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WOODROW WILSON DIED SUNDAY A.M.

Washington, Feb. 3 .- Former President Wilson died today at 11:15 a. m. last Friday by Mr. Claude McClure of left the White House in 1921, the war of twenty teams working throughout president of two terms-eight of the the State. most momentous years in the history

slipped peacefully away. / er could retard the steady dissolution barrier. The ballots of McCulloch re-elected in 1916. The end came when vitality no longwhich set in with the stroke of paraly- county were all intact, having been return from the Western speaking trip fice. Sheriff Waddill turned over the war in 1919 in which he declared he was keys to County Clerk W. J. Yantis, nations, if that would make it a suc-

nounced, was general arterio-sclerosis ped, were placed in locked mail bags and haemopligia.

The general sclerosis had been progressively hardening Mr. Wilson's ar- main here. 1919. The haemopligia, which refers the team made careful inquiry as to themselves. teries since he was first stricken in to the paralytic condition of his left any possibility of fraud in connection side, manifested itself principally in with the counting of the ballots, or his left arm and leg.

A digestive disorder, which developed last Monday, hastened death by a new and vicious attack on the waning vitality of the former president. He took a sudden turn for the worse on Thursday night and his physicians found that thereafter it was only a question of how long they would be able to prolong life.

The passing of the former president was announced in the following state- of county and state poll taxes paid, ment issued by his physician and old this year, the total being 3,538, while friend, Rear Admiral Cary T. Gray- last year there were 3,017 qualified

morning.

"His heart action became feebler 1,081 polls paid. and feebler, and the heart muscles | The gain in county and state polls

garet, and Doctor Grayson only were their poll tax, to work same out on in the death chamber at the end. Doc- the public roads, undoubtedly cartor Grayson, restraining tears with ried weight with it. But, most imobvious difficulty, gave the formal an- portant of all, this is election year, obvious difficulty, gave the formal anportant of all, this is election year, nouncement to waiting newspaper with the field ranging from precinct has been presented as many cases were disposed of with ord in no uncertain terms as opposed this third day of February, in the year

barely audible when he said that the quently, few there were who cared to former president's last moments had miss the opportunity of exercising the been peaceful.

First word of the seriousness of Mr. Wilson's condition was given by Dr. 1923 poll tax payments and exemp- County Re-Flooring Grayson Friday morning, after he had tions, are as follows: spent Thursday night at the bedside. He called in at once two other physicians, and members of the family were summoned by telegraph.

During all of Friday, yesterday and last night and early today, he lingered on the verge of eternity.

He slept fitfully and towards the last refused nourishment, but before extreme weakness overtook him, he talked with those about him, and told Doctor Grayson he was "ready to go." Step by step, he lost ground, and his physicians knew that the end was but a question of a short time.

GROUND HOG SAW SHADOW SATURDAY-MISSING COLD SPELL BY NARROW MARGIN

Saturday, February 2, was Ground Hog day, and there could be no doubt about the ground hog seeing his shadow, for the day was clear and sunshiny throughout. As a result, and according to the best tradition, the ground hog retired to his hole to sleep through another six weeks of cold weather. As if to verify the ground hog's prediction, the weather man Sunday morning started a blustery west wind, which continued blowing in disagreeable fashion throughout 3,017, a number of polls having been tailoring department will be in charge Sunday and Monday, gradually veer- paid at banks and not having been of Von after this week Von is a son. ing to the northwest and growing listed by the tax collector at the time of Mr. Geo. White of this place, and colder with the change. Last night, a last year's list was compiled. This his friends welcome him into Mason's pressed by Dean Taylor as follows: ly surface the square and afford a pressed by Dean Taylor as follows: freeze was recorded, considerable ice year's total of 3,627 poll taxes will be business circles with a warm hand .being formed.

ply your coal needs. Phone 295. tered.

The business heretofore con- es paid this year, was 345. ducted by Richard Sellman at

Sellman Mercantile Company year. Phone orders to 295. will be discontinued as a firm and incorporated under the same name and continued. Dated January 21st, 1924.

RICHARD SELLMAN.

Team 13 Secures the Peddy-Mayfield Election Ballots Friday

The ballots of McCulloch county in the Peddy-Mayfield senatorial con-Fatigued and worn by the battle Bonham and Mr. A. Rhoades of Sny-

Team No. 13 has a territory emof the world-closed his eyes and bracing eleven counties in Southwest Texas and they are making about one county a day where distance is not a The cause of death, as officially an- and after having been securely wrap- the league. The election boxes were allowed to re-

Incident to the visit here, one of

COUNTY POLL TAXES PAID TOTAL 3,627

A gain of 610 is shown in number voters in the county. The Brady pre-"Mr. Wilson died at 11:15 this cinct with 1339 votes, shows a gain of 258 over last year, when there were

were so fatigued that it refused to act may be attributed to several causes any longer. The end came peacefully." The threat of the county commission-Mrs. Wilson, his daughter, Mar- ers to force all who failed to pay up through county and state and Worn with the strain, his voice was reaching to national offices. Conse-

right of franchise. Comparative reports for 1924 and

	Paid	Exemption_	Paid	Exemption
Brady	1306	33	1070	11
Nine	29	0	24	1
Camp San Saba	70	2	78	2
Voca	214	7	152	3
Rochelle	353	10	275	2
Cow Boy	42	0	54	0
Milburn	51	0	42	1
Lohn		6	229	Š
Waldrip	80	2	88	1
Stacy	51	. 1	47	0
Mercury	133	1	120	2
Fife	100	1	87	1
Jear Valley	170	9	137	5
Melvin		7	202	1
Mt. Tabor	30	0	30	0
Calf Creek	84	1	71	0
Placid	124	1	103	4
Lost Creek	50	4	30	0
Gansel	88	2	64	0
Whiteland	57	2	49	0
Totals	3538	89	2952	39
	89		39	
money			*****	
*The correct to	3627		*2991	

swelled by several additional when all Mason News. the payments reported through banks The foregoing item will be read with Macy & Co. are ready to sup- of the county have been properly en- interest by Von White's many friends reduced to only eight and one-half

Don't lorget that Macy & Co. with the Mann Bros, tailoring shop, city can insure its stability, he de-Texas, under the firm name of handle coal at all seasons of the in charge of the cleaning and press-

> Auto top, seat covers, furniture and car upholstering. Made and repaired. E. R. CANT-WELL. Mattress Maker.

A GREAT SPIRIT HAS LEFT US

THOMAS WOODROW WILSON, President of the United States for eight momentous years of our history, is dead.

