

# THE McLEAN NEWS

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## C. of C. Votes Free Barbecue July Fourth

At an enthusiastic meeting of the chamber of commerce Monday night, it was voted to hold a free barbecue at Fourth of July celebration. All motions were declared "unanimously" carried by the chair, after an affirmative vote was called for, opposition being voiced. Several spoke in favor of having the celebration this year, some of whom had previously been unfavorable on account of local and world conditions. It was voted to revive the duck-tank, but discussion showed that advertising value of such a practice is doubtful and that some abuses were observed last year; so this plan was rescinded and it was voted to fine each man refusing to wear the form of western regalia 25c, and fine him in a cage on Main Street 30 minutes. Such penalty is to be imposed only on members of the chamber of commerce. It was agreed that the regalia may consist of a necktie on up to full drug-store boy outfit, at the discretion of the wearer. June 17 was set as the day to begin wearing the loud clothes. The finance committee reported awards of \$300 pledged for the barbecue, with several yet to see. Booster trips were discussed and the matter turned over to the publicity committee.

### With the Churches

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

John W. Myrose, Minister  
Sunday school 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
The morning service will be in observance of children's day, the subject being "Children in the Kingdom."  
"God in Your Life" will be the evening subject.  
Junior Christian Endeavor meets at 7 p. m. and senior Endeavor at 8 p. m.  
The ladies meet Tuesday at 3:30.

#### PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH

W. R. Maxwell, Pastor  
Sunday services as follows  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m.  
P. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m.  
Evangelistic service 8 p. m.  
Next Sunday is regular foreign missionary day.  
Week-day services:  
H. M. S. Monday, 2 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday night.  
Preaching Saturday night.

#### HENRY MAXWELL HONORED

Rev. Henry Maxwell was honored Monday evening at the Pentecostal Holiness Church, the occasion being his 21st birthday. The affair was sponsored by the M. S., directed by Mrs. L. K. Armaty, vice president. The following program was given: Group singing led by Elmer Decker, Elmer Decker playing the accompaniment. Concert prayer. Mixed quartet, "Rock of Ages Keep My Soul"—Mr. and Mrs. Decker, Miss Edna Smith and Henry Maxwell. Reading "The End of Road"—Miss Edna Joyce McMullen. The older folk, led by C. H. Puckett, gave talks on "The Youth of My Day." Duet, "Last Mile of the Way"—Misses Wilda Joyce McMullen and Mary Cash. Scripture and address, "The Youth of Today"—Mrs. Ola Worley. Remarks—Henry Maxwell. Song, "Happy Birthday." Supper was served in the basement to a large number of friends. Gifts were presented to the honoree.

Mrs. R. H. Wells and daughter of Marshall are visiting their sister and son, Mrs. Porter Smith.

Mrs. Tarpley of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cash of Pampa visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCracken of Pampa were in McLean Thursday.

## McLean Chapter Eastern Star Installs Officers

By Special Reporter.  
Public installation of officers for the year 1940-41, of McLean chapter No. 239, Order of the Eastern Star, was held at the Masonic hall May 31, beginning at 8 p. m. The meeting was opened with the regular march followed by one blow of the gavel. The group sang "America," after which the chaplain led in prayer. The worthy patron made the welcome address, after which a trio composed of Misses Evonne Floyd, Mary Evelyn Foster and Ruth Bond sang "River, Stay Way from My Door."  
An editorial entitled "Americanism" was read by Mrs. Pearl Bogan. The retiring worthy matron, Mrs. Vera Powers, who has worked so faithfully and given generously of her time, made her farewell address. She then asked her officers to retire and the worthy installing officer, Mrs. Eva Rogers, took charge. The installing chaplain led in prayer. Then the installing marshal, Mrs. Sallie Lou Campbell, called the new officers and a semi-circle was formed on the west side of the altar. The obligation was taken and the marshal seated the officers, each one being installed in order. After the marshal declared the officers regularly installed, the worthy matron-elect took charge. All officers were present except one. The worthy matron, Mrs. Evelyn Ballard, gave a short incoming address. Mrs. Ballard presented her officers miniature gavels as souvenirs. The associate matron, Mrs. Evelyn Stubblefield, presented the past matron with a past matron's pin, and the past patron a picture of the O. E. S. signet. Under the supervision of Mrs. Powers and the decorating committee, the hall was very attractively decorated with red roses and spring flowers. Mrs. Powers also assisted the program and refreshment committees.

From a lace covered table the worthy matron-elect, with other members, served lime sherbet and cookies to over 100 members and guests. Officers for the ensuing year are as follows:  
Worthy Matron—Mrs. Evelyn Ballard.  
Worthy Patron—W. E. Bogan.  
Associate Matron—Mrs. Evelyn Stubblefield.  
Associate Patron—Sam Branch.  
Secretary—Mrs. Cora Vannoy.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Era Kibler.  
Conductress—Mrs. Lois Jones.  
Associate Conductress—Miss Clara Anderson.  
Marshal—Mrs. Vera Powers.  
Chaplain—Mrs. Pearl Bogan.  
Organist—Mrs. Willie Boyett.  
Ada—Mrs. Julia Van Bubber.  
Ruth—Mrs. Mildred Gilbert.  
Esther—Mrs. Opal Prary.  
Martha—Mrs. Carrie Kirby.  
Electa—Mrs. Pauline Hunt.  
Warder—Mrs. Marguerite Batson.  
Sentinel—Mrs. Sallie Lou Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Bidwell of Tucumcari, N. M., visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks, Sunday night.  
Mrs. T. A. Landers and Miss Fern Landers visited in Clarendon and Amarillo Sunday and Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kinard of Dalhart visited relatives here over the week end.  
Gene Worley of Shamrock was shaking hands with voters here Wednesday.  
C. G. Nicholson was in Pampa on business Friday.  
E. L. Sitter renews for the home paper this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Bourland of Rockledge were in McLean Saturday.  
Miss Marie Hornsby has returned from college at Franklin Springs, Ga.

## Baptist Revival Begins Sunday a. m.

PASTOR



REV. TROY A. SUMRALL  
Pastor First Baptist Church, who will preach the first week of the revival.

SINGER



PROF. J. C. COHEN  
of Palestine, who will lead the revival song services.

EVANGELIST



REV. T. D. SUMRALL  
of the Central Baptist Church of Pampa, who will preach the second week of the revival.

### LIONS CLUB SPONSORS SOAP BOX DERBY

McLean Lions voted to sponsor the soap box derby to be held at Pampa, after hearing a talk on the subject by Judge Sherman White at Tuesday's luncheon.

The entrants from McLean will be under the direction of the boys' and girls' committee consisting of W. W. Boyd, W. E. Bogan and Joe Dowlin.

Besides Judge White, visitors included Charlie Thut and D. M. Dickley of Pampa, Rev. Troy A. Sumrall, Rev. John W. Myrose, T. J. Coffey, and Jesse Cobb of Dallas.

### RED CROSS FUNDS NEEDED

According to Local Chairman Chas. Cousins the drive for Red Cross war relief funds has slackened and McLean is away behind with her quota. It is hoped that the drive may be completed soon, with a full quota turned over to National authorities.

Those giving since last report: N. A. Barker \$1, Rev. Leroy M. Brown \$1, J. H. Bodine 50c, Mrs. Maud M. Stokely \$2, Cobb's 5c to \$1 Store \$2.50, C. G. Nicholson \$1.

### SINGERS TO KELLERVILLE

The Gray County Singing Convention will meet with the Kellerville singers Sunday afternoon, June 9, at 1:30, according to Rev. Chas. W. Sargent, pastor of the Kellerville Methodist Church.

"Singers everywhere are invited to meet in the school auditorium, where we will be able to seat 300 or more," says Rev. Sargent.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff and children of Iraan visited friends here last Thursday. Rev. Goff, who is a former pastor of the First Baptist Church of McLean, says they enjoy the weekly visits of the News.

Mr. and Mrs. Les D. Brinton of Santa Rita, N. M., and Miss Katherine Kimble of Albuquerque, N. M., visited the ladies' sister, Mrs. Creed Bogan, over the week end. They were enroute to Minnesota.

C. A. Watkins and daughter were in Amarillo Friday to visit their son and brother, Tommie, who had been moved from a Fort Worth hospital to Amarillo to have a leg removed.

John T. Wood has returned to his home at Pataluma, Calif., after a visit with his brother, Dewey, and family.

Margaret Weaver was a member of the graduating class of W. T. S. C. at Canyon last week.

Rev. Troy A. Sumrall has bought the Jesse Cobb residence on Waldron Street.

Miss Lou Brock is a new reader of the News.

Mrs. O. G. Stokely has our thanks for a subscription renewal this week.

Kenneth Hodges of Dallas visited in McLean Monday.

Miss Dorothy Sitter has returned from school at Columbia, Mo.

### METHODIST LAYMEN'S PROGRAM AND RECITAL

Sunday will be Laymen's Day at the First Methodist Church, and men of the church will have charge of the morning service. An organ and song recital will be given at the evening hour.

Prof. Wendell Heiny of the Blackburn-Shaw quartet of Amarillo will be present. Mrs. Heiny, pipe organist for the San Jacinto Christian Church will play the newly installed electric organ. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend both services.

### PAMPA BOOSTERS HERE

A motorcade of Pampa boosters, accompanied by a school band and loud speaker outfit, were in McLean Tuesday morning, advertising their Fiesta celebration.

A special invitation was given McLean hose owners to enter the parade, and all who desire to do so are asked to communicate with F. O. Gurley or Sheriff Cal Rose. Tickets to the Coronado show were left at the City Drug Store to be sold at a reduced price until the day the Fiesta opens.

### B. T. U's. HAVE PICNICS

Members of the junior adult and senior training unions of the First Baptist Church enjoyed picnic outings last Friday evening.

The adults had a weiner roast at Skillet Creek, and the seniors went to the city park for a steak fry.

### HICKS AT TEXAS STATION

J. T. Hicks is back in the service station business at the Texas Station No. 2, and will be glad to have everyone visit him at this location. See announcement and tire bargain on another page.

A late word from Mayor Vester Smith, who is at Johns Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore, Md., states that he is recovering nicely and is expected home within the next ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kuykendall and children of Mobeetie visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rainwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cobb and children of Dallas visited here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Freeman and daughter of Skellytown visited here Sunday.

Born, May 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown, a 7½ pound boy named Clyde Richard.

Miss Loyce Thacker has returned from a visit in Oklahoma.

Martin Waldren of Pampa was in McLean Tuesday.

Jack Reeves of Alanreed was in McLean Wednesday.

Tom Clark of Pampa was in McLean the first of the week.

### DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

According to Rev. John W. Myrose, minister of the First Presbyterian Church, a daily vacation Bible school will open at the church Monday morning and continue for two weeks.

