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Barrett Announces City School Faculty

Tahoka City Schools Will Open In September, Several New Members On Faculty

Superintendent W. G. Barrett has announced the following faculty of teachers for the Tahoka schools, which are to open early in September.

M. L. Penn, a teacher in the Brownfield school for several years, will be principal of the high school and teacher of Spanish. He and Mrs. Penn moved to Tahoka several weeks ago.

Mrs. Lenore M. Tunnell will again be teacher of English. She has been connected with the Tahoka high school for many years.

Mrs. Ruth Asstler, who has been a member of the high school faculty several years, will again teach History.

Miss Hazel Phipps of Vernon and a recent graduate of the Texas Tech will teach Home Economics. She has had two years experience as a public school teacher.

Cecil Ayers of Chillicothe will be teacher of Vocational Agriculture. He recently received his degree at the Tech but has had no teaching experience.

Prentice Walker, coach, will teach Science.

Superintendent W. G. Barrett will teach Civics and Economics.

Miss Ada Hoyle Hayes of Dallas, a graduate of S. M. U., will be the teacher of the seventh grade.

At Central Ward, Kary Mathis will again be principal.

Other teachers will be: Miss Lowell Douthitt, Miss Linnie Tippit, Mrs. Deck Dunagan, Mrs. W. D. Smith, Mrs. W. O. Henderson, Mrs. L. F. Craft, John Kirkwood, Miss Grace N. Williams, A. R. Bostick, and Miss Mable Maggard.

Mr. Bostick and Miss Maggard have heretofore taught at South Ward. All the others named above have been teaching at Central Ward, except Miss Williams, who comes as a new member of the faculty.

Miss Williams will teach English in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, and will teach public school music in all the grades. She is a graduate of S. M. U., has been a private teacher of piano in Dallas, and has substituted as a grade teacher in the Dallas city schools.

The teacher for high school Mathematics and Band is yet to be selected, Mr. Barrett states.

The Tahoka High School now has 26 units of affiliation with the State Department of Education, having gained two units during 1935-1936.

Prospects are for an increased enrollment this year.

Weather Continues Dry, Crops Deteriorate

While the weather has not been so warm this week, the continued dry weather has had a telling effect on the crops. Both cotton and feed crops continue to deteriorate, and a general rain is greatly needed.

NAZARENE REVIVAL WILL START AT NEW LYNN

Our meeting at the Lynn Chapel Church will begin Friday night, August 21. Rev. John L. Knight and wife are our evangelists.

These evangelists will be a help and blessing to you if you hear them. Come and bring your friends to these services.

Rev. Knight preaches the Bible in such a way that every one will enjoy hearing him.—Mrs. O. V. McMahon, pastor.

TAHOKA COLORED FOLKS ARE HOLDING REVIVAL

The colored population of Tahoka are engaged in a revival meeting being held in their school house. Rev. O. D. Hollins, the pastor, is being assisted by Rev. N. C. Chappel of Quanah, and a local quartet, known as the Sunset Four, are doing the singing. The colored folks invite the members of the white churches of the town to come out and assist them in their services.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Botkin of Gatesville visited Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Botkin the first of the week.

English Will Open New Theatre Here

D. B. English, our veteran picture-show man, is spreading out. He announces that he has leased the north half of the former Harris-Appleworth building next door to the Tahoka Drug Co. and will open a new motion-picture theatre there as soon as the equipment can be installed.

The very best sound equipment and new up-to-date cushion seats will be installed. It will also be provided with the latest type of cooling system and a modern heating system. Mr. English says that it is to be no cheap shot-gun outfit, but that it is to be modern in every respect. The new theatre is to be known as the "Ada Theatre", named in honor of Mrs. English.

The interior of the English theatre is also being remodeled to some extent. A ladies' lounge room and a gent's rest room are being installed.

This will give Tahoka two modern, down-town theatres, on the pavement.

Mr. English has always sought a high class of pictures for his theatre here, and he announces that he is now under contract with the five leading major companies for his 1937 pictures. These are the Metro-Goldwyn, Paramount, Fox, R. K. O., and Columbia.

HOP HALSEY WILL MAKE LAST APPEAL OVER KFYO, SATURDAY

Planning his last appeal to the voters of the 119th district, Hop Halsey of Lubbock will speak over Station KFYO tomorrow (Saturday) morning from 8:15 until 8:35 o'clock.

Hop plans to give his stand on the old age pension, unicameral legislation, restricting of the state and other issues touched during his campaign for state representative.

Halsey was runner-up in the July primary voting. He is opposed by J. Doyle Settle for the state post.

C. J. Bolton and family of Indian Gap, Hamilton county, left for home Tuesday after a week's visit here with Mrs. W. H. Womack and Herbert. Mrs. Bolton and Mrs. Womack are sisters.

Tahoka Day At Ft. Worth Frontier

Tuesday was Lamesa and Tahoka day at the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial.

The following information relating to Tahoka was broadcast in the afternoon over radio station WBAP in recognition of our little city. The text of the address was furnished us by Boyce House, assistant public relations director of the Frontier Centennial.

Tahoka, the County Seat of Lynn County, in the "Heart of the South Plains" serves the ranching and farming country, the soil of which is 95% tillable. Lynn County is one of the banner cotton and feed producing counties of Texas, ranking ninth in cotton production in Texas. Rich Deposits of silica, volcanic ash, potash and other salts are undeveloped. The county is most fortunate in having an almost inexhaustible supply of underground water.

Tahoka is an Indian word. The city of Tahoka is named after Tahoka Lake, an alkaline-bed lake having fresh water springs along its shores, located six miles north-east of the city. Tahoka Lake was a favorite camp site of the Plains Indians first as hunters and later as a refuge from the white man. It was the scene of a skirmish between soldiers under Gen. MacKenzie and Indians during the fall of 1874. Here the Spaniard came for water. Here the New Mexico Indian herded his sheep. Here the United States soldier, the Texas Ranger and the buffalo hunter encamped. Here the pioneer settler, opening up the country to settlement, found water for his stock. And here, the trail driver and freighter found a convenient stopping place.

Tahoka is variously translated as meaning "Deep water," "Fresh water," and "alkali water," according to tradition handed down by old-timers. However, Juntel, historian (Cont'd. on back page)

Luncheon Club Has Good Program

A goodly number were present at the luncheon club Tuesday.

Following a splendid meal served by the ladies of the Tahoka Home Demonstration Club, a brief program was presented.

W. S. Anglin gave a talk and a demonstration on electric lighting that was enjoyed by the members of the club. Then M. L. Penn, new principal of the Tahoka High School, was called upon to give his impressions of Tahoka, good and bad. He responded in a most happy manner, playing up the good points of the people here and letting the town off as light as possible on the bad points.

Hop Halsey of Lubbock, candidate for the legislature, was a visitor. The president, Wynn Collier, presented the following names to the club as a board of directors: L. F. Craft, W. G. Barrett, Homer St. Clair, Roy Leslie, G. W. Simmons, and V. F. Jones, and the following names as a program committee: Frank Hill, W. T. Bovell, and L. C. Haney. These were approved and elected by the body.

Mr. Collier has also announced a membership committee consisting of the following: W. S. Anglin, J. K. Applewhite, and Buster Penton.

The yard contest, the raising of funds for the first bale of cotton ginned here this season, and a public reception for the new teachers in the Tahoka schools were other matters discussed briefly, to be acted upon later.

By a vote of the members, it was decided to resume weekly meetings of the club beginning the first Tuesday in September.

Football Practice To Start Monday Evening

Coach Prentice Walker requests that all Tahoka High School students who intend to go into training for football this year shall report at the high school building Monday afternoon, August 24, at 3 o'clock to get their uniforms.

The coach hopes to build up a good team this year.

Scouting Is Being Revived In Tahoka

A strenuous attempt is being made to revive scouting in Tahoka. Due to the fact that a number of progressive business men of our town are very much interested in seeing scouting go over here, an effort is being made to revive the interest of the boys and their parents here.

In order to approach the task in a systematic way we have devised a set of objectives in scouting for 1933-1937. Among the most important of these objectives are the following:

1. To develop and maintain an active troop of at least twenty-four scouts.
 2. To keep an alert and progressive personnel in leadership.
 3. To have regular meetings at least once a week, at which time the boys will be trained in the real meaning of scouting.
 4. To see that all meetings are attended by one or more scout leaders and to see to it that all meetings are carried on in a real scoutlike manner.
 5. To have an opportunity for fun as well as work.
 6. To develop a group of future citizens who will be a credit to the community.
 7. To encourage and foster such enterprises as will keep the boys interested and working. This would include a scout cabin and a swimming pool for the community.
 8. To promote regular church attendance on the part of scouts and scouters.
 9. To keep the Outing in scouting by a series of regularly planned hikes and camps for the boys.
 10. To arouse and stimulate interest in scouting by a series of exhibits on scout work, by periodical meetings of scout dads and scout mothers, and by occasional group attendance at church and other public functions.
 11. To provide uniforms for all scouts and scouters in our troop.
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City Water Situation Has Become Acute

Election Returns Will Be Posted

The Tahoka Drug Company will again erect a board on the street on which the election returns will be posted Saturday night.

Since the ballot is short in this election, the votes should be counted and the returns sent in rapidly.

Locally the races for Representative, county clerk, and commissioner for precincts Nos. 2 and 4 will hold much interest.

Come in folks, and get the election returns.

Lefty Squires Is Seriously Injured

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. South received a message Tuesday night that Mrs. South's son, "Lefty" Squires, had received a serious head injury at Jeanerette, Louisiana. He was in a hospital and the message was sent by his wife.

No information as to the manner in which he was injured was given but since he was engaged in playing professional baseball there it is presumed that he was injured in a ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. South left Wednesday afternoon for his bedside.

To The Voters Of Lynn County

In the closing days of the campaign there are and will be campaign lies being circulated by thoughtless people, on the various candidates.

Now we believe all the candidates are honorable men.

It will be the part of wisdom for every thinking individual to take with a grain of salt every statement which may be made to him in favor of or against any candidate.

As a citizen and an election officer we would like to see those who fill our public offices righteously and honestly elected.

Therefore we urge all thinking voters to beware of the campaign thunder in the last days of the campaign. We urge you to go to the polls and vote for the candidates that you believe will give the most efficient and courteous service to the people of the county.

Yours for the purity of the ballot

A. L. Dunagan.

About The Race For State Representative

The question has been asked why the News editor has not expressed himself more explicitly in the race for the Representative in the legislature.

To those who know the relationship between the editor and one of the candidates, the answer must be obvious. We did not wish to be placed in the position where we might be accused of having only a personal interest in the matter.

Will say, however, that we believe that if given the chance Hop Halsey, with experience, will develop into an able and useful representative of the people. Though young, he is honest and capable, and we believe he will serve them with fidelity and intelligence. We truly believe that the interests of the district would be best served by his election.

ROBERTSON ACCEPTS POSITION AS EMBALMER

W. O. Robertson, late of Mt. Pleasant, Titus County, has accepted the position as embalmer and undertaker for the new Harris Funeral Home, beginning work last Friday. He comes highly recommended as a gentleman and as a member of his profession. He is a long-time friend of Mr. Harris.

Mr. Robertson's family will move out as soon as a suitable house can be found.

Miss Jeanette Oliver is visiting her Aunt in Big Spring this week.

City Council Limits Use Of Water, Government Test To Be Made Officials Ask Co-operation

The city council passed an ordinance Wednesday as an emergency measure prohibiting the use of water for irrigation purposes or for washing cars, except on Monday and Friday of each week between sunrise and sunset.

The use of water for these purposes at night and on any day except Monday and Friday is made a misdemeanor.

Mayor Jim Dye stated to the News that he and the city council very deeply regret the necessity of taking this step but in order to provide drinking water for the homes of the people and to maintain sanitary conditions in the town, such a step became imperative.

In an effort to provide a sufficiency of water, the city council recently had a well four feet in diameter dug beside one of the city wells, intercepting the casing at the sand in the drilled well, where workmen undertook to loosen up the sand, believing that the well had "sanded" down. All their efforts to induce this well to produce more water, however, have proved unavailing, and the city seems to be no better off today than it was before this hole was started.

In other words, the members of the city council are convinced that the new wells north of town from which the City is obtaining its water supply have weakened. The City is not getting the water because the water is not there. That is the opinion also of a government inspector who has been here, we understand.

The city council is assured that the Government will begin its water survey of this county on or about October 1, Mr. Dye says, the first county in the south plains on which such a survey will be made. The purpose of this survey is to determine where and at what depths water may be found in this section of the state and the amount of it.

Until this survey is made, the City will not drill any more wells, we understand, and until a more abundant water supply is found, or until rains and cooler weather bring relief, the City must conserve its limited supply sufficiently to provide the people plenty of drinking water at all times in their homes and business houses.

Services At Baptist Church Announced

In the absence of Pastor George A. Dale, who is conducting revival services at Central, R. E. Key of Lubbock, former Sunday School superintendent here, will fill the pulpit at the Baptist Church next Sunday morning. The pastor himself will be in his pulpit Sunday night.

On last Sunday, Rev. J. C. McCraw, pastor at Central, supplied for the pastor here, taking for his text the pronouncement of Herod concerning Jesus, "I find no fault in him."

There were no services at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

SETTLE TO SPEAK FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Representative J. Doyle Settle has been notified that he has been placed on the active speakers list for the Democratic National Campaign. The appointment came from the Speakers Bureau of the democratic Party located in New York City. Hon. Sam Rayburn, B-nham, Texas is the chairman of the speakers bureau. Settle plans to make some speeches about the first of September.

