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## Farmer John Sees Things

"Farmer John, on a summer day Raked the meadows, sweet with hay."

As the sun went down, his philosophy stirred round, and he realized that he hoped his country could have a change of administration in 1941. His reasons were several, but there were especially four.

First: He hoped and believed that ander a Willkie administration the brakes could be taken off of agriculture, industry and commerce With government restrains removed the natural business incentive of the American people will do the rest. The sky should be the limit.

Second: He hopes a reasonable va lue for common labor can be realized. Labor is the foundation of our economic structure. He believes a bottom can be established, by government, lower than which the price of labor cannot go. An army for improvement is the true army for national defense. But the price of this labor should never be on an enforced or slave labor price. At the same time the government needs to, in no sense, meddle with the bargaining rights between employers and employees.

Third: He hopes the change will make a bonus for farm homes ads possible, or, in other words, that a subsidy can e paid to the operator and owner of small farm units. The development of small farm units. operated by the owners, is in urgent demand. It should improve rural life and encourage a drift of people away from the congested centers.

Fourth: He hopes and believes the harrowing fear of a dictator from within or from outside, would be immediately eliminated from America, if a new administration was secured. Remember now, that Farmer John

is not a politician. But freedom for America is ever his ambition.

## FRIONA WOMAN'S CLUB REPORT

The Friona Woman's Club held its first meeting of the year, Wednesday, September 11th, in the Congregational church basement. A one o'clock covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by twenty-seven members. Mrs. Worth Weir and Mrs. Erwin Johnson were hostesses.

The tables were beautifully decorated with fall cut flowers. After the luncheon, the club was called to order by our president, Mrs. M. C. Osborn. During the business session, each committee chairman gave a report of work cone since last meet-

Mrs. M. L. McFarland gave a very interesting talk on "Vacation Spots of Texas," each member following up with "Highlights of Their Vacation Trips," which was very interesting and instructive. Music by Mrs. Blackburn.

A standing vote of thanks was extended to our program committee. Mrs. Stark, Mrs. McFarland and Mrs. Guyer, for the excellent programs they compiled this year. The course of study is "Ways of Life." Some of the program topics are as follows, "International Good Will," "Consumer Movement," "Health-Safety," "America's Tenth Man," "Bible Program," "Character Education," "Conservation of Youth," "Music," "Texas Day," "The Art of Personality," "Modern Literature," 'American Home," "Federation Day." and several social meetings, such as "Guest Day." "Christmas Exchange

Our officers for the year are as Supports Willkie follows; President, Mrs. M. C. On- Supports Willkie born: Vice President, Mrs. J. D. Buchanan; Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Stover; Treasurer, Mrs. Fred White: Parliamentarian, Mrs. Minnie Goodwine; Reporter, Mrs J. C. Wilkison.

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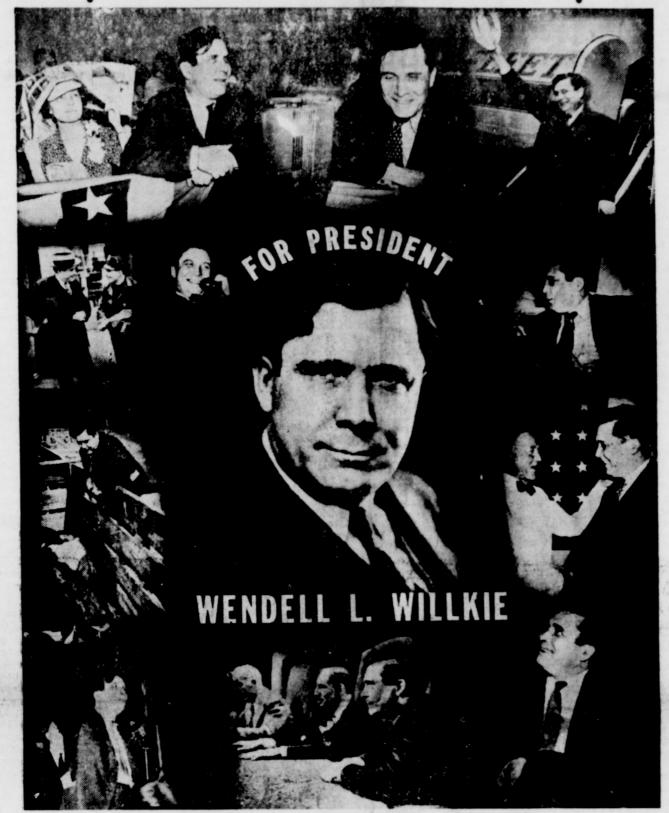
## FORMER RESIDENT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Haves and feel for breaking old ties.

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# WENDELL WILLKIE MAN OF ACTION

Republican Candidate for President, Like Thomas Jefferson, Has Wide Interests.



tacular nomination for the Presidency, by the Republican National Convention, Wendell Willkie has demonstrated to the country his dynamic personality and driving energy as well as his quick and clear

Few men have ever been nominated for the Presidency who have as wide and universal an interest in many fields of endeavor as Wendell Willkie. In that respect he has been compared to Thomas Jefferson who critical New Dealers always have was as well versed in architecture | paid tribute to Willkie's candor, honas he was in the law-knew as much about farming as he did about po-

litical philosophy. . . town of Elwood, Indiana, Wendell of books-all kinds of books. He Willkie was educated for the law. But before he received his degree in that profession, he taught history in the high school at Cosleyville, Kan- background of information on the sas; drove a bakery wagon; worked | "Information Please" programs on

In the two and one-half months | in harvesting wheat in Oklahoma | Constitutional history and writes since his unprecedented and spec- and as a laborer in California. He much better than many professional has labored in steel mills and sugar fields.

Once embarked on the practice of standing newspaperman. law, Wendell Willkie defended labor unions with his father; enlisted in the army the day this country declared war on Germany in 1917; became a lawyer for a rubber company; and finally went to New York, first as counsel for Commonwealth and Southern Corporation and then, when the sick company needed resuscitation, as its president. Even esty and ability.

books, Wendell Willkie throughout Born 48 years and in the small his life has been a constant reader reads rapidly and, with a photographic-like mind, retains what he has read. He demonstrated his rich

writers. Had he not been a great lawyer, he would have been an out-

Though Willkie has sat among the great and learned, he has never lost his touch with his Indiana origin. Though he likes books, he likes people more. He is as much at home in conversation with a truck driver or farm laborer as he is with an industrial tycoon or college President. Typical of the man is the fact that his faith in American agriculture is so great that he placed the savings from his salary in Indiana farm land. Operating these farms on a Nurtured in a home filled with 50-50 basis with tenants, Willkie now knows as much about farming as he does about law.

Indeed, like the Roman of old, Willkie might say "nothing human is foreign to me." But that thought would never occur to Willkie because he believes that when a man commences to compare himself to a as a barker for a tent hotel in Aber- the air and in motion pictures. He | Cicero or Napoleon, people had betdeen, South Dakota, as a field hand is a qualified authority on English I ter look out for him.

## Are We Proud Of It?

This article sincerely submitted in appreciation of what the author beheves to be the senument of the bulk of the citizens of Friona and community. No personal malice is intended against anyone having a business relationship to the subject. It is hoped they will voluntarily cooperate in removing this evil from our midst.

A cancer is one of the most dreaded of human physical maladies. It grows slowly and unnoticed at first, then, when it has a good footing, it begins to affect the whole body in which it is situated. It can, apparently, be arrested or killed, but after a while, if it is given no further attention, it regins its gnawing, rotting work of decomposition again.

Several years ago, many of you may recall, there was a place south of the tracks in Friona where the cancerous effects of alcohol and its ultimate demoralizing consequences were allowed to grow for a while. Some of the conscientious and Christian minded men and women of some of the church bodies of the city, sensing the ensuing danger to its citizeship, circulated a petition closing the dancing pavillion and virtual li-

Within the last few years there has arisen on the Main Street of Friona, another of these institutions of riotous parties, advertising, and in effect, inviting a class of society to come to Friona once or twice a week. to dance and drink and curse and swear on the streets and then go home, leaving their broken liqour bottles in the alleys and on the streets as a token of their appreciation of this city's unsurpassed hospitality.

These staggering, vomiting, liquor gulping enemies of society can be seen on these nights, on either curb, fearlessly turning up their bottles of crazing toast. The people of this community voted a dry ticket because they wanted to spare the innocent tots and visitors to the town, the sight of drunken revelry in public places, and prevent the ultimate demoralizing consequences. Public dances, by their very nature, attract the drinking man or woman. If this is not true, then why do these people possess our streets on dance nights" Frankly-most of the undesirables who haunt the streets with their staggering and reckles driving, are culls from other communities, who are looking for a place where they can do as they please with a stomach and brain soaked with liquor, and believe me, they have found that place in Friona We are not proud of that, are we?

Our officers stand helpless in this situation, because the citizenship has failed to stand behind them in remedying this condition.

In justice to the boys and girlsyes, in justice to every law-abiding peace-loving. Christian minded person, let us banish this blot of social iniquity and sin and moral destruction from the precincts of the little city which we choose to call our

A YOUNG CITIZEN.

## LAKEVIEW SCHOOL NEWS

The seventh grade met Monday. September 9, to organize their class and discuss plans for the year. After playing several games, the following officers were elected:

President, Clarence Veazey: Vice president, Bobbie Jean Barker; Secretary, Dorothy Sue Cummings; Treasurer, John Hand; Parliamentarian. Bill Buchanan; Sponsor, Miss Ves-

The class went to the teacherage. where refreshments were served to the following: Annie Sue Crow. Bobbie Jean Barker, Reba June Harper, nan, Clarence Veazey, John Hand. Ray Ford, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cum-

THEY FOUND THE PINDERS

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# Day," "Men's Night," and "Golden The Plain Dealer

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Well and Davis many for Now for the first time we depart protected as a so we supported because the protection. The tell of Jones, and are making the visit at mer reighbers and friends, who are from this century-old Plain Doaler Franklin D. Roosevelt with boundless bered millions in a vain effect to bor- 'drafting" the president for the run this time owing to the serious illness tradition. We recommend the defeat enthusiasm. Four years ago we sum row and spend his way back to pros it vertest concerns. His whole strate. of their mother, who has been ill for

These rooms formation of the tune of more millions.

If anyone reads into this an act of nating in the president's ill-disguised the hog market. He punished busidesertion, we insist that the result and successful maneuver for a third ness and said that he did it to help Dorothy Sue Cummings. Bill Bucharests on the shoulders of Mr. Roose- term nomination, forces upon us the men whose welfare depends on busiconviction that we can no longer ness. The Plain Dealer chooses to remain support the president whom this He campaigned on the class issue

an editorial which appeared in the Democracy of Jefferson, Jack- of 1932 was liberal, forthright and ministration with radicals, leftist Harper. courageous. Standing on that decla- thinkers and social experimenters. H dames J. A. Blackwell, L. R. Baxter, er in its issue of Tuesday, Aug. The Plain Dealer elecs that the country should as a candidate for president, was im- Lewis by abdicating much of his The Piain Dealer elects to abide ration of principles Gov. Roosevelt outsined the support of John L. make social progress as fast as it can pregnable. Had the tenets of that authority to labor. He kept Secretary more, M'nnie Goodwine, J. A. Guyer,
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confronting the United States of a given direction. America may telt inaugurated a regime of immense Court and bring it under the thumb place to that America. We have reached this con- adopt any form of government and largely uncontrolled expenditure, of the executive. Stooping from his place to secure the binders, but or clusion, which seems inevitable to known or to be known, by man. In a pariod with the regret which decent people but no should be bridged on the binders, but on with the regret which decent people but no should be bridged on the binders. State I gh position as president of all the arriving there, found that these had But we should proceed frankly as at peace he doubled the national people, he prosecuted a countrywide and openly to such basic changes as debt. He sponsored a program of gold 'purge" of Democrats who had rethey SECURED TWO BINDERS. For close to a hun red years, the these and accomplish them in the purchase at inflated prices, which re-used to do his bidding.

