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A WEEK AT A TIME

by J. M. RANKIN

WE CHOOSE LEE O'

We learn that in the second primary this month Lewis Goodwin will support Walter Woodall, and Bob Calvert will support Gerald Mann; Nelson will support Pierce Brooks, and Chas. Hippen will support Harry Graves. And just to be on the safe side, the Slatonite will support Lee O'Daniel.

MAILED IT THERE

Maybe you've read of somebody in battle in the olden days nailing the flag to the masthead, so it couldn't be pulled down by some faint-hearted flor in token of surrender. We think that is just what the citizens of Slaton did last week when they got behind a paving program in a remarkable exhibition of civic mindedness and thereby told the world their work is not licked. Where towns of lesser spirit sit with folded hands saying, "The big towns are gobbling us up," Slaton has said in effect, "We believe in our town, in its present and its future, in the fundamental principle it can render and needs to render to the rich community it is situated in, in the spirit of the people who live here and the loyalty of those who go out. Our town belongs here, and we're going to nail it down so nobody can take it away." They've nailed the flag to the masthead.

WE CAN HARDLY WAIT

One thing we liked about the football game at Tech Field last Saturday night was the fact that, being actually unprejudiced, we could watch with equal pleasure the good plays of each side, and could watch the more intelligence all play whether good or bad. When it's our side against anybody else in the world, sometimes we can admire the opponent's good plays, but there is always the best a tinge of envy. None of us were last Saturday. We enjoyed the spectacle. And now we can hardly wait.

LOVE SHOOTING NEXT

Golfers who have tried vainly all summer to shoot a birdie may have better luck when the dove season opens September 1. In the Texas panhandle the shooting season extends from that date to October 31; hours from 7 a. m. to sunset. And if you think it is sporting to shoot them with a rifle, don't do it; it's against the law. Likewise don't use a shotgun for more than a ten gage. Personally if I had a ten gage, we'd be trying to get it off for a smaller one, as the law had would frequently kick us in the rear and stomp us through the floor. There are twice as many ducks to shoot this way as last year, the Texas Wildlife Commission tells us. Hooray! No shooting there until Nov. 15, which is the day deer season opens in Texas and we fear the ducks will have to wait. Quail season is about the same as always. You can find out about the bear season in plenty of time if you have a taste for roughs, and if you kill a bear, we can give you plenty of names of people who wouldn't care for any bear steaks, though people do eat them.

MERCY HOSPITAL REPORTER

Valter Mosser, tonsillectomy, Aug. 9th.
Mrs. R. J. McKee, Post, dismissed, August 9th.
T. Gentry, surgery, 4th.
D. S. Lavender, Wilson, surgery, 6.
Arroyo Moore, Wilson, X-Ray and treatment following accident.
Mary Bell Jones, city, tonsillectomy, August 9th.
Mary Frances Landreth, surgery, August 6th.
Mrs. Dessie May Hall, city, surgery, August 8th.
Mrs. H. A. Winkler, Tahoka, surgery, 8th.
Mrs. Arthur Gickhorn, Wilson, surgery, August 8th.
Mrs. Weldon McGhee, Wilson, surgery, dismissed August 8th.
Herschel Patterson, tonsillectomy, August 9th.
Mrs. Frank Fenton, surgery, 10th.
Lyle Very, medical, August 10th.
Frank Cook, Jr., Wilson, tonsillectomy, August 10th.
Roy Dalton Nell, Lubbock CCC camp, surgery, 10th.

Tigers Called Out For Fall Set-To

Coach Hamilton Sets Day For Equpt Issue

Football equipment will be issued Tuesday, August 16, according to Coach Hamilton who is in Dallas this week. The hours to be observed are 8:30 to 3:30 est. And we repeat that the date is Tuesday of next week. Boys must have locks and keys so they can have some hope of taking care of the equipment before any will be issued.

Practice will start Wednesday, August 17. There will be two workouts daily until school starts. The morning workout will start at 8:00 and will stop at 10:30; the afternoon session will be 4:30 to 7:00.

The schedule is fairly well filled, but the second string men need some more dates, and Hamilton invites correspondence with a view to matching games for his reserves. The schedule to date is as follows:

September 9, Slaton B at Cooper
Sept. 16, Floydada at Slaton
Sept. 23, Tigers at Snyder
Sept. 30, OPEN
Oct. 4, B team Ralls at Slaton
Oct. 7, White Deer at Slaton
Oct. 14, Tahoka, place yet to be fixed.
Oct. 21, Post at Slaton
Oct. 28, Colorado, place to be fixed.
Nov. 4, OPEN
Nov. 11, Tigers at Brownfield
Nov. 18, Rotan at Slaton
Nov. 24, OPEN

Fire Officials Get Ratings

Hord Makes Grade Of 96 In State Fire School

Walter Hord, Secretary and business manager of the Slaton Fire Department who attended the recent Fire Fighters School at Austin, with Fire Chief Elbert Wilson, has just received his grade for the work he did there. The grade of 96 per cent tells something of the earnestness with which Slaton's representatives studied the problems and methods presented at the State Convention. Chief Wilson, who specialized in First Aid this time, won the coveted rating of instructor, and no other grade was given for his work.

Russell Reunion Is Held Here

Mr. G. J. Russell and two of his brothers were recently honored at a reunion held at the home of his son, J. A. Russell, six miles west of Slaton. Dinner was served to twenty-nine guests—a dinner such as you may read about in the story books, but seldom seen in real life, pit barbecue, bread, pickles, pies and cakes in fine confusion and copious profusion. Guests registering were the host and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell; the honorees and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Russell of Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Russell of Canyon and Mrs. I. S. Russell the widow of a deceased brother; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Russell of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carson of Cuero, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson and family of Hadas, New Mexico, Mrs. Harvey Tunnel and daughter of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Peebles and children of Slaton.

YOUNGS HAVE REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Young attended a Family Reunion in Haskell County Sunday at the home of R. T. Young, a brother of J. O. There were 79 present, 66 of them members of the family. Every one enjoyed plenty to eat and plenty of music, the music being furnished by a string band of long standing in that county.

LOCAL SCOUTS PLACE THIRD

Scout Troop 28 from Slaton won 3rd place in a district swimming meet held at Lamesa Monday night.

FLORENCE THANKS

MUCH THANKS to the people of Slaton territory for their hearty tribute in an overwhelming majority vote in the late primary. It took away much of the sting of defeat.
W. P. FLORENCE

Superband Concert Saturday Night

Antelopes Join Tigers For Weekend Show

Tiger Band Director Clyde Rowe and Antelope Director Chas. Kiker of Post will combine their respective band aggregations next Saturday night for a band concert in Slaton's City Park. The Tiger band concerts have been a most popular feature of the summer's entertainment for Slatonites and their neighbors and this combined concert will be welcomed by fans.

The combined bands will offer a varied program where the most exacting music lover will be able to hear the kind of music he likes. The band concerts will continue to be offered each Saturday night until the opening of the football season, after which date it is considered too exacting of the time of the players to require them to play on Friday nights and Saturday nights of each week.

School Library Asks Donations

The Slaton High School Library, as all libraries, needs more books. Special effort is being made this summer to build up the science library and donations of books that seem to be in the way around the place—your place—are solicited.

Warning is given that books in a school library are supposed to be worn out eventually, and if you have books you value and want to preserve, you should keep them at home. But if there are books about you that you would like to get out of the way, take them to the high school building or notify Superintendent Webb or the Librarian. It is especially desired to add to the science library of the school, and books or magazines of that nature are solicited.

Class of '36 In Reunion

A reunion of the Class of Thirty-six, Slaton High School, was held at Buffalo Lakes last Thursday. Mrs. W. L. Jones, Class mother for the full four years and John Jenkins, high school principal in 1936 were present at the reunion.

Class members who attended were: J. W. Turnbow, Joe Foote, Bertram Kessel, Tommy Maddox, Alva Sims Wilks, Arlene Grimstead, James Grimstead, Opal Moseley, Louise Payne, Velma Lee Wright, Mary Lee Thompson, Elvira Smith, W. L. Jones, Eloise Appling, Esoleta Alcorn, Minnie Will Wooten, Bobby Ayres, Warren Henry, Evelyn Mansker, Mary Williams and Maxine Sanders.

Her Office Repaired

It looked as if the sky had fallen that morning last spring when Mrs. Lee Green opened her office at the Retail Merchants Association. But it was only the ceiling that had turned loose after holding a few barrels of water that had come through as a result of the hailstorm and rainstorm.

Now Mrs. Green preens herself as she sits in the spic and span office that has been redecorated, and made attractive with bright new linoleum on the floor. Of course it always looked attractive with curtains and flowers and a whatnot in the corner, but these women seem to believe in making your workshop look attractive.

LEGIONAIRES MEET FRIDAY

Post Commander Arthur Dennis reminds Legionaires that Luther Powers Post of the American Legion meets Friday night, August 12th at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present to attend to important business. Also appointments of committees for 1939 will be made.

BENEFIT DANCE

A benefit dance will be given by the Catholic Ladies at Johnston's Ranch August 15. Admission 50c. All are invited.

National Guard Encampment this week finds Hugh Diamond, Jr., Louis Sanders and Wayne Kirkpatrick among those from Slaton.

A. J. Payne Resigns From Secretariat

Veteran Secretary Will Go South

A. J. Payne, who has been in Slaton so long that he is an institution in the town, announces this week that he is resigning his post here as secretary of the B.C.D. and C. of C. He plans to go to Florida, where his wife has had to move for her health some months ago. His letter follows:



Fred H. Schmidt, President, and Directors, of the Board of City Development and Chamber of Commerce, My Dear Sirs:

It is with regret and much sorrow that I herewith am compelled to hand you this, my resignation as Sec-Mgr. of Slaton Board of City Development and Chamber of Commerce, effective Sept. 1st, 1938.

I have been your Sec-Mgr. since January 1931 and have enjoyed my work with all Officers and Directors during that time, and have tried as best I could to do my duty; and I thank and appreciate the good cooperation I have had during that time. I speak for my successor the same loyalty and support that has been accorded me.

In leaving Slaton, I shall always be interested and wish for great good to be accomplished by the B.C.D. and Chamber of Commerce.

Yours with respect,
A. J. Payne, Sec-Mgr.,
B.C.D. and Chamber of Commerce

Take Your Supper

City-County Park Now Well Lighted

The City-County Park in Slaton has been a dark forbidding place of nights until this week. If you wanted to go and spread your supper—or evening lunch, or your watermelon slicing there you needed to carry a lantern or turn your car lights across the lawn or you might be eating cockroaches or other nocturnal varmints before the repast was consumed.

But now all is well, County Commissioner Mansker and the City Commission have combined their resources and now two powerful street lighting units have been installed in the park, and you could even see the ants on the sandwiches—if they walked at night, which they don't; or the candle bugs—except that they always fly close to the source of the light. So take your supper—evening lunch, watermelons, or grub if you have any, and eat in light and cool comfort in the City-County Park.

SOFTBALL STANDINGS

After a warm first half the softball season gets the second week into the second half with prospects that there may be no playoffs. Bart's Cafe, winner of the first half of the season was undefeated as it met the other undefeated team, Acuff, last night. Standings up to last night are as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Bart's	3	0	1.000
Acuff	2	0	1.000
Petty	1	1	.500
Slaton Motor	1	2	.333
Union	0	3	.000
Chiros	0	1	.000
Hancock	0	1	.000

THEY SAW HIM COMING

You might have heard of the folks who saw him coming; this is about somebody who heard he was coming. B. B. Castleberry, local manager of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber yard has just returned from California. But he just did get back. The Slatonite carried a mention of his intended departure for the West, and the notice beat him to California. He found such a full program of activities planned for him by friends there, that he just barely was able to get around to all of them and get back before cotton picking time.

