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Red Cross Roll Call to Begin Next Tuesday

The annual Red Cross roll call will begin Tuesday of next week according to Reep Landers, roll call chairman for the McLean chapter.



The quota of members for the McLean chapter has been set at 175 for the coming year and it is hoped that the quota can be met before Thanksgiving Day.

Earl B. Amos, field representative of the Midwestern branch of the national chapter, was in McLean Tuesday conferring with local Red Cross officials in regard to the campaign.

Mr. Amos says the national organization is interested in a large membership this year and it is hoped that every person in the McLean trade territory will take advantage of the opportunity to join.

Teams of workers have been appointed to canvass the community, but it is expected that all interested will see that their names are enrolled regardless of whether the committees see them or not.

H. D. CLUB PLANS ACHIEVEMENT DAY

By Mrs. Lutherland Petty

Plans for Achievement Day, were made by the Home Demonstration Club meeting Friday in an all day session with Mrs. R. F. Sanders.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon, after which plans were outlined by Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, county agent.

Achievement Day will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. A. Fowler, at the north end of Main street, with Mrs. J. H. Wade as hostess. Mrs. Wade, home food demonstrator for the club, will give her story and direct visitors on an inspection of Mrs. Fowler's pantry or cellar.

Mrs. R. F. Sanders will preside at the vegetable table, giving explanation of vegetable cookery which has been demonstrated. Mrs. Palestine Gething will have charge of the salad table, and Mrs. John B. Vannoy will describe casserole dishes and give table etiquette. The president, Mrs. Barney Fulbright, or vice president, Mrs. C. O. Goodman, will give a review of the year's work. Mrs. C. E. Hunt will demonstrate her secretary book. Mrs. Lutherland Petty will give a report or her reporting work and display her report clipping scrapbook, and all committee chairmen will make reports.

All club members are urged to attend, and all others interested are given a special invitation to be present.

Those present at Friday's meeting were: Mesdames Kelley, Hunt, Goodman, Vannoy, Gething, Sanders and Petty.

P. T. A. MEETING NEXT WEEK

Because of the Armistice Day holiday this week, the regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association has been postponed until Thursday afternoon of next week. The following program will be given, beginning at 3:45, in the grade school gymnasium: Devotional—Mrs. Pete Fulbright. Quartet, "A Song of Thanksgiving"—Music Class. Reading—Jimmy Batoon. Chalk Talk—Miss Lorene Winton. Piano Solo—Johnnie Mae Boyd. After the program, a business session will be held. All parents and teachers are urged to be present.

The PTA cleared about \$50 at the recent carnival, and the officers wish to thank all who assisted in any way.

Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke orders the home paper sent to her son, James Emmett, at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield and children were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Nell has returned from a visit to Mineral Wells and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cobb of Waco visited the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Cobb, over the week end.

MRS. SITTER HONORED ON 80TH BIRTHDAY

Following an annual custom, the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Sitter on her 80th birthday Tuesday, for a day of prayer program.

The Sitter home was prettily decorated with cut flowers, and lunch was served at noon. Mrs. Sitter received several nice gifts.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan expressed the thanks of the society for Mrs. Sitter's cooperation in the day of prayer, and Mrs. Sitter spoke in appreciation of the society.

The following program was given with Mrs. Bogan as leader:

Call to Worship (Take Time to Be Holy, soft music)—Mrs. Hess.

Solo, "Still Still With Thee"—Mrs. Greene.

Scripture reading, subject, "Faith"—Mrs. R. N. Ashby.

Prayer—Mrs. Story.

What Is Faith? Poem, "Cry of the Alien"—Leader.

Bible Characters With Faith—Mrs. Christian.

Poem, "Now I Lay Me"—Mrs. Rippy.

Poem, "Convinced"—Leader.

Duet, "O for a Faith That Will Not Shrink"—Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. Greene.

Comradeship—Leader.

Song, "My Faith Looks up to Thee"—Mileposts—Mesdames Sparks, Tinnin, Hess, S. W. Rice and Pettit.

Song, "Blest Be the Tie"—Prayer—Mrs. Kirby.

Call to Worship (Abide With Me)—Mrs. Hess.

Song, "From All the Dark Places"—Scripture and prayer (Go ye and teach, Rom. 10:11-15)—Mrs. Callie Haynes.

Retirement and Relief Fund—Mrs. Cryer.

Poem, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains"—Mrs. Black.

Missionaries in costume: China, Mrs. Allison; Brazil, Mrs. Powers; Mexico, Mrs. Creed Bogan; Korea, Nora Ashby.

Duet, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"—Mrs. Ashby and Nora Litzany—Mrs. Andrews.

Offertory, "Near the Cross"—Mrs. Hess.

Solo, "One More Day's Work for Jesus"—Mrs. Greene.

Among those present were: Mesdames Greene of Amarillo, C. O. Greene, W. E. Bogan, Bob Ashby, T. W. Henry, Lula Latson, Sam Kunkel, Callie Haynes, S. W. Rice, C. S. Rice, Harold Rippy, J. W. Story, A. A. Christian, Alvah Christian, J. E. Kirby, W. M. Smith, Tom Asbury, J. H. Sharp, Ernest Beck, J. A. Sparks, E. L. Sitter, Bob Black, C. A. Cryer, L. S. Tinnin, J. L. Hess, W. H. Sitter, C. J. Magee, Willie Boyett, Scott Johnston, Roger Powers, Creed Bogan, Clifford Allison, J. M. Carpenter, Misses Nora Ashby, Margaret Hess and Betty Farley.

MRS. UPHAM HOSTESS TO SEWING CLUB

The 1934 Sewing Club met with Mrs. W. B. Upham Friday for an all day session, with covered dish luncheon at noon.

Among members present were: Mesdames J. W. Story, C. E. Anderson, D. A. Davis, J. E. Cubine, L. S. Tinnin, N. W. Foster, Ellen Wilson, Callie Haynes, M. D. Bentley, C. S. Rice, S. W. Rice, J. S. Howard, J. E. Kirby, Byrd Gull, C. M. Carpenter, I. D. Shaw, J. M. Noel, T. A. Landers and W. B. Upham.

Visitors included Mesdames A. A. Christian, C. A. Watkins, John H. Vannoy, W. W. Boyd; Messrs. W. W. Boyd and W. B. Upham.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. E. Kirby.

GARDEN CLUB ENDORSES YARD BEAUTIFICATION

A committee from the Garden and Civic Club met Friday afternoon of last week and voted to endorse the proposed yard and home decorations for the Christmas holidays.

It was voted to request all civic and social clubs to join in the movement to beautify the homes for the holidays.

LIONS HEAR REPORTS

Committee reports were the order of the day at the regular weekly meeting of the Lions Club Tuesday.

Lion Greene reported for the Lions education committee, Lion Boyd for the school project committee, and Lions Wilson, Bogan and Landers on the unemployment census.

Reep Landers, Red Cross roll call chairman, announced the annual roll call to begin next Tuesday, and Lion Cryer announced American Education Week.

County Attorney Joe Gordon was presented as a visitor by the Lion tamer. Mr. Gordon responded with a short talk.

Mrs. R. T. Dickinson and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson were in Amarillo last Thursday. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Dell Parrish of Erick, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson visited in Erick, Okla., Sunday.

Miss Mary Dell Parrish of Erick, Okla., visited in the Dickinson homes over the week end.

Mrs. Frank Rodgers of Pampa visited her mother, Mrs. Callie Haynes, Sunday.

Mrs. Counts and daughter of Miami visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Floyd Phillips, Thursday.

Marvin Hindman of Lubbock spent the week end with home folks here.

1937 Red Cross Poster



The Red Cross annual roll call poster with its appeal for members is the work of Walter W. Seaton, noted New York and California artist. Seaton's portraits of radio and movie stars, his murals and posters have won him fame throughout the nation. The current poster is the second he has painted for the Red Cross, thus joining a long list of distinguished artists who since the World War years have illustrated the spirit of the Red Cross in the call for membership. Red Cross roll call begins Armistice Day and ends Thanksgiving Day.

McLEAN SCHOOLS TO OBSERVE EDUCATION WEEK

American Education Week is being observed by the McLean schools all this week.

Friday evening, Nov. 12, at the high school building, parents of high school students are invited to attend the classes that their children meet five days a week. Class periods for parents will be only ten or fifteen minutes in length, long enough for parents and teachers to meet one another and for parents to get some idea of the courses their children are taking. After six short periods a general assembly will be held in the auditorium, where the band and pep squad will perform.

This is an opportunity for children to turn the tables on parents who make them attend school regularly, and inform mother and father that they will be playing "hooky" unless they come to school Friday evening.

MARRIED SATURDAY

Married Saturday, Nov. 6, 1937, at the Methodist parsonage, Miss May Belle Grogan and Mr. Clyde Brown, Pastor J. H. Sharp reading the wedding rites.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grogan of Ramsdell, and a graduate of the McLean high school, class of '37.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mitchell and little daughter of Plainview visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weems of Ramsdell visited the lady's sister, Mrs. Boyd Meador, Sunday.

Mrs. Witt, Springer visited Miss Frances Springer and Paul Dowell at Albuquerque, N. M., this week.

Rev. John G. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Banta visited Ernie Back at a Pampa hospital Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Rippy and daughter were in Shamrock Friday. They were accompanied by Miss Margaret Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Holloway visited their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Caldwell, at Liberal, Kan., last week.

Census Plans Complete for This Community

Plans for the enumeration of the unemployed have been completed in McLean by the appointment of the mayor's committee: T. A. Landers, chairman; W. E. Bogan and W. W. Ely, Mayor Vester Smith and Postmaster Lee A. Wilson are ex-officio members of the committee.

The fact-finding census of unemployment, partial unemployment, and occupations, will be nation-wide and persons who are totally unemployed, those partially employed but wanting more work, and those working on WPA or other emergency-work projects will be asked to fill questionnaires. Persons who do not fall into one of these three classes should not fill out the forms.

Unemployment forms will be delivered to each home or place of receipt of mail, throughout the nation on Tuesday, Nov. 16.

Additional copies of the forms may be obtained from any post office.

All information given on the card will be held confidential as far as local conditions are concerned.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS STUDIED BY PIONEER CLUB

An interesting program on International Relations, with Mrs. T. A. Massey in charge, was given at the meeting of the Pioneer Study Club last Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Hembree.

Mrs. Thurman Adkins opened the program, discussing "International Laws and Policies." Mrs. Bob Thomas gave an interesting article on "Modern Governments," and Mrs. C. O. Greene talked on "Current Relations." Mrs. Massey's article was on "Peace."

Roll call was answered by members of the club giving "The World's Outstanding Men."

The hostess served dainty refreshments.

Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Nell Brittain of Oklahoma City and Mrs. G. S. Heath of Denver, Colo.

Members present were: Mesdames Thurman Adkins, Jim Back, C. B. Batson, Bob Black, Creed Bogan, W. E. Bogan, Claude Brooks, S. A. Cousins, H. W. Finley, C. O. Greene, John Harris, J. B. Hembree, T. A. Massey, Roger Powers, Travis Stokes, Bob Thomas and J. H. Sharp.

WAR DEPT. BUYING HORSES HERE FRIDAY

A purchasing board from the War Department will be in McLean about 10 a. m. Friday of this week to inspect horses, according to advices received by Carl Hefner.

Riding horses, artillery horses and young horses are desired, with top price of \$165 for the first two types, and \$150 top for the young horses. All purchases are to be delivered to Fort Reno, Okla., at the risk and expense of the seller.

Anyone interested can get full particulars from Mr. Hefner.

TIGERS PLAY AT CLARENDON

The McLean Tigers will play this week's game at Clarendon, beginning at 2 o'clock this afternoon (Thursday).

The next big game, and the final one scheduled for the season, will be played with the Shamrock Irishmen on Tiger Field, Friday night of next week. Tickets for the Shamrock game are now on sale, all seats being reserved.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dennis visited the ladies' brother at Lockney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carter of Pampa visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pettit, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Kennedy of Estelline visited in McLean Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. L. Collier and daughter, Mrs. Ira Unsell, of Groom visited in McLean one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cheney, Mrs. T. A. Ashby and daughter were in Pampa Friday.

Mrs. J. L. Bidwell and daughters of Kellerville were in town Saturday.

Thousands of Cans Foodstuffs in Gray County

Thousands of cans of fruits and vegetables have been prepared by the farm women in Gray County as a means to reduce living costs of their families and at the same time improve their health through an adequate and balanced diet, according to Miss Vera Martin, home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration.

