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Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, Friday, January, 15, 1937.

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Work Starts Immediately On New Building On Eost Side Square For Tahoka Lodge

start almost immediately.

The structure is to be a frame near there. building with a stucco finish, 24 by 64 feet in size. It is estimated that it will cost about \$2,500, and the Camp has the money in the bank had resided in this county for eight with which to pay for the building. Belton Howell is chairman of the building committee.

The Woodman Camp was reorsult largely of the efforts of C. F. Newberry. It had become defunct several years ago, but at the time it seased to function it had quite a neat sum of money in the bank. With this money, it is believed that the above-described hall can be built, all the necessary paraphernalia purchased, and a neat little sum left in the bank for charitable and other purposes.

Since its reorganization here in November the camp has grown rapidly. More than twenty members, we understand, were initiated Monday night, and almost that many more are to be initiated at the next meeting, it is stated. About thirty new members altogether have been initiated since the camp was reorganized. There were quite a number of old members here whose

In addition to the initiation new members last Monday night, Commander, H. B. Howell; Lieuten-Banker, H. P. Caveness; Escort Eldon Gattis; Watchman, J. B. Lee; Richter Is Victim Sentinel, I. I. Gattis; Managers, John Donaldson, A. R. McGonagill, and Joe Davis.

C. F. Newberry is the acting clerk or financial secretary, serving in lieu of D. T. Rogers, the regular clerk, who is incapacitated by ill- o'clock Wednesday afternoon,

Members are very sanguine as to the future of the order here.

Farmers Attending Oklahoma Meeting Funeral Home.

Fred Matthews of Grassland, Jeff Johnson of Lamesa left Wednesday ed in various shops here during that morning to attend a meeting of the time, his last employment being in part of the state they are from. Mar-Southern Tenant Farmers Union the Snowden shop before it moved cus figured they would have a regubeing held this week in Muskogee. from Main Street. He became ill of lar free-for-all when the Star-Oklahoma.

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They were accompanied by Mrs. Matthews of the Grassland com- with unusual celerity. munity, who went to visit a sister at another point in the Sooner State.

Flowers To News

quested by W. E. Suddarth, then staff, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Flemeditor of the Texas Carrier, official organ of the Texas Rural Letter Richters and the J. L. Nevill family Carrier Association, to submit a bid at the time of Mr. Richter's death. for the publication of the paper. We were awarded the contract and have been printing the paper since.

Last week the News received the following communication from Geo. H. Harries of San Antonio, secretary of the organization, which Higginbotham Yard speaks for itself. Of course we appreciate the flowers.

"Gentlemen: Please find enclosed herewith signed contract and agreement for the publishing of the Texas Rural Letter Carrier for the next

"Wish to take this opportunity to compliment you on the fine workmanship you have been doing for us. Want you to know it is a pleasure to be associated with you, and trust the same congenial relationship will exist during the com-

ing term.
"Trusting the year 1937 will be kind to you and that you and yours will be happy, I am

Yours very truly, Geo. H. Harries, Sec.-Treas."

Come on fellows! Renew your subscription to The News now, Only

WOODMEN WILL Mrs R. L. Gray, 57, ICY WEATHER ERECT HOME Buried At Krum VISITS PLAINS

Mrs. R. L. Gray, 57, of New Lynn, died Saturday, January 2, Funeral services were held the following day The newly reorganized Woodmen at the New Lynn Baptist Church, of the World Camp here is prepar- Rev. Robinson of Lamesa, the pasing to build a Woodman hall on tor, conducting, and the body was their lot situated on the east side taken to Krum, where services were of the square. Work is expected to held Monday afternoon, followed by burial in the Bolivar cemetery of 11 degrees the next morning, and

> Mrs. Gray suffered a stroke of paralysis on January 1, death coming the following day. The family years. The old home was at Krum.

The deceased is survived by the husband and three daughters, Mrs. Eunice Smith, Krum; Miss Ruby Gray and Mrs. V. P. Carter, New

The grieved relatives have the deep and sincere sympathy of many friends at New Lynn and over the

Tahoka-Slaton

High Bulldogs will attempt to tame seemingly great distance above us. the Slaton Tigers to night in the We have never seen the aurora bolocal gymnasium in a basketball realis, but we doubt if it is much game which should be well worth more beautiful than was this mar- dealer in Tahoka. the money.

rate of 10s to all who come is being fore but nothing that would comoffered in an effort to attract more pare with this one in distinctness day," Mr. Frazier stated. He allows spectators tonight than have been and beauty. coming out in the past.

list includes the following: Council been improving right along, and shrubs, but next morning they were he bought out, was here only a year.

Of Tuberculosis News Sent Boys In

W. R. Richter, 37, residing in southeast Tahoka, died at 1:45 victim of tuberculosis

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Geo. A. Dale at the Baptist Church here Thursday afternoon. Burial was in the Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of the Harris

trade. He had been a resident of Fleming of Tahoka, and "Swede" Tahoka about seven years. He worktuberculosis early last fall, and the Telegram arrives. terrible disease did its deadly work

Mr. Richter was born at Caldwell in this state but he had been a resident of West Texas most of the time since 1920. He leaves surviving him a wife and four children, the children being Maude Etta, 15, From San Antonio Bonita, 10, Frank Jr., 7, and Verne, 5. His wife is a sister of R. T. Fleming, formerly a resident of this county but now of Flaging were here on a visit with the

here who deeply deplore his untimely death, and the members of the family have their sincere sympathy.

Completes Paint-Up

The Higginbotham-Bartlett Company, dealer in lumber and all kinds of building material, . has recently finished repainting the entire buildings, fences, and sheds of the Com- that of the Garza County Warepany here, greatly improving the appearance of the yard and setting a good example for their customers. Alvin Hicks says that he figures that the expenditure of a few hundred dollars in this way will result in an eventual saving of several thousand dollars for the Company.

companied by their daughter, Mrs. removed to Post. Raymond Hatch of Lamesa, spent Mr. Burleson has been doing an hibited. last week in Dallas and Shreveport extensive business here in his line, In gardening work, the girls canvisiting relatives and booking up and he will doubtless make a dis- ned 2,922 containers of vegetables upswing and that a general increase are D. A. Stevens of this city, Frank some pictures for the English and tinct success also of the newly ac- and fruits and prepared vegetables in the potential market for new Stevens of Post, and C. C. Stevens

Beautiful Phenomena Of Nature Is Seen Here During Cold Spell Past Several Days

The wintry weather we mentione last week grew fiercer. By Friday morning the mercury had dropped down to only 4 degrees above zero. The thermometer registered a low until Monday afternoon of

During this entire period of time beginning with Thursday and continuing for five days in succession, everything was completely encased in ice; and trees, shrubs, and even weeds were marvelously beautiful in Northland and flung over them

By the way, one of the most pedisplays of Nature we have ever beheld was painted in the heavens Sunday night, we believe it was, when shafts of light, straight and distinct as arrows, extended up-Game Is Tonight ward through the mists from every electric light in town, gradually Frazier Celebrates fading out just before converging Coach Prentice Walker's Tahoka almost directly overhead at a velous display of Nature. Of course

team, but the Tahoka boys have and fell from all the trees and Douglas Carver, the man whom ing this week that reminded us of tor.

Phillippine Islands

Marcus Edwards mailed several Telegram Tuesday to his son, Homan Edwards, one of Uncle Sam's soldier boys now stationed in the Philippine Islands.

Mr. Edwards has sent Homan several copies of the News heretothe army just fairly fight for it. and it makes little difference what

Mr. Edwards says that it takes the Homan after being mailed here.

Homan has been in the Phillippines only a few months. He and the rest of the bunch will probably be sent to China, they think, before being brought back on this side of the hemisphere. Homan doesn't k:lr.,.rbtehejoi6,oh think the Philippines are so "hot"

-too much rain and water there for a kid raised up in a sandstorm.

Burleson Buys Post Feed Store

and Thursday of this week.

Jim Burleson, who has done a thriving business here as a grain, house and Marketing Association.

Arthur Hodge, who has been em-ployed by Mr. Burleson almost ever since the latter entered business here, has removed to Post to assume the position of manager of the Post business. He will be assisted by C. L. Driver, recently em-

Interscholastic League Plans Made For Contests In March

Tahoka Ginning Total 9,451 Bales

A few bales of cotton keep stragwe continued to have sub-freezing but obviously the ginning season is 1937, as usual. temperatures without interruption just about over. It was practically this finished in fact before Christmas, usually be found at the respective gin plants here however, ready for any bale that may straggle in.

The Tahoka gins have had a good run the past season. They had ginned a total of 9,451 bales from the News. This is the largest number believe. Only a few times has the any cost to the applicant. record of ginnings here passed the 10.000 mark.

Tenth Anniversary

L. F. Frazier Tuesday celebrated his tenth anniversary as a produce

"On January 11, 1927, I bought The best part is that a bargain we have seen similar displays be- out Douglas Carver and took posthat he has bought many a gallon Well, the skies cleared for a little of cream, many a hen, and a count-Slaton is said to have an excellent while Monday and the ice thawed less number of eggs since that date.

they promise fans a good game. White again. The weather has mod- He studied for the ministry and is

Sheppard Accepts Abilene Position

Rev. B. N. Shepherd, former pastor of the Tahoka Baptist Church copies of The Lynn County News but more recently pastor of the and a copy of the Fort Worth Star- Baptist Church at Hereford, has recently accepted a call as missonary of District 17 in this state, embracing a number of counties with Abilene as a center.

Rev. Shepherd came to Tahoka as pastor in 1924 and remained here fore and Homan writes that when a in that capacity about five years. copy arrives those Texas boys in During his incumbency here, the church took on new life and made great growth. It was during his pastorate that the presen large and subsantial church bestment in which

He served several ytars as pastor paper just one month to reach the Lubbock district, and then went at Calrendon, later as missionary of back into pastoral work.

He will make his home, we under-

G. M. Reid and daughter Eva Jo. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Haney and litter from there to De Queen, Arkansas, ever be disposed to resist any en- pay their last tokens of respect to tle doughter Bitsy visited relatives where they visited Mr. Reid's and croachment upon the prerogative of Mr. Richter had many friends in Roscoe and Abilene Wednesday Mrs. McClure's parents, and other the State to conduct its schools and

Women Put Up Many Vegetables

As a result of the home food supfeed, and coal dealer for the past ply work in Lynn county in 1936. eight or ten years, recently pur- 27,793 containers of vegetables, chased a similar business in Post, fruits, meats, preserves, and jellies were conserved and 32,590 pounds of vegetables and meats were dried, cured and stored.

In kitchen improvement, 171 womanner. A total of \$4,368.65 was

Of the 114 girls enrolled in Mr. and Mrs. D. B. English, ac- Gin, who with his family has also dividual account, 270 garments were month were 148,163.

Against Penalties COUNTY GROUP

Penalty will be added to all un- Directors Of League Again Choose gling in to our gins occasionally paid current year taxes February 1.

Penalty and interest will increase on all delinquent taxes unpaid by which is very rare for this country. February 1, 1937. Therefore, it will tors of the Lynn County Interscho-The manager and bookkeeper can be to the interest of anyone that lastic League, it was decided to happens to owe delinquent taxes to hold the meet here on Thursday clear same up at your earliest con- night, Friday and Saturday, March

Be sure to get your poll tax re- intendent of the New Home school. ceipt before expiration date, also is the general director. exemption certificate will be issued weather gods had brought from the 1936 crop up to Wednesday of this to those who have become 21 years week, according to reports given the of age since January 1, 1936, and school students will be held on will be 21 years of age any time be- March 19. The four quarters of the culiar and enchantingly beautiful that have been ginned here in a fore any election this year. These single season for several years, we certificates will be issued without

A. M. CADE, Tax Assessor

Teachers Select Date Of Banquet

The Lynn County Teachers Banquet will be held at the American money with which to purchase them Legion Hall here on Friday night, January 29, the date having been changed from January 15, when it ners of first and second places in was planned originally to have the all events other than those receivbanquet, according to announcement ing pennants. made by County Superintendent H.

ladies of the Home Demonstration erary contests will be most inter-County Council under the direction esting, and many hunderds of peoof Miss Lilith Boyd, home demon-

It is expected that more than hundred teachers will be in at-

Amarillo Lawyer Commends Editorial

The News editor has received the following communication from Hon. J. O. Guleke, a prominent attorney of Amarillo, Mr. Gulekt served number of years as a member of the board of regents of the Teachers Hospital in Lubbock, whtre the in-Colleges of Texas and has also served as a member of the state board of education. His communication, dated January 10, and addressed to Mrs Stevens, 86, Of

"Your timely and vigorous editorial entitled 'Religion and the Public Schools' has been read with

"Perhaps it is not amiss for to write you in approval of your Mrs. W. A. Tredway, in O'Donnell vigorous expression in behalf of last riday. the fudamental principles upon which we have founded and maintained this government of free peohis sister, Mrs. T. A. McClure, and ple. Unless others are sufficient in her little son Jerry Lynn, and Miss number to join you in your position Luda Strasner, returned a few days it is certainly a trend of the times ago from an extended holiday trip toward decadence in the devotion to First they visited Robert Reid and Constitutional Liberty that characfamily down at Mercedes in the terized our fore-father who gave Lower Rio Grande Valley. They went to us the priceless heritage. I shall and friends were in attendance to to maintain them free from sectarianism and bigotry.

"With every good wish for your steady resistance against such ef- bama, her maiden name being Louforts toward indoctrination and titia M. Miller. She was born in subversion, I am, Very truly yours, J. O. GULEKE".

CHEVROLET NEW CAR SALES EXCELLENT IN DECEMBER

101,286 units in December, it was 61 years at the time of his death at announced today by W. E. Holler, general sales manager. This figure represents an increase over the same month in 1935, of more than 21,men improved their kitchens in some | 000 units, as the record for a year ago was 80,189 new car sales.

Sales of new trucks included in the total unit sales figure were ployed at the Tahoka Cooperative clothing demonstration, 61 kept in- 17,516. Used car sales during the

made and 76 wash dresses were ex- Mr. Holler cited these figures as added proof of the fact that American buying power is on a decided five great grandchildren. The sons

Warns Taxpayers CARTER HEADS

Tahoka For Annual Contests

At a recent meeting of the direc-25, 26, and 27. J. T. Carter, super-

The quadrant play-off county are bounded by the two highways that intersect it, highway No. 9 passing through the county north and south and highway No.

