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AT A TIME

by J. M. RANKIN

IOUS EYES WILL WATCH mourning the passing of Pope Pius XI. Those who love peace and admired sideration. The ordinance authorizthe work of a great and good man ing the paving on three blocks of join with them. The cause of Peace East Garza was passed at the first has lost a great leader at a time when reading; the second reading will come war and peace daily tremble in the up at the next meeting, where, if passoalances of destiny. Certainly a man ed, it will become law. Another ordof distinction will be chosen to suc- inance of much interest was passed, ceed the man who was laid to rest making the promiscuous use of loudthis week. And certainly anxious eyes speakers a misdemeanor, and forbidwatch for the announcement of the ding their use unless authorizen in a successor who must mount the Papal special police permit. It was passed throne in as troublous times as the at the first reading. world has ever seen.

THEY FOUND IT

We see by the papers Raymond has R. O. Atnip Sunday at last located the C. of C. farm level. We've already made a date to use it West Texas Cottonoil Mill for the Bates, second at 126; J. T. Hancock, or; R. C. Brackeen and Kirby Scudter get his name on the line.

THEY DON'T KNOW

phatic and forthright in their state- Grayson County, immediately after Sterling silver ring. ment that they don't know when the other members of a hunting party he TOURNAMENT POSTPONED P. O. will be moved. Uncle Sam has was with had entered the house. It The Southland Independent Basket- Mrs. W. H. Dawson a way of being deliberate in his was supposed that the gun discharg- ball Tournament has been postponed movements.

WORKS ALL THE TIME

We had got to thinking Carl Evans death. was about the only fellow in town who February 15th Mr. Atnip left Sla- vive: Hub Clothiers, Panhandle Reworks all the time. But he only works ton to join this hunting party, com- finery, Southland All Stars, Anton, in daytime. Now we find Johnnie posed of relatives and friends. He had Earnest and Nix Motor Parts, Shal-Jones up on North Ninth announcing made his home with his brother, H. lowater, Ralls, and Littlefield.

FOR NO MORE MONOPOLY

Comes to our desk propaganda for and against the Fair Trades Act that is up before a legislative committee this week down in Austin. Says one, "The passage of this act will be a blow to monopoly." Thinks we, "Any tery, Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, act that proposes, as this one does, to February 12th. enable manufacturers of glorified shucks at Battle Creek, or the fish packers of Alaska, or the meat pack ers of Kansas City to mark a retail price on their product and put a Slaton grocer in jail if he sells at any price below that, is a definite and costly move toward making monopoly legal. Let's have none of it.

MEAT ON THE TABLE AND FLIES IN THE COFFEE

and the South Texas citrus growers have joined in a desperate attempt to community house at 8 o'clock to hear have the truck load limit raised from 7,060 pounds. From all we can see and hear from this distance, they will be successful. And soon we will have legal authority for putting probably fifteen thousand pounds on wheels and; scampering gaily over the highways lege is urged to attend the organizawith them. However, some of the outof-state trucks have been loading as much as thirty thousand pounds, and Dr. McIlroy Has we wonder if doubling our present limit will eliminate law violations. Also, it has been argued that a truck! that could only load 7,000 pounds had practor, has moved his office to new to make sixty miles an hour on the quarters on West Garza Street. The road to make expenses. Will trucks new location is a much pleasanter loaded with fifteen thousand pounds, place to visit and to see. It is also observe the twenty-five mile limit? more conveniently arranged. The Again we must shake our heads in despair and declare that there are etian blinds, and other conveniences many complicated problems in a coun- in the building carry out the trend try where a hundred and thirty mil- toward quiet and comfort. lion people live. And sometimes the various interests clash and what meat on the table for one group flies in the coffee for another.

ALL VERY COMPLICATED staff writer in a highly complicated Tunnell announces this week. Masons analysis of the reasons for the Sen- everywhere are reminded of the great to's rejection of Truett Smith for service done for the cause of liberty WILE O'Daniel who appointed him, Masonic leaders of America. but at Senator G. H. Nelson, who was lieutenant governor Coke Stephenson's opponent for the higher position last end for an extended stay with relasummer. One of the three hundred tives and friends in Austin, San Saba odd columnists from Austin figures Ri-hland Springs and Houston. maybe the big fire insurance companies were back of it. The same panies, and that is why Slaton and columnist says the fire insurance com- other cities in Texas pay a higher mission has turned its authority for rate than the fire losses would justi- they joined the Legionaires in their making Texas fire rates over to a fy. Yes, my fran', it is all very com- special program honoring Abraham representative of the same big com- plicated.

City Commission Takes Action On Ninth Paving

The City Commission, in an important session Monday evening adopted a resolution to begin work on the paving of Ninth Street throughout the corporate limits of the city. Preliminary work has already begun. Catholics all over the world are though it will be several weeks before the ordinance can come up for con-

Funeral Held For

R. Oscar Atnip, an employee of the ed as it was being taken from the on account of weather conditions, uncar, the shot penetrating the chest of | til February 23, 24, 25, after the Mr. Atnip and causing almost instant first round playoff. Of the sixteen

that he hasn't closed his place of bus-that he hasn't closed his place of bus-E. Atnip, Santa Fe employee, who re-Frigidaire Presents years that he had been employed here. New Models For '39

The deceased was born in Barnes County, Kentucky, October 31, 1898. Funeral services were conducted from the Baptist church of Bells, Texas, interment followed in the Bells ceme-

Survivors, other than the brother here already mentioned, are two brothers and three sisters, all of whom attended the funeral.

Texas Tech Club To Be Organized

Monday night, February 20, has been set for organization of a Texas Tech club in Slaton. With 29 exes of the college in the school system here and some 15 or 20 others in other The New England truck drivers lines of work in the city, a crowd of these thre factors are utilized in comnear 50 is expected to gather in the an organization talk by Calvin Hazel wood, secretary-treasurer of the Texas Tech Alumni and Ex Student as sociation.

Every person in Slaton who has a much as six weeks' work at the coltion meeting.

New Offices

Dr. C. H. McIlroy, local chirowaiting room has tiled floor and ven- R. M. A.

Masonic Order Will Honor Washington

Elaborate services will be held a Slaten Masonic Hall, February 24, in commemoration of Washington's gance Commissioner conclud- by our first great military leader and was not a slap at Governor first president, and one of the early AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

Mrs. J. R. McAtee left last week

Local Athletic Program Lads In Charge Warms Us For Spring The first fun night sponsored by the Of City Today

Athletic Department of the Slaton! High School will be held at the city that the entertainments will be worth ing, February 12th, in the Methodist seventy-five. the money, besides the fact that the Church at the 11 o'clock hour. proceeds will go toward the honor send any boys who want to box in cast from KFYO at Lubbock at 8:15 year. Unlike the commissioners who any class but heavyweight, to see Di- p. m., the Slaton Scouts as well as all must be elected from the wards they comed visitors and assembly, among rector Curtis Hamilton.

SLATON BOYS IN FINALS

The five Slaton boys who entered Oath in a very impressive ceremony.

teams entered, the following still sur-

One of the most important scientific and engineering developments made in recent years in the electrical refrigeration industry has been announced with Rev. C. Chumley officiating, and by officials of Frigidaire division of General Motors Sales Corporation, with the introduction of the new 1939 Cold-Wall models, now on display in the showroom of Marriott Electric Shop, local Frigidaire dealer.

This new model, represnting a mosunisue application of a scientific principle, provides uniform low temperatures, very high humidity and eliminates moisture-robbing air circulation These three important factors have Buried Thursday been added without adding a single moving part to the mechanism. Foods fresh longer than ever before because Feb. 16 in Slaton.

scientifically designed compartment Williams Funeral Home in charge. providing the best known method for Itt is located under the super-freez- County. ing unit, where the low temperatures

129 N. Ninth street.

The Retail Merchant's Association

met in regular session Monday afternoon, to transact routine business. Hoffman Feb. 13 A pleasing report of growing membership was read. Secretary Green reported the clubhouse not available for the date previously announced for the annual banquet of the Association, and that the house had been engaged for February 27. The Band Byron C. Utecht, Star Telegram birthday, local lodge Master Harvey Mothers will serve the dinner. Complete arrangements for speakers had not been made, but a good program

> OBSERVES LINCOLN'S BIRTH-DAY AT MEETING

Monday evening, February 13th the Auxiliary of the American Legion held their regular busines meeting at the Legion Hall. There were two new members present, Mesdames Jim Bates and O. D. Groshart.