Miss Martin estimates that the 79 families she works with in Gray county now have 8,953 quarts of fruit and vegetables for their use this winter.

The striking feature of this, Miss Martin says, lies in the fact that some of the farm women had never processed foodstuffs before they solicited the aid of the FSA. Cookers, sealers and other canning supplies had been made possible through loans obtained from this federal agency.

Early last spring and all during the growing season Miss Martin planned and worked with the women in the management of their gardens. Miss Martin advised with the farm women concerning the varieties of garden stuffs to plant and just how to get the maximum returns from each, ever looking to the necessity for preparing balanced meals from the foods thus preserved.

Now that the season for canning fruits and vegetables is almost past, Miss Martin is working with her farm women and preparing for the meat canning season.

"I am especially proud of the record made by these farm women in the homes where I am working," Miss Martin said, "and it is quite evident that the cost of living will be much less as a result of these activities than it would have been had these families been compelled to purchase all of their supplies during the winter months."

SIGMA GAMMA HEARS BOOK REVIEW MONDAY

"How to Win Friends and Influence People," by Dale Carnegie, was reviewed by Mrs. Jim Back, guest speaker, at the regular meeting of the Sigma Gamma Monday evening. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Carl M. Jones, with Misses Rosalie Carter and Clem Embry as hostesses.

Other guests were Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Ery Cubine and Miss Lorene Winton. Club members present were: Misses Hellen Heath, Nona Cousins, Mildred Bessire, Maxine Robinson, Dale Smith, Lillian Abbott, Betty Farley, Jewell Cousins, Margaret Hess, Julia Slough and Eunice Stratton.

A delicious refreshment plate was served by the hostesses.

NEW MANAGERS AT SKELLY STATION

Heasley Bros. are the new managers at the Skelly Service Station, taking charge last Friday.

F. E. Stewart, former manager, will open a station for the Consumers Supply Co.

Further announcements may be expected in our advertising columns.

THE TRIMBLES ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Trimble entertained a group of friends at their home last Thursday evening.

Table games furnished the diversion for the evening and at a late hour refreshments were served to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames E. J. Windom, Elmer Ayers, J. T. Hicks, W. W. Boyd, M. H. Lasater, J. A. Meador and T. E. Yeldell.

Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cobb and Mrs. R. L. Appling visited relatives at Higgins Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dyer and children were in Pampa Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Charles Dyer.

Rev. Troy A. Sumral is attending the Texas Baptist Convention at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dennis visited at Erick, Okla., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall of Albrecht were in McLean Saturday.

News Review of Current Events

LION'S TAIL TWISTED

British Soldiers Are Killed by Japanese... English Ship Is Sunk by an Italian Bombing Plane



Friends of the duke of Windsor when he was prince of Wales and Edward VIII. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sims will be hosts of the duke and his duchess during their forthcoming visit to Washington. Mr. Sims is an attache of the British embassy.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

British Are Enraged

JAPAN and Italy have been vigorously twisting the tail of the British lion, and if they keep it up, that mighty beast may be stirred to action. Within a few days five British soldiers were killed and a number wounded by Japanese shells in the fighting at Shanghai. The English there charged the killings were deliberate, in retaliation for the aid the British gave a "suicide battalion" of Chinese in escaping from a warehouse in Chapel, the native quarter, to the international settlement. The British and Japanese admirals had a hot dispute over the right of the former to prevent the passage of Japanese launches up Soochow creek.

Soon after the Japanese began shelling the residential area of the settlement and an outpost where English soldiers were quartered was destroyed. Continuous shelling of Shanghai by the invaders endangered the British and American lines on the border of the international settlement and shells fell close to the American warship Augusta, Admiral Yarnell's flagship. Japan is angry over the alleged help Britain is giving China in the warfare and there is a movement in Tokyo to break diplomatic relations with London. This is urged by the "council on the current situation," an unofficial body composed of high army officers, political leaders and other influential persons. The council adopted a resolution warning that unless Britain "reconsiders its improper attitude" Japan may be forced to take certain steps of "grave determination" against Britain, despite the "deep friendship existing between the two countries for the last sixty years."

Japanese troops invaded a part of the international settlement guarded by American marines and seized a Chinese junk loaded with rice. General Beaumont, commandant of marines, immediately entered a protest and the Japanese apologized but the marines did not consider the incident closed because the Japs didn't return the junk.

The British government was not expected to take any action that would further anger Japan lest it should endanger the success of the parley in Brussels. But wise observers do not believe the nine-power treaty conference will have any definite results.

Morocco Uprisings

NATIONALIST uprisings in French Morocco, which have been giving the French government a lot of trouble, are blamed on agents of "a foreign totalitarian power," meaning Italy. The disorders, mainly in Casablanca, Fez and Medina, were quelled by troops, mostly Senegalese legionnaires, and hundreds of arrests were made.

Authorities said investigation showed many of the natives had been paid from 10 to 20 francs to take part in the demonstrations.

The nationalists plotted to set up an independent Arab state with Moulay Allal El Fassi as king.

More "Piracy"

ITALY'S latest twist of the lion's tail came in the form of the bombing and sinking of the British steamer Jean Weems in the Mediterranean by a "pirate" airplane.

The London Daily Herald's Barcelona correspondent reported that the Spanish loyalist government asserted that the plane was manning

showing that it was piloted by Bruno Mussolini, son of the Italian premier. The pilot gave the freighter's crew only five minutes to take to lifeboats and then sank the Weems with bombs.

The British battle cruiser Hood was sent, at full speed from Palma, Majorca, to Barcelona to investigate the attack.

In parliament the critics of the government, led by David Lloyd George, demanded a stronger British Mediterranean policy. Lloyd George flayed the government for bolstering up the international committee on nonintervention in Spain, whose history after 14 months he denounced as "discreditable and dishonorable."

Budget Conference

WHILE members of congress were beginning to move toward Washington for the extraordinary session, President Roosevelt in his Hyde Park home was busy planning means of carrying on the government program. Especially was he interested in the budget, and related financial matters, and to advise on this he called in Mariner S. Eccles, head of the federal reserve system. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau and Budget Director Bell already were there, and all listened closely to Mr. Eccles' talk concerning current business conditions and the stock market situation.

An immediate problem before the President and his budget advisers was financing a proposed loan on corn, to help farmers hold their corn past the present period of low prices. Morgenthau and Agriculture Secretary Wallace have been studying possible means of financing that government aid program, without increasing the treasury deficit beyond the last estimate of \$695,000,000.

It was decided by the President that the Commodity Credit corporation should provide \$85,000,000 for the corn loans, obtaining the money from the RFC and repaying the latter agency when congress makes the necessary appropriations. Secretary Wallace said the corn loans would be about 46 cents a bushel.

Wallace Plan Attacked

SECRETARY WALLACE'S "ever normal granary" plan is "politically inexpedient, economically unsound, and fundamentally unworkable," according to the Cash Grain association of Chicago which submitted a brief to a senate subcommittee at a hearing in Springfield, Ill.

"The application of artificial means to solve this national problem cannot but prove disastrous to the producer, consumer, and to all lines of commerce and industry," the brief said.

Miss Roche Quits Treasury

MISS JOSEPHINE ROCHE, first woman to be an assistant secretary of the treasury, has resigned that post and returns to the presidency of the Rocky Mountain Fuel company of Denver. The position will be left unfilled, for the administration hopes she will resume it later. She was appointed by President Roosevelt three years ago.

Plans for Windsor's Visit

PLANS for the American visit of the duke and duchess of Windsor are about completed by George Link, Jr., of New York, attorney for Charles E. Bedaux.



Duke of Windsor

While the distinguished couple are in Washington they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sims, friends of the duke when he was prince of Wales. Mr. Sims is an attache of the British embassy.

An organizer of the American tour said the former British monarch is considering formation of a new international philanthropic foundation to study and improve working and living conditions in industrial areas of the world.

Mr. Link said he understood that a number of leading industrialists, who may contribute funds for the foundation, have discussed the project with the duke and Bedaux.

Link stressed that, while the object would be to improve relations between employees and employers as well as working conditions, the foundation would not consider questions of wages and hours. Nor will the duke interest himself in wage and hour questions on his tour, Link said.

Speaking at a dinner of the Anglo-American Press association in Paris, the duke said he wanted to make it clear that "in any journey I have undertaken or may plan in the future, I do so as a completely independent observer without political considerations of any sort or kind and entirely on my own initiative."

He added that "I am a very happily married man, but my wife and I are neither content nor willing to lead a purely inactive life of leisure. We hope and feel that in due course the experience we gain from our travels will enable us, if given fair treatment, to make some contributions as private individuals to solving some of the vital problems that beset the world today."

Krum Elbow Moved

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT wanted the name Krum Elbow officially switched from the west bank of the Hudson river to the east bank and made the label for his mother's estate at Hyde Park, N. Y. Howard Spencer, whose place on the west bank has been known as Krum Elbow for generations, objected, but it is learned that Secretary Ickes' Interior department has acceded to Mr. Roosevelt's demand. The committee on geographical names has instructed government map makers to move the name across the river. The Roosevelt estate has long been known in New York history as "Crooks' Paradise."

Labor Parley Deadlocked

LEADERS of the American Federation of Labor and the C. I. O. couldn't get anywhere in their peace conference in Washington. So they adjourned temporarily, and some of them said the parley might not be resumed. George M. Harrison, head of the federation delegation, said that unless the C. I. O. attitude changed there was no prospect of peace.

Both sides had made offers, but Philip Murray these were scornfully rejected by the opponents.

The A. F. of L. proposed that the fate of the C. I. O. affiliates organized since the split be decided at an immediate conference "between representatives of organizations chartered by the A. F. of L. and organizations chartered by the C. I. O. and which may be in conflict with each other, for the purpose of bringing about an adjustment to bring the membership into the A. F. of L. on terms and conditions mutually agreeable."

This clause of the federation proposal brought a denunciation from Philip Murray, chairman of the ten-man C. I. O. peace committee, who asserted that it asked "desertion and betrayal" of these unions.

The C. I. O. proposal was that its unions should return to the federation and that a new autonomous department should be created, to be known as the C. I. O., to have complete and sole jurisdiction over its policies and operations. This plan represented no concessions.

Help for Stock Market

EVER since the slump in the stock market began the government has been urged to do something about it. Finally the administration yielded to the demands and the federal reserve board of governors reduced margin requirements on stock purchases from 55 to 40 per cent and imposed a 50 per cent margin on short sales. The new requirements went into effect November 1 and are not retroactive.

No official explanation was given for the board's action but it was understood that it was designed to adjust the margin requirements to current stock market conditions.

Imposition of the increased margin requirements on short sales was an innovation from the board's standpoint, a stock exchange rule requiring only 10 point protection on short sales.

Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!



"Killer Elephant" BY FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter

HELLO, EVERYBODY:

This yarn stars Ike Rosen, our latest club member. But Ike would have given a couple of million dollars to have been left out of the cast.

First we go back to the early days of moving pictures—1915 to be exact—when Ike was employed as a technician at the Universal studios in Hollywood.

Animal pictures were going great in those days and there was a complete zoo on the lot. The king of that collection of beasts was Charlie, an elephant bought from a circus. Charlie was a good actor, but nobody could handle him except Curley, his personal trainer.

Well, Ike stepped into the dramatic part of the picture when Director Smalley began staging the wedding procession of an Indian prince. It was comedy, and, for the parts of the Indian prince and his bride, two actors, weighing nearly 400 pounds each, were cast. Ike's job was to build a huge canopy chair in which the prince and princess were to ride in state on the back of Charlie, the elephant.

Charlie Didn't Like Ike.

Ike finished the royal howdah. Workmen tried to budge it and found that it weighed nearly 2,000 pounds. Twelve men heaved and struggled to saddle Charlie with the gorgeous structure. Then, 700 pounds of prince and princess went up the ladder.