Job Work Neatly Done

School Opening Will Be Sept. 5

At a meeting of the School Board Monday evening the opening date for the Slaton Public Schools was set for September 5, according to a report of Supt. Joe Webb, Wednesday.

Registration will begin Thursday, Sept. 1, when all high school freshmen are called for an orientation meeting at the High School Building at one o'clock. All other high school classes will register Friday, the 2nd.

To avoid confusion and to enable teachers to make complete records of beginning pupils—that is six-year-olds—the Board passed a resolution requiring all six-year-olds to bring birth certificates at registration time. These and other grade school pupils will not register until Monday, the fifth. All patrons should begin now to obtain the birth certificates by registration day.

Two teachers were added to the faculty, Monday evening; Miss Louise Edwards of O'Donnell was elected to the primary department of East Ward, and Bennington Reed of Muleshoe will teach mathematics and direct athletics in Junior High School.

Local Bandsmen At San Antonio

"Three hundred players in Lubbock, and the director there catches me not looking and drags off my players to a National Guard Encampment for the end of the Summer," so growled Clyde Rowe, local band director as he gave the names of eight Slaton bandsmen who are at Camp Bullis near San Antonio. But Rowe doesn't really feel hurt, since he knows the boys are getting some drill and having a great outing.

The players from here are: Willis Petty, who got in from the C.M.T.C. just in time for the Guard Camp, Warren Tabor, George Gentry, Frank Moss, J. C. Tucker, Fred Swagerty, Ray DeBusk, and Truman Shelton.

Brewer Will Take FHA Applications

J. H. Brewer, local insurance and real estate man, has been authorized to accept applications for F.H.A. loans in Slaton. Until recently no financing has been available for F.H.A. Loans in Slaton, but Brewer now has connections through which loans can be had on building projects that meet the required specifications.

While the lending agency has set up stringent qualifications, still it is only reasonable that demands be made that will keep building within reasonable bounds and that will require locations that will always be favorable and popular.

Summer Homemaking Classes Closing

Mrs. Dayton Eckert closes her work with summer homemaking classes this week, and announces an informal exhibit of the work done to be shown in the High School Building Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Patrons of the school are invited to view for the first time in the lives of most of them: the homemaking department where some of the girls are training in homemaking, that occupation that at least ninety-five per cent of them will one day be engaged in. The department has been improved by the addition of linoleum and redecoration at the hands of the girls this summer to reflect in some measure the aims of the classes.

MISS BESS VERNON BURIED AT CHILICOTHE

Miss Bess Vernon, 42, formerly of Slaton, but for the past twelve years resident at Vernon died suddenly at her home there August 5. She had long been a consistent member and an ardent worker in the Baptist church wherever she lived, and will be missed in the community of her residence as she is mourned of a wide circle of friends and relatives.

Local people attending the funeral which was held at Vernon Tuesday, were two sisters, Mrs. C. W. Dean and Mrs. Cam Evans. Others were Eugene Evans and family, Herran Evans, Mrs. S. K. McKinnon of Lubbock, and Mrs. Lloyd McCormick of New Home.

Writers Added To Local Staff

More News Coming For Slatonite Readers

The SLATONITE has added to its staff in the past few days. Last week the first contribution of the Hackberry correspondent was carried. Mrs. Hubert Taylor writes in a breezy style that makes interesting reading and tells about interesting people of the Hackberry Community.

Mrs. C. D. Young, old time resident of the Union Community has agreed to resume the reporting she once maintained. This week, she has some news items from there and the people of that community may expect to have their doings told in print hereafter.

From Posey came the information that the Slatonite Correspondent there for some years, Miss Frances Boyce, is married and gone to Littlefield. Miss Lorene Gentry, however, will report the news from the north hereafter.

Old Settlers Meet August 11 and 12th

Hank Smith Park Scene of Reunion

The West Texas Old Settlers Association will celebrate its Thirteenth Annual Reunion at the Hank Smith Memorial Park, August 11 and 12, 1938, at Crosbyton.

The entertainment program will consist of public speaking, old time square dance, old fiddler's contest each day, Crosby County Sing Song, Floydada Cowboy Quartet, D. S. Dudley's Carnival, amateur program, and other amusements too numerous to mention.

CURE FOR DEPRESSIONS SUBJECT OF LECTURE AT ROTARY LUNCHEON

A method of preventing future financial depressions is outlined in a short lecture entitled "The Blind Spot of Science" which was presented at the local Rotary Club luncheon last Thursday, according to program chairman J. A. Elliott.

Investors Syndicate, Minneapolis, Minn., through its Lubbock agency office, and the narrator was Mr. A. Lawren Brown, internationally known author, lecturer and educator by whom it has been delivered some 4,000 times throughout the United States and Canada. "The Blind Spot of Science" dealt graphically and entertainingly with the successful manner in which mankind has solved some of his most difficult problems—including transportation, communication, industry, disease and even death—and pointed a feasible solution of the remaining problem of financial depressions, general and individual.

Mr. Brown pointed out that, although financial depressions have plagued the human race throughout six thousand years of recorded history, they can be eliminated through education in scientific money management. In his lecture he described how this could be accomplished and gave sound and practical advice for the attainment of financial independence by every individual.

The film version of his lecture has been shown before many service and business clubs, colleges, schools, churches, parent-teachers associations, lodges, safety councils and large industrial concerns, by whom it has been highly commended for its educational and entertainment value.

Miss Billy Rust has returned from a seven weeks vacation in Nevada.



Just Arrived

To Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Young, a son, August 5th.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Keeton, a daughter, Barbara Ann, August 7th.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burrell, a daughter, August 9th.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Talley, a son, August 4th.

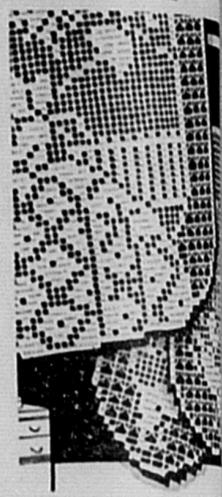
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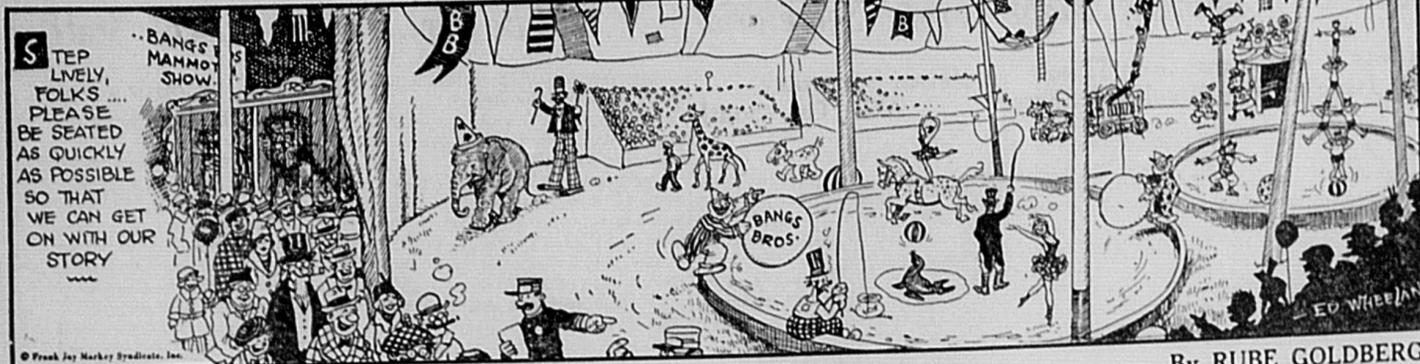
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By ED WHEELAN

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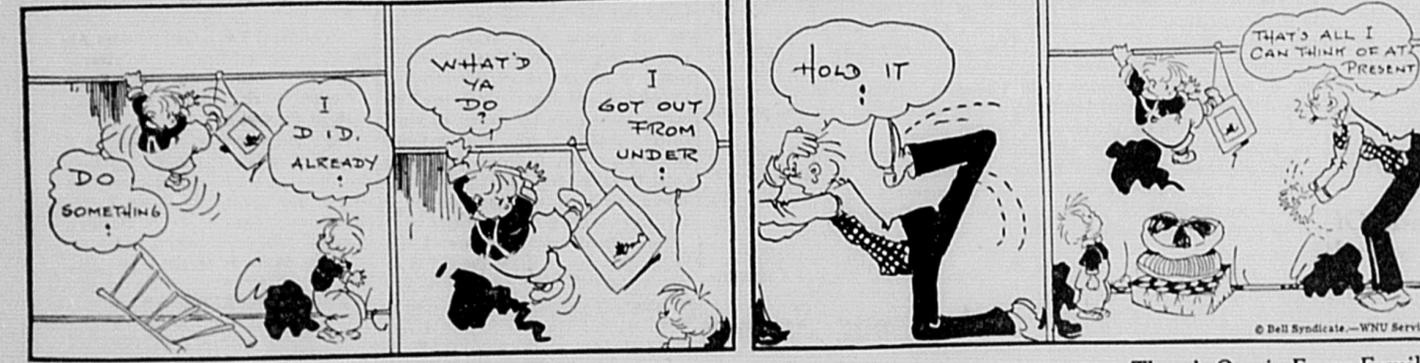