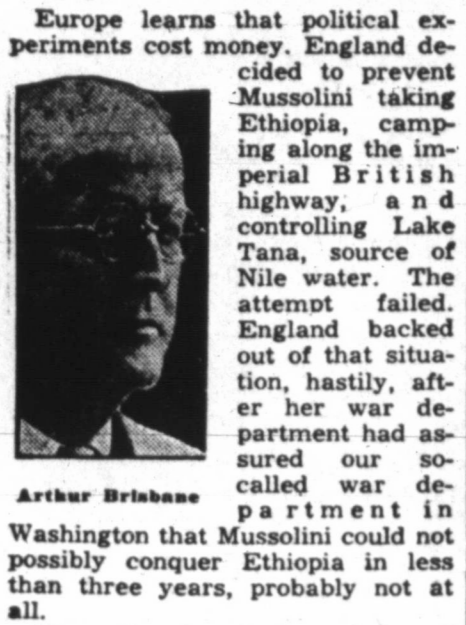
TINSLEY'S HAVE VISITORS

Mrs. J. L. Tinsley of Crosbyton, Roy L. Tinsley and family of Houston, and Mrs. J. L. Bond of Wichita Falls spent the week end here with J. O. Tinsley and family.

Mrs. J. L. Tinsley is his mother, Roy his brother, and Mrs. Bond his sister.

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Spenders of Yesteryear Gone With Their Billions Paris Hotels Empty England Learns Also



Europe learns that political experiments cost money, England decided to prevent Mussolini taking Ethiopia, camping along the imperial British highway, and controlling Lake Tana, source of Nile water. The attempt failed. England backed out of that situation, hastily, after her war department had assured our so-called war department in Washington that Mussolini could not possibly conquer Ethiopia in less than three years, probably not at all.

When the dust had settled and England, with her chicken-feed assortment of 51 league nations, had apologized to Mussolini and tossed Haile Selassie into the waste-basket, England found her foreign commerce much damaged. She had missed Mussolini, and shot herself in the pocketbook.

For a little while she will copy Job: "I will lay mine hand upon my mouth. Once I have spoken... yea twice, but I will proceed no further."

Paris, which is France, decided to sing and dance a new carmen with Russian dressing; clenched fists raised in air a la Russe; red flag waving; the doleful strains of the Communist hymn, l'Internationale, and its Communist injunction, "Arise, ye prisoners of starvation," excellently sung from the Arc de Triomphe to the Place de la Bastille.

You can hardly imagine what fire, fury and enthusiasm thousands of young and old French gentlemen put into that hymn, although many of them showed few outward signs of starvation.

There were, and are, manifestations everywhere. Now in the chamber of deputies, Monsieur Gaston Gerard, practical French statesman, asks, "What has become of our foreign tourists and their spending money?"

M. Gerard tells the deputies something must be done. In 1927, 2,125,000 foreigners from all over the world visited France, spending much money. Visitors now number only 700,000; as a rule, with little money to spend—oysters containing no pearl; many that come to help sing l'Internationale bring no money.

Foreign visitors, says M. Gerard, used to give highly paid employment to half a million French men and women; spent 500,000,000 francs for French railroad and steamship tickets; scattered throughout France from 12 to 15 thousand millions of francs.

Fifteen billions, even in francs, are "real money" here. M. Gerard tells the chamber French prices are too high. There is something in that, with the four-cent franc costing six to seven cents in the United States—a comic-opera situation, considering the relative wealth of the two nations.

M. Gerard thinks there should be some cabinet official to look after foreigners, with better propaganda and fewer vexatious taxes on foreigners; there is nothing in that.

Foreigners do not voluntarily travel and spend money where they feel they are not wanted. The cosmopolitan, educated Frenchman is as polite and hospitable as ever, but ask him what sort of reception the crowd gives to the foreigner, British especially. It offends the British ear to hear a bas les Anglais—"Down with the British!"

An innocent American, in an innocent average American automobile, sallied forth on July 14 to help France celebrate the destruction of the Bastille, and perhaps give a few feeble cheers for Lafayette, or Woodrow Wilson, or somebody.

Great crowd in the Champs Elysees, especially around the innocent American car, with new paint, shiny chromium and several cylinders. A polite policeman says monsieur should know better than to appear in a car of "grand luxury" on such a day. Such luxury cars you may see by the thousands and millions on American roads.

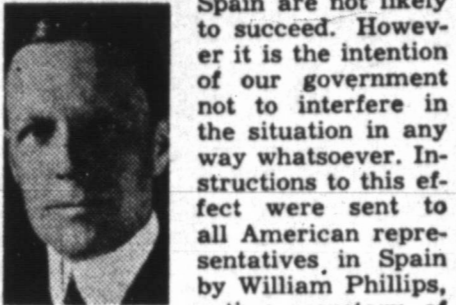
Nothing happens to the car of grand luxury; it crosses the Avenue of the Champs Elysees, about 300 feet, in less than twenty minutes. The French, newly self-identified as "prisoners of starvation," are interested in the auto American, which is careful not to bump anybody.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

United States Won't Interfere in Spanish Civil War—Crop Control May Be Dropped by AAA—Jeffersonian Democrats Organize.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

EFFORTS of European nations, notably France, to persuade the United States to join in a neutrality pact concerning the civil war in Spain are not likely to succeed. However it is the intention of our government not to interfere in the situation in any way whatsoever. Instructions to this effect were sent to all American representatives, in Spain by William Phillips, acting secretary of state. While asserting that the American neutrality law prohibiting assistance to warring nations does not apply to the Spanish civil war, Mr. Phillips said that the United States intended to conform with its "well established policy of noninterference with internal affairs of other countries, either in time of peace or civil strife."



Most of the nations invited to participate in the non-intervention agreement were willing, but Germany temporarily blocked the plan by announcing that its answer would be delayed until Madrid gave a satisfactory reply to German protests regarding the execution of four German nationals in Barcelona. France set August 17 as the deadline for completion of the agreement, and it was expected that, if general neutrality failed, the French government would lend aid to the Leftist government at Madrid.

Dispatches from Seville said General Franco, rebel commander-in-chief, had received a large number of German and Italian planes manned by aviators from those countries, and was about to launch an attack on Madrid from the air. The fighting for possession of San Sebastian and in the mountain passes north of Madrid continued unabated and losses were heavy on both sides. General Queipo, rebel commander at Seville, announced he was about to adopt new colors of the rebellion, red and yellow, which are the colors of the Spanish monarchy.

OFFICIALS of the agricultural adjustment administration discussed in Washington the advisability of drastically reducing or removing altogether the planting restrictions on corn and wheat next year. No decision was made and farmers will be consulted before any changes are ordered. It was, however, definitely stated that wheat acreage will be expanded.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, passing through Chicago on his way back from Iowa, said he believed government-controlled crop insurance would prevent wild price fluctuations in farm produce. The plan, he said, has not progressed beyond the embryo stage, but probably would entail storage of crops in government granaries. Each farmer, depending on the percentage of his normal crop he wished to insure, would make his "insurance" payments in the form of bushels to be stored in a common pool.

The plan, preventing "lean years and fat years," would tend to stabilize market prices because it would assure a continual adequate supply of whatever commodity was to be insured. Gradually, he said, it might be worked out to include all major farm products.

FOLLOWING a conference of President Roosevelt, Chairman Harrison of the senate finance committee, Chairman Doughton of the house ways and means committee and Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau, the administration's fiscal program for the coming year was thus outlined:

- 1. Assurance that no request will be made to the next congress for the levying of additional taxes or increase of present tax rates.
2. Launching of an immediate study by treasury and congressional tax consultants of present revenue laws as a basis for recommendations to the next congress for elimination of inequitable taxes, especially those unfair "to consumers or to trade."
3. Treasury assurance that "with continued recovery" the revenue yield is approaching the point where it will cover government costs and provide a surplus for reduction of the public debt.

Mr. Roosevelt then started on a three-day trip to the vicinity of Johnstown, Pa., where he talked over flood control problems with Governor Earle and others, and on to Cleveland for a visit to the Great Lakes exposition. His itinerary provided then for a visit to Chattanooga, N. Y., to deliver a speech on foreign affairs.

FIGURES compiled by Dun & Bradstreet for July show a decline in commercial failures to the lowest figures since 1920, and a con-

tinuation of the rate of decline was shown for the first week of August.

On the basis of an index kept by the agency since the end of 1932, July insolvencies were at the annual rate of 38.2 for each 10,000 firms in business. It compared with 44.6 in June and 52.8 in July, 1935. In January, 1933, as business was heading for the banking holiday, it was above 170.

July failures numbered 639, a figure exceeded on the downside only twice for the month since 1894 despite the growth of population and business in the meanwhile. It compared with 902 in the same month last year and 2,596 in July, 1932, around the peak of the depression liquidation movement.

For the year to August 6 failures totaled 6,157 against 7,355 in the corresponding 1935 months, a drop of 16.3 per cent.

FORTY-THREE Democrats, most of them prominent nationally or locally and representing twenty states, gathered in Detroit to tell one another and the world how much and why they disliked the New Deal. After two days of conferring, they organized themselves as the National Jeffersonian Democrats and named former Senator James A. Reed of Missouri as their national chairman.

They decided to establish headquarters at once in St. Louis and to set up an organization in every state. Then they gave out a 1,500 word declaration or platform in which they declared they "will not support for re-election the candidates of the Philadelphia convention for President and vice president, and we call upon all loyal and sincere Democrats to consider the question of their duty to their country in the approaching election with the same earnestness that has guided our deliberations—joining with us if they feel that our conclusions are sound and our anxiety for the future of our party and our country is justified."

The name of Governor Landon was not mentioned in the declaration, but a number of its signers are openly supporting the Republican candidate. Among these are Joseph B. Ely, Col. Henry Breckinridge, John Henry Kirby of Texas and Robert S. Bright of Maryland.

TWO veterans of the senate, William E. Borah of Idaho, Republican, and Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, Democrat and majority leader, won their fights for renomination without much difficulty. Borah defeated Byron Diefenbach, who was backed by the Townsendites. His Democratic opponent at the polls in November will be Gov. C. Ben Ross. In the Democratic primary to select a congressman to succeed the late Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee the Townsend influence gave victory to Richard M. Atkinson of Nashville by the narrow margin of 13 votes.

In the Presidential contest the American Federation of Labor, as an organization, will maintain its traditional non-partisan policy, according to the firm declaration of President William Green. The federation, said he, is not in the Non-Partisan Labor league, which is backing President Roosevelt. "We will not formally endorse any candidate this fall," Mr. Green continued. "Our non-partisan committee will merely prepare parallel reports on the labor records of the two chief candidates and of the platforms. We will send out all data to our membership. They will have to make up their own minds."

REBELLION among the Townsendites, smoldering ever since their Cleveland convention, has broken out into civil war. Dr. Francis Townsend has just summarily ousted from the organization three of the eleven directors. Apparently the reason is that they are supporting President Roosevelt and object to Townsend's effort to swing his followers to the support of Lenke. The three men thrown out are Dr. Clinton Wunder, a former Baptist preacher, now living in New York; John B. Kiefer, Chicago regional director, and Maj. William Parker of New York, eastern regional director.

LEADING officials of Class I railroads, meeting in Washington, voted to petition the interstate commerce commission for an advance in freight rates to replace the temporary surcharges which expire at the end of this year, and to meet the rising expenses of the roads. The petition also will ask the commission to give the railroads relief on the long and short haul clauses in the various commodity classifications.

G. O. P. Farm Plan Is Still Obscure

No Light on What Is Offered for Farmers; Million Homes Are Saved for Owners

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON—A great deal depends on what Gov. Alfred M. Landon says he is going to do for the farmers of America. So far political observers here at the nation's capital have not yet been able to discern what it is that the G. O. P. platform offers to agriculture different from the program of the preceding three years. It is known, too, that the Republican propaganda machine, which is one of the largest and most effective ever organized, is not going to clarify the G. O. P. formula for perfect life on the farm until it has to.

The Republicans, I learn, are depending on the campaign of personal hatred which some of their most expert poisoners have been fomenting. If they can "Hate Roosevelt Out of Office," they will not have to specify what it is they offer to rural and agricultural America. Meantime, at this writing, no less a disgruntled farm leader than George Peek who went off the New Deal reservation and was believed to be headed for the Landon camp, sulks in his tent at Moline, Illinois, and says that the farmers of America are not going to be stirred to revolt by any platform generalities from anybody—either Landon or Roosevelt.

There is a terrific hullabaloo going on, though, to influence rural America away from Roosevelt and for Landon; great sums of money are being spent on this process which seems to me like making a great noise on the edge of, say—a herd of sheep. When people begin to think this thing through they will realize that for years farmers came to Washington and have gone away with promises and nothing else. But when they came to the Roosevelt front door they got their program enacted. A definite specific program which they themselves helped formulate; as a result farm income has tremendously increased; farm finances have been aided. These are specific things which are not to be hidden by smoke-screen propaganda. Then, too, farm leaders and many farmers have a distinct consciousness of the fact that Governor Landon's political chances are favored by the same old crowd which has been fighting farmers for years.

G. O. P. FARM POLICY Despite all that the Liberty league says, its membership favors Landon, prepared some of the hate Roosevelt poison and if you will pick out a Liberty leaguer, I'll show you a man who will spend a lot of time hating Roosevelt and financing the opposition.

