BUTTON

THINK'MBOBBIES

● As a matter of fact contentment is merely a victory of mind over what's the matter.

● The Booster is still wondering if there isn't some way kick and other drivers of cars can't be brought up and under the law NOW.

● It is a fact, several real estate changes were being made around town and that thing anybody knows Woodville will be noted as going places.

● Those learning to drive cars are lucky if they are only thrown against their own mounting repairs, responsibility, etc., and do not run down humans and smash fenders, lights, etc.

● Morning, noon and night we listen in on the whistle of the raw mill east of town. The only fault we have to offer is that there are not about a dozen whistles calling help to work. We need three whistles—all, three of four more would be welcome.

● Some of these old songs such as "Turkey in the Straw," "John Brown's Body," etc., are coming back, and strange as it may seem under their own names, and we'll tell the world nothing like this will apply to his ailing, "The great (?) Caesar Pottle" in fact his funk will be forgotten before 1976.

● Talk about public nuisances One day last week we chased a hog out of our front yard. Only last week we chased a couple of horses that were wandering about in the back yard. The public nuisances apply not only to hogs and horses, but a cow will do oldedly itchy horns attempted to tear down our clinging vines, but we discovered the marauder in time, before much damage was done.

● Strange how the Nazi leaders manage to put over their stuff. Every magazine except the religious ones, easily the pictures of beautiful women and men well dressed to the height of fashion, in beautiful homes, made up bars, drinking booze—the stuff that makes bums of both sexes. Then, too, back in the old days of prohibition, one did not find saloons all over town, next doors to private homes, no matter what size of city or town. Not long ago when we were on one of our trips, we saw a policeman directing traffic, and asked for a certain address. He took us into a package store and finally offered us a drink over the counter, which proved to our satisfaction that this package store, like others anywhere, was selling booze to any and all. Well, anyway the President of these United States ordered no more wheat be used in the manufacture of beer. That order was published in last week's daily papers. In this connection it will be remembered the late lamented president gave the order that 30,000,000 bushels of wheat could be turned over to the distillers.

MUSIC LOVERS WILL ENJOY NBC PROGRAM

An adaption of Handel's [illegible] will be made as a solo by [illegible] Hall Collins on the Christ[illegible] transcribed program [illegible] will be broadcast over Station [illegible] Houston, on Sunday [illegible] Feb. 24, 1946, at 9:45 [illegible] will be accompanied [illegible] Burrell Aino on the [illegible] The First Church of [illegible] in Boston, Mass. [illegible] The organ comprises [illegible] more than 9,000 [illegible] Honorable Mrs. Hay [illegible] of London, Eng[illegible] the words of the solo [illegible] My Voice."

BUTTER

[illegible] Found— [illegible] Butter shortage." [illegible] classified ad [illegible] by the Demo[illegible] Rather [illegible] announce[illegible] of [illegible]

C. S. Spurlock Announces In No. 1 Commissioners Race

To the Citizens of Commissioners Precinct 1 and Tyler County:

I take this method of presenting to you my candidacy for office of Commissioner, Precinct 1. I feel that since I have spent my entire life in your midst from childhood to manhood that most of the people of the county and this precinct know me. I have lived in precinct 1, 35 years, except at intervals when I would be out on some job. I served my country from 1931 to 1934 inclusive as State and County Tax collector and during those four years had occasion to observe the workings of the court in such way as would be helpful, also may I state briefly other experiences I hold Diesel Marine engineer Licenses by U. S. federal inspectors at Galveston, also hold steam stationary Engineer Licenses issued by State and City Boiler Inspectors Dept., Houston. I was employed six years by Old River Rice Irrigation Co.—as engineer in which capacity we had the construction of canals, levies, roads on laterals, also had 12 pullmen operating tractors, graders and drag lines. When War was declared, I was employed at Rice hotel as operating engineer. I served two years and eight months as machinist with Gov't. Shipyard during the war. Since Jan. 1, 1945, I've been employed as operating engineer at the Kenson Bldg., Houston, until Dec. 1, when we returned to our home. I promise, if elected to this office of responsibility to strive to merit every confidence reposed in me by the faithful discharge of my duty. Sincerely,

CHARLIE S. SPURLOCK

WOODVILLE NEWS

Friends will be interested to learn that Mrs. Taylor Miller now of Lufkin have another baby daughter, born Jan. 31st. The mother will be better remembered as Miss Lafaine Hill.

Friends will be pleased to know that J. C. Clark, Jr., has been promoted from Sergeant to Staff Sgt. C in with Co. C of the 52nd (Red Arrow) division of 126th infantry regiment.

Mrs. F. V. Smith arrived home Sunday at last week after a visit with her son L. V. and wife. She enjoyed a trip into Arkansas, as far north as Fayetteville while with them in Tulsa, Okla. They brought her as far as Dallas.

Mmes. F. H. Powell were in Houston last week and Mr. Powell attended the Lawmen's gathering of the Methodist church.

Linda Harrison, recently released from the army, is now here and will be associated with the Whitten Plumbing, Electric and Appliance Co. He is a brother of Edward Harrison of the Harrison Real estate Agency.

Mesdames Jay and Jack Kelley were in Beaumont Tuesday.

Classified Want Ads

LOST LEMON & WHITE FEmale hound, crippled in right forefoot; scald on left forelegs. Answers to name of Bottle; wears collar and name. J. H. Pate. $50.00 reward. Finder notify John Crammer. *2-16-11-12

FOR SALE—AAA HARRED Rock baby chicks; $16.00 per hundred, less amounts each, tic. Mrs. E. H. Matthews, Woodville. *11-13

SALESMAN WANTED—BIG INdependent Bell Rawleigh Products. Good nearby route open in North Liberty County, 800 families. Products sold 30 years. Write today. Rawleigh's Dept. TXD-709-PA, Memphis, Tenn., or see T. Kraus, Woodville, Texas. *11-12-13-14

FOR TRADE—STOCK TRAILER in good condition, 6 ply tires. Will trade for light one or two horse wagon. O. A. SMITH, 2½ miles southeast, Garrya Filling station at Village. *11-12

FOR SALE—30 GALLON WESTinghouse Electric Hot Water heater. Practically new. Can be seen at my home, 2 miles north on Highway 190. Mrs. H. O. Irwin. *12

HAVE SALE—FOR UNLIMITED amount of small native pecans. Odille Wyatt, Farmers Co-Op. 12

WANTED NOW: FIVE APARTments. Please phone me if you have a room to rent. Crowd of men coming in this week. H. M. Pitts, People's Garage. 12

DR. SALISBURY'S BRN-O-SAL—the new drinking water medicine that stimulates growth in chicks. Get it when you buy your chicks. For sale at Stryker's Drug Store, Woodville. 12

FOR SALE—DODGE SEDAN, 6 good tires. Motor in good condition; 46 model. W. H. Taylor, 3 miles South of Warren. *2-16

LOST—JOHN COOK BILL FOLD [illegible] Reward. Mrs. [illegible] Woodville, Texas. [illegible]

Patsy Cruse Crowned Queen of S. W. T. T. C.