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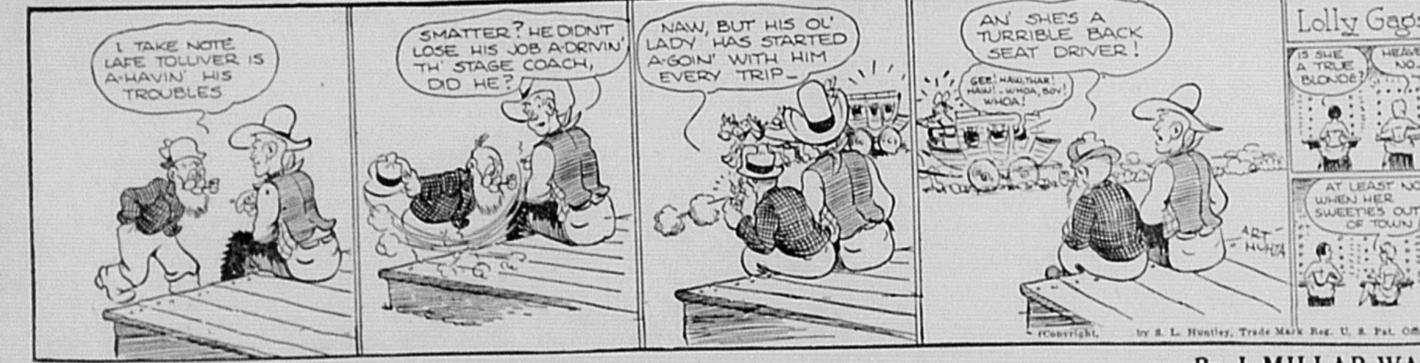
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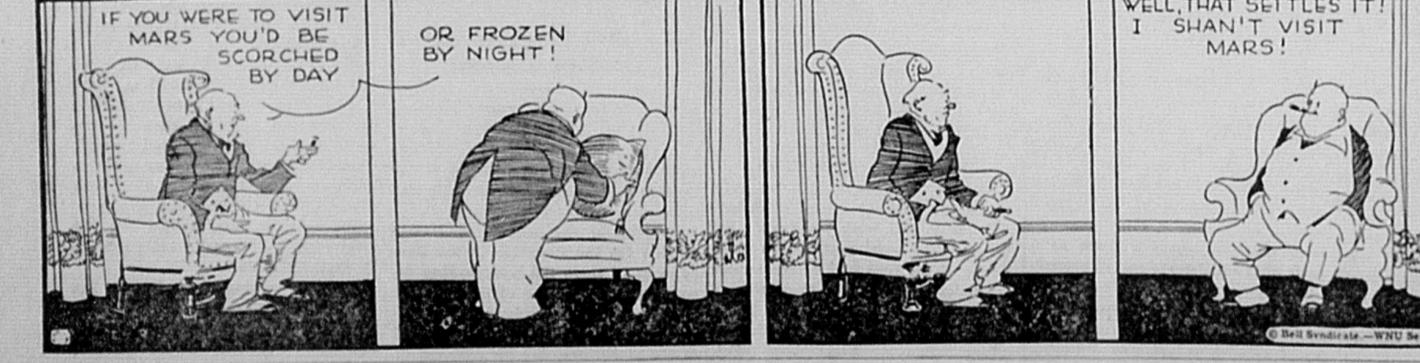
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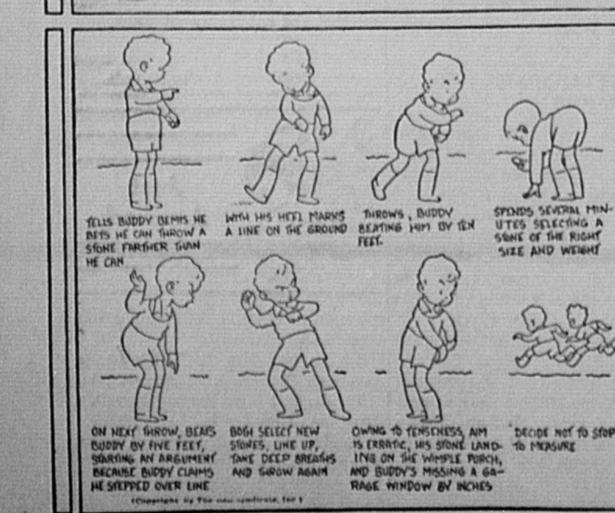
There's One in Every Family

POP—Pop Thinks He'll Stay at Home



By J. MILLAR WATT

CONTEST By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



ALMOST PERSONAL

"I understand," said a young woman to another, "that at your church you are having unusually small congregations. Is that so?"

"Yes," answered the second girl, "so small that every time the rector says, 'Dearly beloved,' you feel as if you had received a proposal."

Got Left
Fitzjones—Did you go to the theater last evening, Percy?
De Brown—No; I attended a sleight-of-hand performance.
Fitzjones—Where?
De Brown—I went to call on Miss Le Smythe, and offered her my hand, but she slighted it.

Back-chat
Him—Take my uncle now—there was a man! He left everything he had to an orphan asylum!
Her—Yes. Twelve kids!—Washington Post.

No Change
"A husband like yours must have been hard to find."
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Blue Denim Stylish for Sportswear

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



HERE'S big news! It's all about denim, just plain ordinary, sturdy blue denim. Believe it or not, after all these years that blue denim has been associated in our minds as a mundane material devoted for the most part to the making of men's workaday overalls, we awake to the astonishing realization that this sturdy fabric has, in this summer season, gone style-high for women's wear. Just how Dame Fashion could have been so blind these decades past as to fail to recognize the style possibilities of denim as a medium for ladies' apparel will forever remain a mystery.

However, the fact remains denim has unmistakably come into its own in the feminine realm, not only for the making of play clothes, but designers are turning out the smartest-ever suits meticulously tailored of this never-wear-out attractive weave. In consequence of which we now see clever little classic jacket-and-skirt tailleurs of blue denim worn by women who register among the best dressed. These suits are stunning worn with a white pique blouse or a dainty, frilly white lingerie type, with accessories in white. Equally attractive are these suits with accents of bright color such as a Roman striped blouse with striped sandals and hand-bag to match. Scarlet or bright yellow buttons, belt and gloves is another way of doing it. The tailored linen blouse in vivid color also goes well

with an outfit that is made of denim. A two-piece dress (shirt and skirt) of denim, as illustrated to the left in the group, will not only give untold service but it stands for style personified in the sports clothes realm. Every line and detail of this outfit reflects exquisite standards of tailoring plus perfection of fit and finishing touches.

Ship ahoy! See the lovely recruit for the sailor's life centered in the picture. All tagged out is this mid-summer siren in sturdy denims that never lose an item of perfection no matter how many the big waves that wash over them—old demon shrinkage doesn't have a chance. And what a wealth of style these sturdy denim togs do pack.

Even if the girl pictured to the right took an unexpected dive into the sea she need not be concerned about her outfit, for neither salt spray nor suds will make the sturdy fabric shrink. Note the nautical symbols, the pipings, braidings, all smart details of this grand garment that promises to remain true "for better or worse" wear.

By way of offering a few extra suggestions for the styling of denim we don't mind telling you that a bolero dress of denim will prove a positive treasure in your outing or vacation wardrobe. You vary the blouse to suit the occasion and it's "on again, off again" to suit the changing temperature, so far as the cunning bolero is concerned.

The idea of denim for children's play suits, dresses and other apparel should prove most inspirational to mothers.

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CROCHET COLLARS
By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



A spic-and-span collar to give new life to your favorite dress is always a welcome addition in a collection of pretty accessories. If hand-crocheted so much the better for a bit of handiwork always adds an exclusive touch to a costume. The collar pictured at the top is crocheted of lightweight mercerized cotton and embroidered in contrast color. The other collar is also hand crocheted of light mercerized cotton. It is trimmed with a border of contrasting color to match the drawing of twisted cotton strands cleverly brought through open spaces in the crochet.

Pockets Go Down

Pockets on beach togs have been lowered and lowered until now they have reached the knee.

SUMMER FURS TAKE STYLE SPOTLIGHT

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**

Fur in summertime is just one of the charming incongruities that makes fashion an ever-abiding source of interest and enthusiasm. If you would keep pace with the mode you must acquire a white ermine bolero or a cape of pointed fox for this summer. When fall comes you will be wanting one of the new hip-length jackets in brown fur, advance models of which have already arrived. White marabou or ostrich neckpieces, boleros and capes are also proving of immediate interest.

Bed Capes Used as Evening Wraps Over Summer Frocks

Recently some very cunning breakfast-in-bed capes have been brought out that are crocheted with tiers of little ruffles from neck to hemline. They are too lovely to be secluded in the boudoir, at least that is evidently the thought of young and daring daughters of the household who conceived the idea of appropriating these delectable capes for wear as evening wraps over their summer frocks, and from all reports the idea is working out to perfection.

'Forest Green' New Color For Girl Scout Uniforms

Forest green is the shade chosen for the new costume to be adopted by the 450,000 Girl Scouts throughout America. The dresses are in one piece, made on princess lines with a flared skirt, and short, slightly puffed sleeves. They are belted at the waist and zipped up the front to a close, rolled collar.

Boleros Popular
Boleros become increasingly important for summer fashions. They are worn equally often with evening clothes and informal daytime dresses, and they are made of everything from velvet to organdie.

Fall Tweeds Stress Color
High style tweeds which will appear soon for the fall market have wine-purple-green-pink blended together in stripe or in tile patterns. Blues are especially stressed.

WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Analyzes The Cereal Grains

Well Known Food Authority Describes Their Place in the Diet

By **C. HOUSTON GOUDISS**
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TO ME, there is no more inspiring sight in the world than a field of nodding golden grain. It not only pleases the eye with its grace and profound beauty, but it attests to Nature's bounty. For down through the ages, grains have sustained and comforted man.

In every quarter of the globe, foods made from grain constitute the largest single item in the food supply. This is as it should be, for no other foodstuff affords such a rich store of fuel value at such little cost. It has been estimated that during one day's labor, an American farmer, growing wheat by up-to-date American methods, can produce enough protein and calories to sustain a man for a year.

A Source of Power and Pep

Every nation depends upon some form of cereal to furnish motive power for the body machinery—to provide necessary energy to keep body and brain functioning efficiently. In the Western world, wheat is supreme. But in Oriental countries, rice takes the lead and it is the chief article of food for half of the world's people. Rye, oats, barley, maize and buckwheat are likewise important crops.



Energy Values Compared

All uncooked cereal foods show great similarity in their chemical composition and therefore have very nearly the same energy value—that is about 1,650 calories per pound. The weight of a 100-calorie portion is about an ounce. But there is a wide variation in bulk, depending upon the degree to which the cereal has been refined. For example, three tablespoons of patent wheat flour weigh one ounce; one and one-fourth cups of a puffed wheat cereal likewise weigh one ounce. After cooking, there is a big variation in weight, as well as measure, owing to the varying amounts of water absorbed. Thus a cup of cooked oatmeal mush supplies the same number of calories as three tablespoons of a pebbly dry cereal with a nut-like taste.

From 8 to 12 per cent of the calories in cereal foods are obtained from protein and two noted in-

vestigators have estimated that grain products contribute 38 per cent of the total calories and 37 per cent of the protein in the typical American dietary.

Laboratory experiments indicate that the proteins of wheat, oats, maize, rye and barley are about equally efficient in promoting and supporting growth. None of them compares with an equivalent weight of the complete proteins of milk, eggs or meat, but when combined with small amounts of milk, the cereal proteins become highly efficient.

Iron and Copper

The mineral elements of grains are concentrated largely in the outer layers and in the germ. For this reason, there is considerable difference in the yield of minerals from whole grain and highly refined cereal foods.

The mineral content of bran is from 10 to 20 times greater than that of patent flour, and whole wheat contains from three to five times as much iron, calcium and phosphorus. Bran, oatmeal and whole grain cereals are a good source of copper as well as iron.

Rich in Vitamin B

The different cereal grains are quite similar in their vitamin values, but as the vitamins are very unevenly distributed throughout the kernel, there is a wide variation in vitamin content between the whole grain and refined cereal foods.

All seeds, including whole grains, are relatively poor in vitamin A. They are entirely lacking in vitamins C and D and contain only small amounts of vitamin G.

Both the germ and bran, however, are excellent sources of vitamin B—which promotes appetite, aids digestion and helps to prevent a nervous disorder. The importance of the germ as a food has been more fully appreciated since it was discovered that it is at least five times as rich in vitamin B as the whole grain or bran. There are several cereals on the market containing added wheat germ and this precious substance may also be obtained in concentrated form.

Laxative Value of Cereals

The whole grain cereals contain an abundance of bulk or cellulose and are therefore a valuable aid in promoting normal elimination. Individuals differ in their requirement for foods having a laxative effect, and in some cases one must be guided by personal experience. But inasmuch as the whole grain products furnish the body with larger amounts of minerals and vitamins B and G, a good general rule is to consume at least half of one's bread and other cereal foods in the whole grain form.

Digestibility of Grains

The whole grain products are less completely digested than those which are more highly re-

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fined, but as they contain larger amounts of protein, it is estimated that the amount of protein digested and absorbed from an equal weight of entire wheat or patent flours is practically the same. Thus when the two types of flours are considered as sources of protein and energy alone, they are regarded by nutritionists as substantially equivalent and interchangeable.

Many Forms of Cereal Foods

From infancy to old age, the cereal foods should, and usually do constitute the mainstay of the diet. Fortunately, there is such a wide variety from which to choose that there is little likelihood of monotony. Furthermore, because of their bland flavor, one does not readily tire of cereal foods.