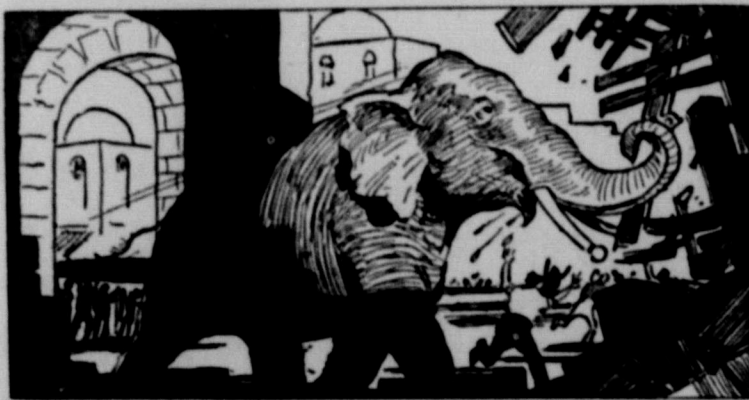
That's where Charlie took a dislike to Ike. And then, when the director called for more ornaments, Ike put a stepladder against Charlie's side and climbed up. There was Charlie's chance.

He whipped his trunk around, seized Ike by the leg, trumpeted in anger and lifted him for a dash to the ground.

Curley, the trainer, sank his curved elephant hook into Charlie's forehead and Ike limped away. That was his first round with his monstrous enemy.

The trainer knew elephants. He knew what to expect in the future, so he warned Ike. "Charlie's going bad," he said. "He'll kill you the first chance he gets."

Ike did watch out. But one night a wild chimpanzee cleverly opened his cage and almost killed a keeper. Ike hurried over to devise a lock that the chimp couldn't open. Charlie's big stall was next door. He sensed Ike's presence and went berserk. He lifted his iron water tub



Charlie Reduced Jerusalem to a Wreck.

and beat at his chains and bars around his enclosure. The whole zoo trembled from the elephant's fury. Curley, the trainer, again rushed to the rescue.

"For God's sake, Ike, leave this studio if you value your life," Curley said. "Charlie's turned killer. He's out for you. Lucky for you his chains held."

Ike took no more chances. He gave Charlie a wide berth. But one day, when his work called him to a remote part of the movie lot, he rounded a hill and ran smack into Charlie, tethered to an anchor of poles and railroad iron, driven into the ground.

The Elephant Really "Went Bad."

Ike had no time to turn back. The bull elephant, ears flattened against his head, eyes blazing and his trumpeting echoing from the hills, charged.

Rosen was trapped. His only chance was to dive for a shallow gully that separated the movie lot from an Indian village. He flung himself into the gully and flattened himself against the side. The earth was vibrating under those plunging feet. Ike only hoped for a quick death.

Then, there was a clank of chains—the groanings of the heavy anchor poles set deep in the ground. Charlie had reached the end of his chain. His head was jerked down. He stumbled, plowed the earth.

The maddened beast was halted only a few feet from Ike's hiding place. Rosen could see those bloodshot eyes gleaming with hatred—a lust to kill.

The long trunk slashed out in fury. Ike felt a thud on the side of his head as Charlie's trunk grazed him and snatched off his cap.

For a moment big Charlie paused to hurl his enemy's cap beneath his feet and trample it to ribbons. That pause saved Rosen. He was on his feet, running, limping and ripping with cold sweat.

But Charlie bided his time. For days he worked quietly. And then, during the making of a spectacular film in a setting of old Jerusalem, Ike crossed the set and came face to face with his old foe.

Once more Charlie charged in an insane desire to crush the man who had tortured him with that huge, 2,000-pound saddle in the earlier picture. But this time Ike was in the clear. He ducked to safety. The baffled elephant, once more cheated of his vengeance, turned upon the set.

Jerusalem, with all its splendor—thousands of dollars worth of costly settings—crushed into a heap of dust and splinters.

This time Charlie did not quiet down. He was ready to kill anything in sight. Men with long, spiked poles, ripped his hide and jabbed him into helpless submission—but only for a moment.

How the Killer Was Killed.

A few days later he saw Ike in the distance and went into another frenzy. Rosen scurried out of sight, but Charlie, thirsting for a kill, seized his trainer, Curley, lifted him high into the air, dashed him to earth and then, with his massive forehead, ground him into the dust. Curley was killed instantly.

"Killer elephant!" The words set Hollywood trembling. It was no longer a single foe. It was the life of any human being.

Charlie must die, studio officials ruled. But how? Poison and dynamite were rejected as not sure enough. Ike Rosen's technical skill was enlisted. Despite his narrow escape, he hated to be Charlie's executioner, but many lives were at stake.

A heavy wire cable was rigged over pulleys, looped around Charlie's neck and lashed to two heavy trucks, headed in opposite directions. The trucks started. The loop tightened. Cables sang with the strain. Charlie looked sorrowfully and inquiringly at the men around him. His knees buckled, his head sank. His great bulk rolled over—dead from strangulation.

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Squirrels as Forest Planters

Gray squirrels are natural forest planters. Ernest Thompson Seton estimates that a single squirrel may bury as many as 10,000 nuts in a season. Obviously they do not require nearly one-half of them for food. Hickory nuts, walnuts and butternuts will not take root from the surface of the ground like acorns. They must be planted or they dry up before their shell can burst. For that reason it is almost safe to say that nearly every hickory tree was planted at one time by a squirrel. The squirrel meant to come back for the nut, but didn't.

Canton Island

Canton island is the chief spot of land among the tiny dots which make up the Phoenix group, 2,700 miles north of New Zealand. The importance of this archipelago, which lies just south of the equator, is readily seen on any map of the South Pacific. The Phoenix group lies almost on a line between New Zealand and Honolulu, practically half way between the two. Canton island covers about eight and a half square miles, nourishes shrub vegetation and provides a salt-water lagoon navigable to boats which draw up to 5 feet.

Pride in Perfection

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It is this conscientious completeness which turns work into art. The smallest thing, be it well done, becomes artistic.—William Matthews.

Obstacles Temporary

When you get into a tight place and everything goes against you, till it seems as though you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that is just the place and time that the tide will turn.—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Yes, Constipation Is Serious But It Can't Poison You! Say Doctors

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BAND REPORT

With a toot, a bang, and a rub-a-dub-dub, the band did its part in cheering the Tigers to victory over Lefors. It expects to do the same when the Tigers mix with the Bronchos. The band will also play for Shamrock when they play Wellington Thursday night.

Jesse Dean Cobb and R. L. Floyd, band members who attended the Lubbock band festival, returned home late Saturday night.

ONE PRICE OF WAR

This poem was written by Orville Cunningham, history instructor of McLean high school, who was kind enough to contribute it to this week's issue of The Tiger Post.

Noble, grand, and respectable was he
 Who heard and answered that influential call.
 Stately and sedate marched our soldier
 To be,
 In a situation of mind and body to
 enthral.

Our soldiers! Our soldiers! was a universal praise.
 Our protector! Our general! is now off to the war
 To come back to us tired and worn
 In other days,
 In a place of grief, of pain, of death
 in that land afar.

To the side, you nation of beauty and wine,
 To the side, you nation of imperial rule,
 Let a nation pass that has a heart sublime,
 To pay the debt that was never renewed.

In came that grand U. S. A., marching
 In that national scythe that invariably mowed
 Trenchmen, generals and men at cannon-arching,
 Aimlessly, but purposely, to repay that which was owed.

A tender and forgiving heart that was changed over night,
 To one of marble so cold, and ever so hard,
 Transformed in a moment by that dreadful sight
 Of blood, of wounds, hunger, and war that never tired.

But one day that heavy heart was made glad
 By a worldly declaration sounding on every ear.
 Like soft music it fell, to the happy and the sad.
 Peace! Peace! went to all that could hear.

Back to their native country they came;
 The first was so honored by hearts of love
 That it seemed that history's pages would ever give fame
 To the living and to the ones that had gone above.

With time and number our national spirit fell,
 And at last came the crippled, hobbling along,
 Wondering where the friends, with greeting bells
 Had gone, with their praise and national songs.

That vigorous and lithesome body was no more,
 That superior mind had become weak and slow.
 Hobbling, begging, on they go from door to door,
 With unsettled minds they advance, thinking of a place to go.

His once black hair is now tinged with snow,
 The seasons of his youth have come thick and fast,
 And now it won't be long until he shall go,
 But will his record be made to last?
 War makes a nation and war destroys it;
 We live now in peace and of oblivion
 Of the sorrow and grief of those in transit,
 And who paid a war debt forever given.

SENSES REPORT

Monday morning the center class

president, Kid McCoy, appointed Margaret Kennedy and Molita Turman to select a number of class mottoes, flowers and colors to be voted on by the class. Arline Fiene, Norma Lee Rickard and E. M. Gossett were appointed to select a design for the class group picture.

SOPHOMORES PRESENT GIFT

The sophomore class voted to present a present to Opal Thacker, whom they put in the race for football queen, a gift in appreciation of her good sportsmanship. The gift was a small folding camera. She said we should not have done it, but she accepted the gift and expressed her appreciation, anyway.

TIGERS DOWN THE PIRATES

The McLean Tigers routed the Lefors Pirates that landed on Tiger Field last Friday night, by a score of 20 to 6. The Tigers made all their scores in the first half, with Watson, Braxton and Humphreys crossing pay dirt. Nicholson converted two extra points. The Tigers were within scoring distance several times the last half but usually lost the ball on a pass interception.

The Pirates' lone tally came in the last few minutes of play in the last quarter.

The McLean substitutes saw quite a bit of action during the game. Braxton's tackling was a feature of the game as it always is. He is probably the hardest tackler in the region. Cash played the best game of his career, fumbling once and recovering it. The Tigers had the game well in hand all the way, making many more first downs than the Pirates.

We meet Clarendon Armistice Day and Shamrock Nov. 19.
 Beat Shamrock!

HOME ECONOMICS REPORT

Last week the first year girls finished their bindings on their aprons and this week they are going to work buttonholes in the top of the aprons. They are going to finish the aprons this week, and will begin selecting the material for their dresses, which will be their next class project.

During the past week the second year classes made butter cakes and frosting. They found that two tablespoons of cornstarch used with 1/2 cup of all purpose flour made a cake as desirable as when all cake flour is used.

The third year girls finished the loops for the buttons on their dresses and are planning to finish the dresses this week.

BAND GIVES CONCERT

The McLean high school band entertained in assembly Wednesday, Nov. 10, with a very enjoyable concert. The following numbers were played: Washington Post, Sousa; Memories of Stephen Foster, arranged by Holmes; Cheerio, Goldman; Lost, popular number; Every Man for Himself, arranged by Yoder; U. S. Field Artillery, Sousa; Chaser March, arranged by Yoder.

The band is making rapid progress under the direction of Mr. Leeds, and both school and band received special honor by being allowed to send two delegates to the State Band Clinic in Lubbock, which met Thursday, Nov. 4. The McLean representatives, R. L. Floyd and Jesse Dean Cobb, left early Thursday morning, accompanied by Mr. Leeds.

CIRCULO CASTELLANO

The Circulo Castellano met Friday afternoon in the Spanish class room, with the president, Dorothy Sitter, in charge. The club motto was repeated in Spanish, and this was followed by a short business meeting. Two special reports were given by James Finley and Irene Pettit, on the geography and cities of Mexico.

DOINGS OF THE TIGERETTES

Beat Wellington,
 B-e-a-t Wellington,
 Beat Wellington,
 Yea! Shamrock!
 Beat Wellington.

This will be the Tigerette war cry until Thursday night when Wellington meets Shamrock. If Shamrock beats Wellington, McLean will have another chance at district.

Friday night after the Lefors ball game the McLean pep squad and band entertained Lefors in the local gymnasium. Everyone reported an enjoyable evening.

The Tigerettes left this (Thursday) morning for Clarendon, where they will make one of the most unusual formations ever made by a pep squad and band so be present. We have a surprise for you.

SHERLOCK SNOOPINGS

Did anyone notice how Naomi's

head dropped toward Mr. Cunningham's shoulder when "Tiger Line" was sung last Friday?

Velma, you shouldn't snub Clifton just because you have a date with Kid.

Mabel, what was so interesting to you, Delos and J. H. after the pep rally?

Shirley, when you like to drive it's a sign you are in love.

Opal: Keep me away from the steering wheel!

We want to apologize to Helen for saying she was forgetting Averil! It couldn't be done.

Happenings of the football game: Snooper washed Leta Mae's face.

Naomi frequently moved into the pep squad. Could those stockings have been the cause?

Ruth had a thrill besides the game. How about it, Marvin?

Kid Jr., wore a very bright hat and held Molita's hand.

Eva couldn't tell Leta Mae's foot from the seat. Maybe it's the size.

M. Kramer made a mistake and called Mr. Pixler a "hick." Or was it a mistake?

Georgia declared J. W. made every touchdown.