Huntsville, Feb. 19—Pretty Patsy Cruse of Woodville was named queen of Sam Houston State Teachers college Friday night at the annual coronation ceremonies sponsored by The Tioaldo.

Queen Patsy's King was Jack Dr. McCann of Port Arthur and the royal couple was attended by Princess Pat Wells of Houston and Prince Bob Moore of Oakwood.

Representatives of other Texas colleges and universities took part in the coronation ceremony. Pharisaikas and duchesses were Clayton Dickeway of the U of T; Miss Evelyn Burks and Donald Anderson of Rice Institute; Miss Darlina Nedbalek of T S C for Women and Martin Vick of A & M; Miss Nell Engelson and Bill Parsons of T. C. U.; Miss Ruth Roberts and Roland Rogers of the University of Houston; Miss Dee Nell Roper and Willis Higgs of SW T S T college; Miss Caroline Muckelroy and Loy Reid of S. F. A.; Miss Dina Jo Allen and Thomas Huey of North Texas A T C; Miss Winnie Enid Hinnage and Raymond Evans of W T S T college; Miss Jean Park and Tom Reilly of S H S T college and Miss Arlo Clyde Healy and M. L. Love, Jr., of Lamar college.

Bradford Jackson was master of ceremonies. Dukes and duchesses from Sam Houston who attended the king and queen were Norman Brock, Marion Lipper, Zinny Tucker and Sidney May, and Misses Ruth Sandlin, Fern Weber, Jan Ann Forester and Willadine Rugarek.

Kay Watts and Grady Manning were court jesters and pages were Clint Hackney and Freddy Adickes. Mamie Bell Burns, Linda Vesey and Pauline Pettis were flower girls, and Dickie Lapham the crowbearer. Thalmadeen's wife, Buddy Standley and Milton Sutton.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Mrs. B. O. Irwin was up from Beaumont for the week end.

Marion Pennington and a boy friend of Beaumont enjoyed the week end at the Pennington home.

Mrs. Lee Feagin and son Alcok spent part of last week in Houston.

Mrs. Booth McAlister has arrived home from a visit on the west coast. Her daughter, Mrs. Barry Haynes of San Diego came with her for a visit.

Mrs. C. B. Birdwell and small son have been in Lufkin where the little fellow has been ill. Mr. Birdwell has made several trips to be with them.

We have just Walter B. Springfield of Warren and enjoyed a visit with him Saturday. He is a veteran of World War I and well-known in the county, has lived near Warren since he was born. He has a family, a son and one daughter, of which he is very proud. He states that he has been a farmer and was over seas a number of months during the war and never before asked for an office in his home county but now will appreciate his friends doing anything they can do for him in his race for the sheriff's office.

4-H State Award Winners in Texas

OUTSTANDING 4-H records in field crops, better farm and home methods and frozen foods activities have won 1945 state championship honors for three Lone Star State club boys. The winners, who were selected by the state club office, and brief outlines of their records follow:

Ray Adams Herman Forster Alfred Nauman

Ray Adams, 16, of Kress, has been selected as the state's top ranking participant in the first year of the National 4-H Field Crops activity, in which International Harvester provides the awards. The boy's record shows that during the years of 4-H club work he produced and harvested 183 acres of wheat, 25 acres of maize and 10 acres of sorghum. These crops returned him $8,819.10. In addition, he received $107.00 in cash prizes. His livestock projects have netted him $3,870.61. He served as president of his club during 1944 and is a Junior leader since 1943.

Herman Forster, 18, of Lancaster, Dallas county, has completed seven years of 4-H club work. He has won a total of $1,000 in cash prizes and has been awarded a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. He has been a junior leader for two years. His projects have netted him $1,500.

Alfred Nauman, 18, of Mission, Hidalgo county, has been a 4-H club member for seven years. He has won a total of $1,000 in cash prizes and has been awarded a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. He has been a junior leader for two years. His projects have netted him $1,500.

Bond Quota Is Oversubscribed

Tyler county's quota in the Victory Loan drive was oversubscribed by $1,000 when the campaign closed Saturday night, Feb. 16, according to Mrs. Ben Hall Patton, chairman of the county war finance committee.

Mrs. Patton said that the county's quota was $100,000 and that $101,000 was subscribed.

What Would Have Happened to Us Without the Damned Ignoramuses?

Washington, Feb. 19—Chester Bowles told congress today that price controls must be extended without delay if the nation is to be saved from an inflationary explosion that would smash our economic system beyond hope of repair.

Making his first congressional appearance as economic stabilizer, the retiring OPA chief repeatedly warned that inflationary pressures have reached such danger heights that the nation's entire economic future is at stake.

He told the house banking committee that if disaster is to be averted, congress must act without delay to:

1. Extend price control for one year beyond the present June 30 expiration date.

2. Establish price ceilings on both old and new homes to stop real estate inflation which otherwise will wreck the construction industry.

3. Continue food subsidies beyond July 1. Otherwise, control of "the present inflationary dangers will become impossible."

He appealed for swift congressional extension of the stabilization statutes without amendment to President Truman's new wage-price program can keep the nation's economy on an even keel until fuller production makes it safe to remove all government controls.

"Delay in reaching a decision will do irreparable damage to the entire program," he said.

He bluntly assailed "irresponsible pressure groups" seeking to scrap controls at a time when the "inflationary crisis" is at its peak.

He singled out the National Association of Manufacturers which in full-page advertisements published in morning newspapers, urged removal to the threat of inflation and called upon readers to inform their congressmen accordingly. NAM said that quickly mounting production would bring prices back down where they should be in a short time.

Bowles said NAM's theory "does not make sense to me."

Two California democrats—Reps. George Outland and Chet Holifield—assailed the NAM view.

Outland asked the house to repudiate the NAM's appeal, which he described as "selfish and short sighted." Holifield said that removal of price controls now would result in "veterans and others being crucified on a cross of inflation."

