

STICK TO THE TRUTH.

In last week's issue of the State Line Tribune, which is a beautiful example of "yellow journalism", the editor bumps his head on a Hanbone and while still in a daze proceeds to get away from the subject at hand and go off on a rabid tangent of denunciation of our editorial policies and our personality. We refuse to answer in like vein because we will not cheapen the columns of this paper by indulging in scandal mongering. We shall stick to the truth, and not pipe dreams.

We are termed as being "egotistic" and of "telling the people of Friona how to run their business". If taking a constructive stand and doing our best to improve our city and sponsoring those things which the majority of our business men think are for the best interests of Friona is being egotistic, then we are egotistic and we are thankful that we are.

It would be a wonderful thing, in the opinion of the "Hamboners", if the people of Friona would lie down and go to sleep and let them run the entire county as they see fit. It would be still more wonderful if the Star would go back to its old attitude and not expose their machinations and intrigues. The people of Friona are not ignorant and the editor of this paper has never insinuated that they are. The people are wise enough to know that they are being imposed upon and they are determined that these impositions cease, and that the county be operated for the benefit of the majority and not the few. Of course we cannot expect a user of "canned" editorials to understand a progressive editorial. We write all of our own editorials and they express those things which are the consensus of opinion of the majority of the business men of Friona that we gather from our conversations with them. As in every flock there are some black sheep, so of course, it is possibly true that here in Friona there are some "Hamboners" who will go to Farwell and knock their home town paper, but by far the majority of our citizens are our friends and supporters and approve of the stand we have taken.

The editor of the Tribune boasts of the fact that his paper is listed on the tax rolls of Parmer county and insinuates that the Star has dodged taxation. He may well boast of the "humble little home he has recently purchased in Farwell" because before that time and until he "recently purchased" his home in Farwell he operated a newspaper in Parmer county, did all the county printing, and was not even a citizen of Texas—he maintained his household in Texico, New Mexico.

The Friona Star has been published in Friona for a period of nearly five years. It was started by a Friona citizen who sold the paper to the Herford Brand. Later the Nunn-Warren company purchased the Brand and with it the Friona Star which at that time was operated as a part of the Brand. At the time of its purchase by the Nunn-Warren company the Star had no physical assets—no taxable property. That is the reason that heretofore the Star has not been listed on the tax rolls. On April 15, 1930, the Nunn-Warren company moved a complete modern printing plant to Friona, making an investment of a considerable sum of money in this city. The company has had taxable property in Friona for a period of only 10 months. Not "a year and a half" as was stated. This property arrived here too late to be rendered last year but will be rendered this year. Had the Nunn-Warren company desired to own the State Line Tribune it could have done so for the editor or tried on several occasions to sell it to that company.

The building which the Star occupies is leased from one of our best citizens. It was leased before the Star plant was moved here and upon the arrival of the plant it was discovered that the floor space was not sufficient to allow operation of the entire plant. At the present time the Star operates only its job printing department in Friona. It also maintains its editorial and business offices here, and is under the complete control of its local manager and editor who is a native born and raised Texan. Just as soon as the Star can dispose of its lease and secure a suitable building it will start operation of its entire plant in Friona.

The Nunn-Warren company, which owns the Friona Star, is a Texas corporation with headquarters in Amarillo. It owns newspapers all over the Panhandle Plains and has had a large share in the rebuilding of this part of the state. Its stockholders consist of

Tax Assessor Will Be Here Last of Week

J. W. Magness, tax assessor of Parmer county, will be in Friona Friday and Saturday, February 20 and 21 for the purpose of assessing taxes in this part of the county.

Mr. Magness asks that all property owners call on him during the two days and render their property for taxation. He will be in the office of W. H. Warren, city and school district tax assessor and collector, and property owners may render their city and school taxes at the same time.

People of the Friona territory appreciate this courtesy on the part of Mr. Magness as it will save them a long trip to the county seat. Be sure and come to Friona and render your property on these dates as Mr. Magness will be here for the two days only.

Miss Hughes to Attend Convention

Miss Muriel Hughes, of Friona, is going to attend the Christian Endeavor convention of the Wichita district to be held in Quanah February 27-28 and March 1.

Miss Hughes was formerly of Quanah and an active member of the Christian Endeavor and was also press reporter of the society for a year and a half.

Those laying plans for the convention are Robert Hamilton, general chairman; Cora Mitchell, chairman of banquet committee; Hazel Hamilton, chairman publicity committee; Mattie Lou Drummond, chairman house committee; Lou Faulkner, chairman program committee; Aethel Wallace, chairman of registration committee; J. Z. Harvey, president of the society and chairman of badge and banners committee; C. B. Wallace, chairman of ushers, and Ray Viliard, chairman reception committee.

Miss Hughes is working to get a Christian Endeavor society organized here in the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Lewis and Mrs. Dodson of Comanche, Texas, visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers. Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Dodson are sisters of Mrs. Rogers.

its officers and nearly all of its employees. They are residents of the towns in which they operate newspapers and draw their profits in the form of dividends. Any sensible person will agree that any company is entitled to a fair return on its investment, but contrary to the insinuation of the Tribune, the Nunn-Warren company has not swelled its coffers with Friona money. It has continually added to its investments in Friona and spends considerable more money in Friona than "the measly little pay check of its editor".

We will also stick to the truth for hand and not evade the question. We will also stick to the truth for the truth will out and those who do otherwise do so because they haven't a leg to stand on.

L. E. BAUERFEIND.

Scores in Opera



Add to your galaxy of opera stars the name of Lily Pons, above, little French girl, who brought down the house in her debut at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York recently. She is 26, weighs 105 pounds and, so they say, has ankles slimmer than many a soprano's wrist.

OFFICE OF W. H. WARREN

City and School Tax Assessor and Collector

Friona, Texas

February 14, 1931

Mr. L. E. Bauerfeind, Mgr.
The Friona Star,
Friona, Texas.

Dear Mr. Bauerfeind:

The Friona Star was not assessed or rendered for taxes for 1930 because the Star did not move its plant to Friona until April 15, 1930 and therefore had nothing in Friona to assess.

Heretofore the Star had no taxable property in Parmer County.

Very truly yours,

W. H. Warren,
Tax Assessor and Collector
Friona Independent School District and City of Friona

City Council Holds Meeting Monday Night

The city council of the city of Friona met Monday night in the office of John White, tax collector, with all members present.

After talking over the needs of the city for fire equipment and deferring action until a later meeting the council instructed the city secretary to secure an auditor to audit the books of W. H. Warren, retiring tax collector, and that he be settled with on the basis of this report. The bank was then instructed to register all warrants issued by the city.

The most important action taken by the council was to set the delinquent tax date. The council agreed that taxes would be due and payable as heretofore but would not be delinquent until August 1, 1931. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent will be charged from January 1 until paid if paid before August 1. After that date a penalty of 10 per cent will be added at the rate of six per cent per annum until paid.

Friona Womens Club.

The Friona Woman club met at the home of Mrs. T. J. Crawford Wednesday, February 11, with a large number present and one visitor. The following program was rendered:

Response: Current events.
Route to Mt. Ranier, history of Mt. Ranier, Indian legends associated with the mountain, points of special interest: Mrs. Fred White.

Location, area, elevation of the park: Mrs. V. E. Hart.
Wild flowers of this park: Mrs. H. W. Wright.

Piano solo: Mrs. F. W. Reeve.
After the program a very dainty refreshment course was served by the hostesses, Meses. T. J. Crawford and D. W. Hanson.

The next meeting is guest day and will be held at the Congregational church. Mrs. Reeve of Canyon, a member of the normal school faculty will give a talk on "Tourists and Travel".

Our Merchants

FRIONA DRUG CO.

A. C. Echols, proprietor of the Friona Drug company, came to Friona about a year ago from Clovis, N. M., his old home. Before coming to Friona he was employed for a period of two years by the City Drug Store of Clovis.

The Friona Drug company is the Nyal agency for Friona and they carry a large stock of Nyal and other standard remedies. They are agents for the Brunswick radio, one of which they have on display and demonstration in their store.

Their soda fountain is one of the best in the city and in the rear of the store is a series of booths for use of patrons who desire to relax while enjoying their drinks. Next to the fountain is a cigar and cigarette counter where they carry all of the popular brands of tobaccos, and facing this is a refrigerator candy case full of high grade candies.

"Pete" says to come in and see him and enjoy his high grade goods and splendid service.

Friona Lad Is Badly Burned By Hot Stove

Paul, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Humphrey of this city, was painfully burned by a stove in the home of his parents Monday afternoon while playing in the room.

The baby ran into the store, which had a loose leg, knocking it over. The hot stove fell on top of the youngster, spilling red-hot coals over him. Mrs. Humphrey grabbed the stove and pulled it off him. Although badly burned over the left side from shoulders to knee, neighbors say that Paul is not in a serious condition and will recover.

J. A. Conway Is Re-Elected As Superintendent

J. A. Conway, who has been superintendent of school for the Friona Independent school district for the past four years, was re-elected to the same office for a fifth term by the school board this week.

The board expressed confidence in Prof. Conway's ability by re-electing him with an unanimous vote of the six members present.

P. T. A. MEETING

Friona P. T. A. met Monday evening, February 16. Since its first meeting in September the P. T. A. has been steadily growing. The organization is alive and is doing some splendid work for the school and community.

The programs of each month are entertaining and beneficial in that problems of the school and home are discussed. The program of this month was as follows:

Patriotic drill: Third grade.
Piano solo. Miss Harrison.
Play. The teeth of the gift horse: Freshman class.

What homes do for vocational training: Mrs. Hartsfield.

What schools do for vocational training: Mr. Heath.

Vocational Guidance for children, round table discussion, led by Mrs. Hanson, with Mrs. Highfill, Mr. Reeve, Mr. Osborne, Mr. Mims, Mr. Conway and Mr. Applewhite as helpers.

A colonial tea was announced for Saturday afternoon, February 21, at 2:30. At the tea a silver offering will be taken to help make a payment on some playground equipment. All of the ladies of the community are invited to attend this tea.

Next Thursday, February 20th, is parents' day. All parents are especially invited to visit the Friona school on that day.

NOW, JESS, DONT!

Some weeks ago we ran an article in the Star re-telling one of Jess Taylor's wild yarns. That one was about hog running and to hear Jess tell it you would think that he ran that hog 40 miles in ten minutes.

Now Jess comes to life again, and, ye gods, this time it is eggs! Here is his letter:

"Noticing in our last week's issue of a champion egg presented to A. J. Stephenson by a White Leghorn hen.

"I received three such eggs from my flock in the last week, one measuring 6 1/2 inches around and 8 inches long. The other 6 1/2 inches around and 7 3/4 inches long, and the last one I broke before I got to measure it.

"Pretty large eggs, eh?
"Champion Hog Runner."
"J. I. (Jess) TAYLOR."
Were they goose eggs, Jess?