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#### CHAPTER IX-Continued -14-

"They've all been especially annoying, except Dad. Or maybe it has seemed so to me because John" Gay paused.

"Don't be afraid to speak of him to me.'

"You're generous, Todd."

"Not very." He gave a short laugh, quickly stilled. "Perhaps I'm just trying to impress you with how well I'm taking it, to make you admire me.'

"I do admire you. I have always. I feel toward you, now, just as I've felt any one of the hundreds of times I've climbed this slope since we were kids."

"How is that?"

"Oh, that it's fun to be with you, that I can say anything without being afraid you'll misunderstand. I when you're silent, or watch your reaction to every move I make. I hoped, when we came through the grove, that you might be coasting. It was good of you to make us welcome.

"You're always welcome." He hesitated, then asked, "Is there-Has anything-?'

"Nothing of any importance-Just Aunt Flora. I was disappointed about something I hoped could happen. And last night-it was diffi-

"Don't worry about it."

"I won't any longer. This was just what I needed. Coasting, silly fun, exercise. Everyone has been so solemn all day. Being with you-"I?" He laughed with a note of

embarrassment in his voice. "What have I done?" "Just been natural, and allowed

There's no strain in being with you."

"Not now," he said gravely, "but there was. You felt a sense of strain last summer, after our enself that you wanted to marry me-"

Then-"Was that a difficult time for a garden rake. you? Forgive me for asking but I-It's strange, isn't it, that you should be the only one I can talk to? The others-

"It was difficult," he said in reply to her question. "I went through

"And you seemed so casual." "I told you that night at the cabin," he said slowly. "I thought you wanted me to be casual. I was afraid that if I let you know how I felt it would irritate you. It was a relief to know, in spite of the fuss, in spite of having to accept the fact that you loved John. I'm getting over you. I've done pretty well and I'm going to do better."

"Oh, are you?" she said so indignantly that they both laughed. "I didn't mean that," she said, when the laughter was stilled. "I want you to be happy."

"I shall be, if you are. Or condisconcerting. I keep thinking-That's enough of that. I'm glad we've had this time together. You won't keep on trying to avoid me as something left. Oh, anything I may of her face. say will sound asinine, but we can be friends, can't we?"

"There's no question of that." Her voice was not quite steady. "After -all the years we've known each other, the fun we've had."

"I hope so. I don't want to lose you entirely. If there's ever anything-If you need me or-" broke off with an embarrassed laugh. "Skip it. We'd better get back to the others. They're probably thinking things which aren't true. This slow-motion progress may appear a little incriminating when viewed from the heights."

She laughed and lengthened her stride to match his. The irritations for us?" of the day no longer lay like a weight on her spirits. It seemed incredible, now, as glowing from the exercise she climbed the slope at Todd's side, that she had allowed Aunt Flora to annoy her, that in her unreasonable disappointment she had flared up at John. She was eager to be with him again, to make her partial apology complete. As they approached the lake, she broke away from Todd and ran ahead.

"Wait a minute!" he called. She did not reply. A chorus of voices greeted her. She made laughing replies but her eyes flew to John. He rose, at her approach, from the pile of blankets on which he had been sitting with Ellen Janeway and her guest, little Julie Lelange from Charleston. His face brightened as his eyes met hers through the ruddy | last night-A party!" glow of the fire. She went to him,

### CHAPTER X

Kitty Cameron lifted her eyes from a magazine as Gay spoke to her at the door of her dressing-

"Hello!" she said. "Have you just returned? Where's John?" "Here." Gay drew him forward.

Yes, we've just returned.' "Hello, John! Come in. There's photograph of the 'Gabriella' in Town and Country,' Gay. Todd has sold it to Tony Merrill."
"Has he?" Gay kissed her moth-

"Whew, ft's hot in here. May I raise a window?'

"Let me." John lifted a sash behind taffeta curtains, letting a stream of air into the softly lit, fragrant room. Lights bloomed through the dusk. A few stars shone. At an angle he saw a freighter moving slowly on the dark surface of the don't wonder what you're thinking | river below, trailing a brighter wash of churning foam.

"Br-r-r!" Kitty Cameron sat up and leaned forward to reach the fur coverlet folded at the foot of the chaise-longue. "You come in here glowing like mountain climbers and proceed to freeze me out.'

'You invited us." Gay dropped into a chair beside the chaise-"You're a hot-house bloslongue. som, Kitty. Where's Robert?"

"Playing hand-ball at the club." Gay's mother lay back against cushions, under the fur coverlet. "He's distressed about his waist-line. Sit down, John, but not in that chair. This is the only one Robert really trusts." She gestured. Peach-colored chiffon in a fan of tiny pleats fell back from her rounded arm. Her long, very deep blue eyes moved from John to Gay. "You must have enjoyed the country. I expected you yesterday. What have you done to make yourself look so blowsy. Gay? Your face is as red as a tomato.'

"Couldn't you have said as red as a Christmas rose? You have no pogagement had been announced, when etry in your soul. She looks as you were trying to persuade your- though she would have, doesn't she, John? Look at her. Peach-blossoms She was silent for a moment, and spun-glass and as practical as

> 'Rake?" her mother queried. laughing. "I don't demand a great deal of filial respect but aren't you carrying matters a little too far?'

'Much too far," John said. His laughter mingled with the feminine laughter chiming in the dainty luxurious room. He relaxed in the chair, which looked fragile but was comfortable, and lit a cigarette.

"Thank heaven, there's a little chivalry left in the world." Kitty Cameron's sparkling glance rested upon John for a moment, then turned to Gay. "But you haven't answered my question. As a parent I demand to know what you've been up to. John's ears are purple.'

"We drove in with the top down, or rather John drove, and we couldn't find ear-tabs or a tippet." Kitty Cameron shuddered. "Have-

n't you any sense?' "It was marvelous, except that John has a mania for speed which tent, at any rate. Of course being I've never suspected. I was certain here with you like this is a little | we'd spend his last night here in a magistrate's office."

."Are you leaving tomorrow?" "Tonight, Mrs. Cameron." "Must you, John?" Gay's eyes

you have done until now? We have | clouded. The brightness dimmed out "Must, Gay. I've overstayed my

leave of absence by one day already. "The late sleeper, then."

"Yes," he said, and was silent. "Oh, that's really too bad." Kitty Cameron's expression was dis-tressed. "I expected you to stay over the week-end, at least. If I'd had any idea-"

"What have you been up to, Mother?" Gay asked. "You've no idea how guilty you look."

"It's Robert." She sighed, then smiled. "I learned long ago that surprises are usually not appreciat-

"Has Robert planned a surprise "He has made arrangements to

take us for dinner and dancing at the Heron Club." That was dear of him," Gay

said slowly, "but-" "I told him he should consult you. Well, don't think of it again. Robert will be disappointed and what he'll say to the others-But that's his predicament."

"The others? Is it a party?" "Ten, I believe. Tory Wales and her fiance and Peter and Con-

nie Belmont and-Gay's eyes met John's in dismay. "We should have stayed in the country," she said.

"Robert wanted to do something for you, Gay." Kitty Cameron's tone held a faint rebuke.

"I appreciate that. But John's "You've never shown any dislike

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"On the contrary- But you needn't. Robert was letting off steam. He was so incensed yesterday when your Aunt Flora was here. She has the ability to stir up antag-

onism in even Robert's genial soul. The laughter, the gaiety had gone out of her voice. John saw that her contentment was shattered. She glanced at him guardedly, wondering, he knew, what effect further discussion of their situation would have upon him. He smiled, but, studying her expression, he knew that he had failed to reassure her completely.

"I know how it irritates you to be questioned," she said, obviously choosing her approach with care. 'But under the circumstances,

"We have no definite plans." "Then you won't be married this

"No," Gay said and was silent. "But I thought- You told me-"That Dad was wangling a place for John in the research department at Johns Hopkins," Gay said evenly. "Wasn't he successful? I should



She laughed and lengthened her stride to match his.

ther did for the hospital, there should be no question of a refusal. "There will be an opening at the first of the year."

"But I am not free to accept it, Mrs. Cameron," John said. "I'm obligated until October."

"Couldn't some arrangement be

made?" "I'm afraid not." He knew that

his voice expressed the resentment he felt. He had no reason to feel resentful, he told himself. Gay's mother had every right to make inquiries. But he had come to fear the effect upon Gay, upon himself, of further useless discussion. It was only by avoiding any reference to the future that they had maintained, these past two days in the country, a close and intimate companionship. It was his fault. The sense of inadequacy he felt was deeply humiliating. How could he make Gay's mother understand the nature of his obligation, the impossibility of buying his release? Buy his release? he thought bitterly. Permit Gay to buy it for him-

In the silence which followed his reply, he saw Kitty Cameron turn with a baffled expression to her daughter.

"But, Gay-" she began.

"Does it matter, Mother, except to John and to me?" Gay sat forward in her chair, her color heightened. her attitude defensive. "Other people have had to wait. John knows best what his obligations are. If I'm willing to-" She dropped back into the chair with a short mirthless laugh. "After all the fuss there's been, I can't understand why you try to rush us into marriage."

'I'm not trying to rush you into anything. I'm merely trying to find out, if I can, what you expect to

"Whatever I do needn't interfere with your plans, Mother. You've accepted the Davenports' invitation, haven't you?"

'Tentatively. But you wouldn't enjoy it, darling. A six weeks' cruise. No young people and the Davenports aren't stimulating com-

"Besides which, I haven't pee, invited. Go, of course, Mother. The Davenports are dull but you and Robert enjoy yourselves wherever you are."

"But what will you do?" Kitty Cameron's glance, a little embarrassed, he thought, turned to John. "You've never shown any dislike. "I don't suppose all of this is very for parties," her mother said mild-entertaining to John."

"You couldn't, Gay!" "No, I guess you're right. Well, I could go to Italy with Dad, though he doesn't really want me. When I'm with him he thinks he should do things to entertain me. He's much happier poking around in art museums and book-shops and cathedrals alone.'

"Why not?" Gay folded her arms

beneath her head. "I can go to

Daytona with Aunt Flora."

"David was born a bachelor," David Graham's former wife said without rancor, in indulgent extenuation. "He's always happier alone, though when I made that possible the heavens fell." Her attention returned to the subject under discussion. "I want to know that you are provided for, before I accept the Davenports' invitation definite-You always have invitations.'

"I'll visit Tory in Palm Beach. It's usually amusing there," she said with a forced gaiety which struck through John's heart in a stab of quivering pain. "I, in Palm Beach, John, in Maine. You and Robert, cruising with the Davenports. May we all survive!"

Kitty Cameron regarded her daughter thoughtfully, her brow beneath the soft waves of her amazing hair, puckered in lines of doubt. As she opened her lips to speak, the telephone rang. She took the instrument from the table beside the chaise-longue.

