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services were in charge of the of it in time to attend the funeral Masonie Lodge.

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WANTED-Assistant cook and kitchen helper at Cooper Hotel. Middle aged woman preferred. Mrs. A. A. Cooper.

Mr and Mrs. J. B King and children, former Hedley res spent Saturday and Sunday in idents now living at Huntiagton the Frank Kendall home. Walter Beach, Calif . were in town one brings the folks down every seaday the past week en route home son to get some roasting ears from a visit to relatives at var- and black eyed peas. He was ious places. Allof them are looking well, and their many Hedley provements made in Hedley since friends were glad to see them.

We have a new line of 25c and Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

Mrs Tom Trent and daughterin law, Mrs. John Trent, of Waco Amarille Wednesday for a few visited friends and relatives in days stay at that place. She is

spent a few hours Sunday after bers of the committee and transnoon with his sister, Mrs. Joe act this business while away. Rowden, and family.

Come and see our line of New | Dresses at 95c Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

Miss Lometa Culwell wen a fourth prize in the Club Girls dress contest at Clarendon the past week. She received a nice dress as her reward.

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Mrs. Young was born in 1850 Oliver Hill was formerly a res. at Nashville, Tenn. She was the ident of the Hedley community mother of ten children, seven of and had many warm friends here whom are living. Her husband who are soraly grieved that he is died ave years ago, since which with us no more Many from time Mrs. Young has lived with here attended the last sad rites her children. She was here with Mrs. Mann about a year, and has Surviving him are his widow, a a number of friends in Hedley daughter, his parents, three sis- who are grieved because of her

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and son, Emmett, of Amarillo quite enthusiastic about the imhis last visit.

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The Epworth Leaguers enjoyed R B Adams Thursday, the 18th Hedley now living at Ashtola, Games were played which were was struck by a passenger train to the following members: Rex of the accident are not known. Kandall, James Webb. A'lan Ed- Foneral services were held at wards, Pauline Pickett, Virginia Ashtola and burial was made in Kendall, Ura Holland, Lola, Nell Rowe cemetery here. and Mabel Maness, Jno Adell Edwards Ila Pool, Jewel Everett, children, his parents, a brother Verda Gilliam, Bro. Landreth, and three sisters Hedley friends Mrs. Adams.

After the social hour a busi- them deeply. ness meeting was held. Jewel Everett was elected president. Verds Gilliam secretary, and Virginia Kendall Supt Dept, III We adopted the policy and budget for the coming League year.

Come and see our 19c Creton, 24c P ints, 15c Percale Also Gingham Cheeks 15c

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HEDLEY 4-H CLUB

The Hedley 4-H Club met July 15th with Miss Thelms Adamson It was an enj wable meeting, the' only four mambers were present Nice refreshments were served. Gilliam. Miss Thempson, demonstrater,

Helen Hoggard's home, and we hope to have a large number in attendance.

Reporter.

J B Castleberry and family of Silverton were here Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs Joe Rowden. and family.

IN MEMORY OF

MRS. ALMA DICKSON

Sovereign Dickson departed this buy life to take her place with those who have gone before z alous member, always ready and wi ling to do. Her devotion to her Master's work and to our Order, her lovable manner and her quiet disposition held for her the love and respect of all who knew her.

God to His infinite mercy thought best to deplete our Circle by relentless death May we bow our hearts in humble submission and say "Thy will be

"We love you, but angels love you more, And as they have called you to yonder shining shore,

The golden gates were opened, a gentle voice said 'Come.'

And with farewell unspoken you calmly entered home.

O, how sadly do we miss you, no earthly tongue can tell. But in heaven we hope to meet you, for

God doeth all things well." Resolved: First, That we as a committee extend to the sorrew ing relatives and friends the sincere condolence and sympathy of Laura Smith Circle No. 1633.

Hedley, Texas; Second, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on our minutes, also a copy be furnished the informer, and a copy be sent to Mr. Will Dickson.

> Mrs. Bertha Latimer. Mrs. Lydia Milner. Mrs. Jessie Bridges.

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The Call of Christ - Verds

How May Christ Assist Me in My Life's Work and in the Choice The next meeting will be at of Life's Interests - R-x K-ndail The Limit of Life - Mrs. Adams

> Song, Just As I Am. League Benediction.

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W. T Y uree was exhibiting last Saturday a cluster of nine peaches growing on a short twig It was a pretty bunch. J. W Mann and A M Rishop declare they can beat the exhibit-only theirs will be plums, not peaches

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In fact it seems that there was no uniformity in the matter of suit signs in any one country. Since most of the playing cards were made for the nobles on special order, the makers often placed on them such designs for suit signs as would best please their patron. Sometimes he chose them himself an in other cases figures from his cont-of arms were taken. Reference has already been made to the prevailing suit signs in the cards made by the Germans but these hunting symbols were not uniformly used in that country. One set of round cards made in Cologne had suit signs of flowers, parrots and rabbits. Another used lions, monkeys, parrots and pea-

