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PAGE WELL ENCOUNTERS SECOND SHOWING OF OIL

Judge Whitten Attends Concho Valley Council

Judge J. A. Whitten attended the monthly session of the Concho Valley Council of the Boy Scouts of America held at the St. Angelus Hotel Wednesday.

The chief work accomplished by the executive council was the making of the new year's budget and the employing of an assistant scout executive to aid Scout Executive Bob Billington. Jack O. Stone of Oklahoma City was engaged as the assistant to Mr. Billington. The executive council stated that due to the fact that the scout troops of the Concho Valley have increased from 6 to 44 that it was necessary to employ an assistant.

Members of the executive board present at Wednesday's meeting were: Houston Hart, president; John Y. Rust, Henry Ragsdale, Dr. H. H. Bybee, Henry E. Jackson, E. J. Hardgrave, Bascom Benton, J. L. Croft, Dr. W. E. Schulkey, J. W. Scheuber, Emmett D. Cox and John B. Brewer all of San Angelo; Judge J. A. Whitten of Eldorado; C. B. Coulter of McCamey, and Bob Billington, Scout executive.

School Honor Rolls Show Great Interest

Pupils in the Eldorado Grammar School who have made 100 grade below "B" during the first three months of school are as follows:

First Grade
George Stanley Finley
Paul Page
Doris Calcote
Bettie Marie Carr

Second Grade
Bobby Barber
Thomas Enoch
Charles Green
W. A. Pointer
Jane Davis
Mary V. Griffin
Edna Ludecke
Jean McKay
Jacalyn Miller
Daphne Snell
Sarah Swett
Maurice Sofge
Venita Wilson
Elizabeth Talley

Third Grade
Nora Brown

Fourth Grade
Janice Baker
Betty Jo Bryant
Sarah Hill
Frances Richmond Robinson

Fifth Grade, Section A
Ruby Bodine
R. A. Long
Corine Ludecke

Fifth Grade, Section B
Lois Carr
Mary Hoover
Joycelyn Pruitt

Sixth Grade
Joe Ed Hill

Seventh Grade
Maud Brown

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Eldorado Scouts Win Second

The ninth annual Sonora district rally of the Boy Scouts was held in Sonora Monday night with the rally being the largest held in the district in the past nine years. Troop 19 of Sonora was winner of first place with 56 points and Troop 18 of Eldorado won second place honors with 33 points. Troop 53, of Ozona placed third with 23 points and Troop 16 of Mertzon placed fourth.

Fourteen scouts, Scout Master Don McCormick, Judge J. A. Whitten, chairman of the Boy Scout committee of Troop 18, Judge Frank Bradley and Ed Hill all from Eldorado attended the rally.

The Eldorado scouts won first places in the First Aid contest and the Knot tying contests. Scouts Jack Rape, M. C. Laird, J. T. Barlow, and Bob Bradley composed the First Aid team, and these four along with Hugh D. Craig, Joe Ed Hill, James Henderson and George Whit-

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Lions Club Endorses Tournament

Dr. Gaffney of the Lions International, and who was presented at the High School Auditorium Wednesday night, furnished the chief entertainment at the Lions Weekly Luncheon hour Wednesday with a number of magical stunts.

The Lions Club which had previously gone on record favoring the high school basketball tournament, selected a committee Wednesday whose duty will be to give the tournament, publicity, to raise funds by subscription and to aid in the work during the tournament. Conn Isaacs was selected to head the committee with the other members being John Copeland, O. E. Conner, Orlin Joiner and Allan Douglas.

Gene Koy, who has just returned from the Livestock Show in Chicago, was a guest of the Lions Wednesday. Gene gave a report on his trip.

New members present at Wednesday's luncheon were Frank Cameron and Allan Douglas.

A number of local Lions attended the banquet at the St. Angelus Hotel in San Angelo Wednesday night. This affair was given by the Lions Club of San Angelo. Vincent Haskall, president of Lions International, was the honored guest. Those attending from Eldorado were Glenn Ratliff, E. C. Hill, J. C. Carr, C. E. Knight, Tom Kent, Izzy Leaman, Orlin Joiner, Forest Alexander and R. L. Sample.

Humble Drilling At 6,280 Feet

Humble No. 1 Ike Honig was drilling yesterday at a depth of 6,280 feet in lime. Drilling activities have moved smoothly for the past several days, state officials.

Humble No. 1 is located ten feet west of the center line of block M, section 38, G. H. & S. A. Co. survey.

Six Eagles On All-District Team

Six Eagles, Billy Kerr, John E. Rodgers, Edward Butler, Jack Shugart, Joe Turner Hext and Bill Smith, were placed on the official all-star team of District 17 through a compilation of the various selections sent in by the six coaches of the district. Rocksprings placed three men and Junction and Ozona one each.

The following is the official All-district selections:

First All-District Team:
Left end: Kerr, Eldorado; Left Tackle: Rodgers, Eldorado; Left Guard: Shugart, Eldorado; Right Tackle: Dollahite, Rocksprings; Right end: Parker, Ozona; Quarterback: Earwood, Rocksprings; Left Halfback: Brown, Rocksprings; Right Halfback: Hext, Eldorado; Fullback: Smith, Eldorado.

Second All-District Team:

Left End: Knox, Rocksprings; Left Tackle: W. Cloudt, Rocksprings; Left Guard: Eppler, Ozona; Center: Corder, Rocksprings; Right Guard: Freeman, Ozona; Right Tackle: Howland, Junction; Right End: Jones, Eldorado; Quarterback: Smith, Sonora; Left Halfback: Brawley, Menard; Right Halfback: McDaniels, Eldorado; Fullback: Cloudt, Rocksprings.

Honorable Mention:
Ends: Brown, Ozona; Morgan, Sonora; Tackles: Logan, Sonora; Guards: Martin, Menard; Fred, Rocksprings; Halfbacks: Hubbell, Junction.

Most Valuable Linesmen:
First: Dollahite, Rocksprings; Second: Gentry, Junction.

Most Valuable Backfield Man:
First: Earwood, Rocksprings; Second: (Tie) Brown, Rocksprings; Hext, Eldorado.

Captain:
First: Gentry, Junction; Second: (Tie) Kerr, Eldorado; Smith, Sonora.

Coach:
First: Williamson, Eldorado; Second: Ward, Rocksprings.

H. T. Hodge of Abilene and H. J. Hodge of Winters, owners of the Palace Theatre, were in Eldorado Monday.

EAGLES MEET SAN ANGELO QUINTET TODAY AND TOMORROW

Schleicher Pioneer Is Dead

Uncle Tom Riley, well known to everybody in Eldorado and Schleicher County died November 30 and was buried in the local cemetery December 1.

Mr. Riley was 76 years old at the time of his death. He was born at Banderia, Texas August 28, 1858. He moved to Eldorado 31 years ago. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Riley is survived by two sisters, Misses Emma and Dora Riley, both of Eldorado.

County League Officials Named

The Schleicher County Interscholastic League officials were named in a meeting here last Thursday afternoon. W. E. Cooper, Jr., mathematics instructor in the Eldorado high school, was named director general.

Other directors named include: Choral singing, Miss Catherine Webb, Bailey Ranch School; Declamation, Miss Wilma Milligan, Bailey Ranch, track and field events, Coach D. W. Williamson, Eldorado; essay writing, Miss Willie Allen, Eldorado high school English teacher; playground baseball, Miss Ruth Howell, Eldorado grammar school; music memory, Miss Annie Herbert, Alexander School; picture memory, Mrs. Carl Kerr, Bailey Ranch; 3 R contests, H. D. Irby, Eldorado grammar school; spelling, Miss Robbie Morris, Meyer School; story telling, Miss Zadie McAngus, Reynolds School, and Volley ball, J. C. Smith, Eldorado high school.

There are eight; one-teacher schools—Loflin, Alexander, Adams, Meyer, Tisdale, Station A, Kaffir and Cliff; two two-teacher schools—Reynolds and the Mexican school, and Bailey Ranch, a three-teacher school, in addition to the Eldorado high and Eldorado grammar schools that will probably enter the Interscholastic League work this year, according to Superintendent R. D. Holt.

The Interscholastic League officials, through Roy Bedichek at Austin, have granted permission to Schleicher county schools for a tri-county meet this year. This three-way meet prior to the district meets will stimulate more interest among the schools, and also give the participants better competition than among their own county meets. The winners from the tri-county affair will be ready and eligible for the district meet at San Angelo.

Officials from the three counties will have a meeting shortly after the first of the year to make and complete a program and select a date for the affair.

Rocksprings-Roby Meet Today

San Angelo, Dec. 13. —The Rocksprings Bulldogs of Coach N. S. Ward, and the Lions of Roby, coached by smiling Connie Smith, will meet here Friday afternoon for the regional championship of Region 4, on the Bobcat field at 3:00 o'clock.

The Bulldogs are champions of Districts 17 and 12, while the Lions captured the bi-district title of Districts 13 and 16. The game will be the last game for both clubs as the regional title is as far as the Class B schools go in the state race. Both clubs are well coached and past games show that they carry plenty of deception with their play.

The San Angelo field was selected due to the central location and neither school has seats to accommodate a crowd that usually attends championship games. No charge is being made for the use of the field and the two schools will split all of the gate receipts over traveling expenses. Both teams will be held quartered at the St. Angelus Hotel. On a flip of a coin, Rocksprings

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Masons Entertain O. E. S. Tuesday Night

Members of the Royal Arch Masons entertained their wives and the members of the Order of the Eastern Star to a sumptuous Oyster Supper at Royster's Cafe last Tuesday night. There were 40 people present for the occasion and everyone spoke of it as a very delightful and successful affair.

Judge J. A. Whitten headed a very interesting informal program with a talk on "Masonry From Its Earliest History to the Present Time." He included all degrees of Masonry up to the 32 Degree and the history of the Order of the Eastern Star in his talk.

Other speakers of the evening were: Miss John Alexander, who spoke in behalf of the Order of the Eastern Star; Mrs. W. F. Meador, who spoke on her appreciation of Masonry; Rex McCormick, who gave a brief history on Eldorado lodges, the AF & AM and the Royal Arch Chapter; L. M. Hoover, who offered a resolution, thanking the refreshment committee and the management of the Cafe for the splendid luncheon. Several other brief talks were made by Masons and Eastern Stars.

Following the program a get-together hour was had in which everybody joined in on the conversations.

Members of the refreshment committee were W. T. Whitten, W. F. Meador and F. M. Bradley.

Lions Attend Angelo Mee

Several members of the local Lions Club with their wives and lady friends attended a banquet given by the San Angelo Lions at the St. Angelus Hotel Wednesday night. The occasion was held in honor of Vincent Hascall, international president.

In speaking to the large gathering Lion Hascall stated that Lionism is a great Aladdin's lamp at getting things done.

"Anybody can sit and think and wish for the genie from the magic lamp, but the Lion who uses his car to haul a crippled child or furnishes a book in Braille to the blind boy or girl, or does anything for the unprivileged, is doing more than those who wish", the president said as he drew a picture of what imagination could do for one.

Those attending the banquet from Eldorado were Lion Tom Kent and wife, Lion President C. E. Knight and wife, Lion W. C. Doyle and wife, Lion W. N. Ramsey and wife, Lions E. C. Hill, R. L. Sample, Forrest Alexander and Glenn Ratliff and Misses Dorothy Taylor and Marvel Ford.

Parent-Teachers To Meet Tuesday

The Eldorado Parent-Teachers Association will meet in the high school auditorium next Tuesday afternoon, December 18, according to Mrs. Robert Milligan, president of the Association.

Music for the occasion will be rendered by the pupils of the elementary grades. Following the business program, a discussion of the "Responsibility of the Home to the Community" will be taken up. The importance of teaching the child consideration for other members of the family will be discussed by Mrs. Elizabeth Heffley. Mrs. Quinn will discuss early training in home membership and Mrs. Elton Smith will speak on "Development, Initiative and Responsibility."

Miss Ford, home economics teacher, will point out the value of home economics to the home, the school, and the community.

Mrs. Milligan urges that every patron of the school who is interested in the advancement of education and the betterment of the school be present at this meeting of the Association. The Association plans to make a drive for an increased membership.

Count your pennies—your penny counts. Buy Christmas Seals!

John M. Cooper's No. 1 Bert Page well, seeking Ordovician production, was drilling ahead yesterday after encountering a showing of oil between 5,923 and 5,932 feet in lime early in the week.

A test was made on the oil which was obtained when the beller was run and it tested 39 gravity corrected. It was coming through 2,000 feet of water that had been carried for some time, the hole being open below 5,635 feet where 5 3-16 inch casing was set. The showing was reported to be the largest the wildcat has obtained.

No. 1 Bert Page developed a small spray of high gravity oil after encountering an estimated one million cubic feet of gas at 5,404 feet last June. A shot on July 2 with 27-quarts from 5,425 to 5,561 feet increased the gas but a gain in the amount of oil was short lived.

There has been a difference of opinion among the geologists for months as to the series in which No. 1 Bert Page has been drilling. A few pronounced the lime as high as 5,645 feet of the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, but other doubted even if the Bend, basal Pennsylvania, had been reached at that depth.

No. 1 Bert Page is located in the northwest quarter of section 40, block L. G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., survey.

Palace To Give Show For Charity

In order that the needy children and folks of Eldorado may have a bright Christmas, the Palace Theatre, under the direction of Frank Cameron, will stage a Benefit Show next Wednesday afternoon. A number of business houses and individuals of Eldorado have cooperated with Mr. Cameron in giving the benefit performance and the proceeds will be turned over to a committee to be distributed among the needy. The committee will be composed of representatives of the various churches in Eldorado.

Mr. Cameron states that the doors will open at 12:00 o'clock Wednesday and that the show will run continuously until 6:00 o'clock. The regular admission will be 10 and 25 cents but articles of clothing and food, such as a can of food, will admit the bearer of the article.

"A good bill will be run on the day," states Mr. Cameron, "and everybody will get their money's worth."

Those who have aided in providing the Benefit Show are the Ritz Sandwich Shop, First National Bank, Williams Man Shop, Royster's Cafe and Drug Store, Hoover Drug Store, City Barber Shop, Post Office Barber Shop, the Rathoff Store, West Texas Lumber Company, S. S. Serve Grocery, West Texas Utility Company, San Angelo Telephone Company, the Paramount Permanent Wave Shop, Leaman's Department Store, the West Texas Cafe, the Eldorado Times, the Eldorado Success, Judge Frank Bradley and Miss Ruth Espy.

Local People Attend H. P. C. Banquet

A large number of Eldorado people attended the Howard Payne College ex-students' banquet held in San Angelo last Friday night. About 120 people from various sections of the West Texas were present for the affair with Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, as the principal speaker.

Those attending from Eldorado were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hext, Miss Grace Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Royster, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Page, Mrs. Grace Kay Smith, Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Quinn, Fore Alexander and Miss Dorothy Taylor.

MELVIN HARRIS

Word was received by the Success yesterday that the condition of Melvin Harris is greatly improved. Harris has been in a San Angelo hospital for several days following a gun shot wound. It was thought at first that he had little chance for recovery but is reported to be getting along all right now.

