First Period Contest Closes on March 8

There are only a few more days until the close of the first period of paign . . . only a few more days in ico Fire Department this week invi which the candidates may secure subscriptions which will earn them well to meet with subscriptions which will earn them Monday night of next week, at the the most votes toward one of the

p. m., Friday, March 8th. Again we wish to remind the candidates that tion. immediately after the close of the department was willing at any time first period there will be a decided reduction in the number of votes insisted that "some things need to sponsored by the Farwell F. F. A., each subscription will earn. This be done" to improve the facilities 4-H, and F. H. T. classes, which will reduction, which is about a twenty on the Farwell side. He insists that be held at the home ec-ag building per cent drop in votes, proves to the all interested parties in Farwell at candidate the necessity of working tend this meeting. extra hard to secure the most subscriptions possible before the end of the first period.

Invariably after a campaign of this kind some candidate will say, "If I had only worked harder when

but, given the same opportunity week. again, they would still very likely be. Officials stated today that the project and have records up to date a prize. It is the WORKERS, not week. No new petit jury has been place by 10:30 a. m. and remain Farwell Oil Station Determine now to be a good WIN- will be used throughout the session NER by being a good WORKER.

ATCHLEY SALE TUESDAY

ginning at 10 a. m.

Twenty-five cows and calves, all of which are from good milk stock Charles Lovelace Is and in good flesh, will be offered to the highest bidder, as well as 14 feeder pigs and shoats, along with some farm implements, and 20 chickens. Lunch will be served at noon and the sale will be conducted by Francis as clerk.

Grand Jury Dismissed;

receive the report.

Only one indictment was returned ips 66 agent. by the jurymen.

number of alleged violations were in his own words: investigated.

TWO-FOR-ONE SALE

For a better class of job Printing greatly appreciated. Phone 2131.

INVITES CITIZENS TO MEET

Fire Chief Ira Sellman of the Texfire station, with the view of work-The first period will close at 9:00 ing out plans that will insure the people of Farwell better fire protec-

Mr. Sellman said that the Texico

District Court Will Convent Thursday

subscriptions earned the most votes"; The special February term of the poultry and sheep of various breeds, "If I had only started working soon- Parmer county ristrict court, which according to sponsors T. A McCuiser"; "If, If, If-I would have won has been in recess since last week, is tion and County Agent Jason O. scheduled to convene here again on Gordon. IF they had done as they sugges- Thursday of this week and will likely ted, they would have won the prize, be in session the remainder of the entrant must be a member of the

an "iffer" or a "wisher." Everyone court session would be extended over of Feb. 1, 1940, with exception that knows that wishing alone can never till next week with a number of cas- he may also exhibit one entry other get one anything or win any kind of es being docketed for the first of the than his own; all entries must be in the WISHERS, who get the things called and court attaches were of the there until 4:00 p. m. they want and who win the prizes, opinion that the jury used last week

District Judge James W. Witherspoon announced at the opening of Milton Tatum Aspires the special session here on Feb. 19 that the session would of necessity Cecil Atchley is staging a public have to be in "broken doses" since farm sale at his farm 11/2 miles west his services are being required at

ized to announce the candidacy of therspoon of Hereford, who has been Edw. Kersten, assisted by O. W. Charles Lovelace, of Farwell, as a elevated to the judgeship of this discandidate for the office of county trict also by appointment of the Goand district clerk of Parmer county, subject to the will of the voters at date to continue in the office he has One Indictment Found the forthcoming Democratic prima- held only a few weeks, Mr. Tatum

The Parmer County Grand Jury, Mr. Lovelace is a son of Mr. and To The People of Parmer County: which was convened with the open- Mrs. T. E. Lovelace, who live on a ing of the special term of the Parmer farm a short distance southeast of as a candidate for the Democratic county district court on February this city. He has been a resident of nomination to the office of District 19, made its final report on Monday Parmer county for more than 20 Attorney for the 69th Judicial Disand was dismissed by District Judge years, or "practically all my life," as trict. I was born and reared in Dal-James W. Witherspoon, who made a he would say. For the past several hart, and received my college and special trip here from Hereford to months he has been associated with D. W. Bagley, local wholesale Phill-

In presenting himself as a candi-While the deliberations of the date for this high office, Mr. Lovegrand jury are strictly secret, it is lace pledges his "very best efforts in understood that a number of witness- administering the duties of the ofes were called for questioning and a fice." Following is his announcement

In announcing my candidacy for the office of County and District Clerk, I ask your consideration of my qualifications for the position. Claude Rose of the Fox Drug store, Parmer county has been my home this week announces another of since 1920, and I therefore, feel a those popular 2-for-1 Nyal sales very deep interest in the affairs and The sale will open on Friday of this progress of the county. I have never week and continue throughout all sought political office before. If elecnext week. During this period, all ted, I pledge to the citizens of the Nyal items will be sold at two-for- county my very best efforts in administering the duties of the office.

Your support and influence will be

CHARLES LOVELACE

Of Interest to Farmers

By Garlon A. Harper, Sec'y Parmer County AAA

Of course there is no obligation in- fice immediately.

It is also important to report any next few weeks. later than March 31, 1940.

Range worksheets should be filed be made in making these applicanow and practices which the ranch tions.

Again we should like to call your operator intends to perform should than my opponents, I hope you will lor this year, which will mean a attention to the fact that in order be approved. All such range building not deny me your support on this great saving of time to the office to make a farm eligible for a pay- practices must be approved by the ground, as I feel that I have had force as well as the applicant. ment in 1940 a worksheet must be county committee before being car- proper training and sufficient exper- Since all cars and trucks in Texas signed to cover the farm. This is re- ried out. All ranch operators who in- ience to discharge all of the duties are taxed according to weight, the quired by regulations and must be tend to perform any range building of the office. strictly adhered to by all farmers practices should contact either B. P | As I shall be compelled to devote vels, regardless of the age or condiwho expect to draw payment in 1940. Abbott of Bovina, or the county of the greater portion of the time be- tion of the machine. Under the law,

curred by signing a worksheet. It At this time we have a large per- the duties of my office, it may be county of residence of the owner. simply makes the farm eligible for centage of 1939 conservation pay- impossible for me to see each of you payment and allows the county office ments. Most of the checks which in person, but I shall endeavor to to keep record of farming operations have not been received are those on contact as many of you as possible. on the farm for future references in farms which show the Capitol Free- I will appreciate your support in establishment of normal yields and hold Land Trust as owner. These the Primary, and the opportunity Company, this week announced that checks should be received within the to demonstrate to you that I can and he had leased the lot on Main street

change in the land covered by a Any farmer who has wheat plant- attorney if honored with the nomi- and would convert it into a used car worksheet which is different from ed and has not had a reporter nation. It will be my purpose to de- lot. Workmen have already begun that covered by the worksheet for measure this wheat should report it vote my time and efforts in assisting clearing away the debris as the first 1939. Most farmers have already re- to this office at the earliest possible to enforce the laws earnestly and move in making it an attractive ported this where such a change is time. We expect to be able to make impartially. being made. All such combinations application for wheat parity payment | Assuring you that I shall feel be leveled off and fenced, after or divisions must be reported not very soon and all farms should be grateful for your support and influ- which it would be given a heavy coat measured in order that no delay will ence, I am

Respectiumy,

County Livestock Show Dates Fixed BANQUET IS HUGE SUCCESS

ted "all interested parties" of Farwell to meet with the fire boys or

Leaflets were out this week giving Wind Carries Tank to respond to calls in Farwell, but complete details of a project show Five Miles on Saturday, March 2nd.

The show will open at 10 o'clock in the morning, with the boys and girls combining efforts to make this initial display something to be complimented by the general public.

In the F. F. A.-4-H division, the exhibits will consist of livestock,

To be eligible in this division, the Farwell ag or 4-H group; must own

Jack Dunn, Farwell junior, will (Continued on Last Page)

of Lariat on Tuesday, March 4th, be- other place in the district in court torney, who recently was appointed to the country of district attorney of the 69th judicial said that entrance was gained by Agent Jason O. Gordon, County exhibitor in any division, the judges district attorney of the ostil judicial breaking the lock from the front district of Texas by Governor W. Lee door, and eleven barrels of oil and O'Daniel, this week enters the race of the loading the lock from the lock from the loading the lock from the lock from the loading the lock from t for the nomination to succeed him- grease were loaded from the loading Assistant Agent Garlon A. Harper. champion award will be given an in-Candidate for Clerk self at the July democratic primary

This week The Tribune is author- attorney to succeed James W. Wi-

On presenting himself as a candimakes the following statement:

This is my formal announcement



legal education within the State of month of March before they could Texas. Since receiving my law de- legally attach the new 1940 Texas gree and license, I have, previous to tags. my appointment as your present dis- Attaches at the collector's office trict attorney, been engaged in the urged applicants for new license private practice of law in Dalhart. plates to bring their 1939 license re-While I may be somewhat younger ceipts with them when buying tags

MILTON TATUM.

Ed Muckelroy lost possession of a perfectly good iron stock tank last week by two successive high winds.

First one windstorm swept the Muckelroy farm and carried the tank a distance of three miles to the east, where it lodged against a neighbor's barn.

The following day the wind whipped to the north and the tank took another journey southward, a distance of two miles, where it landed in Perry Owen's apple orchard.

Gliding over an unchartered course, the tank rolled over prairie land and cultivated fields and leaped at least a dozen fences with apparent ease.

The wholesale warehouse of the Phillips 66 station in Farwell was To Succeed Himself entered by thieves on Monday night, and J. Lynn Mauk, district field re- by twelve o'clock Friday will not be and oil, valued at around \$400, was presentative, talked on administra- judged, and entry cards will be can-Milton Tatum, young Dalhart at- hauled off in a heavy truck.

lubrication oil and one barrel of gear thing of its kind that has been staged second place winner will receive the Mr. Tatum was appointed district grease as missing. In addition to the locally in recent years. Sponsors of award, but not the ranking or the oil, four heavy wrenches and three the event were highly complimented ribbon. measuring cans were taken.

> The thieves evidently knew just what they were after, Deputy Wilkison declared, stating that only me- Muckelroy Buys Fardium weight oils were taken. Barrels containing the heavier and lighter grades were rolled aside and left in the building.

that the truck used in hauling the brick building on Main street in oil away must have been extra large Farwell, known as the old Chevrolet. and opined that it might have been garage building, which is being oca moving van.

Officers were without clues to work Mr. Muckelroy stated that he had on the case, but Sheriff Earl Booth purchased the business property as began work early Tuesday morning an investment. He said that he planin an effort to pick up the trail of ned to make needed repairs on the the intruders.

Sale of License Tags

license tags will go on sale at the de- remain the the rear of the building puty tax collector's office on March with his garage. 1st, which is Friday of this week, it was officially announced here today. M. C. Roberts of the Roberts Seed

Deputy Collector J. C. Wilkison company. said that drivers who are operating Texas licensed cars may purchase the 1940 license plates any time dur- Phone 2131. ing the month of March and put them on immediately.

This does not apply, however, to cars now in operation in this state that are bearing out-of-state plates, Wilkison added, and went on to explain that cars of the latter class would have to buy 1939 tags for the

license fees remain on the same letween now and the July primary to all plates must be purchased in the

NEW USED CAR LOT

O. C. Sikes of the Sikes Motor will make you a competent district known as the old Dycus property place. Mr. Sikes said the lot would

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ness men of Parmer and adjoining county, the past week. counties met around a panquet table been held the first Friday and Satur-

county, under the direction of Miss Clovis exhibit. Ruth Boyd, county home demonstra- Due to lack of space at the exhibit

Glenn introduced the speakers of the no men's division being slated.

the farmer's income in Texas since boundaries.

a part. He admitted that the present division, and the fat-calf division. farm program "may have its defects" | One of the cardinal rules of the Suffers Heavy Loss opportunity all the farmers of the lows: "All entries must be in place common cause."

supervisor, discussed crop insurance, veals that any entry not in the barn

for its success in every way.

Ed Muckelroy announced this Mr. Bagley gave it as his opinion week that he had purchased the cupied by Karl Cast at the present.

first class condition as a business lo- lbs. or more)

He was not prepared to state de-Begins on March 1st finitely who would occupy the building, but indicated that he had a The 1940 automobile and truck number of prospects. Mr. Gast will

The property form-r'y belonged to

For a better class of job Printing

The sixth annual Parmer County March 15th and 16th of this year. at the bus barn in Friona, it was announced today, following a meet-More than 200 farmers and busi- ing of interested men from over the

Tuesday night to hear high ranking day in March, in order that all local Saturday, This Week State AAA officials discuss the various aspects of the national farm tion in Amarillo. However, it has program. The affair was held in the been noted that more and more local auditorium of the Farwell school. owners are showing in Clovis and The banquet was served by the Lubbock, and the Parmer show has home demonstration ladies of the been set just one week before the

building, which for the past two Glenn Dunn of Lazbuddy, vice pre- years has ben more than filled to sident of the county committee, act- overflowing by the number of anied as toastmaster in the absence of mals on hand, the show this year is John Armstrong, who was ill. Mr confined strictly to junior beys, with

Any boy who is a member of a 4-H E. N. Holmgreen, administrative club, or a F. F. A. member (or both) officer in charge of the State AAA in any school in Parmer county, program, discussed the relation of is eligible to exhibit at the show, althe state office to the local AAA, and though it is not necessary that the observed the enormous increase in boys actually live within the county

Personal ownership of all animals C. H. Day, senior field officer, being exhibited is required. Each spoke on the AAA and business, in contestant is allowed only one entry which he stressed the importance of per class, although he may enter as a continuance of a farm program in many classes as desired, with excepwhich every farmer in the nation has tions on the litter class in the swine

but observed that "this is the first show, concerning entry, reads as folnation have had to unite in one by 12 noon Friday, March 15th, and remain in place until 4 p. m., Satur-E. R. Duke, State crop insurance day, March 16th." Elaboration recelled.

The banquet was by far the biggest dividual, in case of duplication, the

Judges for the show are Sam T. Logan, county agent of Bailey county, and J. W. McDermott, Farm Security Administrator at Bailey counwell Business House ty, it was learned today from County Agent Jason O. Gordon.

Following are the classes of exhibits for the show:

Swine Division

Class 1-Fat Pig

Class 1a, Berkshire; 1b, Chester White and O. I. C.; 1c, Duroc-Jersey; 1d. Hampshire; 1e. Poland-China; 1f, Spotted Poland-

Class 2-Fat Litter (must have 5 building at once and put it up in or more pigs in litter, averaging 160

Class 2a, Berkshire; 2b, Chester White and O. I. C.; 2c, Duroc-Jersey; 2d, Hampshire; 2e, Poland-China; 2f, Spotted Poland-China.