W. H. Warren Resigns as Tax Collector Here

W. H. Warren, who for the past year has been tax assessor and collector for the city of Friona and the Friona independent school district, has resigned his office, to take effect immediately, and will be succeeded by John White, formerly editor of this paper, who has been appointed by the school board and city council to take his place.

Mr. White has been a resident of Friona for many years and is well known to the people of this locality. He will maintain his office in the same place that Mr. Warren did and requests that you call on him there.

Mr. White has taken over the insurance business of Jesse M. Osborn who recently moved to Muleshoe where he is connected with the Blackwater Valley State Bank.

Sunday School Class Entertained.

The homemakers class met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Curry Thursday evening, February 12. The members assembled in a room that was decorated with red hearts and Dan Cupids and played several games. After the games, the class went into a business meeting. The following officers were elected:

J. J. Curry, president.
G. W. Bucke, first vice president.
Mrs. Dick Balls, second vice president.

Mrs. Smoky Price, third vice president.

Mrs. L. Hart, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. J. J. Curry, reporter.

Mrs. J. W. Highfill, teacher.

Flaked ambrosia, angel food cake and hot chocolate were served by the assistant hostesses, Miss Lewis and Miss Handley, to the following members and visitors:

Messrs. and Meses. Leon Hart, Harley King, Houston Clements,

G. W. Buske, Smoky Price, Applewhite, J. W. Highfill, J. J. Curry, C. W. Dixon, and Mrs. Dick Balls and Mrs. Wilkinson.

Governs Canada



A veteran of the World War the Earl of Bessborough, above, has been named new governor general of Canada to succeed Lord Willingdon, who was appointed viceroy of India. The earl is ninth of the line created in 1739.

Friona Poultry Show Will Be Feb. 26, 27, 28

The poultry show promises to be the best show ever held at Friona. On Thursday evening and Friday morning the birds will be brought in and Friday evening the judging will be done.

Friona merchants are supporting the show by giving merchandise and cash prizes. Examples of these prizes are as follows: the Wick's hatchery, 50 baby chicks; Crawford grocery, 24-lbs flour; Rushings' store, \$1 in trade, and many other prizes as above.

All first and second places will have a cash or merchandise prize. This makes the show attractive to many people. Third and fourth places will receive ribbons.

Merchants who contributed to the show will be permitted to display advertising material at the show. Advertising material or names must not be on coops until after judging is finished Friday evening.

All fowls will be inspected before entering.

There will be no entrance fee, therefore the prizes will be profitable to the exhibitor.

The egg show will consist of brown and white shells. Prizes and ribbons will be given for the first four places as in the poultry department.

Watch for the circular the first of the week giving prizes and other information about the show.

If you want to know more about the show, ask some agriculture club boy.

LOTTIE MOON CIRCLE GOES TO COUNTRY FOR MEETING

Lottie Moon circle met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Highfill February 17. Business was opened by scripture reading and prayer. One new member, Mrs. Buske, was received into our band, making a total of 11 members present, also five visitors. Due to the fact that next week is R. Y. P. U. study course week, it was decided to postpone the next meeting, February 24, until Tuesday evening, March 3, at which time we meet with Mrs. E. L. Price. The meeting was then turned over to Royal Service leader, Mrs. King.

Topic: Measuring the home tasks.

Measuring the—

Field: Mrs. Buske.
Forces: Mrs. Price.
Funds: Mrs. Stevick.

Future: Mrs. Maynard.

Stories: Mother of an hundred boys and the ladder lady, by Mrs. H. King.

Rev. Robinette had charge of the remainder of the evening for the manual study. We invite and appreciate visitors at all meetings.

Our next study will be on the ninth and tenth chapters of W. M. U. Manual. Don't miss these meetings, come and bring someone with you.

REPORTER.

"OLD FASHIONED MOTHER" TO BE STAGED AT BLACK

A play, "An Old-Fashioned Mother", will be staged at Black school house Friday night, February 27, beginning promptly at 8:00 o'clock.

The play is a story of mother-love and of a wayward son, who lives his life and learns his lesson, and finally saves his mother from the poor house.

A laugh or a tear is guaranteed to all who see this play. Jerry Gosling and Jonah Quackenbush will drive your sorrows away, and Aunt and her son, Charlie, will make you think of more serious things.

FRIONA STATE BANK IS COUNTY DEPOSITORY

The bid of the Friona State bank was accepted by the commissioners court at its regular meeting last Monday and this bank was again designated as the county depository.

O. P. Hill of Los Angeles, California, is visiting here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Davis this week. From here Mr. and Mrs. Hill and son, Paul, will go to Denver, where they will make their home.

The Fighting Tenderfoot

By William MacLeod Raine

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THE STORY

Garrett O'Hara, young lawyer, on his way to practice at Concho, wild western town, is shot at from ambush by Shep Sanderson, who mistakes him for Judge Warner, whom certain calls innocent wish to prevent holding court. Barbara Steelman, who thought the shot was directed at her, warns Garrett not to go to Concho because of the big cattle war. In town Sanderson picks a fight with Garrett and is getting the worst of it when Ingram, cattle baron, interrupts. Steve Worrall tells Garrett about the cattle war between Ingram and Steelman, father of Barbara. Garrett tells Ingram he desires to remain neutral, but the latter declares there can be no neutrality. Bob Quantrell, young killer for Ingram, saves Garrett and an Englishman, Smith-Beresford, from being shot by Sanderson. The three become friends. Garrett accidentally witnesses a meeting between Barbara and Ingram. They are lovers. Garrett and the Englishman buy a ranch with Steelman as silent partner. Fitch, Steelman man, kills an Ingram follower. A posse starts in pursuit and Fitch stops at the "tenderfoot ranch."

CHAPTER V

Garrett Holds the Fort

From the doorway, where he sat smoking a placid pipe, Smith-Beresford drawled comment. "Picture of a young man in a hurry," he said. "Study from life."

O'Hara saw a rider coming over the hill. The Britisher had not overstated the case. If ever a man was in a hurry this one was. An arm moved up and down as he quirted his horse. The animal was jaded, but it stuck to a labored lope.

"Fitch," O'Hara said. "Right; by Jove, he's not coming down here. He's heading for the clump of timber up there. Wonder what's up, Garrett."

"Some one is after him. Maybe the posse headed him off."

Five minutes later horsemen came into view, a long straggling line of them. O'Hara counted twelve. They rode straight for the cabin. As they came closer he recognized Sanderson, Quantrell, Deever, and a youth known as the Texas Kid.

"We haven't seen anything of Fitch," O'Hara said to his companion. "We've both been in the cabin and didn't happen to look out as he passed."

"Count on me, Old Top."

"Think I'd better get my revolver. I don't trust Sanderson."

"You're speaking for me, too."

When they returned to the door at the cabin half a dozen members of the posse were dismounting. They were about a hundred yards from the house. Sanderson shouted to them. "We want that bird Fitch an' we're gonna get him."

"Who?" called back O'Hara.

"Fitch. That's who. Send him out to us."

"There's nobody here but us. Come and see for yourself."

The men approached cautiously, keeping the two at the door covered. O'Hara kept an eye on Sanderson. He was of the opinion that the man would take this occasion, if he could find any excuse at all, to settle the grudge he held against him.

The Ingram men moved past them drooping spurs jingling, and poured into the house. Four or five stayed outside to keep an eye on the tenderfoot. Among these last was Quantrell.

"Who is this fellow and what's he doing?" O'Hara asked.

"Fitch, the bird calls himself. He guined Two-Ace Burke from ambush. I reckon you know all about it," Quantrell answered.

"We don't. Where did it happen? Is Burke badly hurt?"

"He'll never be tender," the last replied callously. "We buried him in Boot Hill this mornin'."

Men trooped from the house. "Not there," one of them announced.

"No, but he's been there," the Texas Kid announced. "He had breakfast right in that room. Fitch never was thorough. I know that bird. He didn't wash his cup an' plate."

"Some one had breakfast here. You're right about that," O'Hara admitted. "We just go back from the camp where our boys are branding. Whoever this fellow was he's gone before we got here."

"What's the use of foolin' with these pilgrims?" Sanderson cut in savagely. "They know where Fitch is at. They'll tell us or we'll bump 'em off right now."

far for vengeance. He realized that they were not going to be particular where the blow fell. If they could not find Fitch they might strike at the men who they thought were protecting him. Any adherent of Wes Steelman's would do, given a reasonable excuse. He could not understand the psychology of such people. There was Bob Quantrell, for instance. He had been friendly with Smith-Beresford. He had protected them both. But Garrett knew that now he would not lift a hand to save them if Sanderson or the others moved to strike.

Quantrell spoke. "I'm going up to that bunch of timber an' comb it. Three-four of you fellows come along with me. We'll take care of these gents when we get back."

Three men followed Quantrell to the horses. The four mounted and rode toward the grove.

O'Hara caught the eye of his partner and the two edged back toward the cabin. Very soon the riders would make a discovery, one which might have a disastrous reaction in precipitating trouble.

"We're nothing against any of you," O'Hara explained. "We have started here as peaceable ranchers. If we can we want to be friendly with our neighbors. There's room for all of us, a wide range, plenty of grass."

From the timber above a shot rang out, followed by a puff of smoke.

"Dad gum it, they've got him!" the Texas Kid cried, and he started up the hill on foot.

Three men followed him. The others stayed to watch the partners. Among those who remained was Shep Sanderson.

Garrett flung a glance toward the battle ground and saw that the attackers were drawing closer to their prey. He heard voices in parley. The shots ceased.

A shout came down to them. "He's give up."

Men emerged from the timber. The one who moved in the center of the little group, the prisoner, walked with a limp. Evidently he had been wounded.

Sanderson chose that moment, before his companions above could reach him to object, for his revenge. He fired from the hip. O'Hara felt the shock of the bullet. It had struck his cartridge belt at the buckle and glanced off, though he did not know until later that he was not severely wounded.

What followed came so rapidly that there was no orderly sequence to it in O'Hara's mind. He could hear the roar of guns, his own among them. A flash of flame seared his shoulder. His companion staggered, leaned against the door jamb, and cried, "I'm hit." He moved through lanes of fire. Figures loomed up in the smoke and vanished. Some one pushed close against him, striking with a knife. He pressed the revolver against yielding flesh and pulled the trigger. The man gave way with a groan that was half a scream.

O'Hara's revolver was empty. He was in the doorway now, astride the prostrate body of his partner, though how he had got there he did not know. Out of the fog of smoke a face loomed. He flung the empty weapon at it, stooped, and snatched up the six-shooter of his friend. There was no conscious volition on his part. The .45 began to roar.

One moment the day was filled with the fury of battle. The next the sound of it had died away. O'Hara's enemies were falling back, driven into retreat by the steadiness of his fire.

