

# Something to Thankful For--- That We Live in America--- Not in Italy or Germany and Have Salute "His Excellency" Hitler or His Nibs, Mussolina. Are We Happy?

## M. E. Pastor to Reside Here

At a meeting of the membership of the M. E. church on Monday night, the decision was made that the pastor, Rev. J. S. Marshall and family will live in Woodville. At present they are living in the Powell apartment. Woodville citizens are glad to have these splendid people make their home here. The daughter, Miss Marguerite, is in her junior year at S. M. U. John is a junior in high school and Jack is in the 7th grade. Both boys are scouts. J. W. Harrison, Mrs. P. H. Powell and J. Wood Fain were named as a committee to make plans and ways and means for a new parsonage, and lay them before the quarterly conference when it meets. Next Sunday Rev. Marshall will be with the Colmesnell church both morning and evening.

## Service Officer Here Dec. 1st

Miles Wasson, of the Veterans State service office, will be in Woodville Thursday, Dec. 1, to assist the veterans and their dependents who have problems in connection with their claims growing out of war service. Mr. Wasson has visited here several times in the past 12 months and each time he has been able to assist some veteran and some veteran's dependent in securing Government benefits they were entitled to receive. This time he is very anxious to see as many war veterans and Gold Star mothers as possible, since recent legislation liberalized laws pertaining to widows and Gold Star mothers. All persons desiring to see Mr. Wasson while he is in Woodville may contact him on Thursday, Dec. 1, at court house. The veterans of Foreign Wars post are co-operating in this field service work for veterans and dependents, and any further information desired concerning the visit of this service officer to Woodville may be secured from Hill C. Durham or other officers or members of the post.

## Governor Allred In Proclamation

It has been understood Tyler county is to be released from fever tick quarantine the first of December, and now comes a very timely proclamation giving the referees. Proclamation relieves the stigma of quarantine in several counties, but natives herabouts are interested primarily in Tyler county. Permits, must be procured in case of shipment by truck through counties still in quarantine. Railways, not so. The proclamation is couched in terms of certain lines as follows in one instance, and acquainted with the country to know what counties are released: "Beginning at a point on the Hidalgo-Cameron county line where the Arroyo Colorado intersects the line, thence--its all beyond this writer. The proclamation starts out with: "Whereas, the following whole counties, to-wit: Jefferson, Newton, Orange, Sabine, San Augustine, Trinity, and all of that part of Cameron, Galveston, Liberty and surrounding counties; Cameron, Bexar, Starr described below; Polk county and we know these two counties are still in quarantine; Liberty county, respectively reported to this writer as still in quarantine. No American wants to ally of the 3,789,000 men that Messrs. Lewis and Bittner say follow their lead what car any one of them can buy. But what American, wants any one of the 3,789,000 to tell him what he must or must not do?--Dallas News.

## SILSBEE PLAYER RULED ELIGIBLE BY OFFICIALS

Kirbyville, Tex., Nov. 21.--The eligibility of Billy Van Winkle of the Silsbee team was indisputed unanimously here tonight at a meeting of the District 24-B committee. Van Winkle's status had been protested by Jasper high. The committee also testified Silsbee as the 1938 champion and in the same performance in the region. The committee of this section, which plays Crockett county, is composed of officials of the district. Officials of the district schools are scheduled to meet in Chester Tuesday for complete arrangements for the coming season, including site and

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We notice that P. H. Powell has been named on rural relations committee of the East Texas C. of C. and its president, Paul W. Sanderson states that "This is one of the most important assignments in the chamber program of work. The committee will bring about a close working relationship between town and country in the interest of community programs looking to mutually bettering conditions for all."

## Bad Fire Loss In Woodville

About the middle of the afternoon Saturday a fire alarm was raised and the townspeople and others hurried to the J. Williams home, and most of the household goods with the exception of the kitchen furnishings were saved. The fire started in the bath room on the south end of the back porch and had reached the open porch when discovered. First ones at the scene said it could have been put out but the well curb near the bath room on the porch was burning to the house. The house burned to the ground. J. Williams, who has been in poor health for many months was prostrated at the loss. They carried no insurance. They are with the town and wife, Mrs. O. Williams, but hope and are planning on building at once.

