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Working School Outstanding Home Event of Year

McLean News will present outstanding home event of the year when Mrs. A. D. French rings the curtain on the Happy Kitchen School starting soon in this

city woman in the McLean area to avail herself of the cordial and to attend the free lectures which will reveal numerous kitchen secrets to every housewife. And men, too, are invited to attend the kitchen revue.

A. D. French, long known to McLean women as the expert of the Happy Kitchen series of lectures and demonstrations on the art of home-making, along with the preparation of dishes of the



this parade of the preparation of dishes, women will be able to gain mastery of the art needed in the kitchen today. Based on economy and utility, Mrs. French will reveal secrets gained over years of experience in this particular phase of the art. The saving the housewife will be to accomplish by attending the school with its new streamlined life ideas, will pay big dividends in the time spent there. How to choose, how to purchase in a sane manner, how to get the most out of a minimum of food; are but a few of the features which will unfold from the completely new stage of the Happy Kitchen School.

The entertaining presentation of informative lectures, many tips passed on to women who will lighten their everyday tasks, saving devices, efficient equipment and new tricks in preparation, are given in their full array of characteristics.

Now to attend every session of the Happy Kitchen Cooking School will be presented as a public feature of the McLean News.

SECOND PRIMARY SATURDAY

Run-off Democratic primary will be held Saturday with the precinct voting boxes at the places that were used in the primary.

Coach will attend a coaching school at Plainview, and Mrs. Guy Hibler, Mr. and Dick Russell were called to Rock last week by the death of the ladies' father, W. T. Houston.

Elizabeth Bateman and brother, A. L. of California are visiting sister, Mrs. A. L. Morgan, this week.

Miss Peggy Tinnin of Pampa and her grandparents, Mr. and L. S. Tinnin, over the week

Leroy Freeman, her son and 12 days, the remaining work to pay

efforts if adjourned? Can you pay local representatives

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Y with our other

COUPLE?

LIBRARY TO RECEIVE 400 NEW BOOKS

The McLean public library will have 400 new books on its shelves Monday morning, ready to be checked out. These books are from the Texas state library and are loaned to McLean for a period of six months. This group of books will be a basic collection of all types of reading material. Others books are coming into the library daily. Recently 32 books were donated by Miss Ruby Cook.

Since all WPA workers will have a holiday on election day, Saturday, the library will not be open on that day. Books due August 24 may be turned in Monday and no overdue fine will be assessed.

The story telling hour has been discontinued until next summer, as there is so much else to be done in getting the library established. The library workers appreciate the efforts of the story tellers, and it is hoped they will be available next summer.

SHOWER HONORS MRS. CHILTON

Mrs. Eldon McMullen was hostess Wednesday afternoon of last week at a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Porter Chilton.

Miss Bennie Mae Wade gave a reading, and little Miss Mary Beth Steph played an accordion number.

The fiesta color scheme was carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

The honoree received many nice gifts.

MRS. BROCK HONORED

Canyon, August 19.—Mrs. J. H. Jones of Amarillo was hostess at a shower Wednesday afternoon of last week, honoring Mrs. Claude Brock, who before her recent marriage was Miss Myrtle Foster of Canyon.

A number of nice gifts were received. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the following guests: Mesdames Jack Litchfield, J. T. Ratliff, McKeever, Dewey Allen, Pauline Dowdy, L. W. Howard, and others.

B. A. U. WATERMELON FEAST

A watermelon feast was given at the city park Monday evening by members of the junior B. A. U. of the First Baptist Church.

B. T. U. MEET AT SHAMROCK

The North Fork Associational meeting of Baptist Training Unions will be held at Shamrock tonight (Thursday), beginning at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Biggers and daughter, Miss Mildred Sue, of Oklahoma City visited in the S. R. Jones home Thursday. They were enroute home from a trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Carpenter of Lefors, Mrs. Vera Whitten of Carlisle, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carpenter and daughters, Lela and Frances, visited in the C. A. Cryer home Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Davis, Mrs. J. M. Noel, Mrs. C. S. Rice and Miss Verna Rice were in Pampa Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hutchison of Newkirk, Okla., visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jordan, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Watkins and Mrs. Gilbert of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Campbell of Canadian visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Butler of Claude were visitors in McLean Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bell and daughter of Wellington were in McLean Monday.

O. H. Kyle of Pampa was in McLean Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Cook was a Pampa visitor Thursday.

Sammie Ouline and son have returned from a trip to New Mexico.

With the Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Leroy M. Brown, Minister
10 a. m. Sunday school, C. O. Greene, supt.

11 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by Rev. Lance Webb of Shamrock.
7:30 p. m. Booster Banquet, Mrs. Alvah Christian, director.

8 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by Rev. Webb.

We are having good attendance at the revival services. The public is cordially invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

John W. Myrose, Minister
Sunday school 10 a. m.

Morning worship at 11. Rev. S. R. Jones will preach.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

Senior Christian Endeavor 7:30. There will be no evening services until September 8.

Senior choir Wednesday, 8:15 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Troy A. Sumrall, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

The pastor will preach at both hours.

B. T. U. 7:30 p. m.

Choir practice and prayer meeting Wednesday night.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES

The Presbyterian Ladies Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon at the church for Bible study conducted by Mrs. S. R. Jones. The lesson was Exodus 28-39.

Mrs. E. L. Sitter, second president, conducted the business meeting. The minutes were read by Mrs. C. V. Hendren. The meeting was concluded with prayer by Mrs. F. H. Bourland.

Others attending were: Mesdames Chas. E. Cooke, T. J. Coffey, Don Alexander, Oscar Goodman, Jess Kemp, Travis Stokes, Frank Hambricht and Oscar Sullivan.

PENTECOSTAL H. M. S.

The Pentecostal Holiness H. M. S. met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. L. K. Hornsby had charge in the absence of the president.

Mrs. Hal Bullock led the foreign missionary program in the absence of Mrs. L. E. Carter, who is visiting in Canyon. She read an interesting letter from a suburb in London, on "Peace in Wartime."

Mrs. Dorothy Johnson led the closing prayer.

METHODIST W. M. S.

Mrs. A. B. Christian was leader at the weekly meeting of the Methodist W. M. S. Tuesday afternoon. A Social Service program was given on the theme of "Brotherly Love."

Present were: Mesdames J. L. Hess, A. B. Christian, C. O. Greene, Leroy A. Brown, Roger Powers, J. E. Kirby, H. C. Rippey, J. M. Noel, Geo. W. Sitter, C. A. Cryer, J. A. Sparks, J. B. Pettit, Thomas Ashby, Callie Haynes, L. S. Tinnin and J. W. Story.

Rev. Troy A. Sumrall is conducting a revival meeting at the Lela Baptist church this week. Rev. V. M. Lollar, Lela pastor, filled the pulpit at the McLean church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Campbell and son, Danny, of Crowell visited in the Roy Campbell home over the week end.

Mrs. M. J. Everett and daughter, Mrs. J. M. Baltzell, of Amarillo visited their son and brother, Perry Everett, over the week end.

Mrs. Porter Smith, son and niece, and Mrs. Kate Everett have returned from a trip to Colorado and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hicks and children of Stamford visited in the Dewey Wood home Thursday.

Vester Lee Smith, accompanied by his uncle, Bert, of Clarendon, made a trip to Colorado last week.

Hal Bullock of Lark spent the week end with home folks here.

FOUR GENERATIONS



Right to left—O. P. Hommel, Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, Mrs. M. M. Tucker, Gloria and Frankie Tucker.

This picture was made July 21 at the home of Mrs. Kennedy. The family enjoyed a picnic at the Hommel Ranch.

4-H CLUB NOTES

The Southeastern 4-H Club met last Thursday at the Liberty school house.

Plans were made for achievement day, August 22, and the tea in November.

Those present were: Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, Mrs. H. L. Dorsey, Oma Lee Hardin, Betty Lou Roth, Norma Lee Ayait, Eulamae and Eulema Lively, Nora Isabel and Zora Idabel Petty, Bennie Mae Wade and Dorothy Sue Davis.

Achievement day will be held this afternoon (Thursday) at 2:30 in the home of Bennie Mae Wade. The public is invited to attend.

CROPS LOOKING GOOD

Following the recent rains, crops around McLean have snapped out of the drouth and are looking fine.

Many comments have been heard about how good the crops look at this time following a long dry spell. All feed stuff bids fair to make a near normal yield; however some cotton will likely be caught by frost before many bolls mature.

SENIOR B. T. U. PARTY

Members of the young people's department of the Baptist Training Union enjoyed a party last Thursday evening at the home of their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling. Games were played and watermelons were served to a large group.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Greene went to Fort Sumner, N. M., last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Greene's uncle, J. B. Brooke, age 63. Mr. Brooke was a well known rancher of that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bearden and son, Belton, of Pampa visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Worley. Quinton Worley returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Frank Boase and little daughters, Marie and Linda, returned to their home at Stephenville Sunday after a visit here.

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

Mrs. V. B. Reagor and sons, Johnny and Tommy, of Amarillo are visiting in the T. A. Landers home.

Mrs. R. S. Jackson and son of Colorado visited in McLean Saturday. They were enroute home from a trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Lance Webb and little daughter of Shamrock visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Leroy M. Brown Friday.

Miss Joellene Vannoy of Crowell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Vannoy, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burrows of Gage, Okla., visited the former's brother, J. W. Burrows, this week.

Mrs. W. D. Watkins of Ralls visited her sister, Mrs. D. C. Carpenter, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Abbott and son of Sudan visited relatives here over the week end.

PERKINS BUYS BEN FRANKLIN STORE

Thomas Perkins of Clarendon has bought the Ben Franklin Store of McLean, formerly managed by G. H. Pomby, and is now in active charge.

Mr. Perkins comes to McLean well recommended, and he announces a big school sale in this issue of the home paper.

BAPTISTS ELECT OFFICERS

At the annual election held Wednesday evening at the First Baptist Church, the following officers were elected for the fiscal year beginning September 1:

Clerk—Miss Eunice Stratton.

Christ—W. H. Floyd.

Assistant chorister—Murray Boston.

Pianist—Miss Evonne Floyd.

Assistant pianist—Miss Eloise Lane.

Trustees—A. L. Rippey, Bob Thomas and Murray Boston.

S. S. superintendent—Reep Landers.

Assistant superintendent—Bryan Burrows.

S. S. secretary—Homer Abbott.

Assistant secretary—R. L. Appling.

B. T. U. director—Miss Lorene Winton.

Assistant director—Ola Kunkel.

B. T. U. secretary—Miss Julia McCarty.

B. T. U. chorister—Miss Evonne Floyd.

B. T. U. pianist—Miss Viola Appling.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Oscar Sullivan was hostess Monday at a party in the city park, honoring her son, Harold Lee, on his 12th birthday.

Games and contests were the entertainment, with prizes awarded the winners.

Refreshments of lemonade and cookies were served to the following: Mary Beth Steph, Claude Gene Doolen, Bobby Beall, Ernestine Dickinson, Bobby Kramer, Alvis and Odes Clay Shelton, Jerry Windom, Billie Marie and Eddie Mac Stewart, Gloria Jean Gunn and Jean Sumrall.

REVIVAL MEETING AT SKILLET

A revival meeting will begin Friday night of this week at the Skillet school house, with Rev. Wayne Evans of McLean doing the preaching.

The public has a cordial invitation to attend the services which will begin about 8 o'clock each evening.

Mrs. C. W. Love of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Juri W. Marshall and daughter, Estrella Joyce, of Roswell, N. M., are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Koen.