Dorothy used the best English possible. She even quoted Miss Cousins.

Has everyone seen Miss Cousins' new campaign platform? Mr. Cryer said he would buy her a pointed cap to go with it. Get the idea?

Wanda doesn't seem to be doing so good to get stood up by two dates.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

There was a pull, a stick and a lick in the home economics laboratory last Tuesday night. Haven't you guessed? The Home Economics Club had a candy pulling. It seems there were popcorn balls in the air, too. Though some of the girls couldn't partake of the candy, due to basketball season, they all enjoyed getting "stuck-up." After the fun was over, the girls improved themselves in a domestic line by washing the pots and pans.

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK

This week, November 7-13, inclusive, has been set aside as American Education Week, the annual period in which attention of the entire nation is focused upon the importance of public education to American democracy. The National Education Association has selected the following topics as subjects of special study for the week:

1. Prevention of war and methods of maintaining world peace.
2. The cost of education and ways of meeting it.
3. Horace Mann, the pioneer educator, whose centennial is being celebrated this year.
4. Unemployment among young Americans between the ages of 16 and 24 who are not in school.
5. The meaning and value of the Federal Constitution, the sesquicentennial of which we are celebrating this year.
6. Education as a lifelong process.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

The girls basketball team is progressing well under the supervision of Mr. Orville Cunningham. Twenty-one girls have been suited out three days every week. The regular basketball season will not begin until the 22nd of this month, and the first string will not be picked until then.

The girls have already played at Alanreed and won 31-21. Alanreed expects to play them on their court in about two weeks. McLean girls play the outsiders weekly, and expect to beat them about forty points the next time.

"Honeymoon Inn," a 3-act comedy drama, will be presented by the fourth period speech class in the high school auditorium Monday, Nov. 15, at 8 p. m. The admission will be 10c for children and 20c for adults.

The students taking part are: Kid McCoy, who acts as Pete Slater, an ex-crook with a passion for poetry; Edith Mae Duncan, who plays the part of Miranda Littlefield, a shy gentle old maid; Margaret Wheeler acting as Cassy, the gawky hired girl; Bernice McClellan, who plays the role of Irene Slater, Pete's attractive wife; Verlyn Hinton, who acts as Bettina Littlefield, Miranda's good-

natured, romantic sister; Molita Turman, who plays the part of Isabel Gpdyke, a 56-year-old lady who is twice divorced and remarried to her first husband; Jimmie Clark, who is cast as Violet Starwell, a well dressed attractive woman; Naomi Gunn, who is cast as Marianna, a typical gypsy of any age; James Kinley, who plays Smith, a crooked chauffeur; Perry Masterson, who acts as George Knowles, a genial, likable "washing machine man;" Woodrow Patrick, who is cast as Jed Blair Whippleton, the tall distinguished looking poet; J. W. Hanes, who is cast as Simon Scragwell, the skinny, sour town clerk at Piney Ridge; J. L. Hancock, who plays as Sheriff Turner, a country comic type of man.

The stage managers are E. M. Gossett and Steve Kennedy. Marie Little, Wilda Joyce McMullen and Junior Braxton are property managers. Bennie Finley and Steve Kennedy will manage the scenery. The electrician is Mike Wingo. The prompting will be done by Eva Dowell. James Fulbright is the curtain manager. The ushers are Marie Little, Wilda Joyce McMullen, Bennie Finley and Junior

Braxton. The advertising managers are Lois Bradstreet, Joy Masterson and Wynema Lamb.

Special music will be furnished by Noel Clifton, the boys' and girls' quartets under the direction of Miss Dale Smith. The boys' quartet is composed of Jeff Coffey, Jesse Dean Cobb, Clint Doolen and R. L. Floyd. The girls' quartet is composed of Wanda Estes, Shirley Johnston, Evonne Floyd and Juanita Hancock. Tap numbers will be given by Jo Ann Campbell and Dorothy Campbell. Viola Appling will give a reading.

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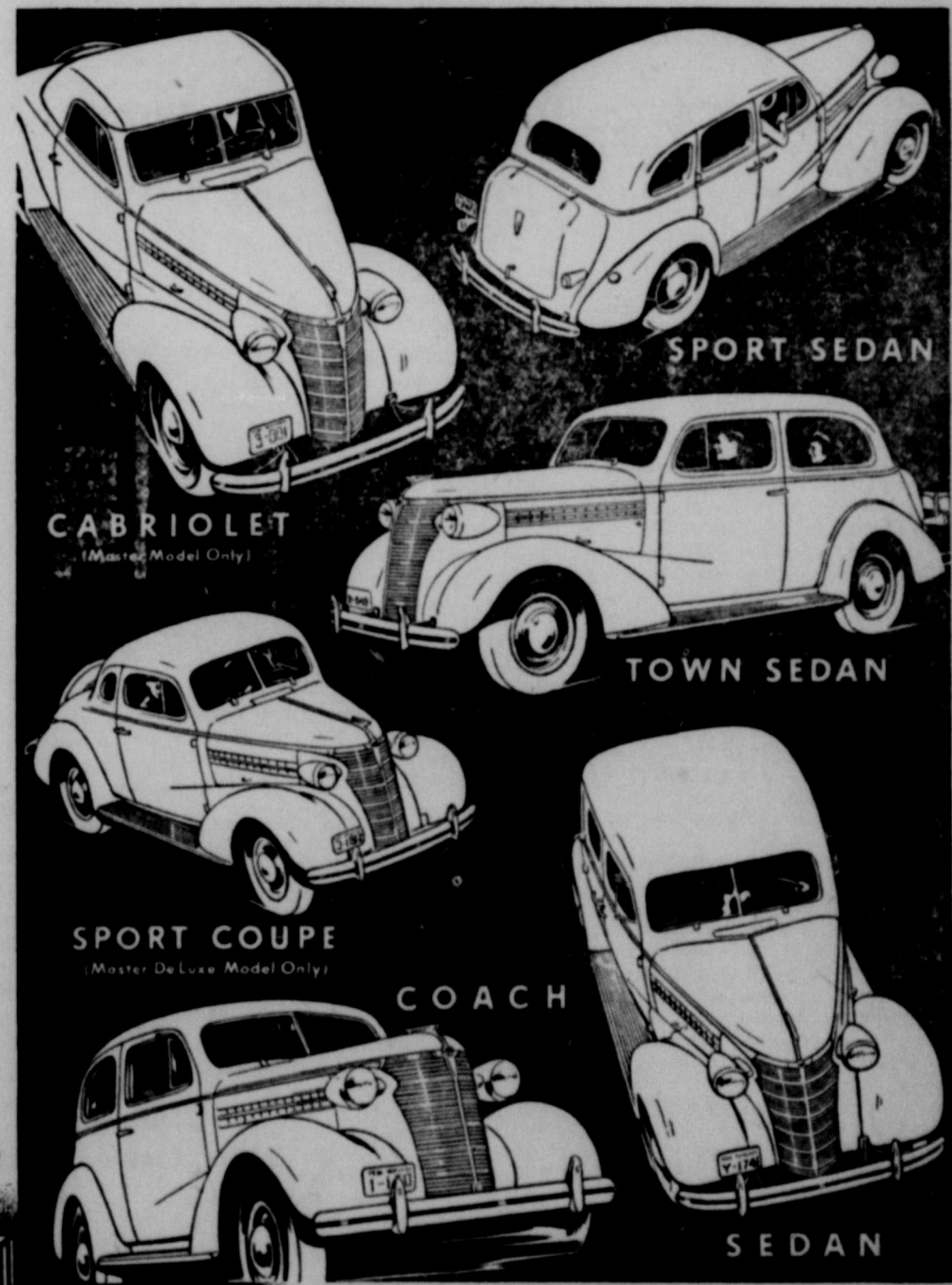
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SYNOPSIS

Joyce Sewell, on the eve of her twentieth birthday, rebels at her lot, dependent on her detested stepmother, Irma, and full of tragic memories of her mother's murder twelve years before and her father's death six months ago. Irma calls in Helm Blackadder, an admirer, to help her persuade Joyce to marry rich, young Michael Kirkpatrick.

CHAPTER I—Continued

Joyce started toward a chair but stopped. "No; if we are going to have one of our reasonable talks, I'd rather stand."

"That means I'll have to stand too," said Blackadder, sensing he faced a wise and clever fighter. "It doesn't leave me a choice, does it?"

"Not if you feel you have to stay."

"Joyce!" cried Mrs. Sewell sharply. "How can you be rude to Mr. Blackadder, a man twice your age and my oldest friend?"

"I wasn't trying to be rude," said Joyce coolly. "I was wondering why he's here."

"I've told you. Because he's my oldest and almost my only friend. We were boy and girl together and if I can't turn to him in my trouble I can appeal to nobody."

"Your trouble!" exclaimed Joyce. "If you'd only leave me alone, let me go my own way, you wouldn't have a thing in the world to worry about."

"That's just it—I can't. I can't stand aside and watch you ruin your life. It wouldn't be right. I can tell you to your face, here before Mr. Blackadder, if you don't take Michael Kirkpatrick while you still have the chance you'll regret it the rest of your life."

"So it's narrowed down to Mike, has it?" said Joyce. "How did you come to pick on him?"

As if she were resigning the floor Mrs. Sewell made a gesture toward Blackadder. Strangely uneasy he straightened and braced his elbows on the mantel. He leveled his eyes at her, taking her measure.

"Let's see if I can talk your language. Do you mind listening till we find out?"

"No; I'll listen."

"You're young, Joyce, and you're up against a tough situation. You don't like your stepmother. Well, there's nothing we can do about that. Likes and dislikes don't go by favor or obligation; they hang on two Spanish words, easy to understand, hard to translate—simpatia and antipatia. Right?"

"Yes," said Joyce, amazed at the boldness of his attack and startled by his idiomatic use of a language she thought she alone in Elsinboro knew.

"The yoke of living on Irma has been galling you till all you can think of is escape. The first thing you picked on was to be a teacher, but you found out it isn't enough to have a string of silly letters after your name. So you thought you'd be a stenographer and look for a firm engaged in foreign trade. Unfortunately, you're unfitted for business. You'd be an absolute flop."

"Why?"

"Because you're emotional and a thoroughbred; the first time you found yourself the mechanical link in a gyp game you'd walk out."

"Then what's left?" asked Joyce dimly as much of herself as of him.

"We're coming to that," said Blackadder sharply. Perceiving he had shaken her, his head moved forward between his shoulders and his eyes grew bead. "You don't like Irma, but you've lived on her since you were eight years old. She's given you everything you've had—shelter, food, raiment and care—and you've never paid for any of it in love or in cash."

"Oh!" gasped Joyce, wincing under the sting of a lash she had used on herself again and again. "How could I? You know I have nothing—nothing!"

"That's not so," said Blackadder, shooting the words at her. "You have plenty if you take it to the right market. Let's get down to bed-rock. Do you dislike Mike any more than you do your stepmother? Do you?"

"No!" said Joyce.

"Then why not live on him for a while where you can pay ten for one?"

Watching her sink into a chair as if he had knocked her knees from under her he felt a curious elation. He had beaten her, it had been a hard fight, but he had won out.

"This way out that Helm suggests—" said Mrs. Sewell—"this thing I've been begging you to do—you don't think it's for me, do you? It's for you—for your own good. We're older than you are, we can see back as well as ahead. Can't you believe us? Can't you see it's your best chance for happiness?"

"Happiness!" breathed Joyce. "I suppose every girl has her dream of happiness." Then her low voice began to grow in volume and intensity. "I know I have mine and it's a dream of giving, not taking. I don't mean giving things—money, food,

clothes—because love doesn't grow out of things. Even if you try your best to make it, it doesn't, it won't. I mean giving something that's inside you, that aches to be given and—"

"I know, dear," interrupted Mrs. Sewell soothingly. "but believe me, you'll feel all that if you'll only just—"

"Oh, you're horrible!" cried Joyce desperately. "I wish I hadn't told you! Do you think I'm blind? You want to be rid of me—both of you. All right. I give in. I promise. If it isn't Mike it will be something else, some other way. I promise." She was gone from the room before either of them could answer.

CHAPTER II

Her departure left Blackadder breathless and somewhat confused. He continued to stand with his back to the mantel, staring at her as if her hurrying figure were still in sight, filling his eyes. And he had thought she was licked! He became aware of Irma's murmuring voice.