## HUMBLE OIL & REFINING FOOTBALL BROADCAST

Climaxing Thanksgiving Day radio programs in Texas will be the Humble Oil & Refining Company's broadcast of the traditional Thanksgiving day football game between the University of Texas and the Texas Aggies, to be played this year in Memorial Stadium, Austin. Ken Tipp will bring radio followers a play-by-play description of the game, with Hal Thompson handling color. The game begins at 2:30 p. m., and Humble's broadcast ten minutes earlier, at 2:20. The broadcast can be heard over stations KNOW, Austin, WFAA-WBAP, Dallas-Ft. Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; KPRC, Houston.

## BOYCOTTE AND WHAT

For a good many years, the industrial conditions in Henry Ford's plants in regard to wages and working conditions have been regarded as the best or among the best. Yet Henry Ford is described by Van A. Bittner, a regional CIO director, as a V-B industrialist and a Model T sociologist. Why? Because the Ford plants refuse to recognize a pro-union and largely unwanted majority as a collective bargaining agency for their employees.

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Mr. D. C. Bracken has returned from a deer hunt in western Texas. They surely brought home bacon or should we have said the venison. J. R. Swanson of Beaumont Sundayed here with Mrs. Swanson and the baby. Miss Mary Frances Hickman of State U and brother John of Marshall college arrived home yesterday for Thanksgiving. Carey Cruse and the Misses Billy Jones and Mollie Marie Adams of Baylor U in Waco spent the Thanksgiving holiday with home folks in Colmesnell. Arthur Gene Anglin who is attending Allen Academy at Bryan is home for the week end. Martin Nellius, Jr., of Beaumont is home for Turkey day. Miss Hallie Wilcox is spending the week end with home folks in Cameron. Miss Ruth Wheat and brother James E. arrived home yesterday. Mrs. Jack Kelley visited Mrs. Jay Kelley Sunday enroute to Beaumont from Nacogdoches. Mrs. Rod Lowery of Opelousas are visiting the parents, Mrs. Jay Kelley. Mrs. C. D. Willford are happy over the safe arrival of a baby son on Monday night. Mrs. Booth McAllister are happy to have the son, Merle, home for the season's holidays. Marie is from the west coast. West Virginia off the west coast. His sister, Miss Jo Lala, attending school in Nacogdoches is also home for the week end. Mesdames Leidon Risinger and Claud Risinger were Beaumont shoppers one day last week. Mrs. Joe Ashby, Mrs. Ora Lindsey of Jasper, Mrs. Joe Wickline of Kirbyville, Mrs. J. E. White of Sour Lake, Judge and Mrs. D. P. Rodt enjoyed the Thanksgiving dinner Wednesday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. J. C. Cook and daughter, Miss J. C. Cook. The Methodist church had a get-together at the church Monday afternoon for a business meeting. During the afternoon

## PTA In Meeting Last Wednesday

A good crowd met in PTA on Wednesday of last week. After the regular session, with Mrs. Forest Pate president, in the chair the afternoon's program with the subject of music in the schools was gone into. Miss Willis Mae Allison spoke on "The Why of Public School Music" and Edward Martin, spoke on the aid of music and hand work as a character builder. The so new band with more than 40 members, presented a 30-minute program which was most interesting to both parents and teachers. It was voted to accept the recommendation of the executive committee and give \$100 to the band fund. Mrs. Lee Hensley presented the year books to the association.

## ALL FOR THE WANT OF A BARREL OF WATER

Oh, yes, Woodville has a little chemical two or more wheels, as the case may be, but because it was nobody's business to know where it is stored, or whether it was properly charged for use, and, further, because apparently, no one knew how to operate it, the home of J. A. Williams was destroyed Saturday afternoon. The first to reach the fire was Otho Hopson. Right then about four pails of water would have saved the house and home, but the fire surrounded the well on the back porch, and so the aid of Woodville way of doing things prevailed--it burned.

## Woodville Locals

Supt. Lee Hensley will be in Dallas this week end to attend the teacher's meeting. Rev. J. C. Boyd drove to Marshall yesterday after his daughter, Miss Lucille for the season's vacation at home. The Eastern Star members will sponsor the Fair Theatre shows on Wednesday, Nov. 30 and Thursday, Dec. 1st. Get ready for Dec. 1st. They are trying to pay off \$300 borrowed to help remodel the Masonic hall. There will also be a show tent show with connection with the picture given by the O. E. S. members. Mrs. F. H. Lebat and daughter returned Saturday from Houston where she has been with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Greer. Some weeks ago Mrs. Lebat had the motor to run a nail into her foot and has had serious trouble with the wound. It is still not able to be upon her feet much.