Mrs. J. O. Hudson and baby, Mrs. Sam Hudson of Dumas, Mrs. Uphon Williams of Houston were guests in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Worley, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner and baby of Wheeler visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirby, Sunday.

Charles Finley Mrs. H. W. Finley and Mrs. C. M. Carpenter went to Dallas Sunday to visit the former's wife, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bozeman of Fort Worth visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reep Landers, over the week end.

C. C. Mead and family of Miami visited in the T. A. Landers home Sunday.

Mrs. Buck Cooke and son of Vega visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Watkins and Miss Jo Wardloe were in Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Kennedy and son of Estelline visited friends here over the week end.

Ruel Smith and H. C. Rippey made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman White of Pampa visited in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wood and children visited in Pampa Friday.

Rev. Lance Webb Guest Speaker Lions Luncheon

Rev. Lance Webb, who is conducting the Methodist revival, was guest speaker at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday.

Rev. Webb told of his recent visit to New York City, where he saw "Father Devine" and the negro section of the city.

"Father Devine's followers are influenced by economic, rather than religious reasons," Rev. Webb said. "Many of his 100,000 followers are well fed for the first time in their lives, after joining one of his 'heavens.' The religious side is rather in the nature of an 'escape,' and they are happy in their worship of the father."

Other visitors at the club included County Agent Ralph R. Thomas, Witt Springer and Thomas Perkins. Joe Hindman was inducted into the office of tall twister in a speech by Creed Bogan that will probably cost Lion Bogan many fines the coming year.

At a directors' meeting following the luncheon, it was voted to sponsor the food project at the ward school another year and loan \$25 to an underprivileged boy for a hearing aid.

Dr. A. W. Hicks presided as Boss Lion, and T. A. Landers led the singing.

PENTECOSTALS ELECT OFFICERS

The following officers were elected at the annual election of the Pentecostal Holiness Church, held Monday night:

Deacons—C. H. Puckett, Roy Baker, Forrest Switzer.

Trustees—Mrs. H. O. Beyer, Rev. W. R. Maxwell, C. H. Puckett.

Church secretary-treasurer—Mrs. Forrest Switzer.

Foreign missionary president—Mrs. L. E. Carter.

Foreign missionary secretary-treasurer—Mrs. Elmer Decker.

BAPTIST JUNIORS ENTERTAINED

Under the leadership of Mrs. F. E. Stewart, Misses Agnes Finley and Eunice Stratton, some 20 juniors from the First Baptist Church, enjoyed an outing in the city park Tuesday evening. Games were played after which the group went to the Stewart home for refreshments of ice cream and cookies.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Stewart of Cleveland, Ohio, visited the News editor's farm Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have contributed toward the plantings at the farm and this was their second visit with the editor. They make annual tours of the United States, leaving their home in June this season, and were enroute home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Brunnier and daughters of Groom visited in the Dwight Stubblefield home Sunday. The girls remained for a longer visit with their sister, Mrs. Stubblefield.

Mrs. Milton Carpenter renews for the home paper this week, and also takes advantage of a magazine bargain offer.

The News editor acknowledges with thanks free tickets to the Perryton "Comes of Age" celebration August 21, 22.

G. F. Vinyard, prominent farmer of the Huntsman community, was a pleasant caller at the News office Tuesday.

Mrs. T. A. Landers, Miss Fern Landers, Mrs. V. B. Reagor and son, Tommy, visited in Miami Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilson and daughter of Dallas visited in the Dewey Wood home last Sunday.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway, Mrs. Ruel Smith and daughter visited relatives at Liberal, Kan., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Close of Canadian visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mars were in Amarillo last week, the lady receiving medical treatment.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Roger Shaw

'Battle of Britain' On as Nazi Bombers Increase Momentum of Mass Attacks; British Are Forced Out of Shanghai; Italy Stages Minor African Offensive

(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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THE WAR:

Step-Up

Reports from both London and Berlin indicated that long awaited aerial blitzkrieg against the British Isles had been stepped up to the point where as many as 500 Nazi planes were making periodic attacks on shipping ports and air-dromes.

Apparently the German tactics had a threefold objective: (1) to challenge Britain's sea control of the English channel by damaging naval harbors and shore establishments; (2) weakening of British air defenses by bombing airports, silencing ground guns and attempting to wear down British pilots by forcing them to maintain 24-hour patrols; (3) a bolstering of the morale of the German people by continued reports of air victories.

As usual London and Berlin in turn each claimed to have the upper hand in the first days of this "battle of Britain." Nazi leaders declared that in the first raids the ports of Margate, Dover and Portsmouth (naval yards) had been ruined by constant bombings. British sources reported a large number of Nazi warplanes shot down (as many as 60 in one day) and government spokesmen praised what they called the "heroic work" of the British fighter plane pilots.

Down East

The most interesting new phase of the II German war was not in the least degree German. It came as John Bull's worst setback in the whole fracas, since last September, and Hitler had virtually nothing to do with it. It was simply this:

The Japanese kicked the British out of the walled Chinese city of Shanghai. Here England has controlled the so-called international settlement for a century. In North China, where corrupt Shanghai is queen-city, there still are 10,000 British subjects, and nearly a billion dollars' worth of British invested capital. But out the British garrison went, and it was sent far south to Hongkong, a British commercial island just off Canton. Hongkong probably will be next. Already, the Japanese are penetrating French Indo-China, which doubtless won't be "French" very much longer.

That's Not All

There are 500,000,000 folks in the British empire. Of these, about 70,000,000 are whites, and the rest are multi-colored. Some 400,000,000 of them live in India. In the II German war, they have been practical-



MAHATMA GANDHI From Missouri or Irish Free State?

ly neutral, although some Indian regulars in the British army have seen service. England is anxious to get India into the war, and so offered Mahatma Gandhi "full and equal" dominion status, like Canada or Australia, but not until after the war. The Indians were too fussy. They replied they would be a great help—if they were given complete

NAMES ... in the news

Governor Stassen, Norse-German-Czech governor of Minnesota, outlined plans for a local home guard, made up of war veterans, as suggested by Mr. Roosevelt.

Senators Minton of Indiana and Wolf of West Virginia went into each other's personal characteristics and family histories, in the bitterest congressional debate seen in perhaps a century. Alcohol, slacker activity and billingsgate added to the senatorial spice, and fist-shaking gave a subtle punch to the proceedings. The issue was based on a single potent word: conscription.

Secretary Morgenthau had uniformed guards put around his office in Washington. Officials declined to explain the order, treasury or no treasury. Mystery!

independence, right now. Churchill had always been the No. 1 foe of Indian home-rule, and the Indo-nationalists simply didn't trust him. In the last war, India had dished up millions of soldiers and workers, and many, many millions of good, hard dollars. What Churchill really wanted, was another crack at these untold, untapped resources. But Gandhi, as usual, was from Missouri—or, perhaps, from the Irish Free State.

In Africa

The Italians in Ethiopia staged an offensive against little British Somaliland, on the Red sea. Mussolini's local legions started out by doing very well, and won some bush-league initial successes. It looked as if the Somali capital of Berbera, was going to get it, and the Italians captured some tanks and sunk some airplanes, as they forged ahead. London did not worry much about Berbera. That hell-hole is no gold mine like Shanghai, Hongkong, Bombay or Calcutta, where imperial profits stack up.

MOSLEY'S: Upper Crust

One of the funniest aspects of the war developed. It was this. Perhaps 400 of Sir Oswald Mosley's blackshirts—male and female—are



MRS. OSWALD MOSLEY She has her sunbaths on the prison lawn.

interned in the Brixton and Holloway jails in London. Mosley is a wealthy blueblood, and so are most of his Fascist followers: people who are used to the best, in everything. These Fascists have turned the two jails into pleasure resorts. One lady Fascist ordered 26 bottles of champagne in a single day. The wardens have turned into waiters. The government has had to advertise for more wardens, to do more waiting. Lady Mosley, sister of Hitler's famous girl-friend, Unity, takes sunbaths in a bathing suit, on the prison lawn. Good Sir Oswald eats via an outside caterer, wears silk shirts, and sports a different, newly tailored ensemble each week.

DEFENSE? Nat-Guard

The senate passed the measure of National Guard mobilization, by 71 to 7. The National Guardsmen, who didn't seem to know what they were in for, could be sent absolutely anywhere in the Western hemisphere, or to the far-flung Philippines, for that matter. Most of them were business men, and could ill be spared from key positions. Married men were exempted if they resigned within three weeks after they were called up. As a whole, the National Guard is supposed to have Willkie tendencies, and not Rooseveltian ones. But Mr. Roosevelt hastened to assure the Guardsists that it was most unlikely they would be sent far afield—something like a 100 to 1 shot. This tended to cool their disgruntlement. New York's crack high-society cavalry became an armored-car outfit and New York's ditto infantry turned into coast artillery anti-aircraft. So did Harlem's ditto ditto infantry Negroes. The entire New England National Guard had two tanks (from Hartford, Conn.), and it was authentically asserted by war department bigwigs that we wouldn't have a real army till 1944.

NO SHIPS: For Hitler

England did one thing that will calm many an American heart. She promised categorically to surrender none of her warships to Germany, in case the latter won the war. England indicated she would scuttle them instead. This was fine news all around. The English begged, too, for 50 to 100 Yankee destroyers. It seemed that British naval losses, in the destroyer class, had been very heavy indeed.

'Last Appeal'



A British soldier seems to get some grim humor out of the leaflet dropped on many English towns from German bombing planes. Leaflets contained a translation of Adolf Hitler's speech in which he made "A Last Appeal to Reason" before sending aerial legions on extensive raids over the British Isles.

FINLAND: Doomed?

The Germans took over Czechoslovakia in two stages. The first stage consisted in grabbing the Germanic Sudeten region, and the second stage came five months later, when Hitler snatched virtually all the rest of the country. So, with Russia and the Finns. After a war of 100 days, Stalin took the Mannerheim line, Viborg, Finland's second city, strategic islands, and border strips. Finland was almost disarmed. Then the Soviet's absorbed Bessarabia (from Rumania) and the little Baltic states of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia.

Now it looked like Finland again—or what was left of it. The Russians said they "feared" Finnish activities, and accused the Finns of maltreating their Communist minority. It was the old formula, to precede aggressive action. Meanwhile, the Finnish red leader, Otto Kuusinen, was elected vice president of the Soviet Russian parliament, as a significant gesture. Kuusinen had been an open traitor to his country during the first Finnish war of 1940. The number of Finnish Communists, actually, is rather minute. They call themselves "members of the society for friendship and peace with the Soviet Union in Finland."

NO JEWS? Persecution

The two toughest papers in Nazi Germany are the Stuermer and the Schwarze Korps. The latter is the organ of the party's "elite" black bodyguards. It came out with an editorial which said: a German peace will be a Jewish peace. It said: the Nazis plan to clear the entire European continent of Jews, and colonize them in some remote spot. It said: the recent Hungarian and Rumanian anti-semitic legislation is too weak. Needless to say, the radical Schwarze Korps did not speak for the German conservatives, like Goering, Krupp, and Schacht, whom it dislikes, and who openly dislike it.

