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More About the School Bond Issue

(Continued from last issue)

I am reliably informed that from 20 to 30 pupils will be served by the proposed school, and that these children are so far from school that they can hardly attend. I know that some of the children from that corner boarded in town this last winter, while I know another family of children who the year before did not enter school at all, because they were too far away to come to school, and were not able to board in town. With these facts before us can we afford to say that it is purely selfish motives prompting the building of this school? We hear that the northeast corner is in need of a school. If this be so, let them put their case before the Board, and I feel sure that it will receive careful attention.

But if we grant that the country school is not a necessity, is that sufficient reason for blocking the progress of our whole school involving the interests of nearly 300 children? Only a small percent of the bond issue will be spent there, while the rest will be spent on the town school.

As to the objection that the bonds will increase the taxes, the board has estimated that it will not be necessary to increase the taxes. Below I have something further to say relative to the taxes.

I fail to understand how the addition of new territory can be an objection to the bond issue; since one has nothing to do with the other, unless perhaps, the addition of new territory will prevent an increase of taxes.

So far, I have heard but little objection from people included in this new territory. There should be no objection; for people from adjoining districts move in or send in here for the benefit of the school—about 25 being in school here at one time last year. No tuition was charged the pupils. I believe that Tahoka should try to take care of these high school pupils from the smaller adjacent districts; but I think it only fair that they should contribute something to the support of the school. The addition of this territory should simply help Tahoka help these country schools.

To those who feel that we can have no school with the "present bunch of teachers", I have only this to say: If you will properly equip your buildings and provide adequate support for your school, I have no doubt in mind that the "present bunch" will be replaced with more efficient teachers. So friends, vote for the bonds and let us hasten the day.

The only equitable way to provide permanent improvements is by bond issue. This distributes the cost through a long period of time to those benefitted, without placing a burden on some to be enjoyed by others without cost. So I can not agree with the objection that our children and grand children will blame us for the bond issue. In fact, I have never taken much to the Chinese doctrine of Ancestor Worship. However, I would rather risk my chance of securing the good will of future generations by providing the means for an education than by voting "agin" everything that will tend to develop them and lift them up to higher things in life.

Now, I wish to say something more about the objection to the bond issue that it will increase the taxes too much. As I stated above, the Board seems to think the issue can be taken care of without increasing the taxes. However, there seems to be no good reason for much complaint about school taxes. We should take from among our patrons about six or eight of our largest tax payers, we should probably find that the rest of the patrons pay, on an average, of about \$12 school tax yearly. Now suppose

there are an average of two pupils to the family. This would mean that the average school patron is paying about \$6 per year for the education of his children. In these times of high prices you could easily double the amount of taxes you are paying and still have about the cheapest thing going. If you happen to be one fighting the bonds, sit down and figure out how much you pay in school taxes, and how much you get for it. I have not the exact figures at hand, but about forty-five states in the Union pay more school taxes than we pay. In many states the rate is from \$1 to \$1.50 on the hundred, while our rate is 50c on the hundred, and they give in their property at full value, too.

And these people have found it is a paying proposition to have the schools. Suppose we could this next year raise our school to an affiliated school of the first rank. I am sure that I am not exaggerating when I say that land within a radius of five miles of town would increase in value from \$2 to \$10 per acre, and town property would increase in proportion. Some who are fighting the bond issue would gain more in the increased value of their property than they would pay to the school in taxes if they were to live 100 years longer. The bond issue is a necessary step toward that kind of school.

Then suppose a parent has a child whom he intends to put through college. An affiliated school would save the child about two years away from home, and these two years away from home would cost the parent from \$800 to \$1000. There will be enough money spent next year on pupils who will be sent away to school, but who could be served just as well at home with an affiliated school, that if this money were spent on the home school it could be raised to the first rank. Should this practice be continued? Some of you people who are fighting the bonds may not be able to send your children away when time comes.

We have all known, it is very likely, of people refusing to locate here because of the school; and I have heard of some of your good citizens who are going to leave here if a good school cannot be secured. Do you want your town to grow?

My good friends, think over these things and see if you do not think that a good school is a paying proposition financially, even if you had to increase your taxes 50 per cent, which of course would not be at all necessary. Without the proper financial support you need not expect the best school; for no Board nor no set of teachers can secure it. Buildings must be provided and properly equipped, and to get teachers who can do the work adequate salaries must be paid. If you vote against the bond issue you should not say a word against the school. Experience has shown us, however, that this is the class that will generally kick about something first. My friends, let us think of this matter calmly and seriously with the earnest desire to do the best possible thing for the children of Tahoka. If you will do this, I feel sure that you will not only vote for the bond issue but will not cease your efforts until Tahoka has a school that will be a monument to our town.

H. P. CAVENESS.

News One Day Early

The News is issued two days early this week on account of the two days picnic and barbecue. The force expects to rake off Thursday and Friday and enjoy ourselves with the thousands of others that will be in our little city. Of course, if necessary, we will take time to enroll any new subscriber that may wish to take the paper. If the News is not up to the usual standard will understand the situation and excuse the shortage in local news matter.

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Drinking Cups Wanted!

The Tahoka Barbecue committee has been unable to secure a sufficient quantity of cups for the two days celebration, and request that everybody bring as many cups with them as possible so that our visitors may be well supplied. Please bring all your cups, this means town and country people alike.

BARBECUE COMMITTEE.

There was an unusually large crowd of people in town Saturday. The rain of the past week made the soil too wet to work and the farmers took advantage of the situation by raking off and spending the day in the county capitol.

American Legion Post Organized Here Saturday

An American Legion Post for Lynn County last Saturday afternoon at the courthouse. Judge C. H. Cain, (by request of the ex-soldiers,) acted as temporary chairman. The post organized with a membership of thirty-two members, and many more will be enrolled later.

The following temporary officers were elected:

J. C. May, Post Commander.

Irvin Bradley, Post Adjutant.

It was unanimously voted to name the post the MARION G. BRADLEY POST, American Legion.

A committee was appointed to draft By-Laws and constitution, to be passed on at a meeting to be held at the courthouse, Saturday, July 17th, at 2:30 P. M.

The application will be forwarded for state charter on the above date.

The Bank of O'Donnell Made a State Bank

The Bank of O'Donnell has recently been converted into a State bank, and will be known in future as "The First State Bank of O'Donnell." W. D. Nevels of Tahoka, is president of the institution, and R. P. Weathers, of O'Donnell, cashier. The directors are Hal Singleton and Charley Doak, of O'Donnell, and A. L. Lockwood, of Tahoka. The bank is capitalized at \$10,000.00. The first official statement of the financial condition of the bank appears in this issue of the News.

Repairs for Light Plant to Arrive at Early Date

Mayor, J. R. Singleton, is in receipt of a letter from the Fairbank's-Morris Co., of Beloit, Wisconsin, stating that the repairs for the local light plant had been shipped and would probably arrive within fifteen days.

The plant was temporarily repaired this week for the picnic and barbecue.

M. W. Allphine, of Ft. Worth, was a guest in the Bradley home from Saturday till Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brashear went to Lubbock Wednesday to have their daughter, Wilma's tonsils removed.

Attorney G. E. Lockhart, returned Saturday from a professional trip east.

S. B. Hatchett, returned Wednesday from a business trip to Desdemona.

E. S. Davis is looking after his property interests in Desdemona this week.

Mass Meeting

A mass meeting will be held at the Courthouse and in the District Court room, at 2:30 P. M. Saturday, July 17th, for the purpose of discussing the School Bond issue that is to be voted on July 27th.

Everybody invited. Come out and give your views whether for or against the issue. Perhaps you will learn something that will be of interest to you.

This meeting called by order of the School Board of Tahoka Independent District.

E. R. Haynes and wife, of Lubbock, Rev. J. B. Cole and wife of Crosbyton; J. M. Hedgecock and Mrs. Eugene Hedgecock of Endee, N. M., passed through Tahoka Monday enroute to Mason and Kimble counties to attend a reunion of the Hedgecocks.

B. H. Jones and A. G. Kemp received an Avery thresher Saturday and hope to be able to assist the farmers in taking caring of the grain crop this year.

News in Error

Last weeks issue of the News contained an article stating that a small boy residing near Southland, was killed by being run over by an automobile at Slaton during the barbecue July 2nd and 3rd. The editor has since found out that this was untrue, and in justice to the people of Slaton we hasten to correct the statement. We learn, however, that the lad did fall from a moving car, but was only slightly injured, and we are informed is very much alive today, none the worse off from the accident.

Mrs. C. M. Brandon and daughters, arrived Monday from Cleveland, Ohio, and will make their future home in Tahoka. Mr. Brandon has been here several weeks, and is representative of the Magnolia Oil corporation in this city.

Misses Ollie and Annabelle Clinton, returned Monday from a visit with friends in Slaton.

Mesdames Jeff Flemming and Frank Richter, of Crowell, are visiting old acquaintances here this week.

Mrs. Anson Coughran, of Marfa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Duncan, of Roaring Springs, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Charley Moore.

H. C. Lively, of Whitewright, Texas, has recently bought Lynn County property eight miles south of Tahoka, and will farm here this year.

H. Rumley, of Fort Worth, recently became the owner of a body of Lynn county land and will locate here with his family at an early date.

Ed Myers, of the Brown & Meyers Realty Dealers, spent the first of the week looking after business matters in Lubbock.

Mrs. Ollie Whipp, and children, of Lubbock, are the guests of J. H. McNeely and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McGonagill took their daughter, Dorris, to Lubbock Sunday to have her tonsils removed. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Stokes.