Class 3-Sow and Suckling Pigs Class 3a, Berkshire; 3b, Chester White and O. I. C.; 3c, Durce-Jersey; 3d, Hampshire; 3e, Poland-China; 3f, Spotted Poland-

China. Class 4—Open Gilt (any age, 160 (Continued on last page)

ENROLLED - WORKERS

-IN THE-

STATE LINE TRIBUNE'S SUBSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN

Due to the fact that the Campaign Manager was ill with the flu, it has been impossible to keep the listings in the local store windows up to date during the past

sumed at an early date. This week finds several changes in the order of lineup as well as more withdrawals. At least half of those remaining in the campaign will be premium winners. YOU have a fifty-fifty chance to win. The four candidates with the gumption to work harder than the others

week. However, the tri-weekly changes again will be re-

are going to be the winners. ONLY A FEW DAYS MORE LEFT IN

The Honorable Uncle Lancy

By ETHEL HUESTON

THE STORY THUS FAR

Left orphans by a tragic automobile accident which claimed the lives of their mother and father, three sisters, Helen, Adele and "Limpy," are visited by their Aunt Olympia, politically minded wife of Senator Alencon Delaporte Slopshire. Aunt Olympia, politically minded wife of Senator Alencon Delaporte Slopshire. She insists that the girls return with her to Washington, to make their home with them. In addition to loving the girls, Aunt Olympia knows they will be a terrific political asset. Senator Slopshire has as his political opponent one Brother Wilkie, a minister, whose political campaign is furthered by seven "unspeakable brats" who sit on the rostrum with him while he makes speeches. Aunt Olympia and the Senator, kind and loving, nevertheless know that their three nieces will mean votes for the Senator. Senator Slopshire, a pleasantly foggy individual who depends on the astuteness of his wife, prepares for their coming. Though Limpy, the youngest, is 16, and Helen, the oldest, is 21, the Senator buys them all the toys and gifts he can find, feeling that "children" should be occupied. When they first meet their "Uncle Lancy," as he is to be known, the girls take him to their united bosom. Soon Adele, most beautiful of the sisters, meets Len Hardesty, publicity man for Brother Wilkie. Though it is Len's job to help defeat the Senator, he promptly falls in love with Adele.

CHAPTER IV-Continued

O Bobbs-Merrill Co.

The Senator coughed deprecatingly. "She's joking, Adele. This is preelection stuff. Before election day, she'll be telling me, with forceful, if inelegant, expletives, that if I ever run for anything again she'll divorce, and probably de-neck, me. This is before-the-campaign stuff."
"My very words," said Aunt

"I forgot my quotes," admitted Uncle Lancy.

Olympia complacently.

"What a cocky little fool I was, Brick," Helen wrote home to Iowa, "to think I could learn this racket in one year. Aunt Olympia's been in it right from the cradle-or at least from the marriage altar-and she says it's still so much haywire to her. It seems to be mostly luck and 'getting the breaks,' and of the Opposition gets hold of it. Aunt Olympia says if she didn't watch every breath the Senator draws, he'd get himself impeached before breakfast. But I am learning a little, I

"There's one thing I've learned, and this is important. We've got to get over that provincial feeling that political opponents are social lepers, to be snubbed and ostracised and passed by on the other side. Aunt Olympia says it is a sign of superiority to hobnob with the Opposition -except at the polls, of course. She says it is only little fry who carry political animosities further than the Congressional Record. And I must say, she lives up to her philosophy. I've met quite a number of Republican wives and they are very nice to me and ask me to their meetings and teas, and Aunt Olympia encourages me to go. Sometimes she goes with me.

"Really, Brick, they are amazing, Uncle Lancy and she. Take Len Hardesty for instance. He is here half the time, mooning over Adele mostly, but always showing up at the dinner table and the cocktail tray.

And last week who should breeze in unexpectedly but Brother Wilkie, the Governor, running against Uncle Lancy. He 'phoned and Auntie asked him to dinner and he came. They were lovely to him and Aunt Olympia asked him to ask the blessing."

Aunt Olympia was far deeper in the campaign than either the girls or the Senator realized. She spent two hours every morning carefully conning the important dailies from home and making notes of things to be attended to; cards of congratulations from herself and the Senator to everyone having babies or getting married; condolences for illness and death; approval of the activities of clubs and church organizations, with pertinent suggestions and offering co-operation; and she painstakingly, with well-concealed bitterness, received every constituent who happened to be in Washington and telephoned or called.

By the first of April Olympia had completed plans for the campaign entourage; deciding on a motor trailer to insure the domesticity of the family, with beds, kitchen and cozy dinette.

"We won't have to eat there much," she assured the girls kindly. "Just enough to get good photos of how domestic and homey we are, with you girls tripping prettily around at your work. We'll have Hilda send us a crate of cooked food

"Doesn't she campaign with us?" "Oh, no! Except in the Scandinavian districts, where she sits at the table with us . . . Not in the rest of the state. The average voter thinks if a Senator can afford a maid he's getting too much money."

There would be a sound truck for the Senator's speeches and in addition to their own big car, a couple of secondhand Fords for the staff, visiting reporters, et al. She fretted a good deal over the sound truck, having ideas of her own on that important matter. It must have microphones both inside and on the driver's seat: on the driver's seat to show the Senator off in good weather and inside "for rain; the Senator catches cold if he gets wet."

After consulting and personally inspecting every make of trailer decided to buy-from some home dealer, of course-old, run-down, antiquated cars that could be rebuilt.

hoods; like Uncle Joe Cannon, with streamers."

silk underwear under his homey

homespun. We'll have them rebuilt

from the tires up-on the inside.

Fortunately, the works don't show."

Aunt Olympia knew her Congressional Record better than her "Alice in Wonderland." She went straight back to the campaign.

She sent up to Maysville, her home town and the state capital, for a motor dealer and had him come to Washington-at the Senator's expense-to get her ideas. She had drawn rough drafts of what she desired, both in trailer and trunk, but the expert did not comprehend them readily.

"Why, it's as simple as a-a logarithm," she said irritably. "For the sound truck we want a secondhand, run-down delivery wagon, an enclosed one, of course. Put in the best works you can get hold of. course, seizing Opportunity before Get a good sound man to wire it, with miles on the driver's seat as well as inside. Build cabinets of shelves and drawers along the inside to put papers and books in. And leave room for a good easy chair for the Senator, because his feet swell before the end of the cam-



The Senator coughed deprecatingly. "She's joking, my dear,"

paign. And put in long narrow windows on each side for ventilation. Isn't that simple enough?'

"What color you want this paint-

"I don't want it painted," she said exasperatedly. "No paint! I want rust and mud and scratches and dents, but no paint. If it's painted when you get it, you set fire to it or soak it in acid. Is that

The month of April she devoted pretty largely to planning the girls' campaign wardrobes. On these, she spared neither time, talent nor expense. She had the best dressmakers and designers in Washington at work. There were graceful, girlish dresses for afternoon and for dinner; there were sport clothes, bathing suits, riding costumes; there were fetching little costumes of finest gingham for their dainty housework about the trailer. Aunt Olympia persistently referred to these as their "cottons."

"Why cotton, Auntie?" demanded Limpy. "We don't raise cotton up there, do we?"

"No, darling," said Aunt Olympia, beaming approval for her acumen. "We don't raise cotton, but we have nineteen large cotton mills and they employ at least ten thousand constituents."

Although all their dresses were what Aunt Olympia called "votegetters" to the last ribbon and the smallest button, she reserved her most passionate interest for what she called their "wind-up ensembles. The Senator winds up with a huge rally. That's the big night. You catch a lot of voters-floaters, they are-if you handle the wind-up right. Your wind-up costumes are to be chef d'oeuvres; absolutely chef

and sound truck on the market, she d'oeuvres," Limpy assured her sis- It's dead wrong and you know it." "Not even Aunt Olympia would expect them to eat us."

"I wouldn't trust Len Hardesty," "The shabbier the better—on the said Aunt Olympia. "Not if Adele outside," she explained to the girls. looks as well as I expect . . . Let | the campaign. You know those pub-"To take some of the gravel off that me see, that will be the first week licity gangsters better than we do." New cars look royal- of November. Fall dresses. Felt But don't worry. We'll hats. Wide, sweeping black for Hel- pared for anything, was genuinely member the life I'm going to lead have the best and most modern en- en with little white doodads. Droopy surprised. gines installed under the rusty white for Limpy with long black

"I suppose I'm to go bareheaded," said Adele.

"No, no, darling! Not quite. Teeny black and white something or other, with a bit of a veil and my only regret is that Len Hardesty won't be there to see it. He'd strangle the brats with his bare hands."

Helen did not follow the preliminary campaign activities as closely as her sisters. Studying the political racket kept her fairly busy. She read the Congressional Record conscientiously, if boredly. She spent hours visiting the Senator's committees and trying to make heads and tails of things which didn't make sense to an average intelligence like hers. She hung over the gallery of the House as if she had become a fixture there.

Aunt Olympia at last reached a stage of her preparations where she felt impelled to ask the Senator's

"Del, how about a publicity man

for our campaign?" "Why, we're going to have Dave Cooper. He's the best we can get, since Len's tied up. I've already spoken to him about it. He's working on it now."

"Yes, of course, for you," she said significantly. "But how about the girls here?"

The Senator wisely said nothing, but the girls rose to it.

"For us!" "We've had enough publicity to

last us a lifetime!" "Heavens, Auntie, do we rate a publicity man?"

"Oh, he'll only be an assistant to Dave Cooper, but we'll need someone to handle our end of it. Dave'll be pretty busy . . . We need someone more sentimental. For sob stuff. Heart interest. Human appeal. Let me see-um-ah! Del-what would you think of-well, what would you think of-say-someone like-Cecil Dodd?"

The Senator came to with a snap. "Cecil Dodd! . . . Cecil Dodd, my dear!" The Senator put on an extra pair of glasses to regard her more severely. "Why, Ollie, Cecil Dodd doesn't know the first thing about politics! He'd never get to get to bat. He's never been in a campaign in his life. Cecil Doddwell, Cecil Dodd is what I call a sofa-sitter. But I've heard it expressed more forcibly and perhaps with more truth."

"Oh, he's not so dumb," Olympia rose to the argument. "He's chockfull of human appeal; full of adjectives; why, he knows adjectives I've never even heard of! He's the loudest exponent of youth and beauty in Washington. Do you remember those articles he wrote when Sissy Graves was killed in an airplane accident? A dozen people were killed-and some of them important -but he wrote about Sissy with so much heart appeal that everybody forgot all about the rest of them and made it her exclusive fatality. know it brought tears to my eyes.'

"I don't go in for tears in a campaign," he said, more on the defensive than the girls had ever seen him. "There isn't going to be anything milksop about this campaign.

It's going to be muddy." "He's a fine dancer; he rides horseback and plays tennis and golf and has taken prizes for swimming and diving. Del, try to forget your personal, political aspirations for once in your life, and think of these poor dear children! Don't you want them to have any amusement? Do you expect them to listen to you make speeches and shake hands for six months with no exercise, no fresh air and no-no young companionship?"

This put a different light on the matter. The Senator took off both pairs of glasses and set to wiping one. "That's so," he assented. "I didn't mean to be selfish, my dear. The children come first, of course But I don't suppose we can

get him. I don't think he could tear himself away from the sofas long enough."

"We can get him," said Olympia. "I've already spoken to him-just tentatively, you understand; asking why he didn't get into the political end of it and he said he wanted to but never got the breaks. We can get him." A happy smile rosied her face. "Wait till Len Hardesty hears

Len Hardesty was not long hearing it. He dropped in on them the

"Had to fly down," he said cheerfully. "Got to fly back, too. The Governor's going tightwad on me.' "I'm glad you came, Len," said Olympia heartily, almost fondly. "I want to ask your advice about some-

A guarded expression settled over his face. "Oh, you do eh? Then you're up to something I'm against." He braced himself to re-"It can't be the same as hors ceive it. "All right. Let's have it.

Olympia laughed happily. "Oh, it's really nothing or I shouldn't be tail. It's about a publicity man for | you've settled my doubts."

cluck, aren't you having Dave Coop- !

er? if you're not, you'd better get him and get him quick. He's tops."

"Don't be silly, Len. Of course we're having him . . . For the Senator . . . But we've got to have an assistant. You see, there's going to be quite a cavalcade of us-what with the trailer and the tent and the sound truck and three cars. We don't want anybody to work day and night for us. We're not like some candidates, who expect a poor publicity man to live, move and have his being with seven brats and a trumpeting beldame."

"I smell a rat," said Len Hardesty. "You never gave me an assistant."

"But we're a much larger party this year, you silly dunce . . . No, definitely, I am for you laboring classes and I will not have poor old Dave imposed on and worked to death, not even for the Senator. But we'll expect his assistant chiefly to handle our end of it, mine and the girls', when the Senator and Dave are off on their flying junkets and we're cooped up in the trailer. We'll need someone rather young and fairly presentable, don't you think? So he can be a sort of companion to the girls when they're dancing and riding and swimming? And you know yourself, Len, that fairly presentable publicity men are hard to get. I don't know that I've ever seen one."

"I'm sorry I spent the money to fly down," he said grimly. "If I'm to pick out a man for you, seems to me you ought to pay the bill out of your expense account."

"Unfortunately we haven't a percentage club, like the Governor," she disclaimed quickly. "Besides, darling, I don't expect you to pick him out.'

"That's what I was afraid of," he admitted gloomily. "Now let's get this straight, Ollie. You speak of your cavalcade of cars. What's it to be? A campaign for re-election, or a specially conducted young ladies' tour with a presentable es-

"The election comes first, of course. But after all, the Senator-Uncle Lancy—and I cannot overlook our responsibility to these poor dear children. We must provide for them as best we can, even in the exigencies of a campaign. Who would you suggest?"

"I wouldn't suggest anybody. I'd suggest putting the girls in jail till get rid of the Governor. They don't need an escort. Dave Cooper can handle them. True, he's no Don Juan! He's forty and fat and first base. In fact, he'd never even married and chews tobacco. But he can give you all the publicity you 21-25). need and more than you merit."

"I was thinking of someone likewell, how about Cecil Dodd?"

"Cecil Dodd! Lord, Ollie, if you upholster your trailer in purple duvetyn and silken cushions you'll elect the Governor! . . . Cecil Dodd! . . . Ollie, we've had our occasional differences but I've alshooting, shoulder-to-shoulder old me." trooper . . . Cecil Dodd! . . . Do you want to shatter a young man's fondest illusions? . . . Cecil



"Do you want to shatter a young man's fondest illusions?"

Dodd! You're not taking him to play politics. You're taking him to gum up my works."

