

## C. H. LEDGER---A MAN OF GOD ---HOLDS WONDERFUL REVIVAL

"THE GREATEST REVIVAL I EVER SAW"—SAYS PASTOR CALLAWAY WHO HAS BEEN PREACHING FORTY-TWO YEARS. SINGER DESERVES MUCH CREDIT

As was told in last weeks issue of this paper, Rev. C. H. Ledger and Pastor J. P. Callaway have been holding a revival meeting in Tahoka since July 5th.

Unlike most evangelists that have preached in Tahoka for the past several years Bro. Ledger preached "Old Time Religion" straight from the Bible. He has never berated us for our indifference nor condemned us for our failings. As John of old he came saying "The voice of one crying in the wilderness, pre-paring the way of the Lord, make his paths straight." "And saying repent ye for the Kingdom of God is at hand." There has been much prayer from the beginning of the meeting and the righteous have walked with God.

That prayer has been answered there has been an abundance of evidence. At the first of the meeting it was laid upon Bro. Callaway to pray for 100 conversions; this number was reached Wednesday night of this week. There was a prayer list made up the first of the meeting, all have been saved but a few and those have come for prayer; and mind you this, this list had on it the names of some of the hardest men in town to reach. One worker at the Wednesday morning service asserted that all on her prayer list except one had crossed over into God's service and that she still held on with a faith unshakable that she would be saved—that soul was brought to God at a twilight service at the parsonage Wednesday by the faith of her friends.

Sunday will be the 22nd day of the meeting and whether or not it will close Sunday night will rest with God. Should He impress his workers to continue it be carried onward to such a time as He may direct.

Day by day during the last week the tide rose as does the river in the spring until Sunday morning the crest of the wave swept over the congregation and they were borne upward and off of their feet and swung out on the promises of our Saviour, Jesus Christ, the only begotten son of God, our father, who came into this world, died and was buried and on the third day was raised from the dead that "whosoever should believe on him should not perish but have life everlasting." Soul were saved without the usual sermon and souls cried unto God in dead earnest. Those close to God had "tarried at Jerusalem" and the power from on high was there. Men and women shouted and strong men sought peace at the hand of God. Sunday night was a great service. Monday morning the pent up tide again broke bounds and swept the meeting off of its feet without a sermon, and God wrought mightily on the souls of men.

Rev. Ledger preached Monday night on "Man, a free moral agent." He preached the greatest sermon of the according to our way of thinking; in commenting on it afterwards he said, "For once in my life I swung clear and preach with all my soul and every plug struck fire." Men forgave bitter quarrels; some won thru to the glory side; others went away

still seeking and asking the prayers of those who held the hand of God.

Tuesday morning Bro. Callaway went to Lubbock in answer to a message received the evening before and left Bro. Ledger and Bro. Forte, the singer, to "kill the meeting as it did not seem to show signs of stopping." It was a killing to equal the one the Lord gave Samson at the time of his death. Bro. Ledger preached from the 23rd Psalm and the heart strings of people were touched, people were stired as they were never stired before and depths were revealed that each long though had been closed for ever or never existed. To the strains of that hymn, "I'll Go With Him All the Way" over a score took a solemn pledge that should the Lord lay his hand upon them they would go with him whether to the ministry, the foreign field or anywhere in His service. As two stanzas were repeated James Crie and Guy Shook stepped out and acknowledged their call to the ministry. It was then words failed and people spoke by the grip of a hand. It cannot be described on paper, nor can the tongue tell it; you must be there and feel your own heart throb, then you will know.

Bro. Ledger finished his work here Thursday night and left this (Friday) morning for Slaton at which place he will begin a revival meeting tonight. May the Lord be with him and bless him as abundantly as he did here is our earnest prayer.

Last but not least we mention one who God alone can reward sufficiently. We speak of Bro. Forte, the singer. For nearly three weeks he has led two services a day and the last two weeks the night services have been in the open air, yet he still sings with the same vigor and spirit as at first; really it seems as his spirit has increased for verily he is a man of God.

