8 p. m. Second and Fourth Lord's Days — Preaching morning at 10:45 a. m.; evening, 8 o'clock. "Come now, let us reason together, saith the Lord."

Senior B. T. U. The subject for Sunday, June 16, is "Praying for Others," with Chester Graham in charge of the program. Those who have parts on the program are: Alton Cavin, No. 1; Bertha Womack, No. 2; Syble Gobin, No. 3; Chippie Griffin, No. 4; Juanita Jones, No. 5; and Riley Griffin, No. 6.

Christian Science Services "God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 16. The Golden Text is: "The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower" (Psalms 18:2).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Withhold not thou thy tender mercies from me, O Lord: let thy loving kindness and thy truth continually preserve me. . . Let all those that seek thee rejoice and be glad in thee: let such as love thy salvation say continually, The Lord be magnified" (Psalms 40: 11, 16).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Work out your own salvation, is the demand of Life and Love, for to this end God worketh with you" (page 22).

Our Weekly Sermon

By Rev. Henry Ostrom, D. D., Member of Extension Staff, The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

Rain Text—Your Father . . . sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.—Matthew 5:45. Our attention is often caught by the fact that rain falls upon both just and unjust—a marvel of goodness indeed—but we frequently overlook the fact that our heavenly Father sends the rain. We can readily see that it does fall upon all classes, but we may miss realizing that it is sent.

Because we know the direction of the winds and the seasons of the year, together with a vast number of general facts and laws, we forget God. Like children who eat the food but forget the parents who produce and prepared it, we fail to consider "hath the rain a father?" (Job 38:28).

Although for a rainfall of only one inch over one square mile, the clouds that hold that water weigh 64,700 tons, we fail to remember that "God bindeth the thick cloud" as surely as that "he stretched out the north over the empty space, and he hangeth the earth upon nothing" (Job 26:7). Not only does He bind the cloud, but He constitutes it, He originates it, and He it is who causes the gentle rain to kiss into food and fragrance a million growths.

We trace a raindrop and we come to the cloud and to the wind, but how very far short is our tracing until we see above the cloud and back of the wind that the Creator provides them. One raindrop or one dewdrop contains enough interrelated hydrogen elements and designing to encourage me to adore God.

We may say that the earth moves on its axis, giving daylight after night, but who made the

In British Purge



Portrait of Capt. Archibald Ramsay, conservative member of Parliament, who was arrested by the British government, with many others, in a sweeping roundup of suspected enemy agents.

earth and who arranged the axis? Far better to accept the statement in God's Word: "By him all things hold together." The earth is a dead thing. The axis is imaginary. But Jesus Christ who manages this earth's rotation is living and real. It is common to remark that the rotation of the earth will produce sunrise in the morning. But is it not better to consider that our Lord gives us the dawn of day?

Farming and gardening can be done in the atmosphere of worship if we but realize how dependent we are upon God. Much as a blind man cannot see a work of art, so a person who has not received Christ lacks the realization of the goodness of God in the midst of daily toil. To him rain may be only falling water. But to one who has been justified in Christ, the fields, the growth, the sunshine, the rain all have a higher significance—to him they are God-sent. Rain is but a symbol of the love sent down from heaven.

Brief Bits of News From Here and There

A process has been developed by the Westinghouse Company by means of which meat may be made tender in three days instead of from four to five weeks, as formerly required in the cooling room. Several factors including humidity and temperature enter in, and in addition a special type lamp which destroys bacteria and keeps the meat sterile during its tendering process.

We now have in this country \$18,771,000,000 of gold exclusive of that held in our vaults belonging to foreign owners. This is estimated to be approximately 72 per cent of the entire monetary gold stock of the world. At the end of August gold owned by the United States totaled \$16,638,000,000. In eight months our supply of gold has increased \$2,133,000,000 or slightly more than \$265,000,000 a month. If purchases of gold by this country continue at the present rate, in two and one-half years we will own all the monetary gold in the world. Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau states that this country cannot stop buying the gold of other countries without disastrous consequences to our foreign trade and the investments of Americans abroad.

The cancer got its name 2,400 years ago from the Greek physician Hippocrates, who, noting the structure of the cancer with its central body and long extensions into the system called it cancer (the crab). To him it resembled, with its extending branches, a big crab. It wasn't until 1880, sixty years ago that the cancer was found to be the result of an abnormal overgrowth of cells.

There are 4,000,000 Christian Endeavor members in 80,000 societies in this country. The Christian Endeavor movement is 58 years old. It was founded by Rev. Francis E. Clark of Williston, Maine. The movement has spread to six foreign countries. According to physicians the human mouth contains more harm-

ful germs than the mouth of any other known animal. In the human mouth alone is found the pus-forming staphylococci bacteria and various streptococci and organisms responsible for trench mouth. Infections causing death or amputation are not uncommon results from a wound from human teeth.