The school will be free to all children of the town, 4 to 14 years old, and instructors for each age group will be furnished. Sessions will be held from 9 to 11:30 a. m. each week day.

### BAPTISTS TO DEDICATE CHURCH FREE OF DEBT

Members of the First Baptist Church will dedicate the church building entirely free of debt, on the fifth Sunday in this month.

Former pastors and members will be invited to attend, and lunch will be served in the church dining room at noon.

The church, which was built in 1928, has just recently had Sunday school rooms finished in the basement, a grand piano placed in the auditorium, new upholstered choir chairs and neon sign installed, as well as other improvements made.

### ERWINS AT PANHANDLE

Rev. W. A. Erwin, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, is holding a cooperative revival for the Methodist and Christian churches at Panhandle this week. His brother, Prof. Horace Erwin, is leading the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bogan and son, Jack, went to San Antonio last week end to visit their son and brother, C. W. Young Bogan is with the army air corps now stationed in Panama.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks visited their daughter, Mrs. D. C. Regal, in Amarillo Tuesday. Little Miss Janet Regal returned with them for a few days' visit.

Mrs. W. F. Harrell, Mrs. Myles Nixon and son of Ballinger are visiting their father and grandfather, C. A. Cash and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer and children visited at Childress Saturday.

C. M. Carpenter made a business trip to Pampa Wednesday.

Bill Bundy and Dr. Yates of Oklahoma City were here Wednesday.

Mrs. Belle Henderson has renewed for the home paper.

Prof. Anthony Hunt of Kellerville was in town Wednesday.

Paris Hess is home from school at College Station.

Arle Carpenter of Lefors was in McLean Friday.

Miss Leta Mae Phillips has returned from school at Denton.

Miss Violet Jean Turnbow of Clayton, N. M., visited here last week.

A series of revival services will begin at the First Baptist Church Sunday and continue two weeks, according to an announcement by Pastor Troy A. Sumrall.

The pastor will do the preaching for the first week, then Rev. T. D. Sumrall of the Central Baptist Church of Pampa will preach for the remainder of the meeting.

Rev. T. D. Sumrall is a brother of the pastor and needs no introduction to the people of McLean, having held a meeting here once before.

Prof. J. C. Cohen from Palestine, a converted Jew, will lead the song services. Prof. Cohen has a statewide reputation as a singer and personal worker. He comes to McLean Monday night from Shamrock, where he assisted Rev. Douglas Carver in a two-weeks' revival, and where his vocal numbers are reported as the high-lights of the meeting.

An orchestra is being organized to be directed by Jack Young. All people of the town are invited to attend and take part in the services.

Services will be held each morning and evening during the campaign.

### SEWING CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. LANDERS

The 1934 Sewing Club met for an all session with Mrs. T. A. Landers last Friday, with a turkey dinner served at noon.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames C. S. Rice, T. N. Holloway, W. E. Bogan, C. M. Carpenter, T. A. Landers.

Mesdames J. M. Noel, J. W. Story, I. D. Shaw, D. A. Davis, Alma Turman, Byrd Guill, Wheeler Foster, Callie Haynes, S. A. Kunkel, J. S. Howard, S. W. Rice, Ellen Wilson, W. B. Upham.

Misses Eunice Stratton, Jewell Cousins and Fern Landers.

### MARINE STRENGTH INCREASED

According to word received this week by Postmaster Johnnie R. Back, an authorized increase of 9,000 men for the U. S. Marine Corps has been approved by Congress, bringing the strength of the Corps up to 34,000.

Young men between 18 and 30 years of age, white, single and without dependents, not less than 64 nor more than 74 inches tall have had one year high school and of good moral character are eligible for enlistment. Those under 21 years of age must have the consent of parents or guardians.

### HOME EC CLASS PICNIC

The summer home economics class being taught by Miss Faye Crossland went to McClellan Creek last Friday for a picnic.

Glen A. Parks former minister of the McLean Church of Christ, who accepted a call at Clovis, N. M., has been called to the church at Haynesville, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins, Mrs. J. W. Story and Miss Jewell Cousins attended graduating exercises at the University of Oklahoma Sunday. Miss Rosalie Cousins was a member of the graduating class.

Mrs. H. W. Finley and son, James Edwin, visited their son and brother, Charles, at Dallas over the week end.

Mrs. C. C. Mead and little son of Miami visited relatives here this week.

### BIRTHDAYS

June 9—Clyde Carpenter, Johnnie Mae Boyd, Mrs. Arlie Lankford, Kid McCoy, Scott Johnston, Marian Rupe.

June 10—Mrs. Homer Abbott, Cliff Callahan, C. M. Jones, Skin Counts.

June 11—Jack Carpenter, Joe Bill Dodson.

June 12—Mrs. R. L. Buskirk, E. J. Windom, Jr., Wanda Estes.

June 13—Mrs. Floyd Andrews, Marje Ruth Fowler.

June 14—Mrs. May Watson, June Young.

June 15—Mrs. C. M. Carpenter, Lorraine Hodges, J. A. Brawley, Billie Jean Young.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY ROGER SHAW

## Surrender by Belgium Marks New Phase in the World War; Germans Hold Channel Ports

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)  
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A strange refugee problem has arisen in Paris, France, because of the current war. While thousands of Parisians have fled to outlying sectors to avoid possible bombing raids by the Germans, still other thousands of refugees have been pouring into the city from all over France, Holland and Belgium. Just as in the World War of 1914-18, the French government is providing food and shelter for these people. In the above photo, a family of Belgians, sadfaced, is being fed in a Paris center.

### THE WAR:

#### Belgien Surrender

Probably one of the most epochal days in history occurred when King Leopold of Belgium ordered his troops to lay down arms and surrender. How long would France and Britain continue to wage war, was the question immediately raised. The whole war's outcome was thus thrown into the balance.

The mechanized, motorized, and air-gear German army continued its channel sweep in a wheeling semi-circle, which began at Cambrai and Bapaume, and took in Abbeville, at the channel mouth of the Somme river, and then coastal Boulogne and Calais. Calais is exactly across from English Dover, and only 20 miles distant. Boulogne was Napoleon's headquarters when he tried to invade England in 1805.

German flyers came more and more to dominate the channel, making the work of English troop transports exceedingly difficult. For reinforcements from England, or retreaters to England, were bombed mercilessly from the air, as at least half a million allied troops appeared caught in a horrible steel trap of the channel drive, the Germans were in Antwerp, leaving the allies only the channel ports of Dunkirk (French) and Ostend (Belgian). Paris, pro tem, had been left "neglected"—for the Germans were said to be considering a separate peace with France, a peace some Frenchmen were reported as not unwilling to accept.

### V COLUMN:

#### In England

While Sir Anthony Eden's anti-parachute "sharpies" had increased to half a million game-keepers, unemployed, flaming youths, and Colonel Blimps, Scotland Yard cracked down on the so-called English Fifth Column. Sir Oswald Mosley, World war flyer at 18 and son-in-law of the late foreign minister, Lord Curzon, had headed the British fascists' organization, and opposed the II German war. Five Yard detectives took him in. The Yard also grabbed off Archibald Ramsay, Eton Conservative and aristocratic member of parliament, and John Beckett, a former M. P. who loves a roughhouse.

Parliament passed a tough Treachery Bill, but the Irish Republican army merely smiled. This dangerous secret society has been actively anti-British, and definitely fifth-columnar. The I. R. A. made England feel that Ireland might be a base for German invasion of the Britanic midriff, even though Ireland's Premier De Valera vigorously opposes the "bomber-bhoys." Also, it was expected that the new English dictatorship would launch out against the English communists. British Labor appeared especially enthusiastic over Churchill's mailed fist in a kid glove. Nevertheless, Churchill's niece and Mosley's present wife are sisters. A third sister is Hitler's English girl-friend, Valkyrie.



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### FORODDS & FORENDS:

The British government kicked the women and children out of Gibraltar, that "firm" imperialist rock at the western gate of the Mediterranean.

The liner President Roosevelt got off for Ireland, to pick up stranded American refugees from England. The state department warned the belligerent powers to let it alone. The sister liner President Harding, sold to Belgium, had recently been bombed to the bottom by German flyers.

### U. S. DEFENSE:

#### Billions

The critics went to work on Roosevelt's plan for 50,000 airplanes, and an extra appropriation of a billion dollars. How much would 50,000 airplanes really cost? And how many men would it take to staff them, and operate them? The experts began to figure.

They discovered that at the price England and France pay for aircraft, 50,000 planes would cost at least six billions. The American aviation professionals backed up this astonishing sum. Then our air chief put it at seven billions. But this was not all. It takes thirty men per plane, to keep it properly conditioned and piloted. Hence, it would take 1,500,000 men to run our 50,000-plane aerial armada.

These, plus the force of 750,000 regulars now talked about, would make for an army of over 2,000,000 men, mostly air force. And there came the rub—for an army of 2,250,000 (minimum) would mean nothing less than universal, costly conscription. But, asked the critics, didn't Roosevelt know that a mere billion dollars would buy and equip comparatively few airplanes?

Meanwhile, America's three best practical military critics, Lindbergh, Rickenbacker (our No. 1 ace), and General Smedley Butler of the marines, expressed the belief that the United States was quite safe, and endeavored to allay current hysteria, most evident in the U. S. on the eastern seaboard.

### PUTTERINGS:

#### On Potomac

The senate appropriated nearly two billions for the war department, by 74-0. Also, it appropriated nearly a billion and a half for the navy department, by 78 to 0. Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau talked with a hundred representatives of the country's aviation plants, but it didn't seem to amount to much. The navy department then clapped on a 48-hour week in its naval yards, and hired 15,000 additional civilian workers.

Chairman Dies, of the Dies committee, shuddered over the fifth column at work in the United States. Dies primarily assailed Russia and the communists, whom apparently he still dislikes more than Germany. Roosevelt is inclined to prefer Russia, but for once he said something nice about Dies & Co. Roosevelt had asked congress to approve the transfer of the immigration-naturalization service, from the labor department to the department of justice, in order to "deal" with fifth-columnar extremists.

Roosevelt said that a coalition Republico-Demo-cabinet was simply "cock-eyed." But he had talked to Landon and Knox, last-time Republican candidates, and Landon asked him to give up third-termite aspirations—which, carpers said, led to a Roosevelt-Republican deadlock and the "cock-eyed" verdict. Weather prophets predicted an unusually dirty presidential campaign for 1940, and some people accused Roosevelt of exploiting the European war to promote third-termite.

### RELIGION:

#### The Lutherans

America's third biggest Protestant denomination is that of Martin Luther, with well over 4,000,000 adherents. But more than 50 per cent of the world's Lutherans are now under Nazi rule, it was divulged. This includes Germany proper and Germany "improper." Germany "improper" takes in the Lutherans of Norway, Denmark, Slovakia and Poland. Holland is Calvinist, Belgium is Catholic.