Julius Streicher, Nazi boss of Nuremberg, and publisher of the radical Stuermer, was reported dead. Then he was reported alive again, but it seems he had lost his lucrative Nuremberg job. Streicher is a close student of Yankee lynchings, which he approves. He always quotes the "latest" lynch in detail, when the Yankees assail his methods in the III Reich. Streicher is especially disliked by Tory-minded Goering. Plebeian Mr. Streicher is a self-made man. Goering is not. The air marshal attended the aristocratic Prussian "West Point," and his father was a bigshot under the old Kaiser. Goering owns the National Zeitung of Essen, which is comparatively "respectable." It is not especially anti-semitic, nor is the German air force.

More of It

Another aspect of Nazi persecution is the Danish case. Up in Copenhagen—the Paris of the north, they claim—they still like to fight duels. But the Nazis have disarmed the Danes, and they are gun-less to the "nth" degree. A local dramatic critic made a dirty crack about a local actress. So a local actor challenged the critic. The critic accepted. There were no guns, no pistols, no nothing fiery. But hate will find a way. The enemies took to bows and arrows. After two flights of arrows, the actor was pinked in the arm, and it was all over. The actress looked on, and everybody went home anti-Nazi, but happy.

Those same Nazis, it was announced from Vichy, had shot down 30 per cent of the entire French air force in 46 days of the battle of France. Pierre Cot, former French air minister, was placed on trial by the enraged Generals Petain and Weygand, and perhaps not without reason. Meanwhile, the Nazis slapped a 15 per cent income-tax, surtax on all their new Polish subjects, for "social equalization." They also claimed, in bewilderment, that the subject Dutch had such bad manners.

Suede Fashions Due for Big Vogue This Fall and Winter

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



IF YOU have not already been converted into a suede way of thinking, you will when you see the fascinating things designers are doing with handsome suede for the coming fall and winter. In a wide range of colors, never so beautiful, never so exquisitely supple and never before so versatile for all purposes, suede has reached the point where it is regarded as a staple medium for the making of smart apparel.

No matter from what fashion angle the approach is made, suede qualifies as the perfect answer. There's nothing smarter on the boards for fall than a coat or a jacket, a suit or a one-piece dress made of suede. As to accessories of suede the rich colors of suede and its delightful yield to deft handling is revealed throughout a whole list of bags and hats, belts, gloves and footwear that add the swank touch to goodlooking costumes.

Women of keen fashion-sense like suede because it not only has proved to be dependably wearable and practical, but when it comes to color suede is positively glamorous and stands in a class all its own when it comes to interpreting a new high in fashion.

Destined to be adored is the little-boy jacket done in suede as shown to the left in the illustration. It is collarless with slightly padded shoulders. It boasts of three large patch pockets. Helen Wood, glamour girl of 1940 in filmland, chooses this jacket in a gold nugget hue to wear over a moss green suede dress.

Any school-faring girl will do well to include in her wardrobe a suede ensemble after the manner of the model shown to the right. Here you see Rosemary De Camp, dramatic cinema actress, in a one-piece dress made of porcelain blue suede. Softness is achieved by a fulness gathered under the slash pockets on the waist. The only trimming detail is a thong lacing outlining the neckline and the invisible slide fastener down the front. You will love this dress in any of the new colors.

Part of the glory and romance of the new suede costumes is that hats to match are ever available. You can get a sort of college girl mortar-board type such as crowns the pretty head of the figure standing, or if you like the cunning matching hat inspired by a bellhop cap as you see pictured in the inset below, shops and departments carry both types.

Society has taken to vacationing in the far West where picturesque "dude" ranches offer fascinating sport and diversion. Part of the fun is "when you are in Rome do as Romans do," which is to say in this connection, adopt cowboy costumes. At least this is what fashion is doing, playing on the theme in a way to dazzle the eye with the novelty and chic of slacks and even dresses, and blouses and jackets made of suede or other fanciful leather. And here's where suede comes into its own in all its glory, in just such attractive outfits as the white leather Western riding habit centered in the picture. The fringed skirt is accented by studs of silver. The boots and fringed bolero are similarly treated.

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Red Corduroy



It's time to give thought to the inevitable easy-to-slip-on jacket that is indispensable when cool breezes announce that autumn days are here. The pick of them all, in the estimation of fashion-wise college girls and their younger school-faring sisters is the jacket that is made of bright red corduroy. A grand twosome for early fall days on the campus or for general wear when the tang of autumn calls for comfortable wraps is a jacket of stoplight red corduroy such as is pictured here, topped with a matching hat of the identical corduroy.

Pompadour Styles Fix Hat Fashions

The revival of the pompadour comes to some of us as a surprise, but here it is and no mistake, smuggled in under the guise of a group of flattering curls or some other softly arranged coiffure that is really very flattering. If there is one thing more than another that we are learning this season it is that the new hat fashions have to a certain extent been greatly influenced by the return of the pompadour.

ered in under the slash pockets on the waist. The only trimming detail is a thong lacing outlining the neckline and the invisible slide fastener down the front. You will love this dress in any of the new colors.

Part of the glory and romance of the new suede costumes is that hats to match are ever available. You can get a sort of college girl mortar-board type such as crowns the pretty head of the figure standing, or if you like the cunning matching hat inspired by a bellhop cap as you see pictured in the inset below, shops and departments carry both types.

Society has taken to vacationing in the far West where picturesque "dude" ranches offer fascinating sport and diversion. Part of the fun is "when you are in Rome do as Romans do," which is to say in this connection, adopt cowboy costumes. At least this is what fashion is doing, playing on the theme in a way to dazzle the eye with the novelty and chic of slacks and even dresses, and blouses and jackets made of suede or other fanciful leather. And here's where suede comes into its own in all its glory, in just such attractive outfits as the white leather Western riding habit centered in the picture. The fringed skirt is accented by studs of silver. The boots and fringed bolero are similarly treated.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Toque and Turban Fashions Arriving

Coming in are a series of toque and turban fashions that suggest the quaint bonnets worn in the sixties. You wear them back of the pompadour and the inspiring note about these little chapeaux are they are becoming to youth and to the not so young, as well. In fact for the matronly type these turbans and toques solve the pompadour hat problem perfectly. An older woman who could under no circumstances venture to wear a wide brim posed back on the head such as the teen age delights in, finds that the little draped toques are a triumphant solution.

Also there is comfort in the thought that milliners are designing smart hats that are intended to dip over the brow, that tune to the new style demands every whit as smartly as do the excitingly new pompadour effects.

Gold Jewelry Will Be Worn This Fall

In spite of the fact that gold jewelry has been somewhat out of the picture for a brief spell comes reports to the effect that it has again come to the fore in the style picture. However, the new gold jewelry that will enliven smart black jersey dresses and those of sheer wools, is not of the garish spectacular type. There is exquisite refinement expressed in subtle detail and workmanship in the incoming necklaces, bracelets, pins, clips and lapel ornaments.

Fringe and Lacing Decorative Trims

Soft fringe and lacing are two decorative trims used together on a pretty pair of white linen shoes shown by a New York designer. The shoe is a very high-heeled pump laced up the toe and down the back of the shank. The throat of the pump is edged with a rim of narrow fringe repeated in a straight band below each crossed lacing on the toe.

Jiffy Crochet Shawl For Young and Old



BE IN style—add this crocheted shawl to your wardrobe. It's in Shetland Floss—just one easy medallion repeated and joined. Pattern 2582 contains directions for making shawl; illustrations of it and stitches; materials required. Send order to:

Sewing Circle Needlecraft Dept. 82 Eighth Ave. New York Enclose 15 cents in coins for Pattern No. Name Address

MIDDLE AGE WOMEN Thousands have gas smiling thru this "trying time" by taking Pinkham's... LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Perfect Duties Gentleness and cheerfulness, these come before all morality; they are the perfect duties.—Stevenson.

MUSCULAR ACHE? PENETRO Slow Pace To climb steep hills requires slow pace at first.

OLIN HOTEL QUIET LOCATION You Will Enjoy the Friendly Atmosphere and Service

A Tragedy A good man dies when a boy goes wrong.

Listen! PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS LONE JOURNEY Popular young Betty Winkler is the feminine star of "Lone Journey," the interesting radio drama heard at 9:15 a. m., Mondays through Fridays for Detroit.

OLD GOLD SHOW Here's bang-up entertainment. Besides a variety show, each program features a short drama starring Don Ameche and Claire Trevor.

GOOD NEWS OF 1940 With hilarity furnished by Fanny Brice as Baby Snooks and music by Dick Powell and Mary Martin, this show is tops. Presented by Maxwell House Coffee and heard Thursdays at 6 p. m. 1140 on your Dial

KVOO TULSA

VIGILANCE COMMITTEE

ADVERTISING is a great vigilance committee, established and maintained in your interest, to see that the men who aspire to sell to you will always be worthy of your trade.

News from Liberty

day school 11 a. m. each Sunday night.

S. R. Jones will begin a night at Liberty school house Sunday night, Aug. 25, and continue each week until Sunday Sept. 1. Everyone is urged to attend.

R. O. Cunningham and son, visited the former's son, and family in Amarillo Sunday. Miss Oleta returned home.

Carol Jean Brock of Chilli visited her aunt, Mrs. Olen the first of last week.

Mrs. H. L. Dorsey and family visited in the Hardin home.

Kate Stokes and Mrs. Ella visited relatives at Pampa Sunday afternoon. They accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stokes of Shamrock.

Davis was in Pampa Thursday.

Lively made a business trip Tuesday.

Mrs. Everett Dorsey and family of Kellerville attended Sunday school here last Sunday and dinner guests in the Lively home.

Mary Ford visited relatives last week.

Audie Myatt of Borger visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. the first of the week.

R. O. Cunningham, sons and daughter, Ronald, Conald and Oleta, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eddie attended the Frazier reunion last week, returning Tuesday.

Viola Corbin, teacher of the children of the Liberty Sunday school, entertained her class with a lunch at the Stokes grove afternoon. She was assisted by Olen Davis and Mrs. Buster. Others present were Conald, Minnie and Sue Lively, Wayne and Keith Myatt, Sue Bernice Lee, Kenneth and Gene Stokes and Mrs. C. A.

Mrs. Clarence Tedder and Mrs. Stinnett visited the lady's Mrs. Olen Davis, Tuesday.

Sunday school pupils and enjoyed a chicken fry at school house Thursday night.

42 chickens were fried and with bread, pickles and iced the following:

H. Hardin and family, H. L. and family, Olen Davis and family, Floyd Lively and family, Myatt and family, H. M. Roth family, Raymond Richardson and Misses Pleeta Cunningham, Ella Corbin, J. W. Lively, Jerry Bell, Troy Corbin, Mrs. Buster and sons, Mrs. Kate Stokes, Ella Stewart, all of Liberty.

Mr. Dorsey and family, Miss and Leon Earles of Keller, Cecil Fuller and family of Cook, Cecil Washburn and family, Fred Gordon and children, Mr. Moore of Ramsdell, Rev. S. R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes of McLean.

year 1940, which marks the anniversary of the invention of the first book printed in the United States. That is now the United States. "The Whole Booke of Psalms," was printed by Stephen Day two sons in Cambridge, Mass. is the first book written in the United States. It is unbelievable that the mind of the gospel in that wilderness translated its text from original Hebrew. Few scholars accomplish that task today.

are sought repose everywhere, where have I found it save at the corners of little books. as a Kempis.

entertainment. Besides a variety of features a short drama by Dick Powell and Mary Topp. Presented by Maxwell heard Thursdays at 8 p. m.

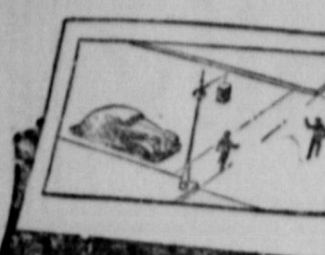
led by Fanny Price as baby by Dick Powell and Mary Topp. Presented by Maxwell heard Thursdays at 8 p. m. on your Dial.