The News is in receipt of a letter from Hon. R. A. Baldwin, of Slaton, stating that he would be in Tahoka, Friday, July 16th, to address the voters in behalf of his candidacy for Representative of this the 122nd District. Read the political advertisement referring to Mr. Baldwin's candidacy on another page of this issue.

Dr. J. V. Guyton was here the latter part of this week from Tahoka. He recently purchased a ranch near that place. Dr. Guyton spent 18 months in the medical department of the army in France.—SEMINOLE SENTINEL.

More Rain Last Friday

On last Friday night parts of Lynn county was again visited with a good rain, the gauge registering 57 hundredths of an inch. This made the third consecutive night that rain had fallen over the county. Crops of all kinds were never better, and bumper yields are already assured, or this section of the west.

Miss Coy Napier returned Sunday from Clovis, N. M., where she visited her brother, Robert.

BORN—Friday, July 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Boyd, a girl.

Mrs. Chas. A. Johnson and children returned to their home at Brady, Tuesday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knoy.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Kelly, of Dallas, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. C. Wells.

Mrs. W. C. Wells Entertains 42 Club

Mrs. W. C. Wells entertained the 42 club last Saturday. Those present were Mesdames Larkin, Smith, Howell, White, Lowery, LeMond, Roberts, Vinson, Sanders, Slaton, and Misses Boudier and Small.

At the close of games Mrs. Slaton held high score.

Delicious refreshments, consisting of a salad course with pie and lemonade was served.

REPORTER.

25,000 Bales of Cotton for Lynn County this Year

It is estimated by those in position to know, that as many as 25,000 bales cotton will be raised in Lynn county off of the 1920 crop. Almost double the acreage has been planted to the staple over last year. Grain crops of all kinds were never in better condition at this time of year, and great will be the harvest all over the South Plains. Locate in Lynn County.

Kill the Rats

The State Board of Health in quarantine district are making all cities and towns kill rats to prevent the spread of brebonic plague and suggest that every city take that precaution to kill all rats possible.

In conformity to their wishes and for the benefit of our town, we are asking that all set traps and put out poison and try and exterminate the rats in order to be on the safe side.

L. E. TURRENTINE, City Health Officer

J. R. SINGLETON, Mayor.

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Presiding Judges for Primary Election

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee held at the Courthouse, Monday, July 12th, the following persons were elected Presiding Judges of the Primary election to be held July 24th, 1920:

South Tahoka—D. T. Rogers.
Wilson Tom A. Hendricks.
Three Lakes—Wright Edwards
New Home—J. H. Newman.
Draw—E. S. Childs.
North Tahoka—P. N. Northcross.
O'Donnell—J. H. Goolsby.
Grassland—J. F. Williams.
Gordon—W. H. Robinson.
—MCMILL CLAYTON,
County Chairman.

Paul W. Hamilton, formerly in the lumber business in Tahoka, was a visitor here one or two days this week.—LUBBOCK AVA-LANCH

Mrs. Mary Fields, of Hiawatha, Kansas, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer a few days the past week.

Mrs. B. P. Maddox and children returned the latter part of last week from a visit of several weeks in Palo Pinto county.

W. E. Singleton, Jr., of Jefferson, is the guest of Dr. J. R. Singleton and family.

Messrs. and Mesdames S. M. Hedgecock, Sam Churchill, and Will Jones and families, of Plemmons, Hutchinson, county, Texas, were the guests of ye editor, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. S. W. Joplin and children of Amarillo, are visiting old acquaintances here this week.

The News management wishes to state once more that it is our desire to publish all the local happenings of the town and county, and any item of interest sent in or phoned to this office will receive every attention possible. The local news is what we canter after, and this alone is what makes a newspaper worth while.

Read the remainder of the school bond article written by Prof. H. P. Caveness, in this issue. The first part of the article appeared in last weeks paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sanders, visited Mrs. Sanders' sister, Mrs. W. T. Shepherd, near Post, Sunday.

Mrs. Charley Shook, of Eastland, arrived Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crie.

Compliments the News

Chicago, Ill., July 10, 1920.
Lynn County News,
Tahoka, Texas,
Gentlemen:-

Excuse delay in answering, but this letter was mislaid, and only turned up today.

You are getting out a very bright, readable paper, full of human interest, and deserve the patronage of everybody interested in the South Plains country, as you are doing everything in your paper to boost the country, and I believe you are succeeding in a constantly increasing ratio.

Wishing you the prosperity you merit, I remain,
Yours truly,
E. S. LAWSON.

MOTHER!
 "California Syrup of Figs"
 Child's Best Laxative



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."—Adv.

Reminders.
 "Cuttem, the tailor, reminds me of a clergyman." "He doesn't me; he reminds me of a bill I owe him."

GIRLS! LEMONS BLEACH SKIN WHITE
 Make Lemon Lotion to Double Beauty of Your Skin.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White which can be had at any drug store, shake well and you have a quarter pint of harmless and delightful lemon bleach for few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty of your skin.

Famous stage beauties use lemon juice to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion. Lemons have always been used as a freckle, sunburn and tan remover. Make this up and try it.—Adv.

Early Example.
 Midas had just seen another ham sandwich turn to gold as his fingers touched it.
 "This profiteering," he remarked sadly, "is something that can be carried entirely too far."

A BRIGHT, CLEAR COMPLEXION is always admired, and it is the laudable ambition of every woman to do all she can to make herself attractive. Many of our southern women have found that Tetterine is invaluable for clearing up blotches, itchy patches, etc., and making the skin soft and velvety. The worst cases of eczema and other torturing skin diseases yield to Tetterine. Sold by druggists or sent by mail for 50c. by Shuptrine Co., Savannah, Ga.—Adv.

Just as Advertised.
 City dweller—I do believe the world is reforming.
 Suburbanite—On what theory do you base your ideas?
 City dweller—I bought a lot in the country today that was as near to the railroad station as it was advertised and it wasn't under water.—Houston Post.

99 OUT OF 100 of the little ills such as Nasal Catarrh, Sunburn, Itching, or Soreness anywhere, may be quickly relieved by applying Vacher-Balm which is harmless, and cooling. Keep it handy, and avoid imitations.

If you cannot buy Vacher-Balm locally, send 30c in stamps for a tube, to E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.—Agents wanted.—Adv.

He Meant Cars.
 Lawrence, age nine, was scanning an early edition of the News Monday for information on the progress of the races when his mother asked him whether anyone had been hurt yet.
 "Yes, ten have been killed so far," was the startling reply. "Twenty-five entered the race and only fifteen are still running!"—Indianapolis News.

Watch Cuticura Improve Your Skin. On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. It is wonderful sometimes what Cuticura will do for poor complexions, dandruff, itching and red rough hands.—Adv.

Force of Habit.
 "Why is it he can never remember anything that is wanted in this house?"
 "Hard to say, I am sure, unless it is because he used to be a popular restaurant waiter."

Nature's Busy Workers.
 In the great office of nature there are innumerable departments with endless work going on, and the fine flower that you behold there, gaudily attired and scented like a dandy, is by no means what it appears to be, but rather is like a laborer toiling in the sun and shower, who has to submit a clear account of his work and has no breathing space to enjoy himself in a playful frolic.

The slender purse is always at a slight disadvantage.

DEMOCRATS OPEN BIG CONVENTION

PROHIBITION QUESTION STUMBLING BLOCK FOR PLATFORM BUILDERS.

ADMINISTRATION IS PRAISED

Texas Delegation Repudiates Utterances of Postmaster General Burlison

San Francisco, Cal.—After a futile session Thursday given over principally to waiting for the wet and dry fight to come off, the democratic national convention finally found the platform committee unable to report and without prospects of making a report before some time Friday.

San Francisco, Cal.—With the administration forces in complete control, it perfected its organization, accepting Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas as its permanent chairman; permitted states to upset the unit rule, provided for taking women on the democratic national committee, and prepared for the business of having candidates nominated by adopting an order of business which will permit the delivery of nominating speeches before the platform is brought in. Balloting for a nominee, however, will not be permitted before the platform has been adopted by the convention.

In his speech accepting the permanent chairmanship of the democratic national convention, Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas vigorously assailed the republican platform.

Senator Robinson had little difficulty keeping the machine going at the pace Mr. Cummins had set.

"It is to the shame of the senate," he shouted, "that it took a greater time to defeat the treaty than he army and navy took to win the war."
 "And they left the treaty right where it was when the president brought it back from Paris."

Failure of the president to take with him to the peace conference members of the senate had rankled in some senatorial hearts, Senator Robinson continued, but he added that if the president had done so and the senators "had shown no more intelligence at the conference in drafting the treaty than they have shown in its consideration—then God bless Woodrow Wilson for leaving them at home."

"American women are for peace and against war," Senator Robinson told the convention, "and they'll vote that way if you give them the opportunity. If you'll add to the soldier vote the woman vote and the democratic vote, the republicans won't get enough votes to make them a factor in the coming election. The republicans have trifled with the hearts and conscience of the American people, in their handling of the peace treaty."
 Wets won the first skirmish before the resolutions committee of the democratic national convention. By a vote of 27 to 25 a motion was adopted which forced the dries to present their side of the question first.

By a vote of 24 to 13 the rules committee knocked out the unit rule as it applies to the New York delegation in the democratic national convention.

San Francisco.—Homer Cummings, as temporary chairman of the democratic national convention, delivered the key-note address to the assembly Monday, shortly after noon. Mr. Cummings made the peace treaty and the league of nations the dominant issue of the coming presidential campaign and devoted a greater part of his time to a discussion of the treaty and its reception by the senate. Democratic achievements during the past eight years were praised by the speaker, and uttered ringing denunciations of the republican platform, said in part:

"It prides without discrimination all the republican senators who participated in its defeat. Its words of benediction fall alike upon the irreconcilables, the Lodge reservationists and those who proposed a separate peace with Germany. It is enough to know that the 'old guard' sold the honor of America for the privilege of nominating a reactionary for president."
 "What nations stand outside? Revolutionary Mexico, Bolshevist Russia, unspeakable Turkey, and—the United States of America."