The suit signs of today-spades, hearts, diamonds and clubs-originated in France and made their first appearance early in the Fifteenth century. They were called coeurs (hearts), piques (spades), trefles (clubs) and carreaux (diamonds). The suit of coeurs stood for the church, or clergy; the carreaux was symbolical of the arrow-heads of the vassals (the class from which the archers and bowmen were drawn); the trefles, or clover, signified the husbandman, and the piques, or the points of lances represented the knights. It was first named and these, too, we owe to the French. The earliest known cards printed from wood blocks which are preserved to this day are six cards from a set made in Provence in 1440. Four of these are in the British museum and two are in the museum of the United States Playing Card company in Cincinnati. (Figure 7). They are the knaves, or valets, as they are known in France, and bear the names of famous knights, Lancelot, Hogier and Valery. It is interesting to note that disappeared from playing cards also. Instead kings), emblematic personages (for the queens)

except during the Christmas holidays.

Although the French gave to us the familiar until Queen Elizabeth's time. The knaves with their flat caps "broade on the crowne like the

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"'Oh,' he said, 'you musn't call me King Alfonso any more. My name is Secundo de Rivera now."

Be Seated

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the beautifully decorateo Italian cards with raised borders, which were sometimes dotted or checkered. Then, too, the suit signs on the Italian cards were very different from those of any other country. They were long curved swords or scimitars, standing for the nobility; cups for the clergy; danari, or money, for the citizens; and bastoni, or clubs, for the peasants.

about this time, too, that the court cards were during the French revolution when the house of Bourbon was dethroned, the kings and queens there were substituted philosophers (for the and sansculottes or the revolting workmen (for

Playing cards came into England early in the Fifteenth century, during the fighting in Normandy and Touraine, Anjou and Poitou. English soldiers brought back French cards with them and these served as the models for English card makers. In spite of the fact that paper was not made in England until the end of the century, in 1463, upon the petition of the English craftsmen, the importation of playing cards was forbidden. By 1484, card playing had become an important part of the Christmas festivities, at least among the noblifty, and it spread so rapidly to the lower ses that Henry VII in 1495 issued an edict forbidding their use to servants and apprentices

suit signs and the figures on the "picture cards," the queer costumes which we see on the kings. queens, and jacks, when we pick up our hands, are English of the time of Henry VII. The queerlooking lappets over the queen's ears are the same kind as were worn by the ladies of Henry's court, although the wearing of their crowns far back on their heads did not become common



A Hindoo playing card.

Chinese money playing card.

A French card of the Napoleonic era. 4. Back of a Korean playing card, showing the arrow feather. 5. Japanese flower game cards.

6. A patriotic playing card of the World war period. 7. One of the earliest known playing cards of Europe, printed from wood blocks in Provence

8. An early French playing card. 9. A card bearing one of the songs from the

Beggar's Opera, 1728. 10. One of the playing cards made in England in 1678 by L. Hewson, son of Cromwell's general, "Hewson the Cobbler."

battlements of a house" are like the figures which we see in the paintings and tapestries of that time. Incidentally, the meaning of the name for this card has changed greatly through the years. In those days the term of knave was used in the same way as the French variet or valet and meant merely a son or young servant. Later it came to mean a rogue and from that meaning our present term, jack, is supposed to have come. It was probably jackanapes, originally, which was derived from Jacka-naipes, "naipes" being the Spanish word for cards.

Card playing grew in great favor in England during the reign of Henry VII and the king himself was an addict. Among his private expenses are several entries for money at cards. His daughter was also a fan and of James IV and his bride it is written; "the Kynge came privly to the said castell and entered within the chammer with a small company where he found the Queene playing at Cardes." When English royalty was overthrown and the commonwealth came into power cardplaying fell under the stern displeasure of the Puritans. But under the gay rule of Charles II it was again in favor. Moreover, besides the playing cards with the conventional suit signs we find many other early English cards bearing curious pictures, political satires of the day which served much the same purpose as the cartoons and comic strips of the present time. In view of the recent revival of the Beggar's Opera' in this country it is interesting to note that one pack of English playing cards was adorned with songs from that famous composition. (Figure No. 9.) It is also curious to find that, despite the Puritan disapproval of playing cards, one of the well-known card makers of that period was L. Hewson, who was a son of Cromwell's general "Hewson, the cobbler."

The practice of printing upon the cards many other things besides the figures of the various suits had a great vogue in Europe during that For instance Cardinal Mazarin, in an effort to interest the young prince, who later became Louis XIV, in his studies, arranged for several sets of playing cards, each bearing some geographical or historical information. One set was illustrated with the pictures of famous queens and short biographical sketches and another with symbolical figures of the different countries and a short description of that country. There was also a heraldic series illustrating the various coats-of-arms of the pobility, another illustrating the famous military operations of the period and another adorned with various mythological figures. Among the English cards of this period were some in which the different suits bore the portraits of kings and queens of various countries. Another was devoted to illustrated proverbs; another to Aesop's fables, another showed scenes from the Monmouth Rebellion and still another scene illustrative of the reign of Queen Anne. This practice continued down to the Nineteenth century. One set of French cards made in 1814 reflected the war-like spirit of the Napoleonic era (Figure 3), being illustrated, pictures of soldiers upon whose banners appeared the suit signs and numbers. Another set of 1830 bore the music of famous dances of the time and still another of that period showed the work of famous caricaturists. The same thing was being done in England where the playing cards bore such designs as money tables, the multiplication tables, maps of the various countries, the signs of the Zodiac, portraits of all the kings of England and various other educational features.