Death must have been a blessed relief to this broken, suffering test were being collected in Brady man, a born fighter, condemned these last four years to fight no more. He said at Kansas City on February 2, 1916:

"Our life is but a little span. One generation follows another very received by Postmaster H. N. Cook STATES: The death of Woodrow Fatigued and worn by the battle Bolliam and A. R. Bolliam and A. R. Bolliam and Team No. 13 in the group quickly. If the man with red blood in him has his choice, knowing that he from Jas. W. Barr, collector for the Wilson, president of the United States must die, he would rather die to vindicate some right, unselfish to himself, U. S. Internal Revenue service, at from March 4, 1913, to March 4, 1921, than die in his bed."

History can hardly record a more meteoric rise to fame than that of January 30th, as follows: Woodrow Wilson. In 1910 he resigned from the presidency of Princeton university. In 1911 he was elected governor of New Jersey. In 1912 he was place named below on the date shown, a most distinguished citizen, and is made Democratic nominee for President of the United States, elected and to assist taxpayers in filing their an event which causes universal and

In 1917, thirty-four days after his second inauguration, he took the which set in with the stroke of paralysis that laid Mr. Wilson low on his under lock and key in the sheriff's of-

He sat with Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando, and made the in 1919 in which he declared he was abandoned to enter academic life.

glad to give his life for the league of who surrendered the ballots to the glad to give his life for the league of Nations into the peace treaty. It was Wilson who insisted upon typing the League ciated if you will give the matter as From the presidency of Princeton uniabove gentlemen. The ballots were of Nations into the peace treaty. He came back to America to tour the much publicity as possible in order versity he was called by his fellow removed from the iron election boxes, country and stem the rising tide of popular opposition to our entrance into that the public may avail themselves citizens to be the chief executive of

> In the midst of this campaign, in the late summer of 1919, he broke possible for a deputy to return to of this high office he so conducted for transmission to Washington, D. C. down and became the same invalid that he remained to the day of his death. your city before March 15th." Greatness in a man is a fortunate combination of great qualities and great opportunities. Woodrow Wilson developed within himself many great qualities, and he used them to the utmost when great opportunities presented

If he was not irresistible in the sheer strength of his logical appeal, he was surely immovable in his convictions. Slow to adopt a policy or set a the reporting of the election returns, course he was unswervable once his mind was made up.

What Woodrow Wilson did, the manner in which he did it, and the purpose for which he wrought, assure him of a high place among the outstanding figures in history.

Though the Wilson policies have aroused unexampled partisanship JOE BURKETT both for and against him, friend and foe alike recognized the essential greatness of the man, a Christian gentleman, an American of unassailable ideals and motives.

Any man who has been President of the United States, so long as he lives, enjoys a peculiar and distinct affection in the hearts of the nation. When he dies, a leader goes whom they never can replace.

It is in this sense today that all Americans unite in sorrow over the death of Woodrow Wilson. In this sense the sympathy of all our hearts goes out to the widow who loved him .- Fort Worth Record.

\$1,000 PECAN TREE IS THE GUILTY IN THE LATE RECORD

perts have pronounced the pecans the assessment of fines. The following to the Ku Klux Klan. from this tree as among the finest is the record:

Bridge Over Brady Creek North of Sq.

Commissioner Chas. Samuelson has a force of workmen engaged in re- sault; defendant plead guilty and was born, the rich nor the poor, the Jew flooring the bridge over Brady creek, fined \$50 and costs. on North Bridge street, and a couple blocks north of public square. On ed assault; defendant plead guilty and account of the heavy traffic coming was fined \$25 and costs. and going on the Santa Anna and upper Brownwood roads, all of which traverses this bridge, the flooring is \$1,000,000 Dam Fast subject to constant hard wear. The county this time proposes to do the job up right. Regulation bridge lumber has been secured, and after it is laid, it will be coated with asphalt, thereby providing a smooth and longwearing surface.

VON WHITE BUYS INTEREST IN FRANK CLARK'S TAILOR

Mr. Frank Clark, proprietor of the O Frank Clark Tailor shop, told a News Dr. T. U. Taylor, dean of engineering reporter Monday that he had sold a of the University of Texas. of Brady.

in Brady and surroundings. Von is a splendid young man, is well liked by do river is unique abong lakes of CANTWELL. The total number of city poll tax- everyone and has all the qualifications of a good business man. For a number of years he has been employed

ing. All his friends will join in wishing him every success in his business

Read The Brady Standard.

FIVE PLEAS OF

and was fined \$100 and costs.

was fined \$50 and costs.

duced to simple assault; defendant fraternal order then I believe in the plead guilty and was fined \$5 and common brotherhood of men, excludcosts.

State vs. Tom Kennison, aggravat- Protestant.

Becomes Worthless

Austin, Texas, Jan. 25 .- The great new dam on Lake Austin at Austin, an issue." Texas, built in 1913 at a cost of approximately \$1,000,000, is rapidly becoming worthless because of the fill-SHOP AT MASON LAST WEEK ing up of the lake with silt, according to a statement today before the State School of Waterworks engineers by

> So rapidly does the silt pile up in en up by silt, said Dean Taylor.

In engineering terms this was ex-"The water capacity of the new lake perfect drainage for this part of town in 1913 was 53 feet on a square mile base and in 1922 the capacity had been

Texas, Dean Taylor said. Whether the dam is a "white ele-

clared. The dam had never been accepted by the city because it was harged the contractors had not ful-

Clip Boards. The Brady Standard. mendment .- Life.

filled the specifications.

Deputy Income Tax Collector in Brady February 13 and 14th

Citizens of McCulloch county who have difficulty in the making out of their income tax statements, will be interested in the announcement just PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED Austin, who writes under date of which occurred at 11:15 o'clock today

1923 income tax returns:

without charge, and it will be appre- was abandoned to enter academic life. of this opportunity, as it will not be the state of New Jersey. The duties

Two Additions.

Jigson-I hear you have had an addition to your family.

Nugson-Yes, two. "Twins?"

"No-a baby boy and my wife's mother."--London Tit-Bits.