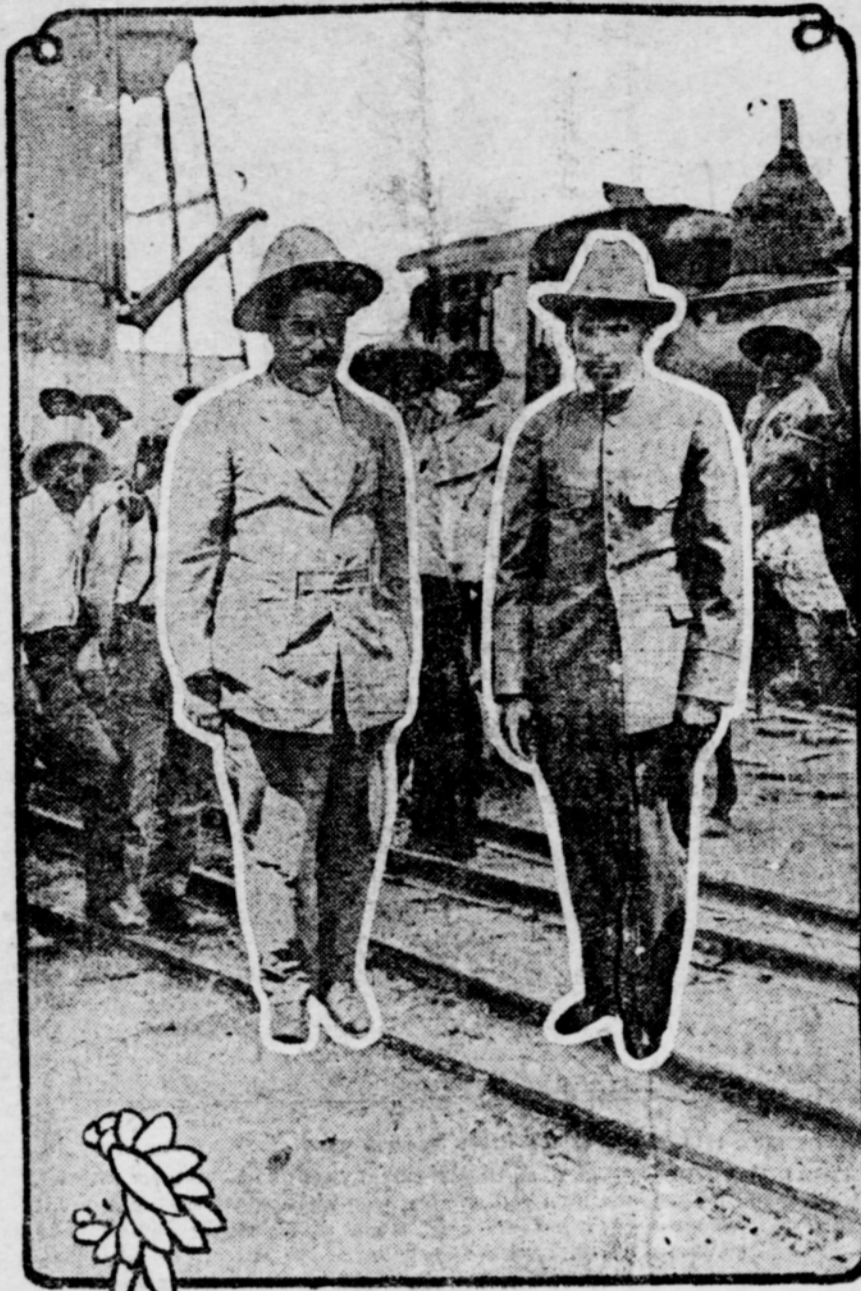
Bro. Callaway will in all probability close the meeting Sunday as he must attend quarterly conference at Slaton Monday.

This has been the greatest meeting in the history of the town, the foundation of hell has been shaken and the curtain has been withdrawn and people have seen the glory of the New Jerusalem, whose builder and maker is God. Prayer alone is responsible. People lingered at the Mercy seat until they could lay down personalities and creeds and then the victory came.

**ELECTION BULLETIN BOARD.**  
Arrangements have been made with the telephone company to report full election returns for the District and State at large, every half hour, and we will have full county returns as soon as the votes are counted. Come and watch the Bulletin on the board in front of the Parkhurst Broken \$ Store at the corner of Main and Porterfield Streets.

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## Two Leading Mexican Generals Active Against the Federals



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**A**FFAIRS in Mexico continue in a deplorably muddled state. General Villa and General Carranza are at one moment reported at odds and again they are as friendly as turtles, and General Angeles, the rebel artillery chief, is alternately reported as successor of Carranza and as the victim of one of Villa's execution parties. The illustration shows General Villa and General Angeles as they appeared just before the recent battle at Zacatecas, which was captured by the rebel forces. In the background is one of Villa's supply trains.



Photo by American Press Association.