HUMBLE EMPLOYEE INJURED

Tommy McKay, employee at Humble No. 1 Ike Honig, was painfully injured while on tower early Friday morning. A cable hit him in the mouth, cutting his lip. After medical attention, McKay was back on duty.

More Cattle To Be Bought

Schleicher County has been given another additional allotment of 2000 head of cattle to be sold to the government. C. L. Meador, Jr., in charge of the work, states that all who haven't listed the cattle they desire to sell should do so at once. All cattle must be listed by December 20 and the sales completed by December 31.

Yearlings, calves and all classes of cattle will be included in this last allotment.

Christmas Seals are penny health insurance.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Davis Warns Japan Against Scrapping Naval Treaty—Peaceful Agreement for Saar Plebiscite—Moley and Richberg to Industrialists.

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NORMAN H. DAVIS, American ambassador-at-large and our chief representative in the naval limitation conversations that have been going on in London, has given plain warning to Japan that if that nation insists on scrapping the Washington naval treaty, security will be endangered, suspicion created and the world forced into a costly naval construction race. Mr. Davis was addressing the American Correspondents' association in London, but his words were meant for all the world to hear, and as his speech was the first comprehensive statement of the American position since the opening of the conversations, it was regarded as of the greatest importance. He also announced, for the first time, that President Roosevelt has proposed "a substantial all-around reduction in naval armaments."

Mr. Davis said that, since no agreement for armament reduction has been reached, the United States advocates the continuance of the Washington and London treaties with their assurance of "equality of security." Asserting that the Washington pact put an end to a ruinous naval race and established "a sound basis for peace in the Pacific and the Far East," he continued: "Only by maintenance of the system of equality of security, with proportionate reductions downward of naval strength if possible, can there be maintained the substantial foundation for security and peace which has thus been laid."

"Abandonment now of the principles involved would lead to conditions of insecurity, of international suspicion, and of costly competition, with no real advantage to any nation."

Unofficially, it is said that when Japan gives formal notice that she is denouncing the Washington treaty, probably on December 20, the United States will immediately withdraw from the discussions in London. Officials in Washington consider that to continue the conversations would be tantamount to acquiescence to Japan's demand for modification of the ratios on which the treaty is based.

No more than any other nation does the United States wish to see the revival of the race in naval construction, but the government will not tolerate the decline of our navy to a subordinate place. Recent utterances of cabinet members and of congressmen who especially have to do with naval affairs make this plain.

In his annual report to the President, Secretary of the Navy Swanson says that although the United States may reduce its naval strength proportionately with other powers, it is imperative that a navy second to none be maintained. He warns also of the dangerous shortage of personnel in the navy, saying that "ships are valueless unless manned by adequate crews of trained, experienced officers and men."

THE government of Yugoslavia has decided to expel all the 27,000 Hungarians now living in that country. The process will be gradual but relentless. Already more than 2,000 have been deported and more are being sent away daily. Hungary called the action of Yugoslavia to the attention of the League of Nations.

PEACEFUL solution of the Saar plebiscite problem seemed assured when the council of the League of Nations unanimously and gladly adopted the report of the Saar committee embodying the Franco-German agreement for payment for the mines in case the region votes to return to the reich. Leading up to this settlement were two announcements of utmost importance. First, Foreign Minister Pierre Laval of France promised that French troops would make no attempt to enter the Saar territory before or during the vote on January 13. "I desire to announce," said he "that France will not participate in any international force which it may be found necessary to send into the Saar. We cannot participate in such a force because Germany cannot participate."

Then Capt. Anthony Eden, British lord privy seal, told the council that Great Britain would contribute troops to the proposed international force, provided Chancellor Hitler of Germany were willing that such an army should be sent into the territory. When Berlin was informed of this, a foreign office spokesman announced that Hitler's government would raise no objections to the plan.

All this was in effect a victory for the policies of Col. Geoffrey G. Knox, the league commissioner of the Saar, for he has long advocated the creation of an international police force for the territory.

Delegates of Italy and Czechoslovakia declared their countries would send troops, and Maxim Litvinov, Soviet foreign commissar, said he believed Russia would be willing to supply a part of the league force.

DISPATCHEs from Warsaw said the Poles were amazed and alarmed by the Franco-German agreement because they feared the understanding between those two nations would be extended to include Great Britain and Italy. The foreign office hinted that in that case Poland's relations with Russia might be made closer. Poland resents being left out in the cold, for she is determined to be recognized as one of the great powers, and to play her part in the stabilization of peace in Europe.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT returned from Warm Springs to his reconditioned executive offices in Washington with the greater part of his winter program completed. It will be presented to congress in his annual message on January 3. The major items have to do with expansion of the public works administration to provide work relief, revision of the NRA and the AAA, extension of power developments, social security insurance and low cost housing, and the paring down of the budget.

MEMBERS of the Mid-Continent Reclamation association, representing 19 states, met in Chicago and perfected plans for a soil erosion and flood control program, to cost \$300,000,000, which the association will recommend to the federal government with a request for a survey to determine its practicability. The plan, which was developed by A. B. Hull of Chicago, involves the construction of canals and dams over an area extending from northern North Dakota through Texas to control flood waters originating on the eastern slopes of the Rocky mountains.

INTERESTING statements were made to the American Congress of Industry in New York by two of the President's closest advisers, Raymond Moley and Donald Richberg, director of the national emergency council. Professor Moley declared there is no workable substitute for the present capitalist economic system. "Basically," he said, "the New Deal was an effort to save capitalism and, by spreading the range of opportunity under it, to enable the average man to regain a measure of control over the conditions under which he lived. It seemed to me in 1933, as it seems to me now, that this effort to save capitalism was wise and just."

"By no stretch of the imagination could the vote of November, 1932, have been interpreted as a mandate for the abandonment of the capitalist system. Finally, even had there been such a mandate, there was and is no workable substitute for our present system."

Moley expressed much optimism regarding business. He told the industrialists, in effect, that they need have no fear of any radical change in the present economic and social order, that industry was needed to stimulate trade, bring about recovery, and that in the last analysis it would be the business men who would distribute the wealth of the nation.

Mr. Richberg admitted the NIRA had not achieved all its aims in its effort to bring about industrial self-government, but insisted that its fundamental principles must be preserved in permanent legislation for codes of fair competition.

He warned the manufacturers that the permanent law must be written in co-operation with labor and consumers, as well as private business and government, so that there should be neither work-consumer regimentation by business nor business regimentation by government.

He hinted that if employers consented to legal restriction in return for increased power under the codes, organized labor would be called upon to do likewise in submitting to legislative control.

Organized labor was soundly berated by C. L. Bardo, president of the National Association of Manufacturers. He said its contribution to national recovery had been "the most widespread inauguration of strikes, coercion, intimidation, and violence that the United States has ever seen, as evidenced by strikes in Minneapolis, Cleveland, textile industries, and the general strike at San Francisco."

Bardo pledged the united opposition of the National Association of Manufacturers to the efforts of the American Federation of Labor to obtain through congress legislation imposing a 30-hour week on industry, or any other effort to "fix a rigid and arbitrary work week for all industry."

Industry's platform for recovery, which was proposed at a meeting of the national industrial council, urging return to the gold standard, a balanced budget, and other orthodox economic measures, was adopted.

LORD RIDDELL, who during the World war was Lloyd George's chief liaison officer with the press of the world, is dead in London. He gained fame and great wealth as a newspaper publisher. As a reward for his war work Riddell was made a peer in 1918. His voice over the telephone carried the first news to England of the signing of the Versailles treaty. For some time after the war he continued to be a friend and confidant of Lloyd George. Later there were political differences, but while the close liaison ceased the two men never ceased to be friends. Lord Riddell leaves no heir and the title expires with him.

CENTRAL, western and northern sections of Honduras were devastated by a series of earthquake shocks continuing through two days. The extent of the disaster is unknown at this writing for all communication systems were crippled, but it was reported that at least three towns of considerable size, Copas, Cabanas and Santa Rita, were nearly destroyed.

PRESIDENT MUSTAPHA KEMAL of Turkey has become the idol of all the women of his nation, for, after giving them such social rights as emancipation from the harem, he has given them political rights. At his instance the national assembly unanimously decided that any Turkish woman more than thirty years old is eligible to election to the chamber of deputies, and that all women over twenty-two years of age can vote in the national elections. Thousands of women telegraphed their "deepest gratitude" to Kemal.

SERGEI KIROV, one of the most prominent members of the Russian Communist party's political bureau, was assassinated in Leningrad, and as he was a close associate of Stalin his death was the occasion of public mourning. The government announced that the assassin was Leonid Nicolief and that he "was sent by the enemies of the working class." But it appears there is something more to the event than a mere murder.

A dispatch from Warsaw said ten Red army officers had been executed as the result of a plot to assassinate all Soviet leaders at the same time.

The Moscow government denied this story, but at the same time it was putting under arrest scores of White Guards, enemies of the Soviet regime, accusing them of "terroristic action." They were tried by a military collegium of the Supreme court and sixty-six of them, including one woman, were found guilty and immediately executed.

The names of those executed were officially announced. Among them apparently were none of the leaders who had figured prominently with the White armies during the civil warfare following the Bolshevik revolution. Nor were there any names of men who have had national prominence subsequently in Russia.

The executions were carried out while Kirov's body was being cremated. He was given a state funeral and his ashes were placed in the Communists' Valhalla beside the wall of the Kremlin where rest the remains of Lenin, John Reed and other heroes of the Red revolution.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S aviation commission, having concluded its hearings on national defense began drafting its report, and it was authoritatively said in Washington that, if congress approves of its recommendations, government airships will surely be operating in a new transoceanic service. Details were being worked out, and it seemed likely the commission would adopt the \$17,000,000 plan approved by Ewing Y. Mitchell, assistant secretary of commerce, and the national advisory committee for aeronautics. That plan calls for two huge Zeppelin type airships and one smaller metal clad craft along with necessary modern landing equipment.

The commission also will ask congress in its February report to create a permanent federal agency with supervisory control over all civil aviation. This would comprise five to seven members.

BUSINESS leaders of the country who are members of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States demand a reform of the government's budgetary methods. Through a referendum they have given approval to thirteen proposals to this end. One step recommended was "a more active centralized administrative control of expenditures." This would be obtained by "broadening the executive allotment system of funds so as to include all expenditures, ordinary and emergency, and strengthening it so as to avoid the necessity of deficiency appropriations."

This recommendation for broader control by the administrative branch of the government also suggested that "when feasible" expenditures be reduced below appropriations.

IN LINE with this budget "revolt" is the opposition the business men are demonstrating to the ten billion dollar work relief program proposed to the President by his brain trust advisers.

As outlined by Secretary of the Interior Ickes and Relief Administrator Hopkins this is an undertaking to terminate federal direct relief and put all able bodied unemployed persons at work on government financed projects, while the states continue to afford relief to those persons not able to work.

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted
by William Bruckart

Washington.—Administration leaders in congress are prepared to oppose any addition to the tax burden of the country through the action of the next session.

Fight Added Taxes Although the White House has made no public pronouncement, it is the understanding that the leaders in the senate and the house who have taken unequivocal positions against a tax increase in 1935 were reflecting the view they had obtained from President Roosevelt in addition to their own conviction that this is a bad time to increase the levies which individuals and business interests must pay for the upkeep of the government.

During the current weeks there has developed some indication, if, indeed, it is not an assurance, that there will be curtailment of federal expenditures. Just how this is going to be accomplished is not yet clear but it can be stated on highest authority that curtailment of the outgo from the treasury is expected to be accomplished. In making that statement, I think I ought to add that the curtailment is contemplated with respect to emergency agencies and does not include any of the various new proposals from segments of house or senate membership involving additional heavy outlays. As an example of this type of expenditure I refer to the proposal for immediate payment of the soldiers' bonus. That there is a strong demand for this action, there can be no doubt. Yet on the other hand there is bitter opposition both in congress and among administration leaders to the program that would entail payment of something like two billion dollars to the former soldiers, sailors and marines of World war days.

The question of taxation always is of an explosive character. Hence, the urge on the part of some of the new dealers for an increase in taxation so that emergency spending might be made to appear more in line with government income has precipitated an issue very quickly. The proposition had hardly begun to gain momentum when Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic floor leader of the senate, and Senator Harrison of Mississippi, chairman of the senate committee on finance, both were called to Warm Springs, Ga., for a conference with Mr. Roosevelt. It was said at that conference that taxation was not the only thing discussed but, nevertheless, both leaders came away from the temporary White House with the announcement that there would be no tax boost in the 1935 session of congress.

Simultaneously Representative Hill, Democrat, of Washington, chairman of a subcommittee of the house ways and means committee, made known his opposition to a tax boost. Mr. Hill's committee has devoted its attention to a survey of tax rates and revenue requirements and has reached the conclusion that to increase the levies now would be to retard recovery as a result of additional imposts on business. The Washington representative feels that the present tax structure will function properly and provide sufficient revenue just as soon as there is a return of something approaching normal commercial activity. He thinks there might be some simplification of the laws applying to the various forms of federal taxation but he considers them adequate as revenue producers if and when there is a normal volume of business.

In this connection it seems advisable to recall that Secretary Morgenthau of the Treasury sent a freshman team of brain trusters to England last summer to study the British tax system. While this committee's findings and recommendations to the secretary have not been made public, insiders tell me that the results of that investigation added very little to the sum total of knowledge concerning our own problem.

World Court Issue The foreign relations committee of the senate, which must pass on such treaties, has an agreement to send the resolution of United States adherence to the world court to the senate early in January and, according to present indications, the administration can easily muster enough votes to adopt that resolution.

Pressure for American affiliation with the court is stronger now than it ever has been before because of the disturbed world political situation, the breakdown of the naval limitations treaties and the tendency among nations to split up into groups for arrangement of a balance of power.

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been producing something like four hundred and twenty million dollars annually, a good sized chunk of revenue in anybody's language. It is planned, therefore, to renew these. There may be some revision and some change in the bases but the principles involved in these levies seem certain to be continued.

Re-enactment of these statutes is not expected to have a material effect on business because business has become adjusted to them. I am informed by business experts that undoubtedly business would move forward more rapidly if these taxes could be eliminated. Since that is not to be, business is hoping, if not demanding, that the tax burden upon it be held within the present confines in order that it may not be under any further handicap while searching for a solid foundation upon which to expand.

President Roosevelt and his emergency administrators believe they have

hit upon a new and productive plan to give money out to those who need it.

They are about to embark upon a program of encouraging personal loans, loans by banks to individual men and women and to guarantee repayment of a portion of each loan made.

It is viewed as exceedingly interesting that a national government, or any other governmental agency for that matter, should embark on such a policy because there are those who hold it to be a dangerous precedent. I have done considerable research work regarding this proposal and I have failed to find in the records any such move in the history of important nations of the world. It is, therefore, undoubtedly one of the most highly experimental steps yet taken in this maelstrom of recovery plans.

Announcement of the scheme was made by James A. Moffet, federal housing administrator, who described it as marking "a new era in American business." It is true that there are certain types of banking institutions that have made individual, or so-called character, loans where no collateral security was offered by the borrower and where only the good name and the record of the individual warranted extension of this credit.

