

OUR COMIC SECTION

Along the Concrete



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THROUGH A BLIND MAN'S EYES

(By D. J. Walsh.)

"BERENICE, it can't be possible that you aren't even going to see him—you can't mean that!" Sara was shocked, aghast!

"I mean just that. You don't think I am going to marry a blind man, do you? Well, then, since I'm not, why make it any worse? I'm going for a drive with Charles and you can tell Edward it's all off with us."

"Oh! I wish you wouldn't do that! You loved him when he was happy and successful. How can you desert him now that he needs you so?"

"Well, of all the inconsistent people! One would think I am doing a terrible thing. The truth of the business is, not one girl in a thousand would marry a blind man. It's nothing but reasonable to expect happiness and success from the man one marries. I've waited three months now in the hope that Edward would regain his sight, but I shall wait no longer. So you can tell him when he comes and we'll avoid a scene."

Sara sighed as Berenice tripped out to the smart little roadster where Charles waited for her. She dreaded the task ahead of her. Berenice was avoiding a scene for herself, all right, but she little considered her sister.

The worst of it was that Sara loved Edward Thompson long before he became engaged to Berenice, and it had all but broken her heart when her younger sister, coming home from college, won the love and admiration of the young attorney, who was the town's best "catch." But Sara took the blow bravely and even managed a smile when Edward, who had long depended on her for sympathy, advice and guidance, assured her that it was Berenice's likeness to herself that had first won his heart.

"And her voice," he declared, "is exactly like yours, so rich and full and beautiful!"

Then had come the blow, interrupting the wedding plans! Edward Thompson suddenly lost his sight, and hurried off to the big city to be near a specialist who might restore his vision. Now, three months later, he was returning, and so far as the sisters knew, the specialist had failed.

Sara, sitting on the porch, heard his slow, faltering step on the walk and went down the steps to meet him. He was alone, feeling his way over familiar ground with a cane and Sara's heart ached for him.

"Oh, Edward, I'm so glad—so glad you're back!" She did not try to keep the tenderness out of her voice, so sad was she because of what she was soon to tell him, and his eager arms reached out and drew her to him before she quite sensed his mistake.

"Berenice, dear!" he cried, "You love me anyway, don't you? You'd go right on loving me even though I were blind forever, wouldn't you, Berenice?"

Sara grew suddenly cold with horror—he had mistaken her for Berenice! Oh, how could she tell him, and how hard it was to tear herself away from those arms, for whose tenderness she had longed! She hesitated a moment—how could she be the one to break his heart? He went on talking, eagerly:

"You'll think this is strange, Berenice, but I want you to marry me at once. It isn't that I don't trust you, dear, but it will be sweet always to remember that you never hesitated—that you were ready to devote your life to love, even though your lover were blind. You mean more to me now, dear, than you ever did. You must be my very sight, even. Will you marry me, now, dear?"

And Sara, hardly able to believe her own ears, absolutely unable to say anything but words of love to him, answered heart-brokenly:

"Oh, darling, yes!"

For heaven's sake—why had she said that? Now how on earth could she tell him the truth?

"Oh, you make me so happy! Just to know beyond a shadow of a doubt that your love is too true to fall me. You know, dear, there have been times when your letters frightened me—I thought that you had changed. But you must forgive me for thinking that, sweetheart, and now I want to hear you say again, 'I love you.' Say it, sweet."

Was she getting madder and madder? She said, "I love you" in husky, tremulous tones, and he could not but feel the tremors that shook her slight body. "I love you," and no man, however blind, could doubt the sincerity of the words, nor the ardor of the lips that melted under his kiss. Ah, this was heaven—the first time Sara had ever known heaven!

"Well, did you ever!" At the sound of Berenice's amused, sarcastic voice the spell was broken and Sara was suddenly able to tear herself away. She fell back, white-faced and palpitant, ashamed and horrified.

"Oh, Berenice," she cried, "I could not tell him! How could you be so cruel—"

Berenice laughed jaegerly.

"It looks as if it wasn't necessary to tell him. He's on with the new love,

you might say, even before he's off with the old. Well, anyway, you're welcome to him. I'm to be married to Charles in June."

"Wait a minute!" Edward's voice was quiet and calm. "Let me get this straight. Did I make a mistake, Sara, dear, and take you for Berenice? And is it Berenice who is breaking her engagement to a blind man?"

"It is, indeed!" said Berenice. "And I might add that I'm glad you found consolation in Sara's arms!"

A slow smile spread over his face. His arms sought Sara again and found her, cringing and trembling, and drew her back to him.

"I have indeed found consolation there!" he said. "And God helping me, she shall never regret it! Sara dear, I'm going to go back next week for the final operation that is to restore my sight, without a doubt, and I want you to marry me and go back with me. I had to go blind to see you, dear, and I had never dreamed that you were half so beautiful and wonderful."

They forgot Berenice, who had gone white with anger and chagrin. They were wrapped up in their own bliss and in each other's arms.

Where Are the "Little Ladies" of Yesteryear?

Little ladies do not come to meals with dirty hands. They do not interrupt when their elders are speaking, nor do they say "gosh" and "gee." They do not push food on to their fork with their fingers, nor do they take drinks of water when their mouths are full. If the food is hot, little ladies let it burn them and suffer in silence. They do not ask for things that are not on the table, but are contented with what is placed before them.

It is not proper for little ladies to climb trees or turn cartwheels. They do not seat themselves in the most comfortable chair in the room or snatch the comic sheet from the newspaper. They do not leave their coats lying about or their rubbers in the center of the living room floor, and they are careful to wipe their feet before coming into the house.

When little ladies have candy they offer it to all persons in the room before taking a piece themselves. And when they answer the telephone they do not say "yes" and "no"; but "Yes, Mrs. Smith" and "No, Mrs. Smith." They never remark that they "hate" either persons or things. They do not scream, but speak in a modulated voice. They do not sit on the stairs and eavesdrop when they should be in their rooms.

Little ladies do not make faces or stick out their tongues to display their displeasure, and they do not permit their hair to hang down over their eyes. When informed that it is the hour for bed they put aside the picture puzzle at once without asking to finish it, kiss their fathers affectionately with a "good night, pap," and hasten up their stairs. When they take their baths they do not overlook their necks, and do not flood the tub with hot water so that there will be none left should their elders desire later to take a bath. Then they retire to bed quietly and do not call for water.

Little ladies are such admirable creatures. It is too bad that they appear to have died out about the time that auntie reached maturity.—Baltimore Sun.

Nilghai Knocked Out by Gnu

A fight between two of the queerest beasts imaginable took place at the London zoo recently. One was a brindled gnu and the other a nilghai—a large Indian antelope known as "the blue buck." The head of the former and the legs of the latter seem so out of proportion to the body as to suggest that the animals had been wrongly "dished out" with theatrical properties. Several nilghai and black buck have for some time past been living peaceably together in the antelope paddock; but recently some gnus were introduced. One of the nilghai—a young bull—took exception to a rival in eccentricity, for, lowering his head, he charged with his short, daggerlike horns. The gnu sank on its knees and countered the onslaught by an upward and sideward thrust of its curved horns, following this up so viciously that the young bull is now in the sanatorium with severe injuries.

Napoleon's Fear of Cat

Many distinguished people have detested cats. Napoleon showed the greatest antipathy to them. After his victory at Wagram, while staying in the palace of Schonbrunn, belonging to the defeated emperor of Austria, the conqueror shrieked for help.

An officer entered the room to find Napoleon half undressed, agitated, perspiring, wildly striking out at some object unseen. A pussycat had concealed herself behind the bed curtains, and the world conqueror, scared out of his wits, was making frantic lunges at her through the curtains.—Manchester (England) Guardian.

Lives Without Water

Perhaps the most singular instance of a thirst-proof animal is the pocket mouse, one of the common rodents of the desert. This little animal—so named from the fur-lined pocket on the outside of its cheek, out of which it takes food on occasion—has no desire, no instinct, for water. Some of these mice have been kept for three years on the ordinary dry mixed bird seed given to canaries. During this long period, not a taste of green food or a drop of water was given. In fact, the pocketmice refuse to avail themselves of such treats. They don't seem to get thirsty.—Grit.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Friona Star is authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for election to the various county offices under which headings their respective names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July.

For County Judge:

JOHN ALDRIDGE, Jr., of Farwell, (Re-election).
CLYDE V. GOODWINE

For Sheriff and Tax Collector.

A. B. SHORT, of Friona.
W. L. VENABLE, Bovina.
W. W. Hill
W. D. (Bill) KIRK

For County Treasurer:

WALTER LANDER
JOHN S. POTTS

For Tax Assessor.

J. W. MAGNESS
J. J. DeOLIVEIRA
J. M. (Jim) LANDRUM

For County Attorney:

J. D. THOMAS

For District and County Clerk:

GORDON McCUAN
FRED BARKER

For County Commissioner, Precinct Number 1:

D. H. MEADE, of Friona, (Re-election).
J. W. M. ALEXANDER

BOND ELECTION NOTICE

In compliance with a petition signed by some thirty-six qualified tax-payers and voters of the Friona Independent School District, praying that an election be held, We the members of the Board of Trustees of the said Friona Independent School District, do hereby call an election to be held on Saturday, May the 17th, A. D. 1930, for the purpose of deciding whether or not the Board of Trustees shall issue Bonds of the said district to the amount of \$60,000.00 to become due and payable serially as follows:

\$1,000.00 on April 10 of each of the years, 1931 to 1940 inclusive;
 \$1,500.00 on April 10th of the years, 1941 to 1960 inclusive.

\$2,000.00 on April 10th of each of the years, 1961 to 1970 inclusive.

The above bonds to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum; for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of brick, tile or concrete material and purchase of the necessary site therefor within the limits of the said district, and, if there shall be an annually levied and collected on all taxable property in said district, for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and pay the principal thereof as same matures; provided that such bond tax shall not exceed for any one year, fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property in said district.

Respectfully submitted this the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1930.
F. L. SPRING, President.
F. N. WELCH, Secretary.

Northwest News

BY MRS. H. O. DORRIS

A good rain fell here last week and prospects are good for a bountiful harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flippen called in the H. C. Van Bibber home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bippus of Amarillo were guests in the Geo. Bippus home Sunday.

H. O. Dorris left Wednesday of last week for Fort Worth where he will undergo treatment. He

expects to be away two or three weeks.

Mrs. George Bippus who has been in ill health for some time, is in the Hereford hospital.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland and Miss Maryann Armitage were shopping in Hereford Friday.

Ruth and Junior Reece visited Glenn Fortenberry Saturday.

C. S. Reeves was in Adrian and Vega last week, buying a new tractor.

Rev. A. W. Yell of White Deer will be here Sunday to begin a week's meeting at Bippus and everybody is invited to attend.

Mimes, Dorris and Van Bibber were in Amarillo last Tuesday.

Blue prints for the community building have been received. The building will not be placed on the Rose farm as planned, but on the Willie Hammons place, about a mile south of the Rose farm. Owing to change in location a few days will be required to arrange details before work is started.

Mrs. W. H. Flippen and daughter were Hereford shoppers Friday.

