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## Here's How

BY E. W. HOWE  
THE SAGE OF POTATO HILL

READING.  
THREE KINDS OF MEN.  
SURFRY.

I occasionally read a book or essay, and, while agreeing in the main, reject certain portions. It has occurred to me that possibly the portions I reject contain precisely the truths I need to correct my errors; whereupon I examine my objections with such care and intelligence as I am capable of. I recommend this course to all readers. A reader is master of the situation: He may be as unfair as he chooses, without chance of reprimand or cross-examination. A reader should not reject conclusions of a writer without consideration. Why read at all if we accept only such conclusions as are agreeable, and meet our own views.

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The people abuse bankers very generally, but do the people realize what bankers say about us?

Lately I was in the smoking room of a pullman car, and there were three clean-cut strangers present, who turned out to be bankers from the same section of country. Presently they began talking of their business, and I have not lately heard a more intelligent resume of life and men. They knew the people as few writers know them, and their comments were fair and charitable, although very candidly admitting our faults.

One of them gave this description of the men of his communication; he was president of a national bank, I learned in course of a conversation in which they did not know I was interested:

1. One-half of them were honest, and entitled to credit; a few were slow, but would finally pay;
2. One-fourth were careless, somewhat shiftless, got into all sorts of difficulties because of these habits, and had to be watched closely;
3. One-fourth were dishonest, lazy, and hopeless from every standpoint.

I have been wondering since if this country banker did not give a fairly accurate estimate of the men of the world.

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The Mayo brothers, at Rochester, Minnesota, are probably our greatest experts in surgery. They say more than half the operations performed in this country are unnecessary—I shall believe that; I depend upon the best experts in considering things I do not know much about. Every one knows of horrible and unnecessary butchering in surgery.

## WEEKLY HONOR ROLL OF ELDORADO SCHOOL MUSIC

The following students are on the Honor Roll for the week ending November 16, Joy Sample, Roseland Jones, Ethel Anne Oglsby, Genevieve Ramsey, Jennie Louise Page, Thelma D. Mc Dougal, Willie Ruth Nicks, Jess Ella Johnson, Augusta Gravees, Lucille Oglesby, Nell Campbell

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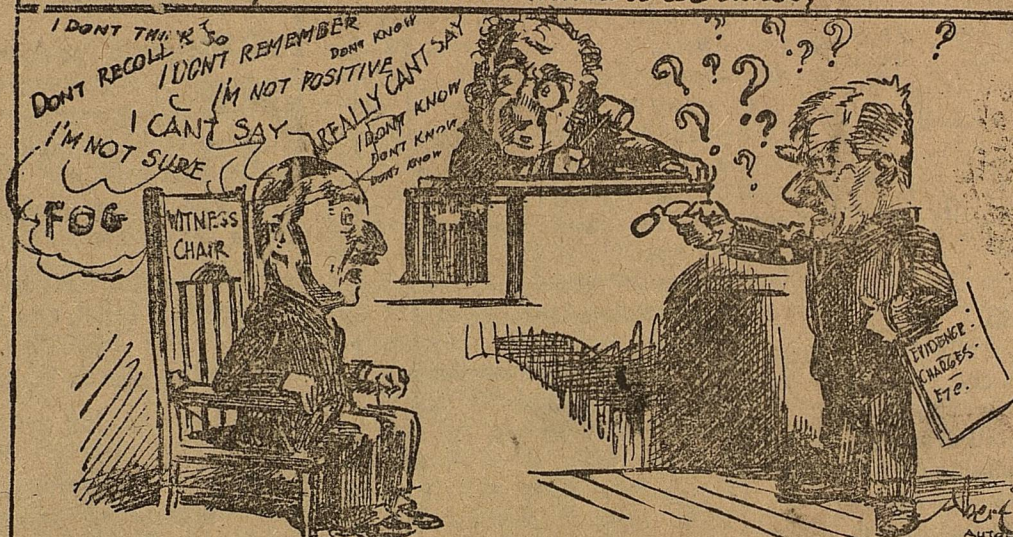
## Another Unexplained Phenomenon

By Albert T. Reid

WE CAN SIT AND REEL OFF FOR HOURS ALL THE MINUTE DETAILS OF PAST DEALS, - EXPLICIT AS TO NAMES, PLACES, DATES AND AMOUNTS, - OH, EVERYTHING.



Isn't it funny how clear one's mind is at times, -



-And how sluggish and befogged it can become at others.

## City Council Plans Paving Campaign

At the meeting of the Lions Club Wednesday, Mayor Fred O. Green announced that the council had started on plans whereby three blocks on main street are to be paved provided the problem can be successfully carried out. The Mayor with his council of Aldermen went to San Angelo last week and talked with the members of the Council of San Angelo and also with a contractor there and found that the paving could be practically easy carried out.