ADDRESSES

candidate for governor, spoke to an mankind. attentive audience at the court house lic policy and welfare.

pecan tree on the Richard Govett established an unusual record in that tiary system, abolition of bureaus neral. farm, east of Seguin, was sold to five pleas of guilty were entered, and and useless offices and went on rec-

a religious institution, then I take my State vs. Jack Gartman, aggravat- religion from the Holy Bible, if it be ed assault; defendant plead guilty and a political organization, then I am By the President. affiliated with and take my politics State vs. Jack Gartman, offense re- from the Democratic party. If it be a ing neither the high nor the low in State vs. Cy Bostic, aggravated as- life, the foreign born nor the native nor the Gentile, the Catholic nor the

"We have fought dissention and strife without deliberately creating

"I have spoken on this question because it is a public matter which has stirred up feelings of our citizenship concerning modes of faith, religion Lake Fills With Silt and political beliefs, and because it has heretofore been and is now an issue, and not because it should be

> PUBLIC SQUARE TO BE IM-PROVED AT SAN SABA BY THE CITY COUNCIL

Arrangements have been completed for the improvement of the public square around the court house. The business and tailor shop to Von White the Colorado river that the depth of commissioners court, acting for the the lake at the dam has decreased in county, and the city council co-oper-Von is an experienced man in this ten years from 53 to only eight and ating in the expense of the work *The correct total for last year was line, and Mr. Clark states that the one-half feet. Eighty-four per cent of have planned to put some \$500.00 tothe capacity of the lake has been tak- wards graveling the four sides of the square.

> This will, it is expected, completeand eliminate the mud and washing. -San Saba News.

CANTWELL'S Wearwell car This silting caused by the Colora-cushions last longer. E. R.

> Our car of Casaday Sulky they last. O. D. MANN & SONS.

Sportsman-Something ought to be done to conserve our wild life. Rounder-Repeal the eighteenth a-

THIRTY DAYS OF MOURNING **PROCLAIMED**

at his home at Washington, District "A Deputy Collector will be at the of Columbia, deprives the country of genuine sorrow. To many of us, it "Brady-February 13th and 14th, brings a sense of a profound personal bereavement.

"This service will be furnished His early profession as a lawyer as to win the confidence of the people of the United States, who twice elected him to the chief magistracy of the republic.

As President of the United States he was moved by an earnest desire to promote the best interests of the country as he conceived them. His acts were prompted by high motives and his sincerity of purpose cannot be questioned.

He led the nation through the terrific struggle of the World War with a lofty idealism which never failed him. He gave utterance to the aspiration of humanity with an eloquence which held the attention of all the earth and made America a new and Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland, enlarged influence in the destiny of

In testimony of the respect in which in Brady last Friday night, and won his memory is held by the government much favorable comment by his and the people of the United States, views and opinions on matters of pub- I do hereby direct that the flags of the White House and of the several Senator Burkett discussed at some departmental buildings be displayed at length state financial problems, advo- half-mast for a period of 30 days, and cating a central state bank for Texas, that suitable military and naval honelevators, long-time rural credits, ors under orders of the secretary of greater rural school appropriations, war and of the secretary of the navy Seguin, Texas, January 27.-A The past term of of county court better management of the peniten-

"I do not believe there is any de- of our Lord, one thousand, nine hunin Texas. Mr. Cole will use the buds State vs. Houston Kennedy, carry-mand or need for that organization in dred and twenty-four, and of the infor grafting on a number of his trees ing a pistol; defendant plead guilty our scheme of government. If it be dependence of the United States of the one hundred and forty-CALVIN COOLIDGE. eighth.

> Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State.

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H. F. Schwenker, Editor

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pearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.



BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 5, 1924.

++++++++++++++ HONEST INJUN

I had six honest serving men (They taught me all I knew), Their names are What and Why and When,

And How and Where and Who. -Kipling.

CITY ELECTION.

It is just two months to city election time!

There are to be elected the following:

One Mayor. Two Aldermen.

One City Secretary. One City Recorder.

Brady was bestirring itself and seeing ally a marvelous state. California with whom you have been "at outs, business men are induced to offer power. Get in those cars, drive here about. for all the above offices.

Brady is facing an era of great deing problems that affect the public manche Chief.

Within the next year or two Brady will have to meet the problem of

city development and expansion. sponsibility for any indebtedness in-curred by any employe, unless upon the written order of the editor.

take interest at present in who they will secure to take care of these prob-lems and solve them in the best in lems and solve them in the best in-

SPEEDING UP NEWS.

The order of the Postmaster Gener- the more your money is worth. Notices of church entertainments al for expediting the transportation where a charge of admission is made, and delivery of newspapers in the lessons in buying efficiency. They cash accompanies same. Announceobituaries, cards of thanks, resolu- mails is an inteligent recognition of teach you how to get the most in vanews, will be charged for at the reg- that no portion of the business of the ey. They give you knowledge that are paid at this office. Fee includes news, will be charged for at the reg- that no portion of the business of the postoffice is more important to the pays. Any erroneous reflection upon the national welfare than the newspapers, That is why the shopper who reads character of any person or firm ap- which, through wide dissemination, the advertisements always has the adhave served the purpose of binding a vantage when it comes to stretching Standard: diverse people into a homogeneous dollars.-Fort Worth Record. whole. The remarkably high general intelligence which has resulted from increasing the store of common information on public affairs, is one of the chief assets of the American com- consequently we wish to call attention mary; monwealth.

felt by farm readers who receive their then another finds them undone:local paper on rural routes or who are mail subscribers of the larger dailies of the cities .- Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

THE TOURIST CROP.

Iowa's newspapers start a campaign their teeth put in good condition. of advertising, bragging about that fine state. No wonder, for they have things to brag about. The corn fields than all the gold mines of the United member of the family. States. The state knows no illiteracy, or at least, less than any other state venient for the good wife. in the union. Its crops are worth a billion a year. The entire population, sires for all farm animals in 1924. including all hired men, grandmothers and babies, could ride at the same implement shed. It is time that the citizenship of time in Iowa's automobiles. It's reand spend it."-Fort Worth Record.

velopment. There is important work Just now we are listening to the an- not need attention-simply because ahead. It will take men of far-seeing nual tax roar. But we had as soon we keep putting them off. If we business judgment to rightly guide hear that as the tax reduction roar are really ever going to do them, why Evans J. Adkins for County Judge. Brady's affairs during the next sev- we are going to have to listen to a not get them done now-now before eral years. Few there are that care to little later on. We will get about as another new year comes to mock give their time and effort to study- much out of one as the other .- Co- us and our procrastination?-The

February---the Month of Holi-

days---the Month of Parties

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THE COCK AND THE GEM.

A cock came down from his roost waterworks extension, sewerage con- at dawn and scratched the ground in Entered as second class matter May struction and sewage disposal, street search of food. By and by, he turned paving and many other problems of up a fine gem. He gave it a kick and muttered softly to himself, "Huh, you Brady citizens can well afford to are a fine thing, no doubt, but to my

It's all in the way you look at it. The wealth of the universe wouldn't be worth much to you if it couldn't buy you something to eat. Inversely, the more you can buy for your money,

TWELVE JOBS TO DO NOW.

