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GEORGE OF ENGLAND IS DEATH AS ENTIRE WORLD DUSLY WATCHES CONDITION

By United Press LONDON, England, Jan. 18.—George was gravely ill with bronchial catarrh, weakness of the heart and eminent doctors fought...

Liquor Laws Are Being Enforced Control Head Says

By United Press AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—Convictions give proof the state liquor laws really are being enforced, Chairman D. B. Henson of the state liquor control board today said.

Former Rising Star School Man Gets Pen Term Reduction

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—Gov. James V. Allred has reduced the sentence of J. D. Conner, former superintendent of schools at Rising Star, who is under three sentences totaling 15 years for extortion.

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Four Are Killed In Alabama Tornado

FORT PAYNE, Ala., Jan. 18.—Four persons were killed when a tornado struck Fayette, Ala., a small community near here today.

Work, Plenty to Eat' Given As Reason of Long Life of Mrs. Susan E. Steel Who Passed 95 Years Saturday

Hard work and plenty of food Mrs. Susan Steel, 95, of Eastland, who died Saturday, said were the reason for her long life.

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that reminds me...

Eastland and North Eastern bankers will put a test upon the validity of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation which guarantees the deposits of individuals in any bank that is a member up to \$5,000.

There is a decided lull in the movement of the peanut crop of this section and it has retarded circulation of money that is much in need of being circulated.

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BULLDOGS ARE WINNERS OVER MAVS 16 TO 14

Ranger barely nosed out the Eastland Mavericks in the first cage encounter between the two schools Friday night at Ranger by a score of 16 to 14.

Ranger took a slight lead early in the game and the first quarter ended with the score 6 to 2 in favor of Ranger.

Cisco Well Shows Producing Signs

Topping the gas sand at 3,215 and touching the oil sand at 3,226 feet, the E. E. Parson and A. A. Wisdom No. 1 Gus Wende, six miles south of Cisco, was known to be a producer Saturday.

SLEET, SNOW COVER ALMOST ENTIRE STATE

Sleet and snow pelted North Texas tonight as winter's bitterest blizzard struck the Southwest. Temperatures dropped from the warmth Friday to a low of 12 degrees above here at Amarillo.

Brother of Cisco, Eastland Residents Was Ill at Houston

In response to a message telling of the critical illness of their brother, L. V. Hoek, Miss Faye Hoek of Eastland and Mrs. M. Turner of Cisco left Friday night for Houston.

Jurists of Appeal Court Attend Bar Meet In Fort Worth

Justices of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals, W. P. Leslie, O. C. Funderburk, and Clyde Grisom, were guests at a reception and banquet of the Fort Worth and Tarrant County Bar Association in honor of the supreme court at Fort Worth Saturday night.

Woman Convicted of Murder of Her Son

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Dorothy Sherwood, 27, former showgirl, who drowned her two-year-old son "rather than see him starve," was convicted of first degree murder late today.

TAXATION AND EXPENDITURES

By N. S. HOLLAND, Breckenridge, and Lewis B. Cooper, Research Department, T.S.T.A.

The following is an address delivered by N. S. Holland before a joint meeting of the Lions and Rotary clubs of Ranger Wednesday afternoon, and which is being reproduced in full at the request of several who heard the talk:

Taxation and Expenditures

The federal government, the states and their local political subdivisions have the power to tax and to create debts. In each of these divisions of government a portion of the sovereign power of democracy resides; each is engaged in levying taxes, sometimes a bewildering number of taxes.

B. P. W. Official to Address Eastland Organization



MRS. JOHN G. SIMS, JR.

State and district officials of the Texas Federation Business and Professional Women's Clubs will participate in the meeting at 6:45 p. m. at the home of Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite where the Eastland organization will receive its charter.

Appraisal of G. W. Fisher Estate Has Approval of Court

An estate of \$3,997.50 was shown in an appraisal of property of G. W. Fisher filed in county clerk's office last week.

91st District Judge Appoints Jury Group

R. V. Galloway of Ranger, L. A. Harrison of Cisco and Frank Lovett of Eastland have been appointed by Judge George L. Davenport as jury commissioners for the February term of 91st District Court.

PASSAGE OF BABY BOND BONUS BY SENATE AWAITED WITH THE OUTCOME ALMOST CERTAIN NOW

Mrs. S. J. Adams to Be Buried Today at Bullock Cemetery

Funeral services for Mrs. S. J. Adams, better known among her many friends as Grandma Adams, will be conducted at Bullock this afternoon at 2:30 with Rev. G. W. Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger conducting the services.

Agent's Office to Be Open On Full Time Basis Now

The county agent's office will be open all week-days in the future, County Agent C. Metz Heald announced Saturday.

Colony P.-T.A. Meets In a Study Session

The Colony P.-T.A. met Thursday afternoon in an interesting study session, "The Library" was discussed from two viewpoints.

Sponsors of Boys 4-H Clubs of Are to Formulate Year's Work Plan at Eastland on Wednesday

One of three meetings for formulation of boys 4-H clubs plans for this year in District 7 of the extension service has been called for Wednesday in Eastland by C. E. Bowles, district agent, of College Station.

HOFFMAN TO START PROBE OF BRUNO'S CASE

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 18.—Gov. Harold Hoffman is starting his huge scale campaign to solve the Lindbergh case, it was learned tonight, without a single new clue.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The senate drifted toward a vote to authorize payment of \$2,370,000,000 soldier bonus tonight, but so certain was the measure of passage it was almost ignored in a fiery debate of the munitions inquiry.

Senator Gerald Nye, fighting for the life of the inquiry he has headed, was challenged by Senator James Byrnes, Dem., S. C., to a vote Monday on whether funds necessary to continue the investigation will be voted.

Only occasionally did the debate shift to the matter actually under consideration, the question of voting immediate payment of the bonus through baby bonds.

With a certainty that only a handful of votes would be cast against the measure which Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau estimated would add \$2,600,000,000 to the gross public debt, attention centered on the munitions fight.

The bonus was forgotten. The senate was primed to pass the bonus bill and all were aware of that.