H. Atterbery and family of Hill county were visiting his brother, J. E. Atterbery and family last week.

Marvin Morrison traded in Hereford Friday.

Ed Mccaskey and family visited in Adrian last week.

Little Margaret Taylor was operated on for appendicitis in Amarillo Friday and is doing well at this writing.

Mozelle Phillips spent Thursday night with Jannette Blasingame.

Laverne Phillips spent Thursday night with Roxie Blasingame.

Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ver-non Monroe.

Mrs. N. O. Phillips entertained the Sims community club Thursday

afternoon, with eight members present, and the time was spent in quilting. Sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry and Jack were in Vega and Adrian Tuesday.

Mrs. D. R. Blasingame and children were Hereford shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry and Christine spent Friday evening in the J. G. Fortenberry home.

Mrs. F. D. Ferguson suffered at attack to ptomaine poisoning one day last week, but has fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reece were in Vega Saturday.

SUMMERFIELD NEWS

Miss Joyce Davis entertained several of her girl friends at dinner last Sunday.

Several from this community attended the Baptist workers meeting at Friona last Thursday, among them being Mr. and Mrs. B. C.



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EDITH

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Flagg News

BY MRS. W. T. SUMNER

Jack Redwine made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday. Mr. McAllister from New Mexico, is visiting Mr. Hines. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ramsey were shoppers in Hereford Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones were among the visitors on the excursion to the tunnel and gravel pit Sunday.

Claude Reeder made a business trip to Plainview Saturday. The ball games Thursday between Amhurst and Flagg resulted in a score of 7 to 3 in favor of Amhurst. Mrs. Cardie Birdwell spent the week end with her sister at Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Burton of Big Square spent Saturday in Flagg. Mrs. W. T. Sumner went to Plainview Tuesday to be with Mrs. Floyd Smith who had been operated on and is now doing nicely.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—Good half and half cotton seed, \$1.50. OSCAR POPE'S Home. 39

FOR SALE—One six-hole Kalmazoo cooking range; in good condition. See C. V. GOODWINE, Friona. 38

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned Sudan seed. 6c a pound. E. S. EULER, Friona, Texas. 40-2p

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Friona Star is authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for election to the various county offices under which headings their respective names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July.

For County Judge:
 JOHN ALDRIDGE, Jr., of Farwell, (Re-election).
 CLYDE V. GOODWINE

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
 A. B. SHORT, of Friona.
 W. L. VENABLE, Bovina.
 W. W. Hall.
 W. D. (Bill) KIRK

For County Treasurer:
 WALTER LANDER
 JOHN S. POTTS

For Tax Assessor:
 J. W. MAGNESS
 J. J. DEOLIVEIRA
 J. M. (Jim) LANDRUM

For County Attorney:
 J. D. THOMAS

For District and County Clerk:
 GORDON McCUAN
 FRED BARKER

For County Commissioner, Precinct Number 1:
 D. H. MEADE, of Friona, (Re-election).
 J. W. M. ALEXANDER

BOND ELECTION NOTICE

In compliance with a petition signed by some thirty-six qualified tax-payers and voters of the Friona Independent School District, praying that an election be held, We the members of the Board of Trustees of the said Friona Independent School District, do hereby call an election to be held on Saturday, May the 17th, A. D. 1930, for the purpose of deciding whether or not the Board of Trustees shall issue Bonds of the said district to the amount of \$60,000.00 to become due and payable serially as follows:

\$1,000.00 on April 10 of each of the years, 1931 to 1940 inclusive;
 \$1,500.00 on April 10th of the years, 1941 to 1960 inclusive.

\$2,000.00 on April 10th of each of the years, 1961 to 1970 inclusive.

The above bonds to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum; for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of brick, tile or concrete material and purchase of the necessary site therefor within the limits of the said district, and, if there shall be an annually levied and collected on all taxable property in said district, for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and pay the principal thereof as same matures; provided that such bond tax shall not exceed for any one year, fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property in said district.

Respectfully submitted this the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1930.
 F. L. SPRING, President.
 F. N. WELCH, Secretary.

Northwest News

BY MRS. H. O. DORRIS

A good rain fell here last week and prospects are good for a bountiful harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flippen called in the H. C. Van Bibber home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bippus of Amarillo were guests in the Geo. Bippus home Sunday.

H. O. Dorris left Wednesday of last week for Fort Worth where he will undergo treatment. He

expects to be away two or three weeks.

Mrs. George Bippus who has been in ill health for some time, is in the Hereford hospital.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland and Miss Maryann Armitage were shopping in Hereford Friday.

Ruth and Junior Reece visited Glenn Fortenberry Saturday.

C. S. Reeves was in Adrian and Vega last week, buying a new tractor.

Rev. A. W. Yell of White Deer will be here Sunday to begin a week's meeting at Bippus and everybody is invited to attend.

Mmes. Dorris and Van Bibber were in Amarillo last Tuesday.

Blue prints for the community building have been received. The building will not be placed on the Rose farm as planned, but on the Willie Hammons place, about a mile south of the Rose farm. Working to change in location a few days will be required to arrange details before work is started.

Mrs. W. H. Flippen and daughter were Hereford shoppers Friday.

H. Atterbery and family of Hill county were visiting his brother, J. E. Atterbery and family last week.

Marvin Morrison traded in Hereford Friday.

Ed Mecaskey and family visited in Adrian last week.

Little Margaret Taylor was operated on for appendicitis in Amarillo Friday and is doing well at this writing.

Mozelle Phillips spent Thursday night with Jannette Blasingame.

Laverne Phillips spent Thursday night with Roxie Blasingame.

Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Vernon Monroe.

Mrs. N. O. Phillips entertained the Sims community club Thursday

afternoon, with eight members present, and the time was spent in quilting. Sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry and Jack were in Vega and Adrian Tuesday.

Mrs. D. R. Blasingame and children were Hereford shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry and Christine spent Friday evening in the J. G. Fortenberry home.

Mrs. F. D. Ferguson suffered at attack to ptomaine poisoning one day last week, but has fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reece were in Vega Saturday.

SUMMERFIELD NEWS

Miss Joyce Davis entertained several of her girl friends at dinner last Sunday.

Several from this community attended the Baptist workers meeting at Friona last Thursday, among them being Mr. and Mrs. B. C.

Roberson, Mrs. Walter Huntley, L. L. Cannon, J. B. Davis and Mrs. Gleaves Owens.

The county track meet will be held at this school next Friday, an all-day affair with dinner on the ground.

Ky Lawrence has been enjoying a visit with two brothers and families who live in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Roberson and Ruth Smith and Miss Pauline Hart of Black were Clovis shoppers last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frye and children of Easter were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson.

Miss Maud Noland entertained a number of friends with a party

Friday night, preceded earlier in the evening with an egg hunt.

Miss Alma Walker was a weekend visitor with Pauline Fincher at Hereford.

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MONUMENTS

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EDITH

DID YOU....

VISIT OUR SHOE BARGAIN COUNTER LAST WEEK?

If you did not, then you should do so at once. They are all high class shoes of A-1 quality, and our prices are such that you can not afford to ignore them. There are still some of them left. Get yours now. For baking and pastry, nothing can excel our HARVEST QUEEN AND EVERLITE FLOUR.

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Flagg News

BY MRS. W. T. SUMNER

Jack Redwine made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday. Mr. McAllister from New Mexico, is visiting Mr. Hines. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ramsey were shoppers in Hereford Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones were among the visitors on the excursion to the tunnel and gravel pit Sunday.

Claude Reeder made a business trip to Plainview Saturday. The ball games Thursday between Amhurst and Flagg resulted in a score of 7 to 3 in favor of Amhurst. Mrs. Cardie Birdwell spent the week end with her sister at Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Burton of Big Square spent Saturday in Flagg. Mrs. W. T. Sumner went to Plainview Tuesday to be with Mrs. Floyd Smith who had been operated on and is now doing nicely.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—Good half and half cotton seed, \$1.50. OSCAR POPE'S Home. 39

FOR SALE—One six-hole Kahmazoo cooking range; in good condition. See C. V. GOODWINE, Friona. 38

FOR SALE—Recleaned Sudan seed, 6c a pound. E. S. EULER, Friona, Texas. 40-2p

FOR SALE—Good half-and-half cotton seed, \$1.50 a bushel. W. C. WILLIAMS, four miles south of hotel. 40-2p

FOR SALE—A Bowsher horse-power feed grinder, in good condition. J. B. McFARLAND, Friona. 39-2p

FOR SALE—Several spotted Poland China brood sows; one has pigs, others to farrow soon. RALPH TEDFORD, Friona. 39-2p

FOR SALE—Good gas range, four fires and oven burner. FRIONA PRODUCE. 40-1fc

FOR SALE—Good pure half-and-half cotton seed, \$1.25 a bushel. B. N. JONES, Friona. 39-2p

FOR SALE—Bay horse, age 10 weight 1300; two gray horses, age 7 and 8, weight 1300 each, well matched, but will separate. Horses been at work, in good shape, grain-fed, ready for more work. ROY EULER, Summerfield. 41-1p

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—One solid black German Police dog, one year old. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts please notify R. F. FLEET GROCERY STORE, Friona, Texas. 41-1fc

STRAY—I have at my home in Friona one stray horse, about 900 pounds, a bay and smooth mouthed. Owner please call for same at once or will handle according to law. J. J. JASPER, Friona. 41

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For Hereford, Canyon, Amarillo, 2:15 p. m., 7:50 p. m.

Connections at Clovis at 11:30 a. m., 6:45 p. m. for Portales, Roswell, El Paso, Artesia and Carlsbad. Lubbock, Plainview and Tucuman. Connections at Santa Rosa at 3:00 p. m. for Las Vegas, Santa Fe, Albuquerque, Hot Springs, Gallup, Hobbs, Flagstaff, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland, Oregon, and Denver, Colorado. Connections at Amarillo for Pampa, Borger, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, St. Louis, Fort Worth, Dallas, Wichita Falls, Plainview and Lubbock.

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You will confess the absolute correctness of our statement when you have enjoyed one of our savory, sumptuous and satisfying meals.

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GINGER ELLA

by Ethel Hueston

Illustrations by Irwin Myers

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STORY FROM THE START

In the usually quiet home of Rev. Mr. Tolliver of Red Thrush Iowa, his motherless daughters, Helen, Miriam and Ella—"Ginger ELLA"—are busy "grooming" their sister Marjory for participation in the "beauty pageant" that evening. With Eddy Jackson, prosperous young farmer, her escort, Marjory leaves for the anticipated triumph. Over-work has affected Mr. Tolliver's eyes to the point of threatened blindness. Ginger has tried in many ways to add to the family's slender income, but she is not discouraged. Marjory wins the beauty prize, \$50.00. She gives the money to her father as part of the expense necessary for the treatment of his eyes by Chicago specialists. Mr. Tolliver leaves for Chicago with Miriam. Ginger meets Alexander Murdock.

CHAPTER III—Continued

Ginger sat motionless. Her slim fingers froze about the handle of the little gold cup. Presently she set it down with a determination that spoke volumes to the accustomed ears of Marjory and Eddy Jackson.

