

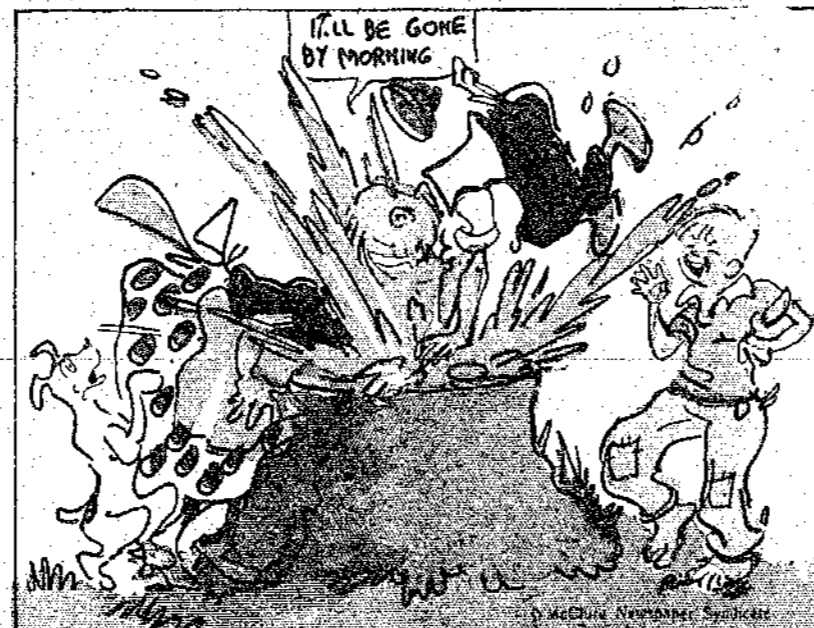
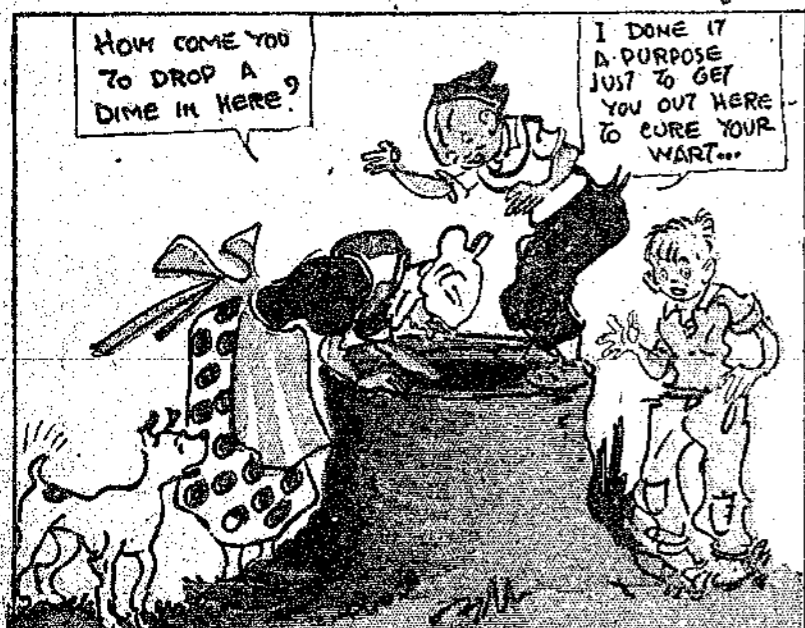
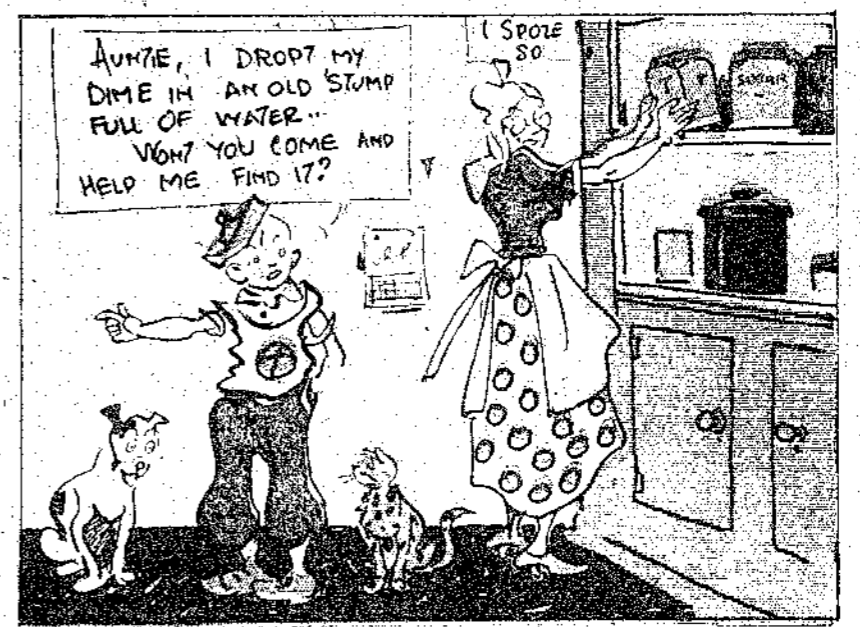
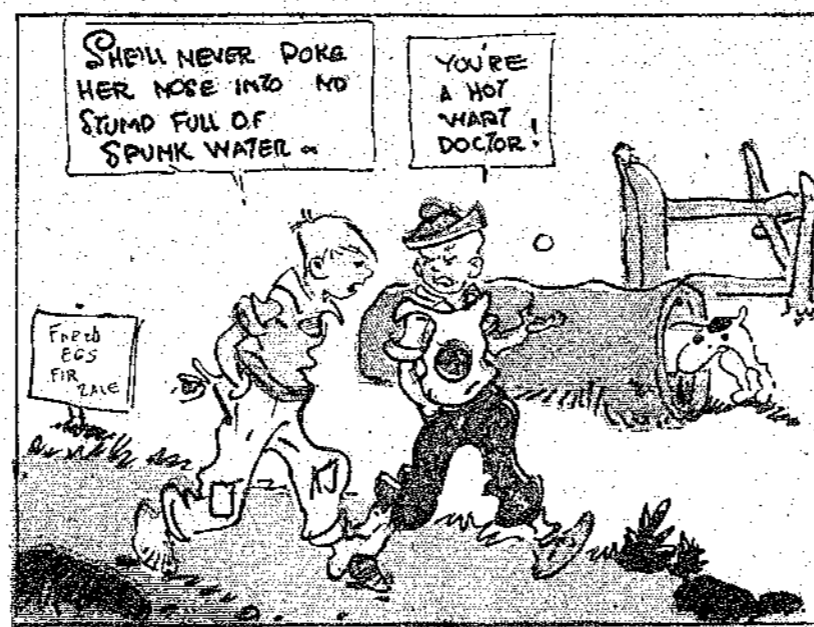