### Harvard Blitzkrieg



As a history instructor, Paul E. Cram, of Harvard university at Cambridge, Mass., lectured to his class that America should enter the war or become a second rate power, the student above marched in protest against U. S. intervention. The youth called himself and a companion (not pictured) members of the Harvard committee for the Recognition of Classroom Generals.

### AND IN FRANCE:

#### More Trouble

French Premier Reynaud indulged in caustic criticism of his own army, an unusual thing in wartime, and one important French general—an army head—was captured (allegedly) in a tank, as he took a first-hand look at the front lines. This general had been captured, too, in the I German war. His staff, it was believed, had been taken along with him. But Reynaud, no soldier himself, made fight talks and stressed his solidarity with the English. Meanwhile, it turned out that the allied plane production had sunk to 1,000 per month, to the German 3,000—a shrinkage of 25 per cent at a bad time. German airplanes claimed to have bombed and sunk six more British transports in the channel, though three hospital ships, filled with British wounded, succeeded in getting through the merciless Nazi barrage.

### PROVE ANYTHING:

#### By Statistics

Paris: Germans lost 1,000 planes in two weeks!

London: Germans lost 1,500 planes in two weeks!

Berlin: Allies lost 2,100 planes in two weeks!

At Rotterdam, in hapless Holland, the allies said 100,000 civilians perished, but the Germans said 300. The allies said only 10,000 of Berlin's 500,000 automobiles were still running.

Paris said the Germans had lost 500,000 men in their Dutch-Belgian-French offensive, but Berlin said the German loss, then, was about 12,000.

London said eight British Hurricane planes completely routed 35 German Junkers planes. Of the 35 Germans, 37 were reported as shot down, or "riddled"! And again, six Hurricanes "took on" 20 Messerschmitts. In return, the "modest" Germans merely claimed they hadn't seen an enemy plane in a week!

### NAMES

... in the news

Rev. Dr. William Lindsay Young, president of Park college, Missouri, was chosen moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States. This election took place at the 152nd Presbyterian general assembly, held at Rochester, N. Y. There were six candidates. Simultaneously, Aaron Copland was elected president of the American Composers Alliance in New York city.

Said Mayor LaGuardia of New York: "The only way to escape international complications is to get off the earth, and we are not ready for that." And the mayor said other things not calculated to help him with New York's Italian and nationalist voters. Then he joined the Committee for the Defense of America Through Aid to the Allies. A Negro with the unusual name of Alfonso Jansen got (maybe) an even more unusual sentence, in New York. He slapped the face of Susie Hall, and the judge asked her for a suitable penalty. Susie said: Send Jansen back to Africa for 1,000 years. The judge replied that he'd think it over.

Alfred Duff Cooper, recently an English propagandist in the United States, and now the official English propaganda minister, said that English and French defeats had done more for the cause of the allies than eight months of propaganda. Duff Cooper has been a special student of that tricky French diplomat, M. de Talleyrand. And Sir Samuel Hoare, air minister in the Chamberlain cabinet till Churchill fired him to please British Labor, was named for a propaganda mission to Spain, in an effort to detach Dictator Franco from Dictator Mussolini.

## WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON  
(Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

NEW YORK.—In the last nine years, this typewriter has reported on the achievements of about 7,000 Americans distinguished in the arts of war and peace. If the appraisal of personnel resources is important in a critical hour, the record of this file is encouraging. Hitler has not repealed the axiom that the whole is equal to the sum of all its parts; and that being the case, this onlooker is convinced that we have what it takes, considering, particularly, the requirements for courage and highly specialized ability.

Today's citations of individual preparedness are Rear Admiral John H. Towers, ranking aviation officer of the navy, and Major General H. H. Arnold, chief of the army air corps. They are flexibly minded men who never have been grounded by precedent. They came all the way up from primitive and hazardous aviation, and from their altitude they have seen farther over the horizon than most of the rest of us. And they warned us.

Admiral Towers is the only survivor of the first three men assigned to naval aviation in 1911. Commander John Rodgers was killed in 1926, and Commander T. G. Ellyson in 1928. Towers himself has had many a close brush with death. It was in May, 1919, that he commanded the transatlantic flight of the wobbly, but determined NC4. He and his mates, sagging down to the sea, taxied 60 hours over 205 miles to the Azores. In 1913, he was bucked out of a lurching seaplane, caught a strap as he fell and dropped 1,700 feet with the hurtling plane into Chesapeake bay.

The navy's No. 1 flier was born in Rome, Ga., in 1886. Glenn Curtiss taught him to fly at Hammondsport, N. Y. Succeeding Rear Admiral Cook, he became a rear admiral and head of the bureau of naval aeronautics in June, 1939. He is a West Pointer of the class of 1906.

Major General Arnold, known in the air corps as "Happy" Arnold, for obvious reasons, was assigned to aviation in 1911 and trained by the Wright brothers, at Dayton, Ohio. In 1912 he caught the attention of the then complacent country by riding a clattering chain and sprocket job 30 miles around Washington. In the same year, he coaxed a quaint sort of Currier and Ives plane up to the perilous height of 6,540 feet. It was a national sensation. They began calling him the "ride 'em cowboy" of the air.

When the World War started we had 35 pilots and 55 planes. Lieutenant Arnold was clamoring for more then, and, as general, he has been out in front of the last year, insisting that air strength would decide any modern war.

One of his most notable achievements was his brilliant leadership of a hazardous plane survey over the Alaska mountain ranges. He is a native of Gladwyn, Pa., and was graduated from West Point in 1907.

REAR ADMIRAL Samuel M. Robinson blames delay in ship construction to restrictive labor laws, short work weeks and inadequate appropriations.

Adm. Robinson Rates High as Navy Appraiser

As coordinator of ship construction, he is cast in an important role in the hard-pressing enterprise of naval expansion. He is chief of the navy bureau of engineering, appointed September 13 and appears in the opening arguments primarily as a technician rather than as a policy adviser. When and if there is a decision as to just what we want to defend, what will be needed to defend it, and how much it will cost, Admiral Robinson will no doubt score highly in the technical "information please." He is 58 years old, a native of Eulogy, Texas, was graduated from West Point in 1899 and engaged thereafter in never spectacular, but crucially important naval engineering.

A FRIEND of mine, who until a few months ago had lived in Italy several years, tells me that Crown Prince Humbert of Italy not only is a holdout against the Fascist regime, but that he has a tremendous personal following which he could and would launch against Italy's entry into the war. My friend believes that his opposition to the axis and the war must have been sharpened by the fact that his wife, the former Princess Marie Jose, is a daughter of the late King Albert of Belgium.

## PATTERN DEPARTMENT



Pattern No. 8719 is designed for sizes 11, 13, 15, 17 and 19. Size 13 dress requires 3 1/2 yards of 35-inch fabric without nap. Bolero, 1 1/4 yards. 1 1/4 yards for shorts. 3 1/4 yards bias fold required to trim.

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### HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

If liquid in which olives are bottled is thrown away when bottle is opened, olives may be kept indefinitely if olive oil is poured over them after they are put back into bottle.

When lighting a birthday cake always light the candles in the middle first and those on outside last.

When refilling a feather pillow crush a small block of camphor and mix in with the feathers. This will keep the feathers "fresh" and will help to preserve them.

After a blanket has been washed and dried pin it on the line and beat with a carpet-beater. This makes the blanket beautifully soft and fluffy.

Art gum may be used to clean gloves, shoes, and wall paper.



Safety in Depth  
Lowliness is the base of every virtue, and he who goes the lowest builds the safest.—Bailey.

## Look 20 Years beyond the Refrigerator you buy today



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When you buy an electric refrigerator, look wisely to the future. Look 10 years ahead... or 20. Look beyond the refrigerator as it stands today, new and bright and gleaming. Visualize the greater needs which it may be called to meet in the years to come. Consider the satisfactions of service well rendered that can come only from a product ably engineered and ably built by an organization experienced in precision manufacturing.

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# NORGE

**Auto Quiz No. 2**



1. Quit your skidding and give us the correct answer to this one: If your car starts to skid on a wet or icy pavement the best thing to do is to — (a) throw out the clutch and apply the brakes sharply. (b) leave the clutch in and apply the brakes carefully. (c) throw out the clutch and apply the brakes carefully. (d) shift into second gear and apply the hand brake.

2. If, in spite of your precautions, you do go into a skid, you will keep cool, keep a firm grip on the wheel, and steer — (a) straight ahead. (b) in the direction you are skidding. (c) in the direction opposite to that in which you are skidding.

3. You'll find that only one of these methods will enable you to cross slippery street car tracks or icy ruts without difficulty — (a) ease into the tracks or ruts, then speed up and gradually work your wheels out on the other side. (b) slow down and cross at as wide an angle as possible. (c) slow down and cross in as nearly a parallel position as possible.

Answers on editorial page.

**News from Pakan**

Sam Pakan, John Mertel and Edward Cadra were in Lubbock Friday. They were accompanied home by Godfrey Cadra, who had been attending Texas Tech.

Mike Cadra of Chicago arrived Friday evening to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Betty Ptak of Amarillo spent the week end with her mother and father, Mrs. Anna Ptak and Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Valencik of Chicago arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with the former's father, the Valencik. They continued on their trip to points in Florida, Thursday.

Miss Chloe Hanes of Canyon arrived Tuesday night to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hanes. Miss Hanes is attending W. T. S. C.

Miss Olga Hrncliar of Amarillo is spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

The young people of the Pakan community enjoyed a party at the school house Thursday night. Games were played and cake and ice cream served to about 25 guests. Everyone reported a nice time.

The Pakan 4-H Club girls enjoyed a weiner roast at the roadside park Wednesday night. After the recreation and picnic, the girls attended a show in Shamrock. Those attending were Louise Risian, sponsor; Anna Mertel, Chloe Hanes, Ruth Deering, Adella Cadra, Dorothy Mertel, Ellen Hrncliar, Helen Hana, Helen Hrncliar and Eleanor Hanes.

Miss Grace Stauffer of this community and Mr. Wilmer L. Waggoner Skellytown were married Saturday morning at the Stauffer home. They are for a trip to Colorado.

Clara—Haven't I always been fair to you?

Knite—Yes, but I want you to be fair and warmer.

Mrs. Ed Clifton of Alanreed visited Mrs. Arnold Sharp Friday.

**News from Ramsdell**

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Knutson and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Knutson and children spent Sunday evening in the Z. T. Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Malone, Jr., Elsie, Annie and Cleo Jones and Mrs. L. D. Knutson visited Mrs. N. J. Walker at Memphis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Washburn and son, Billie Joe, spent the week end with L. D. Langley and family.

A. R. Malone and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Washburn and family spent Sunday evening in the Harry Gordon home.