The paving will consist of a hard surface substance on the order of the material placed on the highway. The real plans for the paving campaign was not thoroughly announced but information can be received by asking any one of the council.

This paving problem will greatly improve the conditions of the main street as it is very unsatisfactory conditions especially at the intersection of the other streets.

## J. A. WHITTEN RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL IN SAN ANGELO

J. A. Whitten returned Sunday afternoon from the Hospital at San Angelo where he has been seriously ill for the past three or four weeks. He is improved considerably in health but is still very weak from his long stay at the hospital.

LOST— in Eldorado last week, a brown muley cow. If found please notify Ed Bradshaw. (pd. 47)

The son of Professor J E Conner, of Kinvsville, can lay claim to being the youngest college student in Texas. The South Texan, published by the students of the Texas College of Arts and Industries, contains the following account of young Conner:

William Conner, 13-year old son of Professor J E Conner, is now the baby of the college. When young Conner enrolled in the college last week he became the youngest student ever to enter S T C and one of the youngest persons on college rosters in the United States.

Conner is taking three college courses. He is taking Latin 101 and two physics courses.

He graduated from the Henrietta M King High School this year, with the eighty one students finishing there.

Young Conner will not be four teen years old until next October. He entered school when he was seven years old, starting in the fourth grade. If he takes three years in going through college, he will receive his degree when he is sixteen the age when most boys are in the middle of high school.

William seemed unaware of the remarkable precocity of his achievement. He is unaffected by the fact that he is one of the very few boys of his age attending college.

Conner is much like any other boy his age. He is fond of outdoor sports; but his greatest pleasure is reading, "Don't get the idea that I'm a book worm though," he said. He weighs about a hundred pounds, as about five feet three inches tall.

"Right now," he said in reply

## Eldorado Teacher Called Home By Death Of Father

Miss Willie Allen, English Teacher in the Eldorado High School was called home late Friday evening by the report of the death of her father near Graham Texas.

## Allerita Loomis Players Playing In Eldorado This Week

The Allerita Loomis Players are giving the people of Eldorado some very enjoyable entertainment during this week. The attendance during their stay up to date has been very satisfactory to the company. They have a nice tent with very good means of keeping it very comfortable on the inside.

Their feature play Friday night "What Every Daughter Should Know" and from all other reports of this play it should be well worth your attendance.

This show is far ahead of any other show of its kind that has visited our town and we are glad that they are receiving the support of the citizens.

In speaking of his grades he said, "The kind of grades I make depends upon how energetic I get. If I get energetic in a subject I'll make a good grade in it and if I don't I won't. I always made A and B's through high school, tho' it may be added that young Conner came through the summer Term in the Texas College of Arts and Industries with a record of five A's and one B."

Young Conners parents Mr and Mrs J E Conner, made Eldorado their home for many years and frequently visit here, they taught in our school for several years and were very successful teachers. William Conner is a grand son of Mr and Mrs W T Conner of our city and all Eldorado feel an interest in the young man's success, and claim him as an Eldorado product.

## Eldorado P. T. A. To Stage Operetta

The Eldorado Parent Teacher Association plan to present a musical comedy, entitled "A Sailor or Maid" in the school auditorium on December 6th. Mrs McDonald, wife of Dr. McDonald, is director of the operetta and has already selected the cast of about fifty characters and is already at work on the rehearsals. Mrs McDonald was director of this same operetta last season in Dallas and with her experienced direction it is expected that this will be one of the best entertainments which has been in Eldorado for several years.

## Eldorado Ranch Sold

Mr. S. D. Harper, Sr., of Coleman County, was in Eldorado during the past week and completed the sale of two sections of his ranch a few miles north-east of town to Mr. Leonard Baugh. The price reported was \$18.10 per acre.

## Two Cases Of Diptheria In Eldorado

According to Dr. W. D. Patton City Health officer in Eldorado, there are now two cases of diptheria under quarantine in Eldorado. One of these is Mr. Luther Gunter, employee of the West Texas Lumber Company, and the other is Lendon Isaacs, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Isaacs. Neither of the cases appear to be serious thus far.

## Cold Wave Still Felt In Eldorado

Cold weather and lowering of temperature has been felt in Eldorado for the past two weeks and some snow fell last Friday afternoon with a very large frost following that night. Very little warm weather has been felt since the cold wave started about two weeks ago and the recent rains have done no great amount of good for the range with the exception of winter weeds. Although the range practically all over the county is in very good conditions and with ordinary conditions there will be very little feeding during the winter until the lambing season after the first of the year.

## Eldorado High School Stage "Library Week"

The Public Speaking classes of the Eldorado High School, under the direction of Miss Lillian Orsborn, public speaking teacher, conducted a "library week" from November 11th to 16th. American Education week and National Book Week were combined for the principal purposes of teaching the value and use of good books and to increase the funds of the high school library.