There are 12 Negro owned and Negro managed banks and trust companies in this country with a combined capital of \$1,000,000 and assets of \$10,000,000 besides 18 savings, loan and real estate banks. The markings on a golf ball are not put there for decoration. Their purpose is to make the ball remain in the air longer after it is hit and hence travel farther. This is accomplished by the fact that when struck with the club the ball is given a back spin of from 2,000 to 10,000 revolutions a minute. The corrugations on the golf ball act in the air similar to the tread on an automobile tire causing it to lift or loft as it is caused. Tests have been made that have shown that a blow sufficient to drive a golf ball 230 yards will drive a smooth surfaced ball but 80 yards.

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

San Bernardino County, Calif., is the largest county in the United States, having a total area of 20,174 square miles—nearly as much as the combined areas of Maryland and Massachusetts.

Roughly 50 per cent of the world's population is in war.

The picture "Gone With the Wind" cost approximately \$5,000,000,000.

More money is spent for tobacco in the United States than is spent in maintaining the government.

Napoleon Bonaparte is said to have originated the system of numbering houses, odd numbers on one side of the street and even on the other.

The original tea company whose tea was dumped into the ocean by those who participated in the Boston Tea Party in 1773, is still doing business at its old stand at Churchill Street in London.

Cow's milk is 87 per cent water.

Sour milk has the same nutritive value that sweet milk has.

The custom of hand shaking originated in ancient times. The purpose in extending the open

hand was to show that it contained no weapon.

The film "Gone With the Wind" is the longest film ever made. It is 18,800 feet long or more than 3 1/2 miles.

Manufacturers of silk stockings for ladies purchase \$100,000,000 worth of silk from Japan annually.

According to H. L. Mitchell, member of the executive committee of the Southern Tenant Farmers Union, between 500,000 and 1,000,000 families in the cotton states have been displaced since 1930 because government loans and grants to southern land owners have enabled them to farm larger tracts of land with power machinery.

In 1939 American women spent \$475,368,098 for silk hose. More persons have been killed and injured in America since the coming of the automobile than have been killed or injured in all the wars in which this country has engaged.

During 1939 a total of 20,800,000 telephones were in use in the United States.

In commenting on the practice of many industries in laying off men at the age of 40, Henry Ford said recently, "My opinion is that men do not come to full usefulness until they are forty. Of the 85,967 Ford auto industry employees in the Detroit area, 34,437 are over 40. I don't believe in retiring men for age. The longer they work, the longer they live."

Traces of dinosaurs said to have lived on the earth one hundred million years ago were recently discovered in Texas. The foot prints preserved in stone measure 32 inches from heel to toe.

There are 22,750,000 school children in elementary schools in the United States.

Out of every 100 students in the schools in the United States 75 are in elementary school, 21 in high school and 4 in college.

The U. S. Government holds under loan foreclosures 86,000,000 bushels of corn, 20,000,000 of wheat recently sold to Canada at a price of \$6,000,000 less than was loaned on the corn to the farmers who raised it.

To operate a whaling boat a license costing \$1,000 is required by the U. S. Government and \$250 for each whaling boat. A government representative accompanies each whaling outfit to see that rules are observed, only whales in required size limits are taken, sticking calves are not taken, mothers accompanied by calves

Local Improvement

are not taken, and that all captured whales is utilized. Seventy per cent of the elementary school children live in the country or in small towns.

The biggest large-mouth taken by rod and reel was in Montgomery Lake, Ga. weighed 22 1/4 pounds.

Fish called Labyrinth Nest Builders construct a nest of bubbles in which numbering from 100 to 500, deposited, hatched and the parents tended.

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Texas, June 13, 1940



Wasted Effort in the Cotton Patch

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Associate Editor Farm and Ranch

sometimes said that "most of the insecticide applied to cotton is wasted, the insecticide being that most poison which when it is not needed, this is too generally true, the fact that most cotton is destroyed because nothing is done to offset their depredations. Insect control on cotton has been neglected in the west on the feeble alibi that the farmer does not know, how or when, he can do anything for the grower who fails or refuses to invest in himself on economic methods of increasing yields, the county agents and the state extension agents stand ready to give him the best of their knowledge and information on which intelligent farmer can plan his practices. The ability to recognize and control the will-they-threaten and the will-they-adopt proven methods of control is the key to future cotton profits through greater acre-yields at a lower cost per pound.

western cotton growers have adopted a regular schedule of insect control, beginning when the cotton is ready to begin fruiting and carrying on through the fruiting season. This is on the same principle that they fight weeds—they keep ahead rather than behind. Sulphur for flea hoppers, calcium arsenate for the boll weevil, the leaf worm and the boll worm, or a combination of the two put on at the same operation, with a good machine at regular intervals, five to seven days apart, does the job.