Bud Valle visited in the L. D. Langley home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Malone, Jr., visited in the W. E. Rainwater home Wednesday night.

**EDITOR IS APPRECIATED**

All this talk about an editor not being appreciated is nonsense. We read of an account where an editor in a nearby county was presented a handsome bouquet by a number of fellow citizens. On the same occasion a few songs were sung and the minister made a brief talk. After the minister's talk, six friends took this popular editor from the house and placed him in a model 1940 plumed sedan, and the whole town stood at attention.

Later the appreciative crowd returned to their homes, serene in the thought of having provided one bright day in the life of their local news purveyor—even if they did have to wait until he was dead to do so.

—E. H. Little, in the Holt (Mich.) Recorder.

Ah, those were the good old days when you could kiss a girl and taste nothing but girl.—Old Timers.

Miss Shirley Johnston of Denton visited home folks here over the week end.

**BUD MARTIN**



Bud Martin Wheeler county attorney, who is making a strong bid for the office of district attorney, was in this vicinity the past few days in the interest of his candidacy. Friends of the popular young attorney are optimistic over his chances of election, due to numbers of pledges of support given in Gray, Lipscomb, Roberts and Wheeler counties. Mr. Martin is an honor graduate of the Texas University Law School, and he invites voters to investigate his qualifications and fitness for office to the fullest extent, assuring them of his appreciation of such consideration of his claims.

**News from Liberty**

Sunday school at 11 a. m. Preaching each Sunday night.

Miss Imogene Myatt, who has been visiting her parents the past two weeks, left Thursday for Dallas, where she will take a three months' course in pediatrics before going to Lubbock to finish her nurse's training.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham and Orville Cunningham went to Abilene Sunday to attend graduating exercises of Hardin-Simmons University, their son and brother, Larry, receiving his degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Stokes and sons, Mrs. Kate Stokes and Mrs. Ella Stewart visited relatives in Borger Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Stewart returned Thursday from an extended visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham of Memphis visited relatives in this community last week.

Several families from this community enjoyed a picnic and supper at Sandspur Lake Sunday afternoon. Those enjoying the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth, Betty and J. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis, Kenneth and Dorothy Sue; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lively and children, J. W. Lively, Andy and Troy Corbin. Olen Davis was in Amarillo Monday.

Barber—You are getting bald, sir. Do you know what is causing it?

Feddup—I don't know, but I suspect that my hair falling out has something to do with it.

Mrs. Porter Smith and son, accompanied by Mrs. R. H. Wells and daughter, were in Amarillo Friday.

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We believe federal relief expenditures would have accomplished more lasting good if all relief had been devoted to the construction of good roads. Instead of a lot of useless projects that are of little value after they are completed, the country would have a system of all-weather roads that would always be of service and value.

We believe that federal funds could have been distributed through the present national, state and county highway setups with less overhead than the system in use requires. Under this plan a series of super federal highways could have been built as a part of the preparedness program. State highways could have been built by state highway setups and county roads by county setups.

There is enough road work of this kind needed to keep all idle labor busy in this country for the next fifty years. By extending the road building program into the counties, employment could be given the unemployed in the neighborhood in which they live.—Gazette, Kremmerer, Wyoming.

Mrs. Dowagers—And do you like to play golf very well, Mr. Whifflebotham?

Whifflebotham—Oh, yes, quite. But somehow I never seem able to play it that way.

M. M. Newman was in Pampa Friday.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

OF THE ESTATE OF R. L. HARLAN, DECEASED:

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of R. L. Harlan, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 15th day of April, 1940, in the County Court of Gray County Texas.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to us, or either of us within the time prescribed by law, at the post office address of Box 221, Pampa, or at McLean, Gray County, Texas.

W. F. HARLAN and TEXOLA HARLAN RAILSBACK, Executors of the estate of R. L. Harlan, Deceased.

Near Waterloo, N. Y., there are three scythes growing in a tree. In 1861 the farmer, named Johnson, who owned the balsam poplar, hung his scythe in the crotch of the tree and went off to the civil war. He told his wife not to touch the scythe until he came back. He never returned, and the tree has now grown entirely around the blade. The other two scythes were hung there by two sons of the present owner when they went off to the world war.—The Dairyman's League News, New York.

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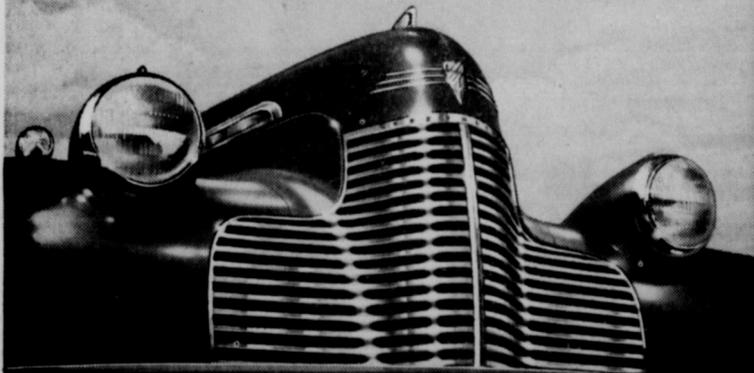
**FATHER'S DAY**

On Father's Day you will want to remember him with a nice gift. We have many gift items that will please Father and be a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness for many months.

**CITY DRUG STORE**

"More Than a Merchant" Roger Powers, Manager

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By ED WHEELAN



### LALA PALOOZA - The Ugly Duckling

By RUBE GOLDBERG



### S'MATTER POP - In Case Your Face Sets This Way

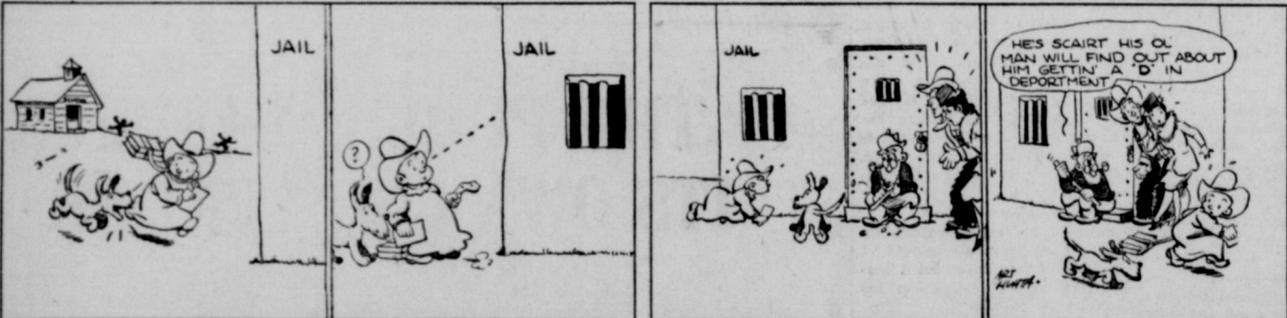
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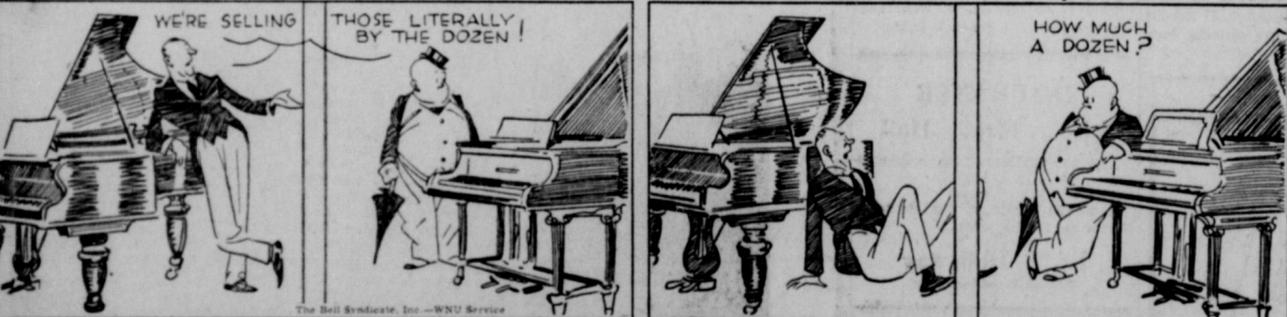
By S. L. HUNTLEY

### The Pot and the Kettle



### POP - Chances Are With the Price Right Pop'll Take the Dozen

By J. MILLAR WATT



### THE NEIGHBORHOOD LEAGUE

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



### SIGNPOSTS

The house agent decided to be quite frank with his latest client. "Of course," he began, "this house has one or two drawbacks which I feel I must mention. It is bounded on the north by the gas-works, on the south by a rubber works, on the east by a vinegar factory, and on the west there is a glue-bolling establishment."

"Good Heavens!" gasped the client. "What a neighborhood!"

"Quite so," replied the agent. But there are advantages. The rent is cheap and you can always tell which way the wind is blowing."

**The Latest**

"And has your baby learned to talk yet?"

"Oh, yes. We're teaching him to keep quiet now."

**Ahem!**

He—Will you sail with me on the sea of matrimony?

She—Yes, after you've made a raft of money.

### Cheerful News



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**Just Jest's**

**Passed On!**  
The faddy little woman had worried the grocer over trifles at the busiest time of the day. At last he managed to satisfy her.

"Do you know, Mr. Meek," said the little woman, "when I came into your shop I had a dreadful headache? I've quite lost it now."

"Don't worry, madam," said the distracted grocer. "It's not lost—I've got it."

**What's in a Name**  
Teacher pointed out that a surname often indicated the trade of the ancestors of those who bore the name. He gave, as examples, Smith, Taylor, Baker, and others. Then he questioned one of the boys.

"If that were your ancestors, Wobb?"

"Spiders, sir."

**A Reminder**  
The minister said he was sorry to have to complain about the defertories.

"In last Sunday's collections," he said, "there were no fewer than six buttons. I hope such a thing will not occur again. Then, turning to the Bible, he announced the text: "Render your hearts and not your garments."

**Her Dad—**"What, my daughter's consented to marry you? Young man, you're the second happiest man in the world."

**That's Easy**  
"My advice to you, colonel, is to go through the movements of driving without using the ball," said the golf instructor.

"My dear fellow," answered the colonel, "that's precisely the trouble I'm wanting to overcome."

### 1st FIRST THOUGHT AT THE FIRST MARKS OF INFLUENZA, COUGHS OR COLDS DISCOMFORTS. ST. JOSEPH ASPIRIN

**Belief and Unbelief**  
Belief consists in accepting the affirmations of the soul; unbelief in denying them.—Emerson.

### OUT OF SORTS?

Here is Amazing Relief of Conditions Due to Sluggish Bowels

**Nature's Remedy**  
If you think all laxatives act alike, just try this all vegetable laxative. So mild, thorough, refreshing, invigorating. Dependable relief from sick headaches, bilious spells, tired feeling when associated with constipation.