Young lady, we're out of letterheads. Don't get excited, boss—the newspaper shop will print some in a hurry if we phone them.

is a great vigilante, established in your interest the men who sell to you will pry of your trade.

THE PEDESTRIANS' PRIMER

No. 3—Cross on the Proper Signal



REMEMBER—traffic lights are for all traffic, pedestrians as well as motorists. Five persons are killed crossing against the light for every one killed crossing with it. Don't expect motorists to obey lights if you aren't willing to do so.

News from Pakan

John Shook of Deerness Grove, Ill., arrived a week ago Saturday to visit in the Macina home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Macina and family, John Hrcniar and daughters, Susan and Ellen, returned Tuesday after a week's vacation in New Mexico.

Mrs. Anna Plak, son and daughter, Paul and Betty, returned Sunday afternoon from a vacation trip to Chicago.

John Mertel and Ed Cadra were in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hrcniar, Jr., of Shamrock, accompanied by Dorothy and Helen Hrcniar, were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Jessye Mae Rozell of Lela is visiting in the Hrcniar home this week.

Mrs. Dan Frye, son and daughter, Buddy and Joy, of Magic City were at the Hrcniar home Monday.

Mike Mertel, John Hrcniar, Dusan Pakan and Paul Macina were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tedder of Stinnett visited here Monday.

James Everett of Amarillo visited home folks here Sunday.

News from Ramsdell

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, instead of holding their two weeks' meeting at Ramsdell school house, will conduct their services at Liberty school house, four miles east of McLean, on highway 66. It will begin Sept. 1 at 11 a. m.

L. D. Knutson and family and Bill Rainwater visited in the S. B. Malone home Sunday afternoon.

The Moore family left last Friday for a vacation in Colorado. D. L. Knutson is taking care of their property while they are away.

Publication of the 11,662 weekly newspapers in the United States represents one of the modern results of the invention of printing with movable types 500 years ago by Johann Gutenberg.

MOTORISTS' HEADQUARTERS

More and more motorists are thinking of our station as headquarters for the kind of automobile service they like.

We invite you to make our place headquarters when you need anything for your car.

Does Pyorrhea Threaten?

Are your gums irritated? Do your gums cause you annoyance? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO" fails to satisfy. CITY DRUG STORE.

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Eyes Examined
Glasses Scientifically Fitted
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Why Max Boyer SHOULD BE ELECTED State Senator



BECAUSE—Max Boyer has served for the past four years as a member of the Texas House of Representatives and has gained much experience which qualifies him for promotion to the State Senate.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer received 79% of all votes in the ten counties which he served.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer has cooperated with two governors of this state and has voted at all times for measures to pay old age pensions, aid for the blind, the dependent children, and for teachers retirement.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer received a letter from the Governor commending him and thanking him for his cooperation and help in assisting the old people and others included in the Social Security program, which letter was written on May 30, 1939.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer, after the Senate had killed all measures passed by the Legislature, when the Senate had killed all measures passed by the House, and he had voted for S. J. R. 12, he then voted to adjourn the Legislature which was costing the taxpayers of this State over \$5,000.00 per day.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer has always fought for the rights of the average citizens.

Tune to KGNC Friday, Aug. 23, 6:30 p. m.

(This ad paid for by Gray county friends of Max Boyer)

PAGAN FUNERALS

The Rev. Otis R. Rice, rector of St. Luke's Hospital, New York City, contends most modern funerals are "pagan" because they emphasize matters "pertaining to the corpse," "over-stimulate emotion," and wear out the mourners by "long services and waits." "More emphasis," he declares, should be put on "survival of the soul than concern for the body that is left."

Youths under 23 years of age are still the nation's chief lawbreakers, according to a Federal Bureau of Investigation report on U. S. crime during the first six months of 1940. Out of every three persons arrested for robbery, one was under 21; one of every two who had committed burglary was still a minor; and more than half of all auto thefts were committed by juveniles. More 19-year-olds were arrested than any other age group.

Patron (posing for photo)—What will these pictures cost me?
Photographer—They're \$30 a dozen. Now look pleasant, please.

GOOD EATS

Fine foods served in pleasant and congenial surroundings.

Whether you want a sandwich or one of our full meals, you will enjoy eating here.

HIBLER'S CAFE

Open Day and Night

LET'S ELECT TO CONGRESS

Deskins Wells

a Man of Integrity, Ability and Leadership



3 years' experience as secretary of Collingsworth County Agricultural Association.

4 years' experience as mayor of Wellington, reduced the bonded indebtedness from \$220,000 to \$163,000 while reducing tax rate, donated entire salary as mayor to destitute, sick and unemployed.

15 years' experience as business man in developing struggling weekly into paper known throughout state and nation for excellence and service to people in all walks of life.

A VOTE FOR WELLS IS A VOTE FOR:

1. Farmers, Ranchers, and Small Businessmen.
2. Old Age and Youth.
3. A Man of Ability and Experience.

Go to the polls for your friend August 24th.

(Paid for by friends of Deskins Wells in Gray county)

FIRST PRINTED MAGAZINE

The first printed magazine was originated by Edward Cave in London during the year 1731. Cave's publication, which was known as the Gentleman's Magazine, maintained literary supremacy for a century, and its editor and publisher, who coined the word "magazine" as related to the storing up of material for the publication, edited it until his death in 1791. The first magazine to be published in what is now the United States was The American Magazine or A Monthly Review of the Political State of the British Colonies. It was published by William Bradford in Philadelphia and made its first appearance on Feb. 13, 1741.

Mrs. R. S. Jordan orders the home paper sent to her address.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnston are visiting at Arlington and other places.

The first printing press was received in Australia in 1787 after being sent there by the English government. No one could be found to operate it, so the equipment remained idle for eight years until Governor Hunter in 1795 discovered a printer, George Hughes, among new arrivals.

Jake Erwin of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Webb of Pampa were in McLean Saturday.

LYNCH'S SECOND HAND STORE AND PIPE YARD

Phone 9502 East of Post Office
Lefors, Texas
Water well casing and pumping equipment, windmill towers, tanks, cattle guards, oil field supplies, pipe straightening, bending, shopping, general welding. Cash paid for all used goods, for lumber, for pipe, pipe fittings, heavy machine and shop equipment, sheet and scrap iron, metals, etc., etc.

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Dependable, low cost burial policies—
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Primary, August 24

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MODERNIZE YOUR TRUCKING EQUIPMENT NOW at today's low prices

CHEVROLET TRUCKS ARE... BEST HAULERS BEST SAVERS BEST SELLERS

Because Chevrolet trucks provide the power and durability to do the work most efficiently, and because Chevrolet trucks operate with such great economy, Chevrolet trucks are out in front in sales—leading again in 1940 by a wide margin, as they have led year after year.

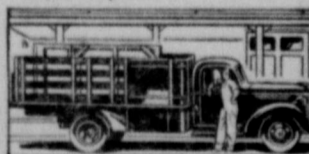
You will find it wise to modernize your trucking equipment now, at today's low prices.

TRUCK OWNERS WANT FACTS... CHEVROLET GIVES Certified Proof!

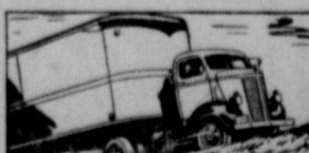
On the longest test run ever conducted under the supervision of the American Automobile Association, a stock Chevrolet 1 1/2-ton truck turned in a marvelous performance and economy record. The facts of this test run are clearly outlined in an interesting booklet entitled "Says Who?" You may obtain this booklet from your Chevrolet dealer or Chevrolet Motor Division, General Motors Corp., General Sales Bldg., Detroit, Michigan.



LIGHT DELIVERY PANEL—Grocers, cleaners, bakers—all types of merchants who must maintain prompt day-to-day and door-to-door delivery service have found Chevrolet panel deliveries the ideal trucks from every standpoint.



HEAVY DUTY STAKE—The heavy duty stake truck is ideal for carrying materials of great bulk. The center stake sections on the 1 1/2-ton wheel-base model may be swung open or removed for loading at the sides.



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Fun for the Whole Family

BIG TOP

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LALA PALOOZA — A Case of Mistaken Identity

By RUBE GOLDBERG



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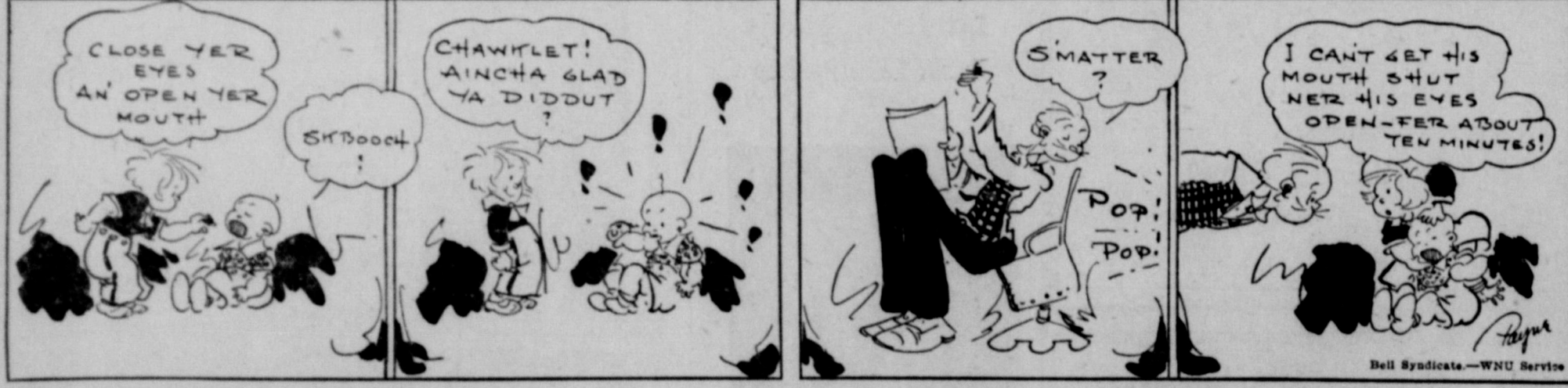
By S. L. HUNTLEY

Right on Time, Too



'SMATTER POP — Permanently Set for More

By C. M. PAYNE



POP — The Quartermaster's Stumped

By J. MILLAR WATT



THE SPORTING THING

By LANG ARMSTRONG



UNFAIR AIR CORPS

Clara—Why did the air corps turn down Frank?
James—On account of his eyes.
Clara—Why, I think his eyes are lovely.