"Let's go for a drive now," she said coldly. "Eddy, you've got to take Marjory in front with you. I want Mr. Murdock to tell me all about the—the groceries. I think they are so fascinating."

"But I was prepared for you," objected Eddy. "I planned to give you a driving lesson."

It had long been Ginger's great desire to learn to drive, but now, with a sigh, she relinquished that beautiful dream to save her lovely Marjory from the machinations of this base pretender. Around the world—as a stoker, perhaps. Or working his way from port to port by the sale of vegetables.

Marjory slid into the front seat with Eddy Jackson. Ginger triumphantly drew Alexander Murdock to her side, and immediately set herself to snubbing him. When occasionally, in sheer youth and good spirits, she forgot her annoyance and yielded to the pleasure of the hour, she consoled herself with the thought that at least she had saved Marjory for the future, and they parted at the parsonage two hours later merrily enough.

Three days passed before they had news from Chicago. It was not very encouraging. There was no improvement in Mr. Tolliver's condition. His eyes were still clouded in the misty fog. The doctors were pessimistic. By all means he should remain at hand for daily observation and treatment, for an operation if it came to that. But in the meantime absolute rest was imperative. He must have entire freedom from nervous strain, entire lack of worry and responsibility. Fresh air, good food, mild exercise, these were the tonics that by feeding the body would strengthen his sight. Particularly they warned that a shock of any nature whatsoever might precipitate total and permanent blindness.

In writing this sad news to her sisters, Miriam begged them to face it bravely, and to greet their father with their usual light good cheer.

"Be very cheerful," she begged, "oh, very. He doesn't say anything, but he looks so sad."

The girls at home went into immediate consultation. Ginger was first to give expression to her thoughts. Ginger was always first.

"There's just one thing about it," she said stoutly. "He's in for a good long siege of it, and we must have more money. You've got to let me go to work."

"What can you do, dear?" queried Helen mildly. It was Helen's mildness that so maddened Ginger. How could one expect to pull gloriously out of a crisis without fire and flame and flash? Helen was the sort to ask what one could do, when obviously one must do something!

"I don't care what," cried Ginger, passionately. "Anything. I'll scrub, or take in washing, or go on the stage, or anything."

Helen considered gravely. Helen was the sort to consider gravely in such a moment.

favor of a stenographic one, which could be crowded into six months if necessary. But of that they knew their father would disapprove. Stenography—private offices—male employers—lovely girlhood—impossible! Mr. Tolliver had clung to his gentle old-fashioned ideas in spite of the changing times.

Ginger gazed at Marjory despatchingly. "Oh, Margie, I should think you could do something. The world just overflowing with millionaires—praying every night for pretty wives—and you just wearing out here in Red Thrush."

Marjory carefully inspected a pink forefinger, questioning the shape of a nail. "Well, I'm willing," she assented, generously. "Trot one out."

Later in the afternoon as Eddy Jackson was passing in his small car, Ginger signaled him to stop and ran out to the curb.

"Something terrible is going on in this house," she said, gloomily. "Father is no better, and he is pretty discouraged. And Helen is going to postpone her wedding, and it will just make him sick."

Eddy turned the key in the car, stilling the engine. "That requires silent meditation," he said slowly. "What do you think about it?"

"I think it is terrible. I think it will break his heart."

They talked a while, and then he walked with her slowly up the flagstone path.

"Helen?" he called into the open door, and when she came out, he motioned her to join them in the vine-shaded corner by the hammock. "I



Polly Was Talking to Herself.

dear kind mistress and master liked them it was all right.

Now her mistress came in and she was all dressed up.

"Well, Polly," said her mistress, "we're having a party today."

"You're having a party, we're having a party, Polly's having a party," said Polly Parrot.

"The guests will be coming soon," said her mistress, and at that moment the door bell rang.

People kept coming and coming. Oh, so many people came. Polly kept high above them, looking down from a shelf built around the wall, high up, near the ceiling and not saying a word.

She knew they would all chatter and talk and that she wouldn't have a chance at all.

For she knew very well what parties were like. But she enjoyed them, for she did get such good things to eat at parties!

And then Polly's mistress said to her: "Speak to the people, Polly."

Every one looked at the parrot and she began to speak.

"Polly have a party, Polly have a party, Polly have a fine party," she said.

Every one was quite delighted, and her mistress was so proud of her.

She had some cake then, and every one said what a very jolly Polly parrot she was to speak so delightfully at the party and to make the guests feel so much at home!

work? But if you marry, you are right here at hand, ready to help. Your time will be your own. You can help Ginger, help your father, and he will not realize what you are doing for him. If necessary, you and Horace can come and stay in the parsonage part of the time. But don't add to your father's burden the knowledge that he is stealing a year of his daughter's happiness. I dare say he is sick at heart, the very moment, dreading to come home and have you tell him, sweetly, that your happiness has been burned on the altar of daughterly duty."

Helen studied him seriously. "You are a wise, wise boy," she said gently. "And I think you are right. I could help more, that is true, if I were here in Red Thrush. And I know it would grieve him bitterly to have us change our plans. I could come every day and help them."

"And they could call on me in a pinch—"

"But Ginger is a such a child. So much responsibility—"

"Responsibility never hurt anybody. You had it when you were young, and it did you no harm. And Ginger is not a child. She is growing up."

Ginger stood up with a bored hauteur. "Ellen is grown up now, if you ask me. And if you will excuse me, I shall go upstairs. I have some very important work to do."

On Friday afternoon, Mr. Tolliver and Miriam returned to a parsonage that smelled sweetly of wild roses, to three girls whose light glad voices gave no hint of the pain with which they had watched his approach, head lowered, shoulders sagging dispiritedly, his arm limp beneath Miriam's hand. And under the charm of their laughter, their caresses, their welcoming delight, his shoulders straightened presently, the tired lines in his face gave way to those of pleasure, and soon his laughter joined theirs.

"I can't take off the glasses just yet, you see," he said huskily. "Still in the fog, as you might say."

"I rather thought it would take longer," said Helen sympathetically. "It would be foolish to rush things."

"But it's really too bad, father," put in Ginger gaily, "because I just wish you could see the carryings-on in this old house. Do you know what Marjory has on hand now? A grocery clerk, father. And not regular groceries, either. Canned ones. The Orange and Black. Maybe he will give us a discount."

Light laughter, light talk, which hid the sadness beneath, but did not hide the tenderness, the pervading sympathy, the great gladness that they were five together, even in their sorrow.

CHAPTER IV

In the living room Ginger found her three sisters. Helen was mending a frayed cuff for her father as prosaically as though in two weeks she would not be a bride trembling at the altar of her marriage. Miriam was straightening up the desk with an air of great distaste. Marjory was delicately powdering her nose, watching the operation in the mirror of a small metal case.

"Marjory, where did you get that vanity?" Ginger demanded.

Marjory closed it hastily and put it in her pocket. But Ginger was insistent.

"Marjory let me see that vanity. That's brand-new. Where did you get it?"

Marjory, thus driven, produced the article and confessed to an extravagance. She had bought it. It had cost her twenty-five cents. She had bought it from Alice Ideman. And at last, thoroughly committed, she explained in detail.

"It's really a very cute idea, Helen," she said volubly, hoping by many words to distract attention from the money phase of the transaction. You see, the compact costs a quarter. Alice had to sell four of them, and each one of the four who bought, had to promise to sell four more. Then when Alice sends her dollar to the company, for the four she sold, they send her a solid silver one. Just lovely."

"Did you promise to sell four?"

"Yes, I had to. And when I sell them, I send my dollar to the company, and they send me a sterling silver one. Isn't it a cute idea?"

"It is like the old chair letter idea—"

"Exactly. Where you had to copy the prayer—"

"Or break the chain—"

"And it goes on and on—"

"All over the world."



JOLLY POLLY

"No, Polly doesn't want a cracker, ha, ha," the parrot said. "There is no one in the room to give me a cracker, and I've eaten the one I had in my cage."

"I have some seed and some water, but not a trace of a cracker. But I might look about for some."

Polly was talking to herself because there was no one else in the room.

There were the pictures on the wall, but Polly thought these were very silly. They couldn't talk, they couldn't be eaten.

Of course she never said she thought they were silly to anyone else.

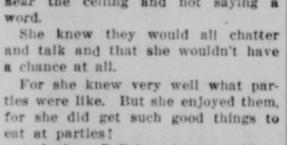
She wouldn't do such a thing because she knew her dear kind mistress and her dear kind mistress were very fond of the pictures especially.

The master used to make some of the pictures himself with a lot of paints and paint brushes.

Polly had often watched him at work, and her mistress used to smile with delight when she saw some of those pictures after they were finished.

People used to come in, too, and they would admire them.

But Polly herself didn't see much use to the pictures. However, if her



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Now her mistress came in and she was all dressed up.

"Well, Polly," said her mistress, "we're having a party today."

"You're having a party, we're having a party, Polly's having a party," said Polly Parrot.

"The guests will be coming soon," said her mistress, and at that moment the door bell rang.

People kept coming and coming. Oh, so many people came. Polly kept high above them, looking down from a shelf built around the wall, high up, near the ceiling and not saying a word.

She knew they would all chatter and talk and that she wouldn't have a chance at all.

For she knew very well what parties were like. But she enjoyed them, for she did get such good things to eat at parties!

And then Polly's mistress said to her: "Speak to the people, Polly."

Every one looked at the parrot and she began to speak.

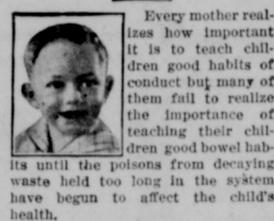
His "One Big Moment"

Recalled by Doughboy

I journeyed to Kansas City, Mo., June 5, 1918, parked in a hotel, ordered a room, then went out and did some shopping on the main drag, salvaging an alarm clock, a pair of pajamas and a sergeant's whistle. Then to my room, tipped the bellhop two francs, gave him the whistle, instructed him to come to my room at 3 a. m., open the door and blow the whistle and to yell, "Outside!"

Now this is where my big moment came in. I threw one of my hobnail shoes at that bellhop and sent him running down the hall. The other shoe I threw at the alarm clock, smashing it, then turned over, covered my head, and slept to my heart's content. Now, that was my big moment.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

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Every mother realizes how important it is to teach children good habits of conduct but many of them fail to realize the importance of teaching their children good bowel habits until the poisons from decaying waste held too long in the system have begun to affect the child's health.

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"Correct; go on," smiled the teacher.
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Planting operations on the Hawaiian forest preserves in the past two years required 418,531 trees, an increase of 200,000 over the previous two years. Recent increases in Hawaiian forest preserve areas have brought the total to 980,682 acres.

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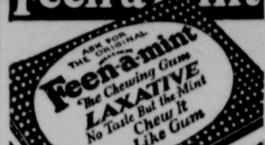
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A name famous too soon is a very heavy burden.—Voltaire.