Once more his revolver hammer clicked on an empty chamber. Garrett dropped the weapon, stooped, and picked up his partner. He carried him into the house and laid him on a bed, then swiftly set about putting the cabin into a state of defense. Bolting the back door, he barricaded it with a trunk. He drew the window curtains. Another trunk he pushed into the front doorway, then dragged a mattress there and propped it up in front of the trunk as a protection against bullets.

All this had taken him scarcely a score of seconds. From a rack he drew rifles, a repeating Winchester for one, and two of Smith-Beresford's hunting guns brought with him from England.

and he knew, too, that there would be no safety in surrender. Two of them had been wounded by him, perhaps mortally. The others would have their revenge, Sanderson would see to that.

From the bed came a faint murmur. "Hold the fort, Old Top."

"No use to give up. Sanderson would never let us get away alive. . . . Badly hurt, Lyulph?"

"About all I can carry, old chap. In the chest."

"Sorry, I'm hit in the shoulder and the stomach, but I feel pretty strong yet. Wonder if they'll rush the place."

Garrett could see the enemy grouped in consultation. Presently the men scattered. They were spreading out to surround the house. A bullet struck the trunk in front of him. Another plowed into the mattress. The Winchester in his hands barked an answer. Apparently they had settled down to a siege. O'Hara could count at least five foes in the fan-shaped open space in front of him. They were all behind cover, but the flashes of their weapons told him where they lay. Three or



He Moved Through Lanes of Fire.

four were back of the stable with the horses and the prisoner. The others had disappeared. It was an easy guess that they were making a wide circuit to take him in the rear.

The besieged man slipped back from the doorway, leaving the barrel of a rifle showing beside the mattress. He dragged another of his partner's trunks to the back door and piled it on top of the first one. Lifting the table to the window, he put it on a box and nailed the top of it to the frame in such a way as to cover the glass entirely.

He hurried to his place in the doorway, fired two shots, and withdrew again to give his friend water in a dipper. "How're you feeling?" he asked.

His friend grinned feebly. "Boiler damaged. Can't get up steam." From time to time he coughed up blood.

Garrett went back to his post. There was nothing he could do for his companion and he could not leave the doorway for long at a time. He heard the sound of shots from the rear and the spat of the lead against the logs. The enemy had him completely surrounded now.

He waited for the next billow of smoke in front, fired at it, and put down the rifle. Unfastening the belt around his waist, he looked for the stomach wound. There was nothing there but a bruise where the metal

Two-Dollar Bill Called "Just Darned Nuisance"

The idea that there is something unucky about the \$2 bill—so that many persons fear the corners of them to avert misfortune—occasionally arouses curiosity.

A number of our readers have written in with suggestions to account for the belief in the unluckiness of this particular note. One, however, a merchant in Pennsylvania, says from his experience as a retailer that "there is no question of superstition in connection with the \$2 bill, it is just a darned nuisance."

"There is no compartment provided in our cash register for them," he writes, "and when we are handed one by a customer we have to secrete it away somewhere until we get a

"Higher Place" Explained

Jack was the cause of much trouble to his parents. At school he was always at the foot of the class. One day, however, he came flying home.

"Dad—mum, I have got a higher place in the class," he cried.

His father gave him a dollar.

"Now, Jack," he asked, "how did you gain promotion to a higher place?"

"Well, it's like this, dad," said the young hopeful. "My desk is being mended."

buckle had been driven against the flesh. Undoubtedly the clasp had detected the bullet and saved his life.

Hour after hour the siege dragged on. Smith-Beresford became delirious. Garrett bathed his face and chest, gave him water to drink, and left a wet cloth on his forehead.

The young lawyer knew that his own fever was mounting. The wound in his shoulder pained a good deal. It was his guess that the bullet had smashed a bone.

Grimly he recognized the fact that the attackers were paying him a compliment by their caution. They might have rushed the cabin and ended the affair in two minutes. Evidently they counted the cost as too great to pay. The men he had wounded were a sufficient object lesson to them.

What were they up to now? A wagon was being pushed from the back of the barn and headed toward the house. Four or five men were behind it. They were using it as a cover for their approach. Snipers from right and left kept up a steady fire to prevent his concentrating on the wagon.

The wheels of the wagon slewed to the right. A man crept forward to straighten them. Garrett drew a bead on him and fired. The man stumbled over his own foot and plunged to the ground. His body twitched and lay still. The others deserted the wagon and fled for the shelter of the barn.

The shot had been a lucky one for Garrett. But it decided the fate of the prisoner Fitch. One of the log rafters of the barn projected from the roof. The unfortunate man was led beneath this, a rope around his neck. The other end was thrown over the rafter. Before Garrett's eyes they hanged the cowboy.

It was a thing horrible to see. This boy they were hanging was no criminal. But he was no weakling. There was in him the stiff-hardwood that frontier life begets. The rope already around his throat, he borrowed tobacco, rolled a cigarette, and smoked it. His horse was brought. He was helped into the saddle. As they started to lead the animal away he sprang into the air to make the fall of his body more violent.

Garrett turned away, sick at heart. He had to look again, to see what the enemy was about. They were gathered in a group discussing something heatedly. Plainly they disagreed. But the young man in the cabin knew that his affairs had come to a crisis. He heard a voice raised in sudden anger. A man detached himself from the group. "By cripes, I'll smoke the pilgrim out if I play a lone hand. What you birds need is sand in yore craws."

The speaker was Bob Quantrell. He walked to a horse and flung himself into a saddle. He reined the animal around savagely to face the cabin. The bronco went into the air sunfishing, came down, bucked up all hump-backed, and landed with legs as stiff as stakes. The rider had not yet found the stirrups. He lost his balance and shot through the air to the ground. Instantly he was on his feet again, running to catch the bridle.

Before he was in the saddle a second time an interruption occurred. Two riders, a man and a woman, galloped across the open toward the stable. The man was Dave Ingram, the woman Barbara Steelman.

Ingram dragged his pony to a halt and leaped to the ground.

"What's all this?" he demanded.

Deever moved forward. "These pilgrims have done killed Brad Sowers an' wounded three more of us. I don't reckon Pankey will make the grade."

"Who started it?" demanded Ingram.

The Texas Kid answered him. The young fellow had a blood-stained

Somewhat Out of Place

The place was crowded. It wasn't exactly a fashionable wedding, but there was no galsaying the interest it caused, because both bride and bridegroom had been much in the public eye, she as an actress, he as a conjurer.

Everything went well until they reached the critical stage of the proceedings, and the clergyman asked for the ring.

The bridegroom plunged his hand into his pocket and brought out a rabbit. Then the horrified look in the clergyman's eyes and a startled exclamation from the bride made him realize that something was wrong. He looked down and saw the rabbit.

Whatever foreign language we try to learn, it sounds to the foreigners like their broken English does to us.

handkerchief tied around his arm. "We got to fannin' smoke all together, looks like."

The leader of the faction turned to Quantrell. "What was you aimin' to do, Bob, when you put on this exhibition of fancy ridin'?"

"Smoke 'em out, by cripes! Show this bunch of quitters a tenderfoot can't bluff me out."

Ingram looked with an impassive face at the swaying body of the dead cowboy. "I see you got Fitch. Don't you reckon that's about enough for one gather? Suppose you leave this for me. Before we go any farther I'd like to know who got on the hook first. An' why?"

"They did," Sanderson blustered. "They fixed Tom Fitch up with breakfast an' then they hid him out on us. Soon as we found him that pilgrim O'Hara began to fan smoke right away."

"How many in the cabin?"

Bob Quantrell answered, jeering at his companion and himself, "You got a surprise comin', Ingram. One live tenderfoot an' one dead one. The live pilgrim shot up consid'able. Too much for the boys. They're allowin' to crawl off with their tails between their legs."

Barbara waited to hear no more. One of her friends was dead and the other wounded. Her place was with them, not here. She touched her pony with the spur and the animal jumped to a canter. Straight toward the house she rode.

Too late Ingram understood her intention. Her horse had covered one-third of the distance before he could make a move.

"Ladies' choice," murmured Quantrell insolently. "Right hands to yore partners an' grand right an' left. Everybody waltz. I'll be doggone if I don't begin to like the Hashknife outfit better than the Diamond Tail. No yellow in their stock, looks like."

Ingram looked at the young desperado coldly.

"Perhaps you'd like to join them," he said.

Unexpectedly Quantrell's answer jumped back at him, a sharp acceptance of the challenge. "You're d-d whistlin' I would. No complaints against you, Ingram, but I don't like the company I'm keepin'."

He backed warily toward his horse, rifle in hand. The boy's buck-teeth showed in a snarl as he drew up his lip. The cold light blue eyes passed in little stabbing glances from one to another. He was ready at an instant's warning to begin flinging bullets.

No man moved to prevent him from going. They could shoot him down. That was certain. But not without loss. He was as quick, as accurate, and as deadly as a colled rattlesnake.

"Don't push on the reins," Ingram said quietly. "Think it over awhile."

"No, sir. When I'm through I'm through. Anybody got any objections?" Again his eyes darted from one to another, trying to read and forestall the intentions of these ruffians with whom he was parting company.

If there were any objections none was expressed by anybody except Ingram.

"You're liable to rue this, Quantrell," his employer said.

"Not none," the boy replied curtly. He had reached his horse. Warily he edged behind it, not for one moment lifting his eyes from the group he had left. His hand felt for the bridle, his foot for the stirrup. He swung to the saddle, backed the horse behind the stable, whirled it in its tracks, and dashed for the plies, looking back as he rode.

Garrett O'Hara watched with amazement as Barbara swung her cow pony and put it at a canter toward the cabin. She slipped from the saddle and moved to the door while he dragged aside the mattress to make way for her.

Once inside, she looked at him, eyes dilating with fear.

"Are you hurt—badly?" she asked.

"In the shoulder. I'll be all right. Afraid Lyulph is badly hurt. They hit him in the chest."

She looked at the bed where the delirious man lay tossing. "I'll take care of him. Watch out they don't rush the house. I don't think Mr. Ingram will let them, but I'm not sure."

Barbara made preparations to do what she could for the man on the bed. Once more Garrett lay down back of his rampart and took stock of the enemy. Ingram appeared to be issuing orders to his men. They hitched horses to a wagon, put hay in the bed of it, and lifted the two most seriously wounded of the posse into the wagon, after which the team was driven away, followed by most of the riders. One man stayed with Ingram.

Garrett reported the proceedings to Barbara.

"Wonder what he's up to," she said, musingly at a bandage.

"He's coming toward the house—alone."

The girl ran to the door. "He hasn't even drawn a six-shooter. He wants to talk. Let him come in if he wants to."

Garrett drew back and the cattle man pushed his way into the house.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Waiter—If you wait just a minute, sir, those two young ladies will be going.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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Lotta Crabtree Memorial Window Dedicated



A wish of Lotta Crabtree before her death was fulfilled when a stained glass window, a memorial to her mother, was dedicated in St. Stephen's Episcopal church in Chicago, with Bishop George Craig Stewart delivering the confirmation. Until recently the window has stood in a Boston warehouse. The photograph shows Bishop Stewart at the right and Rev. Irwin St. John Tucker, the pastor of the church, at the left.