San Francisco, Cal.—The Texas delegation repudiated Burlison's views on a wet plank in the platform, declaring the interviews he has given as being his own views and explicitly not those of the Texas democracy. The vote followed a long wrangle over the wording of the resolution, but omitting any personal reference to the postmaster general.

3,000 At B. Y. P. U. Meeting.
 Palacios, Texas.—The thirteenth annual session of the Baptist Young People's Union of Texas opened Tuesday at Palacios with an attendance of 3,000. The opening day 1,179 registered, the largest opening day registration in the history of the encampment. Special trains from Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and Beaumont brought hundreds of delegates and visitors to the encampment grounds. The Dallas train carrying 200, arrived early Tuesday morning.

GOVERNMENT MAKES FINANCIAL STATEMENT

REVENUE HAS JUST ABOUT KEPT PACE WITH EXPENSES DURING LAST YEAR.

Washington.—The federal government will wind up its fiscal year with practically all the year's bills paid, officials of the treasury department announce.

The operations for the last twelve months—the first full fiscal year since the war ended—will show little if any deficit. Receipts and disbursements have just about balanced. Up to this month amounts paid out exceeded income by \$29,000,000, a small amount when the total of transactions is taken into consideration. It is expected that operations during June will not greatly alter that figure.

It has cost near seven billion dollars to operate the federal government for the last twelve months. In the first quarter there was a deficit of \$770,000,000; in the second there was a surplus of \$150,000,000; in the third a surplus of nearly \$400,000,000. The present and final quarter, it is believed, will also show a surplus.

The greatest expenditures during the year were made by the war department—\$1,293,000,000 during the eleven months for which figures have been compiled. The treasury department, in eleven months, spent \$310,000,000, the navy \$725,000,000, the shipping board \$484,000,000 and railroads \$591,000,000, while interest on the public debt required \$864,278,864.

This last item alone is almost as much as the entire federal establishment required in a pre-war year.

Income and profits taxes provided most of the money, bringing in \$3,927,000,000 up to June 1. Miscellaneous taxes brought in \$1,442,320,000. Miscellaneous sources of revenue added \$602,911,000, while customs, formerly the principal source, yielded \$316,674,000.

The new fiscal year will begin with the total gross public debt at a little less than \$25,000,000,000. It reached its highest point on Aug. 31, 1919, when it stood at \$26,500,000,000. Included in this amount is about \$3,000,000 of "floating indebtedness"—loans running for a relatively short period and bearing a high rate of interest.

RESTAURANTS ARE NO LONGER PICKETED

Fort Worth, Texas.—Pickets of four downtown restaurants, which had been on duty since the middle of last week have been taken off by an injunction writ granted by the seventeenth district court on petitions of the restaurant owners.

The Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses' union ordered the men and women employed in restaurants to strike last week where proprietors declined to sign a new contract at the expiration of the old. The restaurants, which refused, declared for the open shop and placed signs to that effect in their windows. As soon as the injunction was granted the pickets were pulled off.

THREE DEAD, ELEVEN MISSING IN EXPLOSION

Buffalo, N. Y.—Three persons are dead, eleven injured and eleven missing as the result of the collapse of a lodginghouse here. An explosion of gas on the second floor of the four-story structure caused the accident. All but one wall and a small part of the roof fell. Nearby buildings were badly damaged by falling debris. Little hope is held out for those still buried in the ruins.

Plans for Children's Home.

Austin, Texas.—The commission to locate the home for neglected and dependent children selected architects to draw plans for the institution. Plans are expected to be submitted within the next three weeks, and upon their approval bids for construction of the home will be advertised for. Acting Governor W. A. Johnson, said actual construction of the building is expected to be under way early in the fall.

Socialistic Rule Likely in Germany.

Berlin.—There is a strong likelihood that the present administration of Germany will be thrown out of office and superseded by a thoroughly socialistic government if the Spa delegates are forced to return home empty handed. This view may be thought to bear the flavor of "propaganda," but it is held in certain official quarters having the greatest interest in maintaining the present government.

Church Movement Abandons Work.

New York.—The billion dollar campaign of the interchurch world movement has been abandoned, it is announced, following a meeting of the executive committee.

Given Big Church Fund.

Dallas.—For the completion of Baptist church buildings in Texas, an appropriation of \$177,250 has been made by the home mission board of Atlanta, Ga.

The Hague Is Selected.

The Hague.—The commission of jurists in session here for the formation of a permanent court of international justice, has unanimously decided that this court shall be located at The Hague.

HONORS APPORTIONED IN TEXAS DELGATION

MRS. JOHNSON MEMBER NATIONAL COMMITTEE, MRS. MAHONEY ASSOCIATE.

San Francisco.—Honors were equally distributed to the Texas delegation at a Sunday morning caucus at the Argonaut hotel here, where all but the women delegates were forced to stand during two hours' deliberations. While there was no real friction in the delegation, at times there were spirited controversy and Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Galveston remarked that the women appeared to be the storm center.

M. M. Crane of Dallas was selected for place on the committee on platform and resolutions and Mrs. Cone Johnson, was nominated to be the Texas woman national committee member in the event the convention accepts the recommendation of the national executive committee that each state have a man and woman member of that committee.

On motion of Gus Taylor of Tyler, the caucus formally elected Mrs. Mahoney as associate committeeman to Mr. Love and J. A. Kemp of Wichita Falls as an associate man member to Mrs. Johnson.

Caucus proceedings were begun by Chairman Johnson expressing surprise at a meeting of district delegates held without inviting the at large members to be present. He said there should be no distinction between delegates or men and women or squads or elements; that all should be unity.

Joe Burkett of Eastland assumed full responsibility for the caucus of the night before. He said it was held at his suggestion, but that no action was taken. Outside the caucus he told correspondents that twenty-seven district delegates were present and that it was the sense of those attending that the convention honors be divided in proper ratio between the delegates at large with four convention votes and the district delegates with thirty-six votes.

When committee selections were reached, Mrs. Cunningham made the statement of the action on the women's caucus. She added that the women left Chicago disgruntled and hoped they would get fair treatment here by equal representation. She moved that it be the sense of the caucus that whenever the occasion arises that men and women be given equal committee representation. It was unanimously adopted.

Before committeemen were elected Sam Sparks of Austin was given a full vote as Postmaster General Albert Sydney Burlison was not present, Sparks and Burlison were given a half vote each by the tenth congressional district.

T. F. Harwood of Gonzales was unconditionally named a member of the credentials committee. Marshall Hicks of San Antonio was selected as a member of the permanent organization committee. Hugh N. Fitzgerald of Fort Worth was unanimously elected a member of the committee on rules and order of business. M. M. Crane was named as platform committee member. Mrs. Mahoney of Dallas and Clarence Merritt of McKinney were named on the committee to notify the presidential nominee of his nomination. R. E. Huff and Miss Margie E. Neal of Carthage, to notify the vice presidential nominee of his nomination.

Mrs. Johnson was elected woman national committee member on motion of Mrs. Cunningham.

STRIKE COSTS NEW YORK \$82,196,000

Estimate of Total Losses to Commerce and Labor Made by Both Sides.

New York.—Since March 13, when coastwise longshoremen at this port went on strike, the total losses in commerce and in wages to longshoremen, harbor and railroad strikers in and near New York has been about \$82,196,000.

These figures were compiled from estimates furnished by leaders of the merchants' fight against the tieup and by leaders of the unions. They are, of course, approximate, but are based on statements of those qualified to make the estimates.

In the period since March 13, there have continued on strike in this district 6,000 longshoremen of the coast lines. Since April first there have been out 5,000 "outlaw" strikers and about 2,000 workers of ferries and tug boats and lighters.

The wage losses have been computed at \$2,196,000.

Baptist Quit World Church Movement.

Buffalo, N. Y.—The Northern Baptist convention has voted to terminate relations with Interchurch World Movement. Eminent lay and clerical delegates spoke in favor of the movement.

Pay Tribute to John N. Simpson.

Dallas.—Hundreds of Texans shared the sorrow of Dallas Sunday when beautiful and impressive services marked the close of the last chapter in the life of Colonel John Nicholas Simpson. Colonel Simpson was the last of the pioneer cattlemen of the west. He was interested in the State Fair of Texas, was an ardent admirer and friend of the late Col. Theodore Roosevelt and connected with many of the largest industrial and financial interests in the state.

SOUNDS WARNING ON MERCHANT MARINE

WILL BE BUILT UP DESPITE FOREIGN THREATS, SAYS CHAIRMAN BENSON.

Washington.—Warning foreign interests not to interfere with the American merchant marine, Chairman Benson of the shipping board declares that the board is determined to build up an American merchant marine as contemplated by the Jones shipping act, despite threats and propaganda by such interests to defeat the law.

"The United States," said Admiral Benson, "is in earnest to place within the ownership by the United States citizens the control of at least part of its traffic in imports and exports. If it should be held that the government departments lack such authorities as will insure their being able to protect American interests in such control additional authority will be asked by congress by the administration."

"Foreign carriers and those in the United States interested more in foreign than American institutions will do well to let sleeping dogs lie."
 Admiral Benson's warning was sounded in a talk to representatives of Pacific coast chambers of commerce and trade bodies and American railway representatives which have been disturbed by threats to divert trade from points on the Pacific coast because of the section of the merchant marine act permitting a preferential rate over carriers within the United States on merchandise moving in export and import in American vessels.