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The quarrels between Noah and his helpmate created great amusement for the spectators. When the ark is ready the lady stoutly refuses to go in unless she may take some of her friends along. The patriarch, however, will not stand such nonsense, and when

the time for embarkation comes he dispatches his three sons to bring their mother aboard. They find her with her gossips in a tavern, and after much rough-by-play and broad comedy they seize her and drag her to the ark. Arrived there, she breaks out as a worse termagant than ever; shrieking with rage, she sets about beating her husband, much to the diversion of the spectators of merry England.—Manchester Guardian.

Is a Nutshell

People never will get over being surprised that chestnut burrs are not as rough on the inside as they are on the outside.

The greatest burden in the world is superstition.—Milton.

Tongue Twisters
Eight energetic Englishmen eagerly examining Europe.
Five fishermen fishing for frog.
Ten fingers tinkering ten under boxes with tenpenny tacks.

F. H. Oberthier Manager of Elevator Firm

A new company in Hereford, growing out of the increased agricultural activities in this territory, is the Farmers Associated Elevators. The company has taken over the interests of the Black Elevator Company and is carrying out a program of expansion in keeping with the growth of the wheat industry here. E. B. Black is president of the new organization, and F. H. Oberthier is general manager. Additional directors are G. W. Brumley, E. E. Fridley, J. H. Head, D. H. Alexander and H. L. Kearns, the latter being from Amarilla.

Mr. Oberthier, in speaking of the new organization, said that the name selected for the firm was due to the fact that they had enlisted as stockholders such men as G. W. Brumley, C. H. Dyer, C. J. Paddock and E. B. Black, all large land owners and wheat farmers in this section, and that they hoped to enlist other actual farmers with them in the company.

Contract has been let for the improvement of the elevator at Black, and the capacity will be increased to 35,000 bushels. A new elevator has been built at Dawn with a 40,000 bushel capacity. Although comparatively new in the business, the activity of these citizens is being welcomed by the wheat growers, as they are endeavoring to give real service in the handling of wheat and other grain. Mr. Oberthier has devoted no little effort in the past 18 months to promoting improvement of roads leading into the Black and Dawn elevators and has assisted wheat farmers in other ways.

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Give Attention To Wide Roads

At last effective attention is being given to the construction of wider roads. While the movement has just begun, the necessity is fully realized and slowly but surely the motorist in congested areas is being given relief.

For example, Illinois, with rural road construction now well under way, will in the next three years spend \$22,500,000 in and near Chicago in road widening, in building 40-foot pavements, and in constructing parallel relief arteries. The Michigan state highway department is now working out a plan with Detroit to widen state routes leading through the city.

A 40-foot pavement will soon connect Baltimore and Washington, D. C. Dallas, Texas, is surrounding itself with a 40-foot concrete by pass route out several miles from the city. Thirty-five miles of pavement on this Northwest Highway have already been built or let to contract.

Seattle and Tacoma, Washington, will this year be joined for the most part by a double barreled highway. In North Carolina, Gastonia and Charlotte motorists hurry between the two cities over a 40-foot pavement 17 miles long. Relocation, better handling of the curves and more space has reduced the motor time between the two cities from one and a half hours to about 55 minutes.

As yet this country need not fear that the building of wide pavements is promiscuous. Traffic surveys reveal that almost without exception traffic volumes immediately increase when smooth pavements are built, when roads are paved and when wide pavements are built or narrow pavements widened. Traffic facilities constructed ten years ago are now hopelessly inadequate. The least that a community can do is to provide wide rights of way so that if present finances do not permit wide pavement construction there will be room to expand in the future.

So far building wide roads adjacent to cities has not been accomplished at the expense of rural road building. Cities contribute large amounts of money to state road building funds through gasoline taxes and license fees. However activity throughout the country indicates that those communities that do not lack progress will have comparatively ample traffic conveniences at the end of the next few years.

Brunk's Comedians Here For Stay of One Week

How many in Hereford remember Henry Brunk? Fred Brunk's Comedians have been coming back here to the boys' old home town with their theatrical plays each year, but Fred's youngest brother, Henry, sometimes known better as "Hank," is operating the show this year, and will be in Hereford all of next week, beginning May fifth.

Brunk's is always a favorite with Hereford play-going fans, and according to advance notices, they will be pleased again this year. Opening Monday night with a feature play, "If I Were Rich," the troupe of thirty actors and musicians bid fair to again delight the hearts of their audiences here. Monday night is designated as "Surprise Night" of the week and the program of music, vaudeville between the acts, and general entertainment planned for big-time stuff.

Brunk's is playing Hereford

under the auspices of the local American Legion and the show grounds will probably be south of the laundry between First and Second Streets.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Farmer County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Delmer D. Taylor, Retter A. Carroll and husband Charles Carroll, Stella A. Emrich and husband, Len Emrich, by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Farmer County to be holden at the court house thereof on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1930, the same being the 12th day of May, 1930, then and there to answer the petition filed in said court on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1930, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 353, wherein Charles R. Taylor and Leah C. Boock are plaintiffs and Clarence N. Taylor, Earnest E. Taylor, Delmer D. Taylor, Retter A. Carroll and husband Charles Carroll, Stella A. Emrich and husband, Len Emrich, are defendants, said petition alleging that plaintiffs and defendants are the joint owners of land in Farmer and Deaf Smith Counties, Texas, described as the South Half (8 1/2) of Section Twenty-nine (29) and all

of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Two (2) North Range Three (3) East in said Counties; that Charles R. Taylor is the owner of an eight-fourteenths (8-14) interest in said land; that Leah C. Boock is the owner of one-fourteenths (1-14) interest in said land and that each of the defendants is the owner of a one-fourteenths (1-14) interest in said

real property, and praying for judgment for the partition and division of said land and premises; that commissioners be appointed and a writ of partition issue, and for possession of that portion that by judgment of the court may be ascertained and declared to be the property of plaintiffs. Herein fall not, but have you before said court on the first day of

the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the Town of Farwell, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1930. (Seal) GORDON McOUAN, Clerk of County Court, Farmer County, Texas.

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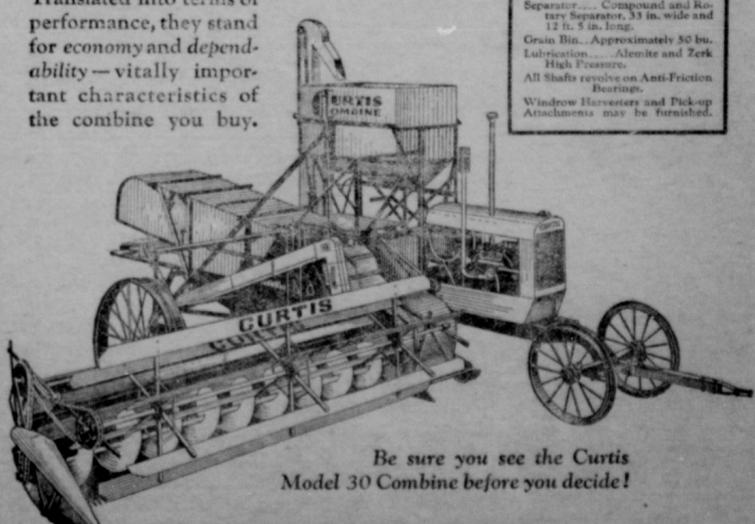
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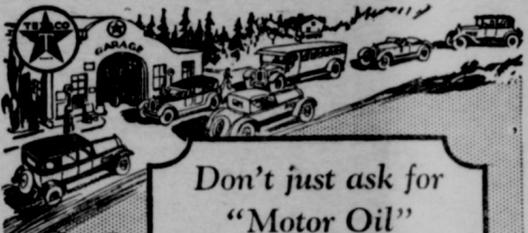
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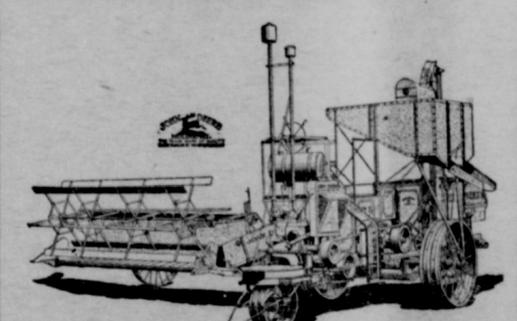


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STORY FROM THE STAR

In the usually quiet home of Rev. Mr. Tolliver of Red Thrush Iowa, his motherless daughters, Helen, Miriam and Ellen—"Ginger ELLA"—are busy "grooming" their sister Marjory for participation in the "beauty pageant" that evening. With Eddy Jackson, prosperous young farmer, her escort, Marjory leaves for the anticipated triumph. Overwork has affected Mr. Tolliver's eyes to the point of threatened blindness. Ginger has tried in many ways to add to the family's slender income, but she is not discouraged. Marjory wins the beauty prize, \$50.00. She gives the money to her father as part of the expense necessary for the treatment of his eyes by Chicago specialists. Mr. Tolliver leaves for Chicago with Miriam. Ginger meets Alexander Murdock.

CHAPTER III—Continued

Ginger sat motionless. Her slim fingers froze about the handle of the little gold cup. Presently she set it down with a determination that spoke volumes to the accustomed ears of Marjory and Eddy Jackson.

"Let's go for a drive now," she said coldly. "Eddy, you've got to take Marjory in front with you. I want Mr. Murdock to tell me all about the—the groceries. I think they are so fascinating."

"But I was prepared for you," objected Eddy. "I planned to give you a driving lesson."

It had long been Ginger's great desire to learn to drive, but now, with a sigh, she relinquished that beautiful dream to save her lovely Marjory from the machinations of this base pretender. Around the world—as a stoker, perhaps. Or working his way from port to port by the sale of vegetables.

Marjory slid into the front seat with Eddy Jackson. Ginger triumphantly drew Alexander Murdock in by her side, and immediately set herself to snubbing him. When occasionally, in sheer youth and good spirits, she for got her annoyance and yielded to the pleasure of the hour, she consoled herself with the thought that at least she had saved Marjory for the future, and they parted at the parsonage two hours later merrily enough.

Three days passed before they had news from Chicago. It was not very encouraging. There was no improvement in Mr. Tolliver's condition. His eyes were still clouded in the misty fog. The doctors were pessimistic. By all means he should remain at hand for daily observation and treatment, for an operation if it came to that. But in the meantime absolute rest was imperative. He must have entire freedom from nervous strain, entire lack of worry and responsibility. Fresh air, good food, mild exercise, these were the tonics that by feeding the body would strengthen his sight. Particularly they warned that a shock of any nature whatsoever might precipitate total and permanent blindness.

In writing this sad news to her sisters, Miriam begged them to face it bravely, and to greet their father with their usual light good cheer.

"Be very cheerful," she begged, "oh, very. He doesn't say anything, but he looks so sad."

The girls at home went into immediate consultation. Ginger was first to give expression to her thoughts. Ginger was always first.

"There's just one thing about it," she said stoutly. "He's in for a good long stage of it, and we must have more money. You've got to let me go to work."

"What can you do, dear?" queried Helen mildly. It was Helen's mildness that so maddened Ginger. How could one expect to pull gloriously out of a crisis without fire and flame and flash? Helen was the sort to ask what one could do, when obviously one must do something!

"I don't care what," cried Ginger, passionately. "Anything. I'll scrub, or take in washing, or go on the stage, or anything."

