





**NEW YORK**

The wife of a friend startlingly good looking, came into town from her country place on business. Finding it would take longer than she expected, she registered at an inexpensive though respectable hotel and went buckety-buckety off to bed, turned on the radio and crawled in—since it was a very hot night—in the raw. About to turn off the radio and go to sleep, she heard a click of a key in the door—and in walked two men, peering suspiciously in odd corners of the room and under the bed. Mad to the teeth, but unable to move, for lack of a pair of pajamas, our friend demanded who, and what right, and did everything but scream. And thereupon the two men announced for fifteen minutes, begging her not to sue, but that, really, they were house detectives, and they guessed, ha ha, that the man's voice they heard in her room was, only the radio!

General O'Ryan, police commissioner, has finally settled the problem of coat or no coats for cops on duty. With regulation shirts they wear no coats during the day if the temperature is above 85 degrees. They wear coats, regardless of temperature, from midnight to 8 a. m. But they don't have to carry thermometers!

Mid-town vendors are sometimes most objectionable:

Pretzel sellers with their big pretzels open to the street dust, piled high on sticks projecting up the sides of large baskets.

Lemonade vendors who sell poisonous-looking stuff in unattractive little wheeled carts for a couple of cents a drink.

Coconut sellers whose slices of white coconut are laid open to the dust and dirt on top of carts that are equipped with a watering can as the only cleansing agent the cocoanuts know.

There are other street vendors who deserve encouragement: Attractive, permanent and well-kept fruit stands and the cut-flower salerons whose roses, carnations, gardenias and mixed corsages add color and fragrance to a city that sometimes seems grey.

My guess is that the greatest consumers of water in New York during the summer, are messenger boys. From the blistering street to the offices of all sorts all day long they pause at nearly every drinking fountain they encounter in the hallways of the buildings.

No one can accuse the Salvation Army of not being up to date. Up a little platform and two young men who sing hymns in harmony. That of course, is nothing very new. But the manner of doing it all, is decidedly new! The melody is right. The harmony is good. But they've adopted the radio technique that sounds for all the world like a couple of crooners.

Suburban parts of Long Island such as Oyster Bay, are nearly an hour away from Manhattan by train and subway. And for a long time there's been much speculation about the possibility of seaplane commutation. And now it's an actuality. It's a nineteen and a half minute trip, and lands the passengers within five minutes of the financial district.

While farm produce is not one of the major items in the long list of the New York Administration's mighty works, we've been hopefully watching that last little remainder of agricultural Manhattan that lies in the northwest corner of Bryant Park. Three stalks there were, but alas, two are gone, so we can but pray the more fervently for the remaining plant, that it may grow and ripen into a lovely full ear of corn—to the glory of Commissioner of Parks Moses!

Summer amusement in New York: riding the Staten Island ferry boats, to escape the heat; riding the 'round Manhattan boat for an all 'round view, of the island; walking the waterfront, with barely perceptible orders of foreign wares in the huge warehouses; swimming in one of the dozens of pools in hotels and clubs; cocktails on roofs or one of the air conditioned cocktail lounges and restaurants; riding the tops of buses up Riverside Drive and down Fifth Avenue to Washington Square.



May We Suggest-

**DRY CLEANING IS BEST**

ANY small saving that you might make by cleaning clothes at home is greatly overbalanced by the risk you take in fire that might in one stroke wipe out the savings of a life time. Let us clean your clothes.

**JIM SETTLE » THE TAILOR**



IF our entire building should burn, our vault would still be secure! If you have valuable heirlooms which you are not using constantly, store them where they shall be safe at all times. They are easily accessible in our vault and constantly protected. If you are leaving your home for a week—or a year—store your silver and valuables in a safety deposit box. Our rental rates are most reasonable.

**CITIZENS STATE BANK**

**Your Motor Car Can Burn**

But the chances are that it will not if you have the wiring checked at intervals by our competent mechanics, fully equipped to correct any irregularity and point out places of deficiency.

The best automobile repair, wiring inspection and installation—Why not have your car gone over during Fire Prevention Week and put in condition for Winter service.

**ANDERSON CHEVROLET COMPANY**  
Factory Trained Mechanics



The Chief Says-  
"TO SAVE LIFE AND PROPERTY, OBSERVE THESE NINE RULES"



1. Be sure your match is out before you throw it away.

2.

Put out the last spark of your cigarette or cigar.