The machine may be anything from a single-row hand gun to a tractor-powered implement which covers several rows. Its essentials are a feed mechanism which will deliver either small or large amounts of the dusting materials, a nozzle for each row, and an air-blast strong enough to thoroughly spread the materials through the plants. A dusting machine to control insects is as necessary as a cultivator to control weeds.

Two Minute Sermon (By Thomas Hastwell)

Peace On Earth Inevitable: In the prophecy of Micah appears the expression "Nations shall beat their swords into plow shares and their spears into pruning hooks, nation shall not lift up a sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more." In the light of present world affairs the fulfillment of the prophecy does not seem any nearer today than when it was uttered more than 2,700 years ago. Even so I do not believe that the time is coming when there will be no more war upon earth. I believe the prophecy of Micah will one day be fulfilled because I believe that one day the Kingdom of God shall come upon the earth. When the Kingdom of God comes upon earth, war will disappear, because war and the Kingdom of God are incompatible. They cannot both exist at one time. The coming of the Kingdom of God on earth may be delayed, but its coming is inevitable. It is inevitable because it is a part of God's plan, and no human force can forever resist that plan.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

- June 17.—Sir Francis Drake landed on California coast, 1579. Amelia Earhart and two others left Tussey, Newfoundland, in a monoplane, 1928. June 18.—Amelia Earhart and companions alighted in the harbor of Durry Port, Wales, 1928. First alien laws passed, 1798. June 19.—First Colonial Congress (Albany convention) met, 1754. Statue of Liberty received from France, 1885. June 20.—Great seal of the United States adopted, 1782. First steamboat crossed the Atlantic, 1819. June 21.—First reaper patented, 1834. Platform scales first patented, 1831. June 22.—United States Department of Justice organized, 1870. Bank of New York (oldest) started, 1797. June 23.—Penn's treaty with the Indians, 1683. First practical typewriter patented, 1868.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

- One cup of uncooked rice usually makes four cups of fluffy boiled rice. The time required for making white sauce can be shortened by heating the milk before it is added to the fat and flour mixture. Waffle sandwiches are different. Canned milk can be whipped when thoroughly chilled. To beat eggs quickly, add a pinch of salt. Nuts may be added to almost any recipe for cakes, cookies, muffins, bread, biscuits or waffles in the proportion of one-fourth to one-half cup shelled nuts to every cup of flour used. To prolong the life of a large rug, snift it around every six weeks or so. This prevents constant wear on those sections covering the most-traveled part of the room.

Minister to Canada



Jay Pierrepont, state department "career man," who has been appointed U. S. minister to Canada, to succeed James H. R. Cromwell, resigned.

Concentration is the Key to Success, Says Psychologist Marston

The so-called "genius" has no more mental equipment than the average normal person. He merely knows the secret of applied concentration, says Psychologist William Moulton Marston, who discusses the "secret" in a current Rotarian Magazine article.

In this age of distractions, with interruptions by phone, friends, wars, noise, "scare," and our own flightiness, concentration "is essential to the full enjoyment of pleasures or to effective work," and upon concentration depends "a man's success in this specialized world," Marston declares.

The capacity for concentration is in no sense the exclusive property of genius. Indeed it is common to all of us until we lose it or let it atrophy. Concentration is interest in action. Interest in a task, when you attain it, creates attention as a tree bears fruit, and so you find yourself concentrating upon it without effort. Even though you dislike a task, some way can often be found to acquire this essential interest in it. Men who naturally dislike selling often learn to enjoy work by regarding it as a contest for kudos, a type of ambition game which naturally appeals to them. Many a lazy and excitement-craving girl has acquired interest in cooking, sewing, and housework, not directly, but indirectly, because it means to her husband, home, and children.

"Even after we begin manfully, to concentrate," there are "multiplicity of thoughts, half-thoughts, sounds, impressions that crowd into our minds and assail our best efforts." One must learn to "select ruthlessly from among many interests," and disturbances must be replaced by chosen thoughts. "You cannot push a thought out of your mind," the famed psychologist asserts. "You must replace it with another. If you doubt this, try Walter Pitkin's little joke: spend the next 30 seconds not thinking about the word 'hippopotamus'."

A one-track mind has its advantages, because all of us must cultivate a one-thing-at-a-time mind to win success. Aids to concentration outlined by Marston include memorizing, reading aloud, personalized dramatization of the thing at hand, and taking a seat directly in front of the speaker. The rewards of concentration are the ability to do more things, and a greater pleasure in doing them, he declares.