Mr. Moffet said that this character loan idea would prove to be "the very foundation" of the home modernization program which he is administering. He described the action as one predicated upon the government's "absolute confidence that the average American will keep his promise to repay what he borrows."

"Nor is that position as much of a jump in the dark as it at first may seem," said Mr. Moffet. "As usual, Uncle Sam knows what he is doing. Before offering to insure these loans, he consulted the country's records on installment buying. He also asked what had been the experience of the few banks who up to last spring had made character loans. From the banks and from commercial organizations selling on the installment plan, he learned that the average American is honest, and that the loss from character loans was just a little more than three-fourths of 1 per cent."

It is not the fact that the government found the average American to be honest, however, that is exciting comment among Washington observers. It is that the government is encouraging loans to individuals, some of whom obviously will suffer the ordinary fate and be unable to repay them.

It is now believed that the world court issue will be settled definitely early in the next session of congress.

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Says WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS.—Well all I know is just what little I read in the papers. These poor Colleges are having a time.



You know we got to look at this College "Racket" from these young folks angle at that. Us old folks, we raise up on what was, until a few generations ago, our hind legs, and we say, 'Whats these young coming too? They didnt do like that when I was young.'

But all a young man or woman has got to do today is to look over the mess that us old timers have made of everything, and if we are fair with the young "Upstarts" there is no reason why they should look on us with any great "Huzzas." The Present Generation is the one that "Gummed" up the cards, so when the young start high tailing off on what we call a tanglement, why its just because they can see what a mess we have made of things.

In our days the young folks that were fortunate enough to go to College had no reason, (so I imagine, for I never went anywhere but Oxford under the auspices of my good friend Arthur Brisbane), but as I say the College folks of a by gone generation didnt have this national havoc to look at like the young ones nowadays do. They looked forward to graduation with a great expectancy. "With a great Expectancy," say that sounds pretty good, that old Oxford is cropping out.

Well they looked forward with, (I will repeat that because I think it good) a great expectancy, they felt that they would step out into the world, and that there was a definite notch awaiting them. It meant something to be a college graduate. There was jobs, there was positions, and all things being equal, you were given a little edge.

That old *Lamb's Hide* you brought home impressed not only Father and Mother, but that was what might be called the "Golden Period" of the young college graduate. He could come home and take a bow, and if he really wanted it he could take a job, so he had no particular reason to look on life with any great difference than his elders. Of course he knew that he knew more than they did, but that goes and always has with a college degree, but in those days his immediate elders had kept things going on a fairly even keel. They didnt know that "Mass Production" was simply an invention on which America had no patent, that in time it would defeat its own purpose. But the young didnt know it, and neither did the older. So you might say the collegiate stepped out into a world that was rosy from every angle.

—Then came the dawn— The whole world was suddenly slapped in the face with a wet towel, and told to "Wake up, you are sleeping on your back, and you are snoring with such satisfaction that you have annoyed the Gods." And since then the world has just been rolling and tumbling. They cant get back to a natural sleep, and they dont know what to do. Some trying to read, some are counting sheep, and most of em are walking the floor.

And thats the generation that the new college graduate must step out in. No job awaits him, no bows await him. He looks out over the wreck of which he had no making, and says, "So this is the old folks way. Yeah?" So he starts looking for the keyhole in the dark, too, and with his young enthusiasm he thinks he can find it before you can. (Forgetting that you have a little advantage over him by knowing where it used to be).

His youth will make him take a chance quicker than we will. He starts tumbling at everybody's door to see if the key will fit. You hold it at him. "Dont go there, thats not it," and he hollers back. "Well you dont know where it is, and so I am going to try em all."

So its not a bright future that we ask them to enter into. They feel that they are the ones to right it. We feel that we are the ones that lost it, and that we are the ones that will find it. Its just a difference of opinion, its not a difference of nature. They are absolutely the same as we are. Its viewpoint, human nature dont enter into it, its outlook, its viewpoint. We look at it from the old days, they look at it from the new. We are looking in different directions. We cant help but look back, they cant help but look forward. But we are both standing on the same ground, and their feet is there as firmly as ours.

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Many Salmon in North There are five species of fish in North Pacific waters called salmon. All differ from the salmon of the North Atlantic, according to the fish and game department of the Canadian National railways. The Pacific salmon spawn only once in a lifetime and then only in fresh water.

SOCIETY AND CLUB ACTIVITIES

Woman's Club Studies China

Mrs. D. C. Hill was hostess to the Woman's Club of Eldorado Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 11th. The subject discussed was "China Today". Mrs. Irby lead the discussion, giving outstanding incidents in the life of Sun Yat Sen, China's first president. Mrs. C. M. McWhorter told of some of the great sights of Pelsin. Mrs. D. E. DeLong gave a paper on "Shanghai, the Paris of the Orient." Miss Ena Ford told the club interesting facts about Hong Kong, where East meets West, and Canton, the city of incredible sights.

Members present were: Mrs. D. E. DeLong, Mrs. D. C. Hill, Mrs. H. D. Irby, Mrs. C. M. McWhorter, Mrs. Carlton Smith, Mrs. W. N. Ramsay, Mrs. V. G. Tisdale, Miss Ena Ford, Mrs. A. J. Atkins, Mrs. A. A. Miller, Mrs. W. L. McWhorter, Miss Tom Pearl Smith, and Mrs. W. T. Whitten.

Miss Martha Taylor, field worker for Brownwood Presbytery, has been in Eldorado since last Saturday engaged in conducting a teachers training course at the Presbyterian Church.

MRS. MARTIN ENTERTAINS ELDORADO BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Oscar Martin was hostess to the Eldorado Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Van McCormick, Thursday, December 6. Club members present for the afternoon's play were Meses. H. T. Finley, Luke Thompson, L. Ballew, L. Whittean, Elizabeth Heffley, Bernice J. Sammons, J. C. Crosby, Ben Hext, J. W. Hoover, and Otis Bule; guests were Mrs. Roy Howland and Mrs. Van McCormick. Mrs. Kenneth Garey was a guest for tea.

Mrs. J. W. Hoover won high score among the club members. Mrs. Howland and Mrs. McCormick, guests, were presented with awards.

ADAMS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Adams Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Sid Stapp December 4 with nine members present and one visitor.

Miss Lora Farnsworth, Schleicher County Home Demonstration Agent, demonstrated canning fruit cake and Boston Brown Bread. There were thirteen No. 2 cans of fruit cake and seven No. 2 cans of Boston Brown Bread.

There was an announcement made of the Sears Roebuck and Co. contest in which we are sure everyone will be interested.

At a previous meeting Mrs. Batley Montgomery and Miss Beeste Reynolds were appointed as the chief key committee of this club and sold the lucky key.

Mrs. F. S. Williams and Miss Alicia Burk were appointed as bedroom demonstrators.

Plans were made for the Christmas party which will be December 27 at the Adams School House.

Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bartine and daughter, Dorothy, of Cisco, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Joiner the past week end. Mrs. Bartine and Mrs. Joiner are sisters.

Alpha Delta Studies Romantic Writers

The Alpha Delta Study Club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Elton Smith on Friday, December 7, with Mrs. George Long as leader of the program.

The program was rendered as follows: a discussion of Scenes of Worth's Youth by Mrs. D. E. DeLong; the reading of a paper on the Lake District prepared by Mrs. J. L. Ratliff and read by Mrs. George Long; the reading of the Ode on the Intimations of Imortality by Mrs. Elton Smith, substituting for Mrs. John Rae; the reading of the Fir Tree Grove by Mrs. Ben L. Isaacs and a report on the Amerl-Home by Mrs. D. E. DeLong.

Members present for the meeting were: Meses. Ben Isaacs, John Isaacs, Noel Wilkinson, George Long, J. N. Davis, John Rae W. O. Alexander, Brice Dabney, Seth Ramsey, Mabel Parker, W. L. McWhorter, Leslie Baker, D. E. DeLong, and the hostess.

Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. W. E. Hancock, was a guest.

MRS. MILLER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Cora Miller entertained Our Bride Club last Thursday afternoon. Four tables of members were present. A salad course was served to Meses. W. O. Alexander, H. D. Irby, W. E. Cooper, Joab Campbell, C. M. McWhorter, J. B. Edens, and Miss Mary Ella Miller.

CLIFF H. D. CLUB MEETS

The Cliff Home Demonstration Club met December 11 with Mrs. Frank Newman at which time Mrs. Newman and Miss Mary Brammer gave a very interesting demonstration on Boston Brown Bread. A salad course was served to the six present, all members.

No meeting place was set for the next regular meeting since that day falls on Christmas.

MRS. KNIGHT ENTERTAINS CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. Clarence Knight entertained the Wednesday Contract Club this week. The Knight home was brilliantly adorned with Yuletide decorations; the mantle and fire place was uniquely set off with Santa Claus featuring the decorations.

Club members present for the afternoon's play were Meses. Leslie Baker, Seth Ramsay, R. D. Holt, S. M. Oglesby, W. E. Sooper, Elton Smith, Ed Reynolds, H. D. Irby, Mrs. Cona Isaacs, a new member of the club, and Miss Cleone Dabney. Mrs. A. D. Richey and Mrs. D. C. Royster made up the guest personnel.

A salad plate with fruit cake, adorned with Santa Claus as a favor, was served to the club during the refreshment hour.

Mrs. Leslie Baker won the award for high score among the club members. Mrs. Richey was high among the guests.

The club plans to have a "no hostess" luncheon in the home of Mrs. W. E. Cooper next Wednesday.

Money paid for Christmas Seals helps spread the knowledge that saves lives.

CHURCH DIRECTORY SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attend Sunday School Next Sunday

Sunday, December 9
287 people were in attendance at the various churches last Sunday. Last Sunday's attendance shows an increase of 14 over the attendance the previous Sunday and is approximately 24 percent of Eldorado's population.

66 attended B. Y. P. U. services Sunday night.
By churches the report is as follows:
Baptist 100
Methodist 86
Presbyterian 65
Church of Christ 36

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Young People's Meeting 7:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Baptist Training Service, 6:00
Evening Service 7:00 p. m.
A. J. Quinn, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Afternoon Service: 2:30
Preaching every second and fourth Sundays. A cordial invitation is extended you to attend each service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Communion Service 10:45 a. m.
Preaching Every First and Third Sundays.
Midweek services each Wednesday night at 7:30.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00
Morning Worship at 11:00
Evening Worship at 7:15

The subject for the morning sermon will be "A Saying of Jesus Almost Lost".
At the evening hour the pastor will discuss the question "What Is Faith?"

On the evening of the Sunday preceding Christmas this church will present a Christmas pageant entitled "Ye Shall Find the Babe." Each year our committee on Christian Education and Ministerial Relief provides a Christmas pageant for the churches, simple in its presentation but reverent in its atmosphere. The offering received at this service will be used for the relief of aged and infirm ministers and the widows of ministers.

A cordial welcome awaits all at the services of this church.
N. P. Wilkinson, Minister.

Special Christmas Program At Baptist Church

A special Christmas service and program will be held at the Baptist Church Sunday evening, December 23, states Rev. A. J. Quinn, pastor of the church.

The program will be a Song Sermon service, setting forth the birth and the early years in the life of Christ. Some of the best singers of the country have been secured to aid in the song service.

Christmas Seals are the hall-mark of health. Buy them and use them generously.

Among Your Friends

Mrs. L. T. Barber and Mrs. Jim Hoover were shopping visitors in San Angelo last Friday.

Brother F. G. Clark and Brother P. S. Connell made a business trip to San Antonio and Cotula during the past week. They returned to Eldorado Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hill of San Antonio are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill.

Mrs. Elton Smith's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hancock of La Pryor, Texas have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hinyard of San Angelo were attending to business and visiting in Eldorado Tuesday.

Are you mailing all your letters with tuberculosis Christmas Seals pasted on the back?

METHODIST W. M. S. PROGRAM

December 19, 2:30 p. m.
Devotional: Miss Tom Smith.
Playette: "Gather Us In"
Christmas Tree for the Society as the social hour at the home of Mrs. J. E. Tisdale, with Mrs. J. F. Isaacs and Mrs. Bertha Shugart assisting.

Alexander News

Mrs. T. T. Perry and Mrs. Harry Caton of Santa Anna, made a surprise visit with their sister and daughter, Mrs. W. J. Steward, from Thursday to Sunday.

Miss Herbert attended a Teacher's meeting in Eldorado, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Roach visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bearce Friday evening.

Miss Herbert, Billie B. Neva Jo, and Winnie Jean Steward, Danell, Doris and Ruth Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Roach were in town Monday night seeing "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Steward were in San Angelo, Tuesday, hunting for Santa Clause.

* Most of the turkey crop hereabouts is being taken to the San Angelo Pool the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Parson made a business trip to San Angelo the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McAngus spent a few hours in Christoval Saturday afternoon.

Aaron Steward had important business in Reynolds community one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bradshaw were shopping in Eldorado Saturday afternoon.

The Alexander school will have a short program and Christmas tree in the afternoon before they dismiss for the holidays.

Amigo.

Rev. J. L. Ratliff made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday afternoon, returning Wednesday.

Among Your Friends

Fay Finley won the \$80 given at the Eldorado Theatre last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prugal and little daughter, Willie Lee, of Menard spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tisdale Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Prugal are former residents of Eldorado and their return to visit friends was a welcome one.

You pay for Christmas Seals only once, but they work for you all the year 'round.

Coach Dave Williamson and Ed Ratliff attended the Texas A. & M.—Michigan State football game in San Antonio last Saturday.

Mrs. Leslie Baker made a business trip to San Angelo yesterday.

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PUDDIN' an' PIE

by JIMMY GARTHWAITE

FOOTSTEPS

PITTERY, pattery, pittery, pat—

That's the way it used to be

When you were Tiny Two and Three.

Hippity, hoppity, skippity, skop—

You're growing up, Miss Eight and Nine.

Bumpety, bumpety, clumpety, clump—

Your footsteps soon will sound like mine!



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TOTS NOW CRAVE COD LIVER OIL

Contains Vitamins Essential to Development.

By EDITH M. BARBER

ONCE upon a time, a long time ago, every child in an up-to-date family was dosed with cod liver oil, given as a "tonic." How children of that day hated that cod liver oil bottle and how relieved they were when it was no longer the style to use that evil-tasting liquid, which was the only known form of cod liver oil. Today the pendulum has swung back again, and children almost from the time that they are born are given a few drops of an oil which is much better in flavor. For both of these reasons you find most modern children actually liking their daily quota, which is no longer given as a dose, but as a part of their regular food plan.

The discoveries of vitamin A and D and their importance in providing certain essentials for best body development has caused us to revalue cod liver oil. While vitamin A can be obtained from various food sources, vitamin D is found in few foods. Egg yolk, whole milk and some of the green vegetables furnish a small amount, but for a liberal enough supply we must call upon direct sunlight or in its absence upon sun lamps and cod liver oil.

Besides the foods which contain vitamin D naturally, there are several brands of bread, the output of a few dairies, a shortening commercial yeast, several cereals, a brand of strained vegetables, a food drink and several infant foods which have been "reinforced" with vitamin D. Without an adequate supply of vitamin D children may develop rickets in infancy. While adults do not need as large a supply, it is essential that they have a certain amount.