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### Garrulous Fool

A fool's voice is known by multitude of words.

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### Grasping Passion

Control your passion, or it will control you.

### THE TRUTH

Today's popularity of Doan's Pills, after many years of world-wide use, surely must be accepted as evidence of satisfactory use. And favorable public opinion supports the opinion of the able physicians who test the value of Doan's under exacting laboratory conditions.

These physicians, too, approve every word of advertising you read, the objective of which is only to recommend Doan's Pills as a good diuretic treatment for disorder of the kidney function and for relief of the pain and worry it causes.

If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove waste that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole body suffers when kidneys lag, and diuretic medication would be more often employed.

Burning, stinging or too frequent urination sometimes warn of disturbed kidney function. You may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel weak, nervous, all played out.

Use Doan's Pills. It is better to rely on a medicine that has won world-wide acclaim than on something less favorably known. Ask your neighbor!

### DOAN'S PILLS

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An Arkansas  
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**PEDDLED DUCKS TO WRONG PERSON**

An Arkansas resident who is now awaiting trial under a half dozen charges got into trouble because he tried to peddle canned duck to a game warden.

It is alleged the Arkansas man killed fifteen Mallard ducks out of season, picked them, put them in fruit jars and traveled to Atlanta, Texas. The first person he attempted to sell the ducks to was a free service game warden. He, of course, bought some of the ducks and placed the man under arrest. The federal authorities stopped in and the Arkansas resident is now charged with, among other things, of transporting game across a state line, selling game, exceeding the bag limit, and killing game out of season.

We are opposed to the issuing of interest-bearing bonds of the United States in time of peace.

We denounce arbitrary interference by federal authorities in local affairs as a violation of the Constitution of the United States and a crime against free institutions.

During all these years the Democratic party has resisted the tendency of selfish interests to the centralization of governmental power.

We demand a return to that simplicity and economy which befits a democratic government, and reduction in the number of useless offices, the salaries of which drain the substance of the people.—Industrial News Review.

Many people often envy a man his success but they never envy him the hardships and disappointments he encounters along the road.—Radford Grocery News.

The city employees of San Francisco were a startled, indignant and dismayed group last week. They had reason! Confronted with demands for additional relief funds, the board of supervisors threatened to invoke a charter provision which gives the city power to provide emergency funds by abstracting them from salary checks of employees—by slashing wages from 3 to 20%. Here, according to spokesmen of the employees, was something new under the sun—a direct payroll tax to take money out of the workers' pockets.

It might be of great educational value to all workers were all their taxes levied directly upon their paychecks. They would then realize, as San Francisco's employees did last week, that the government spending bill is a definite part of their overhead.—Ledger-Gazette, Lancaster, California.

The people of the United States will begin their real recovery from the depression when they demand that a curb be placed upon a government grown too great.—Wilkie.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Freeman and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Prentis Freeman of Dalhart visited here Sunday.

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**JUST TOO RANK**



"Jim uses pretty strong language." "Yes, his remarks aren't fit to print in the 'Congressional Record'."

A tourist speeding along a highway at 100 miles an hour was stopped by a patrolman.

"Was I driving too fast?" asked the tourist, apologetically. "Heck no," replied the patrolman. "You were flying too low."

Little Miss Billie Joyce Gray of Dumas visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnston, last week.

Mrs. S. R. Loftin and Mrs. Roy Sherrard of Alanreed were in McLean Thursday.

In short I must recall the famous statement of the late President Woodrow Wilson respecting some phases of government administration when he said, "The individual . . . should find justice against the government, if it is applicable to what H. R. 6324 is designed to do—enable the private citizens to protect themselves by seeking redress in the courts if they believe they have been wronged by some agency of the federal government which has acted as prosecutor, judge and jury. As the number of federal agencies have grown up—bureaus, boards, commissions, a veritable alphabet soup in recent years—the abuses sought to be reached by the Logan-Walter bill have multiplied many fold.—William Bruckart.

A. J. Worley visited Saturday night and Sunday in the home of his sister, Mrs. Bill Gerlach, at Memphis.

Mrs. C. H. Rowe and daughter, Miss Ploy, of Canyon are visiting Mrs. S. B. Fast.

It is said that when one Mose Jackson was run over by an automobile, a friend who had witnessed the accident took Mose to see an attorney.

"Oh," said the attorney when he had heard the story, "I suppose what you want is damages." "No, suh," retorted Mose. "Ah's got plenty of damages. What Ah wants is repairs."

H. W. Brooks and family visited in Amarillo Sunday.

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- SALAD DRESSING qt 20c
- BEANS Pinto 4 lb pkg 21c
- SHORTENING Snowdrift large pail \$1.06
- MILK Armour's 3 large cans 19c
- PORK & BEANS Van Camp 1 lb can 6c
- PEACHES Del Monte No. 2 1/2 15c
- HY-PRO quart size 12 1/2c
- TOMATO JUICE C. H. B. 15 oz can 6c
- RAISINS 2 lb cellophane pkg 14c
- BACON sliced per lb 16c
- OLEO Wisconsin Maid per lb 10c

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**THE OPPORTUNITY**

By Rev. Edward Worcester  
 "But he that is greatest among you shall be your servant."—Matt. 23:11.

This gage of greatness has ever been the reverse of that which the world employs; yet, it is easy to see where the world's standard has produced incalculable woe, while all the progress has been made by those who accepted and lived by the Master's law of service.

It is generally true that the more depraved a man is the more he longs for mastery over his fellows, and the greater his abuse of any such power when attained. On the other hand all nobler and finer characters are eager to be of useful and constructive service for others.

Every page of history, and all current events, testify to this truth. The truly great are ever willing and eager servants of the greatest possible number of others; while those that lust for power over others are the vile, ignoble and destructive characters in every land and generation.

Therefore, we see the path to greatness begins at every man's front door, and all may walk that way who will. No special talents or advantages are necessary. The one vital essential is the eagerness to serve others to the best of one's ability.

Give that vision to the most ignorant washerwoman and she will follow it to the heights of greatness many a king might envy. Without the earnest desire, to serve others, all else is vain and sordid, regardless of the world's perverted standards.

Every man and every woman of good will is desperately needed in the world, and the need will be even greater tomorrow.

We enter life with a mission and a task; and no one can take the place of another. Those who are faithful unto death will be given the crown of life eternal; but the unfaithful will be mercifully forgotten.

The chain stores already pay every tax that any other merchant in the state is required to pay. The addition of such "special taxes" as are proposed can easily be called class legislation and is contrary to the principles of American government in that it violates the theory of equal rights and will serve to retard individual initiative and industry.

While we hold no particular brief for the chain stores, the unfairness of these proposed discriminatory tax levies "gets in our hair." Mississippi's chain stores are leading the way toward cutting out many of the expenses and middleman profits that raise the price of the necessities of life when handled by individual merchants. The economical and efficient service rendered by the chain stores has won for them a very definite place in the retail business circles of the state, a place that individual merchants can never fill. Therefore, any penalty placed on the chains is a penalty placed on the thriftiness of the people.—Conservative, Carrollton, Mississippi.

"Hypnotism is getting a man in your power and making him do what you want."

"That isn't hypnotism; that's marriage."

Mrs. E. J. Windom and sister, Mrs. J. H. Wade, were in Pampa Monday.

**TRAILER GIRL**

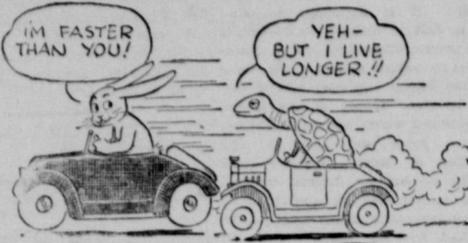
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Serially In These Columns

**Exceeding Speed Limit  
Tops Death Cause List**



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Pointing out that motorists exceeding the speed limit caused one death out of every three and that speed "too great for existing conditions" caused nine out of every ten deaths, the booklet asserts that "until drivers learn what speed limits mean we must expect to count the deaths annually in the thousands and the injured in hundreds of thousands."

More than 36% of all highway deaths in 1939 were the result of excessive speed. About 15% were caused by reckless driving and another 15% were due to driving on



the wrong side of the road. In 33.5% of the cases one or both drivers failed to exercise caution when a question of right-of-way was involved, and 11.6% of the accidents were caused when drivers went off the roadway.

On June 2 and 3, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Patterson, son and daughter, John and Mary Alice, attended the graduation exercises of their daughter and sister, Catherine, who received her bachelor of arts degree in library science from the University of Oklahoma at Norman. Others attending the exercises were Miss Patterson's aunt, Miss Noia Fowler, of Duncan, Okla.; Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Evans and Miss Eunice Hauffman of Lharleston, W. Va.

Lon L. Blanscet and daughter of San Antonio were in McLean last Thursday.

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When his wife went through his pockets once too often, Walter Reynolds, 46, of Wallham, Mass., brought her into court. District Judge P. S. Cumiff took one look at the defendant and four of the parties' six children and ruled: "It has been a wife's privilege since the beginning of time to search a husband's pockets." To Mrs. Reynolds he awarded \$18 a week.

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# TRAILER GIRL

By VERA BROWN

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## THE STORY THUS FAR

Lynn Morrow, beautiful blonde New York girl, is stranded in Palm Beach in her bathing suit with only 50 cents when her employer, Mrs. Helen Warren, disappears with car and trailer from a camp where she, Buddy, her son, and Lynn had been living. A note from Mrs. Warren advises Lynn to call at her New York attorney's office for her clothes and wages. She is rescued by Terry McNair, whom she met at the beach.

## CHAPTER I—Continued

"Don't know?" Lynn did not answer. She began to sob, great shaking, silent sobs of desperation. Terry took hold of Lynn's shoulders and pushed her across to the road and into his car. Then he got in beside her, and, seeing the note in her hand, he took it and read it in the light of the instrument board.

"She's got a ritzy attorney—" he remarked as he looked at the card. Lynn continued to sob. Terry, without speaking, drove down the road for half a mile and stopped.

"I wanted to get away from old 'Prying Eyes,'" he explained, for Alexander had come to the door of his office.

"Have you any money?"

"Fifty cents," Lynn managed to blurt out.

"That's a big help. What about clothes?"

Lynn could not answer, for she was bent double, her head on her knees as she cried.

Lynn was shaking with cold and nervousness. Terry got out and unlocked the rear deck of his car and pulled out a topcoat. He came back, threw it over Lynn's knees and settled back into the car.

"Now we'll have to talk things over," he said, lighting a cigarette, and slumped into a more comfortable position.

"Here's the problem. You're stranded and broke. We'll get you a job tomorrow. All right. That's settled. But what about your clothes? You can't go hunting jobs in a white bathing suit."