Helen considered gravely. Helen was the sort to consider gravely in such a moment.

"The twins must go to normal just as we have planned," she decided at last. "We have the future to consider, as well as the present. I will simply postpone my marriage for a year, and apply for a school. Miss Jenkins will come and stay here with you, Ginger."

favor of a stenographic one, which could be crowded into six months if necessary. But of that they knew their father would disapprove. Stenography—private offices—male employers—lovely girlhood—impossible! Mr. Tolliver had clung to his gentle old-fashioned ideas in spite of the changing times.

Ginger gazed at Marjory despairingly. "Oh, Margie, I should think you could do something. The world just overflowing with millionaires—praying every night for pretty wives—and you just wearing out here in Red Thrush."

Marjory carefully inspected a pink forefinger, questioning the shape of a nail. "Well, I'm willing," she assented, generously. "Trot one out."

Later in the afternoon as Eddy Jackson was passing in his small car, Ginger signaled him to stop and ran out to the curb.

"Something terrible is going on in this house," she said gloomily. "Father is no better, and he is pretty discouraged. And Helen is going to postpone her wedding, and it will just make him sick."

Eddy turned the key in the car, stilling the engine. "That requires silent meditation," he said slowly. "What do you think about it?"

"I think it is terrible. I think it will break his heart."

They talked a while, and then he walked with her slowly up the flagstone path.

"Helen?" he called into the open door, and when she came out, he motioned her to join them in the vine-shaded corner by the hammock. "I



Polly Was Talking to Herself.

"Ginger Tells Me That You Think of Postponing Your Wedding, Helen," want to mix in other people's business, and put my fingers in other people's pie, and paddle other people's canoes and everything," he warned her.

"Do you? That is not quite like you, Eddy."

"I am changing. Ginger tells me that you think of postponing your wedding, Helen. We talked it over, and she and I think—"

Ginger sat up in the hammock and looked very important. This was showing some deference to her opinions. She tried to mirror in her small pliant face unutterable depths of wisdom.

"She and I agree that it would be the worst thing that could happen."

"Eddy, do you not see how impossible it is for me to leave home when father needs me? Horace will understand. He will be glad to do his share in helping out."

"I am not thinking of Horace. I am thinking of your father. The doctors say he must have complete mental rest. Do you think he can be happy and serenely quiet, when he knows that you are sacrificing your dearest aims and plans on his account? Will not every touch of your hand and sound of your voice be a reproach to him?"

"Oh, Eddy, I couldn't bear to go away and be happy by myself, with father and the girls—" Quick tears flooded her quiet eyes.

"Yes, I am sure, Helen, you would be happier to stay at home, and work, and sacrifice yourself. But your father's happiness is the thing that counts right now. Look at it this way, Helen. I think—and Ginger agrees with me—"

"Indeed I do," said Ginger stoutly. "We think you should go ahead as if this little setback amounts to nothing. Make light of it. Go on with your wedding. Helen, don't you see, that if you teach school you will be away, out of town, tied up with your

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work? But if you marry, you are right here at hand, ready to help. Your time will be your own. You can help Ginger, help your father, and he will not realize what you are doing for him. If necessary, you and Horace can come and stay in the parsonage part of the time. But don't add to your father's burden the knowledge that he is stealing a year of his daughter's happiness. I dare say he is sick at heart, this very moment, dreading to come home and have you tell him, sweetly, that your happiness has been burned on the altar of daughterly duty."

Helen studied him seriously. "You are a wise, wise boy," she said gently. "And I think you are right. I could help more, that is true, if I were here in Red Thrush. And I know it would grieve him bitterly to have us change our plans. I could come every day and help them."

"And they could call on me in a pinch—"

"But Ginger is a such a child. So much responsibility—"

"Responsibility never hurt anybody. You had it when you were young, and it did you no harm. And Ginger is not a child. She is growing up."

Ginger stood up with a bored hauteur. "Ellen is grown up now, if you ask me. And if you will excuse me, I shall go upstairs. I have some very important work to do."

On Friday afternoon, Mr. Tolliver and Miriam returned to a parsonage that smelled sweetly of wild roses, to three girls whose tight glad voices gave no hint of the pain with which they had watched his approach, head lowered, shoulders sagging dispiritedly, his arm limp beneath Miriam's hand. And under the charm of their laughter, their caresses, their welcoming delight, his shoulders straightened presently, the tired lines in his face gave way to those of pleasure, and soon his laughter joined theirs.

"I can't take off the glasses just yet, you see," he said huskily. "Still in the fog, as you might say."

"I rather thought it would take longer," said Helen sympathetically. "It would be foolish to rush things."

"But it's really too bad, father," put in Ginger gaily, "because I just wish you could see the carryings-on in this old house. Do you know what Marjory has on hand now? A grocery clerk, father. And not regular groceries, either. Canned ones. The Orange and Black. Maybe he will give us a discount."

Light laughter, light talk, which hid the sadness beneath, but did not hide the tenderness, the pervading sympathy, the great gladness that they were five together, even in their sorrow.

CHAPTER IV

In the living room Ginger found her three sisters. Helen was mending a frayed cuff for her father as prosaically as though in two weeks she would not be a bride trembling at the altar of her marriage. Miriam was straightening up the desk with an air of great distaste. Marjory was delicately powdering her nose, watching the operation in the mirror of a small metal case.

"Marjory, where did you get that vanity?" Ginger demanded.

Marjory closed it hastily and put it in her pocket. But Ginger was insistent.

"Marjory let me see that vanity. That's brand-new. Where did you get it?"

Marjory, thus driven, produced the article and confessed to an extravagance. She had bought it. It had cost her twenty-five cents. She had bought it from Alice Ideman. And at last, thoroughly committed, she explained in detail.

"It's really a very cute idea, Helen," she said volubly, hoping by many words to distract attention from the money phase of the transaction. You see, the compact costs a quarter. Alice had to sell four of them, and each one of the four who bought, had to promise to sell four more. Then when Alice sends her dollar to the company, for the four she sold, they send her a solid silver one. Just lovely."

"Did you promise to sell four?"

"Yes, I had to. And when I sell them, I send my dollar to the company, and they send me a sterling silver one. Isn't it a cute idea?"

"It is like the old chair letter idea—"

"Exactly. Where you had to copy the prayer—"

"Or break the chain—"

"And it goes on and on—"

"All over the world."

"Why, they'll sell thousands and thousands of them."

Is a Nutshell

People never will get over being surprised that chestnut burrs are not as rough on the inside as they are on the outside.

The greatest burden in the world is superstition.—Milton.



Polly Was Talking to Herself.

dear kind mistress and master liked them it was all right.

Now her mistress came in and she was all dressed up.

"Well, Polly," said her mistress, "we're having a party today."

"You're having a party, we're having a party, Polly's having a party," said Polly Parrot.

"The guests will be coming soon," said her mistress, and at that moment the door bell rang.

People kept coming and coming. Oh, so many people came. Polly kept high above them, looking down from a shelf built around the wall, high up, near the ceiling and not saying a word.

She knew they would all chatter and talk and that she wouldn't have a chance at all.

For she knew very well what parties were like. But she enjoyed them, for she did get such good things to eat at parties!

And then Polly's mistress said to her:

"Speak to the people, Polly."

"Every one looked at the parrot and she began to speak.

"Polly have a party, Polly have a party, Polly have a fine party," she said.

Every one was quite delighted, and her mistress was so proud of her.

She had some cake then, and every one said what a very jolly Polly parrot she was to speak so delightfully at the party and to make the guests feel so much at home!

She was indeed a very very jolly Polly!

RIDDLES

- What should you fill with air? Flat tires.
- What works when they are struck? Matches.
- What does no one hunt for? For lost time.
- What is dust? Mud with the juice squeezed out.
- What is the land nearest the North pole? Poland.
- What plate can't you eat out of? An empty one.
- What is the best substitute for brains? Silos.
- Why is herring like a graveyard? There are so many bones.
- What kind of a worm is a caterpillar? A little worm with a raccoon coat.
- Opens like a barn door, shuts like a trap; you can guess all day, but you can't guess that. A pocketbook.
- What is the difference between ammonia and pneumonia? One comes in bottles and the other in chests.

Tongue Twisters

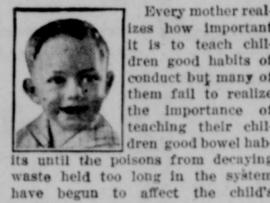
- Eight energetic Englishmen eagerly examining Europe.
- Five fishermen fishing for frog.
- Ten fingers tinkering ten under boxes with teppenny tacks.

His "One Big Moment"

Recalled by Doughboy
I journeyed to Kansas City, Mo., June 5, 1919, parked in a hotel, ordered a room, then went out and did some shopping on the main drag, salvaging an alarm clock, a pair of pajamas and a sergeant's whistle. Then to my room, tipped the bellhop two francs, gave him the whistle, instructed him to come to my room at 3 a. m., open the door and blow the whistle and to yell, "Outside!"

Now this is where my big moment came in. I threw one of my hobnail shoes at that bellhop and sent him running down the hall. The other shoe I threw at the alarm clock, smashing it, then turned over, covered my head, and slept to my heart's content. Now, that was my big moment.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Denver Boy is a Winner



Every mother realizes how important it is to teach children good habits of conduct but many of them fail to realize the importance of teaching their children good bowel habits until the poisons from decaying waste held too long in the system have begun to affect the child's health.

Watch your child and at the first sign of constipation, give him a little California Fig Syrup. Children love its rich, fruity taste and it quickly drives away those distressing ailments, such as headaches, bad breath, coated tongue, biliousness, feverishness, fretfulness, etc. It gives them a hearty appetite, regulates their stomach and bowels and gives tone and strength to these organs so they continue to act normally, of their own accord. For over fifty years, leading physicians have prescribed it for half-sick, bilious, constipated children. More than 4 million bottles used a year shows how mothers depend on it.

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To avoid inferior imitations of California Fig Syrup, always look for the word "California" on the carton.

Reforestation Hawaii
Planting operations on the Hawaiian forest preserves in the past two years required 418,531 trees, an increase of 200,000 over the previous two years. Recent increases in Hawaiian forest preserve areas have brought the total to 980,682 acres.

Women argue in the same way they get off a street car.

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"What sort of a story?"
"One about a little boy who had a kind granddad who took him to the pictures every Sunday."

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A name famous too soon is a very heavy burden.—Voltaire.

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Get on the scales today and see how much you weigh—then get an 85 cent bottle of Kruschen Salts which will last you for 4 weeks. Take one half teaspoonful every morning in a glass of hot water and when you have finished the first bottle weigh yourself again.
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After that you'll want to walk around and say to your friends—"One 85 cent bottle of Kruschen Salts is worth one hundred dollars of any fat person's money."
Leading druggists America over sell Kruschen Salts.

F. H. Oberthier Manager of Elevator Firm

A new company in Hereford, growing out of the increased agricultural activities in this territory, is the Farmers Associated Elevators. The company has taken over the interests of the Black Elevator Company and is carrying out a program of expansion in keeping with the growth of the wheat industry here. E. B. Black is president of the new organization, and F. H. Oberthier is general manager. Additional directors are G. W. Brumley, E. E. Fridley, J. H. Head, D. H. Alexander and H. L. Kearns, the latter being from Amarilla.