Another new year is now on us, to twelve "going-to-do-sometime" jobs For State Senate, 26th District: Newspapers henceforth are to be that most of us keep promising ourdispatched on a parity with first-class selves to do, and know we ought to mail. The greatest benefit will be do-and yet first one new year and BOYD COMMANDER (Re-Election)

1. Make a will. Take out some life insurance. Have a medical examination.

4. Arrange to take the winter short For County Sheriff:

course for farmers at your agricultural college or high school. 5. Have the children examined for

6. Start a bank account.

Take out some fire insurance. Provide raincoats, overshoes,

of Iowa alone produce more wealth and overcoats or cloaks for every

9. Make wood and water more con-10. Arrange to have pure-bred

11. Build sanitary privies and an

12. Make up with any neighbor to it that good, capable, level-headed and Florida rejoice, saying: "More arbitrating anything you can't agree

There are very few farms on which one or more of these dozen jobs do Progressive Farmer.

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County	10.00
Precinct	5.00
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Commissioner	5.00
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O. C. (Otis) Waddill (Re-Election) For County Tax Assessor: H. R. HODGES (Re-Election)

eye, ear, nose, and throat defects, and For County Tax Collector: H. K. (Hubert) ADKINS (Re-Election)

> For County Treasurer: MRS. NONA MONTGOMERY. (Re-Election.)

For County Superintendent of Publie Instruction: W. M. DEANS, (Re-Election). For Commissioner Pre. No. 2: C. W. FREEMAN

City Announcements

For City Secretary: E. G. GILDER (Re-Election)

++++++++++++++ + WITH THE CANDIDATES +

Evans J. Adkins announces in this ssue for re-election to the office of County Judge, and earnestly solicits onsideration from all the voters, and nost especially the ladies. Mr. Adkins now serving his third term in office, and can point with pride to his record of conservative and progressive administration of the county's affairs. Not only has he given the affairs of the county as a whole his best thought and consideration, but in judicial matters, he has sought to expedite all county court cases so as to avoid placing a heavy burden of expense upon the county. The county court dockets are cleared as rapidly as possible and incidentally it has been his plan and intention to call the citizens away from their homes and work for jury service as little as possible. In all matters affecting the county's welfare, Judge Adkins has acted with a sincerity of purpose, based upon his convictions as to the right course to pursue. He asks consideration of his record, and hopes to have merited the continued support and vote of the citizens of McCulloch county.

+ PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS. + ***** _ *****

Henry at last admits there is one Ford that won't run.-Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.

About the only tax-free securities a oor man can collect are treasures in heaven .- Chattanooga Times.

Death is ennobling. Every little fur-bearing animal becomes seal when t dies .- Roanoke World News.

Now that British labor is taking over the government, it will find pleny of employment.-Washington Post.

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burg Gazette Times.

Congress may investigate Lieuten- It is a little discouraging to memant Wood's financial transactions. bers of the Third Party to know that Some of the members appear mighty it usually retains that numeral to the eager to learn how he did it .- Pitts- bitter end. - Kansas Legionnaire,



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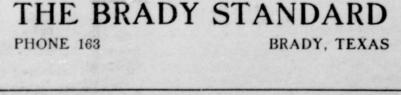
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Impressive Statue of Lincoln



The Daniel Chester French 175-ton statue of Abraham Lincoln, in the nassive memorial at Washington, compared with a human figure. Reflections on the statue come from streams of bright sunlight pouring between the huge pillars at the entrance of the memorial.

TO THE "GREATEST AMERICAN"

On February 12, everywhere over this country-in its schools and its public gatherings, or in the silent reverence of the hearts of its hurrying suring comfortable riding and ample throngs—the people pay tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln, on the one hundred and fourteenth anniversary of his birth. And I think that, almost instinctively, will come the universal longing that he were with us again today, with his sympathetic understanding of men, kindly philosophy and far-seeing vision, to help guide us through the problems and dangers of the reconstruction period.

But as we do so, we should realize that the reverence we now accord his sainted memory has been the growth of years, and that in his life, fully as ! much as in his death, he suffered the martyrdom which the world usually accords its saints and seers. It is not Abraham Lincoln who has grown, but the nation which, with the passing years, has come into a realization of his true greatness. I am reminded, in this connection, of the eloquent words of Brand Whitlock, spoken regarding Lincoln, in 1908, as follows:

"His beautiful dream was not to be. Shrewd, logical realist though he was, he was essentially at too far. Mutual forgiveness, immediate reconciliation, brotherly love, were not for his contemporaries, and their hatred bore its inevitable fruit in the bitter days of reconstruction that followed. Because they could not understand him, the men of his time reviled and ridiculed him, measured him by the standards with which they measured themselves, and, in judging him, judged only themselves. Themselves impractical, they thought him impractical, who was the most practical of men: thought him ignorant, .who was the wisest of men; sneered at him as uneducated-him on whom degrees and doctors' hoods would have appeared pinchbeck and ridiculous! As the scenes of the great war receded, as the perspective lengthened and passions cooled, men came to see how great, how mighty, how original he was. As slowly they grew in the national spirit he breathed into them, as mankind in its upward striving reached toward his stature, they began to rec ognize in him not only the first, but the ideal American, realizing in his life all that America is and dreams. And more and more, as time goes on, he grows upon the mind of the world. The figure of Washington, the first of American heroes, has taken on the cold and classic isolation of a marble statue. But Lincoln, even though inevitable legend has enveloped him in its refracting atmosphere, remains dearly human, and the common man may look upon his sad and homely face, and find in It that quality of character which causes him to revere and love him as a familiar friend-one of the common people whom, as he once humorously said, God must have loved because He made so many of them.' Thus he remains close to the heart, just as if he had lived on through the years, essentially and forever human, not alone the possession of our own people; not of a nation only, but of the whole human brotherhood he loved

with such perfect devotion, and that humanity to which he gave his life." In connection with the above, I am reminded of another inspired and inspiring tribute to Lincoln, this one in Lowell, whose most familiar stanzas

WORLD PAYS TRIBUTE for him her old-world mold aside one threw.

And choosing sweet clay from the breast

Of the unexhausted West, With stuff untainted, shaped a hero new, Wise, steadfast in the strength of God, His was no lonely mountain-peak o Thrusting to thin air o'er our cloudy

bars,
A sear mark now-now lost in vapors
blind;
contribution rather, gental, level-lined, Broad prairie rather, genial, level-lined, Fruitful and friendly for all human kind, Yet also night to Heaven and the loftlest

The place of Abraham Lincoln in history is not only secure, but it is one which will grow from year to year. His name stands first in the Pantheon of this republic, and his star will shine down the vista of the centuries, a guiding light to all who follow. To the cause of liberty and equality, to the nation and all humanity he gave him self in life and death, and a Savior could not do more. That is what constitutes his universal appeal to the ommon people of all nations and all decades, and that is why we should pause in our busy, work-a day world on February 12, to pay our humble tribute to the greatest American.