"Hello . . Yes, darling," John heard her say. "Yes, they're here. John is leaving tonight . . . No, I Of course I've had no idea . Wait a minute told them . . . Wait a minute . . . It's Robert," she said. "What shall I tell him? Do you want to go to the Heron Club?"

"Shall we, John?" Gay's eyes met his, glancingly, clouded at what she read in his face.

"If you would like to, Gay." The constraint in his voice ended her indecision. It was his fault, he thought miserably. He had destroyed their plans for the evening, the plans they had made driving in from the country this afternoon. In silence he saw her raise her head "We'll go," she said, too lightly, too quickly. "Tell Robert we'd love

to, Kitty. Kitty Cameron's lips parted as though she meant to speak. Then her brow cleared. Her shoulders under the peach-colored negligee made a faint shrugging metion. She spoke into the transmitter.

The orchestra made prefimiraty sounds, then swung smoothly, trgratiatingly, into a waltz. The blond, burly young Englishman leaned across the long table toward Gay. "This is my dance, I think," he said with a slightly formal inclination of his head.

The sandy-haired young man whom John had not met before this evening intervened. "My dance, Gay. You promised."

"Gay saves her waltzes for nie," Robert Cameron said from the end of the table. "She doesn't trust my foot-work in anything more roodern.

"What it is to be popular!" "ory Wales sighed in laughing derinion.
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### Back Door That Sticks' Can Be Easily Repaired

Damp weather is most ofter the cause of sticking doors. Absertion of moisture results in the swe ling of the framework and door and frequently causes the paint or vainish to soften and become sticky.

If the door has an even margin along the top and bottom eiges and if the hinges are firm it will be necessary to plane either the linge or lock edge. Usually it is best to plane the hinge edge, as the hinges are more easily removed and remortised than the lock. Care should be taken not to plane off too much wood, however.

If a door is too tight on the hinge edge and binds against the hinge jamb the hinges will loosen unless the condition is promptly remedied. Where the door has plenty of clearance on the lock side and the pin seems to move slightly when the door is closed, loosen both hinges at the frame and insert cardboard under the jamb leaves along the outer edges. If upon tightening the hinges and closing the door the margins are more uniform and the pins do not move the repairs should

be permanent. When the door has sprung inward or outward at the hinge edge as a result of warping it will be almost impossible to close it without exerting considerable pressure against the bulging part. This difficulty is generally overcome by putting w an additional hinge midway between the other two to hold the does straight

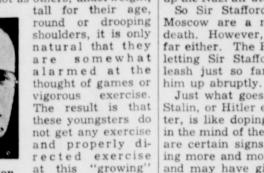
# Underweight Child Needs More Exercise

By DR. JAMES W. BARTON

HAVE spoken before of the number of recruits who were rejected for war service because the chest was too small. Practically every

one of these young TODAY'S fellows, on questioning, stated that they had never | COLUMN played games because their parents were afraid

they would get hurt. When parents see that their children are not as others, underweight,



at this "growing" Dr. Barton greatly needs.

"There are children who show the side, stomach ache, headache, dizziness and fainting spells."

Dr. L. F. Meyer, in Oriental Jourthan five minutes after exercise. encing Hitler. The blood pressure differs from normal for it also remains high for state in France and the other Latin more than five minutes. These two countries of Spain and Italy. In tests-heart beat and blood pres- France they have already removed sure-increased for longer than five all of the machinery from northern minutes show insufficiency of circu- factories-lock, stock and barrel. lation and inability to react properly from exercise.

Group Games Improve Circulation. Dr. Meyer suggests that as these children are nearing puberty, the circulation may improve and be equal to the demands made upon it. However, the treatment recom-mended is: "Invigoration of the body by gymnastics and sport, especially by breathing exercises."

The point then for parents is to have these slender, gangling, pale, overgrown children attend a gymnasium where exercise and group games are supervised. All group games not only strengthen the circulation by calling on the heart and lungs for more blood, but develop self-reliance in these delicate chil-

## Liver Extract Is Good for Pimples

IT WOULD now appear that another use for liver extract has been discovered which may mean much to the appearance and thus the happiness of many girls and

boys and young men and women. Until recently, acne-pimpleswas considered a distressing ailment which often came with puberty and had to be endured for 10 or 15 years—the most important years in life from the appearance standpoint.

Some skin specialists were able to help many patients by prescribing a diet. Then X-ray treatment was found effective. Recently, the injection of pituitary extract has given splendid results, as has also the use of viosterol by mouth. Now comes liver extract.

Boiling Increases Efficiency.

Dr. W. Marshall, Appleton, Wis., in the Journal of Investigative Dermatology (skin diseases), reports his use of boiled liver extract in the treatment of 14 cases of acne in which he obtained satisfactory results. The injection of liver extract -six drops-is given so that a sufficient amount of the specific (or needed) vitamin may be had. When injectable liver extract is boiled for 30 minutes, its acne-improving factor seems to increase. "When this boiled extract is given to patients already taking liver extract regularly, their improvement appears more rapid.

This means then that to our present knowledge of the beneficial effects of X-rays, injection of pituitary extract and taking viosterol by mouth, is added the further knowledge that the use of liver extract boiled for 30 minutes and injected under the skin also cures many cases of acne.

#### . . . QUESTION BOX

Q.—How many thyroid glands does one have? After the removal of the thyroid gland, is medicine substituted for the lost secretion? Is X-ray a successful way to treat a goiter?

A .- 1. There is only one thyroid gland but it is in two sections. 2. If there is a great increase in weight after removal of thyroid

gland, thyroid extract is given. 3. X-ray is an effective method of removing a goiter but takes a long

the all the contract the second second

BRITAIN, U. S. WOO RUSSIA

WASHINGTON, D. C .- Behind-the scenes talks are still continuing between the state department and Russian Ambassador Oumansky with a view to putting relations between the two countries on a more even keel, and perhaps evolving a little teamwork in regard to Japan. But the talks aren't getting far.

Simultaneously, Sir Stafford Cripps, British ambassador in Moscow, has been doing his best to win the Russians over to the British side. If Stalin should mass his Red army near the Hitler sphere of influence in the Balkans, it might slow up the Nazi air attack upon England.

So Sir Stafford's negotiations in Moscow are a matter of life and shoulders, it is only death. However, they aren't getting far either. The Russians have been are somewhat letting Sir Stafford go out on the alarmed at the leash just so far, then they bring

Just what goes on in the mind of The result is that Stalin, or Hitler either for that matthese youngsters do ter, is like doping out what goes on not get any exercise in the mind of the Sphinx. But there and properly di- are certain signs that Hitler is facrected exercise ing more and more toward the west and may have given up his old deage is exactly what | signs on the east-and Russia. There the body, including heart and lungs, are also signs that Stalin believes

this to be true. For instance, the settlement of pallor, excessive growth, muscular | Germans in the new German-seized weakness, bad posture-sitting and Poland has not been successful. The standing. There are rapid fatigue, Germans don't seem to like moving palpitation of the heart, stitches in into Slav areas. Furthermore, the Pan-German group seems to be

dominant in Berlin. For years there have been two nal of Internal Medicine, reports schools of German thought in the that the general test of circulation Berlin foreign office and the war by exercise (10 deep bends of the ministry, one believing that Gerknees) shows that this group reacts many's future lay in moving into otherwise than completely healthy Russia, the other that it lay in domchildren. The pulse remains fast in | inating western Europe. At present one-third of the children for longer the latter group seems to be influ-

Their plan is to create a peasant And it is significant that the part of France which the Nazis left unoccupied is largely agricultural; so that it will be a long time before France ever is able to come back as an

industrial country. Note-Betting inside the diplomatic corps is that Hitler will move in on Russia when he gets ready, even if he does try to dominate western Europe first.

## COUGHLIN BACK AGAIN

Father Coughlin is quietly planning to stick his oar into the presidential campaign with a new radio eries to begin around But he is having a lot of trouble arranging contracts with stations.

Since the controversial nature of his talks bars him from the big networks, under the National Association of Broadcasters' code, the only course open for him is to buy time on individual stations for purely political speeches. This the radio priest is now trying to do.

But he is encountering a lot of coolness among station owners. They are at a loss just how to classify his fulminations, since his political support has been repudiated by Wendell Willkie, and he already

is persona non grata with Roosevelt. Note-Coughlin plans to broadcast by means of transcribed records over the individual stations. This is much cheaper than network broadcasting -a possible tipoff that the cash isn't rolling into his coffers as it once did.

#### . . . CANADIAN PILOTS

One matter discussed by the joint U. S.-Canadian defense board at its first meeting in Ottawa was the training of Canadian pilots in the

United States this winter. Canada's severe weather makes winter training extremely difficult for aviators. As one Canadian board member expressed it, "Your worst weather conditions are better than our best." Also, Canada is seriously handicapped by lack of train-

ing planes and instructors. The big pilot training program being conducted by the U.S. government has made it hard for Canada to obtain trainer planes and instruc-

tors here. So the Dominion is eager to set up a large school somewhere in the U. S. South or Southwest where Canadian youths could receive flying instruction this winter. If the necessary facilities can be obtained. Canada is ready to send 5,000 men south for training.

All the costs would be borne by Canada. The only thing desired by Canada is the privilege of establish-

ng the school on U.S. soil. Note-The U. S. army has trained military flyers from South American countries for several years, though only in very small numbers.

MERRY-GO-ROUND Both Annapolis and West Point, at the suggestion of the President, will graduate their 1941 classes next February instead of June.

The war department will shortly install a civilian as head of its press division-an important innovation. In the past, army officers have been assigned to this job.

Newest decoration in the office of Bill Green, A. F. of L. president, is a handsome silk flag, the gift of the American Flag association.

REDDY FOX HAS A BAD DREAM | off to sleep. After a little he began

the Green Forest. So it was also a do was to help himself. He was

long time since he had heard the trying to decide whether he would

erwise he would hardly know that the blue sky was over him, and all

Bowser was still alive. Reddy had was as it should be, except one

had good living all summer, and thing-that dreadful roaring seemed

rays of jolly, round, red Mr. Sun it was no dream. Bowser was on

were warm and comforting, and he his trail and very, very near. Spring-

could think of nothing so good as a | ing to his feet Reddy glanced hastily

nap on his special sunning bank. So | behind him. Sure enough there was

he curled up there and without a Bowser and he saw Reddy. He single uneasy thought he dropped sprang forward and his voice seemed

now he was fat and lazy. He was in | to have come out of his dream with

Once in a while he would and follow this with a plump chick-

to dream. At first it was a very

cession of mice and chickens and

ducks and grouse were marching be-

fore him, and they were all for him

to the very last one. All he had to

begin his dinner with a fat mouse

en, or begin with a chicken and top

off with a mouse, when he heard a

faint sound and stopped to listen

while the ducks and the chickens

and the mice and the grouse con-

All this was a dream, you know,

and to Reddy a very pleasant

dream, until that faint sound began

to grow louder and louder. And, as

the sound grew louder, the chickens

and ducks and the mice and the

grouse seemed to fade away. At

last not one was left, and his ears

rang with a great roaring, which

filled him with a great fear. His

beautiful dream was becoming a

bad one. He wanted to run away,

but somehow he couldn't. All the

time that terrible roaring came

nearer and nearer. He gave a

frightened little yelp, and them-

why, then, his eyes flew wide open!