## Aeroplanes, Gaining Speed, Will Circle Poles of Earth In Five Years' Time

By Rear Admiral ROBERT E. PEARY, U. S. N.,  
Retired

**I**N FIVE YEARS' TIME AEROPLANES WILL circle the poles of the earth. Aeroplanes have already attained a speed of one hundred and thirty miles an hour and have made continuous flights lasting sixteen hours. Put the average speed of the future aeroplane at a hundred miles an hour and its ability for continued flight at sixteen hours and an aeronaut could make the round trip to the pole from Etah or cross the polar basin from Cape Columbia to Chelyuskin between the rising hour and bedtime.

He could not descend, of course, unless he had a hydroplane, for there he would encounter only sea water or floes, the surface of which is of water saturated snow, not permitting him to set off again after once alighting.

**A**T THE SOUTH POLE, ON THE CONTRARY, HE COULD LAND, FOR THERE THE POLE IS SURROUNDED BY A PLATEAU OF FIRM SNOW. THE TRIP MIGHT BE MADE IN AUGUST OR JULY, STARTING FROM ETAH OR CAPE COLUMBIA, AND THE AVIATOR WOULD FIND A TEMPERATURE PERHAPS NOT BELOW THE FREEZING POINT AND CERTAINLY NOT DOWN TO ZERO. IN OTHER WORDS, IT WOULD NOT BE BELOW WHAT AVIATORS HAVE EXPERIENCED IN ALTITUDE FLIGHTS. IN FACT, TEMPERATURE WOULD NOT ENTER INTO THE PROPOSITION AT ALL.

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**Nominations Close August 11, 1914**

## PEOPLE BEGIN TO LINE UP IN RACE FOR TRIP TO FAIR

**I**NSPITE OF THE FACT THAT POLITICS ARE WARM AND SATURDAY IS ELECTION, CONTESTANTS ARE ALREADY 'LECTIONEERING FOR SUPPORT

Below we give the list of contestants up-to-date:  
Miss Vivian Bouchelle, Tahoka.  
Miss Pauline Ramsey,  
Miss Viola Roberts,  
Mrs. Clarence Keever,  
Miss Ruth Finch,  
Miss Lura Howell,  
Miss Linnie Cowan,  
Miss Iva Cowan,  
Miss Neina Bell Donaldson,  
Miss Bonnie Bennett O'Donnell  
Mrs. W B Bishop, Tahoka.  
Miss Ima Baldrige,  
Miss Orene Millman,

Miss Fay Gooch,  
Miss Vera Noble.  
Miss Willie Denton,  
Miss Mattie Dyer,  
Miss Alice McIntire,  
Miss Agnes Campbelle,  
Mrs. Will Estes, New Home.  
Miss Ada Estes,  
Miss Eula Yates, Tahoka.  
Miss Mable Harris, O'Donnell.  
Miss Rosa Cone,  
Miss Cryte Wright, Tahoka.  
Miss Thelma Davidson,  
Mrs. Belle Wells,  
Miss Eria Littlepage,  
Miss Zettie Crouch,  
Miss Imo Anthony,  
Miss Alta Davis,  
Miss Linnie Babston,  
Miss Ola Calloway,  
Mrs. C. H. Cain,  
Miss Minnie Mosley,  
Mrs. M. M. Herring.

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### Pride Dots.

Hello, Mr. Editor, How are you after the good rains? They were sure fine here and crops look dandy, but we are having a great battle between the farmers and weeds.

Health is very good in this part of the community.

Mrs. Webber returned home last week from Pyote, where she has been visiting her father-in-law.

Mrs. Foster, from Nebraska, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Epperson for the last week. She and her son, Chester, who has been with Mr. Epperson for a year, left Wednesday for Sligo, where they will spend the summer with Mrs. Foster's uncle, Judge Cunningham. They were accompanied by Mr. T. J. Fullerton.

Mr. Epperson is slowly improving but is yet very feeble and is not able to be out any.

J. H. Cathey and nieces, Misses Blanch and Nevia Cathey, visited Misses Minnie and Katie Bryant last Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Simmons visited her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Russell, this week.

C. H. Martin was called to Lamesa last Saturday to attend the burial of Judge Baker.

J. K. Epperson and Miss Ladora Present went to O'donnell last Saturday on business.

Mrs. J. C. Preston visited her daughter, Mrs. Whit Stafford last Friday night.

Mr. Semore, the phone man, is in the Pride neighborhood putting in phone boxes for Mr. Bud Taylor and Mrs. J. K. Epperson.

Misses Ida and Oriles Turner returned Saturday from Tahoka where they have been attending the summer normal.

The fruit supper at Mr. John Allen's last Saturday night was a splendid success everybody enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

T. J. Mark's brother, who has been visiting him from Utah, returned home last Wednesday.

Grandpa Bailey is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Marks.