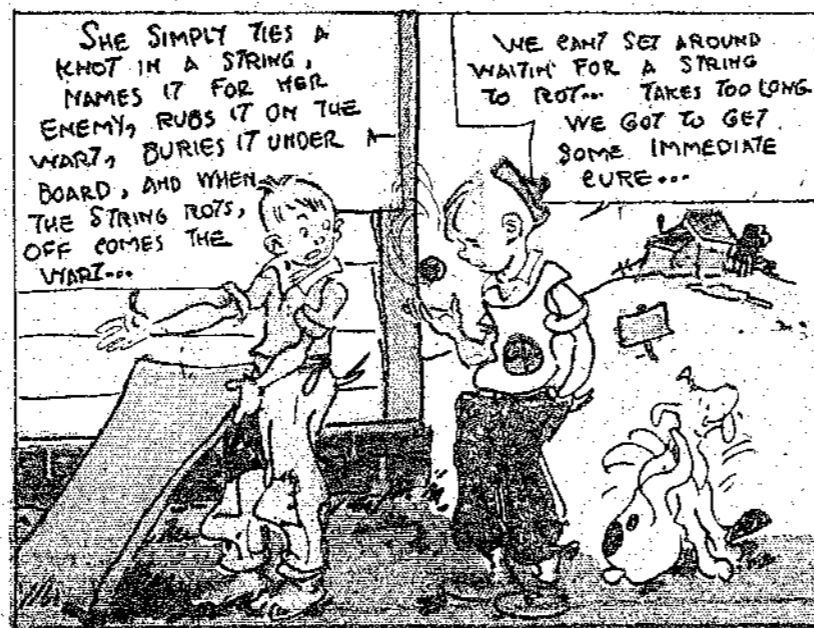
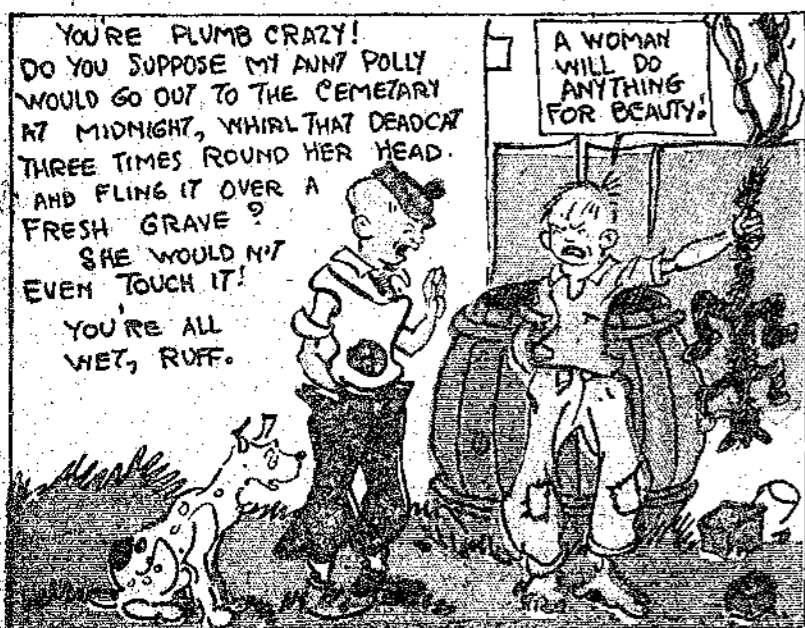
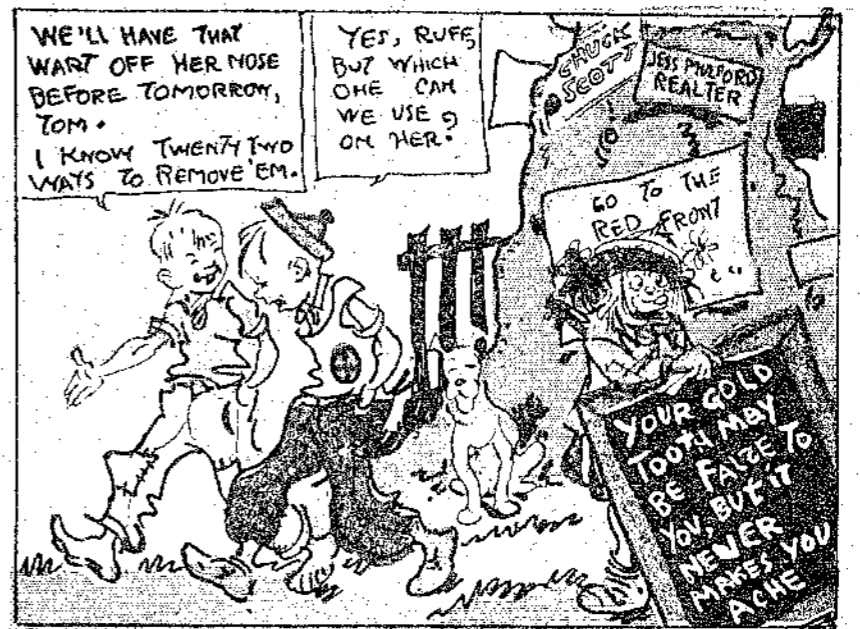
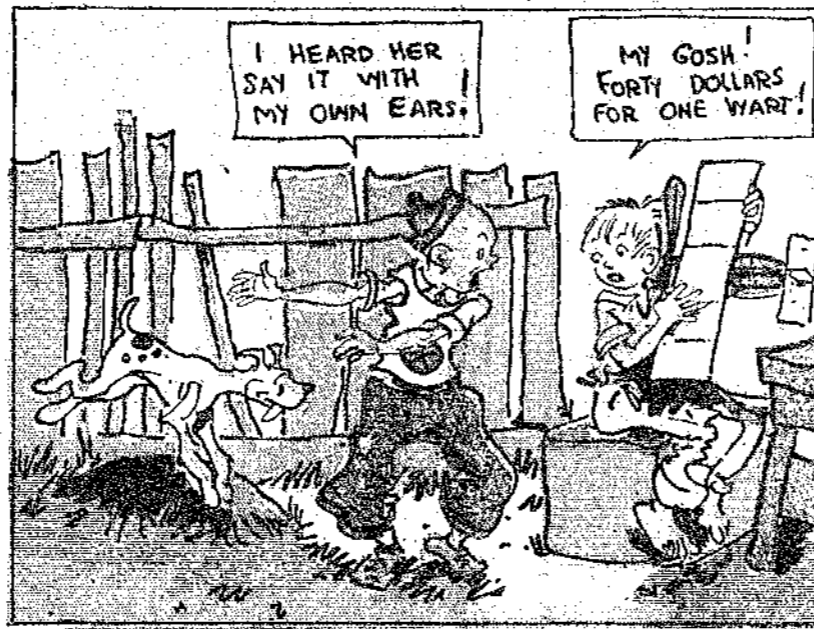
# SANTA ANNA NEWS