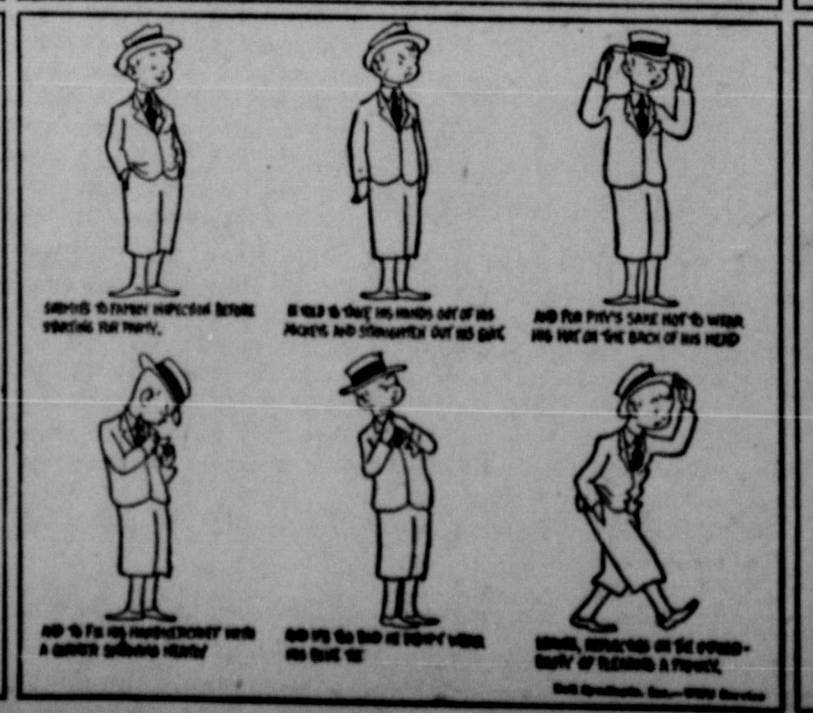
Nice Fellow
"What do you think of Jones?"
"He is one of those people that pat you on the back before your face, and hit you in the eye behind your back."

Ask Somebody Else
Young Man—Is there any time at which children cease to be a source of constant worry?
Old Man—I don't know. My oldest child is only 65.

Companions
Father (at 3 a. m., to restless baby son)—Now what are you crying about?
Infant—Wants drink.
Father—So do I. Go to sleep!

FAMILY INSPECTION

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

MACHINERY

Prest Machine Works Co.
Machinists and Electricians
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Oklahoma City, Okla.

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Hosetter's Bitters
A daily tonic — a real Stomach

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8 prints and 2-1/2" enlargements
or four sheets of 11" x 14" enlargements
in 15 minutes
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Strange Facts

Swift Canal Travel
Loud Whale Blow
Market for Rust

☐ The United States fleet can pass through the Panama canal with remarkable speed. Not long ago 110 of its ships passed through in 48 hours, thus moving one vessel in and another out every 26 minutes.

☐ The loudest respiratory movements known are those of whales. When harpooned, they sometimes stay under the water for as long as two hours and, coming to the surface, expel their long-held breath with such force that the sound can be heard for more than a mile.

☐ Although only 24 states impose a tax on retail sales, nearly \$400,000,000 a year is collected in this way. Incidentally, only three states, Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi, have made their sales tokens interchangeable for the convenience of interstate shoppers.

☐ A large Eastern railroad sells from 200 to 500 tons of rust monthly to various steel companies which use it in the manufacture of pig iron.—Collier's.

Life's Canvas

We are not writing in the sand. The tide does not wash it out. We are not painting our pictures on the canvas and with a brush, so that we can erase the error of yesterday, or overlay it with another color today. We are writing our lives with a chisel on the marble, and every time we strike a blow we leave a mark that is indelible.—O. S. Markan.

WORLD'S LARGEST SELLER AT 10¢ ST. JOSEPH'S ASPIRIN

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Let no man presume to give advice to others that has not first been given count to himself.—Seneca

SOOTHE AWAY DIAPER RASH—OFTEN PREVENT DIAPER AND HEAT RASH WITH MEXICAN HEAT POWDER

MEXICAN HEAT POWDER

The Wise Feast

Fools make feasts, and wise men eat them.—Benjamin Franklin.

Black Leaf 40 KILLS LICE

Black Leaf 40
KILLS LICE
JUST A DASH IN FEATHERS... OR SPREAD ON ROOSTS

Wit Predominates

There are forty men of wit in one man of sense.

Watch Your Kidneys

DOAN'S PILL
Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste
Your kidneys are constantly sifting waste matter from the blood stream. If your kidneys become clogged, the waste matter will pile up in your system, and you will feel the effects. Doan's Pills are the only medicine that will cleanse the kidneys and restore them to normal. They are the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of kidney trouble. They are the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of kidney trouble. They are the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of kidney trouble.

BIRTH OF THE NEWSPAPER

In the seventeenth century there arose the most powerful modern manifestations of printing, the newspaper and the magazine. The world's first printed newspaper was published in Germany about the year 1612. The first printed newspaper appeared in England in 1622, and the first printed publication in France in the year 1731. Hand-written single copies of news letters, the forerunners of these early printed newspapers, made their appearance in the early days of the Renaissance, one of them reporting the discovery by Columbus of the West Indies. Until the story of the Columbus discovery was later printed, the fact was known to only a few hundred people.

The first printed sheet to be published as a newspaper in America appeared in Boston on September 25, 1689. That news sheet was Benjamin Harris' Publick Occurrences. Because he did not have the proper license, the sheet was suppressed by the British colonial government as soon as the first issue appeared.

America's first regularly published news sheet was the Boston News Letter. It began publication as a weekly on April 24, 1704, and continued until 1774. On January 24, 1775, Benjamin Tomes converted his Philadelphia

Evening Post and Daily Advertiser into America's first daily newspaper. As the results of the Gutenberg invention, thousands of newspapers have followed in the footsteps of these pioneers, exerting a vast influence on politics, economics and social life.

Father—So you love my daughter? Swain—Love her? Why, I would die for her. For one soft glance from those sweet eyes I would hurl myself from a lofty cliff and perish—glad to have a chance to sacrifice myself in her name.

Father—Well, you can't have her. I'm something of a liar myself, and one liar is enough in a small family like ours.

Who eat their corn while yet 'tis green.

At the true harvest can but glean.

—Saadi.

Johnnie Cubine visited at Dumas over the week end.

Printing ranks first among all other industries in the United States from the standpoint of salaries, number of salaried employees, number of establishments and value added by manufacture. According to latest figures, approximately \$372,000,000 is paid out by the industry each year in salaries. There are 185,635 salaried employees, 19,872 establishments and the value added by manufacture is more than one and one-half billion dollars annually. Following only motor vehicles and steel, the industry ranks third as the nation's wage payer. In excess of \$416,000,000 is paid out in wages by the industry each year. The printing industry has 276,363 wage earners and in that classification ranks fifth among the industries, following steel, cotton woven goods, lumber and motor vehicles.

Customer—Your dog seems very fond of watching you cut hair. Barber—It ain't that; sometimes I snip off a bit of a customer's ear.

The printer, William Caxton, who introduced printing into England in 1476 after learning the craft in Burgundy, now a part of conquered Belgium, had a greater influence on the form of the English language than any other man before or since. Caxton complained in one of his prefaces that a man from one town in England asked for "eggys," while a man from another locality demanded "eyren." Both wanted eggs. Decisions between alternative word forms made by Caxton while printing his books, determined forever the form of those words in the English language.

Don't be fooled: that "stop, look and listen" sign at the railroad crossing is not intended for the engineer.

Earth is here so kind, that just tinkle her with a hoe and she laughs with a harvest—Douglas Jerrold.

One of the most amazing facts in history is that less than a century after the invention of printing and less than 50 years after Columbus had discovered the New World, a printer crossed the Atlantic and set up his press in Mexico City in 1539. The printer was Juan Pablos of Seville, Spain. He was brought over at the request of church authorities who needed printed text books and catechisms to help evangelize the native Indians.

Minister—Good morning! I'm so glad to see you at Sunday school today, Harold. What do you expect to learn today?

Harold—I expect to learn the date of the Sunday school picnic.

Mrs. Dorothy Johnson of Albuquerque, N. M., came home with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Maxwell, for a few days' visit.

CITY DRUG STORE

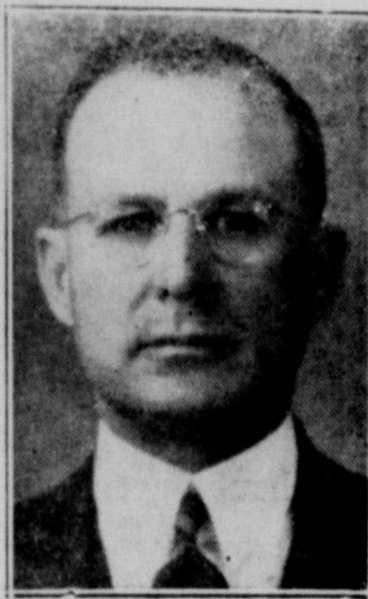
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Roger Powers, Mgr.

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is the way to Landers Beauty Shoppe. Give us a trial on all kinds of beauty work. We specialize in lovely permanents.

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His record is phenomenal. Of 608 opinions by Judge Alexander on the Court of Civil Appeals at Waco, only 15 were reversed by the Supreme Court. His record is 98% perfect. Born in a Texas log cabin, Judge Alexander practiced law 14 years and has served 18 years as a Texas judge, the last 10 years as Associate Justice of Court of Civil Appeals at Waco. He is the man to elect Chief Justice of the Texas Supreme Court.

THE MAN FOR CHIEF JUSTICE

(Paid for by citizens whose only interest in a Supreme Court of ability and integrity).

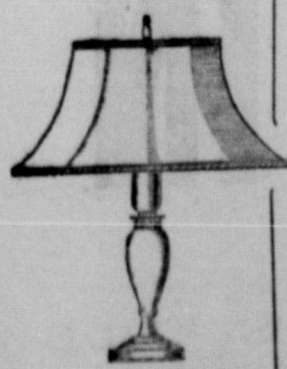


Eyes have muscles, too

Poor light can cause strain to eye muscles, weakening them and thus impairing the vision. Good light helps eye muscles to develop normally, and is therefore very important to children of school age, as well as to older folks. Now, with scientific I. E. S. lamps for the home, and correctly designed lighting for schools, eyestrain is being minimized. It will cost very little to equip your home with I. E. S. lamps.

Better Light for Better Sight

We use the Sight Meter, an instrument which accurately measures the seeing power of light, to check your home for adequate lighting. This service is free. Phone today and ask to have a lighting test made in your home.



Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

A MAN FOR THE PEOPLE

Vote for a Man Who Believes in

Law Enforcement Fairly and Squarely

In Accordance with the Law

G. H. (Skinner) Kyle

Says

1. I am financing my own campaign! The First National Bank will offer proof of my statement. If elected I will not be obligated to any man or set of men. My only dictator will be the law of the land and my own good conscience.
2. There will be no gambling or gambling houses in Gray county.
3. Minor children will not be permitted to loaf in pool halls. The law with reference to this situation should be enforced.
4. Unlawful operation of honky-tonks and dance halls will not be permitted.
5. My deputies will be Gray county citizens and men of family and responsibility.
6. Cooperation with the Police Department, Constable's office, Highway Patrol, Texas Rangers and F. B. I. to the end that Gray county shall have a sheriff of whom the people will be justly proud.
7. Thieves, burglars and criminals must leave Gray county.

Vote for a Man Who Is Qualified, Level Headed and Has Sound Judgement

WHOSE PERSONAL AND PRIVATE REPUTATION AND CHARACTER SUPPORT HIS PLATFORM

(Paid Political Ad.)

PROMISES OR PERFORMANCE?

Which Do You Want in the Sheriff's Office?



If you want the law enforced, fearlessly and without favors to any individual or special groups; if you want Gray county kept free of thugs, gamblers and other racketeers; if you want a continuation of liquor law enforcement and the rigid regulation of honky-tonks and beer taverns under the existing state laws, it behooves you to vote for

Cal Rose for Sheriff

MR. PROPERTY OWNER!