Heel Fly.

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Your friends have thought enough of you to nominate you and thereby promise you their support. Will you fail them? Have you as much confidence in yourself as they have in you?

The one that wins will win by honest effort, and there are those in the race that will exert themselves to the limit. We don't say this to frighten you but that you may start even Remember the old adage, "forewarned is fore armed." So if you lose out don't tell the folks you did not know the winner would work as hard as that. Take to it, this is a race strictly on your merits. We are betting on the man that wins.

This list of contestants will be run until August eleventh so that all may know just who is in the race, after the nominations close the contestants will not appear again until the first count is made which will appear in the issue of August 28th. Extra copies of the list will be obtainable however.

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Thursday of last week, while out at the Nevels ranch, Jack Blankenship got thrown from his horse and badly shaken up. The grass is so rank this year that it is almost impossible to see the old prairie dog holes and many riders are being thrown and some being seriously hurt.

**Dr. J. F. Galloway,**  
Dentist, 11-tf  
has returned from his vacation and will be in Tahoka till further notice. 45-tf

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W. N. Hendsen, of Jack County, came in Friday of last week to visit his son Howard Hendersen, of the Tahoka Hdwe. Co.

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I will teach an Expression Class in Tahoka this fall and winter before and after school hours. For terms and particulars, address Miss Kate Gathings, Rotan, Texas. 47-48

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## Announcements

For County and District Clerk.  
**J. W. ELLIOTT.**  
 (re-election)  
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**PAT NORTHCROSS.**

For Tax Assessor.  
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**L. G. PHILLIPS.**

For County Treasurer.  
**C. T. BEARD.**  
**McMILL CLAYTON**  
 (re-election)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector  
**D. T. ROGERS,**  
**F. E. REDWINE**

For County Judge  
**E. A. WHITE**  
**J. L. STOKES**  
 (re-election)

For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District:  
**R. A. SOWDER**  
**G. E. LOCKHART**