Concrete Saves World's Only Petrified Bridge



So many persons wanted to enjoy the thrill of creeping across this natural bridge near Tucson, Ariz., that the bridge, which is a petrified tree, showed signs of weakening. Engineers were called on and reinforced the bridge with concrete.

HEADS WORLD COURT



Mitsutomi Adachi of Japan as he was sworn in as the new president of the International Court of Justice in the Peace palace at The Hague.

BOLIVIA'S PREXY



Dr. Daniel Salamanca, elected president of Bolivia a few days ago, was head of the Genuine Republican party, and is one of the outstanding orators and politicians in South America.

Radio Broadcasting

It is estimated that the expenditures of national advertisers in the chains for station hire and wires in 1930 reach \$28,000,000 and for talent \$15,000,000, making a total of \$43,000,000. Spot and local broadcasting for advertisers amounts to between \$30,000,000 and \$50,000,000, with no estimate for money spent for talent.

Tarkington Tells of Regaining Sight



Booth Tarkington, well-known novelist, has just undergone another operation at the Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, and his sight has been at least partly restored. The author is here seen telling the reporters all about it.

Painting That Fooled the Critics



Because Paul Smith of Los Angeles thought his wife's paintings were unappreciated, he decided to take revenge on the critics. So he executed a number of exceedingly raw daubs and under an assumed name exhibited them as examples of the new art in Russia. The critics in Chicago, Boston and elsewhere were most enthusiastic about them until they learned how they had been hoaxed. Above is one of Smith's pictures, entitled "Exaltation."

The KITCHEN CABINET

(© 1931 Western Newspaper Union.)
Thank God for rest, where none molest,
And none can make afraid—
For Peace that sits as Plenty's guest,
Beneath the homestead shade!
—J. G. Whittier.

SATISFYING DISHES

For a delectable dessert that is not only beautiful to the eye, but satisfying to the palate, try:



Orange Cream.—Soak two tablespoons of gelatin in one-quarter cupful of cold water and dissolve in one-half cupful of hot orange juice, adding one-half cupful of sugar. Fold in one and one-half cupfuls of whipped cream and one-half cupful of orange pulp cut fine. Serve with a fruit syrup.

Tapoca Cream.—Take one-third of a cupful of quick cooking tapoca, add one-half cupful of sugar, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt and one quart of milk. Cook in a double boiler (stirring often) for 15 minutes. Add one egg yolk slightly beaten, one teaspoonful of flavoring and cook for a minute or two, stirring vigorously. Remove from the fire and add the stiffly beaten white of the egg. Chill and serve in glasses with crushed fruit.

Chocolate or caramel sauce or maple syrup with a few chopped nuts may serve for variety in sauces.

Fold whipped cream into the pudding and serve with orange sections or bits of pineapple.

Fold in chocolate sauce mixed with whipped cream. Canned fruit sauce, coconut, marshmallow sauce or canned fruits all make delectable sauces for the pudding.

Club Cookies.—Take one cupful of shortening, one cupful of sugar, one egg, one-half cupful of sour cream, one-half teaspoonful each of soda and cream of tartar and three cupfuls of pastry flour. Mix as usual and pat the dough out to two inches thick and chill overnight. Roll and cut into any desired shape. Bake in a moderate oven ten minutes.

Filling.—Take one cupful of stewed prunes, one-half cupful of stewed apricots, three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, one-fourth cupful of sugar and one-half cupful of prune or apricot juice. Cook together, adding one tablespoonful each of butter. Cool before using.

Nellie Maxwell

Deserved Tribute Paid Man's Faithful Friends

The patient, tolling pack animals that lost their lives in the great Klondike gold rush have been honored by a memorial. Overlooking the grimly named "Dead-horse Gulch," at Inspiration point on the White Pass railroad, Alaska, there is a bronze tablet honoring the 3,000 animals that figured in the Klondike stampede. Paid for by old "sourdoughs," the tablet portrays a packhorse and mule on the trail. It has been estimated that the average life of a horse or mule used in gold rush packing was five weeks. The odds were against a longer span. The cold weather, one of the greatest hazards to all concerned, was probably a new experience for the animals, just as it was for the majority of miners. Great demands were made upon the animals and little care and food could be given in return. Often, just as in the Eldorado rush, trails were marked by skeletons of the unfortunate animals. No war has been complete without horses and mules. The cavalry alone accounts for the horses, while hauling cannon, food and the indispensable water were part of the mule's job. In the War and Navy building in Washington is another bronze tablet, dedicated this time to the mules and horses—numbering nearly 250,000—which served with the A. E. F. in the World war.

English Treasure Trove

About a year ago a jar of rose nobles was unearthed at Broadhurst manor, Horsted Keynes, England. These are gold coins of the fifteenth century and of great value from an antiquarian point of view. Even in London ancient hoards are found. A man digging a trench for a water main at Croydon found two earthenware pots, stuffed with coins, which proved to have been minted between A. D. 337 and A. D. 350. Though green with age, they were in excellent preservation.

Harmless

Two housemaids were overheard chattering boastfully on the street car of the merits of their respective establishments. Said one, "Why, at our place we even use that new kind of coffee with the nicotine removed!"

Unreliable

Jud Tunkins says the first speech a man makes after he has been elected to high office is about as reliable an index of his future state of mind as a commencement essay. — Washington Star.

They Are Endurable

A scientist is reported to have found a substance like rubber, but more durable. He was probably eating a Welsh rabbit. — Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

How to Escape FLU

- 1 Avoid so far as possible the places where flu germs are most likely to be spread; overcrowded cars and public meeting places; overheated, stuffy rooms.
- 2 Be careful of close contact with others and beware of all coughers and sneezers; breathe through the nose, get fresh air, but avoid drafts or chilling.
- 3 Get lots of rest. Eat plenty of citrus fruits. Keep the bowels open. Take extra precaution to keep in good physical condition, so your system will have high resistance against germs.
- 4 Above all, avoid catching colds. They lower your resistance to the flu germ. Ward them off. At the first sign of any cold, take Bayer Aspirin and remain indoors if possible until your cold is gone. If you have a sore throat, dissolve some Bayer Aspirin tablets in water and gargle; this will relieve the soreness and reduce the inflammation.
- 5 If you have any reason to suspect even a touch of flu, call your doctor at once.

Record Recession Made by Nisqually Glacier

The greatest recession ever recorded for the Nisqually glacier, in Mount Rainier National park, occurred during the past year, when it retreated 118 feet. Records of the rate of recession of the Nisqually glacier have been kept for seventy-three years, says the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Last year it moved only fifty-two feet. The previous record recession was 106 feet, in 1921. Each of the twenty-eight glaciers up Mount Rainier's great single-peak glacier system is known to be retreating each year, due to the heat of the sun and to lack of sufficient snowfall to replenish the melted ice. The Nisqually, however, is the only one that has been measured annually and records kept.

Action Without Harm Whenever Constipated

Here's a way to be rid of constipation and its ills—a way that works quickly, effectively, but gently. A candy Cascaret at night—the next morning you're feeling fine. Breath is sweetened; tongue cleared; biliousness, headaches, dizziness, gas vanish. Repeat the treatment two or three nights to get the souring waste out of your system. See how appetite and energy return; how digestion improves. The action of Cascarets is sure, complete, helpful to everyone. They are made from cascarra, which doctors agree actually strengthens bowel muscles. All drug stores have the 10c boxes.

Golf Joke

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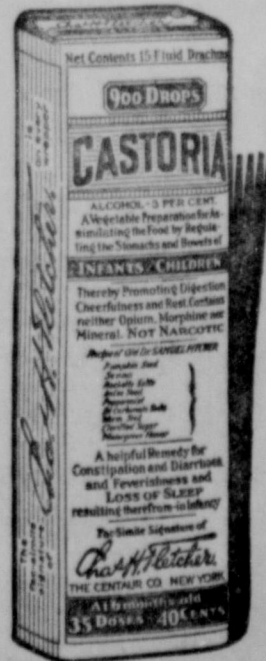
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Black

By N. A. SMITH.

Black, Feb. 14.—N. A. Smith was in Bovina one night last week.

Mrs. F. E. McMurry, who has been dangerously ill, is slightly improved. Mr. McMurry has also been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hinds have a new 11-pound baby boy, Billy Wayne.

Woodrow McCrate visited in Chicago last week and reports a delightful time.

Oscar Jay and family have moved to Summerfield.

Fern and Denver Bennett spent Sunday with Sidney McKinney.

Several families of Black community have been attending the literary society at Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Fralicks of Tulsa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McLean this week.

Miss Lois Pressly spent Sunday afternoon in the Hays home.

Miss Dovie McKinney spent Saturday with Misses Lucille and Noble McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hinds and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hinds spent Thursday in Clovis.

Bessie Galloway visited Nadine and Norine Vines Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Bennett went to New Mexico last week for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mahlor and Mr. and Mrs. George Wiley visited the J. J. Crawford home Sunday.

The boys' basketball team played Texico Friday and Friona Friday evening in the Friona gym.



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Ben Galloway and Doyle Vines spent Saturday in the Bennett home.

Mrs. H. L. McLean was a Hereford visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nonnie A. Smith and Pauline Hart were Friona visitors Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hays visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hinds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Russ and family spent Sunday afternoon in the McMurry home.

Leslie Thompson was in Black Sunday.

Bill Moke spent Sunday with Wilson Vines.

Horsy Lookingbill was a Black visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hinds have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hinds.

The P. T. A. met Friday evening, February 13, when several speakers were heard.

J. R. Maples, manager of the Texas Utilities plant at Friona, made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday, accompanied by Mr. Miller of Hereford and Fred Stevens of Dimmitt.

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Sidelight On Livestock and Farming

Blanche Reeves, four-year club girl of Hale Center, specializing in gardening, won a \$300 scholarship for a college course awarded annually by the State Fair of Texas. Blanche showed a profit of \$1258 from her work and her canning during the four years.

Mrs. I. V. Fent, in the sand hills of Lamb county, has her family well provided for the winter days with her cunning budget, balanced ration, taken from her garden. In her pantry there is \$217 worth of food that will not have to be paid for.

Farmers apparently must operate under conditions of low-priced products for the coming year but with the general wage level about the same. This makes it urgent for producers to reduce their labor costs by using good land, improved equipment, good stock and seed and careful planning.

It is possible for terracing in the Panhandle to double the yield of crops. Experiments are proving it.

Feeding farm beef cattle home-grown feeds makes a better market than is offered in any other manner. Demonstrations show it.

How to plan meals for health was discussed at the home-makers short course in Lubbock this week. Most of the ills of the human body arise from improper eating, unbalanced diets. The road to health lies along the pathway of properly balanced foods.