You will find available cod liver oil or a liver oil in liquid and in capsule form sometimes reinforced with extra vitamin D or A. However, you will find that the most inexpensive source is the plain oil, which is sometimes flavored highly in order to disguise its original taste, which is much better in its modern form, as great care is used in preparing it.

Spinach Loaf.

- 3 cups spinach (canned or cooked)
- 2 tablespoons melted fat
- 2 tablespoon flour
- Salt
- Pepper
- ¼ cup milk
- 1 loaf bread
- Butter
- 1 hard-cooked egg

Chop the spinach fine and add to the hot melted fat in a frying pan. Cook three minutes, add the flour and seasoning, stir thoroughly, add the milk and cook five minutes. Remove the crust from a small loaf of bread, hollow the center and re-fill with the spinach mixture. Butter the outside of the loaf and place in a hot oven (500 degrees Fahrenheit) to brown. Garnish with sliced hard-cooked egg.

Date Bran Muffins.

- 1½ cups flour
- ¾ teaspoon soda
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup sliced dates
- 2 cups bran
- 2 eggs, beaten
- ¼ cup molasses

Sails Thousands

of Miles to Vote

Sydney, N. S. W.—Before Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Slack of Wentworth Falls sailed for England their member of parliament asked them "You'll be back in time to record your votes, won't you?" "I'll take good care of that," replied Mr. Slack. When they had been in London only a few days they read that the Australian elections were to be held at an earlier date than had been originally expected.

So they hurriedly curtailed their trip and returned to Australia in time to vote. "I made a promise to Mr. Lawson and I will keep it," said Mr. Slack.

pans and bake in a hot oven, 400 degrees Fahrenheit, for about fifteen minutes.

Baked Eggs.

Butter individual baking dishes. Put one tablespoonful of cream in each; add an egg. Season with salt and paprika. Bake in a moderate oven about fifteen minutes—until the egg is firm.

Scalloped Liver and Potatoes.

- 1 pound liver, sliced thin
- Salt and pepper
- Flour
- 2 tablespoons bacon fat
- 1 quart thinly sliced potatoes
- 1 small onion, minced
- 1½ cups milk

Salt and flour the liver and brown lightly in the bacon fat. Place layer of the raw potatoes in greased baking dish, sprinkle with salt and pepper add some of the liver and onion, and continue until all are used. The top layer should be of potatoes. Pour on the milk, cover, and bake for one hour in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) or until the potatoes are tender. At the last remove the cover and allow the potatoes to brown on top.

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Uncle Sam Will Deliver Gifts on Christmas Day

Washington.—Postmaster General James A. Farley said that for the first time since 1928 gift parcels will be delivered on Christmas day in all cities having regular delivery service.

No postal employees, however, will be compelled to work. Farley said a large number of substitute and temporary employees will probably be glad to receive the extra day's pay.

Males Model Gowns

New Canaan, Conn.—Male members of New Canaan Grange modeled the latest feminine gowns and hats at a "Booster Night" fashion show. They were permitted to wear their own shoes after unsuccessfully trying to squeeze into the smaller footwear.

They're All After Gold in Ontario



This feminine prospector is examining ore at Hardrock, in the Little Long Lac area, where another of Ontario's gold rushes is under way. Thousands of prospectors are flocking to the sector.

Lights of New York

By L. L. STEVENSON

When Mayor LaGuardia, Police Commissioner Valentine and Fire Chief McElligot took 1,155 slot machines out into Long Island Sound and saw that they were dumped into 108 feet of water, they didn't do New York's slot machine racketeers any particular good. The income of each machine, according to the figures of operators, is about \$7.50 a day. So when those 1,155 machines disappeared under salt water so did a daily take of about \$8,622.50. Then there was the value of the machines. They cost from \$105 to \$125 each. Averaging them at \$115 each, the waves closed over \$132,825 worth of property. Nor was that all. On the way to the burying ground, led by the mayor—his name for the devices is "mechanical larceny"—stalwarts worked on the machines with sledges and about \$4,000 worth of tools were recovered, the police pension fund being the beneficiary.

Mayor LaGuardia has been a foe of slot machines for years. He tried to get several bills through congress to prevent their operator but various interests were entirely too strong. Until he took office, slot machines flourished here. According to the best available figures, the average monthly take was \$4,000,000, which, the Evening Post recently stated, was about the same as that of the famous Monte Carlo in a good year. The business was so profitable that rival gangs fought continually for control of it and thus the homicide rate of the city was increased greatly. Aided by a stringent law passed at the last session of the legislature, the police, under the mayor's orders, got busy. The machines carried out to sea were those which the courts had released and there are several thousand more awaiting a similar fate.

The slot machines are treated as are confiscated weapons for a good reason. In the past, the machines were broken up with sledges and junked. But it was discovered that parts of the junked machines had been reassembled and put into operation over in Jersey. The spot where they were dumped was selected by the Department of Commerce because of the depth of the water. Even if they could be fished up again, they wouldn't be much good because of the action of the brine.

Just before leaving the subject of slot machines, one more thing might be mentioned. Under the direction of Prof. E. E. Free, of New York university, students poked nickels into machines and kept count of their winnings and losses. When the experiment came to an end and the findings were all tabulated, it was discovered that the odds against a player are more than 33 to 1, 33.4 being the exact figure.

Stanley Walker, city editor of the Herald-Tribune, who hails from Texas and whose name is spoken with reverence in the Journalism department of the university of that state, has written another book, "City Editor." In it he says a lot of mean things about women reporters, holding that they are slovenly and that if they were housewives, the dishes would be in the kitchen sink. Also, he holds, they are masters of dangerous office intrigue. Without commenting on his estimate of the feminine in Journalism—I was a city editor once myself—it is a dandy book for newspaper men, those interested in newspaper work, also those who like good reading.

The other evening, out at the Larchmont Shore club, I saw the two largest yachts in these waters come to anchor in Long Island Sound—the great black Corsair, the property of J. P. Morgan, and the four-masted Hussar, E. W. Hutton's giant combination sail and steam craft. Despite the size of the Hussar, I'm told that when the Huttons go to sea, the guest list is restricted to eight. But be that as it may, I got quite a kick out of seeing those two luxury shops silhouetted against the gray skies—such a kick that I watched them until night blackness made them only bobbing riding lights.

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My Neighbor

Says:

WHEN hashing cold meat, add a little chopped parsley to improve the flavor and appearance.

A candle may be made to fit any can diestick if dipped for a moment into very hot water. This will soften the wax and it can then be easily pushed in.

Bacon can be made to go twice as far if after cutting off the rind you dip each rasher in flour and fry quickly. This prevents the bacon running to fat.

Sweet oil will remove finger marks from varnished furniture and kerosene from oiled furniture.

Keep rubber bands in a tightly closed tin box. They keep very much longer than if exposed to the air.

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HOW IT STARTED

By JEAN NEWTON

To "Hold One's Tongue"

SO ACCUSTOMED are we to this rather inelegant expression for "keep silent" that we do not stop to regard it as the metaphor which it is.

If it is vulgar to use this phrase for keeping quiet it is in any case time-honored vulgarity. King Alfred used it, and its origin has mistakenly been attributed to him.

The fact is that it goes back further than King Alfred, and its origin is not English, its first recorded use being Plutarch, the Greek biographer, who lived from 46 to 120 A. D. In his "Rules for the Preservation of Health," Plutarch wrote:

"Remember what Simonides said—that he never repented that he had held his tongue, but often that he had spoken."

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Housewife's Idea Box



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Reason for Youngster's Interest in Election

"Pop, are you gonna vote?"
"Of course I am. I always vote."
"That's good," said young Sidney. He hesitated a moment. "Do you suppose you'll probably go vote the same time mamma does?"
"I don't know. It's very likely that we'll go together, though we might have to go at different times."
"Gee, I hope it's that way, 'cause I want to go with you both, especially if you don't go together."
"Why, what's the idea?" asked his father. "I didn't know you were interested in politics."
"Oh, sure," answered Sidney vaguely. "I'd go vote myself if I could and if Mary votes, I'm going to see if she won't let me go down with her." Sidney hurried toward the kitchen to interview Mary. Just then his mother came in to throw some light on the subject.

"He went with me when I registered and found that the polling place was in a candy store kept by a nice woman. She gave him a bar of chocolate, so I expect he's figuring on cashing in on election day in a big way."—New York Sun.

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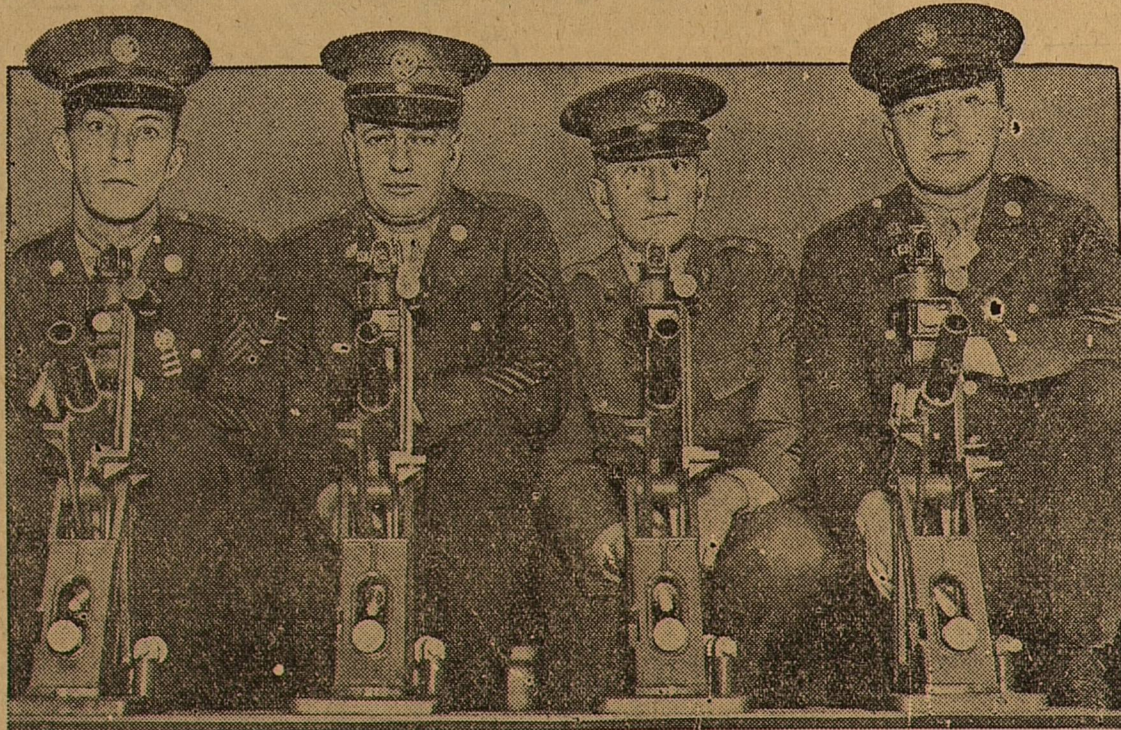
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Sheep And Goat Association Merits Support

At the present time the producers of sheep and goats need their Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association more perhaps than at any time in the history of the industry. Economic conditions have changed to such an extent that it is no longer possible for any industry in the nation to handle current problems without a capable, numerically strong and adequately financed organization. It is manifestly impossible for the individual producer to solve matters which affect his several neighbors as well as himself. His natural inclination in such an expediency would be to seek the aid of those neighbors in solving the mutual problems. The Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association is set up for that exacting all the individuals composing the sheep and goat industry.

There is no doubt but that the average sheep and goat man can solve to a certain degree of satisfaction his problems of hiring ranch employees, purchasing feed or building additional fences. Such matters are obviously his individual concern and must be dealt with according to his individual ability.

On the other hand, the individual sheep and goat man cannot satisfactorily contend single-handedly with such problems as freight rates, legislation, marketing practices, lamb and chevon-wool and mohair advertising, and a host of other items related to the production and marketing of his crops. Yet, obviously each has a marked influence upon his welfare and in the final analysis his balance sheet at the end of the year may be as adversely affected by neglect of the latter phase of his business as the former. Indeed, for the individual sheep and goat man to prosper, he must in

some way cope with problems denominated common to all in the same business as himself. Group action alone can furnish the machinery to do this.

We are met in our efforts to obtain more comprehensive group action by those who contend that the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association is ineffective and incapable. They offer a somewhat similar organization but one which allows voting privileges to those not primarily engaged in the production of sheep and goats. Growers who think the matter through will see at once that any organization of Texas sheep and goat producers is comparatively as good as another if similarly supported financially and morally. Supposedly, the growers have complete say in the management of the affairs of the proposed new set-up but the non-producer vote looms in the background to cause a lurking suspicion and doubt.

Undoubtedly, as leaders of wool growers' associations throughout the nation have written and telegraphed, the wise thing for Texas sheep and goat men to do is to stick by their present organization, tried by 18 long years of service and in which the voting powers are entirely reserved for those raising sheep or goats.

The fact remains that the growers of Texas have the right by their ballot to alter the existing Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association in any manner, and to select those leaders they think best qualified to serve them. The member has his vote and the non-member is free to join and voice his approval or objection in all business matters coming before the organization.

The Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association is the growers' own organization. Can another association be more their own? What more can the growers of Texas wish for?

Due entirely to the passive and disinterested attitude of the growers the Association has not been as active in some matters as it should have been. But this must be charged to non-members; it certainly cannot justly be charged against the Association.

But light is shining in the minds of many producers. They are waking to facts. Growers are joining and if such support and enlistment continue, the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association will have the money to yep capable men to place at the work that lack of finances made impossible in the past. It will be able to do a more effective job in suppressing live stock thefts and in watching and protecting the varied interests of the industry in legislative centers and against the inroads

of competitive interests wherever necessary. The growers by the extent of their group action must and will say how efficiently and how well they will be represented.

Dues to the Association have been lowered purposely to allow even the smallest flock owner to assume his responsibility and his share of the financial upkeep of the organization. As generally known, the Association has never been extravagant in its spending and does not intend now to burden the industry with an expense of several highly paid executives. The Association with the support it deserves can hire the men the industry needs and use the surplus funds in developing, if necessary, such universally beneficial projects as a sore-mouth vaccine manufacturing plant.

The dues to the Association we believe to be fair to all. There is no compulsion or intimidation to pay. The grower pays the dues if he believes he should and if he can. He is not tied up for several years by contracts. The dues are so reasonable that unless the growers respond by paying them the Association cannot exist.

The strength and effectiveness of any representative organization is entirely dependent upon the support given it and the number of individuals or composite assets it is authorized to represent. The more sheep and goat men the Association has as members, the more effective will be its efforts to promote and safeguard the common interests of the sheep and goat producers of the State.