Unless Landon changes it by one of those right-about-face maneuvers of his, the Republican agricultural policy is designed to accomplish two things: first, line up farmers behind a high protective tariff which will extend to industry and eventually ruin the farmer as it has always done; second, to put the government into the business of saying just what and how much of a crop shall be exported, at what price and to what country. That is the ultimate result of the idea of "disposing of surpluses by bargaining for foreign markets selectively by countries both as to exports and imports." This Republican proposal is copying the worst phases of European nationalism which has led to the present mess in the old world. The experience is that this policy reduces trade and makes ill will; second, it needs a government bureau for every crop; a bureau which selects the exports, dictates the imports, and practically puts the farm under the heavy hand of government dictation to an unbelievable extent. It will not work in America.

What will work and is working is the freer trade arrangements by which we and our neighbors are doing more business and growing friendlier. Warnings against importing too much livestock, etc. are loaded with this hate Roosevelt poison. . . watch out for it.

FARM POLICY Roosevelt's farm policy reaches out a long way from home, because it is of the same piece with his "good neighbor" policy which has won him and the United States the respect of the world and which has not drawn a single shot from the frantic sharpshooters of the Landon-Liberty league old guard. I suppose there never was an equal to the situation; here we have a President who is being daily hated to a point where you would think someone would choke to death—and yet none has yet assailed him for his foreign policy. Reason: it is in line with the best American traditions and exactly in harmony with the state of mind of the American people today.

It is a measure of statesmanship. Roosevelt has done away with President Coolidge's favorite policy of sending the United States marines to collect money for the bankers in some little country where our bu-

caneers have been at work; and by this Roosevelt has won the respect of the southern republics and has helped make the western continent one cohesive barrier against world-destruction by mad-dog dictators of Europe. Roosevelt ended President Hoover's policy of getting into European affairs. We are attending to our own business; and when we have something to sell or buy from any of our neighbors in the world we don't have to carry a gun, or charge them a ridiculous toll when they come in. The effect is better feeling, less strain, and more trade instead of less.

Other parties and candidates do not seem to realize we have any foreign interests or contacts. I would certainly not want this country to be presided over by Governor Landon in the event of a world-crisis. He reversed himself on foreign matters suddenly within three months. He announced that he favored a world court (back door to European embroilments) because the last three Republican presidents favored it; what a small reason for something so vital! Then, later the Republican convention declared against our adherence to a world court and Brother Landon promptly acquiesced. What does he really know about it?

WHAT GLASS FORGOT

I listened with amazement the other day when Senator Carter Glass, beloved and venerable Democratic leader in Virginia, orated at a Patrick Henry celebration and went so far as to twist poor old Patrick into a stubborn reactionary who would have disapproved of the New Deal's beneficent program of saving farms and homes by putting the nation's credit to the useful function of refinancing millions of mortgages. Of course Patrick Henry died many years ago; and we have a habit of massing into one cohesive party all former patriots of whatever political stripe; and Carter Glass has forgotten that the American patriots who wrote the Constitution were rather conservative and were writing the Constitution with an eye on private property at a day when the red flames of revolution were lighting up the European skies. (Just as at present.) Why, Patrick Henry was too much a radical even to attend the Constitutional convention! It was too reactionary to suit him; and he must be revolting in his grave today in anger at dear old Carter Glass using his "Liberty or Death" reputation to blast at the New Deal's greatest maneuver which saved millions of families from losing their homes.

Carter Glass, now seventy-six, running for re-election to the senate from Virginia, will have no opposition of any importance. He is Virginia's pride and joy; but it's high time he stop trying to pose as progressive in anything. He was at one time the money trust's greatest foe, because he slammed head on into that financial oligarchy headed by the elder Morgan and beat it to a frazzle, the sign of his victory being the original Federal Reserve Act. That is as far as Carter has gone. Today he ranks with the late Uncle Joe Cannon for complete standpatism and worship of the status quo.

It is important to realize that Senator Glass and his younger colleague, Senator Harry Byrd, former governor of Virginia and brother of the famous Antarctic explorer, Dick Byrd, are leading eastern Democrats of high order and great prestige and both of them are of the opinion that the New Deal can be reformed from within. I'll give 'em credit for that. "They are not the sorehead, Al Smith take-a-walk variety; but they represent a fast disappearing element in Democracy, which is proved right now by the defeat of a Harry Byrd henchman in the Virginia primaries for the house. Representative Darden, a Byrd Democrat, is defeated by a publisher named Hamilton, a strong progressive New Deal Democrat, and beaten decisively.

MILLION HOMES SAVED

A million urban homes were saved for their owners through the operation of the Home Owners' Loan corporation, which is a function of government utilizing public credit for personal needs. Senator Glass thinks that this is coddling the financially unwise; but there is more than one side to the story. The homes were saved; and by so doing the owners were in better condition to meet their taxes; and actually a quarter of a billion dollars in municipal taxes began to pour into the flat treasuries of busted cities. We forgot that in these days of improved business, but in the latter days of the previous administration a man had to pass on the other side of the street if he saw the tax collector. The result was that most cities were broke and poverty-stricken with such poor credit that they couldn't buy even the necessary supplies. Cities which had no credit could not borrow; their bonds slumped. As you know, city bonds are bought largely by trust companies and insurance companies; and because of the rugged individualism of the former era, and the inability of the average householder to meet his mortgage obligations and taxes, the existence of our safest financial institutions was threatened. We were close to crumbling when Roosevelt took office and began to utilize the tremendous natural, financial and credit resources of the country for the benefit of the average man—and thus built up credit and paid from the very bottom.

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Synthetic Gentleman

By **CHANNING POLLOCK**

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CHAPTER XII—Continued

"Was the third caller you or Morano? And then I remembered two things. Morano took the 2:12 to Philadelphia to check on those finger-prints. He wouldn't've done that if he'd known Kelly was dead. The house was dark and silent when Morano got to Sixteenth street. He thought Kelly'd gone to bed, and so he went to Philadelphia. I was sure of that. And I was sure that the man who killed Kelly wore gloves."

"On a hot night. Not because he'd thought of finger-prints, but because he was accustomed to wearing gloves, even in summer. It was red-hot the day I came here to tell you about Nolan. And your gloves were lying there with your hat. Peter smiled faintly. 'I remember, too,' he said. 'You picked one of them up. But, of course, I might merely have been carrying them.' Barry smiled, also. 'You might,' he admitted. 'But the glove that fell on the floor was turned inside out. People don't carry gloves that way.'"

"Well," Winslow observed, "Harwood didn't make any mistake when he said you were a good newspaper man. You're right about everything. My wife was Mrs. Selby. She thought Selby was dead, of course, when she married me. Two or three years ago, I met him on the street. He was d-d decent. 'Believe it or not, I was terribly in love with Julie,' he said. 'I still am. But God knows I'm no husband for her, and you are. You've nothing to fear from me,' he said. 'But I did fear. All my life, I've had one conviction. Murder will out. Everything comes to the surface sooner or later. I urged Julie to get a divorce. I can't, she said, 'without more dreadful publicity. It would ruin your career,' she said. Always thinking of me, Julie is."

"He touched the tell-tale magnet, almost lovingly. 'We were still talking about it,' he continued, "when Julie went all to pieces again. Just as she had when the tabloids printed the story you saw, I took her to Europe. When we came back, Selby'd disappeared. I didn't even know his new name, and, of course, I didn't look for him. I persuaded myself the danger was over. Then came the Jefferson street grab. 'I was upset about what the newspapers said of Judge Hamblidge. I'd no idea of what was back of that, of course, and he didn't tell me. I figured that they'd got to him, somehow. And then Morano telephoned, the night of the murder, to say Kelly'd been to the Coconut Bar. He'd had the marriage certificate some time, and, through an underworld connection, he knew Selby was alive, but he'd only just found out that Selby was Morano. Someone had told him that afternoon—probably the same man who tipped off Luis' telephone message to Harwood. Kelly had said to Morano, 'Now I've got you, and Hamblidge, and Winslow.' 'He has,

too,' Luis added, 'unless you can find a way out of it.' Winslow's hand closed tightly. 'Julie was upstairs, asleep,' he said. 'She'd left me an hour before, radiantly happy. I went to see Kelly. Heaven knows what I intended to do. Certainly not murder. I was about to ring the bell, when I saw the key in the door, and used it. Kelly was talking to Hamblidge. I recognized the Judge's voice, and slipped into the dining room. Listening, I learned why he had written that decision. And I heard Kelly say, 'If it ain't filed by noon today, I'll have your sister-in-law arrested for bigamy.' 'Hamblidge said, 'You can do what you like; I won't file it.' 'The cut-glass decanter was on the table in front of me. I picked it up, almost mechanically. Kelly was in the hall then, shouting 'squealers' and 'beat it!' I suppose I had some vague idea of helping my brother-in-law. I don't know. Anyway, I opened the door between the dining room and the drawing room. And, as I did so, Kelly came in from the hall, closing that door behind him. His left hand was still on the knob when he saw me. 'More squealers!' he shouted. 'Witnesses! So you heard, did you? Well, by God, you're not going to tell anybody!'"

"He lifted his right hand, and there was a revolver in it. 'Another instant, and he'd've fired. 'I hurled the decanter. 'It was just instinct. I didn't take aim. There wasn't time. If I meant to do anything, it was to hit his pistol arm. I don't really know where the bottle did strike. The side of Kelly's head, probably, for it landed against a metal door-hinge, rebounded, fell into a chair, and rolled off to the floor. A moment afterward, Kelly went down in a heap. 'He wasn't dead. A long way from it, for the gun had dropped out of his hand, and he reached for it. I picked it up. Ten seconds later, Hamblidge was on the other side of that door, trying to open it, and calling Kelly. I turned the lights out. Hamblidge left, and got the certificate out of Kelly's. There was a white push-button in the frame. I pressed it—or thought I did. 'It never occurred to me that Kelly was anything more than stunned. I went home, and burned that marriage certificate. There was no other record; I'd made sure of that. A few hours later, Hamblidge phoned to say he'd fled his decision. There was nothing about Kelly in the morning paper. I'd no idea he was dead until long after dinner that night at Southampton.' Barry nodded. 'Of course, my first impulse was to give myself up,' Winslow said. 'But what good would that've done? They couldn't convict me. I'd killed in self-defense, and could come mighty near proving it. But, in doing so, I'd've given away the secret I'd struggled to keep all these years. I'd've smashed Julie utterly, and ruined Hamblidge, and Pat. Nobody was harmed by my keeping my mouth shut. There wasn't a chance of their finding Ridder guilty, or anyone else. If they'd done that, I'd've confessed in a moment. 'I know,' Barry declared. 'That's what you meant when you said, 'If we have to get the guilty man to free Rogers, we'll do it, but let's give the court a chance first.' 'Yes.' Peter rose, and went to the window. 'The difficult thing,' he continued, "was not to confess. With that boy in jail. But it was letting an innocent man suffer a few weeks, or an innocent woman all her life. If you'd seen Julie's face, when she collapsed, after hearing of Selby's arrest—" He paused. 'Of course, neither she nor Hamblidge knows I killed Kelly.' Barry said, "They'll never know it through me. 'Bon voyage," he added, blithely, an instant later, his hat in his hand. 'And come back soon. I'd like to have you two at my wedding.' [THE END]

IN THE NEXT ISSUE

Patterns of Wolfpen

A Gripping Story of Kentucky Pioneers

By **HARLAN HATCHER**

The Patterns had lived at Wolfpen for four generations. Loving the land, proud of their heritage, their daily routine a design of tranquil, independent, self-sufficient harmony, of a gracious, simple and truly cultivated practice of life. But the outside world

closes in. Industry, crying for more timber, marches into the Cumberland, bringing ugliness, disease and violent death. But beauty is not altogether lost. For the lovely Cynthia Pattern, at least, there is an intimate rewarding, an exquisite compensation.

WATCH FOR THE FIRST INSTALLMENT

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By **REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST**, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for August 23

THE GOSPEL FOR ALL MEN

LESSON TEXT—Acts 11:17; Romans 1:15-17.

GOLDEN TEXT—For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. John 3:16.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter Learns a Lesson.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Peter Makes a Great Discovery.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—First Steps in World Brotherhood.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Universal Brotherhood in Christ.

Christianity early found its progress impeded by a difference of opinion. Such a difference when met in Christian spirit will not be a stone of offense, but when properly and tactfully settled may be a stepping stone to progress.

Jewish Christians at Jerusalem were disturbed by the report that Peter had received the gentile Cornelius as a Christian brother without requiring him to fulfill the Jewish law of circumcision.

Peter defended his action not by asserting his position or appealing to his apostolic authority, but by relating what God had done. Henry Drummond once said, "The best argument for Christianity is a Christian." The best proof that God has actually been at work is to present the unanswerable evidence of a redeemed soul. In thus making his plea Peter reveals that

I. He Had a Vision of God's Purpose (vv. 5-10).

God had spoken to him. When we meet a man who is in touch with God, we should at once give heed. He may be, and perhaps should be, the minister or a Christian leader, but he may be and frequently is some humble, unknown servant of God. But if God has spoken to him we will do well to listen. Peter had learned the great lesson that what God had cleansed man should receive as clean.

II. He Had Seen God Work (vv. 11-15).

The Holy Spirit had fallen on the gentiles and they actually had been saved. Is it not singular that in the early church they could hardly believe that a gentile could be saved? Now we are astonished if a Jew is saved! Why will we in our unbelief limit the Holy One of Israel?