Lincoln in Capitol



Vinnie Ream Hoxie, famous artist and sculptor, was the first woman commissioned by congress to model a statue. At the age of fifteen she attracted the attention of President Lincoln, who consented to pose for her The result now stands in the capitol.

A Close-Up of President Lincoln.

The President stood at the door of the second parlor, with a secretary beside him who gave him the names of his callers. Ann's first impression was of his extraordinary height, for he towered over the people about him. and then the amazing charm of his face caught her; tragic, humorous, distinguished and kindly; she adored him, at first sight. He was obviously bored at the tiresome ceremony of handshaking, but as obviously deterwritten by James Russell mined to go through with it with painstaking courtesy; he had a routine of greeting, "I am charmed to see you here," he said, over and over, with a look of grave concern.-From "The Cortlands of Washington Square," by Janet Fairbank.

ASSERTS PRIMEVAL MAN SETS SOCIETY'S FASHIONS

Anthropologist Says People of **Tropics Practice Ancient** Customs.

Chicago.-Ancient man, paint-bedecked and ornamented with bits of bone and feathers, set the style for

rooted in the life of antiquity. turned from a stay of a year and a Brady. half in the uncivilized districts of the Malay peninsula and the Philippine

lands, because their development has were injured. been retarded many centuries, are really indicative of the life of antiqui-

in rudiamentary form.

tries as those situated on the Malay Southwest Texas. peninsula

"Bracelets, necklaces and rings are W. O. Kirchner last week occupied pressure canning outfit. bronze chain of a former day."

New Mexico Claims

by New Mexico for recovery of 20,000 attorney general's department.

New Mexico claims the domain in dispute was part of the state of New changed its course since 1850.

The Texas briefs maintain that evidence gathered by New Mexico from thentic and is of no value.

Judge Rules Bathroom

room. Not in Ohio. So a judge has recently ruled. The decision will be glass, shattering it into bits. of more than lexicographical interest to members of the National Associaa six room house.

Irish Drown Pigs Owing

let a litter of young pigs out on the him. road for any one to take.

This condition is attributed to an

Eagle Injured During

on the windshield. The bird shattered dressed-its wing.

Man Made \$50 Weekly by Robbing Church Poor Box

New York .- His business of robbing church poor boxes, according to police, in a wealthy church.

by his looting.

800 Coins in One Chain. Buckingham, England .-- The next cept the position of mayor Conneillor Roper handed over these 800 small trons. In their new home, they have coins and will have them made into a the best wishes of all their friends.

An alarm Monday morning called the fire department to the Rex Lewis dy this morning. residence on South Elm street, where tinguished with little or no loss.

LOCAL BRIEFS

A postcard from Mrs. S. A. Benpropriety and correct behavior are the more appreciated because of the spend a few days here as their guest. intense cold at the time of their ar-These statements are vouched for by Dr. Fay Cooper Coles, newly appointed assistant of anthropology at the that they are buying lots of good-University of Chicago, who has just re- looking clothes for the ladies of

D. H. Henderson was among the islands. He was sent to the Orient as visitors here from Lost Creek today. a leader of the Field museum expedi-tion, which had as its purpose the study of the customs and habits of ous accident, which occurred Sunday the primitive peoples in those lands. | morning on the road between Fredo-More than the modern world re- nia and Voca, when the cars driven by alizes, the professor says, are many Miss Frankie McWilliams of Eden modern customs outgrowths of sav- and Bob Harmon of Fredonia crashed ed about 300 lbs. dressed. Mr. Leddy into one another head on. The sun is "By studying these primitive peo-ples," Doctor Coles said, "we can get a good idea of how ancient man lived ers. Both cars were badly wrecked, and acted, for people in these tropical but fortunately neither of the drivers

J. E. Grinstead, publisher of Grin-"In my study in the Orient I found Brady this week seeking to interest that many customs which we call our own and think are peculiar to civilized in an illustrated edition of his countries are in practice there, at least in an illustrated edition of his magazine to be devoted to telling the "For instance, we are accustomed to world of McCulloch county's glories, indicate our respect by giving presents resources and development. Grinof flowers and candy. This is merely steads Graphic is one of the most a development from the prehistoric readable magazines published in Texcustom of heaping up the ancestral as, and is doing a wonderful work in graves with food and sacrifices and is telling of the wonders of Central and

another instance of this custom. They his newly-completed home on North are the modern forms into which bar- Bridge street. The new residence is baric manacles have grown. The gold not only splendidly arranged and bracelet flashing from some fair arm most comfortable within, but the exis only a short transition from the terior presents a most unusual and attractive appearance. The stucco finish is enhanced by the arched eaves, Land Held by Texas touch to the building. The garage and of business at six o'clock every Austin, Tex.-Legal briefs for the out-buildings are located conveniently evening, except Saturday, comstate of Texas in the suit instituted near the residence. Mr. Kirchner has mencing February 4th, in the United States Supreme court had the lot covered with rich soil pre. and ending September 1st, 1924: acres of land have been filed by the paratory to setting out a grass lawn in the spring.

The windstorm Sunday blew things Mexico but is now occupied by Texas around quite a bit, sweeping the because the Rio Grande river, which streets as with a broom, and blowing is the boundary of the two states, has dust, sand and bits of gravel into the faces of those venturing about. The most serious damage noted was old Indians and Mexicans as to the the breaking of the large plate glass course of the river in 1850 is not au- window at the Rohde Bros. market. The wind slammed the screen door. which guards the entrance to the stairway leading to the second floor in Home Is Not Room of the Masonic temple, violently back Youngstown, O.—A bathroom is not a of the door smashed against the plate

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wegner were tion of Real Estate Boards, who are Brady visitors Saturday, being guests concerned with building restrictions. here of his brother, W. C. Wegner, A permanent injunction based on and family, and friends. "Bully" is the ruling was granted to restrain a lot owner from erecting a five room now located at Temple, where he is and bath house on a lot restricted to in the freight department of the Santa Fe, and is mighty well pleased with that progressive city. He admits to having wintered in Sommerville, which he describes as being within to Very Low Prices three miles of where the "piney Dublin .- Farmers in County Donegal woods" of East Texas begin, and are drowning their young pigs because the prices they bring are so low that it is unprofitable to raise them. It is not an unusual sight after a county ary size. "Bully" admits that the fair to see a farmer open his cart and mild and bully west is the place for

