

# Do Your CHRISTMAS SHOPPING Early!

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### Cogitations & Aphorisms of Jodok

TALK, THINK, AND WRITE Centennial.

I hear them talking on the streets about the WPA job being started on the Frio draw last week, beginning actual work sometime Thursday and continuing through Friday, but laying off for Saturday.

I heard a group of men talking Saturday morning about it and some seemed not to understand why the work was not continued on Saturday since only a day and a piece had been done for the week.

One man gave the analysis of the problem as the result of religious views. He said some people's religious views had them not to work on Saturday, while the religious views of many others forbade them to work on Sunday, so the government has given them both days so that none will have to desecrate his religion. That sounds to me like a logical solution of the matter and all should be satisfied with it.

Such a solution, however, would not suffice in my case, since it goes against my convictions to work on any day of the week.

But I sure do like to loiter around and hear these men talk, for I get to hear some of the best wit expressed, as well as sound logic and common sense. There is one man who is above the average height and beneath the average weight and of an elderly demeanor, who seems to delight in talking and he seems to talk all the time when he has anyone to listen to him—and he may just go on talking even when there is none to listen. I can not say as to that.

Some of the opinions expressed convey the idea that the farmers have the "world by the tail and a down-hill pull" in the manipulation of the AAA, while the rest of us are "paying the freight."

Another man stated that in his opinion this AAA is nothing more nor less than a bribe, and that the farmers will awaken to that fact sooner or later, and probably to their own dismay. That got me again.

I understand that it is also discussed on the streets, and I have heard some of it myself, that our merchants insist very strongly that our local people buy all their goods from the home merchants, even to the extent of taking an article they do not want, rather than go to a neighboring town to secure something to their liking.

One man said that the merchants should not ask the people to do what they do not do themselves, nor blame them for doing the things which they themselves do. And as an example of this expression it was stated that the local merchants, rather than buy something from their fellow merchants which is not carried in their line, will go to Amarillo for it or order it from our own drummer from some wholesale house.

I have also heard it reiterated that our merchants do not give our highway committee any support in its efforts to secure the paving of highway "69" through the county, for the reason that a paved highway will take all their trade to larger towns. Then I have also heard the opinion expressed that should the trade all go to other places the merchants themselves, and not the highway, will be to blame. May-be-so I do not know.

And among the many things that come to my ears, it seems that some people wonder why it is the sheriff has had large signs placed on the highways through Bovina and Farwell in regard to fast driving, and has placed none at Friona. One suggested answer seems to be that—"May be he thinks it makes no difference if some Friona people are killed by the speed demons. That MAY be the correct answer, but—Friona people are still allowed to vote."

There are just lots of things for people to worry themselves about.

### HOME TALENT PLAY AT RHEA SCHOOL

There will be a three-act play "Two Days to Marry" given at Rhea School on December 17th, at 7:40 o'clock P. M.  
The admission prices will be 10c for children and 15c for adults. Also the "Royal Comedians" from Canyon, headed by Mr. J. B. Fowler, will be present and add to the attractiveness of the entertainment. The general public is cordially invited to attend this entertainment.

They will worry and fret because they do not have something and then when they get it they worry because they have it.

Take the liquor question for an example. A few years ago lots of them got awfully tired of having liquor offered for sale in saloons and they got the Eighteenth Amendment adopted. Then after awhile they got tired of prohibition and began to demand the repeal of this same amendment. They wanted beer, 2.2 or 3.2 or any old sort so it was beer with a kick to it. And they then wanted the good old genuine "rot-gut," "tangle-foot," "red liquor," and if ninety per cent of them did not vote for "repeat and the return of the "good old stuff" there was at least enough voted for it to make an overwhelming majority in its favor.

And it makes little difference how we get it, either by the drink, or in "sealed" packages or by the "boot-leg" process, just so we get it, for we want it, and still it occurs to me that none of us are satisfied because we did not get it the way we wanted it.

So far as I am concerned individually, it makes little difference to me how it is served, for I have always been able to get all the "red licker" I wanted at any time and at any place, day or night, rain or shine, either in town or in the country, and it has never cost me a red cent. Not once. And I doubt if any one likes the taste of the "creature" better than I do in any form or under any name in which it is put up.

But the strange thing about it is that we will vote for such a thing and then as soon as we get it we begin to fight it, and the legislature will spend week of their own time and thousands of dollars of the people's money trying to frame and enact laws to "control" it, and argue and quarrel and almost (not quite) fight over the matter. If it is such a wonderful thing that we JUST MUST have it, why not turn it loose and let it have full swing?

Of course I realize there are two reasons why people want liquor to be sold publicly again. One class of people want because they can make large sums of money selling it, and there are others who want it just because they want it.

I notice there is lots being said in newspapers and magazines about fast driving on the highways and there is still more being said about the hundreds of lives that are being lost in the car crashes that come as a result.

I heard one man say one time that it would be all right to get out and drive one's car if we could keep the "damphools" off the road, and it appears that one is going to be forced to the acknowledgment that he was absolute right about it then and is still more so now.

Another man was heard to say recently that we may as well outlaw war since it is not needed; for the automobile is becoming a far speedier means of killing people than war ever was.

Well! Again I do not know, but it just occurs to me that when an accomplishment is once attained, it is seldom discarded except for a more efficient one. Thus, about the only way I can see of stopping these death-dealing car crashes, is to invent cars that cannot be made to collide or up-set. And there, young men and young ladies with ingenious minds, is a place to do your bit for humanity. So get your thinkers busy.

### MEMORIAM

In loving memory of little Billie Ray Rule, Friona, Texas.

Friona Cemetery you are a chosen ground, a mound of joy Holding within your heart a sweet little boy.  
Hold gently thou our dear little man  
Whose ray so bright and fair Filled his brief earthly span  
With a happy light  
That is hard to compare.  
Two and one half months he gladdened hearts so true,  
The trusting heart that give him now to you.  
Friona Cemetery and hold him still  
Remember though tis only dust you hold—  
His light shines on, held for ever in the arms of God.  
He is not gone. Moon and stars shine bright  
And will shed a kindler glow upon the plains  
Sunbeams and showers will sing and flowers will grow  
For little Billy Ray, we all loved him so.  
Written by a loving grandmother.

### GOVERNMENT FEED STORE OPENED

The government has opened here what is known as a Resettlement Feed store in Friona under the management of Mr. Owen Miller, of Dimmitt who will have his office in the Fallwell garage, where he may be found on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.  
The only feed substances he now has on hand are alfalfa hay and thrashed oats, and it is understood that these varieties of feed are those secured by the government from various sources and are being sold to farmers of drought stricken areas at actual cost to the government. Those desiring these feeds or more information concerning them may receive same by seeing Mr. Miller at his office on any of the days above mentioned.

### FANNIN COUNTY PEOPLE ARRIVE

Mr. and Mrs. Medley and baby, formerly of Fannin county, arrived here last Saturday and proceeded at once to make a search for a house into which they could move their household goods, which arrived here by truck about the middle of last week.  
The Medleys are nice people and will make a valuable addition to the citizenry of Friona. They encountered rain and had roads on their trip over here which delayed their arrival a day or more.

### FRIONA WOMEN'S CLUB

The Friona Woman's Club held its regular session Wednesday Dec. 11th, at the home of Mrs. J. R. Rodden with Mrs. H. Morris as assistant hostess. One new member, Mrs. Barter was voted into the club.  
The club program and discussion for the afternoon were on the subject of "Government."