Scout Sponsorship

The American Legion on December 31, 1939, led all "organizations" in the United States for number of Boy Scout troops and Cub packs sponsored. Under the Legion's direction and by its aid, 2,397 troops and 193 packs, or 2,590 units, were carrying on. Next came Rotary, with 1,116 troops and 94 packs, together making a total of 1,210, which is 138 ahead of the figure for December 31, 1938.—From an editorial in the current Rotarian Magazine.

Practically every county in Texas has special laws regulating the taking of fish.

Nominated to SEC



President Roosevelt has nominated Sumner T. Pike, Maine Republican, to the Securities and Exchange commission. Mr. Pike is an expert in the oil industry.

Your Horoscope

June 11, 12, 13.—You are industrious, daring and brave, ready to go to bat, if necessary. You are impetuous in your decisions. You have strong ideals and are possessed with a conservatism which makes you hesitate to depart from the usual order of things. You have a strong spiritual trend and you want to know the inside workings of all things. You are merciful in your judgment of others.

June 14, 15.—You keep a tight hold on your purse strings but sometimes show generosity for a friend. You are loyal to your obligations but prone to do a lot of moving about. You keep your own council regarding your personal affairs and confide in no one unless it is a very close friend. You may ask advice from others but unless it is congenial to your opinion you seldom follow it.

SAFETY SLOGANS

A good way to watch the road is through the windshield.

Compensation can never take the place of a perfectly good arm.

The rest of your days depend in the rest of your nights.

If you have time to kill, use it for safety.

Money will buy lots of things, but it can't buy spare parts for your body that are as good as the original ones.

An ounce of prevention is better than a ton of compensation.

There's no trick to it. Practice safety every day and it will soon become a habit.

Picnic fires are lots of fun, but put them out when you are done.

Fire controlled is a friend indeed, uncontrolled a terrible fiend.

You don't need to be in the army to protect your country, put out that camp fire.

Fear fire and prevent it. Luck may live with you for many years or it may desert you today. Don't count on it.

Accident insurance is a good thing to have, without the accident.

When Drums Cease

When the drums shall cease and the banners shall be furled, we shall find a very difficult world in which to work. Prejudice and antagonism and the scars of battle will not be easily erased. Against the background of the common suffering of all humanity there will be vast opportunity for the application of friendliness, service, goodwill, and understanding as bases for lasting peace.

Norman Sommerville, K. C., Chairman of the Canadian Red Cross Society, writing in the Rotarian Magazine.

Trucks, before they will be accepted by the war department must be able to travel 45 miles an hour with a full load on the level. They must also be able to climb a 60 per cent grade with a full load.

A total of 375,000 persons die each year from high blood pressure in this country, according to Drs. E. V. Allen and A. W. Adson of Mayo Clinic. Heart disease hanks next as a killer with 350,000 annually.

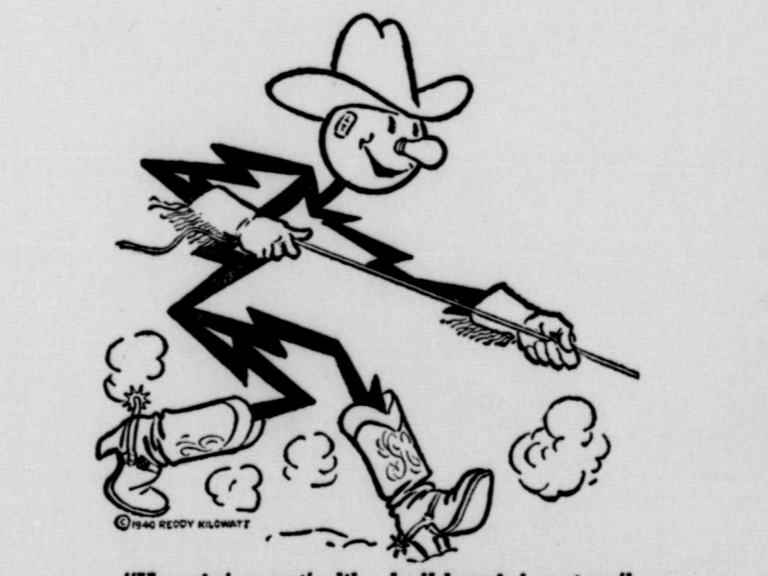
Research in the E. I. du Pont laboratories has revealed that the use of rayon in an automobile tire instead of cotton greatly increases the life of the tire. In a recent test by du Pont a tire with rayon fabric stood up for 80,000 miles while a tire with cotton fabric, tested under similar conditions, stood up for only 3,000 miles.

Judge Kennesaw Mountain Landis, the czar of organized baseball, receives a salary of \$65,000 a year. He was called in in 1920 to save professional baseball from demoralization through the acceptance of bribes by players to "throw" games.