In addition to the wide variety of breads, rolls, muffins, biscuits and griddle cakes that can be made from refined and whole grain flours, there are an astonishing number of cooked and uncooked cereals from which to choose. When served with milk, bread or cereals make an ideal and economical food combination.

Macaroni for a Main Dish

Besides serving as the main feature at breakfast and for the child's supper, cereal foods are useful as the chief attraction at dinner or supper when served in the form of macaroni, spaghetti or egg noodles. They are a fine source of energy and also furnish about 12 per cent protein. When combined with cheese, which adds protein, minerals and vitamins, they constitute a balanced main dish.

Cereal products of all kinds deserve a ranking place among FOODS THAT KEEP US FIT.
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AFTER THE SHOW

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Hackberry High-Spots
Mrs. Hubert Taylor, Correspondent

Mrs. Flora Dobbs and her daughter,
Mrs. George Shahan of Tahoka left
Saturday for Albany, California where
they will visit the former's son, L.
Davenport. They will also visit a
daughter of Mrs. Dobbs, Mrs. C. W.
Steele at Bakerfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cook of Hobbs,
N. M. are visiting the latter's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dean.

Mrs. J. W. Stotts who has been taking
the baths in Hot Springs, N. M. has
returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Wynn spent
Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. G. M. Hill at Bula.

John T. Agee of Lubbock spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan
Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudman left
Saturday for Colorado.

Wilbur Jones and family spent Fri-
day night with his sister, Mrs. R. L.
Hagler and family, and left Saturday
morning for California, where they
will mke their home. Mr. Jones has
been a resident of Slaton for nineteen
years, and has many friends in the
surrounding territory whose good
wishes follow them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, Mr. and
Mrs. Ed Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. Hub-
ert Taylor, Syble and J. L. Taylor
and Eddie Marie Spence spent a few
days this week fishing along the
Concho—but we haven't heard any
"fish stories" yet.

Mrs. Heywood Bassinger is taking
the baths in Hot Springs, N. M.

Mrs. Holly White and her daughter
of Southland, Helen, spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. William Lester.

Billy Joe Haire returned recently
from a visit with the family of his
uncle Harvey Stotts at Levelland.

Miss Lolis Hildebrand, who former-
ly lived in Slaton was married Satur-
day to Buster Hillin. They reside at
Fabens, Texas.

Mr. Jim Rackler, who has been ill
for some time is slowly improving.

Talbot Martin who has joined the
National Guard left Saturday for
Camp Bullis. This camp is about 15
miles from San Antonio, and approx-
imately 25,000 men, including mem-
bers of the United States Army and
the Texas National Guard will re-
main there for two weeks.

Rev. R. L. Whitesides, of Denton,
is holding a series of Church of Christ
meetings at Gordon.

The Hackberry H. D. Club held its
annual Social at the club house Fri-
day night.

Mrs. Dykes and Mrs. Claud Jerni-
gan of Hobbs, N. M. are visiting their
parents, the J. O. Reeds, over the
week-end.

Mrs. J. D. Saunders, and Miss Edna
Marie Spence returned from a visit
with relatives in New Mexico the
first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rackler had visit-
ing relatives from Tennessee recently
but have lost our note book and have
forgotten their names. If other news
is left out it is still in the lost note
book if not in the Slatonite.

TWO S. S. CLASSES GO ON PICNIC

Miss Irene Armes and Mr. A. C.
Strickland entertained their Sunday
School classes in a joint picnic at Mc-
Kenzie Park, Lubbock, last Friday
evening. A picnic lunch with lemon-
ade was enjoyed. Those who went were
Misses Opal Moseley, Louise Payne,
May Beth Florence, Ora Belle Blars,
Golden Paterson, Eva and Sally She-
gor; Messrs. James Florence, Connie
Strickland, Wayne Liles, A. C. Strick-
land; Mesdames A. C. Strickland,
Fred England and W. T. Davis; and
little Dorothy Davis and Freddie Eng-
land.

SOCIAL

**SANTA FE RECREATION CLUB
HAS WATERMELON FEAST**

The Santa Fe Recreation Club en-
joyed a watermelon feast Thursday
evening at 6 o'clock in the beautiful
back yard of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rob-
ertson.

Members and their families attend-
ing were: Messrs. and Mesdames C.
E. Smith, Alec Shelton, J. C. Powers,
E. J. Kenney, Ernest Robertson, J. O.
Jenkins, L. R. Gregory, J. O. Young,
and P. M. Wheatley and one guest,
Miss Mable Cleveland.

The club meets August 3rd with
Mrs. Ernest Robertson.

Y. W. A. MET MONDAY

The Young Women's Association of
the First Baptist Church met at the
home of the pastor last Monday even-
ing.

After the Discussion of business, a
very interesting program was given.
May Beth Florence told of her trip
to Palo Duro Canyon on the Y. W. A.
encampment. "Our next-door neigh-
bor" was the title of the program. It
was decided to make up a box of cloth-
ing to give the Mexicans.

A watermelon feast was enjoyed by
the following: May Beth Florence,
Opal Moseley, Arlene Grinstead, Evely-
n and Miriam Meading, Gilden Pat-
terson, Louise Payne, Esther Mae
Ward, Marian Frances Ferguson, Rev.
and Mrs. Ferguson and Paul Leith, a
Bylor Student, who is visiting in the
home of the Fergusons, this week.

PICNIC AT BUFFALO LAKES

Mrs. V. P. Williams was hostess to
several friends at Buffalo Lakes
Saturday night, where swimming and
picnicking was enjoyed by Mesdames
J. A. Bean, Keebler, J. R. McAtee,
and Burleson, the latter a guest from
East Texas in the McAtee home,
Misses Anne McAtee and Cordelia
Grantham.

LITTLE MISS WYNN ENTERTAINS

On her fourth birthday Tommie
Edith Wynn entertained a number of
her friends with a party at her home
Sunday afternoon.

The many presents, a lovely cake
with four candles, and toy balloons
all added to the gayety of the occa-
sion.

Those present were Bert Lewis
Manley, Lonnie Mason, Lequita Brew-
ster, Larry Carbell, Patsy Weeks,
Margot Ann Weeks, Thomas McRae,
Winston Lester, Jackie Haire, Diane
Haire, Jeanette Taylor, Burl Carey,
Charles and Bobbie Haire, Jimmie Lee
Hudman, Betty Jean Edmonds, Don-
ald Edmonds and Nelda Joy Roper.

**MRS. HORACE HAWKINS
WAS HONORED TUESDAY**

Mrs. Horace Hawkins who is soon
to move to Plainview with her hus-
band who has been promoted to the
managership of the Mill there, was
honored Tuesday with a handkerchief
shower and bridge party at the home
of Mrs. Claude Porter.

Mesdames Claude Porter and Geo.
Shanks were hostesses, and the follow-
ing list of guests were served a dainty
serving plate at the end of the pro-
gram: Mesdames. A. A. Robertson, S.
A. Peavy, Scott Allen, J. G. Page,
Dick Ragsdale, R. D. Hickman, Harry
Stokes, Van Stokes, Percy Minor, K.
L. Scudder, J. H. Brewer, Harvey Aus-
tin of Lubbock, N. R. Carter, Carl
Merriweather, Chas. Taylor, and the
honoree, Mrs. Hawkins.

**CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB
HONORS EX-MEMBER**

One of the nicest and most interest-
ing affairs of the season was a
luncheon on Monday August 8th given
in the honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. E.
Smart, by The Civic and Culture Club,
honoring Miss Ora Kuykendall.

The luncheon was planned by the
entertainment Committee with Mrs.
Raymond Champion as chairman. The
program consisted of friendly
conversations which were principally
let by Miss Kuykendall's accounts of
her life in Alaska and the many won-
derful trips, experiences and observa-
tions attendant there to.

Miss Kuykendall's family came and
helped to lay the corner-stone of
Slaton in 1911. At that time Miss Ora
was teaching in far away Alaska,
from where she was called home in
1916 owing to her mother's failing
health.

She entered into the community
program of Church and Civic develop-
ment with a zeal to do her part. She
taught in the public schools for sev-
eral years and served as local post-
mistress during part of Wilson's ad-
ministration. During ten-years of
such active service she endeared her-
self to many friends.

Miss Ora went away to Alaska
again in 1926 to work in a Presbyter-
ian Mission School in Sitka and but
for a few vacations she has served
there since.

In 1932 Miss Ora visited Slaton, as

Posey Paragraphs

Lorene Gentry, Correspondent

Rev. L. C. Morrison and family
went to Monroe, Sunday, where Mr.
Morrison supplied for the Pastor S.
H. Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Snyder spent
Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W.
Boyce.

Miss Frances Boyce and Mr. Elzie
McGennis were united in marriage
Saturday, August 6. They were mar-
ried at the First Methodist Church at
Slaton. Rev. Quattlebaum, pastor of
that church, read the vows. The bride
wore navy blue with pink accessories.
Miss Lillie Gentry and Mr. Robert
Boyce were attendants. The newly
weds left immediately for Littlefield
where they will make their home.

Miss Juanell Hart spent Saturday
night with her grandmother, Mrs. J.
I. Cranfill, of Wilson.

A son, James Samuel weighing 8
pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. J.
C. Gentry August 2.

The Trustees of Posey School met
Tuesday night of last week and de-
cided to start school August 29.

Miss Mary Frances Cloninger spent
Thursday in Levelland with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. George Jaynes and fam-
ily returned home with her to spend
the week.

The Posey W.M.S. served the Ro-
tary and their guests Thursday. The
Society will serve the Rotary each
Thursday in August.

The Young Folks Prayer Group en-
tertained their families Sunday after-
noon at Tumble Inn Park with a
watermelon feast. During the Revival
Meeting last week the Young folks
were divided into two groups, Alley
Ooops and Fuzzies. The group had a
contest in which the Alley Ooops were
victorious.

The Revival Meeting just closed at
Posey had visible results in numerous
conversions, and in the addition of 11
to the Methodist church. The preach-
ing was done by Rev. S. H. Crockett
local M. E. pastor and Rev. Louis
Stonecipher, Baptist minister from
Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davidson and
son of Slaton visited in this commu-
nity during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Williams and
family visited in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. J. C. Gentry Sunday.

The First Sunday Singing was well
attended Sunday evening. Visitors
are always welcomed.

Messrs. Marcus Burns and Buck
Creamer, of Spur, visited with Mr.
and Mrs. W. E. Burns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shafer and son
Beak, and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Brieg-
er and daughter, Georgia Nell, left
Monday morning for Wellington and
points in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Cranfill spent
Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. I.
Cranfill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer D. Bentley at-
tended a family reunion of the Ben-
tley family Sunday. They enjoyed the
supper at the McKenzie Park Sunday
evening.

Messrs. S. N. Gentry, W. E. Burns,
and W. T. Gentry were business visi-
tors in Lubbock Friday.

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Norman Galloway, pharmacist at
Whalen Drug, is at Sweetwater lake
this week teasing the turtles—and
possibly making uncomplimentary re-
marks about some of them. Mrs. Gal-
loway and the little small Galloways
went along.

we remember out town was in the
throes of the depression and things
did not look so good. She said that
her heart was heavy as she turned
from her old home town but when she
arrived here last Saturday, August 6,
1938 she felt a thrill of joy at the
wonderful come-back since six years
ago. A busy business section, homes
repaired, and lots of bright new paint
with a new home here and there told
that prosperity had returned.

After these days of being so joy-
ously received, we are sure that our
friend and former neighbor, as she
has gone on her way to return to her
duties in her school work at Sitka,
Alaska feels that life is indeed sweet
and to be useful is worth while.