Mrs. S. F. Warren gave a very interesting talk on the "Constitution of 1876 and Need For Revision." "Political Difficulties Due to Area and Diversity of Interests" was well brought out in a paper given by Mrs. Bert Shackelford. Mrs. L. G. Sympton also gave a very appropriate reading along the subject of Government of Texas. As the club has some work to do for the Centennial a paper read by Mrs. Minnie Goodwine entitled "There Must Be a Centennial Spirit" was very interesting.

At the close of the program refreshments were served to twenty club members.

### FRIONA GIRL FINANCES EDUCATION IN UNUSUAL WAY

Special to The Friona Star Canyon, Dec. 11: Marion O'Brien of Friona is helping to finance her college education in an unusual way. Each day she spends some time reading to a blind classmate, Harold Webb, of Amarillo. Miss O'Brien says she gets more than money from this experience, for she reads aloud, and so her own work is helped.  
She is active in the work of the Phidias Art Club and is also an N. Y. A. assistant to Miss Isabel Robinson, head of the art department.

Melton (Billy) Wilkison, a former Friona citizen and filling station operator and oil dealer, but now located in the Rio Grande valley, was here over the week end looking after business matters and meeting relatives and friends.

### METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

H. L. Thurston, Pastor

Good crowds last Sunday heard the messages on "Communion" and "The Pearl of Great Price." More worshipful services, inspiring messages, with the congregation joining in to add their individual part, to make "Victory Year" a truly great success, is the program set forth and starting with great enthusiasm.

"The Women Under the Southern Cross" taught by Mrs. (Dr.) J. E. Stover, W. M. S. president elect, is being well attended and enjoyed by all the women. This mission study class is open to all visitors who will meet with the ladies on Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the church.  
Great appreciation has been expressed for the teaching and sermons of Rev. W. E. Hamilton, who will finish the study, "Christian Education in the Small Church," Wednesday night, December 11th. Rev. Hamilton, formerly of Dalhart, is the executive secretary of the Conference Board of Christian Education.

Misses Juanita Crow, Lela Ruth Watt, Grace Wheeler, Marjorie Lacy, Pauline Parr, and Mr. Forrest Osborn, had parts in the young people's program Sunday evening. Interesting and helpful programs are planned for the benefit of all who will attend. Come and help as well as listen. Don't forget you are needed and wanted at all services.  
Church School, 10:00 a. m.  
Praching, 11:00 and 7:30 p. m.  
Children and Young People's Services 7:00 p. m.  
W. M. S., Monday, 3:00 p. m.  
Stewards meeting, Monday night after 4th Sunday.

### HOME DEMONSTRATION NEWS Council at Bovina

Council met at the Bovina school building on December 7th at 2:30 o'clock. Bovina home demonstration club was hostess club for the Christmas social which was attended by representatives from every Home Demonstration club in Parmer county.

During the business session reports by retiring officers were given, and a summary of the work accomplished during 1935 was given by club council delegates. Mrs. John Gammon, chairman-elect for 1936 resigned. Mrs. J. E. Caldwell of Oklahoma was elected chairman by acclamation. The officers elected for 1936 were: Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, Oklahoma, Lane, Chairman; Mrs. G. H. Brock, Parmer, Vice-chairman; Mrs. V. L. Todd, Homeland, secretary; Mrs. M. B. Buchanan, Lakeview, Treasurer.

Mrs. Travis Brown of Rhea Presided over the Christmas Program which had been arranged cooperatively by all the home demonstration clubs. Roll call was answered by each woman telling of her happiest Christmas. Mrs. Alta Robinson of Oklahoma Lane led in singing "Silent Night," A Christmas reading was given by Lena Sheryler Brown of Laxbuddy a solo, "Star of the East" was sung by Mrs. R. L. Henson accompanied by Mrs. F. E. Kepley both of Oklahoma Lane.

Christmas gifts were distributed by members of Black and Live-at-Home clubs. Prior to the meeting Lesko club had secured and decorated a large Christmas tree and members of Parmer and Lakeview clubs had arranged the gifts on it. The refreshment picnic held assorted cookies, hot spiced tea, Christmas candles and the favors which were hand painted poinsettias bearing Christmas greetings from Bovina club and the recipe for the spiced tea. Each one present was given a sample of the quick process cheese prepared the preceding Saturday at the Dairy Products Training school.

### BASKET BALL GAMES

The basket ball games that were played here last Friday night between the two Hereford girl clubs and those of Friona, resulted in one victory for each school.

The first team of Friona out did the Hereford girls by a score of 18 to 17, while Hereford's second team won the Friona second team by a score of 24 to 6 according to the information received at the Star office.

The Friona Chiefs joined the tournament held at Vega last Friday and Saturday and were victorious in each encounter they were engaged in, two of which were Groom and Vega.

The Friona tournament will begin today (Friday) continuing throughout the day and evening and Saturday. Several teams have accepted the invitation to join this tournament.

### VISITED IN OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Opal Jones, spent a part of last week visiting with relatives and friends in Pauls Valley and other points in Oklahoma. They left Friona on Sunday of last week and returned Wednesday.

They had a very pleasant visit but not without some degree of excitement on the outward trip, for as they neared Chickasha they came to a place on the highway where a car had struck a horse and killed it and its carcass was still lying on the pavement. It was dark at the time they came to it and two cars were parked off the pavement at the place but their lights did not shine on the road and Opal, who was driving, did not see the carcass until he was so close that it was impossible to stop the car until it had run upon it and there was then nothing to do but go on over it, which he did.

Mr. Jones (That is Charley) stated that the collision gave all the occupants of the car a severe shaking-up but none of them was injured. About twenty dollars worth of damage was done to the car, but not so bad but that O. C. was able to drive on to town where repairs were obtained and the car was placed in good condition again. On the homeward trip nothing out of the ordinary occurred.

### TULIA PEOPLE HERE SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Glenn and small son, R. G. Jr., of Tullia, spent a part of the day here Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

They were accompanied also by Mr. Glenn's brother, Emil Glenn, from near Cincinnati, Ohio, who is enroute to California to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glenn. The Glenns were former residents of this community, having once owned the farm where H. W. Wright lives. They are therefore quite well known by most of the early settlers.

### QUALITY DAIRY PRODUCTS TRAINING SCHOOL

"Cotton seed meal produces a hard brittle fat that breaks down to make a salty butter," stated Mr. F. Fritchard of the Texas Tech Dairy Products Manufacturers Department to 20 home demonstration club members attending an all day training meeting held at the Bovina School building on Nov. 30th.

During the winter when a high percent of cotton seed or dry fodder is fed it may be necessary to raise the churning temperature to 70 or 75 degrees F in order to overcome the tendency to crumble.

Sour cream should churn in 20 minutes and sweet cream in 40 minutes. The churning temperature should be adjusted to observe this time. The cream should be churned until granules are as large as kernels of corn, then the milk should be drained off and the butter washed in cold water to remove all milk.

Other demonstrations conducted were making American Cheese, Soft Curd Type Cottage cheese, Quick process Cheese, and Judging Dairy Products. Mr. K. M. Kenney, Head of Dairy Manufacturers Department at Tech conducted these demonstrations.

### WILL WORK ON TAX SURVEY

At least five Friona people have secured employment as helpers on the State Tax Survey, a WPA project that was supposed to begin operations Monday of this week, but word was received that the supplies for the office at Farwell had not been received.

Those from Friona who will go to Farwell to work on this project are George M. Baker, O. D. McLellan and Ruel and Forest Saunders and Miss Thelma Chronister. They have signed to work for a term of at least six months, and the salary will be \$44.00 a month.

George Harold of Hereford, with the West Texas Gas Company, was here Tuesday looking after the interest of the firm.