"I'm not saying that the huge production we got in this war was because of price control," he said. "But certainly, price control did not interfere."

BOY SCOUT WEEK CLOSED SATURDAY

Boy Scout week was finished off Saturday with a Field Day program. Some 30 scouts were here from Chester, Colmesneil, Warren and Woodville. The Asst. Scoutmaster of Colmesneil came, Supt. Norman Paschall and the Scoutmaster of Chester. The Asst. Scoutmaster of Warren is a scout of the Warren squad and he led his boys. Woodville Scoutmaster, Gilbert Wright acted as host and leader of activities. The program started out with the Scout oath, followed by contests in Pup tent pitching, string burning, hot cake flipping, wood chopping and compass test. Scout Joe Wheat gave a talk on Boy Scout week and Supt. Paschall had charge of the closing of the day's work.

DISRUPTING PROTESTS TO THE NATION'S CAPITAL

Washington, D. C.—From every section of the country, farm readers are directing protests to the National capital over the threat to food production which looms on the horizon as a result of the steel strike. The majority strongly urge prompt Congressional action in regulating the labor monopolies that have paralyzed production.

Four war years have seen overworked farm machinery and equipment deteriorate to a point where in many instances bay wire is being used to hold it together. These rural leaders and the constituents want to know why they should go on producing bumper crops for all the world, while passive wage demands of CIO strikers tie up the machinery and equipment vitally necessary to plant, cultivate and harvest the crops. These same farm folks fear the whirlwind of inflation should industrial wages go skyrocketing 30% at a clip, followed closely by price increases for things the farmers buy.

As one state farmer leader put it: "Farmers want all out to produce the food and fiber needed to win the war. They are planning to, and will, if possible, produce another bumper crop this year as their contribution to reconversion. They are ready to go, even though the labor and machinery prospects are no brighter than they were last year and there are no prospects of a 30% increase in the price of farm products. If such an attitude prevailed in all economic groups, our reconversion problem would soon be over."

W. G. Myers, general manager of Northern States Cooperative at Richmond, Va., says: "Of course, everybody is gravely concerned over the steel strike. It is continuing any length of time half the industry of the country will be shut down and our reconversion program will be wrecked. In addition, the strike in this basic industry increases the inflationary pressures which are already appalling. It seems to me the really basic issue is whether we shall continue our free enterprise system, under which America has become the most powerful nation on earth with the best standard of living in the world, or operate our economy under some form of statism. We certainly shall not have a free enterprise system if the Government makes the decisions as to how much the worker may have, how much the owners of a business may earn on their investment. And what the consumer may have. The Government is trying to make these decisions. It frightens me and, I think, a great many other people."

W. A. Hambrick, Master of the South Carolina State Grange, states: "The steel strike and other industrial strikes are giving farmers in South Carolina much concern and this deep concern is by no means limited to farmers. The success of our farm program depends upon the production of certain repair parts, equipment and farm machinery which cannot roll off the assembly line as long as the steel strike is in effect.

"We are wondering just how much those who are leading the strike really appreciate America as it exists today. Now that the war is won, people would like to settle down in peace and not be slammed with a [illegible] between labor and management."

Al Mc Alester, [illegible] Master of the Oklahoma State Grange, says: "In general the farmers are in the all consuming strikes. We have a vital [illegible] in the wheat crop and cannot afford to have our [illegible] plant while the wheat [illegible]

ROTARY ENTERTAINS MAGICIAN

Or should we say, Magician Entertaining Lieutenant Melville Malcalf of Port Arthur, who is in the insurance business but has a hobby dabbling in magic, and which gives much pleasure to others, is a Rotarian and dined with the Woodville club Thursday night and went with them on to the school auditorium to appear before high school pupils and others of the town who attended. Those who failed to attend missed a heap of fun. Other guests at Rotary were Norman Webb, Charley Loeb also of Port Arthur; Thomas Rhodes of Huntsville and Raymond Meyer of Houston. J. M. Carlysle of the Federal Wildlife conservation department was welcomed as a member of the Rotary club.

JOHN T. GOBER

Apparently stricken with a heart attack at his home 10 miles south of Nome about 10:30 a. m. Thursday, John Thomas Gober, 57-year-old rice farmer, died in his son's car enroute to Beaumont for medical treatment. The son, James W. Gober, said that he started to the city with his father after the elder Mr. Gilbert had complained of being ill. He said his father died shortly after they left Nome. Surviving besides the son, are his wife, Mrs. Jessie Gober of Nome, two brothers, Leonard or Rosedale, and Will of Hillister; and two sisters, Mrs. W. P. Bilnkar of Rosedale and Mrs. Dora Keener of Fairbanks.

SENATOR SHIVERS MAY RUN FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Port Arthur, Feb. 17.—Allan Shivers, Saturday night announced his retirement from the State Senate after 12 years as a member. Shivers said he shortly will announce for a state office, probably Lieutenant Governor.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Judge J. H. Wheat and son Jr. left last night for Austin and Mrs. Jack Steinhauser and small son Linda went on to Laredo with them to see the new ruler of the James H. Wheat, Jr. home. The visit is an opportune one for Mexico with Laredo celebrating each Feb. 22nd, Washington's birthday with a four days festival, star-spangled mardi-gras.

From now on, the Pals Theatre will show news reels each Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Sincere sympathy is extended to W. T. Russell of Warren in the death of his mother, Mrs. Mattie Baker, who passed away in Beaumont Tuesday at the age of 78 years.

Mrs. John O. Davis received a letter from her son, M/Sgt. Bill man until she address. Of c in enroute hom ed at Ausbing Madrid.

H. D. Weatherly was a business visitor Lufkin Friday.

Mrs. Sam H. Reid is on a visit from a dear friend, Mrs. C. C. Dickerson of Lubbock, who like quite fallen in love with the piney woods; hills and rills of this section. Later learning that she belongs to Arkansas, and is an own cousin of the late Will Rogers, we realize why she loves this country for no earth is there more scenic Talma greens and timber than in Arkansas.

Mesdames Cecil Will and Ivy Lindsey were in Beaumont Saturday.

D. W. Bygrett spent the week end in Waco with his family.

Whose Booster do you Support?