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Stomach Sufferers

Mr. Sidney Smith, who is manager
of the Lubbock Hotel Laundry, states
that he suffered fifteen years with
stomach trouble, but after giving
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he likes. Gas-Tons are on sale in Sla-
ton at Teague Drug Store. Ask them
to explain the iron-clad guarantee
that you must be pleased.

UNION NEWS

Mrs. Clifford Young, Correspondent

The Baptist Meeting closed Sunday
night. Rev. Ferguson of Slaton did
the preaching; his son Travis played
the piano and Troy Pickens led the
singing.

Mrs. Gamble, Mrs. V. L. Cade and
Mr. J. S. Hampton of Slaton were
called to Goree last week to be at the
bedside of their father, J. D. Hampton
who is very low.

Mrs. J. D. Thompson is able to be
out again after several weeks trouble
with an eye.

Next Sunday Bill Payton, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Payton, will preach
in the morning and Bill Frank White
in the evening at the Baptist church.

Mr. Schmidecoffer is here ren-
ovating his farm home, where Mr. and
Mrs. D. B. Thompson live.

H. M. Cade injured his hip on his
tractor but is improving nicely.

Mrs. M. D. Gamble's children left
Tuesday for Goree to visit their
grandfather who is ill.

June White, who received an injur-
ed arm when a car overturned Sun-
day, July 31, is getting along nicely.

Fay Meyers and John Young Stand-
efer, other occupants of the car, es-
caped uninjured.

Mrs. A. M. Pair visited Mrs. E. E.
Pair Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Joplin attended
a family reunion of his people at
Lubbock Sunday.

V. L. Cade is in College Station on
business.

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Mr. E. B. Whitehorn has been very
ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs.
M. L. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Young went to
Wichita Falls Saturday to see Mrs.
Young's sister, Mrs. L. L. Faulkner,
who is seriously ill in a hospital there.
They returned by way of Munday to
visit with another sister of Mrs.
Young, Mrs. Frank Meers.

Abe Kessel after a quick trip to
Dallas the first of the week went to
Clovis at mid-week. He is helping
Julian prepare for opening his new
store there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dutton from
McKinney have been visiting this
week with Miss Helen Argo.

Mr. R. L. Har, who was released
from the hospital last week after a
prolonged and serious illness, has
gone to Cooper for a visit.

Miss Fannie Castleberry, who has
been employed with Fred Harvey in
Colorado, has returned to her home
here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pember and
daughters Maybelle and Joan who
have been visiting the past two weeks
in the home of Mr. Pember's parents
here, returned Sunday to their home
in Dallas. One daughter, Joyce will
remain here until school opens in Dal-
las in September.

Royce Pember of Pember Insurance
firm, has gone to Colorado to look
after some fishing he heard had never
yet been done. The stories of the big
ones that got away finally broke down
his sales resistance. He let Mrs. Pem-
ber go along to take care of the little
daughter.

Miss Tommie Allen of Dublin has
been visiting in the family of her
uncle, F. D. Bostick.

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**MRS. SLAUGHTER
MAKES PURCHASE**
Mrs. Jay Slaughter, Jr., of Post
stopped in Slaton last weekend to buy
a bait of hot tamales from the local
tamales artist. She informed the re-
porter that here are to be found the
best tamales in the west, that she
always stops here for a supply when
she passes through, and that the
Colonel would welcome the succulent
and highly seasoned, shuck-wrapped
concoctions as the main article in his
diet. She took some home for him.

George Hannon, ginner of San Ange-
lo, was in Slaton last week-end visit-
ing friends and relatives. He found
our crops a bit later than Ton. Green
crops, but they have a pretty heavy
scattering of worms that are hard on
cotton leaves and tender shoots.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. B. Murphree and
two children, Vivian and Billy Bob,
returned Tuesday night from Central
Texas where they have been vacation-
ing several days. Mr. Murphree vis-
ited with his father at Culp, Texas, who
is seriously ill.

Miss Lillian Nightengale of Cal-
vary, Alberta, Canada is here for a
two months stay with Mr. and Mrs.
Bill Layne.

Mrs. J. W. Baker and daughter,
Cordelia Grantham have returned
to Lubbock where the latter will re-
ceive treatment at the Lubbock Sanita-
rium.

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BOARD of CITY DEVELOPMENT and CHAMBER of COMMERCE NEWS

A. J. PAYNE, SECRETARY

The Directors of the B.C.D. and Chamber of Commerce met in regular session last Tuesday night with over 75 per cent present, which is a good showing during the summer months. President Schmidt called on all Committee Chairmen as to what had been done and Chairman J. H. Brewer reported the repainting of the Chamber of Commerce sign down at the Depot. Several of the Committee Chairmen called attention to the bad state of the growing weeds in our City, and a general cutting down of same would be a good thing toward the looks of the City.

Treasurer Fagan Genn presented his Financial report for July showing a balance of cash on hand of \$481.19 as of August 6th.

Sec-Treas. A. J. Payne of the 4th of July celebration showed a cash balance in that fund of \$140.27 which amount was turned over to the Treasurer of the B.C.D. in a Special Fund, for any other celebrations.

Postmaster K. L. Scudder reports the receipts of the Slaton Post Office as \$1147.17 for the month of July, which shows an increase over July 1937 of \$2.22.

The Sec-Mgr. presented his resignation to the Directors at this meeting which was accepted with regrets and President Schmidt then appointed a committee of C. F. Anderson, C. W. Taylor, and Webber Williams to look after the applications that may be made for the place of Sec-Mgr.

Four Thousand Jobs In Lubbock WPA

Lubbock—Funds sufficient to employ 3,850 persons on Works Progress Administration projects in this territory during the month of August have been granted the Lubbock office, it was reported today by J. O. Jones, administrative officer.

The August budget figure makes it possible to hire 400 additional persons in the counties administered from the Lubbock office, provided that a sufficient number of suitable projects are sponsored by local governmental agencies, Jones stated.

Urging that cities and counties take full advantage of the opportunity to furnish jobs for the unemployed, Jones stated: "Budgets have been allotted on the basis of existing need and we hope that local officials will provide enough projects of integrity to supply jobs for all those who need them in the Lubbock territory."

"Suffering among the unemployed, loss of community purchasing power, and loss of the opportunity to obtain needed public improvements at a fraction of the normal cost will be the result of the failure of local agencies to sponsor sufficient projects to care for the jobless."

Mrs. W. R. Wilson, with Mrs. J. M. Rankin and Jean and Joe spent Tuesday in Ball's visiting old friends.

NYA Program Given

Austin—Boys and girls who cannot otherwise continue their education in high school or college will be provided with an opportunity to earn a part of their expenses on NYA jobs again during the 1938-39 academic year, J. C. Kellam, State Director of the National Youth Administration, announced.

Mr. Kellam has been advised that a Federal allotment of \$1,038,915 has been made for Texas students who want to work their way through school, this representing a 20 per cent increase over the quota allotted to the State last year.

Students desiring to earn a part of their expenses on NYA jobs should communicate with the head of the institution they wish to attend, in order that their eligibility for the jobs may be determined. To be eligible, a student must be 16 but not yet 25 years old and must furnish evidence to the satisfaction of officials of the institution that he cannot enter or remain in school without this assistance. He must be of good character, and must be able to do good school work in at least three-fourths of the normal curriculum of the institution.

The quota for each participating secondary school will be determined by the State Youth Director on a basis of youth need and availability of school facilities. The Director will be assisted by recommendations of the County School Superintendent and an advisory committee of local school officials in each county.

Students employed part-time under the College Aid Program may earn an average wage of \$15 a month, while students working under the School Aid Program may earn a wage not exceeding \$6 a month.

During the last school year, more than 17,300 Texas students held part-time jobs under the NYA Student Aid Program, their earnings enabling them to buy lunches, pay for their board, buy books, or clothing, or pay tuition, according to their individual needs, Mr. Kellam said.

Summer Food Warning From Health Dept.

Austin—"Recent outbreaks of food poisoning show very strikingly the need for special care in handling and refrigerating any food that must be prepared some time in advance of serving," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Prevention of food poisoning requires clean food handling as little as possible and consumed while it is fresh. Foods prepared hours before serving, and allowed to stand at warm temperatures become good culture media for bacteria. Cooked products of a perishable nature are readily subject to decomposition, and must be kept well refrigerated.

"Most food poisoning is caused by infection by certain types of bacteria which grow rapidly under favorable conditions, such as high temperature and high humidity. The infection may come from dirty hands, utensils, flies,

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rodents, contaminated water, infected food materials and in some cases in certain types of bacteria, which are rapidly spread and not necessarily associated with filthy conditions.

"Picnic food is particularly susceptible to transmitting food poisoning to the members of the picnic party. Be sure you have sound, fresh, foods clean, free from stagnant odors, slime, etc. Require all who prepare the food for use to wash their hands thoroughly before handling it. Avoid excessive hand contacts with the food. See that clean containers are used and that special care is exercised in wrapping foods and in protecting them from contamination.

"If food must be prepared much in advance of use, cook it thoroughly, keep it refrigerated and otherwise protected at a temperature under 50 degrees F. until you are ready to use it. Avoid serving foods that are readily infected, such as certain salads, and cream-filled pastries. Any foods that are not to be served immediately should be kept on ice. Milk, ice cream and dairy products in general should be from approved sources.

"Digestive upsets cannot always be blamed on the food served or eaten at an outing. Sometimes excessive heat and humidity combined with over-exertion and over-heating, as well as over-eating, help to bring them about. Remember this, and don't indulge in too strenuous exercise when the days are hot and muggy. Don't over-indulge, either, in unwise combinations of foods."

Five thousand children, according to a Social Security Board estimate, have social security accounts. From infants to youngsters five years old, these children are mostly advertising models, though some of them are in the movies.



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Traffic Rules for Other Fellow

Austin—State police traffic experts have devised a questionnaire from which drivers may determine their individual qualifications for operating vehicles in a safe manner.

Ten questions relating to basic causes for most accidents on streets and highways were listed by traffic research officers so that drivers may correct their errors. Each question counts 10 points if answered in the affirmative, with 10 points discount

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY RURAL HIGH SCHOOLS:



JOSEPH R. GRIGGS

Every consolidation, every bond issue, every building that has been demolished, and every building program that has been carried out in Lubbock County rural schools has been authorized by a majority vote of the people in each respective rural high school district. When the new elementary school buildings of Roosevelt and New Deal are finished, the building program for the Lubbock County rural high schools will be completed. The hardest part of our rural educational program, that of consolidation, voting bonds, tearing down buildings to meet PWA requirements, will be past.

But the most important part is ahead of us. This important program is to operate schools so economically that it will not be necessary to raise taxes above the present level. The grouping of our schools has equalized educational opportunities over the county and has also equalized school tax valuations. Land was valued from \$10 to \$30 per acre in our rural schools before the grouping, but now 92 per cent of the land in our rural high schools is valued no higher than \$15 per acre for school purposes and the remaining 8 per cent no higher than \$20 per acre. I urge you to compare these low valuations with an accredited school on the South Plains. With economical and efficient management it will not be necessary to raise the tax from this level. I can and will so direct the school affairs in such a manner that these taxes will not be raised.

The program is not yet completed and I appeal to you to permit me to finish the program underway. I have worked hard and earnestly so that the rural children may have equal opportunities with those of the city. The foundation has been laid; but the present problem ahead of us is to so carefully direct our schools that we can hold expenditures within the income and keep our schools in sound financial condition. This I am doing and will continue to do so long as I am your county superintendent.