### ATTENDED HIGHWAY CONVENTION

Friona was represented at the joint convention of the '66' and '60' Highway Associations that was held at Amarillo Monday by F. W. Reeve, A. A. Crow, Jack Browder and John White.

Others attending from Parmer County were County Judge Walter Lander, and County Commissioners Alexander, Thompson, Paul and Schlenker. So far as the writer has been informed these were the only Parmer County representatives in attendance at the convention, which was also attended by delegates from all of the states west of the Mississippi through which these important highways pass, and included Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California.

The convention were held in rooms at the Herring Hotel, there being two sessions of the joint convention and a short separate session was held by each of the two associations.

The joint session adopted resolutions urging the completion of the gaps in the various states on both these highways, that were addressed to the Federal Bureau of Roads at Washington, asking that all allotment of funds by that body for highway work in these several states be designated by it to be applied toward closing these gaps until all gaps on federal highways be closed within these states.

The resolution was quite definite in its meaning and desires and cannot well be misunderstood by the Federal Bureau of Roads to whom it was specifically addressed and it should have no difficulty in arriving at a correct definition of its contents. The resolution was also sent by copy to the Highway Commission of each of these states as well as to the several governors.

It became very plain to those in attendance that there will be no highway building done in this state except at the option and order of the Texas Highway Commission and from the reports of the delegates from the other states, the same condition exists with them, which gives the future of the project a most gloomy aspect so far as an early completion of the highways is concerned, and judging from this aspect it appears that all those people who have opposed the construction of this highway through Parmer county and who still oppose it need have no worry in that regard for at least another year.

### MRS. TRUITT UNIMPROVED

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Truitt returned home Saturday evening from Oklahoma City where they had been for the past ten days for treatment of high blood pressure. It appears that she was unable to secure relief there and she has been taking local treatment since coming home.

### QUILTING BEES THREATENED

It is especially important that good beds be provided for children, because poor posture and misshapen bodies are often caused by poor sleeping conditions. One must rest on a soft, smooth mattress to enjoy comfortable healthful sleep.

In communities where mattress making training schools have been held this month the mattress makers are threatening the supremacy of the quilting bees. Neighbors working together for about 4 hours can complete a mattress worth more than three times the cost of the raw materials used. The materials required for a full size mattress are 9-14 yards of 36 inch wide, eight ounce blue and white stripe ticking, 65 yards of linen quilting twine to make the roll edge, and 55 pounds of clean long staple white cotton.

These training schools have already bought materials to make one or more mattresses this winter. In January training schools upon making mattresses will be held in all the other home demonstration clubs.

Joan's Unexpected Guest Was Her Yuletide Love

NINA had gone with her Donald to Chicago; Vera to her Granny's house to meet her fiance and Dora, she had gone up to Lowell for Bob's fraternity dance.

"Gee, there's that little cripple boy down there in that rooming house on the corner that might relish some nice food. I've waved at him every morning for the last six weeks.

It was scarcely daylight when Joan had gone to the little corner rooming house, slipped a little note of invitation under the door of the cripple boy's door, and was on her way to the store for a supply of everything that belongs in a traditional Christmas feast.

There was barely time to exchange her house dress for a street frock so she might run down to the corner to push the youngster's wheel chair to her house as she had promised.

"You see, miss, I got the invitation—the note was tucked under my door, but I gathered at once who you meant it for so I delivered it to Jimmy and made friends with him—we've been together the past two hours, taking a short ride and now I'm turning him over to you, Miss—Miss—"

"LARRY KING, Miss Burke, and this is Jimmy Jordan. With your permission, then, I'll return for my charge later in the day. What hour do you say, fellow?"

Joan interrupted, "If I may be so bold as to ask—running along to where?"

"To the lurch wagon, if you must know," Larry acknowledged. "You are not. If you don't stay to have Christmas dinner with us, I'm going right out into the street and hall the first stranger I see.

Three partook of Joan's royal feast but the fourth guest, though unseen, was present, too. Love was there uninvited. But that fourth remained forever and a day, upon invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Larry King who never forgot to include little Jimmy Jordan at their special occasion celebrations the year around.—Lueella B. Lyons.

Why Christmas Day Comes on the 25th of December

CHRISTMAS, which seems to have been first officially instituted as a church feast day by a decree of Pope Julius, between 125 A. D. and 154 A. D., was a movable feast. Indeed, it was the most movable of all the Christian festivals.

In A. D. 337 St. Cyril, bishop of Jerusalem, obtained from Pope Julius I authority to appoint a commission to determine, if possible, the precise day of Christ's nativity. From the chronological archives of the Roman emperors, establishing the times of occurrence of certain events of the same period of the Roman government of Palestine, the theologians of the eastern and western divisions of the Christian church agreed upon December 25 as the date of the birth of Jesus, and thereupon this became the officially decreed and generally accepted Christmas day.

CHRISTMAS SMOKES



Alice—They say a woman can't select Christmas cigars. May—Nonsense. I have been sounding my husband and he says he likes light cigars. All you have to do is to match the shade.

Mistletoe, a Tree Parasite

Despite its popularity as a Christmas green, there is little worry about conserving the country's supply of mistletoe. For this attractive plant, with its shiny, dark leaves and waxy white berries, grows as a parasite high on the branches of trees and does considerable damage to its host trees.

Christmas Warning

"Do selfish man," said Uncle Eben, "mustn't be surprised if he only way he can be sure of a 'Merry Christmas' is by talkin' it into a phonograph record."

Tabby Brought Kittens Into Christmas Manger

THE celebration with the Christmas tree that touched the ceiling and had a manger beneath it, was over, and a row of little stockings were hanging for Santa Claus.

Father was about to turn off the lights below and lock the door for the evening when he heard a faint "meow" from the cold darkness without.

"Why, you poor creature," spoke father tenderly, "come in this very minute!" For some moments father was busy making tabby comfortable. He found some milk which he warmed, and plenty of holiday food.

Satisfied and delighted with his Christmas guest, father retired, grinning and wondering what the family would say in the morning.

Christmas morning the happy family entered the living room—the children rushing ahead, bearing their bulging stockings and shouting with laughter.

"Oh, look at the manger!" cried mother with surprise.

"Merry Christmas!" retorted father, trying to keep from bursting out laughing.

Tabby had selected the soft straw of the manger as a fitting birthplace for her litter of Christmas kittens.—Alice B. Palmer.

Her Christmas Present Was a Lovely Daughter

MRS. BURKE wept a little as she trimmed the Christmas tree. "This will be the last time," she thought. "Next Christmas I'll be all alone in the world."

Her son whistled as he shaved. "Getting dolled up," his mother thought. "All for that girl!" She held a bright bulb aloft as though she must dash it to the floor, thought better of it, and hung it on the tree.

"Ready, mother? I'll drop you at church on the way over to Dorothy's." "In just a minute, son." Oh, my son, my son, why must you leave me? Your first Christmas seems only yesterday.

The beautiful old anthems filled the church. "God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son—" The text: "More blessed to give than to receive." Sacrifice. I must give up my son. His happiness means more than mine.

They were waiting for her in front of the church, young and happy. "Say, mother, Dorothy—"

"I couldn't have you spending Christmas alone. Mrs. Burke, we're all going out and celebrate. You see—my brother got married last summer, and I know just how we felt; that we were losing him, and so forth. But I really gained a dear sister, and so I want you to be just my other mother, and think of us both as your children."

Joy swept back into Mrs. Burke's heart. "Such a wonderful Christmas present!" she cried. "A daughter!"—Helen Gaisford.