3. Don't let oily rags or dry waste accumulate in a pile or in a corner.

4.

Burns any rubbish in a spot where there is no danger of spreading. Watch it carefully.



5. Have electric wiring inspected regularly and repaired when necessary.

6.

Don't use benzine, kerosene or naphtha for cleaning purposes.



7.

Keep your chimney and heating system clean and in perfect working condition.



8.

Do not leave camp fires anywhere before they are wholly extinguished.



9. Keep matches and fire beyond the reach of children.

**PLAY SAFE!**



WE endorse Fire Prevention Week whole-heartedly. All the year around we promote safety. Our trash-burner at \$1.45, our fire-proof garbage cans at \$2.65 are small investments which might easily save you from great loss. See them . . .

**Cross Plains Hardware Co.**

**TWO WAYS TO ASSURE SAFETY**

◆ PREVENT  
◆ INSURE

No right-thinking man intentionally thoughtlessly allow fire hazards which may sooner or later be the cause of complete destruction. Prevent fire! Insure against loss! Be doubly safe. Let us explain the many ways we can protect you against fire losses. And at most reasonable rates.

**Tom Bryant Insurance Agency**

**What Lies Behind Safe Heating Service**

Back of every piece of material that goes into the construction of a well equipped heating system there are hours of research, inspection, testing and diligent toil, to make the system "fool proof" and avoid inflammable disasters. We are proud to say that this company has ever maintained a vigil to keep its lines and connections up to standard as a precautionary measure for consumers, their property and the public general.

For inspection of any expected irregularity call our local office for a complete "check-up" without cost of course.

**Southwest Gas Co.**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clegg of Eckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. By Rogers of Dallas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cener.

Mrs. Lewis Helms and daughter Marjorie left Friday for Hamlin, where they will make their home.

Ralph Buckingham of San Angelo was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cutbirth, family of Eula, visited his sister Mrs. W. C. Adams and family, today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook were visitors in Abilene Saturday.

**SINCLAIR HC GASOLINE**

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could lift a  
**500-Ton Locomotive**  
8 stories

Ask the Sinclair Dealer for a folder which explains this—and try H-C for 30 days in your car.

Agent Sinclair Refining Company (Inc.)  
**T. Y. WOODY, LOCAL AGENT**  
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### FAIR WEATHER — by A. B. Chapin



### Notice of Application To Lease Land Of Minor.

No. 1108  
Guardianship of Birma Lee Brummett, a minor.  
In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas.  
To all persons interested in the above minor of her estate:  
You are hereby notified that I have on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1934, filed with the Judge of the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, an application for authority to make to J. E. Bedingfield, as lessee, an oil, gas and mineral lease, of that certain tract of land described as follows: Being situated in Brown County, Texas, and

being an undivided 1/24 interest in and to 160 acres of land, more or less out of the S. E. Corner of the James Simmons Survey No. 779, and being described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the S. E. Corner of said Simmons Survey; Thence N. with the E. line of said Survey No. 779, 950 varas more or less to S. E. Corner of a 100—2/3 acre tract out of the N. E. Corner of said Survey owned by Z. T. Westerman heirs; Thence W. with the S. line of said Westerman tract, pass the S. W. Corner of the same, continuing in all 350 varas to the N. W. Corner of this tract; Thence South, parallel with the E. line of said Survey, 950 varas, more or less, to corner, in S. line of said Survey, 950 varas W.

from its S. E. Corner; Thence E. with said line 950 varas to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less; And that said application will be heard in the County Court room of the Court house of Callahan County, Texas, on the 8th day of October, 1934, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 p. M. and said hearing may continue from day to day as the court may decree.

Witness my hand this 16th day of August, 1934.

J. H. BRUMMETT,  
Guardian of estate of Birma Lee Brummett, a minor.

### A Little Reunion On Wheels In Sept.

It was on one September morning 1934, we organized our little family group which includes one brother and three sisters, the only survivors of once a large family.  
We went back to our old home in Parker county, where we moved from to this part in 1880. We visited the most cherished places of our childhood days. We were disappointed in many things we were looking for.  
Even my old stick-horse had broke his bridle and got away. The old swimming hole has filled in till it would barely swim a duck. The trail that lead over the hill to the old Hemphill Valley was very dim but we imagined we could see our foot-prints on some of the stones.  
We visited the old cemetery where we have parents and grandparents that date as far back as 1863. In spite of our determination to look on the bright side we had to drop a tear of sadness now and then in memory of the past. But all in all we had many hearty laughs in remembrance of things that happened fifty and sixty years ago.  
We visited the old school house that stands upon the hill where I finished my nine months school career. By misfortune I had to quit school and take the plow handle to fight the wolf from the door. I've been using the same defence for these many years. I've had him at a nice distance at times. But last night in my dream I heard him howl just over the hill. So in conclusion will say the little auto solved the problem of a long rough visit.