At the close of the business session,

Observing Boy Scout Week, and the hall on Monday night, February 27. 29th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of One will be held every Monday night America, 35 scouts from Slaton Troops from then until the end of the season. 28 and 29, with their scoutmasters, annual ticket, the city charter re- trict secretary, presided over the An admission price will be charged, and District Chairman Webber Wil but the showing of Slaton's boxers in liams of the South Plains Council, atthe Golden Gloves Tournament show tended church service Sunday morn- Hanna's petition bears approximately ty King."

awards for the 1938 football team. bled in a mobilization contest at the Ward 3, and D. W. Liles, Ward 1. of the meeting was Evangelism in its Get out and see these nights, and Scout Hall. In a special Scout broad- Also the mayor's term expires this many and varied aspects.

the Golden Gloves Tournament at! Friday, February 17th, is official less than fifty names. Lubbock, Monday and Tuesday nights, Scout Day in Slaton, and the city will all went to the finals, taking two be turned to new officials from the Rev. J. Paul Stevens firsts and three seconds. James Scout ranks. Result of an election Stotts won first in the 147 pound with both troops participating, class; Harry Bell, first at 118; Billy placed James Irvin Thornton as Mayan accidental discharge from a shot- ond at 147. First place winners get Bobbie Williams as City Secretary; 1 16th, beginning at 7:30 P. M. in the gun Friday afternoon February 10th. a free trip to Fort Worth to the four City Commissioners, Sam Phil-; church building on West Lubbock. The tragedy occurred at the home of State Tournament, and a fine leather lips, Billy Blasengame, Glenn Scrrog-The Post Office officials are em- the deceased man's sister, near Bells, Jacket; Second place winners get a gins, J. E. Eckert, and James Eubanks as Fire Chief.

Is Spelling Winner

Mrs. W. H. Dawson read the advertisements in last week's Slatonite for pleasure and profit. She found the misspelled words, listed them, and the names of the advertisers and their businesses, and won the cash prize of \$1.50. Two other contestants listed thirty-three words, the exact number of misspellings, but one of them found one that was not misspelled and the other failed to list properly one advertiser. Besides Mrs. Dawson, the other winners are Bonnie Mercer, Jean Bechtel, Howard Carruth of Slaton, O. W. Richardson, last week's first winner of route 1, and Doris Mc Nabb of Southland. Their tickets may be had at the Slatonite office. And nobody will blame them if they save the tickets to see "Dawn Patrol," the stirring, heroic picture the Palace is showing Saturday night prevue, Sunday and Monday.

O. R. Patterson Is

Funeral services for O. R. Patterson, of Posey, were conducted at 3:00 are kept naturally moist and vitally o'clock in the First Baptist church

Mr. Patterson died at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at the residence "An outstanding feature of this new after a six months illness. Burial fol model is the Meat-Tender which is a lowed in Englewood cemetery with

He was born July 6, 1890, and mov the preservation of meats in the home. ed to Posey 23 years ago, from Collin

Survivors are his wife; three sons that meats require are provided, Benton, John T. and Ott Earl Patteralthough without any alternate freez- | son, all of Posey; two daughters, Mrs ing and thawing, due to the design J. R. McCasland and Mrs. J. D. Law and construction of the container it- son of Lubbock; his mother, Mrs. R. self. The correct combination of S. Patterson of Dallas; three broth-'directed' air circulation and humidity ers, L. E. Patterson of Louisiana, J. permits meats to retain their natural L. Patterson of Dallas, and Jeff Patjuices without drying or sliming." | terson of Sweetwater; and two sis-The complete new 1939 line of Frig- ters, Mrs. E. R. Weisenborn of Dal- BCD for the year were canvassed. Hammett, of West Panhandle Street, idaire refrigerators may be seen at las and Mrs. J. A. Cobb of Lubbock. John T. and Jack Lokey of Lubbock are brothers-in-law of Mr. Patterson.

Last Rites For Albert

Rev. J. Paul Stevens, pastor of the Presbyterian church, conducted the funeral services for Albert F. Hoffman from the Williams Funeral chapel, Monday afternoon, February 13th at 3 o'clock. Enterment followed in Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Hoffman was born in Hagerdied Sunday afternoon, February 12, 1939, near 2 o'clock, at Tahoka.

His widow and three children survive; the sons are Albert Leo and Edward Harold; and the infant daughter Billie Ann. There is also his mother Mrs. A. L. Hoffman; a sister, Mrs. Sid Gentry of Anson; and a brother Eddie, whose home is in California but who was here at the time of Mr. Hoffman's death. All the immediate family attended the last rites.

bushel at Baves Produce.

WEEK City Politics Stir B. A. Hanna Nominated Missionary Society From Ward Three

> the first Tuesday in April, city politics already are stirring. B. A. Hanna's name has been filed as can- Society held its annual meeting at didate for commissioner of Ward 3, the First Methodist Church in Slaton, City of Slaton. For placement on the Friday, Feb. 10th. Mrs. Hilburn, disquires a name to be filed with not meeting. The call to worship took the less than twenty-five signatures; form of a hymn, "Come Thou Almigh-

On Monday night, 40 Scouts assem- this year, those of J. N. Landreth, passages of Scripture. The keynote Scouts in the South Plains Council, re- are to represent, the mayor is elected whom were our honor guest, Mrs. dedicated themselves to the Scout from the city at large, and must be Evan Lee Holt, wife of our Bishop, nominated by a petition bearing not and Mesdames Randell, Conference

Installed Thurs. Eve

The installation of Rev. J. Paul Stevens of the Presbyterian church plies, and Bowen, Supt. Young Womtoday, but whoever is next had bet- past three years, was the victim of second at 112; Earl Blassingame, sec- der in the capacity of Chiefs of Police; was held last night, Thursday, Feb. en's Work.

R. P. Smyth, moderator of the Presbytery at Amarillo, presided.

Remainder of the Installation service follows; scripture reading, Rev. W. Donald Harris of Littlefield; prayer, Rev. Fred Rogers of Plainview; ings by the leaders. The Presiding sermon ,Dr. R. Thomsen of Amarillo; Elder, Dr. Clark, introduced the vischarge to the pastor, Rev. James ting ministers, also dismissed the Rayburn, Slaton; charge to the con- guests with a prayer, after which gregation, Rev. J. Hoytt Boles of the meeting adjourned.

of the Slaton church since last May hundred and fifty visitors. 15. He is a graduate of the United The afternoon session opened with States Naval academy and the Pres- a hymn. Mrs. Stuckler, Supt, of Supyterian Theological seminary

Membership Drive For Golf Club To Install Grass-Greens

a new grass-green, nine-hole golf the election of a secretary of young course by the Santa Fe Golf club of women to keep in close contact with Slaten, Nick R. Carter, president, re- this group. Also much emphasis was cently authorized a membership drive, placed upon the importance of organwith Royce Pember, secretary-treas- izing a business and professional urer, which to date has resulted in the woman's circle, Mrs. Young, of Post, acquirement of 48 signers on tht dot- being in charge of the work in this ted line. This number represents golf- district. ers from Slaton, Southland and Post.

and to plant trees about over the Mrs. Allen Ferrell. course, which will be located one-half A Roll Call of Missionary Societies mile west of the present course north followed, all members standing and the Santa Fe Railway company. each. Water will be piped from a nearby main to all nine holes.

Chamber Of Commerce poem, "My Name is Thomas." Then Elects New Members

The Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development met in regular meeting Tuesday evening at Fain Hammett Is the City Hall. Recommendations were Buried Thursday made to repair the auditorium in the Fain Hammett, thirty-one, died at City Hall, and to improve observance Wichita Falls, Wednesday morning, of traffic observance, if possible, by February 15, after an illness of sevmarking the parking spaces. The eral months. He is survived by his ballots for five new members of the father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. The high five were L. A. Harral, Day- this city; one brother, Damon, Fort ton Eckert, Fagan Genn, J. M. Rankin, Worth; and five sisters, Miss Ida C. A. Porter and J. D. Holt. These Hammett, Slaton; Mrs. Allie Blythe will be installed at the next meeting and Miss Toy Hammett, Eastland; which will take place February 28. Mrs. J. J. Moates, Houston; Mrs. At that time the new Board will be Loana Todd, Lamesa.

Buick Showroom Opened On Ninth

Scoggin-Dickey Motor Company, Buick distributors, have opened a Englewood cemetery with Williams showroom in the building now occupied by Henry and Mac, service station operators. The showroom is in tured a sing-song for most of the man, N. Mexico, July 17th, 1906 and charge of Bill Sledge, who is well program hour. Mayor J. W. Hood known here. Mr. Sledge has also a completed an address, started previused car lot north of the station and ously, on Rotary Principles. Herbert just across the street. He promises Holcomb, of Houston, was a guest of to offer for sale there only a better Roy Mack. Jack Brown was the honquality of used cars.

> Benefit Play For Band Tonight, 17th

In an effort to raise benefits for the high school band, the Slaton Band high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. | turned with them.