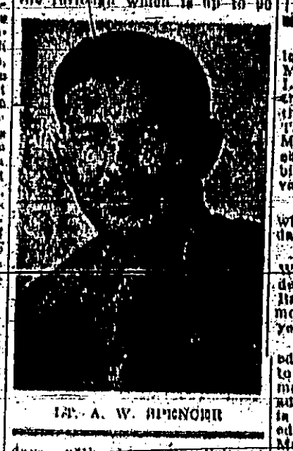
Walter R. Spillman Announces In No. 1 Commissioners Race

TO THE VOTERS OF TYLER COUNTY:

I take this method of announcing my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Tyler County, Texas, to say that I was born and reared in Tyler county, where I have spent my entire life. I am a married man and have one child. I can assure the voters of this county should you see fit to elect me to the office of Sheriff, I will execute the duties of the office to the best of my ability. I feel sure that I can assist the other officers of the county to see that our laws are strictly enforced and I can say that I will thank you for your support and influence in the coming July primary.

Hoping that you will give me your support and influence, I remain, Yours truly,

WOODVILLE NEWS



LT. A. W. SPENCER

Lt. A. W. Spencer, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Spencer, Sr., of Woodville, has been released from active duty in the U. S. Navy after 4 years and 8 months service. He was commissioned an ensign in the Navy in 1942 and was assigned to the U. S. S. Wasp, aircraft carrier, and was aboard when she was sunk in the Mediterranean Sea. He was transferred to the U. S. S. Franklin, another aircraft carrier, and was aboard when she was damaged by Japanese bombers off the coast of Japan. He was transferred to the U. S. S. Bunker Hill, another aircraft carrier, and was aboard when she was damaged by Japanese suicide planes off the coast of Okinawa. He was transferred to the U. S. S. Randolph, another aircraft carrier, and was aboard when she was damaged by a typhoon off the coast of Okinawa. He was transferred to the U. S. S. Lexington, another aircraft carrier, and was aboard when she was damaged by Japanese suicide planes off the coast of Japan. He was transferred to the U. S. S. Yorktown, another aircraft carrier, and was aboard when she was damaged by Japanese suicide planes off the coast of Japan. He was transferred to the U. S. S. Enterprise

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Cooperative Americanism will preserve Democracy. This is the slogan of the Texas Press Association.

THE WHITE house doctrinal communist, one day last week on reports President Truman had told leaders that he did not wish to seek re-election in 1948. Mr. Truman, according to the reports, made the statement recently in private conversation with a group of friends, including Chairman Robert E. Hannegan of the Democratic National Committee.

THOSE JAY-walkers do not seem to appreciate they are due for sudden death when they violate the rules of the Red and green stop and go signals. The odds are against the Jay-walker who tries to outguess automobile speed. On the average an [illegible] is struck every [illegible] minutes in some seven seconds. Obviously the Jay-walker has little chance to compete with a motor vehicle traveling at 20 to 30 miles an hour, which is the usual operation of [illegible] speeds covers 200 to 300 [illegible] The odds are right to our [illegible] walker will be hit.

[illegible] GONE give a reason why a member of [illegible] should be kept in the [illegible] which he has not even [illegible] a day's session in either [illegible] We have reason to bring up this subject because of the following as published in the Clifton (Arizona) Morenci "It seems strange that such a situation as now exists over the absence of Senator Carter Glass from the senate for such a long period can be permitted by the [illegible] of law. Byrd senators [illegible] to carry on the affairs of government. Senator Glass's seat was [illegible] during the [illegible] ing days of war and continues to be vacant during the challenging days of reconstruction. If 10 senators were thus absent, more than one-tenth of our foundational powers would be nullified. Let us hope that future provision will be made for such a contingency which the incumbent does not seem willing to rectify." It is a fact Glass has not been in his seat for several years, and has not seen fit to send in his resignation.

THE "little" loan to Britain is causing a lot of thought among people generally, but the Christian Science Monitor has the following editorial on the subject of the loan; it would be well to read: "When your best and biggest customer goes bankrupt through extraordinary efforts in the community cause, if you are a good banker you don't drive him but of business unless you want to set up a hostile outfit. You help him get back to a healthy position once more. A financially healthy Britain can be a billion-dollar customer to America. A financially crippled Britain is an economic warfare, rival spheres of influence, closed markets, and inevitable political conservatism. If there is one sound attribute of this loan from the point of view of American world interest, it would seem to be that the sum is not large enough to insure final success. In actual fact it amounts to what American [illegible] on two weeks of war—surely not an excessive [illegible] to save the economic barriers and expand multilateral [illegible] which even the opponents of Lend-Lease are prone [illegible]

HOUSING PLAN

[illegible] Wilson [illegible] of the [illegible] is [illegible] to [illegible] in the [illegible] Housing Agency. It may even get worse, with 5,000,000 families expected to have to "double up" by the end of 1946.

Yet the pulp and paper industry has already been called upon to meet the greatest demand in history to handle the reconversion needs of business. What is the answer? Will nearby mills get enough top quality pulpwood to supply the requirements of building the housing plans? Will [illegible] can paper [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The Thunderbird
EARLY EDITION

...ed her feet and went about ...ing things. Not, and finally ...ersation. "Just that it—sort of ... the heart out of a man."

It was still possible, thought Nell, as she walked slowly upstairs. When people loved each other as they had, nothing more would be needed than just one look—one word—her name, Nell. There would be no forgiving or explaining, just a sudden coming together and all the discord flung behind them.

But Rob stood in a kind of daze in the center of the bedroom, as if he did not feel at home there. One hand held his pipe as he puffed at it, and he stood watching her as she moved about, turning the bed down, closing the window, taking her nightclothes from the closet and dropping them on the bed.

She went to his chiffonier and took out a set of pajamas and handed them to him. "Here are some fresh pajamas for you."

He took them absent-mindedly. Then, as Nell undid the belt of her skirt and stepped out of it, and peeled off her sweater, he said to her hesitatingly, "I'm awfully tired. I think I'll sleep in the other room. Do you mind?"

He looked at his wife.

With just her slip on, she was seated in the low chair, one ankle crossed over the other knee to untie her shoe, her slender and beautiful legs shining in their long silk stockings. Her tawny hair hung loose over the pearl-like skin on her breasts. Her cheeks were exquisitely flushed.

Without raising her head her dark blue eyes slid up underneath her brows and she answered easily,

"Is this card phony or what?"

"Not at all. I think it would be a very good idea. I shall probably sleep better myself."

Charley Sargent never missed the three weeks' autumn race meet at Saginaw Falls in Idaho, one of the few major or "recognized" tracks in the Rocky Mountain states, and had the same stables for his horses and hotel accommodations for himself, year after year. Taking his horses down the Continental Divide from a high altitude to one several thousand feet lower gave them an advantage, and he liked the town which lay in the long valley between the Wauchichi and Bluhumo ranges and had a season of pleasant autumn weather.