TOYS CHILDREN LIKE

A COMPREHENSIVE survey leads to the conclusion that building blocks are the favorite toy for children up to the age of seven. Drawing and painting materials rank high. With little girls, dolls and housekeeping equipment are favorites.

Carver's Language

Few people are aware that such a pleasant Yuletide task as carving has a language of its own, which has nothing to do with exasperation. Forgetting for a moment the ubiquitous turkey, which apparently is only "carved," an expert cites the following terms as appropriate to the occasion: Alay a plover, Barb a lobster, Lift a swan, Spall a hen, Unbrace a duck, Disfigure a peacock, Dismember a heron, Thigh a woodcock, and Tame a crab.

Blooms at Christmas Time

According to tradition the famous thorn at Glastonbury Cathedral was brought and planted there by Joseph of Arimathea and was part of the crown of thorns which was pressed upon the brow of Christ.

Christmas in Shanghai Just One of Their Days

WHEN Christmas comes to Shanghai, a cross-section of the world makes holiday. The average Chinaman fails to get the meaning of it, but such a fun-loving people can do well with one more celebration.

There is a distinct western touch to the observance of the season by this most cosmopolitan city. Shanghai's "social registries" start plans for dinners and dances as early as the middle of November; immediately reservations are checked off on the calendars of ballrooms and restaurants.

The exact form of observance varies with the nationality divisions of the city. In the Russian section, the day is observed as it is on the steppes or in Moscow. The French greet Santa Claus in their own way, even though the wax dolls have to be brought far from the Champs Elysees.

At the mission schools, where boys and girls are taught in separate classes, Christmas carols around the tree give modest school girls a chance not only of singing hymns but of "seeing hosts."

In Interior China, however, most of the people prefer to celebrate their own Dragon-boat, Mid-Autumn, and New Year holidays rather than this "imported" one. They do not even try to understand these queer foreigners. To them December 25 is just another day!—Frances Grinstead.

Make Best of Worst of Christmas-Time Mishap

THE snow began nearly a week before Christmas and when the great day arrived, folks were trying to remember the time when it didn't snow in Morton City. Barnes, the only merchant, had put off getting his shopping supply so there were no gifts in town to be bought for love or money.

Folks got over the novelty of their visitors in time for the organization of a huge choir of carol singers that went down to the train and paraded through the length of the coaches, even to singing for the chef and the porters and, of course, all the train men.

The passengers dove into their baggage and brought up books, boxes of candy, candy bars, ties, fancy soaps and bath salts, highly perfumed, beautiful towels and even lovely baby clothing, wearing apparel and jewelry. In fact, not a soul in the little settlement was without one of the impromptu gifts. The passengers received old-fashioned roasted fowls and all trimmings of a generous feast.

ON HIS WAY



Green—Going away this Christmas? Wise—No, but I guess I'll go away right after Christmas. Green—Where to? Wise—To jail as a bad debtor.

Popcorn Presents

Apples, jelly or canned fruit, and even big cherry homemade wreaths done up "Christmas" make practical presents; but the gayest and most welcome of the off-the-farm-and-on-to-the-city presents seem to be pop corn and hickory nuts. With a basket of pop corn and a bag of hickory nuts all kinds of Christmas boxes are suitable for every one from grandfather and grandmother who lived on a farm and picked up chestnuts when they were young, all the way down to the littlest boy cousin, who's inordinately fond of candy.

Holiday Garnish for Salads

Cranberry Jelly sliced and cut into fancy shapes with a cookie cutter or a knife makes an attractive and unusual garnish for salads and desserts during the holiday season.

Uncle Eben's Advice

"Santa Claus will soon be here," said Uncle Eben, "and tain't no time to tell you financial worries. If you writes him a letter, don't write it in red ink."

Christmas Eve Alliance Made Two Hearts Happier

THE wind howled dully, and Oscar Huggins, looking out at the whirling snow, put up the shutters. Put them up right, too, as the little grocery would be closed tomorrow.

He checked over his stock, nibbled a bit of cheese, and opened the back door to throw out a rotting apple.

"Here!" said Oscar roughly. "What are you doing?" The boy looked startled. "I thought you threw it away," he answered, "and see, it's pretty good."

"Humph," said Oscar. "All right, keep it. But, mind, you've no business loitering here. You should be home in this weather, and on Christmas eve, of all times." The lad shifted uneasily but did not leave. "Well?" Oscar demanded.

"I was looking for work, sir." Oscar looked at him sharply. "Out on your own, son?"

"Yes, sir." "Where are your folks?" His tale of bereavement, struggle and loneliness was brief but impressive.

"How'd you like to spend Christmas with me?" the grocer offered. Funny, this life. A bit ago he had almost wished he wasn't closing tomorrow—now it seemed jolly.

"Gee!" exclaimed his new friend. "Swell!"

They packed a market basket overflowing. But Oscar turned back. "Wait a minute." He selected his best candies and found a bit of red string.

"If I keep him to help in the store he'll probably eat it anyway," he consoled, "might as well show him a Merry Christmas."—Helen Gaisford.

Santa as He Appears in the Different Countries

SO SANTA CLAUD wears a red suit and a long white beard, and when he isn't busy in the toy store, drives a sleigh pulled by Donner and Blitzen. Not if you live in Hawaii. There, on a moonlit December night, you might see Santa come riding in from the ocean on a surf-board.

In the Philippines, though it, too, is American, the white cap turns conical like a Spanish clown's. He carries a red-and-white lantern which helps him find the home of every good boy and girl, and drives buffalo, which they call carabao. The gifts are packed in baskets slung across the backs of these creatures.

What would you think of Santa in a rickshaw? But, after all, if you were a Chinese child isn't that what you would expect? And Santa never disappoints. In Japan he sits with his feet tucked under him to take his tea on a wintry afternoon, and in the African tropics—well, you just wouldn't recognize the red suit! He has even taken to using the airplane in our own country. I am sure that when he leaves the reindeer in his barn, he pats the nose of each one and urges the ice elves to feed them plenty of reindeer moss till he comes home again.—Frances Grinstead.

SANTA CLAUS

THERE is a Santa Claus. His real name is Spirit of Charity. He is the symbol of benevolence, compassion and altruism. He is the ideal of that small legion of really human humans who pave unselfishly numerous paths to happiness with kindness, sympathy and charity.

He Was a Dutch Boy

Christmas was celebrated long before Santa Claus was ever thought of. His prototype was the Dutch boy bishop, St. Nicholas, who on December 5 used to go round punishing little children who did not say their prayers and rewarding those who did. Gradually he was changed from a boy into a jovial old man, while the sledge and reindeer are modern additions.

Believe in Yuletide for Dead

Kitzbuhel, Austria, is one of the few places in the world which believe that the dead should share in the Yuletide celebration. On Christmas eve, this picturesque little village in the Tyrol has, for many years, decorated each grave in its cemetery with a tree lighted by candles and other small lights.—Collier's Weekly.

Select Sturdy Toys

Well-built toys which will provide happy play throughout the year are better than those which make a brave showing on the Christmas tree but which are soon broken or discarded.

STRAIGHT FURROW, HOBBY OF FARMERS

The plow is more than a symbol of agriculture. To be able to plow a straight, clean furrow is a real professional accomplishment and one of which any farmer worthy of the name may well be proud.

In a normal season there is limited time available for plowing and seed-bed preparation in the spring, while in the fall 30 days or more may be allowed as suitable for plowing.

In appearance, plows have changed but little in the past few years, nevertheless their improvement has been marked. Even walking plows have been improved much over those of the pre-war period, according to the committee representing the American Society of Agricultural Engineers in their recent study.