Such a threat, the chairman said, "is futile and idle."

"If such a threat is sincere and the attempt is made to so divert the business," Admiral Benson continued, "the shipping board will allocate American ships to move the business. The shipping board and the interstate commerce commission will follow this action by other steps which would further protect the interests of the United States against such foreign efforts to defeat the purpose of the merchant marine act."

Admiral Benson said that in the trans-Pacific trade at this time there seemed to have been specific and successful effort to prevent American vessels from securing return cargoes at certain points, while ships of other nations have come with full loads.

MANY EMPLOYES RETURN TO WORK AT CHICAGO

Accept Increased Pay Voted By Council—Others Still on Strike.

Chicago, Ill.—More than 1,000 of the 2,000 city employees on strike returned to work Thursday, accepting the pay increases of \$1,500,000 voted by the council.

Three aldermen suggested closing the municipal garbage reduction plant and selling the garbage "to any one of three firms at a good profit and get rid of the strike at the same time."

The laborers in the plant demand \$5.80 a day. The council voted them \$4.85. Since Monday no garbage has been collected.

Police and firemen have decided on no action. They asked increases of \$300 yearly and received from the council 75c a month or \$9 per annum, making their new rates \$2,000.

The principal strikes now are in the building inspection and engineering departments, where elevator inspectors and electrical engineers walked out.

The striking electricians have threatened to call out all street lighting engineers and police and fire alarm operators, who are affiliated with their union.

To grant the pay increase demanded, the council has announced would cost \$20,000,000, while the city is already practically bankrupt.

Pecan Crop Almost Failure.

San Angelo, Texas.—The 1920 pecan crop in west Texas is certain to be a failure, according to local dealers, who attribute the cause to late frosts. Last year the greatest crop of nuts in history was raised in this section and San Angelo alone exported forty-five carloads, or 1,250,000 pounds, worth around \$150,000. So great was the crop that labor sufficient to gather all of it could not be obtained and many of the nuts rotted on the ground.

Ten Persons Killed By Train.

Huntingburg, Ind.—Ten persons were killed and eight were injured, six of them fatally, when a Southern railway train crashed into a truck carrying 21 persons.

Army Will Discharge Emergency Men

Dallas.—All emergency officers will be discharged from the army Sept. 30, according to word received by Lieutenant Sealey at the Dallas recruiting station.

Sawmills On Lower River.

Dallas.—While plans of Dallas citizens for utilizing the waters of Trinity river for commercial purposes are incomplete, the people living below here are already developing the river country by erecting sawmills to prepare lumber for shipment, according to H. G. Fairbanks, secretary of the Trinity River Navigation and Development association. Three modern hardwood lumber mills are now being constructed on the river near Riverside it is reported.

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BANKS No. 1264 Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK at O'Donnell, State of Texas

at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1920, published in the Lynn County News, a newspaper printed and Published at Tahoka, State of Texas, on the 16th day of July, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$44,119.06
Overdrafts.....	122.98
Real Estate (banking house).....	500.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,023.51
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net.....	6,815.73
Cash Items.....	225.01
Currency.....	4,904.00
Specie.....	42.85
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	300.00
Other Resources, Miscellaneous Collections.....	1,756.25
TOTAL.....	\$60,808.39

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$10,000.00
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	50,808.39
TOTAL.....	\$60,808.39

State of Texas, I, W. D. NEVELS, County of Lynn, as president, and R. P. WEATHERS, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. D. NEVELS, President.
R. P. WEATHERS, Cashier.
Correct-Attest: Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July A. L. Lockwood, A. D. 1920. Ben T. Directors. Brown, Notary Public, Lynn Co. Texas.
[SEAL]

BANKS No. 1047 Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the GUARANTY STATE BANK at Tahoka, State of Texas

at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1920, published in the Lynn County News, a newspaper printed and published at Tahoka, State of Texas, on the 16th day of July, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$100,715.22
Loans, real estate.....	1,707.00
Bonds and Stocks, Liberty Bonds and W. S. S.....	4,600.00
Real estate (banking house).....	14,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	3,665.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, Subject to check, net.....	33,185.12
Cash Items.....	1,099.78
Currency.....	8,015.00
Specie.....	1,141.75
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	938.63
Other Resources, War Saving Certificates.....	1,166.36
TOTAL.....	\$170,293.86

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	35,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	4,903.24
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net.....	7,500.00
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	122,000.89
Cashier's Checks.....	889.73
TOTAL.....	\$170,293.86

State of Texas, I, W. A. D. SHOOK, County of Lynn, as President, and Frank H. Weaver, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A. D. SHOOK, President.
Frank H. Weaver, Cashier.
Correct-Attest: Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1920. E. S. D. Sanders, M. Swan, Notary Public, Lynn County Texas.
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A child can't get strong and robust while worms eat away its strength and vitality. A dose or two of White's Cream Vermifuge puts the little one on its feet again. Price, 35c. Sold by Thomas Bros.

WEST TEXAS Round-Up and RODEO Post, Tex. JULY 21-2-3

There will be Goat roping, Bronc bustin', Calf branding, Races, Baseball, Etc. for Valuable Prizes

Prizes worth while will be offered in these contests. A splendid band of music has been secured to furnish music each day of the festivities. An effort is being made to secure a good 3 day Carnival Company. A splendid camping ground with plenty shade, and lots of good water will be furnished ABSOLUTELY FREE. Don't miss these three big days

JULY 21-2-3

If you are looking for a big time and heaps of fun and amusement, be with us on the above dates. If you want to enter any of these contests or want any information, see, write or phone

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Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

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The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . ."

"It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists

Prayed for Cure Finds it After 10 Years

Food Would Sour and Boil —Teeth Like Chalk

Mr. Herbert M. Gessner writes from his home in Berlin, N. H.:

I had stomach trouble over ten years; kept getting worse. I tried everything for relief but it came back worse than ever. Last fall I got awfully bad; could only eat light loaf bread and tea. In January I got so bad that what I would eat would sour and boil; my teeth would be like chalk. I suffered terribly. I prayed every day for something to cure me. One day I read about EATONIC and told my wife to get me a box at the drug store as I was going to work at 4 p. m. I took one-third of it and began to feel relief; when it was three-fourths gone, I felt fine and when it was used up I had no pains. Wife got me another box but I have felt the pain but twice. I used five tablets out of the new box and I have no more stomach trouble. Now I write to tell you how thankful I am that I heard of EATONIC. I feel like a new man; I eat what I like, drink plenty of water, and it never hurts me at all.

SPRAINS

This soothing, healing, penetrating remedy takes all of the aching pain out of bruises, sores, cuts, sprains, etc., and quickly heals the injury. Get a bottle of **HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL** today.

Girls! Girls!! Clear Your Skin With Cuticura

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c.

A Profitable Investment

5,000 acres fine farming land unimproved, for sale in a body at \$25 an acre. Good terms.

W. H. Graham, Cuero, Texas

Sculpture by Wholesale.

Many of the marble statues sold in art stores are cast—not carved. The mold used consists of two parts—an outer casting of plaster of paris and an inner mold of rubber. The solution poured into the mold is composed chiefly of marble dust—mere waste. After the mold has been removed the statue is scraped and polished, and the result is a finished work of art.

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Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is a cream that more than once is found to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

The Bachelor Tax.

George Ade, apropos of the French bachelor tax of 10 per cent, said at the Chicago Athletic club:

"This tax will no more cause bachelors to link up than the remark of old Lusher did."

"Young man," said old Lusher, "you ought to marry. A cozy home, a loving wife, beautiful children—there's nothing like it on earth. And then, above all, you have the sweet recollection of your jolly bachelor days."

If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine.

A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and verified testimony of thousands who have used the preparation, the success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact, so many people claim, that it fulfills almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder ailments; corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcel Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

One Good Reason.

"Why didn't you show fight when those bank robbers came in?" asked the president.

"Not much," replied the clerk. "The bank is insured and I'm not."

Better a penny with a smile than a dollar given with a frown.

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To Boro-Budur by Airplane?



GENERAL VIEW OF BORO-BUDUR.

SCENES FROM THE LIFE OF BUDDHA.

ONE OF THE STEPPED ARCHES.

The airplane marks the beginning of the end of the "silent places." When the aviator comes into his own time and space will lose their meaning—as far as this earth is concerned. For example, the big game hunter climbs into his airplane at Seattle. Presto! He is at Mount McKinley in Alaska—where are countless caribou, mountain sheep and moose—and not even a national park ranger or a territorial game warden to say him nay.

Reverse the picture! While the airplane means that the new places of earth will soon have lost their newness, it also means that some of the old, old places of earth—so old that the busy world has almost forgotten them—will again attract the public—because they can be reached.

For example, in the center of Java stands Boro-Budur! Never heard of Boro-Budur! Quite likely. Yet it was built at least 12 centuries ago, and it is a more impressive relic of the labors of the ancients of earth than the great pyramid. Once it was visited by thousands of devout worshippers. Now the jungle has crowded in about it and it is a large undertaking to reach it—until airplane service shall have been established!

It is a peculiar fact, says Francis Dickie, in the Scientific American, that some of the great wonders of the world are known to the general run of men and women almost from infancy, while others, quite as remarkable, indeed more so, remain unknown to the world at large. The most striking example of this is the magnificent hill temple of Boro-Budur, one of the most gigantic and finest works ever reared by the ancients. Boro-Budur represents more human labor and artistic skill than the great pyramid. Yet everyone has heard of the great pyramid, while practically no one knows of Boro-Budur.