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Mrs. Lee Hensley had a number of friends and neighbors in Wednesday for an informal get-together and served refreshments. She plans to entertain two afternoons next week. Mrs. E. W. Bailey will attend the State teachers meeting this week and finish out her vacation in relatives in Texas. Christmas comes this year on Sunday and only four more Sunday services before. Attend some service next Sunday. You are cordially invited to hear Rev. Tom Minyard at the Christian church both morning and evening. Gene Autrey wild west shows are interesting to the young and it is appreciated that Mr. Autrey insists that his contract states he never require them to smoke or drink in a film, because he realizes that the larger share of his fans are youngsters. Mrs. Lewis Parr left yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with home folks and will attend the State gathering of teachers in Dallas. Mrs. Alice Lakey of Chester with Miss Midge Schellefforth are spending the week end in Houston, relatives in Texas. The ladies of the Christian church were luncheon guests of Mrs. Tom Minyard in Beaumont Monday and a number of the Beaumont ladies joined them in the afternoon for the Missionary lesson led by Mrs. Ora Lindsey. Mrs. Carrie Schellefforth stayed down for a week visit with relatives. Mrs. Foreman were business visitors in Beaumont yesterday. Mrs. Arthur Woolley of Fort Neches visited in the J. B. Riley home Saturday. Miss Alleta Dismukes with Mrs. Peter Swearingen were in Houston for the week end and attended the marriage of Miss Hazel Dismukes, daughter of Mrs. Willis Dismukes, and Clyde Neal to the home of Rev. and Mrs. Henry G. Knowles. The Bachelor with other Tyler county ladies and relatives extended best wishes to the bride and groom for the future. WHEN THE FIRE WAS OPENED MAN PEOPLE BEHIND PAINTS

## Boy Scouts Acquire Hut

The local Boy Scouts have been handicapped because of lack of a meeting place and space for work. Mrs. Zula Harrison has turned over to them the acre and a half just north of the Martin Nellius home with permission to fix up barn for a scout hut. They will be assisted by Scout Master Roy Pate and J. H. Keneson, Jr., head of the county recreational work. It is hoped the citizens will be interested and help the boys make a place where work and play under supervision can be done through the winter months when evenings are a problem.

## CHESTER CLEANS UP ON SAN AUGUSTINE

The Chester Yellow Jackets of Coach Roy Permenter defeated the San Augustine Wolves of Coach Joe Barnes here this afternoon in a district 24-B game by the score of 7-0. The Jackets were badly out-weighted by the heavy San Augustine team, but outplayed their heavier opponents throughout having possession of the ball on the Wolves' three-foot line when the game ended. It was the first official conference victory of the Yellow Jackets, although a forfeit from Buna gave them the other set. The Wolves have not won a district game this season.

## Woodville Locals

Lieut. and Mrs. Allen Bowie arrived yesterday from Shreveport and with Mrs. P. H. Powell went on to Austin to take in the A & M game today. Tomorrow they will visit relatives in New Braunfels. Mrs. Lydia Willford enjoyed the week end in Long Station with her sister, Mrs. G. H. Hodnett who was here Friday night to attend Eastern Star.

## LIST OF PETTY JURORS (Fourth Week)

- C. J. McMillan Warren
- J. Z. Mills Woodville
- B. B. Pennington Woodville
- S. C. Howell Colmesnell
- J. N. Fuller Warren
- J. E. Hyde Woodville
- W. R. B. Warren Warren
- A. B. Barnes Chester
- L. V. Hardy Chester
- M. L. Spinka Colmesnell
- T. Nolan Warren
- W. B. Grimes Woodville
- J. J. Mills Woodville
- Ray M. Shrock Dies
- W. L. Wallace Woodville
- Denny Howell Colmesnell
- J. H. Evans, Jr. Woodville
- Carl Pope Warren
- J. J. Jordan Spurger
- W. R. Haynes Smith Ferry
- Geo. Doerge Dies
- J. W. Bostick Dies
- Clarence Crosby Colmesnell
- John M. Ferryman Spurger
- Kelso Seaman Chester
- James Mahaffey Chester
- D. P. McDonald Doucette
- Carl Best Woodville
- C. E. Elliott Warren
- W. L. Wallace Rockland
- L. E. Johnson Rockland
- Herman Hopkins Chester
- Fred Davis Colmesnell
- E. W. Ashworth Chester
- E. W. Gibbs Smith Ferry
- C. A. Seamon Chester