Although the distance from Sargent's ranch to Saginaw Falls was not more than eight hundred miles, he always shipped his horses by rail in charge of his trainer, Perry Gunston, rather than valuing them or taking them in an automobile van. This was because the highway made a rather precipitous descent, winding down through several mountain passes, and on the Divide, the unpredictable storms sometimes made the road dangerous, or even impassable for trucks. But he himself made the trip by motor.

There were always several events scheduled for two-year-olds, in which Sargent tried out his promising youngsters, and one race, on the last day of the meet, with a ten-thousand-dollar purse, which attracted an impressive entry. It was in this race that Thunderhead was to make his debut, and long before record closed Ken had familiarized himself with the past performances and ventures of this big event. Thunderhead had only to run the race called on the Saginaw Falls track as fast as he had run it at home to win.

Ken [illegible] around his room [illegible] the letter containing his [illegible] was being opened, or [illegible] depressing event [illegible] in the same room [illegible] that Rob Melcomb [illegible] something was fairly [illegible]

[illegible] at Ken who stood [illegible] his desk with hands [illegible] the pockets of his [illegible] so long years ago [illegible] with the [illegible]

[illegible] from that [illegible] to have it [illegible] Rob thought a moment. "Yes, I believe you. But there's something else. Come on now, out with it! What's behind this?"

Ken's smile vanished and he drew a deep breath, standing there very straight before his father with fists shoved into his pockets. "Well, dad—I did it—because I wanted—you to say that I needn't go back to school next September fifteenth."

"WHAT!"

"I mean—not go till a month or two later. You see, dad, the ten thousand dollar race at Saginaw Falls in Idaho comes on October twenty-fourth, and that's the race Thunderhead's going to win!" He pulled a folded paper out of his hind pocket. "Mr. Sargent says it's just made to order for Thunderhead. They don't have to be registered horses or to have any past track records."

The racing sheet fell open at the page all of itself and he laid it on his father's desk and pointed to the picture of an elderly man.

"Beaver Broadway!" exclaimed Rob, picking it up. "And his ten thousand dollar free-for-all! Sure—I know about it. I bet that old fogy has discovered more dark horses than any other racing man in this country. And bought them, too. It's his hobby. If they win, he buys them, you know."

"He won't buy Thunderhead!"

Rob read the paragraph through, then tipped his chair back and ran his hand through his close dark hair. "When did you dope all this out?"

"...that fall when I went back to school."

"When did you start working the Otis phenomenal report card?"

"Right then. When you—you said—"

"And you say it's all in your?"

[illegible] of his blue eyes and one smile after the other rippled across his face.

"Read it, dad. Read it quick!" he exclaimed, and watched closely as his father took the card and studied it, item by item.

Rob simply didn't believe it. He shook his head with bewilderment. "Is this card phony or what? Do you know what's in it, Ken?"

"What!" demanded Ken confidently.

"Ninety-two in Algebra. Ninety-four in Latin. Ninety-seven in Chemistry, and one hundred in English. What's it mean? Has Gibson gone crazy to give you a card like that?"

"Read the letter," chortled Ken. "He told me he was going to write you a letter and—and—congratulate you!"

"Congratulate me!" exclaimed Rob. "What in hell about?"

Ken placed his hand theatrically on his chest, bowed, said "Me!" and then threw his head back, burst out laughing, and did a few prancing steps around the room.

Rob read the letter through and abruptly laid it down and turned his head to look out the window. He was remembering a morning just five years ago when Ken was ten, and a report card had come in which there were assorted marks below twenty, climaxing with a zero in English. And in defense, Ken had made the entirely irrelevant plea—"If you would only give me a colt of my own I might do better. And he had given Ken the filly, Flicka, and Ken had almost killed himself caring for her." He had also managed to write a composition retrieving his disgrace and causing Mr. Gibson to say that he might have another chance with his class instead of being dropped. Gibson had said in his letter that Ken had a brilliant mind, and Rob had asked his wife, "Did you ever think Ken was brilliant? I've always thought he was dumb."

Rob picked up the card and the letter and read both of them through carefully again. Brilliant all right. How in hell had the kid got a hundred in English? That meant no mistakes at all—or superlative performances every now and then.

Rob pointed at the card. "How'd you get this? Was it just one composition?"

"You had to be excellent all year, and write a perfect composition to end up with."

"What subject did you choose?"

"I wrote about that time I tried to get the eagle feather—you know—down there in the Valley of the Eagles, and the eagle chased me all the way down the cliff and stuck his claws in my belly, and if was only my belt that saved me—but of course I fixed it up a little."

"How'd you fix it up? Seems to me that was hot stuff without any fixing."

Ken waved his hands in a suave and explanatory fashion. "Oh, I put in some romantic dope—you know, the sort of things writers write—I had it that I had a picture of my girl in the buckle of my belt, so she sort of saved my life, you see."

CHAPTER XX

Rob's big white teeth gleamed in his dark face. He looked very pleased. But continuing to study the boy's expression he suddenly had a recurrence of his first conviction. There was something fishy about this.

"Tell me, Ken," he said, "is this absolutely on the level? You really did it? It's bona fide?"

"Sure I did it, dad," said Ken, his jubilance fading at the realization that a bad reputation is hard to live down. "Don't you believe me?"

Rob thought a moment. "Yes, I believe you. But there's something else. Come on now, out with it! What's behind this?"

Ken's smile vanished and he drew a deep breath, standing there very straight before his father with fists shoved into his pockets. "Well, dad—I did it—because I wanted—you to say that I needn't go back to school next September fifteenth."

"WHAT!"

"I mean—not go till a month or two later. You see, dad, the ten thousand dollar race at Saginaw Falls in Idaho comes on October twenty-fourth, and that's the race Thunderhead's going to win!" He pulled a folded paper out of his hind pocket. "Mr. Sargent says it's just made to order for Thunderhead. They don't have to be registered horses or to have any past track records."

The racing sheet fell open at the page all of itself and he laid it on his father's desk and pointed to the picture of an elderly man.

"Beaver Broadway!" exclaimed Rob, picking it up. "And his ten thousand dollar free-for-all! Sure—I know about it. I bet that old fogy has discovered more dark horses than any other racing man in this country. And bought them, too. It's his hobby. If they win, he buys them, you know."

"He won't buy Thunderhead!"

Rob read the paragraph through, then tipped his chair back and ran his hand through his close dark hair. "When did you dope all this out?"