"You were wonderful, Helm, but I knew you would be, I was sure of it. The minute I thought of your load began to lift off my shoulders and now, whatever happens, it's

gone. But let's forget trouble. I can't tell you what it means to me to see you standing there like a pillar giving sense and reason to everything in the room, including me."

She smiled up at him expectantly. His lips parted but it was ordained the maid should enter then.

"It's Mr. Kirkpatrick, ma'am."

The young man entered, flamboyant as to hair, complexion, manner and clothes. "Michael, you know Mr. Blackadder, don't you?"

"Sure thing," said Mike, holding out his hand.

Blackadder beat him to the grip and almost crushed his knuckles, then let go too quickly for a comeback. Mrs. Sewell came to the rescue.

"You can go right up, Michael. You'll find Joyce in her sitting room. I—I wish you luck."

Something in the manner of her final words made Kirkpatrick glance at her curiously. He nodded and started for the back where a side staircase supplemented the one in the main hall. Arriving at Joyce's door he knocked softly, pretended he heard an answering call, turned the knob and stepped in. Joyce was on her knees before the petaca, in the act of fitting a clumsy key into the homemade lock.

"Where did you find the Ellis island trunk?" he asked jovially.

She turned her head and stared up at him out of unbelieving eyes. "It was my father's," she answered automatically. Then she rose, holding tight to the key, and stood at her full height. "What are you doing here?" she demanded. "Who told you you could come in?"

He backed against the door until the latch clicked shut. "You did. I knocked and I thought I heard you say, 'Come in.'"

"You were mistaken. Please go." "Aw, get off the horse, Joyce. Can't you talk from the floor for once in your life?"

Abruptly her frown deepened. "Did they send for you?"

"Who?"

"Mr. Blackadder and my stepmother."

"They did not; I brought myself." "Then take yourself away."

"What's the rush, Joyce, now I'm here? Listen, let's have a showdown. I've told you over and over again I can give you a lot of things and so can you, but I've done all the crawling I'm going to do. Besides, I've just had a tip. I may not know books like some of your rah-rah friends, but I can see out of both eyes. So I'm asking you for

the last time—will you marry me or won't you?"

"I won't, now or ever."

He stepped toward her, his fingers itching but his eyes frightened and wet. Abruptly he stopped. Why? He didn't know. She had not moved. She stood with the big key held tightly in her right hand as though it were a dagger. Pressed against her dark dress her fist seemed small and white yet powerful. She had brought him to a halt with only a look—a look of loathing beyond words. He turned, tore open the door and rushed from the room.

Joyce knelt on the floor, then bent over the little rawhide trunk, turned the key and raised the lid. A pungent odor of age-old paper, rust, leather and rotting tape greeted her nostrils.

Her father's last years had left her memory of a weakling, a lovable weakling. Now, immersed in his fervent letters and shocked by the impersonal frigidity of the replies that had evoked, she saw him in his true proportions as a martyr burned at the stake. Slowly, day after day, month after month, yet uttering no cry. Unshed tears stung in her eyes, blinding her. Anger at injustice mounted into rage and rage into the incandescent heat that tempers steel to a cutting edge. He had left no son to avenge his wrongs—only a girl. She dug her nails into the palms of her hands. Some day, somehow, she would find a way. Again there came a knock at her door, a hesitant knock quite unlike her stepmother's.

"Who is it?" she whispered hoarsely.

"It's me, Miss Joyce," answered the maid's voice. "I've brought you a letter and a bit of supper."

"Thanks, Ellen, I don't want a thing to eat. Please slip the letter under the door."

It was long and without a stamp, probably a circular. Her inclination was to let it lie, but abruptly she was seized by its similarity to a dozen envelopes in the petaca, all bearing the penalty-for-private-use formula. A pale yellow slip fluttered to the floor as she tore open the official envelope and unfolded the letter within. She read it at a glance, then again slowly, word by word: "At the instance of the Mexican ambassador, who has deposited the necessary funds, I beg to enclose a warrant on the Treasury of the United States for \$10,000, compensation in full for the death of Ann Burden Sewell. Your endorsement will be sufficient receipt."

She caught up the pale yellow slip. Sitting cross-legged she stared and stared at it, for it looked like no check she had ever seen. Yet its purport was unmistakable—the Treasury of the United States held \$10,000 at her disposal. The finger of fate was upon her. If this amazing windfall had come signed in her name she might have signed it over to her stepmother, flung it at her with actual joy, in payment for back rent and board. But not now—no, not now. She put her arms around the petaca, pressed her cheek against its arabesques of brass tacks and bowed her head as if she were making a vow. Presently she went to bed, but lay awake for a long time, dreaming, planning, then floating off into a restful haze midway between sleep and consciousness.

In the morning she was up early. She drank her coffee with eyes on the clock and shortly after nine was being shown into the private office of the president of the City National bank. Toward the last Mr. Bradley had been her father's only remaining friend.

"It's Joyce," she reminded him, "Joyce Sewell."

"Why, of course! How you've grown, my dear. You're lovely!"

"Mr. Bradley, are bankers like doctors, lawyers, and priests? I mean are they bound to keep a secret if you ask them to?"

"They are and they aren't. A court order can open wide our mouths and our vaults, but short of that we're bound to respect our clients' wishes. Why? Have you a secret you want to deposit?"

"Yes; oh, yes."

He leaned toward her and asked in a whisper, "Is it about the check for ten thousand?" She sank back, her eyes wide, the color draining from her cheeks. He patted her knee reassuringly and chuckled. "There, there, that was a mean trick. Nobody knows but me, my dear. It was I who supplied your name and address."

"Oh!" breathed Joyce. "Please don't ever do a thing like that to me again!"

"You're safe. I doubt whether I'll ever have any other chance. But why the secrecy?"

"Because I'm going away and I don't want anybody to know where." She leaned forward. "Mr. Bradley, you know my father's story, don't you?"

"No man knows it better, and that goes for his one-time lawyers."

"I learned it last night," said Joyce. "I read every letter, every paper, every deed back to the original grant from the king of Spain. Is there any doubt La Barranca belonged to my father?"

"None whatever. He had as clear a title as I have to my hat or my coat or anything else I've paid for in cash."

"Then it's mine now."

"Have you a conscience, Mr. Bradley?" she asked soberly.

"Me?" he exclaimed, puzzled and astonished.

"I was wondering whether it's ever right to—to take your conscience and choke it."

His eyes twinkled violently but he did not laugh. "I see. What's your conscience been telling you to do?"

"Give this money to my stepmother."

"What for?"

"Well, for all she's done—keeping me all these years."

Mr. Bradley's eyes shone with a strange and increasing fire. "Who's been stuffing your head with that?" he demanded. "Anyway, let me put you straight. In the first place step-parents are required by law to do what's been done for you; it's an integral part of their original bargain. In the second Irma's kindness ruined your father by keeping him from going to work. In the third, since she's a do-good-to-others addict, she's had her money's worth out of the two of you ten times over."

"Thank you," she murmured. "You don't know what you've done for me. Now I can do what I've been planning; I can go."

"Where to, Joyce?"

She looked at him steadfastly. "All those years my father stayed here, Mr. Bradley. But La Barranca isn't here; it's in Mexico. I'm going to Mexico."

Joyce laid the warrant, already endorsed, on Mr. Bradley's desk and rose. "I'm leaving the money with you, but you understand I may need a great deal of it any day, don't you?"

"Sit down, Joyce," he said soberly. "Do you know what I've been asking myself?"

"No, sir," said Joyce, sinking to the edge of her chair.

"If I had a girl—your age, your looks, your background—what would I want some other fellow to do in this particular case?" He frowned. "Of course you remember Mexico, but do you remember what happened?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

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Home Heating Hints By John Barclay Heating Expert

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And yet it was not a victory without its price. In honored graves in Flanders Fields and in our own consecrated ground lie those young heroes who so unselfishly gave their all in Humanity's defense. And, in hospitals throughout the land . . . yes, in civil life, too, there still are many whose wounds of war have never healed. Yet uncomplainingly they carry on . . . bearing the cost of their devotion to their fellow man with a fortitude that is amazing.

To the hero dead . . . to the wounded . . . yes, to all the lads who in '17 and '18 followed the flag in the World War . . . our undying gratitude. And to give that gratitude expression, we solemnly face the east at 11 a. m. Armistice Day, and breathe a silent prayer of Thankfulness!

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THE MYTH THAT NEVER DIES

By A. M. Rasmussen

The Congressional Record, the official daily journal of the proceedings of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, is an important publication. Recorded therein, throughout the life of the American republic, is the complete story of the nation's development, and the brilliant debates on every matter of national policy.

Not only are the legislative proceedings reported in the Record, but through the means of an appendix which is a part of the official document, Representatives and Senators may insert in the Record through unanimous consent of their house, which is always forthcoming, speeches that have never been made on the floor of the legislative body, newspaper and magazine articles, and other documents which for various reasons they wish to appear in the Record.

To the average citizen, the Congressional Record seems to be the last word in authenticity. The very nature of the publication itself leads to the belief that all the statements made therein are strictly factual.

Politicians with political axes to grind sometimes insert in the appendix information and statistics not entirely founded on fact, but rather prepared to show by any means the advantages of whatever they may be promoting.

The advocates of public ownership of electric utilities have many friends in both houses of Congress who are anxious and willing to exercise any of their privileges to forward the cause of public ownership. Therefore, when Public Ownership, the official organ of the Public Ownership League of America published a list of eighty-nine communities in the United States reputed to have no local taxes because of the revenues received from publicly owned utilities, this list soon found its way into the Congressional Record.

The obvious purpose of inserting a list of so-called tax free towns in the Congressional Record was to add to its credibility; to give the impression that because it appeared in the Record it was absolutely correct and incontrovertible. Then when this list was given further publicity by public ownership proponents, the fact that it was taken from the Congressional Record received particular stress.

Since the average citizen naturally has the right to feel that he can rely upon a statement found in the Record, it requires a great deal of evidence to change his belief in the accuracy and correctness of any material he may find in the Congressional Record.

In the list inserted in the Record by Hon. W. D. McFarlane of Texas, 57 out of the 89 cities and towns suppose to be tax free are in Oklahoma.

The Oklahoma Utilities Association has recently released a survey made by their statistician, R. D. Cockrell, showing the 1936-37 tax levies in the 57 Oklahoma towns that claim to be tax free.

A table lists these 57 towns, their populations, the municipal tax levies in each of these for administrative general fund, electric bond levies, water bond levies, the total levies for the municipally owned utilities, other sinking fund levies and the grand total of all the local taxes.

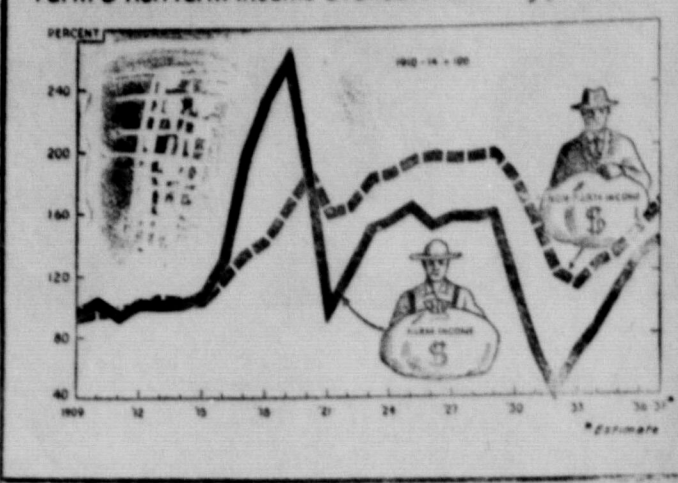
From the list of 57 Oklahoma towns, it can be seen that but six of them are free from city taxes, namely, Beggs, Granite, Ponca City, Kaw City, Loco and Tahlequah. Beggs and Kaw City must be stricken from the list for the reason that Beggs does not own a municipal light plant, and its freedom from city taxes is due to causes not connected with the revenues from its water system. Kaw City's freedom from city taxes is not due to the revenues of the municipal utilities, but due to judgment against oil companies for the pollution of the watershed from which it obtains the water supply. This judgment was sufficient in size to pay all city taxes for three years.

Ponca City has made no city tax levy since 1932, but prior to that, city taxes were regularly levied until the outstanding bonds were very materially reduced in amount. During the fiscal year 1935-36, \$173,000 of maturing bonds were refunded for lack of funds that should have been on hand if necessary tax levies had been made in prior years.