Take no chances. Here are some facts as to conditions before Cal Rose became sheriff. From 1935 until Rose went into office there were 65 cases of hi-jacking and robbery in Gray county in which no arrests were made. Here are a few reminders:

- Tom Rose Motor Co.—cash \$347.66
- Tom Rose Motor Co.—cash \$193.73
- Standard Food Market No. 1—cash \$706.78
- J. C. Penny Co.—cash \$658.00
- Doak's Clothing Store—cash \$331.13

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It appears to be the custom for defeated candidates in the first primary to endorse the runner-up for the second primary. We have never been able to understand this, unless they envy the one who receives the largest vote too much to give him any kind of support.

When it was seen that the last session of the legislature was deadlocked, many of the legislators wanted to adjourn and go home, but were unable to muster sufficient strength to get a majority vote. It would have saved the taxpayers a lot of money and the representatives a lot of criticism if they had listened to those who were ready to adjourn.

If the advertising department of the railroads had kept pace with other departments, the roads would be getting more business today. Many improvements in rail service have been made in the past few years, but the roads have depended on free publicity so long that it seems that they cannot be brought to see the necessity of advertising their advantages in an adequate way.

Soon self-styled tree 'experts' will be in town soliciting work on shade trees. The display of ignorance on the part of most of them would be refreshing, if it were not for the fact that the work of years can be ruined in a few minutes by ignorant hands. It takes too long to grow a tree in this country to trust it to the ignorant. Any nurseryman or forester will be glad to make helpful suggestions that will enable any tree owner to see that pruning is kept within safe bounds. A few trees in McLean have been ruined to such an extent that they will never be of value until cut down and allowed to grow again as nature intended, or replaced by other trees.

Contrary to popular belief, Johann Gutenberg printed seventeen successive editions of a little Latin grammar, known from the name of its author as the Donatus, before he started work on the great "Gutenberg Bible."

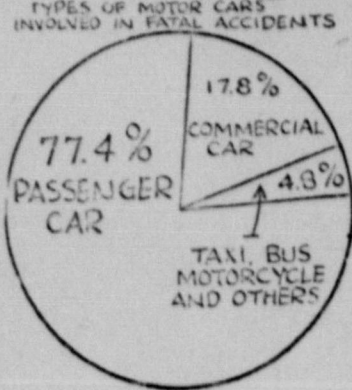
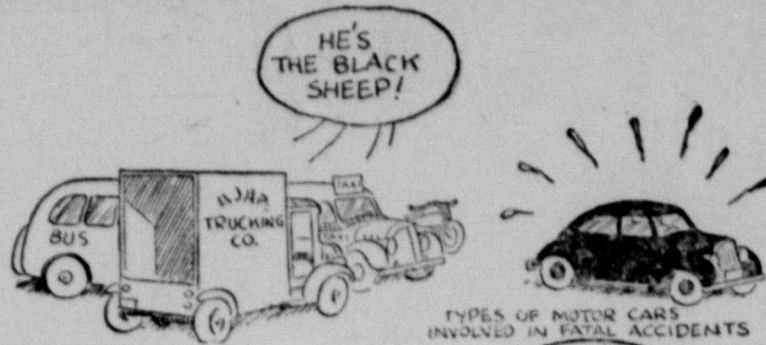
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Passenger Cars Involved In 4 Out of 5 Accidents



Almost 80% of all vehicles involved in fatal accidents last year were passenger cars, according to an analysis just released. An even greater percentage of vehicles in non-fatal accidents were of the pleasure-car type, the study shows.

Taxis and buses, relatively few in number, showed well with the former involved in only 7% of the accidents, and the latter in but 1.1%. Motorcycles were involved in 2.4% of the fatal crashes.

Commercial cars, including trucks of the fatals and 12.2% of the non-fatal accidents, were involved in 17.8% of all types, were involved in 17.8% of the fatals.

News from Heald

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and children and Tom Bailey returned Wednesday from a vacation trip to Fort Worth and other places.

The Rippy family held a reunion at the home of Mrs. Nida Green Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rippy of Electra, Mrs. H. E. Banta and son, David, of Houston; Mrs. Jo Shappard of Jackson, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Rippy and daughter, Iva Dell, Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Lankford and son, Billy Kester, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rippy, Mrs. Lucy Rippy, Grandma Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rippy and daughter, Patty Ruth, and Mrs. A. Stanfield, all of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Roach, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rippy of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jensen of Wellington; Art Roach of Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Raymond Bailey of Wheeler visited relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. Ona Lee Bidwell and Miss Redding visited in the T. H. Pickett home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer and daughter, Margaret, of McLean attended church here Sunday morning and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton and family.

Raymond Bailey and Hugh Miller visited J. A. Haynes Saturday night. Ike Kuykendall, who has been working near Pampa, returned home Saturday.

Forrest Billingslea of Perryton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingslea, over the week end.

Rev. Gordon and George Renuer visited J. A. Haynes Friday afternoon.

The revival meeting closed Sunday night after two weeks of successful services. Rev. Gordon of Clarendon and Rev. J. P. Cole conducted the services.

Terminus Philosophy

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Trust no future, however pleasant! Let the dead past bury its dead! Act—act in the living Present! Heart within and God o'erhead. —Longfellow.

Nexdore—I'm going to take my radio with me when I go on my vacation. Nayber—That's very thoughtful of you. It certainly needs a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rippy and daughter of Electra visited relatives here last week end.

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CHAPTER XX—Continued

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the night of the housewarming. Austin called Elsie into her room after dinner.

"Elsie, I want to tell you something," she said, "I'm not surprised when you call for me. Tell me about it."

"I want to move Miss Morthing's," Elsie said with a smile.

"You gave the number of the present building to which Lynn moved, and from which she had moved, and from which she had moved?"

Austin did not write down the address until after Elsie had finished. Then she noted it carefully. "I told him what she found out."

"I don't want to press things, but has Harlen made any move to you?" Mrs. Austin inquired.

"I've turned up nothing, but he's turned up quite a nice girl. Vermont she comes from, a middle-class people, a sister in law, married, ordinary. Her father is a small-town lawyer, it is said."

Austin turned impatiently. "Ruth, he's doing the best he can for Florida? I tell you something funny about all this."

She worked for some woman there by the name of Warren. "I don't know what happened to her and the trailer."

Austin moaned: "It's awful. I know what happened to her and the trailer."

She should be able to find out something. Here's her new address. She handed him the slip of paper.

Harlen proved a disappointment. His operators could only see the hours spent with her in the devotion. But it got Mrs. Warren to place.

Austin and Wild did not go back to the Manor, they went about the city. Lynn learned for herself something about the work theater. They saw everybody, and he was of the sensation the new modernity made wherever she went. They were invited to many parties. But they went to few. Lynn was in at a reasonable hour, as was at Rene's studio at 8 o'clock.

They were bound to get into the columns. Wild was so well known, that that was only natural. The first time it happened, Lynn looked at the gorgeous blonde with Wild at last night's shindig at the Theater is the model you see in the hand-holding stage."

Wild met her that night after she was embarrassed. As she was a little nervous about the matter, since it had not mentioned at home. He knew that his mother must have seen him. The thing which worried her was her silence.

When he saw Lynn's face he realized she was over the top of anything of it," he said. "What do you want to do tonight?"

Wild had found innumerable little restaurants in the city. They had their pet for them. Tonight Lynn decided to go to a little restaurant where they had the best filet of sole in the city.

"Paris, Lynn, we'll have dinner at just such a little place," Wild promised. "Which do you want to go to?"

"When are you going to marry me?"

"That awful morning after I had come to her apartment, she asked her that question, and she was in Lynn's eyes."

"I'm trembling, but she forced herself to answer. She told him! But when she saw his eyes she lost courage. She was out of this restaurant she could manage."

When they left the eating place, Lynn suggested going up to her room.

"Yes, Wild. We can build a room for her and Rene."

She went to the quiet apartment with Lynn. Lynn walked restlessly, straightening a picture, and Lynn suggested going up to her room.

"You didn't answer me."

"I'm not sure."

"You manage mother. Once you really love me, the mother."

She pulled her down into the room. They embraced and kissed in a kiss. "Listen, him."

sweet. You don't understand my family. They've had a bad lesson with Chuck. It isn't that they don't like you. It is just that they don't trust anybody."

"I understand. I don't blame them."

"This business of Chuck's is going to blow high as a kite one of these days, so be prepared for a front-page scandal."

"It will be hard for your mother."

"So, you see why I want to get out of the way?" Lynn's eyes were clouded.

"It's Rene, isn't it?"

"Yes."

Wild made an impatient gesture. "Lynn, you're annoying sometimes. I can't understand you and Rene! You owe him nothing! Oh, I know what you're going to say." Lynn's heart was full of sudden fear.

"He was kind to you, stuck to you. Well, you certainly nursed him along like a mother! Good Lord. Where'd he be without you? I know he has talent. But if he didn't have you to paint, where'd he be?"

"That's just it!"

"You can't model for him the rest of your life! It's ridiculous. You supported him, you cooked his meals and washed the dishes. It's just that!"



They embraced and their lips met in a kiss.

seems to me you've paid your debt of gratitude a thousand times!"

"He needs me."

"What about me?" He kissed Lynn, holding her close in his arms, until he felt her hot tears on his lips.

"Look at me, Lynn!" He held her away from him. "Is it because Rene is in love with you?"

"He isn't."

"Of course, he is. I've known it always."

"Oh, darling, you're so wrong! He clings to me, that's all." And Lynn honestly believed what she said.

Wild got up and put Lynn in the chair and paced about.

"Have I got to go to Rene to get permission to marry you?"

"Oh, no, no, don't do that, Wild!" She was frantic at the thought. He must not hear from Rene. She must stop that, somehow.

"Wild, let me handle this. I'll talk to Rene tomorrow."

"Is that a promise, sweet?"

"It's a promise."

CHAPTER XXI

When Lynn arrived at Rene's studio the next morning for work, she wore some of Wild's orchids. They were gorgeous yellow affairs, stunning on her black suit. For Lynn spent her whole day in a breathless attempt to please both Rene and Mrs. Reanoud.

Rene frowned. He lit a cigarette and went over and slumped onto the sofa.

"I've been wanting to talk to you, Lynn. Sit over there where I can see your face."

Obediently, Lynn came down and sat in a chair across from him.

"When are you going to tell Wild?"

Lynn's hands were restless in her lap. "Oh, Rene, I don't know. I've tried. I tried last night. I can't, Rene! What am I going to do?"

She got up and went over to the big studio windows.

"You're a fool, Lynn. Why didn't you tell him in the first place? I told you to."

"I . . . couldn't. Now it's too late. I know him. He'll never trust me again. You don't understand how he is . . ." She turned toward Rene.

"You're off the deep end about him aren't you?"

"Yes."

"Do you want me to tell him?"

"God, no! I've got to do it myself, somehow." She wrung her hands. "If it weren't all so incredible. How can I make him believe that story? He'll leave me. I know that." She came over to the artist and held out her hands. "What am I going to do?" Rene put his arm about her shoulders and tried to comfort her.

"I can't sleep for thinking about it. At first, Rene, I thought it didn't matter. I didn't take Wild seriously. It was just fun being with him and dashing about town. Then things changed—and it was too late to tell him."

"The quicker you get it over with, the better."

"Just give me a little time. I'll tell him this week."

Rene's face was expressionless as he looked at Lynn. "We better get back to work." Lynn went back to the model's stand.

As he painted, Lynn was left with her devastating thoughts. She remembered so clearly Wild's insistent voice as he told her: "Never lie to me."