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
**H. T. GOOCH**

## Admiral Dewey, Who Is Now Writing His Memoirs

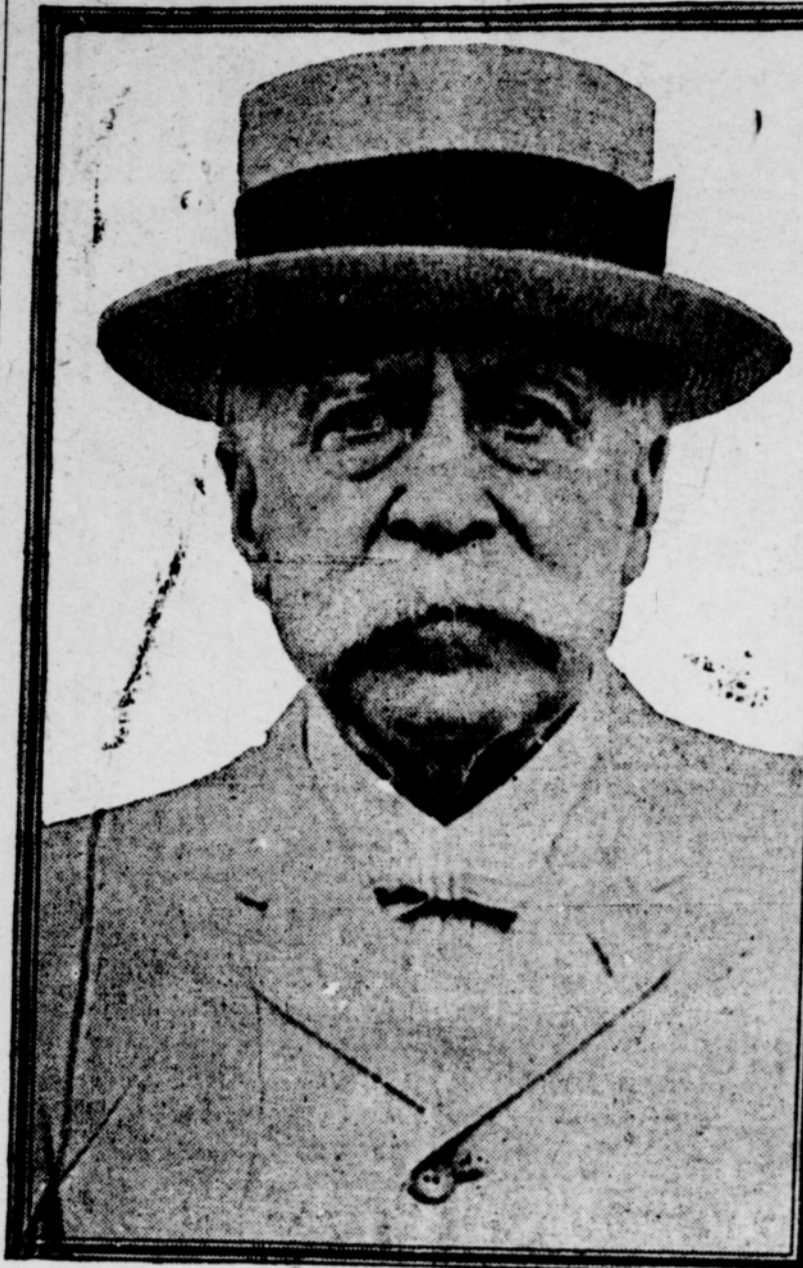


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**A**DMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY, as the accompanying photo, his very latest, shows, is holding his own remarkably well against advancing years. He is now seventy-seven years old. He is spending the summer at Manhattan Beach, New York, as he believes the sea air to be beneficial to him. The admiral is spending his spare time in writing the memoirs of his interesting and varied career afloat and ashore.

## O'Donnell Entertain With Big Barbecue Wednesday—Big Day Is Reported

J. B. Miles, of O'Donnell, was in Monday and gave us a special invitation to come down to their picnic and barbecue Wednesday. We are glad to say that we had an opportunity to accept that invitation. We missed our seat in the stable hack that went so when J. E. Porter, the Nursery Agent, asked us to share his buggy with him we accepted with alacrity. We arrived just in time to hear the wind up of Mr. Lockhart's speech those that heard it said it was worth the mon to hear him and his opponent. Mr. Sowder. We enjoyed Rev. Terry's Tom Ball speech as well as the others who entertained the crowd. Owing to the death of Mr. Phillip's son, the county candidates waived the privilege of speaking.

Space forbids us to tell all we saw and heard and ate, but take this down in your book: O'Donnell is some fine host and they pulled off one grand Jubilee arena. Dinner was there in gigantic heaps. Barbecued beef, goat and mutton, pies, cakes, bread, pickles, and coffee. There was a whole sheep and several pieces of beef left over after the crowd had eaten until they could hold no more.

In the way of amusements they

## Baptist Revival

The Baptist revival meeting will begin in Tahoka Friday night before the first Sunday in August, the same being the last of this month. All christain people of whatever faith or sect are invited to come take hold like brothers in Christ and help clean old Tahoka up, put the Devil to route and take the town for God.

## PROGRAM SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Time of meeting, 7 p. m.  
 Song—"We'll Work Till Jesus Comes."

Prayer by President.  
 Roll Call Answer by scripture vs. Business Session.

Song—"I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go."

Prayer—By Miss Willie Denton.  
 Subject—The Call of God to Men.  
 Scripture reading—Joel I, II,—G. A. Shook.

Song—"Where He Leads Me I Will Follow."

Call to the Ministry—J. Crie.  
 Call to the Foreign Fields—Miss Alta Davis.

Call to the Red Cross—Miss Bessie Crie.

Prayer—Madison Yates.

Song—Selected.

Reading—Miss Lessie Shook.

Benediction.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service and the young people are especially urged to come and take part.—Committee.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. West of East Tahoka, Thursday night, July sixteenth, a boy.

J. T. Owens, of Bonham, was here last week and renewed for the News. He has been here a few days visiting his sister and prospecting incidently. He made the remark that he might be getting his mail at Tahoka before the year was out. His father-in-law was with him and we understand he has bought a place here and will move out in the near future.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
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 FRANK J. CHENEY.  
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## YOUNG PEOPLE ORGANIZE EPWORTH LEAGUE

The young people met at the Methodist church last Sunday evening and organized a Senior Epworth League. Mr. Fort and Brother Ledger acted as organizers. The following officers were elected and commenced their duties:

President—Guy Shook,  
 Secy-Treas., Miss Alta Davis;  
 Era agent, Miss Ola Callaway;  
 First Vice Pres., J. Crie;  
 Sec. Vice Pres., John Thomas;  
 Third and Fourth Vice Presidents, Office consolidated, Miss Bessie Crie.

The League will meet each Sunday evening at seven o'clock. All young people of the town are especially invited to take part at least and we would be glad to have them as members. And if the other churches of the town organize societies that do not conflict with ours we recommend that each member do all in their power to co-operate with them.  
 Committee.