United States Consumes Half of World's Lumber

According to "The Year Book" of the New York Society of Architects, "the United States produces and consumes, roughly, half of all the lumber of the world. About 80 per cent of all residences in the United States are wood-built; and on the farms, 98 per cent of all structures. On account of its abundance, prevalence and comparative cheapness, lumber has been crucially associated with the economic history of the country."

Even today, after the advent of many different competing materials, the lumber industry ranks near the top with some 20,000 mills, \$7,000,000,000 of capital investment, employing directly and indirectly more than a million men in good times and a larger producing capacity than it had when the mills were twice as numerous. With the disappearance of the frontier, the industry is changing from a purely extractive to a reproducing industry. The private forests are beginning to be systematically regrown and perpetuated; already about 40 per cent of all lumber comes from renewed forests. Fack of this adaptation are the vast public forests containing about one-half the total standing timber, which are on a sustained yield basis."

LONGER LIFE FOR COUNTRY PEOPLE

Figures brought out in a recent survey by the United States Department of Agriculture provide another argument against rural America leaving the farm for the city. Most of them go to the city in hope of finding life easier and wealth more readily acquired, but it is a matter of cold statistics that people who stay on the farm not only live longer but live better than the city folks, observes a writer in Pathfinder Magazine.

FORMER RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Hester A. Houlette, one of the pioneer settlers of the Friona territory, passed away Sunday, December 1, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Cottingham, of Milestone, Canada. The funeral was held the following day.

M. A. CRUM SUFFERS SEVERE FALL

M. A. Crum, one of Friona's highly esteemed citizen and real estate dealer, suffered a severe and painful bodily injury when he slipped and fell from the running board of a car on which he was riding.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES

The services last Sunday were the same as those of any other Sunday with the exceptions of a sermon at the morning worship hour by the superintendent, Rev. I. J. Marsh, who arrived here from Oklahoma City Sunday morning. Rev. Marsh also preached at 7:30 in the evening and has been preaching each evening since and his services will continue each evening through the week. Regular services next Sunday morning and evening to which all are cordially invited.

DELINQUENT TAX PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND CITY OF FRIONA: To E. L. Smith, and F. P. Harkness, and Unknown Parties, and the Unknown Heirs of the said E. L. Smith, and of the said F. P. Harkness, and the said Unknown Parties

and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots herein after described, the same being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes and the same lying and being situated within the corporate limits of the City of Friona in the County of Farmer, and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot Number Six (6), in Block Number Thirteen, in the town of Friona, Farmer County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said town of Friona of record in the deed records of Farmer County, Texas, to which reference is here made for more specific and definite description.

which said property is delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes for the years 1928-1929-1930-1931-1932-1933-1934 aggregating the sum of \$4.75 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the City of Friona, to secure the payment thereof.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Farmer County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the town of Farwell, Texas on the Second Monday in January, A. D. 1936, the same being the 13 day of January, A. D. 1936, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 21 day of November 1935, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 1196, wherein the City of Friona is plaintiff, and E. L. Smith, and F. P. Harkness, and the Unknown Parties, and the Unknown Heirs of the said E. L. Smith, and of the said F. P. Harkness, and of the said Unknown Parties and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the town of Farwell, in the County of Farmer, Texas, this 21 day of November, A. D. 1935.

E. V. RUSHING, CLERK, District Court FARMER COUNTY, TEXAS THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to serve the foregoing Citation by making publication thereof one time a week for four consecutive weeks, previous to the return day thereof, in a newspaper published in Farmer County; if there be no newspaper published in said County, then in a newspaper published in an adjoining county; provided, that if said Citation can not be published for the compensation provided by law, then service of same shall be made by posting a copy thereof for twenty-one successive days, previous to return date, at three different places in the said County of Farmer, one copy of which shall be at the Court House door of said County.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the town of Farwell, in the County of Farmer, Texas, this 21 day of November, A. D. 1935.

E. V. RUSHING, CLERK, District Court FARMER COUNTY, TEXAS

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**Panhandle Press**

**Claude News:** The Development Club is sponsoring a movie to establish a park in Claude in memory of Dr and Mrs. W. A. Warner and all the Old Settlers.

**White Deer Review:** Contract on White Deer's new \$69,000 grammar school building will be let next Wednesday night, Dec. 11. This will be another milestone in the dream of many patrons of the White Deer school.

The building, which is to be erected as a PWA project, will be located a block south of the Baptist church, east of the present buildings. As a PWA construction project, the federal government will pay almost half of the cost.

Construction probably will start within 30 days after the contract is let.

**Donley County Leader:** Clarendon: The Mothers Club of Clarendon is sponsoring a drive to induce the public to plant crepe-myrtle at every point of advantage in towns along the highway in Donley County, and at every point of advantage on the highways.

The red crepe-myrtle was selected because of its ability to withstand the winters, and the hot summers.

**Groom News:** The Senior class of Groom High School has decided to present their play, entitled "Ballots For Bill" earlier than has been the custom in previous years, and has set the date for Friday night, at 8 o'clock, December 13th. The play is based on politics and is filled throughout with comedy.

**Happy Herald:** We have an interested reader who would like to know why it is that no political party, business organization, big newspaper or magazine publisher has never offered a prize for a plan to stabilize the price of produce without putting the burden on the consumer.

**McLean News:** Readers of this paper constitute the greatest buying power of the community, and merchants have an opportunity the next two weeks that will not occur again for a year. More money will be spent in the two weeks following the next issue of the home paper than in many months of the year. No merchant should allow his advertisement to be out of the home paper at this time of the year.

**Hereford Brand:** When the officials of the Panhandle and Hereford schools met in Amarillo to decide the site of the bi-district game, they refused to call a flipped coin. Therefore, they got a negro porter to call it for Panhandle. He called "tails" and the coin fell "heads". Big Bob Vaughn gave the colored lad such a look he reeled down the stairs. "I thought he was going over the rail instead of fooling around the steps," Hopkins said. Later the local representatives saw the negro and remarked that he was not so good at calling coins. "I don't call 'em so good fo' that other man, but I sho' does call 'em good for you," the darkie replied.

**Miami Chief:** The farmers tell us that we have not had as good prospects for a big wheat crop since 1929. And that's what we call real good news.

**Wellington eader:** To display merchandise for Christmas and then not advertise it reminds me of a person who dresses up in his best clothes and then stays at home.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Parmer County—Greeting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that you summon by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Parmer if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof. Elton Hicks, W. L. Beazley, O. E. Batte, L. C. Roark, Emerson-Brantingham Implement Company, whose residence is unknown to be and appear

**International Sunday School Lesson**

By DR. J. E. NUNN

For Sunday, December 15th, 1935  
General Topic:—Ezra teaching the law of God

Scripture Lesson:—Ezra 7:10; Neh. 8:1-3, 5, 6, 8-12.

10. For Ezra had prepared his heart to seek the law of the Lord, and to do it, and to teach in Israel statutes and judgments.

1. And all the people gathered themselves together and as one man into the street that was before the water gate; and they spake unto Ezra the scribe to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the Lord had commanded to Israel.

2. And Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation both of men and women, and all that could hear with understanding, upon the first day of the seventh month.

3. And he read therein before the street that was before the water gate from the morning until midday, before the men and the women, and those that could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law.

4. And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people; (for he was above all the people;) and when he opened it, all the people stood up: and Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, with lifting up their hands; and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground.

5. So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading.

6. And Nehemiah, which is the Tirshatha, and Ezra the priest the scribe, and the Levites, that taught the people, said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the Lord your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law.