Annual District In anticipation of spring elections Held Here Feb. 10

The Lubbock District Missionary

Devotional was given by Mrs. Two commissioners' terms expire Bickley, and Mrs. Gamble read several

The District Secretary warmly wel-President; Haymes, Conference Secretary; Campbell, Supt. Christian Social Relations; Bickley, Conference Supt. of Spiritual Life; Dewey Smith, Supt. of Study; Slonicker, Supt. of World Outlook; Stuckler, Supt. Sup-

Auxiliary officers and Supt.'s retired to the various class rooms for instruction by the Conference officers and Supt.'s.

After which they reassembled in the main auditorium, where interesting reports were given from group find-

A covered dish luncheon was served Mr. Stevens has been stated supply in the clubhouse to more than one

> plies, brought her message to the body emphasizing the three parts of her work: 1. Help for needy pastors: 2. Home supplies, and 3. Foreign Supplies. She also asked that reports be filed more accuratein

Mrs. Bowen, Supt. of Young Women's Work, spoke of the organization In an effort toward installation of of young women's circles. She urged

A beautiful solo was rendered by Plans are to install grass greens Mrs. Howard Woods, "The Lost approximately 50 by 60 feet in size, Chord," accompanied at the organ by

of Slaton on property belonging to the chairman reporting the pledge of

Conference President Mrs. Randell held a dedication service, reading three beautiful passages, from the the Conference was brought to a close with the singing of a hymn.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m., Thursday, at the First Baptist Church, Rev. W. F. Ferguson officiating. Interment was in Englewood Cemetery.

ROTARY

Last week's Rotary meeting feaor guest from the High School.

Herschel Crawford is in Dallas for a two weeks stay on business and for a physical checkup.

Mr. Charles Austin and Miss Ruth Mothers club is sponsoring a play, Austin accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. "Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago," to E. E. Patterson were Ralls visitors Why pay more Grapefruit \$1.00 be given tonight, Feb. 17th, in the Sunday. Miss Nedra Patterson re-

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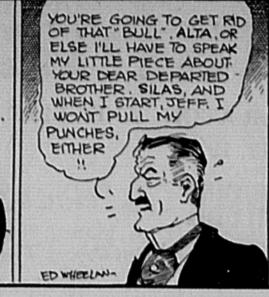
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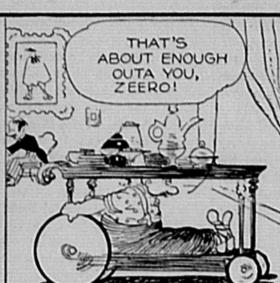


MEANWHILE, MYRA HAD TRIUMPHALLY RIDDEN ALTA AROUND THE ARENA AND NOW DELIVERED HER BACK TO HER KEEPER, "CRACK" POTTS -I KNOW "CRACK", BUT SHE'S ALL RIGHT NOW - TAKE HER OUT AND STAY WITH HER GOSH, MYRA MYRA. SHE DID . HOO-RAY YOU FOR MYRA BUT I COULDNT SWELL-YOU DO A THING! CERTAINLY WITH HER! PREVENTED



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Texas

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Choice of Evils The lives of the best of us are spent in choosing between evils .-Junius.

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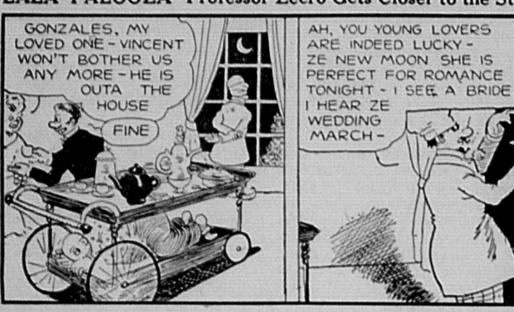
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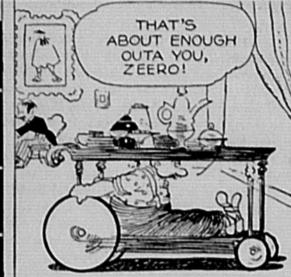
Sentinels of Health

Don't Neglect Them I

Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—life itself—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove som the blood if good health is to end when the kidneys fail to funct. Nature intended, there is retention waste that may cause body-wide distress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nighta, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out.

LALA PALOOZA Professor Zeero Gets Closer to the Stars



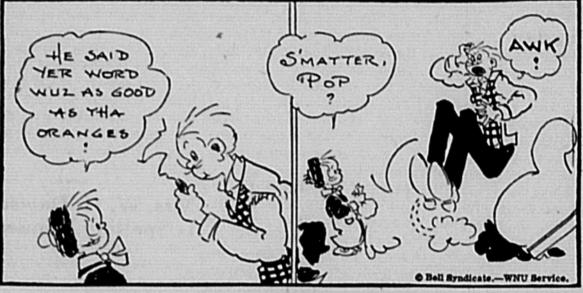






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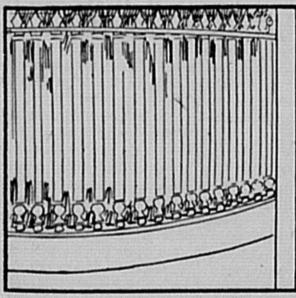
















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Permeates Administration and, to Some Extent, Congress: Result Is Great and Increasing Mystery; President's Secrecy Approved; Facts About Plane Sales.

> By WILLIAM BRUCKART WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

has obsessed Europeans for weeksthat they are approaching toward | had laid bare the whole situation. some international crisis—seems to have spread to our side of the At-lantic. Right out of the air, so to speak, we are made to feel that at questions are about to take shape and that we, in this country, must be ready to decide them. The germ, or whatever it is, has taken up its domicile within our administration and, to some extent, in congress, and the result is great and increasing mystery.

Most sources in Washington did not believe that the so-called settlement of the European crisis at Munich last-September was, in fact, more than a stop-gap, as I reported to you at that time. The Munich failure has become more and more evident and the very atmosphere is charged again with exactly the same type of bated expectancy.

In a general way, of course, we all know that the worldwide difference between the democratic forms of government and the dictatorships is at the bottom of the whole thing. We know, as well, that Hitler and Mussolini have challenged the European democracies by the boldness of their dictatorship actions in taking practically what they want in the way of additions to their empires. We know, further, that the end decidedly is not yet insofar as the Hitler and Mussolini ambitions are to be considered. And wrapped up in all of this is the genuine friendship that the United States has for France and England.

Beneath the surface, things have been going on in our own government. The President, the department of state and the military and naval services know what is taking place in Europe and they are advised as to what may be expected. Plans were being formed and developed so that steps could be taken here at the proper time. All of this was done in more or less secrecy, as it always has to be done since | considering. It will be recalled that public discussion of such delicate matters could tilt us very easily ufacturers and many others as well from the frying pan into the fire.

Genuine Danger of War, But Not Immediately

Because of the necessity for avoiding wrong impressions which is a vital thing in international relations, President Roosevelt told the military affairs committee of the senate confidentially something of the in-side story. I believe he did right in shielding those facts from general knowledge for no one knows how they could, or would, be distorted in German or Italian newspapers.

But this air of mystery has backfired in a curious way. It has aroused certain portions of the country into a veritable frenzy-particularly, some members of congressand they have seized upon a relatively unimportant thing as their weapon in striking at Mr. Roosevelt's foreign policy. They have jumped all over the President's neck | jobs, are forever and ever taking about the sale of airplanes to France, airplanes that were manufactured and are being manufactured by private plane builders and which are being sold for cash to the French government.

It is made to appear that this is a terrible thing. The howlers are saying that Mr. Roosevelt has violated the spirit of the neutrality act and that he should never have given in the committee record, a record permission for the sale of the planes. There are other charges flying about, also, but they are unimportant here.

I have dug into the situation as far as is possible, I believe, and I fail to get very much excited about the whole thing. There is, of course, the genuine danger of war, although I am not convinced that Europe is going to break out tomorrow. Sometime, probably, but not immediately. Such a clash of hopes and convictions and traditions and faith as obviously occurs between the philosophies of dictatorships and democracies is bound to lead to use of force but I think there is the probthis jittery feeling of the world now indicates.

France's Purchase of

American-Made Airplanes

To get back to this airplane thing, I should like to set out some of the facts. France is buying Americanade airplanes-several hundred of and France has sufficient gold to buy them elsewhere. The French military service must have them in that seems so imminent on the sur- just as much grief. face for the reason that Germany and Italy are superior to France in

The contracts were let in this country after Mr. Roosevelt had talked over the whole question with ments. After all, any program that his cabinet and with the war and he has must eventually be published navy departments and certain lead-ers of the airplane industry. They

WASHINGTON .- The feeling that | were authorized after Ambassador Bullitt, in his reports from Paris,

> I am told that Mr. Bullitt advised Mr. Roosevelt to treat the matter as a routine; that to talk much about it would excite people, unduly. Well, the Bullitt idea was working until the unfortunate accident out near Los Angeles when a big bombing plane fell, injuring a member of the French mission that is in this country buying the planes. Then, out popped the secret and out came the critics of the Roosevelt foreign policy.