The all-powerful gospel of the grace of God is still saving men and women, Jews and gentiles, from their sins. Have you seen it happen? It is a great inspiration to faith and service. God is ready to encourage us—he is the same today as he was when he sent Peter to Cornelius. Are we willing to run his errands, proclaim his message?

III. He Had Received a Fresh Insight into God's Word (v. 16).

The best way to learn the meaning of God's Word is to use it, live it, obey it. "If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God" (John 7:17).

Peter had learned anew that God's Word meant just what it said. We who are his servants should believe his Word and act on it in faith.

IV. He Knew Better Than to Withstand God (v. 17).

When God has not raised any barriers of race, creed, color, class, or social position, it is not for his followers, and assuredly not for his servants, to build "fences" which he would not authorize or countenance.

One of the needs of our day is that those doing God's work should not withstand him and his will. He who is the same yesterday, today, and forever is ready to work as powerfully today as he did in the days of Finney and Moody, and in the days of Abraham, Moses, Daniel, and Peter. Let us give him liberty to work in and through us, not as we may wish, but as he desires. Who are we that we should withstand God?

V. In Conclusion (Romans 1:15-17).

This portion presents a magnificent declaration from Peter's co-worker, Paul, the apostle to the gentiles, that the gospel is the power of God unto salvation for everyone that believes, Jew or Greek. Regardless of race or condition, we are all unrighteous, and there is, but one way of salvation—through faith in Jesus Christ. It is our responsibility and privilege to make this message known to all men everywhere. Your neighbor and mine, whether in the next house or on the other side of the world, is our opportunity. Not one is unclean or untouchable, although he may be stained with the dark pollution of sin. God is ready and willing to save. Let us tell men the good news!

Kindness

I shall pass through this world but once; any good thing, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any human creature, let me do it now; let me not defer it, or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.—S. Grellet.

Pack Up Your Troubles

I make the most of my enjoyments. As for my troubles, I pack them in as little compass as I can for myself, and never let them annoy others.—Robert Southey.

OLD IDEAS ABOUT LIGHT AND SEEING ARE DISPROVED

Scientific research has exploded and outmoded many ideas about eyes and seeing, which are important in our everyday lives.

For example, seeing is not done with the eyes alone. Seeing is a partnership between our eyes and light. Be the light ever so bright — we cannot see without eyes. And though our eyes may be perfect, we cannot see without light.

And, contrary to general opinion, some eyes require more light than others. Children and old people need more light than average adults to prevent eye-strain.

The light that is good enough for one task is not necessarily good enough for another. Sewing and studying require more light than reading a well-printed novel.

One bright light for your reading or work is not enough. Light must be diffused about the room so that sharp contrasts between light and shadow do not cause the eyes to adjust themselves repeatedly, resulting in eyestrain.

The eyesight of the average person is not exceptionally good. Here are the facts: One school child in every five, forty college students in a hundred, and seventy-five of every hundred persons over fifty years of age have defective vision.

Science also says, homes with electricity are not necessarily well lighted, neither are homes without electricity necessarily lighted poorly. The lighting in many homes with electricity can be improved by increasing the sizes of bulbs, diffusing the light and fitting lamps with light-colored shades. For homes without electricity, there are modern gasoline and kerosene pressure mantle lamps that supply light which is the nearest like daylight of any artificial light.

Turner's Criticism

Turner, the famous English painter, once ridiculed his own paintings as a salad was offered him at a dinner party in this wise: "Nice cool green that lettuce, isn't it? And the beetroot pretty red — yet not quite strong enough, and the mixture, delicate tint of yellow that. Add some mustard and then you have one of my paintings."

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On War: "We learned a lot of lessons, the most important of which was that there should be no question or chance of another war."

On Russian Drama: "Plays where they spend three hours talking about life without bothering to live."

On Housing: "Slums are a slur on our civilization."

THE DOCTOR HELPS JACK

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DON'T LET 'EM TAKE YOU TO ANY DOCTOR! HAVE A TANTRUM — KICK UP AN AWFUL FUSS!

SCRAM UP TO YOUR ROOM, WHY STICK AROUND AND LISTEN TO THEM CRITICIZE YOU?

WHY—THIS SOUNDS LIKE COFFEE—NERVES TO ME—BUT SURELY YOU'RE NOT LETTING THIS BOY DRINK COFFEE!

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CURSES! I WAS AFRAID OF THIS! NOW I'LL HAVE TO BEAT IT!

LATER

JACK, YOUR WORK SHOWS REMARKABLE IMPROVEMENT LATELY! YOU'LL SOON BE OUR STAR PUPIL AT THIS RATE!

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**SHALL WE HAVE LIQUOR
DISPENSARIES?**

Six proposed constitutional
amendments have been submitted to
the people of Texas to be adopted or
rejected at the general election to
be held on November 3. Four of these
are being published in the News. The
two not being published relate (1) to
the establishment of a retirement fund
for teachers, and (2) to the establish-
ment of a State monopoly of the liquor
business.

At some future date, we shall
undertake to acquaint our readers with
the provisions of the proposed amend-
ment relating to teachers. At this time,
we wish to call attention to some of the
salient features of the proposed liquor
amendment.

First, the proposed amendment
would give the State a monopoly of the
traffic in spirituous or distilled liquors,
such as whiskey, brandy, gin, etc. The
sale of spirituous or distilled liquors
would be prohibited except to or by the
State. The amendment would authorize
the legislature to establish "Dispensar-
ies" where such liquors might be sold
by the State in unbroken packages not
to be consumed on the premises.

The State monopoly or Dispensary
system would not affect the sale of
mere fermented or malt liquors such as
beer and light wine. The sale of these
would be regulated by other laws on our
statute books.

Furthermore the local option provi-
sions of our laws would remain the same.
The people of any county, justice pre-
inct, or incorporated town or city would
have the right, by election, to prohibit
the sale of any or all of the different
types of intoxicating liquors.

Now, what would be the effect of
the adoption of this proposed amend-
ment? Simply this. We would have
"dispensaries" in all the wet counties
for the sale of hard liquors. Private
liquor houses or saloons would not be
permitted. Beer, however, would still
be sold by private houses—in cafes, hotels,
and other business houses—just as it is
in wet

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It is presumed that there would
be strict regulation of the "dis-
pensaries" and that for the most
part they would sell in strict com-
pliance with the law, though of
course, there would doubtless be
many bootleggers, more possibly
than there are today.

It will be up to the people to de-
cide on November 3 whether they
want this kind of arrangement or
not.

LET US TOTE FAIR

One of the proposed constitu-
tional amendments to be voted on
in November would limit the
number of Representatives in the
legislature from any one county to
7 until such county reached a popu-
lation of 700,000, after which it
may add one Representative for
each additional 100,000 population.
The purpose is to cut down the
power of the large cities.

The adoption of the amendment
would not materially affect the
relative strength of the cities and
the country districts in the legisla-
ture at this time but it would pre-
vent the larger cities, such as Hous-
ton, Dallas, San Antonio, and Port
Worth, from increasing their rep-
resentation however much their
population might increase.

In 1930, the entire state had a
population of a little less than
6,000,000. With 150 members in the
legislature, therefore, we have one
member to each 40,000 population.
Dallas county in 1930 had a popu-
lation of 325,000, which would entitle
it to eight Representatives in the
legislature if the state were divided
according to population. Harris
county had a population of 359,000,
which would entitle it to nine Rep-
resentatives. Limiting the number
to seven, therefore, would not work
any substantial injustice to these
counties at the present time. But if
they were to double their popula-
tion, they would still be entitled,
under the proposed amendment, to
have only seven Representatives
each, while the remainder of the
state might be entitled to twice that
number according to population.

Now it seems to be popular in the
country districts to advocate this
change. We note that a number of
West Texas papers have raised the
cry for the amendment.

We may be perverse, or just pure
old "dumb", or something, but we
are unable to see the sense or the
justice in any such proposal. We
have always been willing to "tote
fair", and we can see no fairness in
this. We have always believed in
representation according to popula-
tion. What West Texas needs to
campaign about is not the undue
power of the cities in our legisla-
ture but the disproportionate and
grossly excessive representation and
power given to East Texas in the
legislature. We have a lot of
measly districts over there with
one-third the population of some
of our West Texas districts, and
East Texas wields something like
three times as much power and
casts something like three times as
many votes in the legislature ac-
cording to population as we do out
here in the West.

Furthermore, the Constitution
provides for the re-districting of
the state following each decennial cen-

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fleas, and all intestinal worms with
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Texas, exclusive local distributor.

But every time an effort has
been made to redistrict this state
since the census of 1930, East Texas
Representatives have fought it and
prevented re-districting.

What we need to do is not to
join East Texas in perpetrating an
injustice against the cities in the
matter of representation but to de-
mand that East Texas do justice to
us by permitting a fair re-district-
ing bill to go through the legislature.

We believe that Ernest O. Thomp-
son of Amarillo should be re-elected
railroad commissioner next Saturday
by an overwhelming majority. He
received almost a majority over
several opponents in the first pri-
mary. He is capable and experienced
in dealing with the matters with
which a railroad commissioner must
grapple, is a man of great energy
and courage, and as railroad com-
missioner he has stood for the con-
servation of our natural resources
and for the best interests of the
people as against those who would
exploit the state for the riches they
can gain thereby. Morris is an un-
known quantity, is inexperienced,
and is standing for the policy of
practically throwing the East Texas
oil fields wide open to the detriment
of West Texas fields and other
fields in the state. We think such
a policy would be wasteful and ruin-
ous to the small independent opera-
tors. All West Texans should vote
for Thompson.

Considerable hue and cry is being
made by some because the President
and the Board of Regents of the Uni-
versity of Texas have seen fit to cen-
sor the editorial page of The Texan,
a University publication. Congress-
man Maverick of San Antonio has
joined in the fight on the side of the
students. The contention is that the
Board of Regents is violating that
provision of our Constitution which
guarantees freedom of the press. We
doubt if the point is well taken. The
Texan is strictly a University of Tex-
as publication. Being a University
product it seems to us that the Uni-
versity authorities have a right to
control it, and that the exercise of
such control does not involve the free-
dom of the press. Would the Metho-
dist Church, for instance, be violating
the constitution if it censored the
editorials appearing in one of its church
papers? We think not. We take it
that any religious organization, any
fraternal organization, any college or
university has the right to control
the matters that appear in the col-
umns of any paper issued by its
authority or under its sponsorship.

We believe that Secretary Wal-
lace's suggestion for a crop insur-
ance program, properly safeguarded,
is much preferable to the old de-
funct AAA. We hope to see con-
gress work out a practical and con-
stitutional measure along this line.
But we want congress to do the
legislating and not leave it up to
the head of any department to make
the rules and regulations govern-
ing the matter.

If the Republicans had reversed
their political machine and named
Knox and Landon instead of Landon
and Knox as the head of their outfit,
we believe that they would have
been able to get up more steam.
Changing the figure, it appears to
us that they have the little boy
in the saddle and the big boy rid-
ing behind.

**HANK SMITH MONUMENT
IN HANK SMITH PARK**

Site for the Hank Smith Memorial
Monument, to be located in the
Hank Smith Park, was chosen Mon-
day by a Mr. Peters, a representa-
tive of the State government, and
W. T. Dunn of Crosbyton.

The monument, Mr. Dunn says,
will be located on the exact spot of
the dugout, first home of Uncle
Hank Smith, on a knoll in the park.

The monument, costing \$1,000 is
chiseled from natural Texas granite
and is being placed by the federal
government out of funds donated
for the Texas Centennial. The pic-
ture of Uncle Hank and Aunt Hank
will be embodied on the monument
with appropriate inscription con-
cerning the early pioneers.

Every effort will be made, said
Mr. Peters, by the Centennial Com-
mittee and the Old Settlers Reunion
committee to have the marker placed
in time for the unveiling during the
Old Settlers Reunion on Thurs-
day and Friday on next week. Aug-
ust 15 will be the 100th anniversary
of the birth of Uncle Hank Smith,
the first pioneer and home builder
on the vast plains of West Texas.—
Crosbyton Review.

J. T. Carter, superintendent of the
New Home school, and J. B. Miller
secretary of the school board, were
business visitors in Tahoka Monday.

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**Political
Announcements**

The following announcements are
made subject to the action of the
Democratic Primary Election to be
held on Saturday, August 22, 1936.

For Representative, 119th Dist.:
J. DOYLE SETTLE of Abernathy.
"HOP" HALSEY of Lubbock.

For County Clerk:
H. C. STORY (re-election)
HERSCHEL D. COLLINGS

For Commissioner, Prec't. 2:
SAM HOLLAND
R. L. LITTLEPAGE

For Commissioner, Prec't. 4:
TOM N. HALE
C. H. (Claude) REAGAN.

Edith

Ruby Payne Reporter

(Delayed)

Not very many attended Sunday
school. We hope they will take more
interest and come more often.

Mr. George Waldon of South
Ward spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Joe Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett and family
returned Friday from a three weeks
visit at Coves, Arkansas.

Mrs. Henry Cullefer and little
daughter Reba and A. D. Anderson
are here this week from Petty visit-
ing Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson.

Mr. Ralph Payne accompanied by
Mr. Awgwe Shafer, both of Dora,
New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs.
E. D. Payne and family Saturday
night and Sunday. Mrs. Payne re-
turned home with them to spend a
few days.

Miss Mary Gene Tippit is visit-
ing Miss Lou Shearer of Crosbyton
this week.

Miss Nellie McMillan spent Sat-
urday and Sunday with Miss Helen
Ruth Bell near Tahoka.