HOMELAND W. M. U.

February 16, 1931, eight ladies of one circle of the Homeland W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. Brewer. Devotional was given by Mmes. Brewer and Collier.

Plans for the March week of prayer were discussed and adopted. Both circles are to meet in an all-day session at the church on March 4, and again March 6, with Mrs. Abbott of Bovina.

The suggestion of naming our circle for some missionary was made and as Miss Blanche Groves of Soo Chow, China, is a friend and correspondent of some of our members we adopted her name. We hope to contribute to her by letters, gifts and prayer.

Our lesson was the conquest of Canaan as told in Joshua and the seven deliveries from the enemy as given in Judges, chapters 3 and 16.

Next lesson, Founding of the city of Dan; The outrage at Gibeah and results to tribe of Benjamin, Judges 17-21. Stories of Ruth and Samuel Stories of Saul and David as found in I Samuel 10 to 11, Samuel 5. Read with u.

REPORTER.

Homer T. Walker of Las Vegas, New Mexico, is spending this week with relatives here.

Summerfield

By MRS. L. JOHNSON

W. M. S. met at the church Sunday afternoon when they carried out a program led by Mrs. G. P. Owens on the subject of tithing and using our talent for the Lord. She was assisted by Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Huntley and Mrs. B. C. Roberson. The next book to be studied is on how and why of the W. M. U. Mrs. J. H. Murdock was a visitor.

The Friona Y. P. U. put on a fine program here last Sunday evening.

Rev. Clous of Amarillo preached here Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawkins returned last week from a visit with relatives at Lamesa.

Mrs. Beulah Roberson visited the past week end with her son, Charley, and family at Hereford.

A. J. Blakemore and family have been enjoying a visit with his brother, Lee Blakemore, of Spokane, Washington.

Miss Ruth Lookingbill entertained several friends at her home Saturday night.

The Coker family returned from Oklahoma Saturday where they had taken the body of Grandma Coker for burial.

Pauline Hart, Black teacher, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Atchley entertained their daughters and families at dinner last Sunday.

The many friends of Miss Alma Walker were pleased to learn of her recent marriage to Nat Lunsford of Pampa.

Gerald Morgan, Lewis Jay and W. L. Huntley were business visitors in Vega last Wednesday.

The primary grades held a big

Seen On the Screen at the Star

"Tol'able David" is an all-talking film adapted from the celebrated novel, and it is vivid and unforgettable. This is a drama of the West Virginia mountaineers. It is at the Star theatre Friday and Saturday of this week.

What is probably the cleverest display of brilliant acting that film audiences have been privileged to see in many months is on parade at the Star next Monday and Tuesday when the "Royal Family of Broadway" shows in Hereford. It is a sophisticated comedy, bristling with wit, and it is a human story.

For Wednesday and Thursday of next week, February 25 and 26, the bill changes to the "Man Who Came Back", a youthful romance with the most popular pair of sweethearts in filmdom, Janet Gaybor and Charles Farrell. There is personality in this production.

Trucks Divert Business from Towns, Claim

Diversion of business from the small town merchant and banker at the expense of the entire town, without a corresponding increase in the revenue of the farmer, is only one of the many angles from which legislative guns are being trained upon the unregulated truck.

Legislators say they have been besieged with demands from farmers and city dwellers alike to devise strict regulations. Chief objections to present laws seems to lie in the fact the heavy trucks are tearing up public highways at a rapid and alarming rate.

Aside from the four-cent gasoline tax, which is shared by all kinds of motor vehicles, these trucks are contributing little to the maintenance of the roads, it is claimed. Much objection has also been raised because of the way huge freight vehicles menace life and property on the highways.

WANTED—Clean white cotton rags. Bring them to the editor at the Star office.

Valentine party at the school house under supervision of their teacher, Mrs. Walker.

Mrs. Ray Johnson attended a recital by Mr. Batchelder at Canyon under auspices of the Bayview club of Hereford, given in the home of Mrs. A. M. Jones, last Thursday afternoon, being the special guest of Mrs. Geo. Garrison.

Mrs. J. C. Lance of Hereford is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Walser, this week. Their son, Hollis Walser, is reported much improved of his recent illness.

We appreciate your business. Friona Drug Co.

Eugene Bowman of Chickasha, Oklahoma, is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. P. Maples of the Lakeview community.

A. P. McElroy, M. D.
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FRIONA TEXAS

Legionnaires Are Solid On Cash Payment

American legionnaires are solid for immediate cash payment of veterans' adjusted compensation certificates, it is indicated in the vote taken in the meeting at Amarillo last Thursday night when only one negation was recorded.

Delegates from practically every point in the Panhandle were present to discuss support of the Wright Patman bill now pending in congress which would vote funds toward settling the government's obligation at once with cash. There were 556 legion men in attendance. C. W. Humble, service officer for Post No. 162, was delegate from this district.

It was urged that all veterans of the World War join the American legion so as to present a united front to get what they wanted in the way of fair dealing.

WILL PAY PREMIUM ON HOGS AT STOCK SHOW

Amarillo, Feb. 16.—A premium of one-fourth of a cent a pound

above top market prices for pig club hogs will be paid by the Pinkney Packing company during the Fat Stock show here March 2-5. It is announced. It is believed that this will be an incentive to the boys and girls to strive hard for more and better entries in this division of the big spring event.

HEREFORD INSTALLING OFFICERS AIDED DIMMITT

Dimmitt, Feb. 10.—C. O. Lee and John Patton of Hereford were here February 10 as installing officers for the new officers of the Odd Fellows. The staff is composed of Homer Norwood, N. G.; E. C. Fulmer, O.; Louie Allen, secretary; Roy Lanham, treasurer; Joe Hastings, post grand; Claud Duran, vice-grand.

Little Frost in Australia

Nearly one-half of Australia lies within the tropics and frost seldom occurs except in the great deserts of the interior.

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SUNSET STAGE LINE

New Schedule, Effective January 10, 1931.

Read Down		Read Up	
Lv 9:00 a m	4:00 p m	Amarillo	5:45 p m 11:00 p m Lv
Lv 9:30 a m	4:40 p m	Canyon	5:05 p m 10:20 p m Lv
Lv 10:00 a m	5:00 p m	Umbarger	4:45 p m 10:00 p m Lv
Lv 10:10 a m	5:10 p m	Dawn	4:35 p m 9:50 p m Lv
Lv 10:30 a m	5:30 p m	Hereford	4:15 p m 9:30 p m Lv
Lv 10:50 a m	5:50 p m	Summerfield	3:55 p m 9:10 p m Lv
Lv 11:00 a m	6:00 p m	Black	3:45 p m 9:00 p m Lv
Lv 11:15 a m	6:15 p m	Friona	3:30 p m 8:45 p m Lv
Lv 11:35 a m	6:35 p m	Bovina	3:10 p m 8:25 p m Lv
Lv 11:55 a m	6:55 p m	Far-Texico	2:50 c t 8:05 c t Lv
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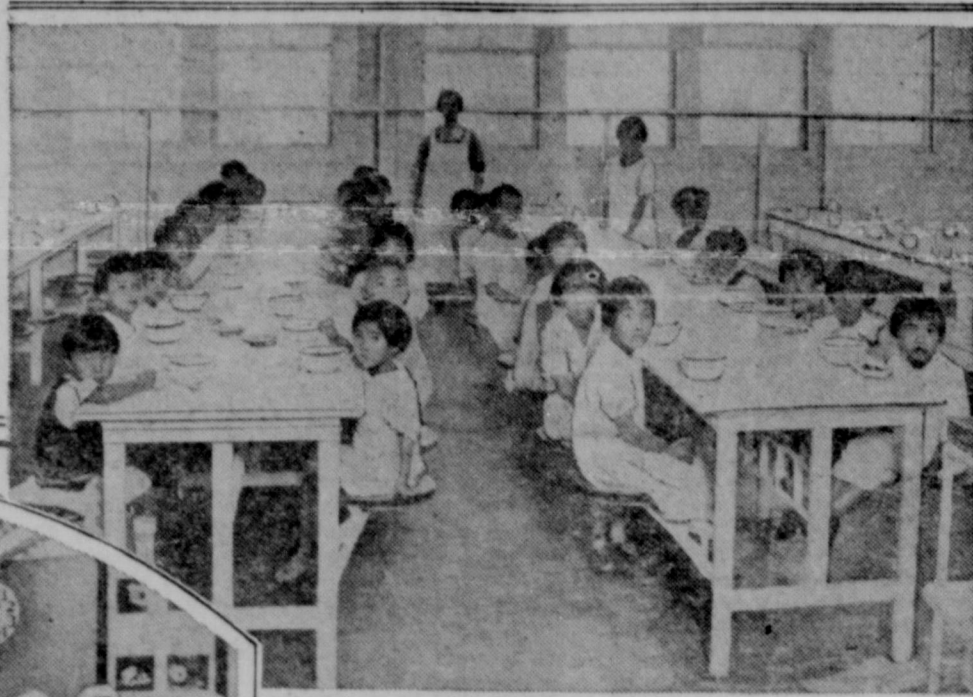
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Girls wearing white caps and rubber gloves trim the pineapple as it comes from the Ginaca machine.



Field of matured pineapples ready to be picked for canning.

HERE is no unemployment in the Hawaiian Islands. Instead their citizens of all ages are busy sending a flood of gold in the form of Hawaiian pineapples all over the United States and also to many far distant lands. There is romance in the story of how these semi-tropical islands happen to be one of the busiest parts of our country at this time when unemployment is so widespread. It is the romance of how the thought of one man greatly enlarged the whole economic aspect of these islands which we were once so reluctant to annex.

For our government was far from cordial to the idea of receiving Hawaii under its flag back in 1895 when an annexation treaty was first negotiated with President Harrison. This was withdrawn by President Cleveland in April of that year, but brought up again after President McKinley's election, and Hawaii was not finally admitted into the Union until July 7, 1898.

There was good reason for this reluctance. Just for the sake of acquiring a Pacific naval station this country did not want to assume the permanent financial liability which these islands seemed likely to prove. As late as its 1907-1908 edition the Encyclopedia Americana stated that "the danger of depending upon a single crop (sugar) has long been recognized, and persistent efforts have been made to develop minor industries" in Hawaii.

One Man Did It

To understand how Hawaii developed a second important crop which goes out as a flood of golden pineapples and forms one of the two great industries of the Hawaiian Islands, it is necessary to go back thirty years to the beginning of the career of one James D. Dole. It was in 1899 that this man, just graduated from Harvard, set out for the Hawaiian Islands from a suburb of Boston known as Jamaica Plain.

He went there to grow coffee. He knew nothing about pineapple culture. Neither did he know anything about canning. But, after various experiments, he went back to Boston to get an expert canner and raise some capital, and he succeeded in both attempts.