7. Then he said unto them, Go your way, eat the fat, and drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared: for this day is holy unto our Lord; neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the Lord is your strength.

8. So the Levites stilled all the people, saying, Hold your peace, for the day is holy; neither be ye grieved.

9. And all the people went their way to eat, and to drink, and to send portions, and to make great mirth, because they had understood the words that were declared unto them. Golden Text:—Thy word have I laid up in my heart that I might not sin against thee. Ps. 119:11.

**INTRODUCTION**

"An Old Testament Sunday school" this lesson might appropriately be entitled, "Nehemiah and Ezra are the great 'builders' of the Return; the former the civil, the latter the religious. The governor knew that the city and Temple must be materially protected; the priest-scribe that even more important was it that a knowledge of the word of God should be thrown round the life of the community. All sorts of 'builders' are necessary to the advancement of the kingdom of God; the Christian statesman as well as the great preacher; the tactful, far-seeing missionary secretary as well as the evangelist of the home or foreign field - Nehemiah the governor, as well as Ezra the scribe.

**TEACHING "THE BOOK OF THE LAW" Neh. 8:3-8.**

"So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense and caused them to understand the reading."

before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Parmer on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1936, at the Court House thereof in Farwell, Texas, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1935, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1018, wherein J. L. Landrum, is plaintiff and Bethel Hicks, Elton Hicks, W. L. Beazley, R. L. Willard, O. E. Batte, Chester Sheets, L. C. Roark, Emerson-Brantingham Implement Company, and The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows to-wit:

That on or about the 15th day of December, A. D. 1934, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated, lying and being in Parmer County, State of Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit, situated in the town of Friona, and described by metes and bounds as follows:

"BEGINNING at the South side of the Santa Fe Right of way and the West side of Main Street of Friona, (a plat of said Friona is of record in the Deed Records of Parmer County to which reference is hereby made,) THENCE South 124 feet to the public highway, (being State Highway now designated as No. 33).

THENCE West along the North side of said highway, 358 feet; THENCE North 143 feet to the said Santa Fe Right of way;

THENCE along the South side of said right of way to the place of beginning;"

as shown by deed executed by W. H. Warren and wife, Ida Warren, to R. L. Hicks, dated March 22nd, 1925, and as recorded in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas, in Vol. 29, page 417, and also as said land is described in a subsequent deed from the same grantors to the grantee, dated August 26th, 1925, and recorded in said Parmer County Deed Records, in Volume 33, at page 662, as described by metes and bounds as follows:

"BEGINNING at a point in the intersection of the West line of Main Street of Friona) and the North

stand the reading." Neh. 8:5.

It was an interesting congregation: "attentive ears" - "from early morning until midday." "People that are so interested in the worship that they forget the clock and lose all sense of time to get some bread out of the service that will develop robust spiritual life and last many days. Attention is the secret of good hearing, and good hearing contributes inspiringly to good preaching." (Snowden). Then, too, they were truly worshipful. They stood up in the presence of the holy Book; when the ascription of glory to God was made, they all responded the Amen, lifting the hands, bowing the knee.

"We shall learn the lesson taught by the waiting crowd, prone on their faces and blessing God for his Word. A reverential attitude must ever precede reading it, if we are to read aright" (Maclaren). The posture and the forms of worship are not unimportant, but contribute wonderfully to its benefits. Approach God respectfully. On the other hand, the reading was as the reading of God's Word always should be: distinctly; giving the sense (ver. 8). If we really believe it to be God's word, we will not read it aloud as we would the news of a morning paper.

Many ministers and Sunday school superintendents overlook that word "holy" in the Bible inscription when they read it. "And they gave the sense" (ver. 8), would imply that Ezra and his associates explained or paraphrased obscure passages as they went along - as many preachers do with the Scripture lesson.

**BIBLE STUDY BRINGS CONVICTION OF SIN Neh. 8:9.**

"And Nehemiah, which is the Tirshatha, and Ezra the priest the scribe, and the Levites, that taught the people, said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the Lord your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law." (Neh. 8:9). Again the fact should be emphasized that the best possible means for conviction of sin is the Bible. Let God's Word speak and men's hearts will be touched with its power. If our teachers and preachers and personal workers could only see that their best weapon is the Word of our God there would be less use made of the powerless methods and more glorious in gathering of precious souls. God's Word is the sword that we are to use. It is the one that God will honor. It is the one that will be most effective.

**JOY AND LIBERILITY v. 10.**

"Send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared: for this day is holy unto our Lord; neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the Lord is your strength." V. 10. "In the midst of this mourning they were stopped by Nehemiah and Ezra. It was not the day for weeping and sorrow. Even godly sorrow for sin should not rob them of the joy of the feast on that day. The masters of the meeting forbade the people "to mourn and to weep." They were commanded to "hold their peace" and not "be grieved." They were encouraged to testify to their joy, to "put on the garments of praise instead of the spirit of heaviness." This joy might also be manifested in joyous eating of the good things, provided they had "sent portions to them for whom nothing was prepared." They could enjoy their feasting better when they had been instrumental in making others happy."

**A BIBLE STUDY FEAST OF TABERNACLES Ver 13-18**

The first day's reading only sharpened their appetites for further

line of the Public Highway, (No. 33) and being 436.5 feet North from the Northeast corner of Block No. 142 of the town of Friona, Texas;

THENCE in a southwesterly direction with the North line of said public highway, 238 feet to Gischler and Mead's southeast corner; THENCE North 10 degrees West, 126 feet and two (2) inches to the South line of the Santa Fe Railway, right of way;

THENCE in a northeasterly direction, with said right of way 280 feet to the intersection of the west line of Main Street of the town of Friona;

Thence South 134 feet to the place of beginning."

That on the day and year above stated defendants and each of them unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected the plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof, to his damages in the sum of \$5000.00; that the reasonable monthly rental value of said property is the sum of \$50.00 per month.

Plaintiff would further show that he is holding and claiming the title to the premises hereinabove described by virtue of certain deeds of conveyance and will show that the land conveyed is the land herein first described or the land secondly herein described; for judgment for the title and possession of said real property and the fixtures situated thereon and for his writ of possession and for all relief in law and in equity, special and general, for which he may show himself entitled to.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1935.

E. V. RUSHING, Clerk District Court Parmer County, Texas

knowledge of the Word of God. The scene would be that of a great community Sunday school. The general public reading was followed by a more intensive study, in groups, with the men named in verses 7 and 9 as teachers. Verse 14 would not imply that the feast of Tabernacles had been utterly neglected, but that it had not been properly observed. That the priests and Levites, even, were ignorant of the directions for the festival, as given in such passages as Leviticus 23 and Deuteronomy 16, reflects badly upon their acquaintance with their Scriptures.

**MODEL TEACHING**

"So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading." (ver. 8).

**DELINQUENT TAX PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND CITY OF FRIONA:

To H. Wolverton, and Unknown Parties, and the Unknown heirs of the said H. Wolverton, and of the said Unknown Parties, and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the corporate limits of the City of Friona, in the County of Parmer, and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot Number Ten (10), in Block Number Thirteen (13), in the town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said town of Friona of record in the deed records of Parmer County, Texas, to which reference is here made for more specific and definite description.

which said property is delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes for the years 1928-1929-1930-1931-1932-1933-1934 aggregating the sum of \$4.72 including interest penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the City of Friona, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Farwell, Texas, on the Second Monday in January, A. D. 1936, the same being the 13th day of January, A. D. 1936, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 21 day of November 1935, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 1104, wherein the City of Friona is plaintiff, and George G. Wright, and Unknown Heirs of the said George G. Wright,

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Farwell, Texas, on the Second Monday in January, A. D. 1936, the same being the 13th day of January, A. D. 1936, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 21 day of November 1935, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 1108, wherein in the City of Friona is plaintiff, and H. Wolverton, and Unknown Parties, and the Unknown Heirs of the said H. Wolverton, and of the said Unknown Parties and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the town of Farwell, in the County of Parmer, Texas, this 21 day of November, A. D. 1935.