The year 1936-37 is the first fiscal year in which Tahlequah has made no city tax levy, but contemplated and necessary new construction will doubtless necessitate tax revenues when made.

Loco, with a population of 333, is more of a cooperative, than a municipally owned plant, as no bonds have been issued to build any part of the water system, and they own no

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waterworks. Thus, after striking Beggs and Caw City from the list of tax free towns, we arrive at these figures: 57, or 64%, of the 89 so-called tax free towns are in Oklahoma, but as the statistics prove, only four out of these 57 towns are really tax free.

Thus we find that 93% of the 64% of the total list of 89 are in error, and assuming that this percentage of error prevails throughout the entire list, it makes unnecessary any further investigation into the towns outside of the state of Oklahoma.

Furthermore, at the time the original list of tax free towns was compiled, and at the present date, according to the records of the Corporation Commission of the State of Oklahoma sixteen of the towns represented as being tax free due to revenues of municipally owned utility properties do not own municipal light plants, but on the contrary are served by privately owned utility companies. These are Beggs, Earlsboro, Fairfax, Fort Towson, Garber, Gould, Grandfield, Hartshorne, Lamont, Morris, Paoli, Randlett, Roff, Roosevelt, Seminole and Vici.

This data thoroughly disproves the material inserted in the Congressional Record. Assuming that it be the purpose of the Congressional Record useful and factual information on national questions, Senators and Representatives in exercising their privilege of unanimous consent to insert documents in the Record, have the responsibility of exercising the utmost caution to assure the accuracy of the material so inserted.

Time without end, the myth that it is possible for a community to be tax free has been disproved in the light of the facts. Yet the propaganda persists. Some day, persistent propaganda and perversion of the Congressional Record notwithstanding, the public will realize that it is impossible to get something for nothing, and this unfortunate myth will die. The sooner the better for all.—Public Service Magazine.

With the Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

J. H. Sharp, Pastor
Our annual conference will meet next Wednesday, and therefore Sunday will be the last Sunday of this conference year. We would like to have every member of the church at the services next Sunday. We lack some having our budget paid in full, and we are asking everyone to help get this paid.

Church school 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Preaching 7:15 p. m.

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W. E. Bond, Pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
N. Y. P. S. 7 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:45.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

Everyone welcome. Come just as you are.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The Presbyterian Ladies Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Vester Smith.

A very interesting Bible lesson was led by Mrs. S. D. Shelburne. She was assisted by Mrs. Arthur Erwin and Mrs. H. E. Frank.

Others present were: Mesdames Donald Beall, Chas. E. Cooke, Hendran, E. L. Sitter, T. A. Massay, F. H. Bourland, Carl Jones, J. T. Hicks and T. J. Coffey.

Mrs. T. A. Landers, accompanied by her daughters, Miss Marie and Mrs. C. C. Mead of Miami, visited relatives in Amarillo and Vega Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Rippe visited in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cryer and daughter were in Amarillo Saturday.

The chart shows a comparison of farm income and non-farm income available per capita.

Each income is expressed as a percentage of its 1910-14 average. For example, in 1932 farmers had about 40% as much income available for living as they had back in the years 1910-14, while city workers had about 120% as much as their average for 1910-14.

The difference between the income of farmers and non-farmers has decreased since 1932 and for the past three years incomes of the two groups have been in better balance than at any time since the war.

The tendency toward this balance has been maintained over the nation as a whole during 1937, but farmers in the cotton states, and especially in Texas, suffered a decline in income.

News from Denworth

Come to Sunday school at 9:45 promptly.

Preaching services Saturday night, Sunday morning and night. Rev. W. A. Erwin of McLean will preach Sunday night.

There were 76 present at Sunday school last Sunday. If you were absent, we are going to expect you next Sunday, and please stay for the preaching service.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. C. B. Copeland Monday afternoon and quilting was done. There were eight present. At 3 o'clock a self-searching question study was held. The ladies are quilting quilts, the proceeds of which will go to the W. M. S. treasury.

PARTY AT KELLERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Newberry at Kellerville entertained a group of young folks at a party at their home Saturday night, honoring their son, Wilfred.

Indoor games and contests furnished diversion for the evening. Prizes went to Maxine Little, Jean Durrett, Jack Harris, Opal Tedder and Donovan D'Spain.

Refreshments of hot chocolate, sandwiches, jello and cookies were served to Mildred, Jean and Maxie Durrett, Marie and Maxine Little, Patsy Funderburk, Opal and Glen Tedder, Donovan D'Spain, John Saunders Jr., Paul Miller, Jack Harris, Earl Simmons, Leola Nelson, Glen Ray Stedman, Juanita Campbell, June Blackerby and the honoree.

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to visit school this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Dowell, Eva and Alice Dowell were in Pampa on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hale and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Jones.

Mrs. P. B. Kratzer and Mrs. L. T. Jones went to Lefors Monday night to attend a parent "back to school" program.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Watson, Wednesday, Nov. 3, a girl. She has been named Olive Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Toy Funderburk were in Shamrock on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Jones made a business trip to Miami Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crisp and children of Alameed were in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. Homer Abbott left Sunday for El Paso to attend the State Baptist Convention.

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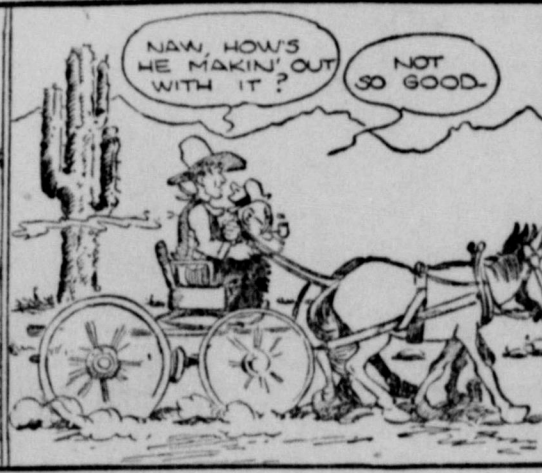
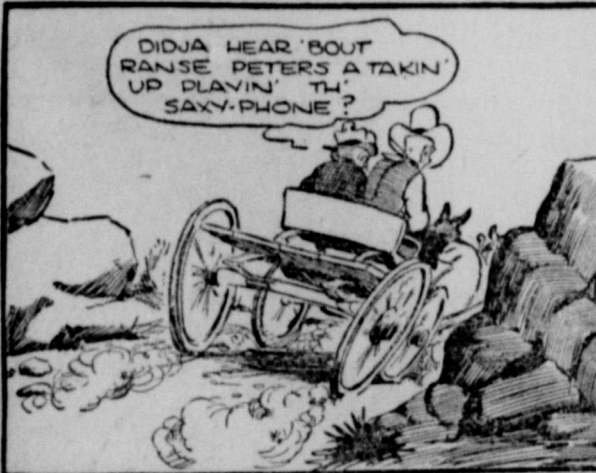
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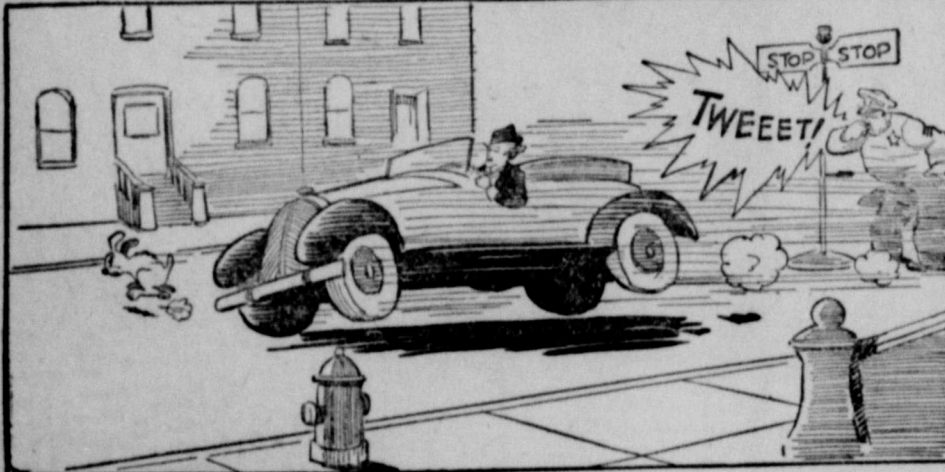
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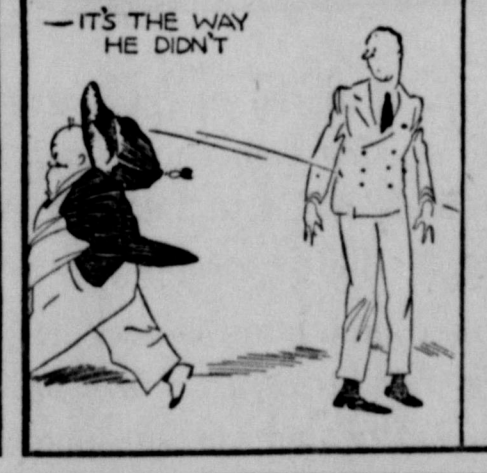
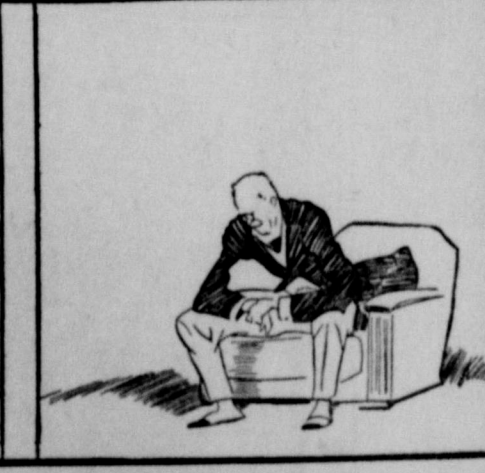
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Precocious Ignorance

After a game of bridge in which one of the players had made almost every mistake conceivable, one of the others inquired, "How long has he been playing?"
"Oh, about five years."
"Really? I had no idea it was possible to acquire so profound an ignorance of the game in so short a time."

In the Wrong Class

"Why did Bill leave the flower show in such a rage?"
"Well, he was one of the competitors and his tomatoes won first prize."
"First prize! I should have imagined he would be pleased."
"No, you see it was first prize for red currants!"—Stray Stories Magazine.

Cause for Worry

Dentist (having drawn several teeth for small child)—Never mind—they will grow again.
Small Child—But will they be here in time for dinner?

THE MINUTE THAT SEEMS A YEAR

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



"THE GUEST AT THE PARTY, WHO HAS SPENT TEN MINUTES BEFORE THE MIRROR UPSTAIRS PERFECTING HIS APPEARANCE, BEGINS DIMPLY TO REALIZE THAT HE HAS AN AUDIENCE, NOT WHOLLY APPRECIATIVE."

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What's the use of worrying about growing old, when everybody is doing it?

Some people think it is smart to "get by," but the community must depend upon those who make an honest effort to meet their obligations when due.

McLean is indebted to the American Red Cross in many ways, and there should be no trouble in reaching our quota in the annual roll call this year.

There has never been much money made in cotton for the small farmer, yet there seems to be no voluntary way of breaking the habit of planting too much of the staple. When we learn to use cotton only as a cash crop for the farm and plant only a small acreage of good varieties, maybe there will be some inducement to plant it. There must be a place for the cow, sow and hen on every farm if the farmer is to succeed, and cotton should be considered a sideline only.

McLean business men have a cooperative spirit that is commendable. That this is true may be proven this week by scanning the names to the Armistice Day advertisement. It reads like a "Who's Who in McLean." A few names are not on the advertisement, due to the fact that the firms have advertisements elsewhere in the paper, and some the editor did not get time to see, but the page is a splendid tribute to the patriotism and cooperative spirit of the business men.

News from Ramsdell

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Small of New Mexico visited from Wednesday to Sunday with the lady's sister, Mrs. Homer Steen; and her mother, Mrs. Ed Sublett, of Abra.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Powell and son and Harry Franks made a business trip to Happy Saturday, and also visited the lady's sister, Mrs. Ira Stephens, and family.

Several from here attended an amateur program at Shamrock Friday night.

Stone Steen of Canyon spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Steen.

Those attending the club meeting at the home of Mrs. D. L. Miller Thursday afternoon were: Mesdames John Grogan, Russell Grogan, Davenport, Hal Bullock, Claude Powell, Lewis Powell, Ferd Bones, and the hostess.