After that the pineapple business began to prosper. The company which he formed packed 1,893 cases of pineapple in 1903, 8,816 cases in 1904, 25,000 in 1905 and more than 100,000 in 1907. Its pack grew to 500,000 cases in 1912, 1,000,000 in 1913; 2,000,000 in 1923; 3,000,000 in 1926; and from 3,247,264 cases in 1929 it grew to more than 4,000,000 last year.

Once this man had demonstrated that pineapples could be profitably grown in Hawaii, he naturally had competitors. There are now nine chief growers who packed a total of about 11,300,000 cases last year, nearly all of which were shipped to the United States and had a value of \$45,000,000. No, there is no unemployment at present in Hawaii.

Room for More

In spite of this vastly increased production, the consumption of pineapples in the United States amounts to only a trifle more than two pineapples per capita a year. So there is room for even greater production if it can be brought about, but all of the good pineapple land in Hawaii is now taken, and when the island of Lanai, recently bought and developed into a huge pineapple plantation by Dole's company, is brought to full production, that will be about all the pineapple that Hawaii can supply.

The story of the acquisition of this island of Lanai is a whole romance in itself. Back in 1922 Dole was facing the problem of the need of more land for the growing of pineapples. It was estimated at that time that there were only about 89,000 acres in the islands adapted to pineapple culture. Of these his company then con-

trolled about 25,000 acres, but he rightly believed the demand for canned pineapple would in a few years exceed the capacity of the industry's entire acreage.

So he sent men into the Philippines and down into Mexico, and investigated Fiji, San Domingo, Malaya and even Queensland, Australia, before coming back to the Hawaiian Islands and buying for \$1,100,000 Lanai, considered up to that time a hopelessly barren island beaten ten months in the year by northeast winds beneath the blasts of which the scattering trees on it were permanently bowed.

There was no harbor then, no roads, no towns, no labor, and much of the good soil was covered with enormous cactus. But the soil tested well, and the climate was propitious. The altitude, average rainfall and natural drainage were about right. Dole solved the problem of fighting the obstinate cactus by hitching a cable chain to heavy tractors and literally dragging the dense growth down.

He Bet \$5,000,000

Dole was willing to bet \$5,000,000 that his judgment in buying Lanai was right, and that he was right is proved by the fact that the yield of Lanai pineapples is today nearly equal to the combined yield of all the rest of his plantations.

But all this was not accomplished without a struggle. By cutting away the cliffs on one side, running a heavy breaker out into the ocean on the other, and then dredging, he created the harbor of Kaunapala, at a cost of \$750,000. He built a road for heavy trucking, seven miles back and 1,600 feet up into the island, along which five-ton White trucks hauling ten-ton trailers now travel, each carrying in all a net load of twenty-three and a half tons of fruit. At the harbor these are hoisted in eleven and a half ton lots onto barges which are towed to Honolulu some fifty miles away.

And this was not all. He brought water across the mountain range on the windward side of the island to the reservoir near the town of Lanai City which stands today a model community of its kind. Its population now consists of 3,000 orientals and thirty-two whites, and it boasts its own bank, stores, schools, a hospital, a Buddhist temple, and even "movies" and a "Mayor."

There is no unemployment on the Islands of Lanai, and neither is there any contract labor. The pineapple picker who wants to quit his job can draw his week's wages (from \$14 up to as much as \$28) and his transportation back to whence he came. The labor is a polyglot lot, Chinese, Filipinos and Hawaiians, even some Russians and Portuguese, live tranquilly in a community which is free from race problems largely because of thorough intermarriage.

A battery of shelling machines, known as "ginacas," removes the pineapple's skin and punches out its core in a single swift operation; a set of knives cuts the skinned and cored cylinders into uniform slices, and in a few seconds from the time the pineapple enters the Ginaca machine, it is skinned, cored, sliced and ready for grading and canning.

Speed is the essence of proper pineapple canning. The quicker you can get this luscious fruit out of its jacket and into the can, the better. Something more than food is preserved by this celerity. It is the only way to preserve the elusive flavor of the fully ripened fruit.

Still a Pioneer

This matter of grading is important. Dole wants the housewife to know exactly what she is buying in his cans. So he devised a system of stamp-

ing the numbers "one" or "two" or "three" together with his name in the tops of the cans. This is a pioneer procedure which will undoubtedly extend to other canned products in the course of time.

When the housewife uses fresh fruit she can look at it and see its condition. When she uses canned fruit she has to depend on the labels to tell truthfully what quality of fruit is inside. The cans of pineapple with "one" stamped in their tops contain the best fruit in appearance, texture, syrup and color; those stamped "two" contain fruit just as fine but not quite so shapely and packed in syrup slightly less sweet; and those stamped "three" contain good, wholesome fruit, packed in the same syrup as "two," but slices that have been broken so that they cannot be included in the first two grades. These first two grades are both packed in sliced, crushed and tidbit forms, but the third is packed only in broken slices.

Real Food Value

Is this large production of pineapple a real contribution to our diet in food value as well as in taste? According to scientists, it is.

"There are better sources of a single vitamin," says a bulletin of the University of Hawaii, "but as an all around source of vitamins the canned pineapple takes an unusually high place. No other canned product, except tomatoes, is as rich in vitamins."

But the fruit has to be handled right. There is a marked difference in its sugar content, depending upon whether it has been allowed to ripen on the plants or is picked for shipment after it has reached its full size but has not yet ripened. Analysis shows, according to this same authority, an average of 12.06% of sugar in the naturally ripened fruit, against 3.65% in that picked green and allowed to "ripen" off the plant. As a matter of universal practice among Hawaiian packers the fruit is allowed to ripen in the field.

The sugar content of pineapple is of a type which is ready for human assimilation, according to Dr. A. L. Dean, Director of the Experiment Station of the University of Hawaii, and pineapple has a higher food value than most fruits, largely because of its high sugar content and its vitamins.

Rich in Calories

The analysis of pineapple contained in the following table was made on a composite sample of both fruit and syrup made by comminuting and mixing the contents of six cans of "Fancy" sliced pineapple taken at random from the pack of six different canneries:

Moisture	76.01%
Total Sugars	22.30%
Sucrose	9.99%
Reducing Sugars	12.31%
Protein	0.44%
Crude Fiber	0.30%
Mineral Matter (Ash)	0.35%
Fruit Acids (Calculated as Citric Acid) ..	0.59%

"It will be seen from the above," the bulletin states, "that the food value of canned pineapple, as measured by calories contained in it, is by no means negligible."

So James D. Dole, whose name is indissolubly connected with the pineapple industry in Hawaii, both as pioneer and developer, not only turned a possible liability into a proved asset, but this industry is making a distinct contribution to our national diet in a form that is both nutritious and popular. And that is why there is no unemployment at present in those far flung Pacific Islands.

Pruning Helps Quality of Fruit

Profits Depend on Apples of Uniform Size and Good Color.

Pruning as a part of the management program in an apple orchard does not always increase the number of bushels to the tree, but it does make a difference in the quantity which will grade out as first-class apples.

Profits From an Orchard.

"The profits from an apple orchard always depend on the number of baskets, boxes or barrels which contain apples of uniform size, well-colored and free from blemishes," says H. R. Niswonger, extension horticulturist at the North Carolina State college. "Thick, bushy trees afford protection to insects and diseases and shield them from contact with spray materials. The highest percentage of cull apples is nearly always harvested from that part of the tree which has not been thinned or is left unpruned. Apple trees of this kind should be opened up so that it will be easy to cover the fruit and leaves in all parts of the tree."

Cost of Pruning.

As to cost of pruning, Mr. Niswonger says two orchards in the Brushy mountains, one containing 3,500 trees and the other 600 trees, spent \$57.75 and \$8.75, respectively, a year during the past two years. The trees in the first orchard were from eight to twenty years of age and the latter from six to fourteen years old. These costs cover the labor in hauling the brush from the orchard as well as the actual work of pruning.

The main object in pruning a bearing apple tree is to maintain a well-balanced top, and the even distribution of fruit spurs. In the young tree, the purpose is to develop a well-balanced top that will fruit uniformly, says Mr. Niswonger.

Feeding Experiments

Directed at Missouri

The Missouri agricultural experiment station reports a series of feeding experiments. In one case the hens were given all the corn, oats, bran, shorts and cornmeal they would consume, but on these rations they were able to produce only 60 eggs in a year's time. It required 9.3 pounds of feed to produce a dozen eggs.

Now when identically the same rations were fed, but in addition three gallons of liquid skim milk or 1½ pounds of commercial meat scrap was added to the daily ration of 100 hens, the egg production was more than doubled and the feed required to produce a dozen eggs was reduced nearly one-half.

By adding 88 pounds of milk or 6 pounds of meat scrap to the yearly ration for each hen from 5 to 6 extra dozen eggs were produced. While the extra cost of the ration amounted to 30 cents per hen per year, the extra eggs produced were worth at least five times the extra expense.

Provide Farm Animals

With Grain Ration Now

This is the time of the year that the farmer should begin to get his horses ready for spring work, says A. L. Harvey, horse specialist at the Minnesota agricultural experiment station.

In recent years it has been the common practice of farmers to allow their horses to "rough it" through the winter months. Horses have been turned out in the fall after the season's work, and have been compelled to pick up a living from pastures, stalk fields, and straw piles. This is an economical method of wintering horses, but it does not fit them for a hard spring's work.

Use Electric Heat on

Michigan Truck Farms

Truck and nursery farms in Michigan are using electric heat to force their plants with quite astonishing results, according to reports from Detroit.

After several months of development and experiment, a low wattage element has been designed which plugs into a convenient outlet connection and is being used by truck farms for seed germinating, propagating, cutting bench and outdoor hotbed.

During the spring season an electric element of this type in an outdoor hotbed prevented freezing of the plants when neighboring hotbeds of the non-electric variety were frosted.

Feeding for Milk

Feeding for milk production really begins before the cow starts to produce milk. The cow that freshens in a thin condition or that milks up to the time of freshening cannot produce what she should. A cow must be prepared for milk production if she is to do her best, and the time to prepare her for her next lactation is during the dry period which should last about six to eight weeks before freshening.

Watch Breeders

Prof. C. F. Platt of the New Jersey agricultural experiment station points out that husky chicks cannot be produced from weak parents. He urges all poultrymen carefully to watch the quality of their breeding stock. On the female side, the breeding birds should have good body weight and must be active and alert. Birds with heavy layers of hard fat on the abdomen, are not suitable.



Her Reward

When children are weak and run-down, they are easy prey to colds or children's diseases. So it is never wise to neglect those weakening and depressing symptoms of bad breath, coated tongue, fretfulness, feverishness, biliousness, lack of energy and appetite, etc.

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An Indianapolis druggist, of slightly more than middle age, who prides himself on having hair of original hue and thickness, was approached by a customer wishing to buy some hair dye. He asked her what color she preferred, and she appeared nonplussed for a moment, looked at his hair and then answered: "Oh, the kind you use will be all right, I guess."