On Monday, November 11th, there were football and basketball game in the afternoon and a Mexican supper in the basement of the Presbyterian Church in the evening. The public speaking students were in charge of these events. On Tuesday morning Miss Allen, English teacher in the high school, directed the assembly program in which the care of books and the selection of good books were emphasized. On Wednesday the public speaking classes, aided by some of the parents, served lunch to the school children at the Methodist Church. On Thursday morning a pay-assembly was conducted by the same classes and on Thursday given in which songs, readings, dialogues and anecdotes characterized the entertainment. On Friday evening two one-act plays were presented at the school auditorium to a large crowd.

Each pupil in the public speaking classes was in charge of some work in order that they might receive experience from such responsibility. From this "Library Week" the Eldorado High School gained about \$150 in money as well as about fifty selected books in history, biography, literature and fiction which were donated by the citizens of the community.

## Bridge Party

Mrs Joe Williams entertained the Eldorado Bridge Club Thursday November 14, with three tables of Bridge.

After playing six hands of Bridge high score prize was awarded Mrs Lewis Ballew and high guest prize was awarded Mrs Albert Bailey.

After the party a business meeting was called by the chairman Mrs H T Finlay. During the meeting a new chairman was elected who was Mrs Luke Thomson. We also decided to play five hands of Bridge instead of six during the winter months.

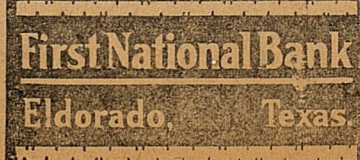


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## FOURTH INSTALLMENT

### WHAT HAPPENED BEFORE

At a party in Palm Beach given by Mr. Cooper Clary, Leeson, an attorney, meets Lucy Harkness known as Devil-May-Care because of her adventurous, eventful life. In a game in which partners for the evening are chosen, Lucy is won by Tim Stevens, who has a great reputation as a successful heart-breaker. Leeson is a bit jealous. Tim Stevens tells Lucy they are going aboard his boat, the Minerva, and she accedes in order not to be "a quitter." Asked if she is sorry that he won her company, Lucy says she is not and that he won her company. Lucy says she is not and that Fate has evidently arranged it, then thereupon tells her to stop looking regretfully after Leeson.

Aboard Stevens' boat the Minerva, Stevens tells Lucy of his love. When she replies with contempt for him, he grows violently angry and she becomes afraid of him. He says he will never let her go from the Minerva until she accepts him. To escape him, she leaps into the water from her cabin window, swimming a short distance under water.

Lucy reaches land and meets Dr. Fergus Faunce on an island. He takes care of her and takes her home. Everyone is worried about her and when she meets Stevens he is frantic, regretful and still ardent in protestations of love.

### New Go On With The Story

"We start from here, then; I took you away with me—I frightened you; I drove you to almost certain death. But—we start from there. Is that it?"

"From where else could we start?" she countered.

"And you—you can't forgive me, Lucy Harkness?"

"Can you make me? That seems to be the question," she answered.

He rose from his chair, fatigue dropping from him like a bath-gown from a bather on the beach. That amazing virility which was himself, but which this morning had been absent, returned to him in a rush.

"I don't like equal chances," he cried. "I want the odds against me. Two to one, ten to one, a hundred to one!"

"They are," she reminded him. "And—and what shall we tell people are curious?"

"I came home," she said calmly. "In my bathing-suit. If your crew and Modane—"

"They'll say nothing," he promised.

"And, naturally, we won't!" she laughed.

"And you'll see me, speak to me, as though nothing had happened?"

"I'll do what Fate directs," she promised.

He shook his head.

"You're no saint, Lucy Harkness. If you were, I'd not love you. You're flesh and blood and wavy hair and long lashes and pink and tan skin, and—human! You can't fool me, you're going to do something—"

"Which ought to make life interesting, Tim," she chuckled.

"Trying to outguess a woman is hard enough under ordinary circumstances, but under these— But perhaps your blood has cooled. In emotion we want things to promise things, do things that contemplation causes us to regret an hour ago death was an adventure which you welcomed, now flirtation seems dangerous. Well, go your own way, Tim Stevens."

"I'll go yours," he cried. "The way of Fate."

She laughed.

"You hate me. You'll get even, some way—"

"Of course I hate you," she

"You're daring me," he asserted.

"And you're afraid to take a dare," she accused. "But I've given you all the time I can this morning. I'm due at the beach Club."

He held out a tentative hand. She shook her head.

"Not yet a while, Tim. Perhaps never. You know, after all, you didn't trump my ace, or move as I putted. You didn't try to do—a thing that you must have known would have caused me to kill myself. But enough of that. We start again."

After he left she leaned back in her chair and closed her eyes. "We start again," she murmured.