Since England became a card-playing nation within a comparatively short time after playing cards were introduced into that country, it was only natural her colonies should follow the lead of the mother country. So America, too, has be-come a card-playing nation chaps the greater in the world. The in the world. The

this: last year there 52,000,000 packs of a week! All down

ancient rite as old as the history of mankird. For that would have been perfectly true. Primitive man was accustomed to re-

sort to the making of magic to determine what course he should pursue in a world filled with bewilderment and superstitious fears. Arrow divination was a favorite kind and to make this magic a circle was drawn on the ground with the proper rites and incantations and divided into the "Four Directions." Then with more mystic ceremonies arrows were cast into the ring and upon the manner of their falling depeaded the future. A survival of this rite and these instruments is shown in the card game of the Koreans in which an arrow feather appears upon playing card. (Figure No. 4.)

In fact it was among the Asiatic peoples that the beginnings of card games and playing cards, as we know them now, took place. Marco Polo, the famous traveler, returning to Venice late in the Thirteenth century, told among other won-ders, how the great Chan in far-off Cathay had paper money made from the bark of the mulberry tree. The Chinese had been making this paper money since the Sixth century. At first a game was played with the paper money itself but later cards in the form of paper money were made, using the old money symbols, a coin, a string of colns, a myriad string of coins and tens of myriads of strings of coins, which are the names of the Chinese suits today. The form of the Chinese playing cards is shown in Figure No. 2.

The Japanese is early as the Eighth century were making prints from wood blocks and pilgrims to the shrines in the monasteries were given these prints as souvenirs of their journeyings. These prints were used then, as now, to play the Flower game, founded on legends which date back to the beginning of the Japanese people. The Hindus also have a card game but their cards were thin painted disks of wood or ivory or cotton fiber paper. In their game there are 12 cards to a suit and the number of suits to a pack varysometimes eight and sometimes ten. The court cards (king, queen and jack) always picture one of the incarnations of Vishnu.

It was probably Chinese cards, however, which found their way into Italy in the Fourteenth century and which soon afterwards became known in every European country. The gypsies, after long wanderings through Arabia and Egypt, from their homes in India also brought into Europe cards which carried in their strange designs, parts of the myths and legends of these countries. Gradually there evolved from all of the sources a game called "tarots." late in the Fourteenth century. These tarot cards were made for the nobles and were painted with the greatest care. They were so costly that the poorer classes of people could not affo. a them but eventually another card game sprang up in which common cards made with stencils were used. Johannes, a monk at Buefeld, writing in 1377, describes this new game which "men call a game of cards." The pack consisted of 52 cards with three court cards to each suit just like those of today.

is believed by some authorities that the est wood-block prints made in Europe were ng cards, made about the middle of the Fifcentury. By this time playing cards were n in all parts of Europe. Germany espewas making great quantities of them not r use in th t country but in Italy Sicily er countries. In fact, in 1441 the cardof Venice protested to the Doge against ortation of these German products "by our art is brought to total decay."

est German cards were very large and arliest German cards were to them re-weed by hand. The designs on them re-early German fondness for hunting, suit as were deer, dogs, falcons and the German cards were governments of foreign powers, an

early reduction of armaments through-

One of the most important an-

nouncements was that the MacDonald government intends to tackle the

liquor problem, at least by investiga-

tion, and has decided to appoint a

commission at an early date to examine the whole field of legislation

relating to sale and supply of intox-

icating liquor. The only suggestion of

real socialism in the message was a

hint that the nationalization of mining

royalties might be proposed after an

FOR reasons that are decidedly obscure to Americans, Baron Tanaka

and his ministry in Japan have been

forced to resign after carrying on

successfully for a considerable time

Yugo Hamagachi, leader of the Lib-

to form a new cabinet. Premier

Tanaka's downfall was attributed

chiefly to alleged mishandling of the

Manchurian situation last year and to

the government's failure to protect

Marshal Chang Tso-lin from assassi-

nation at Mukden. In Tokio it is as-

serted that the general staff and

the elder statesmen demanded that

he quit after his management made

the Japanese officers concerned in

guarding the railway crossing where

Chang was killed, and thus low-

ered Japan's military and interna-

tional prestige. Lieut. Gen. Cho-

taro Murakoa, who commanded the

Japanese army in Manchuria at the

time of the assassination, has just

been relegated to the reserve list with-

out being promoted to the rank of a

full general; he was succeeded by Gen.

Tanaka also was blamed for bad

logg peace pact, which was accom-

plished a few days ago. It was said

he permitted too much opposition to

develop. Just before resigning Tanaka

and some of the cabinet members

were decorated with honorary imperial

CHINA is planning to make itself a

ance and will develop a modern naval

base on the Chekiang river. The Na-

tionalist government announces that

it has signed an agreement with Great

Britain providing for the training of

Chinese naval cadets in England and

has engaged a British naval mission to

assist in the development of its navy.