Davis Montgomery and Sisters  
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Westerman, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford, left Tuesday for Austin and San Antonio for a few days visit.  
Judge Jess Carter of Houston was a business visitor here this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reiger and family and Lanier Adams of Glade-water spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams.

### CROSS CUT

Lavonia Clark and Olois Box attended the show in Cross Plains Wednesday night.  
Billie Clark and Charles Jackson attended the show in Cross Plains Tuesday night.  
June McDonough and Etelle Looney were in Cross Plains Saturday.  
Willie Mae Gaines and A. B. Hunter attended the show in Cross Plains Saturday night.  
Charles Jackson and Fred Campbell were in Cross Plains Saturday night.  
Linden Newton was in Cross Plains Saturday night.  
Bryant Moore entertained with a dance Friday night.  
Dorcas Pickett is visiting in Lovington, New Mexico, for the next few months.  
Lee Melton of Ballinger spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melton.  
Hayden Elsberry of the C.C.C. Camp of Stephenville is visiting friends and relatives here this week.  
School opened Monday, September 17, with a large enrollment. There were 42 in high school, the largest number in several years. The teachers, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Newton, Mrs. Leewright, Mr. Plummer, Miss Tyson, Mrs. Hughes, and Miss Erin, say they are ready for one of the most successful terms in the school's history. And outside of that, they are applying for state affiliation in several high school subjects. A new bus has been purchased, and children are brought in from a different direction this year.  
Darwin Anderson, Cross Cut youth and former graduate of our high school, is teaching his first year in Williams, an affiliated school, after completing his college work in Denton. Congratulations, Darwin!

**WOULD YOUR TIRES STOP YOU IN TIME? " " "**

**THE GOODYEAR MARGIN OF SAFETY**

**GOODYEAR ALL-WEATHER**  
43% Longer Non-Skid Mileage . . . No Extra Cost.

**DOUBLY GUARANTEED**

1. Against road hazards.
2. Against defects for life.

Skidding—cause of 5½ times more accidents than blow-outs—becomes more dangerous as winter approaches. For quickest stops buy "G-3" Goodyears—proved safest by 8,400 tests.

When you must suddenly jam on your brakes, averting an accident often is a matter of inches. Well, stop tests on slippery pavement show: on smooth tires you slide 77% farther, on other new tires you slide 14% to 19% farther than on new "G-3" Goodyear All-Weathers. That's the Goodyear Margin of Safety—a big reason why more people buy Goodyears than any other tire. Since it costs you nothing extra, why not have this margin of safety on your car too?

**GOODYEAR SPEEDWAY**

Built with Supertwist Cord. A lifetime guaranteed Goodyear—full oversize—with Center Traction for quick stops and tough thick tread for long mileage. Value you get because Goodyear Dealers sell the most tires—by millions!

495—4.40  
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Prices subject to change without notice. State sales tax, if any, additional.

**NOW! THE NEW TYPE "H" GOODYEAR ALL-WEATHER TRUCK BALLOON**

Designed for fast over-the-highway service on trucks and trailers. You can now expect sensational results. Phone for salesman.

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**Electric Cookery—Modern, Fast, Clean, Dependable, Automatic, Accurate, Healthful, Simple and Economical**

**Satisfied Customers Are Electric Cookery's Greatest Selling Helps**

What this Company says of Electric Cookery is of negative importance; but the testimonials of hundreds of satisfied users, who are your neighbors and friends, you would hold in high esteem. We have such letters and invite your inquiries about them.

The Superb quality of Electric Cookery is unexcelled. It has withstood every test of the most discriminating of housewives. It preserves the natural flavors of food and cooks the food at the least minimum expense and effort without reducing the wholesome properties of the food.

Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule . . . and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

**West Texas Utilities Company**

**Hi-Way Service Station**  
W. R. (Bill) LOWE, Proprietor  
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS





Specials for Saturday

- Flour** 12 lbs " " 59c  
24 lbs " " 99c
- CORN FLAKES, Red&White 10c
- PICKLES, qt. whole sour or dill 19c
- COLOA-HERSHIES 1/2 pound 9c  
1 pound 14c
- MUSTARD—qts. 14c
- SYRUP—Brown Rabbit 58c
- COFFEE—2 lbs Red&White 67c
- SOAP CHIP—5 lbs Blue&White 33c
- APPLES, nice size Jonathans, doz 20c
- ORANGES—Medium Size doz 25c

Market Specials

- BACON—Sugar Cured Sliced 27c
- CHILI—Our Make—Brick 15c
- STEAK—Good Seven 12c
- ROAST 10 to 12c

PORTER J. DAVIS

The Red & White Store

PIGGY WIGGY FALL FESTIVAL of FOODS

- FLOUR Gold Crown \$1.80
- CRACKERS, 2 lbs box 22c
- LIPTONS COFFEE 1 lb 30c  
3 lbs 87c
- PEPS & CERIAL 1 lb. 15c
- PEANUT BUTTER 5 LB 65c
- MOTHERS COCOA—2 lbs 25c
- CORN Gentleman, Country 25c
- PORK SAUSAGE—lb. 15c
- APPLES Nice Size—doz. 15c  
Jonathan
- SOUR PICKLES—Quart 17c
- SALAD DRESSING QT. 26c

- LETTUCE, large firm head 6c
- VANILLA WAFERS L B. 20c
- POTTED MEAT—3-5c cans 10c
- TUNA MEAT 2 for 25c
- Union Leader Tobacco 2 for 15c
- CHUCK ROAST LB. 10c
- SMOKED BACON—lb. 25c
- WEINIERS LB. 15c
- VEAL LOAF MEAT—lb. 10c

Clyde Walker, who is attending Daniel Baker College at Brownwood spent the week end here with his parents.

Mrs. Jack Mathews and Mrs. L. W. Bryan visited in Abilene last Wednesday.

Truckers

1929 Ford High Speed Truck, Stake body \$150.00

1931 Ford Truck, Dual Wheels, in good shape \$325.00

SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL USED CARS

McADAMS MOTOR CO.

Mrs. J. E. Henkel Is Club Hostess

A very interesting afternoon was spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. E. Henkel by the local Home Demonstration Club. There were twenty present including seven new members.

Miss Bida Moore, county H. D. Agent gave a helpful talk on Pantry and wardrobe demonstration and what they meant to each member. Some profitable time was spent in making a "foundation pattern," also tailored button holes. Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. A. Huckaby, Oct 9. The "foundation pattern work" will be continued for that meeting.

Thanks Friends

I wish to use this medium of thanking neighbors, friends and everyone, who helped to extinguish the fire at a grainery at my place Tuesday night.

Also, I wish to convey my appreciation to the Cross Plains fire department and Mrs. W. J. Gray for their service.

To everyone who helped to prevent this fire loss I say "Thanks a lot."

L. O. Payne.

Mrs. Joe Wieler returned Friday night after a three months visit in Pennsylvania.

Stanley Carmichael of Hamlin, spent the week end here.

BURKETT

Sarah Mae Hounshell

Mrs. S. D. DeBusk and son, Raymond spent Saturday night and Sunday in Brownwood with Mrs. Joe Eubank.

Bruce Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perry of San Angelo were Tuesday guest of Mrs. T. A. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carroll and children of Santa Maria, and Mrs. T. B. Carpenter and son John of Blanket spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

Miss Annie Golsen entertained the young people Friday night with a slumber party.

Mrs. G. W. Boyle is spending this week with Mrs. A. W. Burkett of Coleman.

Miss Dorothy Wesley spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Franz Freeman of Cross Plains.

Miss Clois Porter of Brownwood was a Burkett visitor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bullock spent Saturday night and Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Evans and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wesley, and daughter Dorothy, Mrs. T. A. Burns and Wayne and Donald Newton attended the big circus in Abilene Saturday.

Minister and Mrs. J. P. Salyer are spending this week in Dublin with relatives and friends.

Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh presiding elder of the Cisco district, will preach at Blake, next Sunday morning.

Tin Shop

Tanks, Cisterns, Gutters, down spout. Stove pipe, flues, rain-proofs. Stoves and refrigerators repaired. Work done in shop or on the job.