## WILL THE NEW 1938 LICENSE PLATES WEAR?

Tags used by Texans on their automobiles during 1938 were poorly constructed made of poor metal colored with rotten paint and were "baked" or "soaked" in oil. One "baked" or "soaked" tag did not last a man's year. The new tags for 1939 are made of a better material and are "baked" or "soaked" in oil. The new tags are made of a better material and are "baked" or "soaked" in oil. The new tags are made of a better material and are "baked" or "soaked" in oil.

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## Red Cross Hold Meeting

After the Red Cross roll call in a session held Monday evening, the Red Cross held a meeting Monday night. The United States Treasury department through the Beaumont chamber of commerce. The treasury department's warning was to the effect that business firms should beware of cashing government checks for strangers. In view of the fact that soon there will be many government checks handed out the warning is very timely.

## Care in Cashing Checks is Urged

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## HEY, YOU SOLONS, WHO PROMISED ECONOMY IN CAMPAIGN, HOW COME?

Austin, Nov. 20.--Fifty million new tax dollars must be found in Texas during the coming year if the legislature is to satisfy seekers after governmental manna who are demanding that something be done for their cause. The principal request is from the forces of the incoming governor, W. Lee O'Daniel, who campaigned on the pledge to provide \$15 per month pension money to each citizen over 65 years of age, and hoped to match it with similar sums from the federal government. The pension bill, if the plan is carried out has been estimated as high as \$35,000,000. Other requests send the total soaring.

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They include an appropriation of at least \$2,000,000 annually for the state's part of the Teachers' retirement fund, \$1,600,000 annually for assisting children, \$350,000 per year for aid to the blind, \$2,000,000 more for the next biennium for eleemosynary institutions, and indefinite sums for additional common school, college and state advertising purposes. Ways and means to finance the demanded additional tax drains, will be the No. 1 problem confronting the legislators when they meet soon after Jan. 1. The raising of the additional funds will be embarrassing to many because in the recent primaries they pledged more economy in government. On the other hand, it will also be embarrassing to those who pledged additional aid to constituents who are clamoring for it now. In relation to the state's total income from taxes, the proposed \$50,000,000 is formidable--almost half of the \$111,650,528 Texas accumulated during the past fiscal year. And without the proposed increase, state expenses are running \$2,000,000 ahead of receipts. In comparison with revenues of past years, the rise in Texas taxes shows a steady increase. Revenues for typical years are: Fiscal 1901, \$2,962,880; 1916, \$21,968,161; 1930, \$77,442,721; 1935, \$82,604,222. In 89 years, therefore, taxes doubled.

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## Woodville Team Wins From Buna

Right at the beginning last Friday it looked as though the Buna aggregation of pig skin jerseys were going to pin back the Woodville Eagles ears. What's that, Eagles have ears? The season with the Cougars grabbed off a score right at the very beginning. However, the Eagles came right back and with Pitts successfully charging over the line and then making the extra counter with an off-tackle amash, the count was all tied up. That was all the counting for the first quarter. In the second Stanley aashed through the line for another extra counter. But the Cougars seemingly were not to be denied, and they, too, chalked up another counter. That ended the counting for the first half. Third stanza Stanley connected with a Buna hobbie and again Pitts made the one count on a line play. Later the Eagles gained a couple more counters when Buna tried to kick from behind their own goal line. Officials: Referee, Badders (Texas); umpire, Stephenson (Texas); head linesman, Hodges (A. & M.).

## TYLER HIGH OKYED

The undefeated untied Tyler high school football team, an outstanding contender for the Texas interscholastic league championship, is eligible to continue in the race, it was decided by unanimous vote of the district 9 executive committee last Wednesday. Longview had protested on the grounds Wallace Scott, Tyler high school end, had not been placed on the eligibility list at the start of the season. Scott had been used all five conference games won by the Lions. In a two and one-half hours session, the major part of the discussion being taken up by Longview and Clewster, the only team remaining in the district race except Tyler, the committee reached its decision.