84 east and west. It was also decided that championship trophies should be given for each division of school in both literary and athletic contests. Winning teams in volley ball, playground ball, one-act play, choral singing, and debate are to be given pennants instead of individual awards, if the can be raised.

Medal awards will be given win-

As usual this meet will be a great event for the school people of Lynn The banquet will be served by the county. Both the athletic and litdays. Tahoka should make due preparation to make the visitors have a good time.

Florence Breaks Arm While Grinding Feed

W. Z. Florence of Draw, former county commissioner of this county. sustained a compound fracture of the ltft arm on Wednesday of last week when it was caught in the belt of a feed grinder.

He was taken to the West Texas

O'Donnell, Buried

Mrs. Lou M. Stevens of O'Donnell widow of the late Dave C. Stevens, me died at the home of her daughter,

> Puneral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the Church of Christ in O'Donnell by Elder R. P. Drennon of this city, and the

Despite the most unfavorable weather, a large number of relatives one whom they had learned to love mound was covered with beautiful

Mrs. Stevens was a native of Ala-1851 and was almost 86 years of age at the time of her death. In childhood she migrated with her parents to Texas and was married to Dave C. Miller at Moffat, Bell county, in 1872. She and her husband had lived together more than O'Donnell in 1933.

Bell to Runnells ounty in 1990, and removed from Runnells to Borden county in 1901. They came from Borden county to O'Donnell in 1922, where they continued to reside until death ended their earthly ca-

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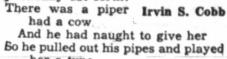
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Glory Vs. Undernourishment. CANTA MONICA, CALIF .-Decause their dictators are piling up armaments and building up armies at a rate unprecedented, the German people must, it appears, go on rations, cutting down their daily consumption of breadstuffs and fats, with the prospect of still

more stringent restrictions. But their overlords—a reasonably well-nourished lot, to judge by their

photographs -keep right on preaching that such compulsory undernourishment is all for the greater glory of the vaterland.

I know of but one historic parallel to match this. It is to be found in Mother Goose, where it is poetically set forth:



her a tune And bade the cow consider.

Signs of Disapproval. O NCE, in Montana, I heard two cowboys talking about the father of the sweetheart of one of them. "I've got a kind of a sneaking idea that Millie's paw don't care deeply for me," said the lover. 'What makes you think so-some-

thing he said?" "No, because he don't never say nothing to me, just sniffs. But the other night I snuck over there to see Millie, and, as I was coming away, I happened to look back and the old man was shoveling my

tracks out of the front yard.' The archbishop of Canterbury is likely to wake up any morning and find the British public shoveling his tracks out of the front yards.

International "Messifications." JUST about the time the contesting groups in Spain lose the twenty or thirty confusing names the correspondents have hung on them and resolve themselves into army that's going to take Madrid not later than 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and the army that's going to keep Madrid until the cows come home, a fresh complication breaks out in China. General Chang gets into a mixup with General Chiang, possibly on the ground that he's a typographical error, and the red forces of the north get all twisted up with the white army of the north and the pink army of the

run out of colors. Just one clear point stands out of the messification. When the dust clears away some small brown brothers wearing the Japanese uniform will be found sitting on top of the heap. China's poison is Nippon's meat, every pop.

north by northeast and so on and

so forth, until the special writers

Rationalizing the Calendar. THE plan to adopt a rational calendar is finding favor in administration circles at Washington, as in European countries.

Every time this proposition which is so sensible and seemingly unattainable-bobs up, I think of the little story of the venerable Alabama pessimist who dropped into the general store just in time to hear the proprietor reading aloud from the newspaper that the project for thirteen months of twentyeight days each had been laid for consideration before the League of Nations.

"I'm ag'in' it," declared the aged one. "It'd be jest my luck for that extry month to come in the winter time and ketch me short of fodder."

Stunts in the Films. FOR ordinary film stunts, current

prices are? Tree fall, \$25; stair fall, \$50 (each additional flight, \$35); head-on auto crash, \$200; parachute jump, \$150; mid-air plane change, \$200; high dive, \$75; being knocked down by auto, \$75 being knocked down by locomotive, \$100; trick horse riding, \$125; crashing a plane, \$1,500.

It doesn't cost a cent, though, for practically every slightly shopworn leading man, on or off the screen, to crave to play "Hamlet" on the stage. But it is almost invariably expensive for the producers who occasionally satisfy these morbid cravings.

IRVIN S. COBB.

Shampooed Policeman (to woman driver)-Hey, you, what's the matter with

you, anyway? Lady (in traffic jam) - Well, officer, you see I just had my car washed and I can't do a thing with

Well-Expressed "What a long letter you have there."

"Yes, sixteen pages from Aileen." "What does she say?" "That she will tell me the news when she sees me." - Pearson's

Swins Gbb News Review of Current Events the World Over

President Roosevelt's Message Rebukes Supreme Court and Asks Increased Federal Powers-Wisconsin University Regents Oust President Frank.

no politics in their attitude in the

sense of political party affiliations

or convictions, but that they have

been extremely patient with Dr.

Frank over a period of years, and

that he has shown himself incom-

The "trial" of President Frank

occupied two days and aroused in-

tense interest throughout the coun-

try, especially among educators.

Chairman of the Board H. M. Wilkie

and Regent Clough Gates were the

prosecutors. Dr. Frank made vigor-

ous reply to the charges against

him, declaring most of them to be

"false statements." He explained

that he had spent university money

for his household furnishings be-

cause there were none in the big

mansion provided for the president,

and he forced Gates to retract some

As far as neglect of his duties for

outside writing and lectures Dr.

Frank noted that most of them

were in Wisconsin, for which he

never took any pay at all. He has

been out of the state 137 times in

ten years, he said, and eighty-eight

of those trips were specifically

with educational groups, alumni

bodies or other university business.

The remaining engagements, he

said, were with groups whose prob-

lems were related to the problems

GENERAL MOTORS CORPORA-

collective bargaining in its 69 plants

except through local management.

ions. Eighteen of the corporation's

plants already were closed by sit-

down strikes and walkouts, and 50,-

The auto workers in their Flint

meeting, besides creating the board

of strategy with power to call a

strike, approved of eight demands

on the corporation ranging from rec-

ognition of their union to higher

wages and shorter hours. They also

appointed a committee to negotiate

Alfred P. Sloan, president of Gen-

eral Motors, is on record as in-

sisting that no one union shall be

the bargaining agency for the cor-

poration's employees. As he left

New York for Detroit he said: "Let

them pull workers out. That's the

only way I know to find out how

Homer Martin has declared that

William S. Knudsen, executive

vice president of General Motors.

declared the company never would

agree to collective bargaining on a

national basis and, despite strikes,

would continue to produce automo-

Still there was hope of a peaceful

settlement for the G. M. officials seemed likely, at this writing, to

agree to a conference with the

board of strategy. James F. Dew-

ey, conciliator for the Department

of Labor, and Governor Murphy of

Michigan were active in the effort

to further negotiations. One stum-

bling block was the insistence of

General Motors that the sit-down

strikers must get out of the Fisher

Body plants in Flint before any

Judge E. D. Black of Flint, who

issued an injunction against the

Flint strikers, was bitterly attacked

by the union men. Martin petitioned

the Michigan legislature to impeach

the jurist because he admittedly

owned General Motors stock and

so allegedly had violated Michigan

law by taking jurisdiction in the

The prime object of the C. I. O. is

organization of the steel industry,

and the crisis in the automotive in-

dustry was not expected by Lewis

and his associates or wanted at this

time. However, they are giving the

auto workers their full support, mor-

T WAS announced at the White

House that President Roosevelt's

eldest son, James, will become a full fledged White House secretary

and draw a salary of \$10,000 a year

after June 1. Until the beginning

of the new fiscal year, James will

act as secretary but will be on the

public pay roll as administrative officer drawing \$7,500.

At the elevation of James to the

secretaryship, Assistant White House Secretaries Stephen T. Early and Marvin M. McIntyre will also

become full secretaries.

ally and financially.

conference could be held.

matter.

"the question of recognition of the

000 of its employees were idle.

Whereupon 300 dele-

gates from those

plants in ten cities

met in Flint, Mich.,

and granted to a

"board of strategy"

power to order a

general strike. The

board is headed by

Homer Martin, in-

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of the United Auto-

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A. P. Sloan

arising in the various schools.

petent in many ways.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

THINLY veiled but unmistak- ing politics in this affair, the La able was President Roosevelt's | Follete group replied that there is rebuke to the Supreme court in his annual message on the state of the Union. Standing tri-

umphant before the lopsidedly Democratic senate and house in joint session, the chief executive said: United

States of America, within itself, must continue the task of making democracy succeed

President "In that task the legislative branch of our government will, I am confident, continue to meet the demands of democracy whether they relate to the curbing of abuses, the extension of help to those who need help, or the better balancing of our interdependent economies.

"So, too, the executive branch of the government must move forward in this task and, at the same time, provide better management for administrative action of all kinds.

'The judicial branch also is asked by the people to do its part in making democracy successful. We do not ask the courts to call non-existent powers into being, but we have a right to expect that conceded powers or those legitimately implied shall be made effective instruments for the common good.

"The process of our democracy must not be imperiled by the denial of essential powers of free govern-

Sketching the program for his second term, the President said legislation he desired at this time included extension of the RFC, of his power to devalue the dollar and of other New Deal authorizations about to expire, deficiency appropriations, and extension of the neutrality law to apply to the Spanish civil war. Conceding that NRA had "tried to do too much", he con-'The statute of NRA has tinued: been outlawed. The problems have not. They are still with us."

The President proposed federal and state supplementary laws to help solve the social and economic problems of a modern industrial democracy and challenged speculation, reckless over-production and monopolistic under-production as creating wasteful, net losses to society. It was indicated that later on he would seek enlargement of federal powers over industry, agriculture and commerce.

No members of the Supreme court were present to hear the rebuke by the President, but the house chamber was filled to its capacity and there was a spirit of jubilation that broke out in frequent demonstrations. The loudest of these was accorded to Jim Farley, the genial national chairman being fairly smothered with congratulations for the November Democratic victory.

THE senate and house met the day before the President addressed them and organized, with

Mr. Garner of course as president of the former and Speaker Bankhead again ruling over the lower chamber. The one matter of interest in this proceeding was the selection of Sam Rayburn of Texas as majority leader of the house. He had beaten John J. O'-Connor of New York in the caucus, hav-



Rayburn

ing the potent backing of Vice President Garner and presumably of Mr. Roosevelt. Of the total of 16 new senators only two were absent, Clyde L. Herring of Iowa and William H. Smathers of New Jersey, both Democrats. Two new Republican senators were sworn in, H. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire and Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts.

Immediately after the President's address had been delivered on Wednesday, both house and senate hurried with the neutrality resolution applying specifically to the civil war in Spain. The senate adopted it quickly by unanimous vote, but there were parliamentary delays in the house, and meanwhile the freighter Mar Cantabrico managed to get away from New York with Robert Cuse's cargo of airplanes and munitions for the Spanish loyalists, valued at \$2,000,000.

GLENN FRANK, president of the University of Wisconsin, was re-moved from office by the board of regents of that great institution, by a vote of 8 to 7, on charges that his administration has not been capable and that he has been extravagant in personal expenditures for which the state paid. Allegedly, Dr. Frank was ousted because Gov. Philip La Follete demanded it. As one regent said; "He has not been very Progressive." Accused of playEuropean Mess Roosevelt Sounds

Keep Us Out of

Keynote; Congress **Again Confronted** by Big Problem

By EARL GODWIN TASHINGTON. - Twenty years after Woodrow Wilson's appeal to congress started this country to war "to save democracy", the United States is again faced with the same puzzle as to how to save the democracy of the world now that the dictators whom Wilson feared and predicted have arisen from the ashes of 1917. This session of congress must adopt a policy which will either put us in or keep us out of the next world war. The matter is just that close and important.

There is a trail which leads from the present European mess right straight back to the days when Germany asked for an armistice. Whatever happened then-in the Versailles treaty-in the various subsequent revolutions-in the new socialist and fascist forms of government - now threatens democracy with a closer danger, with a stronger feeling, and with greater armies equipped with much more destruction than ever before known.

Woodrow Wilson in 1915 spoke vaguely of militaristic dictators who might arise after the European war. Today there is nothing vague about it. We have dictatorship of the worst kind, utilizing the entire force and vigor of various nations for militaristic and material purposes trampling on the ideas of democracy and ruthlessly destroying the idea of "peace on earth, goodwill to men."

Everyone in this congress understands it. Many of the elder statesmen were here with Wilson; they all intend to work to keep us out of the European mess-but there are so many strong and varying views that there is going to be a lively scrap over the details. However, the senate's committee on foreign affairs is determined on peace-even

if they have to fight for it. President Roosevelt has sounded his keynote more than once. The latest outline of his ideas, ideals and policies was his pronouncement in Buenos Aires. Diplomats, who have never liked direct dealings, are finding fault with the President's trip to South America; but the trip, the speech and the general result is a part of the President's world-wide plan for a buildup of democratic peoples versus the military and socialist dictatorships now having their hey-day in

Europe.

NEUTRAL BY LAW The United States is now neutral by law, a law which came out of senatorial investigations into the socalled munitions trust. This legal neutrality gives the State Department power to prohibit the shipment of war munitions to warring countries.