BACK FROM THE HILLS

By Louis Kerr

Arkansas has so many sides. This is why about half the lies they tell on the state are the truth, everybody sees a different side of it, there is the inside and outside; up side and down side; top side and bottom side; north side and south side; east side and west side; wet side and dry side; rocky side and swampy side; hard side and soft side; hairy side and feathery side; muddy side and clear side; political side and religious side; labor side and capital side; democratic side and republican side; populist side and temperance side; drunken side and sober side; farm side and mining side; hunting side and fishing side;

Texas Crop Outlook Better

Heavy rains during the last half of November materially benefited Texas soil. Practically all sections received moisture, and farmers have begun the winter working of fields—work that has been delayed because of dry weather. Light snow has fallen in the northwest.

Little cotton remains in the fields. Recent frosts have caused late bolls to open rapidly. Ginnings are well advanced, although little movement of new cotton is going on.

Rice harvesting is in the final stages, with production considerably above the average. Quality of the crop is high.

Farmers in the northwestern counties still are planting wheat, having waited for rain. Moisture is sufficient to help wheat along, but little of it so far has reached the subsoil. A heavy rain over the wheat belt is needed. Early planted wheat that came up is affording pasturage.

Turkey movement to Thanksgiving markets has been considerably below that of recent years. The crop this year amounted to about 75 per cent of that obtained last season.

Late feed crops have made good growth. Conditions for ranges and pastures is poor, particularly in the western portion of the state. There is little range feed available in that area, and feeding will be necessary to carry stock through the winter. In East Texas feed crops are light, but probably sufficient for local winter needs. In south and southeast areas conditions are favorable as these sections produced a surplus of range feeds.—A. T. & S. P. Ry. Service.

Health Officer Talks On Pellagra

Austin, Texas, Dec. 6.—Now is the time for the prevention of Pellagra, says Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. This disease is generally noted in increasing frequency following the winter months. In Texas it is the cause of more than 700 deaths each year.

Pellagra is not a germ disease and it is not contagious. It is caused by deficiency of certain important elements in the dietary, as has been proved by years of research by the authorities of the United States Public Health Service. It is generally believed that restricting the diet too largely to refined cereals, fat meat, and molasses, etc. is contributory to causation of Pellagra. These foods are lacking in the so-called Vitamin G (the Pellagra Preventive Vitamin), and people whose diet is primarily made up of these foods are the easiest victims of Pellagra.

It seems to be demonstrated that the inclusion in the diet of food rich in Vitamin G serves to prevent the development of Pellagra. Diet is also the chief factor in the cure of Pellagra (rough skin), and it is self-cured by a peculiar redness and breaking out or peeling of the skin, particularly the exposed surface. This is accompanied by weakness, nervousness, indigestion, headaches and a burning itching of the mouth or tongue.

Pellagra may be prevented by eating a balanced diet consisting of lean meat, eggs, vegetables, and fruits. Whenever a person develops the disease, however, treatment should be under the direction of a doctor.

Rudd Community

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Montgomery made a business trip to San Angelo Tuesday.

Mrs. Claud Bradshaw, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. M. N. Reynolds, returned to her home at Brady Sunday.

Sam Williams and son Alton, made a business trip to Eldorado Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Burk and family attended all-day church services at Lottin Sunday.

The new mail route which comes through the Rudd community by way of Christoval, opened up Dec. 1. This makes it very convenient for the people as they get their mail more regular. They can also mail letters with which the postman gets back to Christoval with in time to go on to San Angelo.

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BANKHEAD VOTE

The farmers of Texas are facing a serious decision as they go to the polls today to decide the fate of the Bankhead law. Just what that decision will be remains to be seen after today's ballot; but regardless of the "yea" or "nay", the problem remains a serious one.

According to figures released by the New York Cotton Exchange, consumption of American cotton fell off 124,000 bales in October while the consumption of foreign cotton increased 190,000. In October, the consumption of foreign cotton surpassed the consumption of American cotton by 36,000 bales; during the same period last year, American cotton consumption was 278,000 bales above foreign.

"That this tendency (of increased foreign consumption and decreased American consumption) is becoming serious for the cotton-growing South hardly needs emphasizing," says Peter Molyneux, editor of the TEXAS WEEKLY; "and it is becoming high time that we began considering ways and means of dealing with the situation."

Of course the Bankhead Control Bill is not the only cause of the decrease in consumption of American cotton; it adds its barrier—but the Bankhead Control Bill has not and cannot remedy the situation. Instead, it adds untold thousands to our unemployment and relief rolls by reducing the amount of labor in the South.

We are particularly in favor of the farmer and we have a great interest in his problems; but it seems to us that we are off on the wrong track. Rather than curbing production, the government could do better by opening up the avenues of world trade for cotton and by finding other uses for cotton.

Now it is up to the farmer to decide for himself and unless he does

assert his rights, he is likely to be in a far worse plight than he is at the present time. The government can and should spend its "plow-up" and "acreage lease" money for experimenting with new uses of cotton which will eventually increase consumption.

ACCIDENTS

The increasing number of accidents deserves comment. Of course no one will allow himself to be a victim of an accident; but we often become too careless without realizing it. People don't do not realize just how careless they have grown until an accident of a serious nature has overtaken them. Even when warned, we often fail to heed the warning.

Accidents are more frequent during the holiday season. There is a reason for this: We become filled with the holiday spirit, we become more carefree, we use greater license. It is needless to say that timely warning, when needed, may prevent many a serious accident.

STATE RIGHTS VS. FEDERAL RIGHTS

Dale Miller, in the TEXAS WEEKLY, puts one of our major political problems aptly when he writes: "Behind the scenes of this period bridged by the New Deal is being undergone a subtle metamorphosis in philosophies of government which is so vital to the growth of the American Democracy that history will be marveling at its significance long after the superficial political issues which agitate us today are forgotten." And Mr. Miller continues by pointing out that this "subtle metamorphosis in philosophies of government" is the concentration of power in Washington to the disparagement of State Rights—enforcing the prestige of Washington

Bailey Ranch Church History Is One Of Constant Development

By Mrs. Frank Spencer

tion at the expense of the State.

We have seen this movement in the undertow of current politics ever since March 4, 1933. The fact that Federal Rights have been strengthened while State Rights were being made of secondary importance is a very peculiar turn of affairs with the Democratic party. Mr. Miller points out that "this shift of authority has been undergone without undue protest from those who, a short time ago, would have resisted it with every patriotic argument at their command." And we are made to wonder if it is not just the fact that the Democratic party is in power that makes so many people blind to the fact that State Rights are being interred. The Democrats, you know, are great believers in State Rights—but are they?

Mr. Miller points out that the Federal government is assuming authority in the matters of relief work, oil legislation and numbers of other matters. He concluded his thoughtful treatment of this subject: "It may be unfashionable in this sophisticated political era to exalt the ancient principle of States Rights, but it is not raised here simply as a chimerical political theory. Alexander Pope once wrote, 'For forms of government let fools contest, whatever is best administered is best'; and if this centralization meant better administration of functions heretofore inherent in the States, then this time-honored principle which has guided the Democratic Party for more than a century should be interred without tear or tribute—but interred, nevertheless. But conditions are arising on every hand to occasion grave doubts whether its usefulness indeed is spent, or whether, in fact it is not simply crying for application today. Perhaps it is not too presumptuous to suggest that this simple principle may still be the answer to 'whatever is best administered is best.'"

We thoroughly agree with Mr. Miller. It is possible that the Federal Government's motive in centralizing authority is the handling of an emergency situation; but— if States Rights are to be respected in normal times, why not even more so in times of emergency? We have always believed that there are certain powers which are best handled by Federal authority, but we fear the outcome of too much centralization of power in Washington.

The Bailey Ranch Baptist Church was organized March 15, 1908 with these charter members: Mr. S. L. Stanford and wife, Mr. G. W. Parks and wife, Mr. Frank Spencer and wife, and Mrs. C. J. Spencer.

The services were held at eleven o'clock on Saturday and Sunday. Dinner was served under the arbor and Sunday school was held at three o'clock each Sunday afternoon. The church services were held in the school house until a church house was built in 1924 during the time Brother J. D. Coleman was pastor.

Conference was held on Saturday at the eleven o'clock service until Brother Carter's pastorate in 1914. Bailey Ranch Baptist Sunday school was a standard Sunday school from 1926 to 1930.

The five charter members are still living. Mrs. Frank Spencer, Mrs. A. J. Stevens, Mrs. C. A. Spencer, and S. L. Stanford and wife are still members of the church.

Brother P. D. Swift was the first pastor of the church, serving from May 1908 to March 1909. He received sixteen additions by letter and baptism. Brother T. W. Boynton was pastor from May 1909 until April 1911, receiving nine members. Brother J. M. Alexander supplied from January to April 1912 at which time Brother J. W. Elliott was called. Brother Alexander received three members.

Brother J. A. Carter served from May 1914 until December 1916, receiving twenty-eight members. Brother C. H. Riddle was pastor from April 1918 until August 1919. He received nine members. Brother M. L. Davis was pastor from November 1919 to January 1922 during which time there were four additions to the church. Brother J. D. Coleman was received in March 1924 and served until September 1925. There were thirteen additions during this time.

Brother W. P. Ray served the church from September 1925 until September 1926, receiving thirteen additions. Brother Ray was followed by Brother Ratliff who served until May 1930. There were three new members during this time. Brother Ray was again called in August 1930 and has served from that date until the present. He has received twenty-five new members.

The church began with ten members and has grown to a congregation with more than one hundred members, leaving the present membership of about seventy active members.

Abilene Voters Favor Utilities

In no uncertain terms the voters of Abilene, on Saturday, November 24, gave their approval and vote of confidence to the West Texas Utilities Company in a special election to determine the attitude of the citizens toward (1) the building of a municipal plant, (2) the granting of another franchise to an individual and (3) the attitude of the people toward their present electric rates for service furnished by the West Texas Utilities Company. The question of municipal ownership was defeated by a majority of over 3 to 1 with 1269 voting against a municipal oil engine plant and only 397 voting for same. The vote on the granting of another franchise to an individual, O. D. Dillingham, who proposed to lower rates, was defeated 4 to 1. On the third question, the citizens voted they were satisfied with present rates by a majority of 2 1/2 to 1.

The vote clearly indicated the public sentiment in Abilene and gave a splendid endorsement to the West Texas Utilities Company's policies.

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Value of Farm Products Up Nearly Billion Dollars

From January 1 to mid-September returns to farmers were \$83,000,000 more than for the corresponding period of 1933, according to preliminary reports to the Department of Agriculture. The comparative figures for 1933 and 1934 were \$3,479,000,000 and \$4,343,000,000.

AAA economists estimated that the excess of farm income for the calendar year over last year will far exceed a billion dollars.



Adjustment and benefit payments to farmers for the nine-month period this year totaled \$329,000,000. Comparative figures for the period in 1933 and 1934 for sale of principal farm commodities include: Grains, \$442,000,000 and \$508,000,000; cotton, \$290,000,000 and \$370,000,000; fruits and vegetables, \$522,000,000 and \$649,000,000; meat animals, \$762,000,000 and \$848,000,000; dairy products, \$737,000,000 and \$835,000,000.

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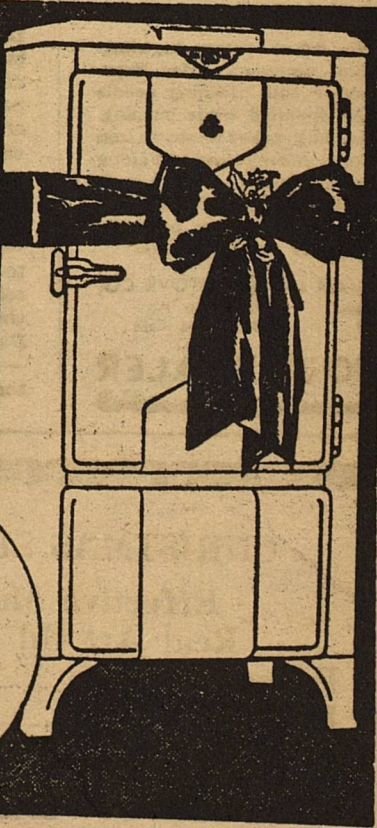

Able-Bodied Men Not To Get Relief

"Get rid of the able-bodied relief chiselers who don't want to work. Give every possible aid to those persons who want to help themselves." Such was the message to all Federal and state relief employes by Lawrence Westbrook first assistant to Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator, in a nation-wide radio address. "What we want you to understand," Westbrook said, "is simply that you are to exert every effort to make direct relief unnecessary." In direct charge of the FERA rural rehabilitation program, Westbrook said his job is to make "self-supporting citizens of persons whom circumstances have forced to become temporary wards of the state."

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When Worlds Collide

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CHAPTER VI—Continued

They climbed a slope with a sharp turn which was blocked, and there two men sprang at them. Tony jerked out his pistol; but today—and though he was on his way to his mother who was murdered—he could not pull the trigger on these men. He bent down one with the butt, instead, and with the barrel cowed the other.

He got the car clear and with Eve drove on. Ah—here was the road home! Home! His home, where he had been born and where he was a little boy. Home, the home that had been his father's and his grandfather's and before that, for four generations Down this road from his home, some man named Drake had gone to fight in the World War, the Civil War, in 1812, and to join the army of Wash.ington.

Tony tried not to think about his mother yet. Eve placed her hand over his which held the steering wheel. "You'll let me stay close beside you, Tony," she appealed.

"Yes. We're almost there." Familiar landmarks bobbed up on both sides, everywhere: a log cabin he had built as a boy; here was the way to the old well—the "Revolutionary well."

"Here we are." The house was before them, white, calm, confident. Tony's heart leaped. How he loved it—and she who had been its spirit! How often she had stood in that doorway awaiting him!

Some one was standing there now—an old woman, slight, white-haired. Tony recognized her—Mrs. Haskins, the minister's wife. She advanced toward Tony, and old Hezekiah Haskins took her place in the doorway. "What happened?"

Old Haskins told Tony, as kindly as he could:

"She was alone; she did not feel afraid, though all the village and even her servants had fled. The band of men came by. She did not try to keep them out. Knowing her—and judging by what I found—she asked them in and offered them food. Some of them had been drinking; or they were mad with the intoxication of destruction. Some one shot her cleanly—once, Tony. It is certain, Tony, she did not suffer."

Tony could not speak. Eve clung to his hand. "Thank God for that, Tony!" she whispered.

Briefly Tony unclasped his hand from Eve's and met the old minister's quivering grasp. He bent and kissed Mrs. Haskins' gray cheek.

"Thank you, thank you both," he whispered. "You shouldn't have stayed



Two Men Sprang at Them. Tony Jerked Out His Pistol. He Beat Down One With the Butt, and With the Barrel Cowed the Other.

here; you shouldn't have waited for me. But you did."

Old Hezekiah and his wife, and Orson the sexton, and Tony Drake and Eve Hendron stood on the hilltop where the men of the Drake blood and the women who reproduced them in all generations of memory lay buried. A closed box lay waiting its lowering into the ground.

"Hear my prayer, O Lord; and with thine ears consider my calling. For I am a stranger with thee, and a sojourner as all my fathers were."

"Oh, spare me a little, that I may recover my strength before I go hence, and be no more seen."

Old Hezekiah Haskins held the book before him, but he did not read. A thousand times in his fifty years of the ministry he had repeated those words. "Thou turnest man to destruction; again thou sayest, Come again, ye children of men."