It is understood that British shipyards

will receive contracts for the building of Chinese warships. Most of China's war vessels were bought from

England and Germany 20 years ago,

but she has lately built a good-sized

fleet of light craft in her own ship-

yards. In 1927 President Chiang Kai-

shek said it was China's intention not

to be bound by any agreements per-taining to naval limitation which the

DESPITE strict censorship, reports

that Mussolini and his Fascist regime

are having difficulties in various dis-

tricts. Provincial party secretaries

have been changed, and two members of the chamber of deputies have been

suspended without announced reason.

The Fascist police are reported to

have arrested 36 former leaders of

Italian Masonry following the recent

decisions of Masons in Paris to re-

establish contact with the Masons in

Italy. The country has an adverse

nomic conditions have become unsat-

Isfactory. Premier Mussolini sum-

moned a meeting of the cabinet for

July 15 and there may be a general

S PAIN'S government is taking meas ures to cheek the fall of the peseta

and pave the way for a return to the

gold standard. Among the relief

measures are: Formation of a na-

of home products and thus limit

tional council to encourage co-

shifting of officials.

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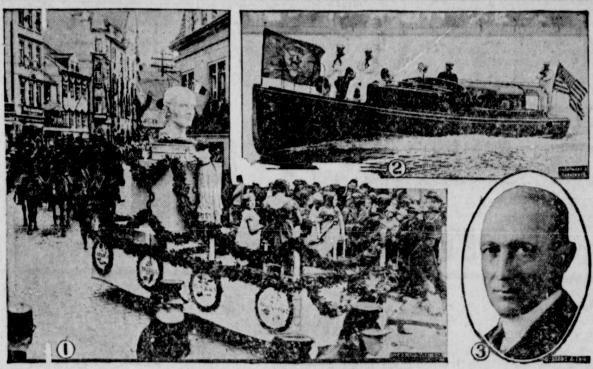
are coming from Italy indicating

powers might make.

sea power of considerable import-

necessary severe discipline of

out the world."



-View of the parade with which the German city of Meissen celebrated its one thousandth birthday, the bust on the float being of Samuel Hahnemann, founder of homeopathy. 2-The Little Mayflower, luxurious 40-foot launch that is used by President and Mrs. Hoover on warm days for cruises on the Potomac. 3-Felix Hebert, the new senator from Rhode Island.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Huge Treasury Surplus May Bring About Another Cut in Federal Taxes.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SECRETARY of the Treasury Mellon announced that the treasury surplus for the fiscal year ending June 80 was \$185,000,000. Actual reduction in the public debt during the year was \$673,000,000. The surplus would have warranted a total reduction of approximately \$735,000,000, the additional amount being carried temporarlly as an increase in the net balance in the general fund.

The surplus was accounted for largely by the unexpectedly large income tax receipts in March and June of this year based on abnormal profits from stock speculations during the year 1928. The huge 1928 earnings will be further reflected in the September and December income tax payments. The surplus for the calendar year 1929 may easily exceed \$300,000,-000, unless it is greatly cut down by toans under the farm relief act, for which \$150,000,000 already has been

appropriated. Following Secretary Mellon's statement, President Hoover made it known that "careful study" was being made of the question of further reduction of federal taxes, and it was inferred that he probably would recommend another cut in his December message to congress. Three things, he said, must first be determined. These are the effect of legislation during the last twelve months which has increased expenditures far beyond the budget: how far the expenditures of the government in other directions can be reduced, and how far the increase in revenue is due to the temporary

stock exchange activity. The President evidently believes that it will not be necessary to wait until the March, 1930, tax returns are available before determining whether income tax revenues may be expected to continue at their present volume. The administration program for tax reduction is likely to include a greater deduction for earned income and a reduction in the tax on corporation earnings.

A LEXANDER Legge of Chicago, president of the International Harvester company, has accepted appointment as a member of the federal farm board and will be its chairman for the first year. Other members selected by President Hoover and who have accepted are James C. Stone of Kentucky, representing tobacco cooperatives; C. C. Teague of California, fruit co-operatives; C. B. Denman of Missouri, president of the National Livestock Producers' association, and Carl Williams of Oklahoma, editor of a farm paper and identified with wheat and cotton co-operatives. W. 8. Moscrip of Minnesota, an official of dairy co-operatives, was offered a place on the board but at the time of writing had not accepted.

Mr. Legge, according to the President, is making as great a sacrifice as any citizen who ever entered the public service. He is surrendering a salary of more than \$100,000 a year to accept a place that pays \$12,000 yearly. It is believed he will resign after one year and return to private business, but in the meantime, Mr. Hoover pes, he will have worked out the on of the farm problem. During Mr. Legge was vice chairman industries board and

e allied purchasing com-invaluable work. WAS officially announced at the House that President Hoover ational conference within to discuss the health of children. Dr. Ray secretary of the in-

will be paid out of a \$500,000 fund placed at the disposal of the President from private sources.