Boro-Budur was built about the seventh century, A. D., as far as is known from philological research. It lies in central Java and owes its origin to Buddhism. The ashes of Buddha were distributed by his great apostle, King Osaka of India, to eight towns where they were buried. Some time after the ashes were taken from the tombs and redivided into 84,000 parts. These were preserved in vases and given out over all his dominions. When the Buddhist missionaries came to Java in the seventh century they brought one of these vases and, as a fitting receptacle for this, Boro-Budur, the world's greatest temple, was erected—the finest piece of architecture of its kind in the then known world, and one which has never been rivaled since.

For about 800 years Boro-Budur was visited by millions of worshippers; then a Mohammedan invasion swept the country and the temple was deserted. Jungle grew about it and volcanic debris, from the countless active craters the island is famous for, covered it.

In 1914 it was discovered by accident by Sir Stamford Raffles, who

The Useful Sunflower

It has been found that every part of the sunflower plant may be utilized for some economic purpose. The leaves form a cattle food and the stems contain fiber which may be used successfully in making paper. The pith of the sunflower stalk is the lightest substance known; its specific gravity is 0.028, while that of elder is 0.06, and cork 0.24. The discovery of the extreme lightness of the

ph of the stalk has essentially increased the commercial value of the plant. This light cellular substance is now carefully removed from the stalks and applied to many important uses. One of its chief uses is the making of life-saving appliances.

"To Forgive Is to Forget."

In a divorce case heard recently in Glasgow the question arose as to the difference between "condonation" and "forgiveness," the New York Evening Sun states. The judge decided that

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.) (Copyright, 1920, Western Newspaper Union.)

LESSON FOR JULY 11

JONATHAN BEFRIENDS DAVID.

LESSON TEXT—I Sam. 20. GOLDEN TEXT—A friend loveth at all times; and a brother is born for adversity.—Prov. 17:17. **ADDITIONAL MATERIAL**—I Sam. 18: 1-6, 17-30; 19:1-34. **PRIMARY TOPIC**—A Story of Two Friends. **JUNIOR TOPIC**—David and His Friend. **INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—Friendships That Are Worth While. **YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—Friendship: What It Is and What It Does.

The friendship between Jonathan and David is peculiar in that it occurred between two men of rival worldly interests. Jonathan was the crown prince, the heir to the throne. David was the heir according to divine choice and arrangement. Jonathan knew this and magnanimously waived his natural personal rights to the one whom he knew that God had chosen.

Following the interview of Goliath, David after the victory over Goliath, Jonathan's soul was knit with that of David. He loved him as his own soul. While there was mutual love, yet this pleasing trait stands out more in Jonathan than in David, because it meant great loss to him—the loss of the throne, but immense gain to David—the acquisition of the throne to which he had no natural right. The genuine friendship was shown:

I. By Giving to David His Court Robe and Equipment (18:4).

These belonged to Jonathan as the crown prince. Following the love-covenant between them (18:3) Jonathan stripped himself of these and gave them to David. This act was virtual abjection in favor of David. "Love seeketh not her own" (I Cor. 13:5).

II. By Defending David Against the Fury of Saul (I Sam. 19:1-6).

According to oriental custom, the women met David and his soldiers as they were returning from their victory over the Philistines, and with singing and dancing they ascribed more praise to David than to Saul. This stirred up the murderous envy of Saul and moved him to three attempts to kill David. In his third attempt Jonathan defended David before his father and evoked from him the oath that David should not be slain (19:5). Thus he exposed himself to the anger of his infuriated father, for David's sake. When one is willing to lay down his life for another he proves that his friendship is real. "Greater love hath no man than this that a man lay down his life for his friends" (John 15:13).

III. By Revealing to David Saul's Murderous Intent (I Sam. 20:30-40).

The beginning of a new moon was celebrated by sacrifices and feasting, at which all the members of the family were expected to be present (v. 5). David's excuse for absence was to go home to attend the yearly sacrifice of the entire family. This annual feast was more important than the monthly feast.

Matters were now so serious that they renewed the covenant between themselves. In its renewal the terms were projected beyond the life of Jonathan (vv. 14, 15). Saul's anger was now so fierce that for Jonathan to be found in company with David was a dangerous thing, so he cleverly plans to give David a sign by which he could know Saul's purpose. We prove our friendship by warning those who are exposed to danger. David's heart responded to Jonathan's love by pledging himself to deal faithfully with Jonathan and his seed forever. Later history proves that this was faithfully carried out (II Sam. 9:7, 8).

Some Observations on Friendship:

1. Friendships should be made while the parties are young—while the hearts are capable of being knit together.
2. Real friends are few; therefore be careful in the formation of the ties of friendship. Friends should be selected. We should love everybody, but we can have but few friends.
3. There should be some variations in the temperaments in those who would be friends. Friendships should be formed for the purpose of mutually helping each other. Both parties, however, must possess real merit.
4. Both parties must be God-fearing. David and Jonathan both recognized their obligation to the Lord and that his help was essential to the welfare of both. Without a deep religious life there can be no friendship. There are times when one party must absolutely renounce his interests in behalf of the other. Genuine love is the basis of all friendship.

Good Impulses.

Few good impulses live long unless they are put to work.

The Glory of Life.

To do the things that can't be done is the glory of life.

Greatest Losses.

The greatest losses are the losses we never observe.

Being Rich or Poor.

We are as rich or as poor as our minds make us.

Character.

Character is a growth from the soil of purpose.

New Anesthetic Developed.

A highly refined ether, modified by the addition of certain gases, has been found superior as an anesthetic. It eliminates pain without loss of consciousness and reduces to a minimum the nausea that generally follows the use of ether.

The ability to produce insensibility to pain without loss of consciousness opens up an entirely new field, including many operations which are now performed without any attempt to eliminate pain. Certain types of dental operations and obstetrical cases illustrate one point, as well as the changing of packing and dressing of severe wounds.—Scientific American.

Curry of Vegetables.—Cook one onion, one sour apple, one cupful of carrot, turnip and celery cut up. Make a rich white sauce, season with pepper, salt and curly powder and serve hot. These vegetables may be left-overs or be cooked for the

Baked Banana Pudding.—Cook one cupful of bananas, one-half cupful of butter and one-fourth cupful of brown sugar. Add two table-spoonsful of flour, one-half cupful of sugar, one egg yolk. Fold in the whites and bake in a buttered dish until firm. Serve with sauce.

Whipped Fruit Jelly.—This package of any prepared gelatin any flavor. Follow the directions in its preparation. When beginning to cool, but before it sets, beat with a Dover egg beater. Beat the egg until stiff, then add one cupful of powdered sugar, beat into the jelly, then add two table-spoonsful of orange and half a cupful of strawberries all cut in small pieces. Make a boiled custard with one egg, two table-spoonsful of milk. Mold the jelly, cool the custard after it has been cooked until thickened and serve on plates with unmolded jelly.

Squaw Dish.—Cook together potatoes, onions, carrots and turnip adding them in time so they will tender together. A half cupful of tender browned salt pork with one pint of milk with salt and pepper per for seasoning makes a squaw petzizing dish.

The KITCHEN CABINET

"Come, let us rest awhile, Where placid lakes and tumbling streams Surpass by far the land of dreams And nature wears a smile."

HELPFUL IDEAS.

Nitrate of soda is a good tonic for house plants that need it. Dissolve one teaspoonful of the nitrate in a quart of water and use it to water the plants every week. This tonic will produce rapid growth in young, healthy plants. Cold coffee or tea infusion is good for all kinds of ferns. Use it instead of water once a week, soaking the roots well.

When any metal kitchen utensil springs a leak at an inconvenient time, make a good temporary cement by mixing a little white of egg with wood or coal ashes to make a thick paste. Put this over the hole and hold the utensil over the heat until the paste bakes.

To keep a cake moist, cover with icing while it is still warm, then put a small jelly glass of water in the cake box. The air in the box is kept moist by the water and the cake will not dry out. An apple is used instead of the water by some.

To shrink fabric, lay it in the bathtub in the folds as it came from the store. Soak it will and leave for several hours until well dampened, then hang till dry, or nearly so, before pressing.

Mend a leak in a hot water bottle with adhesive plaster. Heat table salt very hot and fill the bag with the hot salt. The salt retains the heat longer than water, with no danger from leaking.

The importance of well-fitting shoes is vital. Many a woman suffers from headache, backache, nerves and tremor because her feet are not properly dressed. A heel should be large enough, even if high, to support the weight. Stockings should be neither too long, nor form wrinkles nor too short to cause joint trouble.

Bathing the feet daily in cold water with a good rubbing, if faithfully followed, will cure rheumatism and corns, we are told by those who have been cured.

If the feet are swollen, hot and sensitive, bathe them in salt water once or twice daily helps the feet wonderfully. The shoes should be well aired and the hose perfectly dry before dressing the feet.

To toughen the feet, soak daily in bath containing alcohol and salt.

Come, fill the Cup, and let the Sinner Sing!

The Cream and Sugar and Hot Water bring!

Methinks this fragrant liquid needs to be here.

Within the Pot is pretty much the Thing.

SUMMER DISHES FOR EVERY DAY

With such a variety of fresh vegetables now in our gardens and markets, one can have change every day.

Escalloped Cabbage.—Fill a buttered lidded dish with alternate layers of creamed cabbage and seasoned crumbed potatoes, having a top layer of buttered crumbs. Bake in a very hot oven.

Cheese may be added if desired.

Curry of Vegetables.—Cook one onion, one sour apple, one cupful of carrot, turnip and celery cut up. Make a rich white sauce, season with pepper, salt and curly powder and serve hot. These vegetables may be left-overs or be cooked for the

Baked Banana Pudding.—Cook one cupful of bananas, one-half cupful of butter and one-fourth cupful of brown sugar. Add two table-spoonsful of flour, one-half cupful of sugar, one egg yolk. Fold in the whites and bake in a buttered dish until firm. Serve with sauce.