"But where shall I lead him? The curved lips straightened harshly, and the hands that rested upon the arms of the wicker chair suddenly gripped them. Then she relaxed. She was able to summon a perfectly natural smile to her lips as, in response to the noise of the iron knocker upon the gate, a Jap admitted Leeson to the patio.

A nice-looking boy, she told herself as he advanced eagerly. Clean, well built, and enthusiastic. She liked this latter quality in him. She liked fresh eagerness in the viewpoint of life. Too much of it had gone from her; perhaps because the people she knew, played around with were too sophisticated, too ennuied with the business of living. Perhaps she could regain some of it from Leeson.

"You didn't come back to Mrs. Clary's last night," he accused, as he bent over her hand.

"Did you expect me to?" she inquired.

"Of course. I hoped so."

"But you lost," she said.

"On a foul," he reminded her. She shrugged.

"We threshed that out last night. I like winners, as I told you."

"Did Stevens keep you away?" he asked.

"She straightened in her chair. "That's a strange question," she told him.

He brushed his forehead nervously.

"Well, Mrs. Clary was worried and—I don't like Stevens, you know."

"Losers never care for victors," she mocked.

"It isn't that—alone. But when Stevens came and fainted in Mrs. Clary's patio—and you hadn't answered the telephone—"

"After parties I regain my girlish color by plenty of sleep," she said. "And aren't you being a trifle persistent, Mr. Leeson? I'm not used to cross-examination, or insinuations that I'm unable to take care of myself. What makes you think that Stevens, or anyone, could take me anywhere against my will?"

He blushed nervously.

"I didn't mean to be—impertinent. But—Well, I don't care whether it's good form, or being done, or anything like that, Steven's bad, Miss Harkness. I mean—a rotter. And when you go off, with him, and don't return—"

"The intimation is that I am also a bad, a rotter, isn't it?" she returned.

"Not at all. His blush was painful. "You know—No, you don't know—how could you?—my opinion of you."

"It might be interesting, though she scoffed. "And I almost believe you're frank enough to give it."

"You don't mean frank; you mean unsophisticated, Miss Harkness," he said. "Well, I suppose I am. I'm not used to—well, the sort of people, the sort of things I meet down here."

"Why not run back home, then where every one is nice and wholesome?"

"Now you're not being you."

You know I'm not critical, or condemning. I'm merely explaining. I—I'm a lawyer, Miss Harkness. And I ought to tell you about Stevens."

"How ethical," she murmured. "Stevens is a client of your firm, and I am not. Therefore, you will tell me about him."

"Professional ethics can't be permitted to conflict with common decency," he declared. "And he isn't a client any longer. The firm have telegraphed that, owing to many things, he is no longer a client. They've asked me to remain down here a while; or, were he to get in touch with me, to get explanations of certain matters, to settle up affairs with him."

"And you, out of common decency—was that it?—tell me, who have no interest in the affairs of Mr. Stevens or of your firm, that the latter is too holy to deal with the former. Stuck to professional ethics, Mr. Leeson; they will get you farther than common decency, it seems to me. Professional ethics are laid down for you; you don't have to guess at them. But common decency is open to interpretation, and a cat will interpret it according to his caddishness."

"That is not merely unfair; it is dishonest," he said. His color, his embarrassment had vanished. He was not the nervous youth who had entered the patio but a cool and collected attorney, willing and able to challenge her to pick up where she left off.

"Why isn't it?" she demanded.

"Because, when a woman is involved a man must not protect another man. He must protect the woman."

"You think I need protection?" she asked coolly.

"This man Stevens is a beast; any woman would need protection from him, and almost any man who wasn't forewarned. And I— isn't anything fair in love or war?"

"Is there a war?" she asked.

"Perhaps there's love," he retorted.

"We met last night," she murmured to him.

"And again now," he said.

"And about Stevens?"

"There's going to be a warrant issued for his arrest, to-day, unless he settles a certain matter. And he can't settle. It's for a quarter of a million cash. That he stole. That's why I come, caddishly, to you, to warn you not to have anything to do with him."

"Did you think he'd borrow from me?" she asked idly.

"Oh I didn't mean to say all this!" he cried. "I—I wanted to see—you. And I'd worried as Mrs. Clary had done; and then—you defend Stevens, and—Well I've told you."

"Most unethically, and not even common decency. Your ex-client—"

"To my present client." He smiled. "You didn't know?"

She hid a sigh of relief when luncheon ended. Here formality ceased; one went to the room and at hazard or roulette forgot one's hostess, one's guests. She played a while at a wheel then was conscious of some one standing over her. She turned to meet Leeson's intense gaze.

"Hello!" she said.

He knew the etiquette of roulette.

"Don't let me disturb you," he said hastily.

She shrugged, bet her last few chips, lost, and rose from the table.

"No need to concentrate on the wheel when one's luck is vile. I'm through. Have you been

lucky?"