"HE PROFITS MOST WHO SERVES BEST"

## SCHOOL DAYS

If Warts Were Considered Beauty Spots, Hoptoads Would Be Pets in Gold Cages.

By Dwig











# TEXAS FARM NEWS

Six pigs owned by Walter Egg, a 4-H club boy of near Cuero, have produced 495 1/2 pounds gain at a feed cost of \$4.86 per hundred pounds. The rations consisted of corn and home-mixed protein supplement.

D. L. McDonald, who breeds Hereford cattle in Deaf Smith county, recently held a public sale at which 72 head were sold, averaging in price each more than \$500. A fifteen-month-old heifer brought \$5,200 and the mother of this heifer brought \$2,100. Twenty-four cows averaged \$502 each and 48 bulls averaged \$331 each.

One red sow has virtually solved the farm relief problem for H. S. Phillips, a farmer near Mungerville, Dawson county, by paying his Federal Land Bank interest of \$81 each six months. The sow has been doing this for two years. Mr. Phillips sells the sow's pigs for the needed sum. The sow is not registered.

Splendid returns were received from their radish crops by farmers near Bishop this spring. One of the best reports was from the farm of W. E. Whitten. Mr. Whitten planted his radishes on January 15, but due to the extremely cold weather they were very slow in coming in. On this account the radishes were not ready for shipment until the first week in March. The total expense of planting and making the crop, including labor, tractor, fuel and gathering, amounted to \$18. The crop yielded 4,755 crates and sold for 25 cents a crate, making a total income on the sale of \$1,185.75. The radishes were planted in 26 1/2 inch rows.

The acreage in beans in Van Zandt county was increased several hundred per cent this year, profits from last year's crop having proved very satisfactory. The beans are grown in large fields near Ben Wheeler in the sandy loam and find a ready market in the large cities.

Calcium chlorate used last year in spraying Johnson grass areas which had been marked for death in McLennan county, proved highly effective, according to the county agent. Not a sprig has appeared on areas sprayed, the agent says. The cost of spraying an acre thickly set with the grass, he says, is from \$30 to \$40. Small spots cost proportionately less. The formula used in Kansas, consists of 100 pounds of sodium chlorate mixed with 100 gallons of water, which is sprayed on the weeds or grass to be killed. Calcium chlorate has been used also, and its use has spread.

Production of pure line maize and the skip-row method of planting has resulted in the production of a very fine quality of maize and greatly increased yields, according to records carefully kept. The demonstrations last year under supervision of the county agent show that the production of maize can be increased by using pure seed and by planting two rows and leaving the third row to be planted in peas. Leroy Adrian, of the Larders community, increased the yield 374 pounds per acre by using pure line seed. The pure seed made 1,774 pounds per acre while the crib seed made only 1,400 pounds per acre, showing an increase of 374 pounds per acre. W. A.

Hallman, of North Champion, practically doubled the yield by planting two rows and skipping the third row. The two rows produced nearly twice as much as the three rows planted solid.

Miss Asia Hillen, a Rusk county fanna club girl, made a net profit of nearly \$500 from an acre of ribbon cane on her father's farm. The acre produced 529 gallons of syrup. The land was located in a branch bottom; a part of the land was fresh, but the rest of it had been in cultivation two years. Fertilizer was used before planting, and also when the plant was about knee high. A good percentage of the cane measured eight feet, with the best of it nine and one-half feet.

Where cows have access to leeks, wild onions or garlic, very undesirable flavors will be produced in milk, cream and butter, say experts. Garlic and wild onions produce such a disagreeable, pungent flavor in butter that some creameries have refused to buy cream so flavored, while other creameries make a difference of ten cents a pound in the price of milk fat. The substances causing the onion flavor and odor in milk are confined largely to the fat. Shim milk is not much affected. The greatest injury is to cream, the most valuable part of the milk. Boiling or steaming the milk, or blowing air through it, will take out odor, but all of these efforts injure the milk, say the experts. Onion cream is a total loss. Do not allow cows to graze where there are wild onions.

Wisconsin had 2,023,000 head of dairy cattle more than two years old on January 1 of this year. This is a half million more dairy cows than are reported by any other State.

Florida is setting the other States of the Union a splendid example in the work of reforestation. A half million slash and long leaf pine seedlings will be planted in that State this year, according to estimates by the State Forest Service.