However, a question of just what articles constitute "munitions of war" is about to give everyone a nightmare. It is easy to find nation-wide support to prohibition of the shipment of arms, ammunition, tanks, guns, bullets, shells, military ariplanes, etc. Nobody suffers but the so-called munitions trust, composed of long suffering gentlemen quite accustomed to abuse. But suppose that American neutrality depended also on the embargo on cotton, corn, wheat, copper, oil and other great basic products! In the past whenever there was an attempt to stop shipment of these necessities in wartime, with prices soaring and markets booming, the people most opposed to strict neutrality have been the entire population of those sections producing and living on these basic articles. It would be difficult to stop the export of cotton, for instance, if Europe demanded it as a munition of warwith the price shooting skywardand India and Egypt presumably quite ready to supply the demand

if we did not. Interminable rows tore the Wilson administration apart over just such questions. Washington was flooded with high-priced propagan-dists and war-minded diplomats. The ordinary man on the street was deprived of a fair and clear view of this country's position with respect to the European war, because there was almost no chance to keep the discussions clear of prejudice and selfish interest. In the midst of this turmoil the Wilson political campaign managers campaigned for his re-election on the slogan "He Kept Us Out of War"-and immediately subsequent to his re-election the country started toward war

without hindrance. Twenty years later finds President Wilson's assistant secretary of the navy, who had much to do with the naval end of the war, in the White House striving to beat off another rising tide of war and to take up the cudgels for democracy versus dictatorship. Roosevelt is surrounded by well meaning lawmakers and publicists who take various means for preventing exactly what happened in 1917 when this country was dragged into war by the trend of tragic events.

Consequently, with our strict neutrality by law coming to an end

May 1, 1937, lawmakers on Capitol Hill have determined each in his own way, to keep us out of another war by preventing one or all of the various pre-war events of 1914-1917. Some wish to prevent Americans from traveling in any war zone or on foreign ships in war some want to stop all commerce with any warring foreign nation, no matter what the article of commerce may be.

The great division among sena-

tors is on the question of giving the President some discretion in the matter of an embargo. The President and the State Department want some elasticity but there is a noisy section of the senate which wants what Senator Vandenberg of Michigan calls a "war quarantine." That is a strict law stopping all loans, credits and munitions to any belligerent. Sneator Vandenberg opposes leaving neutrality decisions to the President-this President or any other. He argues that to put such a responsibility on one man eventually inevitably leads to an un-neutral interpretation by any belligerent nation which happens to be offended by the decision. The nation which needs the munitions, loans or credits from this country and which does not get what it wants, always points to the United ed States as friendly to the other side. If country A is at war with country B, and country A needs American wheat. . . then country A is starved when the United States refuses to ship wheat to either country. Country B does not need wheat. . . so to it the United States' embargo makes no difference. The propagandists of country A then come over here and whip up a movement to be patriotic and ship wheat to that sterling friend of democracy, country A. The wheat growers would be the first to fall for that type of propaganda. Senator Vandenberg thinks that if we have an ironclad law passed now, there will be no chance later

on for propagandists to try to influence a President who might have some discretion in the matter. It sounds fine-but it is not practicable. International relations, especially in time of conflagration, should not be so rigid as all that. Our determination to keep out of war should be rigid, but we ourselves should have some elasticity and ability to move around in the area affected. A fire engine company wants a rigid fire plug from which water will flow with regularity, but the engine company, the firemen and the apparatus should be extremely mobile. That will be the administration's viewpoint.

INTERESTING IDEA A good Democrat with an interesting idea is Louis Ludlow, congressman from Indianapolis, Indiana, who has considerable support for his proposed constitutional amendment giving the people a chance to vote for or against going to war. That is, of course, an aggressive war. In the case of an invasion there should be no strings on the President or the government generally. Mr. Ludlow's proposal relates to the constitutional provision that congress alone can declare a state of war existing. He proposes that this be modified by a constitutional amendment providing that even after congress declares a war, such declaration would not be valid until confirmed by public referendum.

We have no federal machinery at present for a nation-wide plebiscite. Each state would have to arrange its own referendum; its own balloting. In states where there was a governor or a legislature not interested in the subject of war it could happen that the matter would go by default. Sufficient of such 'defaults" would result in no war.

G. O. P. IN SENATE Favorite sport around the senate is to figure out when the G. O. P. can count on a majority in that body which, for the Seventy-fifth congress, has 17 Republicans of a dozen varying viewpoints. Democrats appear to believe it will be 16 years, or 1953 before the Republcans can count on a majority, and then anything can have happened.

Here's the way they figure: at the next election, 1939, thirty-two senators come up for re-election, and of these twenty-seven are sure-fire Democrats, nearly all from southern Democratic states. Electing the five Republicans doesn't add a thing to the present seventeen. Then in 1941, the year of the presidential election, the thirty-two senators up for re-election include twentyfour sure-fire Democrats divided between half a dozen southern states and the Democratic area of the West. This time stalwart conservative Democrats like Byrd of Virginia will have severe tests. These are the conservative Democrats who may help break up existing party lines in the 1941 presidential election. A New Deal Democrat of great importance to the party that year is Guffey of Pennsylvania, who built the successful Democratic machine in the old Republican Keystone State. What is ahead of him? It is a puzzle; and the next four years is a fascinating and important era.

Go forward to 1943. Twenty-four Democrats and six Republicans again ask for re-election. The percentage is again in the southern and western area, now New Deal strongholds . . . If the Republicans win every seat they go after they could (mathematically) gain a majority in six years, but the closest actual political possibilities offer them is a majority in sixteen years —so the Democrats say.

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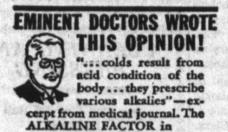
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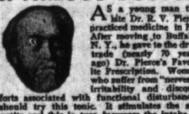
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SYNOPSIS

Philo Vance, famous detective, and John P. X. Markham, district attorney for New York county are dining in Vance's apartment when Vance receives an anonymous telephone message informing him of a "disturbing psychological tension at Professor Ephriam Garden's apartment" advising that he reader's apartment advising that he reader's apartment advising that he reader to a specific actions and the second country are second country and the second country and th Ephriam Garden's apartment" advising that he read up on radio-active sodium, consult a passage in the Aeneid and counseling that "Equanimity is essential." Professor Garden is famous in chemical research. The message, decoded by Vance, reminds him that Professor Garden's son Floyd and his puny cousin, Woode Swift, are addicted to horse-racing. Vance says that "Equanimity" is a horse running next day in the Rivermont handicap. Vance is convinced that the message was sent by Dr. Siefert, the Gardens' family physician. He arranges to have lunch next day at the Gardens' penthouse. Vance is greeted by Gardens' penthouse. Vance is greeted by Floyd Garden and meets Lowe Hammle, an elderly follower of horse racing. Floyd ex-presses concern over Swift's queer actions. Mrs. Garden, supposedly ill, comes down-stairs and places a \$100 bet on a horse.

CHAPTER II—Continued

"Right-o, Baby - face," grinned "Step into our parlor." She started forward, and hesitated momentarily as she caught sight of Vance and me.

"Oh, by the way, Zalia,"-Garden put the receiver down and rose-'let me present Mr. Vance and Mr. Van Dine . . . Miss Graem."

The girl staggered back dramatically and lifted her hands to her head in mock panic.

"Oh, Heaven protect me!" she

exclaimed. "Philo Vance, the detective! Is this a raid?" Vance bowed graciously.

"Have no fear, Miss Graem," he smiled. "I'm merely a fellow criminal. And, as you see, I'm dragging Mr. Van Dine along the downward path with me.'

At this moment Garden pressed forward the key on the switch box, and in a moment the voice we had heard earlier was again coming through the amplifier.

"Coming out at Rivermont, and here's the new line: 20, 6, 4, 8 to 5 scratch twice, 3, 20, 15, 10, 15 . . Who was it wanted the run-down at Texas--?"

Garden cut the amplifier. He turned to his cousin. "And you, Woody?"

Swift shook his head, "Not this race."

"Saving it all for Equanimity, eh? Right-o.' Despite the superficial buoyancy

of the gathering, I could detect an and expectancy; and I made mental note of various little occurrences during the first hour or so.

One incident connected with Swift puzzled me greatly. I had noticed that he and Zalia Graem had not spoken to each other during the entire time they had been in the drawing - room. Once they had brushed against each other near Garden's table, and each, as if instinctively, had drawn resentfully to one side. Garden had cocked his head at them irritably and said:

"Aren't you two on speaking terms yet-or is this feud to be permanent? . . . Why don't you kiss and make up and let the gaiety

of the party be unanimous?" Miss Graem had proceeded as if nothing had happened, and Swift had merely given his cousin a quick, indignant glance.

CHAPTER III

"The great moment approaches!" Garden announced, and though he spoke with sententious gaiety, I could detect signs of strain in his

Kroon rose, finished the drink which stood on the table before him, and dabbing his mouth with a neatly folded handkerchief which he took from his breast pocket, he moved toward the archway.

"My mind was made up yesterday." He spoke across the room, as if including every one. "Put me down in your fateful little book for \$100 on Hyjinx to win and \$200 on the same filly to place. And you can add \$200 on Head Start to show. Making it, all told, half a grand. That's my contribution to the afternoon's festivities."

"Not deserting us, are you Cecil?"

Garden called after him. "Frightfully sorry," Kroon answered, looking back. "I'd love to stay for the race, but a legal conference at a maiden aunt's is sched-uled for 4:50." He waved his hand and, with a "Cheerio," continued down the hall.

Madge Weatherby immediately picked up her cards and moved to Zalia Graem's table, where the two women began a low, whispered con-

Garden's inquiring glance moved from one to another of the party. At this moment a young woman of unusual attractiveness appeared in the archway and stood there hesitantly, looking shyly at Garden. She wore a nurse's uniform of immaculate white, with white shoes and stockings, and a starched white cap set at a grotesque angle on the back of her head. She could not have been over thirty; yet there was a maturity in her calm, brown eyes, and evidence of great capability in the reserve of her expression and in the firm contour of her chin. She wore no make-up, and her chestnut hair was parted in the middle and treating figure. Then, as if on sud-lyzing sound, like a pistol shot.

to the two other women in the room. "Hello, Miss Beeton," Garden greeted her pleasantly. "I thought you'd be having the afternoon off, since the mater's well enough to go shopping . . . What can I do for you? Care to join the madhouse and hear the races?"

"Oh, no. I've too many things to do." She moved her head slightly to indicate the rear of the house. "But if you don't mind, Mr. Garden," she added timidly, "I would like to bet two dollars on Azure Star to win, and to come in second,

and to come in third." Every one smiled covertly, and Garden chuckled.

Vance, who had been watching the girl with more interest than he usually showed in a woman, leaned forward.

"I say, Garden, just a moment." He spoke incisively. "I think Miss Beeton's choice is an excellent one -however she may have arrived at it." Then he nodded to the nurse. 'Miss Beeton, I'll be very happy to see that your bet on Azure Star is placed." He turned again to Gar-"Will your book-maker take den. \$200 across the board on Azure Star?"

"Will he? He'll grab it with both hands," Garden replied. "But why-?"

'Then it's settled," said Vance quickly. "That's my bet. And two



Whispered Conversation.

dollars of it in each position belongs to Miss Beeton. "That's perfect with me, Vance." And Garden jotted down the wager in his ledger.

I noticed that during the brief moments that Vance was speaking to the nurse and placing his wager on Azure Star, Swift was glowering at him through half-closed eyes. It was not until later that I under-

stood the significance of that look. The nurse cast a quick glance at Swift, and then spoke with simple directness.

"You are very kind, Mr. Vance." Then she added: "I will not pretend I don't know who you are, even if Mr. Garden had not called you by name." She stood looking straight at Vance with calm appraisal; then she turned and went back down

the hall. Swift stood up and walked to the cabinet with its array of bottles. He filled a whiskey glass with Bourbon and drank it down. Then he walked slowly to the table where his cousin sat. Garden had just finished the

call to Hannix. "I'll give you my bet now, Floyd," Swift said hoarsely. He pressed one finger on the table, as if for emphasis. "I want \$10,000 on Equanimity to win."

Garden's eyes moved anxiously to the other. "I was afraid of that, Woody,'

he said in a troubled tone. "But if I were you-' "I'm not asking you for advice." Swift interrupted in a cold steady voice; "I'm asking you to place a

Garden did not take his eyes from the man's face. He said merely: "I think you're a damned fool."

"Your opinion of me doesn't in-terest me either." Swift's eyelids drooped menacingly, and a hard look came into his set face.

Garden capitulated. "It's your funeral," he said, and turning his back on his cousin, he took up the gray hand set again and spun the dial with determina-

Swift walked back to the bar and poured himself another generous drink of Bourbon.

"Hello, Hannix," Garden said into the transmitter. "I'm back again, with an additional bet. Hold on to your chair or you'll lose your bal-ance. I want ten grand on Equanimity to win . . . Yes, that's what I said: ten G-strings-ten thousand iron men. Can you handle it? Odds probably won't be over two to one . . Right-o."

He replaced the receiver and tilted back in his chair just as Swift, headed for the hall, was passing

brushed back simply over her ears. | den impulse, he stood up quickly she presented a striking contrast and called out: "Just a minute,

Woody. I want to say a word to you." And he stepped after him. I saw Garden put his arm around Swift's shoulder as the two disappeared down the hall.

When Garden returned to the room his face was a trifle pale, and his eyes were downcast. As he approached our table he shook his head dejectedly.

"I tried to argue with him," he remarked to Vance. "But it was no use; he wouldn't listen to reason. He turned nasty . . . Poor devil! If Equanimity doesn't come in he's done for." He looked directly at Vance. "I wonder if I did the right thing in placing that bet for him. But, after all, he's of age."

A bell rang somewhere in the apartment, and a few moments later Sneed appeared in the archway. "Pardon me, sir," he said to Garden, "but Miss Graem is wanted on the other telephone.'

Zalia Graem stood up quickly and raised one hand to her forehead in

a gesture of dismay. 'Who on earth or in the waters under the earth can that be?' Her face cleared. "Oh, I know." Then she stepped up to Sneed. "I'll take the call in the den." And she hurried from the room.

Garden a few moments later turned in his chair and announced: "They're coming out at Rivermont. Say your prayers, children

As the radio tubes warmed up, McElroy's well-known voice gained in volume over the loud speaker: ... and Equanimity is now making trouble at the post. Took the cue from Head Start . . . Now they're both back in their stallsit looks as if we might get a-Yes! They're off! And to a good even start. Hyjinx has dashed into the lead; Azure Star comes next; and Heat Lightning is close behind. The others are bunched. I can't tell one from the other yet. Wait a second. Here they come past us-and it's Hyjinx on top now, by two lengths; and behind her is Train Time; and yes, it's Sublimate, by a head, or a nose, or a neck-it doesn't matter-it's Sublimate anyway. And there's Risky Lad creeping up on Sublimate . . . And now they're going round the fist turn, with Hyjinx still in the lead. The relative positions of the ones out front haven't changed yet . . . They're in the back stretch, and Hyjinx is still ahead by half a length; Train Time has moved up and holds his second position by a length and a half ahead of Roving Flirt, who's in third place. Azure Star is a length behind Roving Flirt. Equanimity is pocketed.

