

## M. B. Jones, T & P Engineer, Victim Of Gunshot Wounds

M. B. Jones, 54, veteran Texas & Pacific freight engineer, was shot and fatally wounded Tuesday at 12:10 as he was leaving L. L. Blackburn's office.

Fred Brackeen, 32, a local cook telephoned the sheriff's office and walked up the street where he met W. L. Henry and asked him to take him to jail which he did and Brackeen surrendered a 25 Colt automatic to Sheriff Edwards.

Mr. Jones was carried to the Griggs hospital, he never rallied and died at 6:20 p. m.

Attendants at the hospital said one bullet entered the head above the left ear, another grazed the back of Jones neck and a third entered the chin and came out through the mouth.

Officers said they removed a .25 automatic from the person of the injured man.

The two men are said to have had some misunderstanding and had been talking in the lobby at the postoffice and walked down the street where Jones entered the office building and as he came out of the door he was shot.

Mrs. Jones, accompanied by her two sons, M. B., Jr., 16 and Donald, 13, and her mother Mrs. Maggie Johnson arrived from Ft. Worth on the Sunshine a short time before the death of her husband.

The body was removed to Wylie Funeral home where it lay until 3 p. m. yesterday when funeral services were held at the Methodist church, the rites being conducted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church, and interment made in the family plot in Ross cemetery.

Moses B. Jones was born at Brookton, Texas January 5, 1882. He was married to Miss Jewell Johnson of Baird on May 19, 1912 who with two sons, M. B., Jr., and Donald, survive him. Deceased is also survived by his aged mother, Mrs. C. T. Jones of San Antonio who was unable to attend the funeral, also two sisters and four brothers, Mrs. C. T. Curry of San Antonio, Mrs. E. F. McCall, Dallas; O. C., Manton, Warren and Ernest Jones of Arizona, who were here for the funeral.

Mr. Jones has been with the Texas & Pacific Ry. as engineer for the past 30 years, his regular run being between Baird and Ft. Worth. He came in on his regular freight run early Tuesday morning and was to take his train out in the afternoon. Mr. Jones was a member of the Central Methodist church, Ft. Worth, and the B. of L. E. organization.

A number of friends and fellow railroad men came out from Ft. Worth to attend the funeral.

The floral offerings were most beautiful.

Wylie Funeral home were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

## Grand Jury Returns Twelve Indictments

The fall term of the 42nd. Judicial court for Callahan county convened Monday with Judge M. S. Long presiding.

The grand jury was empaneled with A. R. Kelton as foreman and up to 3:30 p. m. Wednesday had found 12 bills of indictment when the jury was dismissed subject to call.

H. L. Meyers, held in connection with shots fired at Clifford and R. F. Jones and attempt to rob the First National Bank at Baird was held under three indictments.

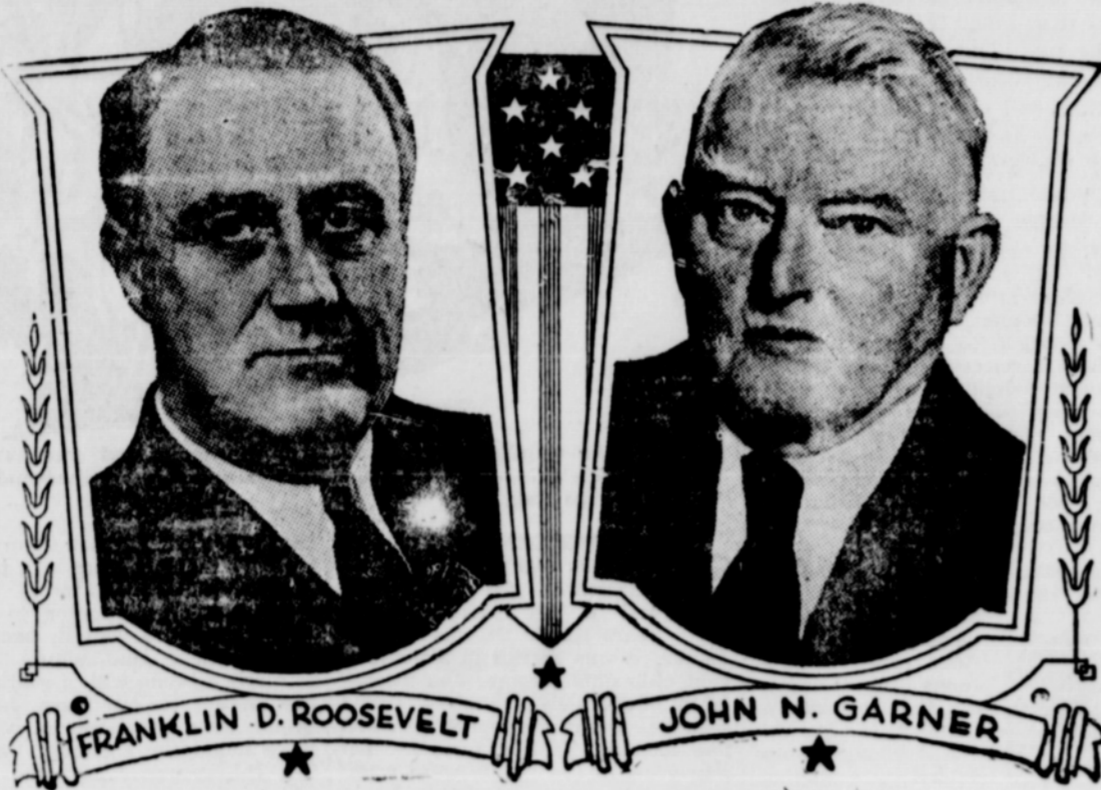
Fred Brackeen was indicted for murder, charged with the death of M. B. Jones, T. & P. engineer.

J. M. Searcy faces a perjury indictment, growing out of testimony given in a theft case at the last term of court. Three indictments, two for burglary and one for hog theft, named J. W. Adams.

Other indictments were against: Bill Bell, two cases of forgery; Henry Hayes, felony theft, and B. W. Pruitt, driving a car while intoxicated.

All of these cases, also the case of Joe Totten, under a murder charge transferred from Taylor county are set for Monday, November 9th.

Callahan Chapter O. E. S. will meet Tuesday night Nov. 10th. in regular session. Mrs. L. B. Lewis, Worthy Matron who attended the recent meeting of the Grand Chapter will give her report at this meeting.



## Democrats In Sweeping Victory Over Nation

President Roosevelt and the New Deal won one of the greatest victories in Tuesday's election in the history of the nation indicating by the sweeping victory that the American people have spoken in unmistakable terms.

Roosevelt has 523 electoral votes to Landon's 8, he having carried only two states, Maine and Vermont.

Roosevelt leads in Texas 8 to 1. Five of the proposed state consti-

tutional changes seemed sure of passage, but the other which would have given the state full control of liquor, appeared to be defeated. It had only 135,772 favorable votes as compared with 174,672 in opposition.

The proposals finding favor were: Teachers' retirement pensions—for 168,051; against 150,910.

Workmen's compensation for state employees—for 187,843; against 122,387.

Revision of pardoning system—for 225,268; against 88,767.

Salary increases for state officers—for 172,960; against 141,053.

Limitation to seven house members—for 187,766; against 115,255.

Some 2000 votes were cast in Callahan county. Roosevelt's vote was 1739, Landon 245, Lemke 4, Thomas 2. Only two of the proposed amendments carried in the county: Pardon system and limitation of house members.

## T. W. Fulton Died Following Long Illness

T. W. Fulton, 66, of Baird died at an early hour Sunday morning at the Griggs hospital, death resulting from heart complications from which he had suffered for several months.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church at Admiral Sunday afternoon, the rites being conducted by Rev. J. R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church of Baird and interment made in the Admiral cemetery.

Pall bearers were Ed Davis, Nolia Smartt, Herbert Summers of Admiral and Jack Flores, Baird.

Mr. Fulton and family lived in the Admiral community for a number of years before coming to Baird.

T. W. Fulton was born at Hutchison, Dallas county, Texas August 25, 1870. Later he moved to Athens, Texas and in 1888 moved to Caddo Peak in the southeast part of Callahan county. He was married to Miss Maggie Brown of that community in 1892. Eight children were born to this union, two dying in infancy. Five daughters and one son with his wife survive him. The children are Mrs. J. W. Woodard, Misses Mellrose and Burma Dean, and W. B. Fulton of Baird; Mrs. E. O. Summers, Lubbock; Mrs. A. W. Gibson, Rodia N. M. He is also survived by eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Other survivors are seven brothers and one sister: E. C. Fulton, Baird; V. L. Fulton, Cottonwood; Warner Allen Reed Fulton and Drue Fulton, Las Cruces, N. M.; Floyd Fulton, Manguin, Okla.; Jim Fulton, Lubbock; John Fulton, Lefors, Texas; and Mrs. Walter Bailey of McLean. There is also a large number of nieces and nephews and a host of friends who mourn his going.

All of the children of the deceased Mr. Fulton had been a member of the Church of Christ since early manhood.

attended the funeral, also his brother, Jim Fulton of Lubbock, V. L. Fulton and wife of Cottonwood, E. C. Fulton and family of Baird.

A large crowd of friends were present at the funeral.

## Griggs Hospital News

Donald Dunlap, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Dunlap of Belle Plain, who has been seriously ill with general peritonitis for the past week is in a critical condition.

Mrs. W. B. Griggs, suffering from heart complications is some better.

Mrs. Lewis Hall, a medical patient, is improving.

Richard Windham was a patient Wednesday for X-Ray of injured ankle.

E. J. Kendrick of Denton and Howard Barton of Tecumseh were tonsillectomy patients the past week.

## Business Houses To Close Armistice Day

The following business houses will be closed all day Wednesday, Nov. 11, Armistice Day:

Sam Wristen, Leon & Wylie Gro., Bowls Hdwe. Store, George Morgan, A. B. Hutchison, W. B. Barrett & Son, A. & P. Food Store, Jones Dry Goods, B. L. Boydston, Curtis Variety Store, E. Cooke, Roy D. Williams, Modern Shoe Shop, Aaron Bell, Mayfield's, Ashby White, Baird Auto & Radio Supply, Earl Johnson Motor Co., West Texas Utilities Company, Swinson & Tankersley, Fulton Barber Shop, McElroy Co., Lacy's Barber Shop, Grimes Beauty Shop, Vogue Beauty Shop, Ray Motor Co.

## New Model Cars

We call the attention of our readers to the announcement of new model automobiles on display.

The new Chevrolet will be on display at Ray Motor Co. Saturday Nov. 7th.

The new Ford will be on display at Earl Johnson Motor Co. Saturday, Nov. 14th.

The new Pontiac is now on display at Alexander Motor Co.

## Mrs. Berry To Be Honored at Centennial

Plans are being made by the Callahan County Club to honor Mrs. M. C. Berry, widow of the late Capt. A. J. Berry, hero of San Jacinto, with a visit to the Texas Centennial at which a special day is to be designated. At a meeting of the club yesterday, Bob Norrell, R. L. Edwards and Earl Johnson were appointed as a committee to make arrangements.

## PREACHING NOTICE

Rev. W. E. Hawkins, Jr. of the Radio Revival, KRLD, Dallas, will preach at the Midway school house Saturday night Nov. 7th. at 7:30 o'clock. He will preach at the Deep Creek tabernacle Sunday morning Nov. 8 at 11 a. m. and at the Hart school house at 2:30 p. m. the same day.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Especially do we ask those of the communities to attend.

—Committee

The First National Bank of Baird will observe Wednesday, November 11, 1936, as a Holiday and will not be open on that date.

## MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

Annual Red Cross Roll Call; November 11-26; 1936

The annual Roll Call for the Callahan Chapter of the American Red Cross will begin on Armistice Day, November 11th, and end on Thanksgiving Day

There is little need for me to remind citizens of our community how vital the Red Cross is in the life of our country. During the past year, both from actual observation and from the accounts of work done which were carried in daily newspapers, we have seen just how important it is that we have an active agency of the American people to administer assistance when the need arises.

The frequency with which this need does arise has been demonstrated during the past twelve months when we recall the floods, the tornadoes, the hurricanes, and the epidemics that have been suffered in various parts of this great country, and the work that the Red Cross has done to relieve distress and actual suffering as a result of these catastrophes. Other but less spectacular work carried on by the Red Cross has been just as important.

The Red Cross comes to us now with another appeal for membership dues that will finance the work during the year ahead. Our Red Cross asks little from the community, yet contributes much to the general welfare of our people.

For this reason, I sincerely urge those who are asked to participate in this great program by paying the relatively small membership to respond in a spirit of good neighborliness. I hope all will take part in the work by becoming members of the society.

It gives me great pleasure, therefore, as mayor of Baird to hereby set aside the designated period as the time when all past members will be asked to renew their membership and for those who have not enrolled before to add their names to the ranks of Red Cross in our community.

Let us all do our part.

H. SCHWARTZ, Mayor

## Bears Take Conference Workers Selected For Game From Putnam Panthers, 12 to 6 Annual Red Cross Roll Call

The B. H. S. Bears decidedly upset the dope bucket last Friday by handing the strong Putnam Panthers a crushing 12-6 defeat to make it 3 straight in as many seasons on a heavy muddy field.

The game was a 60-minute thriller with spectacular blocking, ball carrying and tackling by Baird's Grover Wiley, ably assisted by his teammates. Jack Everett played an A-1 game for the Panthers in the backfield. Both lines showed some real zip and gains through this route amounted to very little.

The Bears accounted for the first 6 points on a pass from Dub Ashton to Captain Gorman in the second stanza. The duo tried for the extra point but failed. The same combination attempted another touchdown play late in the same period but missed by inches. Putnam scored about mid-way in the 3rd. quarter when Jack Everett stepped off 43 yards to pay soil. A pass for the extra point was incomplete. The Bears retaliated in the same quarter with the last tally, climaxing a march from their own 37 yard stripe and never losing the ball, as Doyle Chrisman ripped off 17 yards over his own right tackle for a touchdown. A pass was incomplete for the extra point.

A Panther threat was stopped in the 4th. quarter after Jack Everett had tucked in a 12 yard pass from Shackelford and galloped 36 yards before he was downed on the Bear 12. A penalty gave the Bears a break and Panther power plays were smeared for losses. The ball went over on downs, the Bears kicked out of danger and the game was over.

First downs were 8 to 3 for Baird. Attempting 9 passes, the Bears completed 5 for a total of 48 yds. Putnam passing the ball 6 times with 4 good for 49 yds. Baird drew 20 yds. in penalties as to 45 yds. for Putnam. Scrimmage gains for Baird were 69 yds. for Baird, 163 yds. for Putnam.

The win puts the locals in a tie for 3rd. place with Clyde. The traditional enemies meet in their conference clash Nov. 11 at Clyde which should prove to be district 11-B's highlight for that date.

## Admiral Club Has Achievement Day

Wednesday Oct. 28 was Achievement Day for the Admiral H. D. S. C.

The club met with Mrs. Nolia Smartt, who is wardrobe demonstrator for this year. After inspecting Mrs. Smartt's two clothes closets and other improvements, the ladies went to Miss Bertie Eastham's and found her two closets in perfect condition, one closet provides ample space for the two sisters clothing, shoes, hats and hose, ample space above in a separate division for the quilts, on the back porch is a closet twelve inches deep and forty inches wide to take care of the over-shoes, work hats, coats, mop, broom and other things. The ladies went next to Mrs. Joe Higgins to see the nice and convenient closet in her kitchen that takes care of the many things from dust and wall space.

Other visits were made to the homes of Mrs. C. W. Whittles and Mrs. L. Walker inspecting closets and cabinets.

The club will meet with Miss Bertie Eastham Nov. 11 at which time the subject 'Table Service' will be discussed.

The H. D. S. C. ladies entertained their families with a Halloween party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nolia Smartt Oct. 29. Games were played and prizes were given the winning sides. About 60 people were served coffee and doughnuts.

## 4014 BALES COTTON GINNED. IN CALLAHAN COUNTY

The government cotton report, dated Oct. 18 shows 4014 bales of cotton ginned in Callahan county up to that date as compared with 3210 the same date last year. J. H. Shrader, special government agent sent us this report.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. R. A. Walker, pastor will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at both the morning and evening hour.

Mrs. Earl Johnson, chairman of the annual Red Cross Roll Call has named all her workers for the drive which opens Armistice Day. Each local chairman named by the county chairman have selected their sub-chairman who will name as many helpers as is needed to thoroughly canvass the county. The local chairmen are Baird, Mrs. Ace Hickman; Clyde, Mrs. Will Barton; Cross Plains Cottonwood, Dressy, Mrs. Paul Boase Denton, Mrs. Evan Barton; Putnam, Mrs. John Cook and Junior Study Club; Oplin, Mrs. Robert Slough; Admiral, Mrs. Bill Hatchett; Midway, Mrs. Roberta Mayes; Eula, Mrs. Lester Farmer; Dudley, J. D. Kaufman; Iona, Mrs. Leo Tyler; Belle Plain, Mrs. I. A. Warren; Hart, Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough; Erath, Mrs. Eugene Green; Tecumseh, Mrs. Dolph Hodges; Rowden, Mrs. J. A. Sikes; Oak Lawn, Mrs. Ernest Hill. Sub-chairmen in Baird: N. E. part, Leota Alexander; N. W., Mrs. Ashby White; S. E., Mrs. E. C. Fulton; S. W., Mrs. B. F. Russell, Jr.

Mrs. Johnson is making a special effort toward establishing a Tuberculosis Clinic in Callahan county. Supt. J. F. Boren of Baird Public Schools spoke at a recent meeting of the local Business Club, on the aims of the Red Cross and on Tuesday night, Judge B. L. Russell spoke at the Plaza Theatre on "What the Red Cross has done in the past in Callahan County". L. L. Blackburn will speak Tuesday night at the Plaza on the Red Cross Clinic.

## REV. SCOGGINS ATTENDING CONFERENCE

Rev. J. A. Scoggins, pastor of the Methodist church left Wednesday morning for Houston to attend the annual session of the North-west Texas Methodist Conference.

For the first time in the history of Texas, a joint conference of the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal church South is being held in the state, this being one of Methodisms contributions to the Centennial of Texas Independence.

## Plaza To Have Local Talent On Stage

The management announced this week that plans have been made to bring local talent to its stage, in the form of an amateur contest. Three classes of talent will be given an opportunity to be seen; beginners, intermediates and experienced entertainers will compete in their own sphere in th contest. To insure a good show, auditions will be given by competent musicians to the entrants in Clyde, Baird and Putnam before they are put on the program. Those wishing information about entrance inquire at the box office of the Plaza Theatre and fill out the form printed in this paper. The audience will be the supreme judge, giving three sets of prizes.

## Garden Club

The Garden Club met Nov. 3rd. at 9 a. m. in the court house. Mrs. Felix Mitchell gave an interesting paper on chrysanthemums. Mrs. Bearden gave a number of recipes on Prickly Pears and also passed petals of a specie of Mexican Caeti. The club adjourned to meet Dec. 1st.

## Masonic Meeting

Baird Lodge No. 522 A.F. & A.M. was host Thursday night of last week to a get-together, meeting of all Masonic Lodges in the county at a Barbecue supper served at the hall.

The principal speaker of the evening was S. B. Cantey, chairman of the Committee on Education and editor of the Masonic Grand Lodge Magazine. His subject was Masonic History. Capt. George T. Lamar of Cross Plains, District Grand Deputy also addressed the meeting as did Hon. Clyde Garrett of Eastland, congressional man-elect of this district.

Every Masonic lodge in the county was represented.

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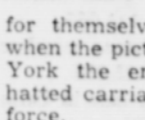
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**STAR DUST**  
Movie • Radio  
\*\*\*By VIRGINIA VALE\*\*\*

"THE Gay Desperado" is an important picture in more ways than one. It is the second of the two pictures made by the producing unit formed by Mary Pickford and Jesse L. Lasky some time ago—and certainly it seemed likely that those two veterans of the movie industry ought to be able to turn out good pictures.

But the first, "One Rainy Afternoon," fell flat as a bad sponge cake. And at first the second one seemed doomed to similar failure. Then it began to catch on. It deserves the success. It is one of the most delightful pictures made in a long time, and one of the funniest. And Nino Martini, its handsome hero, has one of the most gorgeous voices that the movies have been able to lure from the operatic stage.

The entire cast of "The Gay Desperado" is excellent. Leo Carrillo nearly steals the picture. Mischa Auer is irresistibly funny. Ida Lupino, as the heroine, is better than usual.

And young James Blakeley, playing the only serious role, is excellent. He is one of the ever-growing number of Social Registered New Yorkers who are making names for themselves in Hollywood, and when the picture was shown in New York the ermine-coated and top-hatted carriage trade turned out in force.



Ida Lupino

Those ever-watchful statisticians who check up on the popularity of radio performers are discovering that it's the comedians who forget the script occasionally to tuck in an amusing remark they've just thought up who are the most popular. Bing Crosby does it—and how much better those programs are since he returned from his vacation.

Very important people, these talent scouts for the big movie producers. And how they favor certain happy hunting grounds! One of their pet spots is a night club in New York called The Paradise.

The other night Samuel Goldwyn's scout was there, a fact hastily revealed to the cast of the floor show—or to most of them. Naturally, they played to him. But one girl didn't.

She is Joyce Duskin. She is quite tall, very pretty, and wants to sing. A while back in a newspaper she saw a call for girls to work in a night club. She'd never had experience of that kind, but she applied, and got a job. But—the last show isn't over till nearly three in the morning. That means sleeping late the next day, and leaves no time for music lessons. Possibly she was considering that fact when the movie scout was scouting her show—anyway, she didn't even know that he was there!

Claudette Colbert is still convalescing from her automobile accident. But as soon as she's well enough, she'll return to the caste of "The Maid of Salem." After that plans will be made for her next picture, "Woman Interne."

Among her other distinctions, Greta Garbo is the only movie personage rebelling against compulsory enrollment in the Screen Actors' guild who was not suspended by Actors' Equity. Lionel Barrymore was among twenty-four leading actors and actresses who were barred by Equity from appearing on the legitimate stage.

Paulette Goddard rushed off East for a vacation recently before settling down to work on the first of the two pictures in which Charlie Chaplin will direct her and at the same time raise her to stardom. He has broken a rule by buying a story, "Regency," for the second of these pictures—till now he's always written his own. He has rewritten many of his efforts, too, in days gone by, to make them suit his critical fancy.



Paulette Goddard

Odds and Ends . . . Fessholt Tone and James Stewart have just signed new contracts with Metro . . . It's reported that Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor will be married early in December . . . despite rumors of his new devotion to Greta Garbo . . . Joel McCrea, as a boy, adored the Westerns made by Bill Hart and Tom Mix—and says he won't be happy till he's made one himself . . . Julia Sanderson and Frank Crummit are one of the most devoted couples on the air—or off it, either, for that matter . . . Clark Gable gave Carole Lombard a gold bracelet and a puppy for her birthday.  
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**FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA:  
MORE POWER TO THEM**



The girl—she weighed perhaps a hundred pounds, and was as pretty as a Shasta daisy—on that same afternoon had led a thousand-pound steer into the ring.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS  
THE other night I sat at dinner between a girl of fourteen and a boy perhaps three years older. It was a large dinner; it was served in a magnificent club dining room, and attended by perhaps eight hundred; it had speeches and music and flowers and fine food to make it formal. Yet four-fifths of the guests were country-bred youngsters who had not yet reached their eighteenth year, and some were real little rustics. For example, the group that went up in the elevator with me had never been in an elevator before, and were in a great state of laughing excitement over it.