Men and children of men on Bronson Beta, too. Men millions and thousands of millions of years in the mak-

ing. Azole time—proterozoic time, hundreds of millions of years, while life slowly developed in the seas. Hundreds of millions more, while it emerged from the seas; a hundred million more, while reptiles ruled the land, the sky and water. Then they were swept away; mammals came; and man—a thousand million years of birth and death and birth again before even the first brick could be laid in the oldest city on Bronson Beta, which men on earth had seen last night with their telescopes.

"For a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday; seeing that is just as a watch in the night."

"For when thou art angry, all our days are gone; we bring our years to an end like a tale that is told."

The sexton and old Hezekiah alone could not lift the box to lower it. Tony had to help them with it. He did; and his mother lay beside her husband.

Tonight, when the huge Bronson Alpha and Bronson Beta with its visible cities of its own dead were on this side of the world again, the tide might rise over this hill. What matter? His mother lay where she would have chosen. A short time now, and all this world would end.

"I'll take you away," Tony was saying to the old minister and his wife and the older sexton. "We're flying west tonight to the central plateau. We'll manage somehow to take you with us."

"Not me," said the old sexton. "Do not take me from the will of the Lord."

Nor would the minister and his wife be moved. They would journey today, when the water receded, into the higher hills; but that was all they would do.

The airplane settled to earth on the high-ground between Lake Michigan and Lake Superior. Just as the Bronson Bodies, appallingly large, rose over the eastern horizon. Nearly a thousand people came from the great cantonment to greet Tony and Hendron's daughter. The scientist had given up his New Mexico venture entirely, and brought his congregation of human beings all to his Michigan retreat.

Greetings, however, were not fully made until the Bronson Bodies had been observed. Beta now exceeded the moon, and it shone with a pearly lustre, and a brilliance which the moon had never possessed. Around it was an aureole of soft radiance where its atmosphere, thawed by the warmth of the sun it so rapidly approached, had completely resumed its gaseous state.

But Bronson Beta did not compare with the spectacle of Alpha. Alpha was gigantic—bigger than the sun, and seemingly almost as bright, for the clouds which streamed up from every part of its surface threw back the sun's light, dazzling, white and hard. There was no night. Neither Eve nor Tony had seen the camp in its completion; and when wonderment over the ascending bodies gave way to uneasy familiarity, Elliot James took them on a tour of inspection.

Hendron had prepared admirably for the days which he had known would lie ahead of his hand-picked community. There were two prodigious dining halls, two buildings not unlike apartment houses in which men and women were domiciled. In addition there was a building resembling a hangar set on end, which towered above the surrounding forests more than a hundred feet. At its side was the landing field, space for the sheltering of the planes, and opposite the landing field a long row of shops which terminated in an iron works.

It was to the machine shops and foundry that Elliot James last took his companions.

"The crew here," he said to Eve, "has already finished part of the construction of the Ark which your father is planning. If we wanted to, we could build a battleship here; in the laboratories anything that has been done could be repeated; and a great many things have been accomplished that have never been done before. By tomorrow night I presume that the entire New York equipment will have been reinstalled here."

Tony whistled. "It's amazing. Genius, sheer genius! How about food?"

Elliot James smiled. "There is enough food for the entire congregation as long as we will need it."

"Now show us the 'Ark.'"

Eve's father came out from the hangar to act as their guide.

From the hysterical white glare of the Bronson Bodies Eve and Tony were taken into a mighty chamber which rose seemingly to the sky itself, where the brilliance was even greater. A hundred things inside that chamber might have attracted their attention—its flood-lighting system, or the tremendous bracing of its metal walls; but their eyes were only for the object in its center. The Ark on that late July evening—the focal point, the dream and hope of all those whom Hendron had gathered together—stood upright on a gigantic concrete block in a cradle of steel beams. Its length was one hundred and thirty-five feet. It was sixty-two feet in diameter, and

its shape was cylindrical. Streamlining was unnecessary for travel in the outer reaches of space, where there was no air to set up resistance. The metal which composed it was a special alloy eighteen inches in thickness, electroplated on the outside with an alloy which shone like chromium.

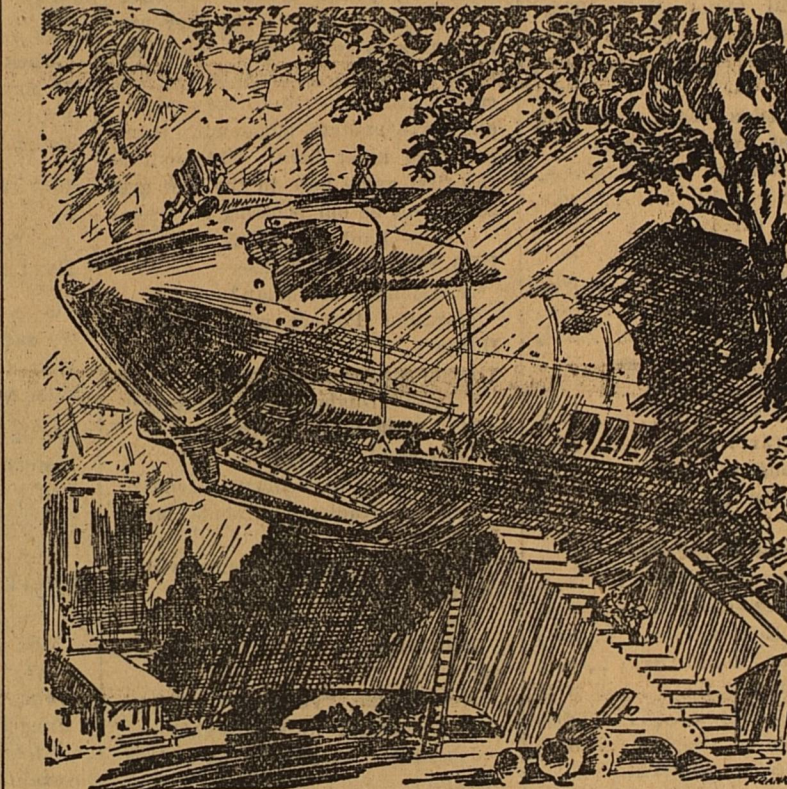
After Tony had looked at it for a long time, he said, "It is by far the most spectacular object mankind has ever achieved."

Hendron glanced at him and continued his exposition. "A second shell, much smaller, goes inside; and between the inner shell and its outer guard are several layers of insulation material. Inside the shell will be engines which generate the current, which in turn releases the blast of atomic energy, store-chambers for everything to be carried, the mechanisms of control, the aeration-plant, the heating units and the quarters for passengers."

"Tony tore his eyes from the sight. 'How many will she carry?' he asked quietly."

Hendron hesitated; then he said, "For a trip of the duration I contemplate, she would be able to take about one hundred people."

Tony's voice was still quieter. "Then



The Ark—the Focal Point, the Dream and Hope of All Those Whom Hendron Had Gathered Together—Stood Upright on a Gigantic Concrete Block in a Cradle of Steel Beams.

you have nine hundred idealists in your camp here."

The older man smiled. "Unless I am greatly mistaken, I have a thousand." "They all know about the ship?" "Something about it. Nearly half of them have been working on it, or on apparatus connected with it."

"You pay no wages?" "I've offered wages. In most cases they've been refused. I have more than three million dollars in gold available here for expenses encountered in dealing with people who still wish money for their time or materials."

"I see. How long a trip do you contemplate?"

Hendron took the young man's breath. "Ninety hours. That is, provided," and his voice began to shake—"provided we can find proper materials with which to line our blast tubes. Otherwise we wouldn't be able to propel this thing for more than a few minutes. I—"

Eve looked at her father. "Dad, you've got to go to bed. And don't worry so. We'll find the alloy all right. We've done everything else."

Hendron nodded; and Tony, looking at him, realized for the first time how much the scientist had aged recently.

Tony escorted Eve to the women's dormitory. Eve bade him good night, then went inside. Tony walked with slow strides to the top of a neighboring hill. Hendron's village looked on the northern side like a university campus, and on the southern side like the heart of a manufacturing district. All around it stretched the Michigan wilderness. The ground had been chosen partly because of the age and firmness of its geological base, and partly because of its isolation.

He sat down on a large stone. The hot night wind blew with increasing violence, and the double shadows, one sharp and one faint, which were cast by all things in the light of the Bronson Bodies, were abruptly obliterated by the passage of a dark cloud.

Tony's mind ran unevenly and irresolutely. "All these people," he thought, "these brilliant, temperamental men and women, have subsided and made themselves like soldiers in Hendron's service—amazing man—Only a hundred people—"

Fears assailed him: "Suppose they don't complete the Ark successfully, and she never leaves the ground? Then all these people would have given their lives for nothing. Suppose it leaves the earth and falls—falls back for hundreds of miles, gaining speed all the way, so that when it hit the atmos-

phere it would turn red-hot and burn itself up just like a meteor."

Tony thought of the tides that would rise that night and on following nights; and faintly, like the palpitation of a steamer's deck, the earth shook beneath his feet as if in answer to his meditation. And Tony realized that the heart of the earth was straining toward its celestial companions.

On the night of the twenty-fifth, tides unprecedented in the world's history swept every seacoast. There were earthquakes of varying magnitude all over the world. In the day that followed, volcanoes opened up, and islands sank beneath the sea; and on the night of the twenty-sixth the greater of the Bronson Bodies came within its minimum distance from the earth on this their first approach.

No complete record was ever made of the devastation. Elliot James, who made some tabulation of it in the succeeding months, could never believe all that he saw and heard, but it must have been true.

The eastern coast of the United States sustained a tidal wave seven hundred and fifty feet in height, which came in from the sea in relentless ter-



Just a Little Smile

IGNORANCE IS BLISS

At one golf course there had been some talk of standardizing tips to caddies, and one day the secretary explained his ideas to a group of members.

"We feel," he said, "that a caddy should not receive a tip of more than one shilling and sixpence per round. You'll agree that's reasonable."

They did agree, all except one Aberdonian, who, looking up with an expression of innocence, said, "Excuse me, Mr. Secretary, but what is a tip?"—Tid-Bits.

Literary Problem

Mrs. Nyland faces a problem of parental responsibility, but the more she ponders it the less possible of solution it appears.

For years she had read to her daughter, Nancy, from juvenile books befitting her years, but one day, when the girl had reached the age of five, she suddenly interrupted the reading with:

"I'm tired of those books, mumsy. All the girls in it are so goody-goody."

Mrs. Nyland was too shocked to make a suitable retort. But she admits that the younger generation is getting new ideas, whether from their elders, the movies, or what not.—New York Sun.

Progress

"Are you taking any interest in the war on crime?"

"A great interest," said Senator Sorghum. "Of course, we can't kill off all the gangsters out home. But we're at least taking steps to prevent so many of them from being elected to office."

Sweeping

Full of enthusiasm, she had gone in for politics and was out of the house most of the day. The other night she returned at nine o'clock and sank into an armchair.

"Everything's grand," she said. "We're going to sweep the country." Her husband looked around warily and said: "Why not start with the dining room?"

IT SOMETIMES HAPPENS



"That fellow's honeymoon was completely spoiled by a woman." "Some girl he'd jilted, I suppose?" "No, the one he'd married."

Daddy's Cranium

The young hopeful of a suburban family objected strenuously to having his hair washed. He argued it was unnecessary and a great nuisance to his mother as well as himself. It was pointed out by his elders that grown-ups as well as children were subjected to the inconvenience.

"Daddy isn't," was the quick retort. "He has no hair, only head."—New York Sun.

Considerate Hospitality

"Is it considerate for a lady who has sent out invitations to remain absent from her own reception?"

"Perfectly proper," answered Miss Cayenne. "It prevents any embarrassment if the guests feel like criticizing the furniture and the house-keeping."

Consideration

"Has your horse a good disposition?"

"Yes," answered Farmer Corntosel. "But he wouldn't have if I worried him as much as he does me."

Hasn't Paid Yet

Neighbor—How is that new incubator doing which you bought? Mrs. Newbride—I suppose it's all right, but I'm a little worried about it. It hasn't laid a single egg yet.

TO BE CONTINUED.

The Appalachian Trail, as conceived by its proponents, is a footpath for hikers in the Appalachian mountains extending from Maine to Florida, a distance of some 2,050 miles. The trail shuns automobile roads and lowlands, the purpose being to provide access to the mountains and wild country of the Eastern highlands for tramping, camping and outdoor recreation. Its route is the crestline of the Appalachian system. With the exception of national and state parks and national forests traversed, the trail is on privately owned land with the consent of owners.

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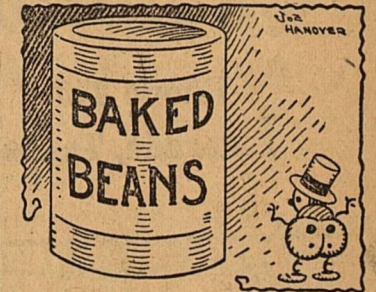
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MIXED

At a political gathering an orator waxed indignant and exclaimed: "To ridicule the idea is to follow the example of the camel, which buries its head in the sand when an enemy approaches."

The rival speaker rose and retorted: "Surely the gentleman, in giving utterance to this remark, must have meant to refer to the ostrich, which, in those circumstances, has a habit of putting its eye through a needle."—Ludlow Advertiser.

VERY LIKELY



Bug—I declare, I must be getting near Boston!

Value Received

"Politics causes a great deal of debate," said the plain citizen. "Of course," answered Senator Sorghum. "There has to be a certain amount of brilliant oratory so as to make the campaign contributors feel that they're getting something for their money."

Ouch!

Pompous Man—They told me that if I didn't quit reading dime novels I wouldn't amount to anything. Cheerful Puncturer—Well, why didn't you quit?

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SPORT SLANTS

BY OTHO JONES

Hilliard Wins Trophy

Bohn Hilliard, sterling backfield ace of the Texas Longhorns for the past three years, has been awarded the Houston trophy as the most valuable football player in the Southwest Conference of 1934 by a poll of sport writers. Bill Wallace of Rice Institute was a close second to Hilliard and Darrell Lester of T. C. U. was third in the race. This is a deserving award for Hilliard, a star who has brought to a close his college career after blazing many gridirons with ten years of phenomenal football achievements. He was a star with the Orange High School, Schreiner Institute and the University of Texas.

Incidentally, another honor has been voted Hilliard. The co-eds of a college on the Pacific Coast, in selecting the best looking All-American eleven, pick Bohn as quarterback.

Rocksprings Wins Bi-District

The Rocksprings Bulldogs, football champions of District 17-B, advanced another step forward toward the Regional championship of Class B football by defeating Fort Stockton, champions of District 12, 13 to 6 at Fort Stockton last Saturday.

A 55-yard run by Monte Earwood, virtually accepted as the all-district quarterback of District 17, was the outstanding feature of the game.

By winning this game, the Bulldogs advanced to the regional play-off. They meet Roby High School, winner of districts 13 and 16, this week for the regional play-off.

The Rocksprings' victory over Fort Stockton for the Bi-District Championship last Saturday was ac-

cepted by the Eldorado fandom with a high degree of satisfaction.