"He writes very beautiful and touching articles, Len Hardesty, and you can't deny it . . . But I admit want him especially as a sort of a companion-a sort of chaperon for the girls . . . When they do their playing . . . I can't keep my mind on them every minute and run this campaign at the same time."

"No! So you salve your calloused conscience by giving them thisthis silk pajamaed pariah as a watchdog . . . Well, if that's what you're up to, you count Adele out. She can't go. I put my foot down on that. You can sick him onto your innocent Helen and trusting little Limpy if you like-if that's your idea of Christian duty to young orphans-but I've got King's X on Adele and she can't go."

"Well, I'm glad you approve," said Olympia beamingly. "Have a drink, Len? Your seal of approval relieves me a lot. I wasn't quite asking your advice. It's a mere de- sure about it in my own mind, but

"Aw, Ollie, be a sport! Give a fellow a break, won't you? Remember Len, who had thought he was pre- what pals we've always been! Rewith the brats and the trumpet "Publicity man! Why, you dumb yawning at me from every angle! (TO BE CONTINUED)

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CUNDAY CHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for March 3

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IN THE UPPER ROOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 26:17-30.
GOLDEN TEXT—This do in remembrance of me.—I Corinthians 11:24.

Men sometimes stand at the crossroads of destiny quite unaware of how much hinges upon their choices and actions. One wonders whether the disciples realized that as the Passover drew to its end and the great memorial feast of the new covenant was established, they were witnessing the end of the old and the beginning of the new. It is certain that Jesus did realize the high import of that hour. He knew He was about to go to the cross, toward which the Passover had pointed throughout the centuries and back to which cross we in the Lord's Supper continue to point as we remember His death until He comes.

We are indeed on holy ground as we go with Him then as He meets His disciples alone in that upper room for a time of fellowship with them as He observes

I. The Last Passover (vv. 17-20).

"Here we see the perfecting and the passing of the old economy and the beginning of the new. The Passover was observed, the feast of deliverance from slavery, the feast of the exodus, the feast of hope. Men had kept it fitfully through the long centuries, regularly at first and then occasionally through the age of decadence. The King sat down to keep it as one of the nation and the people. That was its last keeping in the economy of God, because all that it had foreshadowed was fulfilled as He sat at the board, and all that it had pointed to found the ultimate fulfillment in Him. He completed that of which the exodus had but been the preparation. The final exodus came by the way of that cross to which He was going" (Dr. G. Campbell Morgan).

II. The Betrayal Predicted (vv.

What precious fellowship the twelve and their Lord must have had around that table in the upper room as they celebrated the great feast of their people. Think what a shock came to them as in the midst of this fellowship Jesus quietly and solemnly made the astonishing prediction, "Verily, I say unto ways admired you as a straight you, that one of you shall betray

Their joy was changed to exceedingly great sorrow as they asked, "Lord, is it I?" Apparently Judas had maintained such outward conduct as to turn no suspicion in his direction, even though all along he had in his heart the blackest of treachery against his Lord. It is a sad and soul-searching fact which name, address, style, number and is here revealed, that it is possible for one to make a high profession of faith in Christ and even so to live as to give no cause for criticism, and yet to be unregenerate and in fact the enemy of Christ.

Observe (v. 24) that while Jesus was betrayed and went to the cross in fulfillment of prophecy, that fact did not in the slightest justify His enemies who brought it about (see Acts 2:23, R. V.).

III. The First Communion (vv. 26-

Taking the unleavened bread and the unfermented wine of the Passover, which had just been observed by Him for the last time, Jesus established a new feast, the Christian feast of remembrance, which we commonly call "communion" or 'the Lord's table."

As we have already suggested, it is a feast of remembrance. "For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup ye do show the Lord's death till He come" (I Cor. 11:26). At the Lord's table His followers find spiritual strength in remembering His death for them, and they also find joy as they remember that He is to come again. In doing so they testify to the world that they believe in and cherish these truths. This feast is also rightly called

'communion," for down through the ages and until He does come the saints of God have at His table sweet communion, first of all with Him, and then with one another. We also note that our Lord spoke

of the cup as "my blood of the new testament." The word "testament" means "covenant." The Lord's table therefore speaks of our allegiance to Him, of our loyalty to our Lord, and our devotion to His service. The Christian church therefore speaks of the communion service as a sacrament, a word taken from the Latin sacramentum, meaning "oath," and essentially an oath of allegiance.

His body was broken for us, His blood was shed for the remission of our sins. We are bought with a price, we are not our own. Therefore we are to glorify God with all that we have and are.

Examples Wanted

Whether in the home or in the church, exhortation to goodness is about the most idle waste of breath. People do not want exhortations. They want examples.-Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick.

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There is some hope of a man's conversion so long as he is capable of loving something besides himself.—Phillips.



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OS ANGELES .- "It may be a long time," Ty Cobb told me other day, "before anyone the other day, "before anyone breaks up that Yankee pennant



Grantland Rice

march. They still have too much allaround stuff, anywhere and everywhere you look-I mean pitching and catching, infield and outfield, offense and defense, power and speed.

"I know there is a feeling here and there that after four years of success a team is sure to start slipping. But

it so happens that most of the Yankees are young men and young players-Gordon, DiMaggio, Rolfe, Keller, and several of the pitchersthey are a young team.

"It might be different if the Red Sox could dig up better pitching. But few on the outside understand today just how hard it is to find good pitching-to locate any good pitchers not already in big league harness. They are scarcer than they ever were.

Coming On

"In addition to the present Yankee team, everyone knows about the number of star junior Yankees coming up from the Yankee farms. These will be good enough to replace any open gap. Several of them are good enough now.

"The club's hardest job should be replacing Bill Dickey when Bill decides it is time to step out. This will be no easy job, but Bill isn't stepping out yet-not by several sia, the czar offered him a commisyears. He has a good aid in Rosar sion in the army, which he de-

"Why was it that old-time pennant winning clubs began to crack up after two or three good years?" I asked Ty. "The Tigers began fading after three straight. Neither the old Cubs nor old Athletics could make it four straight either."

"We had more all-around opposition then," Ty said. "And we never had the younger replacements ready when some of our veterans we had no such quantity of talent on hand. You can't find a single weak spot in the Yankees. And maybe they have more ambition, as a team, than nally to cattle that were unbranded. some of the others had. From what I understand the Yankees keep in just as good physical shape as any college football team. That helps a lot, when you are headed for any long stretch."

About Young Keller

There is a good chance that young of intelligence, he Charlie Keller of the Yankees will be one of the 1940 sensations—out there giving Red-Sox Williams a tough scrap for the sophomore hon-

"I've never seen an athlete work harder or train harder than Keller does," one of his mates from the University of Maryland told me. "Charlie Keller used to get up early



CHARLIE KELLER

and do several miles of road work when he was in college. Nothing could make him break training. He was keen to learn and his natural co-ordination was amazing. We figured then he was going a long way."

One of the most unusual features of Keller's ability is the tremendous strength of his hands and forearms.

"You almost have to have strong hands and strong forearms," Keller said, "when you start milking 18 cows at the age of eight. There's nothing like milking to build up hand

Keller is now one of the game's most powerful hitters. He may not keep pace with Ted Williams in this | the state senatorirespect, but he won't be far away. He can use a little more polishing in his outfield play, but this is sure to come from a young star so willing to learn his trade.

Ambitious Keller

"Any ball club is lucky to pick up perpetuate themselves in office. a player of the Keller type," Cobb said. "I mean one with that much ambition. For ambition is a big factor in baseball success. You have to love the game and you have to be ready to discipline yourself to | wings and claws and, turning to the get results. It's very true that not | editor, said, "How's that for a Salaevery ball player is set up along | mander?" these lines. Too many of them players of both yesterday and to- ed. "It's a Gerrymander!" day-just take the game in their stride, and pay little attention to it tionary today.

when they're no longer on the field. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.) when they're no longer on the field.

"The Name Is Familiar"

FELIX B. STREYCKMANS and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

Poinsettia

THE poinsettia - that crimsor flower so popular around Christmas time-was named for a man who was not a botanist but, of all things, one of our secretaries of war! He was Joel Robert Poinsett, seventeenth secretary of war, serving from 1837 to 1841 under President Van Buren. And the full name of the flower, by the way, is poinset-

tia pulcherrima, United States

Joel R. Poinsett

from which the flower was brought to the United States. It had been called "Painted Leaf," and "Mexican Fire Plant." While in Mexico, Poinsett called the flower to the attention of botanists and imported some of the flowers to the United States. This is why, in searching for a scientific

He was of Huguenot descent, the last of his family—if he hadn't fallen in love with the flower, he never would have had a chance to perpetuate the family name.

He was educated in England and traveled extensively. While in Rusclined. While an American goodwill emissary to Chile, the Spaniards seized several of our merchant ships. Poinsett organized a large force right on the spot, led them in an attack against the Spaniards and recaptured the ships.

The name is certainly more appropriate for the flower than the

A Maverick

COMETHING that doesn't belong | If you are among the millions of -especially if it's wandering around loose. The name was applied origi-

Samuel A. Maverick, an 1825 graduate of Yale, gave his name to the idea. Although he was one of the founders of Texas' independence and a member of the congress of

the Republic of Texas in 1845 and had other signs nevertheless had a reputation for allowing his cattle to wander around without being branded. So unusual was this practice that whenever cattle were discovered without brand-

S. A. Maverick

marks someone was almost certain to say, "They're probably Mav-

You have to be pretty well known to be referred to that way and must have a lot of cattle, too, and Samuel counts. But after all, there is a limit to everything and it was un- home again. reasonable to assume that Maverick owned ALL the unbranded cattle.

to unbranded cattle as Maverick's radio; he'll master Braille. You'll but they soon meant that they were | talk to him, as you come and go, mavericks-without the capital let- and tell him that his old pal Joe ter and without that possessive apos- Davis has married a lovely girl, and trophe. That meant that the cattle that they are sending Billy Brown merely were unbranded and, there- to the Australian branch, wonderful fore, belonged to anybody.

Gerrymander

O GERRYMANDER means to few minutes? divide a voting district in an unfair manner, especially so one political party will have an advantage over the other. Elbridge Gerry (1744-1814), a signer of the Declaration of | blind and helpless and idle in his Independence, a vice president of sunny window, and when you're getthe United States and a governor of ting to be an old lady, you'll read Massachusetts, provided the name. him a headline. "They're talking of In 1811 the Democrats of Massa-

chusetts elected Gerry governor and also obtained a majority in both houses of the legislature. They then put through a law rearranging al districts without regard for geographical location, the main idea being to get enough voters in each district to

Elbridge Gerry

The arrangement of the towns in Essex county was so absurd that the editor of the Boston Sentinel colored them on a map hung on his wall. A visiting artist added head,

Salamandar, nothing!" he shout-The word stuck and is in the dic-

Kathleen Norris Says:

This May Be the Means of Saving Your Son's Life (Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.)



Don't wait until war propaganda has done its deadly work and the boy in your family comes in and says, "Mom, I just signed up. I go to report Monday."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

HERE is an organization now in process of formation in America that you ought to join. This organization's name is the Mother's Legion.

to anybody is called a maverick | us who have been saying since 1919 that you "wish you could do something about war," then this is your

If you don't take this chance then don't complain if we get into the preposterous and unnecessary scrap, that is seething all over Europe, and then one day your boy marches away.

He may never come back. In that case you pack up his sweaters and camera and school pictures and tramping boots, and the fishing pole and tennis racket, and you send them to the Salvation Army and you close the door of his room. And you close a door in your heart, for-

But of course he may come back. They may bring him very tenderly to the door on a stretcher and he may grope for your hand and say in that dear voice you love best in all the world, "Is that you, mom? They got my eyes and my knee. You and dad knew that?"

And for a few days everyone will be kind. Neighbors, friends old and new will drop in to cheer up that | five million. Five million votes will Maverick was well qualified on both | splendid Baker boy who was so badly smashed and is now back at his

Then they'll stop. He'll sit, in his broken, wasted, silent youth, in the Cattle rustlers continued to refer | sunny front room; he'll have the chance for Billy! And Sister Kate has a darling baby. Would Keith like to hold his young nephew for a

You'll see his face grow more and more sober, as the months go by; you'll see him droop a little. And in 1960, when he's middle-aged, still starting another war over in Europe again, Keith."

Because what we Americans cannot understand, and never will understand, is that the war theory is a part of their scheme over there. They believe in war. They believe that the side that kills the greatest number of young men and blows up the greatest number of innocent villieved that since the days of Charlemagne. They're proving again today that they think might is right. If a neighbor believes something

Our point of view is different. We know that the ideology we must destroy, and the only ideology we must destroy, is the delusion that might | tions are with us. is right. That the most powerful fighting that war.

stice was signed, if ONE of them, you."

even the smallest, had put forth hon est peace feelers, had developed a PLAN for peace, we might feel very differently about our response to their appeal for help today. If the lated a PLAN, then there never would have been this war. Instead, injustices, embargoes, blockades, punishments, reprisals went serenely on. Nobody cared about adjusting the pernicious terms of the peace treaties, because everyone was too busy forming plans for the

They Never Have Enough.

This has been going on in Europe for five hundred years. They've had a Hundred Years war, a Thirty Years war, religious wars, civil wars. They've always given high moral reasons for their wars. They've always wanted just one more, "to end all wars." They've always grabbed, separately, everything in the way of spoils that they could get, after the war, and they've never surrendered one inch of what they got.

This Mothers' Legion must mount to a membership of two million to be able to wield the influence we want to have it wield. We're well on our way to that two million already. We probably will make it swing any candidate to victory in 1940; half that number will. We want all our representatives, and espledge us their solemn word that under no pressure, under no circumstances, under no threats that "we will be next," will we ever engage again in foreign wars. We want to be so organized that if our people in Washington fail us, and go back on their promises, we can impeach

Don't wait, if you want to help. Don't wait until propaganda has done its deadly work, and the bands begin to play, and the service flags begin to mount upon village flag poles, and the boys of your family come in casually to lunch and say, "I'm in, mom. I just signed up. I go to report on Monday."

War Preys on Youth.

Youth won't wait. It is one of the devilish subtleties of war that it wants our sons just when they are a little at loose ends; out of school, plugging along in dull jobs, old enough to make their own decisions, young enough to love excitement and change.