"I can't afford to play," he said. "I came to luncheon, and am just looking on. Stevens", and his voice sank to a husky whisper, "is to be arrested at five."

"Why that hour instead of another?" she asked. She was hardly conscious that her ex-client was there.

After all, Stevens has been our client. To demand a quarter of a million from him on the spot is going too far. To demand it within a few hours is slightly different. Stevens was given that amount of money for a definite purpose. Either he used it for that purpose or should have it accessible. He didn't use it. Therefore he must have it. Unless he's stolen it, converted it into his own use. This we happen to know, he has done. But the police here won't act on the moment. He asked an hour or so ago, until five o'clock. Said he had the money, but was busy on other things. At five he'd pay. But he can't.

She hastened from the room, secured her wrap from the maid, and went out into the blazing sunshine, so incredible in February. The doorman beckoned for a chair, and stepping into it, she ordered that she be taken to her bank.

"What's my balance?" she asked the paying teller.

He looked it up and told her that she had something over forty thousand dollars on deposit.

"How much can I borrow?" she asked.

The teller summoned the president; there was a ten-minute

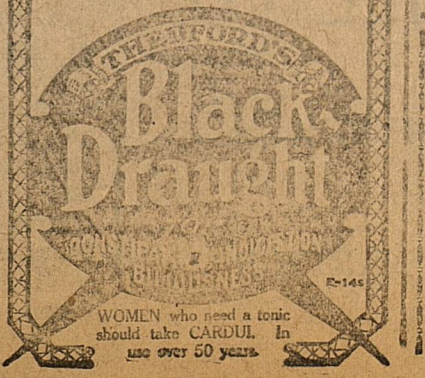


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conference. From the vaults Lucy brought securities. The loan she asked was quickly arranged.

"And there'll be no word of this leak out?" she asked.

The bank officials assured her of their silence.

"I'll take it in cash," she said.

Well, those who came to Palm Beach did many strange things, and Lucy Harkness was called Devil-May-Care. She had deposited four hundred thousand dollars of the best securities for a loan of two hundred and fifty thousand.

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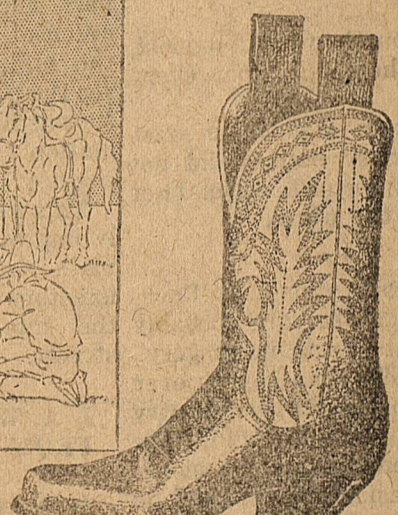
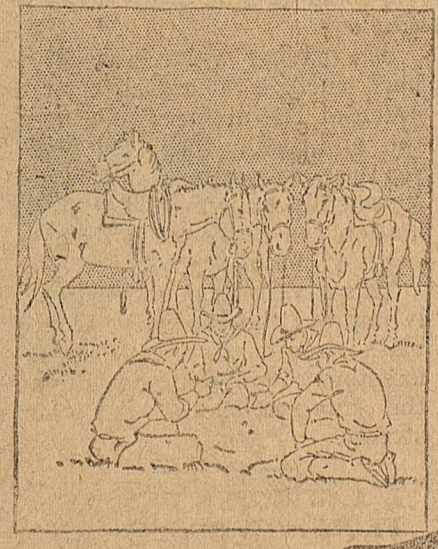
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By Ira Newfield  
Eldorado Texas Band Director  
When the first day break lit the sky "The morning stars sang together and all the Sons of God shouted for joy". First inspired by the heavenly harmony the soul of Man has ever since responded to Music. It plays upon the harp strings off some man's soul whirring none but Good can hear before it is sent forth to be sounded out by choir of hundred voices and congregation of thousands.  
Music is both a science and an art. As a science its principles must be learned; as an art it must be practiced. "Man only can learn a science; Man only Man has sought out many inventions through which music is device can, of itself; really produce music. It were like a semi-blasphemy to say; That less than man could compose music. Real music is not only mechanically correct. Unless it breathes the Soul of the composer, no matter how true it may be to the rules, it is not music in the highest sense.  
So with mechanical devices by which music is played. They all lack the Soul of the human performer.  
They may keep correct time and strike the correct notes, but the heart of the performer is lacking the greatest of all possible. For this reason a quite indifferent performer is always heard more gladly than is the best musical mechanical device. So much for that.  
Then again Man is a divinely Create an artist  
If we continue our mechanical devices we must sooner or later lose the science of music: It must be studied by some one. The music we now hear over

### Dick Fay Colored Arrested On Liquor Charge

Dick Fay colored city sanitary worker was arrested by deputy sheriff of Eldorado Tuesday night charged with possession of liquor. There was about a gallon found by the deputy in the home of the negro. He is still in jail awaiting bond.