Mr. Oberthier, in speaking of the new organization, said that the name selected for the firm was due to the fact that they had enlisted as stockholders such men as G. W. Brumley, C. H. Dyar, C. J. Padock and E. B. Black, all large land owners and wheat farmers in this section, and that they hoped to enlist other actual farmers with them in the company.

Contract has been let for the improvement of the elevator at Black, and the capacity will be increased to 35,000 bushels. A new elevator has been built at Dawn with a 40,000 bushel capacity. Although comparatively new in the business, the activity of these elevators is being welcomed by the wheat growers, as they are endeavoring to give real service in the handling of wheat and other grain. Mr. Oberthier has devoted no little effort in the past 18 months to promoting improvement of roads leading into the Black and Dawn elevators and has assisted wheat farmers in other ways.

As an expression of their appreciation for Mr. Oberthier's efficient work as manager of the Black Elevator Co., Mr. Black and associates presented him this week with a comfortable Coxwell chair.

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Give Attention To Wide Roads

At last effective attention is being given to the construction of wider roads. While the movement has just begun, the necessity is fully realized and slowly but surely the motorist in congested areas is being given relief.

For example, Illinois, with rural road construction now well under way, will in the next three years spend \$22,500,000 in and near Chicago in road widening, in building 40-foot pavements, and in constructing parallel relief arteries. The Michigan state highway department is now working out a plan with Detroit to widen state routes leading through the city.

A 40-foot pavement will soon connect Baltimore and Washington, D. C. Dallas, Texas, is surrounding itself with a 40-foot concrete by pass route out several miles from the city. Thirty-five miles of pavement on this Northwest Highway have already been built or let to contract.

Seattle and Tacoma, Washington, will this year be joined for the most part by a double barreled highway. In North Carolina, Gastonia and Charlotte motorists hurry between the two cities over a 40-foot pavement 17 miles long. Relocation, better handling of the curves and more space has reduced the motor time between the two cities from one and a half hours to about 35 minutes.

As yet this country need not fear that the building of wide pavements is promiscuous. Traffic surveys reveal that almost without exception traffic volumes immediately increase when smooth pavements are built, when roads are paved and when wide pavements are built or narrow pavements widened. Traffic facilities constructed ten years ago are now hopelessly inadequate. The least that a community can do is to provide wide rights of way so that if present finances do not permit wide pavement construction there will be room to expand in the future.

So far building wide roads adjacent to cities has not been accomplished at the expense of rural road building. Cities contribute large amounts of money to state road building funds through gasoline taxes and license fees. However activity throughout the country indicates that those communities that do not lack progress will have comparatively ample traffic conveniences at the end of the next few years.

Brunk's Comedians Here For Stay of One Week

How many in Hereford remember Henry Brunk? Fred Brunk's Comedians have been coming back here to the boys' old home town with their theatrical plays each year, but Fred's youngest brother, Henry, sometimes known better as "Hank," is operating the show this year, and will be in Hereford all of next week, beginning May fifth.

Brunk's is always a favorite with Hereford play-going fans, and according to advance notices, they will be pleased again this year. Opening Monday night with a feature play, "If I Were Rich," the troupe of thirty actors and musicians bid fair to again delight the hearts of their audiences here. Monday night is designated as "Surprise Night" of the week and the program of music, vaudeville between the acts, and general entertainment planned for big-time stuff.

Brunk's is playing Hereford

under the auspices of the local American Legion and the show grounds will probably be south of the laundry between First and Second Streets.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Parmer County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Delmer D. Taylor, Retter A. Carroll and husband Charles Carroll, Stella A. Emrich and husband, Len Emrich, by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Parmer County to be holden at the court house thereof on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1930, the same being the 12th day of May, 1930, then and there to answer the petition filed in said court on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1930, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 353, wherein Charles R. Taylor and Leah C. Bockock are plaintiffs and Clarence N. Taylor, Barsele E. Taylor, Delmer D. Taylor, Retter A. Carroll and husband Charles Carroll, Stella A. Emrich and husband, Len Emrich, are defendants, said petition alleging that plaintiffs and defendants are the joint owners of land in Parmer and Deaf Smith Counties, Texas, described as the South Half (8 1/2) of Section Twenty-nine (29) and all

of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Two (2) North Range Three (3) East in said Counties; that Charles R. Taylor is the owner of an eight-fourteenths (8-14) interest in said land; that Leah C. Bockock is the owner of one-fourteenths (1-14) interest in said land and that each of the defendants is the owner of a one-fourteenths (1-14) interest in said

real property, and praying for judgment for the partition and division of said land and premises; that commissioners be appointed and a writ of partition issue, and for possession of that portion that by judgment of the court may be ascertained and declared to be the property of plaintiffs.

Herein fall not, but have you before said court on the first day of

the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the Town of Farwell, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1930.

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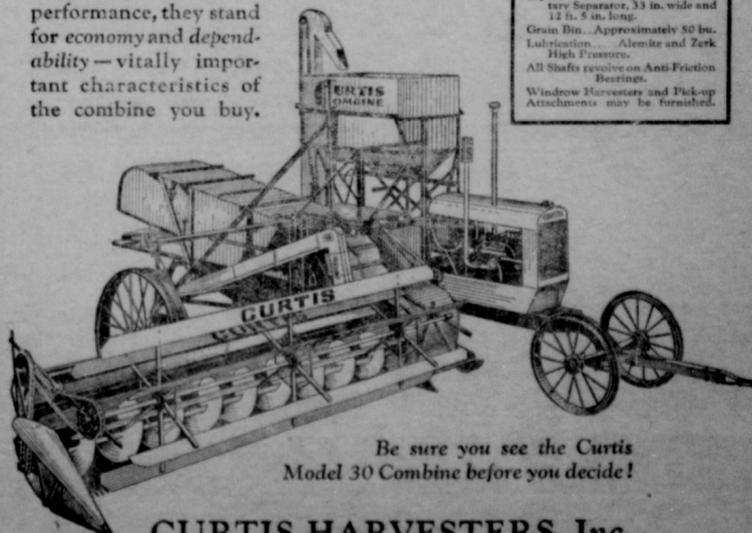
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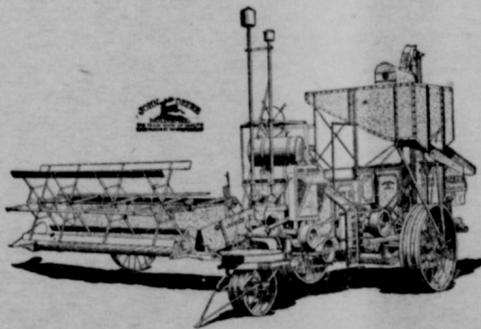
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PROMOTION IN THE KINGDOM

Matthew 20:17-28

Golden Text: The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and give his life a ransom for many.—Matt 20:28.

Introduction.

“Earthly thrones are built with steps up to them; the remarkable thing about the thrones of the eternal kingdom is that the steps all lead down to them. We must descend if we would reign, stoop if we would rise.”—F. B. Meyer.

Jesus Foretells His Death.

Mark mentions the interesting fact that on the way, Jesus being in advance, he is always “on before”—“they were amazed” and “afraid.” Was there something about Jesus’ bearing, or some glory of countenance, now that he had set his face toward Jerusalem, that had not been there before? Luke adds that he told them that “all the things that are written through the prophets shall be accomplished,” and Mark that “they understood none of these things, etc.” Jesus’ prophecy is remarkable for its detailed character.

This was the third time, so far as we know, that he had alluded to his passion. Yet it is evident from such reference as Luke 12:50 that the catastrophe was often in his thought. He speaks “here as a voyager to whom the sound of the cataract is no longer a distant murmur.”—Ross. When we read those words of his, “Behold, we go up to Jerusalem!” We should never forget that he already clearly saw the cross standing “on the place of the skull.” “We hear it said sometimes that it was wonderful that Jesus, having undertaken the world’s salvation, did not draw back at the sight of the cross. Would it not have been more wonderful if, being Jesus, he had drawn back?”—Phillips Brooks.

Christ, the Suffering Servant.

Four times, as recorded by Matthew, our Lord solemnly predicted that he would suffer a violent, agonizing and shameful death. If Matthew recorded so many predic-

poorly understood even by the disciples; it would be wholly misunderstood by the common crowd.

“Behold, we go up to Jerusalem.” “Behold” indicates the solemn and important nature of the announcement. “And the Son of man shall be delivered unto the chief priests and scribes.” That is the Sanhedrin, the highest court of the Jews, consisting of seventy senators plus a presiding officer, the high priest. The Sanhedrin (often called the Council) was made up of chief priests (those who had been high priests and the heads of the courses into which the priests were divided) with representatives of the scribes or lawyers, who copied and expounded the law, and also of the elders or heads of families. “And they shall condemn him to death.” They could not put him to death without the consent of the Roman authorities, for those rulers reserved to themselves the right of capital punishment.

Crucifixion and Resurrection Foretold

“And shall deliver him unto the Gentiles.” That is, the Roman authorities. “To mock and to scourge, and to crucify.” This is the most particular prophecy of the horrors that were to attend the Saviour’s death. “And the third day he shall be raised up.” “Our blessed Master added a word which overpowered the bitterness of the death-draught. Here was the bright lining to the black cloud. This poured a flood of

light on what else had been a seven-fold midnight.”—C. H. Spurgeon.

James and John.

“Then came to him the mother of the sons of Zebedee with her sons.” Her name was Salome, and her sons were the two apostles, James and John. From their fiery impetuosity they were called by Christ Boanerges, or “sons of thunder.” James afterwards was the first of the apostles to suffer martyrdom, and John became the bishop of Ephesus, wrote the fourth Gospel, three Epistles, and the Revelation, and died at the great age of nearly one hundred. “And asking a certain thing of him.” Mark tells us that John and James made the request for themselves, and says nothing about Salome. Probably all three combined to present the petition. “She saith unto him, Command that these my two sons may sit, one on thy right hand, and one on thy left hand, in thy kingdom.” Only a short time before this, our Lord had promised all the Twelve that when he ascended his throne of glory, they should sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel, Matt 19:28. Now James and John sought to obtain for themselves the most honorable of the thrones. They felt they had a right to this promotion because Christ has distinguished them (with Peter) above the others by admitting them to the inner circle, and, besides, their mother was seemingly the sister of Mary the

mother of Jesus, so that they were cousins of Christ.

Ye Know Not What Ye Ask.

“But Jesus answered and said, Ye know not what ye ask.” Christ turns to James and John, recognizing their ambition as the real source of the request. Their prayers were like many of ours, akin to the baby’s crying for the fire, which would only burn his hands if he got it. “Are ye able to drink the cup that I am about to drink?” That is, “can you endure the fate that is in store for me?” “They say unto him, We are able.” Jesus might well have answered them at first, “Ye know not what ye say.”