Senator Bennett Clark, Dem., Mo., hands in the pockets of his gray suit, declared the "address" delivered yesterday by 78-year-old Carter Glass, Dem., Va., "not only justifies but requires an answer" to charges that he and Senator Nye had "besmirched" former President Wilson's memory.

Clark said he did not intend to keep the senate long from the bonus bill. "I regret that Senator Glass saw fit to use his unrivaled power of invective and abuse against an individual member of this body rather than proceed in a calm and dispassionate manner," Clark said.

Mother-Teacher Club At Morton Valley Hears Home Agent

Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, addressed members of the Morton Valley Parent-Teacher Association last week on 4-H Clubs. Mrs. Duke Weimers delivered a talk on "Thrift."

Substitute AAA Urged By Wallace

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace said today substitute AAA legislation was necessary by Feb. 15 if aid to the farmers is to be possible this year.



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Sweden Offers Moral Equivalent of War

Some time ago a philosopher remarked that what the world needs most today is a moral equivalent for war. By this he meant that war, for all its horrors, does call on men to submerge themselves in a higher cause...

Oddly enough, Signor Mussolini's bombs seem to have given a taste of the philosopher's equivalent for war to the young men of Sweden. A Swedish Red Cross unit in Ethiopia was bombed by Italian flyers...

Man may be basically a very selfish animal, but there is a great streak of pure chivalry in him. Offer him a chance to live easily and luxuriously and he will accept it of course; but offer him a chance to get kicked all over the map...

Why is this? Simply because there is in human nature something that leaves a man forever dissatisfied unless he gets a chance to identify himself with something bigger than he is—something which at the same time, promises to demand all the heroism and self-sacrifice he has in him.

Famous Poet

Horizontal Answer to Previous Puzzle. Includes a crossword puzzle grid with clues for words like 'America's best poets', 'Hodgepodge', 'Nay', etc.

What Future Students Will Be Up Against



Letters From Our Readers

Editor's Note: The following communication was addressed to V. O. Hatcher, publisher of a weekly newspaper in Eastland, and a copy was furnished to this newspaper for publication. This paper is reprinting it, in full.

ber the sums of public money he has caused to be spent there to relieve the distress; that he established in Eastland the district headquarters for the farm census, and has given to Eastland its new post office building. They will remember that after he had helped to get through Congress an old age pension, and you were knocking over your proposed state amendment in your editorial of July 19, Blanton went to the trouble and expense of sending his speech to people all over Texas...

"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By

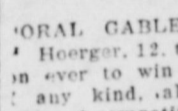


W. H. McDonald Is Candidate In Land Commission Race



W. H. (Bill) McDonald, attorney and former public official of Eastland county, announced Saturday that he will be a candidate for state land commissioner.

By HARRY GRAYS



'ORAL GABLES, Fla. — Mary Hoerger, 12, the youngest person ever to win a national title in any kind, also will be the youngest competitor in the history of the Olympic Games. Little Miss Hoerger, who ascended the aquatic world by capturing the women's national 10-foot diving championship last summer, has completely recovered from a peculiar knee injury. "I don't remember how I hurt it," said little Miss Hoerger. "I just felt strange one day and it was swelling and before I knew what was happening I could hardly walk."

334 Alban Towers, Washington, D. C. To Citizens of the 17th Congressional District: We, the undersigned, who are voluntarily organizing together as a campaign committee, without the knowledge of Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, present the following important facts regarding his most valuable service: In Congress, ripe experience, intimate familiarity with the history of legislation and of government departments, bureaus and commissions, and through knowledge of parliamentary rules and procedure, and use and application of same in committees and on the house floor, are highly important and vitally necessary for a district to be properly represented.

Loss Woods to Be A Candidate For Sheriff In Primary

This issue carries the announcement of Loss Woods for Sheriff of Eastland County. Loss has had a wide experience as a peace officer having served four years as deputy sheriff under Bob Skinner beginning in 1911, two years as Chief of Police of the City of Eastland and has been Deputy Sheriff since January 1, 1929 under Sheriff Postea, the retiring Sheriff. We have never heard of any criticism of Loss Woods' private or official life. His family consists of a wife and three daughters, all born and reared in this County. His announcement follows: "I feel that if I ever intend making the race for Sheriff of Eastland County, I should do so at this time and therefore, I have definitely decided to run. Having lived among you in this County for the past 46 years, I feel that my public as well as my private life is well known to everyone who has had occasion to know me personally or has had any official dealings with me. My record as a peace officer is well known to everyone and my views as to law enforcement cannot be misunderstood by anyone. I personally believe in every law being obeyed; and I am sure that those who have had a chance to know me personally will vouch for my being at all times courteous, fair and considerate in complying with the provisions of our laws."

SKULL RECALLS TRAGEDY

By United Press JUNEAU, Alaska.—A human skull, believed to be that of a victim of the Sophia tragedy in October, 1918, was found on the shore 30 miles north of here. It was uncovered near the spot where the Canadian liner sank and nearly 200 people drowned 17 years ago.

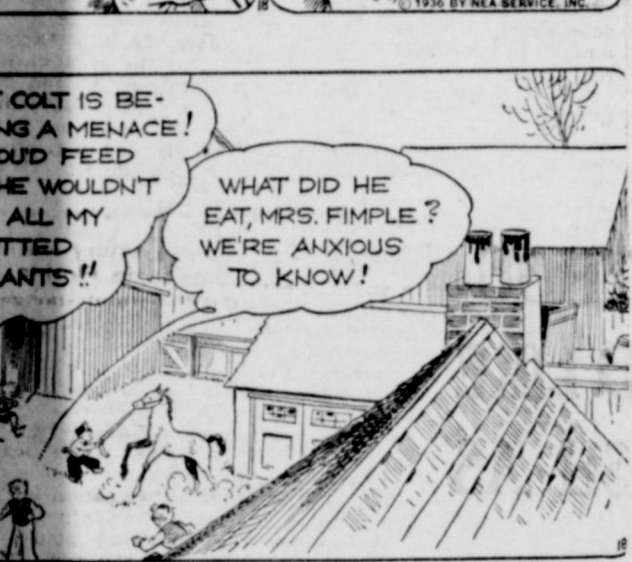
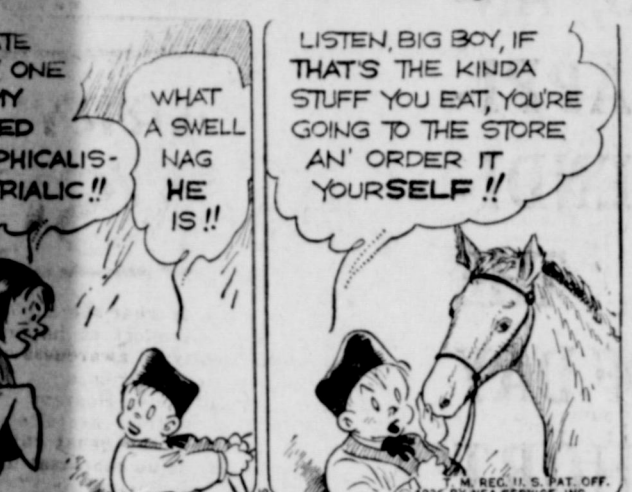
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By HAMLIN Taxation—



KLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



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EDITORIAL
temptations and Crime
Crime is a cultivated, intensive, desirous aspect idly planned in the hours of leisure. No man should be permitted to appear before the bar of justice to beg sympathy, or offer uncalculated excuses as to the temptation which has lured him into the channel of sin and shame. None of us have reached the stage of perfectness nor has temptations failed to assail us. We submit and yield. We pass our own sentence and thus are the architects of our own fate. Let us not yield and still think we can face the bar of justice blamelessly and unharmed.
The River of Life
Thomas Campbell
The more we live, more brief appear our life's succeeding stages; a day to childhood seems a year, and years like passing ages. The gladness current of our youth, ere passion yet disorders, steals lingering like a river smooth along its grassy borders. But as the careworn cheeks of grow wan, and sorrow's shafts fly

thicker, ye stars that measure life to man, why seem your courses quicker?

When joys have lost their bloom and breath and life itself is vapid. Why as we reach the Falls of Death, feel we the tide more rapid?

It may be strange, yet who would change time's course to slower speeding, when one by one our friends have gone and left our bosoms bleeding?

Heaven gives our years of fading strength indemnifying fleetness; and those of youth, a seeming length, proportioned to their sweetness.

Literary News

The Union community literary society organized some time ago, have begun work on their first play, "Beads On a String," which is a three act comedy sparkling with wit and humor. The date for its presentation has not been set, but will be some time in the near future. Further announcement will be made in the Oak Leaflet along with the cast of characters.

To Patrons

This week has marked the beginning of a new term of our school. We have resolved to do a bit more work in this term than in the preceding one, and in attempting to do so we earnestly solicit the aid of each parent to put our program forward.

The duty of the teacher is to lead and direct the child in performing his duties. Our observation has been that the most profitable way to make the child realize his duties is to teach him his duties.

Sincerity is one of the greatest attributes of a good scholar. It is hard indeed to persuade an insincere child into accomplishing anything.

The mind can be compared with muscles of the body, which must be exercised if they are to grow and develop.

It is our intention to help the child develop his mind through the exercise of clean, wholesome thinking and doing. This can be done by helping the child realize his duties. When this is done he will perform his every task.

We earnestly ask the cooperation of each parent to help us as teacher to advance the idea that it is wise to study and perform their duty toward their school, community, God and mankind.

This I know you will be more than willing to do. We wish to express our thanks to all who helped clean up and scour out our school house Friday afternoon.

News From the Students

I like school better this year than I ever did. We have two new members in our school and welcome them in our midst.

We have been studying our lessons hard and hope all of us will pass to a new grade.

We cleaned our school house Friday afternoon. We appreciate our parents helping us.

Rosezell Fox.

I like school better this year than I ever did. I am studying hard and enjoy my work.

We extend a welcome to the two new members who have recently entered our school.

We cleaned our school house Friday afternoon and wish to express our thanks to all the parents who helped us.

Janita Fox.

MUSEUM GETS PAPERS

By United Press
LONDON.—Somewhat to its surprise, that highly respectable institution, the British Museum, has received an immense quantity of Soviet official newspapers, embracing the complete files from 1924 to 1933—the most important period of the Soviet regime—of "Izvestiya," "Pravda," "Ekonomicheeskaya Zhizn" and other periodicals.

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The tax problem is composed of many parts; and efforts to produce a system and to provide a more nearly perfect administration are met with tremendous obstacles. Every effort at improvement is confronted with opposition of various sorts; consequently legislation designed to improve the tax situation is the result of numerous compromises between groups that represent diverse interests of an economic, social, and personal nature. However, there are a few basic principles that can be understood and placed in practice more or less completely.

Tax Formula and Experts—The problem of constructing a tax formula for a state must involve the attention and demand careful study of experts first and political statesmen afterward. The object is to devise fair and equitable ways and means of transferring sufficient funds from the earnings of individual and corporate enterprises to the public treasury in order to finance effectively the business of government. In this undertaking there are a few guiding principles. The use of intelligence is essential in formulating a tax program should be more generally recognized.

Too often resort is made to those taxes that arouse the least antagonism. Here innocuity enters. Politicians prefer taxes that can be carefully wrapped up in prices. To many of them, such standards as benefit and ability are baffling. Benefit cannot be wholly ignored merely because the scope of its application is debatable.

Taxation and Profit—United States Senator Gore maintains that there is no good tax. Unfortunately, taxation is fixed in the minds of many people as a device for taking money out of the pockets of one individual for the benefit of another. Seldom are taxpayers aware of the fact that as a result of public taxation, a wide variety of public services, as roads, schools, courts, etc., are built and maintained for their own and the general welfare. Likewise, the services of banks, insurance, retailing, and a long list of business activities, which, with the public services made possible through taxation, have become essential to the more complex and interdependent standard of living.

The services of private agencies are made possible through profits derived from particular business enterprises or economic activities. Some economists maintain that the assessed rate of private profit is merely an indirect form of taxation, in so far as the consumer of goods and services are concerned. Only a few private enterprises have come under control of the people through government regulation of the rates of profit, whereby the corporation or monopoly is permitted to assess a reasonable rate that will produce a fair income to be absorbed by the consumer of the goods and services.