At this point in the broadcast Zalia Graem appeared suddenly in scallops below the yoke line, the archway and stood with her eyes | gives the waist front balance and nxed on the radio, her hands sunk in the pockets of her tailored jacket.

. They're rounding the far turh. Equanimity has improved his position and is getting into his famous stride. Hyjinx has dropped back and Roving Flirt has taken the lead by a head, with Train Time second, by a length, in front of Azure Star, who is running third and making a grand effort . . . And now they're in the stretch. Azure Star has come to the front and is a full length in the lead. Train Time is making a great bid for this classic and is still in second place, a length behind Azure

Star. Roving Flirt is right behind him. Hyjinx has dropped back and it looks as if she was no longer a serious contender. Equanimity is pressing hard and is now in sixth place. He hasn't much time, but he's running a beautiful race and may come up front yet. . . . And here they come to the finish. The leaders are straight out - there won't be much change. Just a second. Here they come . . . and . . . the winner is Azure Star by two lengths. Next is Roving Flirt. And a length behind him is Train Time.

Upper Shelf finished fourth . . "Not such a hot race," Miss Graem remarked with a toss of her head. "I'll just about treak even . . . Now I'll go and finish my phone call." And she turned back down the hall.

Garden seemed ill at ease and. for the second time that afternoon, mixed himself a highball. Just then Mrs. Garden bustled into the room.

"Don't tell me I'm too late!" she pleaded excitedly.
"All over but the O. K., mater,"

Garden informed her. "And what did I do?" The woman came forward and dropped wearily into an empty chair.

"The usual," grinned Garden. "A Grand Score? Your noble steed didn't score at all. Condolences. But it's not official yet. We'll be getting the O. K. in a minute now." "Oh, dear!" sighed Mrs. Garden despondently.

"Well," said Garden, "Mr. Vance, the eminent dopester of crimes and ponies, can now take a luxurious vacation. He's the possessor of thirty-six hundred and forty dollars -of which thirty-six dollars and His voice trailed off.

"What did Woody do?" demanded Mrs. Garden, sitting up stiffly in her chair.

"I'm frightfully sorry, mater,"her son groped for words-"but Woody didn't use his head. I tried to dissuade him, but it was no

sisted Mrs. Garden. Garden hesitated, and before he broke the tense silence. (TO BE CONTINUED)

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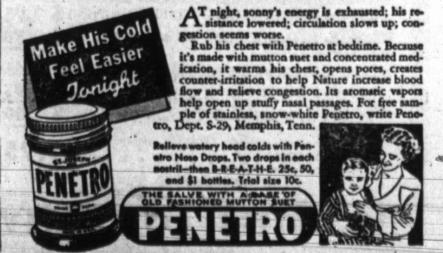


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We do not know whether Presithe helpless and such a determina- dent Roosevelt meant to challenge tion to help them as has been ex- the Supreme Court or not, but we do know this: that he has led the One of the problems which he Democratic Party to completely face says we must solve is the housing about respecting its attitude to- never done a finer thing in the ex-

cans," he says, "still live in habita- From Thomas Jefferson on down he did when he appointed Robert tions which not only fail to provide to the time of Franklin D. Roosevelt Lee Bobbitt as a member and the the physical benefits of modern the Democratic Party has insisted chairman of the State Highway civilization but breed disease and on a strict construction of the Con- Commission. Bobbitt had already impair the health of future genera- stitution. It has clamored for States rendered distinguished service as a tions. The menace exists not only in Rights as against the alleged en- member of the legislature, served for the slum areas of the very large croachment of power by the Federal a brief period as attorney general. cities but in many smaller cities as Government, and in every succeed- and was serving as a member of the well. It exists on tens of thousands ing Presidential campaign it has San Antonio court of civil appeals. of farms, in varying degrees, in ev- warned, protested, and fulminated In his entire public career he has ery part of the country" against the concentration of power exhibited a degree of honesty and

to see that this is all too true. But now, lo and behold! under the guished than his ability. Although Another problem which he mentions masterful leadership of President he succeeds a highly capable and is that of tenant farming. "I do not Roosevelt, it has enlisted under the honest man, D. K. Martin of San suggest that every farm family has banner of the liberal construction- Antonio, who retires from the com-"but many thousands of tenant not believe that any constitutional important body. farmers-indeed most of them-with amendment is necessary to empow-

some financial assistance and with er Congress to enact any New Deal Texas physician, we are told. Resome advice and training, can be legislation that may seem desirable minds us of the practice of wearing made self-supporting on land which or to enact any other legislation a string around the neck on which can eventually belong to them. The now or hereafter that may seem to was suspended a piece of lead in our Nation would be wise to offer them be in the interest of "progress." As boyhood days to prevent nose bleedthat chance instead of permitting he expressed it, "Rightly considered, ing. We are just wondering if Uncle them to go along as they do now, it (the Constitution) can be used Brad never met a bull in all the year after year, with neither future as an instrument of progress, and fifty years of his red-shirt life. security as tenants nor hope of not as a device for the prevention Lynn County News.

pose of the founders of this govern- matism. He must have been right, Still a third problem which he ment who wrote the Constitution for he lived ninety-three years. mentions is that of unemployment, and of the people who adopted it Rheumatics don't want to live that He refes not so much to "the im- to make it distinctly a "device for long. However, these are modern mediate question of adequate relief the prevention of action" when that times, with modern problems. Rheufor the needy unemployed who are action should encroach upon the matism was common among the people in the time of Uncle Brad's

ing unemployment," which he says construed as to permit Congress to tism but a heck of a lot of arthritis tinue to give our best thought and interest of progress, if Congress is off either of these newly discovered effort." In fact he declares this to never to be restrained by the Con- diseases. They are too sophisticated be the "most far-reaching and the stitution, then the Constitution is to be intimidated by so simple an a dead letter. Just as well throw it antagonist as a red shirt. Rheuma-

Possibly the Democratic party at bold, less brazen. It took fright easito Congress last week that it is his almost magical hold upon the Amer- times has been too insistent and too ly. A cabbage leaf or a collard leaf ican people to the fact that his ev- radical in its demands for a strict worn in a man's hat would scare off into farther fields of service for ery effort has been to help the construction of the Constitution, rheumatism. Also there was a manhelpless and to make America a for States' Rights and against conis not bothered with any scruples as better and happier land for the or- centration of power in Washington, medal, which could be worn on the dinary man and his family. If he but now it is following a great lead- wishbone under the shirt and was a succeeds in writing this program into er into the camp of the ultra-lib- sure-fire preventative of rheumalaw, he will have made this govern- eral constructionists, who would tism. But it had to be suspended ment the most paternalistic and at ignore the rights of the states and from the neck by a silken cord. the same time the most benevolent concentrate ever-increasing power No common string would do. Fur- District Court, Lynn County, Texas. thermore, a certain kind of iron

> As a matter of fact, what we ring worn on the little finger of should insist upon is neither a the left hand would keep rheumastrict nor a liberal construction of tism at a respectful distance. Neuthe constitution but an intellectually ritis and arthritis, being malicious and morally honest construction of and persistent, and disdainful it. Then if it should be found that symbols and incantations, have to amendments are necessary or desirable, that great instrument itself points out the methods by which it may be amended. It should be ridiculous.—State Press in Dallas neither mutilated nor amended by News.

ercise of his appointive power than

The statement of the First National Bank of Tahoka published in this paper last week shows the country to be in better financial condition than it has been in for years. Total deposits have climbed away up toward the million mark, the exact figures being \$868,608.56. Of this sum, \$684,530.73 are individual deposits subject to check and \$84,740.09 are time deposits. If the current year should prove to be a good crop year and prices should remain fairly good, next fall should bring a great deluge of prosperity back to this country.

DISDAINFUL DISEASES

Bradley Miller, a colored East Texan, died near Palestine the other day at the age of 93. For fifty years he had worn a red flannel shirt, summer and winter, the story goes, as a protection against rheumatism. Furthermore, the remedy was prescribed many years ago by an East

Dr. F. W. Zachary

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The refreshing relief so many folks say they get by taking Black-Draught for constipation makes them enthusiastic about this famous, purely vegetable laxative.

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County of Lynn.

of Lynn County; Greeting-

summon Lois Wilcox by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lynn County, to be holden at the Courthouse thereof in Tahoka, on the 3rd Monday in February, 1937, the same being the 15th day of February, 1937, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of December. 1936, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1137. wherein R. R. Wilcox is plaintiff and Lois Wilcox is defendant, and being a suit for divorce and asking for judgment dissolving said marriage relations.

said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing Witness my hand and the seal of

said Court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this the 4th day of January, A. D. 1937. HATTIE SERVER, Clerk, Issued this 4th day of January,

A. D. 1937. HATTIE SERVER, Clerk. District Court, Lynn County, Texas.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable

You are hereby commanded

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STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 8:30. Members urged to at-,

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HERE'S something new-a car that is lavish with body room, luggage space, and styleyet is a MISER on gas and oil!

Its 60 h.p. V-8 engine has the same design, same quality of materials and precision manufacture which have made the 85 horsepower

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Applewhite Holds Show Of Farmalls

J. K. Applewhite, local dealer in the McCormick - Deering Farmall tractor, is giving a three-day demonstration of the machine, burning distillate, in three different portions of the county this week.

Thursday afternoon a demonstration was given on the farm of Dave Cook near Draw.

This afternoon from 1 to 4 P. M. a like demonstration is to be given on the Rudy Kallich farm near Wilson, and on Saturday afternoon, same hours, on the farm of Noel Cooper near Tahoka.

Many farmers attended the demonstration at Draw and many are Doyle expected to attend the demonstrations here and at Wilson.

District Attorney Truett Smith reports that only one criminal case was tried at Plains during this term of court, a burglary case, the defendant being convicted and given a two-years suspended sentence, Yoakum county is sparsely populated and has little crime. Court will open in Brownfield Monday, and Mr. Smith expects a much longer criminal docket there.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk cows noon to 4 p. m.; first dog watch; and springer heifers, cheap. Connoly Chevrolet Co.

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WHERE YOU MEET YOUR FRIENDS"

Newmoore

Erma Jean Brandon, Reporter

The Newmoore basketball team vent to Union Wednesday but were

ill several days with tonsilitis. Mrs. Byron Cabbiness of O'Donnell spent the week end with her in the Detroit Free Press. parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bran-

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Morton moved to Big Spring Friday, Jan. 8. Miss Juanita Hanes spent Sunday

with Miss Hazel John Rogers. C. W. Gatewood gave a dance for his daughter, Miss Geneva Gate-

Mrs. W. A. Holt gave a wedding shower in honor of Mrs. Garland Mendez, a Spanish-American.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cox, who have been living in Lamesa, moved to Newmoore Jan. 9.

Telling Hours by Bells

Common Practice on Ships On shipboard, for purpose of dis-cipline, and to divide the watch fairly, the crew is mustered in two divisions, the starboard (right side, looking toward the head) and the

The day commences at noon and is thus divided: Afternoon watch, 4 p. m. to 6 p. m.; second dog watch, 6 p. m. to 8 p. m.; first watch, 8 p. m. to midnight; middle watch, 12 to 4 a. m.; morning watch, 4 a. m. to 8 a. m.; forenoon watch, 8 a. m.

This makes seven watches, which nables the crew to keep them alternately, as the watch which comes on duty at noon one day has the afternoon the next day, and the men who have only four hours' rest one night have eight the next. This is the reason for having the dog watches, which are made by dividing the hours between 4 p. m. and 8 p. m. into two watches, notes a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Time is 'kept by "bells," rung every half hour and beginning with

each watch (except that one series of "bells" runs through the two dog watches).

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Patented Seven-Shot Carbine The seven-shot carbine introduced into the United States Army was patented in 1860 by Christopher M. Spencer and was made by the Spencer Repeating Arms Co., Boston, Mass. It was extensively used durates of the spencer and the s ing the Civil war. A caliber .56, rimfire, seven-shot rifle which loaded through a trap in the butt plate. The loading was very slow until the appearance of the Blakeslee's patent cartridge box containing 10 tin tubes each holding seven car-tridges, each tube loadable as a unit. This method was in use during the last two years of the war.

Patrick Henry Immertal
Patrick Henry was born May 29,
1736. He served five terms as governor of Virginia and in later life was offered the positions of secretary of the treasury and chief jus-tice, but declined them both. He died in 1799. He is immortal in American history for his stirring words: "I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death."

Bird Is Loyal A bird is loyal to his family and to mankind. They are loyal to their children, and do not desert them until they are strong and large enough to provide food. They are loyal to man and make it possible for him to harvest his food crops and enjoy the luxuries of life.

ADDING MACHINE BOLLS IN sale at The News office.

Immigrants Held Aid to the Progress of America

Yankee ingenuity, American initiative and the enterprise of natives in many states have been celebrated in fiction and anecdote for decades. But much of that quality vaguely defined as "the American spirit" Little Donald Simpson has been has been evolved by grafting an American environment on foreignborn individuals, asserts a writer

> To the credit of many immigrants to the United States must go dozens of achievements which have contributed enormously to advances along cultural and economic lines. It is not generally known that foreign-born or second generation Americans were responsible in the

United States for: The first sugar refinery, which was built and successfully operated in New Orleans in 1791 by Antonio

The first type foundry, which was Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore and established in Germantown, Pa., in 1771 by Christopher Sauer, son of a German immigrant.

The first vineyard, which was cultivated on 630 acres of ground outside Lexington, Ky., in 1798 by James Dufous, a Swiss immigrant. The first water pumping station for municipal use, which was built in Bethlehem, Pa., in 1755 by Hans Christopher Christiansen, a Swedish-

The first factory for the manuacture of brick roofing tile, which was built in 1735 in Montgomery County, Pa., by a German immi-grant named Huster.

American.

The first glass to be made in America, which was blown by Polish and German workers imported into the Jamestown colony in Virginia in 1608 to make glass beads for trading with the Indians.