There are no dues in the Mothers' Legion. Its simple purpose is to enlist the power of women everywhere lages MUST be right. They've be- to keep us out of foreign wars: to influence other nations toward peace; to resist un-American activities in our midst; to maintain adequate home defense in the interest that you don't, then you kill him to of peace, not war. Some of the most prove that what you believe is the prominent men and women in the country are already enthusiastic promotors of it. Churchmen of all denominations, the American Legion, women's clubs and social organiza-

You be with us, too. Watch your army is the army of God. That war paper for notice of the chapter that ever accomplishes anything that is shortly to be formed in your town, couldn't be simply and reasonably and then, if someday war does accomplished without recourse to come, at least you can say to the ford MacNider, ex-Legion commandboy you love: "I'm sorry, son. Your er, declares, "the candidate must If one European nation in these father and I did everything we could have courage, honesty and experilong twenty years since the Armi- to keep this terrible thing away from ence"; then it cites the various war



and ROBERT ALLEN

WASHINGTON .- When Secretary Hull issued his statement that he had been working toward peace through neutral nations, it caused lifted eyebrows among neutral diplomats in Washington.

Gathering at a cocktail party that afternoon, a Swiss diplomat asked a Dutch diplomat:

"Were you the neutral nation Secretary Hull conferred with?"
"No. Were you?"

And this question, asked among the Belgians, Norwegians, Swedes, and other neutrals finally revealed that no neutral representative at the gathering had been approached by Secretary Hull.

Simultaneously word leaked from some of Mr. Hull's boys that he had not been consulted regarding the European peace pilgrimage of his Undersecretary Sumner Welles, and that he was most irate about it. This story, widely published, gave such an impression that Welles was taking a mere pleasure trip, that Mr. Hull finally issued another statement covering the Welles situation.

Real fact is that there was some truth in all of the above, but not the whole truth. And the parts unpublished are the most significant. Real Welles Story.

It was true that Hull was taken aback by word that his undersecretary was going to Europe to discuss peace, although this idea had been discussed in a very general way some time before.

Anyway, when Roosevelt announced at his press conference on February 9 that he had decided to send Welles to Europe, Hull hurriedly threw together a statement which in effect made it clear that, as the boss of the state department, he was not being left out in the cold. The statement, issued the same day as the President's Welles announcement, was whipped into shape in about 15 minutes. It emphasized the American policy of discussing peace through the neutrals.

All this tended to befog the basic issue of peace, but on that basic issue. Mr. Hull was quite correct. churches, instead of reiterating their | Some extremely important converpious desire for peace, had formu- sations had taken place with the neutrals. Only the neutral diplomats didn't know about them, and also they were not held through the medium of the United States.

They were held through the pope, acting in closest co-operation with Washington. And this is the foundation for the Welles trip.

For some weeks, Luigi Maglione, papal secretary of state, has been in touch with the neutral nations. And more recently he has also been in touch with the belligerents.

Jimmy in Hollywood.

Jimmy Roosevelt, now 31 years old, is making \$37,500 a year, which is just half of the salary paid to

his father, the President. Jimmy has posed on the Goldwyn lot for pictures showing him peering into the intimate parts of a movie camera or supervising the editing of film. But this is just win-

dow dressing. Actually his job is what he might do in any business office, whether producing films or furniture. He turns on the warmth of the Roosevelt personality, soothes the irate, and placates the implacable. Jimmy is popular around the movie lots.

They tell a story in Hollywood of pecially our Chief Executive, to how Jimmy got 1,500 head of cattle to act in a picture for Mr.



. . . Jimmy really produced 'em.

Goldwyn. Boss Sam Goldwyn had balked at paying more than \$10 a head for the four-legged Thespians, and the Arizona cattlemen, who said their steers would lose \$10 worth of weight in transit, wanted more.

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Merry-Go-Round.

Idaho's new Sen. John Thomas. New Mexico's Sen. Carl Hatch and Colorado's massive Sen. Ed Johnson were all born in the sixth Kansas congressional district-one of the most arid parts of the state.

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Suitor-I wish you would, sir. I'm

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not making much headway.



"How can you tell your wife wants money when she pouts like

"By the way she purses up her

In Trade "I shan't tell you any more secrets. You gave the last one

"I didn't give it away. I exchanged it for another one."

That's Strange

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cher, took dinner Sunday with the ground. 700 trees to the acre has Parmer Teachers Set E. M. Bocox family and spent Mon- been recommended in order to entitle day night in the Dick Oneal home. the farmer to receive pay for the Pleasant Hill lost in the tourna- project. ment Friday and Saturday, but This does not mean, however, that At a meeting held in Bovina on started, officials announced, with the wooden-legged man, as his peg

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busy Monday morning, when he came 65% of the plantings live.

her parents, Saturday and Sunday, high school. returning to her work in Clovis, Sunday evening.

The foundation is being laid and the basement walls plastered this week on the Fundamental Baptist Midway, has purchased a hy-bred church. As the basement is going Hampshire gilt from the Sand to be used for the church until the Springs Farm, at Sand Springs, Okrush of farm work is over.

Those shopping in Clovis Saturday, Jason O. Gor In. were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kays, Buck | Jesko has recently completed three Ellison, Mr. Piper, Mrs. Maggie Bell, years of successful 4-H club work and Alton Badgetts.

to Texico, early Monday morning. of Hampshires, with the purchase of ma, with Mr. Donahey's mother, who direction. is ill.

Little Jimmie Horton fell Monday and cut a gash in his head which prevented his attending school. C. H. Whitners were dinner guests

at John Hightowers, Sunday.

More than three-fourths of the Sing Sing inmates, under 35 years of age, attend classes at the prison school.



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Enter District Meet

Coach A. D. McDonald said today. A. C. Noack and A. J. Hamm.

The State Line Tribune is author- ly lose their grip, they should easily and Tulia won the dairy cattle con- week released the names of teachers ized to make the following political take the game, which will then test, according to T. A. McCuistion over the county who will head up the announcements, subject to the action place them opposite Elida, who drew local instructor. of the Democratic Primary in July: a bye in the first round, at 2:40 Fri- The last half of the Tech contests mer County Interscholastic League cally March, with two months of FOR SALE—Good Farmall on rubday afternoon.

Rogers-Fort Sumner game at 9:40 judging, McCuistion added. Friday evening, and if still on the big end of the score, will play in the Commissioners Meet semi-finals egainst the winner of the Floyd-Ranchvale Dora-Field bracket at 4:10 Saturday afternoon.

held Saturday evening at 9 o'clock ers Court met at the courthouse in and the final match begins at 10:10. Farwell, Monday, in regular session. All time given in this schedule is Besides paying the current bills and Texas time. Trophies will be award- transacting the regular routine of ed to the first, second, and third business, the minutes show that the place teams, with a basketball going following business was disposed of: or more games, officials stated.

Tree Planting Now in Conservation Program S. E. corner Section 36."

per acre for this work, Assistant inclusive. Miss McCormick, the primary tea- the required amount on an acre of

Joe Jarrell and family have moved offset the cost of buying the small

After the trees have been planted.

keep it from breaking out here. T. A. McCuistion, head of the agri- ted. Miss Louise Moorman vistled with cultural department of the Farwel'

HAMPSHIRE GILT IS

PURCHASED BY JESKO Anthony Jesko, 4-H club boy of

lahoma, according to County Agent

is now on his fourth year as a mem-Jack Parker made a business trip ber. His plans are to have a herd Mrs. John Donahey is in Oklaho- the gilt being the first step in that

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Local Ag Boys Enter

high gymnasium in Clovis, when the last week by a dairy products judging not yet announced the prices. souad enters the district tournament, team composed of Charles Pruitt,

Texico plays the second game of First place in the dairy products the tournament, meeting the Pleas-division went to Spur, Lorenzo won ant Hill squad at 2:40 (Texas time) in the meat identification contests, Thursday. Unless the locals complete- Lubbock was tops in cotton classing,

will be held April 6th, at which time Meet, as follows: Should they defeat Elida, the lo- the Farwell organization will be recals next meet the winner of the presented in farm shop and poultry Judge Lee Thompson, Farwell.

In Regular Session

The consolation match will be The Parmer County Commission-

to the fourth place squad. An ail- The report of the jury of view on tournament team will be selected. the road petition of F. W. Ayers et Admission prices are as follows: al, was accepted and the road de-25c for the first bracket, 35c for clared open. The legal description of semi-final games, and 50c for the the road opened is "Beginning at the ona. finals. Each series will contain three N. E. corner of Section 4, and N. W. Girls Athletics-George Graham, corner of Section 3, Syndicate B, Lazbuddy. Parmer county; thence south along Wild Flower Identification—Supt. section lines to the 80-foot road to E. W. Harper, Oklahoma Lane. the S. W. corner of Section 35 and One-act Play-Miss Iris Westbay,

The petition of Raymond Jones of The planting of trees about the Friona, was heard, and it was order- Lazbuddy. farm has been placed in the Soil ed that 6 town lots in the town of finance self. Extra good broomcorn test is a new addition to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the regular can't see that they have improved and other remainded to the remainded farmers amy earn as high as \$7:50 of \$120.00 for the years 1935 to 1939 departments of the meet, Supt. For-

speaking before the Farwell Farm the lots had been valued at a much taken in this division. Civic Club, stated Monday night higher figure on the ground that Planting the trees as windbreaks some improvements were located on officers were named: Alton Farr, Boabout the farm, he said, would mean the ground. Since the property was vina, president; Supt. E. L. Edelmon, licity on movie stars, debs, etc., now

Dates of County Meet,

showed some fine sportsmanship, and the trees must be planted in solid Monday evening of this week, dates the following directors named to snapped in the middle. give promise of winning in the fu- formation, but may be strung out for the various divisions of the Par- take charge of training Farwell enalong fence rows as windbreaks, mer county interscholastic league tries: Mrs. Harper was badly hurt last Harper pointed out. He said that the meet were set by school representaweek when a stool slipped away from pay the farmer would receive for tives, according to Supt. Leo Forrest, ens.

Bovina will be host to the literary events this year, which will be held March 15 and the month there- on March 29th. On March 30th, the lace. R. L. Day, of Clovis, spent Satur- after has been decided as the best senior track, field and tennis events Playground ball-Warren Powers, day night with Arthur Moorman. time to do this kind of planting, he will be held at Friona, with prelimi- Lenton Pool. There was quite a group of boys said. A large variety of approved naries in track and field during the and girls gathered in the Parker trees has eben designated for this afternoon and finals at night under Miss Eunice Graham. the floodlights.

The senior girls' volleyball tourna-Dr. Kandle, county health officer an allowance of \$3.00 per acre will ment will be held at Friona on March for Curry county, was kept quite be paid to attend them, providing 30, while the junior girls volleyball Powers. junior track, grade tennis and playout to vaccinate against smallpox Mr. Harper said that parties of ground ball will be held approximate. and diptheria, as there is an out-this county who are interested in the ly two weeks later than the regular reak of both diseases in our neigh- tree planting program should con- county meet. No official places or poring schools. Everybody is trying tact the County Agent's office, or dates for these events were designa-

A junior girls and junior boys basketball tournament was also voted. to be held for the entire county in Bovina, beginning on the night of March 15th and continuing through-

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out the day, March 16th, officials | =

Lubbock Contests | Continuing with a precedent set in the county last year, admission will The senior boys' cage team of the The Farwell vocational agricul- be charged for the senior volleyball Texico school will go into the final ture classes were represented at the tournament, as well as the track and rounds of the 1939-40 season on Texas Technological college judging field events at Friona, it was learned Thursday afternoon, at the junior contest, in Lubbock, on Saturday of today. Officials of the school have

Directors Named for County League Meet

Superintendent Leo Forrest this

Rural School Director—County ments announced yet.

seth Rollins, Lakeview. lahoma Lane.

Forrest, Farwell.

Ready Writers-Mrs. Brown, Mid-

Arithmetic-Alton Farr, Bovina.

Shorthand and Typing-Miss Ka- every day. therine Mills, Oklahoma Lane. Choral Singing-Harley Bulls, Fri-

Story Telling-Miss Hope McLean,

The wild flower identification conrest stated, adding that it was hoped County Agent Garlon A. Harper, The order of the court cited that that considerable interest would be

Early in the year, the following that the trees must have a spacing vacant, the reduction in value was Friona, first vice president; Mr. we have listed for us the "Ten Best Local Directors Listed

Activities at the local school toward the meet have already been "Boy, oh boy, what a break," said

Music Memory-Mrs. Stevens. Number Sense-Lenton Pool. Picture Memory-Miss Mary Love-

Ready Writers-Mrs. Marty Ezell,

Debate-Mrs. Ezell. Declamation-Mrs. Ezell.

Forrest. Spelling and Plain Writing-Mrs. school age or not.

RACKER RUMBS

By "ABIE" G.

Once upon a time there was a man who wrote a column-now there are millions of them.

Dollars and sense usually go hand FOR PLOWNG gardens and other n hand.

We're very muchly disappointed Evan's laundry, Texico. various branches of the coming Par- in the local gals. Here it is practi-Leap Year gone, and no engage-

Hearing about the new hats which Declamation-Mrs. D. Brown, Ok- the men are scheduled to wear this spring, plus swoopy brims, trailin Spelling-Miss Grace Paul, Laz- over women's hats the past few years mar. S. H. Withers, 3204 East Pine is that, frankly, they're just jealous!

Athletics-E. W. Boedecker, Friona nlowed down the middle of the road Music Memory-Mrs. R. L. Bates, at ninety miles an hour because he Connelly, Clovis, N. M. in his insurance would protect him from harm-his funeral is held FOR SALE-Good used tarpulin.

> Habits, like babies, are things that grow bigger with the years.

A rumor is something that was told even heard it in the first place.

Noticing what is going on all over Europe today, we are inclined to be- 200 acres in cultivation under farm monkeys, and we might add that we proposition to right party able to

Jabbing pins into other people's ego is great sport until somebody gets out a hat pin after your own. - - - -

Ginn, second vice president; Frank Undressed Women." All of which P. Wilson Jr., Bovina, / secretary; just goes to prove that a girl may Miss McCormick, Bovina, treasurer. never know how well off she is when she simply "hasn't a rag to wear."

ezen, Miss Granam, Choral Singing-Mrs. Jewel Stev- Story Telling - Miss Geraldine Benge.

> Tennis, track and field-Johnnie Brown, Lenton Pool. Girls Volleyball-Johnnie Brown.

WANTS MORE INFORMATION

County Judge Lee Thompson, who is ex-officio county superintendent of schools, has asked the census enumerators who will be employed in Extemporaneous Speech-Warren taking the scholastic census of Parmer county during the month of Shorthand and Typing—Supt. March to be sure to specify the name enumeration, whether they be of

yard work, see N. B. Thornton, Texico, or Jack Hands, back of 10-tf.

ber, priced right. See Ed Eason, M-M salesman, Farwell.

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springer. 1-red heifer, heavy springer.

1-Durham bull calf.

1-yellow Jersey cow, 5 years old.

1—red and white bull calf. 1-black cow, heavy springer.