Then he turned the key of his car, started it, and they rolled way up the road. Terry drove at a fast clip now, straight back toward the bridge.

"Where are we going?"

"To my house. My sister's about your size. You should be able to wear her things. She has too many anyway."

"I couldn't."

"Can you suggest anything else? We can't buy any tonight. The shops are closed."

Lynn could not help him. She huddled there under his topcoat, sobbing intermittently.

The butler met Terry at the door. "Is Miss Helen home, Morton?"

"She's dining at the club, Mr. Terry."

"Good. How soon can we have dinner, we're starving?"

"When you're ready, Mr. Terry," the butler said.

"Then make it in half an hour. And take Miss Morrow up to Miss Helen's room and have Ruth dig up some clothes."

Half an hour later Lynn came slowly down the stairway to meet Terry.

When she walked across the flagged patio Terry set down his glass and came forward to meet her.

"You're simply gorgeous." Terry's voice was full of wonder. "I knew it, but I didn't realize—" his voice trailed off as he looked at Lynn.

"Congratulations," Terry raised his glass, then he set it down.

"You're lovely, all right," Terry came over and bent suddenly and kissed her lips lightly.

Startled, Lynn sat up straight.

"Don't get alarmed. That's just a tribute to your beauty. Yes, a McNair never makes a mistake, Lynn. Remember that. I picked a winner this time." He chuckled and poured himself another drink.

It was not until dinner was finished and they rose to have coffee on the terrace to watch the rising moon that Lynn realized Terry seemed a little unsteady on his feet. He had drunk his way determinedly through the dinner.

The next hour was difficult. Terry insisted on her dancing with him, and he held her so closely she struggled to get away.

Finally, when Terry suggested they go to the Beach Club, Lynn jumped at the idea just to get him away from that moonlit terrace.

Terry sent for a light silk wrap for Lynn, and she carried one of Helen's small white evening bags, with her lone 50 cents in it.

"Let me drive," Lynn begged as they walked to Terry's car.

"Can you?"

"That's my one accomplishment. We learn that in Vermont." She took the keys.

Lynn sent the long car down the driveway with an expert hand and she thrilled to the touch of such a splendid bit of mechanism.

"I feel lucky tonight, and I am. We'll break the bank and you'll be worth thousands by midnight," Terry cried as he promptly went to sleep. Then he promptly went to sleep. Then he promptly went to sleep.

Lynn gazed at a sudden fury took possession of her. How she hated this supercilious stuffed shirt beside her. It seemed too useless even to attempt an explanation.

The doorman took Terry's car. The place was crowded, but an attendant found a place beside a big roulette table for Terry and Lynn.

"What shall I play, Lynn?" he kept asking. And he was winning.

"How old are you, Lynn?"

"Eighteen."

Terry started playing eighteen, continuously. He won. The tension grew. Lynn felt she must get away. She slipped back of Terry as he bent over the table to watch the ball drop into No. 18 again.

From the shout that rose as she left the gambling room she knew he was again a winner.

The night air was cool and soothing on her hot forehead. But she was there on the terrace only a few seconds when an attendant found her, told her Mr. McNair wanted her at the table.

Terry was wild when she came back to him.

"Haven't you any sense? We'll break the bank if you stay here. I lost that last turn!" His eyes were bloodshot. Suddenly he grabbed her, tore off the pale green satin sash on her frock. Quickly he knotted it about her wrist, ordered the attendant to tie the other end to his left arm.

"You won't get away again!"

It seemed hours to Lynn that she was there, tied to Terry. Number 18 fell again. Terry was mad with his success. He was not conscious of Lynn now.

Suddenly from nowhere a swirl of red silk came dashing to the table where Terry was playing, fought

her way through the crowd to McNair's side.

"Terry McNair, you're drunk!" Then her eyes fell on Lynn, swept her from head to foot. "And you've dressed up another 'pick-up' in my clothes."

There was a resounding smack as Helen McNair slapped her brother's face. Suddenly everything was confusion. People came running, they yelled and exclaimed.

Lynn, crimson with embarrassment, grabbed the arm of an attendant.

"Cut this!" she demanded holding up her bruised wrist.

He snipped the silk band quickly, for Terry was now fully occupied with the furious Helen.

They were having a violent quarrel with the whole room as delighted spectators. The customers loved it. The McNairs were at it again.

Lynn escaped unnoticed to the terrace, paused for a moment to see which course to take in her flight.

"Well done, my dear. This way," said a masculine voice.

It was a dark young man with an annoying smile. He took her arm and hurried her down through the gardens until they came out by a path at the front doorway.

"My car's down here."

In a few seconds they were driving away in the moonlight, Lynn and another strange young man.

Lynn began crying.

"I'll drive you home."

"Oh! Oh!" Lynn sat there limp beside him and did not answer.

"Where do you live?"

As Lynn remained silent he slowed the car down.

"Just tell me where you live, young woman—"

"I don't live anywhere—" Lynn managed to blurt out.

## CHAPTER II

The man driving brought the car to a sudden halt there on the boulevard. He turned toward the girl and his voice had a note of irony in it as he spoke:

"Come, come, my child. Don't let's get whimsical. You're not dealing with a college boy now. You've had a little experience with 'pick-ups' tonight. It should teach you something. Where shall I drop you?"

Lynn gasped. A sudden fury took possession of her. How she hated this supercilious stuffed shirt beside her. It seemed too useless even to attempt an explanation.

"There is nothing to say. You wouldn't understand. I have just 50 cents. Take me some place where I can stay tonight for that."

The man bent down, tried to see her face in the moonlight. Then he laughed lightly, put the car in gear and they roared down the road again.

Finally he swung up the drive and turned in at a house which she judged to be not far from Terry's home.

Suddenly Lynn felt a hysterical desire to laugh. It was all too absurd and fantastic. The man led the way through into a sun parlor all done in white and gold. It faced the ocean and Lynn walked over toward the windows.

Behind her the man was standing beside a glass-topped table lighting a cigarette.

"Well?" His voice broke into Lynn's turbulent thoughts.

Lynn turned toward him then. She stood there, her frock rumpled, her eyes blazing. Then as the ignominy of her position swept over her she covered her face with her hands.

"Quite a charming picture, my dear." The man laughed. "There is no need for me to introduce myself. You know who I am, of course."

Lynn did not answer him.

"As you well know, I am Raymond Carver Austin. Now I hope you're satisfied. You're here, in my house, the home of a most eligible bachelor in Palm Beach." Then he added by way of warning:

"But a most canny one. I'm not to be caught so simply, Miss—" He paused, realizing he did not know her name.

"Morrow," Lynn finally supplied.

"Lynn Morrow, you managed things beautifully to intrigue my interest, but I've been tricked before by young women much cleverer than you."

"I don't know what you mean?"

"You still persist in playing this little game?"

Lynn was too confused to answer, but she was furious at him, at herself, at the world.

"You're welcome to remain here tonight if you wish."

Lynn lifted her face and he saw her remarkable gold-flecked eyes in her tanned face. She was a beautiful girl, certainly.

He continued without altering his tone:

"You'll be quite comfortable." He paused to be sure his next words would have their full effect.

"Your little plan has failed. My mother is here with me. She came this afternoon. We are quite properly chaperoned, Miss Morrow."

Lynn stared at him uncomprehendingly.

"Florida is full of women like yourself. What should really happen to you is that your mother ought to take you home and give you a good spanking. If girls like you would try to earn your livings honestly, there would be no shyster lawyers and not so much work for the courts."

"Now I'll call somebody and see you are sent to your quarters. I hope you'll find them comfortable—anything before you go, anything to drink? To eat?"

Lynn stepped forward, her blonde head silver in the soft light. She could not believe what she had heard. The whole thing was so incredible. Lynn's hands were clenched, but she tried to keep control of her voice.

"I think you are the most conceited, most smug, stupid person I have ever met."

"I don't know who you are, and I don't give a darn! I never saw you before in my life, and I hope honestly I never do again. I—I—" Her voice broke.

"Bravo! Miss Morrow. You're excellent. Too bad all this is wasted on me. I'm a woman-hater, you see. I'm suspicious of all of you. I have had reason to be." He laughed a little.

Lynn opened Helen McNair's expensive evening bag, and took out the 50-cent piece.

"This is all the money I have in the world. I stay here because I cannot help myself. That's all."

Austin, still smiling unbelievably, bowed.

After she left, Austin stood for a long time at the windows looking out into the beautiful Florida night. Then he shrugged, stamped out his cigarette and went to join his mother, to tell her of the amusing incident.

Lynn, in the meantime, stood in the middle of the beautiful green bedroom to which the maid had led her. Tears filled the girl's eyes. She turned to the woman appealingly.

"Will you help me?"

"Certainly, mademoiselle."

"No, I mean really help me. I'm in trouble. I can't stay here."

"Why not, mademoiselle?" The maid's voice tried to be soothing.

"There is no reason why you shouldn't. This happens often. You are perfectly safe here, though." The maid hesitated. "You see, the women just won't let Mr. Wild alone, mademoiselle."

"Mr. Wild?"

"That's what they call Mr. Austin."

"Oh."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Lesson for June 9

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### EZEKIEL TEACHES PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY

LESSON TEXT—Ezekiel 33:7-16. GOLDEN TEXT—So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God.—Romans 14:12.

Personal responsibility is a subject well worthy of careful and repeated consideration. We talk so much about social, national or racial responsibility that we are prone to forget that the social order, nations and races, are made up of individuals. The Bible, while recognizing the relationship and responsibilities of nations and social groups to God, rightly stresses individual responsibility. It is man who is made in the likeness and image of God. He is the one who has fallen into sin, and he needs the regenerating grace of God in the Lord Jesus Christ. It is man who stands responsible to God, both as an individual and as God's representative in carrying His message to others.

### I. Man's Responsibility for the Lives of Others (vv. 7-11).

Ezekiel had the official responsibility of a watchman sent by God to his own people in their captivity in Babylon. His was a special calling, and yet it is not true that, according to the teaching of the New Testament, every Christian is called to be a witness, a winner of souls, and a watchman?

1. The Watchman's Commission (v. 7). His appointment is by God, and the warning words he is to speak are given to him by God. Every true preacher and teacher of the gospel should be a God-called man, presenting the Word of God. Otherwise, his ministry will have little meaning and no real power. The same is true of every Christian; a personal touch with God must precede his efforts to win others to God.

2. The Watchman's Responsibility (vv. 8, 9). Being a watchman is not a duty that one bears lightly, for it has grave responsibilities. Lives are dependent on the vigilance and faithfulness of the watchman. Even those who watch over worldly goods or who guard the safety and comfort of others are held by us to a high measure of responsibility and are liable for misfeasance or carelessness in office. What about those of us to whom the destiny of eternal souls has been committed? Read the solemn words of verses 8 and 9.