They came from several western states to California for an annual meeting; these eager, brown, unsophisticated happy children were appointed delegates to a serious convention. Just what that convention was anyone in the neighborhood of my little girl on the left and my tall boy on the right could not have been long in doubt.

They were cattle raisers; they were experienced stock hands at fourteen and seventeen. They leaned across me to discuss food and weight, and what steers lost in railway handling, and where they were going to get their calves or lambs or shoats to raise as possible prize-winners next year. The girl—she weighed perhaps a hundred pounds, and was as pretty as a Shasta daisy—on that same afternoon had led a thousand-pound steer into the ring, a magnificent prize-winning animal she had raised from a feeble little calf. The boy had reared the finest animal in all the show; a great Hereford whose horns had been hung with ribbons and whose mighty neck had been wreathed with roses. Bought for sixty dollars as a calf, groomed and fed and exercised by his owner, taken hot food on cold winter nights and guided to shady creekside meadows in the hot Yolo Valley summer, this tremendous brute had become as gentle as a kitten, and followed his owner into the prize ring without a halter—to a halter, by the way, these infants professionally allude as a "hackamore."

And who are they and what do they do and what is it all about? Well, these were questions I had to ask myself on the occasion of my being their guest, and the answers are fresh in my mind. They are all members—indeed, they are only the delegates that represent unseen hundreds of members of an organization that calls itself "The Future Farmers of America." They have an emblem, a creed, a constitution; their purpose is the study of agriculture. Affiliated with it, or a part of it in this part of the world at least, is a society called the "Four H Club." The four branches of it are health, head, hand and heart, and these more than six hundred children certainly brought glowing, brown-cheeked bright-eyed health to this dinner, and brought their hands, heads and hearts as well.

Each of them had in some manner procured a young animal about a year, or ten months ago; a calf, a lamb, a suckling pig. Each had then assumed the responsibility of raising this animal for the meat market. Sometimes it was on Dad's stock farm, sometimes on a ranch given over entirely to fruit or wheat, sometimes on a three-acre place on the borders of a country town. Each studied government bulletins, wrote to authorities, mixed food, carried pails of water, watched carefully for symptoms of sickness, estimated carefully the values of weight, measurements, quality of coat and hoofs, the placement of flesh.

"There's where you want the weight," an eager girl of fifteen said to me, showing me a photograph of herself and her "pen" of three ribbon-winning yearling porkers. "I'm lucky with stock," a shy, red-headed boy admitted. "I was offered a job tonight by Burgenmaster!" he added proudly. "Burgenmaster's the biggest stock man up our way and he says he'll pay me a hundred a month to run his sheep business."

Two of the prize entries were made by orphan boys whose only

home is the Salvation Army Shelter. This place is up in a particularly beautiful California valley, and I am shortly going to accept an invitation to visit it, because it sounds like a real home. Indeed, in many a home with a real mother and father in it these freckled, proud little stock-raisers wouldn't have found the freedom, the fresh air, the responsibility, the delight of having and raising their own fine farmyard animals. So score one more orchid up for the wonderful old Army, that keeps its feet so close to the good sound earth even while walking with its straw-bonnetted heads in heaven.

We have a good many magnificent movements for child-saving and child-development in America; we have more of this sort of thing than has any other nation in the world. Our children are our wealth, and we know it, and from top-milk and scraped carrots, all the long way through struggles with tonsils, adenoids, teeth-straightening, posture, skin, hair we do our best for them. They have plunges and gyms and sport fields at school, they have folk-dancing to limber them up, harmonics and dramatics and drawing classes; they have clinics and libraries, Scout and Campfire clubs, outings and swims and picnics innumerable. Parents and teachers lie awake at night planning fresh advantages for the children.

But this junior livestock exhibition association is new to me. I wish it had been in existence when the many boys I have raised were small. For, while the boy thinks he is raising a steer, the steer is really raising the boy. The little animal, dependent upon the child for care and food, grows strong and straight; but the boy gains the more important lesson of kindness, learns to accept responsibility, learns to remember feeding hours and stable regulations. In short, at an age when most children are unthinkingly taking everything and giving nothing to the world in return, these youngsters have already enrolled themselves among the producers, the givers to life, the builders of the great agricultural country that is farming America. With dignity, with enthusiasm, with intelligence and with real ideals of service this young army is growing in our midst—it has 83,000 members now, and branches in forty-seven states, beside Hawaii and Porto Rico. Which state isn't in, by the way?

And in these days when we hear so much half-baked un-American doctrine, when infants in High School babble admiringly of Russia and girls in their teens murmur that India and China, as older civilizations, have the real secret of philosophy it is as refreshing as a breeze right off the Rockies to meet these sun-burned, absorbed, loyal sons and daughters.

Stock raising has its tragedies, for these animals are raised for beef, for mutton, for pork, and they no sooner reach a point of perfection than they are killed. A one-ton steer, a two-hundred pound hog, will never make ideal household pets. Yet naturally the owners do make them pets, and even prizes and cheers don't immediately cure the heartache those owners feel when the big brutes are led trustingly away to the slaughter. Local butchers bid for the prime meats; the thousand-pound yearling steer brought his owner \$750.

But the tall boy was very serious as he accepted praises, blue ribbons, silver cups. "They could have 'em all back again," he muttered to a fellow-farmer of seventeen, "if it'd put Blackie back in his shed tonight! I keep feeling as if I'd thrown him down."

However, by this time all the young stock-raisers are probably over the pangs of parting, and busily at work on new lambs, new shoats, new calves again. And my advice to all mothers of restless farm and small-town boys is to get them into this movement. No boy in the world would be hurt by adopting the slogan of the Future Farmers of America:

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By Mary Pickford

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Lesson for November 8

THE CHRISTIAN WARFARE

LESSON TEXT—Acts 19:8-12, 18-20; Ephesians 6:13-20. GOLDEN TEXT—Be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. Eph. 6:10. PRIMARY TOPIC—When Paul Preached in a Schoolhouse. JUNIOR TOPIC—In a Schoolhouse in Ephesus. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Weapons of the Christian Soldier. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Gospel Facing the Forces of Evil.

War, war! The whole world is war-conscious in our day. Nations are watching one another with suspicion, and in the meantime arming themselves for conflict. Hatred and suspicion are rife, and as long as sin rules the hearts of men we long in vain for peace, which cannot come until that day when the Prince of Peace himself shall reign.

Yet every Christian hopes and works for the peaceful solution of the nations' problems. Right thinking men do not want war between the peoples of the earth. But there is one warfare that we do seek to foster and promote. We encourage it, and as Christians make a holy resolve to battle to the end. That is the warfare against Satan and his hosts. As long as he rules in the hearts of men, and sin and wickedness are here, we say, "Fight on, my soul!"

Christian life and service are presented in Scripture as a fight, and we do well to learn the methods and the weapons of this great spiritual conflict, not stressing a belligerent note of strife against one another, and particularly not between the divisions of God's army in the earth, but standing shoulder to shoulder in the battle against the Evil One.

Our lesson presents a picture of I. The Lord's Warrior (Acts 19:8-12).

Paul, who is now on his third missionary journey, comes again to Ephesus, the leading city of Asia Minor, and the center of the worship of the heathen goddess, Diana. He tarries there for about three years.

Like a good tactician he began his campaign at a strategic point, the synagogue. He brought forward his God-given weapons, "reasoning and persuading." Some he won, others disbelieved—the sad fact which even this greatest of all preachers had to meet.

God attested his work by miracles. The soldier of the Lord does not go into battle alone. Nor does he fight in his own power. God gave him

II. A Mighty Conquest (vv. 18-20).

When a man's profession of faith in Christ carries with it an open forsaking of his confessed misdeeds—a true change of life as well as a declaration of belief—there has been real dealing with God.

Notice, that they burned the bad books found in their homes, even though they were valued at thousands of dollars. Christian, how many books or magazines are there in your home now that minister only to the lowest in your nature? Oh, yes, they may be "literature," they may be in beautiful bindings; you may even read them "in the original," and regard the reading as cultural. But if they are bad books, are you ready to follow the Ephesians in destroying them?

Finally we have from Paul's letter to the Ephesians the glorious presentation of the Christian's

III. God-Given Weapons (Eph. 6:13-20).

This is a familiar, but none the less rich and instructive, passage. We have space to note only that there are (1) five weapons of defense; namely, the girdle of truth, the breastplate of righteousness, the shoes of peace, the shield of faith, and the helmet of salvation, and (2) one mighty weapon of offense, the sword of the Spirit—the Word of God. A glorious and impenetrable armor and equipment for battle!

But it will do us not the slightest good unless we obey Paul's admonition and put it on.

Christian, are you wearing and using "the whole armor of God"?

Judging From Appearance Men in general judge more from appearance than from reality. All men have eyes, but few have the gift of penetration.—Macchiavelli.

God's Way The strength and the happiness of a man consists in finding out the way in which God is going, and going in that way, too.

Acts That Bring Results No act fails fruitless; none can tell how vast its power may be; nor what results, enfolded, dwell within it silently.—Bulwer.

A Friend Indeed Keep close to thy Best Friend, and He will refresh and cheer thee.—Spurgeon.

God's Holiness We must not only bless God for all his benefits: we must rejoice in his holiness.—McIntyre.



The Man Who...

Tales and Traditions from American Political History

FRANK E. HAGEN and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

HISTORIC MURDER

ONE hundred and ten years ago a man was murdered and as a direct result of that crime we now have, every four years, national conventions of delegates from every state and territory in the Union to nominate candidates for President and vice-president. Here's how it came about:

In 1825 William Morgan of Batavia, N. Y., published a book which purported to reveal the secrets of Freemasonry. Soon afterwards he disappeared and the Masons were not only accused of having kidnaped him and drowned him in the Niagara river but also of blocking a proper investigation of his disappearance. From western New York, opposition to the Masons spread to other states and several demagogic young politicians, among them Thurlow Weed and William H. Seward of New York and Thaddeus Stevens of Pennsylvania, seized upon the movement to promote their own ambitions.

The result was the organization of the Anti-Masonic party and in September, 1830, the first Anti-Masonic convention of any party, was held in Philadelphia, attended by 95 delegates from ten states. It was decided to hold another convention the next year to nominate candidates for President and vice-president and this meeting was to be composed of as many delegates from each state as there were representatives in both houses of congress.

Accordingly in September, 1831, the convention was held in Baltimore and it nominated for President William Wirt of Maryland, who had been attorney-general in Monroe's cabinet, and for vice-president Amos Ellmaker of New York. In the election of 1832 these candidates won only the electoral vote of Vermont. Later this party was absorbed by the Whigs and lost its identity, except in Pennsylvania where it elected a governor in 1835 and continued as a separate party for a few years.

But during the Anti-Masonic party's short existence it had pointed the way for others to follow in the method of choosing candidates. It gave them the national nominating convention and while convention procedure has since been changed in many ways, from that day to this the fundamental principle upon which it was based has remained unchanged—democratic representation of the party constituency.

KANSAS CAMPAIGNER

THE state of Kansas is in the limelight this year because for the first time in history a nominee of one of the major parties comes from the Sunflower state. Moreover, it has two candidates for the presidency—Gov. Alf. M. Landon heading the Republican ticket and Earl Browder of Wichita, the leader of the Communist party.

This is not the first time, however, that a Kansan has been a nominee. Back in 1884 there was another, also a governor.

His name was John Pierce St. John, a native of Indiana, an adventurer in California in the gold rush days, a lawyer in Illinois and a soldier in the Civil war, rising to the rank of lieutenant-colonel of an Illinois volunteer regiment. After the war he moved to Missouri where he practiced law for a time and became noted as a political orator. In 1869 he moved to Kansas where he was to win his greatest renown.