Crime begins at home. Decency begins at home. The greatest of all recipes for crime prevention is understanding of boy nature by older people, especially parents. Understanding, plus effective guidance based on such understanding. It is chiefly from homes where misunderstanding or indifference occurs which drive boys into haphazard relationships outside, that the men are recruited whom we of the FBI later know, and conduct nation-wide hunts for, as kidnapers, murderers, forgers, thieves, rapists, and other public enemies. — J. Edgar Hoover, director, U. S. Federal Bureau of Investigation, in the Rotarian Magazine.

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Romance A Modern Linerider on the Range



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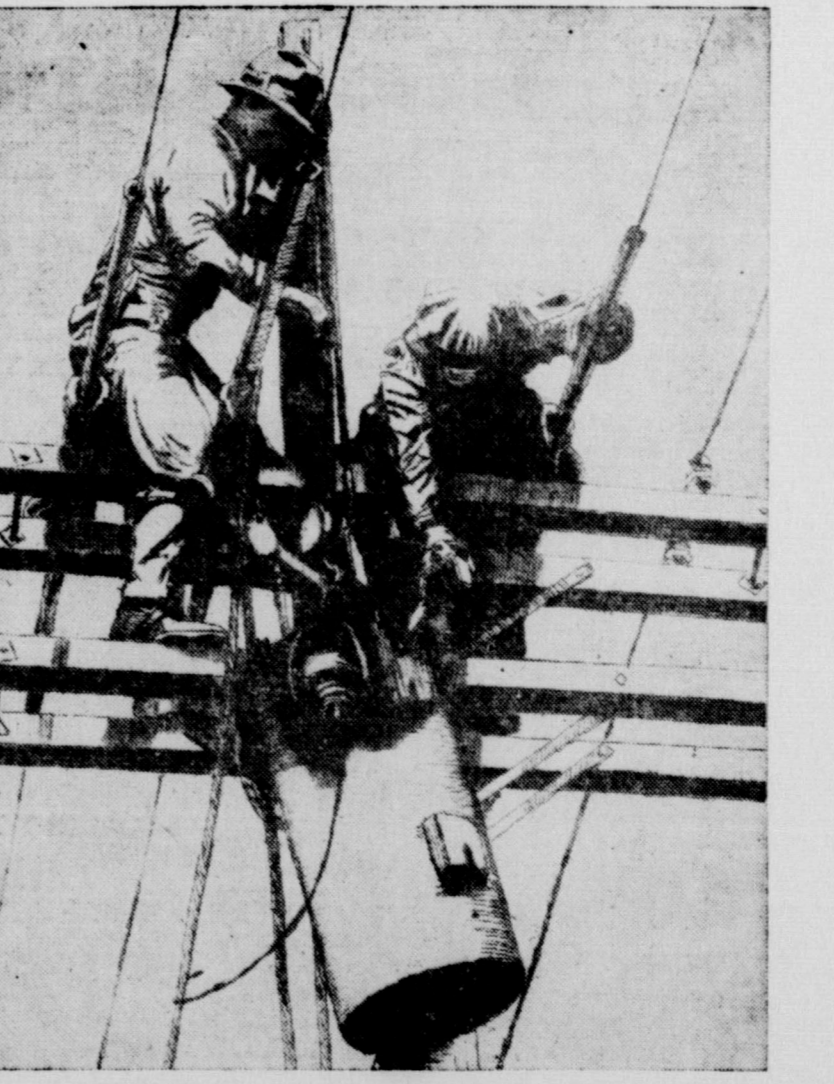
THE modern linerider has a language all his own, much the same as the West Texas cowboy uses a "range" tongue "foreign" to most of us.

These linemen are hanging a pot on a 50-foot Black Diamond. They are using a gut on the hot wires for protection against high voltage juice.

A "pot" is a transformer, fixed high up on a creosote pole. It reduces voltage to 110 or 220 volts so that electric current can be safely used in your home. A "gut" is the rubber line hose placed around the wires to prevent shock.

Until a worker is experienced enough to perch atop the pole without fear and without holding on with one hand, he is known as a "clumb-some." The man working on the ground, sending up tools and handling paraphernalia is called a "Grunt." "Coon that pole" is the signal to climb a pole when not equipped with climbing hooks or spurs. "Suck on it" means to take up the slack in a new wire being strung. A "johnnie ball" is an insulator. A "nigger-head" is a porcelain fuse cutout around which wires are tied on cross-arms for insulation purposes. "The Bear" is the sobriquet sometimes given "the boss."

Although the lineman's life is fraught with danger, he is a normal citizen... maybe your neighbor. He is one of hundreds of men and women working behind the scenes to help make Electric Service efficient, dependable, and economical here... On him we bestow a title of honor — A Modern Linerider.