If only she could get an annulment or something. He might never have to know. But it would be difficult. If she went away from town he'd need explanations. And now, with her name becoming well known, it would be fatal!

"All right!" Rene threw down his brushes and reached feverishly for a cigarette. His eyes were burning and he was exhausted. He'd been at this two hours. Without speaking to Lynn, he went over and threw himself, face down, on the sofa.

Lynn got up stiffly. The clock said it was noon. She rushed off to change back into her suit and hurry to Mrs. Reanoud's. When she came back to the studio she saw the crushed orchids in a heap on the model's stand and she hunted for her purse and gloves. Rene seemed to be sleeping, so she let herself out without speaking to him.

When the door had closed Rene got up slowly, afraid to look at what he had left on the easel. But he finally did. He stood there a long time, contemplating the picture. Then he went to work again. As he painted, he exulted. It was good! Good! He worked as though fascinated. It was a simple picture, painted without pretensions, direct and strong.

It was a head and shoulders, a splash of yellow orchids against a black frock. But the striking thing about that portrait was that it was the photograph of a woman's soul. And such a troubled soul.

Rene, looking, felt it was almost indecent to strip anybody so cruelly.

The arresting gold-flecked brown eyes were wide open, their owner's thoughts were far away. All the struggle of the world seemed wrapped up in that bit of dark canvas.

Rene worked the better part of the afternoon. When the light began to fail, he turned the painting around toward the wall, and threw himself on the couch again. It was thus Marty found him when he came bounding in demanding a highball.

"How's the work? Is the Christmas stuff coming well? I got a damned wreath. You artists sure make tough demands." Marty turned on the light and went over to the canvas on the easel.

"Don't look at it!" Rene's voice was sharp. "It isn't done!" He jumped up from the couch.

"Are you, too, going temperamental on me?" Marty turned the picture around before Rene could stop him. There was a dead silence in the room.

Marty walked over and pulled an unshaded light off the table and brought it back to the picture. Then, he set the lamp back and turned and looked at Rene. He could see the excitement burning in Rene's eyes, they bored into Marty.

"Is it as good as I think it is?"

"Yes," Marty shoved his hands in his pockets. "It's better. God, man. You can paint! It's a cruel picture."

"I suppose so, but most art is cruel to human beings. It's truthful."

"What will Lynn say when she sees it?"

"I don't know."

Marty shook his head: "When do you leave for Rome?" he said with a short laugh. "After seeing that, I can't keep you here. I know that."

Rene did not answer.

"What will Wild say when he sees that?" Rene shrugged his shoulders. "He'll have to take his chances with the rest of us."

Then Marty mixed a stiff drink for Rene, and he seemed grateful for it. Rene, with his drink in his hand, went over and looked at the picture again.

Marty thought he looked rather ill and said so.

"You're killing me with work."

"Like today!" Marty retorted. "You're burning yourself out. I'll bet you haven't eaten all day."

Rene seemed surprised: "I guess I haven't."

"Then, now is time to begin. Get cleaned up and come along with me. You need recreation, to say nothing of a hunk of steak."

The first question Wild asked Lynn that night when he met her was whether she had talked to Rene.

"Yes." Her eyes were shadowed.

"We'll talk about it later."

At the apartment, Wild turned to Lynn and put both hands on her shoulders.

"Look at me. Do you want to marry me?" He shook her gently.

"Yes."

He drew her into his arms. "Then what is it?"

"Come over here, Wild. Sit down there. I can't talk to you when you're kissing me."

She had determined that tonight, she'd have it settled. No matter what might be the outcome. He leaned over and kissed the tip of her tilted nose.

"(TO BE CONTINUED)"

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for August 25

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CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

LESSON TEXT—II Samuel 12:13, 14; Psalm 51:1-3, 9-13; 32:5. GOLDEN TEXT—Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed.—James 5:16.

If the Bible told us only of perfect people, we would recognize it as being not true to life and assuredly of no help to us who know our own sinful natures. The Bible, however, tells us in all truthfulness of the bad as well as the good, the weak as well as the strong, the humble as well as the mighty.

It honestly portrays the sins of its greatest characters, revealing the heart of man as "deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked" (Jer. 17:9). It tells us of a gracious God (when man repents and forsakes his sin) who invites the sinner to come and be delivered from his sin.

The lesson centers around David, the humble shepherd boy who became king; and in the height of his glory, being tempted of his own evil desires, fell into the lowest of sin, which he then sought to cover by a well-planned murder. He finds no peace until he repents and returns to God. Three words summarize the lesson.

I. Sin (II Sam. 12:13, 14).

That little three lettered word seems to have the hiss of the serpent in it—sin—the cause of all man's woes and the heartache of a loving God.

David had tried to hide his sin and he said, "My bones waxed old through my roaring all the day long. For day and night thy hand was heavy upon me" (Ps. 32:3, 4). "Be sure your sin will find you out" (Num. 32:23) is just as true today as it was in David's time.

The nature of sin is described in Psalm 51, and if we may anticipate a bit, we note that it is described by three words: "transgression," meaning a rebellious "stepping over" God's boundaries; "iniquity," from the same root as our word "unequal," meaning crookedness of heart and life; and "sin," which means missing the mark, a life going the wrong way.

Note that sin, while it may bring sorrow and trouble to us and those round about us, is "against the Lord" (v. 13 and Ps. 51:4). The sinner must face and answer to God for his sin.

Nathan's straightforward dealing with David brought him to

II. Repentance (Ps. 51:1-3, 9-13).

What David expressed to Nathan—"I have sinned against the Lord"—is more fully expressed in the great psalm of penitence which we know as Psalm 51. Dr. Wilbur M. Smith well says that "probably these verses have brought more comfort, and assurance of forgiveness, and hope for a renewed life after some terrible transgression, to a greater number of God's children down through the ages than any other single passage in the pages of the Old Testament."

To acknowledge one's transgression before God is to open the floodgates of His mercy, to receive His grace in forgiveness, cleansing, restoration, new joy, and (note it well) renewed usefulness (v. 13). God does not cast His people off because of their sin, nor cut off their usefulness when they repent.

Observe, however, that God did not permit David's sin to go unpunished. God is forgiving, but even repentance cannot wipe out the results of sin (II Sam. 12:14). God chastised David to declare before the people all of His divine hatred of sin. To sin against God is no light and casual thing. It cuts deeply into life, and only the grace of God is sufficient to bring a man up out of that pit. But there is

III. Forgiveness (Ps. 32:5).

How tender and sweet is that word—forgiveness. It speaks of the removal of guilt, the breaking down of the barrier which sin has created, and the restoration of fellowship. Where all had been wrong and troubled, all has become right and at peace.

These things are true even in the forgiveness of one man toward another who has offended, but infinitely greater when the heart of God meets the repentant sinner. He is so ready to meet such a man that even while he is thinking of confessing, God sees the attitude of his heart and forgives. "At this moment, without sight or sound that mortal ear can detect, or attitude that the eye of man can observe, even before the thing is said, when I make up my mind to confess, 'thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.' Do you wonder that when this man was going to write a psalm about this matter, he had to begin, 'O the blessings of transgression forgiven, and sin covered?'" (G. Campbell Morgan).

Fidelity

It is only by fidelity in little things that a true and constant love to God can be distinguished from a passing error of spirit.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



down between the shelves and the scalloped board that frames the closet, as shown at the left. This board is 1/2 inch thick and four inches wide. The scallops were marked by drawing around a teacup and were cut out with a jig saw.

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EVERY Homemaker knows how many steps could be saved if table linens could have a special closet in the kitchen or partry. In one home that we know of space for such a closet was going to waste all because cupboard doors or drawers would conflict with the door shown here in the small sketch. At the right you see how that space became an efficient linen closet after all—complete even to a smart laundry bag for soiled napkins and table covers.

The high compartment has a door of plywood. Below this are shelves with a curtain on a shade roller. The curtain runs up and

Overenthusiasm

It is unfortunate, considering that enthusiasm moves the world, that so few enthusiasts can be trusted to speak the truth.—Balfour.

AROUND the HOUSE

Items of Interest to the Housewife

Mustard and baking powder settle in cans and should be stirred lightly before using.

When stewing fruit, add the sugar just before taking the fruit off the stove. In this way far less sugar is needed than if it is put in at the beginning.

Clean paint brushes used for enameling with turpentine. When used to shellac, clean with denatured alcohol.

When laundering curtains of voile, scrim or any material which has to be ironed, if they are folded so the selvage ends are together and ironed, they will hang perfectly even and straight.

All vegetables should be put on to cook in boiling water. This holds the major portion of the mineral matter and starch within.

When folding a bedspread back for the night begin at the top of the spread and fold it toward the foot of the bed in half. Then fold from each end toward the center, forming a triangle, the point of which is toward the head and the base toward the foot of the bed. Hold the point and fold it smoothly over the footboard. To unfold, follow in reverse order.

Delicate colors in washing materials will not fade if before being washed they are soaked in tepid water to which a few drops of turpentine have been added.

The backs of pictures should be inspected from time to time. If there are any holes in the paper, fresh pieces should be pasted over them, or dust will get in.

A BIG HELP TO HEALTH!

Nation needs more vitamins and minerals—says U.S. Department of Agriculture

See how you're helped by delicious oranges!

Hardly one family in two now gets enough vitamins and minerals to permit radiant good health. So enjoy oranges liberally—daily! Eat them for healthful refreshment. Or keep ready a big pitcher of fresh orangeade.

An 8-ounce glass of fresh orange juice gives you all the vitamin C you normally need each day—and one-third of the vitamin B₁. It also supplies vitamins A and G, and the minerals calcium, phosphorus and iron.

Sunkist brings you the pick of California's finest-ever crop of summer oranges. Buy a supply next time you buy groceries.

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CALIFORNIA ORANGES

Best for Juice—and Every use!

"HANDS ACROSS THE SEA"

It is a well-known fact that the American people—in keeping with the precept that it is more blessed to give than to receive—have donated large sums of money to relieve suffering in foreign lands. But not so well known is how great this giving has been.

Last week, the U. S. Department of Commerce put the figures on the table. A study of the remittances to foreign countries by U. S. institutions between 1919-39 revealed that during that period a total of \$1,270,000,000 had been released.

U. S. church-goers particularly were pleased to learn that of this huge sum a large proportion had come from their religious institutions. During the 20-year period, Protestant bodies sent out \$599,800,000, Jews \$149,000,000, and Catholics \$39,600,000. Non-sectarian agencies including the Red Cross and the post-war Hoover relief agency, contributed a total of \$431,400,000.

Last year, U. S. religious and charitable contributions to foreign lands came to approximately \$43,000,000—the highest for any year since 1931. Of this outlay, \$16,000,000 came from Protestant churches, \$13,900,000 from Jewish churches, \$2,400,000 from the Catholics, and \$10,700,000 from non-sectarian bodies.

To August Maffry of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, who made the study of "hands across the sea" contributions, destination of the funds was interesting. The bulk of Protestant remittances, he found, went to Asiatic countries, with substantial amounts also being funneled into missionary work in Latin-America and Africa. About two-thirds of Catholic contributions were sent to Europe, with virtually all of the remainder going to Asia, principally China. The Jewish gifts were split about 50-50 between central Europe and Palestine.—Pathfinder.

DuWayne Walker of Perryton is visiting in the home of his aunts, Mrs. L. E. Gum and Mrs. Luther Petty, while his mother, Mrs. Elton Walker, is in an Amarillo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty and children visited friends and relatives in White Deer Sunday, and attended services at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. T. W. Henry has returned from a visit to Kermit and New Mexico.