He served in the state senate in 1873-4 but declined re-election and in 1878 was elected governor by the Republican party. Re-elected in 1880, he won the Republican nomination for a third term in 1882 but was defeated in the election.

Always a pronounced enemy of the liquor traffic, St. John was nominated for President on the Prohibition ticket in 1884 and polled a total of 151,809 votes. This was 20,000 more than the vote for Butler, the candidate of the "Greenbackers," so that he was the "runner-up" in the race between Cleveland and Blaine.

During his canvass for the presidency, St. John traveled extensively over the United States making speeches in behalf of the "dry" cause. In fact, during his 14 years of public life he is said to have hung up a record of travel exceeded by few candidates for office. He traveled more than 300,000 miles by rail, during which time he never had an accident nor was sick a day and made a total of 4,000 speeches, missing but four engagements in all that time.

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Norwegian Pagan Festival

Originally a Norwegian pagan festival in honor of the sun, St. Hans eve is celebrated throughout the country with bonfires, dancing and merrymaking the whole night through. In Oslo, the entire population, it seems, either boats out to islands in the fjord or goes out onto the tops of near-by mountains for the celebration. Bonfires are lighted on every hill, and at Lillehammer, great demonstrations of folk dancing are given.

Wives, Know Yourselves!— Accurate Analysis Will Do Much to Overcome Difficulty in Wedded Life

SPEAKING on the question of trial marriages, a well known writer said, "There should be no need for trial when two people know their own abilities and have measured themselves accurately. Two people who understand themselves will never, I believe, have any difficulty living happily together after marriage."

That is a new slant on the question of success in marriage, supplements a woman writer of national fame. Not "Know thy husband"—or "wife," but "know thyself!"

And, come to think of it, isn't most of the discontent and dissatisfaction in marriage traceable to ideas of ourselves—that may be misconceptions, no less than our illusions about the other person? How many women's dissatisfaction with their husband has as its source the thought of all they gave up to marry him, all they "might have had" if they had married a certain other man?

How many women's discontent with the role of wife and mother springs from the thought of how much more fascinating pastimes they might have had if they had followed that career?

How many girls' impossible expectations of a fulltime lover and Prince Charming originates in an exaggerated notion of their own devastating beauty and charm? If all discontented wives would

look deeply into themselves, measure themselves, stop fooling themselves, many might discover that the other man they might have married is a self-nurtured illusion; that the career of their dreams is not a soft snap and a joy forever; but a grueling, exhausting job which might have worn them out if they had qualified for it, which they probably would have been unable to do; that they themselves are neither devastating beauties nor always charming, but women who are frequently disappointing and difficult to live with. They might discover and admit to themselves that they are greatly in debt to their husbands for many things that make life easier and better and more worthwhile—that they would not get along so well without them.

Then they might think more of doing their part of trying to make those husbands happy. And that effort on the part of one must inevitably go a long way toward a mutually happy and successful marriage.

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Foreign Words and Phrases

- Amor patriae. (L.) Love of country. Contra bonos mores. (L.) Contrary to the moral law. Dirige. (L.) I direct or guide. (The motto of Maine.) En fin. (F.) At the end; finally. Functus officio. (L.) Having fulfilled his office; out of office. Genius loci. (L.) The genius of the place; the guardian spirit. Malum in se. (L.) A thing evil in itself, inherently wrong. Bienvenu. (F.) Welcome. Ultima Thule. (L.) Farthest Thule or land; utmost bound.

Our Lessons When one has learned his lessons he may roam the fields and float on the river at his own sweet will; but so long as he is at his desk he must be deaf to the invitations of the sky and the woods.—Hamilton W. Mabie.

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## NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By Julian Capers Jr.

Austin.—Old age pension checks for November will not be affected by the de-liberalization legislation, and, with cash on hand to meet the state's half, payments of about \$16 each to some 81,000 pensioners are expected to go out this week, on arrival of federal funds. Beginning in December, however, the pension administration, now directed by the board of control, but with Orville S. Carpenter remaining as director, and his staff largely unchanged, will review all existing pension rolls with a view to applying the restrictions requiring actual need, as provided in the new law. Many pensioners will

be lopped off the rolls, payments to others will be reduced, and the total pension roll probably will be pared down to about 80,000 including those approved out of 100,000 applications now pending, but as yet unacted upon. About 40,000 pensioners who came direct from relief rolls probably will remain undisturbed, but all others who cannot show conclusively they are in actual need, will probably be cut off.

### BOUQUET FOR SPEAKER

Gov. Allred's statesmanlike handling of the situation resulting from the house-senate split on the deliberalization feature of the omnibus bill, sion, has been widely praised thru-in the final hours of the special session, and justly so. But the part played by Speaker Coke Stevenson, of Junction, which made passage of the bill possible, has not been so clearly explained. Although politically opposed to Allred, Stevenson displayed a high degree of patriotism; he realized the necessity of deliberalizing the law, and of raising pension money; by ruling out the deliberalization amendment on a point of order, at a time when he knew the house would never pass it, he set the stage perfectly for Allred to submit the

matter, and throw the power of the governor's office behind it to secure passage on the last day. Throughout the bitter legislative battle Stevenson's rulings were so fair and his un-failing good humor so effective, that he kept the turbulent house from getting out of hand and enabled it to make a 100 per cent record of completing all business submitted to the session.

### STORK OVER MANSION

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### Frontier Centennial And Arlington Downs

Texans still have a few days in which to witness both the Ft. Worth Frontier Centennial and Arlington Downs Races at the same time. The Frontier Centennial closes Nov. 14, while the Arlington Downs Races continue from now until Nov. 28th.

New acts have been inserted in the fall edition of the Casa Manana Revue at the Ft. Worth Frontier show and those who have seen the revised edition say this sensational show is even better now than the summer edition. With the recent closing of Jumbo and the Last Frontier wild west

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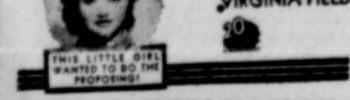
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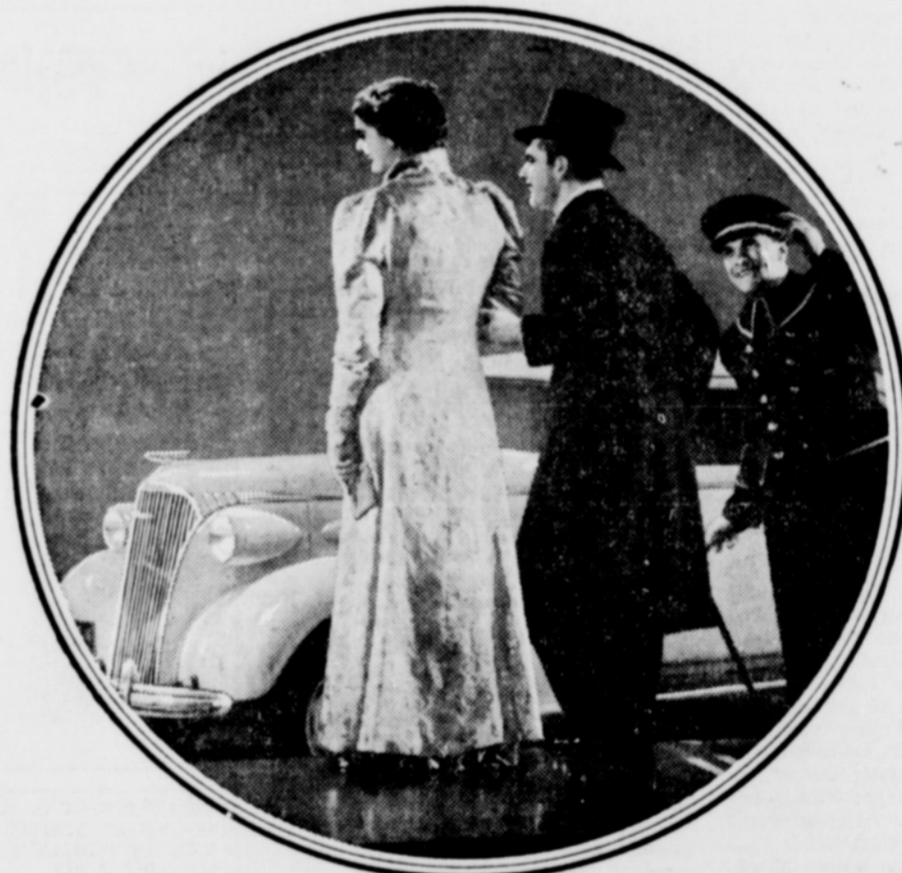
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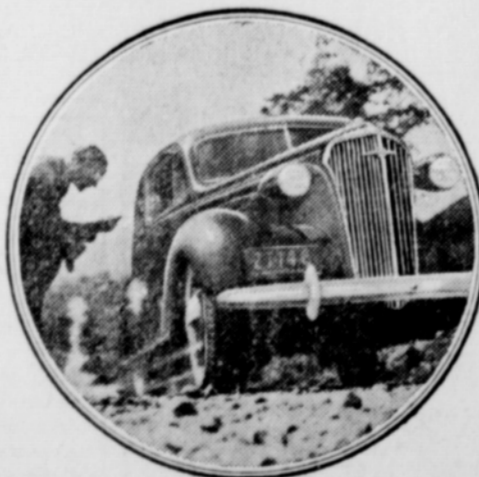
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**Rowden News**

We are very glad to report that Mr. J. B. Mauldin is able to be out again.

Visitors in the John Miller home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. George O'Dell and son Stanley, Mrs. Lucy Shelton and daughter Mary Jannet, Frances Smedley, Buddy Gibbs, Robert Lee Smedley and Geraine Smedley of Baird.

Mrs. C. W. Roberson of Tulia, Tex. while visiting in Rowden spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Baggett.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips, Mrs. Katie Lee Smedley and Miss Frances Smedley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Henderson of Cross Plains Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sikes of Abilene, Lilly Maye Smedley who is attending school in Abilene and Geraine Smedley of Baird.

We are very sorry to hear that Clyde Carroll is bad sick resulting from the flu and hope he will be well soon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Culpepper and children, Billy and Jim, spent the week end with Mrs. Culpepper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Baggett.

Louise Baggett and Louise Parker visited Opal King Sunday.

Mrs. Don Keel's mother, Mrs. Harper is visiting her.

We regret that Donald Dunlap of Belle Plain is very sick in the Griggs hospital.

Pete Swafford of the Hall ranch on the Bayou was in Rowden Sun.

Brother Weldon B. Bennett of Abilene will preach at the Rowden house Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mrs. Jim Childress visited Mrs. John Swafford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fowler and family visited in Greenville last week end. They also attended the Centennial at Ft. Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. W. V. Roberts is visiting her daughters in Oklahoma.

Little Jim Baggett who fell from a pecan tree Thursday evening and broke his arm is doing well at present. He was treated at the Griggs hospital.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all for the many kindnesses and sympathy shown us in the illness and death of our loved one, T. W. Fulton. Also thank all for the beautiful flowers.

Sincerely,  
The Fulton Family

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**Quilting Party**

On Thursday, Nov. 29, the ladies of the Baird Rebekah Lodge and others met with Mrs. O. B. Jarrett where they quilted a quilt to send to the old folks in the I.O.O.F. home in Ennis, Tex. Those spending the day brought a covered dish and at noon the meal was spread in the beautifully decorated dining room carrying out the Hallowe'en colors. Yellow flowers and Jack O'Lanterns and black cats were used.

It was also Mr. Jarrett's 65th birthday and when all were seated at the table laden with every thing good to eat, Mrs. Black presented her father with a big birthday cake, baked by his second daughter, Mrs. Swinson.