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Advertisement for Miss Vernon Laundry. Text: SEND YOUR LAUNDRY TO US ... Relax and Take A VACATION EVERY MONDAY Every housewife, who has done her own washing, knows that a vacation from the wash board is indeed a grand one. So why not take a vacation like that, a permanent vacation? Our laundry can do your wash as cheaply as you can... and certainly a whole lot better. We get clothes spotlessly clean and hygienically pure, too! Start taking your vacation every Monday now. Notify Bruce Barber Shop for wagon to call. MISS VERNON LAUNDRY OWEN McLARTY, Solicitor

SOCIETY

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Weldon E. Hays and Miss Lillie Huskey Marry Here Tuesday

Weldon E. Hays and Miss Lillie Huskey of Crowell were united in marriage Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the Baptist parsonage with Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald performing the double ring ceremony.

They were accompanied by Mrs. O. W. Orr, Miss Sybil Hays, Miss Blanche Hays, Miss Ruth Huskey and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Owens.

The couple left Tuesday morning for a short wedding trip to Lawton, Okla.

Mrs. Hays is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Huskey, who live near Crowell, and was reared in this county. She was graduated from Thalia High School in 1932.

The groom is the son of Mrs. H. E. Hays of this city and was reared in Crowell. He attended the Crowell school and the Morrison Flying School in Helena, Mont. Mr. Hays is employed with the W. R. Womack furniture store and funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hays will make their home in Crowell, residing in the garage apartment recently completed by C. B. Graham in the north part of Crowell.

GARDEN CLUB PICNIC

The Crowell Garden Club closed its activities for the year 1940-41 with a picnic at the South Pock of Park Thursday afternoon. A bounteous picnic lunch was served by the members.

The club had as guests, the County Highway officials, county judge and county commissioners and the mayor and city council. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Spillers and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bracher of Childress.

Following a few words of welcome to those present, the club president, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, introduced Mr. Bracher, district engineer, who complimented Foard County for the splendid co-operation it had given to the district work. Mr. Spillers joined Mr. Bracher in commending the splendid work which has been done in Foard County.

Mr. McClamer from the State Department of Education, gave an outline of the work that is being done by the department for crippled children, who are unable to get an education otherwise. He complimented the Garden Club for its activities, saying that one must be educated from the standpoint of beauty as well as in other lines, that by cultivating beauty, health is improved, morals improved and that cultivation of beauty gives the spiritual side of the mind something to feed upon.

The picnic was an outstanding feature of the year's activities.

B. & P. W. CLUB

Mrs. Alva Spencer was installed as president of the Crowell B. & P. W. Club for the 1940-41 club year last Thursday evening when the club met in regular business session at O'Connell's. Other officers installed were: Mrs. M. O'Connell, vice president; Mrs. M. Welch, recording secretary; Mrs. R. L. Liles, treasurer; and Mrs. Valton Wallace, corresponding secretary. A gift from the club was presented to Miss Gusta Davis, retiring president. Plans were made for a picnic on June 20. Miss Gussie Todd was named chairman of arrangements for this affair.

Mrs. Payton Powers was elected to membership in the club.

Texas produces annually about \$1,500,000,000 worth of raw products. The actual wealth contribution to the state in raw products annually is nearly five times as great as that in manufactured goods.

Shower Given at Vivian Honors Mrs. Charles Ferguson

On Friday afternoon, June 7, at 3:30 o'clock Misses Rosalie and Bernita Fish were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given at their home in the Vivian community honoring Mrs. Charles Ferguson of Crowell, who was Miss R. S. Rasher before her recent marriage.

As the guests arrived they were asked to register in the bride's book presided over by Mrs. Ernest Johnson of Corpus Christi, sister of the bride. Games were engaged in by those present. The gifts which were many and useful, were presented to the bride by the hostesses. Miss Bernice Walling presided at the punch bowl.

Those present from out-of-the-community were, Mrs. Henry Ferguson, Miss Ruth Ferguson, Mrs. J. B. Rasher Jr., and Miss Claudia Carter of Crowell; Mrs. J. M. Sosebee of Anson. Several sent gifts who were unable to attend.

FORTY-TWO CLUB

The Forty-two Club was entertained by Mrs. W. B. Tysinger at her home last Wednesday afternoon.

Aside from three tables of members, Mrs. Tysinger had as guests, Mrs. Ralph Bell, Mrs. Hartley Easley, Mrs. Grover Cole, Mrs. John Carter, Mrs. A. L. Rucker and Mrs. A. F. Wright.

Punch was served during the course of the afternoon and a lovely salad plate was served following the games.