It is not within my power to say whether Mr. Roosevelt's foreign policy is right or wrong. I do not believe anyone can tell yet. Any foreign policy is something of a gamble. If it works, the author is a hero; if it fails, the author of the policy promptly is termed a sap.

But of this phase, I can write: why should the howlers now arise and denounce the President's foreign policy on the basis of sales of planes to France, when more than a year ago the British government began buying planes from our manufacturers? Why is it wrong to let the French buy and right to let the British buy? Or, to state the matter affirmatively, it seems to me that we cannot well differentiate between two nations with whom we have friendly relations.

Foreign Policy Opposition Making Itself Look Foolish

I do not regularly burn incense at the Roosevelt dais, but when I believe his opposition is making itself look foolish, I believe they ought to be called what they are. If they can show where the present foreign policies are ridiculous, now is their opportunity.

If this criticism of Mr. Roosevelt were directed at his actions with respect to Spain or Japan, perhaps there would be something worth the President persuaded plane manto discontinue sales to the Japanese for use against China. It will be recalled also that indirect assistance was given the so-called loyalists in Spain, aid that surely must be looked upon-if done honestlyas help to the military forces although disguised as provisions for those who suffered back of the lines. All of this was done while we have a neutrality act through which congress believed it was taking away certain powers from the Chief Ex-

So, I repeat that there is cause, it appears, for criticism of some of the President's foreign policies, but it does not seem that critics have joined issue with the Chief Executive on any sound basis.

I always have felt that there is too much secrecy in general governmental administration. Unimportant squirts, holding unimportant themselves seriously to the point where they would not admit it was pouring down rain if it were raining cats and dogs. From that level of officialdom on up and down the line, one finds that sort of thing in our government. I saw a congressional committee chairman refuse, just the other day, to let newspaper men see a statement that he was inserting that is as public as the light of day. It was silly, but it was typical.

President Has Authority To Shape Foreign Policy

When it comes to foreign relations, however, the situation is entirely different. The constitution, wisely enough, provides that such matters must be dealt with by the President. It allows him the power of negotiation but it curbs that power by requiring him to ask congress for a declaration of war. In other words, the President is provided with authority to shape and conduct the foreign policy, the dealings with foreign nations, but he must have ability that it is further away than the approval of congress, which represents the people, when the con-cluding phases of those negotiations are reached and the nation is about to be bound.

That condition was arranged at the outset of our nation's history. It has worked well. The rights of the people are amply protected. Think for a moment what the situah. She is doing this because her | tion would be if our foreign poliwn airplane production has stalled | cies were in the hands of addlepated demagogues in the house or the senate! I hazard a guess that some of them would talk as long as case there is that outbreak of force | Hitler did the other day and create

So, I firmly believe there should be some secrecy about our foreign policy and that the President should have some liberties in working out arrangements with other governand debated by congress.

e Western Newspaper Union.

WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Gives Some Timely Hints on How to Keep Up Fuel Value of Winter Diet; Discusses New Methods for Quick Baking By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

MIDWINTER weather calls for energizing breakfasts to get the day off to a good start . . . energizing midday meals to help keep children and adults functioning efficiently . energizing, but easily digested, evening meals to satisfy

bodily requirements without over-taxing the digestive system. In addition to the need for supplying meals that are adequate as to energy values and other nutritional requirements,

the homemaker has two other important factors to consider; she must satisfy the appetites of various members of her family . . . and she must keep within her food budget.

Breadstuffs-The Staff of Life One of her greatest aids is bread in various forms. Breadstuffs, or

other foods made from grain, are undoubtedly the largest single item in the dietary of the majority of people throughout the world. They appear in some form at almost every meal. And they are also highly satisfactory as a between-meal lunch

for rapidly growing school chil-

Breadstuffs are notable for their energy values and for their ease of digestion. They contain some protein and minerals, and under some circumstances, they may also carry other significant food values.

Bread and rolls combine well with milk, cheese, butter and meat. They make good eating and give a comfortable feeling of satisfaction afterwards. Such simple combinations as bread and cheese. or rolls and milk, are highly effective in satisfying hunger. And they go a long way toward meeting nutritional requirements.

A Notable Food Team

Nutritionists have a high regard for the combination of bread and milk. Breadstuffs are generally regarded as a most economical source of energy and protein in the diet. Milk is our most nearly perfect food. And the proteins of milk supplement those found in the grains of which bread and rolls are made.

Children especially should consume some form of bread, toast, or well-baked rolls at every meal. These easily digested foods supply the fuel values that most active youngsters require in abundance. Rolls and bread with a well-baked crust have the additional advantage of encouraging thorough mas-

During adolescence, the energy requirements are especially high. Boys sometimes eat more than their fathers, and it is desirable that the extra calories be provided in the form of such easily digested and wholesome foods as breadstuffs. This is also an advantage to the homemaker, from the point of view of economy, as breadstuffs rank as one of our most reasonably priced foods. Adolescent

girls, on the other hand, frequently develop finicky appetites and strange food habits. They may wish to go to school without breakfast-a practice which must be discouraged as it may lead to undernutrition from which "nerves" may develop.

Adolescents Like Variety

One way to help growing girls to be energetic is to encourage them to eat some form of bread at every meal. This will help to keep up the fuel value of the diet at very little expense.

Mothers must, however, guard against loss of interest in breadstuffs by various members of their families, as a result of monotony. Luckily, there is no reason why this should occur in any home. For it is possible to provide breadstuffs in such a variety that the same kind need not be served twice in succession within the space of one or two weeks.

You can add variety to the diet by preparing bread from graham, whole wheat or rye flour. Rolls can be made from plain or sweet dough. Some of the more popular are Parker House rolls, sandwich rolls, finger rolls, cinnamon buns, butterscotch rolls and pecan rolls.

A New Leavening Agent Some homemakers may feel that it is too costly to purchase such fancy breads outside the home. And they may feel that they cannot spare the time required for home baking. Such arguments might have been valid in the past. But not any more!

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All members and one new member, Barbara Reitman, were present.

The Tuesday Luncheon Club dined at the Harvey House Feb. 14th, then played bridge at the home of the hostess, Mrs. Royce Pember. Mrs. O. D. Groshart was a guest.

Mrs. O. O. Crow was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club Feb. 16th, taking the place of Mrs. R. A. Baldwin, who was slated to entertain on that

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Billie Ruth Sledge and Mary Ann Wilson were voted on the merit list. We are very proud to have these two worthy students on the list.

Reports were given and the meeting ms adjourned.

The Baptist Adult Union had a sorial at the clubhouse Tuesday evening February 14 when indoor games were enjoyed. A program was given by Laura Belle Tucker and Jimmie Faye Ward, who sang two numbers, accompanied by Marion Ferguson; Anna Doris Phillips, who gave a Valentine reading; and Miss Irene Armes and Mr. Strickland, who gave a debate upon the subject: "Why Organize a B. A. U."

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Haltom and Miss Alpha Merrell.

Mrs. J. B. Huckabay, sponsor of the

The News

Harvey Austin, deputy in the office which the children may participate. of H. B. Bryan, county tav assessor-It is the pleasure of your chamber of collector said Thursday only 36 of 10,commerce to work at the present time 000 passenger plates which must be placed on Lubbock county automoted effort to have installed in Slaton biles between March 1 and April 2 baseball, volley ball, ping pong, and One commercial license tag had been tion schedule, which provision re- office said that persons should buy "as

> Tags must not be put on cars until March 1, and not later than April 1, to avoid penalty.

Bill Hutfless, Felix Boldin and Em-

afternoon February 14 at 4 o'clock in various civic organizations in the city, the home of Mrs. C. C. Shaw for a itch? Do they burn? Do your gums Valentines from a gayly decorated fails to satisfy. the Saturday night band concerts, box and were served refreshments by

> Mrs. K. C. Scott was hostess to the Wednesday Study Club February 15, when Mrs. C. W. Taylor reviewed the popular novel, "Rebecca" by Daphne du Maurier.

> Mrs. Rogene Johnson entertained the Mid-O-Wee Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon, February 15th. Mrs. Levi Self won high score, and the guest list included Mesdames Vaskar Browning, Oddie Hood and Self.