This victory brings to the surface the strength of District 17-B in comparison with other Class B districts.

Game Today

The Rocksprings-Roby game for the play-off of this region will be staged at the Cemetery Park in San Angelo this afternoon. Rocksprings is winner of districts 17 and 12, and Roby of districts 13 and 16.

Rice Rates Fifth

The Rice Owls, football champions of the Southwest Conference, are rated fifth among the nation's strongest gridiron aggregations, according to the Dickinson system, a system which has been much in the limelight the past season.

Dickinson, who is a professor at the University of Illinois, places the undefeated Minnesota team at the head of the list. Pittsburg has a higher point rating under the system than Minnesota but the Pittsburg aggregation has one defeat chalked up against them.

The eleven strongest football teams in the United States, according to Dickinson are:

Minnesota, Pittsburg, Navy, Illinois, Rice Institute, Alabama, Columbia, Ohio State, Colgate, Stanford, Tulane.

HONOR ROLL

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Genevieve Ramsey
Wanda B. Rape

SENIOR HEADS HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The Honor Roll of the Eldorado High School for the second six-

weeks term of the 1934-35 term is again headed by Margaret Hill, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill. Margaret is also president of the Senior class and won the highest scholastic honors in the high school last year. Her average for the six-weeks period which ended with Thanksgiving was 93 3/4 per cent.

Johnnie Fern Isaacs, Sophomore, was second on the honor roll with an average of 92 1/2. There were thirty pupils in the entire high school who averaged above 82 per cent and these were ranked among the highest twenty-five percent of the scholastic averages. Among the thirty pupils who ranked highest in high school grades, the seniors and Freshman classes tied with nine pupils each. The Sophomore class had seven pupils and the Juniors had five.

The pupils whose names appear on the list of twenty-five per cent are as follows:

Highest 5 per cent

Margaret Hill (Sr.) 93 3/4
Johnnie Fern Isaacs (Soph.) .. 92 1/2
Jack Rape (Sr.) 92 1/2
Lois Whitley (Sr.) 89 3/4
Edward Reynolds (Fr.) 88 3/4

Highest Ten Per Cent

Elizabeth Stanford (Soph.) .. 88 3/4
June Hooker (Soph.) 88 3/4
Delores Fish (Sr.) 86 3/4
Celeste Tisdale (Sr.) 86 3/4
Marlene Wilton (Soph.) 86 3/4
Janette Wakefield (Sr.) 86 3/4
Christine Currie (Fr.) 86 3/4

Highest 15 per cent

Carmen Warren (Soph.) 86
Wilma Nixon (Fr.) 85 3/4
Doris Fish (Sr.) 85 1/2
Raymond Rodgers (Fr.) 85
Clarice Lee (Sr.) 84 3/4
Leola Sauer (Soph.) 83 3/4

Highest 20 per cent

Dorothy Jarrett (Fr.) 83 3/4
Clayton Trotter (Sr.) 83 3/4
John Edwin Rodgers (Sr.) .. 83 1/2
Thomas Richard Jones (Sr.) .. 83 1/2
Bonnie Mund (Fr.) 83 1/2
Ray Bruton (Fr.) 83 1/2
Marguerite Davis (Soph.) .. 83 1/2

Highest 25 per cent

Charlotte Kerr (Fr.) 82 1/2
Josephine Clayton (Sr.) .. 82 1/2
Mary Cloud (Fr.) 82 1/2
Alice Doran (Sr.) 82
Felir Susen (Sr.) 82

JOKES

(Compiled by Zona C. Koy)

Mr. Cooper: "Robert, what are you drawing?"

Robert Jordan: "I am drawing a picture of a tyrannosaurus."

Mr. Cooper: "Why, Robert; you mustn't do that, no one knows what a tyrannosaurus looks like, they lived millions of years ago."

Robert: "Maybe they don't know now, but they will when I get this finished."

Inez Cobb: "What was all that hammering going on in your kitchen yesterday?"

June Hooker: "That was our cook making a pound cake."

Billie Kerr: "Do you know who started the jigsaw puzzle?"

Celeste Tisdale: "No."

Billy Kerr: "A navy doctor who tried to put a tatooed sailor together after a train accident."

Miss Allen: "What is the difference between an engineer and a school master?"

Edward Butler: "One minds the train and the other trains the mind."

Coach: "You can't make an auto without it. No auto will run without it. Yet it is absolutely of no use. What is it?"

Clemens Sauer: Noise.

— Eagles' Screams —
WHAT'S THE CAUSE OF ALL THE CONFUSION?

Wednesday was a great day in the study hall. Seems as if two or three seniors might have had the jumps.

Just before Mr. Smith dismissed for lunch, Scoot Butler and Billy Kerr jumped up and started to leave but something changed their minds and they had to sit back down. This way the study hall pupils were delayed for two or three minutes.

That evening school was to be turned out early on account of a magician that was putting on a program after school. We only had thirty five minutes for lunch. While every one was studying hard the regular dinner bell rang and a certain senior called Bill Smith jumped up and yelled, "fire!" There was a great commotion in the study hall and everyone was fixing to get out but the study hall keeper noticed what it was and finally every one was seated again. We freshmen wonder what's wrong with the seniors?

— Eagles' Screams —

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PROSPECTS FOR BASKETBALL

Jack Rape

Mr. Cooper cannot say yet, whether or not he can put out a winning basket ball team this year. He says that he lacks a guard and a center to complete a good team. There are about thirty coming out, but only three of these are left over from last year's squad. Practice has been cut short, but they are beginning to get down to work now as they have a game with the Bobcats at San Angelo, Friday night, and have another game with them Saturday night here. This will be the first game here in the new gym so lets all be out boosting for them.

DID YOU EVER SEE—

A dignified freshman?
Margaret Powers without June Hooker?

Miss Allen's Gradebook?
Celeste Tisdale and Billy Kerr?

Mr. Cook in the library?
Who stole Imogene's jacket?

Bill Smith with Mary Barnes?
Pancho Bradley without Lardo Luedecke?

Who hit George Williams with a tomato?

The "miss" in Joe Hext's car?
Roberta Holland in riding breeches?

Jim Tisdale, "The wrecker?"
Jack Shugart walk straight?

Josephine Clayton's basketball sweater?

Jess Ella and Roberta Holland wear dresses alike on the same day?

— Eagles' Screams —

Mr. Cook: "Why is Africa called the dark continent?"

John McWhorter: "Because negroes live there."

HELP

The Owl

They say they're trying to held the people;

But something seems to lack.

I don't write this for sympathy— I'm merely stating fact.

Like many another I'm an ex-service man;

I toil for my dally bread.

A "buddy" came to me to-day; And this is what he said.

"The government pensioned me twenty dollars—

Or they did when they first began; Then they cut it down to half;

And now they've cut it down to none!

"My wife's gone back to her home, Jack.

It makes me want to cry— I've hunted for jobs everywhere;

But I've found it no use to try".

Now this is one case in a hundred— So what are we going to do?

The folks who stayed here at home Don't know what we went through.

The government loans money freely To nations far and wide

Why don't they give it to the boys Who fought for the nation's pride

If you had not stayed at home— Instead, if you had gone with us,

You'd found it was a battle fierce— Not merely a little fuss!

— Eagles' Screams —

WHAT "IF"

The Seniors could teach the Freshmen?

Jim Tisdale could drive a car?
June Hooker couldn't go with boys?

Richard wasn't so interested in a certain Senior girl?

Margaret Powers had black hair?
Imogene Evans had blonde hair?

Jack Shugart couldn't go "fishing"?

Jess Ella's hair was red?
Jack Shugart wasn't called "West Wind"?

All the Freshmen were in the

Study Hall (What would we do?)
Joe Hern Moore didn't see Lois everyday?

The basketball girls had new suits for this year?

We didn't have school?
We could cut Chemistry on certain days?

We couldn't see the clock in front of the study hall?

— Eagles' Screams —

MASTER MAGICIAN

AT ELDORADO

Margaret Hill

A master magician, Mysterio, and his company entertained quite a number of students and teachers in the school auditorium Wednesday afternoon. The admission charges were ten cents for each person, high school students as well as the smaller children. The program was given only for students and teachers, as the Wednesday night program was for everyone.

Many almost unbelievable performances were witnessed, and as usual, it created a great deal of fun and excitement among the students.

The longer program Wednesday evening was sponsored by the Eldorado Lions Club. This was one of the few such entertainments ever held in Eldorado and was probably the best of its kind ever shown here.

This Master Mysterio has put on performances in a great many large cities and is called a "Mental wizard."

— Eagles' Screams —

Miss Ford at Chapel Exercise:

"Oh, Lord bless those who are called on to teach."

John Luedecke: "And don't forget those called on to recte."

Coach: What are the properties of heat and cold?

Cecil M: Heat expands, and cold contracts.

Coach: Correct, now give me an gve me an example.

Cecil M: In summer, when it's hot, the days are long, and in winter, when its cold, they are short.

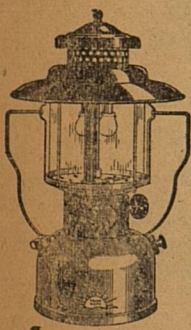
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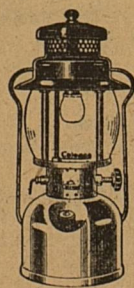
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HOW TO SHOOT

By Bob Nichols
Shooting Editor, Field and Stream

THE shot that is missed more often than any other shot in hunting is the fast-flying overhead shot coming in directly over you. This is the shot that the duck hunter encounters frequently, although it does not present itself very often in upland hunting. When such a chance does present itself, however, what do you do to score a hit?

For years, as a boy, I wasted shell after shell trying to connect with fast-flying ducks coming in directly overhead. Sometimes they would not be any more than thirty yards high. Invariably I would score a miss on them coming in. Not a few of the times I would then turn around and drop the bird going away. I couldn't understand why I was missing the incomers.

Older heads than mine were bothered by the same puzzling shot. One old duck hunter—and a very successful hunter he was, too—once told me that it was useless trying to kill a duck coming in on this kind of shot. His explanation was that the shot simply would not penetrate to the bird's vitals shooting crosswise through the duck's heavy breast feathers. "Let 'em pass," he counseled me, "and shoot into 'em from behind, the way their feathers lay, and you'll kill 'em every shot."

This didn't sound reasonable to me. I had a very wholesome respect for the speed and penetrating power of shotgun pellets at 30 to 45 yard range.

One day, sitting in a cornshock blind I had rigged up for myself, I came a flock of about a dozen blue-wing teal. They were coming straight over me at about 35 yards high, and they were coming fast. My concealment was so constructed that I knew I would never be able to get out of it in time to shoot at them going away behind me. As they whirled into me I pulled up on the leader, gave him what I thought was the proper lead, and fired. What happened so amazed me that I forgot to shoot the second barrel. I had shot at the leader—and killed the last bird in the flock! Which meant that I had shot behind the bird I pulled on and missed it by a good six feet.

When I examined the dead bird I found its breast—right where its feathering was the heaviest—was neatly punctured by four 4's. So I reasoned—my old advisor was wrong. And if No. 4's would kill through the breast feathers of a teal, they would do the same thing to a mallard, or even a goose. And the whole trouble was that I wasn't leading my overhead incoming shots enough. I couldn't figure out why such a big lead was necessary on this type of shot. All I knew was that you had to double your lead, and that whenever you did it this way you scored. I had proved it. That was enough. But it wasn't until some years later that I arrived at the correct explanation. Here it is:

On the overhead incoming shot you of course can't see your target at the instant you pull the trigger. You "bury" the target, as the saying goes. But—the instant your eyes lose sight of the target your hands and arms unconsciously stop the swing of your gun. The result is that, instead of shooting ahead of the target with the proper killing lead, you actually shoot almost at the target, and by the time the shot charge gets up there the duck has already passed the danger point and the charge tears a large hole in the air behind him.

A good rule to follow on this type of shot is to pull dead on the incoming duck and then, just at the instant of firing, swiftly jump the muzzle up over the target so that it will seem to be shooting at a point about twice as far in front of the target as would seem necessary. In other words, try to "double your lead"—a very good rough estimate of what it seems you are doing when you do it correctly. Try this—see how readily it solves the "puzzle"!

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Man's Organic Make-Up

Is Likened to an Army
Comparing the life of man to a military maneuver, Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, of the Smithsonian Institution, believes each organ and each part of the body has its own growth curve.

This deduction, it was said, arises from extensive studies of living material and great accumulations of human skeletal material by the institution's division of physical anthropology.

It is thought that each person, as far as growth curves are concerned, is an aggregation of thousands of dependent, yet fairly independent individuals. The true growth curve of an individual, the institution pointed out, is a recent determination.

Doctor Hrdlicka's findings revealed that each bone, each feature, the brain, and all other organs progress from birth to death with a regular curve, and that each curve is specific for a certain part or organ.

Thus, it was explained, life for such a complex organism as man is roughly analogous to a highly complicated colony of social insects, or to a military maneuver where thousands of different movements must be co-ordinated in one general movement at all times, although each soldier retains a certain amount of individuality.

Fundamental similarity of organ growth curves, Doctor Hrdlicka said, is proved by the fact that they do not differ greatly in any race.



Photo by Frank Fournier

A Genuine Christmas

By Katherine Edelman

GRANT NEWBY waited impatiently in the telephone booth, the receiver held tightly against his ear. Through the glass of the closed door he could see the big Christmas tree in the lobby, and the logs burning upon the hearth. How Christmassy it all looked! . . . And yet it took more than a Christmas tree—more than a Yule log and holly wreaths—to make a genuine Christmas . . .

Something was lacking. What was it? The Christmas spirit of course; that special something in the atmosphere, that was the thing that made Christmas real. And it didn't seem to permeate the confines of a big city hotel.

He sighed as he stepped from the booth. Thoughts of other Christmases were with him. The old home . . . steeped in the very atmosphere of the season . . . excited voices . . . whispings . . . unwrapping packages . . . the singing of the lovely old carols. A gleam came into his tired eyes at the memory. Why couldn't he bring something of that homey spirit into this big hotel? He could try.

Grant Newby found that almost all people are alike when it comes to Christmas. There wasn't a person in the hotel who wasn't happy to join enthusiastically in his plans.

There was a quick rush for wraps—a quicker rush to the street in search of gifts. The hotel help were going to be surprised by such a Christmas as they had never had before. The guests, men and women, were going to adopt them for Christmas, and see that each one received something. In addition, small articles were to be purchased and placed by number on the Christmas tree.

These were for the guests themselves. The very spirit of Christmas seemed to fill the place as the gifts were passed around; smiles, thanks, good wishes, all were blended in happy unison. And until the midnight chimes from a distant church announced the arrival of Christmas the hotel lobby echoed to the sound of the beautiful carols that Christmas has treasured through the years.

And as Grant Newby, lonely old bachelor, joined heartily in the singing, he was quite sure that his wish for Christmas had been fulfilled.

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No Mistake

A Christmas Story

By Helen Gaisford

"CHRISTMAS," reasoned Mary, "is a very foolish time to quarrel with one's sweet heart."