The next meeting of the club will be on June 19 with Mrs. Paul Shirley as hostess.

FOARD CITY SOCIETY

The Foard City Woman's Division of Christian Service met June 10. Mrs. W. L. Johnson gave a very interesting devotional.

"Life of Miss Holding" was the program for the afternoon. Mrs. W. L. Johnson was leader and the following gave parts: Mrs. J. M. Glover, Mrs. Laura Johnson, Mrs. J. M. Barker, Mrs. Blake McDaniel and Mrs. Virgil Johnson.

The next meeting will be held at the church June 24.

Courage Is Contagious

I am convinced that courage is the most contagious human quality in all the world. Heroism may thrill and cleverness intrigue, but courage stirs to action. It knows not weariness nor defeat; builds not on another's weakness but in its own strength.—William F. McDermott, Chicago journalist and clergyman, writing in the Rotarian Magazine.

Men and Jobs

Self-help (co-operatives), like WPA, is something to tide us over until the nations of this world solve their economic problems and recognize the fact that no civilization can possibly survive which does not furnish every individual who wishes to work a job at wages on which he can live decently.—Eleanor Roosevelt writing in the Rotarian Magazine.

T. U. Taylor, veteran engineering dean emeritus at the University of Texas, each year awards ten \$15 scholarships to young engineering students who are working their way through school "by the sweat of their brow" only. He requires simply a C average for his unique awards.

A new Texas industry for 1940 is the Geophysical Machine Works, which will manufacture scientific machinery. It will be located in Houston.



Mrs. Harrell Rea, formerly Miss Dorothy Avolyn Arnett of Fort Worth, arrived Monday with her husband to establish their home in Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. Rea were married in Fort Worth Tuesday of last week. He is pastor of the First Christian Church of Crowell.

Red Cross--

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greatest natural calamity in which the American Red Cross has operated in the 60 years of its history. In that disaster 1,000,000 persons required assistance. Twenty-five millions of dollars were contributed in response to Red Cross appeals in this relief operation. Several foreign countries sent funds. In another example, public contributions of \$10,000,000 were spent in relief of drought sufferers in 1930 and 1931. The New York-New England hurricane of 1938 required a Red Cross expenditure of \$1,700,000 for

emergency and rehabilitation care for 14,000 families.

As in other great catastrophes the American Red Cross must "follow through" on the European job. It has been estimated that \$20,000,000 will be needed if minimum needs of the victims of war are to be met. The problem before the American Red Cross means providing emergency food, shelter, clothing and medical supplies until the gap is somehow bridged.

Many thousands of the homeless civilians forced to flee their homes now have no homes to return to, nor any possessions, whatsoever. Most of them were unable to take anything along as they hurried for their lives from

danger zones. Many are wounded. Others are sick.

As America's official disaster relief agency, the Red Cross is duty-bound to lend the full strength of its resources in this country and abroad in relieving human suffering resulting from major catastrophes without thought of issues involved or restrictions of race, creed or color.

The American Red Cross has been on the job in Europe since the outbreak of war last September. Before the lowlands were invaded, it had spent \$1,500,000 for relief needs growing out of the invasion of Poland and Finland. Up to a month ago American Red Cross chapters had produced approximately 300,000 garments and millions of surgical dressings for war relief purposes. As the war spread, chapter production has been sharply increased to meet rapidly multiplying needs. American Red Cross trained disaster relief workers are in Europe. The first of a fleet of Red Cross "mercy ships" from this country is being prepared to sail for France with a million-dollar cargo of medical supplies, ambulances, food and clothing. Thousands of dollars worth of emergency supplies have been rushed overseas by clipper plane.

Up to June 10, approximately \$5,200,000 had been spent by the American Red Cross for European war relief. Additional millions are desperately needed and will be translated into aid to suffering humanity as funds are contributed through the \$20,000,000 war fund campaign, which now has approximately the 10-million dollar mark. The National organization is urging chapters to bring their local campaigns to a successful close by June 30.

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air bases and other defense measures.

Turkey Will Stay Out

The Turkish government decided Wednesday to stay out of the war at present, but to redouble its defensive preparations. Turkey was poised for several days this week to plunge into the war at the side of the Allies.

Egypt Takes Steps Nearer
It was reported Thursday morning that the Italian ambassador to Egypt was handed his passport papers and asked him to name an embassy to take care of Italian interests in Egypt.

Although 1939 earnings of the Curtis Publishing Company, publishers of the Saturday Evening Post, were 67 per cent over 1938, the 1939 profits were less than half the amount needed to meet dividend requirements on the company preferred stock. During the depression the unpaid dividends due the preferred stock has mounted to \$14,000,000. The company plans a revision of its capital structure.