1-red and white cow, 2 years old.

1-white face bull calf. 1-black and white cow, 5 years old.

1—heifer calf. 1-black and white cow, 4 years old.

1-motley face bull calf. 1-Gernsey cow, 2 years old.

2—Jersey heifer springers. 1-Jersey heifer calf.

1-white face bull, 2 years old. 1-Gernsey bull calf.

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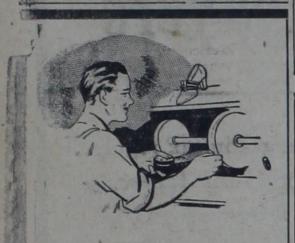
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The Farm Outlook for 1940 should tained the Junior Bible Class with a We hear a great deal about SHEL- be carefully studied by every farm "42" party in their home the past TER BELT PLANTINGS. We have and ranch operator so that he may Friday night. an opportunity to secure the assis- have a better understanding of the Bonnie Jean Belew and Alethea tance of tht Forrestry Service, and agricultural situation. The data in Hastings and a friend from WT, in planting material for a demonstra- the Farm Outlook is recognized as Canyon, spent the weekend in Bovition farm in the county. So far we being 87.3% correct over a six year na. have not made our request for this period. A law of 84% correct was Mrs. Shelby Jersig and daughter, and on the 2nd day of April A. D. service because we do not know if noted in 1928 and a high of 90% Shelby Ann, were visitors in Amaril- 1940, being the first Tuesday in said there is sufficient interest. The first correct was observed in 1929. Inval- lo the past weekend. WRITTEN REQUEST received in uable material is contained in the Mrs. R. G. Barron was in Clovis,

> By using the production plan treatments sheet the operator may estimate he Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Venable and will have an abundance of grain sor- Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Venable attendghum crops which are available for ed the funeral of the nephew in feeding livestock on the farm. What Pampa, the past weekend. class of livestock should be fed? The Mrs. Clarence Smith, who has been Farm Outlook and the production receiving medical treatment in Dimplan sheet should prove a valuable mitt, returned here the past week. combination in 1940.

> The 1940 Agricultural Census April is the month the census enu- had the important part of the pro-

schedule at the County Agent's of- returned to her home here. fice. Time spent on your schedule now will be appreciated in April.

Bovina

Mrs. Lillie Rhodes.

terflow, N. M., spent the weekend in corporation, vs. F. W. Cooksey, et the home of Mrs. Lillie Rhodes.

are attending to business in Oklaho- Humble Oil & Refining Company, a ma, this week.

Jess Vestal home at this time. the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lloyd and W H. Odom of Friona, visited Sunday pany, a corporation, and against J with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gunn went to

Osborne Mercantile Company Flomo home. Flomot, Texas, to take his father Mr. and Mrs. Bertrum Gunn, of

Amarillo, spent the weekend in the nome of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Watkins and

son, Bill, of Fawell, visited their son in Bovina, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McWhirter against F. W. Cooksey, Lou Cooksey,

made a business trip to Amarillo the

Lloyd Bolin and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watkins were visitors in Friona, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parker and daughter, Jacquetta, visited in Clovis. Saturday morning Sam Aldridge, of Farwell, visited

in Bovina, Saturday afternoon. Several of the Bovina people at-

tended the fights in Clovis, Monday Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crook and Imogene Horton were visitors in

Clovis, Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelley, of Childress, Tex., visited in the G. E. Free

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Goodnight visited Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson in the Oklahoma Lane community.

Mrs R. A. Hamlin was a visitor in Friona, Wednesday afternoon. Donna Jane, the small daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hamric is ill

Oscar Parker is ill at this time with

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Batty enter-

Saturday and Monday, receiving eye

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carr visited in

Amarillo, Monday. The Missionary Society of the Me-April 1st is not far away. Do you thodist church met at the church, know the answers to the questions? Tuesday of last week. Rev. Hester-

Barbara Jean Davison, who has You may secure a copy of the been in a Clevis hospital, has been

Martha Jane Williams, who has been for some time, is improved at

NOTICE OF SALE The State of Texas

County of Parmer NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 17th Judicial District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, by the clerk thereof, on the 5th day of February, 1940, pur-Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rury and suant to a certain judgement rendfamily, of Friona, visited Sunday with ered in said court in cause No. M. and Mrs. C. B. Simons, of Wa- Federal Life Insurance Company, a

Tom Gilbert and Rollin Farmer Company, a corporation, is plainwere Clovis visitors, Sunday evening, tiff, and J. O. Fitzjarrald, F. W. George Mckinney and Earl Black Cooksey and wife Lou Cooksey, and corporation, were defendants (the Burlin Housette is visiting in the said Humble Oil & Refining Company, a corporation, having been dis-D. H. Wilkerson and daughter, missed by the court prior to the ren-Myrdell, visited in Childress, Texas, dition of judgement) which said judgement was rendered in favor of the said Federal Life Insurance Com-O. Fitzjarrald, F. W. Cooksey and Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart was in wife, Lou Cooksey, establishing a Amarillo, Tuesday, to receive medi- debt of Federal Life Insurance Company in the sum of NINE THOU-SAND NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS the rate of ten (10) per cent per annum, from and after September 1, 1939, and the further sum of TWENTY & 25/100 DOLLARS (\$20.25), as cost of suit, and a decree rendered foreclosing a first, prior and superior deed of trust lien as it existed on September 1, 1939, as

and J. O. Fitzjarrald; I did on the 21 day of February, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parker spent A. D., 1940, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy Sunday in Roswell with Mr. and Mrs. upon the following described lots and parcels of land situated in the County of Parmer, State of Texas,

> All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Parmer, State of Texas, being 640 acres out of Capitol

Leagues Numbered 501, 502, 503, and 504, and being all of Section or Survey Number Twentytwo (22) in Block "B", Capitol Syndicate Subdivision, as shown by plat of said Subdivision recorded in Volume 2, 'Pages' 459 to 498 of the Deed Records of-Parmer County, Texas:

month, between the hours of ten o'-

clock a. m., and four o'clock p. m., on said day, at the courthouse door of said county in the town of Farwell. I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right title and interest of the said J. O. Fitzjarrald, F. W. Cooksey and wife, Lou Cooksey, in and to said property. DATED at Farwell, Texas, this the 21st day of February A. D., 1940.

EARL BOOTH, Sheriff, Parmer County, Texas.

Information for Taxpayers

Because of slight changes in tax regulations, we have compiled the following condensed table, to show you the importance of early payment of your taxes. Each month that you can save in time means money in your pocket:

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Clovis, N. M.

F. W. Reeve, of Friona, was a bu-142 TOURNEY HELD siness visitor in Farwell, Tuesday. FRIDAY NIGHT

Farwell, Monday.

made a business trip to Amarillo, club. Monday.

Permanent Waves, \$1.00 and up BY F. H. T. GIRLS

and Mrs. T. G. Hudson, Jr.

parents, in Tahoka. Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wallace, of Hereford, were weekend visitors in and friends.

daughter, Mary Ann, of Albuquer-Friday, visiting with friends.

KFYO.

was a visitor at the office of Al- Freida Acker, Morris Ed Martin. dridge & Aldridge, in Farwell, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bradshaw were called to California, Saturday ing was called to order by Marilya Those present were: Mesdames shaw's brother, a Mr. Carter.

les. California, spent last weekend few games at the end of the meet-

ding a special demonstration meet- Gordon. ing for supervisors in this district.

Miss Zena Belle Roberts, who attends college at WT, in Canyon, was Miss Greta Paul entertained her a weekend visitor in the home of her Scouts with a Valentine party on the parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Rob- evening of February 14, at which erts, of near Farwell.

by little Miss Jane Claire Overstreet. in succession. and Mrs. Overstreet.

CLOVIS COUPLE MARRIED

John Dankleps and Miss Katherine Paul. Box of Clovis, were issued a marriage license in Farwell on Feb. 21. LOCAL STUDY CLUB HAS They were married by a local minis- FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM

HOLD SOCIAL TONIGHT

bers and guests of the Young Adult topic for the afternoon was "Friend-Class of the Methodist church \ill ship." Leo Forrest in Farwell. Games will Make Friends." Mrs. Claude Thoand a typical picnic lunch will be sented a talk on the subject.

PIE SUPPER THURSDAY

evening of this week, February 29, served a salad plate, with coffee. with the senior class as sponsor. Johnnie Brown, faculty director of WASHINGTON CELEBRATION the class, is urging a good attend- HELD THURSDAY NIGHT ance, with the girls being asked to A "Colonial Supper" in observance bring pies while the male sex is re- of the birthday of George Washingquested to have the necessary ton, was held by the ladies of the dinero to make the purchases.

A 12 and Chinese checker tourna- sion of the serving.

an's Club of the Twin Cities. a visitor in Farwell, Monday after- sons participated in the games, with affair such a huge success. coffee and cake being served by the hostesses. Proceeds from the project SOCIAL HELD BY LOCAL Hazel Petree and Glen London will go into the treasury of the local SPEECH DEPARTMENT

WAFFLE SUPPER HELD

Mrs. W. F. Orr's Beauty Shop, Far- The F. H. T. girls of the Farwell under the direction of their teach 24-tf school held a waffle supper at the er, Mrs. Marty Ezell.

coats or pajamas. Misses Hazel Anglin and Ruth stated that the entertainment for appointed table, at which Miss Weta 5th. Boyd spent Saturday night and the evening was carried out in the Mae Danner presided. After the tea Sunday visiting with the former's form of a radio skit, with special the following short program was cooking flashes being brought by the given: speech, D'Esta McGuire, pan-

SEE "GONE WITH THE WIND"

tending the movie "Gone With the entertainment immensely. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burnes and Wind." Among those were: Mrs. John Aldridge, Mrs. Minnie Aldridge, MRS. DUNCAN WILLIAMS Mrs. V. Scott Johnson, Mr. and Mrs HONORED AT SHOWER que, New Mexico, were here the past Loyd Cain, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Stewart, Mrs. Aubrey Sprawls, Mr. and ed the past Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Jason O. Gordon Jennie Lee London, Mrs. Anne Over- Mrs. Lucile Osborne entertained Friday night: "The Thief on the were visitors in Lubbock, Friday, street, H. Y. Overstreet, Mrs. G. C. where he made a talk over station Danner, Mrs. Stanley Hillhouse, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deaton and family, Mrs. Alvenia Sharpe, Mrs. W. H. J. F. (Smiley) Fulks, of Friona, Graham, Miss Abie Graham, Miss

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

meeting, Monday, Feb. 26. The meet- either side by lighted tapers.

LAZBUDDY GIRL SCOUT

all members were present.

Some time was spent working with Mrs H. D. Nifong, who had been Indian seed beads for bracelets, after visiting here with her daughter and which the group was honored with family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Over- a valentine supper, games were staged street, left for her home in Mans- and valentines exchanged by playing field, Texas, Saturday, accompanied bingo. Joy Welch won three times

nings, Joy Welch, Tomaline Vaughn | mourn. Proverbs 29:2. Veneita Lilly, Margeurite Hudnall,

A Sunday school social for mem- bers and one guest attending. The Christ as his Saviour.

be held tonight (Wednesday) at 8 Roll call was answered by each o'clock, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. member on "Why I Do or Do Not be played during the evening, under mas gave several poems on "Friendthe direction of Miss Ruth Boyd, ship" and Mrs. Jason O. Gordon pre-

served at the conclusion. A short business meeting was held, with Mrs. Tom Grady, president, ir. charge. Reports of the various com-A pie supper will be held at the mittees were heard. At the conclu-Farwell auditorium on Thursday sion of the afternoon the hostess

Methodist Missionary Society in the

Warning

CHICKENS will not be permitted to run at large in TEXICO after this week. There is an ordinance against it. Violators will be prosecuted. Pen your chickens NOW!

W. J. MATTHEWS,

Mayor.

basement of the church, Thursday 1st Cor. 5. evening of last week, with a large 3:30 p. m., Wednesday, W. M. S. crowd attending.

Various colonies were represented George Nicewarner. at the different tables, with every- 10 a. m., Sunday, Bible School. thing from soup to aprons being of- Lesson, Matthew 26: 1-30. fered for sale. Those in charge of 11 a. m., Sunday, Sermon, subject. the departments stated that their "Workmen that needeth not to be stock was closed out at the conclu-ashamed." Text: 2nd Timothy, 2:15.

Charley Lunsford, of near Mule- ment was held in the cafeteria of Over \$40 was realized by the Mis- hour. shoe, attended to business matters in the Farwell school, Friday evening sionary Society through the project, 8 p. m., Sermon, subject, "Sin of last week, sponsored by the Wom- which will go into the treasury, and Lieth at the door." Lesson, Genesis those in charge offered their thanks 4:7. Rev. J. N. Hester, of Bovina, was During the evening, around 40 per- to the local patrons who made the You have a cordial welcome at all

The speech class of the Farwell high school gave an exhibition tea. entertaining the entire high school on Wednesday afternoon of last week

home economics building in Farwell, Several stages were shown, which Carl and Ivan Jones were in Fort last Friday evening, with the twenty the students have been working on Sumner, N. M., Sunday, visiting Mr. girls present being attired in house-| recently, after studying stage construction for six weeks.

Miss Eunice Graham, instructor, Tea was served from a beautifully April 21, and conclude Sunday, May Elsie Mae Deaton.

Mrs. Duncan Williams was honor- sented this week: when Mrs. Joe Crume, of Clovis, and Heaven and Two Ways to Hell." with a miscellaneous shower in the Cross.'

During the afternoon the guests were served cocoa or coffee with wafers by the hostesses, with the evening at 8:00 p. m. serving table being covered with a lace cloth while the centerpiece was The Girl Scouts had their regular of varigated sweet peas, flanked on

Claire Anderson, and the minutes Duncan Williams, W. E. Martin, T. Wednesday afternoon here for Mrs. both sides with a row of trees. were taken by Mrs. Jason O. Gor- E. Levy, Ruby Stone, Bill Lunsford, Lessie Anderson, 28 years old, who Mrs. Myrle Hanson of Los Angedon, sponsor, because of the absence Claude Darr, A. C. Green, Clyde died at her home here Tuesday after of the secretary. The group played a Massongill, J. H. Stone, R. E. Will- a long illness. Rev. Naylor, pastor visiting friends and relatives here, ing. Present were: Joan Booth, Jean Ebb Randol, Bob Kyker, Carl Mc-ducted the services. Burial followed and Patsy Danner, Marilyn Claire Guire, Willis Magness, W. W. Hall. in the cemetery here. Mrs. Ander-Anderson, Jean Ann Hart, Mary and Russell Johnson, T. J. Randol, J. D. son is survived by her husband and Barbara Ann Bobst, Edna Ruth Tho-Thomas, Leona Osborne, Leora Wil-two children, Ivan and Billie Ray. County Agent Jason O. Gordon mas, Johnnie Faye Hillhouse, Opal liams, Martin Cranfill; Misses Eileen and Home Demonstrator Ruth Boyd Williams, Margaret and Wilne Mae and Azleet Randol, Dorothy and were in Plainview, Thursday, atten-Bigham, and the leader, Mrs. Jason Annabelle Cranfill, and the hostess-Muleshoe, spent the weekend here

> Eugene Plaster, B. O. Faville, V. Scott "Gone With the Wind." Johnson and Hugh Edwards.