He was right on his private sunning

bank. The rays of jolly, round, bright

Mr. Sun were pouring down on him,

For just a minute Reddy Fox

couldn't understand it. Then sud-

denly he recognized the voice of

Bowser the Hound, and he knew that

tinued to march past.

pleasant dream. An endless pro-



# WHO'S **NEWS** THIS

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—Whether Benedict Crowell is a good prophet or not may yet be revealed. Mr. Crowell, assistant secretary of war in

Experiences of the World war, has been Crowell Grooved named spe-Into Present Job cial consult-

ant on defense, by Secretary Stimson. Addressing the Institute of Public Affairs at the University of Virginia, July 11, 1931, Mr. Crowell said:

"Should a great war ever again engulf our country, American manufacturers, including the new industrialism of the South, as well as the older industrialisms of the North and East, without waste of time, material or priceless human lives, will perform their essential function of munitions supply . . . our national security is on a sound foundation.'

Mr. Crowell, who was a consulting engineer before he became a Cleveland banker and industrialist, is a brigadier general in the ordnance reserve. His specialty, as assistant secretary of war, was in organizing our munitions industries for the war effort.

He was widely praised for his efficiency in this and gained fame as the most ruthless cutter of red-tape in the army high command. This may have something to do with his selection as defense consultant at this moment. Yale university, his alma mater, recognized the above service by giving him an honorary master of arts degree in

A native of Cleveland, 71 years old, Mr. Crowell began his business career as a chemist with the Otis Steel company. He rose in executive positions and at the same time gained technical qualifications which made him a metallurgist and consulting engineer.

He is the author of several books, including a six-volume series called "America Went to War," of which Robert Forrest Wilson was co-author. One of these volumes is entitled "The Armies of Industry," singularly pertinent to problems and backgrounds of our present national endeavor.

ters, interviewing Mr. Crow to note his resemblance to ruby Bob Fitzsimmons, and deduce, from this has made it increasingly popular as his capacity for hitting and staying- a side trip for tourists in Yellowpower.

IN HIS novel, "Le Couple," pubritte, the French writer, foresaw

Of Doom Accepts debacle quite Conquest Foretold accurately, but put the date at 1943 instead of 1940. Today, the author accepts the conquest, which he tragically described and makes common cause with the conquerors. He denounces General De Gaulle and his followers as the hirelings of England.

In present and future clinical research into the fall of France and its causes, M. Marguerritte's lament and prophecy, as of 1925, will be interesting. After describing the alliance of French politicians with "Prussian and Bavarian junkers," and the subsequent collapse and conquest, he says:

"And then we shall be reaping what we have sown. It will be the result of our policy of attempting the semblance of grandeur-stupid because it is not warranted by our power, nor by our national wealth, nor by our trickling birth-rate, nor by our exhausted finances.

Years of self-indulgence, mad pleasure-seeking, the softening of moral fiber and the ebbing of national vitality, he said, would precede the final destruction of the French nation. The League of Nations, he predicted, would be a ghastly failure.

M. Marguerritte is the son of a famous French general of the Franco-Prussian war. In his study were medals and memorials of his father's war service. He is a stalwart man, tall and straight with abundant pompadoured hair and a Van Dyke beard.

He was a member of the Legion of Honor and honorary president of the French Society of Men of Letters. Poincare, no defeatist, had urged his Legion of Honor decoration. This and all his other honors were stripped from him when he published an offending book, "La

Garconne. He had been for 10 years an officer in the French army. In his books, which he continued to write during his army service, he championed virile French nationalism. Now, at 73, he watched France 'reap what she has sown.'

# Wise Old Indian Saves Cash for U.S.

Locates Old River Ford, Saves Time, Haulage For Government.

WASHINGTON .- This is a story of how a wise old Indian kept the federal debt from rising a bit more. Daniel B. Sanford, a road engineer of the Indian service, told of

the episode in a report to the Washington office. The story: "The road engineer at the Flathead agency in Montana recently was faced with the problem of moving a steam shovel weighing more

than 40 tons from the Indian service road project to the Indian irrigation project, a distance of about 35 miles by the shortest route, which necessitated crossing the Flathead river "The capacity of the bridge, however, was only 10 tons. The alter-

crease the distance 140 miles for Old Ford Remembered.

nate route required crossing the

river at Polston, which would in-

"It was then that one of the old Indians who had been working on the job saved the day by telling the engineer that many years ago the Indians had forded the Flathead river at a point about 400 feet below the present Perma bridge. He described the ford, pointing out that its route was in the shape of a letter "U." The bottom of the "U" was downstream.

"With the Indian serving as guide the ford was surveyed and soundings made. Buoys were anchored along the route, which was found to be little changed with the passing years. The deepest point was 51/2 feet, which just brought the water into the cab of the shovel

### New Fire and Tourist

Lookout in Yellowstone

YELLOWSTONE PARK, WYO .- A monumental structure of reinforced concrete is nearing completion atop the rugged, wind torn summit of Mount Washburn, in Yellowstone national park. When the last form is poured and the shavings swept from the floor, this three-story fortress will stand as one of the largest and finest lookouts in any national park-a vital cog in the protection of the 1,500,000 acres of virgin forest which mantle Yellowstone.

For practical purposes in locating fires the new lookout commands a radius of 15 miles. Although natural hazes make it difficult to see a small column of smoke at any greater distance, the Teton mountains, more than 80 miles away, are easily observed on a clear day. The elevation of Mount Washburn is 10,-317 feet.

Built by the national park service at a cost of approximately \$15,-000, the new structure replaces the inadequate stone lookout erected on ell in the old days, frequently used | Mount Washburn in 1921. Construction of a road to the top of the peak stone park. The lookout proper on the third floor of the new building, encased on all four sides with glass, lished in 1925, Victor Marguer- has already been opened. The second floor of the new structure will the disaster which was to overtake be devoted to living quarters, with rest rooms on the ground floor. French Prophet France. He described the

"Permission was obtained to ford the river to save the added hauling distance. Since the Montana Power company had just completed the Kerr dam across the Flathead river south of Polston it was decided as an extra precaution to request the company to raise the gates at the dam for a time and thus lower the river at the ford, a distance of 65

miles below the dam. The company agreed to raise the gates at 10 p. m. on a given date, lowering them again the next morning at eight o'clock. Our calculations showed that the lowest water would occur at Perma at about 2 p. m., and all preparations were made to cross at that time.

"The water began to drop at 9 a. m. and at 2 p. m. the crossing was started. The river is 900 feet wide at that point, but the route taken was 1,750 feet and the crossing was made without incident in 35 minutes. "Thanks to this old Indian, the Indian ford that had not been used in 50 years reduced the distance of moving the shovel by 105 miles with a saving to the Indian service of a considerable sum."

WAS a long time since Reddy

Fox had been near Farmer

Brown's henyard. Very wisely he

had been content to hunt for his liv-

ing on the Green Meadows and in

voice of Bowser the Hound on his

hear Bowser barking far away in

### Hitler and Churchill Meet at Last



Two world-famous names belong to 2 of the 100,000 U.S. army troops encamped at Ogdensburg and Lisbon, N. Y. They are Warrant Officer Thomas P. Churchill (left) and Staff Sergeant Paul Hitler (right). Churchill is with the Second corps area, regularly stationed at Governors' island, and Hitler is attached to the Seventy-first infantry of New York.

to grow twice as loud. Reddy didn't by Thornton W. Burgess wait. He started for the Green Forest as fast as he could run. And as he ran he muttered to himself:

"I wonder how he came to find my track. It must be that Farmer Brown's boy is out hunting again with that dreadful gun. I must watch out for him. Oh, dear, I'm too fat to run well! I've got to throw that dog off my track somehow. It isn't fair to hunt me when I haven't been near that old chickenyard. Some things are dreadfully unjust in this world. Farmer Brown's boy ought to keep that bothersome dog chained up when I keep away from the ducks and chickens. It isn't fair. No, sir, it isn't fair. My goodness, how short of breath I am getting! I certainly am in no condition for a long run.

And all the time Old Man Coyote was trotting to his home in the far corner of the Green Meadows with a wicked grin on his face, as he istened to the voice of Bowser the Hound as Reddy ran for his life. You see, Bowser had found the tracks of Old Man Coyote that morning and started to follow them. Old Man Coyote, knowing just where Reddy Fox was, had led Bowser straight there, and when Bowser had seen Reddy he had straightway forgotten all about Old Man Coyote. And that was just as Old Man Coyote had planned. No wonder that chuckled as he trotted off home.

**\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** By V. V.

@ T. W. Burgess .- WNU Service



THE newest autumn coiffure will I probably have long, wide curls at the nape of the neck to go with the new bonnet. The front and the side hair is usually short and done in larger, wavier curls. There is a definite trend away from the small

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Build Portable Steel Dam For Use of Panama Canal

PITTSBURGH.-A portable steel dam, largest of its kind ever built, is being rushed to completion here so that it may implement defense machinery at the Panama canal.

The floating caisson, being built by the Dravo corporation, at its Neville Island works here, is resigned to be rushed to any place in the canal and act as an auxiliary dam should the regular locks be damaged-through sabotage or ac-

The dam was ordered by the navy department, under the national defense program, at a cost of about \$500,000.

It is similar to a portable dam constructed in 1914 when the canal was completed and which has been there may be refuge with our diremployed frequently during repairs to other locks.

The new portable dam, it is understood, will be stationed at Gatun

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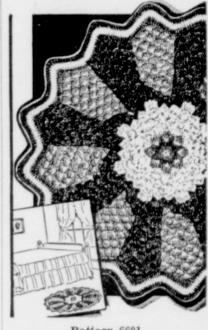
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# Power for America's Defense Preparedness

He started for the Green Forest

Farmer Brown's dooryard, but oth-

no condition for a hard run and he

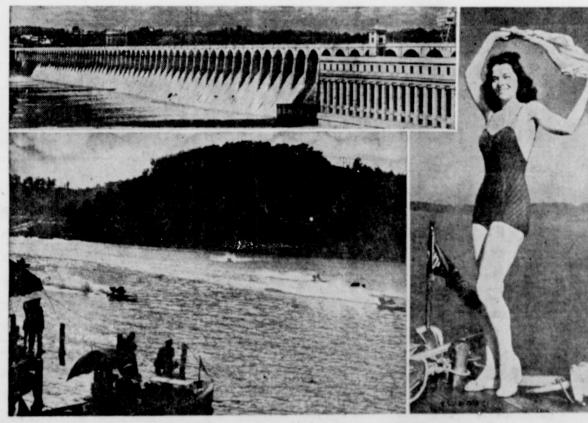
This particular morning Reddy

was very sleepy. He had been out

all night, his stomach was full, the

as fast as he could run.

had no desire for one.



Wilson dam, one of the great hydro-electric power producers of the Tennessee valley, is an important unit of the 10 that can produce 1,700,000 horsepower of electricity for America's defense. As the lakes above the TVA dams are completed, speedboat racing has become a fad. Seven regattas have already been held this summer. Pretty Pat Poore, shown, will be "Miss TVA" in Chattanooga's Labor day celebration. Two hundred cities in the seven states of the valley area will unite for the four-day program.

#### THAT WARFARE SCIENTISTS DEFLATE MYTH CAUSES RAIN

ANN ARBOR, MICH .- A popular | bitter conflict in Europe. superstition current during the World war that bombs and heavy artillery fire in Europe caused rains in the United States has been debunked by University of Michigan

scientists. Profs. Daniel L. Rich and Ernest F. Barker of the department of physics issued statements to correct | the battlefields to stop Germany's the misconception which, they said, war machine and mire tanks in mud. has been revived during the current If the belief were true, they said, of dust particles hang over the city, chance.