“He saith unto them, My cup indeed ye shall drink.” Neither of the brothers was crucified. James was beheaded with a sword in the reign of Herod Agrippa I., and John died a natural death after suffering many persecutions. Both of them shared the trials of Christ. “But to sit on my right hand, and on my left hand, is not mine to give.” That is, such an honor was not to be handed out arbitrarily, and as a personal favor, but was to be given to those whose lives and spirits should prove them worthy of it.

An Unchristian Spirit.

“Not so shall it be among you.” The principle of Christianity is the very opposite of worldly self-seeking. Christians do not seek greatness for themselves, but to

make others great. They do not ask for their own prosperity, power and happiness, but for the joy of the world. Ordinary ambition is like the Dead Sea, always taking in, never giving out, and so stagnant, heavy and lifeless. The Christian ambition is like a great, clear, life-giving river, ever flowing onward, blessing wherever it goes. “But whosoever would become great among you shall be your minister.” His followers are to be great, but they are to be great servants, great helpers, great restorers, great comforters, great guides, great teachers, great aids in the advancement of human welfare; in short, they are to be great as he is great.

The Son of Man, a Servant.

“Even as the Son of man.” Christ as representative man, standing in our stead, living our life and bearing our sins. “Came not to be ministered unto.” As he might well have said, for the crowds wanted to make him king, and his powers of miracle-working could win for him unbounded wealth and limitless sway; but he would have none of it. “But to minister.” Literally, “to be a deacon or a servant.” “And to give his life a ransom for many.” Christ gave his life; he laid it down of himself; he offered himself as a living sacrifice. He came as a ransom to do for us what we could never do for ourselves.

We were bound, he came to set us free. We were captives and he bought our release. We were slaves, and he rescued us.

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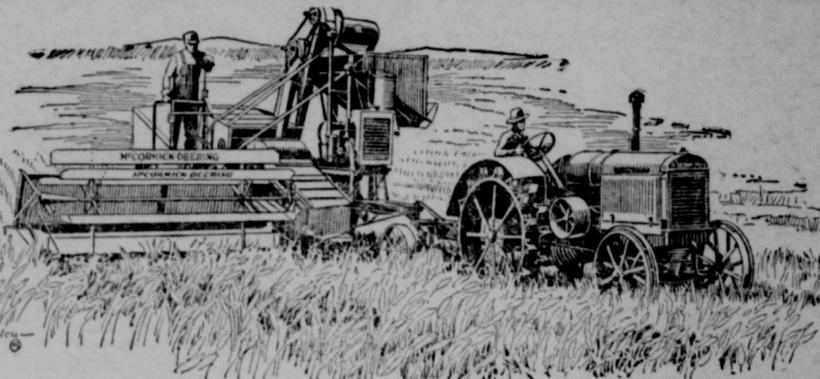
Sunday school at 10 o’clock, C. W. Dixon, superintendent. Preaching on second and fourth Sundays of each month at 11 and 8:00. B. Y. P. U. meets each Sunday evening at 7:00 o’clock. M. M. Robinette, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL

Sunday school each Sunday at 10 o’clock, F. W. Reeve, superintendent. Church services each first and third Sunday at 11 and 8:00. Christian Endeavor each Sunday evening at 7:30 o’clock. J. L. Beattie, Pastor.

Two-day service on kodjok finishing. FRIONA DRUG CO. 39

Cuts and Threshes All Small Grain and Seeds



12 Important McCormick-Deering Points

1. Adjustable to cut low. Gets lodged and tangled grain.
2. Continuation of grain-tight platform canvas forms lower canvas. No grain lost at end of platform. Large capacity, wide elevator carries all grain to feeder.
3. Chain and slat feeder carries grain, heads first, into the cylinder. Direct front feed.
4. Spiked beater in feeder assures positive feeding and controls delivery of grain to cylinder.
5. Ninety per cent separation at cylinder. Straw and grain thus separated never mix again.
6. Four-section straw rack. Extends entire length of thresher from cylinder to straw spreader. Combs straw apart, drops it three times, thoroughly shakes out all the grain.
7. Extra long chaffer and cleaning sieve thoroughly cleans grain.
8. Revolving weed screen takes weed seeds out of threshed grain and bags them. Saves dockage and reduces spread of weeds.
9. Platform folds for transportation—does not have to be detached. No transport truck to buy.
10. A pioneer of small combines—backed by 99 years of practical harvesting-machine experience and by field tests under difficult conditions in the harvest fields of the world.
11. Expert service on the entire machine by permanent dealers and Company-owned branches.
12. Handles a variety of crops under a variety of conditions and seasons.

“Konjola’s Work Miraculous” Says this Lady

Waco Lady, Lifetime Resident, Enthusiastic About New Medicine that Relieved Stomach Ailment.



MRS. LILLIE COLLINS

“Konjola made a new person of me,” said Mrs. Lillie Collins, 3617 Homan Avenue Waco, Texas. “For the past few years I have had a severe case of stomach trouble. The food I ate failed to digest, gas formed and I was subject to chest pains and heart palpitations. I was always tired in the morning. Pains in the small of my back from affected kidneys often kept me from doing my housework. I often suffered with numbness in my hands and feet and was extremely nervous.”

“I began to get relief immediately after I began the Konjola treatment. The gas on my stomach after meals has now been eliminated and I no longer find night risings necessary. I sleep well and I am no longer nervous. I am free from back pains and my kidneys have been regulated until they function perfectly. I have not an ache or a pain in my body. The results I got from Konjola were miraculous and I heartily recommend this medicine to all who suffer as I did.”

Konjola has become the most talked of medicine in America because it makes good. And Konjola makes good in the most stubborn cases when given a fair trial. Six to eight bottles are recommended for usual cases.

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WHEN you invest in a combine you want a machine that does more than head and thresh grain. You want an honest-to-goodness harvester-thresher that can harvest and thresh all small grain and seed crops year after year—under adverse as well as favorable conditions—that is able to cut the grain regardless of whether it is lodged and tangled, short, or light and fluffy. You want a combine that gives dollar-for-dollar value—and more.

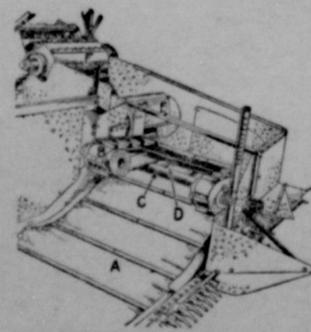
The McCormick-Deering No. 8 Harvester-Thresher is the combine that never slips over the heads in lodged and tangled grain and that gets the heads in extremely short grain. It actually cuts a 4-inch stubble. The long guards raise the tangled crop—the sickle cuts it without loss—it is delivered upon a grain-tight platform canvas and carried evenly to the cylinder.

The wide, grain-tight platform canvas is the only sure method of harvesting and saving grain that is down and tangled. And it is the only way seed crops and flax can be handled. It has stood the test of harvesting and threshing all over the world for many years.

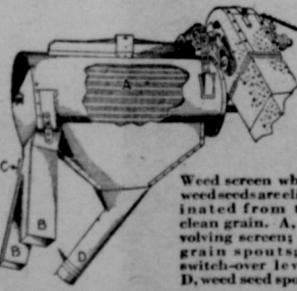
We strongly recommend the McCormick-Deering No. 8 as the harvester-thresher that will pay its way on all crops and give you a full return on your investment. Come in and see this harvester-thresher—let us go over its many features that result in cleaner grain and more profit to its owners. Examine, also, our complete service and parts departments that have been built up through years of selling and servicing McCormick-Deering Harvester-Threshers, Harvesting Machines, Threshers, Tractors, and other Power-Farming Equipment.

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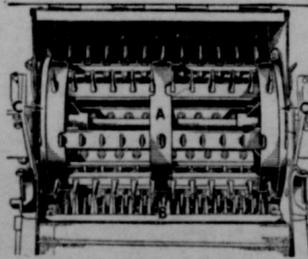
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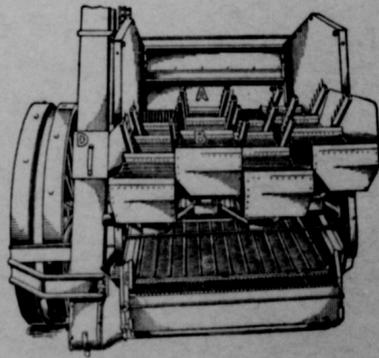
Elevator and Feeder. A, platform and lower elevator canvas. B, upper elevator canvas cut away to show extra roller C, and carrier D. E, saw-toothed beater; F, spiked beater, which helps to carry grain to cylinder.



Weed screen where weed seeds are eliminated from the clean grain. A, revolving screen; B, grain spouts; C, switch-over lever; D, weed seed spout.



Cylinder and Concaves. A, cylinder; B, concaves; C, shields which prevent straw from winding around cylinder shaft. The cylinder is mounted on ball bearings.



Rear view of separator showing cylinder beater A, straw racks B; note steel pins in straw rack risers which comb the straw apart and release the grain. C is the shoe, and D, opening in tailings elevator.

McCORMICK-DEERING

Popular Modern Harvester-Threshers

No. 20—8 ft. cut . . . No. 8—10 and 12 ft. cut . . . No. 11—12 and 16 ft. cut

SPORTS NOTES

In five seasons Southern California's football teams have won 46 games.

E. L. Wright has resigned as football coach at Lynchburg college. He was there four seasons.

Graday Adkins, pitcher for the Chicago White Sox, is a cutter in a meat store at Little Rock, Ark.

The Phillies expect to present a Big Four of home-run hitting this year with O'Doul, Klein, Hurst and Sigman.

Frank Walker, former owner, manager and player at Greenville, has joined Atlanta as a private in the ranks.

A new world record for English billiards was established recently in London, when Walter Lindrum of Australia scored 3,262 against Willie Smith of England in one break.

Heinie Sand, who as shortstop at Rochester, was chiefly instrumental in setting a mark of 223 double plays for the season, is now at Baltimore and finds at his side Stuffy Stewart, another able man to team with on double plays.

Players Get Ready at Holy Cross



The members of the Holy Cross baseball team under the guidance of Coach Jack Barry (left) and Capt. Jim Shevlin have been working diligently to get into shape for the opening of the baseball season.

THE MOTOR QUIZ
(How Many Can You Answer?)

Q. What is the effect on tires of a bent steering knuckle, broken spring, bent spindle, dragging brake, or loose wheel?
Ans. Any of these will cause uneven wear.

Q. What usually causes hard steering?
Ans. As a rule lack of oil, misalignment of front wheels, or low pressure in front tires.

Q. What is a good way to start a stubborn engine?
Ans. First pull out the choke and press the starter for a brief period without turning on the ignition, this forces raw gas into the cylinders. Then turn on the switch, step on the starter, and push in the choke. If the battery, spark plugs, and breaker points are in proper shape this should make starting easy.

Q. If placed end to end, how far would one day's average production of American automobiles extend?
Ans. Approximately 45 miles.

Preparing Automobile For Summer Travel

(By W. S. ISHERSOOD.)

After short and slow running under winter conditions a thorough checkup of the car is advisable at this time in order to guarantee a spring and summer of carefree operation.

Assuming that the car has come through a hard winter's service in fairly good mechanical shape the service operation should proceed in this order:

First, clean the engine, chassis and body thoroughly.