"...that fall when I went back to school."

"When did you start working the Otis phenomenal report card?"

"Right then. When you—you said—"

"And you say it's all in your?"

[illegible] you?"

Ken was [illegible] His smile vanished, his whole face was lost in his effort at plain and blunt talking. He was trying to explain.

"The thing is dad, of course I'll make up all the lessons I lose while I'm out of school. But if I had just asked you, and told you that I'd do that, you wouldn't have believed I would do it."

"And you can say that again, boy!"

"So I had to prove it to you—before I asked you."

"You've proved it."

"Dad! Do you mean I can?"

"I mean just that. This brilliant mind of yours seems to work in reverse. Give you horses so that you have no time for lessons and even have to play out of school and you bust yourself wide open and carry the ray on the high!"

"Dad—there's something more!"

"Ah! Now it's coming!" Rob's face took on its sardonic expression. "Two things, dad."

"Well—shoot!"

"You said last year, when Thunderhead didn't get gelded with the other two-year-olds, that if he could go till this year. Does—does he have to be gelded? Wouldn't you just—skip it, dad? Because he may win you see—And there's a chance that the gelding might hurt him or kill him and anyway if he should be a winner on the race track we'd want to sell his services as a stallion, wouldn't we? And anyway—"

"We won't geld him," said Rob suddenly.

This quick victory was another shock to Ken. Rob raised the report card. "You'll find all your life long, son, that the performance will get things for you that nothing else will."

Besides, Thunderhead hasn't really made any trouble, has he?" It was hard for Ken to get his mind off his horse. He hasn't tried to fight Banner or get any mares, or—well, not anything like that."

"Thunderhead hasn't had a chance to raise hell yet. It's been a godsend that we could leave Punch And Do with him until early this spring when she came in heat for the first time. That kept him happy. Kept him away from the other mares and delayed the beginning of what you might call his sex life. Besides, he's been trained and worked pretty consistently. You can train an animal, you know, for the kind of life he is to live. We've kept him away from the real life of a stallion. But that won't last forever. The time will come. One day his ears will pop, and he'll suddenly thump himself on the chest and exclaim, I'm a man!"

Ken laughed. "I hope it won't be in the race track."

"But doesn't enter much into the life of race horses. Stallions and mares face together without any disturbances of that sort."

"I know."

"Well now—what's the other thing? Might as well get it over with."

Ken's face flushed a little. "Remember what you said once, dad? That I cost you money every time I turn around?"

"I remember!"

"Well—what about the money the race is going to cost? The entrance fee and all that?"

"I see." Rob leaned back quietly and became very thoughtful, rubbing his hand through his hair. "You're a lot richer now than you used to be, aren't you, dad?"

"Where'd you get that idea?"

"Well—the sheep—"

"The sheep have got me so deep in debt Thunderhead will have to win races to pull me out!"

"Oh, dad! Are you kind of counting on him?" Ken's face glowed with pride.

"I'm hoping," said Rob grimly. "I've put a lot of work on that horse myself, remember, and I know he's got it in him. But he's an ugly bugger. This summer will tell the tale."

"Of course you know, dad," said Ken magnanimously, "anything Thunderhead wins will be yours and Mother's."

"Will it? No. I don't think so. We'd want it to be yours. Then you can pay for all your expenses and your schooling and we'll come out ahead, anyway!"

"But some of it would have to be yours!"

"All right. We'll incorporate. McLaughlin and Son. And I'll take what I need for the present and we can get squared later on."

There was a moment's pause. Rob hadn't yet said anything about that entrance fee.

"You're going to have a wonderful big hay crop, aren't you, dad? Don't you think you may sell your hay—the part you won't need for the sheep or the horses or the cows, quite early—say in September?"

"Oh, it all figured out, have, you?"

Ken nodded.

"I don't know what I'll sell my surplus hay. It may pay better to hold it till later in the season when hay gets scarce."

Rob looked [illegible]

Rob leaned back [illegible] you've better count me up [illegible] know what you're up against."

[illegible] on his face [illegible]

[illegible]

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TEN INDIANS OF POLK RESERVATION ATTENDED TEXAN STATEHOOD FETE

Austin.—Ten Coushatta Alabama Indians from the Polk county reservation participated in Austin's celebration of the Texas statehood centennial Tuesday, February 19. They were in full battle dress.

DIMES SAVED BY CANTEEN TO SET UP VET IN BUSINESS

Waco.—For more than five years, Juan Ybabo, Waco state operator, saved dimes, dropping them in old fruit cans.

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MRS. JUNIUS EASTMAN

Mrs. Junius M. Eastman, 81 years of age, kindergarten teacher of Beaumont 30 years ago, died in Rockland, at 7:30 a. m. Friday. She had been critically ill for a week. Mrs. Eastman operated the Beaumont Kindergarten for about 10 years before moving to Tyler county about 30 years ago. At the time she operated the school there her name was Mrs. Tom Orr. She later married a Tyler school teacher, H. P. Eastman, and moved to Tyler county where both she and her late husband taught in the schools of this county. Funeral rites were held at 11 a. m. Saturday at the Rockland cemetery and interment was in the cemetery there under the direction of Oakley-Metcalf Funeral home. The Rev. Wm. Caldwell was in charge of the services. Mr. Eastman passed away in 1925. For the past 12 years Mrs. Eastman had resided with Mrs. Chester Quinn of Rockland. Surviving Mrs. Eastman are a sister-in-law, Mrs. A. A. Kirby of Beaumont, several nieces and nephews, including Hon. Roy Kirby, manager of the Edson Hotel, and Mrs. Rowena Lee, and a brother, Julia L. Kirby, of San Antonio.

Mrs. Bobbie Hamerly came from Angleton Monday night, he returned to his work Tuesday, but she and the baby remained for a longer visit.

ENTIRE FAMILY WHAMMED TO MOVIES BY TWO-SHOWS BEFORE TICKET PLAN

Hollywood, Cal.—Discouraging parents to attend the theatre without children, the Hawaii Theatre in Hollywood is experimenting with a new venture—a Juvenile Theater.

While parents are seeing a first run feature flowsatuya, their children see a complete showing of pictures appealing to them in a separate unit within the theater. A whole new dual market of parents and children is hereby opened up to producers who, it is hoped, will meet the challenge by turning out clean, wholesome pictures. The first showing for the children at the juvenile theatre had the following 10 unit, color films: a news reel of Santa Claus' arrival in Hollywood, a dog story a scenic travelogue of Mexico and a lively Western movie, "Jeep Herders."