E. V. RUSHING, CLERK, District Court PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to serve the foregoing Citation by making publication thereof one time a week for four consecutive weeks, previous to the return day thereof, in a newspaper published in Parmer County; if there be no newspaper published in said County, then in a newspaper published in an adjoining county; provided, that if said Citation can not be published for the compensation provided by law, then service of same shall be made by posting a copy thereof for twenty-one successive days, previous to return date, at three different places in the said County of Parmer, one copy of which shall be at the Court House door of said County.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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E. V. RUSHING, CLERK, District Court PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS

**DELINQUENT TAX PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS AND CITY OF FRIONA

To George G. Wright, and Unknown Parties, and the Unknown Heirs of the said George G. Wright, and the said Unknown Parties

and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the corporate limits of the City of Friona in the County of Parmer, and State of Texas, to-wit: Lots Number One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), and Eight (8) in Block Number Thirteen (13) in the town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said town of Friona of record in the deed records of Parmer County, Texas, to which reference is here made for more specific and definite description.

which said property is delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes for the years 1928-1929-1930-1931-1932-1933-1934 aggregating the sum of \$30.06 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the City of Friona, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Farwell, Texas, on the Second Monday in January, A. D. 1936, the same being the 13 day of January, A. D. 1936, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 21 day of November 1935, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 1104, wherein the City of Friona is plaintiff, and George G. Wright, and Unknown Heirs of the said George G. Wright,

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**DELINQUENT TAX PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS AND CITY OF FRIONA:

To John Benner, and Unknown Parties, and the Unknown heirs of the said John Benner, and of the said Unknown Parties.

and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes, and the same lying and being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the corporate limits of the City of Friona, in the County of Parmer, and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot Number Seven (7), in Block Number Thirteen (13), in the town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said town of Friona of record in the deed records of Parmer County, Texas, to which reference is here made for more definite and specific description.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the town of Farwell, in the County of Parmer, Texas, this 21 day of November, A. D. 1935.

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**HERE'S YOUR LAUGH**

**Not for That**  
Rescuer—"How was it you came to fall in?" Rescued—"I didn't come to fall in at all. I come to fish."

**Not Bending Down**  
"Goodness! How fat Betty is getting."  
"That's because she daily doesn't."

**Too Much Pressure**  
More—"What caused the coolness between you and your girl friend?"  
Less—"A heated argument."

**On the Green**  
"He plays a fair golf game, doesn't he?"  
"Yes, if you watch him!"

**One of the Boys**  
Bill—"Do you know that boy Jones?"  
Jim—"Oh, yes, he sleeps beside me at history class."

**Little Hope Left**  
Rexford—"I suppose you think I'm a perfect idiot?"  
Roberta—"Oh, none of us are perfect."

**Leftovers**  
Tourist (in museum)—"What's in here?"  
Guide—"Remains to be seen, sir.—Answers Magazine."

**That's Something**  
"Do you have much variety at your boarding house?" "Well, we have three different names for the meals."—Tit-Bits Magazine.

**An Anesthetic**  
"How did you like my book 'The Confessions of a Surgeon'?"  
"Well, the opening pages made me shudder."

**Lacking Courage**  
"If your book on the 'Cultivation of Courage' finished yet?"  
"Yes, but I haven't had the nerve to take it to the publishers yet."

**Stocked Up**  
Jones—"Did you ever fool with the stock market?"  
James—"No, I was serious; the stock market did the fooling."

**TOPPER IS DOOMED; FEW LEARNING TRADE**  
The silk hat, unlike its felt competitors, does not lend itself to mass production, notes a writer in Tit-Bits Magazine. Every "topper" is the skillful creation of several experts working in conjunction, who have served a long apprenticeship to the job. They are body-bakers, trimmers, finishers, and shapers. The body consists of stiffened calico wound around a cylindrical block, and upon this the brim and top are ironed. The plush cover, cut to graded sizes, is sewed together with a diagonal seam, and placed over the body while hot. A it cools it contracts to a perfect fit. The finisher gives the silk hat its beautiful sheen, and the shaper curls the brim and puts in the lining.

The very fact that the "topper" is the production of experts tends to make its doom even more certain than it would otherwise be, for no youth is likely to enter upon a long apprenticeship to a dying trade, and thus the time will soon come when no one capable of making a silk hat will be left. At the present there remain only a few hundred of such men.

**Paying for "Nothing"**  
"For every half-dozen shirts a man buys, he pays for a seventh one because of the diseases of cotton; for every sweet potato the housewife buys, she pays for two she doesn't get. One bean in every dozen, one apple in every seven, one peach in every eight, one bushel of potatoes in every twelve, and one bushel of wheat in every ten is destroyed by plant diseases," says E. P. Pirone, New York State college plant pathologist.

**Riksdag Votes by Electricity**  
Votes taken in the Riksdag, the parliament of Sweden, are counted by electricity. On the desk of each deputy are three buttons. When a vote is taken the deputy presses the button which records his opinion, and within a minute the total results appear in luminous figures behind the seat of the president.

**Nova Scotia Has 512,848**  
Nova Scotia had its first official census 118 years ago. There were 51,351 persons. According to the last census the population was 512,848, which is 6,304 times the number in 1817.

**Not Checked**  
Man—"I must get my overcoat which I left at the railroad station."  
Friend—"Was it checked?"  
Man—"No, brown, with a belt across the back."—Chelsea Record.

**Better Choice**  
Judge—"You can take your choice, \$10 or ten days."  
Prisoner—"I'll take the money, your honor."

**Toot, Toot, Toot!**  
Howell—"He has a good many ties."  
Powell—"He must be a railroad man."  
—Detroit News.

**Wears Out the Shoes**  
Jud Tunkins says every big parade ought to be given a subsidy from the shoe industry.

**ON THE SIDELINES**

Don't let a proverb influence your life.  
A short answer gives one a rest from long annoyance.

Good orangeade has to cost enough money to be good.  
No one can make a fool out of a man without his help.

Own a house and find that something is always out of order.  
Paper towels are indeed a blessing. They are always clean.

Culture is of little value socially except among the cultured.  
Life is interesting enough for us, that most of us want it to go on.

A man can start life with a shoestring and now not have even that.  
Art is of no account unless it arouses thought or at least emotion.

There is too much praise of novels and perhaps too much censure of dramas.  
It is easier to be patient if you can think of something else than being patient.

People do not loosen up on the purse-string until you reach their heart-strings.  
There is a great crop of adenoids for surgery, but how are adenoids prevented?

Have you felt at times, that you would like to sleep as long as Rip Van Winkle?  
The beauty doctor can help anyone, even a man, by putting some variation in his hair.

Unselfishness is almost a religion; but it is an exasperation to see it bestowed on the selfish.  
Only an expert shopper can visit 17 stores in one afternoon and escape without spending a cent.

Literature covers everything, including what the pallbearers say on the way to the cemetery.  
To move from the city to the country changes your whole mode of thought. One becomes a different man.