The scientists pointed out that rain is caused when water vapor attached to dust particles cools sufficiently to concentrate into drops heavy enough to be pulled to the

ground by gravitation. The scientists pointed out that there has not been enough rain on

the German army into France would have been slowed.

While dust particles might be accumulated through heavy bombings, they pointed out that without presence of sufficient water vapor there

could be no rain. In this respect, the physicists com-

perhaps the lightning advance of they said, but precipitation charts reveal no excess rain for Pittsburgh. At any rate, rain would fall on the battlefields and not in the United States.

Street Scene

Every Broadway stage producer turned down Elmer Rice's "Street pared the battlefields of Europe to Scene," which coined \$2,000,000 industrial Pittsburgh. Dense clouds when William A. Brady took a

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### TIAN SERVICE ORGANIZED HERE

The meeting was called to order ness is of himself! by the pastor, who stated the pur- These are perilous days in world pose of the meeting. A song, "Faith history for any democracy to experiof our Fathers," was sung by the ment with indispensable men. The group. Mrs. Williams was then elec- German republic tried it. Italy tried ted temporary secretary.

The program included: Hill.

Doxology, Group Prayer, Group.

Statement of the purpose and plan of the organization, Brother Hill, after which the enrollment ceremony

The report of the nominating committe was given, from which the folding Secretary, Mrs. Odis Settle. Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Frank ripe for the advent of the Indispen- affairs in the crisis. Washington was, Franklin D. Roosevelt. Spring. Treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Belew, sable Man. Secretary Mission Education, Mrs. L. L. Hill. Secretary Christian Social by a newspaper appreciative of the Relations, Mrs. Bulls. Secretary Literature and Publicity, Mrs. R. E. and social injustice which inspired Griffitts. Secretary of Supplies, Mrs. the earlier days of Mr. Roosevelt's A. A. Crow. Secretary of Young Women's Work, Mrs. J. T. Gee. Secretary of Student's Work, Mrs. Henry Lewis. Secretary of Children's Work, outlined against the dark background Mrs. Arthur Hilton. Secretary of economic fumbling and industrial Mrs. Arthur Hilton. Secretary of failure.

Pre-School Age, Mrs. J. L. Shaffer. chair. The society voted to meet at November election. The country is 2:30 and dismiss at 4:00 on Monday afternoons. The charge to the new sition to Mr. Roosevelt for a third society was then read by the President. A moment of silent prayer was held, concluded with a prayer by the group. A song. "A Charge to Keep Opposing the president who seek

licious refreshments were served. bers: Mmes. Odis Settle, J. D. Ham- business man from Indiana has belin, Vera Osborn, Pearl Hill, Arthur come since mid-June the hope of Hilton, W. D. Bulls, Henry Lewis, R. millions whose votes, in the good H. Belew, E. S. White, S. J. McLellan, American way, make our presidents. J. T. Gee, J. E. Stover, A. A. Crow. Wilkie was the surprise nomined J. L. Shaffer, Frank A. Spring, Glenn of an unbossed convention. He had E. Reeve, F. O. Griffith, Ralph Grif- received no primary fitts, Wright Williams.

I'm sure you won't take offense if I tell you something you ought to candidate unappreciative of cost conknow. WE pronounce it 'Ohio.

COUNTED THE MOST



First Business Man-Of all your counts the most? Second Ditto-The adding maehine, of course.

THE PLAIN DEALER SUPPORTS WILLKIE Continued From Page One)

gy for a year before the convention was to make impossible the convention's choice of any other candidate No other Democrat was allowed to get his head above the common level Without declaring his candidacy, the president swept primary after prima-July 31, 1925, at the post office at bolden victory a triumph for office

Priona, Texas, under the Act of the supposedly magical coattails holders thumbing another ride or Any erroneous reflection upon the And then, having wangled the third charcter, standing or reputation of homination for himself, he forced a any person, firm or corporation bellious convention to name for vice which may appear in the columns president a cabinet member whom

The example of a president volun-Local reading notices, 2 cents per ond term was set by Washington. It was galvanized into a principle by Display rates quoted on application Jefferson. It became an inviolable precedent by the wisdom of succeed ing presidents. It is almost as much a part of our fundamental law as the Constitution itself.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRIS- The situation Jefferson warned his countrymen against in 1821 has now come to pass. An ambitious executive, finishing his second term and wish-The women of the Methodist ing another, conjures up the Old Church met Monday afternoon, Sep- World theory that he alone in all tember 9th, in the church, to orga- America is capable of leadership. Mr. nize the "Womens' Society of Chris- Roosevelt paints the portrait of The Indispensable Man, and, lo, the like-

it. Russia tried it. The pathway of government since the World War is A reading, "The New Day," by Mrs. strewn with the twisted remnants of democratic institutions wrecked by indispensable men.

Every modern dictator the world trymen that he was indispensable to work. their welfare.

chance. No man in this still free under compulsion, because his sturepublic is so wise, so strong, so ex- died effort has been to harry business. lted in character or so finely tempered by experience that the safety can political history have condi-

These facts are set down calmly fine qualities of human sympathy are part of the permanent record of the era. They will be remembered.

The new president then took the vive, regardless of the result of the

I Have," after which we were dis- to violate the unwritten statute present then enjoyed a social Willkie, nominee of the Republican in the Recreational Hall, where de- convention at Philadelphia. Unknown Following is the entire list of mem-three months ago, this lawyer and to national politics as recently as had asked for none. His nomination came as the answer to a specific, if unspoken, demand for a man particularly trained to meet the problems

which will face the administration through. There is, for example, the at Washington in the next four years case of a western lady who was | These are problems of business, of taken to a meeting of a club there organization, of harnessing the vast 'And just where do you come forces of the nation to meet the one of the ladies asked conditions of a world at war, perhaps "From Idaho," the western lady to fight a war. These problems are told her. In the kindliest possible too serious for endless economic exway, the Boston lady patted the perimentation; too vital to the naother's hand and said, "My dear, tional safety to be handled by a brain trust with leftist tendencies, or a

> The carrer of Willkie is typically American. From the beginning his success has been self-achieved. Born in a small town, educated in a state university, he began his professional career in a small city. From small beginnings, traveling the road common to average Americans, he has grown into the stature of successfu leadership.

> To a greater degree, perhaps, than ever before, the welfare of the country in the years at hand will depend on industry intelligently directed Willkie is trained by hard knocks for his task. He has the confidence of industrial leaders. He is a cases a rerupl of fair dealing turn lab

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has known first persuaded his coun- his advisers spent too many years coln was one. Jackson was another.

Mr. Roosevelt cannot expect busi-Only on rare occasions in Ameri- the Republic

Without suggesting similarities between men, it will seem to many that America cannot afford to take the ness to cooperate with him, except Willkie belongs in the galaxy of Americans mysteriously prepared for command in this critical period of

By the logic of our two-party sys-

of course, a supreme example. Lin- Even had the president achieved a

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flawless record of administration, That Mr. Roosevelt refuses to make which we have denied, the time is this concession is a partial index of now at hand when he should retire, his character. It harmonizes with of the nation requires his retention in the presidency. America is not a man particularly qualified to direct between Wendell L. Willkie and kie is any less qualified than himself 1933. It is the trade mark of one who to direct the government in the has come to consider himself The



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## TON ELEVEN HERE TONIGHT

Smarting under their 6-0 defeat at 8:00 p. m. tonight.

has been received as to the strength territory. ward with much pleasure in the game a single score.

given out by Coach Eddie Williams, son was able to hit Chieftain receivwill be the same as used last week; ers for long gains by way of air.

I.E. Schmidt. RE. Routh.

LT. Manderscheid. RT. Beene.

LG, Batty.

RG, Hurst. C. Landrum.

QB. J. L. Weis. HB, Johnson.

HB, Lillard. RF, Stevick.

Other players than the starting line-up likely to see service tonight are: White at halfback, V. Weis at guard, Brown at end, Southall at

tackle, and Barker at fullback. Season ticket sales are well under way and will be available for the game tonight. Admission prices for single games are 10c, 20c, and 35c.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING

The Young People's Class discussed the subject "Mother," Sunday evening. We plan to study some of "The Evils of Society in the Church," next Sunday evening, September 22.

The class had a covered dish luncheon in the home of Ozelle Williams, Sunday also. Everyone who was present had a very pleasant time. The class invites you to be with and convenient home them Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Hinds visited in Canyon, Sunday.

Reporter

from the Veterans Hospital at Ama-

visited here Thursday.

Farwell, Thursday,

Rabbh Thomas visited at Amaril

ness at Amarillo, Monday.

HIEFTAINS TO PLAY SILVER- FRIONA CHIEFS LOSE TO HERE FORD WHITEFACES

In a thrill packed season opener, at the hands of Hereford's White- the Priona Chieftains lost to a fightfaces, the Friona Chiefs will open ing Hereford Whiteface eleven, in the 1940 home schedule with the Hereford, last Friday night, by a Silverton eleven on Chieftain Field lone touchdown that came in the second quarter as the result of an Although no definite information intercepted pass deep in Hereford

of the visitors, a good game is in With a margin in their favor on store for the spectators, as word both total yards gained, as well as comes from Supt. Paul S. Rogers, of first downs, the Chieftains were not Silverton, that they are looking for- able to capitalize on their gains for

Time after time the spectators The probable starting lineup, as were brought to their feet as John-

Following Hereford's interception, by Baze, and his long run behind perfect blocking for the only score of the game, the Chieftains dominated the remainder of the evening.

Outstanding in the Friona attack were Stevick with terriffic line smashes, Johnson with well placed passes and broken field running from the safety position, Schmidt on the receiving end of many long passes, The Chieftains have been going Manderscheid and Bouthall and through spirited workouts this week their crushing line play, as well as in preparation for the unknown Landrum, whose passing from cenquantity of their opponents. To date ter made possible a fumble-free no players are on the injury list and game behind the line of scrimmage it is expected that game time will football were Hurst and Batty, at Players getting their first taste of

guard positions. According to spectators, Friday's game was the first in six years that Hereford failed to score in the first quarter of the annual contest betweeen the two schools.

Pollowing their good against Hereford, a large crowd is expected here tonight as the Chieftains open the home schedule against

## NEW BUILDINGS PROGRESSING

Work on the Paul Renner home in the north part of town has been progressing rapidly, and the workmen will soon be ready for the finishing work.

Will Thomas has completed the home he was building for Ralph Smith, which is a very neat structure

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan O'Rear and son, Curtis, have moved into their new home on Euclid Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hinds and G. B express themselves as well pleased with their new dwelling.

Work was resumed last week on C. L. Rury returned home Tuesday the new building on the north side of the Highway, which is reported rillo, where for the past six weeks he to be a machine shop and garage has been receiving medical attention. Owned by J. P. Wilson and Joel Dwight. The frame work is up and Mrs. Charley Jefferson, of Bovina, most of the siding on at this writing.

Leon Hart attended to business at daughter, Betty Jean, attended the Mr. and Mrs. Charley Turner and evening services of the First Baptist church at Sudan, Sunday,

visited in the home of her sister. Harrison Beebe attended to busi Mrs. V. F. Parson, of Lakeview community, a few days last week

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#### FRIONA BAND PARADES AT TRI- REUNION STATE FAIR

SUNDAY As the paper goes to press, infor- A family reunion was held at the Wednesday for Amarilo to receive mation has been received that plans residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. treatments were completed for the Friona Band Crow, several miles southeast of Frito attend the Tri-State Fair in Ama-tona, on Sunday. rillo, where they will parade down Those present, 79 in all, were the ness in Farwell, Friday.