Provision is made for the children will may grow restless for nearby the auditorium is Morris Melody Room, a nurse with many toys, swings and pl things. This room has large pl of murals which show Don Duck, Pluto, Mickey Mouse ner, Bugs Bunny and other D boy-Goodier figures.

All pictures will be appro by the local Parent-Teacher ... sociation and the Visual Educ ... ment of the Board of Educat ... before they are shown to ... children.

There will be a regular J ... nile Theater program run on ... day night in conjunction w ... the adult shows as well as ... Saturday afternoon and even ... The children's program will ... changed in accordance with ... adult program.

"WAR GROOM" ARRIVES ON BRITISH LINER

New York, Feb. 21.—When ... British liner Queen Mary arr ... from England with 1,986 ... brides, Lieut. Commander Ro ... H. Burroughs of the British N ... claimed the distinction of be ... the only "war groom" aboard.

Commander Burroughs, a r ... dent of Bermuda, said he was married to Miss Nancy Naylor Dennis of Bennington, Vt., in England 18 months ago when she was a WAC sergeant there. He is on terminal leave and on his way to Bermuda.

RAW LOGS UNCOVERED, TO NET OREGON LUMBER

Astoria, Ore., Feb. 21.—Dredging of the La Doo Jog boom in the Lewis and Clark river which empties into the Columbia just west Astoria, uncovered a reservoir of saw logs, ready for the market.

These logs were "sinkers," sticks of timber, usually hemlock, which will not float in water or soon become water-logged when dumped in a boom. These logs were lifted out of water and loaded on a steel barge for transportation to Portland. Dredging of the new boom movement logs which will yield an estimated 600,000 feet of timber.

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Mrs. Eddie Cashorn were de... lighted over a week end visit from her brother, Thomas Hines... to and wife the latter just ar... rived in Houston the week be... fore. Mr. Russells was transferred from England to France, Belgium, Germany then brought home to his mother at her death by order of the Red Cross. "Just a few weeks after Hammerings". We are happy with them. They are now [illegible]

Mrs. Olive Williams [illegible]

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You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Tyler County, at the Court House in Woodville, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13th ... 1946. The ... and said ... being No... The ... Jordan, The Hi... Inc., a corporati... Moorman, Mary V. ... Isaac Bartlett, C. Lan... L. Vaughan and husband, ... P. Vaughan, Ruth Work ... and husband W. J. Knight, ... D. Mann, Edwin Anthony, ... land Anthony and Joe Daniel ... H. Allgeyer, and ... Pemberton, Mary Pemberton, ... Pemberton, Thadeus Pemberton, ... Roland Pemberton, Mary ... berton, William V. Pemberton, ... James O. Pemberton, O. C. Arnett, ... John Work, William B. Hay, ... C. Arnett, James Arnett, ... Arnett, Phillip A. Work, ... J. Phillips, John Swearingen, ... J. Swearingen, John ...

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WOODVILLE NEWS

Willard made a business trip to Livingston and Moss Monday. It rained so hard that it was a difficult drive to Chester and between Chester and Corrigan the ditches were so full of water it was over the road. She learned Tuesday morning that a physician could not get in Lufkin when called, for Mrs. John Wigley as the ambulance made the trip after her and a [illegible] managed to get it through the creek bottom, going and returning.

Mrs. Lula Chandler of Jacksonville is visiting her brother and wife, Mrs. J. C. Lee.

Quite a good part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hicks and all were in Woodville Sunday to celebrate the birthday of three members of the family, T. O. Hicks, Mrs. Cloud Hicks and Miss Loraine Crumpler who came Sunday and her mother, returned to Anahuac with her.——Mrs. H. O. Pedigo and Austin Ogden spent Monday in Kirbyville on business.——Mrs. Willie Norris of Beaumont are visiting the parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Best.

POPE'S MILL CENTER

Mrs. Joff Russell visited Mrs. D. D. Pope over the week end.——Guy Hulse visited his mother, Mrs. Nannie Hulse Saturday.——Mrs. O. C. Batull is working in Beaumont now.——Mrs. J. M. Pope of Beaumont came up for a short visit with Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Pope Saturday night.——D. C. Bracken visited in this community Sunday afternoon.——Mrs. Hoya and family were Woodville visitors Saturday.——Rev. R. L. Pope visited in Hillister Monday.——All are glad to report no sickness in this community.

HOME TO TROY

Go to HOME to TROY in six laps. Beginning with HOME, change one letter at a time and form a new word each time according to the given definitions, until you reach TROY.

H O M E
A bank
Ripped
A wrongful act
Honk a gait

T R O Y

Solution Rome, Tome, Tore, Tort, Toot, Trot, Troy

WOODVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Rosie Rasberry of Corrigan spent Tuesday night with the son Fred, and family to be with another son, Dean, who was here as a member of Mont Mulligan's Show Boys. The whole group went from the Auditorium to the Rasberry home after the performance and enjoyed some delicious cake and coffee. Mr. Mulligan and his boys played to a full house, chairs in the isles and many standing around the walls. Mrs. Rasberry drove home with the mother yesterday.

Mesdames Ernest Pedigo, Dan Rienstra and H. C. Wilkerson drove to Houston Saturday.

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DISTRICT ENGINEER KELLY HONORED BY FELLOW WORKERS

Tom J. Kelly, engineer of district highway department, was presented a desk as a token of appreciation at a surprise gathering of his fellow workers at the department headquarters in Beaumont Friday afternoon. Assistant Engineer W. R. Simmons served as master of ceremonies. Mr. Pelham, engineer at the district headquarters at Paris, was at the gathering. He is exchanging districts with Mr. Kelly, who has held the position of engineer in this district for the final five years.

A native of Kankakee, Ill., he came to Texas as a boy, graduating from Beaumont high school during a year's residence there. He attended Texas A&M college and joined the state highway department soon after graduating from the college. He served in France with the signal corps during World War I. His son, Lt. James Kelly, fought in Europe war II and is now stationed in Austria.

During his service as district engineer the department has paved 7.6 in Chambers county and highway 146 for nine miles to the south of Liberty; graded highway 236; graded and paved highways 90 and 87 at Orange; made repairs after army maneuvers in the district, constructed a bridge across the Neches river on highway 190 between Jasper and Woodville; paved highway 190 between Woodville and Jasper; paved Eleventh street and highway 105 to Sour Lake; paved highway 124 south of Stowell, and built the access roads to the rubber plants at Port Neches, the naval docks at Orange, the Consolidated Steel corporation at Orange and a housing project at Orange.