## OFFICER RETURNS WOMAN'S EAR

Long Beach, Cal.--A police officer found and returned Laura McClellan's left ear shortly after an automobile crash. Speedy delivery by motorcycle, it was sewed on by a surgeon, and the following day the operation was pronounced a success.

## THE PRESIDENT'S RADIO SPEECH

On Friday night, Nov. 4th, '38, President Roosevelt made a radio address to the nation, requesting the people to support all liberals who are candidates for office "without regard to race, color or creed." Mr. Roosevelt can vote for negroes, Chinamen, Japs, or any other colored people he desires to support, but he will have about as much success in getting the American people to vote with him as he will have in getting them to vote for him in the future. This remark of the President smacks of the thought that he should have told what he really had in mind was, vote for the people that he could make do his bidding--Texas Tax Journal.

## YOUNGER WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Mrs. J. Wood Fain, president, is calling a meeting of the younger women's Bible class of the Methodist church. The purpose of the meeting is to complete organization and make plans for the year's work. Each member is especially urged to be present and to bring any prospective members. The place of the meeting is at the home of Mrs. Fain, Monday, Dec. 5, 7:15 o'clock.

## Woodville Locals

Mrs. M. W. Wadsworth of Beaumont visited Mrs. Annis and family here Sunday.

## BIBLE FACTS

Prepared for the Christian Science Monitor by Thomas L. Lasham, M. A., Theological Cornet. "Cornets" are mentioned several Old Testament passages in II Chron. 15:12-14, which speak of Judah and his subject "entered into a covenant with the Lord God of Israel and swore unto the Lord with shouting, and with trumpets, and with cornets, Hosea 5:8, where the Israel are called up to "blow cornet in Gibeath" while Psalm 98:6 "the people are to make a joyful noise with trumpets and sound of cornets in these passages. "cornet" means the Hebrew term shofar, usually a ram-horn. It is also used in the New Testament. "Trumpet" The shofar was used by the Jews for the year of Jubilee, and at the time of the New Year "Rosh hash-shannah" which still employed the shofar to mark the end of the year on the Day of Atonement, the only solemn occasions in which the shofar is used. The word "cornet" is the Aramaic word for "trumpet" or "horn."

## NOTICE

The Tyler County Old Age Service Assn. will hold a ball game at the court house in Woodville Saturday at 10 o'clock. All members of the organization are requested to be present as business of importance will come before the meeting. By order of the president, C. Tatum.

## ARREST PERSONS WITH MOUSTACHE LIKE HITLER

Goderich, Ont.--Huron County officers unanimously adopted the a resolution one day ago that would require the shaving of moustaches. Any man with a moustache like Hitler's would be arrested. The resolution was passed by a vote of 10-2. The resolution was passed by a vote of 10-2.

## BABY BURNED THROUGH

The 20-month-old child of Mrs. J. R. Stebbins was brought back from Houston in the Magnolia. The child was burned through the chest. The child was brought back from Houston in the Magnolia. The child was burned through the chest.

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# STRAIT GATE

by Ruth Comfort Mitchell

"They were all promising things," she would see her mother. They would see her father. They would talk to Duncan, they would take care of old Penny; there was absolutely nothing for her to worry about.

"But the numbness was going out of Sarah Lynn's head and heart, and she knew how silly she was requiring long devotion behind her was shock and grief and wounded pride, and she was wrong with remorse, but before her was Gunnar, and she had no choice.

"Gunnar?" she said again.

"Almost there, Sarah Lynn!"

Then they were at the field, and Vance Le Roy was handing her out of the car, grinning, and the mechanics were crowding in, and Old Pete was gulping and blowing his nose.

"Well, God love you, Ladybug! You're a sight for sore eyes!"

"Not here yet, Miss, nor Mr. Jordan, but the ship's warmed up for 'em. Well, now, will you be stowing away again?"

Sarah Lynn laughed aloud. "Yes! I'll stow away, Peter! Help me!" That was the perfect way. Then she would not have to see him first before them all; their first moment would be their own.