Frank Ogden came down from Wineleven weeks' strike in the Irish bacch ters Saturday for a visit over Sunday with his family, and incidentally to complete arrangements for their Attack on Automobil; is now located, being employed as try has been spending a few days in San Francisco. - A young eagle, linotype operator on the Winter's Fort Worth on business. Recently in probably strayed from somewhere in Enterprise. Ed P. Eason, editor and drilling a water well on the Gibbons the high Sierras, descended on the gu- owner of the Enterprise, accompanied ranch three miles southwest of Richtomobile of Dr. M. B. Mooslin in a Mr. Ogden on his visit to Brady, and land Springs an oil sand was encounstreet bere and began a vicious attack while here inspected The Standard's the windshield and injured one of Ps | new model 14 single keyboard linowings on the broken glass. Doctor type. Mr. Eason has himself just pur-Mooslin captured the eagle and chased a new model 8 linotype, with The sand was passed up however, due as will enable him to handle any range of work.

regret of the contemplated removal or summer months.-Fort Worth Reclanded Louis McCauley in jail. He from Brady of Lou Townsend and ord. was arrested while robbing a poor box family. Mr. Townsend will leave the end of the week for Fort Worth, where McCauley is said to have confessed he will enter the employ of the T. B. that he obtained about \$50 each week George Furniture Co. Mrs. Townsend and daughter will join him within the next week or so. Mr. and Mrs. Townsend have won a large circle of friends mayoress of this borough will have and admirers during their several presented to her a chain made from years stay in Brady, the while Mr. 800 "threepenny pleces," which "e Townsend was employed with the firm paid as a fine of 10 pounds imposed of O. D. Mann & Sons, and where his Councillor Roper, who refused to se uniform courtesy and obliging dispoor O. D. Maim & Sons, and where his skion, made him popular with all pa

Gene Fikes of Placid visited in Bra

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Mary Campbell spent the the flooring underneath the kitchen week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and range had become ignited in some Mrs. P. A. Campbell, here, returning manner. The incipient blaze was ex- the first of the week to San Antonio, where she is attending Our Lady of the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Calvert and chilthe generation that calls itself ultra- ham announced the safe arrival of Mr. dren drove to Brownwood Sunday for modern. Not only some features of and Mrs. Benham in New York City a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. present dress and ornamentation, but on their marketing trip. They report C. H. Calvert. Mrs. Calvert accompanalso several of the modern ideas of beautiful weather the end of January, ied them upon their return and will

HOME DEMONSTRA. TION DEPARTMENT

Beef Canning at Montgomery. A community beef canning, with ome twenty-five present, was held at the home of Mr. M. A. Leddy January 15th. The work was under the direction of Miss Mae Belle Smith, home demonstration agent. The beef weighcould have gotten about \$15 for the beef; he decided he would "can" instead, and see if it paid. At the end of the day he found that he had 157 No. 3 cans of beef, which included roast, steak, chili, hash and soup. No. 3 cans of meat are valued at 50c and stead's Graphic at Kerrville, is in soup at 40c. The value of the canned products Mr. Leddy found to be \$75, which gave him a \$60 profit, minus \$7.50 for cans, leaving a net profit of \$52.50, and a pantry full of delicious prepared meats that tasted like the

fresh product. Why can?

Mrs. L. M. Farmer of Fife has purchased a No. 2 or Hotel size steam pressure canning outfit, and Mrs. E. L. Guyton a No. 1 or Junior steam

Miss Smith, the home demonstration agent, will gladly furnish any information desired about canning and steam pressure canners.

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W. H. Gibbons of San Saba who has some hopes of developing oil on his removal to Winters, where Mr. Ogden large ranch in the Brady Creek countered at a depth of around 1.500 feet. The sand was said to have had a thickness of approximately 25 feet. extra magazires and equipment such probably to a misunderstanding of instructions. No effort will be made at this time, Mr. Gibbons said, to develop the oil possibilities of his ranch. He Their many friends will learn with prefers to wait until during the spring



35c, 60c and \$1.00 the laat Gottet Counters Cample Mailed on Requ BAKER LABORATORIES, I.

JEWEL A. JOHNSON, PROMI NENT BROWNWOOD CITIZEN, FATALLY HURT SATURDAY

The many Brady friends of Jewel A. Johnson, well-known citizen of Brownwood, and prominent member of the Odd Fellows lodge, will be shocked to learn that he was instantly killed last Saturday afternoon when he collided with another horseman while en gaged in training polo ponies. Mr. Johnson had visited in Brady upon numbers of occasions, having taken a leading part in the instituting of the Encampment here the past year. The following brief account of the fatal accident is reprinted from Saturdays Brownwood Bulletin:

Jewel A. Johnson, well-known business man of Brownwood, died this afternoon shortly after four o'clock from injuries sustained on the Arthur West | the followers of Cortez, the conqueror ranch, six and a half miles south of of Aztec Mexico, to what is now known Brownwood. The body was brought into the city by a McInnis & Son am-

Mr. Johnson, with Arthur West and two other men, was training polo ponies on the West ranch, and was fatally hurt when the horses ridden by Mr. nia, where gold and precious stones in West and himself ran together. Mr. West was not injured, according to information reaching The Bulletin. Mr. Johnson's horse was thrown down and fell on the rider, causing almost in-



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LOST-

LOST-Jan. 10th near Milburn, on Brownwood road, lady's beaded hand-bag. Reward. Notify Standard or H. T. GRAHAM, 1317 Ave. G, Brownwood, Texas.

LIBERAL REWARD.

Lost-Above Menard, white and lemon spotted bitch; small brand on left side behind shoulder; had on collar with name "Jas. M. Brook." Reward for any in- of the Ohio river and within the presformation. Jas. M. Brook or W. C. Wegner, Brady.

WANTED

WANTED - Second-hand iron Safe, between 400 and 800 lbs.; also some good, second-hand original word seems to be lost; but Show Cases. P. M. LEMBKE, the names as they remain still retain

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Three unfurnished Rooms for light house-keeping; close in. Apply at Standard of-

FOR TRADE—One triple-Disc HARRY MILLER, Brady.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Auto tops, cushions and seat covers. E. R. CANTWELL.

in good location - reasonably battle to a tribe of Indians at a place priced. See FRED BEHRENS.

FOR SALE-Pure-bred White ress of a brave tribe called the Allba-Leghorn Eggs, at \$1.50 per set-

FOR SALE-Household furniture; real bargains for quick Alabama its name. disposal. Lou Townsend, Brady, Phone 190.