State Fair and Exposition as the J T. Crow, mother of L. M. Crow, children visited with relatives in Por- 1940-41 school year. guests of the Exposition committee, Their names follow: The participation of the Friona Mrs. J. T. Crow Band marks the first time the local Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crow and child- Chrstine, were out of town visitors

organization has been able to take ren, Elmira, Dophene, and Annie Wednesday part in public appearances of this Sue, of Friona; Mrs. R. L. Thomp- Mrs. Elton Young, of Beaville kind early in the school year. The son, of Golthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. C Texas, is visiting with friends and band will be under the direction of E. Williams, of Abernathy; Mr. and relatives here now. She was former-H. B. Bulls. It will be on parade at Mrs. A. A. Crow and daughter, Jua- ly Miss Katherine Vassey. the Friona-Silverton, football game nita; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crow and

DIAMOND SPARKLES NO. 12 Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Crov

Friona won a close game played son, Sohn Dean, on the local diamond, Sunday, from Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Horrall and son the Spring Lake nine, by a score of Max Wayne, 3 to 2, due to the wildness of Smith, Mrs. W. H. Harral and children, Bil Smith was air-tight on hits, but ly and Malcolm, of Wayside. These walked 7, and made three wild pitch- were the children and their families. es. Brookfield gave off nine hits, but The grandehildren were: Mr. and home early Friday morning.

Wright Williams did some mighty Deann, Lila Gay and Phila Mae fine fielding in center field, to help Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Robason and transacted business in Bovina, Mon- and Mrs. Ezell hold the score in favor of the Chiefs, children, Patsy Ruth, Lila, Wanda, Lea was the hitting star for Friona; D. O., and Jimmy Dean; Mr. and Howard and McCurdy, for Spring Mrs. W. H. Jones and sons, De-

wayne, Ray Lee and W. L., of Cross-Friona now has won 12 and lost rouds; New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. 7. Friona will play at Spring Lake W. S. Crow, of Crossroads, N. M. next Sunday, which promises to be Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Crow and childanother pitcher's battle. Grady, New ren, Garry, Nancy Dean and Barba-Mexico, will, play here Sunday, Sep- ra Lou; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Johnson tember 29. That game was changed and children, Jackie, Doris and Bill last week to that date. It will close Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adkisson and

The box score follows: FRIONA F. Brookfield, 1b Martin, 2b 4 0 0 0 and son, Glenn Dale, of Clovis, N. W. Williams, cf Carson, c Lea, rf 3 0 2 0 County Line; Oscar Abney, of Aber-3 0 0 2 nathy; Miss Theo Hackler, of Olton, Brooks, 3b 2 0 0 0 Texas. 3 0 0 0 Out of her twelve children, there Renner, ss

P. Brookfield, p Totals SPRING LAKE AB R H E ter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crow, Chris-LaDuke, rf-2b Howard, cf White. McCurdy, If Watson, ss Blackburn, 2b-rf-Green, 1b Smith, p Knight, 3b Totals

and Mrs. E. D. Fairchild and child 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E ren, Marylin Gale and Larry; Mr. 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 3 2 and Mrs. A, P. Routh and children S'Lake 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2 9 - Roy Tom, W. E. and Evelyn, of Frio-Batteriest Friona, Carson, P. na. Brookfield. Spring Lake, White and

Game Summary: Two base hits; Green and Knight. Three-base hit son, Williams. Sforen base, Lea. Base a number of extra copies of this ison balls, 8mith 6. Strike-outs, sue, and if any of our regular sub-Brookfield 5, Smith 7, Wild pitches, scribers should receive more than Brockfield 1. Smith 3. Passed ball, one copy, will you not, please, hand White 1, Carson 1. Earned runs one copy to your neighbor, who does Friona 0, Spring Lake 1. Hit by not receive the paper, and, if you pitched ball, McCurdy, Left on base, can conscientiously do so, speak a Priona 4, Spring Lake 10. Time of good word for it, in the hopes that game, 2 hrs. 9 minutes. Umpires, they too, may become subscribers.

Jessie Barrnett, J. C. Tesse, and Nolan Rhodes and Al and Kenneth here Tuesday night.

(the mother),

OF CROW

and sons, Johnnie and James, of Su

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

I birthday.

of Snyder; Mr. and

BOVINA NEWS

Mrs. E. H. Englant and daughter,

Barbara Englant, transacted busi-

tales, New Mexico, Thursday. Mrs. Roy Davies and daug

Willie Williams was a Pampa visitson, Elven, of Sudan; Mr. and Mrs. or, Sunday.

Mavys Womack and Lendon Smith O. O. Crow and son, John Don, of who are employed at Hereford, spent the weekend here visiting friends and

dan; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Crow and relatives Mr. and Mrs. Billy Alderson, of the Rhea community, attended to busi- and Mrs. Wilkison.

ness here, Friday - Leyace Young, of Corsidana, Texas. lapent a few days the past week visit ing friends here. He departed for

was air-tight on runners on bases. Mrs. G. B. Buske and daughters, of the Oklahoma Lane confininity Mrs. Christian and Mrs. Roberts.

> Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres returned home Sunday after spending the past week in Amarillo, receiving Miss Wanda Womack, spent Sun-

day visiting with Miss Barbara Eng-Bovina, Monday, with his daughter,

Mrs. Shelby Jersig. daughters, Betty Gale and Elaine, of Dimmitt, spent Monday visiting Mary Kate James and small niece. Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Car-ABR H. E ty, of Dord. N. M.: Mr. and Mrs. T. with Mrs. Clarence Smith.

1 1 0 0 E. Parson and daughter, Bonnie home Sunday, after spending a few Mrs. Gladys Tidenburg returned Eighth Grade 1 0 Faye; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harridge days in Amarillo, taking treatments. 0 M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Jackson, of visited friends and relatives in Por-Elmer Green and Howard Denny tales, Thursday.

Wesley. Ayres spent the past week with Mrs. Buck Ellison, his sister. 3 0 0 0 were ten present. The others are: in Pampa, Sunday, 2 Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Damron, Roches-

Roy Hawkins and Frank Wilson were business visitors in Maleshoe. Following the nomination of can-4 0 0 0 Mrs. V. F. Parson, of Lakeview lison and children, Jimmie Jeanette, preparing for the coronation preced-4 1 1 0 community, entertained at the noon Lois Marie and Lillie Ann, to shop ing the Dimmitt game, October 4. 4 0 1 0 hour Sunday, honoring Mr. Parson's and to have some dental work done.

HAND A COPY TO YOUR NEIGH- pected. Mrs. Melvin Stagner visited with Work is being rushed on the new

Texas, is visiting with friends and sponsors of the coronation. relatives here now

Mrs. Fay Cornelius and Mrs. Ben Maize were Clovis visitors, Wednes-

Mrs. Richardson, from East Texas here visiting her parents,

Roy Moxson, of Hereford, visited Freeman of Bovina, visited at Friona sant Hill, spent Monday night visit- Baker, ing her father, Tip Isham, who is ill. Mrs. Browning's home is at Mor-Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Englant. Mrs. ton. She is a member of last year's Jewel Tate and children visited with graduating class of the Friona High

Mrs. Jack Green and Mrs. Boyce JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB REPORT Belew have returned to their homes

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brock and "Vigilance Against What?"

immitt visited in Bovina with

Mrs. Jewel Tate and Mrs. Fred tess to fifteen members, Henry were Clovis visitors, Sunday

ome of Mrs. Willis Hastings Mr, and Mrs Jim Ellison and Buck Edison returned Monday from a

hort vacation spent in Cheyenne, Mrs. Belle Belew, who has been isiting for some time with Mrs. Jess

Vestal, returned to her home in House, New Mexico, Sunday. Dr. V. Scott Johnson, of Farwell nade a business call to Bovina, Tues

Explist Associational Meet The Baptist Association met/Tue iay and Wednesday, Sept. 10 and 11, at Dimmitt, at the First Paper

Mrs. Womack, Mr. Hubert David, beth Dial were the Bovina messen ers to the associations Tuesday. It and Mrs. Holmes, Hugh Womac. and Mr. and Mrs Fab K lley we Le Bovina attendants. Wednes la Everyone enjoyed the message six

#### FRIONA HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES ELECT. OFFICIALS

Six distinct groups of Friona High School-8th grade, Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, and Post Graduates perfected organizations this week with the election of officers Polk Street, and then attend the Tri- children and grandchildren of Mrs. Mrs. Green, Mrs. Bill Green and and the selection of sponsors for the

> Those chosen are Post Graduates-Persident: Dick Crump Vice-Pres George Landrum Sec-Treas. Glenna Jack. Reporter: Florence Baxter. Sponsors: Miss Jinkins and Mr.

Seniors President: Vernon Weis. Vice-Pres.: Truitt Johnson. Sec-Treas.: Betty Ann Taylor. Reporter: Jacquelyn Wilkison Spansor: Mr. J. T. Gge. Class Mothers: Mrs. McFarland

President: Gertrude Short Vice-Pres.: James Watkins. Sec-Treas .: Thelma Mae Boggess. Reporter: Inez Ezell. Sponsor: Mr. Williams. Class Mothers: Mrs. F. N. Welch

President: Joel Landrum. Vice-Pres.: Wynona Hill. Sec-Treas.: Thelma Brown Reporter: Bobby Blackwell. Spensor: Mr. Bates,

Freshmen President: Vice-Pres.: Charles Simpson Sec-Treas.: Petrolia Scott. Reporter: Roy Hart. Sponsor: Stanford. Class Mothers: Mrs. Simpson and

Mrs. Lange. President: Betty Mae Massey Vice-Pres.: Shirley Maurer. Sec-Treas. Skeet Halle. Reporter: Wayne Stark Sponsor: Mrs. Truitt.

### FRIONA HIGH SCHOOL STUD-E. T. Caldwell attended to business ENTS TO SELECT FOOTBALL

Mrs. Jewel Tate and two children, didates for a Football Queen, to be Peggy Joyce and Glenda Lou, and crowned at the first conference game Mrs. Cleo Richardson motored to of the 1940 season, students of Frio-Clovis Friday, with Mrs. Hubert El- na High School are hard at work

Plans are being made for the 4 0 1 1 Those attending were: Mr. and daughter. Mary Elizabeth, spent reign with her court over the prog-Mr. and Mrs. John Stagner and Queen to make the "kick off" and to Sunday here visiting friends and re- ram to be presented by the Band and Pep Squad on that date.

Inell Elliott, who has been absent. The program to be presented befrom school, due to an appendicitis fore the Queen between halves of operation, started to school Friday, the football game will consist of, She is feeling as good as can be ex- mased flag drill and parade on the football field.

Mrs. John Stagner in Clovis, Friday, scarlet and white pep squad uniforms after receiving treatments in Amaril- store for Friona football fans and lo. They report much improvement visitors on that occasion, according Mrs. Myrtle Nichols, of Beaville, to Miss Westbay and Mr. Bulls, co-

Mrs. Byron Dial's parents, Mr. and rence Baker, is spending the week visited here with her Saturday. Mrs. George M. Baker, and her bro-Mrs. Foss and daughter, of Pleas- ther and sister. Duke and Nila Jean

the Junior Woman's Club, Tuesday

tending school in Amarillo, spent the An interesting program on "Sweet Land, of Liberty." was given, with rela- Esther O'eRar as leader. Parts on

Gay Gee.