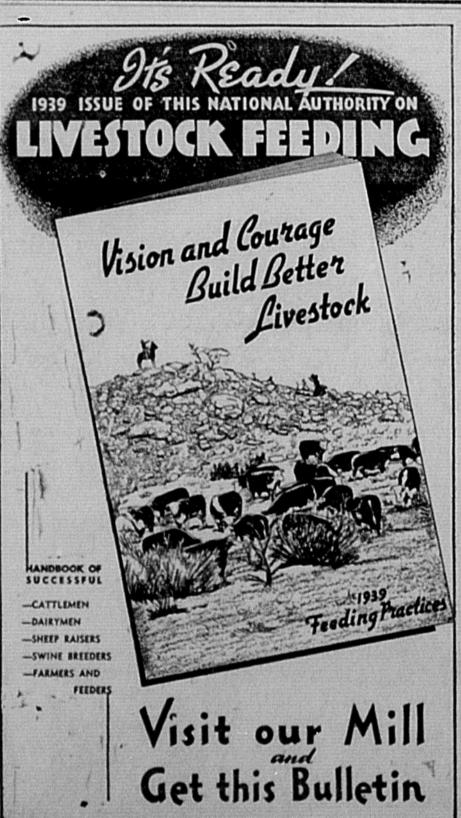


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SLATON.

mett Fleming attended the regular Louisiana Sunday, Mrs. Hoffman acmeeting of the Veterans of Foreign companied them to Dallas, and re-Wars Wednesday night in Lubbock: turned with them. Hutfless and Boldin are both newly

elected members to the organization. Jim Nevins, director of 'the Slaton High school band, will go to Abilene this afternoon, accompanied by Truman Shelton, captain of the Slaton band, David Todd and Harold Tucker, to attend the annual formal concert of the Abilene High school Eagle band tonight, under the direction of R. T. Bynum.

Clark Dyess, son of Rev. and Mrs. Tony Dyess, Southland, and Thoma Gryder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gryder, Wilson, had their tonsils removed at the Loveless-Groshart

The City Line Club will meet Monmeeting at the clubhouse.

C. C. Hoffman and J. W. Baker returned from a business trip to

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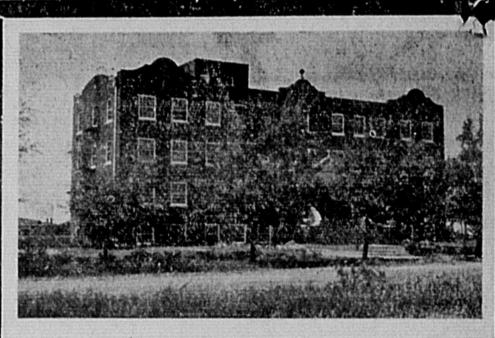
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A Letter to the Editor

Editor Slatonite:

Problem." Of course, you, like any while and if I didn't think you would 26:26-29 and I Cor. 11:23-30. other news editor or "columnist", will enjoy knowing that a few of us read naturally stick out your neck once your paper diligently, and have to let Smith read the Christian Endeavor in a while-this time too far.

Understand now, the writer is not cork." for nor against the trucking interest, And our other old sidekick said Wilhite, Jr., accompanied by Virginia

putting the limit on the amount of smaller to make it safer on the highclothes the people might wear-or ways and put a lot of bottles there footballs should be made each year- like it or not, we are living in a modyea-ask the grocer or the market ern age and the modern changes are man how many peddlers should sell going to take place-perhaps too their wares other than through their rapidly.

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one way or the other. I have no that trucks were a danger on the Brasfield. trucks-just chopping at the editor's highways. We all know that, and so Adam's apple. Although you said is "News Editors" a danger on the several signatures were obtained highways and even some grocers and against the heavier loads, where you a few farmers are a danger on the stuck out the crown was taking our highways. In fact, most anything Mary Brasfield. old friends "the lumber boys" as your is a danger on the highways. Even an empty whiskey barrel is a danger, Why not ask the local doctor about but are you going to make the barrel thask the pigs how many in place. No, Mr. Editor, whether we

In 1914 we could ship a car of head maize to Ft. Worth (by cramming twenty tons in one car) for sixty dollars. Today look at your Ft. Worth; market and compare the Lubbock Market-53 to 55, Ft. Worth 87 to 89. Hauling charge differential, better tons-better than one-third of the finished product for hauling. Then if we did not have the trucks to compete with the rate, it is anybody's guess what it would be then. These trucks, according to the truckers' statement, make from 5 to 12 miles to the gallon of gas, paying five cents per gal. state and federal tax for that gas. 2 lb boxes ____ 19c Divide five into 71/2 miles to the gallon and you can see how much these trucks are paying for highway maintenance. Add to that from one hundred to one hundred and seventyfive dollars carrier's license and you will readily see the back of your neck.

> But this is not meant to be radical at all, Mr. Editor, it is that an Editor's old neck is such good chopping that we couldn't resist. . . . Would give more unreasonable reasons, but no use. I get my fling like you. So long. Jas. W. Savell,

Rte. 2, Slaton.

Savell, for your interest in the Slatonite. The item referred to, however, was not an expression of editorial opinion, though the Editor has made some expressions about the railroad-truck problem. With the problem in the news throughout the State as much as it is, we thought the story worthy of a place on the front page as news, and there it went. Sorry we had to put dots up there instead of some paragraphs you wrote, but space was getting scarce. Come again

Eaves Produce buys all farm produce and Poultry.

YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE CHARGE OF SUNDAY SERVICES

Commemorating the thirty-fourth anniversary of the organization of the Society of Christian Endeavor, the young people of the First Christian Church were given complete charge of the services last Sunday. The following program was carried out:

Prelude-"Largo", Handel-Miss

irginia Brasfield. Praise Hymn.

Invocation-Truman Shelton. Hymn-Congregation.

Scripture Reading (Responsive)-

Truman Shelton, leader. Prayer Hymn, followed by sentence

Regular classes were followed by

the Communion service, with Gilbert the chicks show any sign of sickness. fruit and coal. Understand now, I don't know much Wilhite, Jr., and Truman Shelton It all boils down to the old saying: about the trucking business, for nor presiding at the table and Van Smith "An ounce of prevention is worth a I notice a little item in your paper against it. It is merely the fact that and Hyden Edmondson waiting on the pound of cure." captioned, "Truck Load Limit Vital you go off "half-cocked" once in a congregation. The elders read Matt.

Following this service Miss Zerva

Solo-"I'm a Pilgrim"-Gilbert

Reports from H-Y Conference were given by Van Smith and Hyden Edmondson.

Violin Solo-"Whispering Hope"-

Talk-"Christian Endeavor Through the Years"-Virginia Brasfield.

The services were closed with the C. E. benediction.

These young people are to be highly commended for the excellent part they are taking in carrying on the work of the Kingdom.

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Editor's comment: Thanks, Mr. In short, poultry losses from internal disorders can be materially checked and profits increased, by taking these few simple precautions before

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BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR BETTY JUNE DEAL

Saturday afternoon, Feb. 11th, little Betty June Deal was honored with a birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deal, at 255 W. Panhandle street.

Valentine motif, were served

Mrs. Aubrey Evans, nee Anne Kirkpatrick, left Friday for her home in Amarillo after visiting in the home of her parents, the R. G. Kirkpatricks.

Mrs. William Cooper and baby, of San Angelo, are visitors in the home Games were played and pictures of Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs.





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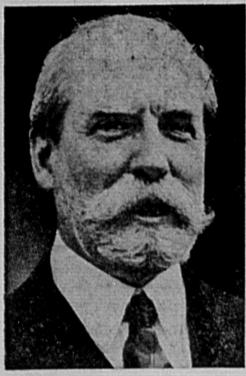
-Weekly News Analysis-Federal Insurance Supervision May Follow Committee Probe By Joseph W. La Bine-

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst, and not necessarily

Business

As counsel for a New York state legislative insurance committee, Charles Evans Hughes made a name for himself in 1906 uncovering what he thought to be irregularities. The chief Hughes fear: That insurance company resources were so large as to make conservative, responsible management increasingly difficult. The Hughes remedy: Federal supervision of insurance invest-

Since 1906 Mr. Hughes has risen to the U.S. Supreme court and may have changed his mind. At least



CHARLES EVANS HUGHES The sins are now quadrupled.

nothing has been done about it and the vast insurance fund has quadrupled. Whereas Mr. Hughes suggested limiting new policies to \$150,000,000 a year per company, some now write \$2,000,000,000 a year. prisingly wide field. Samples: Government securities, \$4,500,000,000; railroads, \$3,000,000,000; farm mortgages and corporation securities, \$2,000,000,000; state, county and city bonds, \$1,500,000,000.

If this business was worth investigating 23 Years ago it is even more vulnerable today. Just started in Washington is a 12-month probe by the temporary national economic committee, headed by Wyoming's Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney and better known as the "monopoly investigating committee." Chiming in is William O. Douglas' Securities and Exchange commission. Pertinent question marks include (1) what influence insurance investments exert on U. S. money markets, banks, railroads, etc.; (2) how insurance executives are chosen; torates between insurance firms and

Though the monopoly committee has often reiterated that it is not | This clears the way for Pan-Amerihunting witches, and although Mr. Douglas maintains he only wants to bring the Hughes report up to date, there is a good chance of new legislation providing federal regulation | France, is a service from New York over all interstate insurance busi- to Paris via London. ness. This would supplement state supervision now in effect.