Mrs. Barringer wished him many more happy birthdays.

Those present were Mesdames S. I. Smith, B. H. Bennett, Dale Brown, M. Coats, Jim Barringer, Bob Swinson, Mary Voshelle, Sam Black and two daughters, Tina Mae and Claudie Laverne, Bobby Ruth Swinson, Miss Mary Walker and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jarrett.

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We registered another good day last Sunday but the attendance was not what it should have been. Our B.T.U. is functioning pretty well now. 32 in all three of the Unions last time and real good programs. Next Sunday we will meet at 6:00, and we want 50 people there at that time to begin. You be one of that number. The evening preaching service will start at 7:00 and we are bidding for a big crowd.

Let's have 100 in Sunday School next Sunday and everyone of them stay for the preaching service. I shall preach from the text John 12, 32, "And If I be Lifted up from the earth will draw all men unto me." Now you will want to hear this one so come on and get it, don't cheat yourself.

The B.T.U. try out for the Association will be held at our church next Sunday afternoon and we will not forget that.

I will preach at Midway in the afternoon next Sunday and will be glad to have a large crowd out the service.

**Personal**

Clarence Pretz, Hospital Corpsman in the United States Navy arrived Wednesday morning for a visit with his mother and brother, Mrs. E. C. Pretz and Floyd Pretz.

Mrs. A. T. Vestal and daughters, Miss Olivia, Mrs. Meyers, Miss Edith Bowlius and Errolene Haley spent the past week end at Longview with relatives.

W. C. Jenkins left Sunday accompanied by his son, Ross B. Jenkins, for De Leon where he will visit for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and little son Bobby leave today for a visit to the Centennial and will come back by way of De Leon and bring his father home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sowell and son Rev. Preston Sowell, wife and little son of Modaska, Calif. visited Mrs. Sowell's sister, Mrs. H. A. McWhorter the past week. They were enroute home from an extended trip east and a visit to the Texas Centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Carter and children, Miss Haynie and Don, Jr. of Welch, Dawson county, spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Carter's sisters, Misses Eliza, John and Eliska Gilliland. They were enroute home from the Texas Centennial. They were accompanied by Toy and Jiggs King, who visited the Centennial with them.

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**WEDDINGS**  
J. L. Dorsey and Mrs. Ama Sullivan were married in Justice of the Peace G. H. Corn's office Thursday, Nov. 5, 1936 at 1:30 p. m., Mr. Corn officiating. They will make their home in the oil field.  
Elbert Fagan and Mrs. Amelia Bowman, tourists, were married Thursday Nov. 5, 1936 at 11:30 a. m. in the office of G. H. Corn, Justice of the Peace, with Mr. Corn officiating.

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# DEPUTY OF THE DEVIL

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**SYNOPSIS**

Dr. Greeding, a wealthy and talented middle aged surgeon, is possessed of seemingly supernatural powers. Occasionally he can wish for something extraordinary to happen and have the wish fulfilled. Greeding meets Ira Jerrell, a wealthy business friend of his own age, who tells him he loves his daughter Nancy and would like to marry her. Dr. Greeding is pleased and the Jerrells have a clear field. Nancy, however, is in love with Dan Carlisle, an assistant professor at the University who has little means. They discuss marriage, but decide to delay talking to her father about it. Nancy, who has been playing tennis with Dan that afternoon, tells her father she had been playing with a girl friend. Greeding knows this is untrue and is secretly enraged. Stepping into his wife's room, his eye falls on a marble statuette which he dislikes. He picks it up, wishing he could smash it to bits. Suddenly it is snatched from his grasp as by an invisible force and bursts asunder. Mrs. Greeding is greatly disturbed over the mysterious destruction of the statuette. The doctor reveals that Ira Jerrell wants to marry Nancy. On the way to a dinner party a car cuts in front of Greeding's. He angrily expresses the wish that the driver would break his neck. An instant later an accident occurs in which this very thing happens. At the dinner the Greedings meet Prof. Carlisle, Dan's father, and his daughter Mary Ann. Dr. Greeding is intrigued by Mary Ann, who is a surgical nurse. Mrs. Greeding tells Prof. Carlisle about the destruction of the statuette and he indicates it might have been caused by a "poltergeist," a "racketing, mischievous spirit." Greeding pretends to Nancy that he has no objection to Dan. More interested in Mary Ann, Dr. Greeding induces her to take a position in his office. Eventually he finds he loves her. Jerrell continues to see Nancy, whose love for Dan is unchanged. The Greedings invite the Carlises to dinner. Dr. Greeding discusses with Prof. Carlisle the subject of "poltergeists," the doctor telling of some of his own experiences, but attributing them to a friend.

**CHAPTER III—Continued**

"The subject is pretty extensive," Professor Carlisle explained. "Fires are a common manifestation, appearing in many of the tales." He added: "There was a man named Charles Fort—he is dead now—who made a study of such things. Probably with his tongue in his cheek. In one of his books he said these fire phenomena look to him like the survival of a power that may once have been common, when primitive men needed fires and didn't know how to make them. He talks about vestigial functions in the human body, just as you surgeons talk about vestigial organs. . . . Of course, this is all in the highest degree fanciful."

"But it's an amusing subject for speculation," Doctor Greeding insisted. "Your man Fort, I gather, thought these functions were originally of some use to their possessors. But what possible good can it do to project a plate across the room and allow it to break against the wall?"

The professor answered good-humoredly: "Well, Fort suggests that these poltergeist disturbances may emanate from some malicious mind. If your friend in the hay-mow wished the hay to burn up, for instance, so that he would not have to work so hard on a hot day—"

Doctor Greeding laughed, suddenly expansive. "Like Mrs. Greeding's statuette," he suggested. "She told you about that, the other night. As a matter of fact, I had the statuette in my hands when it fell—though I haven't dared confess as much to her. She'd blame me for dropping it; but I didn't. I was thinking that it was rather hideous, when the thing simply flew out of my hands and crashed to bits."

He saw the other's curious glance, added quickly: "If this chap had been in the house, I'd suspect him!"

"What was his name?" asked Professor Carlisle.

"Tempkins," said Doctor Greeding readily. "But he's dead now."

The older man was for a moment silent; he lighted his pipe afresh, looking intently at the bowl. But at length he asked curiously:

"Did you—notice anything unusual about the way the statuette fell? You said it flew out of your hands?"

Doctor Greeding nodded, forgetting caution. "Exactly," he assured the other man. "It was as though some one snatched it away; and I remember it seemed to hang in the air for a moment before it fell."

Professor Carlisle smoothed his pipe-bowl in his hands. He said after a moment: "Well, that hesitating, uncertain flight is often mentioned in the accounts of poltergeist disturbances."

He added apologetically: "But I'm afraid I'm a skeptic at heart. I can discuss these absurdities so long as the discussion remains empiric; so long as I confine myself to things that are reported to have happened to others far away. But when you tell me things that happened to your friend, and now to yourself, I lack the courage of my conviction."

Doctor Greeding felt a faint irritation rising in him at this disbelief. He said: "You sound rather like an incredulous scientist yourself!"

"It's much less disquieting," the professor pointed out, "to assume that there is a credible explanation of these incredible occurrences."

Doctor Greeding watched him slowly, till pique at the other's

attitude drove him on. "Are there any cases," he asked challengingly, "of actual injury or death, through this sort of thing?"

"Yes," Professor Carlisle assented. He was grave now. "There have been persons found dead, their bodies charred to a cinder, their clothes not burned at all. There are even one or two cases reported of men killed by a bullet, or stabbed, but with no rent in their clothing to correspond with the wound in their bodies."

"What does your friend Fort say of such incidents?"

"He only points out that 'wounds such as might be imagined by haters of people have appeared upon the bodies of people,'" the professor cautiously explained.

Doctor Greeding nodded. "I suppose most of us, in fits of anger, have wished that unpleasant things would happen to certain people," he reflected soberly. "It would be rather disturbing to a man if those malicious wishes on his part began to come true." He chuckled. "Nations might enlist an army of good effective haters to win a war by wishing their enemies dead!"

Professor Carlisle shook his head. "That's outside the bounds, of course," he commented, not smiling.

"I wonder whether it is," Doctor Greeding stubbornly demurred; and he said thoughtfully: "You know, the human body has an infinite capacity to rise to emergencies. If a man loses sight, or hearing, his other senses become more acute. If a vein is destroyed, even the jugular, others take up the burden. If fingers are amputated, the thumb redoubles its usefulness. Isn't it possible that in some cases, when a man approaches old age and the impairment of his muscular strength, he may by way of compensation develop such a—power?"

"Old men acquire wisdom," the professor pointed out. "That is weapon enough!"

"But in a primitive society," Doctor Greeding urged, "old men, when their increasing weakness made them a burden to the tribe, would have been eliminated, unless as their strength failed they learned other ways to defend themselves. For instance, to imagine a wound, and have that wound appear—"

And he said, his eyes gleaming strangely: "A man able to do that would be a dangerous enemy."

Professor Carlisle said reflectively: "I expect he would be more dangerous to himself than to others. The world seems to be organized for the general rather than the individual benefit. Probably some counter-force would arise to deal with him."

"Yet it's a fascinating thought," Doctor Greeding insisted.

Professor Carlisle retorted gravely: "I should be inclined to remind such a man that he who eats with the devil will need a long spoon!"

There was something monitory in his tone; the doctor felt it, and suddenly wary, was silent. Before he could speak again, Mrs. Greeding came to the door.

"You two have been alone long enough," she suggested. "Dan and Nancy have disappeared, and Mary Ann and I are talked dry. Professor, I thought you might care for bridge?"

"By all means," Professor Carlisle assented, and rose so quickly that Doctor Greeding suspected the other man was glad to see an end to this conversation. They settled at the table in the other room, the doctor and Mary Ann as partners.

But almost at once the telephone rang, and Ruth came to call Doctor Greeding. When he returned, it was with apologies.

"I'll have to break up the game," he explained. "This is a call I can't very well refuse. Up in Kennebunk. An old friend, an emergency." He looked at Mary Ann, smiled. "It's a grand night for a drive, Miss Carlisle," he suggested.

"But if you'd rather not—"

Mrs. Greeding protested: "Ned, it can't be necessary to subject Mary Ann to this—nor yourself either. You could send Doctor Mayhew!"

Mary Ann insisted: "Oh, I don't mind. After all it's my job, you know!"

"I don't know at all," the older woman argued. On the surface there was in her words no more than solicitude for Mary Ann. "Surely your regular work is—"

But Doctor Greeding interrupted. "Tosh, Myra," he said cheerfully. "A doctor's work is never done; and a nurse is just as much abused as a doctor. Come, Mary Ann."

And Mrs. Greeding yielded, though reluctantly. So they were presently upon the road.

**CHAPTER IV**

There was in Doctor Greeding when he set out tonight with Mary Ann a deep intoxication which he rigorously controlled. They took the roadster, and the top was down. The long miles unrolled in a ribbon

before their wheels, and the night was jeweled by the headlights of approaching cars. Apple orchards were bright with belated blossoms along the roadside, and the night was warm and fair.

Doctor Greeding drove rapidly and surely, and Mary Ann slipped down low in the seat and relaxed there, her wrap loose about her shoulders, her hair flying in the breeze. He told her the nature of this summons. "The idiot is an old friend of mine, or I wouldn't go," he explained cheerfully. "Some one else could do it just as well, or he could wait till tomorrow. But his wife is alarmed, wants me."

She nodded, and he said in amused irritation:

"The visited us at the lake last summer. I told him then, that this operation was inevitable. Tried to persuade him to take care of it; but he's a headstrong old man."

And he added after a little: "You and Dan must come up to the lake sometime. And your father. We've a pleasant place there: an island



"That's Outside the Bounds, of Course," He Commented, Not Smiling.

of our own, a couple of good boats, tennis court, golf near by if you want it, target-shooting and so on."