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freshments were served by the hos-

Home Demonstration Club met transacted business here Luesday. Those on the sick disticthis week

are: Tip Isham, not doing so

Charles Denny Williams, Mrs. Buck McCuan and Mrs. Theo Davies, reported not doing so good. Baptizing Held On Sunday, Sept. 18 Rev. A. S.

performed the baptizing ceremony at Jim Richards' home, south of town. The candidates for baptism were: Betty Jo Nichols. Charlene King, Inell Elilott, and Faye Dell

Off to College Christine Davies left Sunday to attend Texas Tech at Lubbock Vergie Crowell, Viylan Earl Davidson son, Mrs. John Dial and Mrs. Edza Dottle Dell Quickel and Mary Will Johnston departed Monday to at fond West Texas State College at Canyon Nevland Hester departs this weekend to attend Texas Texas at labback. Abding Hestines, Will ford Orierel and Charles Crowell re

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Wednesday evening prayer mass

ing, 8:00 p. m.

All are cordially invited to attendany or all of these services. There will be a singing contest each Wednesday evening for several weeks. All who are fond of singing are urge?

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# University of Pennsylvania Celebrating Two Hundredth Anniversary of Founding

By GEO. L. SIMPSON SR.

TWO centuries of growth are I being marked by the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia this month with a week of celebration from September

The celebration includes symposia and professional conferences, cultural and scientific exhibits, laboratory and clinical demonstrations, and convocations for the conferring of honorary degrees. More than 500 colleges, universities and learned societies are represented at the celebration by official delegates.

Among the recipients of honorary degrees are President Franklin D.



Roosevelt, and Sir Lyman Poore Duff, chief justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, while the list of distinguished guests also includes 200 American and European scholars and leaders in vari-

The symposia and conferences, which constitute the pro-

gram of the Bicentennial conference being held as a part of the September week celebration, are being featured by lectures and papers in six general fields-the fine arts, humanities, medical sciences, natural sciences, religion, and the social sci-

The offerings in the field of the humanities are designed to bring out the continuity of culture, while in the other fields the objective is to reveal the trends of modern thought and the advances of science

Former President Herbert Clark Hoover, Henry A. Wallace, the Democratic nominee for vice president, Hu Shih, the Chinese ambassador, Dr. Frank Baldwin Jewett, president of the Bell Telephone laboratories and president of the National Academy of Sciences; Dr. Elmer V. McCollum, co-discoverer of vitamin A, and Dr. Jacques Maritain, famous French author and philosopher, are a few of the many noted speakers on the program of the con-

### Many Graduates Return.

The symposia and conferences of the Bicentennial conference claims the first days of the Bicentennial week celebration. At the same time, the program has been so arranged as to provide an opportunity for all to attend the various other events scheduled for the same period as well as to view the special bicentennial exhibits, demonstrations and clinics, and to enjoy tours of the campus, according to Robert T. Mc-Cracken, chairman

Hundreds of the university's graduates and former students are attending the opening of class reunions Wednesday and Thursday, while on the latter day Pennsylvania's undergraduates greet student delegates from colleges and universities throughout the country.

Ten thousand alumni and alumnae of Pennsylvania join in paying tribute to the university on Friday morning, September 20, at a bicentennial meeting in the dormitory quadrangle. In the afternoon there is another impressive meeting, including a convocation of university council in Convention hall.

## Addresses Given.

The morning program in the quadrangle includes addresses by Dr.

Franklin field, mammoth stadium of the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, has been the scene of many historic football games. At right is pictured Robert T. McCracken, chairman of the bicentennial planning committee for the university's 200th anniversary, being celebrated this month.

Thomas S. Gates, president of the University of Pennsylvania, former United States Sen. George Wharton Pepper, an alumnus and trustee of the university, and Thomas I. Parkinson, president of the Equitable Life Assurance society of the United States, who is chairman of the National Alumni Bicentennial commit-

Presentation of the bicentennial fund; addresses by representatives of the student body; and selections by the university band and glee club feature the program. Ralph Morgan, president of the General Alumni society, is presiding.

President Roosevelt and Sir Lyman Poore Duff receive honorary degrees and deliver addresses at the convocation in Convention hall on Friday afternoon.

In addition, Associate Justice Owen J. Roberts of the Supreme Court of the United States, who is an alumnus of the University of Pennsylvania, is delivering an address, and the bicentennial poem is being presented by its author, Edward W. Mumford, secretary of the

Water Carnival Staged.

A bicentennial river pageant and water carnival is being staged Friday night on the Schuylkill Fiver in Fairmount park. A fireworks display, crew races, and a parade of a major portion of attention during floats depicting various phases of the university's life make up the program. Many former university oarsmen are taking part.

The University of Pennsylvania traces its origin to a "charity school" for which a building was erected in Philadelphia in 1740. Nine years later, after the publication of Benjamin Franklin's "Proposals Relating to the Education of Youth in Pennsylvania," there was established an academy with which the

charity school was combined. Franklin served as the first president of the academy's trustees, and o successful was the undertaking that in 1753 a charter was obtained in the name of the "Academy and Charitable School in the Province of

Charter Granted in 1755.

In 1755 a "confirmatory charter" ncorporating "The College, Academy and Charitable School" was granted by Thomas and Richard Penn, and the institution continued under that name until 1779, when the state legislative body changed the corporate title to "Trustees of the University of the State of Pennsylvania.

## NATIONAL **AFFAIRS**

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

President Roosevelt's disregard of political maxims causes surprise . . . He unexpectedly blames Congress, not business, for lagging defense program.
(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

WASHINGTON,-One thing about this presidential campaign is that neither of the candidates follows all the old political laws and maxims.

This might be understood about Wendell Willkie. He is a rank amateur in politics. But F. D. R. is generally admitted to be one of the shrewdest politicians of the age, so when he violates rules which experience has taught the old masters were sound it is a cause for wonderment.

Later the rights and properties

were restored to the trustees of the

college, with the university still con-

tinuing, and in 1791 an act was

passed amalgamating the old college

with the new university and provid-

"The University of Pennsylva-

The buildings first used by the

period of 15 months in 1777 and 1778

these buildings were used by British

troops and the college was closed.

Washington Attended Exercises.

functions and commencement exer-

The university itself contributed

Sargeant of New Jersey, Paca, Se-

liamson and Hill of North Carolina,

Signers of the Declaration of In-

dependence included the following

Pennsylvania men: Benjamin Frank-

lin, Robert Morris, George Clymer,

James Wilson, Benjamin Rush,

Thomas McKean, John Penn, Fran-

cis Hopkinson, William Paca, and

Many Distinguished Graduates.

ters, first secretary of war, Benja-

navy, and Lieut. Col. Tench Tilgh-

man, aide and secretary to Wash-

The university was also well rep-

group of Pennsylvanians there in-

flin, George Clymer, Jared Ingersoll,

The university, of which Dr.

First Medical School.

had its origin there three years lat-er. The first teaching hospital was

established at the university in 1874.

The Wharton school of finance and

commerce, established at Pennsyl-

vania in 1881, was the first univer-

sity school of business, and in 1896

the first psychological clinic in the

world was established at the uni-

In 1910 the first department of re-

comprehensive graduate school of

and Hugh Williamson.

In the War of the Revolution the

nental army

the corporate title it now

Most notable recent example was the attack of the President on Sen. Hiram W. Johnson of California, followed by the attack on Willkie by Harold L. Ickes in his "reply" to the Westerner's acceptance address. The President, it will be recalled, told a gathering of newspaper men at the White House that Senator

Johnson was no longer a Progressive. Ickes warned the country over the radio that one of the disasters which would accompany Willkie's election would be that Johnson would become chairman of the senate foreign relations committee.

### INTENT OF ATTACK IMPORTANT

ing that the name of the institution But the importance here is not whether Johnson is "no longer a Progressive," nor whether there is any chance of his becoming chairuniversity were at Fourth and Arch man of the senate foreign relations committee. It is the intent behind streets in Philadelphia. During a

At the time the attacks were made, Johnson was a candidate in At another time the buildings were all three parties for the senatorial occupied by soldiers in the Continomination-Democratic, Republican and Progressive. Information from every source available to this In 1778 congress met in the Old writer was that he was certain to College hall, and members of the win both the Democratic and Republican nominations. These precongress, George Washington, and dictions have proven true. others prominent in early history of the country, attended the public

Yet with this information, which was certainly at the President's disposal, he chose to issue an attack calculated to make Hiram Johnson many men who played distinguished furious. And this despite the fact parts in the making of a new na- that in 1932 Johnson, although sittion. In the Continental congress, ting as a Republican in the senate, for instance, were Allen, Mifflin, spoke in favor of Roosevelt in Cali-John and Lambert Cadwalader, Pe- fornia, and that in 1936 he did not ters, Bingham, and Smith of Penn- turn a hand to oppose F. D. R.'s re-

At the time, also, nothing had ney, and Hindman of Maryland, Wilbeen said or hinted by Johnson to show that he was particularly favorable to Willkie's candidacy.

It would seem to boil down to this, that Roosevelt is so bitter against Johnson because Johnson opposed him on the Supreme court and other issues that he didn't care a rap about the consequences, especially as he undoubtedly thinks he can carry California even with Johnson openly fighting him

## PRESIDENT'S 'BOMBSHELL'

university contributed many gradu-It is interesting to note that ates who distinguished themselves, President Roosevelt's much predictamong them being Maj. Gen. Anthony Wayne, Brig. Gen. John Caded "bombshell" that most politiwalader, Maj. Gen. Thomas Mifcians had been expecting, calculated flin, Dr. John Morgan, director gento stampede the country for Rooseeral and physician in chief of the velt as against Wendell Willkie-was hospital of the American army, Maj. not an attack on business in con-Gen. Philemon Dickinson, Maj. Gen. nection with the national defense J. P. G. Muhlenberg, Richard Pe-

For a time it seemed, from bolts min Stoddert, first secretary of the launched against "profit greedy" manufacturers by high-placed New Dealers, that this might be turned into the paramount issue

On the contrary, however, he took resented among those who later sat the position that not only was the in the Constitutional convention, the defense program going pretty well, but that business WAS co-operating! cluding Benjamin Franklin, Robert | He put most of the blame for delay Morris, James Wilson, Thomas Mifon the shoulders of congress.

There are a number of interest-John Dickinson, Thomas Fitzsimons ing angles to the explanation. One is that the President is actually more sensitive to criticism from Thomas S. Gates now is president, what might be called the Southern also has an outstanding record of Conservatives in congress, and to leadership in the pursuit of new venthat of certain other Democrats who are not Southern and not conservative-as for example Sen. David I. The first school of medicine in Walsh of Massachusetts, and Sen. North America was founded at the Burton K. Wheeler of Montanauniversity in 1765, and the first dethan he is to criticism from the partment of botany in this country "enemy," to wit, the Republicans.