Urges Co-operation



Greater co-operation between state and federal social agencies to lessen the economic problem was urged recently by Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins before the LaFollette committee in Washington.

ROTARY CLUB

Rotarians Johnny Jones and Arthur Wey of Quanah were invited to the meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday noon. The program was in charge of John Nagy and consisted of drawings and vocal numbers rendered by Miss Dorothy Pett with Miss Thelma Lois as accompanist.

A new mercerized sheer of hose has been developed by the Department of Agriculture and cannot be distinguished from a distance of several feet. The new type hosiery will be made by the Gotham Silk Hosiery Co. and will sell for 99 cents a pair. The product should materially increase consumption of cotton in the country.

The town of Kilgore shows population increase of more than 1,000 per cent within eight years after discovery of oil in East Texas. Nine other East Texas towns showed an average population increase of 180 per cent.

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is leaving in its wake vast numbers of wounded, homeless, starving men, women and children. America's great challenge, as a Christian Nation, comes today from these helpless people—to do a Christian act by helping them to survive until such time as they can help themselves.

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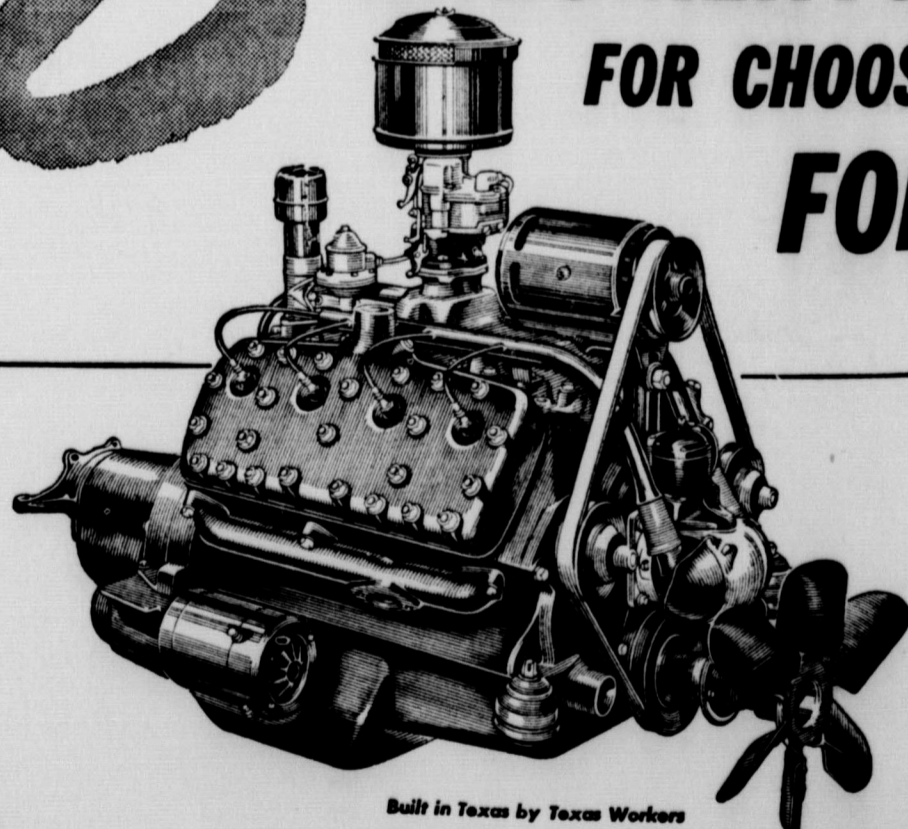
accepts this challenge and knows in advance that you, as Christians, will help.

THE RIALTO THEATRE

accepts this challenge and will donate a sizeable share of its Box Office Admissions on Wednesday, June 19, to the Foard County Red Cross chairman, George Self. On the Screen

THURSDAY "REBECCA" with Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine FRIDAY 10c Night Wallace Beery in "MAN FROM DAKOTA" Good Comedy	SATURDAY George O'Brien in "Legion of the Lawless" —Also— TWO LONE RANGERS DOLLS GIVEN FREE At 4 p. m. And "Lone Ranger Rides Again," No. 1	Sat. Night Preview SUN.-MON. CLARK GABLE JOAN CRAWFORD in "STRANGE CARGO" Paramount News Cartoon—Orchestra	TUESDAY MERLE OBERON in "OVER THE MOON" —Added— "Spots Before Your Eyes" "A Rainy Day"	WEDNESDAY "WOMEN IN WAR" Sponsored by RED CROSS —Also— "West Wall" Today's Battlefront Vividly Described by Major George Fielding Elliot, famed Military Strategist.	THURSDAY "HE MARRIED HIS WIFE" with JOEL McCREA NANCY KELLY
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