Check to see that spring clips are tight; take up any excess play of spring shackles.

Clean and grease steering gear; check front wheel alignment, after adjusting the wheel bearing and filling the hub cups with fresh grease; see that the nuts holding rear wheels to the axle are tight and fastened with a cotter pin.

Drain the old oil from the transmission and rear end, and put about

a quart of kerosene or flushing oil in each.

Put a couple of handfuls of sal soda in the radiator and run the car for a few miles until it is well warmed up. The soda cleans out the scales and rust in the radiator while the kerosene will loosen and wash out the old oil in the transmission and differential. Drain these as soon as you stop, then drain the water from the radiator and flush with fresh water. Remove the cylinder head and scrape out all the carbon and grind the valves. Now a new gasket when you put back the head—it makes a better job and no chance of leaks.

New rubber hose on all the water connections is well worth while, too. Fill the radiator with fresh water and start the engine. Run slowly till warmed up. Valve tappets should be adjusted, motor being warm while this is being done. Follow the manufac-

turing recommendations for clearances.

Oil the starting motor and generator, and check for proper summer charging rate, as covered by latest instructions by manufacturers of the ignition system; this may prevent a damaged battery due to overcharging on long, fast summer trips.

Clean the breaker points in the distributor and set them to their proper opening. Clean the spark plugs. To clean spark plugs simply fill the lower part of the plug with alcohol and allow to stand for a few seconds; take a piece of wire covered with one thickness of cloth and rub the carbon from the insulator then wipe clean and dry thoroughly before replacing in the engine. Clean sparking points with emery cloth or a knife.

If plugs are badly sooted or points worn to any degree, install a new set. Clean off all the ignition wires and see that the contacts are tight. Clean the storage battery with ammonia water, or ordinary baking soda (one teaspoonful to one cupful of water), tighten the terminals and coat them with vaseline or grease. Be sure that the battery is securely held in place. Check the liquid level and add distilled water if necessary.

With these servicing items attended to you should have ahead of you a summer of carefree driving, free from all mechanical troubles and annoyances.

Voltage Recommended

The highest voltage recommended for the 220 tube is 450 volts on the plate with a grid bias of 84 volts.

Polo Team Needs Ponies

A stud of at least 40 ponies is likely to be required to mount the British polo team that is to challenge for the Westchester cup in the United States next September.

This is going to prove an expensive matter, and how best funds may be raised for the purpose is a matter that is being considered by the Hurlingham polo committee, which has the matter in hand.

Best Point Getter



Frank Boucher of New York "Rangers" won the Weber and Hellbronner trophy for being high point scorer of the American and Ranger teams of 1929-1930.

Much Family Sentiment Is Seen in Game of Baseball

Baseball has gone family this year with a vengeance. There are more sons, fathers, uncles and nephews galloping about the sundry training camp greenswards today than one could find with a powerful refracting telescope at a reading.

Baseball has always been a sentimental game and for this reason the magnates have always believed in the magic of a famous name as firmly as little Junior believes his tricycle was delivered last December by a pot-bellied old man badly in need of a

shave and haircut and wearing boots. Not all sons and brothers have approximated the prowess of their relatives who preceded them in what we are pleased to call the national game. In fact, slightly few have. But those few have sold the magnates on the idea that a near-relative of a pitching ace, a fielding fool or a batting behemoth must needs possess somewhere in his veins the same spark of brilliance which carried papa or big brother to the top lines in the baseball stories.

Large Magnet Picks Up Nails



Here's the magnet that picks up the nails that cause flat tires. It will be operated over every square foot of the acres of parking space surrounding the famous Rose bowl in Pasadena. W. E. Gougar, superintendent of the famous bowl, is standing alongside.

Seeing Big League BASEBALL

By BILLY EVANS
Sportswriter, Big League Umpire and General Manager of the Cleveland Indians

Please don't get the impression that brains play no part in baseball. Nine times out of ten, the smart ball club, other things being anywhere equal, triumphs. Also, there is no denying that the wise manager can get more out of his players than the "just ordinary" leader.

Brains, inside stuff, have a definite place in baseball. Give me the smart player every time. However, the point I am trying to make is that base hits are the most potent of all winning assets on the diamond. No matter how smart the manager may be he cannot do the batting for the players. No matter how smart the player may be, unless nature has endowed him with the physical qualities so necessary for batting success, he cannot consistently come through.

Conlie Mack, one of the greatest managers the game has ever known, was the first to introduce the before-the-game meetings in an effort to map

While the batters are perhaps given the most consideration, the probable pitching selection for the opposing club is also taken up. If he is a pitcher who is worried the moment a batter reaches first, the manager suggests that every player who gets on to take as big a lead as possible. If the pitcher is prone to keep his ball low, the players are instructed to wait him out, make him get the ball up, then pick on the "cripple." The "cripple," as I have said before, is an attempt on the part of the pitcher to get the ball over and usually he lets up on his stuff to turn the trick.

There is no doubt but that much wisdom is tucked loose at these meetings. The greatest difficulty is to properly execute the plan that is daily mapped out. I regard Eddie Collins as one of the smartest players that ever wore a baseball uniform. Several years ago as the White Sox returned to the field after an unusually long season in the club house, I remarked to Collins:

"Well, I suppose a lot of brain power has been wasted in that meeting?" He laughed and for a moment didn't offer to reply. Then, just when I considered the incident closed:

"You sure hit the nail on the head. These meetings are all right if the players carry out the instructions. However, that is another thing. Often after a pitcher is told not to pitch high and outside to a certain player, he proceeds to do that very thing in the pinch and the batter breaks up the ball game. Perhaps some of the players don't take the thing seriously; some simply forget, while others are just plain careless. Pitchers often lose control. They pitch the ball with the best intention and try to work on the batter's weakness, but instead they pitch to his strength. These things must be regarded as a break of the game."

Among the baseball fraternity these before-the-game meetings are known as "skull practice." The manager is always referred to as teacher. In this connection I will always remember a remark that Donie Bush, who manages the Chicago White Sox this year, made to me one day after the Detroit club had been in conference over the Philadelphia Athletics. I was sitting on the bench ready to start the game when the Tigers returned to the field. Bush at that time was the sensation of the American league at shortstop.

"Well, Donie, what do you really do at those meetings?" I asked in a kidding manner. At this time the Detroit club had been in a batting slump, for over a week.

"From our batting I thought you would be able to dope it out. We learn how to win ball games without making base hits at our skull practice. And, of late, we haven't been very successful."

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Eddie Collins.

out the best possible plan for taking the enemy into camp. For several years rival managers ridiculed the Mack idea, but today it has been universally adopted by every major league leader. Before each game the players, with their manager as chaperon, get together in the club house for a conference.

At these meetings the strength and weakness of the opposition are discussed. Particular attention is paid to the batting strength. Usually the lineup of the opposing club is gone over from top to bottom. If the lead-off man is weak on a curve ball, pitched low and inside, that fact is impressed upon the pitcher slated to work that afternoon. If the second man in the lineup murders a high ball pitched outside, the pitcher is warned to keep them out of his "groove." From top to bottom the manager picks to pieces the strength and weakness of each hitter.

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Love is one of the few things not displayed on a bargain counter. Delay of justice is injustice.—Walter Savage Landor.

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Every family has occasional need of a laxative, but it should be a family laxative. One that can't form a habit, but can be taken as often as needed. When breath is bad or tongue coated. Or appetite fails. Only a doctor knows the right ingredients. Dr. Caldwell discovered the correct combination years ago. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin combines harmless herbs and pure senna. It starts muscular action and soon corrects constipation. Gently, but surely, it relieves a bilious or sluggish condition. It is mild. Delicious. Effective. All druggists keep this famous prescription ready, in big bottles. Or write Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, Monticello, Ill., for a free trial bottle postpaid.

MARVELETTE THEATRE PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHTS
MAY 7 AND 8
ERNEST TORRENCE
in
"Unholy Night"
A Show You Will Enjoy

Thursday and Friday NIGHTS
MAY 9 AND 10
HOOT GIBSON
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Hoot's Shows Are Always Good.

Here and There.

BY MRS. C. E. TICE

Everyone is wearing the smile that won't come off since the fine

We are equipping the Marvelette for

Talking Pictures

and expect to have it completed in the near future. The following "talkies" are coming soon:

"Light of Western Stars," a Zane Gray favorite.

"Border Legion," Zane Gray thriller.

"Paramount On Parade," something you will like.

"Vagabond King," a really good one.

"Byrd at the South Pole," beautiful, instructive, entertaining.

rains which have fallen since last Thursday night. Some hail fell Sunday afternoon but no damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allman spent the week end with relatives at Floydada.

Henry Behrens, Sr., is on the sick list this week.

Joe Gaetz returned last Wednesday from California where he spent the past winter.

Mrs. Harlin received a shipment of baby chicks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tice and Grandma Tice enjoyed a birthday dinner at the C. E. Tice home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boyd spent Sunday afternoon at the Roy Boyd home.

Misses Leo Williams and J. W. Berry called on Mrs. Morgan one day last week.

Mr. Beauford shipped his cattle to Kansas City Friday and he went through with them.

Last Thursday the Worth White

Club met with Mrs. Beauford and Mrs. Walter Tice. During the business session it was decided to attend the Federation of Clubs meeting at Ward in May, and Mrs. J. B. Harlin, Mrs. Leo Williams and Mrs. C. E. Tice were appointed to get up the entertainment features. Three quilts were placed during the day. The club received two new members. The letters of advice which were received and read by the members at roll call were enjoyed very much and it

Mrs. C. M. Bell a member who moved away, for her to enjoy. There are 26 members at present. We have picked ripe strawberries in November and January, but this is the earliest we have ever seen them picked. Some of the strawberries are ripening and it will not be long until they will be common.

Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Campbell and Miss Roxie spent part of the week visiting relatives in Crosbyton. Messrs. Harlin, Mobley and Allman were business visitors in Canyon Thursday of last week.

D. H. Meade will soon have his new house on Main Street in the McMillan-Fergus Addition, completed. This is the second house Mr. Meade has built this spring.

We endeavor to give you courteous, prompt, careful service. FRIONA DRUG CO. 41

W. T. Sumner will conduct a singing school at Easter, beginning Wednesday night, April 23.

Adrian-Sims Notes

BY MRS. J. M. CHAPMAN

Messrs. Williams and Small of Amarillo went out at the farm

Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Lige Elliston of Crosbyton, who own land here were in our community Wednesday.

Mr. Steta was in Adrian on business Monday.

N. O. Phillips was in Vega Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal of Hereford were in the Sims community Wednesday.

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The Above Statement issued May 1st, 1930. I certify to the best of my knowledge that this statement is true.

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M. A. CRUM

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The man who spends his money quite free,
So long as it lasts, a good fellow will be;
But when he comes to the end of his row,
His money is gone, he has nothing to show.
His friends no longer stay with him now;
Since his money is gone, they quit him somehow.
So the sensible thing is never to play
The good fellow game—it does not pay.
The FRIONA STATE BANK as a real friend,
Will advise you to save instead of to spend.

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We Have Just Received a Carload of

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