"The drama of it caught their fancy. They were all laughing, skurrying about, bringing robes from the car, carrying the bag, shaking her hand, patting her shoulder, wishing her luck. Then there were the good-bys, too hurried to be heard. The women kissed her and Mary Dana Webster wept happily. Sally Ann said, "I'm sailing soon, too, Sarah Lynn. Write me—Paris!"

Sarah Lynn tried to say something to her Uncle Lynn, who had made this hour; who, sitting still in his chair for more than half his lifetime, was the one to give her wings. "Uncle Lynn, oh, Uncle Lynn!"

Vance Le Roy took her elbow in a hard grip and walked her to Jordan's plane, lifting his voice over the din to say this was a great break in wish her Happy Landings.

On the ground it was all noise and confusion and haste, but above it would be cold and clear and calm, and it was there she was going with Gunnar.

They helped her into the cabin and handed in her bag and arranged the robes so she could pull them over her.

"Hi! Make it snappy! Here they come!" a mechanic called.

Old Pete said, sniffing loudly, "Well, God love you, Ladybug!"

Sarah Lynn flattened herself and covered her head, and it was a comfort to hide, to be still, after the hubbub of the last hour. She was dizzy and faint and confused with the breathless excitement, the high emotional strain, after long months with blooming houseplants and trilling canaries and purring kittens; with coming to life again.

She could see nothing, but sounds and smells reached her, and she could imagine the progress of the plan—someone of the conspirators catching Conrad Jordan's eye and drawing him aside, Conrad Jordan making excuses to Gunnar, it had flying south with him, and Gunnar climbing into the ship alone. She could feel the faint jar when he took his seat and she cuddled closer under her stifling covers.

Then they were taxiing down the field—the familiar feel of it, bumping along the earth they were about to spurn—and presently they were rising and rising, turning, circling, climbing, banking, climbing high and higher.

The moment had arrived now, to lift the prisoning robes and look at Gunnar, but she delayed. It had been too much—the suddenness, the lightning transition from the lassitude of patience and submission and tolerance to this blaze of joy. Panic overwhelmed her. She was afraid to look. Gunnar would not be there; it would be Conrad Jordan or Vance Le Roy; she had lived so long with renunciation that happiness seemed an impossible phantom.

But at last she had courage enough to drop the corner of the robe she was holding, and she saw him. Very cautiously and lightly she lifted herself to a seat, her eyes still on him, assured and comforted, and fears fell away forever toward the dark earth far below. She thought of her mother with an uprush of remorse, tenderness, of poor, stowed-away, Peter! Help me!

"Lighting like a lightning bolt," she remembered her Grandmother's flight—"I don't want to go down, Sally Lynn! I want to go going up and up, and up!" She would stand and take the flight, which separated her from the love; she would put her shoulder and speak to him, and she had done all these things on the night of Arden's death.



"I want to keep on going up and up and up!"

prank hatched in the Stewed Prune, but this time he would not scorn her. He would make a place for her beside him and she would be always beside him, and their cold cheeks would touch, and he would turn his head and kiss her; the queer, dark Dana girl, the Ladybug, flying away in the night.

As she had delayed to look at him through terror that he might not be there, so now she dallied with the rapture of the impending moment, her heart hammering until her gaze which had not left him for an instant began to evaluate the change she saw. It was Gunnar Thorswald, Norwegian in face, who held the stick, but it might well have been another, for the proud carriage of the head was missing, the stern set of the squared shoulders, the hard certainty, the harsh young arrogance were gone. His chin was on his breast, and he sat slumped in his seat, and in every lean line was a hurt so deep, so lonely, so intolerable that there were queer tears of tenderness in her eyes as she rose and went forward to comfort him.

[THE END.]

## Historic Hoaxes

By Elmo Scott Watson

### "Two Famous Scientists"

THE World's Fundamentalist conference was meeting in Toronto, Canada. One of the speakers, a certain Doctor Brown, had defended the story of Jonah and the whale against the doubters who refused to take that familiar Bible story literally. So he was delighted when he received a letter from the city editor of the Toronto Mail and Empire which seemed to back up his belief.