> > BAPTIST CHURCH

When the righteous are in autho- Tex., is visiting in the home of Mr. rity, the people rejoice, but when and Mrs. B. Whitt. They were taken to Amarillo by Mr. | Those present were: D. Riley Jen- | the wicked beareth rule, the people | Jimmie Jennings of Muleshoe spent

The presence of the Holy Spirit Margie Mars and the hostess, Mis. and the fellowship of the people, has Basketball News given us much cause for rejoicing re- The Lazbuddy high school girls

on last Lord's Day, was two fine boys and Saturday. They were runnerup The Texico-Farwell Woman's Club presenting themselves at the altar, to the Wayside sextet, champions. met in the home of Mrs. Claude Rose, one for Church membership, the In the first game, Friday night, Tuesday afternoon, with eleven mem- other making profession of faith in they swamped Textine by the score

Regular Services for the week: 8 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer meet. a fast game, scoring 56 points to 28. ing, S. B. Lovett, leader. Scripture, for their opponents. Wayside won

in business and social, with Mrs

7 p. m., Sunday, Training Service

of our services.

Taylor North, Pastor.

E. J. Slean, Paster.

Church School 10:00. Morning Worship, 11:00. Subject,

METHODIST CHURCH

'Pray for Forgiveness." Young People's Choir Sings 6:30. Evening Worship 7:30. Subject,

All are invited. Our revival will begin Sunday,

CHURCH OF CHRIST

speech "Background for Stages", by of Christ is drawing good crowds, and Virgie Tarter was selected as according to reports. People are in an all-district guard. Barnes, guard, Farwell and Covis with relatives A large number of local people. Although the program was short attendance from several surrounding received honorable mention. Briscoe were in Amarillo the past week, at- the entire high school enjoyed the towns. Monday night Clovis and was high point girl of the entire Muleshoe were both well represented, tournament, scoring 73 points. Moore Tuesday night was designated Por- of Wayside, was a close second, with tales night.

The following subjects will be pre-

Thursday night: "Two Ways to

Sunday "The Basis of Unity."

LAZBUDDY

Funeral Services Held

with Mr. and Mrs. Finis Jennings.

Sending regrets were: Mesdames Mr. and Mrs. Orby Jarman and Stanley Stewart, Gladys McDonald, son, Gene Paul, visited his sister and Fay Brizendine, Mae Means, T. M. family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carter, Owens, J. B. Moss, R. A. Hawkins, at Tulia, last week. While they were Sterlyn Billington, Henry Selman, there, Mrs. Jarman and Mrs. Carter Ira Selman, W. B. Hill, Perry Barnes, drove to Amarillo to see the show

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Jennings and daughter, D. Riley, made a business trip to Amarillo, Saturday.

Cecil Cummings, of Levelland,

the weekend with Billy Jennings.

basketball team attended the dist-Evidence of the Lord's blessing rict tournament at Dumas, Friday of 55-14. In the game with Dimmitt, All services were well attended Saturday morning they won 35-15. In the semi-final game with Dumas, Saturday afternoon, they won

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the final game Saturday night, 22-11. A club where girls may take their Briscoe, left-handed forward, was boy friends for courting is to be tomine by Clay Jernigan, and a The revival meeting at the Church named as an all-district forward, opened in Sheffield, England.

IMPROVE CEMETERY GROUNDS

A crew of volunteer workers (mostly women) braved the sandstorm of home of Mrs. Leona Osborne in Tex- | Saturday night: "Heart-Felt Reli- Monday to do quite a bit of improving of the grounds at the Texico cemetery. Fifty young Chinese elin Everybody welcome. Service each trees and other shrubs were set out, all graves were mounded up, and the grass was burned from the cometery grounds.

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Scandinavian Peace Endangered By Pressure From Belligerents; Finn Defenses Breaking Down

(EDITOR'S NOTE-When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) Released by Western Newspaper Union. _

EUROPE:

fishing south of the Panama canal, his two special peace emissaries were on the high seas en route to settle Europe's quarrels. Steelman Myron C. Taylor would work from the Vatican. Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles would travel to Italy, Germany, France and Britain seeking a basis for a post-war settlement. They had to work fast, because the European dogfight was fast getting out of hand:

In Scandinavia

Not only Finland, but Norway and Sweden as well were being drawn into other peoples' wars. Undoubtedly sympathizing with the Finns, had to stay on their good behavior or risk reprisals from Germany. That was why Per Albin Hansson,



PER ALBIN HANSSON Sweden sympathized, but . . .

Swedish premier, had to refuse Finland's plea for direct military aid. The Finns, meanwhile, were sagging badly, surrendering key posts on the Mannerheim line before Russia's relentless attack.

(But Mannerheim losses were partially POLITICS: equalized by gains elsewhere. Northeast of Lake Ladoga, the high command announced, 18,000 Red soldiers have been killed or captured, wiping out the entire eighteenth division.)

Oslo had an even hotter potato in its hands. Attacking Germany's prison ship Altmark within Norwestroyer had rescued the prisoners and scooted for home while Nazi crewmen fled to the interior. Angry notes were exchanged, Norway finally calling its parliament to decide on a course of action. Why, asked London, had Altmark been allowed within Norwegian territorial waters? Why, asked Berlin, had Norway failed to protect Altmark from the British?

Talking back boldly for a small power, brave Norway bluntly told the British that the Altmark case would probably be protested to the League of Nations "or some other tribunal." Nor was there much doubt that Norway was within her

In the West

There was no action between the Maginot and Siegfried lines, but the Altmark incident stirred up reprisals at sea. Britain seized two Nazi merchant ships carrying manganese from Spain. Down to Davey Jones' locker went Britain's destroyer Daring with a loss of 157 lives. This was the sixth destroyer Britain has lost thus far, and brought her total fleet losses to 25 vessels.

In the Near East

Little more was heard of the 100,000 British colonial troops landed recently at Suez and dispersed throughout the troubled Near East.

TREND

How the wind is blowing . .

LABOR-New York's Sen. Robert Wagner has urged creation of a federal mediation board to settle all types of strikes.

CAPITAL-Seeking a "voice for the employer in national labor legislation," the successful Associated Employers of Oregon will sponsor a meeting in Spokane on March 26 pointing the way for a national or-

BANKING-After 80 years of private banking, the venerable New York house of Morgan will become a public corporation April 1.

RAILROADS-Effective March 24, eastern U. S. railroads will lower | ied quite a few Democratic tenets, basic passenger coach fares to 2 cents per mile. Present fare: 21/2

FINANCE-Britain's treasury has requisitioned private British holdings of 60 U. S. securities, seeking funds for purchase of war materials

hoard report indicated that volume dropped from 128 last December to 120 in January, indicating a definite faltering in industry's pace

Titor, not "restrictive" U. S. regulation of business; (7) a farm prohave made it possible for belligerents to talk to one another incessantly, directly on the fighting lines

Already submarine torpedoes are
far less successful in destroying siding with Germany.

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But Russian frontiers of Turkey, India, Afghanistan and Persia were While Franklin Roosevelt was still guarded closely against a possible Red thrust. Biggest surprise came from Turkey, where the government suddenly applied the national defense law and assumed virtual dictatorial powers. Meanwhile the Ankara press warned civilians that, as non-belligerent allies of Britain and France, Turks must be ready for a "supreme effort this spring."

CONGRESS:

Trade Pacts

Foreign policy held congressional attention as the house ways and means committee reported favorably a resolution to extend for three Stockholm and Oslo governments | years the administration's reciprocal trade program. The program itself was no issue, for Glenn Frank's G. O. P. planning committee okayed the low tariff idea in principle one day before the house took up the resolution (See POLITICS). Instead, G. O. P. lined against Democrat on an amendment which would force senate ratification of each trade pact. At present the administration can make pacts without congressional approval.

Meanwhile congressional economy advocates cheered house passage of the \$965,779,000 naval appropriations bill, which was \$111,700,000 below President Roosevelt's budget estimate. In all, this meant house and senate had cut about \$270,000,000 from budget estimates, leading Kentucky's Sen. Alben Barkley to remark that he thought new taxes could be avoided. (President Roosevelt had asked a \$460,000,000 for 'emergency" defense costs.)

Biggest problem before the senate was the agriculture appropriation bill, from which the house had slashed \$66,000,000. The farm bloc wanted this cut restored, also wanted \$225,000,000 for parity payments. If this program goes through, the economies thus far would be nulli-

G. O. P. in the Saddle

By late February enthusiastic Republicans had taken the political ball completely away from the Democrats, who rested insecurely on their laurels. At Washington, the G. O. P. national committee heard gian territorial waters, a British de- | Chairman John D. M. Hamilton announce he would welcome a chance to whip Franklin Roosevelt in the 1940 campaign. Then the committee decided to hold its convention in Philadelphia on June 24. Next day, at Miami, Democratic Chairman Jim Farley hurriedly set July 15 as date for his Democratic convention.

Republicanism had more enthusiasm than originality. Col. Robert R. McCormick, publisher of the Chicago Tribune, (which hates the New Deal to death), dragged out the moth-eaten red herring in a speech at Jackson, Mich., birthplace of the



GLENN FRANK Not entirely critical.

Republican party. Colonel McCormick saw Communism in everything he looked at, censorship in the U.S. The Russian army is poorly organmails and an open conspiracy be- ized, poorly equipped and suffers tween the White House and the from bad generalship. Kremlin.

More sanity characterized the G. O. P. program committee's 116page report, prepared by a 200-man Russian assault for more than three | mobilized against the U-boats. strategy body under Dr. Glenn Frank, former president of the University of Wisconsin. Criticized were (1) pump priming; (2) emer- and Siegfried lines would be simigency monetary powers; (3) legis- larly invulnerable to attack. And lative control over wages and hours; (4) the U. S. housing program; (5) government competition with busi- land, the forces lined up on both ness, and (6) the New Deal power

program. The committe's proposals embodindicating how far the G. O. P. has swung away from rock-bound conservatism. Proposals: (1) return of gold standard; (2) 20 per cent cut in federal expenses, and a balanced budget by 1942; (3) amendments to the Wagner act; (4) a reciprocal trade program to safeguard agricul-INDUSTRY-A federal reserve ture; (5) improvements and expanboard report indicated that volume sion of social security; (6) "protec-of U. S. industrial production tive," not "restrictive" U. S. regula-

KALTENBORN SAYS: -

Enemies Stalemated After 6 Months Because Defense Outshines Offense

By H. V. KALTENBORN Noted Radio Commentator.

AT THE end of the first six months of war we find that the major belligerents have not yet begun to fight, while the major neutral powers have begun to fight for peace. Small wonder that the late Senator Borah called this a "phoney"

Only in Finland is there a major military effort and mighty Soviet Russia does not even admit that she has gone to war against little Finland. When the war began no one expected Soviet Russia to participate in military opera-tions and no one expected Finland to be invaded. On the other hand, everyone expected an immediate air-raid by hundreds of bombingplanes on the capitals of Europe, and for weeks the headlines spoke of the coming big offensives on the Maginot and Siegfried lines. Neither the raids nor the offensives developed during the first half-year of fighting. Why?

Defense Is Major Factor.

The primary reason is that in modern war, defense is stronger than offense. The war in Spain showed the world that air attack on large cities is tremendously deis not likely to be decisive. The expense in planes, fuel, bombs and aviators who do not return is apt to offset the military advantages gained in any mass bombing flight. And the effect on neutral opinion of | bels orders said. the killing of thousands of women and children, together with the destruction of historic monuments in cities far away from any actual fighting zone, might well be disas-

The fear of such wholesale airraids led France and Britain to surrender at Munich. Now, after a year and a half of additional intensive preparation for air-defense, they no longer fear German attack. They are prepared to meet it and could make it so costly that it would probably not be repeated. The successagainst the most highly concentrated Soviet military effort showed the strength of defense fortifications in modern war.

Why Poland Was Weak.

The two great surprises of this | Central Powers in 1918. war so far have been Poland's weakness and Finland's strength. Poland's weakness arose from a lack of national unity and domination of the government of Poland was nei- efforts of three small British cruis-

THE AUTHOR—

political independence.

Just as the failure of Poland's de-

fense plan undermined morale, the

plan of defense has given tremen-

dous encouragement to the army,

the people and the government. But

the success of the German blitzkrieg

against Poland and the failure of

Russia's blitzkrieg against Finland

depended primarily on the differ-

ence between the attacking armies.

The German army was well organ-

ized, well equipped, well directed.

Western Lines Invulnerable.

Already Finland's Mannerheim

line has withstood an overwhelming

months. It is apparent, therefore,

that the much more completely or-

ganized and much deeper Maginot

sides of the French frontier are

practically equal in fighting strength.

In considering the progress of this

war, we are too much inclined to

dwell on military factors. Yet dur-

ing this first half-year the military

front has been less important than

the diplomatic front and the eco-

nomic front. There has even been a

more continuous exchange of am-

munition on the propaganda front

than between the fighting armies

H. V. Kaltenborn attained eminence in the

radio news field during the European crisis last

autumn, when his frequent and accurate re-

ports over the Columbia network were awaited

each day by millions of listeners. A native of

Wisconsin, he worked many years on the

Brooklyn Eagle before entering the radio news

field as a sideline in 1922. For more than 30

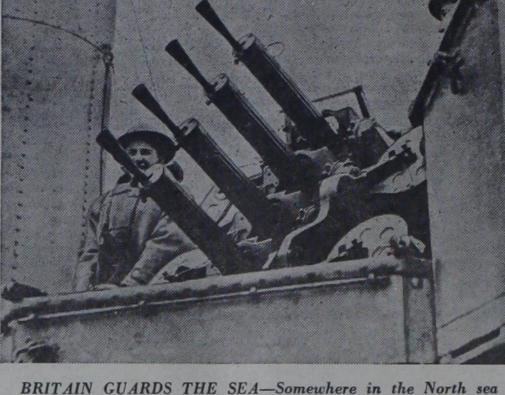
years he has been a keen student of interna-

tional politics, a background which makes his

extemporaneous analyses over CBS among the

most accurate heard by the American audience

today. His famous broadcast from a haystack



BRITAIN GUARDS THE SEA-Somewhere in the North sea a multiple anti-aircraft gun aboard a British mine sweeper watches for enemy raiders.