Miss Marie Owens spent Saturday
night and Sunday with Miss Nay-
den Nelson of New Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sanders and
family are visiting relatives in
East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Martin and
babies of Draw spent Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Payne.

Little Joyce Vaughn, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Vaughn, was
taken to the Lubbock Sanitarium
Saturday and had her tonsils and
adenoids removed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bell made a
business trip to Lubbock Monday.

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OLD TIME CAMPAIGNS

While political campaigns are still
waged with vigor, and are often
enlivened with spectacular oratory
they do not compare in pictures-
queness and enthusiasm with those
of the old days.

Back in the nineteenth century
the campaign parade was an indis-
pensable feature of the pre-election
activities especially in presidential
years. Uniformed marching clubs
bearing kerosene torches, with ban-
ners and transparencies, and led by
brass bands, sometimes made up pro-
cessions miles long in the larger
cities, while the smaller communities
held similar rallies on a lesser scale.

It was the custom of rival news-
papers to enlarge upon the length
of parades by their partisans, while
depreciating those of the opposition.

The late Vice-President Marshall
once told of such a circumstance, in
which claims of rival newspapers
held a humorous torch. A great
parade was held in Crawfordsville,
Ind., in behalf of the candidacy of
Governor Hendricks, after which Mr.
Marshall says:

"In the morning the Democratic
newspapers announced that it was
the greatest torchlight parade ever
seen in the city; that it took two
hours to pass a given point. The
evening Republican paper quoted
this statement, admitting it was true,
but added that the given point was
Mike Mulholland's saloon.—Post
Dispatch.

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writes: "My husband and I both take
Theodor's Black-Draught and find
it splendid for constipation, bilious-
ness, and the disagreeable, aching,
tired feeling that comes from this
condition." With reference to Syrup
of Black-Draught, which this mother
gives her children, she says: "They
like the taste and it gave such good
results."

BLACK-DRAUGHT

Midway

Madeline Russell, Reporter

(Delayed)

The crops in our community are
looking fine, considering the hot
weather we are having.

School started here Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Draper are
visiting in Dallas.

Friday for Arkansas.
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rowe left
Mr. and Mrs. San Kitchen and
daughter Venta spent the week-end
with relatives at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval Cunning-
ham visited in Gall Sunday.

A large crowd was present at
singing Sunday night. We ask you
to keep coming.

Billy Smith of Slaton visited Ta-
hoka Monday in company with his
uncle E. E. McManis, of Lakeview.

**STATED MEETINGS of
Tahoka Lodge No. 1641**

the first Tuesday night
in each month at 8:30.
Members urged to at-
tend. Visitors welcome.



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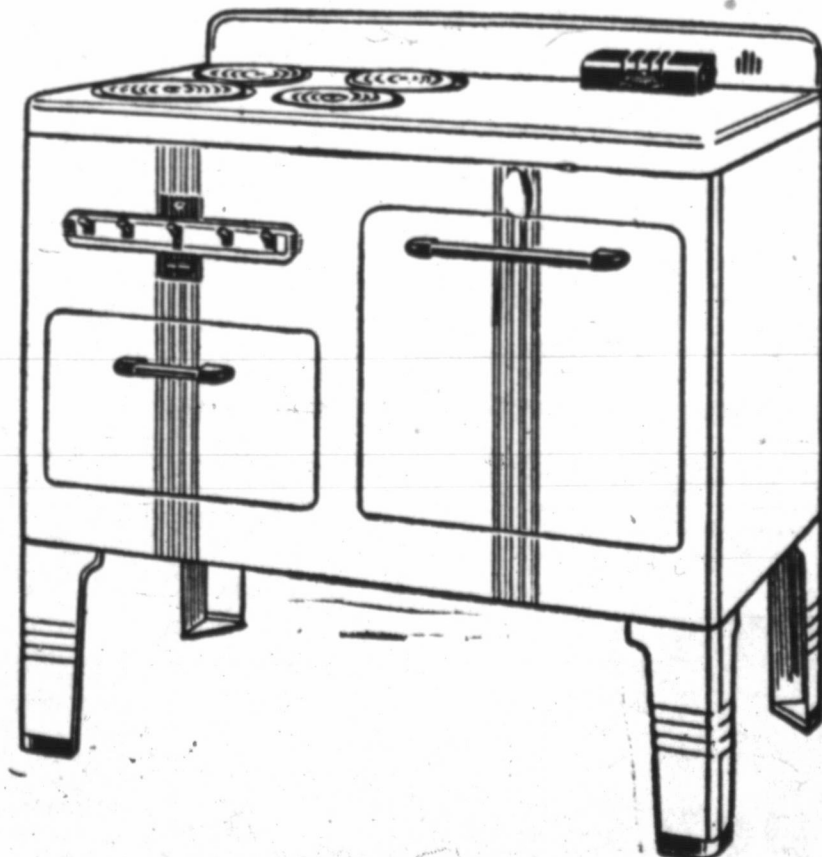
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REA FAMILY HAS REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rea of Tahoka attended a big family reunion held at the Childress Park at the city of Childress last Saturday and Sunday.

The four Rea brothers and one sister, with their descendants and collateral kin to the number of about seventy, were present.

The brothers are J. A. of Tahoka, H. T. Rea of Lakeview, Hall county, W. T. Rea of Kirklind, Childress county, and J. A. Rea of Rochester, Haskell county. The sister is Mrs. P. H. McClain of Foard City, Foard county.

Other members of the family were there from Memphis, Lakeview, Kirklind, Childress, Canyon, Foard City, Post, Chillicothe, Lubbock, Amarillo, Rochester, Paducah, Longview, and Dallas, Texas, and Mangum, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Weaver of Levelland spent the week end here with their son, A. C. Weaver, and family. All had attended a reunion of the Weaver families held at Two Draw Lake on Thursday of last week.

WALKERS HAVE RETURNED FROM EXTENDED VISIT

Mrs. J. B. Walker and children, Pollyanna and Neill, returned Monday from a prolonged visit in South and Southeast Texas and Southern Louisiana.

They first spent a few days with Mrs. Walker's daughter, Mrs. Jonnie O'Neal, in Austin. Then they took a side trip over to San Antonio, visiting some of the historic buildings and scenic spots in that city.

From Austin, in company with Mrs. O'Neal, they drove to Houston, where they visited Mrs. Walker's sister, and from Houston to Beaumont and thence to Plaquemine, Louisiana, where another daughter, Mrs. Mary Fleener, lives.

Plaquemine is in the heart of the famous Louisiana sugar cane district. All that portion of Louisiana is inhabited largely by descendants of the French, and few of the people can speak English. They speak a mixed French and English dialect, which a native West Texan has much trouble in interpreting, Mrs. Walker says.

Many of these French are reputed to be descendants of the French Acadians who were transported from Acadia in eastern Canada by the English nearly two hundred years ago, a historical event which was immortalized in Longfellow's "Evangeline".

FORMER COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE VISITS TAHOKA

Fred Davis of Austin, former commissioner of agriculture of this state, was here Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning in the interest of George B. Terrill, who is a candidate for this office at this time. Mr. Davis served in the office several terms as did Mr. Terrill.

While here, Mr. Davis met G. W. Simmons, local manager of the Jones Dry Goods Store, whom he had known many years, Mr. Davis' brother having married a sister of Mrs. Simmons.

NEWMOORE MAN BURIED HERE

J. E. Stigler of Newmoore, 47, died late Tuesday evening in the Clark & Key Clinic in Lubbock, following a prolonged illness.

Funeral services were held here in the Tahoka Cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Elder Bill Garnett of the Church of Christ and the burial was under the direction of the Harris Funeral Home.

Mr. Stigler was born in Coleman county but he had been a resident of this county for several years. He left surviving him a wife and several children, who have the sympathy of many friends.

MACHA FAMILY ENJOY REUNION

Mrs. H. A. Macha and son, Edmund, and Mrs. V. H. Macha and daughters, Irma, Edith, and Mildred, have just returned from a family reunion at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bartos, at Seymour, Baylor county.

This was the first time the family had met in 26 years, all children being present except one now deceased.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Zavadney and son Jerry of Temple; Mrs. V. H. Macha and daughters, and Mrs. H. A. Macha and Edmund, Tahoka; Mrs. L. L. Fojtik, Damon; Mrs. W. J. Janca and family, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Simek and family, Milton and Bedrick Bartos, of Seymour.

Every one reported a nice time and they all hope to meet again in four years to celebrate their parents' golden wedding anniversary.—contributed.

AGED LADY SERIOUSLY ILL

Mr. N. A. Curry, 84, is seriously ill at her home here. She became ill of acute indigestion last week and on Sunday night she suffered a severe heart attack.

Mrs. Curry in the mother of Wiley Curry, Mrs. Bill Thompson, and Mrs. Joe Thompson, all of Tahoka or vicinity. Relatives and friends are very solicitous about her condition.

SWIMMING CONTEST AT LUBBOCK FRIDAY NIGHT

Friday evening, August 21, the first Annual South Plains Council Swimming Championship will be held in the City Swimming Pool at Lubbock. One hundred fifty swimmers who qualified in the six district Swimming Meets and scouts qualifying in special tests will be entered. The meet will start at 7:30 p. m. Ribbons will be given 1, 2, and 3 place winners.

A large crowd of several hundred parents and swimming enthusiasts are expected to attend the meet. A list of entries has not been completed.

Towns qualifying swimmers thus far in the Council include: Lubbock, Lamesa, Tahoka, Post, Brownfield, Muleshoe, Littlefield, Slaton, Sudan, Spur, Lorenzo, Falls, Crosbyton, Matador, and Anton.

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MEAT MARKET

It is true he spent the past year with a market in Slaton but he has come back to Tahoka to take this job.

For 12 years, Mr. Cathcart has been in the market business. All of you know him, and you know him to be one of the best market men that ever slashed a piece of meat. He knows good meat when he sees it, and he knows how to meet the needs and desires of his customers.

He will be glad to see and to serve you at any time.

EASTLAND COUNTY RESIDENTS TO HAVE BIG REUNION

Former residents of Eastland county now residing on the South Plains and in near-by counties will hold a reunion in the Lubbock City Park on the fifth Sunday in this month, August 30, according to W. S. Anglin, secretary of the association.

All families are requested to bring well filled baskets.

In the afternoon there will be singing and other diversions, but chiefly the day will be spent in meeting and greeting one another and talking over old times.

This will be the second annual meeting of the association, the body having been organized a year ago, with Dr. J. D. Moorehead of Meadlow as president and W. S. Anglin of Tahoka as secretary.

Mr. Anglin says that quite a large crowd is expected. There were about 230 present at the meeting last year.

Clay McCoy, who now operates a drug store in Sas Antonio was here visiting his mother Mrs. J. H. McCoy, and his sister, Mrs. Gallagher, and other relatives Monday and Tuesday.

H. B. McCord Jr.

Is again in the lead this week with 177,180 votes.

The first ten this week are:

- H. B. McCord Jr. 177,180
- Jackie Bovell 141,900
- Mary Lee Harris 127,550
- Nat. Park 123,710
- Dale Hogan 85,700
- Joe Bob Stroud 54,500
- Sina Barrington 53,740
- Fred Bucey Jr. 38,300
- R. B. Jones Jr. 38,000
- Margaret Durham 30,250

Starting Saturday we will give 5,000 votes for each pint of ice cream sold, 10,000 votes for each quart sold and 5,000 votes for each package of Cigarettes, 1,000 votes for 10c spent at our fountain and 500 votes for 10c spent for drugs.

The contest ends Saturday morning August 29th at 9 o'clock.

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NOTICE

Don't forget that we carry a complete line of--

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Including the special Maring plug.

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H. B. McCORD, Agent

H. D. CLUB HAD ENCAMPMENT AT TWO DRAW LAKE

The women's clubs of Lynn county had their encampment, at Two Draw Lake near Post on Wednesday of this week, according to Miss Lilith Boyd, county home demonstration agent.

Gathering in the morning, a nice lunch was spread at early noon. In the afternoon reports and demonstrations of the short course were given.

Among the visitors present were Miss Lida Cooper, district home demonstration agent, who had an important part on the program, and Mrs. E. I. Hill, former H. D. agent of Lynn county.

After supper, the ladies enjoyed an hour or two of stunts and games, and soon after breakfast Thursday morning they were on their way home, feeling that they had had a profitable, though brief, encampment.

MEETING AT GRASSLAND

Alton Wimbish of Ennis will begin a meeting at the Church of Christ at Grassland to continue 10 days, beginning Friday night August 21st. Come and hear him. He is kind and considerate in presenting the great truths of the Bible.—E. S. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McManis and daughters Misses Velma and Alma Lee returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Erath, Comanche and Tarrant counties. At Arlington, they visited a cousin of Mr. McManis, whom they had not seen for 38 years. They also visited the Central Centennial at Dallas and the Frontie Centennial at Fort Worth.

Alton Cain says that his boss, D. W. Gagnat, Mrs. Gagnat, and the children when last heard from, were on their way to Seattle, Washington, but that was more than a week ago. They are probably far on the way back toward home by this time.

Charles and Reed Townes and Woodrow Walker left Monday to spend a few days at Weed and Cloudcroft, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul King visited in Jayton during the week end. They were the guests of Mrs. King's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McClain. They were accompanied by the McClain's to Sidney, Comanche county, where they visited Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dupree. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Corbell of Houston came up Monday night to visit in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Corbell, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Manley of the Gordon community and other relatives and friends in this section.

