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## Merit System Everywhere

Any citizen who has observed the evils of the spoils system will endorse Attorney General William McCraw's stand
that civil service is needed in the state government.
As the attorney general has pointed out, officials must spend a large part of their time denyng applications for
places at the pie-counter. This time would not be wasted places at the pie-counter. This time would not be wasted and weleeting public workers pplicely with reference to abil-
ity and honesty. But under the spoils system, appointive officers and
those who hire routine employes are often chiefly interested those who hire routine employes are often chiffly interested
in rewarding persons who have helped them, or who car'be
depended upon to help them, stay in office. It is periodically charged that most of the legislators
have relatives on the state payroll, and there are plenty of
instences, too, where county officials are equally solicitous for kinsmen and political friends. This applies mainly, of may be that the employes are in many cases competent,
if such is the case, the fact is due only to accident. There is a widespread clamor for extension and improve
ment of the federal civil service; a clamor, we think, that
should be rewarded. Certainly the vast should be rewarded. Certainly the vast expansion of fed-
eral agencies and the resultant employment of thousandscof government workers call for a merit system.
But for some reason the public has been slow to demand the merit system in state and local government. This may
be true because every community has scores of citizens wha be true because every community has scores of citizens who
are at the pie-counter-with jobs, privileges or some special
consideration - because consideration - because of politics, or who expect to get
such favors after the next election.
One West Texas city not long ago made an attempt at installation of a merit system. Its plan never got very far, largely because there was no public pressure for it
Those already feeding at the public trough were loath to see changes made, and they, with their friends, constituted group that made itself heard.
.Talking civil service in the federil government is all very
well. But the same talk can be directed at other points in
our system of government.

## Man About Manhattan

By GEORGF TUCKER.
NEW YORK - An intended report on the contrat
 weighty matter.
To begin with, I was hurriedly shaving the other night,
pausing between razor-strokes only long enough to arrest pausing between razor-strokes only long enough to arrest an important looking telegram beneath the door. Wednesday or Thursday. Maude.'
All of which was very nice except for one thing-I don't
know anybody named Maude. Personally, the only Maudes me, and a lady donkey that used to kick things around in the comic strips.
Later, still brooding over the incident, I attended a the
ater and was quietly smoking in the lobby when Erin Obrien-Moore and a party of friends
George," she called....This made me fe
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recognized by a pretty like that.
A moment later she turned and seemed dumbfounded a finding me there..."Why, George, darling,", she cried
"how are you!". Maybe she didn't see me the first time
or was that another wire from Made? $r$ was that another wire from Maude?

A note from Senor Sam Blake reveals a mild earthquak
which took place recently in the office of Jack Warner, mo When Errol Flynn returned from Spain, after being af-
egedly struck by a bullet, he avoided Warner until he had legedly struck by a bullet, he avoided Warner until he had
made a careful visit to the make-up department. The art ist quickly devised a horrible looking scar across Flynn's face. Then, assuming a shell-shocked attitude, the ator
hurried into the producer's office. Warner took one glance at his star and was horrified. "You"ought to be whipped," he groaned, berating him furiously for ruining his face and
a lot of contracts. Oh," said Flynn airily, "my doctor has told me what
to do." With that he whipped out a hanky and disposed of
the scar with one swipe. His boss almost fainted the scar with one swipe. His boss almost fainted with re.
lief. But, they say, he probably, will never be the same
again.

One of the most picturesque restaurants in New York walls, There is a picture of a banquet scene beneath ith sea, with all of the noted characters who were drowned tellchings to eat. Another shows a sweep of landscape, with blo stones.
This is a small, out-of-the-way place not far from the
vater-front and caters to sea-faring men who have a tooth for sea food, However, the proprietor is a landlubber. He
has never had his foot in anything larger than a Hudson <br> \section*{and} <br> \section*{and}
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