**ROYAL COACH IS NOW A BUNGALOW**

In the little-known cove of Aberporth, on the Cambrian coast, is a bungalow made from a railway coach which once formed part of Queen Victoria's royal train. It was also used for her majesty's funeral in 1901. On that occasion, the train carried more crowned heads than had ever before gathered together in one place before, states a writer in Pearson's Weekly.

Three ivory discs, marked "Quick," "Slow," and "Stop," were affixed to the ceiling of the royal compartment, and connected with a lever handle. The wishes of the royal travelers regarding the speed of the train were made known by moving the handle, which operated a signal on the roof. To watch the signal, a traveling porter sat in a specially designed hooded seat, with his back to the engine driver.

These discarded railway coaches are being put to a multitude of uses nowadays. They are being converted, for instance, into shooting-boxes, dressing rooms for swimming pools, workshops for amateur mechanics, and potting sheds and tool sheds for gardeners.

**Sun's Rays Cure Acidity**  
Many treatments are offered for the purpose of overcoming acidity in the body, but a recent authority makes the statement that these are effective only to the extent of 2 per cent, but the theory is now advanced that this is the explanation of the grateful action of the sun's rays. It is said that the violet rays of sunlight have the action of neutralizing the acid by breaking down the acid molecules and dispersing the acid.

**Tomato Brings Back Sight**  
A family argument which ended when a Long Branch (Ont.) resident was hit in the eye with a tomato, had a happy ending when the victim, who had been blind for 27 years, found he could see again. It was thought that either the acid in the tomato or the force of the blow destroyed the cataract which had impeded the man's sight, says the Canadian Press.

**Sheep-Killing Cat Shot**  
The "killer of Helvellyn," the mysterious night marauder which slew scores of sheep in the lake and mountain district of England, has finally been shot. It was a cat, 3 feet long, which has been running wild near Sel-side. After the Ulswater fox hounds had failed to find the animal, a band of farmers organized a searching party and tracked and shot it.

**A Combination**  
The Customer—"Are those real gold fish?"  
The Clerk—"Well, the fact is, there is a little alloy in them. You see, their father is a silver bass."—Lincoln (Neb.) State Journal.

**Texas Has Unique Plant**  
Tiny blobs of green "moss" found in streams in the Davis mountains have been found to be a small species of the ruffie plant known nowhere in the world but in the vicinity of Fort David, Texas.

**The Easy Epithet**  
"Father," said the small boy, "what is a demagogue?"  
"A demagogue is a man who can persuade people to listen to arguments with which they do not agree."

**Women Religious in Chile**  
In Santiago, Chile, the women are extremely religious and the men inclined to agnosticism.

**THIS 'N' THAT**

Gossip is told with tears that envenom it.  
Love will find a way, but is that always best?

In age one prefers no events to exciting ones.  
Laziness may be only the result of one's endocrines.

Are you troubled with nerves? Plow three acres of corn.  
Laziness may be a disease; perhaps diligence can be, too.

Even crooks like people who are sincere and outspoken.  
"When money talks it is in the form of a money-lugue."

Every man who thinks of his work as a career will go farther.  
"Some people who try to get in the swim, merely get into hot water."

Dignity is something you exhibit when you raise children properly.  
Governments always spend money as if nobody had to work hard for it.

Most of the time we live better because of the old ideas, not the new ones.  
You don't have to openly agree with anyone unless you want to; or openly disagree.

You can't tell. Maybe the fish goes home and brags about the size of the bait he stole.  
Two dozen talkie films were made in Bengal in 1932, a 100 per cent increase over 1931.

A good many Americans are so constructed that they can't be a "follower" of anyone.  
People will talk about the weather because they want to be sociable without saying anything.

Compulsory marriage for all men and women before the age of thirty is one object of a new political party in Brazil.  
Long-Range Forecasts

Dr. Irving Krick of the California Institute of Technology recently explained a system by which weather has been accurately predicted for periods up to 10 days. The system, according to Pathfinder Magazine, consists of observing the variations in the height of the boundary between the stratosphere and the lower air layers. These variations are caused by shifts in the upper layers of the lower air and the lower layers of the stratosphere, and result in changes of the atmospheric pressure. Since atmospheric pressure has a direct bearing upon the weather, observations of the stratosphere boundary enables the forecasters to anticipate conditions and make their predictions.

**Vanilla Preferred**  
Men form 51 per cent of the buyers of ice cream, and in soda dispensing establishments and similar places it is an item that figures in more sales than anything else in stock. Last year, for all of America, the per capita consumption was 282 gallons. For the entire country, vanilla ice cream comprises 56 per cent of all sold, chocolate accounts for 10 per cent and strawberry 8 per cent.

**Medals for Large Families**  
For the past 15 years France has awarded a decoration to mothers for raising large families, a bronze medal for having five children, a silver one for having eight and a gold one for having ten or more. Yet, despite this and other encouragement, France today has to depend on immigration to maintain her population.—Collier's Weekly.

**Tree Growth**  
One of nature's oddities is that a tree expands as the seasons pass and height is attained only by new growth at the top of the tree. Hence, if a live tree be used as a fence post, ten, fifteen or twenty years later, the wires would be no higher from the ground.—Pathfinder Magazine.

**Singing Fireman**  
Honolulu fire department has a glee club which in off-duty moments rides around town serenading the citizens, a unique condition found in perhaps no other American city.

**Army Holds Horse Shows**  
Horse shows are an interesting feature of U. S. army life at Schofield barracks, 30 miles from the American city of Honolulu.

**One-Way Conversation**  
Telephone Operator—"It costs 75 cents to talk to Bloomfield."  
Caller—"Can't you make a special rate for just listening? I want to call my wife.—Associated Magazines."

**They'll Bear Watching**  
Mrs. A.—"I like to have a man about, don't you?"  
Mrs. B.—"Provided I know what he is about."

**Rest in Peace**  
"I specialize in sleeping tablets."  
"Oh, so you're a druggist!"  
"No, a tombstone maker."

**DELINQUENT TAX PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND CITY OF FRIONA:

To HENRY HARTLEIN and UNKNOWN PARTIES, and the UNKNOWN HEIRS of the said HENRY HARTLEIN, and the said UNKNOWN PARTIES

and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the corporate limits of the City of Friona in the County of Parmer, and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot Number Nine (9), in Block Number Thirteen (13), in the town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said town of Friona of record in the deed records of Parmer County, Texas, to which reference is here made for more specific and definite description.

which said property is delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes for the years 1928-1929-1930-1931-1932-1933-1934, aggregating the sum of \$4.72 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the City of Friona, to secure the payment thereof.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the town of Farwell, in the County of Parmer, Texas, this 21 day of November, A. D. 1935.

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**DELINQUENT TAX PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND CITY OF FRIONA:

To Jesse Arbaugh, and unknown parties, and the unknown heirs of the said Jesse Arbaugh, and the said unknown parties

and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes and the same lying and being situated within the corporate limits of the City of Friona in the County of Parmer, and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots Number Eleven (11), and Twelve (12), in Block Number Thirteen (13) in the town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said town of Friona of record in the deed records of Parmer County, Texas, to which reference is here made for more specific and definite description.

which said property is delinquent to the City of Friona for taxes for the years 1928-1929-1930-1931-1932-1933-1934 aggregating the sum of \$9.41 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the City of Friona, to secure the payment thereof.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the town of Farwell, Texas on the Second Monday in January, A. D. 1936, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 21 day of November 1935, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 1163, wherein the City of Friona is plaintiff, and Jesse Arbaugh, and unknown parties, and the unknown heirs of the said Jesse Arbaugh, and the said unknown parties and all persons and record holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

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