Edd Hamilton of this city and O. L. McClendon late of O'Donnell have opened a new cafe in the building recently vacated by D. H. Goodnough Shoe Shop. Both are experienced cafe men and know how to serve the public in this line.

Miss Margaret Worthy of Roscoe came in Monday night for a few days' visit with Mrs. Jim Burlison, Mrs. G. M. Stewart and other friends here. Miss Worthy will be remembered as a former member of the local school faculty.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Singleton and their son Dan spent last week in Austin. They went down in company with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Singleton of O'Donnell and were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Ola Belle, who will visit here a few weeks.

SHOWER HONORING MR. AND MRS. JARREL CRESSER

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jarrel Cresser was given Thursday, August 13, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Jaynes. A large number of friends and relatives were present at the happy occasion. After a number of lively games, the honorees were presented with a large basket containing many useful and attractive household articles.

Refreshments of grape coolade and cookies were served to the following: Mesdames Jarrell Cresser, Raymond Stone, Douglas Jones, Vivian Craig, F. I. Jones, A. B. Short, C. L. Liles, G. R. Baker, Ed Stone, J. W. Large, Grandmother Fleming, R. W. Barton, T. A. Stone, C. A. Richards, J. M. Spears, Fred Stone, E. B. Terry, A. C. Regan, B. Thornbrough, F. S. Barton, John Meeks, J. A. Jaynes, Otis Jaynes, Otis Spears, Newman Bartley, P. K. Fleming, Dee Howry, Misses Madeline Sales, Ruby Gray, Mildred Reno, Georgia Cox, Junita Jones, Mezzie Mae Baker, Lillie Hester, Lillian Jaynes, Pearl Fleming, Wanda Fleming, Sylvia Large, Messrs. Jarrell Cresser, Douglas Stone, B. Thornbrough, Raymond Stone, Carl Stone, Dwayne Fleming, Billie Baker, Donald Gene Jones, and Willie Joe Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Roney and their son Jack, and Miss Annie McDonald, all of Amarillo, and little Nancy Ann Miller, 6, of Plattsburg, N. Y., were visitors here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lockwood, and Jack remained here to spend the week. Miss McDonald is a supervisor of the Amarillo schools, and little Nancy Ann's mother is a teacher in the Plattsburg, New York, schools. Both have a number of friends in Tahoka.

Miss Lilith Boyd and three other home demonstration agents, those from Lubbock, Lamb, and Hockley counties, spent the week end at Ruidosa in the White Mountains of New Mexico. Miss Boyd says it was delightfully cool up there, and they had a wonderful outing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Edwards of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Due and daughter, Norma Jean of St. Petersburg, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Edwards a few days last week. The party went from here to the mountains of Mexico for a few days outing.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received until 11:00 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, September 15, 1936, by the commissioners Court of Lynn County, Texas, in the Commissioners Court Room in the Courthouse at Tahoka, Texas, for an addition to and the remodeling and repairing of the present Lynn County Jail Building and Appurtenances, complete, for Lynn County, Texas; one bid only will be received on the whole project, all in accordance with Lynn County's plans and specifications No. 100, which are on file in the office of the County Judge, Lynn County, Tahoka, Texas, all bids to be addressed to Hon. P. W. Goad, County Judge, Lynn County, Tahoka, Texas and accompanied by certified check on a responsible bank in the State of Texas for at least five per cent (5%) of the total amount of bid, said check to be made payable to "County of Lynn," which check shall be forfeited to said Lynn County in the event the successful bidder fails or refuses to enter into proper contract or furnish bond therefor within ten (10) days after notice of the award of contract.

Copies of plans and specifications may be secured from Hon. P. W. Goad, County Judge, Tahoka, Texas, on payment of a deposit of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) to said P. W. Goad, Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) of which will be returned upon return of the plans and specifications to the said County.

The successful bidders will be required to enter into contract with the County of Lynn and furnish satisfactory Surety Company Performance Bond in the amount of 100% of the bid price. The only bonds which will be acceptable to the County are those written by Surety Companies authorized to do business in the State of Texas.

The attention of the builders is directed to the provision of House Bill 54, as passed by the Forty-third Legislature at its regular session, requiring not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for work of a similar character in the locality in which the work is performed, and not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for legal holiday and overtime work which shall be paid to all laborers and mechanics in the construction of public works, and the following is the prevailing rate in the County of Lynn, Tahoka, Texas: Skilled labor \$.50 per hr. Semi-skilled labor \$.40 per hr. Unskilled labor \$.30 per hr.

Bidders are required to inspect the site of the work and to investigate local conditions. The right is reserved by Lynn County to accept or reject any or all bids as the best interest of the said County may appear.

P. W. Goad, County Judge, Lynn County, Tahoka, Texas. 1-46c

Newmoore

Erma Gene Brandon, Reporter

The Newmoore school started August 10. It has an enrollment of 75 pupils. The teachers are Edward Simpson, Stevens Strasser, Francelle Alexander, and Louise Edwards.

Mrs. W. T. Brandon of Newmoore has been ill the past few days. We all hope she gets better.

Mr. Byers was carried to Lamesa Sanitarium for an operation for appendicitis a few days ago. He is improving.

We extend our thanks to Mr. Breck Yarborough for dragging the school grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Johnson are the proud parents of a new son. Mother and son are doing well.

Mrs. Bertha Alexander of California is visiting her parents, Mr. Mrs. Byers of Newmoore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe James of Palm Rock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Nichols of Newmoore.

Mail Route No. 3 out of O'Donnell has been changed to go by Newmoore school house. This is a great convenience to us. The county commissioners are fixing the roads for the mail route.

The crops of the Newmoore country are needing rain but are holding up pretty well.

The Newmoore ball team entered the Lamesa tournament Saturday and won. The team will go back Tuesday to play again. We hope they will win.

The Newmoore school has received a new supply of books, which we much appreciate.

Mr. R. J. Alexander of Whitharrell recently took his brother, E. E. Alexander, to Ruidoso for his health. He is improving.

Mr. Jim West of New Mexico recently visited his sister, Mrs. Pete Crutcher, of Newmoore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foster of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt of Newmoore.

Mrs. Joe Curry and family of Midlothian spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Rogers.

Mrs. Harold Edwards and two children of Borger are here spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Poer and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards and other relatives.

Redwine

The Redwine community has not had any publicity for some time, but from now on we hope to have some news in our weekly paper as often as possible. We have the following items this week:

The women of the Baptist Church gave Mr. J. B. Walker a shower Monday, August 17. Mr. Walker has been confined to bed for some time because of illness. We hope he will soon recover.

Many people are attending the Methodist Revival at Draw this week.

Miss Carol Holloway is still visiting in Fort Worth, where she has many friends and relatives.

Mr. Mac Walters and family are still on their Centennial trip. Mr. H. C. Story was in Redwine last Sunday.

Miss Gladys Douthit spent last week end at home.

Miss Maurycie Giles spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Florence.

Mr. Corbin Douthit took some of his school boys to Hackberry last Saturday evening where they spent the night.

Many people attended the rodeo at O'Donnell last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Thompson and little daughter, Adele, of Post but formerly of Tahoka were attending to business and visiting friends here Tuesday. Mr. Thompson is an investigator for the old age pension system.

Jeanine Smith accompanied Adele home for a visit.

F. H. Hancock was called to Goldthwaite last week by the death of his brother's wife. F. H. says that the temperature ran as high as 128 while he was there. Of course this high temperature was not registered by a government-mounted thermometer, but he says it "sure was hot".

Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Turrentine and daughter, Miss Dottie, and Miss Goza Lee Thompson returned Sunday from a pleasure trip to Ruidoso, Cloudcroft, El Paso, and Carlsbad Cavern. This is an inexpensive trip that every plainsman ought to take.

B. R. Tate and family have gone to Comanche to spend a few days visiting his father.

Miss Jewell Bean of Lovington spent the week end here with Miss Eula Faye Waller.

Miss Eloise Waller of Muleshoe is here spending the week with her sister, Miss Eula Faye Waller.

Beecher Sherrard and family are enjoying a few days vacation at El-Paso and points in New Mexico this week.

J. O. Tinsley and family attended a family reunion at Lubbock Sunday.

LOST—Steer, brindle, with few white spots, weight 550 pounds, 18 months old. Notify Earl George.

MIMOGRAPH PAPER — Good grade, 8 1/2 x 11 size, 75c per ream; 8 1/2 x 14, \$1.00. The News.

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D. L. Young, Tahoka, Rt. 1

Mack's Food Store

Prices For Friday Afternoon and Saturday August 21 & 22

WE WILL HAVE A TRUCK LOAD OF PEACHES FOR FRIDAY AFTERNOON AND SATURDAY.

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| Honey | 5 Lb. COMB — 55c
10 Lb. COMB — 98c
5 Lb. Extracted — 47c
10 Lb. Extracted — 88c | TEA | H & H
1/4 Lb. With
25c
Two Beautiful Glasses |
| Soap Flakes | Balloon 35c
5 Lb. Pkg. | Apple Butter | Qt. Jar 19c |
| Jello | All Flavors 25c
4 Pkgs. | Puffed Wheat | K. B. Large Pkg. 10c |
| Catsup | 14 Oz. bottle 12 1/2c | Pineapple | No. 2 1/2 Can Dessert Cuts 21c |
| Pickles | Qt. Sour 15c | | |

Salad Dressing

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| Salmons | Tall Can 11c | Coffee | Bright & Early Ground Fresh, 1 Lb. Pkg. 19c |
| Cleanser | Sunbrite 2 for 9c | Melo | 2 Lb. Cello Pkg. 19c |

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| Potted Ham | 7 Cans 25c | Peaches | NO. 2 1/2 in Heavy Syrup 15c |
| Grape Juice | Pints 15c | Lemons | Sunkist Doz. 25c |

Syrup

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| BEEF ROAST | Choice Cuts | Lb. 15c |
| ROAST | Rib and Brisket | Lb. 12c |
| Steak | Fore Cuts Pound. | 17c |
| HOT BARBECUE | PLENTY GRAVY | |

PHONE 70 WE DELIVER

RANDOM SIDELIGHTS
On The Builders Of
STATE HIGHWAY 84
By Rudy Roadrunner

(Delayed)
Mr. and Mrs. F. Yates Harwell and little daughter, Doris Lucille, and Homer Harrison spent Sunday at Carlsbad cavern. Harwell is superintendent for the state in construction of highway 84 west and Harrison is former city marshal of Tahoka.

Yates is still puzzled how the hole was dug, how many cubic yards of dirt were moved and what became of it, and how much dynamite was required in the blasting. He says the government will keep fooling with the Pecos river, damming and backing it up until the water finds a fissure leading into Carlsbad cavern, and that will be the last of the cave for sightseers.

Passers-by on 84 Saturday were amazed to see R. E. Fidler, foreman, wearing a coat as he looked after his work at the caliche pit, with the temperature at 110, 120 or 130, depending upon how much you want to lie about West Texas' August weather.

One stopped and inquired about the unusual circumstance. "Does the hot weather affect a foreman that way?" he inquired. "Poor fellow," he sympathized. "Oh no", a flagman answered, "that's flies."

"Flies?" was the incredulous query. "What do you mean?" "Well, you see it's this way. Finley was wearing a newly-starched shirt and it attracted flies from the shirt

like a sugar sack. He fought them until he was worn out, and then he shed the shirt and washed it a bucket. He is now wearing his coat until his shirt dries."

Speaking of flies, they are no joke at the pit, and S. M. Townsend, project superintendent, has been wanting to assign one of the colored boys on the job as fly-chaser. Sam is awaiting instructions from Washington before taking any drastic actions. Flies, I understand, have to be handled through regular channels as all other projects problems.

Bill Ruhman, who gave the highway department good service as material inspector while Brown & Root was constructing No. 9, south of Tahoka, is back in the local highway office after a week's vacation at the Frontiers and Central Expositions at Ft. Worth and Dallas.

Bill procured a thermometer Monday and is able to inspect the temperature every hour. He says he can get out more efficient weekly weather reports now, and will make no more mistakes on whether a certain day is hot or cold.

I have heard highway salaries, wages, or pay called most everything but the most direct description of this important feature of being on the payroll came from a youth the other day. He called in person to inquire for a relative concerning pay-day. "Have the road checks come?" he blurted out.

Now that sounds like old-time American talk. Anglo-Saxon, one syllable expressions that hit the nail directly on the head. This boy was accustomed to dealing with fundamentals, close to the soil... tut, tut, yes, he was from the country. He was a country boy and proud of it and so am I, so why camouflage and beat about the bush and talk about elements as if dodging something?

The highway department has a penchant for uniformity, and, if some responsible superior hears about this, a form letter may go out to the various offices reading after the following fashion: "Hereafter, for the sake of uniformity in correspondence and filing, in your letters inquiring about matters of the payroll do not use the terms dinero, mazooma, spizer-lintum, swag, treasury warrants, State of Texas vouchers, or highway department stipend, but say 'road checks', and this will keep the filing clerk from getting confused who has heretofore placed some correspondence under D, some M, and others V."

Shut'er down Ira, the eyes, I mean (lies, have it until next week.

BUTTER WRAPPERS, good grade vegetable parchment, 30c per 100 at The News, Phone 33.

H. J. R. NO. 23
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of premiums on such policies of insurance; providing the State shall never be required to purchase insurance for any employees; providing for the necessary publication and election; making an appropriation to pay for same.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 59, to read as follows:
"Section 59. The Legislature shall have power to pass such laws as may be necessary to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for such State employees, as in its judgment is necessary or required; and to provide for the payment of all costs, charges, and premiums on such policies of insurance; providing the State shall never be required to purchase insurance for any employee."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have

printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State."