According to Mr. Hoover's statement, "the subjects to be covered embrace problems of dependent children; regular medical examination; school or public clinics for children; hospitalization; adequate milk supplies; community nurses; maternity instruction and nurses; teaching of health in the schools; facilities for playgrounds and recreation; voluntary organization of children; child labor and scores of allied subjects."

R UMORS spread all over the country to the effect that Seymour Lowman, assistant secretary in charge of customs, prohibition and coast guard operations, and James M. Doran, prohibition commissioner, had been or soon would be asked to resign at the instance of President Hoover. This was vigorously denied at the White House, and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon said in a signed statement: "There is no truth in these reports, and there are no facts to justify the circulation of rumors of this character, which do an injustice to two gentlemen who are performing a difficult task with a high degree of ability and devotion, and who have in full measure my confidence and support."

The American Automobile association at its annual convention in Buffalo took cognizance of the methods of quick-trigger enforcement agents which, its members said, were endangering the lives of innocent automobile tourists along the Canadian border. President Thomas P. Henry of Detroit and others dealt with the matter in their addresses

Representative Tinkham of Massachusetts in a letter to Attorney General Mitchell demanded the prosecution of the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals of the Methodist Episcopal church for viloation of the federal corrupt practices act, asserting that the board is a political organization as defined by that act and that it has failed to file itemized statements of its expenditures for the last four years. Deets Pickett, research secretary of the board, denied there was a basis for its prosecution. He stated that no expenditures had been made which he felt were reportable under the corrupt practices act, and declared that the act was not intended to curtail the right of free speech. He also reported that the board had spent less money in 1928 than the average annual expenditure of the five years preced-

BOBBY JONES, the eminent amateur golfer of Atlanta, is again the national open champion. In the tournament at the Winged Foot club, Mamaroneck, N. Y., he fell into a bad streak of playing-that is, bad for him-and was tied for first place with Al Espinosa, professional. Each of them took 294 strokes for 72 holes. In the play-off at 36 holes Bobby had regained his form and Espinosa was at his worst, so the Atlantan won eas ily with 141 to 164. This is the third time Mr. Jones has captured the national open championship.

KING GEORGE'S speech from the throne, read to the British parliament by Lord Chancellor Sankey and of course representing the program of the new Labor government, was not at all startling and was far from ex-tremely radical. The most important promises made by the MacDonald regime were that efforts would be made toward disarmament, that there would be diplomatic recognition and resumption of trade relations with Soviet Russia, that unemployment conditions would be improved and that numerous industrial ills would be in vestigated. The address mentioned favorable conclusions of the reparations conference and preparation for a second conference of governments which may climax its work with arranging for evacuation of the Rhineland. It then said of disarmament: "Conversations have commend

NO QUITOES, dent Cosgrave of the executive council of the Irish Free State to circumvent the intimidation of jurors and witnesses. A bill introduced in the dail by him provides for the secrecy of jury panels, identification of jurors by numbers instead of names and secret hearings of all cases where the police superintendent testifies that it is necessary for the safety of jurors and

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A Cynic on Marriage

Mabel Boll in an interview at Curtiss field was talking about a woman erals, was summoned by the emperor novelist.

"She is too cynical," Miss Boll said. once heard her advising a pretty girl never to get married.

"'Marriage!' she sniffed. 'Bah! What's marriage but the exchange of the attentions of a dozen men for the inattention of one?"

Shopping Note

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thing to the neighbors." "What do you mean by that?" "Oh, when they get mad they just quit speaking to each other,"

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fling such petition. Herein fail not, but make due return hereof to the next term of said sourt, in writing, showing how you have executed the same

Witness my hand and seal o' said Court at office in Clarendon. this 12th day of July, 1929.

A H Baker Clerk of the District Court o' Donley County, Texas

To the Depositors, Creditors and Stockholders of the First State Bank of Hedley, Texas

You are hereby notified that at a meeting of the stockholders of The First State Bank of Hedley, Texas, a resolution was unanimously passed by the stockholders of said Bank to close the business of the First State Bank of Hedley, Texas.

And in accordance with said resoluties. the said First State Bank of Hedley, Texas, will cease to do business with the close of the business day of June 22, 1929

J. C. Deneghy, Pres's

T. R. Moreman, W. B. Quigley,

J. W. Noel,

J. G. McDougal, Directors of the First State Bank of Hedley, Texas.

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THE SEA DEVIL

By LOWELL THOMAS

the various nationalities, and they appreciated his efforts. The only one of the prisoners who in any way misbehaved himself was Captain Lecoq, who, like the rest, had been asked not to go into the fore part of the ship.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

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"My magazines," I said, "are in the forward half of the bout, I do not want you to know exactly where they are placed. After you are released, you might reveal the secret. Then. one of these merry days, if some cruiser takes a shot at me, and it the location of my magazines is known, they'll alm right at that spot. A shell there and up in the air we go. I must ask you to give me your word of honor that you will not go into the foreship. else I will have to keep you confined." Each skipper gave me his word, in-

cluding Lecoq. Captain Lecoq broke his promise He not only went secretly into the foreship, but he made sketches of the layout there. Captain Mullen of the Pinmore saw the sketches, knocked Lecoq down, and reported him to me. I berated Lecoq soundly.