The next evening Doctor Brown read to the 3,000 delegates to the conference the letter which described how two well-known German scientists, Herr Doktor Butterbrod and Herr Doktor Smearkase, while delving in some ruins near Nineveh, had found the skeleton of what they believed was a whale. It had a sort of muscle arrangement working a trap door which gave access to the stomach. This, the scientists declared, proved conclusively that it would have been scientifically possible for Jonah to live contentedly for three days inside the whale.

The delegates cheered the reading of this letter and Doctor Brown was well pleased. But he wasn't so pleased the next day.

For the Mail and Empire came out with a story which announced that the names of the two eminent scientists might be otherwise translated as "Doctor Bread and Butter" and "Doctor Cheese" and that the letter was a hoax planned by Charles Langton Clarke, who had written the story for his own amusement many months before the Fundamentalists met in Toronto.

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on the TSCW campus, and three days of mock initiation tradition with pledging on every college campus.

Throughout the remainder of the year, activities of the club will center around regular meetings, literary programs, and a social calendar which includes teas, luncheons, dinners, and also dances.

Miss Mann, the daughter of Mrs. M. Blanche Mann, is a sophomore at the college. Active in many phases of campus life, she is working toward her degree in speech.

### Woodville Locals

Little Joan Hicks, 4-year-old daughter of Mrs. Glad Hicks, celebrated her birthday Saturday at her home.

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# H & H CASH SYSTEM

WOODVILLE, TEXAS

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AND MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 26 AND 28

Gallon Cans	2 for	Browns Crackers	18c
<b>COOKING OIL 79</b>	<b>5c</b>	Rice Whole	19c
Jello	2 for	Grain, 5 lbs	25c
House, lb		Teco Bulk Coffee	25c
Matches	3 boxes for	100% pure, 2 lbs	14c
10c		Brown's Vanilla Wafers	38c
3 boxes for		1 lb pkg	12c
20c		Miracle Whip, Spread, or Dressing, quart	12c
Milk, 3 tall or 6 small		Mustard quart jar	59c
15c		Home Made	19c
Potted Meat or Tomato Paste, 3 for		Pork and Beans	29c
10c		Del Monte Peas	
Pickles, Chips quart jar		2 for	
10c			
Wilson's 4 lb pkg			
<b>Lard 41c</b>			
Turnip Greens or Mustard Greens, 3 No. 2 cans			
25c			
Del Monte Corn No. 303 can			
11c			

MARKET DEPARTMENT

Well Seasoned	lb	Best Grade	lb
<b>PAN SAUSAGE 15</b>		<b>Oleo 15c</b>	
Brick Chili, Finest quality, pound	18c	Gallon Cans Oil Sausage	\$1.23
Sliced Bacon, lb	23c	Veal, Chuck, Chops 2 lbs	25c
Veal Stew, Small Bone 2 lbs	25c	Pork Chitterlings 2 lbs	25c
Mexican Hot Sausage 2 lbs	25c	Pork Bones	9c
Krafts Elkhorn Cheese, lb	18c	Fresh Pork Tails 2 lbs	25c
20-80 Feed, 100 lb sack	\$1.00	White House Flour 48 lb sack	\$1.35
Bran sack	90c	White House Flour 12 lb sk	45c
Shorts sack	\$1.30	Jersey Queen Flour 48 lb sk	\$1.30
Maize 100 lb sk	\$1.15	Cream Meal 20 lb sk	35c

We Have a Full Line of Fruit Cake Ingredients and Nuts.

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## TWO NEW FORDS

Ford V-8: Now five inches longer from bumper to bumper. Roomier bodies—more luggage space. New styling. Hydraulic brakes. Scientific soundproofing. Triple-cushioned comfort. 85 or 60 hp. V-8 engine. Prices begin at...\$584\*

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## AND THE NEW MERCURY 8

for 1939

The Mercury 8: An entirely new car. Fits into the Ford line between the De Luxe Ford and the Lincoln-Zephyr. Distinctive styling. 116-inch wheelbase. Unusually wide body. Remarkably quiet. Hydraulic brakes. New 95-hp. V-8 engine. Prices begin at...\$894\*

The new cars in the Ford Quality Group for 1939 give you a broad choice. Whichever you choose, whatever you pay, you'll get value for your money. That's true of the lowest priced car to the highest. All have one thing in common— inherent quality. Their quality comes from the scientific methods of their production processes are controlled from iron ore to finished car—and earnings passed along to extra value. Think it's buying time. Get the automobile you want. New cars are bargains. Don't miss them. They're here now. Don't miss them. They're here now. Don't miss them. They're here now.