In other business activities the private profit rate is kept at a reasonably low level through competition with units of business enterprises for a share of the consumer dollar. There is a third kind with price fixing tendencies and powers, which enjoys the privilege of monopolistic corporate business, of fixing its own profit rates, and proceeds to tell the consumer to take it or leave it. In practically every instance the monopoly has derived its power from and operates under the special protection of the government.

Taxation, Benefit or Burden—Reduction of taxes on a piece of real property, as a general proposition, operates to give the owner a bonus. If taxes should be raised, the owner would be penalized, unless there are definite economic benefits resulting from additional taxation. Benefits are difficult to appreciate due largely to the generally accepted erroneous concept that taxation is always a burden and never a benefit.

Private economy can propagandize the public to the point that public economy stands in an exposed position. Through its agencies or divisions, the government must both devise and apply taxes in response to public demands, but it has never been able to defend acceptably the course it must pursue. Here is a field for cultivation that will challenge ability.

What We Get for Taxes—In considering taxation, the taxpayer should become accustomed to weighing the sacrifices and the benefits derived from the public-tax account. It might be advantageous also to make comparisons with profits which are being charged for services by private business enterprises. If a taxpayer keeps a strict account of all taxes paid, and compares the amount with expenditures for non-essentials purchased during one year, the concept of taxation as a burden will eventually disappear.

On the whole, people are as unconscious of the benefits of taxation as they are of the air they breathe, or of the series of profits pyramided on the cost of goods they consume. The services of the government will continue to expand to meet the increasing needs of a democratic social order. The purpose of taxation is to raise funds with which to pay expenses incident to expanding and operating the business of government.

Reducing Public Expenditures—If public expenditures cannot be reduced, as Wagner's law of ex-

penditures suggests, for a progressive civilization, then, to have smaller returns in real-property taxes means an increase in taxes derived from other sources than property. The only way to avoid this condition is to reduce public expenditures. Even then, the reduction could be made only for a temporary period.

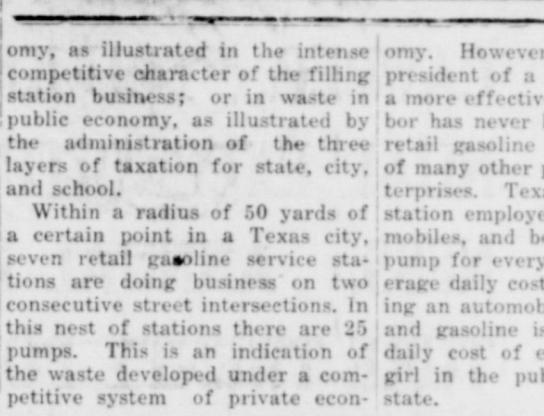
One school of economy stresses the point that private individuals frequently become more reckless in expenditures and do public authorities. What is to be gained in the Great Society, they ask, by keeping money out of the public treasury so that individuals may have more to spend? Have individuals or corporations proved that they are wiser spenders than government units?

It may be true that his country has not had enough experience in government to be as well equipped to spend money out of the public treasury as is the case in several European countries. No one would take the position that the federal government is well enough equipped at this time to spend wisely the money that congress has appropriated in response to popular demand. The nation is getting valuable experience in the expenditure of a colossal public fund. Regardless of the fact that huge mistakes are being made, the experience, though costly, should prove valuable.

Undivided Interest Increased—The FWA and WPA authorities are authorizing the release of \$4,800,000,000 as the federal share in a public expenditure campaign which represents nearly \$37.50 for each individual in the nation. Millions will be wisely spent. In the last analysis, the "undivided interest" of the citizen in the property of government will increase. As a share-of-the-wealth plan there is something to be claimed for this unprecedented public expenditure that the typical exponent of this kind of radicalism does not have in his philosophy of raiding surpluses.

Waste Indefensible—Waste is indefensible wherever found. It is present in both private and public economy. No one would undertake to justify waste in private econ-

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowen

Government business, on the whole, and public education in particular, is said to be handled more economically than private business. Uncontrolled monopolistic power and cut-throat competition in private economy draws out a greater portion of the social income for a given service than would be necessary under government monopoly. This is no brief for government ownership of all business enterprises, but it is offered as an indication of comparative benefits and wastes in expenditures of the social income.

The STRANGE CASE OF JULIA CRAIG by Nard Jones

BEGIN HERE TODAY
JULIA CRAIG, pretty young girl, was very popular. Woodford and Brooks, who were partners in a night club singer, Julia shared an apartment with AMY SANDERS, who works in an exclusive dress shop.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER IV

HER face flaming with swift anger, Julia read Peter's note again. She whirled impulsively, and saw Henri Lamb standing in the doorway. His heavy face, too, was slowly reddening—but not from anger. For several seconds he could not speak in his embarrassment.

"After all," he said, at last. "I—you see, Peter Kemp is a friend of mine. He once did a great favor for me."

"Did it occur to you," asked Julia, "that I might not be interested in whether Peter Kemp is in love with me? And now I—I'll never speak to him again!"

"Because he's so much in love with you?" asked Lamb quietly. Then he added, "But I am sorry. You—you must think very badly of me now."