## A Check Book.....

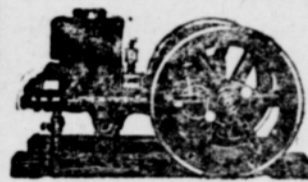
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## Are you a Winner--Your friends will help

Nominees will be found elsewhere in this paper. If someone has thought enough of you to nominate you, get down to work and do your dead level best to win. If you are not in and want in start now--nothing stirring after August 11. If you don't want in pick out a candidate and go to work it is a poor specimen of humanity that doesn't stand for something or somebody. Go to work now and put forth every honest effort to win.

## Polls Open August 11th--Close January 9th

Only a short time--Nations have risen and fell in less--Its plenty of time to win or loss the chance of a life time.

Below are the Rules and Regulation governing the contest. Extra copies may be had a Ketners or Parkhursts

**RULE 1.** The merchants will issue votes as per following schedule, excepting as may hereafter be announced:

- 100 for \$1.00 on cash sales.
- 300 for \$1.00 on the payment of old accounts.
- 100 for \$1.00 in merchandise paid for with due bills.
- 200 for \$1.00 on due bill sold.
- 900 for \$1.00 on bargain or clearance sale.

And votes will be given at the time sales are made only. In reference to issuing votes on old accounts, they may be issued only for the payment of accounts that were incurred prior to this date. Votes will not be given on new charge accounts unless this particular account is paid within thirty days, then votes may be issued

**RULE 2.** Votes will be issued with a time limit and must be cast in the ballot box, provided for that purpose, before the expiration of the time limit. Before casting votes make a record for your own guidance.

In order to facilitate voting you are requested to place your votes in an envelope and seal. Please write on the outside the number of votes the envelope contains and the name of the candidate you desire to vote for.

**RULE 3.** Employees, clerks and relatives of the merchants and newspaper, also schools, churches and secret organizations cannot participate as candidates.

**RULE 4.** Merchant shall in no instance issue votes until such votes have been properly stamped with their firm name. Customers should refuse them otherwise.

**RULE 5.** The soliciting of votes in the merchants' store, in front of store or on premises is prohibited.

**RULE 6.** A vote that is scratched or marked in any manner after it leaves the merchants hands shall be thrown out, providing this defacing should appear that a figure has been tampered with.

**RULE 7.** Four weeks from the opening date, candidates will

no longer be entered, unless by special arrangement with merchant.

**RULE 8.** Everybody is invited to nominate candidates. All that is necessary is to send in the name of any young lady in the community. This will entitle her to 1000 nominating votes and she will be entered as a candidate.

**RULE 9.** Votes are not transferable after being cast  
**RULE 10.** Votes not properly stamped with merchants signature, or votes with time limit expired will not be accepted.

**RULE 11.** A committee selected by the merchants in the contest shall count the votes each week, beginning with the third week and report the result to the newspaper.

**RULE 12.** The Newspaper will issue votes at the rate of 2000 for each dollar on new subscriptions and 1000 for each dollar on renewals and is privileged to print a coupon in the weekly issue for 100 votes, which when clipped and presented at any contest store, will be exchanged for the regular ballot.

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**Few Office Buildings Over Eighteen Stories High That Pay Reasonable Return on Cost**

By **LAWSON PURDY**, President Department Taxes and Assessments, New York City

THE evidence presented to the commission that sat last year was very impressive as to the damage already caused by the erection of buildings of such height and bulk as to restrict light and air and even to cause congestion of persons in the daytime, which the existing streets cannot accommodate. It is a very surprising fact that the number of buildings in the borough of Manhattan more than ten stories high is only 1,048 out of a total of 92,749 buildings when one considers the impression conveyed by the presence of lofty buildings in Manhattan and the damage that has been done by many of the buildings already erected.

IT IS SAID THAT THERE ARE FEW OFFICE BUILDINGS OVER EIGHTEEN STORIES HIGH BELOW CHAMBERS STREET THAT PAY REASONABLE RETURN UPON THE COST OF LAND AND BUILDING. I HAVE SEEN THE EFFECT UPON AN EXISTING BUILDING OF THE

ERECTION OF AN EQUALLY TALL BUILDING NEXT TO IT, SHUTTING OFF ITS LIGHT AND AIR. THE RENTALS ON THE SIDE THUS CLOSED UP WERE REDUCED BY TWO-THIRDS, AND FROM BEING A PROFITABLE INVESTMENT THE BUILDING BECAME DECIDEDLY AN UNPROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

For the sake of the health and safety of the community and for its economic well being we must have in the United States regulations carefully framed by districts which will stabilize values, enhance the value of land and conserve the value of buildings.