Adding to their discomfort is the demand by Montana's Sen. Burton | new 42-ton clipper boats, largest K. Wheeler that insurance companies take a greater hand in helping reorganize U.S. railroads. The Wheeler charge: That present insurance company negotiations with | make one flight a week in each dicarriers feature repeated concessions to investment bankers at the expense of bondholders. But if rail aid presents as many obstacles as insurance men claim, the probable solution of this problem will not be a federal whipping post for insurance companies but revision in the railroad reorganization statute.

Spain

The fate of Britain and France marched with Rebel Generalissimo Francisco Franco into Barcelona, tagging along as he pushed northward through the rest of Catalonia to shut off an important sector in the two and one-half year old civil war. No sooner had Loyalist President Manuel Azana fled to Paris than peace rumors began. The probability is that President Azana

Wives in the News

GANDHI - Mrs. Kasturibhai Gandhi, "faithful, silent" wife of India's Mohandas K. Gandhi, has been arrested for participating in a civil disobedience campaign.

FLEGENHEIMER - Mrs. Arthar Flegenheimer, widow of New York's late policy racketeer, "Dutch Schultz" Flegenheimer, testified she saw her husband in conference with James J. Hines, Tammany leader who is accused of selling protection.

MOONEY-Mrs. Rena Mooney. wife of California's ex-Convict her husband's reported attempt to divorce her.

was ready to surrender, but not Premier Juan Negrin. His terms: (1) elimination of foreigners from Spain; (2) a plebiscite by the Spanish people to decide their future form of government; (3) no reprisals on either side. Those terms having apparently been rejected by the Insurgents, Premier Negrin prepared to fight to the finish in the large southeastern section of Spain

his government still holds. Anglo-French concern over the Spanish war may be expected to grow daily until that conflict is ended. As a last chance for peace with security, London and Paris jumped on the bandwagon for Negrin's plan, realizing these terms held a scant promise that Spain might emerge from the war as a sympathetic nation, rather than as a tool for Italy and Germany.

But it would obviously be foolhardy for the Fascist governments to accept peace with partial victory when a full victory is so near. That accomplished, France will have totalitarian neighbors on three sides (Spain, Italy, Germany) and will be ripe for plucking by Mussolini. It is significant that Italian territorial claims against France are being held up until the war is over.

But the approach of this French-Italian struggle draws Paris closer to Britain each day. Before the house of commons, British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain has promised full military support in case France is involved in war.

Aviation

U. S. and British airliners have been hopping the Atlantic in test flights for two years, planning to start London-New York service simultaneously next summer. Last fall a reciprocal agreement was signed but the English, piqued because the U.S. refused to let Imperial airways ships land at Honolulu, shrank back in a pout. Anxious to start transatlantic service this year regardless of the British attitude, the U.S. opened negotiations with Paris and immediately Today there are \$110,000,000,000 arranged Paris-New York flights via worth of policies in effect and in- the long Azores route. Meanwhile surance investments cover a sur- the British announced they would inaugurate independent service

> But the Americans showed themselves better diplomatic pilots than



TRANSATLANTIC CLIPPER To London by March 31?

their English friends. Anxious lest London be left off U. S. transat-(3) possibility of interlocking direc- lantic schedules, the British government has waived the treaty provision calling for a simultaneous start by U. S. and British planes. can airways ships to start between March 15 and 31. Probable settlement, now that the U.S. holds agreements with both Britain and

Already undergoing observation flights for the civil aeronautics authority is one of Pan-American's practical ship yet built. Carrying more than 50 passengers, complete even to a highly-publicized "bridal suite," the new clippers would rection at the start. Later, with more ships and experience, three weekly trips will be booked.

People

Demonstrated at Washington by Laurens Hammond, Chicago inventor, a "novacord" piano-type instrument which reproduces sounds of most string and brass instruments. · Signed at Mexico City, by Cuba's

Col. Fulgencio Batista and Mexico's Lazaro Cardenas, a pact to "defend democracy."

· Died at Washington, D. C., Frederick Steiwer, 55-year-old retired U. S. senator from Oregon, and 1936 G. O. P. keynoter at Cleveland.

Pan-America German trade with Brazil grew

by leaps and bounds last year thanks to the barter system, ie., German purchases were paid for with "askimarks," which could be redeemed only by taking German goods in return. An upshot of December's Pan-American conference was the realization that something must be done to safeguard U. S. trade with Brazil, crowded into second place by the aggressive Reich in 1938. Just arrived in Washington is Dr. Oswaldo Aranha, Brazilian foreign minister, for conversations expected to have four significant results: (1) U. S. financial assistance to Brazil via congressional loan, credits to American merchants or stabilization of Brazilian currency; Tom Mooney, promises to fight | (2) redivision of the world cotton market; (3) increase of U. S. sales | ries about the man who has come to Brazil; (4) examination of muth- to the conclusion that there is no al defense problems. al defense problems.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

• Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for February 19

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LESSON TEXT-Amos 6:1-6; I Peter 2:11, 12: 4:1-5.
GOLDEN TEXT—It is good neither to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor anything whereby thy brother stumbleth.—Romans 14:21.

"Hazards in the use of alcohol in a machine age"-this is the topic assigned for our lesson today. It is a good one and worthy of the careful thought of every intelligent citizen. With automobiles alone killing over a hundred persons a day, and the obvious connection between alcohol and death on the highway, we might say much about the folly of trying to cut down traffic accidents while we are licensing more and more "taverns" along the road to fill the drivers with the destructive stuff.

There is much that might be said about the social havoc that is being wrought by alcohol. It is bad enough that a man pays 25 cents for a drink, but even worse, that he gives 25 minutes of his life for each indulgence. But the liquor industry covers that up under a mask of festivity, making booze look like a desirable adjunct to congenial and successful living. It does not picture the bleary eye and the babbling tongue of the drinker, nor does it present the broken-hearted mother, the devastated home, the ragged children, and the empty cupboard. Liquor is one of America's major

problems. Let us face it. The Scripture portions assigned for our lesson rightly emphasize fundamentals, the first being a call to awake from a false sense of security, the second emphasizing that this is a spiritual battle, and the third pointing the way of victory as being in holy living.

I. Foolish Security When Surrounded by Danger (Amos 6:1-6).

Surprise attack is always effective. Satan would lull us all to sleep in the assurance that "God's in his heaven-all's well with the world." God is in heaven and it is certain that ultimately He will reign over all, but just now the world is in the hands of the Wicked One (I. John 5:19).

The people of Amos' day, to whom the message was addressed, had come to the point where prosperity had made them at ease when they should have been active, foolishly secure when they should have been sacrificially serving their fellow men who were in need. The picture is astonishingly up-to-date. Today in our own land the Gold Coast and the slums rub elbows, but few of those who have plenty are concerned about those who have not. In the eyes of most people the purpose of gaining possessions is to relieve one from the necessity of work and to enable one to evade life's responsibilities.

America needs to awaken to its dangers, and we repeat that not the least of these is the liquor question. We must either win a victory over it, or it will destroy our people.

II. Spiritual Warfare-While at Peace with God (I. Pet. 2:11, 12). "Fleshly lusts, which war against the soul" (v. 11) are the object of serious concern on the part of every sincere Christian. There is a battle on, and the enemy of our soul knows how to make the abuse of the normal impulses and appetites of man his strong ally. The rush of modern life, the increasing use of stimulants, both natural and artificial, the very luxury in which many live, these things tend to give the flesh and its desires undue prominence, and not infrequently cause even God's children to fall into sin.

We are called to a holy warfare, but that does not mean that we live in a constant turmeil. We are, after all, pilgrims and strangers in this world. Our citizenship is in heaven (Phil. 3:20) though we live on earth. In the heart we have peace, and that enables us to fight a good fight against the world, the flesh, and the devil.

III. Doing the Will of God in a Self-willed World (I. Pet. 4:1-5).

Essentially there are two opposing principles operative in the lives of men-we either are controlled by God's will, or by self-will. The flesh is really man's personality controlled by his own self-will. It resufts in the kind of life described in verses 2 and 3. When a man becomes a Christian he should move over into the will of God.

Such a man may be regarded as strange, but as a matter of fact. men will recognize his godliness (see I. Pet. 2:12). Dr. Will H. Houghton tells of "a soldier who ultimately was made a Christian believer through seeing his companions make fun of another soldier, who was a believer in Christ. The thing that impressed him was the fact that though they made fun of this man, they left their money in his possession for safekeeping!" Do we have that kind of a testimony?

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gestion was that Ruth occasionally

promise she would give that up.

of Mrs. Stuyvesant, but she won't

be dictated to. The flare-up be-

well, I rather encouraged Ruth to

tic by the fear of losing her. I

would have lost her completely if

she had gone with the Stuyvesants.

friendship would have tapered off.