"I like tennis," she confessed. "Dan and I often play." She spoke sleepily, relaxed and at ease beside him.

"We go up for all of August," he remarked. "You can take your vacation at the same time."

"I hardly rate a vacation so soon," she demurred.

"You've earned one," he insisted. He added, as a saving phrase: "Mrs. Greeding will insist on your coming, I know."

He had, he reflected in a faint astonishment, been near forgetting that Myra would be at the island, had thought only of himself and this girl and Nancy and Dan. In sudden caution, he curbed his tongue, and they were silent for a while. Through Newburyport, and beyond, the road led smoothly on. They drove swiftly. Once he thought she slept, but when he looked at her, she was watching him. Or rather her eyes swung to meet his. He was dangerously near missing the road before he turned his head away.

He had never felt so awake, so alive. He grudged the fact that they came presently to their destination, and had a task to do; and he attacked this business in haste, eager to be done and on the road again with her; and Mary Ann became an automaton, supplementing his own hands with hers, anticipating his least desire. . . .

An hour of this, like machines. Then low-toned conversation with the doctor, words of reassurance to the patient's wife, instructions to the nurse. So toward two o'clock in the morning they set out on the return to Cambridge.

They had been urged to stay the night, but Doctor Greeding would not. "I've five cases scheduled for the morning," he explained.

On the road again, Mary Ann said: "You might have been wiser to stay. There aren't five cases. There are only two, and Doctor Mayhew could do them."

Doctor Greeding chuckled. "He shall," he assented. "I intend to sleep till noon. But I wouldn't miss this drive home with you."

"I expect a night's sleep would have done you more good," she insisted, smiling as though his words were a jest.

He shook his head, intoxicated, alive; and after a little, he began to talk. He was in a confidential mood; and he found himself telling her about Ira Jerrell and Nancy.

"But don't repeat this to Dan,"

he warned her. "That brother of yours is so conscientious he might feel bound to step into the background and give Jerrell a clear field. I don't want him to do that. I want Nancy to make up her own mind, freely, between them."

"I know Dan feels he— isn't good enough for Nancy," she admitted, and added loyally: "Personally, I think she's lucky to get him. Dan's a peach!" She looked at him, surprised. "But I didn't know you knew about them?" she said.

"I have Nancy's confidence," he retorted; and she nodded. He continued: "Did I take the right attitude? Would you have said the same? Do you feel that—a girl makes a mistake to marry a man twenty years her senior?"

She was silent for longer than he liked. He looked at her, smiling. "Tell the truth," he insisted.

"Not if she loves him," said Mary Ann at last. She added, almost reluctantly: "Not if there is no reason why she shouldn't love him." And after a moment she remarked, half to herself: "Sometimes a girl is wiser to choose a proved man. Then she knows what she is getting. Young men may change as they—mature."

He laughed in a sudden swift delight; but when she asked why he laughed, he would not tell her. Silence embraced them again, drawing them together; the car ran smoothly. The moon now was low; and Doctor Greeding's eyes fixed upon the flowing road in a sort of fascination. He drove automatically, his thoughts elsewhere.

It may have been that for a moment he slept. But at a certain point where the road forked and their way lay to the left, he kept straight ahead; and where just beyond the fork, this right-hand road turned, he did not turn. The car plunged through a shallow ditch and into the meadow beyond. His foot jammed home on the brakes, and he came to a breathless stop, thrown forward against the wheel. Mary Ann in a heap on the floor of the car beside him.

He was in dismay. "Are you hurt?" he exclaimed. "I'm sorry! I must have gone to sleep!"

She scrambled up on the seat again. "I don't think so," she declared, laughing. "No, I seem to be all here. My eyes were closed. I had no warning—"

"I must have gone to sleep," he repeated.

She touched his hand, on the wheel. "You're so desperately tired," she said gently. His blood, at the touch of her fingers raced through his veins. "Let me drive. I'm awake now."

He looked at her hand on his, at her. "I'm not tired," he said huskily, breathlessly.

She withdrew her hand, abruptly; but his eyes held hers. He thought that even in the moonlight he could see her cheeks flaming. Then she spoke defensively, laughing, her head high. "Give me the wheel," she insisted. "You men are all idiots—don't know when you're tired. Come!"

He did not trust his voice. Without speaking, he got out of the car and went around to take the other seat. She backed into the road again.

"Now shut your eyes and do go to sleep," she commanded.

He obeyed her; he did shut his eyes. But he did not sleep. It seemed to him he had never been so wide awake before. There may be in the mere circumstance of sharing together even a passing peril something mystic and compelling in its effect on man and woman. For a moment, it might have happened that he and Mary Ann would die together; it seemed to him now that after that moment, their two lives could never take completely separate ways again.

But if Mary Ann had any such thought or feeling, she did not betray it. Somehow she found the proper road again; somehow she brought them back to Cambridge. For all that time he neither spoke nor opened his eyes; but his thoughts were a millrace. Only when she stopped the car did he rouse from his abstraction.

"Can you manage the rest of the way alone?" she asked lightly then. "Or shall I take you home and tuck you in?"

They were, he saw, at her father's door.

"I can manage, of course," he assured her. She alighted; and he got to the ground, and extended his hand.

"Thanks for taking care of me," he said. "I needed some one." Her hand was in his. "Anything might have happened," he confessed.

"But nothing did!" she reminded him, smiling. "Except that it's almost daylight, and we've lost a lot of sleep."

Impulsively, he lifted her hand to his lips; and then he saw the startled light in her eyes, and was quick with a word to make that gesture meaningless.

"This is for a good little girl," he said. "Good night!"

She turned away, quickly, in something like flight—darted toward the house. He waited till she had disappeared, before driving on toward his own home. The car he left at the side door.

Upstairs, he undressed slowly, trying to face and measure this new passion in his life. When he came into the bedroom he and Mrs. Greeding shared, gray dawn was in the windows. His wife roused sleepily; her face was an unlovely mask of cosmetics, her hair awry.

"Ned?"

"Yes, Myra," he said shortly. "Go back to sleep."

"What time is it?"

He protested irritably: "What difference does that make?"

"It's ridiculous," she protested, "for you to be out all night. You could have sent Doctor Mayhew!"

He got into his own bed without replying.

"I believe you like this sort of thing," she asserted. "I declare, Ned, you ought to have some sense of your own position."

"Don't talk, Myra," he said sharply. "I'm dead tired. Let me sleep in the morning."

"It's morning now," she reminded him. "And I sha'n't close my eyes again, you may be sure of that. You might have some consideration—"

Her voice went on, unheard, till suddenly a word fixed his attention. "—and driving all over New England all night with Mary Ann! Is that necessary? Of course, I understand; but people are so ready to think and say unkind things about a girl who works—"

He made no reply; but he was conscious of a rising tide of anger at her chidings. He checked and curbed his own wrath, startled, afraid of a quick and vivid terror, afraid of his own thoughts. He was like a rider who reins back his steed at the brink of a precipice. He felt in himself dark, terrifying powers, which must be restrained.

He closed his ears to his wife's words, found solace and contentment in remembering Mary Ann—whom incredibly, he loved!

Incredibly; and also with a great futility. Doctor Greeding was essentially conventional, accepting the decent standards of his world, abiding by them. No matter what he might feel for Mary Ann, he would still cleave loyally to Myra, so long as they both should live.

Or—so long as Myra should live! Thus insidiously, as he lay half dreaming, there crept into his thoughts a hideous possibility, one of those monstrous specters which need only to be recognized to be abhorred. . . . Yet which, if a man contemplate them long enough, may cease to affright him, may come to wear an aspect treacherously beautiful.

Sometimes, in retrospect, it is possible to say that on a certain day, or even at a certain hour, there occurred in an acquaintance a fundamental change; to recognize that he became from that moment another person, almost a stranger.

There was this summer such a change in Doctor Greeding, but even those who knew him most intimately were not afterward able to fix definitely its beginning. His wife's death, it was sometimes suggested, might have been the cause; but Mrs. Greeding had in fact herself remarked the difference in him, and had more than once spoken of it to Doctor Greeding himself, before she died.

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**Moonless Month Period Without the Full Moo.**

Moonless month is the name popularly given to a month in which no full moon occurs. Under our calendar February is the only month that is shorter than the lunar cycle and consequently it is the only month that can have fewer than four moon phases. The absent phase, however, need not necessarily be the full moon, but may be any one of the four. Likewise five phases of the moon occasionally fall in the other months.

The average time from one full moon to another is twenty-nine and one-half days, and the time from one phase to the next varies from less than seven days to more than eight. About every six years February has only three phases. When it is without a full moon, the preceding January and the following March may have two full moons each. This remarkable sequence, astronomers estimate, will not occur again for some 2,500,000 years. February was without a full moon in 1885, 1915 and 1934, and from approximate computations made by the United States naval observatory that month will be without a full moon in 1961.

Februarys without new moons or either of the other two phases occur at about the same intervals, but, of course, in different years.—Indianapolis News.

**The Mind Meter**

By LOWELL HENDERSON

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**The Similarities Test**

In each problem of the following test there are three words. The first two bear a certain relationship to each other. Write in a fourth word which will bear the same relationship to the third word that the second does to the first.

1. Notre Dame, Ramblers; Holy Cross.
2. John A. Roebling, Brooklyn bridge; George W. Goethals.
3. "Peter Pan", J. M. Barrie; "Oliver Twist".
4. Garner, Roosevelt; Curtis.
5. five, twenty-five; eight.
6. eat, fat; starve.
7. sailor, navy; soldier.
8. ears, hear; nose.
9. Socrates, philosopher; Schuler.
10. pencil, lead; pen.

**Answers**

1. Crusaders.
2. Panama Canal.
3. Charles Dickens.
4. Hoover.
5. Sixty-four.
- 6 Thin.
7. Army.
8. Smell.
9. Composer.
10. Steel.

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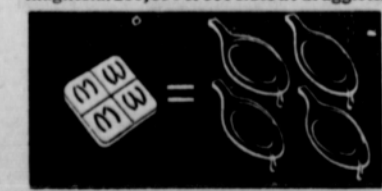
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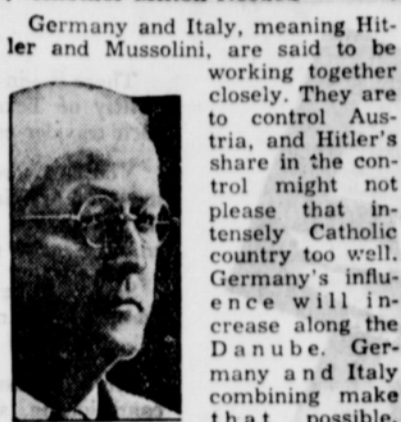
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BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Two March Side by Side Once All Walked In 75 Years, Much Done Another Milton Needed



Arthur Brisbane

Germany and Italy, meaning Hitler and Mussolini, are said to be working together closely. They are to control Austria, and Hitler's share in the control might not please that intensely Catholic country too well. Germany's influence will increase along the Danube. Germany and Italy combining make that possible, with nobody inclined to fight about it.

In return for recognizing Italian sovereignty in Ethiopia Hitler is to have important Ethiopian concessions.

A million years ago, when our ancestors went out seeking something to eat, preferably some feeble human being easily killed, everybody walked. Now nearly everybody rides. Across George Washington bridge over the Hudson river, opened five years ago, about 100,000,000 human beings have crossed in 31,000,000 automobiles, while fewer than 1,000,000 have crossed on foot. Busses alone carried 11,638,000 over the bridge.

How rapidly progress moves once it starts! Seventy-five years ago, both sides of our country were connected by telegraph for the first time. Now men talk around the world by radio. Seventy-five years ago they only talked across the continent, now they fly the continent and on beyond, across the Pacific ocean.