**Large Percentage of Women Recklessly Follow Prevailing Fashions Without Knowing Why**

By **Mrs. ROBERT J. BURDETTE**, Addressing Federation of Women's Clubs.

WHETHER CLOTHES WERE FIRST WORN AS AN ORNAMENTAL COVERING OR FOR PROTECTION MATTERS LITTLE, FOR WE SEEM EVEN TO THIS DAY TO CONSIDER THE FIRST OF PRIME

IMPORTANCE. NO MATTER IF THE NECK BE EXPOSED NEARLY TO THE WAIST LINE AND THE LIMBS NEARLY HALFWAY TO THE KNEES, IF ONLY THE STYLE BE FOLLOWED HEALTH AND SUGGESTIVENESS ARE LOST SIGHT OF IN THE CRAZE TO BE IN FASHION.

Miss Grace Hutchins, costume designer of Columbia university, says the MORALS OF A WOMAN ARE READ IN HER GOWNS and that slovenly dress indicates her mental traits; that the woman who is ADDICTED TO EXTREME STYLES IS SURE TO BE AN EXTREMIST IN EVERYTHING ELSE. But she adds she does not believe that every woman who wears immoral clothes is necessarily immoral. She rather believes that a large percentage of them recklessly and relentlessly follow prevailing fashions without knowing why.

AS THE FASHIONS ARE TODAY A WOMAN WOULD HAVE TO DESIGN NEARLY EVERYTHING FOR HERSELF IF SHE WOULD NOT WEAR IMMORAL CLOTHES. THE REASON IS PLAIN ENOUGH. FASHIONS, ESPECIALLY FRENCH FASHIONS, ARE NOT DESIGNED FOR GOOD WOMEN. THEY WILL NOT SPEND ENOUGH MONEY TO SUIT THE MERCHANTS. THAT IS THE REASON THAT EVERY NEW FASHION IS DESIGNED ORIGINALLY FOR THE DEMI-MONDE OF PARIS.

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## Limited War Destined to Play Great Part In Amelioration of International Relations

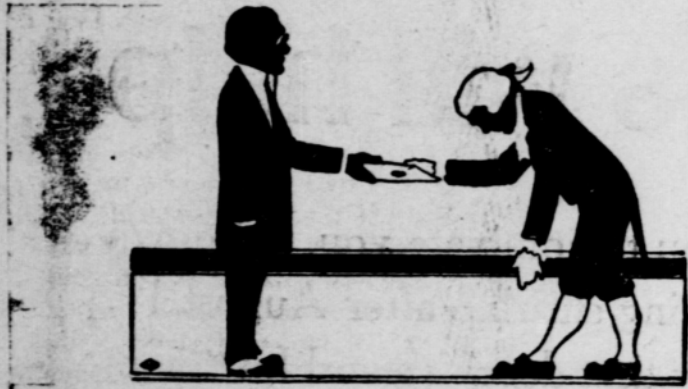
By ANDREW D. WHITE, Who Was President of American Delegation at First Hague Conference

NEUTRALITY snatches from the jaws of war some of the blessings of peace for those who are able to hold aloof and restricts to the minimum the horrors of the conflict.

RECENTLY WE HAVE WITNESSED A SITUATION IN WHICH FOR SEVERAL WEEKS AN AMERICAN FORCE HAS BEEN MAINTAINED ON FOREIGN SOIL WITHOUT OUR ENTERING INTO A STATE OF WAR. WITHOUT WAR THERE CAN, OF COURSE, BE NO NEUTRALITY, BUT IN A STATE OF REPRISALS OR COERCIVE MEASURES SHORT OF WAR THERE IS A PECULIAR SITUATION FOR THIRD STATES NOT DIRECTLY CONCERNED—QUASI NEUTRALITY WE MIGHT CALL THEM. IT WOULD BE WELL IF SOME COUNTRY WOULD PROPOSE AT THE HAGUE THE DISCUSSION OF THE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING THIS PECULIAR SITUATION. FOR JUST AS NEUTRALITY HELPS THE CAUSE OF PEACE, SO WILL THESE MEASURES, SHORT OF WAR, BE FOUND TO AFFORD A SUBSTITUTE LESS TERRIBLE THAN WAR ITSELF.

This state of limited war or reprisals—this hazy borderland between peace and war—is, I am convinced, destined to play a great part in the AMELIORATION OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS.