And all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. NO. 9
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an Amendment to Section 26 of Article 3, of the Constitution of Texas, by adding thereto Section 26a, providing that under no apportionment shall any county be entitled to more than seven (7) Representatives unless the population of such county shall exceed seven hundred thousand (700,000) people; providing for the apportionment in counties of more than seven hundred thousand (700,000) people; providing for its submission to the voters as required by the Constitution and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 26, of Article 3, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended by adding thereto Section 26a, as follows:

"Section 26a. Provided however, that no county shall be entitled to or have under any apportionment more than seven (7) Representatives unless the population of such county shall exceed seven hundred thousand (700,000) people as ascertained by the most recent United States Census, in which event such county shall be entitled to one additional Representative for each one hundred thousand (100,000) population in excess of seven hundred thousand (700,000) population as shown by the latest United States Census; nor shall any district be created which would permit any county to have more than seven (7) Representatives except under the conditions set forth above."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at the next General Election, to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of Texas, limiting every county to not more than seven (7) Representatives unless said county shall have a population of more than seven hundred thousand (700,000) people as ascertained by the most recent United States Census, in which event such county shall be entitled to one additional Representative to each one hundred thousand (100,000) population in excess of seven hundred thousand (700,000) population."

And those opposed to said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of Texas, limiting every county to not more than seven (7) Representatives unless said county shall have a population of more than seven hundred thousand (700,000) people as ascertained by the most recent United States Census, in which event such county shall be entitled to one additional Representative to each one hundred thousand (100,000) population in excess of seven hundred thousand (700,000) population."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD, Secretary of State.

S. J. R. NO. 26
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to Section 11 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board of Pardons and Paroles, composed of three members, whose terms of office shall be for a period of six years, one to be appointed by the Governor, one by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, and one by the presiding Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals, such appointments to be with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate present; and so as to provide that the Governor of the State shall have the power on the recommendation and advice of the majority of the Board of Pardons and Paroles to grant reprieves, commutations of punishment and pardons and to remit fines and forfeitures, and, with the advice and consent of the Legislature, to grant reprieves, commutations of punishment

and pardons in cases of treason; and to provide that the Governor shall have power to grant one reprieve in any capital case not to exceed thirty (30) days; and shall have the power to revoke paroles and conditional pardons; and to provide that the Legislature shall have authority to regulate procedure before the Board and to enact parole laws; and to provide for an election for such proposed constitutional amendment, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 11 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 11. There is hereby created a Board of Pardons and Paroles, to be composed of three members, who shall have been resident citizens of the State of Texas for a period of not less than two years immediately preceding such appointment, each of whom shall hold office for a term of six years; provided that of the members of the first board appointed, one shall serve for two years, one for four years and one for six years from the first day of February, 1937, and they shall cast lots for their respective terms. One member of said Board shall be appointed by the Governor, one member by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, and one member by the presiding Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals; the appointments of all members of said Board shall be made with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate present. Each vacancy not authorized by law, he shall whenever sufficient cause exists, seek a judicial forfeiture of such charters unless otherwise expressly directed by law, and give legal advice in writing to the Governor and other executive officers, when requested by them, and perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall reside at the seat of government during his continuance in office. He shall receive for his services an annual salary of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, and no more."

Sec. 2. That Section 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:
"Sec. 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall each hold office for the term of two years and until his successor is qualified; receive an annual salary of Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars, and no more; reside at the Capitol of the State during his continuance in office, and perform such duties as are or may be required by law. They and the Secretary of State shall not receive to their own use any fees, costs or perquisites of office. All fees that may be payable by law for any service performed by any officer specified in this Section, or in his office, shall be paid, when received, into the State Treasury."

Sec. 4. That Section 21 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:
"Sec. 21. There shall be a Secretary of State, who shall be appointed by the Governor, and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall continue in office during the term of service of the Governor. He shall authenticate the publication of the laws, and keep a fair register of all official acts and proceedings of the Governor, and shall, when required, lay the same and all papers, minutes and vouchers relative thereto before the Legislature, or either House thereof, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by law. He shall receive for his services an annual salary of Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars, and no more."

Sec. 5. Said proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD, Secretary of State.

S. J. R. NO. 14
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salaries of certain constitutional officers by amending Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor at Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars per annum; by amending Section 22 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Attorney General at Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars per annum; and by amending Section 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Secretary of State at Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars per annum; providing for its submission to the voters of the State of Texas as required by the Constitution, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the

State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:
"Sec. 5. The Governor shall, at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary of Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture; provided that the amendment shall not become effective until the third Tuesday in January, 1937."

Sec. 2. That Section 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

"Sec. 23. The Attorney General shall hold office for two years and until his successor is duly qualified. He shall represent the State in all suits and pleas in the Supreme Court of the State in which the State may be a party and shall especially inquire into the charter rights of all private corporations, and from time to time, in the name of the State, take such action in the courts as may be proper and necessary to prevent any private corporation from exercising any power or demanding or collecting any species of taxes, tolls, freights or wharfage not authorized by law. He shall whenever sufficient cause exists, seek a judicial forfeiture of such charters unless otherwise expressly directed by law, and give legal advice in writing to the Governor and other executive officers, when requested by them, and perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall reside at the seat of government during his continuance in office. He shall receive for his services an annual salary of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, and no more."

Sec. 3. That Section 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:
"Sec. 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall each hold office for the term of two years and until his successor is qualified; receive an annual salary of Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars, and no more; reside at the Capitol of the State during his continuance in office, and perform such duties as are or may be required by law. They and the Secretary of State shall not receive to their own use any fees, costs or perquisites of office. All fees that may be payable by law for any service performed by any officer specified in this Section, or in his office, shall be paid, when received, into the State Treasury."

Sec. 4. That Section 21 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

"Sec. 21. There shall be a Secretary of State, who shall be appointed by the Governor, and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall continue in office during the term of service of the Governor. He shall authenticate the publication of the laws, and keep a fair register of all official acts and proceedings of the Governor, and shall, when required, lay the same and all papers, minutes and vouchers relative thereto before the Legislature, or either House thereof, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by law. He shall receive for his services an annual salary of Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars, and no more."

Sec. 5. Said proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD, Secretary of State.

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at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the State Constitution fixing the salary of the Governor at Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars per annum; and the salary of the Attorney General at Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars per annum; the salary of the Comptroller, Treasurer and Commissioner of the General Land Office at Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars per annum, and the salary of the Secretary of State at Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars per annum."

And those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the State Constitution fixing the salary of the Governor at Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars per annum; and the salary of the Attorney General at Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars per annum; the salary of the Comptroller, Treasurer and Commissioner of the General Land Office at Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars per annum, and the salary of the Secretary of State at Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars per annum."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 6. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 7. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD, Secretary of State.

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State Representative

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WEEK'S PROGRAM
ENGLISH
THEATRE
FRIDAY & SATURDAY NIGHTS
Sylvia Sidney and Spencer Tracy
FURY
Walter Abel, Bruce Cabot, Edward Ellis, and Walter Brennan.
Is This Man Alive?
SATURDAY MATINEE
GENE AUTRY
"Comin Round The Mountain"
SUNDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY, August 23-24-25
ROBERT TAYLOR and LORETTA YOUNG
Private Number
Patsy Kelly, Basil Rathbone and Marjorie Gatenon.
WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
ROBERT MONTGOMERY ROSALIND RUSSELL
Trouble For Two

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A cleansing laxative—purely vegetable Black-Draught—is the first thought of thousands of men and women who have found that by restoring the downward movement of the bowels many disagreeable symptoms of constipation promptly can be relieved. Mr. J. F. Mahaffey, of Clinton, S. C., writes: "I have found that Black-Draught is very effective in the cleansing of the system. When afflicted by the dull headache, the drowsiness and lassitude caused by constipation, I take Black-Draught."

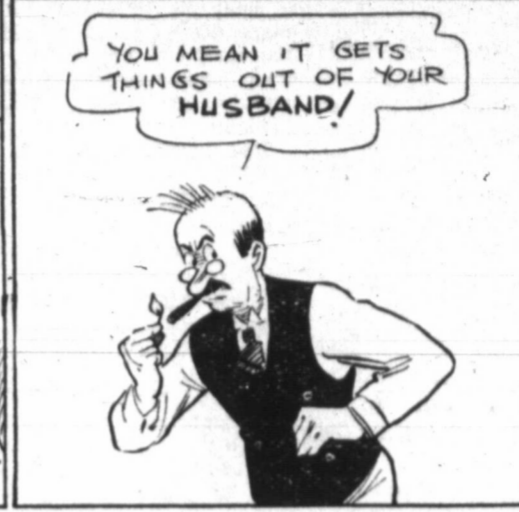
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By C. M. PAYNE



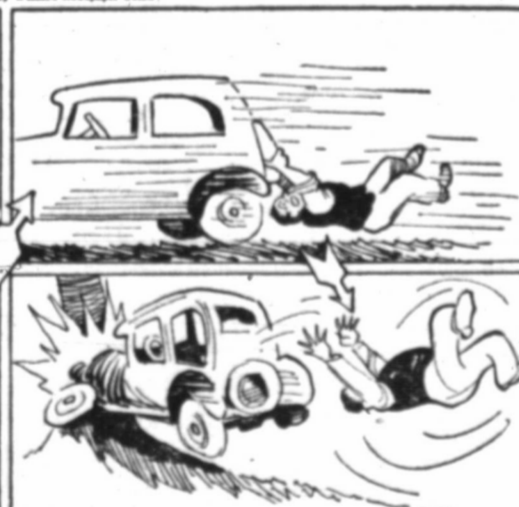
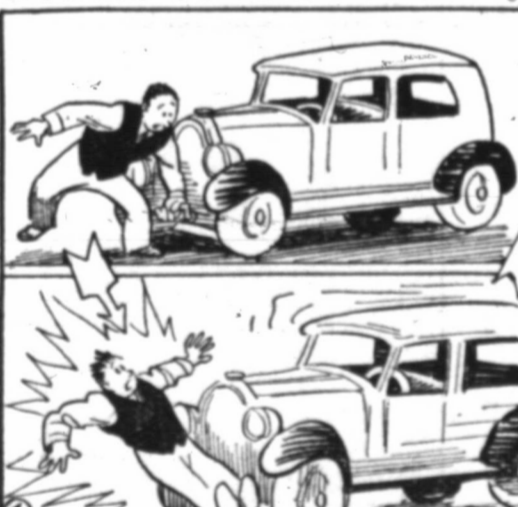
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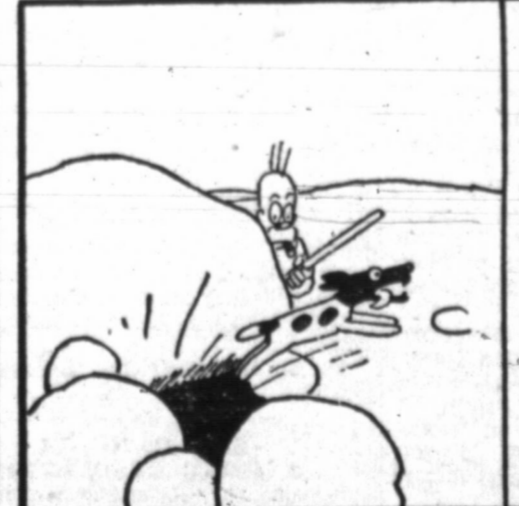
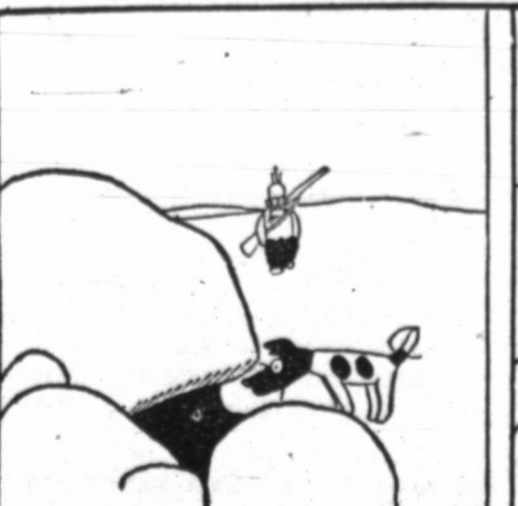
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The Curse of Progress



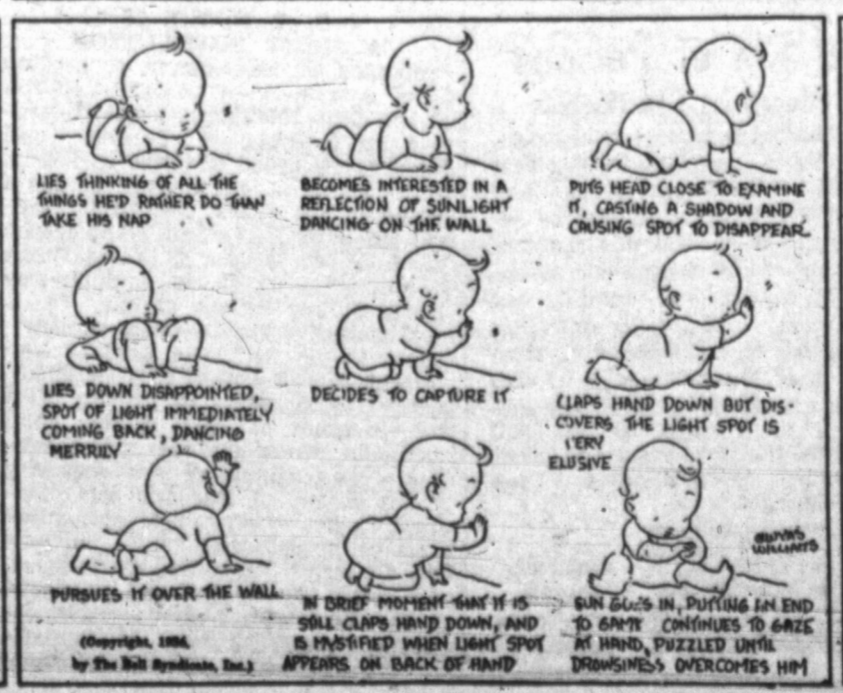
Smart
The officer took out his book and poised his stubby pencil. "What's your name?"
"John Smith."
"Yer real name," bawled the officer, who had been tricked before.
"Well, then, put me down as William Shakespeare."
"That's better. Yuh can't fool me with that Smith stuff."