G. O. Peterson, of Grayson county, sowed Austrian field peas and hairy vetch last October with oats and barley. The peas and vetch, besides furnishing six weeks of rich fall pasture, lived through the winter and made a remarkable spring growth. They were turned under as a green soiling crop to enrich the land. The mixture sowed broadcast last fall consisted of 30 pounds each of oats and hairy vetch per acre.

Not satisfied with growing several crops on the same land during a year, some farmers near San Benito are meeting success trying to raise two crops at one time on the same acreage. Beans and potatoes were planted on the same land at the same time. This year between San Benito and the Rio Grande much of the land was planted to tomatoes with beans between the rows. The tomatoes are planted about six feet apart and the farmers decided to use the space between the tomato rows, so they planted two rows of beans to every row of tomatoes. The beans put back into the soil what the tomatoes take out, so that the plan actually benefits the soil. Both crops can be planted about the same time and grown with one irrigation cost and one cultivation cost.

A total of 144 boys and girls and 37 adults have entered a contest to determine the champion corn grower of Smith county. Winners will be selected for the highest yield on two-acre plots. Prizes will be donated by business firms and individuals of the county.

Government officials estimate that there are 5,000 farms of less than three acres in this country to which individuals gave their entire time last year. In taking the 1930 census areas of less than three acres were not listed as farms unless they produced as much as \$250 worth of farm products in 1929.

J. N. Raney, a leading dairyman of Madison county, has found that it pays handsomely to fertilize pastures. Mr. Raney is a contestant in the permanent pasture contest. He experimented with a portion of his pasture by applying 200 pounds of 6-18-6 per acre. The fertilized portion reveals a marked difference, and Mr. Raney estimates that it will produce at least three times as heavily as the unfertilized acreage.

Four boys are attending John Carlton College at Stephenville, and making their way from selling the milk from four cows, one cow each. The experiment began with the head of the poultry department buying a cow and allowing one of his students to sell the milk in order to make his college expenses. The experiment proving successful, the Lions Club of Stephenville bought a fine Jersey and presented her to the college as a scholarship. The winner of the scholarship each year may earn his expenses by selling the milk from this scholarship cow. Last year two boys from Rannels county came to the college and brought their cows with them. The dean of the college says all four of the boys have made their necessary expenses from their cows, and although the tending takes a good deal of time, the boys made grades higher than the average.

Ed Chytil, of Edge, Brazos county, successfully combines poultry with farming operations. He has 640 Barred Rock hens, and his report for the month of March shows that his flock produced 14,508 eggs, which were sold for \$617.40. The feed bill for the month was \$191.17, leaving a net profit for the month of \$426.23. Mr. Chytil has modern poultry houses, plenty of open range for his chickens and produced a large part of his feed on his farm.

The value of livestock as a premium market for home-grown feed has been demonstrated again by J. T. Williams, Dawson county farmer, who received \$29.60 per ton for maize fed to 30 head of beef calves, even though they were sold on a low market. The calves were fed about 30 tons of ground kafir heads and 6,000 pounds of cotton seed meal for 110 days, when they averaged 705 pounds and were sold at Fort Worth for \$11 per hundred. Charging himself \$40 a piece for the calves, and deducting \$121 freight and selling expense, Mr. Williams found that he had disposed of his feed for \$9.60 per ton above the regular price.

Poison bran mash is thoroughly effective in the control of grasshoppers, according to the Co-operative Extension Work of the A. & M. College of Texas. The following formula is given: Coarse wheat bran, 25 pounds; Paris green or white arsenic, one pound; high grade amyl acetate (avoid cheap grades of banana oil or bronzing liquids) one ounce; cane or sorghum molasses (avoid corn syrup) two quarts; and water sufficient to make thoroughly moist but not sloppy. This quantity should be broadcast and will cover five acres. Where the insects are migrating from pastures or fence rows to attack cultivated crops, broadcast over the margin of the field being infested, and also back a considerable distance into the pasture.

John Boles, of Eastland county, had three hogs for sale, for which he was offered only \$40 in the market. He canned these pigs in the form of hams, sausage, mince meat, etc., and sold the canned product for \$28.65. In addition to this, \$7 worth of meat was eaten fresh by the family and 15 gallons of lard was obtained. The cost of the cans was \$4.90.

About twenty years ago D. S. Lewis, of Rusk, decided to engage in the dairy business. He had very little means, and so he started the business with two longhorn cows, a ten-dollar wagon and a \$15 mule. Now his dairy consists of 80 registered cows and he owns a farm of 600 acres. The old mule with which he started business still grazes on the fine pasture lands and is not for sale.

J. W. Watson, a farmer near Zita, in Randall county, has a herd of ten cows and heifers that made an average production of 286.8 pounds of butterfat over a period of eight months. The best cow in the herd produced 370.4 pounds of butterfat in the same period. Nearly all the feed used was raised on the farm. The cost of production of butterfat was 14.6 cents per pound.

A. G. Selmon, a farmer of the Beckville community, Panola county, no longer believes in an all-cotton crop. Last year Mr. Selmon had three acres of Kentucky Wonder pole beans and three acres of Irish potatoes, planted in July. He dammed a branch in his field and obtained all the water needed for irrigation purposes. The gross yield from the six acres was \$1100. After allowing three dollars a day for his time and paying for hired labor, his net profit was \$126 per acre. The three acres planted to beans yielded 488 bushels. Harvesting was started in August and ended October 10. Mr. Selmon's record book shows that he marketed approximately 90 bushels per week. The average price per bushel was \$1.40.