Those from this club who attended the club meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Edwards at Lela Wednesday were: Mesdames John Grogan, Russell Grogan, D. L. Miller, Lewis Powell and Claude Powell.

Mrs. H. A. Steen and daughters spent Thursday night and Friday with the lady's mother, Mrs. Ed Sublett, at Abra.

Bill Hardin, who is section foreman here, spent the week end with his parents at Clinton, Okla.

Charles Finley and Spencer Sitter who are attending military school in Bonville, Mo., visited home folks here over the week end.



News from Liberty

Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.
Preaching service at 7 each Sunday night.

Mrs. Marvin Simpson and daughters, Pauline and Iva Nora; Mrs. Tony Dorsey and son and daughter of McLean visited in the H. N. Dorsey home Sunday afternoon.

Lloyd Hefner of Skellytown and Miss Roberta Addison of Kellerville visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. C. A. Myatt, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tate and family of Abra, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mitchell of south of McLean spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. B. L. Stokes, and family.

Miss Louie Corbin of McLean spent the week end with her father, M. Corbin, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith of the Pakan community visited in the Lively home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hardin and daughter, Miss Oma Lee, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Smith.

J. F. P. Myatt left Tuesday for his home at Lubbock after a two weeks' visit with his son, Cecil, and family.

Everett Dorsey and Truitt Sparks of Kellerville, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan visited in the H. N. Dorsey home Sunday afternoon.

Misses Audie and Imogene Myatt of McLean visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Stokes and little son transacted business in Shamrock Friday.

DO A NEIGHBORLY TURN

The enterprising weekly publisher, with all good intentions, visits his merchants one or more times a week in an earnest endeavor to assist his merchant neighbor in getting more business. Hours of study and planning based on the best "cut and copy" service is at the command of the merchant without price — yes handed to him with a smile.

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If the city is besought by any calamity, the merchant loses no time in calling upon the defender of public rights, the exponent of progress, the herald of glad tidings, in soliciting his support, because the merchant knows the publisher has the medium through which any message may be spread before the eyes of the public in short order.

It is time for the merchants and publishers to get closer together and talk trade—the exchange of ideas which always develop a more neighborly spirit in any town. You can't get along without your neighbor, but one-sided visits get tiresome. It's the merchant's move next.—Donley County Leader.

Observing a young lady standing alone, Sumcoyn stepped up to her and said: "Pardon me, but you look like Helen Black."

The young lady replied: "Yes, I know I do, but I look far worse in white."

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Smith returned Friday from a hunting trip to Capetown, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Sitter, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter returned last Thursday from Mineral Wells.

When the will of the late Ed Howe, Kansas newspaper man and "Sage of Potato Hill," was opened, it was learned that his daughter, Mrs. Mateel Howe Farnham of Westport, Conn., had been cut off with \$1. The \$200,000 estate was left to her two brothers who said they would share the money with their sister. Cause of Mr. Howe's resentment toward his daughter was believed to have been a novel she wrote ten years ago in which a principal character was a tryannical father.—Pathfinder.

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News from Pakan

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After two weeks' stay at home, Miss Dorothy Hrncler returned Tuesday evening to the McDonald home in McLean, where she is employed.

Louis Stauffer and Frank Robinson of Hutchinson, Kan., visited from Tuesday until Thursday in the J. W. and Paul Stauffer homes.

Several from here attended a farmers' meeting in Wheeler Tuesday night.

Louis Stauffer and Frank Robinson of Hutchinson, Kan., accompanied by Miss Grace Stauer, were visitors in the Kelton community Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stauffer were visitors in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. Katherine Paveska of Sham-

rock was a Sunday guest in the Macina home.

Miss Grace Stauffer was a visitor to the W. L. Hinton home at Heath Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Adams and family visited in the Bradley home at Twitty Sunday morning.

Dean Parrish, Ralph Roy, Carl and Miss Ora Bradley visited in the Adams home Sunday evening.

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Ask Me Another A General Quiz

1. What are the ten most beautiful words selected by Wilfred J. Funk?
2. Is the President of the United States vested with the authority to call out the National Guard?
3. In what direction must one travel around the world to gain a day?
4. What is the legend of the Killenny cats?
5. What is the population of China?
6. In politics which is considered more radical, the "left" or the "right"?

Answers

1. They are: Dawn, hush, lullaby, murmuring, tranquil, mist, luminous, chimes, golden and melody.
2. No. The only one who has authority is the governor of a state.
3. If you traveled westward around the world you would gain a day, yet if you made the same trip eastward you would lose a day.
4. They fought until nothing was left but the ends of their tails.
5. The population of China is estimated at 474,787,000.
6. The "left."

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SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—It takes all kinds of candidates to make up this world. Maybe that's why the world seems so overcrowded.

There's the candidate who belongs to all the secret orders; if he left off his emblems, he'd catch cold; knows every grand hailing sign there is; hasn't missed a lodge brother's funeral in years; can hardly wait for the next one to die. No campaign complete without him.

Candidate specializing in the hearty handshake, the neck-embrace, the shoulder-slap, the bear-hug, the gift of remembering every voter by his first name, and the affectionate inquiry regarding the wife and kiddies. When he kisses a baby, it sounds like somebody taking off a pair of wet overshoes. Usually has a weather-beaten wife needing a new hat.

Strutty candidate who's constantly leading an imaginary parade of 30,000 faithful followers. Loves to joke his chest away out and then follows it majestically down the street. A common or standardized species.

Biblical Wisdom.

IN THE Book of Nahum, Chapter II, I came upon this verse: "The chariots shall rage in the streets, they shall jostle one against another in the broad ways; they shall seem like torches, they shall run like the lightnings."

Those Old Testament prophets certainly peered a long way into the future. Because I traveled by night through a main thoroughfare leading from Los Angeles to the sea and vice versa, and I knew what Nahum was describing.

But not even an inspired seer of the Bible could imagine a record of traffic mortality so ghastly as the one we've already compiled in this year of grace 1937 A. D. (automobile destruction)—or a people so speed-mad.

How to Fight Japs.

WHENEVER we have a Japanese war scare, I think of Uncle Lum Whittemore, back in west Kentucky, who loved to dispense wisdom as he hitched one practiced instep on a brass rail and with his free hand fought the resident flies for the tidbit of free lunch which he held in his grip.

One day a fellow asked Uncle Lum, who had served gallantly in the Southern Confederacy until a very hard rainstorm came up, what he'd do if the yellow peril boys invaded America.

"I'd hunt me a hollow tree in the deep woods," he said. "Yes, son, the owls would have to fetch me my mail. I been readin' up on them Japs. They're fatalists."

"What's a fatalist?" demanded someone.

"Near ez I kin make out," stated the veteran, "a fatalist is a party that thinks you're doin' him a deep pussional favor when you kill him."

Hollywood Fashions.

SOME envious style expert says Hollywood fashions are too garish. If he's talking about Hollywood males, I say they're just garish enough. If they were any more garish than they are, visitors would have to wear blinders, and if they were any less garish, Italian sunsets would stand a chance in the competition. And I want the championship to stay in America.

Billy Gaxton picks out something suitable for a vest to be worn to a fancy dress party and then has a whole suit made out of it. Bob Montgomery's ties are the kind that I buy in moments of weakness and then keep in a bureau drawer because I'm not so brave as Bob is; and also I keep the drawer closed because I can't stand those sudden dazzling glares. And Bing Crosby is either color-blind or thinks everybody else is. But his crooning is mighty soothing. And so it goes—red, pink, green, purple, orange, sky-blue and here and there a dash of lavender.

Our local boys gladden the landscape with the sort of clothes I'd wear, too—only my wife won't let me. Stop, look, listen! That's our sartorial motto, and these jealous designers back east can kindly go jump in a dye-pot.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for November 14 THE CHRISTIAN MINISTER

LESSON TEXT—I Timothy 4:6-16; II Timothy 2:14. GOLDEN TEXT—Neglect not the gift that is in thee.—I Timothy 4:14. PRIMARY TOPIC—Two Brave Preachers. JUNIOR TOPIC—Two Brave Preachers. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why and How Ministers Are Trained. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Christian Minister in the Modern World.

"The Christian Minister"—there is no greater calling among men, but none is more often the target for misrepresentation and abuse by those outside, and all too often the victim of the carelessness, weakness, and sin of those within its own circle. On the other hand it has had, and continues to have to this day, within its ranks such a noble array of faithful and sacrificial men as would probably be impossible to duplicate in any other calling.

The study of today's lesson should arouse in the hearts of Christian people a high regard for the ministry as a calling, and a kindly purpose to aid their minister to live up to its glorious possibilities. Every true minister who studies it will find his spirit humbled before God in thanksgiving for the privilege of service, and in prayer that he may be forgiven for his failures and empowered for the work of the future.

The need for such a study is indicated in the verses just preceding our lesson, namely, I Timothy 4:1-5, where we read of the express warning of the Spirit of God that in the latter times there should be teaching and preaching which departed from the faith, substituting men's wisdom for God's Word. One who looks around him cannot but feel that we have fallen upon that evil day.

I. What to Preach (I Tim. 4:6-9).

The "good minister of Jesus Christ" preaches the words of God. To do this he must himself be "nourished" by them. Spare your preacher, serving on boards and committees, and encourage him to study his Bible.

Preacher, are you studying God's Book, learning and teaching "good doctrine"? If so you will have no interest in or time for "profane and old wives fables."

II. How to Preach (I Tim. 4:10-12).

1. Sacrificially (v. 10). The man who regards the ministry as a nice, easy, respectable occupation is not in the same calling as was the apostle Paul. In fact, there is nothing to indicate that he is in the Christian there is labor and suffering of reproach. This is not something to be borne in a spirit of resigned submission. The minister knows and "trusts in the living God," and gladly bears every responsibility with which God may entrust him.

2. Authoritatively (v. 11). The minister of Christ speaks for God. In doing so he teaches with assurance and is to "command" men in the Lord's name. All too often the servants of the Lord feed and act like "grasshoppers" (see Numbers 13:33), and everybody else regards them as feeble and impotent, when they should be "strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus" (II Tim. 2:1).

3. Actively (v. 12). Whether young or old, the minister is to be an example, a pattern in his active daily life. Note how discriminating is the scripture. He is to be a pattern for others in speech, manner of living, in love, in spirit, in faith, and in purity of life.

III. Who is to Preach (I Tim. 4:13-16).

1. The man who is divinely called (v. 14). God called Timothy; men recognized that call and ordained him to give his life to the exercise of his God-presented gift. This is the right order for our day.

2. The man who is properly prepared (vv. 13, 15-16). The ministry calls for the best preparation that a man can possibly obtain. He must know how to read God's Word, both publicly and privately. He is to be skilled in exhortation, and in teaching Christian doctrine.

In conclusion, let us consider the portion from II Timothy 2 which properly presents the work of the minister as that of a soldier at war against the world, the flesh, and the devil. He must be prepared to bear hardness, and he must not yield to the temptation to get into "side-lines," no matter how dignified and profitable they may be. His sole business is to serve and to please God.

What Education Means

The real object of education is to give children resources that will endure as long as life endures; habits that time will ameliorate, not destroy; occupation that will render sickness tolerable, solitude pleasant, age venerable, life more dignified and useful, and death less terrible.—Sydney Smith.

A Happy Man

Happy the man who sees a God employed in all the good and ill that hecker life.—Gowper.

AROUND the HOUSE Items of Interest to the Housewife

Shoes Must Have Air.—Do not keep your shoes in the boxes in which they were delivered. Shoes require air to preserve them and they should never be kept in an air-tight box. Keep them in a shoe bag.

Ox-Tail Pie.—Wash ox tail in salted water and joint; put into pan, cover with water, and simmer until almost cooked. Line bottom and sides of pie dish with slices of raw potato sprinkled with pepper and salt. Cover with strips

of bacon, then place ox tail in center and pour in stock; season and cover with more slices of potato. Cover with pastry and bake in a quick oven.

A Darning Ball.—A discarded electric light bulb makes a good darning ball.

Removing Blueing Spots.—Blueing spots on white clothing can be removed by boiling in clear water.

Sealing Fish.—Fish may be sealed easily by first dipping them into boiling water for a minute.

Serving Omelets.—Omelets should be placed on hot platters to keep them from falling.

Save Table Surface.—If you will place a folded cloth under a dish which contains foods to be beaten you'll find the table surface will be saved many marks and the dish will be kept steady.