Whipped Fruit Jelly.—This package of any prepared gelatin any flavor. Follow the directions in its preparation. When beginning to cool, but before it sets, beat with a Dover egg beater. Beat the egg until stiff, then add one cupful of powdered sugar, beat into the jelly, then add two table-spoonsful of orange and half a cupful of strawberries all cut in small pieces. Make a boiled custard with one egg, two table-spoonsful of milk. Mold the jelly, cool the custard after it has been cooked until thickened and serve on plates with unmolded jelly.

Squaw Dish.—Cook together potatoes, onions, carrots and turnip adding them in time so they will tender together. A half cupful of tender browned salt pork with one pint of milk with salt and pepper per for seasoning makes a squaw petzizing dish.

Nellie Mason

His Cost More.

Samson was plainly proved. "I don't see why they think it so expensive," he cried.

The Man Who Wasn't Himself

By ROBERT AMES BENNET

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"I DON'T BELIEVE IT."

SYNOPSIS.—Alighting from a train at Denver a well-dressed traveler is familiarly accosted by a man about his own age. The traveler ignores the advances. A few minutes later he is greeted as "Will" by an elderly lady and gentleman, who stop their auto to speak. He imagines it a case of mistaken identity and announces himself as "Richard Clinton," on his way to the coast. The couple appear greatly surprised, and learn he is to be in town until midnight, the lady, introducing herself as Mrs. Kirkland, and her husband as Doctor Kirkland, invites him to dinner, explaining the action by his truly remarkable resemblance to a friend of theirs. He accepts. At the Kirkland home he meets a young lady who greets him as her niece. She is Ellen Kirkland, and plainly is greatly hurt by his assertion that he is Richard Clinton. At dinner Clinton learns that his host is a medical specialist and that he is believed to be Will Lowrie, a young man who had been suffering from a nervous breakdown and had gone east for medical treatment. Lowrie had had in his possession bonds of the value of \$100,000, belonging to the bank where he was employed, which have disappeared and of which he has no recollection. With Doctor Kirkland Clinton goes to the Lowrie home, the doctor being satisfied that Amy Lowrie, Will's sister, will convince Clinton he is really Lowrie, suffering from loss of memory. Amy declares at once that he is her brother, and insists on treating him as such, to his great embarrassment. Doctor Kirkland sends a telegram to the sanitarium where Lowrie is undergoing treatment. Ellen and Amy try in vain to convince Clinton he is Will Lowrie. They manage, however, to prevent his going. Bemm, a suitor of Amy and an agent of the missing bonds. The sanitarium telegram proves nothing.

CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

"Karl! It's not possible you can mean—?"

"I do not say, as yet. It may be due to subconscious impulse—his opposition to Charlie before he went East."

"But this is frightful!"

"I give it as a possibility," said the physician. "Stop and consider, my dear. Suppose him what he believes himself to be—a stranger to us all."

"I cannot."

"You must. As a double personality, he is in effect a stranger. To avert this possibility of a disaster, he must be led to choose Ellen."

"Ah!"

"You see now that it is a matter of greater urgency than we thought; not merely a question of trying to recall—"

"Yes, yes! Amy is fond of Charlie. If we can get her out of the way for a while—"

Rising leisurely, Mrs. Kirkland went into the library. Bemm was taking in the winning trick of a game. She smiled and shook her finger at him.

"How have you done it? You've won every time, in spite of Amy. It's wonderful luck."

"All due to my partner," replied Bemm. "She is the best of luck."

Amy jumped up to curtsy.

"Really, my dear, I did not come in to—"

"But if you wish a change," murmured Mrs. Kirkland, and she took the girl's place at the card table. She met Bemm's attempt at a cordial smile with a look of playful severity. "No, you shall have no more chances to defeat poor Will and Ellen."

"Er—to be sure, if Doctor Kirkland wishes to play—"

"Wishes to play—"

Doctor Kirkland stopped in the doorway and stood waiting. His wife had gathered up the cards and was quietly shuffling them. Amy, who had drawn aside closely followed by Bemm, looked at Clinton and Ellen with a sudden change from merriment to grave delight.

Bemm caught the opportunity of her softened mood. "There's a full moon," he challenged. "Dare you to go out in the garden?"

"You think I'm afraid of the glare?" she whispered. "I'll show you."

Clinton settled back in his chair and took up the cards dealt him by Mrs. Kirkland. Doctor Kirkland had taken Bemm's place. Soon all four players were intent on the game. Clinton gave closer attention to the cards and played better than when pitted against Bemm. Evident as it was to her as well as to her parents that he still regarded her as a comparative stranger, Ellen was blissfully happy. Every time Clinton looked at her she blushed and smiled entrancingly. Under his gaze, her eyes, melting with tenderness, veiled themselves behind their long lashes, but at no time seemed able to turn away from him more than a moment. Though usually a better player than her mother, she was so overcome with ecstasy that she chose her cards at random.

As Doctor Kirkland announced the score, Clinton suddenly rose his gaze away from Ellen, and rose from the table, his face for the second time flushed and conscience-stricken.

"Pardon me, I—it is not right!" he exclaimed. "I must go—"

"Away!" cried Ellen.

"No, only—"

and hurried out into the hall, to rush upstairs.

Instead of intruding upon old Tillie's domain, Amy and Bemm had gone out through the porte-cochere. The grape thatched pergola was ghostly dark. Amy darted ahead and out into the moonlit garden.

"I say," remarked Bemm when he overtook her, "what made you run away from me?"

"Run away?" she replied. "Is that the thanks I get for leading you out of the darkness?"

"I might have been lost."

"Poor Charles! But just so you did not lose your head."

"It is on, fast and level. The proof of it is that I have lost something else—to you!"

"How bright the moon shines!" she bantered.

"Miss—Amy," he besought, "you know that for months there has been something I've wanted to tell you."

"Oh, look; there's a star up there," she teased.

"Look at me, and I'll see the brightest of all the stars!" he declared.

"How poetical! We shall now hear Mr. Charles Bemm declaim his so-lovely ode to the silly night."

"Why do you keep ragging me?" he complained. "You know I'm in earnest; that I—"

"Really?—really and truly?"

"Don't!" he burst out passionately. "Can't you see? If I were only flirting you'd not have such an advantage. But when for almost two years—You know I love you! You know that you're the only one!"

Again he sought to clasp her hand. Again she eluded him. But her look had sobered. She no longer regarded him with a teasing glance and bantering smile.

"I am sorry, Charlie," she said. "I did not believe you could be so serious."

"Not serious?" he rejoined. "Just because I like to enjoy things—as you do?"

"But I am only a girl. It's different when a man—"

"Is there any one else?" he interrupted.

"No," she candidly answered. "There is no young man I like better than you—except, of course, Will."

He smiled with renewed hope. "Only your brother? Then I, of all the fellows who—Amy, you do love me! You must love me!"

"Don't be silly, just because I said I liked you."

"If you like me you'll soon learn to love me."

"I'm sure I don't know."

"You'll try. Promise me you'll try."

She looked at him, her eyebrows peaked with doubt. "I'm so sorry, Charlie," she replied. "Really I don't know what to say. Since Will came home I've—I've felt rather differently."

Bemm frowned and rejoined in an almost blustering tone: "Then he has been knocking me?"

It was the girl's turn to flush. "Mr. Bemm, you forget yourself. You are speaking of my brother."

"You are mistaken. It's he that forgets himself. He forgets—"

"Need you remind me? It's—it's bad enough without your reminding me! Be so kind as to stand aside. I am going in."

"Not until I have told you how he forgets his best interests."

"I asked you to stand aside."

"Oh, certainly; by all means," said Bemm, and he sprang out of the way.

His tone and manner caused Amy to pause. She looked at him, between anger and uncertainty. "There's something—you're hinting at something about Will," she accused.

Her upturned face was white and troubled. He stared at her doubtfully.

"I'm not so sure," he hesitated. "It's a big risk for me to say anything about it now. If it were not for you—"

"Never mind me!"

"Then he can go hang, for all I care."

"What do you mean?"

He struck a match, lighted a cigarette, puffed at it nervously and flung it down. "If you want to know—I'm risking everything by telling you, but here goes! This afternoon, I—that is, I happened to hear that a key was found in Will's clothes—a safe deposit key. The right box was located in the vaults of one of the safe deposit companies."

"O-o-oh!" the girl sighed rapturously. "They've found the lost bonds!"

"I said they found the box—it was empty."

"Empty!" she gasped.

"Yes—Now do you see?"

"You say empty? Yet how—why should he—"

"He has forty thousand dollars on deposit in a Chicago bank."

"It cannot be!"

"It's true. I have it from—a friend who telegraphed on and learned the facts."

"Doctor Kirkland?"

"Not he. Some one else—one who may make trouble for Will. Unfortunately there can be no question as to the facts. The bonds are gone, and there is that forty thousand on deposit under this—assumed name."

"Assumed! You know it's because

of the change in him—the dissociation! You know what a state he was in even before he went away—forgetting everything!"

"He may have difficulty in proving that, even with the help of Doctor Kirkland, if it all comes out."

"How do you mean?—If it all comes out?"

Bemm moved closer to the quivering girl and lowered his voice: "It all depends on me, Amy. I can keep quiet about facts that would offset Doctor Kirkland's testimony. Without those facts, Will need only return the bonds, or the money he obtained from their disposal. The doctor will make affidavit to the bank that he took them while irresponsible; and the matter will be hushed up without any publicity."

"You—you can do that, Charlie?"

"I will if—"

"Oh, you dear boy!" she cried, impulsively clasping his hand.

"Amy! You'll take me!" he exclaimed.