STRAY— One Black Horse about 7 years old and unbranded. Is in Dean Swift's pasture about 10 miles from Eldorado. Owner call and get him.  
Lark McClary

### TO THE ELDERADO WATER CONSUMERS

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O. W. Evans

the phonographs and radios are not the creation of these instruments: Marvulous as all admit to be they do but repeat the playing and echo the voices of those who have learned to play and sing: They are still inanimate; mere machines: nothing more: They attempt to give forth the voice of the singer and the music that comes thru his fingers. But how much of the soul of the song and the melody is lost! To hear Paderewski the greatest pianist in the world over the radio is much like the play of Hamlet with Hamlet left out. Moreover, if more attention is not given to the study of music as a science we must speedily lost it.

Where are the singers, the players and the composers to come from when those we have now passed away? These learned the science of music by hard study and they learned to practice the art. Listening in will never produce a composer, a singer or a player.

Again we will soon have no cultivated hearers. And then music is not for itself alone. It is the voice of sentiment; the note of love, the instrument of praise. It is or once was a chief joy of home, not a voice from a far country but a well spring of joy from a fountain hardby. It banished discord among neighbors and caused them to dwell together in peace and harmony.

What father, like the Village Smith, would not rather hear his daughter or son "Singing in the Choir" and dream that it is "his Mother's voice singing in heaven" than to hear the greatest Prima Dona a thousand miles away? Let us get back to the music of home: the voices of our children: the music that comes through the fingers of our sons and daughters. A joy unspeakable.

### "Santa Claus" Ratliff Bandit Lynched By Mob At Eastland

Marshall Ratliff the "Santa Claus" bandit that took part in the Cisco bank robbery two years ago and after an insanity trial was placed in jail at Eastland. After playing the part perfectly of being paralyzed he secured a gun from the jail keepers office and shot him three times before being overpowered by a deputy. Sentiment around Eastland was at a very high pitch Tuesday and a mob of 150 or 200 men went to the jail and brought the prisoner out where he was hung from a cable. About a thousand people or more witnessed the lynching.

Ratliff had played the part of being paralyzed so perfectly for three or four weeks that the keepers thought him really paralyzed. Even pins had been stuck in his body but no movement was made. Carelessness on the part of the jail keeper when feeding the prisoners and leaving the door of the robber's cell open gave him the chance he had been waiting for. After the keeper and deputy had gone to feed more prisoners, Ratliff slipped from his cell to the keepers office where he secured his gun and fired three shots into him. One piercing his abdomen one going just above the heart and one shattering his leg just above the knee. The Jail Keeper is not expected to live.

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Quite a surprize at the outcome of last Saturday's football game in Texas. Most everyone was guessing a very close score in the S. M. U. Baylor game and the Dallas Mustangs absolutely ran away with the game. After Baylor had scores early in the game the Southern Methodist team opened up an aerial attack that blinded the Baylor Bears and consequently the score ran to 25 to 6 in favor of the Dallas team.

Now who will win the conference? Texas U. and Baylor are practically out of the running with T. C. U. heading the percentage column with a 1000 percent. Having met with no defeats and no ties while S. M. U. is running a close second with no defeats and one tie. These two teams will meet Thanksgiving for honors of the Southwest Conference provided that Baylor does not defeat T. C. U. This week end which is very doubtful comparing scores of previous years but that does not seem to be very well. Previous years have not proven very good which to place your guess on U. and Baylor both tied Baylor outplaying the entire game and the team barely able to hold the Texas team to a tie. The Mustangs and Baylor and the Mustangs carrying off the game in easy fashion. What are you going to base your guesses on in the coming Thanksgiving games,

T. C. U. outplayed Texas last Saturday afternoon to defeat the strong eleven that has not been scores on up to this time. This was the first defeat handed to the Texas U. eleven by a T. C. U. team since the football relations have been going on between these teams. The best that they could do was to tie. This means that seemed to be too much for the Texans. Skipping in-

ety yards for a touchdown on a kickoff. This defeat places the T. C. U. team as a very strong bidder for Southwest Conference championship. Two more hard games lay in the path of the Ft. Worth team. Baylor will invade the Christians field Saturday and then on Thanksgiving they will have to watch out for the S. M. U. Mustangs. The T. C. U. team will probably win the Baylor game but will they win the S. M. U. game next Thursday? The defeat handed Texas last Saturday puts her out of the Conference running with one defeat and two ties. This according to conference rules will give the credit of two defeats, tie games counting on half game won and one-half game lost. T. C. U. has not been tied nor defeated, Baylor defeated once and tied, once, S. M. U. tied once, A and M & has not won but one conference game that being with Rice at Houston and they have not won a conference game. This gives the conference between S. M. U. of Dallas and T. C. U. of Ft. Worth with T. C. U. holding the longest end of the rope up to date. A tie with S. M. U. would still give the Christians the championship an honor that they have never achieved before.