Jiffy Blouse and Skirt Done in Plain Knitting



Here's simplicity itself—a jiffy knit that not only goes fast but is only plain knitting, no purling, throughout. What's more, it's made in two identical pieces (not counting the sleeves), seamed up front and back—no side seams. Make the blouse with long or short sleeves and a plain skirt. Pattern 1568 contains directions for making this blouse and a plain knitted skirt in sizes 16-18 and 38-40 (all given in one pattern); illustrations of blouse and stitches used; material requirements.

Send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) for this pattern to The Sewing Circle, Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y.

No Doubt 'Twas Just Some Minor Player

Mark Twain and William Dean Howells were discussing the meaning of the word "famous." Howells proclaimed Twain a famous man, but Mark denied this. After some discussion during which neither gave in, Mark Twain said, "Come in here," indicating a photograph shop, "we shall soon settle the question."

They entered and Twain stepped up to the clerk. "Will you give me a picture of Mark Twain?"

A troubled look passed over the clerk's face, and after scanning the myriads of photographs on the walls, she replied:

"In what does she play?"

Friends of the duke of Windsor when he was prince of Wales and Edward VIII, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sims will be hosts of the duke and his duchess during their forthcoming visit to Washington. Mr. Sims is an attaché of the British embassy.

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Climb the Mountains

Climb the mountains and enjoy their good tidings. Nature's peace will flow into you as sunshine flows into trees. The winds will blow their own freshness into you, and the storms their energy, while cares will drop away from you like the leaves of autumn.—John Muir.

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WE'LL SQUELCH THAT! KILL THOSE JOYS!

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WHY, GEORGE—HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN? WE'RE GOING TO THE THEATER—WE'VE PLANNED IT FOR WEEKS!

WELL, I SUPPOSE I'LL HAVE TO GO... BUT IT'S JUST LIKE YOU TO PICK THE NIGHT I FEEL THE WORST! YOU KNOW HOW BAD MY INDIGESTION IS... YOU KNEW I'D BE ALL IN!

YOU'RE ALWAYS ALL IN... AND IT'S YOUR OWN FAULT! IF YOU'D DO AS THE DOCTOR SAID AND GET RID OF YOUR COFFEE—NERVES, YOU WOULDN'T HAVE INDIGESTION!

THE DOCTOR TOLD YOU TO CUT OUT COFFEE... AND DRINK POSTUM INSTEAD! IF YOU WANT TO FEEL BETTER... WHY DON'T YOU FOLLOW HIS ADVICE?

OH, ALL RIGHT... I CAN'T FEEL ANY WORSE!

SORAM, MEN... WE'RE LICKED!

30 DAYS LATER

BOY, DON'T THEY HAVE FUN SINCE HE GOT RID OF HIS INDIGESTION?

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DON'T BE A GLOOM—DRINK POSTUM!

TH Snoopin' Around

By D. A. Davis

Folks, my cotton factory is getting off to a flying start. I've just about got it all figured out on paper. I think I'll name it the Pure Cotton Mills Company Incorporated under the laws of Maryland.

And when I get my factory going I'll turn it in to the tax assessors for about one-fourth its actual value and get around some more taxes. And then I'll have a president, vice president, chairman of the board, a lot of directors, a secretary, a treasurer and the like and allow them all large salaries.

And what's the matter of extracting the carbon black out of our gas, using the gas to run my factory and the carbon black to make black cotton cloth, which in turn can be made into black shirts.

And another thing. I honestly believe I could make a good heavy union suit that would keep you good and warm, with sleeves long enough to come to your wrist and the legs long enough to come down to your ankles.

I'm wondering why the makers of union suits are so dumb. They have "sippers" on almost every kind of men's wearing apparel except union suits.

So folks, if I start my cotton factory I'm going to make union suits with sippers.

Drunks on the streets again furnished activity for law enforcement officials over the week end.

Five men, arrested by county officers, entered pleas of guilty to drunk charges before Justice of the Peace George Paulmer, and drew fines of \$10 each.

THE CIRCUS STRONG MAN

The little circus had come to the little town with all the ballyhoo of a big circus. Their big ballyhoo was their strong man, billboarded as "the strongest man since Sampson."

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Tinnin and daughter visited in Pampa Saturday morning.

H. W. Brooks has renewed his subscription to The News.

Mrs. R. T. Dickinson visited in Amarillo last Thursday.

Ed Peirce was in Shamrock Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Halley and children were in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dennis were in Lefors Saturday.

Mrs. T. W. Smith visited in Pampa last week.

Mrs. Enloe Crisp of Alanreed visited in McLean Friday.

Miss Lola Ruth Stanfield of Shamrock visited here Saturday.

T. N. Holloway was in Shamrock Saturday.

L. S. Tinnin was in Amarillo Friday night.

Byrd and Jepp Neill were in Mineral Wells last week.

Mrs. E. W. Wharton of Pampa visited in McLean Saturday.

Coach G. B. Rush of Shamrock was in McLean Friday night.

Charlie Smith of Canadian was in McLean Friday.

Will Brodie of Canadian is visiting his son, Kenneth.

George Brown of Shamrock was in McLean Friday.

D. V. Biggers of Lefors was in McLean Friday.

J. P. Reeves visited in Wellington over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sharp were in Pampa Saturday.

Van Webb of Miami was in McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hindman visited at Vega the first of the week.

The How and Why of the National Unemployment Census

A nation-wide census of all unemployed and partially unemployed persons in the United States will be taken between the dates of November 16 to 20, by act of Congress, and at the direction of President Roosevelt.

Here, in question-and-answer form, is the information you need to know about this plan.

- 1. WHAT IS PURPOSE OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT CENSUS? To get an accurate count of the unemployed and partly unemployed.
2. TO WHOM WILL CARDS BE SENT? To every family in the United States.
3. UNDER WHOSE AUSPICES IS THE CENSUS BEING TAKEN? Congress has decreed, and the President has directed, that it be taken.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

The White House Washington

TO EVERY WORKER:

If you are unemployed or partly unemployed and are able to work and are seeking work, please fill out this report card right away and mail it before midnight, Saturday, November 20, 1937. No postage stamp is needed.

The Congress directed me to take this census. It is important to the unemployed and to everyone in this land that the census be complete, honest, and accurate. If you give me the facts, I shall try to use them for the benefit of all who need and want work and do not now have it.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

SCHOOL CURTAINS

Jerry Debenport abandoned a liquid diet today noon! The portly (and some are unkind enough to say pudgy), secretary of our local chamber of commerce has been engaged lately in a valiant attempt to reduce his bulging waistline to below the forties, by way of not eating.

Now, Jerry reasoned that if the saleswoman was correct in stating that he looked like a "two-by-four" (secretary), the pangs of hunger induced by his liquid dieting were no longer necessary—so he goes home and eats a square meal once again.

M. E. Rogers of Dunken, Okla., visited relatives here this week.

Roy Jones is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones at Sherrin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Tinnin and daughter were in Pampa Monday.

S. T. Greenwood of Alanreed was in McLean Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Campbell and daughter visited in Shamrock Thursday.

BETTER TOURIST CABINS

An organization has been formed to erect and operate standardized roadside inns along main highways of the nation so that automobile tourists may select overnight accommodations and know their quality and character in advance.

CHILLI SUPPER PLEASURES

A large crowd enjoyed the chilli supper and social given by the Methodist ladies Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

John G. Reese, Minister Bible study Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Young peoples meeting Sunday at 6:30 p. m.

Ladies' Bible class Tuesday afternoon at 2:15.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson of Canadian visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Upham visited relatives at White Deer Sunday.

C. G. Nicholson was in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Bob Lynch visited in Charendon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clifton of Alanreed were in McLean Thursday.

MEETING THE DEMANDS OF A PAMPERED PUBLIC

J. G. Erickson, expert on Swedish cooperatives, who for the past year has been making a study of food distribution in this country, recently said: "The food chains here are doing an excellent job, a job that as far as fair prices and quality of merchandise go, corresponds to what the consumer cooperatives are doing abroad."

It would be psychologically impossible to eradicate the blessings of modern mass merchandising. The consuming public, which has tasted the blessings of new methods, will tolerate nothing else. Hence, any merchandiser, or group of merchandisers, who is impelled to raise prices as a result of inefficiency or an insatiable desire for easy profits, will simply cut his own throat and remove himself from the field if public patronage.

And, as Mr. Erickson observed, punitive taxation directed against chain stores will inevitably injure the independents, for when the pressure of taxation artificially forces up chain store prices, a similar advance will creep onto the shelves of the independents.

A downward curve has been noted in the chain store tax craze. For the sake of all retailers—especially independents—it is to be hoped that it continues downward.

THE POOR MUST PAY

"One of the gravest indictments of the Congress which has just adjourned is its refusal even to think about our terrible tax mess," writes John T. Flynn in a syndicated article. "This responsibility belongs to no special party—both great parties ran away from the subject. A politician is more frightened by taxation than by any other form of menace."

During the last fiscal year, Federal, state and local taxes collected in the United States amounted to \$12,500,000,000. If every person who had an income of \$25,000 a year or more, had been taxed to the limit—100%—collections would have reached less than \$4,000,000,000, one-third of the tax load.

The taxpayer who provides the bulk of tax funds in this country, whether he knows it or not, is the average small-salaried worker—the man or woman earning \$20, \$30 or \$40 a week. Indirect taxes are the principal support of all units of government—taxes which are hidden in the cost of food, clothing, tobacco, amusements, gasoline, beauty preparations and everything we use.

We are not now paying anywhere near enough "taxes to meet present government expenditures, let alone reducing our nearly \$40,000,000,000 Federal debt. Only the poor man can furnish the tax money—there aren't enough rich men, if you take all they have.

Miss Leora Kinard of Pampa visited in McLean over the week end.

Chas. E. Cooke was in Pampa Saturday.

M. M. Newman was in Pampa and Amarillo Monday.

TIGER FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Table with columns: When, Who, Where. Rows include Nov. 11 vs Clarendon, Nov. 19 vs Shamrock, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Bidwell, Tucumcari, N. M., visited the late parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spaulding, Wednesday night.

Mayor Vester Smith returned Wednesday from a business trip to New York City. He was met in Oklahoma City by Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carver, Hominy, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers at Heald last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan are in Temple, where the former is having medical treatment.

Mrs. Greene of Amarillo visited her son, C. O. Greene, the first of the week.

Mrs. Mark Huseby and daughter of Mobeetie were in McLean Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell visited in Pampa Wednesday night.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES.—One insertion, 2c per word. Two insertions, 3c per word, etc. Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter.

No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week. All ads cash with order, unless you have a running account with The News.

FOR SALE

FARM for sale. Will take good town property part pay. J. A. Smulcer. 1p

FOR SALE.—Cane bundles, 3c; hegarri bundles, 4c; turnips 75c bu. at farm. W. M. Hinton. 1p

FOR SALE.—Farmall tractor, cheap for quick sale. 1 mile west Lefors. G. H. Baxter. 44-2p

TYPEWRITER ribbons, 60c; portable, 40c, at News office.

MECHANIC SALES PADS — 5c each, at News office.

MUSIC staff books at News office.

FREE.—Your name printed free on Christmas cards bought at the News office in minimum lots of 2 dozen.

FLOOR SWEEP sold in any amount from 10c up, at News office.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT.—Furnished apartment. Private bath and refrigerator. Mrs. Mattie Graham. 1p

APARTMENT for rent. Mrs. Willie Boyett. 1c

LOST AND FOUND

LOST.—Remington automatic 12 ga. shotgun. May have been borrowed. Will appreciate its return. Witt Springer. 1c

SORE GUMS-PYORRHEA

Heal your gums and save your teeth. It's simple. Just get a bottle of LETO'S PYORRHEA REMEDY and follow directions. Don't delay; do it now. LETO'S is always guaranteed. CITY DRUG STORE

BAD COMPLEXION CLEAR; GAS, HEADACHES GONE!

Mrs. Anna Hawlas had stubborn constipation and headaches for 25 years. Stomach GAS was so bad it seemed to bother her heart. Her complexion was pimply. She says: "ADLERIKA stopped my headaches, regulated my system and cleared my complexion. Now I can eat such foods as cabbage and beans without distress." ADLERIKA completely cleanses the bowels, washing out poisons that so often cause GAS, indigestion, bad skin and dull headaches. Never gripes. CITY DRUG STORE. P-5

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