She thrust herself free from the arm that he was slipping about her.

"Don't!" she exclaimed. "It looks too much as if—as if you fished to make a bargain."

"Bargain?" he muttered.

"Wishing me to—to let you kiss me because you are going to help Will?"

"Why not?" he asked. "If I agree to help him—I am the only one who can."

She looked at him, pale but clear-eyed and very calm, and replied deliberately: "I do not believe it."

"What?" he queried, completely taken aback.

"I do not believe it," she repeated.

Before he could recover his aplomb she had walked past him. She disappeared into the back porch without looking back.

CHAPTER VIII.

A Hairbreadth Escape.

Soon after Clinton's flight Doctor Kirkland had been summoned to the sanitarium. When Amy came in by way of the dining room Ellen was



"He Has Forty Thousand Dollars on Deposit."

pensively watching her mother play solitaire. She looked up and, mistaking the cause of the color in Amy's cheeks, asked delightedly: "Oh, what is it, dear, has Charlie—?"

"The silly! He made me dreadfully cross!" petulantly replied Amy. She glanced into the parlor, and her vexation suddenly gave place to alarm.

"Where is Will? Surely you've not let him go off?"

"No, no, my dear, not even with the doctor," reassured Mrs. Kirkland. "He has gone up to his room."

A few moments later Clinton, brooding heavily over his pipe, heard a tap at his door. He frowned. The tap became a rap. He called in the brusque tone: "Well, what is it?"

"Me!" came back a soft whisper.

"Miss Lowrie—you?" he replied. "What do you want?"

"Let me in."

He glanced in consternation at his stockinged feet and bare arms.

"I—I must beg you to excuse me," he stammered. "You see, I'm not—that is, I'm about to retire."

"No, no, no!" the whisper shrilled in protest. "I must have a talk with you! If you don't let me in I shall scream!"

"Not that, not that," he called back. "Wait a moment. I'll be out at once."

He dived into the closet to seize the lounging robe, which he slipped on as he hurried to the door. He slid back the bolt. Instantly the door was thrust in against him. Amy popped through the opening. She closed the door and spoke to him in a tone as matter of fact as it was affectionate: "The idea of making such a fuss about letting me in. Now we'll sit down and

have a good old-time talk while I do my hair."

He stared at her, speechless. She had on a kimono of soft pink silk embroidered with gold flowers. In one hand she held a silver-backed hairbrush.

"Where are your manners?" she reproved, and she went to set two chairs before the full-length mirror on the wall opposite the bathroom passage. "Come. I don't want to have to shout to you over there. Sit down and behave."

He started to obey, and blushed as his stockinged feet appeared from under the edge of his robe. But she had perched on one of the chairs and was studying herself in the mirror.

She seated herself in the chair close beside her. She handed him the hairbrush and put up both hands to her head. The loose sleeves of her kimono slipped down, baring her dimpled white arms. He stared, fascinated, at them and at her shapely fingers, which were nimbly drawing the pins from her hair. Soon the thick coils began to sag.

She shook her head. All the glossy brown locks came tumbling down about her slender shoulders. She turned sideways, with her back to him, and clasping the hairpins in her lap, sat waiting. He gazed in wondering admiration at the wealth of rippling hair and the shapely little head from which it flowed down.

"Why don't you begin?" she impatiently demanded. "You'll never finish unless you start."

"Start?"

"You—do you mean you wish me to—to brush your hair?"

"Oh, no; I'm merely sitting here for you to look at," she bantered. "Don't be a goose."

She caught the brush from him and made half a dozen vigorous strokes, each time running her free hand under the brown tangle. He took the brush from her backward-stretched hand, and asked in a deep low tone: "Am I to hold it that way with my hand?"

"How else can you do it right?" she replied.

He cautiously took a full stroke from her forehead back across her dainty head and down the rippling mass of hair. His smile was now that of a man completely lost in blissful intoxication.

"That's better," she said; "only still harder. Don't be afraid. I'm not a paper doll—There, that's the way. Now I can settle down and talk. First of all, I'm going to tell you the bad news and get through with it."

"Yes?" he asked, inhaling the delicious fragrance of her hair.

"You're not listening, and it's very important. It has made me dreadfully cross at Charlie."

He stiffened at the name, instantly attentive. "That fellow? What about him? Has he—?"

"Yes. But that's not the trouble. The bank has been making a fuss. It can wait. The horrid thing is that about those bonds you lost. They claim that you have a lot of money in a Chicago bank."

"Yes. What of it?"

"That proves what I told Charlie. Of course you don't realize—you can't realize."

"Realize what?" he asked, pausing in the midst of a long brush stroke.

"Why, about the bonds."

"You mean the bonds lost by your brother?"

"Charlie knows some one who has found out all about them. It must have been a detective. He found the key of the safe deposit vault in your pocket—"

"In my pocket?"

"Charlie found the man sold the key was found in your pocket, and—Oh, I forgot. He said it was all secret yet. But of course you're my brother, and you ought to know, and you won't tell—will you?"

"Why should I? Please go on. I fall to understand about the key. But how about it? If it was a detective that found the key, he must have discovered where it belonged and found the missing bonds."

"The mark on your arm below the elbow."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Church's Legislative Bodies.

The church of England has two legislative bodies, called convocations, which attend to ecclesiastical matters. Each convocation, that of York and that of Canterbury, contains two houses. The upper house is composed of bishops and other dignitaries, and the lower house is made up of deans, archdeacons and delegates, who are elected whenever a new parliament is chosen.

In Common Things.

A man must invest himself near at hand and in common things, and be content with a steady and moderate return; if he would know the blessedness of a cheerful heart and the sweetness of a walk over the round earth.—John Burroughs.

Seeing Within

By CORONA REMINGTON

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Pauline Bainbridge looked up from the magazine she was reading into the eyes of Doctor Wheeling.

"I just walked in," said the young man, smiling.

"I see you did," replied the girl as she rose and extended her hand which he held a moment as though in meditation. Pauline tried to cover her embarrassment with flippancy.

"Jack, don't be so—touching," she smiled.

"Can't help it," he answered, "but I didn't come here this time to propose. I have something else serious on hand."

"What is it?" asked the girl, her manner changing at once.

"I have a pitiful case down on Oak street—a dear, little, old lady, who's pretty bad off and I can't get a nurse for her anywhere. Her husband does his best but he's so awkward and clumsy that he's worse than nothing. Couldn't you come and help us through the night? I know it's a whole lot to ask, but, somehow, I always think of turning to you first when I'm in trouble."

"Why, I'd love to go if mother'll let me," Pauline declared.

"Good! I knew you'd do it," he said warmly. "Leave your mother to me; I'll manage her—only wish you were as easily managed," he ended rather bitterly.

"Jack, please don't let's talk about this any more. I can't help it; marriage simply doesn't appeal to me—that's all."

A few minutes later the two were in the doctor's little red car headed for the patient's home on Oak street.

"Tell me all about it," asked Pauline, "and what I am to do."

"She's just a sweet, patient, little old lady who hasn't long to live."

"Dying!" said Pauline blankly, her face turning white.

"I'm afraid so. I was hoping she'd last a little longer, but she's been sinking all day though still conscious."

When they reached the house and cautiously approached the patient's room tears rushed into Pauline's eyes

between a man and his wife—and each year it grows bigger and greater and more magnificent," he ended brokenly.

"But think what it's meant to you to have it all this time," she said tenderly, caressing the stooped form. "And you won't be separated so very long," she ended consolingly.

"No, I am sure of that. A thing like that must go on forever. It would be impossible to extinguish it."

When Mr. Williams had at last eaten the egg, the two went back into the sick room and took up the watch. The patient was sleeping quietly. The doctor rose and softly tiptoed out of the room, beckoning to Pauline.

"She's resting more normally than she has in a week—I wouldn't be surprised if she rallied and lasted quite a while yet, though, of course, she'll never be well."

"Is it possible?" said the girl, her voice trembling.

When at last the night was over and the two took their leave in the gray of the morning Doctor Wheeling felt justified in giving the devoted old man a crumb of encouragement as he gripped his hand.

"Shall we take a little spin into the country?" Wheeling asked the girl a minute later as he turned and stepped into the car.

"Please do," she begged.

"This is a wonderful time of day, when life is waking up," he said cheerfully, but Pauline was silent and unresponsive during the whole of the trip.

"What's the trouble, girl?" he asked after a bit as he slipped a hand over hers.

"I was just thinking what a really wonderful thing married love is when you know it intimately," she answered simply.

"Do you mean it?" he asked, stopping the car abruptly.

"Yes," she replied as she wept out her pent-up feelings on the doctor's protecting shoulder.

DERIVATION OF CURRENT COIN

Word "Money" Easily Traced to Ancient Rome—Dollar of America Undoubtedly of German Origin.

The word money was derived from Moneta, one of the surnames of Juno; in whose temple the Romans first made coins. The word mint is supposed to be a contraction of the word Moneta through the Anglo-Saxon "mynet."

When we read that sterling has fallen in exchange value, who knows the origin of the term? Yet it is traced to the inhabitants of the Hansa towns known as Esterlings, who were invited by King John of England to come to England and reform the currency, which had become very corrupt. From that date good English money was known as sterling.

The shilling is from the Anglo-Saxon scilling, meaning a twentieth, so it takes twenty shillings to make a pound. The English farthing meant the fourth of a penny and was actually broken from a penny in olden days, when the pennies were indented with a full cross so heavily that they could be snapped into four. This was a solution of making change, as the primitives understood it.

The franc is only another way of spelling the silver coin of the Franks and has no indication of value. Our own dollar has a German origin, having been the thaler, or more fully Joachim's thaler, the silver coin struck out of the silver found in the thal or valley of St. Joachim, France. This was extremely pure and being coined into ounces gave the real basis of the silver dollar, which weighs an ounce.