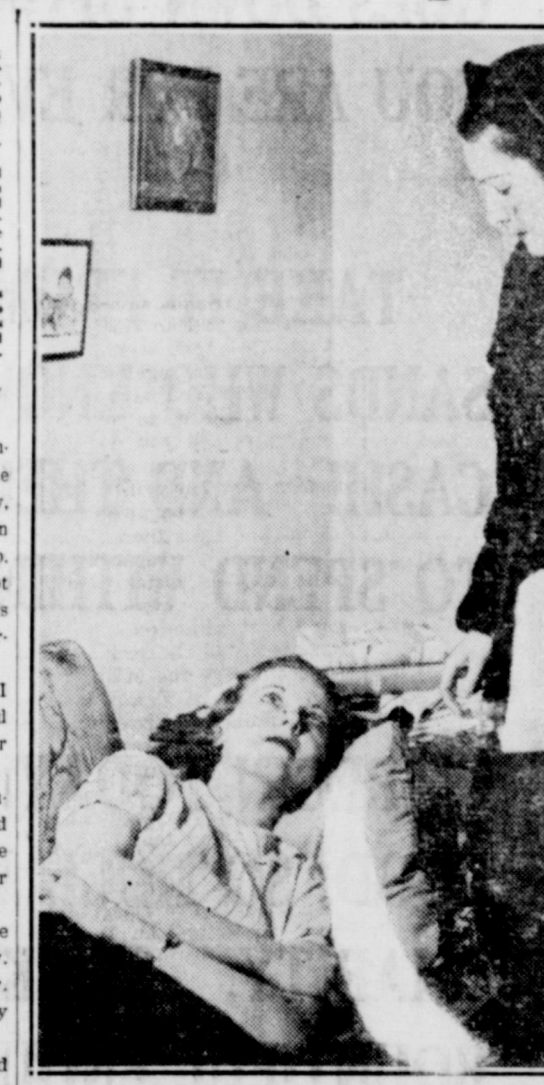
"The only thing I'm interested in is whether I'm good enough to get a job in a night club," Mr. Lamb. Will you please tell me that—honestly?"

Henri Lamb shrugged. "Your voice is good for these modern songs. And you are an attractive young woman. That counts a lot, too."

"But not good enough for the Green Club?"

"I didn't mean that. As I said, I was trying to help Kemp." He smiled wryly. "I'm afraid I've done a bad job of it." He crossed the room. Then he turned to Julia again. "The woods are full of passable singers, Miss Craig. I could turn down the next dozen that come in through that door—and still find others."

Julia nodded. "I see," she said tensely, and left the office. As she passed through the little ante-room she felt the curious glance of Jim, the young man who had played her accompaniment while she sang "Accent on Youth." He followed her part way down the stairs.



Amy said, startled, "What's wrong? Are you ill?"

telephone and asked to be connected with Peter Kemp. When he answered she said slowly, "This is Julia. Quite by accident I read our note to Henri Lamb. Thank you very much."

In the silence that followed she could almost feel his astonishment at the other end of the wire. Then he burst out, "But, Julia, I—"

"There really isn't anything else to say, Peter. Goodbye."

She had hardly replaced the instrument in its cradle when Peter himself was in the room.

"Julia, I—I know it was a rotten thing to do. But I—can't you see that it was only because—"

Julia got up from her desk in a quick, angry movement which effectively stopped his faltering defense. "I'd rather not talk about it, Peter. I've a headache and I'm going home."

"Won't you let me take you?" "No," said Julia, putting on her hat. "I'd much rather go alone."

It seemed odd to let herself into the little apartment so early. Not since she had started to work for Woodford and Brooks had she left the office before 5:15. Somehow this realization made her more determined than ever to leave it one day soon forever. With a weary sigh of relief she dropped onto the davenport and closed her eyes.

Soon she was asleep, to be awakened later by the sound of Amy's key in the lock. Her roommate started at sight of Julia on the davenport. "What's wrong? Are you ill?"

Julia shook her head and smiled weakly. "Just a slight case of shell

even thinks they run a night club. He knows some song writers, too. Wouldn't it be grand if you could make your start with a song written especially for you?"

Catching some of Amy's infectious enthusiasm, Julia laughed. "You're certainly a tonic, Amy. And after this afternoon, I think I need it."

"Well," said Amy, "you know darned well that I'm all for you if you're dead sure this is what you want to do. But I'm still advising you to settle down to the simple life."

"You don't take your own advice," mentioned Julia mischievously.

"Why should I? Nobody else does." Then Amy's tone grew serious. "But I will some time."

"You mean Royal Nesbitt?" "Heavens, no. He's not serious about anything or anybody. But he's fun to be with. We're just good friends."

JULIA had never quite approved of Royal Nesbitt, and Amy knew it. She knew the reason for Julia's disapproval, too, though she never mentioned it. If Royal Nesbitt was not exactly wealthy, he at least had a great deal more money to spend than the other young men Julia and Amy had known. Yet the source of his income was somewhat obscure. The Nesbitt name was a pioneer one in the city, but this Nesbitt, the gayest and youngest, seemed to possess none of the attributes of the pioneer. He was likable and had literally hundreds of friends. Julia liked him—but when it came to Amy Sanders, she wasn't so sure.

He was as gay and certain of himself as always when he called at the apartment that evening. Tall and good-looking in a rugged way, he cheered Julia and she felt instinctively that with his help she could really attain what she wanted. He had been in the room only a few moments when Amy pushed him toward the davenport and announced that Julia was going to sing.

Then Amy took her place at the tiny little piano which, she often said, had cost her many an installment and was her particular pride and joy. She played well, and whenever she played for Julia's singing she played more than well. Nesbitt settled back with an amused and tolerant smile.

But as Julia's soft, husky voice drifted into one of the sad, mad tunes of our modern day, his smile faded and his expression grew serious and interested. When she had finished he did not speak for a while, and then he said, "I wish you'd do another, Julia."

"This time Amy chose a curious and dragging blues song that was a combination of genuine dinky folk tune and the 'hi-de-ho' of Harlem. There was a quiet quality in Julia's singing that lifted the song far above its insane lyric.

Nesbitt got to his feet. "I've spent a good share of my life listening to night club singers," he said. "You can go places, Julia. And I'm going to see that you do."

Amy smiled at her roommate. "You see, Julia? And when Royal says a thing like that, he means it!"

Nesbitt's eyes met Julia's squarely. "I was never more serious in my life," he told her quietly.

(To Be Continued)



# MR. MICAWBER

## AND THE BEAUTIFUL BUDGET

"MY OTHER PIECE OF ADVICE, COPPERFIELD," SAID MR. MICAWBER, "YOU KNOW. ANNUAL INCOME TWENTY POUNDS, ANNUAL EXPENDITURE NINETEEN NINETEEN SIX, RESULT HAPPINESS. ANNUAL INCOME TWENTY POUNDS, ANNUAL EXPENDITURE TWENTY POUNDS, AUGHT AND SIX, RESULT MISERY. THE BLOSSOM IS BLIGHTED, THE LEAF IS WITHERED, THE GOD OF DAY GOES DOWN UPON THE DREARY SCENE, AND---AND IN SHORT YOU ARE FOR EVER FLOORED. AS I AM!"