"And as a result of your dishonorable action." I said, "when I release my prisoners and send them off to some port, there will be one Frenchman who will remain behind, and that Frenchman will be you. You will continue your cruise with us. You know where my magazines are, and I can not trust any promise that you now give me."

He turned a bit green around the gills at that, but there was nothing be could say in reply.

Our only woman aboard, the skipper's little bride, grew melancholy. We did everything we could to make the time pleasant for her, but she pined for the society of other women. It was rather a trial for her to be so long the only woman among several hundred men.

"Count, I do so wish there were a woman aboard that I could talk to," she said to me a bit coaxingly one day. "Why don't you catch me one?"

I always like to oblige a lady, particularly one so charming and agree able as she, but catching another woman was a game of chance with us. You don't often find fair company aboard freighters, especially in trop Ical waters. However, I said:

"Madam, we will do our best." At times I used to amuse myself by folning the crowd on the lookout in the rigging. It was a misty day, and nobody had much of a chance of seeanything. Then it cleared the west, and Boarding Officer Preiss, who was beside me, thought be saw a ship. I instructed the helmsman to steer in that direction, and after tifteen minutes a large British barque appeared through the mist. As we drew-pear her, I saw a white figure on the deck. Sure enough a woman.
"Madam," I shouted, to the Cana-

dian skipper's bride, "get ready to welcome your companion. She'll be paying you a call in a few minutes." Everybody, prisoners and all, swarmed on deck to witness the exceptional capture. The Seeadler bore down on the unlucky barque.

The captain looked curiously at the crowded figures standing at our rail, of every color and race. They waved gayly. Our gramophone blared out. 'It's a Long Way to Tipperary."

"Hello," he shouted through his megaphone, "collecting volunteers?" He thought we were picking up war volunteers from the Atlantic Islands.
"Volunteers?" I called in return.

'Oh, yes.' Our prisoners laughed a bit. "Any news of the war?" he asked. Officers and sailors and the woman on his deck craped their necks for a

"Much news of the war," I responded. "I will signal it."

They stared, awaiting the signal. "C-I-D," our signal flags went up; "heave to or I will fire."

I could see the captain rapidly thumbing the pages of his book. His head jerked up suddenly. His binoculars focussed themselves on our mast head where the German flag now waved. Our gun mask dropped, and the cannon peered forth. By Joe, but It raised a commotion on the deck. When she saw it, the woman darted into her cabin. The sallors ran to the boats. Even the helmsman deserted the wheel. The captain was the only one who kept his head. He seized the helm with a firm band, and the ship

Our guests were always interested in the prospect of having new addi-tions to their company. They had an ever-ready, cordial welcome for fresh arrivals. This time, the coming of a second feminine passenger made the occasion a gala one. Everybody put on his best manners. The members of our "Captains' club" masses their forces on deck, read the o d the in captu

had captured. The newly arriving woman, who scarcely knew what to expect aboard our dreadful pirate craft, was surprised when she was greeted not only by our Captains' club with all of its stately courtesies, but also by a brightly smiling young woman who presented her with a bouquet of flowers that made up in brightness of color what it lacked in sweetness of perfume, since they were imitation

The two women immediately became the best of friends, and the convivial spirit aboard made our happiness complete.

The captured barque, the British Yeoman, carried a rare store of provisions, including some live pigs and chickens. She also had two pets. a curious pair-a rabbit and a pigeon. We promptly adopted them and called the pigeon "the dove of peace" in honor of the spirit aboard our raiding ark.

Our floating hotel was about full. If we wanted to take any more guests aboard, we would have to get rid of present company. The old pirates would have had a plank-walking ceremony. That was a sure way to prevent inconvenient information from getting around. Undoubtedly, it would nave enabled us to keep our existence still secret. We were buccaneers in a sense, but not quite that bad. We would have to take other measures. When our prisoners got to port and our freebooting career became known. cruisers, of course, would set out after us. They would make the narrow Atlantic much too hot for us. We would have to seek other waters. The broad Pacific remained. We did not want to hold our prisoners for the always rough passage of Capt Horn, where, to addition, there were likely to be cruisers on watch, keeping a guard for suspicious ships that might be trying to take the shortest route from European waters to the Pacific. We might be shelled and sunk, but it would have been scarcely humane to take a chance of going down with all our prisoners on board. So we arranged it in a way that would enable us to get a good



Sending His Old Ship to Her Last Port.

start on our trip around Cape Horn before the cruisers could get word

came along. You should have seen her heave to and her yards come banging down when our German flag went up and we signaled the inevitable: "Stop or I shall fire."

Her captain exhibited all of the usual Gailic despair at the prospect of losing his ship. We looked the craft She was large and roomy and had aboard a large stock of provisions.

"No," I said to her skipper, "we are not going to sink your ship. She will go right on to port."

"Eh?" He was immensely surprised "She will take our prisoners. "I will be delighted, monsieur, to have them as my guests."

They won't be your guests, Captain. You will be the guest of the new captain of the Cambronne." "I will not command my ship?"

"Not at all. I have a Captains' club. aboard. You, as a prisoner, are now a charter member. Your ship is my prize, I will select a member of the Captains' club as her skipper."