Also during his administration here, the district headquarters were improved and additional buildings were put up and the grounds enlarged.

H. E. Wingate and W. B. Suter attended the gathering in Beaumont Friday.

HUMBLE CO. GIVES PRIZES

Loren Mosley, president, Texas Fine Arts Exhibit, has announced the establishment of two $500 purchase prizes by Humble Oil & Refining Company, one to be awarded for a work of works of art to be shown at the Texas Fine Arts Exhibit, which opens in Austin in the spring, the other to be similarly awarded at the Texas General Exhibit, a fall show sponsored by the Dallas and Houston Museums of Fine Arts and the Witte Memorial Museum of San Antonio, and opening on October 5 at the Texas State Fair in Dallas.

Establishment of the prizes, according to the Humble Company has as its purpose the encouragement of artistic talent and the reward of merit. Works purchased under the awards may be reproduced in "The Humble Way," a magazine with approximately 30,000 readers.

All works of art admitted to the exhibits, Mosley said, are eligible to compete for the several awards among sculpture and portraits. He pointed out that the Humble Company has allowed artists wide leeway in the selection of subject matter, specifying only that pictures must deal with some aspect of "all country" scenes or life. The awards, it is explained may be made for single paintings, or for groups of paintings or prints, as determined by a selection committee which may withhold either award if in its judgment no works of adequate merit are presented for consideration.

The selection committee for the Texas exhibits, Mosley said, will be composed of James Quillman, Jr., director, Houston museum

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The Dallas Downtown Investment Company Friday announced purchase of Dallas's first theater building, 75 feet directly west of and adjoining the Texas Bank Building on Main.

Amount involved was not disclosed by W. W. Overton, Jr., president of the buyers. He announced plans for extensive improvements to the property purchased from The Dallas Morning News. Other officers of the firm are Justin McCarty, vice-President, Bullard Burghar, secretary, and Roy Duke, treasurer.

The two-story structure was a famous place in Dallas history. It attracted attention in the movies of Frederick Warde, actor, who toured the nation for fifty years.

In his book, Fifty Years of Make-Believe, Warde devoted special note to the Dallas theater.

"In Dallas we played in a long room over a newly built store on the main street. It was approached by a steep stairway on the side. Two dry goods cases had been improvised on the curb for a box office and there Jake Monger sold the tickets.

"Jake was a privileged character whose eccentricities were well known and people only laughed at his vocal explosions that would have cost another man his life.

"There were no dressing rooms in the opera house. We dressed in our rooms in the Windsor Hotel (across the street), crossed on a diagonal covered bridge to the Exchange Hotel on the opposite side of the street in the rear, entered a back room, climbed out of a window, crossed a roof and entered the opera house by another window that opened on the back of the stage.

"When a change of dress was necessary, we had to make a return round trip by the same route, passing through a double line of colored chambermaids, Negro porters and bellboys, whose characteristic laughter and comments on our appearance and costume were, to say the least, embarrassing.

"The play was Richelieu."

ONE PRESIDENT'S VIEWS

Never with my consent shall an officer of the people, compensated for his services out of their pockets, become the pliant instrument of the executive will.——William Henry Harrison, Inaugural Address, March 4, 1841.

SUSCEPTIBILITY TO TUBERCULOSIS

Speaking of children and their susceptibility to tuberculosis, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, said: "Few people realize that babies and young children are very likely to catch tuberculosis if they are kept in rooms with persons who have the disease in an infectious stage, or use the same dishes, glass in the same beds, or are handled and kissed by people who have tuberculosis.

"Babies and young children pick up the germs of tuberculosis just as readily as they pick up the germs of measles, whooping cough or any of the so-called children's diseases. But tuberculosis is different in certain particulars. Unlike most diseases, it has more than one form. Babies who get tuberculosis may not show the symptoms we associate with the disease in older people. But the disease in most cases develops rapidly and is likely to end fatally. Tuberculosis in babies and young children is a serious matter, but recent studies have shown that if young children are removed promptly from contact with the disease and given the necessary care, many lives can be saved.

"A great deal can be accomplished whenever tuberculosis develops, whether young or old, if the presence of the disease is recognized when it is in its early stage and if medical attention is secured promptly.

"Tuberculosis does not just simply happen. Nobody is born with the disease. Everybody who develops tuberculosis gets it from some other source. Children and young people who have been in contact with persons ill with tuberculosis are especially likely to contract the disease.

NOT GUILTY

The noted Welch divine, Christmas Evans, is often credited with being one of the few preachers who ever succeeded in securing a 100% collection at an audience. He had delivered a sermon in an area where sheep stealing had been reported. Prior to the collection he referred to the fact, and pointed out it was sinful to offer such ill-gotten gains.

"I am going to ask," he announced, "if there are any guilty persons present, that they contribute nothing to the collection."—Christian Science Monitor.

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Scout Chief Honored

DR. CROMER J. PERKINS (above), Bay Area community leader, has been named honorary president of the Polar Bear Conference Units. The General Motors educational foundation recently announced a fifteen model car design and fabrication award building competition for boys 16 to 20 as part of its 1946 program.

MARQUERITE'S FLOWER AND GIFT SHOP

GULF PUMP STATION

All are glad to see J. D. Vinson at home and discharged from the army. He and Mrs. Vinson of Diboll were here with his parents over the week end.——Malcolm Barnes of Port Arthur and brother, B. B. Barnes of Beaumont enjoyed Sunday in Chester with relatives.——Mrs. Roy Pickett of Diboll visited the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pickett and his brother Arch of Nacogdoches, was also home for the week end.——Mrs. Dempsey Davis and children spent the week end in Houston.——Mrs. D. H. McCollum and daughter, Miss Gladys,

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London Risinger Will Announce for County Treasurer Next Week

WOODVILLE NEWS

Homer Polis McAllister with Mrs. Arthur Owens of Smith Party were county seat visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Dot Burris was called to Beaumont by the illness of her mother. Mr. Burris is in Dallas part of this week buying for the Stryker Drug Store.

BABY CHICKS
Plenty of Heavy Breed Chicks arriving Each Wednesday
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A card from Miss Florence Davis, tells us that she and Mrs. C. M. Davis (Mr. Davis decided to accompany them at the last minute) had a fine trip to Georgia. They visited the noted Hollingsworth Gardens enroute, and the Azaleas and Camellias are now a beautiful sight.

Mrs. O. C. Lowe is enjoying a ten day visit with relatives in Alabama. She is expected home this week end.

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