TAKE IT FROM MR. MICAWBER. OR FROM ANY ONE OF THOUSANDS WHO KNOW IT FOR THE TRUTH, THERE'S NO FRIEND LIKE CASH! AND THERE'S NO WAY TO BE SO CERTAIN OF CASH AS TO SPEND WITHIN YOUR BUDGET.

BEGIN TODAY! SAY TO YOURSELF---SO MUCH WILL GO FOR FOOD, SO MUCH FOR RENT, SO MUCH FOR FUEL, SO MUCH FOR CHARITY. STICK WITHIN YOUR BUDGET AND YOU'LL FIND IT BOUNTIFUL ENOUGH TO LEAVE YOU SOMETHING OVER!

ONE OF THE VERY BEST WAYS TO BUDGET AS YOU GO IS TO READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS IN THIS NEWSPAPER. DAILY, AS IN A PARADE, THE GOOD VALUES OF THE GOOD STORES MARCH BEFORE YOU. ROAST BEEF OR CHOPS FOR SUNDAY DINNERS, A SPECIAL STYLE IN MEN'S SHIRTS, NEW DRAPES FOR THE LIVING-ROOM . . . THE ADVERTISEMENTS WILL HELP YOU CHOOSE THE M ALL, AND OFTEN AT A SAVING!



### OTTO HONK

HERE SHE COMES! WHEN SHE PASSES, I'LL STEP OUT AND GRAB HER.

LET ME GO!

THAT'S WHATCHA GET FER PICKING ON A POOR, DEFENSELESS GIRL.

WHY, YA BIG LUG-- I'M A DETECTIVE AN' THAT WAS MINNIE, THE PICKPOCKET.

I'LL JUST PINCH YOU FER HELPING A CRIMINAL TO ESCAPE.

### OUT OUR WAY

### The Willets

### By Williams

I'LL GET YOU, IF IT TAKES ALL DAY! AND THE LONGER IT TAKES, THE HARDER I'LL SMACK YOU!

YOU DID IT YOURSELF-- WHY DIDN' YOU LOOK IN TH' CHAIR BEFORE YOU SAT DOWN?

OW--OOH--YOU'VE GOT MORE COMING, NOW, FOR PUSHING THAT FOOTSTOOL IN FRONT OF ME!

YOU'RE GETTING ME MADDER AND MADDER--

OO--OO-- BUT YOU'LL GET IT FOR THIS! TRYING TO CRIPPLE ME-- PUTTING THAT LIGHT CORD ACROSS THE DOORWAY

HE LEFT A HANDFUL OF TACKS IN A KITCHEN CHAIR-- THEN HE PUSHED A STOOL IN FRONT OF ME, AND THEN HE HUNG A LIGHT CORD ACROSS THE DOORWAY!

IT ISN'T LADY-LIKE, LOSING YOUR TEMPER

I DON'T CARE! HE'S NOT GOING TO GET AWAY WITH IT-- I'VE GOT TO CURE HIM OF GETTING SO FUNNY WITH ME

BUT YOU'RE PLAYING RIGHT INTO HIS HANDS-- HE LIKES EXCITEMENT

WELL, HE'LL GET IT, WHEN I GET MY HANDS ON HIM!

I KNOW, BUT IF YOU IGNORED HIM, HE'D STOP DOING THOSE THINGS-- HE KNOWS HOW TO GET YOU MAD-- THEN HE HAS A LOT OF FUN.

JUST TRY IT ONCE-- COMPLETELY IGNORE HIM, AND I'LL BET HE'LL SOON LET YOU ALONE

HE WILL, ANYWAY, AFTER I'M THROUGH WITH HIM!

ANOTHER TRAP! THAT'S ANOTHER WALLOP HE'S GOT COMING!

OOH--AWP!

LOOK AT THAT SHIN! WHY, I MIGHT HAVE BROKEN MY LEG!

WELL, I GOT A SPRAINED WRIST.

MOVING THE FURNITURE (IT IS TERRIBLE, ISN'T IT?)

ALL OVER TH' HOUSE-- WHAT DOES HE THINK THIS IS!

WHERE'D HE GO? WHERE IS HE?

I DON'T KNOW-- I'M IGNORING HIM, NOW.





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CALENDAR MONDAY

Women's Missionary Society, Baptist church Circle sessions, No. 1 with Mrs. P. L. Parker; 2 with Mrs. W. A. Stiles; 3 with Mrs. Jones on Sadosa street; 4 with Mrs. Carl Springer.

W. M. S., Methodist church 3 p. m. in church. Ladies Bible Class, Church of Christ, 3 p. m., in church.

Women's Missionary Society, Presbyterian church 3 p. m., residence Mrs. L. W. Hart.

Business and Professional Women's club 6:45 p. m., residence Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite.

Women's Missionary Society, First Christian church, 3 p. m., Missionary study in church. Mrs. W. A. Richardson, teacher.

Junior Thursday Club Elects Officers The Junior Thursday club held their annual election of officers Thursday night in Community clubhouse, with session opened by the retiring president, Miss Maurine Davenport.

The election named Miss Mary Carter, president; Mrs. Carl Miller, vice president; Miss Kathleen Maxwell, secretary; Mrs. Roy Birmingham, treasurer; Mrs. Hollis Bennett, library chairman.

Other officers are appointive. Mrs. Hollis Bennett was hostess and leader for program opened with roll call response in original writings of essays, poems, and short stories.

The program subject, "Literature," was developed by Mrs. Carl Miller, along motif of the Texas Shelf For Clubwomen, and the right books to have in library.

Miss Mary Carter presented a book review, "Hungry Men," by Edward Anderson.

Those present: Misses Jessie Lee Ligon, Evelyn Hearn, Ina Mae Reik, Marjorie Spencer, Mary Carter, Kathleen Maxwell, Viola La Nunyon, Maurine Davenport; Mrs. Burt Rose Maxey, J. C. Whately, R. W. Chalkey, Roy Birmingham, Hollis Bennett, Carl Miller, Johnny Kitchen, Jack Vaught, and club sponsor, Mrs. James Horton.