The Eldorado Eagles were completely swamped at San Angelo last Saturday afternoon by the San Angelo Kittens. The Kittens of our neighbor town are enjoying a great deal in the football games th syear at the expense of the light and inexperienced Eldorado team but they have a year coming we suppose as this is the first year that they have ever scored on an Eldorado team much less shut them out two games in one season. This is the fourth year of football between these two teams. The first year a scoreless tie was played. The second year the Eldorado boys won 7-0, the third year the Eagles defeated

them 25-0, and this year the back and then some. We will have to postpone hostilities until then.

**Part Of Tools Still In Whitten Well**

After working several days in attempting to loosen the bit in the Whitten oil test after it had become battered and hung in the lower end of the six inch casing the drillers cut it loose and then lowered more tools and in raising it the lower part of the bit came loose and now rests on the bottom. The hole has been caving and attempts of catching the bit has not produced any results. The workmen have run cement in order to stop the caving and they think it will be easy after the cavings are stopped to reach the broken part of the bit.

The State of Texas  
County of Schleicher

Whereas, there was filed in the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County, Texas, on the 11th, day of November A. D. 1929, the following application, to-wit:

The State of Texas  
County of Schleicher  
In the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County, Texas, November Term A. D. 1929, To the Honorable Commissioners Court of Schleicher County:

Now comes G. B. Shoemaker and F. R. Keele, the undersigned applicants, and respectfully represents to your Honorable Body (1) That they are the owners, in fee simple, of the following described real estate which has heretofore been sub-divided into blocks or small sub-divisions, known and described as follows, to-wit:

(2) Blocks Nos. One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in the Moore and Doty Addition to the town of Eldorado, Texas, in the County of Schleicher and the State of Texas, and

That the said G. B. Shoemaker and the said F. R. Keele do make application to your said court for permission to cancel all that portion of the said Moore and Doty Addition above described and as shown from the map of the said Moore and Doty Addition now on record in Vol. No. 8, Page No. 156 of the Deed Records of Schleicher County, Texas, so as to throw all the above described blocks and the streets contiguous thereto, back into acreage tracts as it existed before such sub-division was made, and,

That we, the undersigned applicants, further represent to the court that the cancellation of the above described sub-divisions and all streets contiguous thereto, will not interfere with the established rights of any purchaser of any sub-division of the said Moore and Doty Addition, and that the above described lands are not included in any incorporated city or town. This the 11th, day of November A. D. 1929.

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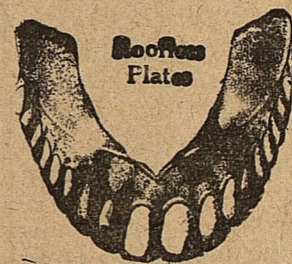
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## LIBRARY WEEK

Library Week was a success. The plans that had been made were carried out.

The ball games were played Monday. The Rocksprings girls were defeated by the Eldorado girls. The Eagles were defeated by the Rocksprings' Bull Dogs.

Tuesday was donation day for those who wished to donate books to the library. Lunch was served Wednesday at the Methodist Church where a large crowd was fed. Thursday and Friday nights plays were presented in the school auditorium. There was no admission charged Thursday night. Thursday morning was pay chapel.

The sum collected for library amounted over a hundred dollars.

### GRAMMAR SCHOOL HELPS IN LIBRARY WEEK

The pupils and teachers in the Grammar grades did their part during library week. They did everything they were asked to do and they helped advertise the different events.

The grade libraries will get a certain percent of the money made during Library Week.

The pupils chosen to take part and take charge of the work in the different grades were:

Seventh Grade: Ruth Nix, Arnold Farrington;  
 Sixth Grade: John Lueddecke and Wenona Enochs.  
 Fifth Grade: Harmon Bodine and Neva Wade.

### EAGLES SUFFER ANOTHER DEFEAT

The black and gold clad warriors of the Eldorado High School lost another football game Saturday Nov. 16 when they played the San Angelo Junior High team and were defeated by a score of 47-7.

Several of the Eldorado regular string men were not in the game at all because of injuries received in the Rocksprings game in the first few minutes of the San Angelo game Carl Kerr hurt a leg and was carried off the field. This weakened the line considerably.

The San Angelo Team was small but were fast and furious fighters. They outplayed the Eldorado team during the whole game. Eldorado made more gains by plunging the line than any other way.

### COMING SATURDAY

Eldorado and Ozona are to clash again here next Saturday. Ozona won the game at Ozona, but they are going to have to work hard to win this one. Every body see this game. It's going to be good. This is the last game of the season at HOME.