"Ruth finally admitted that she

wasn't keen on going to Mrs. Stuy-

pause. "She said she would rather

live with me. She said she would

added that Casper was getting pret-

long she could stand his bad man-

ners and the suspicious way he had

of looking at her. I had hardly

thought of Joan's legacy for two

years. After that I-I remembered

"My God," Hale groaned. The

interview was a growing nightmare.

He could no longer convince himself

that it was taking place. "So last summer you began to-to-"

shared his dislike of putting the mat-

ter into words. "I began very early

this last spring. I gave Joan a few

doses, as-well, an experiment. I

didn't do any more about it until we

came here. I thought it was safer

here. I was so ignorant about such

things that I didn't know how to

proceed. I got books and read about

the effects of different kinds of poi-

sons, in small doses, over a long

period. One book described the ef-

fects of bichloride of mercury, but

it said they varied in different per-

it took a lot. I got the stuff from

Jim Haines. I told him I wanted it

lieved me. Then I experimented

Hale asked the question under his

"On Joan, of course, with very liv

"On the two cats? And on Joan's

Pekinese?" Rex jerked out the ques-

tion after a moment of stupefaction.

large, and the effect too sudden. I

learned to be more careful. You

see, I had to get the effect the

book described-a very gradual

breaking down of health-a natur-

Rex got up and moved around the

room. He felt that if he sat still

any longer and listened to that flat

voice going on and on and on with

its horrible tale he would do some-

thing desperate. He turned back at

last, plunged his hands in his pock-

ets, and faced Miss Hosanna. For

a long moment they looked at each

other in silence. Then, as she be-

gan to speak again, Rex raised a

"Don't tell me any more about it," he said. "I think I've got it

"Yes," she agreed. "I think you

have. You see," she added, "I didn't

(TO BE CONTINUED)

"No, you didn't kill her."

"Yes. But the doses were too

tle doses, several days or more apart. On animals, too," Miss Ho-

"Experimented? How?"

very cautiously.

sanna said simply.

al-looking effect."

"No." Miss Hosanna evidently

tween them gave me my chance. I-

CHAPTER X-Continued

"And I'm quite sure," continued Hale, "you were not asleep, Miss Hosanna, when you tried to pour some of this poison into Joan Kneeland's water bottle.'

The color in her face changed to a bluish white. Her hot eyes, which had met the steady look of his up till now, turned aside.

"That's a terrible thing for you to say," she muttered.

"It is. It's a terrible thing for you to do. In fact, this is the most terrible hour of my life, Miss Hosanna. I can't imagine anything that could ever happen to me that I would feel more. Joan in such danger-and you! Lately I have begun to suspect almost everyone else in the house of trying to hurt Joan. Never for one second have I suspected you. I trusted you absolutely. I haven't realized it till now, butwell-the fact is, I was awfully fond of you. And all the time-"

"You don't understand."

Miss Hosanna stood up, but her body sagged and her voice had the flatness of utter exhaustion.

"No one has been poisoning Joan," she said. "You can't prove any of the wild things you're saying. But I'll talk to you about them in the morning. I can't talk any more tonight."

She half turned to leave, but Hale's imperative gesture stopped

"You can't go, Miss Hosanna," he said almost gently. "The door is locked and I have the key in my pocket. Sit down, please."

She did not obey. She stood looking at him in silence. He kept his seat and went on.

"I can prove what I'm saying. I took this bottle of poison from your hands. A minute before that I interrupted you by opening Miss Joan's door just when you were about to put some of its contents into her drinking water."

"You will have to explain to me, ing Joan's door at one o'clock in the morning."

he had done. At his sudden change of expression she smiled. The smile was like the look in her eyes-something from which he turned away. "That gives you something to think about, doesn't it?" she asked

"Yes, it does. I'm thinking of how desperate you must be, Miss Hosanna, to say such a thing. But I can prove my charges all right, and without hurting Joan. This wasn't your first visit to her room at night. You have been there before. She recognized you and was horribly frightened by your looks and your actions. She told me about

the visit the next day." Miss Hosanna did not speak, Hale gave her time to get the full effect of his words and went on.

"Tonight, over the telephone, just before I came upstairs, I received a message from a leading New York analyst. He reported to me that the specimen of milk I had sent him for analysis contained a dose of the same poison you have in this bottle. I took that specimen from the milk in Joan's thermos bottle, which Rose had brought up to Joan's room by your order to Jane. I had confiscated that thermos bottle."

"You would confiscate it," Miss Hosanna said dully. "From the first you have interfered with everything and everybody here."

She dropped back into her chair, not as if she wanted to but as if she could stand no longer.

Hale nodded. "I have interfered," he admit-ted. "I've interfered with saddists and extortionists and malpractitioners. Now I'm interfering with a would-be killer. Do you understand that, Miss Hosanna? I'm preventing

Suddenly, as she sat there before him in silence, his self-control gave

"Oh, for God's sake!" he broke ut. "Why did you do it? How could you do it? The girl you were trying to murder was your own niece, your brother's child. What had you against her? What had she done to you? If you can explain it do so, in God's name. I'm going off my head under the shock of this. Anyone else I could handle. But you—you—" He ended with the despairing gulp of a small boy. "I tell you I was getting fond of you! I felt almost as if you were taking the place of my mother."

As if the words had been a sort of invocation, Miss Hosanna's manner my heart. It needed warming. By changed again. She threw out both hands, palms upward, in a strange Not one of the family cared for me, hands, palms upward, in a strange gesture of acceptance.

As if rallying her courage for the familiar proud gesture.

"You ask me what my niece has ever done to me," she began. "My anything to me. She has never done always got along. She has given me

anything for me, either, though she could have changed my whole life with a few strokes of her pen. At She stopped definitely now, as if took heroin. She wanted Ruth to Christmas time and on my birthdays she gives me a new dress, or a wrist watch, or a pin, and I'm expected to be touchingly grateful. At Christmas time and on my birthdays my brother hands me a ten dollar bill or perhaps a twenty dollar bill, if he's feeling generous. These doles from him and from her are all I have in the world. They are all I've ever had, since my father and mother died and I was left dependent on my brother. Casper and Joan have about a million dollars each. I've worked and slaved for Casper since father and mother died. I could have got a situation then. I could have supported myself and lived a self-respecting life. But Casper's wife, Julia, never liked housekeeping. As soon as they came East they said they needed me to run their houses. So I have run their houses."

She stopped an instant, drew a deep breath, and went on.

"I endured their selfishness and indifference. I never knew what it was to have a penny of my own. Casper thinks he's a wonderful brother. Isn't he giving me a home, and three meals a day? Isn't he supporting me in comfort while others work out in the world? He thinks I'm quivering with gratitude, but I hate him. I've always hated him. He has made me a beggar in his home. While his wife was living I was worse than that. She needed me; but during the last years of her life she hated me, and she let me see it twenty-four hours a day. By that time it was too late for me to get an outside job. I was caught."

There was a short pruse. Hale did not speak. Miss Hosanna glanced at him once, lowered her eyes, and went on.

"Still, if it hadn't been for Ruth I would have left Casper long ago. I would have taken a job in someone's kitchen, if I had to. But after Julia died Casper let me have Ruth and to others, why you were open- here a good deal. Even that wasn't done for me. She amused him, at first. He doesn't like her now, and Miss Hosanna spoke as quietly as he lets her know it. In the beginning Ruth enjoyed being here. She likes comfort and luxury, and Casper will always loosen up on anything that makes a show, close as he is. Anything he gave to me didn't show, so why should he give me anything? That's the way he looked at it." The bitterness of the low voice was indescribable.

"But-why are you taking out

your hatred on Joan?" "Don't interrupt me, please." Miss Hosanna spoke with sudden dignity. "You wanted an explanation. You're getting it. Now keep quiet and try to take it in. I'm coming to Joan. When I heard she was to live with Casper-that was eight years ago-I was glad. I thought things would be different, especially as she grew older. I wanted to mother her. I even thought she might love me. I thought she would see my position and understand it. I was sure she would help me. I had dreams of a possible income, however small. She had so much! But-well, she never thought of such a thing as helping me. Perhaps it wasn't her fault. She simply stepped into the picture and things went on exactly as they had always gone. She is never unkind to me, of course. But she is as remote as the stars. She gives me an occasional present, as I've said. That's all. She hardly realizes that I'm on earth. When I'm desperate for a few dollars I can always go to Cass. He is surprised when I'm driven to it, and he shows it. He can't understand why I need money, when I have such a good home!" Her lips curled and the words ended almost in a

"I don't want to interrupt again, Miss Hosanna," Hale interjected 'But I stfll can't understand why you are taking out all your resentment on Joan.