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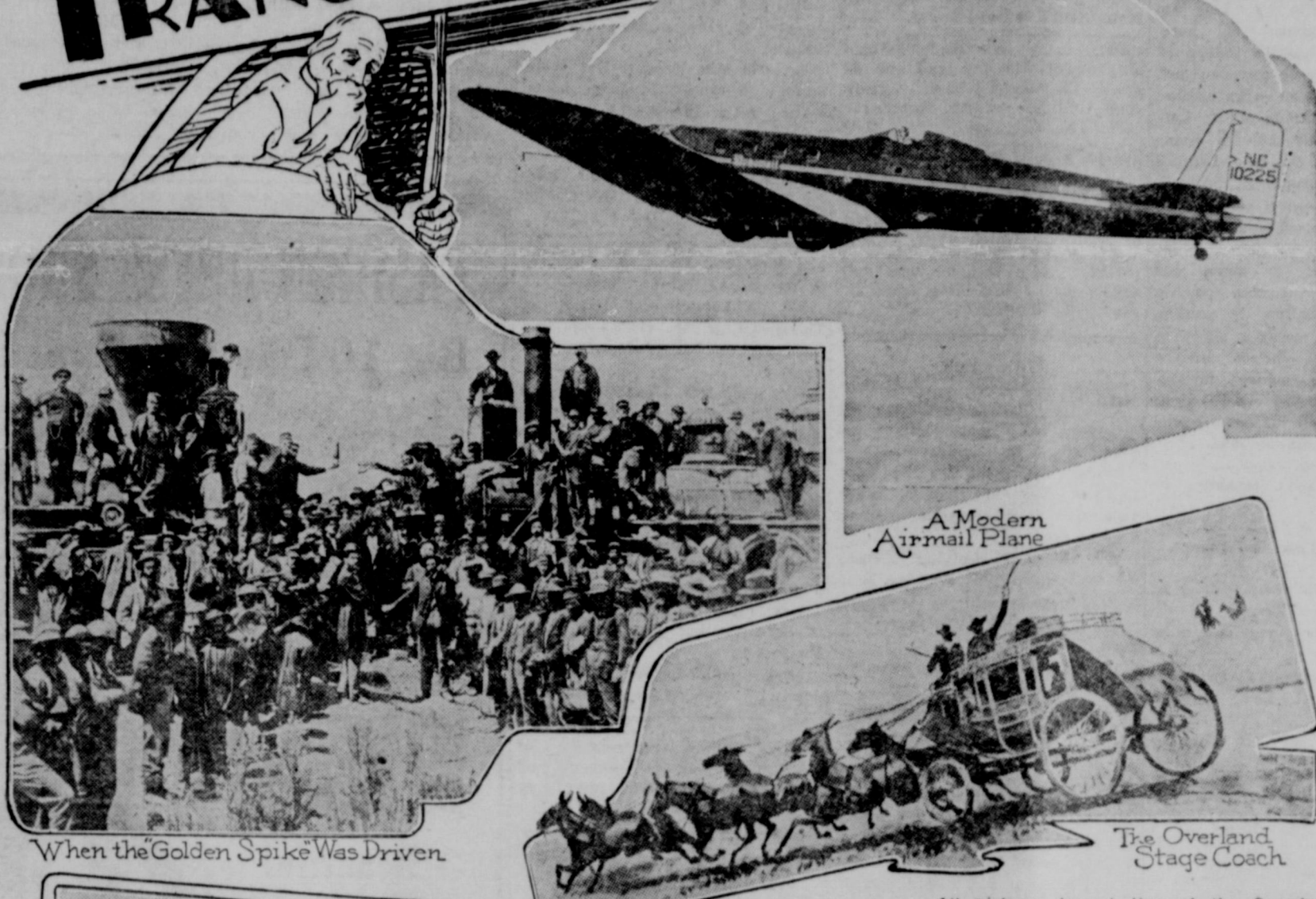
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The Pony Express Salutes the telegraph

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

THE recent inauguration of a 42-hour all-plane passenger service between New York and San Francisco not only marked the climax of 100 years of transportation history over one of the most historic routes of travel on the North American continent, but it wrote the absolutely final chapter in that epic movement commonly referred to as "the westward push of white civilization." Although the frontier as a fact belongs to long-past history, this incident belongs to the story of the frontier—its culmination and its climax.

That "westward push" began 280 years ago. It came about when "in the middle of the Seventeenth century, before the Carolinas or Pennsylvania were engendered, before New Amsterdam had been wrested from the Dutch, and while New England settlements still hugged the shore or clung to the navigable waterways, a Virginian turned his face to the West and sought to penetrate the wild country beyond the head of navigation of the rivers." Capt. Abraham Wood was his name; the date was 1650; and he journeyed five days westward from Fort Henry, at the falls of the Appamattox river, where Petersburg, Va., now stands, to the falls where the Dan and Staunton unite to form the Roanoke river. Brief and inconsequential though this first westward-faring may appear to be, it was important because it turned the minds of the English-speaking colonists toward "the land of the setting sun" and for the next 250 years their minds and the minds of their descendants were never free from thoughts of what lay there, and there was no cure for their restlessness but to go and see for themselves.

Nearly two hundred years of slow, painful progress from the Atlantic to the Mississippi, and then, through the magic of improved transportation, a swift rush of less than 50 years to the Pacific! In 1650, when Capt. Abraham Wood set forth on his journey, the time-distance from the Atlantic to the Pacific could only have been measured in months and years. Today that same factor is measured in hours and minutes! And that, in brief, is the story of transportation in America.

Because of the many romantic elements in it, the most interesting aspect of the story is contained in the chronicles of the last 100 years. Last year "the Covered Wagon Centennial" was celebrated throughout the trans-Mississippi West. It was celebrated because on April 10, 1830, the three leaders of a fur trading company, Jedediah S. Smith, David E. Jackson and W. L. Sublette, called the roll of their outfit of 81 men, ordered the oxen and mules hitched to the ten wagons in the wagon train and started out from St. Louis for the West. The route over which they traveled until they reached the head of the Wind river in the Rockies was then but a thin, poorly defined trail over the plains and through the mountains. But later it was to be a broad highway cut by the oxen hoofs and wagon wheels of thousands of emigrants who made the historic trek to Oregon. For this was the beginning of the famous Oregon or Overland Trail.

The Smith-Jackson-Sublette expedition was not the first which had gone over that route. Parts of it had been traversed by Lewis and Clark, the explorers, a quarter of a century before; by "the Astorians," a band of seven men returning to the

East in 1813 from Astoria, Ore., where they had built a fort named in honor of John Jacob Astor, head of the American Fur company; and by various other free trappers and traders who had ventured into the Great Unknown that was the trans-Mississippi West of the early part of the Nineteenth century. But the transportation of all of these had been canoes and boats on the streams and horses and packtrains on the land. The significance of the 1830 party was that these were the first wheeled vehicles traveling on the route over which all the successive steps in transportation history were to be taken—from water travel, through land travel in all its phases, to the ultimate air travel.

Whole volumes have been written about this pageant of transportation which passed over the historic Overland Trail, so it is possible, within the lengths of this article, only to give the "high spots" in the form of a summary, such as this: 1830—Smith-Jackson-Sublette party took the first "covered wagon" train over the Overland Trail.

1847—Mormons start west. The Mormons, who had wintered at Florence, just north of the present site of Omaha, made their famous migration to the valley of the Great Salt Lake.

1849—The trail, simultaneous with the cry of "Gold in California," became the greatest traveled highway in the world—wider and more beaten than a city street—and hundreds of thousands of wagons passed over it.

1856—The first monthly Wells Fargo mail stages began running from the Missouri to Salt Lake and California. The trail was now in full tide of life, filled with gold seekers from the Missouri to the Pacific.

1858—September 15—The first overland stage coach left San Francisco for the East and on October 9, 1858, the first stage from the East reached San Francisco.

1860—The first Pony Express mail began running from St. Joseph, Mo., to Sacramento, Calif. The Pony Express continued for 18 months until the completion of the telegraph line to San Francisco in October, 1861. Daring riders, traveling day and night as fast as their horses could run, relayed bags of mail across the plains and mountains from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean. Starting in 1860, the Express left St. Joseph twice a week, making the trip to Sacramento in eleven days, later in nine days. The record run was in March, 1861, when President Lincoln's inaugural address was carried from St. Joseph to Sacramento, 1,980 miles, in seven days and seventeen hours.

1861—Edward Crelighton was commissioned by

All pictures (except that of the Conestoga wagon), courtesy the Boeing Air Transport System.

the Pacific Telegraph company (which in 1864 merged with Western Union) to make a survey for a telegraph route between the Missouri river and the Pacific coast. At Salt Lake he enlisted the support of Brigham Young. Congress approved this enterprise. On October 17, 1861, the first message was telegraphed from San Francisco to Omaha. The western division of the telegraph, Sacramento to Salt Lake City, was constructed by the Overland Telegraph company, which likewise was merged with Western Union, in 1866.

1865—July 10—Political and military reasons dictated that there should be a safer and surer method of transportation between California and the Middle West than the wagon train and stage coach. Four routes were surveyed by the government, but the central route seemed to offer the best advantages for railroad construction, including the most feasible passages over the mountains. Thus it was that the central route was finally selected after a bitter fight between the northern, southern and central factions for the first transcontinental railroad. Following a conference between President Lincoln and General Grenville M. Dodge, Council Bluffs was selected as the eastern terminus of the "Pacific" railroad, at which point connections were to be made with the Chicago and North Western from Chicago. The first rail was laid at Omaha, July 10, 1865, and by the close of the year 40 miles of track had been completed.

1869—On May 10, 1869, in eight years less time than had been allotted for the mighty project, the golden spike was driven at Promontory, 56 miles northwest of Ogden, Utah, joining the rails of the two roads and forming the first railroad line from the Missouri river to the Pacific coast, spanning some 1,770 miles.

For the next 40 years this railroad helped pour its flood of settlers into the Great West. The great buffalo herds were wiped out of existence and with their passing the power of the Indians, who had steadily resisted the encroachments of the whites, ended. Then came the age of the automobile and the next important date in the history of transportation over this historic trail was 1913 when the Lincoln highway was projected as a memorial to a great President, and was later completed as the first continuous improved road to be laid out from the Atlantic to the Pacific. But it remained for the coming of the airplane to draw the eastern and western boundaries of the nation more closely together and man began spanning the continent in hours where before it had taken days and weeks. The inauguration of a daylight air mail line from New York to Chicago by the government in 1919 was the first step, to be followed so swiftly by others that the idea of transcontinental air travel as an accomplished fact almost as soon as it was projected.