Those hostile to new ideas might remember that a little more than seventy-five years ago men were beaten for re-election to congress because, as the voters put it, "they were foolish enough to vote money to experiment talking over wires."

They were defeated for willingness to have the government try out Morse's electric telegraph idea.

Berlin reports that German book-sellers must sell, and Germans must read, only books that the government thinks they ought to sell and read.

The public will be compelled with "loving force" to read what is good for them.

That takes Germany back to the Seventeenth century, when the English government decided that Englishmen must read only what the government thought was good for them.

All books must be submitted and wait for approval before printing. Along came a man named John Milton with his book the Areopagitica, printed by him without anybody's permission, denouncing an infamous law that would control men's minds and freedom of thought. That settled it; the law died.

Somebody will kill it in Germany, in time.

In the Spanish civil war, hostages have been seized, on both sides, including many women, and are held with this threat: "If you kill hostages taken from my side, I'll kill yours."

England and other countries almost tearfully are begging both sides in Spain to exchange hostages instead of murdering them; the British government officially expresses the fear that women "are in danger of wholesale massacre." Nice civilization, is it not?

Dr. Bakst, young teacher of mathematics at Columbia university, thinks he has a sure formula for winning on horse races: "he tried it and won, 1,000 times, not with money, just mentally."

Anybody can win mentally, they do it constantly at Monte Carlo and elsewhere, but nobody can win money, except accidentally—never in the long run.

A brave truck driver, name unknown, saw a lady with a difficult name, Mrs. Anastasia Adiuszkiewics, hanging from the ledge of a second story in Jersey City. Rushing to help, he caught her in his arms as she fell, then left, wanting no praise.

He makes up for many that do not give their seats to ladies in street cars.

An eighteen-year-old girl, alone and in agony, gave birth to a child; and, according to police, immediately killed it, dropping it from a roof. A jury convicted her of manslaughter, and the judge let her go on probation; she must report once a month to prove that she is behaving. Four jurors that helped convict her told the judge they regretted their verdict.

Every mother knows that the unfortunate girl, after her horrible experience and solitary agony, was at least as nearly insane as any shell-shocked soldier.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Trade Balance for Nine Months Is Unfavorable—Mrs. "Wally" Simpson Gets Divorce—Goering Launches Nazi Economic Plan.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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EXPORTS of manufactured goods and raw materials exceeded imports into the United States during September by more than four million dollars, according to a report released by Secretary of Commerce Roper.



Secretary Roper

But the flow the other way was so strong during the previous three months that the country suffered an unfavorable balance of trade during the first nine months of the year amounting to \$33,136,000. This is in contrast with a favorable balance of \$66,496,000 in the corresponding period of 1935.

Roper minimized the situation, declaring that heavy exports of raw cotton, tobacco and automobiles would probably bring the trade balance more into line with previous years. Pressed for further explanation Roper insisted that "our government as such does not compete with other governments in the selling of goods," and this was the province of private business. On reciprocal trade agreements he was mum.

"We'd like to end the year with a favorable trade balance, naturally," he said, "but we are going through a period of study and readjustment in world trade."

In fact, Roper found the increase in import trade to be "encouraging." He said that it showed our industries were buying raw materials abroad for expansion of their production in this country. Heavy increases in wheat and meats resulted from the drought, according to Roper, rather than from the killing of six million pigs and non-raising of grain under the AAA.

UNCLE SAM'S nephews and nieces now number 123,429,000, according to the estimate of Director William L. Austin of the bureau of census. The new figure, as of July 1, represented an increase of 908,000, or 0.71 per cent, since July 1, 1935. It was based on the number of births and deaths during the year ending June 30, 1936, and the excess of immigration over emigration.

Births exceeded deaths by 899,956 and the net immigration was 8,044, according to the data taken by Austin. The population figure on the basis of the 1930 census was 122,775,046, and the biggest annual increase since then was 1,022,000, for the year ending July 1, 1931.

The bureau of agricultural economics also has been doing some population estimating. It says the back to the farm movement of the depression years has halted and that the farm population remained practically stationary during 1935, being 31,809,000 at the end of that year. This figure, the bureau says, was only slightly greater than in 1920 and "somewhat less" than in 1910.

PROCEEDINGS lasting nineteen minutes in the court of assizes at Ipswich, England, sufficed to give marital freedom to Mrs. "Wally" Simpson.

Justice Sir Anthony Hawke heard neatly arranged evidence of the infidelity of Ernest Simpson, who was not represented, and gruffly gave a decree nisi to the attractive American woman who has been and is the close friend of King Edward VIII. For six months she will be on probation, technically chaperoned at all times, and if her behavior satisfies the king's proctor she will be unqualifiedly free April 27 to marry again. Whether or not her new husband, if she takes one, will be King Edward is a question that only time and the two persons most directly concerned can determine.



Mrs. Simpson

Mrs. Simpson returned from Ipswich to her London residence on Cumberland terrace, Regents park, and there told interviewers that she was angered and humiliated by the international sensation her divorce has caused. She said she might go abroad for a time but that she would never return to the United States because of "all the nasty things" said of her here.

The Week, a radical London weekly, was the first English newspaper to carry an open reference to Mrs. Simpson's friendship with King Edward. The article was at the same time a denunciation of the American press for giving the story such prominence and of the British press for suppressing it entirely. It also made it clear that there would be widespread opposition to a marriage between Edward and "Wally." Papers from Paris and elsewhere outside the United Kingdom have been in great demand in London, but of course the vast majority of the English people know nothing about the affair.

SPURRED to quick action by the new accord between Germany and Italy, Leon Blum's popular front cabinet approved a large increase in France's military air force, already reputed to be one of the most powerful in the world. To modernize and build up the aerial squadrons the government will spend \$230,000,000 at once. It was reported, too, that the cabinet decided to ask parliament to vote extraordinary funds for the fortification of the northern frontier because of Belgium's reversion to a policy of armed neutrality.

BENITO MUSSOLINI rattled his sword again on the occasion of the fourteenth anniversary of the Fascist march on Rome. "The Italian people," he proclaimed, "today are ready and determined to defend as never before—with all their force right up to the last drop of blood—victory and empire."

As for Fascism, he said, "When it finds obstacles in its path, it throws itself against them and burns its bridges behind it."

NOT to be outdone in martial gestures by other nations, Japan trotted out her entire navy for review by Emperor Hirohito. It was the greatest fleet ever brought together in Asiatic waters, comprising 108 warships aggregating nearly 700,000 tons and manned by 40,000 men. Large numbers of aircraft also took part in the evolution in Osaka bay.

GEN. HERMANN WILHELM GOERING, German minister of air and now the director of the Nazi four-year economic scheme to make the reich independent of the rest of the world in raw materials, launched his program at a great Nazi rally in Berlin. "We shall hack finger after finger off the foreign hand clutching at Germany's throat within the next four years," he declared.



Gen. Goering

Outlining his plans, Goering said no German had starved, nor would starve. The high seas fishing fleet will be increased, he asserted, so the people can eat fish when meat is not available. Whale fishing will be developed for the margarine it can produce, he promised.

Goering urged all Germans to follow the example of Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler who, he said, eats neither meat nor butter. The audience yelled with delight when the robust Goering told them he had lost 22 pounds by eating less butter.

Germany would prefer the old system of international exchange of wares, but this now is impossible in a mad world, so Germany will build her factories, produce her own synthetic rubber and her own substitutes for cotton and other materials for which she now must spend millions of dollars yearly, the general declared.

MANY American travelers join the English in mourning the death of Sir Edgar Britten, commander of the great liner Queen Mary and commodore of the Cunard-White Star lines. He was stricken with paralysis in Southampton and died within a few hours. Sir Edgar was sixty-two years old and first went to sea as a lad of eighteen in sailing ships. He was knighted by King George V in 1934.

EIGHT armored cars escorted by armed private guards and state police, carried a fortune of \$25,000,000 from the estate of the late Col. E. H. R. Green in South Dartmouth, Mass., to the First National bank of Boston.

The fortune, which consists of the famous coin collection, valued at 5 millions; the stamp collection, valued at 3½ millions; a large amount of cash and securities, and a quantity of uncut diamonds, has been under constant guard at the Green home since his death.

BEFORE taking a recess of two weeks the United States Supreme court announced that it would review and hand down a decision on this term upon the Wagner labor relations act. Many lawyers believe this law will be held unconstitutional, for in the Guffey coal act decision the Supreme court held that the relationship between employers and employees was local and beyond the power of congressional regulation.

SECRETARY OF LABOR FRANCES PERKINS announced that the third national conference on labor legislation, designed to stimulate the raising of work standards through federal and state co-operative efforts, will be called into session in Washington on November 9, and will last three days.

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Pattern 1874, the beguiling house frock, features a panelled yoke with the yoke and sleeves cut in one. There is gathered fullness in the waist, a shawl collar, and one or two patch pockets for your household trinkets. Easily put together with the aid of the detailed, step-by-step instruction guide, this is a morning frock which will survive the day with honors. The pattern is available in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, and 44. Size 18 requires four and one-half yards of 39 inch fabric.

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When making bread and butter pudding, sprinkle each slice of bread with grated coconut instead of currants, and strew some on the top. This will make a change from the ordinary pudding and will be found very tasty.

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## COUNTY AGENT NEWS

ROSS B. JENKINS, County Agent

### Ranch Improvement In 1937 by AAA

The 1936 Agricultural Conservation Act helped the rancher and stockman quite a good deal in that it provided more grazing crops and certain other advantages but the contemplated plans for 1937 are going to be right to the point and down the alley.

A rancher may receive compensation for solidly bedding his pasture land. The Spur Experiment Station has proved that range land that was ridged at 39 inch width beds produced about 3 times as much grass as grown on the same kind of land was not ridged on the contour. The government plans to pay the farmers fifty cents per acre to list his land in this manner.

Mesquite and prickly pear will be eradicated and the government will pay from \$.25 to \$1.50 per acre for compliance.

Prairie dogs will be eradicated and draw \$.071-2 cents per acre as a poisoning fund.

Spreader dams and leader outlets from draws and tanks will receive \$.15 per yard on the dirt moved.

The rancher will receive \$.15 per yard of dirt moved out in building tanks. This is one of the great needs of Callahan.

Each of these performances will be limited to the amount of land in the ranch. For instance, if 1,000 acres are in grasslands, not more than one fourth of that amount may be used to draw compensation for any one of the performances, however, a rancher might co-operate in two or more ways on the same land and thereby be paid for compliance, not to exceed \$.50 per acre for the 125 acres that would be the maximum.

These are some of the contemplated plans for the year 1937 and will be given to the public in an approved form shortly.

It has been pointed out that the Brazos Water Conservation project will cost about \$9.80 for each foot of water stored but by terracing and contouring the soil, the water may be stored for about \$1.20 per foot and eventually any dam built on any stream in Texas is going to fill up with the farmers soils unless they are made to stay at home by terraces contours, and strip cropping.

### Roupe In Chickens

The cold damp weather has caused an unusual amount of sickness among the chicken and turkey flocks of the county. As with people, we find most disturbances due to colds. Colds in chickens and turkeys are caused by the birds being wormy and in poor condition. Also the flock may not have the proper feeds and housing.

For those affected it is a good practice to worm them if they have not been wormed this year then follow in a day or so with a dose of Epsom salts at the rate of 1 pound per hundred birds. To this dose should be

added about a handful of baking soda. The mixture should be made into a wet mash of about 1 gallon of feed and fed in the morning. Never give salts in the water for best results.

Those birds that have running noses should have a drop of acriflaven put in each nasal passage for two or three treatments to clear the head. Acriflaven can be bought at any drug store and is cheap in price.

### Action And Romance To Front At Plaza

The Plaza brings action mixed with romance to its screen this week with probably the largest aggregation of stars that have ever been at the theatre within one week.