I earnestly solicit your continued cooperation and support for re-election to a SECOND TERM.

Joseph R. Griggs

for negative answers. If your grade is between 90 and 100 you may consider yourself an excellent driver. A grade between 80-90 classes you as a "fairly good" driver, but if your grade is below 80 you are a menace to traffic safety and should correct your faults, state police warned.

- The questions are:
1. Do you use proper arm signals when turning or stopping?
 2. Do you always drive within legal speed limits?
 3. Do you always refrain from passing other vehicles on hills or curves?
 4. Do you bring your vehicle to a complete halt at traffic STOP signals?
 5. Do you observe right-of-way rules at intersections?
 6. Do you always park your vehicle so that it does not obstruct traffic?
 7. Do you dim your lights at night for oncoming vehicles?
 8. Do you always drive on the right side, not too near the center stripe?
 9. Do you regularly inspect lights

and other mechanical parts of your vehicle?

10. Do you drive in the same manner under supervision of a traffic officer as you do when he is out of your view?

Since January 25th when Texas began to distribute checks to her eligible unemployed, she averaged about \$630,000 a month for the first six months going back into trade channels via the unemployed worker. To date total benefit checks amount to four and a half million, and Texas has twenty-seven and a half million in her reserve fund.

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"The Name Is Jerry Sadler"

—Photo by Paul Peters, Houston Post.

Jerry Sadler, Longview, candidate in the run-off for State Railroad Commissioner, has something besides a popular program and a string band to commend him to the voters. He has a hearty handshake. Sadler believes he has shaken hands with more citizens than any other Texas candidate this year. He is making a vigorous run-off drive, speaking all over Texas. Sadler, 30, is the youngest candidate for a State office. He is a former oil field worker and is a practicing attorney, and is making his first race for public office.

Weekly News Review
Shall U. S. Pay Your Doctor?
Professional Opinion Divided
by Edward W. Pickard



A. M. A.'S PRESIDENT IRVING ABELL, EDITOR MORRIS FISHBEIN

Domestic

Modern medicine's biggest problem is the middle class, too prosperous for relief, too poor to pay its doctor bills. Although 80 per cent of the nation favors government care for those who cannot pay, the potent American Medical association has constantly frowned on U. S. subsidy.

In Chicago, A. M. A.'s headquarters, 30 physicians have been expelled since 1920 for operating low-cost clinics and advertising their services. Throughout America, depression-ridden medics have twiddled their thumbs while the nation suffered from poor health.

Last November a self-appointed committee of 430 doctors revolted against A. M. A.'s high ethical standards and took the stump favoring socialized medicine. Their proposals, all previously rejected by A. M. A., included local, state and federal subsidy for public health work, hospitalization, research and education.

For six months an interested public has been forming opinions. Two weeks ago President Roosevelt's national health conference met at Washington under able Josephine Roche, former head of U. S. health activities as assistant secretary of the treasury. Though they listened attentively to the Roche program for an \$850,000,000-a-year medical program, delegates soon broke into two camps.

From Mayo clinic's Dr. Hugh Cabot, leader of the revolting group, came a charge that the practice of medicine is "medieval" in parts of the U. S. Lashed back A. M. A.'s General Manager Olin West: "I don't know whether the medical profession is any more proud of Cabot than he is of the medical profession."

Last week A. M. A. found itself in an uncomfortable position. In Washington, Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold announced that A. M. A. will be prosecuted as a monopoly under the federal anti-trust laws, accused of violating the law by boycotting low-cost clinics.

Specific grounds for the suit involved the Group Health association of the District of Columbia, organized last year by 2,500 government employees. Trust Buster Arnold charged A. M. A. and the Medical Society of the District of Columbia had attempted to prevent the Group Health association from operating by cold-shouldering doctors. Group Health association physicians, he said, had been (1) excluded from Washington hospitals, (2) threatened with expulsion from the association and (3) made unwelcome at consultations with other doctors.

Aviation

In Portland, Ore., one day last week, Major Howard C. French of the U. S. air reserve corps posed for his picture being "dragged" into a plane bound for San Francisco. The pretense was that Major French feared flying.

Next day he headed west over the Pacific in Pan-American's Hawaiian Clipper bound for Manila. Some 2,500 miles later the ship landed in Honolulu and took off for Midway island, 1,300 miles away. Next stop was Wake island and next came Guam. When the 26-ton Clipper took off for Manila, Major French must have thought his fears were in vain.

But a few hours later the Clipper's radio went dead. After half a day of anxious waiting, Pan-American admitted the ship must be down at sea. Out from Manila went the

army transport Meigs and by dawn next day heavy warships were plowing the sea to reach the plane's last reported positions.

Finally, in a spot where the water stood 5,000 fathoms deep, the Meigs struck a significant oil slick that indicated the Hawaiian Clipper had plummeted into the sea. Aboard had been six passengers, nine crew members. Major French's fears had not been in vain.

Capt. Hans Bertram of the German air service became the first person to circumnavigate the world by commercial plane last week when he landed in Berlin after a three-weeks' absence. Unnoticed on his eastward trip until he reached Manhattan, Bertram crossed the Atlantic as third pilot on Germany's catapult plane Nordwind.

Foreign

Already weary of hostilities in China, Japan wondered last week if she had a second war to fight. In isolated Manchukuo where 75-year-old Russo-Chinese boundary markers have long since been lost, Soviet and Jap troops were making much ado over a disputed hill near the village of Changkufeng. First hostilities occurred July 11, but not until last week did the conflict blossom into full-fledged warfare.

Three clashes were reported in three days. As might be expected, both Moscow and Tokyo claimed victory and Moscow sent a "vigorous protest" which Japan rejected. In the next skirmish Manchukuo detachments occupied Russian territory two and a half miles deep west of Lake Khassan, while Soviet troops fled leaving 50 dead.

Next day Moscow answered with airplanes, bombing railways near Changkufeng. Tokyo claimed five ships were downed and Russia did its best to minimize the incidents. To some, it looked like war.

Sports

Although Jerome Hanna Dean had cost the Chicago Cubs \$37,000 each time they used him this year, Owner Phillip K. Wrigley thought last week his investment was at least establishing some sort of record. Purchased from the St. Louis Cardinals for \$185,000, Dizzy Dean had pitched only five games but had won them all. Most important, however, was his mark of only 1.02 earned runs per nine-inning game. Considering that Boston's Jim Turner led the



JEROME HANNA DEAN
'It was just one of those days.'

National league last year with 2.38 runs against him per game, and Lefty Gomez paced the American league with 2.33, Dizzy Dean's record appeared spectacular indeed.

Chicago was just complimenting itself on this feat when Dizzy Dean took the mound against Philadelphia. First inning saw the bases loaded with a single, double and a walk. Third inning saw a harmless single. Fourth inning saw Chuck Klein's over-the-fence homer. Fifth inning saw two doubles before Dizzy went to the shower. With Larry French finishing for the Cubs, Philadelphia won 5-4.

"It was just one of those days," said Dean.

Star Dust
Judge Hardy Craze
Gary's a Wrangler
Glamour to Order
By Virginia Vale

YEARS ago, when the "Amos and Andy" craze started, enthusiasts used to defend themselves against skeptics by saying that they liked the radio program because it was so human.

Now the movie-goers, in droves, are saying the same thing about the pictures based on the lives of the



MICKEY ROONEY

Hardy family. The latest one, "Love Finds Andy Hardy," is making plenty of friends for the series, and may lead to demands that earlier Judge Hardy and Family pictures be revived.

The cast is good; Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney, Cecilia Parker, Anne Rutherford, Lana Turner, Ross Clark, Raymond Hatton. You'll feel that you know them as well as you know your neighbors.

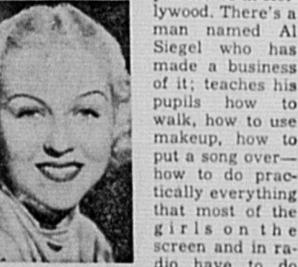
Mickey Rooney is superb. His performance might well be listed as among the best of the year. Don't miss "Love Finds Andy Hardy."

Gary Cooper is perfectly happy, now that he is making "The Cowboy and the Lady" and wearing the kind of clothes he wanted to for his role; not the expensive togs that the studio's wardrobe department picked out for him, but the kind that a cowboy really would wear.

They are telling an amusing story around New York about Jon Hall. It happened when he and Frances Langford were honeymooning there, and were guests at a lake not far from the city. Hall took a canoe out one day, and the attendant stopped him, saying that he couldn't do that until he'd taken the canoe test. So Hall, who grew up in Tahiti and of whose skill in the water you know if you saw "Hurricane," took the canoe test as obediently as if he hadn't practically lived in one from the time he was born.

The new Boyer picture, "Algiers," has been the inspiration for a new dance, a slow fox-trot very much like the tango. Kay Kayser, whose radio popularity is spreading rapidly, played with his orchestra when it was introduced in New York.

Glamour can be cultivated, these days, if the girl who wants it happens to be in Hollywood. There's a man named Al Siegel who has made a business of it; teaches his pupils how to walk, how to use makeup, how to put a song over—how to do practically everything that most of the girls on the screen and in radio have to do these days. He is credited with developing such stars as Ethel Mer-



Patricia Ellis

man, Dorothy Lamour and Shirley Ross, and among his pupils at present are Marsha Hunt, Andrea Martin and Patricia Ellis. Much of his work is with people who have made a hit in radio, been signed up for pictures, and don't know the tricks of the trade.

Odds and Ends—Too bad that Don Ameche had to spoil the first part of that long-awaited European vacation by coming down with appendicitis. . . . And maybe 20th Century-Fox wasn't wild when they heard of his illness! . . . The new house which Lupe Velez and Johnnie Weismuller were building will be finished and rented, unless Lupe changes her mind again about getting a divorce. . . . There's a radio in every room of Jack Benny's new house. . . . The Pickens sisters, who climbed so rapidly to success in radio, are now working hard to achieve it on the stage; they're at the little theater in Provincetown, and experts say they're good. . . . Douglas Corrigan has agreed to signing a film contract, if the story is to his liking—and it should be, for it will be the story of his own life. . . . Marsha Raye set September 12th for the date of her wedding to David Rose, and then was informed that she'd have to call off her plans, as she would be working that day. . . . The picture will be "Never Say Die," with Bob Hope. Mr. Zukor expects to make the Raye-Hope team a comedy-starring one. . . . But Marsha wishes that he would postpone his plans for a month or so.

Bruckart's Washington Digest
MIXTURE OF RELIEF CASH AND POLITICS DANGEROUS

Candidates' Methods of Influencing Voters Scored by Washington Observer; Suggests Return to Election of Senators by Legislatures

By WILLIAM BRUCKART
WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON. — I had finished reading my evening paper a few nights ago when I found myself quite down in the dumps. The news of the day was disturbing. It was vicious news in its implications. There was so much of it that was disturbing that I could not help wondering where we, as a people, are headed.

On page one, there was an account of the bitter factional fight within the Democratic ranks in Tennessee. Sen. George Berry was seeking re-election—rather, renomination—and Senator McKellar, his colleague, was fighting tooth and nail to prevent it. Party control in the state was the objective, and

And then, rather in disgust with the whole thing, I turned to a new book. The volume is titled "Notable Virginia Bar Addresses."