Chewing on Cloves Was

Ancient Chinese Custom The custom of chewing on a clove to perfume the breath had its origin the third century B.C. among the Chinese. These Oriental people probably traded with natives of the Spice Islands, where the clove tree s profuse, long before Europe was conscious of their existence.

The Portuguese were the first European nation to deal in cloves, but century later the Dutch got possession of the East Indies and monopolized the trade, even going so far as to limit the growth of the clove tree to a single large island. This regulation had to be withdrawn quickly, for it was a native custom throughout the islands to plant a clove tree at the birth of each child as a sort of record of its ago. The Dutch edict to destroy existing trees and forbidding the planting of new ones stirred the chieftains to rebel lion. Finally the Dutch capitulated, and the clove tree still flourishes in the East Indian group. Zanzibar and Pemba, however, islands off the coast of Africa, yield about 90 per cent of the world's supply of this spice.

Button, Button There are probably 50 or 60 billion buttons on clothes in American wardrobes and on American people, men averaging around 450 buttons each, women less than that. A man's business clothes are held on by about 30 buttons. A woman may have as few as none at all. And yet a good button is not nearly as common as one might think. It should have certain definite characteristics. The back, just behind the holes, should be reinforced or built out a little; the holes should have rounded edges so as not to fray the thread; and the bridge be-tween the holes should be not too thin. These points any woman can detect for herself when she buys buttons; unfortunately, she cannot tell how the button will launder. Buttons are made of many substances—wood, leather, bone, plaskon in gay colors, "vegetable" ivory, metals and cloth.

Many Throne Pretenders Throughout the British Empire

there are numerous small groups of Jacobites who, believing in the 248-year-old claim to the throne by the descendants of the exiled Stuarts, regularly meet and toast "the rightful king." Undoubtedly each group has its own particular pretenders, as a list of them contains more than 500 names, including those of a Glasgow grocer and a Hereford policeman. — Collier's

Occupants of the Mayflower The occupations of the Mayflower assengers included the following: Merchant, steward-servant, servantman, servant-boy, ladies' maid, bound-boy, printer and publisher, physician, jailer, tradesman, wool carder, farmer, lay reader, silk worker, husbandman, carpenter, cooper, seaman. Some were at some time teachers, accountants, linquists, writers, etc. Some had formerly practiced handicrafts.

First Wife of Adam

In the rabbinical writings, Lilith is regarded as a beautiful woman, the first wife of Adam. She fled, becoming a demon; Eve was given him in her place. She continued in the Jewish folklore as an evil spirit, the equivalent of the vampire. Her personality is said to have been derived from a Babylonian-Assyrian demon of similar name. She was believed to be especially hostife to children, and amulets were worn by them to ward off her influence.

Congress Faces A Double Opportunity

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN National Chairman ntinels of the Repub

Since its first session back in 1789 the Congress of the United States has represented to the world the American principle of Government by the People. Through almost a century and a half it has remained one of the greatest Representative Legislatures on earth.

That is something for its members to remember during the session now in

tunity. It can translate into action the will of the public; and it can continue to prove to the world that Government by the People offers the surest road to the continued well-being of a nation and its individual citizens

At this time such a demonstration could prove of immense value to both the Old World and the New.

To Europe it could emphasize the significant facts that nations rattle the greater happiness where Public Opinion, rather than Dictatorship, rules.

At home it could remind us that under the American form of governrepresentatives - not in the hordes of appointed Bureaus and Commissions which through recent years have in creasingly expanded in size, in power, and in arrogance.

During past weeks official Washington has strongly indicated an intention to curtail both in numbers and in power our growing army of Bureau-

If the 75th Congress backs up that promise it can win the widespread approval of the country. But this will not end the achievement. It can also take a significant step in strengthening throughout the world the principle of Government by the People - a principle on which our Nation was founded and has risen to greatness.

Miss Berta Hill went down to Dallas last week in company with Dr. Ann West to visit friends there and to attend the state-wide Sunday school conference being held in Waco this week.

POSTMASTERS

Government, including al 1 post- W. Simmons, local manager, to take masterships, under the merit sys- invoice of the stock here.

County Supt. H. P. Caveness was called to Austin last week to attend a conference of county and city superintendents called by State Superintendent L. A. Woods. Many matters pertaining to the educational interests of this state received For the present Congress of the the attention of the conference, Mr. United States faces a double oppor-Caveness was accompanied by Mrs. Caveness, who visited a sister at McGregor while Mr. Caveness was in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Minor returned Wednesday night from Kosse, Limestone county, where they had gone to assist the C. B. Cook famsabre less violently and men live in ily in moving from Tahoka to that place. They report that many of the trees in that section of the state were literally broken down under ment, authority resides in our elected their loads of ice and all telephone lines were out of commission.

> FOR SALE Good Jersey milk cows and springer heifers, cheap, Connol-

G. E. Jones of Abilene, chief owner of the Jones string of stores, his The Civil Service Commission son W. B. Jones and Mr. Conner urged legislation last week to put all of Abilene, auditor of the Company, non-policy-making offices of the were here Wainesday assisting G.



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Bring it in often and get the top of the market. I have been buying produce in Tahoka ten years and want to buy more this year than ever. You get a square deal on every deal.

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Green Beans New Potatoes, Squash, Spinach, Turnips & Tops, Mustard Greens and Egg Plants

Full of Juice Oranges Dozen-

10c Bananas Good Fruit

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Medium Size

Bushel - \$1.10 Dozen - - 20c

Cabbage Firm, Green Pound

21/2c

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Tomotoes Good Quality

Lettuce Firm Heads 3 for 10c

Fruit Juices

Heart's Delight 12 oz. can, asst.

Peaches, 2 for 29c Two Schilling Coffees

Pickles 24 oz. Jar 16c 3 for 25c Prunes

1 Pound





Brer Rabbit No. 10 can-

P & G Soap 5 bars 19c Oxydol, med. pkg. Pineapple or sliced 3 for 25c

Corn Peas Kraut

2 for 25c Mayfield Brand No. 2 Can 12½c

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FRESHMAN REPORT

party was given at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper. We had a

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NO ADVANCE IN WORK CLOTHES PRICES, BUT THERE WILL BE SOON. BUY NOW AND SAVE!

Men's Dress Pants 20% Off

Dixie

We didn't have a very good crowd

out for Sunday school Sunday on

account of the cold weather. We

want everyone to come next Sun-

There was a birthday dinner giv-

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Mr. Winzle of Wilson visited in

Charley McCullough of Portales,

H. A. Macha and daughter. Geor-

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dunagan and

\$8.50 to \$10.00 Men's Stetson Hats ... Men's Mallory Hats \$4.00 to \$5.00 Men's Buckskin Hats \$2.50 to \$6.00

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| Seventh Grade Reporter | George Hogan III Mary Margaret Tunnell |
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When we think of being fair, we notorious criminal, but we may safethink of honesty and its meaning. ly say that the person will always We may be fundamentally honest lack something in strength of charand yet do small things that are acter who so compromises. So let really dishonest. For instance a us make it a guiding principle of person who will hesitate to do any- our lives to be fair and honest. in thing that he had thought of as every detail. being really dishonest might consider it good luck if he or she could "get by" with cheating on a test. Perhaps the laxity of views on the student body spent a part of the subject may arise from the lack of chapel period singing some old faattributing sufficient importance to vorite songs and rounds. They were has had it put on the wall in front G. M. Murrah and family, subjects by pupils. It is a fact that led by Mr. M. L. Penn and Miss of the front doors. We surely do apmany high school pupils do not Dockray. After the songs, the stu-preciate it, as everyone depends on think of necessity for passing their dents were inspired by a talk from it for the correct time. courses beyond the fact that they Mr. Penn on support of the teams want to secure four credits for their by the student body. This was folyear's work. We students should lowed by some suggestions concernstop and evaluate our subjects in ing the coming exams. It seems that building. The pupils are also very terms of the good to be derived from the grueling exam week has after much interested in our newspaper. them in satisfaction of knowledge all some compensations, one of We are going to do our best to put gained and enrichment of life. If which is there will be no detention good news in it. we do this, we will be too eager to during that time. gain these things to rob ourselves of them by cheating. Many students seem to have the idea that they are cheating the instructor. If we try it, we will find cheating to be a boom- rians has been discontinued, it has present. erang and that in reality we cheat become necessary to make other arrangements for this work. A

Besides the real knowledge that staff of high school students began The First Grade had a play Friwe lose by being unfair, we com- work on last Friday, Jan. 8, under day. The little children sang some promise part of the richness of our the supervision of Mr. Penn and songs, and they were sung well for characters every time we allow a Willie Chappell. The students have such small children. thing of this kind to occur. We have got the library in good condition often heard the maxim "What we and it is believed that the work are to be, we are now becoming." will go along nicely. It might be a bit "far-fetched" to assume that a person who cheats on

We will have a long period in which basketball and volleyball. The boys children were called to Madisonville to prepare for the coming events of are going to play basketball and to the bedside of their daughter used in this state is imported dethe County Interscholastic League the girls volley ball. We will enjoy and sister, Miss Blanche Dunagan, meet. Many of the students have it very much. expressed the hope that the tennis courts will soon be in condition for

The members of the Public Speaking class are planning to begin work immediately after the exams on the debate for Interscholastic League

In fact, the students are looking forward to a long busy season.

The Puppy's Whine

Patricia Hill, Editor; Wanda Lee were: Lee Holley, Mr. and Mrs. shipped out of the state to be tan-Tinsley and Vernita Cooper, Sixth Lige Holley and son, Mr. and Mrs. ned. There is only one tannery in Grade Reporters; Peggy Fenton and H. A. Macha and children, Mr. and the state. Myrna Dean Gaignat, Fifth Grade; Mrs. E. C. Perry and children, and Dorothy Gean Applewhite, Grace Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Macha and Jones, Fourth Grade. Teachers re-children. port First, Second and Third grades.

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A large and beautiful electric Randl and family, clock was presented to the grade school by the P. T. A. Mr. Mathis New Mexico, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. gia, and V. H. Macha and daughter, Edith, are leaving for Seymour to

are very happy about the new school is ill. They expect to return within The Tahoka Grade School pupils

Fourth, Fifth and Sixth grades are presenting several plays Friday Jan. 15, at one o'clock in our audi-As the work of the regular libra- torium. We wish everyone to be

First Grade

Second Grade

The Second Grade had a very good play Friday, Jan. 8. It was enjoyed very much. It's title was "The On Tuesday, Jan. 5, the Tahoka Old Lady Who Lived in a Shoe" High basketball team met Brown- The old lady's children were very field's team for a game in the local nice and healthy. They are not half gymnasium. Interested fans saw so bad as lots of people think.

much improvement in the team Ja Juan Moore is absent from since the last game, even though school this week.

the boys did not get the big end of George Eckerb from McCamey has entered the Second Grade, J. V. Mc-The boys played two games on Donald has entered our school, He Thursday, Jan. 7. These were also is from Oklahoma. Jackie Driver played in the local gymnsium. The has moved to Post. Bernice Ward opposing teams were those of Draw left Tuesday for New Mexico, where and O'Donnell. The score for the she will attend school.

Third Grade

The Third Grade had a nice play Draw's crack team was 39 to 14 in Friday, It was about our American The blue and white satin of the songs. We had negro melodies and Tahoka boys' suits added color to Indian songs. It was enjoyed very the scene. All fans agreed that the much.

Fourth Grade

Annie Mae McLeroy has with-Some of the pupils of the Fresh- drawn from school. We have three man Class attended a farewell party new pupils. There names are: Hazel given in honor of Marjorie Law- Kilgore, William Rogers from Hasrence, who is moving away. The kell and Lindell Sharp.

Fifth Grade very enjoyable evening and wish Two new pupils have enrolled in

that more of the Freshmen might our room. They are G. W. White have attended. We regret that we and Jimmy Threet.

Sixth Grade

Most of us have been studying very hard for mid-term exams. The Sixth Grade pupils are en-Plans for the chapel program for joying reading some very good Wednesday, Jan. 13, are for a con- books. Among them are: "Six Feet cert to be given by the Tahoka High Six," "Texas Heroes," "Pioneering

School band. We have heard some in Texas," and "Silver Chief". of the practice going on during the Two of our pupils who have been week and are looking forward to a out of school for quite a while, returned this week. They are Mable Janak and Edward Hodge. Cordelia WE MAY LOOK FORWARD TO: Pate and Bobby McLeroy checked A new start after the exams are out of school.

most of the opportunities to do All our pupils from the Fourth better work in the coming semester. Grade and up are going to play who is very low with double pneumonia. We hope she is well soon. Miss Elaine Caviness, teacher here,

Balance of Fall Suits, 1 pant, to close at

was married to Mr. John Hendon of Lubbock Wednesday. We are wishing them much happiness in

Everyone remember Sunday school and League Sunday, and come!

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Large trucks—those weighing more than 8000 pounds loaded—have paid a total of \$27,000,000 in license fees and gasoline taxes, or 334 per cent of the otal cost.

Yet these trucks have been responsible for an additional cost of construc-tion and maintenance amounting to approximately 50 per cent of the total an amount far in excess of their con-tribution. These wider trucks result in 25 per cent increase in pavement costs.

Their bigger loads have required thicker pavements, costing from 35 to 60 per cent more; their size has made wider and heavier bridges necessary; mainte-nance costs have increased through their use and abuse of the highways.

Such extra expenditures are almost solely for the benefit of the big trucks, and are not necessary for the small trucks and passenger cars. YET THEIR COST IS BORNE BY THE OWNERS OF PASSENGER CARS AND SMALL TRUCKS AND BY THE GENERAL TAXPAYER, WHO MAY NOT EVEN OWN A CAR, WHILE THE BIG TRUCKS THEMSELVES HAVE PAID ONLY 3¾ PER CENT.

Any increase in present truck loads. size or speed limits will further increase the highway costs which all of us, the people of Texas, must pay.