HAD THIS COUNTRY BEEN ABLE TO ESTABLISH A BLOCKADE OF MEXICAN PORTS WITHOUT A DECLARATION OF WAR, IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE TO REFRAIN FROM ACTUALLY SEIZING MEXICAN TERRITORY. IN ANY EVENT WE COULD HAVE PUT OFF SEIZURE UNTIL FOUND NECESSARY AS A STEP TOWARD ACTUAL INVASION.



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#### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas ) In the Dis-  
County of Lynn ) trict Court of  
Lynn County, Texas, J. R. Cham-  
bers et al Plaintiffs vs T. J. O'Don-  
nell et al Defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of said order of sale, and execution issued out of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1913, in favor of the said J. R. Chambers, and against T. J. O'Donnell, C. H. Doak and C. E. Brown, No. 127 on the docket of said Court which judgement was carried to the Court of Civil Appeals for the 7th Supreme Judicial District of the State of Texas, and said judgement was there affirmed against said defendants, and was also rendered against their sureties on the appeal bond, R. D. Moxley, E. Q. Daniel, T. S. Vaught and H. E. Baldrige for the amount of said judgement, and all cost.

I did on the 9th day of July A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tract or parcels of land situated in the County of Lynn, State of Texas, and belonging to the said C. E. Brown, to-wit:

All of the no. 120 acres of Survey No. 3, Certificate 351, Abstract No. 133, lots No. 10 in block No. 22; lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in block No. 34; Lots No. 1 and 2 in block No. 83; Lots No. 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 33; Lot No. 12 in block No. 21; Lot No. 9 in block No. 22; Lot No. 5 in block 20; Lots No. 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 44; also Survey No. 4, Abstract No. 616, evied on as the property of C. E. Brown. Also, Survey No. 30 Certificate No. 655, Abstract No. 719; Survey No. 558, Certificate 716, Abstract No. 457; Survey No. 412, Certificate 123, Abstract 718; Survey No. 411, Certificate No. 123, Abstract No. 168; Survey No. 57, Certificate No. 269, Abstract No. 216. Lots 5 and 6 in block 5d, levied upon as the property of H. E. Baldrige. And on the 4th day of August A. D. 1914, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., on said date at the court house door of said County I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said C. E. Brown and H. E. Baldrige in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Texas, this 9th day of July, A. D. 1914.  
J. H. EDWARDS, 45-47  
Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas.

Mrs. Hattie Brown, of San Saba, and Mrs. Jennie Nevill, of Willis, Texas, arrived in Tahoka Tuesday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crouch who live west of town. This Mrs. Brown's first visit to the Plains and she thinks this country is just simply beautiful. Mrs. Nevill, however, lived upon the Plains at the time she married her husband, Joe Nevill, well known to many Tahokaites.

W. N. Keller and family, of Dublin, Texas, are visiting Mr. Keller's sister, Mrs. H. T. Gooch five miles west of O'Donnell. This is Mr. Keller's first visit to the Plains country and he said he was enjoying himself immensely.

Joe Barnes came in Thursday evening from Des Moines, Iowa, where he has been attending a school of mechanics for the last year. Joe looked like he was well pleased to get back to Lynn county again. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barnes, of five miles east of Tahoka.

Landon Gratham, who lived upon the Redwine farm in the Draw community, died at Post City Wednesday of last week, after an operation for appendicitis had been performed. He leaves a wife and two children, one of them being by a former wife, who was a niece of H. C. Smith of this place.

If there ever was a country that hac on its Sunday clothes, it is the South Plains country this year. And if there is one thing that we enjoy more than anything else it is to sit down and listen to a couple or more farmers telling each other about their crops. "The best corn I ever saw in any man's country, the best maize you ever saw in your life, and cotton, you just ought to see my cotton, waist high, a good stand, and full of fruit. I have the best all round crop I have ever had in all my life before." This is the way they all talk and one can hardly wait for another man to finish before he begins to tell of his crop.

Roe Phillips, son of L. G. Phillips of O'Donnell, died at the home of his father Wednesday morning about 10 o'clock, July 22nd, after having been in poor health for years. He was a man 40 years of age and death came as a shock to his parents. The death seeming even sadder than usual on account of the barbeque and picnic at O'Donnell that day.

A. D. Shook, of East Tahoka, came in Wednesday with a bunch of prospectors from South Texas. Mr. Shook has sold much Lynn county land the last few years and he is careful to sell to only a desirable class of citizens, as he is very much interested in the upbuilding of Lynn county and Tahoka and realizes that it pays best to have the county settled with the better class of people only, and he goes after no other.

Mrs. Petty, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Dr. Calloway and her guest Miss Stallings, of Bonham, all went out to the T-Bar roundup Saturday of last week.

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