In 1920 the air mail route was extended from Chicago to Omaha, then extended for daylight flight to San Francisco. On September 7, 1920, the first transcontinental air mail trip, requiring 33 hours and 21 minutes, was made between San Francisco and New York. This was the first time in history that air mail was carried at night on a regular night schedule. In the next five years air mail service developed rapidly and in 1927 the government retired from operation of air mail planes, the transportation of mail by planes being taken over under contract by private companies. From New York to Chicago the mails were carried by the National Air Transport and from Chicago to San Francisco, over the historic Overland route, they were carried by the Boeing Air Transport. These companies also contracted to carry air express and from this it was but a step to carrying passengers.

The final step was taken last year when a regular passenger service was inaugurated for both day and night flying. Today the traveler can step in an airplane in New York and 42 hours later (for this schedule includes an overnight stop in Chicago) he is in San Francisco. The actual flying time between the Atlantic coast and the Pacific is 26 1/2 hours. The story of a century of transportation over the Overland Trail is an Aladdin fairy tale come true!

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POULTRY

VENTILATION IS OFTEN SLIGHTED

Let in Fresh Air and Remove Foul From House.

Poultry men, of necessity, use many types of buildings to house layers and breeders. Chickens are housed in all sizes and shapes of rooms, in basements, and on fourth floors of barns, as well as on the floors between, and under roofs of varying shapes and heights. It is in these converted houses that ventilation, or the lack of it, causes most trouble, says Prof. H. E. Botsford of the New York State College of Agriculture.

It is wrong, he says, to insist that chickens should be kept only in certain types of houses, but, he adds, it would simplify the winter ventilation problem. Several methods are governed by the same principles, and once these principles are in mind it is easy to construct a system that works.

Warm air in the poultry house tends to rise and collect moisture. If it cannot get out, it accumulates; and when it cools around the roof and walls, the moisture condenses and gathers as frost or water on the roof and walls, or drops and makes wet litter. The moisture and lack of fresh air may make the hens lose vigor and be susceptible to colds and other troubles.

The air outlet is most important. It should be the highest point in the house and protected by the eaves or by an overhanging board. The outlet should extend across the entire width of the house and should always be left open. If the roof is other than the flat or shed type it may be desirable to consider building a straw loft or ceiling, advises Professor Botsford.

Cornell recommends open space near the center of the front of each pen or house at the rate of one square foot of opening to 12 to 15 feet of floor space. These openings should be between 2 or 3 feet above the floor and longer than they are wide. Windows may be placed at the end of the open space and should be kept closed all winter. If the temperature is below 15 or 20 degrees above zero, or if there are storms or high winds, the front will need to be covered by the curtains.

Oats Found Valuable for Layers at Ohio

That oats make a valuable feed for layers and provide something which functions more effectively than yellow corn has been substantiated by extensive tests at the Ohio experiment station during the past three years. A total of 600 layers were used in the experiment conducted by D. C. Kennard, in charge of poultry investigations. The nine groups of layers which received rations with 20 per cent of the corn replaced by that amount of plump oats averaged 15 per cent better egg production while the hatchability of the eggs and the mortality of the birds were practically the same. The groups which received the oats ate 10 per cent more feed and averaged 3 per cent more monthly body weights. It should be emphasized, however, that even the oats ration carried 40 to 50 per cent yellow corn. Just how much more of the corn could have been replaced by oats was not determined.

Poultry Facts

Clean the incubator at the end of the hatch.

Make changes gradually in the management of pullet flocks to avoid upsetting the birds.

If green feed is not available for the chickens, germinated oats will give satisfactory results.

Good ventilation is not confined to expensive poultry houses. An effective system can be devised cheaply for any house.

Cannibalism will seldom appear if the chicks are given free range, or otherwise encouraged to keep busy and active.

Geese do not require elaborate houses, but they need shelter that will protect them from heavy rain, snow, cold winds and dampness.

Place the incubator in a cool room where the sun's rays cannot strike the machine. The room should be even in temperature and be supplied with fresh air, but no drafts.

Hens that have to get their water by eating ice or snow are not generous with their eggs during the winter.

Clean ground is a cardinal virtue in the matter of preventing poultry diseases among old as well as young chickens.

A concrete floor that is constructed on three or four inches of coarse rock or cinders is probably the most economical and satisfactory. It is dry, durable and easy to clean.



Doctor's 3 RULES Big Help to Bowels

What a joy to have the bowels move like clockwork, every day! It's easy, if you mind these simple rules of a famous old doctor:

1. Drink a big tumblerful of water before breakfast, and several times a day.
2. Get plenty of outdoor exercise without unduly fatiguing yourself.
3. Try for a bowel movement at exactly the same hour every day.

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THE WARRIOR

NEWS OF THE FRIONA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Agriculture Club Meets.

The agriculture club met at the usual time Thursday, February 12, 1931. Albert Conway did not have a program, and the club boys used a paddle on him.

They elected a new man on the program, Raymond Euler, in the place of Shine McFarland, who could not meet with the club any more on account of a class conflicting.

The club added a new picture to their list. These new pictures will look pretty in a new room if the club gets an agriculture room. The agriculture suits came and they proved satisfactory to every boy. The total cost of the suits was \$48.48.

Raymond Maples spent Wednesday and Thursday in Plainview.

Ice cream time. Buy Campbell's at Friona Drug Co.

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Commercial Law Class.

The commercial law class has learned that a knowledge of commercial law is very important to all American citizens. The class realizes that few people really understand the laws under which they are governed. With these facts in mind the class has undertaken to give to the public a general knowledge of commercial law.

On Monday, February 16, 1931, the class made some definite plans to be carried out. Mabel Wimberley was elected reporter with Thelma Osborne as assistant. It was decided that each member of the class would contribute one question each week to be printed. The following Monday the answers will be contributed along with other questions.

Watch for the law column in the Warrior. Just clip out the questions, and the next week clip out the answers. Paste them side by side in a scrap book for future reference. By the time the course has ended you will have a very valuable collection of facts concerning the laws of our country.

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El Hombre Mexicano.

Frances, Lacy, Spanish 2.

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Those good Nyal remedies at Friona Drug Co.

Commercial Law Questions.

1. What are the chief sources of the law?
2. How may property be acquired?
3. How is property classified?
4. What is real and personal property?
5. How may personal property be transmitted into real property?
6. Who may become a bankrupt?
7. What are the duties of a bankrupt?
8. What is fraud?
9. What is a contract?
10. What are the ways to terminate a contract?
11. What contracts are illegal?
12. What is the legal rate of interest in Texas?

Valentine Party

Miss Kesler's room entertained Miss Pitman's room with a Valentine party, Friday afternoon at 2:30.

After the Valentines were passed out, refreshments were served consisting of cookie hearts.

Home Economics.

Section I of the home economics foods class prepared and served breakfast to the high school faculty at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday morning. The breakfast was served in the breakfast room, and a color scheme of yellow and green was carried out in the following menu: Half grapefruit, hominy grits, cream, sugar, eggs a la goldenrod, baked bacon, bran muffins, butter, orange jelly and coffee.

Basketball.

Both the boys and girls were defeated in the Bovina tournament although both teams fought for the games. Lazbuddie boys beat Friona boys 12-14. The Squaws were defeated by the Bovina girls, with the scores 18-21.

Lucille Routh was chosen second best guard on the all-star team and Ola Lee Callaway was chosen as the best center of the teams.

Boyer toiletries at Friona Drug Company.

Freshmen Entertain.

In chapel last Thursday morning, February 12, 1931, the freshmen gave a very interesting program. It consisted of a song, "Moonlight on the Colorado", by Merle Cannon and Jessie Lee, and a play, "The Teeth of the Gift Horse". Those who participated in the play were Seva Welch, Harold Lillard, Dorothy Crawford, Robert Hill, Claude Miller and Gwendolyn Cogdill.

The class was asked to give the play again at P. T. A. Monday night, February 16.

Sixth Grade.

There are several who are entering the arithmetic contest, the spelling and picture memory contests. Those who enter will have to work hard in order to win.

Last week in the arithmetic contest between the boys and girls the scores were ten and fifteen in favor of the boys.

In spelling, Bernice Rogers and Eugene Boggress choose sides. Eugene Boggress' side had to sit down. The ones who made a hundred every day last week in spelling were Tom Braddy, Cecile Boren, Willie Ellen Sogdill, Raymond Jasper and Riley.

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Fifth Grade.

For Washington's birthday, the fifth grade made some hatchets and we put them up in our room.

Friday afternoon we had our Valentine box. We had so many Valentines that everyone received a great many.

We are still studying spelling for the contest. This week an elimination contest will be held and some of us will have to study very hard.

We have been having examinations this week and everyone is very busy.

County Tournament.

Last Monday afternoon at athletic period the entire high school assembled in the auditorium for the purpose of discussing the county tournament, which will probably be held in Friona some time in March. Mr. Conway, Mr. Heath and Mr. Mins read and explained some rules regarding the tournament. Work began Tuesday on field, track and literary events, and Friona expects to win a greater victory than she has ever won before.

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HOMELAND NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Green and family spent Sunday in the John Benger home.

Miss Ruby Newman, Miss Clara and Mdeann Benger and Miss Lucille Allen were guests of Miss Anna Mae Brewer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cason Jones spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and family visited Mrs. Lipham and son Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day spent Sunday in the R. F. Jones home.

Miss Jetty Blankenship, Wesley Booth and Carroll Day spent Sunday in the Will Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grason and children spent Sunday in the Collier home.

C. E. Allen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mann spent Sunday in the O. A. Newman home.

Mr. Wilkerson and family of Tucumcari, N. M., visited his brother, Carroll Wilkerson, here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones and Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Gattlin, spent Sunday in the Blankenship home.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wyatt who has been sick with pneumonia, seems to be better at this writing.

W. M. S. met this week with Mrs. A. O. Brewer.

Mrs. James of Little Rock, Ark., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Bell.

Miss Lucille Benger spent Sunday with Miss Wora Vestal.

W. M. White, who lives west of town is digging a basement and getting ready to build a new house in the near future.

Plant Cotton

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Lakeview News

By SEVENTH GRADE

Tim Manderschied and family spent Sunday in the Bradley home.

Wayne Melton spent Friday and Saturday with Marvin Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammon and family spent Sunday in the H. A. Melton home.

Kenneth and Russell O'Brien spent Friday evening with Louie and Neda Mae Wilson.

Helen Maggard spent Monday night with Gwendolyn McKinney.

Lovetta Melton spent Saturday night with Florine Key.

Claude McKinney and family

visited in the E. B. Maggard home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crow and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Robbins.

Miss Nicholas, R. T. and Elmore Parker spent Sunday in the E. B. Maggard home.

Mr. Sandiford and family of Friona spent Sunday afternoon in the Bradley home.

Robert Maggard spent Tuesday night with Garland McKinney.

A. R. Marsh and two sons, William and John, spent Saturday in Hereford.

Literary meets again Friday night, when everybody is invited to attend.

FASHION DRESS SHOPPE

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