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- 396 CHINKY PIN—Fiddle and Guitar.  
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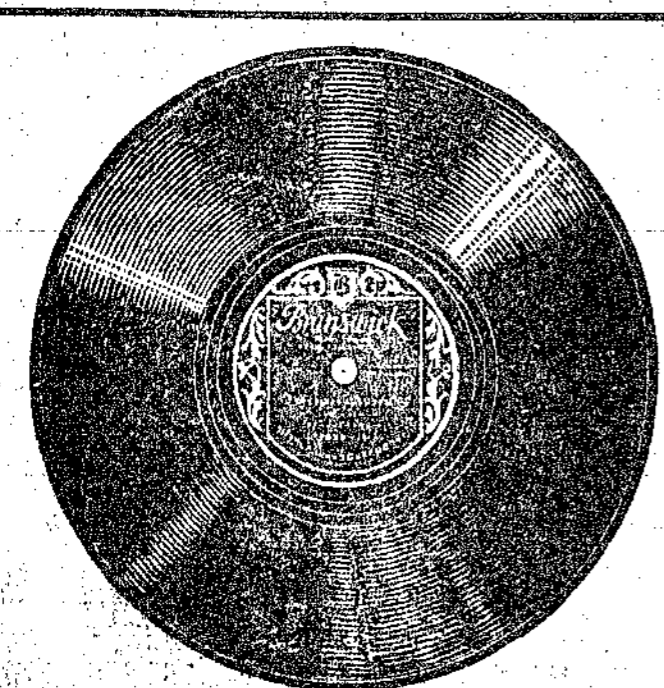
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL LESSON

Lesson for July 6 ABRAHAM, A PIONEER OF FAITH

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 12:1-5; 13:1-12; 14:1-16; 17:1-8; Heb. 11:8-10. GOLDEN TEXT—By faith Abraham...

I. Abraham's Call (12:1). Abraham's ancestors were idolatrous. God came unto him in Ur of the Chaldees...

II. Abraham's Generous Treatment of Lot (13:1-12; 14:1-16). While Abraham sojourned in Egypt, having gone there because of the famine in Canaan...

III. Abraham's Faith (Heb. 11:8-10). It is the source of his faith. The word of God. Faith takes God at His word.

Favorite Bible Passages of Dr. W. J. Mayo Famous Surgeon The Twenty-third Psalm (Compiled by the Bible Guild)

As I See The Churches of Santa Anna

(By Hal C. Wingo, Pastor Baptist Church)

There is a splendid spirit of co-operation among churches of Santa Anna, and I enjoy the fellowship of my co-laborers who are at this time preaching in Santa Anna.

The pastors of the town agree with me in this conviction, and we are searching for a solution to the problem. No auditorium in Santa Anna will accommodate the Sunday night crowds if the church going people attend.

Cooperation among churches must be a matter of spirit more than a matter of form. I think I can truly pray and yearn for the success of my brother preacher's revival service and at the same time conduct my own.

Although Abraham was a pilgrim, he was permitted to sojourn in the land. The land itself was given to his seed, Israel—God's chosen and most favored nation.

Seeing that their temporal relations would engender strife and provoke quarrelling, and knowing the disastrous effect upon the heathen round about, Abraham gave Lot his choice.

IV. Abraham's Faith (Heb. 11:8-10). 1. Its source (v. 8). The word of God. Faith takes God at His word. 2. Its practice (vv. 9, 10). Abraham never settled down, even in the land of promise.

HISTORY'S MYSTERIES

Unsolved Riddles That Still Puzzle Authorities Here and Abroad

What Became of Father Gapon?

SPECIALLY in view of the momentous occurrences which have taken place in Russia during the past three decades—events of more widespread importance than he ever dreamed of—the fate of Father Gapon, leader of a mob which was shot down on "Red Sunday," is a matter of interest to the world.

Father Gapon was born in a remote village in the Russian province of Pskov, his father being a liberated serf. His birthplace was a miserable hole, yet Father Gapon was a born leader and finally collected about him such a following as to shake the throne of the czar himself.

For many years he labored among the peasant classes in his efforts to effect a betterment of their conditions and, in 1904, when there was a great strike among the workmen, Gapon's influence became very manifest.

It was arranged that on the fatal Sunday the working men, with their wives and children, should march to the imperial palace, not in a threatening mood, but as righteous supplicants for justice and that the petition they had framed should be presented to the czar.

What became of him has never become known and many Russians believe that he is still alive. One report was to the effect that he had been secretly lauded on April 10, 1908, by four revolutionists who heard him admit that he was spying on his former revolutionary colleagues on behalf of the police.

McCULLOCH COUNTY MAN KILLED IN CAR WRECK. T. A. Jordan, age 36, farmer and merchant of Placid, in McCulloch county, was killed almost instantly Thursday night of last week, when his automobile turned over about twelve miles south of Brownwood on highway No. 10.

If the home town could hear all the mean things said about it, it might quit furnishing a living for a lot of us.

NOTICE. I am now back on the job in my barber shop and will appreciate your patronage when in need of barber work. We are thankful beyond expression for what our friends have done for us during our trials, and will appreciate your good will and patronage in the future.

Announcement of Judge E. M. Davis

Judge E. M. Davis of Brown county makes formal announcement of his candidacy for Representative from Brown and Coleman counties in this issue of the News.

"During my tenure as County Judge of Brown county, I have not only tried to render efficient service in the routine duties of said office, but have taken an active part in legislative matters pertaining to the counties. I believe I can modestly say that I did my full share, as an official of our State Association, in procuring a more liberal share of automobile license fees for the counties, and later in reducing said fees by approximately one-half, and retaining all of same for the smaller counties.

"In my legislative work, and in boosting highways for this part of the State, I have formed a wide acquaintance with Legislators and other State officials, and know that I have done some efficient work in procuring helpful legislation for the counties. If elected, I am persuaded that I can be instrumental in procuring other helpful legislation for Coleman and Brown counties and for the State at large.

"Some of the major issues that will come before the next legislature are Water Legislation, Highway Legislation, Prison Reform, Public Utility Commission and Court Reform. You are entitled to know how I stand on said questions.

"The water problem of West Texas and the entire State has not yet been settled. At present, all the waters of the Colorado river and tributaries has been allocated to the Power Interests. I am in favor of legislation giving preference first for domestic and municipal purposes, second for irrigation, and third and last for power and manufacturing, regardless of the time such applications may be filed.

"I favor an elective highway commission. Any commission that spends more money than the entire cost of all other governmental agencies of the State should be elected and directly responsive to the people, for the same reason that the Governor, railroad commissioners and other officers are elective.

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"I am in favor of a complete separation of State and County highway work. Let the State Department build State highways, and the respective counties take care of county roads. Under the present law, counties are forced to vote bonds in order to participate in any highway program, but if the burden is placed upon the State, the State system of highways would be paid for by the traffic in the form of a gasoline tax, and thus relieve the farms and homes of the burden of building State highways.