Few stop to consider what a cent is. It meant a hundredth, the French word for hundred, and is the appropriate name for the coin, which is one-hundredth of a dollar. The quarter is easy, for it is one-fourth of the dollar. The nickel is so called because of the metal from which it is made, and the dime is a tenth, from the old French disme, traced to the Latin denem, ten.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Abyssinian Funeral Custom.

An Abyssinian funeral is a very singular affair. When a new-born infant dies it is almost immediately buried under the floor. After the demise of an adult, the body is washed in water sweetened with honey, wrapped in a shroud, sewed up in a mat of braided straw, and laid upon a litter made of boughs cut from trees.

The lamentations of the relatives resound among the cliffs, and the news is rapidly communicated to all the people of the neighborhood, who at once set out to condole with the mourners.

As soon as they catch sight of the funeral procession they begin to weep and cry aloud. When they join it, the men range themselves on one side of the bier, the women on the other, and chant. When the religious ceremony is over, the corpse is buried in the churchyard.

Antiquity of the Smiths.

In the United States the Smiths number about a million. It has been discovered that there was a man named Smith living in Egypt in B. C. 227, and there may have been even earlier Smiths. The Smiths (remarks a writer) have always shown themselves more clanish in the United States than in other countries. They once organized a banquet at which the guests were Smiths to a man, and the president was Captain Smith, the governor of Virginia. The cooks were Smiths, the waiters also, and a Smith said grace. An ode was specially composed for the occasion by a poet Smith, and this was issued in book form by a publisher named Smith.



On His Knees Beside the Bed.

as she saw the bent and worn-out frame of an old man huddled in pathetic despair on his knees by the bedside.

"Martha," he sobbed, "if there were only some way I could tell you what it's meant to me to have you all these years. You've been my life, my very life; my companion through thick and thin, through good luck and bad—always my cheering companion and helpmate."

The tired, withered, little hand of the woman feebly attempted to stroke the white head beside her.

"And you," she said weakly, "you've been my wonderful lover and husband through all these years. Our bodies may be nearly worn-out, but nothing else has changed."

They both remained silent and the doctor and the girl slipped into the room.

"Ah, that's good of you to come back," said the old man, rising.

"And I brought a real helper, a veritable angel of mercy with me," smiled the doctor as he introduced Pauline, who went over and impulsively kissed the old man.

"I'm just going to call you Papa Williams," she said as she moved toward the bed and started smoothing things out.

"Doesn't that feel better?" she asked as Mrs. Williams smiled wanly up at her.

"Yes," she answered gratefully, "but my husband—my husband must be made to eat something."

Pauline hurried into the kitchen and prepared two poached eggs on toast, then coaxed the old man to come in with her and eat while the doctor watched over the patient.

"Now, Papa Williams, you'll just have to eat something, because I'm hungry and I can't eat without you," she begged.

"Child, you don't know what it is, what a wonderful thing it is—this love

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Specie	1,179.75
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	450.00
TOTAL	47,043.28

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State of Texas, I, Wm. Green, County of Lynn, as President, and J. R. Houston, Ass't. Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Wm. GREEN, President,
J. R. HOUSTON, Ass't. Cashier.
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Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Lynn in the District Court of Terry Co., Texas, F. E. Walters, plaintiff Vs B. Tidwell, defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of a certain alias execution issued out of the District Court of Terry county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1919, in favor of F. E. Walters and against the said B. Tidwell, No. 627, on the docket of said court, I did on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1920, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M. levy upon the following described tracts or parcels of land situated in Lynn county, Texas, and belonging to the said B. Tidwell as follows, to-wit: All of Lots No. 5, 6 and 7, in Block No. 73, as shown by the map or plat of the original town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, and on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1920, the same being the first Tuesday of said month, between the legal hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. on said day at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said B. Tidwell in and to said land.

Dated at Tahoka, Texas, this 5th day of July, A. D. 1920.
S. W. SANFORD,
444t Sheriff Lynn county, Texas.

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My stock of General Merchandise goods is for sale at Grassland. Will sell right. Address J. C. Walker, Post, Texas, Route A. for particulars. 43tc

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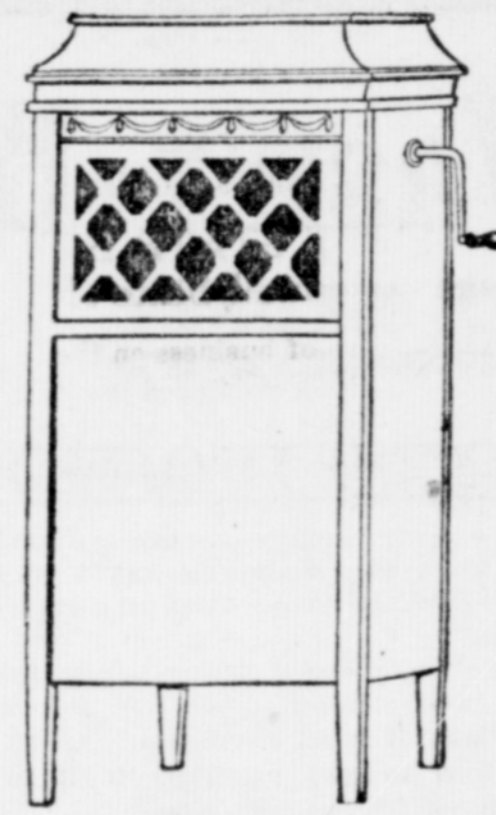


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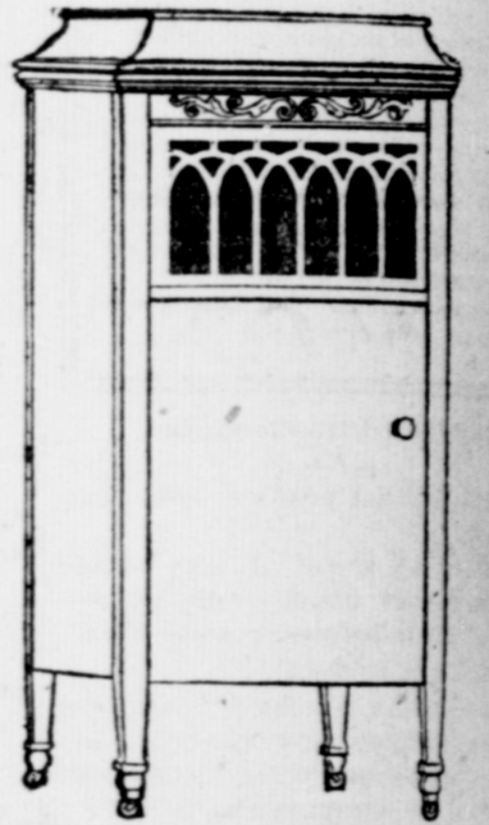
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A CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF
THE GUARANTY STATE BANK
of Tahoka, Texas

AS MADE TO THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE AND BANKING AT THE
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Tahoka, Texas

To the Voters of Commissioners' Prec. No. 2
Both Ladies and Gentlemen:
As it is impossible to see each one individually, I take this means of addressing you. As you know I am making the race for Co. Commissioner, and I promise that if elected to do all in my power to advance the interests of the county at large. I am not narrow minded enough to want only my community benefitted, but we all know that a county is only as good as its county seat; so all I can do for Tahoka will be to my interest. I stand for good roads, and will endeavor to see that we have them. There was once a time when a "cow trail" was all we needed, but that day is past; conditions now demand good roads. A number of our farmers in the east part of the county have been forced to patronize Post. Any patriotic citizen wants to see his home town build up, as you know we are dependant one another. Don't infer that I am knocking on our present officials, for they are my friends. They did the best they could under the circumstances. A report has been circulated that I have knocked on Tahoka. I'll admit that in days past, I may have said things that has left that impression at the time. It like all other counties were doing more for its citizens than ours. The parties who are responsible for the report made the same statement that I did. So, let's "bury the hatchett", and all pull together for a better town for our posterity. I promise you to give a good portion of my time to the office if elected.
J. F. ARMSTRONG.

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The First National Bank
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CAPITAL & SURPLUS \$75,000.00

A. L. LOCKWOOD, President W. B. SLATON, Cashier
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Notice of Bond Election
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the courthouse in the town of Tahoka, within the Tahoka Independent School District, on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1920, to determine if the bonds of said district shall be issued to the amount of \$30,000.00, payable forty years after date, with option of redemption any time after twenty years, and bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of brick and tile material within said district; and, for the purpose of constructing an addition of brick and tile material to the Tahoka School Building, which building is now constructed of brick material, also for the purpose of equipping the present Tahoka School Building, and the addition to be added thereto, and if there shall be annually levied, assessed and collected on all of the taxable property in said district for the current year, and annually thereafter while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund to pay the principal at maturity.

We present Judge William Pierson of Hunt County for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Adv. 1tp

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Henry Vinson has been appointed manager of said election which shall be held as nearly as possible in conformity with the general election laws of the State.
No person shall vote at said election unless he be a qualified voter under the Constitution and laws of the State, and a tax payer in said Tahoka Independent School District.

Those in favor of the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax shall write or print on their ballots "FOR THE TAX" and those against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax shall write or print on their ballots, "AGAINST THE TAX."
Said election was ordered by the board of trustees of said Tahoka Independent School District by order passed on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1920 and this notice is issued pursuant to said order.
Dated this 30th day of June, A. D. 1920.
J. E. STOKES,
President of the Board of Trustees of said District.
[ATTEST]
H. M. LARKIN,
Secretary Board of Trustees of said District. 434

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