### LUNCH DAY

Wednesday lunch was served at the Methodist church by the pupils of high school. Sandwiches, chili, chicken soup, hot dogs, candy, cocoa, and tea were served. There was \$26.15. The expenses were paid out of this pupils certainly did their best to make the dinner a success and with the aid of the citizens, it was a success.

### PAY CHAPEL

Thursday morning some of the public speaking students gave an

entertainment in the auditorium to raise money for the library. The Grammar school children paid a nickel as they entered and the high school pupils paid a dime. We made \$21.05. This money goes to buy books for the library, and we intend to have the best library in this part of the country before long.

### DONATION DAY

On Tuesday, which was donation day to the Eldorado High School Library, there was \$12.00 and 24 books donated by individuals and places of business.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to those places of business and each individual who donated books or money to the high school library.

### CHAPEL PROGRAM TUESDAY

On Tuesday morning an interesting program, sponsored by Miss Allen was presented at the chapel period. The theme of this program was education.

The ninth grade English class was in charge. An excellent theme on "The Value of an Education" was read. Grace Ratliff told of the advantages of an education. A high school pupil having 87 chances to 1 of those of grammar school pupil. An amusing playlet on good literature was put on.

Last but not least, Ray Boyer and J. C. Bullion gave a short comedy advertising "Library Week".

### ASSEMBLY PROGRAM FRIDAY

The assembly Friday morning was an "Armistice" program. Mrs. Bailey was in charge.

First Victoria explained the term "Armistice", Fannie Hardt gave a reading, "In Flanders Field" then Lois Sharp gave the "Answer to Flanders Field".

Elnora Andrews and Margaret Tisdale sang "Break the News to Mother". Then a group of high school girls sang some songs that were popular during the World War.

### BASKET BALL

Yes sir, Eldorado won her first basket ball game Monday Nov. 11. The score was 16 to 12. This was the first match game the girls had played this year. Eldorado did some excellent playing the first half but played well through the whole game. From the first impression shown Eldorado has a good team. We hope she wins the other games played this season.

### STEVENS ELECTED CAPTAIN OF GIRLS BASKET BALL TEAM

Alta Stevens has been elected captain of the girl's basket ball team for this season. We are sure that Alta is going to do her best to help the coach. Miss Osburn, to make this year a success. This is Alta's second year to play on the Eldorado team but she has played several years with the Bailey Ranch School.

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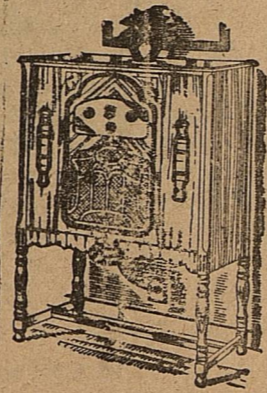
Professor Holt: I'm going to speak on liars today. How many of you read chapter twenty-five?

(Nearly all students raised their hand)

Prof: "Good. You are the very

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group to whom I wish to speak.

There is no twenty-fifth chapter. Its going around that one Saturday night a bunch of high school girls made whoopee and all went to the show. We wonder if they saw Tom Mix in "Cement".

Hellen Craddock could eat no fat.

Dahlia Fae could eat no lean, So between them both—

Dahlia Fae licked the platter clean.

What if: There was no failures in Physics. Buster Chick wan't called "Rooster".

Fannie was a spade instead of a Hardt.

Joe H Moore wasn't called "Al Chemist".

Ruby Wilson was a pearl instead of a Ruby.

Viola May was June.

Margaret Williams wasn't called "Lizzie".

We wonder: Why Elzie Moore likes black hair.

Why Kenneth doesn't like girls Why the pep squad doesn't go to games at home.

Why Elizabeth Bradley likes blond boys.

When we are going to have another foot ball game here.

Who is going to win the next game.

How those Rocksprings basket ball girls liked the way the Eldorado girls beat them.

Where J C Bullion got his mustache Friday nite?

How "Rd" Elder got his tooth knocked out.

How Mr Redford learned to sing.

Can you imagine:

Dahlia Fae in a baby buggy Mr. Smart riding a tricycle Garnette not flirting

J. A. Without Vic. Elzie Moore's eyes not sparkling

Miss Orsborne with blond hair

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sand. If she wanted the cash—Perhaps she was buying property from an owner who demanded money, not a check. Perhaps—A thousand perhaps suggested themselves, including the possibility of blackmail, but why annoy a good client? She departed with a satchel crammed with money.

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Puddin Allison was in Eldorado Monday. He made a business trip to San Angelo Tuesday

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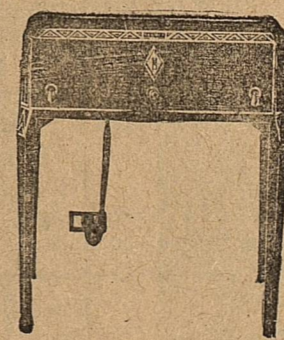
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