"I am strictly opposed to any State-wide road bond issue, and will use my best efforts to defeat the same.

"I am opposed to the outright sale of our penitentiary lands, but believe we should undertake to cultivate the lands intensively, and raise food for all of our State institutions on said farms.

"I am in favor of a Public Utility Commission to protect the citizens of the smaller towns on Phones, Gas and Light rates.

"I am in favor of the Court Reform Measure endorsed and recommended by the State Bar Association, but space forbids a discussion of the same in this announcement.

"I want to thank the many people in both counties who have given me their assurance of support, and if elected, it shall be my purpose to represent this district and the entire State of Texas to the limit of my energy and ability.

As a great humanitarian Mr. Hoover became famous as exactly the wrong man to deal with the United States Senate. It really takes a prize fighter, a football player, a matador, a Chicago gunman, the toughest guy in the navy, and the dean of diplomats to get anywhere with that bunch.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN MEETING CLOSED

The meeting at the Cumberland Presbyterian church came to a close on last Sunday after running two weeks. The attendance and interest was good throughout. There were four conversions and six additions to the church.

Mr. Hoover never knows where his next appointee is coming from.

QUEEN THEATRE SUN.—MON.—TUES. July 6, 7 and 8 MATINEE ONLY SUNDAY 2 and 4 o'clock BELLE BAKER in "Song of Love" The inimitable Belle Baker by far the greatest entertainer on the American stage today, makes her debut in a story that bares a mother's heart—it will grip your soul. Cast RALPH GRAVES, DAVID DURAND and others. Comedy in connection. WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY July 9 and 10 "Mexicali Rose" With BARBARA STANWYCK, SAM HARDY and others. "Mexicali Rose," flaming fascinating, fiery, a drama of volcanic emotions. Comedy in connection. FRIDAY — SATURDAY This Week "Riding Law" A Western Comedy and Chapter Play

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Texas and Texans

By WILL H. MAYS

Corpus Christi Port

Corpus Christi has a strategic and enviable position as a seaport, from which a large part of Texas is in a position to profit.

Gulf and West Texas Railway
Corpus Christi is already served by direct railway lines west of Laredo and northwest of San Antonio.

Hill Country Scenic Roads
A movement is afoot to have a scenic highway designated and built from Austin to Marble Falls and across to Kingsland.

Would Keep Something Doing
The Sabinal Sentinel editor says that crops and crop prospects are good, but that the town should do something more than wait for the crops to grow.

Peace River Irrigation
The Peace-River-Irrigation Association has received a year's extension on its project to dam the Peace River near Crowell.

Tomato Growing Paid
There were doubting Thomases around Navasota who contended that tomato growing couldn't be made profitable there.

Community Cannery
A community-owned and operated cannery plant in the Pearsall school district has put up 4,000 cans of various products this season.

expensive when the cost is distributed in a community and the canned products go far towards lowering the cost of living.

Building Texas Industries
The San Marcos Record wants Texas to adopt a new slogan or battle cry: "A new industry for every Texas town."

Village Publisher Wins
Score another victory for the village publisher. Last year Warren Hunter captured three first prizes in the Texas Press Association contests for the best weekly paper and best ad composition.

Another Success
J. Frank Dobie grew up in the sticks of Frio county. Early in life he developed two hobbies: To get an education and to study Texas folklore.

Shipping Tomatoes
It would be interesting to know what Texas will realize from the tomato crop this year. Four shipping points in Anderson county have sent out about 245 cars from which \$122,500 has been realized.

Winter Strawberries
Forty farmers at Carrizo Springs have organized the "Winter Garden Strawberry Association," and signed up to plant 300 acres in strawberries.

Baxter and Hibbard Polk of Abilene visited relatives here the first part of the week.

Six Cylinder Sentences

By DR. JOHN W. HOLLAND
A contented soul is rich, regardless of his "roll."
Blessed is the man who is able to live up to his own epitaph.

HISTORY'S MYSTERIES

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Without a Clue

IT WAS ON Christmas night, in 1910, that the first news was made public of what is probably the most baffling and mysterious disappearance of its kind in the police annals of the United States.

The facts in the case were few and utterly devoid of sensationalism, thus making the climax stand out with all the force and contrast of lightning against a pitch black sky.

The thorough and searching investigations of the police and the reporters later developed the fact that Miss Arnold had walked from her home to a store on Fifth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, where she purchased a box of candy.

Wishing to avoid publicity as much as possible, the Arnold family suppressed the news of their daughter's disappearance until, at the request of the police, it was given out in order that the publication of her picture and a full description might develop possible clues of her disappearance.

White slavery, which was at that time very much in the public eye, was popularly blamed for the unsolved mystery, but when it came to details even the most astute detectives were at a loss to explain how a strong, athletic girl like Miss Arnold could have been kidnaped and concealed without leaving the slightest trace.

That Miss Arnold had but planned to leave home was evident from the fact that she left all her jewelry and a considerable sum of money in cash behind her.

This is the question which has puzzled the minds of master detectives like William B. Burns, Chief Flynn of the secret service, Sir E. R. Henry, chief of Scotland Yard, and hundreds of others who have endeavored in vain to solve the riddle without a clue.

Frankincense, the most popular incense offered to the Greek gods, is a fragrant gum resin obtained from various eastern trees.

Court House News

Warranty Deeds

J. H. Rich to F. E. Rich, 120 feet by 50 feet out of E B B & C Ry Co survey, \$35.00.

R. G. Walters and wife to E. G. Godshok 1-32 interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals on 80 acres out of the N. W. corner of a 420 acre tract of land out of Block No. 88 sub-division of Creed T. Pendleton Survey, \$1.00 and other consideration.

Bertha C. Marshall and husband to A. O. Newman, part of Block No. 2 and 3 in the W. N. Cameron sub-division of the N. 1-2 of Block No. 25 of Clow's first addition to the town of Coleman, \$1,300.