Club Will Elect Officers The Alpha Delphian club announces through their president, Mrs. W. F. Davenport, the annual election of officers to be held at this week's session, Thursday in Community clubhouse.

Methodist Church Choir To Present Breckenridge Program The choir of the Eastland Methodist church numbering 41 people and the Dragoo Violin Octet of eight musicians will assemble at the Methodist church 5 p. m., today for their motordrace to Breckenridge, where they will present the musical program in the Methodist church of that city at 7:15 p. m.

The choir has received a special invitation to give the cantata, "The Infant King," by Ira L. Hanna.

Wilda Dragoo, director of choir and octet will present as accompanists, Miss Clara June Kimble and Miss Jane Ferguson.

Mrs. W. P. Leslie Hostess Mrs. W. P. Leslie was hostess at her residence Thursday to the noon monthly luncheon session of the executive board of the Thursday Afternoon club.

Guests were seated about one long table, laid in Madeira linen, and centered with a reflector, on which was arranged a charming springtime scene of figurines, and tiny trees.

The menu of chicken croquettes, sweet potatoes with marshmallow topping, string beans, hot rolls, with second course of green molded salad on lettuce, with mayonnaise, and last of frozen cream frappe and fruit cake, had coffee served in the drawingroom.

The executive board acted on the request of Mrs. Sam Majors, sixth district chairman of poetry, to have their club members who write verse, to send same for the anthology of poetry for Texas

Centennial and named Mrs. J. M. Perkins and Mrs. W. K. Jackson, as those to be requested to send verses.

Personnel: Mmes. E. R. Townsend, E. R. Stanford, Hubert Jones, W. A. Martin, W. P. Leslie, Art H. Johnson and R. A. Larner.

Plans Play at Luncheon Meeting The members of the Thursday Afternoon club gathered at the home of Mrs. Art H. Johnson for a basket spread at noon yesterday, and after the luncheon went into immediate rehearsal for their play, "The Old Log School," to be given by the personnel of the club on Wednesday night, 8:15, high school auditorium.

Music Study Club Program Open to Public The Music Study club of Eastland will present a program of unusual value at this week's session and cordially invites all music lovers to attend at 4 p. m., Community clubhouse, Friday.

The music of Bohemia and Poland will feature selections. Mrs. Art H. Johnson, talk, "Bohemian Music."

Mrs. J. D. Blankenship, "Polish Music." Dragoo Violin Octet, "L'Argo," from Dvorak, "New World Symphony," with Wanda Dragoo Beall of San Angelo as accompanist.

Piano, "Danse Boheme," (Fischel) Mrs. J. M. Perkins. Vocal Selection by a Bohemian composer, Mrs. Ben Hill.

Piano: selected (Chopin) Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird. Violin (a) Nocturne (opus IX, No. 2, Chopin-Sarasate; (b) Sonata-Dvorak, Wilda Dragoo.

Artistic Entertainment The Martha Dorcas class of the Methodist church presented a program by local artists on Wednesday afternoon to a responsive audience gathered in the classroom.

Mrs. C. W. Hoffmann, the class president, graciously presided and program opened with ensemble singing of "Rescue the Perishing."

Mrs. Francis M. Jones, program chairman, presented Mrs. Victor Ginn in vocal, "Over the Dreamland Seas," by Phillips; and "I Rying You Heartsease," by Branscombe, with Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird as accompanist.

The guest speaker, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, presented a lovely corsage of pink carnations by the class.

Hostesses were Mmes. C. W. Hoffmann, Francis M. Jones, D. J. Jobe and E. C. Satterwhite.

Patrons: Mmes. Jack Duryer, Robert W. Miller, W. H. Mullings, Robert F. Jones, Thomas Butler, Victor L. Ginn, K. B. Tanner, G. L. Ramsey, Francis M. Jones, W. E. Coleman, C. W. Hoffmann, J. P. Little, R. E. Sikes, Ed Sparr, D. L. Kinnaird, W. A. Martin, Fred C. Eastham, Ben Scott, O. E. Harvey, Bert McGlamery, E. R. Stanford, W. P. Leslie, N. T. Johnson, Frank Roberson, F. L. Dragoo, Wayne Jones.

Thursday Afternoon Club Bible Program The Thursday Afternoon Club presented an interesting program on the Bible, at their recent session in Community Clubhouse.

Mrs. E. R. Townsend, president, opened the meeting with a brief address of optimism for the

PLEASANT WAY TO WARM UP

CHAIRMANSHIP OF ROOSEVELT BALL ACCEPTED



John A. Burke, local manager for the Texas Consolidated Theatres, Inc., Saturday accepted the chairmanship of the President's ball to be given here Jan. 30. The national committee for the birthday ball in New York for the president was notified of his acceptance by wire.

Proceeds of the ball will go to infantile paralysis victims. Seventy per cent of the proceeds will be retained for use of paralysis treatment in Eastland and the vicinity while the remainder goes to the Warm Springs, Ga., institute.

Burke will appoint his committees this week.

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Boulder Dam Is Great Engineering Feat of Past Year

WASHINGTON — The premier engineering event of 1935, according to the National Geographic Society, was completion of Boulder Dam.

Other projects of major importance cited were: The bridging of the Mississippi River near New Orleans.

The "Little Belt," bridge in Denmark.

Electrification of the Pennsylvania Railroad between New York and Washington.

Changing to standard gauge of 150 miles of the Chinese Eastern Railway between Harbin and Hsinking.

Inauguration of a great ship canal in Russia connecting the Baltic and White seas.

Completion of a highway between the Texas border and Mexico, D. F.

Opening of the Moscow subway system.

Placing in service of the world's largest steamship, Normandie.

Boulder Dam, which bars the Colorado River, contains 4,500,000 cubic yards of reinforced concrete. It rises 726 feet. Water was permitted to gather above the dam four months before the last concrete was poured on May 29. The water level has risen more than 260 feet up the face of the dam and has formed a lake reaching 80 miles up stream. Work is still being done on the power house and it is not expected to be ready for operation for at least a year.