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Old Newspaper Found In Court House By Alex Riddle Is Filled With Political News Of Over Forty-Five Years Ago characters are mentioned too, including, besides Cleveland and Har-

old newspaper which somebody had But he was nominated and elected editor of the Louisville Courier- day morning, having come down lost or left in the building and the following year nevertheless, and Journal, Carter Harrison, mayor of from Littlefield Sunday. Temporari-It is a copy of the Henderson Times It was during this second term of figure, Pavid B. Hill of New York, 32, showing that the paper was then made his famous "Cross of Gold" Pugh of Alabama, "Sockless" Jerry ger of the business, has not an-

The copy which Mr. Riddle found Times was printed. is an eight-column four-page paper. parent that the editor was a rock- and conptempt for the South. ribbed Democrat and had very demeetin' about the men who were elected on a platform favoring the then in the public eye.

tion, but there was strong opposi- clans for a fight. The Henderson day and was possibly more famous- staged, the Democratic convention and also more infamous in the pub- splitting wide open, one faction nomthe front page of the Henderson campaign Hogg was elected. Times of April 23, 1891:

limited coinage of silver."

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In rummaging around through good democrats that Mr. Cleveland. ter this issue of the Henderson list, and others.

When this issue was printed, with the name of R. T. Milner at President Harrison had just made a the masthead as editor. From a trip to Texas and was royally reperusal of the editorial columns and ceived, but the Times doesn' fail to even the news columns, it is ap- castigate him for his alleged hatred er from the columns of this paper highly commended by the people of

State politics in Texas was hot in cided views on public questions, and 1897 also. Jim Hogg was serving his he didn't mind speaking out in first term as governor. He had been creation of a railroad commis Benjamin F. Harrison, Republi- The Legislature had just adjoruned can, was then President of the Unit- after having created the commission, ed States. He had defeated Grover and Hogg had just appointed Sena-Cleveland in 1888, who was then tor John H. Reagan as its chairman. serving his first term, and Cleveland But the railroads and other corpoin April, 1891, was the leading can- rations were strongly opposed to date for the Democratic nomina- Hogg and they were gathering their tion to him in the West and South, Times was a rabid supporter of where the sentiment in favor of Governor Hogg and it was filled the free and unlimited coinage of with editorials defending and praissilver at the ratio of 16 to 1 was ing him and denouncing his enebeginning to run strong. Jay Gould mies. It was the next year that the was the railroad magnate of that great Hogg and Clark fight was lic eye-then than Rockefeller or inating Hogg and the other Clark. any other multi-millionaire has This was George "Warwick" Clark ever been since. Hence this first of Waco, an able and distinguished editorial and others following on railroad attorney. In the ensuing

The names of many other noted "Ben Harrison, Jay Gould, and Texans of that day appear in the Grover Cleveland are opposed to un- news and editorial columns of the Times, including John H. Reagan, "The democratic party is much Roger Q. Mills, D. B. (Old Dave) larger than any man, and woe unto Culberson, Governor L. S. Ross, A. him who attempts to manipulate it W. Terrell, Horace Chilton, George C. Pendleton, M. M. Crane, Judge "Several leading Democrats are G. B. Gerald of Waco, Judge Pelix The News. Mr. Rieger is an old and leaves a vacancy it will be hard hurt because Mr. Cleveland failed J. McCord of Tyler, Harry Tracy, timer in this country, having come to fill.

Times says that "Eight ex-governors of Texas are living, viz: Bell, Lubbock, Throckmorton, Coke, Hubbard, Roberts, Ireland, and Ross."

A number of national political rison, the following: Congressman some of the old junk in the base- never came to the front on the tar- feated Roger Q. Mills of Texas for Guarantee Food Market here, and ment of the court house a few days iff question until he was forced by the Speakership of the lower house he and Mrs. Young took charge of ago, Alex Riddle found a copy of an such men as Henry Watterson." of Congress, Henry Watterson, noted the business as joint managers Monwhich is a most interesting sheet. served a second term of four years. Chicago and a national political ly they have rooms in the Belton of the issue of Thursday, April 23, Grover Cleveland that the silver who was long one of the leading 1891. It is Number 17 of Volume issue grew hot and in 1896 Bryan Democrats of the nation, Senator more than 31 years of age and speech and won the Democratic Simpson of Kansas, who had just nounced his future plans, but he must have been established there- nomination. This was five years af- been elected to Congress as a Popu-

This old paper is interesting from many other standpoints also, which we do not have space to mention

One impressive fact that we gath-

THE GAY DESPERADO" IS

you found yourself falling in love First National Bank here, which powith a handsome Mexican bandit, sition he has held for the past who had just made your boy-friend seven years.

Don't answer now, but go and see "The Gay Desperado," which opens the grocery concern. at the English Theatre on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Young have a host Martini, Ida Lupino and Leo Caril- much to learn of their early de

Ida Lupine lovlier than ever. Here's 1936's unheralded smash all for his success. surprise hit, thrill-packed with

Guarantee Store friends in Littlefield and territory.

Roy Young late of Littlefield has purchased of J. O. Garlington of Charles Crisp of Georgia, who de- the same a city half interest in the Howell home. They expect to become permanent citizens of our city.

> will remain in the store temporarily. We understand that he and Mrs. Reid will probably remain here as permanent citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Young have long been prominent in business and social circles in Littlefield and come is that the newspapers are writing that city. We clip the following the history of Texas and the nation. from The Lamb County Leader of last week:

"Mr. Young will take over the COMING TO THE ENGLISH management of this new enterprise Monday morning, having severed his Ladies! What would you do if connection as bookkeeper with the

> Mrs. Young will be associated with her husband in the management of

Monday and Tuesday, with Nino of friends here who will regret very parture from this city.

Mr. Young is a young man of love story of the land below the exceptional business ability and Rio Grande. It's a gay, mad esca- pleasing personality, whose courtesy pade with Nino Martini, triumphant, and efficient service has won for golden-voiced tenor of the Metro- him a place of high standing among politan, singing glorious songs, and the business men of Littlefield and There's love, there's song, there's fidence and respect of everyone he action in "The Gay Desperado," the has come in contact with, and goes

Mrs. Young is also experienced in breath-taking excitement, heart- business, having been a member of throbbing romance, pulse-pounding the Littlefield school faculty a number of years, and for the past year has been employed as book-W. D. Rieger, who lives near Joe keeper for the Piggly Wiggly Gro-Stokes on the Lubbock county line, cerp & Market here, for whom she

life, and her friendly personality Midway and wholesome manner has won for her a very large group of loyal

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Mr. John L. Rainey of Red River The Leader joins with the other county spent the week end with his business establishments of this city

in expressing regret at Mr. and R. L. Littlepage celebrated his and Mrs. Young leaving Littlefield, 48th birthday Thursday.

and wish for them prosperity Miss Clara Lee Henry visited in the home of Miss Mary Louise Mc-Donald Sunday. Postmaster Pat R. Warren Leo Cleveland spent the week end

Coleman reports a general increase with Gene Brower. in business done by that office in Roy Stephens left Wednesday for 1936 over previous years. Postal re-Brownwood, where he will attend

Miss Claudia Draper left Wednesday for Spokane, Washington, where If you really want quick, certain, she will take the position as a

Deposits of postal savings increasand use as directed. LETO'S is al- ed \$31,302 in 1936 over the previous ways guaranteed. Tahoka Drug Co. year at the Abilene post office, according to Postmaster O. A. Hale.

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Excerpts From Report Of The Postmaster General, 1936

Postmaster General James A Far-054.48 over the previous year. This represents the second successive infiscal year 1930.

The Postmaster General reports that the three main functions of the postal service. service rendered to the public for routes. Post Office Department.

previously carried in the Post Ofment has been able to absorb more of \$13,320,730. than half their cost as a result of words, collections of postage and postal fees from the public were almost sufficient to provide those nordered to the public for hire upon an expanded basis of rising mail volume and improved working conditions for postal employees.

The second function of the Post Office Department is the handling of mail matter for Congress and all of the other governmental agencies livery of newspapers within the of certain publications entitled by law to preferential treatment at charges below zone rates and the bearing of the custodial cost in post ment agencies without charge.

contracts, which, according to law, 9.45 percent. provide the subsidies for the maintenance of an American merchant mail carrying functions of the two

Mr. Farley reports that the outstanding accomplishment of the ing rural routes daily, except Sun- excellent work with the Girl Scouts. vice bonds. . . .

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RESOURCES

Securities of U.S., any State or political subdivision thereof. 12,800.00

LIABILITIES

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lynn: We, L. Lumsden, as Vice-Presi-

dent and H. G. Cook, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly

swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, A D 1937.

L. LUMSDEN, Vice-President.

H. G. COOK, Cashier.

M. L. MURRAY, Notary Public, Lynn County, Texas.

and published at Tahoka, State of Texas, weekly.

Other bonds and stocks owned; school warrants

Cash and due from approved reserve agents

Banking House

Capital Stock

Surplus Fund

Furniture and Fixtures

TOTAL

Total Capital Structure

Undivided Profits, net

TOTAL

deposits due in 30 days.

Time Certificates of Deposit

Customers' cotton accounts

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security

Stock and or assessment Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

Individual Deposits subject to check, including time

Rural Delivery Service Fifty-nine new routes were established during the year and three routes formerly in operation were

Fifty-six hundred and eight exley, in his report for the fiscal tensions of rural routes were auyear ended June 30, 1936, states thorized, providing more convenient that the progress of the country to- service to 97,467 families. By the ward recovery has been reflected in extension of the routes and the esthe postal revenues, which, for the tablishment of new routes, 11,462 fiscal year 1936, amounted to \$665,- families, or 42,295 individuals not 343,356.48, an increase of \$34,538,- formerly served by rural delivery, were benefited.

On June 30, 1936, 34,118 rural crease in postal revenues since the routes were in operation, by which approximately 6,968,000 families, or 25,812,000 individuals, were given

During the year, 792 routes were

1936, with an actual saving in that colonies of home owners. year of \$604,583, and a reduction in It is provided that the interest Lord's Day morning and evening. the annual rate of cost of \$908,862. rate on such purchases shall be two Come help and be helped at the ter a week or two they might de-30 million dollars of expense not The number of routes discontinued per cent annually. In addition the friendly church, where welcome is cide to go down to the Rio Grande since October, 1925, when the first purchaser must pay an installment on the doormat and you are a Valley instead. Mrs. Callaway's many fice Department budget, which consolidations were made, was 11,- to meet the retirement of the debt stranger but once.-R. P. Drennon. makes it obvious that the Depart- 909, at a reduction in annual cost over a period of years. It is also

> routes does not as a rule result in ers and shall satisfy the Board as ed a convention of some kind and any material reduction in mileage, to their thrift and character. It is looked after business matters. it reduces the rate of cost and places also required that purchasers shall the service on a basis in keeping adopt approved methods of soil con- WANUSCRIPT GOVERS 11.50 per with the advantages afforded by servation and land utilization in the box of 100, or two covers for Sa,improved roads and transportation land so purchased. The bill is offer- The News.

the close of the year were of an nent system, whereby farm tenants aggregate length of 1,368,083 miles. may become the owners of the land A few routes have triweekly service, which they till. and in cases where two triweekly routes are operated from the same INTERESTING P. T. A. MEETING office they are served on alternate Thirty-six attended the Parentdays by one carrier. The carriers for Teachers Association Wednesday all the routes traveled an average of of last week in the new grade county of publication, the delivery 1,357,625 miles each schedule day school auditorium. Five rooms tied and 415,433,250 miles during the for the most votes representing year. The average length of rural them. Room teachers were: Miss routes was increased during the Douthit, Mrs. Craft, Miss Tippit, bearing of the custodial cost in post office building for other Govern-During the past 10 years there has Mrs. Dunagan, and Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Dunagan, and Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Henderson's room entertainbeen a net increase of 11.197 routes, ed the group. The third function is the admin- or 24.71 percent. The mileage added Mrs. G. M. Stewart was the prinstration and payment of the mail in the same period is 118,105, or

on June 30, 1936, a decrease of 731 talk was a treat to all who heard ation over and above the regular The everges applied solvers of all the suggested a public library, The average annual salary of all a swimming pool, and a supervised carriers was \$1,984, exclusive of the park and playground, as needs of equipment maintesance allowance. our town. She complimented Miss

Postal Service during the year just day, was \$1,997. The average compassed was the delivery and pay- pensation of those serving triweekly the president, Mrs. Donaldson to ment of the veterans' adjusted-ser- routes was \$1,168. Both figures are make plans for the planting of trees exclusive of the equipment-main- and shrubs around the new school tenance allowance. The salary cost building. The committee appointed of each mile of travel was 16.25 is composed of Mmes. Irvin Stewart, cents, as compared with 16.53 cents V. F. Jones and Sam Holland. the previous year. With the equipment-maintenance allowance of 5 school lady faculty members, chalcents a mile, the total cost of a mile of travel was 21.25 cents.

vice to new territory and new pa- cepted. tronage were made during the year as conditions were found to warrant them, and this new service was entirely paid for from funds accumulated by making consolidations. Retirement

During the year, 1,319 post office

853.00

76.94

2,534.60

1,769.40

100.244.47

\$133,679.83

1,000.00

4,512.64

110,343.39

1,848.75

975.05

CONNALLY INTRODUCES FARM TENANTRY LAND PURCHASE MEASURE IN U. S. CONGRESS

Washington, Jan. 6-Senator Tom Connally, of Texas, today introduced in the Senate a bill creating the Farm Tenant Home Purchase Cor-

The measure provides for a comprehensive system of land purchases and loans whereby farm tenants may become home owners and may acquire farm lands in amount sufficient to provide a livelihood for their families and income sufficient to amortize the indebtedness.

Authorization is made for one billion dollars capital stock of the tinued as usual and that the first discontinued and 62 routes were es- corporation, which is to be providof these, which is the normal postal tablished, a net reduction of 730 ed by allotments and appropriations from time to time as necessity may The reduction in the number of require. The administration of the of 16 million dollars. This was due rural routes resulted from consoli- plan is vested in a board of five to the new additional costs of the dations of service as vacancies oc- members, including the Secertary of 40-hour week law for postal em- curred in the rural carrier force, Agriculture and the Governor of ployees which became effective on investigations having disclosed that the Farm Credit Administration. It October 1, 1935, and also to the expanded program for public buildings the service to the patrons. Through may sell individual tracts or loan used as post offices with its resultant increased custodial cost to the continued during the fiscal year al tracts or many also establish

provided that purchasers must dem-Although the consolidation of onstrate their experience as farm- night from Dallas, where he attended to carry out a widespread de-The 34,118 routes in operation at mand for a comprehensive, perma-

subject being "The Family Interest There were 34,032 rural carriers in Community Recreation". Her The average salary of carriers serv- Tippit and Mrs Dunagan for their

A committee was appointed by

Mrs. Craft, speaking for the grade lenged the ladies in the P. T. A. to DE a basketball game to be played in Extensions of Rural Delivery Ser- the new gym. The challenge was ac-You are missed at the P. T. A.