Among the 27 speeches listed there, I decided to read that by the late Thomas R. Marshall. His address, like all of the others, was intended to preach good government and the obligations of the lawyer as well as the layman. In reading that speech, I came across this passage:

"I have only one apology that I know of to make for my political life. I apologize to the American people for having been in favor of the election of United States senators by the people. My reason for it was different from the reason of many men. I had gotten tired of voting for some old rum-nosed Democrat for the legislature in Indiana because a United States senator depended on him for election; and I thought that I could raise the grade of legislators in Indiana by letting the people elect the United States senators. Now, it was an altruistic movement to make that change in the organic law of the United States; but, ladies and gentlemen, when it has resulted in the spending of half a million dollars to elect a senator, I want to know if the old fashioned government would not have been better."

Marshall's Apology

Thomas R. Marshall, Vice President of the United States in the Wilson administration, once said: "I have only one apology that I know of to make for my political life. I apologize to the American people for having been in favor of the election of United States senators by the people." There, thinks William Bruckart, is the key to today's problem. Let state legislators pick U. S. senators, he says, and we'll be rid of the demagogue who is elected by his ability to promise more than the opposition.

Childhood remembrances commonly sweet and precious some of them are vivid in memory because they are dangerous and distressing. Among the things deemed avoided like the pestilence was the writer was a boy was the To be seen entering such place to mark one's character, the frequenter of them was to be all that was good and holy.

Answer to Today's Problem Given in 1920

And right there, I believe, is the guts of the present day problem. Mr. Marshall had held many elective offices and the speech from which I quoted the above passage was made while he was vice president of the United States. He was an observer and a student of politics. He saw in 1920 where we, as a people, were going and I have no doubt that he could have predicted exactly the set of circumstances we are meeting now.

When Senator Norris of Nebraska, once a Republican, then a Democrat, and now labeled as something else, drove the constitutional amendment through congress and cleared the way for direct election of United States senators, he accomplished two things. (1) He made it possible for the purest type of demagogue to win elections by his ability to "promise" more than the opposition, rewards, political patronage, pork barrel returns to the state and (2) he assured that vast sums of money can—indeed, must be—used to influence elections. And, in amplification of the second item, he made it possible for any administration, any dominant party, in control of the federal government to build up national and state machines jointly by using federal money.

Too Many Senators Out for Greatest Amount of Swag

I grant that corporations, "vested interests," formerly had too much to say about the election of United States senators by state legislatures. But of the two, I have come to the conclusion that we had a better national administration and particularly a better senate under that condition than under the system where every voter casts a ballot directly for a United States senatorial nominee. That is why 75 per cent of the present senate members are nothing more or less than salesmen who are trying to collect for their states the greatest amount of swag which they can put over with their brother senators. That is why, too, day after day, we have watched cliques formed and trading done over legislation in the senate. The senators either are trying to make good on demagogic promises or they are building a storehouse to be used in the next campaign.

Senator Norris may have thought he was performing a great service to the American people and he may have felt that he was building a monument for his name, but I am firmly convinced he did quite the contrary. For, be it known, were it not for Mr. Norris' monumental amendment to the Constitution of the United States there could hardly be such an outrage committed as that by Mr. Hopkins. It must be remembered that Mr. Hopkins never was elected; he is an appointee of the President of the United States and is responsible to him alone. So when Mr. Hopkins flirts with a state electorate, there can be no other interpretation placed upon his action than that he is using the influence available as a result of his dictatorship over relief distribution.

Politics Hits New Low With No Change in Sight

It was enough to make one sick at the stomach; here was politics in a new quagmire, and no signs to indicate that it is not a permanent condition. What, I thought, is going to be the type of men coming in to the United States senate with such background as these stories indicated?

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQVIST, Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for August THE RELATION OF TEMPERANCE TO CHARACTER

LESSON TEXT—Proverbs 4:1-9. GOLDEN TEXT—Wine is a mocker; drink is raging; and whosoever is thereby is not wise.—Proverbs 31:6. PRIMARY TOPIC—What is a Lesson?

JUNIOR TOPIC—A Wise Man's INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How the Use of Liquor Affects the YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULTS. How the Use of Liquor Affects Character.

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High sounding and were the assurances that the prohibition was repealed we would see the return of the man we have them in multitude, and with a shameless to women as well as men, growing girls and boys as to adults. Clever advertising sought to make it "smart" and "manly" to be able to drink liquor. It is for that reason is of the utmost importance to develop strong and intelligent character in our boys and girls; they may not only avoid vicious "booze business" but it really is, but also the strength of character to depend only for themselves, but weaker brother. They should and proclaim that it is whether it be called a "tavern," is always a "A bar to Heaven, a door Whoever named it named it."

I. Developing Strength of Character (Prov. 4:10-23)

Solomon, the writer of the Proverbs, constantly emphasizes the importance of gaining a man may be a perfect encyclopedia of information and lack the wisdom to apply knowledge to life. Dr. E. Moore, in Points for Emphasis, provides a most helpful outline portion of Proverbs 4, to assist the reader and teacher suggests that we must meet the challenge of a worthy 10," by listening as a son to the words which shall be long and happy life. Must (2) "follow the way of wisdom, vv. 11-13." It is as has been tested by those who preceded us, and they have to be the right way. That able us to (3) "avoid the wicked, vv. 14-17." The dreadful picture of those who only do wickedness but leading others into their in fact they cannot see they have misled some. Shun that path, and (4) "the path to the larger life is 19." The way to life is a "that shineth more and grows away of the wicked is into darkness. The devil and lowers are trying to make people believe just the opposite. Let us teach them the way they may (5) "heed every of all the words of God. Give attention to God's word to it, read it, keep it in your heart. The best treasure stands for the man's spiritual being, and are all the issues of his thoughts, unholly desires, and actions hidden there will be revealed in overt acts of wickedness. Even so the wicked hidden there will bring all its abundant strength.

II. Exhibiting Strength of Character (I Thess. 5:4-8)

The Lord is coming and was constantly looking for the day of His coming. His lot to live until the day but he was not mistaken for Him. The Lord has why only He knows, but judgment of many experts expositors that the next step to take place in divine His return. What a privilege!

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To Ride the River With

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued

"Morgan Norris killed Buck Conrad and freed Lou."

"How many men has your father?" Jeff asked Ruth.

"Four besides himself. Others will be here after a while."

He flung another question at her, his voice harsh and swift. Nothing in manner or speech betrayed the swift awareness of her, passionate and fierce, that sent a heat running through his strong body.

"How many more?"

"I don't know. Six or seven. And the word is being passed to other cattlemen. They will send men too."

She broke down, with a sob. After so many hours of desperate fear it was too much to find him not dead but alive and full of the energy that seemed in him so much more vital than in others.

Ruth cried, in explanation, "We heard firing as we came into town."

Jeff flung out a hand, to push the memory from him. "They . . . killed Hank Ransom, my friend, who was hiding me."

"How did you escape?" she murmured.

"I wasn't there. I left him . . . alone . . . after he was wounded."

"No!" she denied. "It isn't true."

"I thought I had to go, to save us. Before I got back they had him."

She moved closer, filled with pity for him. "He would understand— if he were alive," she said gently.

The faint, tender smile on her lips, the wistful eagerness to comfort him, were too much for his self-restraint.

He caught her to him—held her warm, breathing body close and looked down into the face that held for him the lovely youth of the world incarnate.

Again guns sounded.

"I've got to go," he said.

"Go where?"

Ruth asked the question, though she knew the answer.

"I must join your father. There is still fighting."

"How can you get to him? If you're seen on the street—"

"I'll get to him."

Her brown arms, soft and warm, were about his neck, fingers interlaced. Jeff broke the hold, gently, but with irresistible strength.

Without a word, with no good-by, abruptly he turned and walked out of the room.

Nelly was still sleeping peacefully, an arm flung across her eyes to shield them from the light.

"Anybody seen Clint Duke?" he asked.

"They must have got him up there," someone said. "Where did all those fellows come from?"

"I wouldn't know," Mile High said bitterly. "We start out to round up one red-headed guy and we bump into a whole passel of them."

The gunfire below became more rapid. They could see the flashes of the exploding shots in the darkness.

"There's a heap of shooting from that cabin," a black-browed outlaw grumbled. "Looks to me like there are more than two men there."

They found Norris and the man with him backing away from the battle. He was in a vile humor. At the last moment victory had been snatched from him. What had occurred he did not yet know, but it was clear that an irruption of allies had poured in on the defendants.

"Thought you were going to wipe out the cabin with boulders from above," he snarled.

"Before we got started, a bunch of men attacked us, killed Clint Duke, and drove us away," Mile High explained. "I'm askin' you

"Chiswick's warriors are in town. They've done killed Duke and wounded two-three more. You're in this, fellow, and don't you forget it."

Lou protested, in vain. Reluctantly he dressed and joined the other.

"Scout down to the cottonwood grove and report to Mile High," the bandit told him. "See you show up pronto. If you don't, I'll take care of you personal. Understand?"

Norris turned on his heel and swaggered away, fury still burning within him.

He walked into the back door of the Golden Nugget. Day would break in another hour or two, but the place hummed with life.

No gambling was taking place, but there was plenty of drinking. Men stood around in groups, all of them armed, though in some cases the weapons were concealed. For by this time all Tail Holt knew that a showdown was at hand. The battle lines were drawn between the outlaws and the cattlemen, between Gray and Chiswick on the one side and Howard and Norris on the other.

Morg Norris was a marked man as he walked to the bar. The talk suspended, and all eyes rested on him. He was the fighting spearhead of the lawless forces, just as Sherm Howard was the directing brain. Men watched him, to get a clue to future action. They meant to play safe. If the outlaws were going to win, they wanted to be with them at the finish. But if law was coming into the mesquite, if the day of the killer and the thief was at an end, they wanted to make overtures to Chiswick, or, in case they had gone too far for that, to slap a saddle on a bronc and leave swiftly for parts unknown.

Norris ordered a drink and asked curiously where Sherm Howard was.

The bartender Pete nodded a head toward the office.

"How are cases, Morg?" someone asked with what indifference he could assume.

The killer showed his teeth in a snarl. "Fine. How would they be going?"

"I hear Chiswick is in town with a bunch of his men," another said casually.

Morg took the drink at a gulp. "You hear correctly." He slanted insolent eyes at the man. "You pullin' on the bit to get a crack at them, Slim?"

Without waiting for an answer he turned his back on them and walked into the office, closing the door behind him. In the room were three men, Sherm Howard, Curt Dubbs, and a man named Yorky who usually hovered close to the stout man. It was generally understood he was a guard.

The three men looked up. None of them spoke for a moment. Howard felt a premonition of disaster. He said, "Any news, Morg?"

Norris moved a little closer, carrying his body with a lithe, catlike grace. His shallow eyes were narrowed to shining slits. A light played on the surface as it does on agate marbles. The face of the man was venomous.

"Plenty," he snarled.

The heart of the big man died. He wanted to call out a warning to Yorky, but he dared not. His glance darted here and there, seeking help, then came back to the dark agates fixed on him. The muscles of his fat face twitched as he fought to control himself. The man had come to kill him. He did not doubt that.

"Did you get Gray?" Yorky asked, his chair tilted back against the wall and his hands thrust into trouser pockets. He knew Norris

was in a sullen rage, but he had no guess that an explosion was imminent.

"No, we didn't get Gray," the outlaw answered with a sneer. "We weren't sent to get Gray, but for him and his crowd to get us. You'll be glad to know, Howard, you double-crossing coyote, that yore friends Gray and Chiswick have rubbed out Clint Duke and maybe others. Tracy they have wounded. Menger too."

Howard raised a trembling, ham-like hand in protest. "Don't talk foolishness, Morg. Why would I throw down on the boys and join up with my enemies? You ought to know me better than that. It doesn't make sense."