3. The Watchman's Message (vv. 10, 11). The Jews who were in captivity because of their sin and failure were despondent. They saw no ray of hope; they were under the overwhelming burden of their sin. The message of God's watchman was one of hope to the repentant people. God is gracious toward the sinner and has no pleasure in punishing him. "Why will ye die?" places the responsibility squarely where it belongs—on the sinner himself.

### II. Man's Responsibility for His Own Life (vv. 12-16).

Whatever may be our responsibility for the lives of others, certain it is that we must each one answer to God for our own lives. Ours is the glorious opportunity of living our life—and ours is the responsibility for it.

1. Consistent Living Required (v. 12). This verse evidently does not mean that a righteous man overtaken in a moment of defeat is lost. It rather refers to the one who has made an outward show of being righteous. Confident of himself, he has then fallen into careless living, and all at once his true character is revealed in outright wickedness. That man cannot then draw on his past record as though it were a bank account to be used to justify him in his hour of failure. Righteousness is a matter of the heart. It is a spiritual rebirth, expressing itself in changed conduct and consistent living, not only yesterday and today, but also tomorrow.

2. Real Repentance Accepted (vv. 13-16). God was ready in Ezekiel's day to accept the genuinely repentant man and woman. Infinitely more precious and warm is the welcome that Christ now gives to sinners who turn to Him, for He, our blessed Lord, has now worked out the way of salvation on Calvary's tree.

### 'In' Not 'For'

Am I to thank God for everything? Am I to thank Him for bereavement, for pain, for poverty, for toil? . . . Be still my soul; thou hast misread the message. It is not to give thanks for everything, but to give thanks in everything.—Dr. G. Matheson.

### They Shall Return to the Lord

And the Lord shall smite Egypt; he shall smite and heal it; and they shall return even to the Lord, and he shall be entreated of them, and shall heal them.—Isaiah 19:22.

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1. What is the difference between a planet and a star?
2. How often does a canary's heart beat per minute? An elephant's?
3. Is jerked venison smoked, fried or sun dried?
4. What is the fifth estate?
5. What great midwestern city is named after Sikak (the skunk)?
6. How many vice presidents of the United States later became Presidents?
7. If one had a match and went into a dark room with a lamp, a cigarette and an oil stove, which would one light first?
8. What is a pirogue—a variety of orchid, a rascal, or a dugout canoe?
9. How many degrees of latitude are there from the North pole to the Equator?
10. What nautical expression is used to identify the action of making a parachute jump?

### The Answers

1. A planet shines by reflected light, a star is self-luminous.
2. Canary's, 1,000 times per minute. Elephant's, 25 beats per minute.
3. Sun dried.
4. A class or estate after the traditional four, as scientists have been termed the fifth estate.
5. Chicago.
6. Nine. Adams, Jefferson, Van Buren, Tyler, Fillmore, Johnson, Arthur, Theodore Roosevelt and Coolidge.
7. The match.
8. A dug-out canoe.
9. Ninety degrees.
10. Bailing out.



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Keeping busy leaves no time to be unhappy.

Boasting seems to be a chronic ailment for some people.

And now they say that efforts are being made to grow bananas with a zipper. Maybe they had better concentrate on a non-skid covering first.

Concessionaries at the government lakes should have an easy time. The government sets the prices and the newspapers seem anxious to give all the publicity needed.

A good lady asks us to say something about the circular nuisance, but it is doubtful if anything can be done. It seems to work out that you get more litter on your front porch if you make any kind of objection.

Taxpayers' money being spent by the hundreds of thousands of dollars for theatrical purposes begins to look from this distance like taxation without representation. Gigantic spectacles that do not pretend to keep strictly to historical facts have little besides entertainment to recommend them, and entertainment should be purchased as an individual matter.

There is probably little to be gained by trade-at-home arguments, but the fact remains that the progress of the town and community depends entirely upon the money spent at home. Every dollar spent away from home helps reduce pay-rolls. Merchants know this better than anyone else, because their business depends upon local support, yet even a merchant will sometimes be tempted to forget, by the lure of cheaper prices, even with the added knowledge that the cheaper price means poorer quality goods.

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Mrs. Boyd Meador has returned from a visit with relatives in South Texas.

Miss Vera Martin of Wheeler was a McLean visitor Tuesday.

**News from Heald**

The Women's Missionary Society sponsored a social at the church house Friday night. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Haynes of Weatherford, Okla., visited the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Bailey, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Nelson was honored with a pink and blue shower at the Clois Hanner home Monday afternoon.

A cooking demonstration was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Lane one night last week. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames T. H. Pickett, F. F. Phillips, Kuykendall and F. J. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bogue Powell of California are visiting relatives here. Uncle Al Haynes of Pampa visited relatives here last week end.

Misses Williana and Beatrice Garrison left Saturday to attend summer school at Canyon.

H. C. Nelson of Dimmitt came Tuesday. Mrs. Nelson returned home with him after spending a few days with relatives here.

There have been ten years of economic stagnation in this country. For the first time in our national history, a decade has passed without producing a higher standard of living for the average American family! In fact, President Green of the American Federation of Labor remarks sadly that the standard of living has actually declined 7 1/2% since 1929.

Meanwhile the same ten year period saw savage and bitter attacks on business and industry. Everyone who had a pet new insult for the business man was assured an attentive audience. Again and again, demagogues of all shades of opinion and belief told Americans that if business was whipped and scourged and old how to run its affairs, economic planning would bring us all back to prosperity.

All that time, the experienced voice of industry was unheeded, and often lost in the babel of conflicting tongues. But in spite of the assurances of the easy promises, the full tide of prosperity didn't come—and still hasn't come!—Journal, Elkland, Pennsylvania.

J. H. Bodine made a business trip to Pampa Friday.

Norman Trimble is home from school at Canyon.

**Sunday Special**

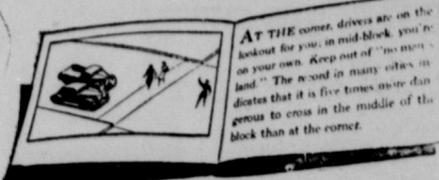
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Albert—My father has another wife to support.

James—What? You don't mean to tell me he's turned bigamist?

Albert—Oh, no; I just got married.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy and daughter of Skellytown visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noel, Monday.

**OUT-OF-TOWN PRINTING**

Recently a lady was here from a nearby county seat to get some prices on printing a year book for her club. We gave her some prices, which we know were not suitable, as she never returned. We are not prepared to say what kind of prices were made her by other printing firms in town. But we'll bet a jill of buttermilk that before the season is over, that club will have called on their local publisher for many dollars worth of space devoted to the upbuilding of the club. Another thing, we understood that her husband is in business in that town. We hope none of his customers shop around in other towns for wares that he carries. But, what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.—Terry County Herald.

Two business men were discussing a competitor who once had been an employee of the older of the two men.

"I happen to know that fellow is a sharper and not above lying or stealing when it's to his advantage," remarked the older man.

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 2. b. in the direction you are skidding. Your object is to "steer out" the car and this is the way to do it. Be careful, however, not to turn the steering wheel too far. As the car straightens out, it should again straighten out the wheels.  
 3. b. slow down and cross at wide an angle as possible. Try to cross tracks or ruts from a parallel position is almost certain to cause a dangerous skid.  
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- 1934 FORD TUDOR extra clean good paint job ..... \$175
- 1936 FORD TUDOR only ..... \$195
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## It's Long Torso Lines, Pleats; Pockets That Give 'New' Look

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



WHEN you go in quest of a new silk print frock to add to your summer wardrobe, or if you have the urge and ambition to make your own and are in search of a smart pattern, keep in mind the long torso silhouette, also pleated skirts and over and over again repeat pockets, pockets and pockets for these are high spots among styling items that give the coveted new look at a glance.

A most radical turn fashion has taken this season is to introduce a strikingly different silhouette in the way of long straight and slim torso lines. To add emphasis to the innovation many of the newest tailored cloth jacket suits take on the narrow pencil straight skirts the like of which we have not seen for many a season past.

However, the leading formula for the chic suits of print silk which lead in the summer style parade is the long slender jacket with pleated skirt that shows from below the exaggerated low neckline of the jacket. Very often these skirts are pleated to a hip yoke which stamps them as being decidedly ultra.

The daytime dress that has a long torso top after the manner of the model centered in the illustration is regarded as eminently high-style fashion. In this instance gray silk crepe in two tones is the selected material. Here we see a revival of the 1914 co-ed silhouette in a California fashion shown in the Howard Greer collection. The long-torso top has leaves of the fabric applied diagonally across the bodice. The box-pleated skirt is referred to as the new "action skirt" that gives you freedom of movement. The sleeves are notably simple and chic.

There is simply no escaping pockets this season. A glance at the fashion-right dress to the left in the picture emphasizes the idea that pockets have a way of imparting lots of style to a daytime frock of attractive print silk. The patterning of this printed silk crepe features a novel arrangement of wee dot motifs in stripe interpretation, for as every woman of style knows,

the emphasis in prints is decidedly on stripes this season. The full-length button opening adds to the sophistication of this dress. This together with the clever pockets of military inspiration combine to achieve great chic. White pique in corded effect edges neckline and sleeves.

As the season progresses it is proving that gray with white or light green or yellow printed design has gone to dizzy heights of popularity. Another important color theme that persists throughout the very latest silk prints is that of brown with white. If you are buying a new print you will be making a wise fashion move if you choose browns as expressed in a brown and white print with which wear a wide brimmed straw hat in the very chic Balenciaga brown, a color that is most flattering. By the way, it is wonderfully good style to wear brown hat and accessories with your gray and white prints, too.

Don't try to go through the season sans a bolero dress. The more you see of them the more you like them and the more you wear a bolero dress the more it endears itself in your affections. Maybe because the bolero type is so youthful, maybe because it is so ever-flattering and most assuredly it is greatly to be coveted and appreciated because of its practicality. Worn with a contrasting blouse a bolero dress can be made to tune to every occasion. The bolero mode pictured to the right is of printed crepe that adopts one of the season's best color schemes, namely, gray dotted in white. The skirt is pleated in smart manner. The ribbon belt is in Cordovan brown and her Flemish off-the-face hat is in gray and white. Milliners proudly refer to gray and white as "so new" for hats.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Starched Lace



Here is a brimful of white lace and running over for that matter for the neckwear repeats the handsome immaculate lace theme. Milliners are increasingly emphasizing the importance of lace and snow white lingerie touches on hats. Here white starched lace for the brim of her hat and the matching collar on her navy blue dress form the high spots of this stunning costume. Her bag is white patent leather and her long finger nail gloves are navy and red.

### Dressy Bretons

Little bretons with sharply turned back brims make up for their small size by adding tall crowns and white lingerie trim.