Nothing New
Adorer (nervously) — Isn't that your father's step on the stairs?
Sweet Girl — Yes, but don't mind that; it's only a scare. He won't come down. He always stamps around that way when I sit up with young mer after 11 o'clock.

Super Salesgirl
Mother—What happened when that high-pressure salesman called today?
Daughter—Oh, I sold him father's old clothes and all the discarded furniture in the attic.—Detroit Free Press.

THE SUN SPOT

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Roses as Motif for New Bedspread



Pattern 1214

With roses as its motif this newly embroidered bedspread's sure of admirers! So is its embroidered bolster, or a matching scarf adorned this speedy way. Flowers are easy to do in single, outline and lazy-daisy stitch—their effect truly lovely!

Pattern 1214 contains a transfer pattern of a motif 16 1/2 by 19 1/4 inches and two and two reverse motifs 4 1/4 by 5 1/2 inches. Color schemes; illustrations of all stitches needed; material requirements.

Send 15c in stamps or coins (coins preferred) for this pattern to The Sewing Circle Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Write plainly pattern number, your name and address.

Household Questions

Custard pies should first be started to bake in a hot oven to set the crust, then the heat of the oven should be quickly reduced so that the custard may cook slowly.

When blankets are washed at home do not wring them dry. Instead hang them outdoors on the clothesline to dry.

Raisin sauce served on steamed or baked cottage puddings makes a good winter dessert and one advised for children.

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Stars and Truths
Night brings out stars as sorrow brings out truths.—P. J. Bailey.

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Then give some thought to your kidneys. Be sure they function properly for functional kidney disorder permits excess waste to stay in the blood, and to poison and upset the whole system.

Use Doan's Pills. Doan's are for the kidneys only. They are recommended the world over. You can get the genuine, time-tested Doan's at any drug store.



EUROPE WATCHES SPANISH WAR

Anxiously Await Outcome of Struggle Between Right and Left Factions; May Change World History.

By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

ORDINARILY you can take a Spanish revolution as a Greek revolution, or you can let it alone. The general custom among the laity of observers in America in the past has been to let 'em alone.

In Greek revolutions the government changes hands between matinee and evening performances and, although whole navies are captured, no one ever gets hurt. The ordinary Spanish revolution is much the same, the one distinguishing factor being that murder and mayhem are present, but nobody gets hurt except Spaniards.

Ever since Spain lost her last American colonies some 30-odd years ago, riot, revolution and rebellion have been rife in the sunny land. But because, in the past, these revolutions have been of little consequence outside the borders of Spain itself, other nations, even those on the European continent, have been justified in merely remaining aloof and letting matters take their course until once more a Spanish government of one kind or another is answering the 'phones. Aloofness often is only official as it is possible to do a neat little business in arms with both warring sides, unofficially.

But with this newest and most serious of Spanish revolutions the customary policy of laissez-faire among her neighbors is one difficult, if not impossible, to maintain. For here in Spain is now the ultimate expression of a struggle that is now going on among the peoples of nearly every nation in Europe.

See Death Struggle

This is not a civil war to determine whether republic or monarchy shall be the form of government. Actually it does not involve the question of how the nation shall be governed so much as who shall govern it.

There is a death battle between what have come to be called in Europe, and are more and more frequently mentioned here in the United States, the Right and the



Gen. Emilio Mola, Rebel Leader.

Left. On the Right is Fascism; on the left is Socialism. On the one side are the monopolies, the bureaucrats and the big land owners; on the other are the peasant farmers, the small business men, union labor and the proletariat.

It may be truthfully said that practically all Europe today is divided into Rightist and Leftist factions. The sharp line of demarcation becomes more apparent with each new heated political debate, with each new spirited election. For that reason every European eye is directly focused upon Spain. Deeply concerned are France, whose new Leftist government has not yet proved the panacea it was heralded to be; Germany, which will find new cause to arm against "the Reds" if the Left wins and a new victory over communism if the Right wins; Italy would welcome a strong Fascist neighbor, and exclusive of her subtler political interests, Great Britain must protect Gibraltar.

While former revolutions in Spain have resulted in only qualified victories or defeats, it is generally conceded that this one will be decisive. It may string along for many months, even years, but it will be a fight to a finish.

Europe Watches Struggle

Yet what is important about this civil war is not which government, Right or Left, emerges victorious, the choice of the majority of people. It is the fact that there is a serious fight. This is a bloody and cruel war. Homes, theaters, hospitals have become ammunition centers and barracks. Snipers spit death out of store windows, cannon wheels scar the surfaces of plains, the drone of bombers disturbs the calm of fabled Spanish skies.

Right and Left have taken arms against each other. All Europe watches. For years the continent has been a tinder box, awaiting a match to set it off. Crisis after crisis has been passed and another great war has been averted or postponed, sometimes ever so narrowly. May not this develop into the next of these great crises? What will France do if Italy sends aid to the Fascists? What will Germany do if Red Russia interferes on the other side?

The Spanish-American war may be arbitrarily taken as the real beginning of the political disintegra-

tion of Spain. It was less than a decade after that when she lost her last American colony. Four years later came the first of a series of uprisings among the people; it was quelled. That was in 1909; in 1917 there was another unsuccessful revolt.

When the crisis after the World war came, the Spanish monarchy found itself unable to look after the welfare of its 23,000,000 subjects, who were finding it next to impossible to make a living. An attempt was made to right conditions in 1921 when Primo de Rivera was set up by the Rightist factions as dictator. It didn't work.

New Regime Falls

Ten years later the republic was voted in and King Alfonso XIII was on his sudden way out. Spanish citizens were free men. All the ills of the old times were to be forgotten. Their troubles were over.

But, alas, it didn't work out that way. Actually, the new government had been heralded a few months before its inception by a serious general strike and an uprising among the military forces. There was the world-wide depression to be reckoned with, and the fact that in Spain the currency was deflated, industry frozen and foreign markets for Spanish farmers hopelessly lost. Primo de Rivera had been driven into exile by rising governmental debts and deficits. Political liberty was supposed to rectify all of these things. Of course it didn't.

When the republic was born 75 per cent of the population was dependent, directly or indirectly, upon agriculture, yet so evilly was it distributed that only one-tenth of the farm population could make a fair living from it. Immense estates, relics of feudal days, held the really fertile land; the poor peasant was doomed to watch thousands upon thousands of acres of rich land carelessly, wastefully cultivated, or even thrown open to pasture, while he, burdened with heavy debts, had to work a tiny patch of poor land. The great hordes of landless farm-hands, working only half the year, and then at meager wages, were steadily growing.

Small private industries wallowed hopelessly in debt, while great monopolies were so entwined into the government that when there were losses, the taxpayers made them good, but when there were profits the stockholders got them all.

When the republic came into being there were countless and needless bureaus eating the substance of the treasury. A costly and over-large army, with many needlessly high-salaried officers noted for blundering and extravagant "colonial" adventures, was being kept. Unemployment, starvation wages and continued repression from the Right had concentrated the mass of poor industrial workers into a few large cities and had greatly increased their numbers.

Expected Drastic Changes

The people, rightly enough, expected drastic changes from the Men of the Republic. The economic theory of the Rightists, nominally

result of hopeless conflict of policy. The Right, bewildered by conflicting policy, between socialism, one minute and Fascism the next, froze credits, paralyzed industry and agriculture, and hired armed bands of men to annoy the Leftists and thus provoke the government. In the summer of 1932 it all came to a boil and the Right provoked a military revolt, but intervention of civilian troops on the part of the government quelled it.

Economic conditions failed to improve. There were strikes, riots and demonstrations. The Left was still in a bad way. The peasants led an uprising in 1933. So severely was it put down, the government began to lose the loyalty of the peasants and kindred classes. When later that year the Socialists were driven



Women Marksmen Take Part.

from the cabinet and the Right assumed what amounted to almost all the power, there were political scandals and months of continued unrest followed. In 1934 the Left revolted upon the calling of Gil Robles into the cabinet. This was nearly a successful revolution and was only quelled by the employment of the Spanish Foreign Legion and paid Moorish troops. Never before in Spanish history had such measures been necessary to protect the government. It was sufficient to instill more confidence and courage into the Left, and to incite the proletariat further against the government of the Right.

Accordingly the Left forced elections and swept the existing government from power. That was early this year. The same old struggle has been going on ever since—the power has not yet definitely come to one side or the other to permit a continuity of action.

But the new revolution, openly and unmistakably a civil war to the bitter end, will leave Spain at last completely Right or completely Left—completely Fascist or completely Socialist.

Americans Leave Spain

The efficiency of the State department and the foreign service has been strikingly demonstrated in the emergency precipitated by the revolution in Spain, which required the government to conduct the first evacuation of Americans from a European country since the World war.

When the revolution broke, Ambassador Bowers was at his summer house at Fuenterrabia, on the coast, five miles from San Sebastian, the Summer capital, where were stationed Messrs. Johnson and Schoellkopf. Cut off from communication by telephone with his Summer embassy and prevented by barricades and fighting from going to San Sebastian, Mr. Bowers was taken off by the cutter Cayuga and subsequently established his em-



Scene in Toledo Showing Snipers Fighting Rebels.

second in power in the republic and today represented by the rebelling Fascist generals, was that of repression, wage-reduction breaking-up of labor unions, and concentration camps for forced labor—all the principles of Fascism. The republic was to substitute higher wages, few and fairer distribution of land, government control of industry, resettlement and rehabilitation projects and a security program.

But the early republican government found itself torn between two loyalties. It attempted to steer a middle course, providing legislation only upon pressure from Right or Left and, naturally, leaving only a

bassy on the vessel to cruise in Spanish waters so as to be of aid to Americans.

At the outset the situation in the Spanish capital was serious, with firing in the streets. The United States embassy stocked all the food it could get and stored water in large reservoirs for a siege. Then American nationals were directed to go to the embassy. A total of 180 went there, including Filipinos and Puerto Ricans. The embassy also received official requests to harbor nationals of Belgium, Sweden, Finland, Turkey, Chile, Panama, Cuba and Austria, and did so.

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Polka Dot Tunic Frock



Pattern 1927-B

Even the slenderest of clothes allowances will permit including this clever tunic frock in your wardrobe. It's the very dress you've been wanting... so perfect for town, country, commuting and vacationing.

The tunic has a blue polka dot on white ground and flares partly from a tiny waist held by a patent belt. The lines conform to the current wide shoulder vogue while puffed sleeves push up at the shoulders a la Margot. You may wear the neckline open having revers in the same or contrasting color, or buttoned high and ornamented with a clip pin or bouquet. Your friends will succumb to the charm of your black and white shantung model.

polka dotted satin, pastel sheer splashed with crisp white, or any favorite shade or material that expresses your personality, making this ensemble yours alone.

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Foreign Words and Phrases

Abusus non tollit usum. (L.) Abuse is no argument against the proper use of anything.

Auri sacra fames. (L.) Accursed greed for gold.

Bon chien chasse de race. (F.) A good dog hunts from instincts; blood will tell.

Coute que coute. (F.) At any cost.

Esprit des lois. (F.) The spirit of the law.

Favete linguis. (L.) Avoid uttering ill-omened words; maintain silence.

In nubibus. (L.) In the clouds; not clear.

Lite pendente. (L.) During the trial.

Modus operandi. (L.) A mode of operating.

Pot-pourri. (F.) A hotch-potch; a medley.

Tempus edax rerum. (L.) Time, the devourer of all things.

Doux yeux. (F.) Soft glances.

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Read the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this paper. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it.—Adv.

Fool's Talk

Many talk like philosophers and live like fools.—John Ray.

Things to Prize

THESE are the things I prize And hold of dearest worth: Light of the sapphire skies, Peace of the silent hills, Shelter of forests, Comfort of the grass, Music of birds, Murmur of little rills, Shadow of clouds That swiftly pass, And, after showers, The smell of flowers And of the brown earth— And best of all, Along the way, Friendship and mirth. Henry Van Dyke.

A Fair Hit

Rule 37 of the Official Rules of Baseball reads:—"A fair hit is a legally batted ball that settles on fair ground between home and first base, or between home and third base, or that is on or over fair ground when bounding to the outfield past first base or third base, or that first falls on fair territory on or beyond first base or third base, or that while on or over fair ground touches the person of the umpire or a player. A fair fly must be judged according to the relative position of the ball and the foul line and not as to whether the fielder is on fair or foul ground at the time he touches the ball."

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