If it is a work animal or milk cow that you want, I will sell you, and on fall time. E. B. Scarborough.

FOR SALE-Hatching Eggs: pure bred Orpingtons. \$1.50 per tion, has for a name an Indian word setting of 15. OSCAR YOUNG, which originally mean "Friends" or Phone 2421, Brady.

South Brady; seven room house, allied against the Apaches of Arizona. three lots, garage, lots and garden. Will sell reasonable and take some trade. See BRADY STANDARD Office.

YOU CAN GET THEM RIGHT later spread to the main stream. The AT HOME.

We are offering Hatching Eggs from high-powered egg-produc- The meaning of the word has been lost ing White Leghorns that are and interpretations, such as "Bend in bred in the purple. Our hundred the River," from the meanderings of hens are speaking for themselves the stream, are merely fanciful. by averaging better than seventy eggs per day. They are mated to ten sons of roosters imported and meaning. Reliable authorities state that the name was derived from direct from Tom Barron, Eng- an Indian word, "Kentake," meaning land. Their grand dams are 300 "Meadow Land." On the other hand,

hens. We have but one mating, greatest pioneers and one of the conthe best, and our prices are \$1.50 querors of this region, claimed that per fifteen eggs and \$8.00 per 100 eggs. Can supply you any quantity at any time. EHLIN-GER-ADKINS, Brady, Texas. the head of a river," from the fact that

ORIGIN of the NAMES of the STATES

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

In running down the origin of the names of our states, it is found that Boone, the famous borderer of the al Bartlett. Carefully worded and only one has a name that, like "Utopia" and "Brobdingnag," was made out gent Indian chief of his day, and the to all employees engaged in handling of the whole cloth. The name of California was originally given by some of tive of the bloody warfare in colonial as Lower California, whence the name Indians from both sides of the Oblo the reader with a minimum of despread to the present state. The river, who used this region as a battle lay imagination of Cortez's men had been ground fired by the reading of an old Spanish romance of chivalry called "Las Sergas Esplandian," in which was described a fabled island called Califorabundance were found, and they gave this name to the new land which they had discovered. It is strange that a name accidentally given should later

prove so descriptive. As to Oregon, the best information obtainable regarding the origin of its name is of varied nature, and several "Drowsy Ones," and this probably theories are equally well supported. The first recognized theory is that the tribe was nearly exterminated by the name was taken from that of a species of wild sage called "origanum," which grows in profusion on the coast of the state. The second is to the effect that the rame is derived from the Spanish word "Oregones," meaning "Big-eared Men." supposed to have been given to the natives by a Jesuit priest who set-

tled in that country in the early days. Joaquin Miller, "the Poet of the Sierras," said that the name came from the Spanish "Aura Agua," meaning "Gently Falling Waters." It is on the strength of these two latter theories that this name is included with those of Spanish origin.

American and Indian Names. Two states may be said to have American names. The first is Washington, named for the Father of His Country, and the second Indiana, so called on account of the purchase and subsequent settlement by various Indian tribes of large tacts of land north ent boundaries of the state.

When we review Indian state names, we must remember that there was no one Indian tongue. Most, if not all, of these Indian terms have suffered corruption at the hands of the white men, in some cases to such an extent that all connection with the

their beautiful and sonorous sound. The first state to bear an Indian name was Massachusetts, which was named for the bay-indeed, until 1780 the state bore its colonial name of "Massachusetts Bay" and has been nicknamed "Old Bay State." The word means "At or Near the Great Hills," and probably has reference to the Arkansas; hence these men are the heights of land around Boston, seen from the bay when approaching that

The transition from Quonoktacut to for span of work mules or horses. Connecticut is an example of how Indian names suffered corruption at the hands of the white man. The word means "River Whose Water is Driven in Waves by Tides or Winds," a typically long and descriptive title and taken from the principal river of the state, which was probably so named from the aspect of its mouth.

In 1541 Hernando de Soto, the Span-FOR SALE - 9-room Residence ish discoverer of the Mississippi, gave called Alibamo, on the Yazoo river, in Mississippi. This place was the fortmons or Alabamas, who, after this batting of 16. Mrs. A. H. CONNER. tle, migrated eastward to the shores of a river to which they gave their name and which in turn gave the state of

> Our greatest river, the Mississippi, gives name to one of our Southern The Indian word means "Gathering in of All the Waters," or "Great Long River," which have been interpreted by some to mean "Father of Waters," although this is not a

technically correct translation. Texas, our largest commonwealth and the only one acquired by annexawhich originally mean "Friends" or "Allies," and which was also used as a form of greeting. Later it came to WANT TO SELL my place in indicate a group of tribes generally

Some of Uncertain Meaning. Like many other states, Tennesse is named for its principal river, although this name was originally given to one of its southerly tributaries and name is of Cherokee origin and came from a village or locality, Tanasse, inhabited by this great southern tribe.

The Blue Grass state, Kentucky, also bears a name of uncertain origin louige Mogers Clark, one of ou

this tribe used the Kentucky river in its migrations north and south. The Bloody Ground" was given to Daniel of First Assistant Postmaster Generearly days of the state, by an intellititle is supposed to have been descriptimes, not only between the Indians sibility of misunderstanding the im and the whites, but also between the portance of getting newspapers to

The Buckeye state, Ohio, takes its name from its principal river, which bore a long Iroquois Indian name, meaning "Beautiful River."

Illinois is named for the Illini tribe of Indians, who lived in that section tive termination, "ois."

Ah-hee-oo-ba, is perpetuated in Iowa. as first class mail. The name meant "Sleepy Ones," or goes far toward explaining why this ley of the state's principal river, to which, in turn, the state was named.

The Indian's penchant for naming places after bodies of water is further illustrated in the name of Michigan, which comes from an Algonquin w "Mishigamaw," meaning "Big Lake," or "Great Water."

Now we come to another state name the origin and meaning of which are uncertain. Wisconsin, written by the quickly as they would a letter. early French explorers of that region "Ouisconsin" and named for its chief stream, is thought to have come from a Sauk Indian word translated as "Wild Rushing Channel," and also as having reference to holes in the banks of streams where birds nest.

Others Named From Rivers.

Another river-named state is Minnesota, derived from a Sloux Indian word meaning "Cloudy Water" or "Sky-Tinted Water.'

Our greatest Western stream gives its name to Missouri, and its yellow flow toward its mouth well merits its meaning, "Muddy Water."