## PEACHES 12 1/2c

limited

Pure Cane 10 lbs

**Sugar 45c**

### The Time Before Trouble Was

Think what must have been the experience of the first family in the human race, when all the troubles in the world were not only new, but had to be invented. Adam and Eve are the only people in history who started out in life under the terrible handicap of being born full-grown. They had scarcely got their farm—the only one on earth—reduced to a kind of weed-producing, weather-righting, grange-like order of things, with nothing to disturb the quiet, happy, carefree, independent life of the jocular farmer, except maybe a little rust in the oats; blight in the wheat; army worms in the corn; Colorado beetles foraging the potato patch; cutworms laying waste the cucumbers; curculio in the plums and borers perforating the apple trees; a new kind of insect they couldn't guess the name of despoiling the pastures; dry weather burning up the barley; wet weather rotting the corn; too cold for the melons and too hot for the strawberries; chickens dying with the pip; hogs being gathered to their fathers with the cholera; sheep fading away with a complication of things no man could remember; horses getting along as well as could be expected, with a little spavin, ringbone, wolf-teeth, distemper, heaves, blind staggers, collar-chafes, saddle-galls, colic, now and then, foundering occasionally; epizootic when there was nothing else; cattle going wild with the horn all; moths in the milk-house; moles in the kitchen garden—Adam had just about got through breaking wild land with a crooked stick, and settled down comfortably, when the sound of the Boy was heard in the land.—Publishers Auxiliary.

Mrs. W. H. Ferguson of Warren have moved back to Woodville and are located in the old Collier home near the Methodist church. The Warren cafe is now in charge of Mrs. Perry Sturrock.



### Woodville Locals

Come in now and take advantage of our low-away plan. Select your gifts while there is a big selection and we will wrap and put away until you are ready to take at Christmas. Glenn's Variety Store.

Mrs. Leroy Davis and baby are enjoying Thanksgiving with his father, E. W. Davis at Grape-land.

Have you noticed what a splendid display of Christmas decorations are at the Glenns 5-10 and 25c store? Come in and get your selection early.



### Better Breakfasts

GOOD-MORNING—that is, it's a good morning if you are feeling fit and your breakfast is tempting and delicious. If your cereal is topped with colorful, juicy fruits or berries, if your eggs are baked with cheese which has just turned golden brown, and the companion for good coffee is hot blueberry muffins, any sort of morning is a good one. Here's the menu:

Sliced Bananas and Red Raspberries with Cream on Ready-To-Eat Cereal.

Baked Eggs with Cheese on Top.

Fresh Blueberry Muffins.

Coffee.

Everything except the muffins can be prepared while the coffee boils, percolates or drips—and for the muffins, here is a recipe that makes the whole thing simple:

Fresh Blueberry Muffins. Cream together one-third cup butter, one-fourth cup sugar, Add one well-beaten egg. Add one cup sifted evaporated milk. Mix naturally with the following dry ingredients: one and three-fourths cup flour, four teaspoons baking powder and one-half teaspoon salt. Add three-fourths cup fresh blueberries. If fresh blueberries are not in season or you can't obtain canned blueberries, make just as good a muffin. Bake in well-buttered muffin pans in a 400° oven, twenty to twenty-five minutes. This makes twenty-four small muffins.

# TEXAS' RICHEST HARVEST

From the Panhandle to the Rio Grande, from the Sabine to the New Mexican border, Texas abounds in oil. It is the largest single money crop in the state. Oil pays Texas a revenue of well over \$300,000,000 per year, exclusive of the 50-cent million dollars of state and federal taxes. This huge figure includes over \$200,000,000 for materials, supplies and services about the same amount for salaries and wages; about \$20,000,000 for lease rentals; about twice that much for lease bonuses; some 30 to 40 million dollars for royalties; and the balance in state and county taxes.

The Humble Company has been privileged to participate in this development of the oil industry. During 1937, Humble produced approximately 138,000 barrels of Texas oil daily; it bought from other producers and owners approximately 229,000 barrels, sending a total of 367,000 barrels to the refineries of the world—more than 25 per cent of the total daily production.

The Humble Company's production of oil is one of the world's largest.