### Lace Enthusiasm

#### Prevails in Paris

From Paris collections one gains the idea that leading couturiers are more decidedly lace-conscious this season. Schiaparelli shows gay young clothes that reflect enthusiasm for lace such as narrow lace edging around pockets, on linen dresses and again on fabric crowns, the same removable for washing. Narrow lace also edges gloves, collars, cuffs and blouse fronts. Crocheted lace collars with gloves to match are a charming and unique feature.

The new Paris house, Cavalier, uses large bows of lace on the backs of tiny hats. Fine white Chantilly, also starched Venice lace bands often replace ribbon trims on hats.

Lace motifs are also encrusted in huge straw brims. The "last word" in uses of lace is the apron of sheer black lace worn over formal afternoon black sheer frocks. Very stunning, too, are lace aprons worn with pastel or white evening gowns. Lace shawls likewise present an interesting new phase.

### Frisly and Feminine

Collars and cuffs to transform a dark basic dress this season have a very fragile feminine air.

### Parasol Brims

Wide and shady as a parasol are the new picture hats of felt. Some have brims that are shirred at intervals.

## FARM TOPICS

### SAFETY ON FARM IS 'HOMEMADE'

Rural Families Operate on Own Responsibility.

By M. G. HUBER

(Agricultural Engineer, Maine Extension Service.)

Safety on the farm is largely homemade. One of the reasons for so many accidents on the farm is that farm families operate largely on their own responsibility. For city people at work or at home there are numerous safety precautions, and someone to enforce them. But the farmer to a great extent, must be his own safety engineer and almost entirely his own disciplinarian.

S. H. McCrory, assistant chief of the bureau of agricultural chemistry and engineering in the federal department of agriculture, gives these reasons for the farm being a fertile field for accidents: Much work is done by individuals at some distance from others so that an accident may be serious because help is not at hand. Frequent changes in work and machinery used, which may mean unfamiliarity with equipment and less accuracy of movement. Under the pressure of summer work there often are long hours in the field and chores done in a hurry after dark—both conducive to accidents.

He found that in spite of improvements, farm machinery is a top hazard in farm work. The older hazard of animals, such as unruly bulls and kicking horses, is next. Last year, in Kansas, more than half of the accidental farm deaths were caused by machinery and animals.

But in checking hundreds of accident reports, he also found that most of them were caused by carelessness—by haste, by the use of makeshift repairs, by taking chances, by using machinery without guards or with guards removed.

The suffering, the loss of time and the actual cash cost of these accidents shows the need for avoiding them. It has been shown time and again that the well-ordered farm, with well-ordered activities, is good insurance against accidents.

### Poultry Pest Control

#### Will Increase Profits

Lice and mites know all the tricks necessary to put a poultryman's books into a maze of red ink, but an entomologist at Michigan State college knows how to take care of the pests.

Two treatments a year, fall and spring, are recommended, although commercial poultrymen find that it often pays to take necessary precautions more frequently.

Remember that lice live on the birds and that mites inhabit the coop and the roosts, for this means that two separate treatments are required. A simple control for mites after a coop is thoroughly cleaned is to spray the interior with half crankcase oil and half kerosene. The spray must penetrate cracks and crevices and cannot be applied with a paint brush.

Lice are controlled by treating the birds. The simplest method, says Dibble, is to place a thin line of nicotine sulphate on the clean perches just before roosting time. The body heat of the birds releases the nicotine which penetrates the feathers. This treatment must be repeated in 14 days but it will kill most all forms of lice. The repeat treatment is necessary to kill those that hatch from nits or eggs present at the time of the first treatment.

### New Types of Plants

#### Are Disease Resistant

Agriculture department scientists have opened new fields of adventure and exploration in the development of new type plants.

These discoveries have been worth billions of dollars to American farmers. One of the most recent of these points toward the development of a disease resistant tobacco through the crossing of American types with others.

Not all plant scientists work over test tubes and microscopes in big office buildings. The department sends men all over the world in search of new kinds of plants. Others work in fields to adapt plants to American soil and climate.

Bureau of plant industry scientists returned four years ago with native tobaccos collected in Mexico, Central and South America. Many of those were crossed with American-type tobaccos and the result has been amazing even to the scientists.

### Rural Briefs

Lightweight barley can be fed profitably to hogs, it is pointed out by the South Dakota experiment station.

Family vegetable gardens are called "the most valuable area on the farm" by leading home economists.

Of the 13 minerals, required by the animal body, salt is the only one generally lacking in the farm animal diet.

## Where Statues Wore Hats! Mystery of Easter Island

Science Finds Creators of Intricate Script Were 'Long-Eared' Artists.

ON EASTER DAY, 1722, the Dutch Admiral Roggeveen landed on a small Pacific island, which he named after the day. He must have thought that he was landing in a nightmare, for the shores were ringed with gigantic stone statues, wearing tall red hats, and standing on high platforms with their backs to the sea. And the whole island was literally covered with statues! They still stand there today.

Later visitors made further odd discoveries. It seemed that the inhabitants had suffered a devouring national passion for sculpture. Hardly a boulder or an outcrop of rock had not been turned into an enormous bust, a fantastic head

with enormously long ears. At the same time, they discovered wooden tablets and other objects covered with a complicated script.

This started a series of the most extraordinary theories, including suggestions that Easter island had been occupied by Red Indians, Egyptians, and the lost tribes of Israel. But nobody managed to put forward a reasonable explanation of how this diversity of races got there, or went away when their work was done!

### Long-Eared Artists.

Then science took a hand. First of all, local legends were investigated, and the islanders told of a migration in the past from a distant island in the west. Proof came from one of the Gambier islands, over a thousand miles away, in the form of another legend. It told of a defeated chief setting sail to find a new home for his people. Local legend also told of two distinct races inhabiting Easter island, the "long ears" and the "short ears." And here again, science found the proof; for skulls found on Easter island show

### Gems of Thought

TAKE warning by the misfortunes of others, that others may not take example from you.—Saadi.

Life is a series of surprises, and would not be worth taking or keeping if it were not.—Emerson.

The winds and waves are always on the side of the ablest navigators.—Gibbon.

Better by far that you should forget and smile than that you should remember and be sad.—Christina Rossetti.

We win by tenderness; we conquer by forgiveness.—Frederick W. Robertson.

that migrants came, not only from the Pacific islands, but also from the Australasian islands.

The "long ears" were the artists. It was their tribal custom to stretch the lobes of their ears, and they wore hats for ceremonial purposes. They were the creators of the intricate script which cannot be read, but, defeated by the "short ears," they have faded away and left no one to tell their story.

So far science can speak with authority, but science cannot say why the islanders who migrated to Easter island should have progressed so far beyond those of their race who inhabit other islands.

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**SHELTERBELTS HEAL BLOWOUTS**

June 4.—"Shelterbelts are slowly but surely making blowouts a thing of the past," stated W. E. Webb, state director of the Prairie States Forestry Project, a Wichita Falls, in a report from the field. The criss-cross patterns made by concentrations of protective tree belts are exerting a remarkably definite influence on adjacent fields.

Numerous fields in Wheeler, Wilbarger, Cottle, Collingsworth, and numerous other counties were known to blow out year after year. Now with three and four years of good, healthy growth on the shelterbelts, many of these blowouts are rapidly healing up.

One of the most striking examples of this occurred in the Dunlap area in Cottle county.

Almost any farm operator with well cared for trees can show you what the shelterbelt protection means. The Pagan and Kelton communities in Wheeler county, the Quail area in Collingsworth, various areas in Childress, Hardeman, Wilbarger and a number of other counties are also showing this influence.

B. E. Ricketts, McLean forester, says that the belts here are in better shape than in any former year. Most farmers are keeping the belts clean of weeds, which is very necessary for the growth of young trees.

**THE GODWINS ENTERTAIN**

Mr. and Mrs. Clede Godwin entertained a number of friends at their home Wednesday evening.

Ice cream and cake were served to the following: Miss Hazel Stout of Electra, Miss Eula Godwin of Pampa, Dewey Hart of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hightower and daughter of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grimsley and son, Charles, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Massey and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sharp.

Here in the nation's capital recently a man came into possession of a substantial sum of money. He was enthusiastic to start a small industry which had long been his dream. It would employ about 40 men. But he was informed that his dream of establishing a factory would cost him about \$3,000 in registration fees and corporation expenses under rules and regulations imposed by the Securities and Exchange Commission. His courage collapsed, his enthusiasm died, and with it his dream of engaging in industry. Forty men will continue to walk the streets looking for jobs. They and their dependents might have been provided with the necessities of life from good wages from this employment, and their visions and hopes and dreams of better days also died with the dream of the man who would have employed them. The fate of one was the fate of the others, and who was to blame for the failure?—Tribune, New Albany, Indiana.

Orlando seems to be having a controversy over the fact that the city-owned utilities has been subsidizing enterprises over the objection of some taxpayers, and one irate citizen remarks: "Some fool, some day, is coming along and make the utilities pay back all the money it has appropriated and spent in an illegal manner." Most all cities seem to have the same trouble caused by over-enthusiastic officials spending tax monies illegally to make a showing of enterprise, and usually a controversy ends the matter and the millage is raised to make up for the deficit.—Daily Chief, Winter Haven, Florida.

Someone has said, "The fellows who drive with one hand are generally headed for the aisle of a church. Some of them will walk down it and some will be carried."

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Scott visited at Tucumcari, N. M., over the week end.

A. W. Haynes of Pampa visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clifton of Alanreed were in town Saturday.

R. M. Gibson of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Steger of Alanreed were in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. E. H. Kramer visited in Alanreed Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Cubine and son visited at Clovis, N. M. Sunday.

Success is nothing but a good idea coupled with hard work.—Balme.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James and son, Ernest, of Pampa visited in the Luther Petty home Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Floyd and daughter, Miss Evonne, visited at Lubbock this week.

Mrs. T. A. Landers and daughter, Miss Fern, visited relatives in Miami Tuesday.

Miss Frances Landers is home from college at Abilene.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilkerson of Dallas visited here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan visited in Amarillo over the week end.

Miss Sara Beth Lowry of Clarendon, Mrs. J. W. Story, this week.

Miss Lou Brock is attending school in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Skiter and daughters were in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Lucille Scott is attending school in Canyon.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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For District Attorney:  
CLIFFORD BRALY  
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For District Clerk:  
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Double Feature  
"IN OLD MISSOURI"  
The Weaver Brothers and Elvira

"THE CURTAIN CALL"  
Barbara Reed, Alan Mowbray

Prevue, Sunday, Monday  
June 8, 9, 10  
"BROTHER ORCHID"  
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Tuesday, June 11, Family Nite  
"LET FREEDOM RING"  
Nelson Eddy, Virginia Bruce

Wednesday, Thursday  
June 12, 13  
"JOHNNY APOLLO"  
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"LILLIAN RUSSELL"

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