Some young unmarried ladies and some married women who do not have children were present at this meeting. We are proud of their interest. Next meeting, let's make our children, as well as our teachers, proud of the good attendance. Our

ADDING MACHINE ROLLS B stock at The News office

> Cause of Russo-Japanese War The Russo-Japanese war of 1904-1905 was caused by the clash between the interests of the two countries in Manchuria and Korea. Russia had built her railway across northern Manchuria, with a branch southward to Port Arthur and Dairen, which she was developing into a naval base and commercial center. Japan considered this a threat to her independence and wasalso interested in mineral resources in Manchuria.

mployees, including 668 supervisors, clerks, and laborers and 651 city and village carriers were retired with annuity, making a total of 10,184 supervisors, clerks, and laborers and 11,668 carriers, or a grand total of 21,852 post office employees retired during the period August 20, 1920, to June 30, 1936.

Fiscal Year 1937 For the fiscal year which ends on June 30, 1937, the Postmaster General estimates the revenues of the

Department at \$715,000,000 and its expenditures, including nonpostal items at \$785.000,000. Post Offices

On June 30, 1936, there were 1007 post offices of the second class 3,158 offices of the second class 9,566 offices of the third class, and Correct-attest: Mrs. Callie Lumsden, L. Lumsden, H. B. Crosby, Directors 31,507 offices of the fourth class.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES **Rotarians Spell** Oh, you cold weather; how it did pinch, especially on Sunday. It has always seemed strange to me why people could get out on Saturday and Monday but could not on Sun-

day with the temperature the same. But I have no complaint to make. ing in a match staged at the lunch- terson returned to Slaton this The attendance at O'Donnell last eon Thursday. The match resulted (Friday) morning. Lord's Day was fine for the day. in a lot of fun. They also tried Our hearts were made sad with their skill as singers and proved to the going Home of our dear old sis- be not much better at singing than sister. Mrs. A. M. Willingham, reter Sephens on Saturday, but she at spelling. was ready. What a fine thing! How

We all want to succeed this year, of that city. so I want to introduce the Success family to you.

prepared to go as she.

The father is Work. The mother is Ambition. The oldest son is Common Sense. Some of the other boys are Perseverance, Honesty, Foresight, Thoroughness, and Co-operation. The oldest daughter is Character. Some of her sisters are Cheerfulness, Loyalty, Courtesy, Economy, Care, Sincerity, and Harmony. The baby is Opportunity.

Get acquainted with the Father and you will be able to get along with all the rest of the family.

W. E. Smith returned Wednesday ed in health.

Deaf Areas Persons with otherwise normal hearing sometimes have deaf areas between the highest and the lowest their perception of certain tones and noises. Hence, they might be able to hear the croaking of a frog and the singing of a bird but not some intermediate notes according to Raymond Walters, Philadelphia, in Collier's Weekly.

planning to leave Friday morning I will fill the pulpit here next for a visit of several weeks in Wichita Falls. The Doctor stated that affriends here hope that she may come back to Tahoka much improv-

Subscription paying time is here!

Mrs. Ott Patterson, who has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Beulah Shaw of Slaton, most of the And Sing At Meet time since Christmas, was home this week and reported her mother shows week and reported her mother show ing improvement. She became seri-Rotarians tried their skill at spell- ously ill on December 26. Mrs. Pat-

G. K. Phipps of Dixle and his turned Wednesday night from a Visitors were M. L. H. Baze, trip to Virginia and Kentucky, wish all of us might be as well superintendent of the Brownfield where they visited relatives. Mr. schools, and Luke Medford, a grocer Phipps reports that that section of the country has had a very mild winter thus far. They encountered no severe weather on the entire

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REPORTS FROM THE

WILSON H. D. CLUB Douglas Finley January 6.

There are six classes of foods, namely carbohydrates, proteins, fats, water, minerals, and vitamins. Each and more. Meals consisting of milk, members of the New Lynn 4-H club butter, eggs, cereals, tomatoes, citrus fruits, yellow vegetables will provide these vitamins.

Mrs. M. J. Scaer was appointed council delegate and home food supply demonstrator. Mrs. B. W. Baker was appointed kitchen demonstrator, New mtmoers were: Mrs. Clyde Shaw, Mrs. Sterling Alderson, and Mrs. Pat Swann.

Mrs. W. J. Hancock.

May, Edwin May, J. F. Covey, J. showed the difference in the devel-W. Lamb, Sterling Alderson, H. B. opment in the bones and body of Crosby, Pat Swann, D. A. Hill, Clydt animals fed on unbalanced rations. Shaw, S. A. Cummings, P. D. Server, The goal of each member is to pro-B. W. Baker, M. C. Brandon, L. B. pare a record of meals for one week. Thornton, Weldon Lemon, S. G. Howard Cook, and Miss Clara May.

DIXIE H. D. CLUB

"Pictures should be chosen according to one's nature. If they have a kind, sweet personality, the picture should be chosen accordingly," said Mrs. Sherrod at a Mrs. Willis Pennington at 2:30. meeting of the Dixie H. D. Club in the home of Mrs. Loyd Huffaker on

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EDNESDAY & THURSDAY

"The Last Of The Mohicans"

Randolph Scott, Binnie Barnes enry Wilcoxon, Heather ingel, Bruce Cabot, Philip Reed.

Mrs. Sherrod gave an interesting report on how pictures should be hung and the framing of pictures. Mrs. Marvin Berry gave a report on pictures we should know, passing giving a report on each one.

much, Miss Boyd, county home Draper, A. L. Dunagan, A. C. Aycox, sell it back to himself for \$10. This, The State of Texas. demonstration agent, told the Wil- Marvin Berry, G. B. Sherrod, Jef- according to Hoyle, would net him To the Sheriff or any Constable son Home Demonstration Club at fries; and visitors: Mimes. W. C. a profit of five dollars. However, by of Lynn County-Greeting: their meeting in the home of Mrs. Huffaker, C. J. Brady; and the hos- the time the farmer has spent the A. L. Lockwood, administrator of tess, Mrs. Loyd Huffaker.

NEW LYNN H. D. CLUB Vitamins are being stressed more home demonstration agent, to the stomach.

> "A two-piece slip will score just as high as a more complicated pattern." Miss Boyd added.

which met January 5.

Nineteen members and the sponsor, Mrs. C. C. Coffee, were present.

NEW LYNN H. D. CLUB New Lynn Club met with Mrs. Dan Carpenter. Miss Boyd, H. D. Visitors: Mmes. Homer G. Maxey, Agent, gave a talk on the value of a balanced ration for the family. Members present: Mmes. W. H. She had several posters which

Members present: A. B. Short, Anthony, M. J. Scaer, Doug Finley, Newman Bartley, Roy Kelly, R. W. Barton, P. K. Fleming, A. L. Browning, Dan Carpenter, Susie Bartley, Charles Taylor.

DRAW-REDWINE CLUB

The Draw-Redwine Club met Fri-Mrs. Carmack was elected parliamentarian. A temporary reporter

was elected also. Pictures, their origins and how to hang them was discussed by several members of the club.

Visitor present: Louise Florence. Members present: Mmes. Carmack, Calaway, Johnson, Berry, Cates, Hensley, Florence, Pennington.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Johnson Friday, January

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WRITER RIDICULES BUSINESS APPLICATION TO FARM

To the Lynn County News: around a small copy of them and business-like way. He sold himself A. D. 1937. HATTIE SERVER, Clerk, one of his own hogs for \$5. That District Court, Lynn County, Texas. Refreshments were served to the done, he butchered the hog, hung it (Seal) Nutrition cannont be stressed too following members: Mmes. Buel in the smokehouse and proceeded to

"In clothing work this year, slips that while there was no oversupply of the estate of J. N. Jones, dehas its definite purpose in the body may be made of cotton, rayon or of pork in the smokehouse, there ceased, together with his applica-

tion and consumption.

Or, he might have plowed onehalf of the hog under and continued the process until he had no more hogs. This naturally would have raised the price of hogs to the point where he would gladly have paid himself \$20 for the hog, thereby doubling his income, saying nothing about the profit he would make selling the hog to himself for twice as much.

Or, discovering he had paid himself only half enough for the whole day. January 1st, in the home of pig, he might have raised the selling price of the hog to \$10 and bought the pork back for \$5, leaving a net loss of \$5, which he could have made up by selling his chickens.

Or, he might have petitioned Congress for farm relief in the form of a \$5 loan at three per cent on every hog-sold to himself and kept this up until he was out of debt and the national budget was balanced.

Or, instead of killing and eating his hogs he might have used them to raise more hogs, then mortgaged the farm to feed the hogs and kept this up until the packers got, his We wish to thank our friends for his farm, thereby releaving him of hogs for nothing, and nothing for

Or, he might have presented himself with the pork as reward for raising the porker, which is what the pork and porkers are for. But as this would be production for use and no sensible farmer would think of anything so outlandish as that; the profit motive must be preserved. Besides, if farmers could no longer swap \$20 worth of hams, shoulders, tenderloins and breakfast bacon for \$10 worth of sow belly and hog wire what profit would there be in raising hogs? -GUESS

CITATION BY PUBLICATION The State of Texas, County of Lynn.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County; Greeting-

You are hereby commanded to summon Louise Reed by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof. in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lynn County, to be holden at the Courthouse thereof in Tahoka, on the 3rd Monday in February, 1937, the same being the 15th day of February, 1937, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of December, 1936, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1138,

wherein Rufus Reed is plaintiff and Louise Reed is defendant, and being a suit for divorce and asking for judgment dissolving said marriage relations. Herein fail not, but have before said court on the said first day of

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We heard of a Lynn county farmer District Court, Lynn County, Texas. who desired to run his farm in a Issued this 4th day of January,

\$5 he had paid for the hog, he was the estate of J. N. Jones, deceased, out of cash, and there was still one- having filed in our County Court half of the hog left, with the result his final account of the condition therefore is necessary in the diet. silk," said Miss Lilith Boyd, county was no pork in the farmer's tion to be discharged from said administration, and the Clerk of This is the end of the story. But said court having set Monday, the it really should not end here, for 25th day of January, A. D. 1937, as as the old saying goes, there are the day for hearing said account more ways of killing a cat than and application, to which time this choking it to death with hot butter. citation is made returnable, you For instance, the farmer might are hereby commanded, that by have sold the hog to the Beef Trust publication of this writ for ten for \$10, bought the belly of it back days before said return day, in a for \$5, and let the fellow who sold newspaper regularly published in him \$5 worth of hog-wire for \$20 the County of Lynn, you give due eat the hams, shoulders, tenderloins notice to all persons interested in and bacon, thus balancing produc- the account for final settlement of said estate to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the fourth Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 25th day of January, A. D. 1937, at which time said account and application will be heard and considered in the County Court of Lynn Coun-

> Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office in Tahoka, Texas, this 4th day of January, A. D. 1937. H. C. STORY, Clerk County Court, Lynn County, Texas.

ty, Texas, at the Court House of

said County, in the city of Tahoka,

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original writ now in my hands for service. B. L. PARKER, Sheriff. Lynn County, Texas.

National park experts have informed the Texas Planning Board that the proposed Big Bend National Park is the most interesting region in the United States.

Witness my hand and the seal of Contrary to general opinion, Tex- as Planning Board, exists in the said Court, at office in Tahoka, as pink granite does not iron stain state capitol building which was Texas, this the 4th day of January, when exposed to the elements. constructed more than 50 years ago A. D. 1937. HATTIE SERVER, Clerk, Proof of this, according to the Tex- of Texas pink granite.

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nish the table for you, hoping to even up matters by saying grace. Watch your step when you've climbed high. The devil himself was once an angel, but set fire to his own wings.

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Superficial Beauty The beauty that addresses itself to the eyes is only the spell of the moment; the eye of the body is not always that of the soul.-George

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL CUNDAY CHOOL Lesson

By REV, HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

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Lesson for January 17 JESUS THE WATER OF LIFE

LESSON TEXT-John 4:7-26. GOLDEN TEXT—Whosoever drinketh of he water that I shall give him shall ever thirst. John 4:14.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Answering a

Voman's Question.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How a Stranger Beame a Friend.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC— Jesus Meets My Greatest Needs.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC— Jesus Meets Our Deepest Need

Life, light, water, bread are elemental, fundamental things. Life must come from God. But it can exist only where there is light, and only God gives light.

It is therefore a blessed and significant fact that Jesus was declared to be the life of men. He also says of himself that he is the "light of the world" (John 9:5); "the bread of life" (John 6:35). In our lesson today we see Him as the one who gives "living water" (v.

The incident at Jacob's well in Sychar took place when Jesus, leaving Jerusalem because of increasing hindrance to his work, goes up to Galilee. Unlike his Jewish brethren, who detoured around the land of the hated "half-breed" Samaritans, he "must needs go through Samaria," for there was a sin-sick soul that needed him.

Space will not permit a full consideration of all the beauty and the depth of spiritual truth found in

this story. I. A Sinner Tactfully Approached

(vv. 7-15). Every Christian is by his very calling a soul-winner. We dare not delegate this responsibility to the pastor or missionary. As soul-winners we are vitally interested in our Lord's approach to this woman who was far from God, apparently hopelessly involved in sinful associations, a citizen of a hostile nation and an adherent of another religious faith.

By asking a favor of her he tactfully placed himself (as does any petitioner) for the moment, on her own plane. He was not a distant, learned religious leader deigning to cast a bit of religious philosophy to her. He was a tired, thirsty man asking for a drink of water. But he was more! He was the gracious Son of God, ready to give

the water of life. II. A Moral Problem Faced (vv.