She was knitting half-heartedly on the tie she had started for Bob a week ago. Well, now it could be for her father. The color might be a bit too bright—if Bob only weren't so stubborn! The needles clicked viciously.

Her mother was busy wrapping presents. "Mary," she called, "don't you want to invite Bob for Christmas dinner?"

"No, thanks," she answered rather stiffly. "That affair's all over."

"You haven't broken up!" Her mother came to the door. "Why, Bob is quite the nicest boy you've ever gone with. I'll bet he's blue."

"There's!" Mary interrupted. "The tie's finished. Put it in with my other present for Dad, will you. Mother, and I'll go up in the attic and find the Christmas tree decorations."

It was such a queer Christmas morning! Mary kept having a little lump in her throat, and every time anyone said: "Merry Christmas," she wanted to snap: "Oh, yeah?"

But just when it was time to put the potatoes around the turkey, and start the pudding steaming, the doorbell rang. "You go, Mary," said her mother. "I'm too busy."

It was Bob, with the biggest bouquet of flowers, and his dear smile, and a package all green and gold.

"Gee, Mary," he grinned. "Merry Christmas!"

"It is—it is!" she answered. "Can't I come in?"

"Of course. Oh, for me? Both of them? Bob, you shouldn't!" A panicky thought: "Can I get that tie back out of Dad's package—or shall I just not give him anything—or—?"

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A Christmas Remin

By Helen Gaisford

CHRISTMAS DAY! But not the happy chimes of former years rang through the little town. A week ago, the tolling bells had meant another death, but now the fever was so devastating that not even that slight notice was paid the victims.

To the tired doctors and nurses, rushed in from surrounding cities, Christmas meant only another day dawning after another sleepless night.

Dr. Dickinson, passing through an improvised ward, spoke to the nurse. "You'd better get a cup of coffee, Miss Wilson, and I'll try to find a sleep last."

"I came down two days ago," she answered, "but it does not matter. There is too much to be done for me to stop now. I do believe your treatments are getting results, and please, doctor—I want to see it through."

"You're a plucky girl, but I must warn you not to break down your own health. I suppose I need you too much to insist as I should." He finished one examination and passed to the next patient.

"Do you realize today is Christmas?" he asked. "All over the world people are going to church, and eating fine dinners, and exchanging calls and presents—"

"And we are keeping Christmas in the best way of all," she answered. "In service."

"You're right. Christmas doesn't mean much to me, anyway."

"It does to me. This is my birthday, besides."

"Your birthday?"

"Yes, I was a Christmas baby. Why, doctor, what's the matter?"

He seemed to shake himself back to normal. "Excuse me. It's just—well, you startled me for a moment. You see, I had a daughter once, born on Christmas."

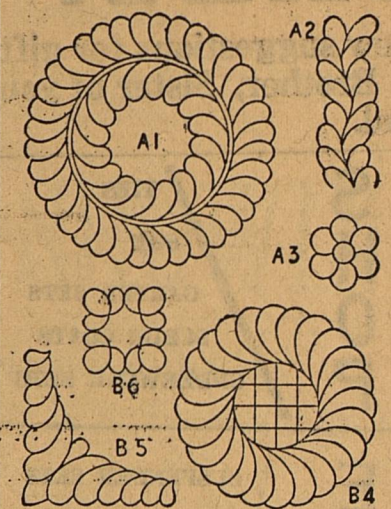
"Oh, I'm sorry. Did she die?"

"No, I lost her another way. Her mother and I were very young when we married—not even of age. Her people were opposed to the match, and took her away from me. I have always felt that if we could have been together she would have made the effort to live, but she died when the child was born, and her people blamed me. But, here, I'm bothering you with my personal affairs."

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PERFORATED DESIGN FOR QUILT MAKERS

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



Quilt makers realize the beauty of a finished quilt depends upon the patches used, the beauty in the patchwork design, and, most important, the quilting. If the quilting design is not accurately reproduced on the material it is impossible to quilt neatly and clearly. Many quilts are never finished because the worker has no pattern or means to transfer all the quilting lines accurately. There are several ways of transferring quilting patterns to cloth, but the most approved and successful method is stamping the design through a perforated pattern, with stamping powder. This is the simplest and most economical way, and produces results that make quilting interesting. Each stamping is the same, and perfect. These patterns are already perforated on bond paper, and good for many stampings. Each stitch is indicated on the lines of the design, and the stamping can be brushed off when quilting is finished, leaving the work neat and clean.

Grandmother Clark's package No. 33A contains perforated patterns of the designs shown, also stamping powder and full directions how to use them. Sizes of patterns are as follows: A1 Feather Circle, 12 inch; A2 Feather Border, 3 inch; A3 Motif, 3 1/2 inch; B4 Feather Circle, 9 1/2 inch; B5 Feather Corner, 7 inch; B6 Feather Square, 4 inch.

If you want your quilting to look right, send 15 cents to our quilt department and receive all of these. Lot 33A six perforated patterns by mail postpaid.

Address—Home Craft Co.—Dept. "D"—Nineteenth and St. Louis Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Enclose a stamped envelope for reply when writing for any information.

TURKISH SAILOR LED COLUMBUS, IS CLAIM MADE

The Turks discovered America before Columbus, and Turks were the guides of the Spanish explorer on his great venture, it is claimed by Abdurhaman Bey, vice-director of the Turkish government's cartographic service.

The Turks were the fathers of Europe's whole civilization, and all European languages were derived from Turkish, according to the official theory, prevailing in Kemal's Turkey and taught in the schools.

There hardly can be any doubt that Abdurhaman's theory will be added to the glorious list of national achievements.

In an article published in Harita Mecmuasi (Cartographic Revue) the author, who finds his thesis corroborated to a certain extent by Captain Charcot, a French writer, maintains that "Rodrigo," the mysterious companion of Columbus, who appeased the mutineering crew on the sixtieth day of the voyage, and persuaded the men to hold out for another three days, was a Turk who probably had served previously in the fleet of Hareddin Barbarossa, the famous raider and admiral of Sultan Soliman the Magnificent.

The first island sighted, to which Columbus later gave the name of San Salvador, originally was called Guvan Hani, according to the Turk author, who explains that Guvan Hani is Turkish and means "Where is Guvan?"

When "Rodrigo," in the crow's nest, sighted land, his countrymen on deck shouted up to him, "Where is Guvan?" according to Abdurhaman's theory, because they, or, at least, "Rodrigo," knew about the island, since he had made the definite promise to the crew that land would be found within three days.

While Charcot believed that "Rodrigo" was a Turkish Jew, the Turkish author feels certain that he must have been a Turk, since the Jews never had been a sea-faring race.

This leads the author to conclude that Turkish sailors of the time of Hareddin Barbarossa or earlier, but at any event long before Columbus, knew the route to America.

Man's Common Enemy
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BED SPREADS		GARTER SETS
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VANITIES		UNDERWEAR SETS
LUNCHEON SETS	EARLY	SUSPENDER SETS
HANDKERCHIEFS		HANDKERCHIEFS
SILK HOSE		BATH ROBES
LINEN SETS		HOUSE SHOES
GLOVES		DRESS HATS

Our SALE is still underway with Bargains for everyone.

LEAMAN'S

Theatre Calendar

Two great Metro Goldwyn Mayer productions are booked at the Palace Theatre for this coming week. That great starring vehicle, "Tarzan and His Mate", will begin a three day run Sunday. Johnny Weissmuller, the original Tarzan who has been made so famous by such roles, is starred by MGM in this picture. Maureen O'Sullivan assists Weissmuller in giving the public a daring and vivid conception of life in the wilds in this production.

The other great MGM feature, which film fans will be privileged to see during the week is "Operator 13". This picture will run Wednesday and Thursday nights. Marion Davies and Gary Cooper head a strong and scintillating cast in "Operator 13", the one picture you have been waiting to see. Supporting Cooper and Davies are Jean Parker, the Four Mills Brothers and many others.

"Heart Punch" will be the feature picture on tomorrow and Saturday's program at the Palace. Lloyd Hughes and Marion Shilling are starred in this production. The fourth chapter of the thrilling serial, "Young Eagles" will also be on this program.

Each program will be speeded with a rip roaring comedy.

ROCKSPRINGS—ROBY

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chose the north side of the field and Roby took the south side for their cheer sections. The 40-piece San Angelo High School band will add color to the title game with half time in front of each cheering section.

SCOUTS

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ley made up the Knot Tying team. Following the contests a court of honor was held with R. S. Covey, superintendent of the Sonora schools in charge. Joe Ed Hill, Gardner McCormick, Sam E. Jones, Jr. and A. J. Burk, Jr., of Eldorado and Kenneth Yates of Merton were presented with Tenderfoot badges. Willis Bridgeman of Eldorado and J. O. Mills of Sonora were advanced to First Class Scouts.

M. C. Laird of Eldorado was awarded Merit badges in swimming, poultry keeping, woodwork, cooking and bookbinding.

Immediately following the benediction Roy Aldwell, district Chairman, held a meeting of the district committee composed of Judge J. A. Whitten of Eldorado, Judge R. J. Atkinson of Merton, and Ben Lemmons of Ozona. The committee endorsed the plan for a convention type of annual council meeting in January and approved the extension of direct service from the headquarters of the Concho Valley Council.

Troop 18 of Eldorado now has four scouts working for Life and Eagle scout badges. They are M. C. Laird, Jack Rape, Bob Bradley and J. T. Ballew.

LOWEST TEMPERATURE OF YEAR RECORDED HERE TUESDAY NIGHT

The coldest weather of the year here was recorded Tuesday night when the thermometer glided down to 26 during the night. A rising temperature, however, put the thermometer back to well above 60 by Thursday afternoon. Weather forecasts for the week-end indicate slightly cooler and generally unsettled weather.

Eldoradoan At

Insurance Convention

Ft. Worth, Dec. 13—W. O. Alexander of Eldorado is in Ft. Worth today attending the thirty-first annual convention of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company.

More than 500 representatives from all parts of Texas are here for this convention, which is the largest life insurance event of its kind ever held in the State. Southwestern Life agents earn the right to attend these meetings by writing a certain volume of business during the year; and, as the number of qualified agents is about twenty per cent greater than in 1933, a larger volume of business is indicated for 1934.

Registration took place this morning at the Blackstone Hotel, at which all sessions of the convention will be held. Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings will be taken up with business meetings, in which the following officers of the company will participate: C. F. O'Donnell, president; Arthur Coburn, vice president; R. R. Lee, vice president and agency director; E. G. Brown, vice president and actuary; T. L. Bradford, Jr., vice president and treasurer; R. A. B. Goodman, vice president and secretary; and Dr. DeWitt Smith, medical director. The Southwestern Life is a Texas Company operating in Texas only.

The afternoons are being devoted to golf, sight-seeing and other activities. This evening, the visitors will be entertained with a dinner dance, at which the Dallas agents and home office employees of the company will stage a minstrel show. Friday evening, the annual banquet will be held at which time the awards for the year will be made.

SNELL AND FARNSWORTH ATTEND MEETING

Mr. C. Snell, county agent, and Miss Lora Farnsworth, county home demonstration agent, attended the Extension staff meeting of farm agents and home demonstration agents held in San Antonio Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Discussions relative to the present situations in the work of the county agents and county home demonstration agents and the planning of future work was the purpose of the meeting. State Director O. B. Martin, H. H. Williamson, vice director, Miss Mildred Horton, State home demonstration agent, all of A. & M. College, and a number of state agents and specialists were the principal speakers in three days lectures and conferences.

The meeting was well attended, according to Mr. Snell and Miss Farnsworth. There were 103 county agents and county home demonstration agents from three districts present.

CHRISTMAS RUSH SLOWS UNCLE SAM

A rush of Christmas mail has kept postmaster E. W. Brooks very busy during the past few days and indications are the volume of business handled by the local postoffice will continually increase until after Christmas.

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NOTICE!

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Three hogs, two sows and a boar. One sow solid black with cropped ears; one sow black with white line across shoulders and back. Boar is solid black. Strayed from pen at Mrs. Hollands place. LIBERAL REWARD for information or return to Lark McClary.

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Week's Program For

PALACE THEATRE

Friday and Saturday
"HEART PUNCH"

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Comedy and Chapter 4 of thrilling serial

"YOUNG EAGLES"

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
Johnny Weissmuller & Maureen O'Sullivan
In "TARZAN AND HIS MATE"

Also Comedy
Wednesday & Thursday
"OPERATOR 13"

Starring Marion Davies and Gary Cooper. Also Comedy. Wednesday Night is Bargain Nite. Adm. 10 cents & 15 cents. Money Nite Thursday night. \$20.00 given Free. Adm. 10 cents and 25 cents.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

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Sugar, Pure cane 25 lb cloth bag \$1.19
Limit 25 lb. with \$1 or more groceries.

Spuds, U. S. No. 1 or Idaho Russetts
10 lb 12c
Limit 20 lb to customer.

Turnip & tops	Hersheys Baking
2 bunches 9c	Chocolate 1/2 lb 21c
Carrots, 3 bun. 7c	Coconut can 10c
Celery 2 bu. 15c	Coconut 1 lb. 18c
Bell Pepper lb. 5c	Coconuts 3 for 25c
Califlower 2 lb 15c	Dates 10 oz. pk. 15c

Cabbage a pound 2c

Extract, 2 oz. 16c	Ma Brown
Gelatine Desert	Preserves
2 pk. 15c	4 lb jar 69c
Powdered Sugar	2 lb jar 35c
2 lb pk. 15c	1 lb jar 18c
Brown Sugar	Jelly 1 lb. glass
2 lb pk. 15c	pure fruit 18c

Appricots, Extra choice, 3 lb. 50c

Raisens 4 lb 28c	Milk
Raisens 2 lb. pk. 15c	6 small 17c
	3 tall 17c

Coffee, Our special 2 lb. pk. 35c

Coffee, Texan, 3 lb. bucket 75c

English Walnuts	Oranges, nice size
large 2 lb 45c	15c
Brazil Nuts 2 lb 35c	Apples doz. 10c
Almonds large	Oranges, Extra
2 lb 39c	Large doz. 35c

We will have a solid truck load of fruit to arrive next week. Red ball oranges and extra fancy apples.

Pine apple no. 1 can	Mazola Oil
3 for 28c	Qt. can 38c
Apple Butter qt. 18c	Pt. can 19c

Flour, Light Pat, 48 pound sack \$1.75
Bread, your choice, three loaves 21c
Sugar, Pure cane, 10 lbs. 49c
Limit 10 lb. with 50c or more groceries.

Salmon, Pink	Tomato Soup
Tall, can 12c	2 can 11c
Mackerel tall can 9c	Tomato Juice,
Tuna Fish, white	2 cans 11c
meat, can 16c	Corn White Swan
Blackeye peas	2 cans 29c
2 cans 15c	Oats, Crystal Wed-
	ding lg. pk. 23c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

7 Steak lb 10c	Bacon 1 lb. 26c
Sir Loin lb 15c	Bologna sausage
Chuch Roast lb 9c	2 lbs. 23c
Dexted Sliced	Hot Dogs, 2 lbs. 23c

Watch our windows for specials each day next week. save by buying at the SELF-SERVE.

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