Nazi leaders are apprehensive about casualties in the propaganda battle. structive, but it also showed that it | They impose severe punishment on | anyone who listens to a foreign broadcast. The British and French, on the other hand, have enough confidence in their people to permit them to listen to whatever Dr. Goeb-

More Activity on Sea.

At sea, a war of movement has been possible. This is why there has been much more activity at sea than on land. Britain's control of the sea has again demonstrated its importance. The German fleet is bottled up. Except for submarines, the German navy and the German Merchant Marine have been swept from the seas.

The Near Eastern Franco-British the leadership of General Weygandt | submarine is lost, the entire crew is now waiting in Syria, ready for is lost with it, and it takes five ful defense of the Mannerheim line instant action against Russia or Ger- years to train men to handle a submany in any part of the Balkans. | marine under war conditions. This army may yet prove the decisive military factor in this war. Allied victories in Palestine and Turkey presaged the collapse of the

Germany's commerce - raiders were swept from the seas much more quickly than during the World war. The Graf Spee lies wrecked the illiterate masses by an aristo- in Montevideo harbor after being cratic caste. In the larger sense, put out of action by the combined

or indirectly through the air-waves. | netic mine sown by the Germans proved very destructive for the first few weeks in which it was used. Then more effective mine-sweeping methods and the establishment of narrow ship-channels which were carefully patrolled reduced the successes of Germany's mine-laying airplanes.

British Also Unsuccessful.

On the other hand, the British have been no more successful in their raids against the German navy. Both German and British submarines have destroyed an occasional warship, but these forays have been costly to the submarines attempting them. The British and French claim to have sunk between 40 and 50 German submarines since the beginning of the war. The Germans admit the loss of less than army of half a million men under half this number. Yet whenever a

Talk about the Germans building one submarine a day is nothing more than talk. It is more likely that the Germans are completing anywhere from six to ten U-boats a month, which is just about the rate at which they are being destroyed.

Already Planning for Peace.

There is, then, nothing decisive in action at sea or in the air. Defense is stronger than attack. But what about the economic front? That is probably the most important front of all and the one that will be dominant long after the war has ended. Already Secretary of State Hull is negotiating with the neutral powers to work out a plan of economic reconstruction. The plan must be ready for instant application on the day of the armistice if Europe is not to sink in to chaos when the fighting ends.

Every country in Europe, neutral and belligerent alike, has mortgaged its future. Only if the New world remains out of the war and stands ready to lend its resources for European reconstruction is there any hope of true peace. Europe was ready for revolution before the war came and will be much more ready for it when the war is done.

What After Collapse?

France and Britain count on economic pressure to bring about the collapse of Germany, but one wonders whether they have asked themselves, what then? Will they march into Germany at the head of a victorious army, establish a new Kaiser and a new Junker government? Or will they stand aside while Germany's underground Communist movement re-asserts itself and calls out for assistance to the Red brethren in Moscow?

There is the third possibility of organizing those liberal forces that have either been driven out of Germany or driven under cover within Germany, and helping them to reestablish constitutional government by granting them a generous peace. That would be the hardest task.

Rumania Under Pressure.

Meanwhile, there is more pressure behind the economic than behind the military war. Members of the Rumanian government are being bribed, bulldozed, flattered and cajoled by both sides. Both are seeking to purchase Rumania's oil and Rumania's grain. Each wants it so that the other cannot have it. The French and British offer gold, the Germans threaten war. So far. King Carol has kept a precarious balance; Britain and France continue to guarantee his frontiers and King Carol remembers the Blitzkrieg against Poland. Poland had been given the same guarantees.

On the diplomatic front, the Allied powers won their greatest victory in winning Turkey to their cause. This gives them control of the Dardanelles and the Black Sea,



HERE is a new department that we know is going to meet with tremendous popularity with our readers, for it brings you the opportunity of combining pleasure and profit. With jig, coping or keyhole saw, you may cut these designs from wallboard, plywood or thin lumber. Each pattern brings accurate outline of the design, and complete directions for making or painting.

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Order numbers Z9067 and Z9068, 15 cents each, from: Aunt Martha, Box 166-W, Kansas City, Mo.

Success in One's Aims

Success lies not in achieving what you aim at, but in aiming at what you ought to achieve, and pressing forward, sure of achieve-ment here, or if not here, hereafter .- R. F. Horton.

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When constipation brings on acid indigestion, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, coated tongue, sour taste, and bad breath, your stomach is probably loaded up with certain undigested food and your bowels don't move. So you need both Pepsin to help break up fast that rich undigested food in your stomach, and Laxative Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels. So be sure your laxative also contains Pepsin. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative, because in Syrup Pepsin helps you gain that wonderfulstomach comfort, while the Laxative Senna moves your bowels. Tests prove the power of Pepsin to dissolve those lumps of undigested protein food which may linger in your stomach, to cause belching, gastric acidity and nausea. This is how pepsinizing your stomach helps relieve it of such distress. At the same time this medicine wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your bowels to relieve your constipation. So see how much better you feel by taking the lazative that also puts Pepsin to work on that stomach discomfort, too. Even finicky children love to taste this pleasant family lazative. Buy Dr. Caldwell's Lazative—Senna with Syrup Pepsin at your druggist today!

In the Name of Fashion

Fashion-a word which knaves and fools may use, their knavery and folly to excuse.-Churchill.

THE AWFUL PRICE YOU PAY

Read These Important Facts!

Quivering nerves can make you old, haggard, cranky—can make your life a nightmare of jealousy, self pity and "the blues."

Often such nervousness is due to female functional disorders. So take famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to help calm unstrung nerves and lessen functional "irregularities." For over 60 years reliefgiving Pinkham's Compound has helped tens of thousands of grandmothers, mothers and daughters "in time of need." Try ill

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Ours to Guide Our thoughts and our conduct

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

ther popular nor efficient. The Fin- | ers. The Deutschland, her sister nish people are literate, sturdy and | pocket-battleship, thought it best to possess a strong sense of social and | return to a safe German harbor.

in Spain is the first radio description of actual warfare on record.

During last autumn's crisis he literally lived at the CBS studios in

New York, prepared to go on the air at a moment's notice.

Nazis Stress U-Boat Warfare.

But raiding with surface ships is a minor factor in Germany's sea success of Finland's well-organized | warfare against Britain and France. The Germans remembered how close they came to forcing a decision with their submarines during the World war. They had from 60 to 75 submarines ready when the war began. For the first few weeks of the war, they used these to excellent advantage.

Then the protective measures which Britain developed during the World war and since became effective. The larger ships were sent out in convoy; airplane patrols were created; minefields against submarines were established and all the resources of the British navy were

On the whole, they have proved effective. In six months, the British have lost 550,000 tons of merchant ships. At the same time, the French lost 75,000 tons and the neutrals 350,whereas Russia has a superiority of 000 tons. This makes a total of a something like 20 to 1 against Fin- little over 1,000,000 tons.

Losses Not Important.

But nothing in these losses produced by mines and submarines even suggests the possibility of a decisive result. The British merchant marine alone totals 21,000,000 tons. The British claim that deducting from their losses purchases and new construction, their net loss in six months of warfare has been less than 200,000 tons. It is also probable that the losses will decrease rather than increase, since in case of war with Russia. It also at sea as well as on land defense is



WASHINGTON.-In a debate with Ernie Weir, Harold Ickes said, "If anyone thinks that tonight I am going to be the bull throwing himself that I have just seen a Disney pic-

Harold. In a recent radio debate with me he was so sweet and gentle



Ickes more mellow, thinks Johnson.

that I couldn't be otherwise. It sounded more like a necking party than a robust combat.

The audience almost began stamping and whistling "Waltz Me Around Again Willie" and I was afraid the referee would call it no contest.

And now this-"Ferdinand the Bull sniffing flowers!" This is the same sweet Ick who once argued that people who did not agree with him had "mental halitosis." Of this very infirmity his own expressions were such forgetful symptoms in himself that if he had then "sniffed" any flowers, he could have wilted them at forty rods. He was the prize bull thrower in public life. Very happy matrimony of this lusty old sourdough has worked such wonders that he seems to be going sissy on us.

> MR. ROOSEVELT'S PEEVISHNESS

NEW YORK CITY.-Mr. Roosevelt needs a rest. For a long time it has been easy to see that this 1940 campaign is going to be a sizzler. It is steaming up even before it gets

Franklin Roosevelt will be the a candidate or not.

official family to rise knee-high to along and fill out one with me?" his own stature.

If any did, he either cracked it Vague," does not profess to be too down or sewed it up in a sock and dropped it into the Bosphorus-as the sultans did with any harem favorite who got gay. He, more than any policy or association of his, will be the object of attack-especially if he runs for a third term.

Franklin can give a good account of himself in any battle, so long as he has the upper hand and is in his usual mental and physical pink of

These latter qualifications are important. In his fighting record as President, except for setbacks on issues not involving his own defeat, he has always had the upper hand and from that position fought zest-fully and well. In his earlier political record he was far more cautious and timid.

Whether he will enter this new battle, as in 1936, with the enemy on the run is too early to tell. We don't know what the opposing champion and platform will look like, and that is of utmost importance in judging the quality of the coming fight.

The second factor in judging this quality has already been mentioned -Mr. Roosevelt's physical and mental condition. He seems to keep in excellent bodily shape. He has the arms and chest of a stroke-oar on a

He also has a philosophy that protects him from the mental strains of that killing office which has laid leen" on the "Ellen Randolph" ramany Presidents low. It is that, in dio program, doesn't forget her proevery minute of his working time, he gives all and the best of what he has to give to his job, that angels could do no more and therefore that he is not going to toss on a sleepless bed worrying about the

But he ought to take long and frequent vacations. Under too long a strain he tends to become fretful and snappish. It leads him to extremes of expression and biting impatience with opposing views.

Never has this been so apparent as in recent weeks-his resentment of perfectly reasonable inquiries by newspaper men about his third term intentions, the increasing acidity of his press conferences, the astonishing absurdity of his debt statement and, as a climax, his speech to the Youth Congress.

There he laid himself open to his enemies by extremes of bitter and untrue statements about the past prosperity of the United States, the accomplishments of his own administration and the right of assemblies to pass resolutions on things they "don't know anything about." His own views are "simple facts." Op- fession when asking the ever-impor-

to take him apart just as the debt

- ALW AYS A BRIDESMAID? -

Leap Year Day Suggestions Will Cure a Broken Heart—Maybe!

ONFUCIUS say: "Little man who wasn't there

-lucky this year." The wise old Chinese philosopher had Leap Year in mind-open season on eligible bachelors every-

Softened by four years of comparative safety, the single man is around this ring, like my friend parative safety, the single man is Hugh Johnson, let me remind him easy game for feminine wiles on Leap Year day-February 29-cliture. If there's a bull fight tonight, | max of the year-long man-hunt. Of I'm going to be Ferdinand sniffing course the season will continue for 10 months more, but the best hunt-I don't know what's getting into resses will have discharged their quiver of arrows on that day.

Rules for hunting? Confucius had little to say on that score. He leaves it to the individual. Some prefer the direct attack; others would sooner stalk their game in roundabout fashion. For example:

Mary Martin, who made famous the song, "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," prefers the musical ap-



Fanny Brice, the famed Baby Snooks, has her own course of action. Here's how she would go about winning a decision: "Look, darling, this is Leap Year. For months I've been thinking about you. Let's get married so I can forget you."

proach. "I'd probably sing something like 'I Love You Truly,' or 'Wonderful One,' or 'Home on the Range'—the kitchen variety.'

Rosalind Russell, firm believer in center of contention-whether he is the power of suggestion, admits that "Maybe I'm wrong, but if I had to As an issue, there is no New Deal propose, I'd probably say: 'I've got except the President. He has not an appointment to take out a marpermitted any other figure in his riage license. Why don't you come

Barbara Jo Allen, radio's "Vera



Lana Turner admits that "I'd make it easy by saying 'If you happen to have an engagement ring in your pocket, you might see if it would fit my finger."

particular. Her attack: "You're a man, aren't you? Well, you're good enough for me."

Dorothy Lamour, who made a garment famous all over the world, believes, "I'd probably have to do my proposing in a sarong. If I didn't, maybe the man wouldn't recognize

Colleen Ward, who plays "Kath-



Madeleine Carroll, who will never have to, readily confesses that "I'd hem and haw around a lot, and say something like: 'Well, here I amisn't there something you'd like to

posing opinions are "unadulterated tant question: "Darling, for the He decided to annul 10 days. Octofirst time in my life I have found ber 5, 1582, was to be called Octo-It gave John Lewis an opportunity something that's more important to ber 15, 1582, and thereafter the cenme than being an actress. Instead tury years were to be considered as statement put a dynamite bomb in the hands of Tom Dewey.

of building a career I'd like to build leap years only if divisible by 400.

Released by Western Newspaper Union.



Greta Garbo, though not interviewed, would need but one approach. The words "I don't vant to be alone" would see Hollywood crowded with the nation's bachelors. And while there's Leap Year, there's hope.

am not acting now. Won't you be my leading man for life?"

Here's how other stars of screen and radio confess they would assume the prerogative and "pop the question" during Leap Year:

ELINOR POWELL: "I'd say: 'We certainly dance well together, don't we? Do you think we'd look well dancing down a church aisle togeth-

JUDY GARLAND: "I suppose I'd say: 'I've always wished I could marry Clark Gable and I think you're just like him.' '

ILONA MASSEY: "It might be best just to say: 'Do you think we ought to go to Niagara Falls when we get married?' "

PATRICIA MORISON, who holds out for the straight approach, would vary it from "May I suggest that we enter the bonds of holy matrimony?" to "Come on, guy, let's get hitched," depending upon the circumstances and the man.

OLYMPE BRADNA, who favors a quick flirtatious buildup, would follow that up with a purring "oooooh, let's get married."

JUDITH BARRETT, who has been seven consecutive pictures, admitted that "I'd rope and hog-tie the nearest male and drag him to the justice of the peace."

CONNIE BOSWELL, in admitting

that she has misgivings: "I'm a professional at singing, but an amateur at proposing, so howzabout comin' round next year?"

Leap Year? Merely A Headache for Calendar Makers

Truth Shatters Sentiment in Probing Origin of Long Year.

Leap year is an astronomical necessity. The year, or the time necessary for the earth to perform one complete revolution about the sun, nitrogen electric arc and reaches store. Now oil experts have deis exactly 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes and 451/2 seconds.