One may speak knowingly of the promises of God's Word, and may understand the "way of salvation," but one will never find peace and joy until there is a frank and open facing of sin in the life. Let us make no mistake at this point, for the moral law of God is the same now as it was on that far-off day when Jesus brought the woman of Samaria face to face with her own

III. A Theological Problem Solved

(vv. 19-24). Possibly in an effort to evade her moral problem by theological discussion (a common practice in our day, too!), and partly because of her ignorance of true worship, she asks a question about a controversial matter relating to outward ceremony. Is it not a singular thing how men who know nothing of spiritual life delight in the propagation and defense of organizations, and in the conduct of outward religious ex-

True worship is revealed (v. 23) as being (1) "In spirit." We do not cast aside all external helps to worship, but real worship goes through and beyond both place and symbol to real soul-communion with God (2) "In truth." Sham, superstition, hypocrisy, have no place in true worship. We can worship in truth only when we really know the truth. MacLaren rightly said, "The God to whom men attain by any other path than his historical revelation of himself is a dim, colorless abstraction, a peradventure, an object of fear or hope, as may be, but not of knowledge." Truly spoke Jesus - "We know what we worship" (v. 22).

IV. The Messiah Declared (vv.

honors this poor fallen Jesus woman by making to her his first declaration of himself as the Messiah. He is the high and exalted one, but he is at the same time the friend of sinners. To the learned ruler of the Jews, Nicodemus, he spoke of the new birth. To the poor woman of Samaria he declares his Messiahship.

And she forthright left her water pot and went to bring others to him.

Height of Our Destiny It is from out of the depths of our humility that the height of our destiny looks grandest. Let me truly feel that in myself I am nothing, and at once, through every inlet of my soul, God comes in, and is ev-erything in me.—W. Mountford.

Love and Fears The warm loves and fears, that swept over us as clouds, must lose their finite character and blend with God, to attain their own perfection.

UNCOMMON AMERICANS

By Elmo Scott Watson

First Woman Painter

V OU'LL look in vain for her name in the average encyclopedia or dictionary of American biography. Common as is the name of "Johnson" in our national annals, Henrietta Johnson is the least known of all of them.

In this era of the "emancipated woman" all fields of human endeavor are open to feminine invaders. But it was very different 200 years ago. In those days woman's place was very much "in the home" and she might not leave it, even for excursions into the arts. But it was in that field that Henrietta Johnson distinguished herself and by doing so she placed posterity everlastingly in her debt. For she was America's 3rst woman painter

We know her name but little else Ine date of her death is recorded in the St. Philip's church register u Charleston, S. C., and that is the only established date in her history By the social code under which she lived, "a lady's name should never appear in public print but twice: first to announce her marriage and again to announce her death." Since she never married that leaves us only the date of her death-March 9,1728. When and where she was born and whose daughter she was is an unsolved mystery.

We know that she was a pastel painter and in this medium she did work that rivalled that of some of the famous French masters. We know that she was painting these pictures between 1707 and 1720, since the few surviving examples of her art were made during that period. And that is a fact which gives her work importance. For in her day the scheme of an hereditary American aristocracy was being tried out in Carolina and the people whose portraits she made were colonial officers and representatives of the landed gentry whose great plantations surounded Charleston...

One of the notables she painted was Col. William Rhett, colonel of eral of the Lords Proprietors and the man who, in 1718, captured the famous pirate, Steve Bonnet-a feat which would make the name of Rhett forever famous, even if some of hi. descendants hadn't done so in the more recent history of South Carolina.

Just how many portraits Henrietta Johnson painted is not certain, but the known examples of her work that have survived for two centuries are so few that they command prices which compare favorably with those paid for the works of the "old masters" of Europe. Quite aside from their artistic and historic value, they possess a high "rarity value"-because they came from the brush of America's first woman painter.

"Typhoid Mary"

WHEN her Irish parents brought her to a priest in New York city one day, he christened her Mary Mallon. But on hospital records in the East she became only a number, or more specifically, "Carrier No. 36." For she was the famous "Typhoid Mary."

Back in 1904 there occurred mysterious outbreaks of typhoid fever in certain sections of Westchester, Long Island and other districts around New York city. Examination of food and water failed to give any clues to the origin of the bacilli which were causing it.

But Dr. George Soper, a sanitary engineer in the municipal health service, remembered a German bacteriologist had proved that some people, while immune themselves to typhoid, carried the germ and gave the fever to others. Tracing the outbreaks he found that an Irish cook named Mary Mallon had, in every instance, been employed in the stricken household. He learned also that Mary, at the first hint of each illness, fled from her job.

Finally the health authorities caught up with her and in 1907 she was detained and, against her will, given an examination. She was found to be infected with millions of typhoid bacilli. She went to court to gain her freedom but lost her suit. Finally in 1910, she was

However, typhoid epidemics be-gan again and in each case Mary Mallon was found to have been the cook. Again she was confined in a hospital. Eventually she became resigned to her fate, was given a laboratory job and then furnished a little cottage of her own on North Brothers island, where she lived in

semi-imprisonment for 21 years. She died a few years ago-but not from typhoid. First there was a stroke of paralysis from which she rallied. During the next three years she gradually failed and finally, when she was sixty-six years old, Death opened the door for the frail, gray-haired little woman and "Typhoid Mary's" long imprisonment

Burgos, "First City" of Rebel Spain, Has Intriguing History

Venerable Place Was Once the Capital of Old Castile.

Burgos, "capital" of rebel Spain, while new to the ears of present-day observers, has played an important part in the Spain of the past, says a bulletin from the Washington, D. C., headquarters of the National Geographic

"Burgos, with only 32,000 inhabitants, rises from the heart of a rolling plateau about 130 miles due north of Madrid," continues the bulletin.

"As capital of the province of Burgos, it was normally a quiet city which the hard-working farmers, shepherds and foresters in the province used as their market place. Irrigated fields form green patchwork along the valley of the Arlanzon river, but much of the district surrounding the city 's arid and barren like parts of the tableland of Mexico. Where water is available, however, good crops thrive-chiefly grains and chick

Once Capital of Old Castile.

"While Burgos may have no boast as to high rank among urban centers on the Iberian peninsula, it is rich in history and in architectural treasures. Until 1087, when the royal residence was moved to Toledo, it was the capital of Old Castile. It is hinted that the crumbling castle above the city is one of the main reasons for the name of Castile.

"Even after the transfer of the royal residence, Burgos was still the scene of much royal pomp, splendor, and treachery. Several kings were crowned there, and some were born within its walls.

Perhaps Burgos' most notorious son was King Pedro the Cruel, who was reputed to decorate his rooms with the heads of his vic-

Columbus Welcomed Here. "Columbus, returning from his econd expedition to the fabled New World, was welcomed by Fernando and Isabella in that palatial residence of old Burgos, the Casa de Cordon. The building still spreads its stone front across one

side of the Plaza de Libertad. "Royal marriages attracted to Burgos the pageantry of medieval chivalry from more than one nation. England sent a Twelfthcentury princess there to become a Spanish queen, and later came an English king and a French duke to claim Spanish wives.

City Is Battle Scarred. "In Burgos was born El Cid. the national hero of Spain in the struggle to reconquer the country from the Moors. The hilltop cas-

The Past

IT IS because so much of the past still exists ir our lives that it is so dear to us . . These are compensations for the

and fresh impressions; and one learns little by little that a thing is not over because it is not happening with noise and shape or outward sign; its roots are in our hearts; and every now and then they send forth a shoo' which blossoms and bears fruits still. -Anne Ritchie.

Great minds erect their never-failing trophies on the firm base of mercy.-Massinger.

Fillmore, "Luxury-Loving Monster," Brought in Tub

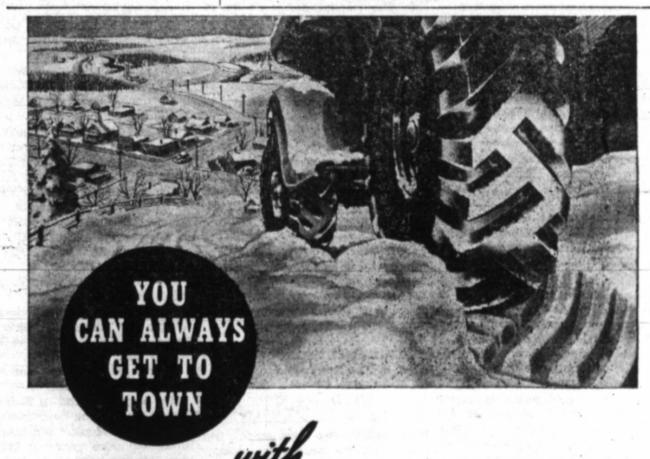
Uncritical writers are fond of observing that Millard Fillmore was the most uninspiring and least impressive of all Presidents. But he did one big thing for the country. He introduced the bathtub to official and polite society.

Eighty-five years ago, a Cincinnati merchant imported one from England and Fillmore had a chance at it, and then he ordered the war department to call for bids. In 1851 the White House bathtub was installed and Fillmore was denounced as an unholy plutocrat, a luxury-leving monster! - Tulsa World.

tle, then a magnificent stronghold, was the scene of his marriage to Ximena, who is buried with him in the Cathedral. One of the town's saddest days was that of their hero's return, when all doors were closed against him by the jealous king's command, and the grieving populace had to do their hero-worshiping silently from their windows.

"Remnants of warlike days survive in the city. The castle, demolished by the French after it had successfully resisted the forces of the mighty Wellington, flaunts its ruins from the hill. Four fortifled gates remain, as well as a pleasant walkway, called the Paseo de los Cubos, the Promenade of the Tubs, because it passes a row of tublike circular

bastions of the old wall. "On the outskirts of Burgos stands the convent of Las Huelgas, to which only noble women were admitted. Its abbess for 500 years ranked second only to the queen of Spain, and had power of life and death, 'the gallows and the knife,' over all who came within her jurisdiction."



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MIMEOGRAPH PAPER - Good Friday, January 15, unless redeemed grade, 81/2x11 size, 75c per ream; before that time by the owner.

MRS. STEVENS OF O'DONNELL BURIED LAST SATURDAY

(Cont'd. from first page) of Amarillo. The daughters are Mrs. Ida L. Durham of Durant, Oklahoma, and Mrs. W. A. Tredway of O'Donnell. All the sons and daughters were present at the funeral except Mrs. Durham, who was not able to make the trip from Durant here. Mrs. Stevens also left one surviving brother, Charley Miller of Abernathy, who also attended the

For many, many years, Mrs. for good milk cow at E. S. Brown's Stevens had been a devoted member of the Church of Christ and 20-2tp had lived an exemplary Christian life. She was faithful in all the re-FOR SALE-Good Jersey milk cows lations of life, and left behind her and springer heifers, cheap. Connol- a host of relatives and friends to

LUBBOCK SETS RECORD

Three all-time records were set his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Penduring 1936 by the Lubbock post dleton. 19-4tp office, according to Postmaster Amos Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas spent for the year, fourth quarter receipts parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thor were \$45,376.37, and December re-13-tfc ceipts were \$17,518.37. Net increase ifornia Monday, Dec. 28, to visit for the year over 1935 was \$12,773- his brother, A. H. Brandon.

missioner, and his son Desmond Duncan. BUTTER WRAPPERS, good grade were business visitors in Tahoka Rey Bevell spent Christmas in Wednesday. Tom reports quiet a bit Dallas with his mother. of snow in and around O'Donnell during the recent cool spell.

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MISCELLANEOUS

IMPOUNDING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I have impounded one brown Jersey cow two or three years old, TB tag in right ear No. 42,411, no brands, found running at large in the city of Tahoka, and same will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the City Pound on Milt Finch, City Marshal. 21-2tp.

Newmoore

Erma Jean Brandon, Reporter

Miss Eva Wells Light and Garland Doyle were married in Lamesa Saturday, Dec. 19. The bride has ived in Newmoore for about twelve years. They will make their home in

The Newmoore school has started again after turning out for a week for Christmas.

Herbert Blair and family have moved to Littlefield.

Miss Beatrice Bryan is in the La-

J. F. Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. George Pendleton of Wilmer Switch spent Christmas with

Howard. Receipts were \$155,957.38 Christmas at San Saba with his Mr Curtis-Brandon left for Cal-

Melvin Duncan of the CCC camp at Perryton is spending Christmas Tom Yandell, former county com- with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F.

Mrs. Maggie Wilson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ted Rogers, left for her home at Dallas

Several new pupils started school after Christmas.

Mrs. May Senn and A. H. Senn of Rotan, U. S. Senn and family of Spur, and Monta Simpson of Brownfield were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards Simpson Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Hyatt and family of Jal, New Mexico, Guy Hyatt of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Foster of Lamesa spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G. W Hyatt. Miss Ernestine Alexander, who is attending high school at Ropes, was

home during the holidays. During the Christmas holidays, S. D. Strasner, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bevel, visited with their sister, Mrs. S. O. Davis, in Eldorado, Ark., and with friends and relatives in Dallas. Mrs. Bevel remained in Dallas for medical

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HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS WITH MRS CONNOLLY visitors with us.

The Tahoka Home Demonstration club met in the home of the new president, Mrs. James Connolly, Wednesday, January 13, for the first meeting of the year.

The Home Demonstration Agent, Needs, which was a great help to 7:30 p. m.

Aubra Cade, Garland Pennington, Woosley, Bennett, Paul King; visi- ness well? tors: Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Bonnis If you are not going to Sunday

NAZARENE NOTES Bud Johnson is coming to town. He will be at the Methodist Church Saturday night at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Lilith Boyd, gave an interest- Holy Land, hear Uncle Bud Robin- friends and looking after their proing talk on Planning Nutritional son. Don't forgtt, Saturday night, perty. Mrs. Phipps' health is much

The new year is fast passing by Plans were made for each club and opportunities are presenting member to plan meals for one week. themselves daily to each of us. A New year books were sold to twelve shoe cobbler said once, "I cobble shoes for a living, but my business is to serve God."

Christians, how is our business? W. S. Anglin, Jack Fenton, Milt Are we taking on more stock? Do Ed Blair and family of Littlefield Finch, Jack Corley, Sam Holland, we have on hand a good supply of spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Weaver, Chas. Nelms, J. K. grace? Are we advertising our busi-

Brower. We are always glad to have School, go somewhert next Sunday. We welcome you to ours,-John R. Ferguson, Pastor

past several months were here If you would like to see and hear several days last week and the first a man who has recently visited the part of this visiting relatives and

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