OPPOSITION NEVER FORGETS Every time the President has run into real trouble with congress it has been a combination of most of the Republicans with this hostile group of Democrats. They beat him on Passamaquoddy and the Florida

ship canal. They beat him on the

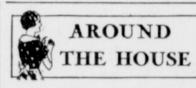
Supreme court packing measure. The President has not forgiven search medicine was started in conany of them. So when three senators, Walsh, Harry F. Byrd of Virnection with the university's school ginia, Democrats, and Arthur H. of medicine, and in 1916 the first Vandenberg, Republican, joined in an attack on the defense program it was not out of character for the President to make a strong case to the newspapers that all three were just fundamentally wrong. The feeling against Willkie, curiously enough, is not nearly so strong as the President's feeling against the individual senators who from time to time have beaten his cherished

# by Ruth Wyeth Spears Sp



HERE were two of these old bent-wood chairs-both with cane seats gone and a badly scarred varnish finish. "Get them out of my sight!" their owner said, "I can't stand the thought of wood bent and forced into unnatural curves." In the end she did get them out of sight and used them too. The trick was done with slip covers made, as shown

The one you see in the sketch became a side chair for the living room dressed in richly colored cretonne in soft red and bluegreen tones with deep wine bindings. The legs of the chair were



It is a good plan to disinfect sinks and other drains once each

Potatoes that are to be French fried should stand in cold water at least an hour before cooking.

Dogs having access to the house should be kept thoroughly clean and free from fleas. Serious damage may be done if fleas enter rugs or upholstered furniture.

One soon learns by handling pots when managing house plants that if pots are light the plants are dry; if heavy they may be left without water for a time.

sandpapered and stained mahogany to tone in with the cover. The cane seat was inexpensively repaired with a ready made seat of plywood reshaped to fit by first cutting a paper pattern to fit the seat of the chair and then using the pattern as a guide as indicated here. Next week I will show you how the other one of these old chairs was used.

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## London Called World's Best Air Target

of "London Bombed" are reminders only half as vast a target, Paris that England's capital is in some less than a third as large. ways the most difficult in the world to defend, according to a bulletin

from the National Geographic soci-"Because London's clay soil forbids high skyscrapers, its growth square miles, exceeding the com-

WASHINGTON .- Terse headlines cago, and Philadelphia. Berlin is

"London's great lateral expansion means that a bomb dropped within a 15-mile radius of Charing Cross and the Towers of Parliament hits an urban population of 11,855 per square mile. For more than three has spread out laterally to cover 692 miles around Westminster, the central core of London supports 37,580 bined areas of New York city, Chi- people per square mile

The University of Pennsylvania has occupied three sites in Philadelphia in the course of its history. at one time being housed in a mansion built for the President of the United States. The university moved to the west bank of the Schuylkill in 1872. It is this tract of 120 lacres which contains most of the 190 unit of the university community.

medicine was established.



COMMANDEERING POWER

WASHINGTON.—This column has been so busy kibitzing about the conscription of men under the selective service bill that it hasn't had much space for kibitzing about the socalled "conscription of industry" or wealth-the "commandeering power" added to the Burke-Wadsworth bill.

Of course, the whole idea of tacking this provision on a selective service bill is pure political hokum. It was put there to enable congressional candidates for re-election to say to their constituents:

"I wouldn't vote for conscripting men's lives until I had insisted on voting to conscript men's dollars.'

The power to take over private property for public use is as old as English law. It was called the law of eminent domain. It is practiced almost every day in peace time and is called the process of "condemna-The only real difference in war is that it is called "commandeering.

Any important difference in the proposed legislation is only in the method for determining whether the need is for "public use." In both cases a court must determine what must be paid the owner for his property. That must be so because the Constitution itself provides that private property may never be taken "for public use without just compensation."

In peacetime condemnation the court must adjudge both that the proposed use is "public" and what the compensation shall be. In this proposed legislation, whether the property is to be taken on a rental or ownership basis, the secretaries of war or navy can determine whether the use is "public" but it is-as it must be-left to the courts to determine just compensation.

In time of war or times like these where nearly every use in connection with armament is public, there isn't much to that distinction. The law is faulty, however, in vesting the commandeering power in the two secretaries. It should be in the President. That is another lesson of 1918. Both war and navy departments frequently commandeered the same supplies. President Wilson finally straightened that out by requiring all commandeering orders to be signed by the chairman of the war industries board.

Apart from that, the Smith or senate version of the commandeering cheery reply. "With pleasure. It's amendment is good. The objectionable circumstance is the nature of ready." the debate. There is no measure of 'just compensation,' for a human back room and shouted: life deliberately drafted into military service is not the donation of planner; anything to the public. It is the performance of an obligation to the kitchen: public. "Just compensation," as required by the Constitution, for a dollar is a dollar. On no sustainable theory do the two relationships stand on the same ground. Neither condemnation nor commandeering are, as the politicos like to say, conscription of wealth. It is electioneering buncombe.

Finally, as our World war experience proved, while "commandeering" of some facilities like land, docks, warehouses and supplies generally will frequently be necessary as a convenient method of determining price, the "taking" of manufacturing plants for government operation very rarely happens-only once by the army at least in 1918.

The power to do so is useful for what President Wilson called "a club behind the door" in negotiation. The practice of doing so on a rental or fee-simple basis is useless and unnecessary. The government has neither the personnel nor the ability to move in and operate a private plant. The war department, for example, has all it can handle in fighting a war. If government has, as it did have in 1918, priority powers over power, fuel, supply and transportation, it has no need to take over a man's plant. If he doesn't behave, it can choke his operation to death in two weeks' time-as we threatened to do a few times in the old war industries board.

The threat was always sufficient. We never took over any plants. No matter how you slice it, this controversy is still boloney.

## DRAFT LOTTERY

The next big news story on the domestic front will be the great national draft lottery. In the Civil war draft, names of young men in each county were written on separate slips of paper and put in a jury wheel at the courthouse. The order in which men's names came out was the order of their going. There was so much chance for graft and fixing in this method that, in 1917, we invented a new way.

Registration cards in each local board district were given a "serial number" after they had been thoroughly shuffled. Usually there were less than 3,000 cards in each district.

The first plan was to have 4,000from 1 to 4,000-written on slips of paper and each put into a gelatin capsule. In the presence of a crowded and distinguished audience. The secretary of war drew out the first capsule. It contained the number 258. That meant that in each of the 4,200 odd local districts the man whose number was 258 was the first who would be called for examination.



NOT FAR OUT

In a recent county court case one of the witnesses was a man who did not deny that he had "little love for the motor-car." He raised a roar of laughter by describing the defendant's chauffeur as a "chiffonier!"

On repeating the blunder, he was pulled up by counsel for the defense. "Chauffeur, my friend, chauf-feur" corrected the latter. "A chiffonier, you know, is an ornamental,

wooden-"Oh, well," interrupted the witness, with a nod in the direction of the chauffeur, "call him what you like. I dare say we're both pretty near the mark!"

Laugh That Off

Boogy-You're just about the funniest guy I know. Why every time

I see you I have to laugh. Woogy-And you? Why you're so funny that every time I see you I have a guilty feeling that I'm doing the government out of entertainment

HAD SECURED THE TENTS, PERHAPS



"What plans have you made yet for camping out?" 'Only tentative ones."

Not Very Hopeful

The new curate was keen on getting up a concert in the village hall. The first problem was the piano. He was told the cobbler had one. So along he went.

in the cellar, but I can soon get it

Then he went to the door of the "Liza, where's the works of the

Back floated a voice from the

"Why, ain't they in the garden?"

Breaking It Gently The engaged pair were talking

over the future. "Darling," she said, "when we are married you'll have a woman teuch? in the house who really knows how

to cook.' He looked surprised. "But, dearest," he said happily, "I didn't know that you were a good

She shrugged her shoulders. "I'm not," came her reply, "but when we're married my mother is

Efficient

"I'm specializing in nerve treatment," said a young doctor.

"Have you had any success?" asked a friend.

coming to live with us.'

"I should say so," was the reply. 'Why, when I had finished with my last case the patient asked me to lend him \$10.

A Good Reason

Soph-Aw, whatcha wanta be doctor of philosophy for? Frosh-So I can be a professor and walk on the grass.

MUST HAVE USED HIS HEAD



First Player-Yo' gotta give it to our pitcher-he pitches wif his head!

Second Player-Yea, bo, dat he do! Ah ain't seen him do anything lak dat wif his hands yit!

Before or After

At a family party the men were discussing raspberry pie. "I can't eat it," said one, "the seeds get under my false teeth."

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might get you into trouble Are We Not Easy-Going?

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You Never Can Tell

head. It is their affliction.

The value of experience depends upon the dividends it pays.

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Histories Is Right

Brown (after night out)-When I arrived home last night my wife was awake and promptly went off into histories.

Jones-You mean hysterics. "No, historics. She dug up my

Lovers never understand each other. That's why they get married.

The Low-Down Stingo-I fell off a 32-foot ladder

yesterday Bingo-How did it happen that you were not killed?

Stingo-I only fell off the third

# ASK ME ANOTHER

A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

The Questions

1. What city is thought to be the oldest in the world that is still

inhabited? 2. What American statesman was known as "the Great Pacifi-

cator"? 3. Buonarotti is the surname of what great Italian artist?

phrase "Je suis pret"? 5. With what is the science of metrology concerned - weather, rocks and their formation, or weights and measures?

4. What is meant by the French

6. What is an eon? What is meant by the Penta-

8. Which of these colors has the highest light-reflecting quality: canary yellow, silver gray or

9. Who were Aramis, Porthos and Athos?

10. In speaking of a woman in charge of a post office, which is the correct title to use, "postmis-tress" or "postmaster"?

The Answers

Damascus. 2. Henry Clay was known as the Great Pacificator.

3. Michelangelo. 4. I am ready.

5. Weights and measures.

6. An immeasurable period of time. 7. The first five books of the Old Testament.

8. White 9. The Three Musketeers in Dumas' novel "The Three Musketeers.'

10. Either is correct, but "postmistress' is not official. The post office department recognizes only one title-postmaster.

Dzudi - Dinocan calls his girl the 'Queen of the Links." Palmetto-Ah; so she's a golfer, I

Links and Links

Dzudi-No-far from it. She sells hotdogs at a roadside stand.

FIRST CHANCE



"The artist said I was the first model he had ever kissed." "He's been a marine painter heretofore."

The Movies

"Why have you broken your engagement with Jack?"

'He told me he was connected with the movies." "Well, and wasn't he?" "The next day I saw him driv-

ing a furniture van."

Her Idea Jones had decided to buy a car, so his wife started taking driving

lessons. "The hand-lever on this car brakes the rear wheels only," said the instructor, "and the foot-pedal brakes all four wheels."

"But," replied Mrs. Jones doubtfully, "I'd rather have none of them broken."

Rumor has a thousand tonguesand 999 of them are liars.

Maybe So!

Hokum-Why is it that the eagle, the bison and the Indian are shown on our coins, although they are all practically

Jokum-I suppose it is to carry out .L. idea of scarcity.

Local Treasure Hunters Suffer Rude Awakening

Three times Rawlinson had dreamt that concealed somewhere in his flat was a quantity of valuable silver. The dream could no

longer go unheeded. That night he and Mrs. Rawlinson sought a hollow place in the walls. At last they hit upon it, and after some manipulation with chisel and hammer, dislodged several bricks. There, hidden on the other side, lay-the valuable sflver.

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Established in a model camp at the machine guns and some of the fam- mand the unit.

ous Garand automatic rifles. They The soldier boys voluntarily will ing it over the public address system. also wil bring with them 20 or more undertake a busy program while Theirs will be a spectacular part of otorized vehicles, including an arm, here. They will establish their model the grandstand program which will

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