Those few hours, minutes and sec- oped by the separation and recomonds cause altogether too much bination of the two atoms of each the heavy, unwieldy shaft, thoutrouble. If we agree that our year | molecule of nitrogen as the gas | sands of feet long, which must be should contain 365 days, then each flows through the arc at a pres- capable of standing enormous succeeding year starts nearly six sure of 14,000 pounds per square stresses and temperatures. hours too early; in four years the inch. year would start a day too early. In 700 years January 1 would occur in mid-summer.

The earliest calendars were based one of the world's sootiest profeson a week of seven days. Seven sions, is a formal silk hat. was a number of magical power and a week of seven days seemed to have certain indisputable advantages. The months were principally lunar months, measured by the phases of the moon. A lunar month is 291/2 days. The ancients early learned that the seasons returned in approximately 12 months, so a year of 12 months or 354 days was insti-

With a year of 354 days the seasons shifted pretty rapidly. It became necessary to insert into the calendar or intercalate extra months. The Hebrews intercalate a month three times every cycle of 19 years, while the Greeks intercalated a month three times every eight

Caesar called in the Alexandrian astronomer, Sosigenes, to make a new calendar. He invented the year of 365 days and he made every fourth year a leap year of 366 days. This year, defined by Sosigenes, is known as the Julian year and it assumes that the year consists of 365 days and six hours. We explained at the beginning of this discussion that the year is 11 minutes and a few seconds less than this. This does not seem like a great error, but it amounts to about three days in 400 years. By the Sixteenth century the error amounted to about

In 1577 Pope Gregory XIII took up the problem earnestly and decided

AROUND THE HOUSE

When poaching eggs, let water come to a full rolling boil, drop eggs into it, turn out gas and eggs will finish poaching in the boiling water.

If a drawer runs unevenly and causes trouble in opening and shutting it is not always necessary to have recourse to the carpenter, for frequently the very simple method of rubbing a little soap on the inner edges of the drawer will overcome this difficulty.

Don't throw away bulbs grown in the house. After they are through blooming set away until leaves dry and plant in the garden in the spring. They may not bloom until the second year.

turn it through the wringer.

The Questions

1. Were the blood vessels in a

human body placed in one line,

4. When was the Mississippi

7. What portion of the Great

8. Why are bananas picked

9. What people first became civ-

10. Do Mohammedans use coffins

Ine Answers

2. No. After being exhibited in

Paris, it was taken down and

rate to the intake and outgo of

Ice age, about 20,000 years ago.

4. During the latter part of the

5. A rare fruit from Puerto Rico

6. There are 3 primary human

emotions: anger, fear, and love.

Strange Facts

18,300 Degrees Hot

Sooty Toppers

Living Submarine

The hottest man-made flame in

The traditional headgear of

chimney sweepers, members of

with a taste similar to the pine-

in which to bury their dead?

1. Over 2,000 miles.

shipped in cases.

air in the lungs.

apple and banana.

Lakes belongs to the United

how far would they reach?

getting his second wind?

a finished statue?

river formed?

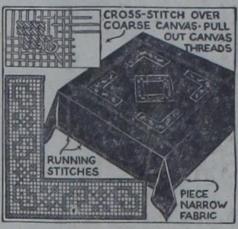
States?

green?

ilized?

emotions are there?

Ruth Wyeth Spears &



CROSS-STITCH is combined here with plain running stitches to make a smart luncheon cloth that corners of the center square. may be embroidered quickly in Save the Buttons .- The continu- coarse white embroidery thread. al ripping off of buttons by the The material may be broadcloth clothes wringer can be prevented or other smooth-finish cotton. The by folding the buttons inside the color is a deep maroon and the garment and holding it flat as you white design is very effective on this background. Deep blue or

A Quiz With Answers

Offering Information

on Various Subjects

miles on the Canadian side.

that of the Aztecs of Mexico.

wrapped only in a burial cloth.

It Takes Desperate Action

To Correct Some Conditions

excited woman, brandishing a

heavy hammer.

to do with it!"

3. An adjustment of the heart my room, where we can talk."

Into the infants school rushed an

"Where is Miss Davids?" she

The teacher named fled, fright-

ened. The principal said to the

noisy visitor: "Madam, come to

"Never! I've brought my ham-

mer and I'm going to use it!

You're going to see something!

My young rascal has ripped his

"But Miss Davids has nothing

"That's quite likely, but I'm not

going away until I've driven in the

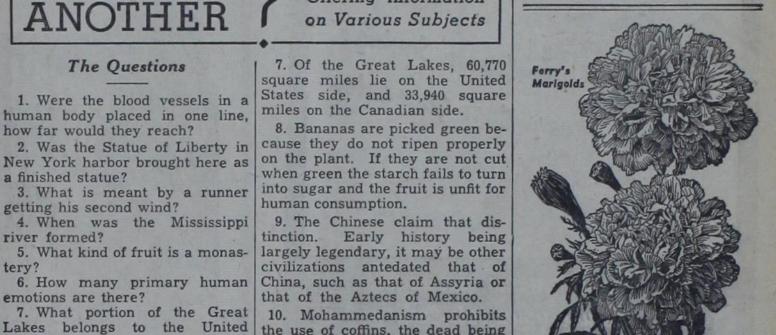
nail my boy tore himself on."

human consumption.

green are other fabric colors that are being used with white embroid-

This cloth is made of two 11/2yard lengths of 36-inch-wide material. Split one piece lengthwise through the center and join to the sides of the other piece by machine. The seams are covered by the rows of running stitches. You do not need a stamping pattern to make the cross-stitch design. Baste coarse open-mesh embroidery canvas over the material; then follow the design given here at the lower left. Repeat the corner of the design to make the four

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One method is to send down a motor which fits snugly against the sides of the well, and which can be driven by thin, steelencased wire. The other is to have a small water turbine behind the bit, and drive it by means of Although a mammal, the hippo- water and mud, pumped at high potamus is able to walk on the bot- pressure. This method is being tom of rivers and lakes and graze used in a modified form in many on the aquatic vegetation.-Col- parts of the United States and Central America.

Righting Life Right attitude and right actions, right most things, including life itself .- B. C. Forbes.

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FRUIT COCKTAIL—Tall can, 2 for ... 27c

PEAS-Concho, No. 2 can, 2 for



Demonstration Club Notes

By Special Staff Reporters

Council To Meet

The Parmer county home demonstration council will hold a regu- was recently organized at Parmerlar meeting on Saturday, March ton, according to Miss Ruth Boyd, 2nd, at the Bovina Methodist church, Parmer demonstrator. Officials inbeginning at 2:30 p. m., according clude: Mrs. Claude Blackburn, presito Miss Ruth Boyd, home demon-dent; Mrs. Giles Cobb, vice presistrator. All members of the council dent; Mrs. Laverne White, secretary-

Rhea Club

Club met Tuesday, Feb. 20th, in the nesday 28th, for the first time. home of Mrs. C. L. Calaway with 12 members present. The day was spent in quilting for the hostess. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Funeral services are being held Club business was taken care of in this (Wednesday) afternoon for Santhe afternoon by the president, Mrs. dra Carol, 7-month-old daughter of Ralph Wilson. The club also met Feb. 23rd at the club house and canned 126 quarts of beef and chicken lahoma Lane Methodist church. The to be given to the needy, being divid- baby died in a Lubbock hospital, ed equally between Friona, Bovina, Monday afternoon.

and Farwell. The beef, chicken and vegetables were donated by members. The club will meet March 5 in the home of Mrs. Travis Brown for an all-day meeting. Miss Boyd will give a demonstration in the afternoon on "Good Housing of Poultry." All members are urged to be present and visitors are invited.

Parmerton Club Organized

A new home demonstration club are asked to be present at this time. treasurer; and Mrs. G. H. Brock, council representative. Around 12 members are enrolled. Miss Boyd will The Rhea Home Demonstration meet with the group today, Wed-

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10c Per pound CHEESE 19c Per pound .

GROCERY AND LINE MARKET

Livestock Show-

(Continued from Page 1)

Class 4, Berkshire; 4b, Chester- March 1, 1939) White and O. I. C.; 4c, Duroc-Jersey; 4d, Hampshire; 4e, Poland-China; 4f, Spotted Poland-fore March 1, 1939) China. Class 5-Bred Gilt (weighing 160

lbs. or more)

Class 5a, Berkshire; 5b, Chester White and O. I. C .: 5c. Duroc-Jersey; 5d, Hampshire; 5e, Poiand-China; 5f, Spotted Poland-China.

Class 6-Bred Sow (any age) Class 6a, Berkshire; 6b, Chester White and O. I. C.; 6c, Duro-Jersey; 6d, Hampshire; 6e, Poland-China; 6f, Spotted Poland-

Beef Calf Division Class 10-Fat Calf (all breeds competing).

Dairy Heifer Calf Division Class 20-Junior Heifer (calved after March 1, 1939)

20c, Milking Shorthorn. before March 1, 1939)

Class 21a, Holstein; 21b, Jersey 21c, Milking Shorthorn.

Dairy Bull Calf Division Class 22-Junior Bull (calved after

Class 22a, Holstein; 22b, Jersey 22c, Milking Shorthorn. Class 23-Senior Bull (calved be-

Class 23a, Holstein; 23b, Jersey 23c, Milking Shorthorn.

Sheep Division Class 30-Fat Lambs.

Class 30a, Rambouillet, 30b, Muttons (all others). Class 31-Pen Fat Lambs (3 in

Class 31a, Rambouillet; 31b

Muttons (all others). A complete list of the prizes, other than the traditional ribbons, along with names of donors, will be found in the next issue of this paper.

TO BRAODCAST SUNDAY

The Oklahoma Lane Singing Class will broadacst over KICA, Sunday Class 20a, Holstein; 20b, Jersey; afternoon, March 3rd, from 3:15 to 3:45, Texas time. The program will Class 21-Senior Heifer (calved consist of class singing and quartet

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Texico Grade Team Wins Second Rating

The Texico grade school team of cage players came through with ced by McCuistion. flying colors the last weekend, at the The homemaking department, dily to lose the last game of the meet clothes, and will conduct a special to Grady, by a count of 26-8.

quintet, the locals were easily super- ing table.

the locals, 13-14. Playing in the fin- in place until 4 p. m. Seniors Lose to Bellview

running in the semi-final game Sat- was forthcoming this morning. urday, when they took a cat-nap in Premiums Offered view to come from behind and grab vision of the show is as follows:

down for the local fans, when the each. Texico players, after leading Bell- HOGS: view through two quarters, relaxed Sow with litter-first prize, \$1.50; their vigilance and an inspired Bell- second \$1; third, ribbon. view team would not be denied its Bred or lopen sow-first prize, \$1;

Prior to this match, the Texico Gilt-first prize \$1; second, 75c; boys had met Hollene Friday after- third, ribbon. of both fans and players, when Tex- third, ribbon. ico, after trailing for the major part | POULTRY: ing by one point, 25-24.

Hollene one point ahead, Texico got ing prizes: a chance for a free shot and before Pen-first prize 75c; second 25c; taking it called time, with the result third, 25c. foul for too many times out. How- 25c; third, ribbon. and Hollene remained in the lead. In third, ribbon, the last minutes, J. D. Thompson SHEEP: Texico into a precarious lead, which cond, 50c; third, ribbon.

Second String Also Loses The second string of the local DAIRY CATTLE: noon, when Bowers put Texico in the ond, \$1.50; third, \$1. overtime period of the game. Score 50c; third, 25c. at the conclusion of the fourth quar- In the girls' division the exhibits ter was 11-11, and the game went will be divided as follows: into its sixth period before the tie Canned foods-vegetables, fruits,

However, with only a scant hour to one pint each, ribbons to winners. gin, 28-12, when they contested the latter two classes, ribbons as Melrose quintet. Experiencing a prizes slump after the afternoon's hair- Program for the Day raiser, the locals were never able to The complete program for the get going, and Melrose won hands day follows:

ATTENDS DENVER MEET

Fay Maxey, local dealer for the 12 noon, Lunch. new Ford tractors, attended a deal- 1 p. m., judging sheep, judging of PRESERVES—Strawberry, 1/2 gal. jar 73c ers' meeting in Denver, Colo, the clothing, etc. first of the week. He made the trip 2 p. m., judging calves, demon-in company with Mr. Williams, a stration on grooming by homemaking

Project Show-

(Continued from page 1) serve as general superintendent of the show, Saturday, it was announ-

Curry county tournament in Clovis, rected by Miss Eunice Graham, will when they advanced to the finals on- exhibit canned foods, prepared foods, grooming demonstration, stressing hair styles and manicures, as well as in a match against the Blacktower table, and arrangements for a dress-

ior, taking the game by a final count | The rules include: exhibitor must of 20-2. In their next clash, the Tex- be a member of F. H. T.; entry must ico players met Pleasant Hill, also be work accomplished since June, [1939, by person entering exhibit Advancing to the semi-finals, Tex- entry must be accompanied by ico finally took a hard match in an name, date, made, use or purposc overtime period against Melrose, (if educational); entries must be in when a free shot meant victory for place by 9:30 Saturday, and remain

al game against a towering Grady Miss Ruth Boyd, county demonsquad, the youngsters were too ex-strator, will act as judge in the girls' hausted from their afternoon's en-division of the show. Miss Graham counter to make much of a showing, said today. It was considered probable that J. T. Gee, of the Friona ag Upsetting the hopes of all concern-department, would judge the boys' ed, the local seniors went out of the exhibits, but no definite information

the third period and allowed Bell- The premium list for the boys' di-

a lead which they never relinquished. FAT CALVES (No division of breeds)-first prize \$3; second \$2; The game was definitely a let-third, fourth, fifth, and sixth, \$1

second, 75c; third, ribbon.

noon, in a game that tried the mettle | Fat pig—first prize \$1; second 75c;

of the game, staged a rally in the Each breed will be rated for first

last three minutes to come out lead- places, with ribbons going to the winners. The winners will then enter With only two minutes to play, and all-breed competition for the follow-

that they were assesed a technical Cockerel-first prize 50c; second.

ever, both players missed their tries | Hen-first prize, 50c; second, 25c;

looped a field goal through to forge | Fine wool ewe-first prize \$1; sethey held for the remaining seconds. Mutton type ewe-first prize, \$1;

second, 50c; third, ribbon. school won a thriller Friday after- Dairy cow-first prize, \$2:50; sec-

lead over Field, 13-11, in a second Heifer-first prize, 75c; second,

meats, preserves, jelly, pickles, etc.,

rest between games, the locals lost Prepared floods—cakes, cookies in the semi-finals by a wide mar- and biscuits, three or four each of

10 a. m., judging poultry, judging prepared and canned food exhibits. 11 a. m., judging hogs, judging homemaking educational exhibits.

department.