He was very angry. It burt blue nearly as much to be removed from the command of his ship as to have her sunk.

It was a touchy matter to select a skipper from among a dozen captains. each of whom was full of sensitive dignity and thought he was the best navigator of the lot. The French cap tains thought a Frenchman should be selected, since the most numerous as tionality among the prisoners was the French. The traditional principle of seniority, however, pointed to the se lection of the oldest skipper. My betief in that principle was confirmed by the fact that the oldest skipper was Cuptain Mulien of the Pinmore. He had shown himself to be the finest of gentlemen, and then there was the memory of my old ship, which I had n compelled to sink appointed Man paste

<u></u> We topped off the Cambronne's apper masts, so that she could set only her lower sails. She could not make any speed now, and it would take her from ten to fourteen days to get to

Rio de Janeiro, which was the near-

est port. Then I exacted a pledge

from Captain Mullen: "('aptain," said I, "we are releasing our prisoners and they are under your command. I understand perfectly well that when you get to port our existence will be known. We will be a sailing ship in a world of armored cruisers. We will be chased like a wild deer. We need a start. We have taken care that you do not get to port too soon. One thing remains, though. You may meet a ship within a week or within a day-it may be a steamer with a wireless plant. I ask for your word that you will not communicate with any ship until you reach port. We have, I hope, treated our prisoners fairly, and I ask this of you in return. I must have your solemn word on it."

"Count." be replied, "I give you my word that the Cambronne will not communicate with any ship until she is in port at Rio."

We shook hands on it, and my mind was at rest. It was no risk to take the word of the l'inmore's old skipper. He played his part nobly He passed several steamers on his way to Rio, but steered clear of them. One comical thing happened A big steamer came toward the Cambronne one morning, and then her captain noticed the crowd of prisoners on the ship's deck. He was a cautious soul it looked suspicious. The steamer turned and fled at full speed.

There remained the case of Captain Lecog of the La Rocheforenuld who had broken his word to me and whom I had promised not to release with the other prisoners. He tried to dissuade me. He was aghast at the thought of being kept aboard the Seeadler throughout her long cruise, the end of which no one could foretell. He vowed by all the saints that he would keep the position of the ship's magazines tocked sternty within his bosom. I would not listen to him. I told him that the others would go but he would remain. I intended to hold him until we had caught and released our next batch of prisoners. He enlisted the other captains to intercede in his behalf. They came and asked me to relent.

"Gentlemen," I replied, "I have just now rested the safety of my ship on Captain Mullen's word. You are all ship masters. You know a captain's duty to the vessel ne commands. Very well, I know that Captain Mullen's ers of you at your word, and you have not falled me. But Captain Lecoq to break it again?"

They argued so hard for their unfortunate fellow skipper that I finally gave in. After all even if he did break his word again and tell of the position of my magazines, it did not necessarily mean disaster. I made him sign a promise and made the other captains sign as witnesses to his promise. Then I gave orders that be should go with the rest.

We paid our prisoners off, just as if they had been working for us. Each received wages for the time he had spent aboard, and each was paid for the wage he ordinarily received from his shipowner. By Joe, that made them happy. We had a final hanquet. The sailors feasted in their quarters. I entertained the officers and ladies in my cabin. Toasts of champagne were drunk, and at the end there were cordial handshakes. We transferred the crowd to the Cambronne in boatloads, and each boat, as it pushed off. gave three cheers for the Seendler.

We had been away from port for eight weeks and had sunk eleven vessels, representing a total of more than forty thousand tons of allied shipping. The Atlantic had given us its share. Now to the Pacific. And God save us from the crulsers.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Struck Whales "Drown"

As a general thing the whate when strick by the whaler's harpoon dives below the surface and soon reappears for air to be greeted with another harpoon or two which puts him out of business Occasionally they do not reappear and the explanation made is that they are drowned. Having re-ceived their death blow they reach the bottom, but have not the strength to return and their lungs filling with water makes it all the more difficult. as they are deprived of the buoyancy that this quantity of air would impart to their bodies.

a basket ball match in which her son was playing. After watching for a few moments she inquired: "What is the er-object of this

"Why," said the guide, "the object Well," said the woman, with one of the property of the sof genius, "it would be the first they would get out of the soft they would get out out they would get out of the soft they would get out out they would get out out they would get out they would g

By H. B. MARTIN-



Mashie Pitch Requires Long Follow Through

N MAKING a mashle pitch it is quite necessary for the club to pick up the ball, not scoop it. This can always be done by a long follow through. If the ball is played off the left foot there is a great chance of topping it. If it is played off the right foot there is more room for the follow through and better control will be ob-

This is not what would be called the back spin shot. In this case the club hits the ball just a little before the center on the down swing knocking the legs out from under it and causing it to spin backwards.



Hitting the Shoulder a Bad Fault

A T SOME TIME or another every hitting his shoulder with the club on the back swing. Some get rid of th habit right away, but others, not realizing what they are doing and not taking the trouble to consult a professional, go along for years with this

The habit comes from loosening the grip with the left hand as the club comes to the top of the swing. Some golfers with this troublesome fault feel that they must hit their shoulder. even though they touch it lightly, to make sure that they have taken the club back far enough. Bouncing the club off the shoulder sometimes comes from improper pivot-A golfer that half sways and mif pivots is likely to do this.