"I'm telling you, if you will keep quiet," Miss Hosanna said wearily. She went on more slowly, as if now dragging forth her words by sheer

"Three years ago I learned from Casper's pompous talk that he had made a new will.

"I thought perhaps he had left me something. That shows how hopeful I was, even then! If he had I wouldn't have much chance of getting it, of course. I'm only two years younger than he is. Butwell, the knowledge that he had thought of me might have warmed or paid the slightest attention to "Then I will explain," she said me. They merely looked on me as quietly. "'I'll have to, later. I might a useful machine around the house, as well do it now." cer Forbes, but I know I'm only a ordeal she raised her head in her habit with her. She likes me as much as she likes anyone, though, and she has lived long enough to appreciate unselfish devotion. That's answer is that she has never done all I ask. We get along. We've

to give Hale another chance to interrupt. He did not take it, and she | That made Ruth furious. She's fond continued.

"I knew Casper's will was in his safe. I have the combination. Well, purely as a matter of curiosity, I opened the safe and read my broth- take the heroin. I was driven franer's will. It ran true to Casper's form. He did not leave me a penny. Neither had my other brother, who had just as much money, left me I'd have seen her at first, but the anything. John ignored me entirely. I suppose he assumed that Casper was generous with me. Generous!" She laughed, and Hale shuddered.

"Well," she continued, "in his will Casper commended his dear sister to his son's care. He explained that he was sure that Herbert would always give me a good home. After all my work for him, he left me dependent for the rest of my life, in my old age and helplessness, on the charity and the caprices of the wife and children Bert will have some day."

"You've been abominably treated, Miss Hosanna," Rex muttered. "But I don't see yet where—"

"Where Joan comes in? You will. Joan had made a will at the same time Casper did. He advised it, and Mr. Phelps prepared both wills. I read her will without much interest, and with absolutely no hope of being remembered in it. But Joan had come up against the discovery that she had a small family and a large fortune. Her few relatives, except myself, didn't need any extra money. She left the bulk of her fortune to Bert. Because she didn't know what to do with the rest of it, she left a hundred thousand dollars to me! I think Mr. Phelps had suggested it."

She stopped and looked at Hale. He stared back at her.

"And because she did that," he brought out slowly, "you tried to kill her!"

"I did." She made the confession | for household use and I think he bewith perfect calmness.

"There wasn't a chance in a million that I'd ever get the money in a natural way. She's a young girl. I'm a middle-aged woman. Besides, as soon as she marries her will must be changed and all her money will go to her husband and children. She would never leave me a hundred thousand, with them in the offing. I knew that.

"Just the same," she went on quickly, as Hale tried to speak, "I didn't do anything about it till last summer. Then Ruth told me that Mrs. Stuyvesant had tentatively asked her to come and live with her as companion and secretary. The situation was a sinecure. Ruth's no good as an aid to anyone, and no one knows it better than Mrs. Stuyvesant. But she's a lonely woman and she's really devoted to Ruth. So there was a little income attached to the offer."

Hale's lips parted, but Miss Hosanna's expression checked his

"You've been talking pretty steadily ever since you came to Halcyon gan to speak Camp," she told him grimly. "Can't shaking hand. you listen for half an hour?" Hale flushed and nodded.

"Then I'll soon finish." She went on in the same flat voice, from which all vitality seemed to

"The matter was not settled. Mrs. Stuyvesant confessed that the only

Old Indian Mission in Michigan Built From Timber Dragged to Site by Oxen

of northern Michigan's most important historic spots, will be preserved the windows, doors, and trim, as a perpetual exhibit if plans by the Charlevoix board of commerce and the county board of supervisors are successful, states a correspondent in the Detroit Free Press. Originally, Greensky hill was a

council place of the Indians, who planted a council ring of trees to mark the site of their powwows. To prevent the trees from being cut for timber by the encroaching white men, the Indians bent them to the ground and tied them with basswood thongs, rendering them unfit for lumber. The symbolic purpose of the planting of the trees was to demonstrate the pledge that, as long as the trees grew and bore leaves, the tribes would remain at peace with one another.

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Greensky Hill Indian mission, one | used in construction which were brought from another place were which were brought from Traverse city by dugout canoes, and transported up the steep hills on the backs of the Indians. No bell was available, so a huge conch shell was blown to call the Indians to worship.

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Perfumed Rainbows An idea which exists in some

country districts is that there is an odor attached to a rainbow. The belief is really very ancient and is mentioned by Pliny and Aristotle. Of course there is no smell about a rainbow, and the origin of the be-lief is probably to be explained in by Indians who had embraced Christianity, Peter Greensky was sent miliar with the increase of scent given off by plants, shrubs, and trees on a warm day after the rain has been newly washed by heavy rain. This state of affairs would often naturally coincide with the appearance of the rainbow. Hence people jumped to the conclusion that the odor which they noted must be caused by the rainbow, when, as a matter of fact, says the Montreal Herald, it had nothing to were dragged into place by Peter | do with the wonderful arch in the

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If you live in drouthy sections vesant," she continued after another or if your flower beds are on welldrained soil in full sun, try the live with me. She said she would following: Annuals — abronia, feel more independent She even ageratum, alyssum procumbens, said she would ask nothing better arctotis, calliopsis, candytuft, cosfor the rest of her life. But she mos, four o'clock, lupin texensis, petunia, portulaca, sunflower, verty brusque and she didn't know how bena, and zinnia; perennialscoreopsis and hollyhock.



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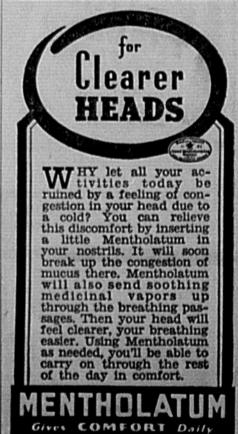
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> CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB HOST TO DAUGHTER CLUBS

On Saturday evening, February 11 the Civic and Culture Club was hostess to both the Junior Civic and Culture Club and the Daughters of the bock, Lynn counties. Balance long Fioneer Study Club, in the home of

Mrs. R. O. Hayes, Mrs. Joe E. Webb at 4 per cent interest. J. A. Jaymes and Mrs. J. C. Jenkins were assistant hostesses. The home was beautifully decorated with pot plants and Valentine motifs.

> Mrs. R. H. Todd, president of the Civic and Culture Club, gave a very beautiful welcome address to the memers of the two visiting clubs.

> After which the club proceeded with its usual program, which was the annual Bible program.

Mrs. James Rayburn was leader for the evening. She gave an unusually beautiful and impressive review of the Bible.

Mrs. Lee Green gave the Club Collect, which is the universal prayer of women's clubs. She told of the life of Miss Mary Stewart, the author of this promer.

Mrs. E. N. Pickens had charge of the music on the program. At the beginning of the meeting she led the en--tire group in singing the beautiful old hymn, "O, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing My Great Redeemer's Praise" by Charles Wesley, with Mrs. Raymond Johnson at the piano; later in the evening she and Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Butler sang, "One Sweetly Solmn Thought." Miss Ramsey ac-

companying at the piano. The program was closed with Mrs. Butler singing The Lord's Prayer; Miss Ramsey again at the piano.

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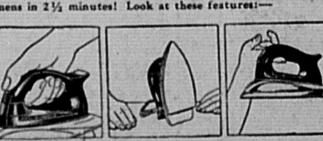
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Miss Billy Rust was hostess to the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Baptist Church at her home Monday evening, February 13.

A short business meeting was held with the President, Opal Moseley, in charge. Then the program for the evening on "Prayer" was given by June Keys, Marian Meading, Esther Mae Ward, and Louise Payne.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR

RETO JO ADKINS

friends to celebrate the ninth birthday stead home this past Sunday.

MISS RUST HOSTESS TO Y. W. A. of her daughter Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 15th.

Many games were played indoors,

and refreshments, using a pink, and white color scheme, were served from linen covered table, centered with the candle-lighted cake flanked by pink candles in white holders. Plate favors for the boys were china pipes and for the girls, china pincushions.

Dr. Salsbury's Poultry Remedies at Eaves Produce.

Mrs. W. S. Grinstead, Posey, is recuperating nicely from the serious Mrs. Dick Adkins, mother of little burns suffered recently. Mr. and Mrs. Reta Jo Adkins, entertained a host of Bevis Hanna were guests in the Grin-

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RICE 2	lb pkg W	hite House	12½c

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Golden Crown _ 24 lb__ 54c \$1.03 Guaranteed 48 lb 22c PEANUT BUTTER quart 18c quart

SALAD DRESSING 124c **STRAWBERRIES** pint box 5c **GRAPE FRUIT** 3 for

- MARKET SPECIALS

421/2c STEAK young and tender 10c OLEO per pound 1212c CHEESE per pound

per lb; whole All 5 to 6 lb average