The newly completed New Orleans-Mississippi span—officially the Huey P. Long Bridge—has railway tracks, highway lanes and footpaths. It rises 135 feet above the high-water level. It is the most southern of the slowly invading line of bridges which has been extending gulfward along the Father of waters.

On the European Continent, in Denmark, a bridge was completed to connect Jutland and the Island of Fyn. It spans the body of water known as the Little Belt. The structure, of the cantilever type, is 3,916 feet long, a combined railway and highway bridge.

Electrification of the Pennsylvania Railroad, previously operated by steam, between New York and Washington, was completed early in the year. First electric passenger trains were operated between the two cities Feb. 10. The result was reduced running time.

The long awaited highway from the Texas border to Meico, D. F. (capital of the Republic) was finished toward the end of the year, but three bridges remain to be completed. Ferries are now in use.

The seven and a half mile subway system in Moscow was opened formally on May 15.

The Normandie, French steamship, largest ship ever to be put into service, made her sea test May 6 and her first crossing of the Atlantic between May 29 and June 3. The ship is 1,029 feet long, has a beam of 119½ feet,

Hank Greenberg, slugging first baseman of the Detroit Tigers, scampers out of the surf at Miami Beach, where he is taking things easy while waiting for the opening of his club's camp at Lakeland, Fla.

LOVE STORY HAS DIXIE WAR BACKGROUND

Although the War Between the States serves as its background, "So Red the Rose," coming today to the Connellee Theatre, is a romantic story of the South, for Stark Young, author of the novel on which the film is based, endowed his story with a nostalgic appreciation of the Southerners of that period.

King Vidor, who directed Margaret Sullivan, Randolph Scott and Walter Connolly in "So Red the Rose," made every effort to hold to the author's viewpoint, and create in the screen drama, the feeling and movement of the original novel.

"So Red the Rose" is the story of the Bedford family, owners of an old plantation. There is the father (Walter Connolly), the mother (Janet Beecher) and the daughter (Margaret Sullivan). There are also two brothers, and a distant cousin (Randolph Scott) with whom the daughter is in love.

The picture has many interesting backgrounds. The historic Battle of Shiloh is re-enacted. There are scenes both humorous and dramatic involving the hundreds of negro slaves who work on the Bedford plantation. Considerable attention was also paid to details, assuring the picture authentic backgrounds that are in harmony with the 1860 era.

"So Red the Rose" was adapted to the screen by Lawrence Stallings, co-author of "What Price Glory," and Edwin Justus Mayer, who wrote the successful play, "The Firebrand."

Eastland Personals

Mrs. Clyde L. Garrett and daughter, Miss Katherine, have left for a week-end visit in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Wanda Dragoo-Beall of San Angelo, will arrive Wednesday to remain over Tuesday, the 28th, and will be on the Music Study club program of Friday and her studio recitals of Monday and Tuesday nights at the Methodist church auditorium.

Mrs. J. L. Johnson and daughter, Miss Verna, are spending the week-end with Miss Joan Johnson, student of Texas Tech at Lubbock. Jack Brown, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown, is the week-end guest of his student brother, Parker, in Lubbock.

Political Announcements

The Eastland Telegram is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 25, 1936:

For Sheriff: STEELE HILL

Tax Assessor and Collector: C. H. O'BRIEN CLYDE S. KARKALITS

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Charles W. Estes, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11 o'clock. Subject, "Let Us Fetch Back the Ark of the Covenant."

Young People's Service 7 p. m. Evening Worship 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "The Gospel Appeal."

The public is kindly invited to worship with us. Strangers welcome.

HUSBAND ABSENT 20 YEARS MILLIS, Miss.—Mrs. Eva Thorne thought she had allowed her husband enough time to come back and ask forgiveness, so she filed suit for divorce. She charged her husband with desertion and non-support. Married in 1887, he deserted her 20 years ago.

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OUR doors are swinging merrily — we are happy because we're busy — and the folks to whom we're selling better quality Seiberlings at low prices are happy, too, because they are getting the tire bargains of a lifetime here at our store. All we ask you to do is to compare the quality that we offer and the prices that we ask before you buy any other tire. Why not come in today — we shall be happy to see you and you will be glad that you came.

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Jim Horton Tire Service

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Bone Reveals a Health Secret

ST. LOUIS.—Recent studies of the shoulder blade have resulted in startling disclosures, according to Dr. William W. Graves, professor of neuro-psychiatry at St. Louis University.

This Is Season For Flu Epidemic

AUTUMN, Tex.—This is the season of the year when influenza or "flu" is most prevalent, according to Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. Colds, gripe, influenza, whatever we may call them, are believed to be spread from person to person through discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from such disease, here are some things to be remembered:

- 1. Probable length of life. 2. Chances of good health. 3. Degree of intelligence. 4. Capacity to learn.

Centennial March Will Be Published

DALLAS.—The Carl Fisher Music Publishing company of New York, known as one of the better publishers of music, has written the Texas Centennial Exposition that it has accepted for publication a composition bearing the name, "The Texas Centennial Exposition March."

That Reminds Me

(Continued from page 1) cent interview that he was seriously considering entering the race for County Clerk. No doubt in the near future all those who expect to get into the race will come in with their official announcement.

Felon Praised For Meticulous Tax Issuance

MICHIGAN.—Pasko, serving an Indiana state penitentiary but argued over 2,704 when his case was heard by the board of tax assessors Monday. Pasko entered the figure a useless as the tax collector had other physics. S. Kar "But look at exemption Nick. I'm worth 79.

Children's Welfare

STAINLESS CLAS... JERSEY milk, four gallons per day; a real treat for all Eastland, Texas, requires WANTED—To be paid a lot in San Angelo. The Inte near Eastland. The commit 2. Texland. To be impos FOR RENT—To be Ethil bills paid. To be impos NEAT, clean, modern private bath; phone 212 N. E. 1930 value. Prof. For SALE—To be impos SACRIFICING—To be impos Free peach trees for fur to unload. No bank referen. Bargain Nurseries, Texas. LOST—Last time necktie; reward Mrs. A. D. Dabney