Matt Martin and wife to Mrs. Johnnie Green south 1-2 of Block No. 25, Clow's first addition to Coleman, \$650.

W. M. Riley and wife to J. J. Gregg, 325 1-2 acres out of the north part of E T R R Co. survey, \$12,800.

Mrs. Mattie E. Bowers et al to Ema Bowers, 141.4 acres out of J. H. Goodwin survey known as farm Block No. 68, a sub-division of Santa Anna Live Stock and Land Co., \$5,640.

Lon Forman and Mary Forman to John R. Havens, Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Block C of Forman addition to town of Coleman, \$400.

Oil and Gas Leases

John C. Jones to J. S. Hudnall, Block No. 25 and 26 of W. E. Anderson addition to town of Coleman, \$10.

Marriage License

Harriett Johnson and N. O. Roberts.

Fredna Evans and C. A. Scarborough.

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SLUMBER PARTY

Miss Mary Harriett Simpson entertained a number of her on Friday night of last week. Everyone present had a most enjoyable time.

Those present were Velma Oder, Aletha Blewett, Ruby Bolton, Margaret Doham, Kathryn Rose Pinney, Hattie Faye Todd, Margaret Wyle, Ona Mae Smith, Lena Bob Pillow, Bessie Evans and the hostess, Mary Harriett Simpson.

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My Favorite Stories

by Irvin J. Cobb

ONE WHO COULD TAKE A HINT

A FRIEND of mine spends a part of each summer on a ranch in Wyoming. One of his friends there is a cow-hand who answers to the name of Shorty, because he is upwards of seven feet tall.

When the easterner arrived at the ranch for his usual visit Shorty met him at the railroad station with a team and a buckboard. As they started on the six-mile drive to the ranch house the visitor asked the news of the neighborhood.

"What happened, maybe you were only oversensitive." "Mebbe I was. Still it looked to me like a hint. I went over there one Saturday night to see her and I was settin' in the parlor talkin' to her when all of a sudden the door opened and the old man come bustin' in with a six gun in his hand and took a couple of shots of me, so I jest stepped out of the window and went away without waitin' for my hat or to say good-by or nuthin'." And after I'd cleared the fence I seen him come out with a shovel and shovel all my tracks out of the yard. Somehow I really don't believe that old man keeps for me.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Seale are glad to know that their little daughter, who was hurt in a car wreck some months ago, is able to be out. She is looking fine and learning to walk again.

A few more of those good, guaranteed baseballs. Also hats, suits, gloves, etc. Mickle Hdw. Co.

Floyd Lackey is quite sick at the home of his parents.

At The Queen Theatre

Today and tomorrow "Riding Law" will be shown at the Queen Theatre.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday Belle Baker in "Song of Love" will be shown. The intangible Belle Baker, by far the greatest entertainer on the American stage today, makes her motion picture debut in a story that bares a mother's heart—a story that will grip your soul.

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Wednesday and Thursday of next week they will show "Mexican Rose" with Barbara Stanwyck and Sam Hardy. This picture is the story of a heartless coquette who cast her life on the wheel of fate—and lost. A drama of love, hate, revenge heart-stirring, soul stirring.

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Mrs. Stafford Baxter and daughter, Marilyn, has returned from a visit in San Antonio.

In sending in her renewal subscription to the Santa Anna News this week, Mrs. J. E. Witten says: "Please set my figures another year as my subscription expires July 2nd, and oblige an old subscriber who has been taking the paper since 1896." Thanks very much Mrs. Witten and if not amiss in us may we wish that you live to enjoy reading our publication another thirty-four years.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Santa Anna News has been authorized to announce the following as candidates for the respective offices designated, subject to the action of the action of the Democratic Primary July 26, 1930:

- 17th DISTRICT SPECIAL ELECTION
FOR CONGRESS (Unexpired term) Mrs. R. Q. Lee, Thos L. Blanton
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY-- C. L. South, J. Edward Johnson
FOR DISTRICT CLERK-- W. E. Gildeou.
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY-- J. B. Laws, J. O. Harris
FOR COUNTY JUDGE-- J. H. Kelleet, A. O. Newman, H. L. Livingston, A. L. Pearce
FOR COUNTY CLERK-- L. Emet Walker.
FOR COUNTY TREASURER-- Mrs. E. K. Thomson.
FOR SHERIFF-- Frank Mills
FOR TAX ASSESSOR-- L. E. Collins, Geo. M. Smith
FOR TAX COLLECTOR-- Miss Jettie Kirkpatrick.
FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPT.-- Miss Maud Laws, Mark Sheffield, John L. (Joe) Beard
FOR CONSTABLE-- J. E. Brand, H. Mathews, J. C. Welch
FOR COMMISSIONER-- J. S. Gilmore, W. T. Vinson
FOR PUBLIC WEAIGHER-- L. E. Bell, J. J. (Joe) Copeland, Albert Loudermilk, C. B. (Carl) Ashmore, L. Lowry, Jim Scott

The country's census might show a greater total if so many did not change cars at Chicago on their way west.

If they do go ahead and make four states out of Texas it would not hurt Texas so much, but we doubt whether the country-at-large could survive the ordeal of having six additional United States Senators.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lightfoot and children motored to Abilene Sunday where they adopted a 3-weeks old baby boy.

Judge E. M. Davis of Brownwood, candidate for Representative for Brown and Coleman counties spent the day here Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy. Judge Davis' announcement will either appear in the Santa Anna News this week or the next, and we feel sure it will be read with interest.

Miss Maud Laws, county school superintendent of Coleman county and candidate for re-election, was among the visitors in the mountain city Tuesday.

Mrs. D. Prang and daughter, and grand-niece, Annette Terrell of Novice spent the week-end with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Griffith.

War may be necessary, but peace is more satisfying.

Note the date on your paper-- your time may be nearly out.

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HISTORY'S MYSTERIES

Unsolved Riddles That Still Puzzle Authorities Here and Abroad

The Javanesse Dancer

HER true name appears to have been Margarite Gertrude Zelle, though the one by which she was known--and rather more notoriously--known was Mata-Hari, the title which she took when she made her way as a vestal priestess at the great Buddhist temple of Burma at a time when mixing in the affairs of the great nations of the West was as foreign to her thoughts as the World War was to the minds of the majority of people. But Mata-Hari was destined to come ultimately into connection with the conflict of nations, and finally, after a life of mystery, to face a firing squad in the fortress of Vincennes.