Sweeping Follow Through In sures Distance

WHEN we hit a golf ball, the mo tion or stroke is a sweep, or should be a sweep. There should be no attempt to check the club head as it comes through. The ball being of rubber flattens out on the club head, almost egg-shaped. This process goes on for the first four inches or so. then it snaps back to shape as it gradually releases itself from the club. This is called follow through and is an all-important part of golf.

If you keep the club head with the ball a long time, the drive will be straighter. This can be managed by sending the club on through with no attempt to check it, nor to pull acros the ball.

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Truman Caldwell. Reporter. tion; everyone may take part.

Come one, come all

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son, Haschall, left for Chickasha, six grandchildren, and three sis Okla, Monday after a few days ters who live in Tennessee. His

LOST -Goodrich tire and rim. between Hedley and Glarendon. Clifford Allison.

Miss Frances Kendall is spendng the week with friends at Canyon and Amarille this week

Mr and Mrs. Aiva Alexander and little daughter of Ardmore, Alexander home

JOHN BENJAMIN MITCHELL

The following excerpts were Phursday night at First Baptist taken from last week's Stephen

John Benjamin Mitchell, of Friday, July 26 Granbury, who has been in the Stephenville bespital the past ten weeks died at 9 o'clock Sunday evening, July 14, at the age of 78 years

Mr. Mitchell was born in Ten nessee and at the age of 21 came We meet every Thursday night to Texas, settling at Granbury, Saturday, 27th at the Baptist church, and invite where 40 years ago he was mar anyone who enjoys gospel sing. ried to Miss Nan Murphy Siz ing to come and join as. This is children were born to them, all not a denominational organisa- living except one son. Ruel, who died of influenza at a training camp in Ganada during the world war in 1918

Surviving him are his wife, two sons, A. L. of Granbury and Zeb of Hedley, three daughters, Mrs. Dr Gandy of Lipan, Miss Ruth Mitchell of Stephenville. T. H. Castleberry and wife and and Mrs. C H Jarrett of Canyon visit with Joe Rewden and family. entire family was with him when death came.

The many beautiful firal of ferings from friends were mute evidences of the esteem in which the deceased was held by these who knew him and who loved him for his quiet, cheerful unassuming manner, his gentleness to his family and consideration for his friends

risited in the O R. Culwell home Also Cartoon Comedy and Para the past week.

To advertise Marsay Creams. will give Facials two weeks for Dollie McElroy. Phone 103

Mrs Josie Adamson and son,

Mrs. A. A. Cooper.

Amarillo. WANTED-Assistant cook and kitchen belper at Cooper Hotel.

Middle aged woman preferred.

Mr and Mrs. Joyce Armstrong Lefors one day last week.

SEWING WANTED - Chil dren's clothing a specialty. Mrs. L. A. Wall.

Frank White was here Saturday from Clarendon. He has recently returned from a visit to Chicago and other Eastern centers and a trip to the Colorado

Mrs. R E Mann and daughter, Roberta, and Mrs W. D Shelton visited Mrs. Roy Kutch at Childress this week.

Mrs. C. B. Brooks and Miss Katherine Brooks have returned from a visit to friends and relatives at El Paso.

Hedley yesterday and has joined through mistake, and can and the sales force at Hedley Drug will be corrected at once. Co Mr. Gandy is a nephew of Zeb Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. F E Anderson of Plainview visited this week at the J. W. Noel home.

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Frank Simmons

Lewis Wilder. 12 year old son of Dr. and Mrs M. L Wilder of Clarenden, is dead as the result of an accident - a play mate and a der a rigid test of more than 3000 pasupposedly unloaded gun.

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Wednesday, Thursday, 31st, 1st GRETA GARBO and LEWIS STONE in

Wild Orchids

In Java, where Orchids and Love Paul Culwell of Altus, Okla., are both untamed Great story mount News. 10c 30c.

OUEEN THEATRE

Saturday, July 27 TEX MAYNARD in

Gunhand Garrison

Bob, were recent visitors to Dandy action Western. Also last chapter of the "Scarlet Brand 10c 25e

HAVE YOU REGISTERED?

To All Concerned:

My attention has recently been called to a rumor to the effect and G L Armstrong visited at that a number of businesses in Donley county are being conducted under an assumed name without having first complied with the law The law forbids any person to carry on a business under an assumed name or designation other than his own real name, until after he has flied in the office of the county clerk a certificate setting forth the name under which be proposes to conduct his business, and the true name of all the parties interested

A fine of \$25 to \$100 is the punishment for violation of this law, and each day's violation is a

separate offense I am taking this opportunity to call the attention of all interested parties to the provisions of this statute, as I feel sure that if Joe Gandy of Lipan arrived in this law is being violated it is

> R Y King. County Attorney, Donley County, Texas. July 24th, 1929

Judge W T. Link and A. M. Beville Jr. of Clarendon were

Hedley visitors Wednesday.

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