"Rats leave a sinking ship, don't they? Sure I know you—clear through. You tried to have me bumped off before. Now you've sent for Chiswick's crowd. Trying to play in with them and save yourself."

"Listen, Morg. Don't get excited. Listen to me." Howard made a motion to raise himself from the seat. He did not get halfway up.

Norris whipped out a forty-five and fired three times. Howard caught at his stomach and sank back into the chair. Any one of the bullets would have been fatal.

The wolfish face of the killer turned on the others. "Want any of my game, either of you?" he demanded.

Dubbs tried to speak and found he could not. The big eyes in his white face stared at the killer.

"We're not in this, Morg," Yorky said. "If you and Sherm had a difficulty, that wasn't our business."

"You bet it wasn't!" Norris went on exultantly. "I'll take care of this show, boys. That scoundrel was playing both ends. We'll sweep this riffraff out of Tail Holt before twenty-four hours. I'm sending a call for the boys to come in from the hills."

"Sure. Sure. That's the way," Dubbs got his approval out hoarsely from a dry throat.

"We'll go into the other room and tell the boys," Norris swaggered. "And don't throw me down if you're figuring on health."

He herded them into an outer room and explained to a dozen excited men that he had killed Howard because he was betraying them.

While Norris still had the floor, the door opened and a man staggered into the room. His face was blood-stained from a gash over the temple. Apparently he had been roughly handled. The man was Clint Duke.

Norris stared at him. "I heard they had got you."

"He left me for dead," Duke explained.

"Who did?"

"Jeff Gray."

He told his story.

Jeff slipped around the corner of the Presnal boarding-house to the road. Nobody was in sight within fifty yards, but as he looked he heard the drumming of horses' hoofs crossing the bridge at the end of town. He drew back into the shadow of the building to let the riders pass. Before they reached him he saw the glint of moonlight on the barrels of rifles.

To the surprise of Gray the party drew up at the Presnal house. A young fellow swung from a saddle and moved forward. He recognized Bob Chiswick, and at once called his name.

Bob pulled up short.

The marshal said, "Jeff Gray," and stepped out to meet the boy.

"By Jupiter, you're alive!" Bob cried.

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A Play Outfit; a Basic Dress



braided is used to simulate a square yoke in the front. The smartest thing for this design is linen in a dusty pastel shade; calico, percale and pique are good, too. Be sure to trim it with ricrac.

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Here's a design that brings a breath of fall smartness in the bosom detailing that you'll see in expensive models this coming season. Also in the Victorian sleeves, high at the shoulders and fitted to the arm below. The straight panel in the back, the gathers at the waistline in front, give you a lovely figure-line. Although it's so distinguished looking and subtly detailed, this dress is easy to make. Just six steps in the detailed sew chart. Make it now of silk crepe, linen or georgette. Later in sheer wool, satin or velvet.

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We Don't Wish to Be Judged

No man's life is an open book, and it shouldn't be. We have all made wretched mistakes.

Never judge a man's action, until you know his motive.

Aladdin may have had a hunch of what the push-button would do some day, when he was rubbing his lamp.

They Want It Protected

Conservatism generally wins in America because more people have a stake in its wealth.

We like some hateful people. They say the things we don't dare to.

There is a feeling of affluence in contemplating a drawer plumb full of shirts that are all yours.

Undoubtedly They Hate It

We never realized how little the wretched Europeans are masters of their fate until we see them drifting into another war.

There is nothing new under the sun; but maybe you haven't seen everything.

Does a robin enjoy his chirrups as much as you do?

Hope is an obliging grace. She always comes when invited.

Chemical Industry Is Putting Luster in Textiles by Using Lobster Shells

Gourmets who have been troubled about what to do with empty lobster shells will be pleased to know that the chemical industry is finding uses for the material. The horny armor of lobsters and other crustaceans has been found to be a starting material for the manufacture of chemicals which give a soft, lustrous finish to textiles, reports a writer in the Chicago Tribune.

The material which makes up the protective coatings of crustaceans and insects is known as chitin. It differs profoundly from the hard materials used in the skeletons or armor of other forms of animal life. The supporting matter of sponges is calcium silicate. The shells of oysters, clams, and snails are built of calcium carbonate, or limestone. The bones of vertebrates consist of calcium phosphate. Each of these three compounds is mineral in nature. The chitin found in crustaceans, on the other hand, is an organic substance and one that bears little chemical resemblance to any other component of living matter.

Perhaps its nearest chemical relation is the cellulose of plants. Cellulose is a complex combination of

a great number of sugar molecules. When subjected to the prolonged destructive action of dilute acids it is eventually broken down into sugar. Chitin is an analogous complex, not of sugar, but of a substance called acetyl glucosamine.

This last substance is as complicated as its name. It is a compound of acetic acid and glucosamine. The latter, the essential building stone of the chitin molecule, is in turn a compound of sugar and ammonia. Glucosamine possesses most of the properties of the sugars. In addition it has the alkaline action of ammonia.

Black Ducks Are Wise

Black ducks know how to avoid enemies. Their nests, well camouflaged with weeds and hidden in swamps or brush, can be found only by accident. Parent ducks keep their young huddled close on reedy swamps, rarely venture on open water. They fly at night, feed generally at dawn and dusk. When danger nears, they fly to the middle of a river or lake, or leave the vicinity entirely. The black duck is thus seldom brought down by gunners.

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LOCAL GOSSIP

Mr. and Mrs. Cader Kenney and infant daughter, Shirley, have moved into the apartment at 810 South 8th.

Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Peters and son, Roland Otto, visited last week-end in the home of Mrs. Peters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Driver. Roland Otto is staying with his grandparents until next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Driver plan a trip to Sweetwater Saturday to visit their daughter Mrs. R. O. Peters, and take an outing at Lake Sweetwater.

Miss Geraldine Cook and Miss Evva Jean Enlo spent Monday in Lubbock shopping.

Miss Hilda Gean Brown of Pomona, California, is visiting Hazel Scott this week.

La Ferne Turnbow returned home Sunday from a vacation in Austin. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. D. Freeman.

FELLOW VOTERS AND FRIENDS OF SLATON AND LUBBOCK:



We, the undersigned voters in Rural School districts, representing the large majority of rural voters who expressed by their vote on July 23rd their desire that a change be made in the office of county superintendent, earnestly request the voters of Slaton and Lubbock to support our choice, Mr. Claude L. Hale in the election August 27th.

Since rural schools are the only ones directly affected by this office, and since 70% of the voters in the 8 rural districts voted that a change be made in this office, we feel justified in our request that the voters in your districts give us your earnest consideration when you cast your vote August 27th. We believe that a change in the administration of the affairs of this office are most necessary to the best interests of our rural schools. Thanking you for your kind consideration in this important matter,

Respectively signed,
David Sooter, L. H. Droemer, of New Hope; H. W. Jeter, J. C. Jeter, W. K. Pierce, Rhea Pierce D. B. Thompser, W. E. Crabtree, R. M. Duke, Geo. E. Eklund, J. D. Thompson, H. M. Cade, J. A. Heinrich, Sam Rogers, Clem Kitten, J. J. Kitten, of Union; Bob Merrell, Mrs. S. H. Adams, C. D. Young, Mrs. F. D. Young, of Slaton; J. D. Sassaman, Cooper; W. B. Reynolds, G. T. Aycock, Mrs. C. O. Stewart, Mrs. Wesley Ferguson, W. C. Jordan, of McClung; J. C. Schutte, of Posey.

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- FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE (119th District)
Alvin R. Allison, of Levelland
T. W. Montgomery of Wilson
- FOR DISTRICT COURTS CLERK
Louie F. Moore
Royal Ferguson, of Lubbock
- FOR SHERIFF
Tom Abel, (Re-Election)
Chas. S. Middleton, of Lubbock
- FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
Joseph R. Griggs, (Re-Election)
Claude L. Hale

Trees Grow in Semi-Arid Plains



No longer is it necessary that the Plains country be a vast, treeless expanse. Farmers are finding that adapted species attain a growth of 10 to 12 feet within three years if given the benefit of additional water and frequent cultivation. Water diverted from a roadway has been diverted to this tree site on one of the Soil Conservation Service demonstration projects.

Shorter Time For Old-Age Payments

Amarillo—Handling of claims for lump-sum payments under the Federal old-age insurance program has been speeded up until it now requires an average of only 24 days from date of filing in the local field office to final settlement at Washington, Dewey Reed, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board, said today.

The amount of claims being paid is increasing all the time, Reed said. The average lump-sum payment for the United States in May was \$46.37. For Texas, the average was \$32.31; in New Mexico, \$33.70; and in Louisiana, the average reached \$35.37.

The average time required for settlement of claims paid to beneficiaries in the Amarillo area during the month of June, Reed said, was about 10 days. The shortest time required for the adjudication of a claim, filed through the Amarillo office thus far has been six days.

A lump sum is payable to workers who reach the age of 65 and to close relatives of those who die. The payment amounts to 3 1/2 per cent of total wages received by the worker from covered employment, since December 31, 1936, and up to attainment of age 65 or death.

J. D. Freeman of Austin was in Slaton over the week-end in behalf of the re-election of Wm. H. McDonald for Commissioner of the General Land Office of Texas.

George Catching was looking natural this week at Whalen Drug as he supplied there for Norman Galloway who is off for a few days vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Bostick, daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Bostick and family visited Mr. Clyde Bostick and family of Andrews, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pember are back from a brief trip to Colorado. The weather was fine, we hear, but nobody has announced a fish fry yet.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending August 6, were 19,941, compared with 24,223 for the same week last year. Received from connections were 4,826 cars compared with 6,358 in same week last year. Total cars moved were 24,767, compared with 30,581 for the same week 1937. The Santa Fe handled a total of 24,762 cars during preceding week of this year.

J. H. Brewer and Allan Payne went to Plainview Monday to attend the Conference of Rotary presidents and Secretaries of this district. The Conference was called and presided over by District-Governor Linton Estes of Wichita Falls.

Dick Ragsdale, jr., is in Dallas this week visiting an aunt who lives there.

Funds collected from Texas employers in unemployment compensation contributions cannot be used for any purpose other than the payment of benefits to unemployed.

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HEAT CRAMPS A SUMMER DANGER

AUSTIN, July 21.—If your work is such that it causes excessive perspiration, add a pinch of ordinary table salt to each drink of water you take to help prevent heat cramps. This is advised by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, to prevent a possible increase in the number of heat victims as the Texas thermometer hits 95 degrees and above.

Laborers, mechanics, farmers and white collar workers whose work causes them to sweat profusely, are in danger of having their body salt content become deficient with resulting heat cramps or heat fog. Salt is a prominent constituent of sweat; the body may lose as high as 40 to 50 grams of salt during the hot days.

In industry, a method of preventing heat cramps is to take a tablet of pure salt or a mixture of salt and dextrose with each drink of water. Workmen whose duties require muscular exertion should be especially careful to add more than the usual amount of salt to what they eat and drink.

Salt deficiency may be prevented by taking salt in various ways. Where prepared tablets are not available, table salt may be added to each drink of water. Milk is a source of salt and will help to make up for the deficiency caused by sweating. Alcoholic drinks should be avoided.

Heat cramp is characterized by pains (cramps) in the abdominal region, headache, and in severe cases, by nausea and vomiting. The body tem-

perature remains about normal as long as the pulse rate. Body heat occurs without the knowledge of the individual until there is a definite cramp.

MARINE ENLISTMENTS
The United States Marine Corps still will take enlistments from famous and spectacular brass armed forces, we are told in from the officer in charge of ing at Dallas.

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