The child of a Javanesse mother and a wealthy Dutch planter, Margarite Zelle appears to have been given exceptional opportunities for education and training, opportunities far above those usually afforded to children of her race. Even before she entered the service of Buddha she gave signs of possessing more than an ordinary talent for dancing and, during the ten years which she spent within the walls of the monastery, Mata-Hari perfected herself in the wierd, barbaric measures in which the natives viewed the beneficence of their deities.

But the world stretched forth its first tentacles in the shape of a young and personable army officer who attended one of the Buddhist festivals and with whom Mata-Hari fell in love at sight. Less than a week later she escaped from the sanctuary and fled with her lover to Paris, where they were married and lived for several years. It was not long, however, before the French capital began to hear rumors of a beautiful and extremely graceful dancer who had brought with her all the sinuous sensuous movements of the East, presenting these before private audiences at special afternoon functions.

Society, ever watchful for something novel, enthused over this new sensation and her fame spread rapidly to other parts of the continent. London, Madrid, Rome, Lisbon, Berlin and Vienna, all put in bids for her services and Mata-Hari found it hard to meet all the calls for her art. Apparently, she divided her time equally among the different capitals, but those who followed her career closely recalled later that she made a point of being in Berlin and Vienna at certain stated periods of the year--the time when the agents of the Wilhelmstrasse, the dreaded German secret service, were gathered together for their conferences behind locked doors.

However, no suspicion attached itself to the beautiful Javanesse until some time after the outbreak of the war. She came and went, unhindered by any thought of treachery, and during the first two years of the hostilities she flitted through England, Holland, Spain and Portugal, undoubtedly in constant communication with Berlin, but unsuspected by the authorities. How much valuable information she had gathered during these trips was never discovered, but the fact that she spent huge sums of money upon her personal adornment and the support of her large and imposing retinue is in itself proof of the fact that the German secret service considered her well worth her hire.

Finally, the combination of her friendship with a young officer of the British tank corps and the fact that the Germans had been receiving an almost constant flow of information about this most important branch of the service led the English authorities to place Mata-Hari under a more strict surveillance. Sensing this, the dancer removed the scene of her operations to France, but the instant she stepped ashore at Cherbourg the French officials took up the trail where the British had left off. Mata-Hari was a marked woman. Less than a month later she was placed under arrest and the verdict of the court-martial was "Guilty and condemned to be shot for high treason!"

Just what secrets Mata-Hari had discovered, how she managed to get them past the watchful eyes of the British and French censors, how she received the money which enabled her to live in almost regal splendor and the way in which she had secured admittance to the charmed circle of the Wilhelmstrasse are only a few of the mysteries which surround this remarkable woman--mysteries which she took with her when, on the morning of October 15, she faced the rifles of the firing squad in the court yard of the palace of Vincennes. (© by the Wheeler Syndicate.)

Small Boy Disillusioned

To Stanley, aged four, Doctor L., as he drove about in his motor car, making his professional calls and curling aches and pains of little boys, as well as grown folks, was a being worthy of profound admiration.

One day as Stanley and his mother waited their turn in the doctor's reception room, filled with patients, his mother remarked to a lady next her:

"What a large practice Doctor L. has!"
"Practice?" exclaimed Stanley, with amazement, disappointment and a shade of contempt registered in his voice. "Is he only practicing, mother? I thought he was a real doctor!"--New York Sun.

The customary Democratic period of watchful waiting has turned into passive endurance, who knows but that it might turn yet into civil disobedience.

SHEEP-GOAT RAISERS TO MEET AT BRADY JULY 30

Sheep and Goat raisers will meet at Brady this year in convention on July 30, 31 and August 1 and 2.

G. R. White, prominent Brady ranchman, is at the head of the convention committee, and promises members and guest in attendance plenty of entertaining features.

Misses Verner Blair, Hamon and Dorothy Lewis of Dexter, New Mexico, who are spending the summer in the Clebert Willis home, visited Miss Hamon's aunt, Mrs. Sackett, in Coleman last week.

Misses Grace McMinn and Lillie Steward visited in Rockwood last week-end.

Mrs. Spencer and Miss Emma Bowers had business in Brownwood Thursday.

The Misses Bowers drove over to Richland Springs Sunday to take Mrs. Bowers for a two weeks visit with relatives.

TO MY FRIENDS

I am running the filling station across from the High school and would appreciate some of your business.

A. L. Oder.

Grandpa McCaughn of Winlers is visiting his son, J. L. McCaughn, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw of Christoval spent Sunday and Monday in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. John Little of Coleman brought their little son here for medical treatment this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White returned Wednesday from Comanche where they visited Mrs. White's father, who is seriously ill.

Miss Grantham of Alabama is visiting her brothers and Mrs. R. E. Mobley.

Mrs. James Lamb is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner.

A crowd consisting of thirteen out of the Presbyterian Sunday school went to Home creek Tuesday evening, where bathing, supper and games were enjoyed by the following: Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Womack, Ernest Lee, Mrs. Bell, Nell and Joe Bell, Mrs. Van Zant and son, Ernest, Miss Blanche Boyd, Catherine and Elizabeth Rallins and the Misses Creamer.

Note the date on your paper-- your time may be nearly out.

Loris Faulkner, who has been visiting here for some time, returned to his work Saturday at Dallas. He was accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Faulkner.

Mr. Coolidge has demonstrated the fact that one has to be an ex-president to get the most publicity.

The cry of the baby is one kind of interference the radio experts can never eliminate.

Shortie Towsley attended a ball game in Brady Sunday.

W. O. W. NOTICE

All W. O. W. members are requested to be present Saturday night, July 5th. Business of importance.

John Campbell, C. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bomar and children of Hollis, Oklahoma and Mrs. Guy French of Gainesville, Texas visited their mother, Mrs. R. E. Ward, and family last week-end.

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