Horace Petty of Vernon called in the home of his brother, Luther, one night last week.

T. C. Phillips of White Deer visited his brother, J. R. Phillips, Friday.

Mrs. Fannie Rector and son of Clarendon visited in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Phillips was taken back to Amarillo Sunday for treatment.

Mrs. Dwight Stubblefield was in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Longan of Ramsdell were in town Sunday.

Henry Shoffet of Lefors was in McLean Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Rippey and daughter visited at Canadian Sunday.

Earl Stubblefield and family visited at Groom Sunday.

C. G. Nicholson made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Porter Chilton was in Pampa Monday.

T. B. Roby has our thanks for a subscription favor.

Mr. and Mrs. Witt Springer visited in McLean Saturday.

A. J. Wardloe was in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray went to Bowie Thursday on business.

Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Dumas visited in the C. J. Cash home Friday.

Sam Clark of Lefors was in McLean Saturday.

Ruel Smith made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Dave Turner of Alanreed was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Glass of Alanreed were in McLean Saturday.

Amos Thacker and family were in Sayre, Okla., one day last week.

JOINT CELEBRATIONS

Paper manufacturers throughout the United States, its possessions, and Canada, are joining the International Association of Printing House Craftsmen and other graphic arts groups during 1940 in joint city-wide celebrations honoring the anniversary of the establishment of America's first paper mill and the 500th anniversary of Gutenberg's invention of printing. In principle, the process of papermaking differs little today, except for improvements in machinery and processes to increase production, from the methods employed by the early Chinese papermakers.

Fundamentals of the papermaking technique call for the mixing up of disintegrated vegetable fibers with water. After the fibers have been mixed to a "scupy" consistency, the mixture was then as now in the case of fine handmade papers—spread evenly over a screen or mold through which the water was drained off, leaving a film of matted fibers, which constitutes paper.

Mrs. Paul Kennedy and daughter, Monta Jean, of Skellytown visited here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Puckett are visiting relatives in Virginia.

Miss Mona Meier of Amarillo is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Travis Stokes visited at Borger Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hale are in Dallas this week on business.

Walter Foster of Pampa was in McLean Wednesday.

Sheriff Cal Rose was in McLean Wednesday.

Harman Petty has returned from a trip to Amarillo and Plainview.

Buy printing in McLean.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES.—One insertion, 2c per word. Two insertions, 3c per word, or 1c per word each week after first insertion.

Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter. Black-face type at double rate. Initials and numerals count as words.

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

FOR SALE

FOR SALE.—Grapes at my farm. Z. T. Jones. 34-2

PURE RYE seed for sale. Willard Godwin, phone 35, Mobeetie, Texas. 33-2p

FOR RENT

APARTMENT for couple. Private bath, hot and cold water, frigidaire, \$16.00 month. Graham Apartments. 34-2p

WANTED.—Binding and combine work. Call or write J. B. Rose, phone 1433, box 764, Pampa. 33-3p

MISCELLANEOUS

SHOE REPAIRING.—All work guaranteed. John Mertel. t/c

ADDING MACHINE paper and ribbons at News office.

CASH REGISTER rolls at News office.

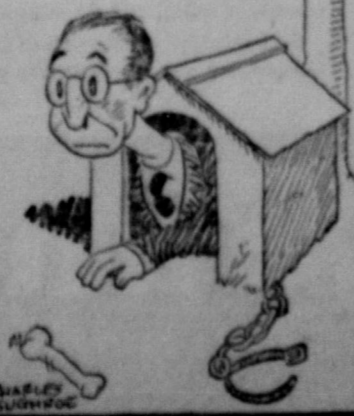
MERCHANTS SALES PADS 5c each at News office.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS 60c each; portable 40c. News office.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS at News office.

ARE YOU IN THE DOG HOUSE?

HAND HER THE WALLET and the ADS in This Paper



KOEN FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Koen Sunday, August 18.

All the children and grandchildren were present, as follows: Mrs. Juri W. Marshall and daughter, Estrella Joyce, of Roswell, N. M., Mrs. C. W. Love and children, Gano and Norman, of Phoenix, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Savage and son, Gary, of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wood, Jr., and baby daughter of McLean.

Mrs. C. B. Whitten of Canyon visited her brother, D. C. Carpenter, and family last week.

Mother—Now, Joany, why didn't you give your little brother a part of your apple?

Joany—Not me! That was what Eve did to Adam—and she's been criticized ever since!

Salesman—When are you going to pay for that electric washer I sold you?

Mrs. Pryce—Pay for it? Why you swore to me that it would pay for itself.

Miss Adeline Riddle of Berger visited relatives here last week end.

Al Hodge of Shamrock was in McLean on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McMullen and children, Wilda Joyce, Dee and Kenneth, have returned from a vacation trip to Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mertel and son and Miss Julia Mertel returned Saturday from a trip to Colorado.

Texas has more farms and other state in the Union.

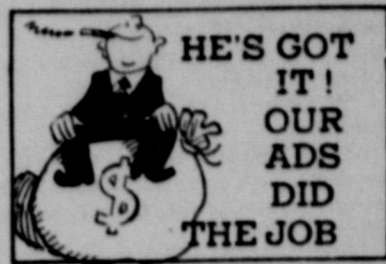
If matters go badly now, not always be so.—Horse.

TEXACO

Gasoline, Oils and Grease

Make any car run better. Need new tires? Get figure with Texaco.

Texas Station No. J. T. Hicks, Manager



TELL 'EM - SELL 'EM THROUGH THESE AD COLUMNS

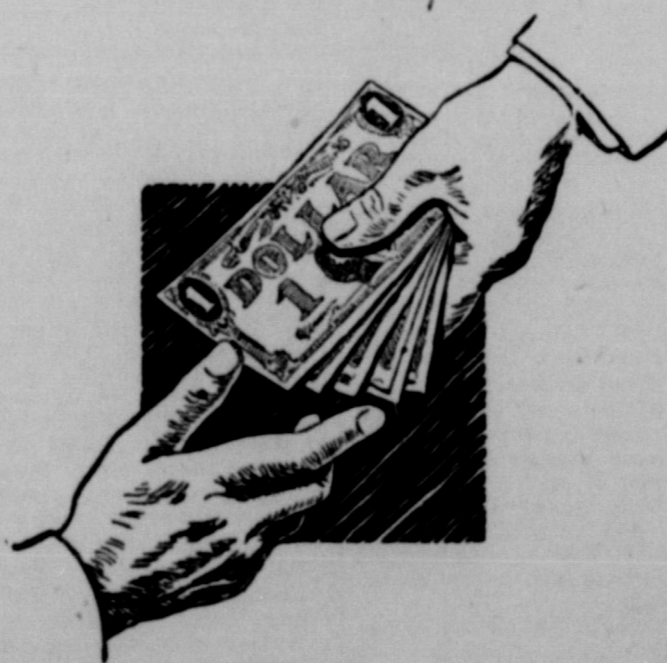
Culberson's Youngest Campaigner



Although the leading candidate in the hotly contested railroad commission race, every candidate needs all the help he can get and here's some welcome support from a curly headed grand-daughter for Olin Culberson. His only grandchild, Patsy Jo Wittman of Galveston, is doubtless telling her grand dad she carried Galveston, her home town, by a vote of four to one for him. She's the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wittman.

Vote for CULBERSON in Saturday's Primary
Paid for by McLean friends of Olin Culberson

May we give you six dollars?



NOT in cash, of course. We're speaking of its equivalent. But here is something for you to consider:

Every year this newspaper brings you at least three outstanding novels in serial form. Purchased as books each would cost not less than \$2, making a total expenditure of at least \$6 per year.

Like yourself, we could find plenty of uses for that \$6. Some member of the family is always in need of a new pair of shoes or some other necessity. But at the same time your requirements for good reading material must be met. By accepting these three novels each year we feel you are treating yourself to real enjoyment, at the same time giving your purse a substantial boost.

These novels are a source of constant pride to us. Every year we select them from the season's most outstanding best sellers, offered in serial form by a large newspaper syndicate organization. We'd like to feel that you—as a subscriber—always look forward to reading the coming installment in the next issue. It gives us a great satisfaction to know that here is another reason why our paper is popular in the home.

You are invited to begin reading our novels now. These regular brief visits to fictionland will prove a delightful interlude from your work-a-day activities. And it will make us happy to know that you are getting enjoyment from them.



PUCKETT'S

Friday and Saturday Specials

A big food value

Grapes **Arkansas Concord** 19
basket

Lettuce **Firm heads** 4

Coffee **Maxwell House** 24
1 lb

Compound **White Ribbon** 35
4 lb carton

Salad **Big Value**

Dressing **full quart** 15

Prunes **gallon** 22

OXYDOL 25c box 19

Tomatoes **No. 2 can** 20
3 for

Pork & Beans 5
1 lb can

Pickles **Sour or Dill** 13
quart

Super-Creamed CRISCO 3 lb. can 45

Soap **Crystal White** 21
6 bars

Peaches **Del Monte** 15
No. 2 1/2

Flour **Puckett's Best** \$1.10
48 lb

Butter **Gate City solid** 25
1 lb

Treet **Armour's** 19
per can

Cheese **2 lb box American** 47

Oleo **per lb** 10

Bacon **Dexter sliced** 18
per lb

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Merchants and Others Sponsoring Patriotic

Merchants and others sponsoring a campaign of patriotism in The News. The campaign is being conducted among our own people in America as a national effort to teach the value of our democratic form of government.

It has been claimed that patriotism is a low ebb in this country. Every ism under the sun is coming to realize that something here that is being with our lives if we can merchants present a patriotic message and community teaching program that will be done through a system along the same lines.

will pay the readers to study the messages each month, and the blessings that our own government News editor made every business man any were overlooked their names added to on the same basis as contacting the News.

CLUB ACHIEVEMENT
McLean 4-H girls club achievement day program in the home of Wade. Reports of the girls have accomplished

were: Mrs. Julia F. Lewis, Rose Mary J. Fern Lewis, and Minnie of Pampa; Mrs. Mrs. Luther Petty, Mrs. Patsy Smith, Mrs. Mrs. Buster Stok Roth, J. D. Roth, M. Mrs. A. W. Brewer, Bonnie Mae Ruff, Helen Henderson, Mrs. son, Mrs. J. H. Wa McMullen, Loretta H. Petty, Mrs. H. L. sponsor; Nora Isab and Enlamma Livel with Zora Idabel Pe Mae Wade.

These were chickens, vanned stuff, the bedroom were show reading table, bedsk and floor all finished v varnish. The bedspr handlewick, and curt with blue ball trimm finishing the bedr Bernie Mae's sister ney, which Bennie by canning for her.

J. A. Sparks and gr... Regal, Miss Rai... school and children... Shamrock Tuesday.

and Mrs. Walter... Macdon visited here...

and Mrs. Jack Litch... daughter of Amarillo... over the week end.

Ball of Alanreed... Saturday night.

Ball of Alanreed... Saturday.

BIRTHDAYS
J. B. Kennedy, H... M. Davis, Mrs. Ho... Howard TRIG... Monday DeGrace.
J. Creed Bogan, C... Rayne, Mrs. Jac... B. Swam, Mrs. Bob... Mona Cathryn M...
Mrs. Ella Cubine... Char, Josie Lee La...
Mrs. Leroy M. I...
Bonnie Rex Cook... Marvin Bailey.
A. A. Costris, Ja... Moore.