J. E. Henkel Second Hand Store and Tin Shop

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NOW SHOWING KEN MAYNARD

"KING OF THE ARENA"

With LUCILLE BROWN, JOHN ST. POLIS and Bobby Nelson Plus Wolf Dog Chapter 4 Cartoon and Comedy

SUNDAY MATINEE, MONDAY and TUESDAY BERT WHEELER And ROBT WOOLSEY

"COCKEYED CAVALIERS"

With THELMA TODD And DOROTHY LEE. Plus Cartoon and Comedy

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY "PALOOKA"

With JIMMY DURANTE, LUPE VELEZ STUART ERWIN, MAJORIE RAMBEAU, WILLIAM CAGNEY And THELMA TODD, ROBERT ARMSTRONG, MARY CARLISLE Also selected Short Subjects

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Optometrist and Watch Repairing. Holmes Drug Company Baird, Texas

I Dare You—

To read these cut rate prices and say they are not real values. FOR SATURDAY and MONDAY ONLY

- Bulk Perfumes that sell for \$1.50 and \$2.00 per ounce 1 oz. 50c
- 1—Assortment of \$1.00 Face Powder 49c
- 55c—17 oz. Almond Hand Lotion 39c
- Pound Jar Double Whip Cleansing Cream 39c
- 1—10c St. Josephs Aspirin } Both for 26c
- 1—25 St. Josephs Penetro } both for 26c
- 1—25c Black Draught } both for 26c
- 1—10 St. Josephs Aspirin } both for 26c
- 30c Mentholatum 23c
- 1—50c Rubbing Alcohol } both for 48c
- 1—50c Milk Magnesia } both for 48c
- 1.25 Mentodyne Cough Remedy 73c
- Full Pint Mineral Oil (heavy grade) 40c
- Full Pint Olive Oil 40c
- Vegetable Tonic 60c
- 1.20 Electric Laxative( All round 49c
- 60 Syrup Pepsin 98c
- \$1.20 Syrup Pepson 23c
- 40c—6 oz Tasteless Castor Oil 15c
- 25c Size Epsom Salts 59c
- 1—59c Thymoline Mouth Wash } 59c
- 1—25 Thymoline Mouth Wash } 59c
- 25 lbs—3.00 size LeGears Poultry Prescription 2.15
- 60c size LeGears Poultry Prescription 39c
- 1.25 Over the Top Tonic 69c

Smith Drug Store

AND WE HAD IT

"I've looked several places for a certain article and found it nowhere, I don't suppose you'd have it in a drug store", a lady said to us the other day. "What is it you're looking for Madam", we inquired. She stated and we walked to a show case and immediately displayed the very article for which she had been searching. She was highly pleased and so were we. Try this store first our stock is complete, from the most intricate drugs to alarm clocks and back to fountain delicacies praised by every taste.

CITY DRUG STORE

Yes

We are moving to our new Location October 1st and for the This Reason. We are offering Some Real Bargains in Used Furniture.

Everything Goes at Reduced Prices.

SATURDAY, SEPT., 29th

Come Early and be First to Pick your needs—Bring your trading stuff with you. We trade and treat you right.

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Across Street From Bond Bros Grocery Cross Plains, Texas

Closing Out Grocery Sale

We have leased our Building.

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Friday & Saturday, Sept. 28-29

We Will Sell Our Entire Stock of Groceries and Feed. At Money Saving Prices

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PURE CANE SUGAR

10 LB BAG 55c  
25 LB BAG \$1.33

- Red Pitted Cherries, No. 2 can 10c
- Spinach, Deer Brand, No. 2 can 2 for 17c
- Post Toasties, large size 10c

BIS QUICK 20 oz. pkg. 19c  
40 oz. pkg. 33c

- White House Milk 6 Small Cans or 3 Large 17c
- Palmolive Soap, 3 cakes 14c
- Super Suds Small 2 pkgs Large 17c
- Black Pepper, 2 oz. size 5c

SPECIAL Ann Page Beans MED. CAN 5c LARGES CANS 9c SPECIAL EXCELL BRAND Crackers 2 lb. box 22c

- Fresh Tomatoes lb. 8c
- Janathan Apples, doz. 17c
- Oranges, nice size, doz. 23c
- Nice White Potatoes, 10 lbs 25c
- Rajah Salad Dressing pint 17c quart 29c
- Grandmother's Bread, loaf 7c
- 8 O'Clock Coffee lb. 19c

Watch our Windows for Added Specials