Andy Clyde, David Holt, and Ralph Bellamy playing an action-packed yarn entitled "Straight From The Shoulder," starting Friday bring back the gang war memories of several years ago. There will be no sleepers in the audience while this thrill furnishing picture is unrolling.

Saturday night brings Tom Keene and Edgar Kennedy back to town in "Cross Fire." You will gasp as Tom rides across the screen, gape as he battles, chill as he shoots with rapid fire, and yell as he routs the machine gunsters in this six shooting, rip-snorting, whizzbang adventure film. In fact, Tom goes plumb crazy when he finds that the Rattler pinned the murder on Patricia's pa.

Mr. Deed comes back to town Saturday night at eleven and will stay until Monday in the picture you have been waiting for, the picture that brings to you the strife and wars of the Orient. It is a fast moving story of adventure, intrigue and romance in modern war-torn China. "The General Died At Dawn" brings to the screen a thrilling drama which will might have been taken directly from the newspaper headlines. Gary Cooper co-stars with England's first woman actress, Madeline Carroll. The picture is based on the struggle between modern China and the predatory war lords who are laying the country waste. Cooper, as a young American, is caught in the strife and has to act to save his neck. The film has created a mighty stir among the dramatic critics throughout the country.

Low Ayres, Mary Carlisle, Benny Baker, and Grant Withers head the cast of Paramount's uproarious comedy of gobs and girls "Lady Be Careful" which opens and closes Tuesday. The best description of the story is to say, "one big laugh".

Wednesday and Thursday are star days bringing Janet Gaynor, Don Ameche, Loretta Young, Paul Lukas, Constance Bennett, Tyrone Powers, Simone Simon and Alan Mowbray in "Ladies In Love." With such a powerful cast, it is an impossibility to have a mediocre picture. The four girls go into partnership to get a man, then the fireworks start. If you are a married man and know the story of coping with one woman, then get ready for Thanksgiving by taking a peek at the life of a man with four women on his hands.

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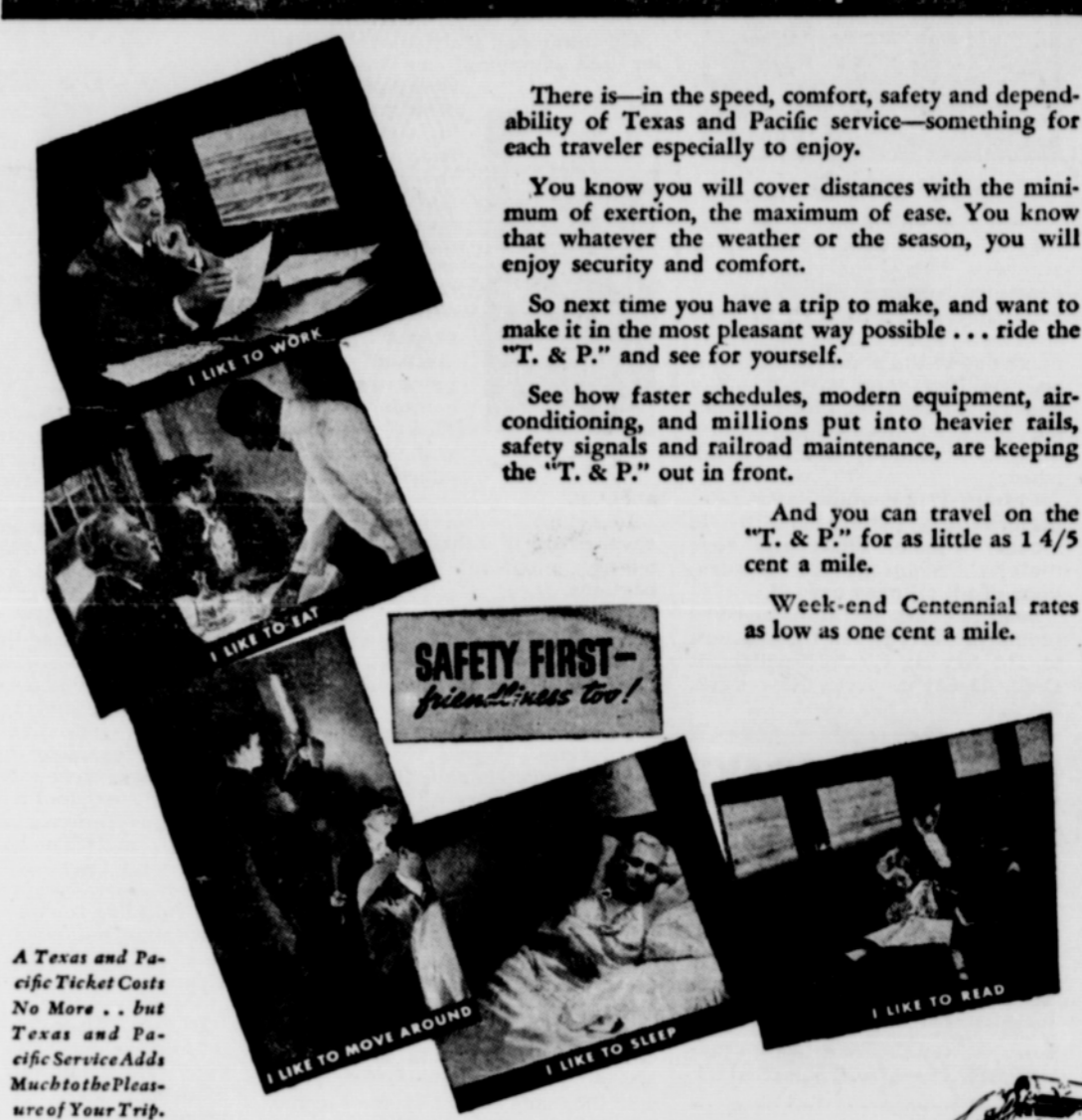
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### MORE TRAINS THIS WINTER

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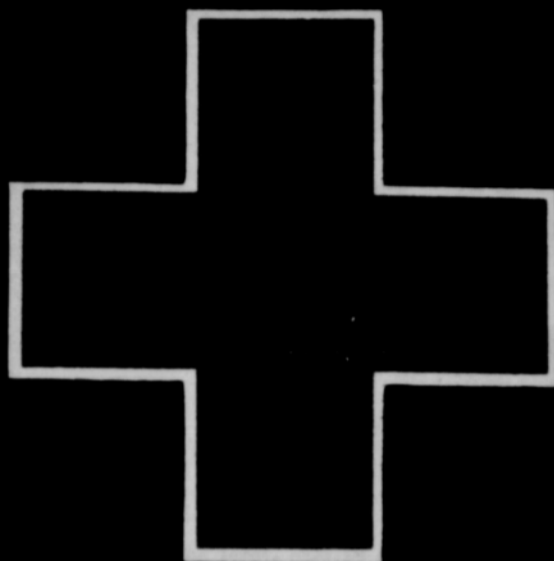
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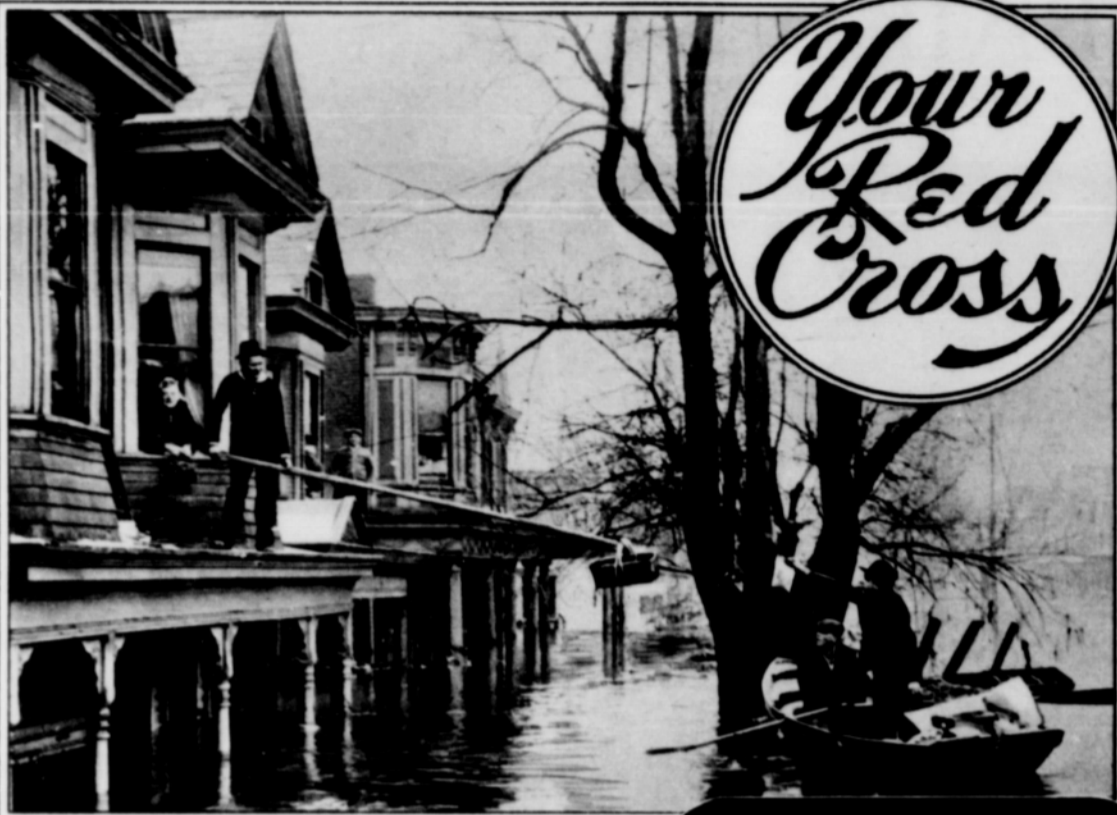
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BAIRD, TEXAS, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1936



# Your Red Cross



**TO THE RESCUE**—Floods swept Eastern states and Red Cross gave relief to 139,000 families. Scene in Wheeling, West Virginia.



**STORK DEFIES FLOODS**—The Red Cross nurse helped this baby into the world at height of flood peril in Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

**A YEAR OF RED CROSS SERVICE**  
 145,000 families aided in Spring floods and tornadoes. Relief fund of \$7,800,000 given by public for these disaster victims.  
 Help given in 136 other disasters in nation.  
 Red Cross public health nurses made 1,000,000 visits to sick.  
 212,000 First Aiders and 80,000 Life Savers trained.  
 First Aid and Life Saving taught 75,000 C.C.C. enrollees.  
 700 First Aid Stations in operation on highways to cut motor accident death toll—3,500 stations being organized.  
 Chapters gave Civilian relief in 800 communities.  
 Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick taught to 50,000 persons.  
 8,000,000 school boys and girls enrolled in Junior Red Cross.  
 Service to disabled veterans and service men continued.  
 Thousands of volunteers made garments, braille books and gave varied services.  
 These activities carried on in 13,000 communities by Red Cross Chapters and Branches.



**DOLLS BRING HAPPINESS**—Junior Red Cross girls whose motto is "I Serve" make hundreds of rag dolls for children who have no toys.



**A WISTFUL LITTLE FLOOD REFUGEE**—One of thousands of youngsters cared for by Red Cross volunteers in disaster refugee centers.



**FIGHTING AUTOMOBILE DEATH TOLL**—800 Red Cross Emergency First Aid Stations on the nation's highways, soon to be followed by 3,500 more, will reduce fatalities following motor accidents.

**SAVING A LIFE**—Red Cross Life Saver demonstrates prone pressure method of resuscitation of drowned person.



**WAR VETERANS REMEMBERED**—The Red Cross Gray Ladies bring war's victims to President's annual garden party. President and Mrs. Roosevelt greet war disabled on White House lawn.