The popular meaning often given to Arkansas is "Bend or Bow in the Kansas," but it is manifest that this is erroneous, for this river does not enter the state. One of the Indian tribes of that region bore this name, which was written by early French explorers as "Alkansia," or "Alkansas," and in many other forms. The meaning of occupation? the word has been lost. In 1808 certain pioneers resident in Arkansas said Boggs, thoughtfully. "Maybe it congress to establish the territory of of animals."-Youth's Companion. ones who perpetuated the Indian name

The wide plains of the Dakotas vere the home of the Sioux, or Dakota tribes, and this name, which, according to dialect, was also written "Lako ta," "Lahkota," or "Nakota," and signifies "Allies," was used as the conmon name of all the confederated

Sloux tribes. The Sioux tongue also gives us Ne braska, an Otoe Sioux word meaning "Shallow Water," or "Broad Water," descriptive of the river for which the state is named.

The state of Kansas was named for an Indian tribe which inhabited that region and lived along the river to which it gave its name. The Kansas or Kanza Indians were of the Sioux family and their name means "Wind People," or "People of the South

Oklahoma also bears a tribal rame. taken from the Choctaw tongue. It has the peculiarly significant meaning of 'Red people.

It is a strange fact that a valley in Pennsylvania, famed for a Revolutionary massacre, and a far-western state should bear the same name; yet the latter is named for the former. Two meanings, both well supported by competent authorities, have been given to the word Wyoming. One is that it is a corruption of a Delaware or Leni-Lenape word, "Maugh-wauwama," meaning "Extensive Plains." The other interpretation which has been put upon it is "Mountains With Valleys Alternating." Both of these meanings could be fittingly applied to the state of Wyoming.

One of the most highly civilized Indian tribes in the history of the New World, the Aztecs, has given us a state name, for our Southern neighbor derives her name from the word "Mexitili," an Aztec tutelary divinity, hence New Mexico. Another meaning given to this word is "Habitation of the God of War."

A small Southwestern tribe, the Papagos, a peaceful people and sadly harassed by the warlike Apaches, gives us the name of Arizona. It is taken from a former locality of theirs called "Arizonac," or "Arizonaca," menning "Place of the Small Springs,"

The Mormon state, Utah, takes its name from the Ute tribe of Indians, who lived in that section. The origin of the name is unknown.

Idaho is named from an Indian word meaning "Gem of the Mountains" -a most descriptive title for that high-

Newspapers Are Given First Class Rating by Postoffice Department

Postmaster H. N. Cook has received notification from the Postmaster General to the effect that all newspapers will in the future be regarded by the various Post Offices in the United States as ranking in importance with first class mail, and to be handled in as expeditious manner as letters.

The order is the result of painstaking effort on the part of the Post popular translation of "Dark and Office inspectors, under the direction minute instructions have been issued the mails, so that there will be no pos-

> The essence of the order is that newspapers shall not be mixed with parcel post at any point in their dispatch from the publishers' offices until their delivery to the addressees.

Under the new system, newspapers ies of newspapers at the point of dis- delegates. which they gave their name and after patch, they will be placed in first class mail or in sacks,, even though the sacks are only partially filled.

This order means much to the American people, and is one of the most important and far reaching steps in Post Office history. By it all sub- Bratton. scribers getting their papers at a distance will receive their papers as ler.

Not Worth the Mental Effort.

Bill wanted to slip out of the barracks-unofficially-to see his girl, and he went to the sentry and stated

"Well," said the sentry, "I'll be off duty when you come back, so you ought to have the password for tonight. It's 'Idiosyncrasy.'

"Idio what?" "Idiosyncrasy."

"I'll stay in barracks," said Bill.

Loved Them.

Mr. Boggs, the butcher, was a jovial oul. As he was cutting up the order of lamb chops for a customer the wonan asked curiously: "Mr. Boggs, what led you to choose your present

"Well, I don't really know, ma'am,

FREE!

Crank Case Service

How long has it been since you drained the oil out of your car?

It should be done at least every 500 miles. We drain and refill it and only charge you for the oil.

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Citizens Meet at Lost Creek and Endorse County Candidates

A meeting of citizens of the Voca, Papers shall be handled by them- Mt. Tabor and Lost Creek voting box- from east to west is finally establishand whose name meant "Men," and to selves, and kept in constant transit, es, held last Thursday night at Lost ed by the Highway Department and which the French added their adjec- not being sent to railway terminals Creek, is reported. W. W. Hender- the state engineer was here Monday to be reworked. In other words, they son presided over the gathering, at logging the road. He may be here The name of another Indian tribe, are to be handled in the same manner which a large crowd, including some several days. He is an affable gen-45 voters were present. The princi- tleman and talks roads and good pal matter taken up at the meeting roads. The belt highway comes into will be made up in separate sacks was the naming of delegates to a the county from Lometa and passes plainly labeled with the word "News- county meeting, and the vot- thru San Saha, Harkeyville, Algerita, papers." If there are only a few coping on instructions to be given such Richland Springs and Hall going thru

> Delegates to the county meeting were named as follows:

Lost Creek-D. H. Henderson, Bob

Preliminary endorsement was voted

the following as candidates for coun- missioners. ty offices, and the delegates to the ounty meeting were so instructed: For Governor-T. W. Davidson.

For Sheriff-J. C. Wall, with E. B. Scarborough, second choice. For District Clerk-Frank Lohn.

on, Jr. For Tax Assessor-Dick Hayes.

2-Leonard Passmore. The meeting adjourned to meet again on next Friday night, at which Culloch county line west of Hall this time delegates from the Camp San spring and early summer.—San Saba Saba voting box will be present, thus News. giving a full precinct representation. The meeting next Friday night will further consider the choice of candidates, and make further recommenda-

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State Highway Thru San Saba County From East to West

The belt highway thru the county Brady west to San Angelo.

The state has entered into contract with the county, thru the County Judge, for the maintainance of this road in as good condition as it now is, or as good condition as the county Mt. Tabor-Tom Horn, Emmett may at any time put the roadway. The state is not ready to finally take Voca-G. A. Spiller, Sr., J. E. Spillover all the roads and the present contract calls for the maintainance to be done thru the present county com-

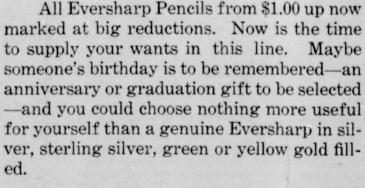
The state agrees from its budget to reimburse the county to the amount of \$100 per mile for expenditures on this road during the first six months of the year. If at the end of the six months the state is yet un-For County Clerk-P. A. Campbell, able to take over the road then it For Tax Collector-Wm. R. David- agrees to extend the present contract for another six months. There are in the neighborhood of 35 miles of For County Commissioner Pre. No. this state highway. This means that will have \$3,500 to spend on the highway between Red Bluff and the Mc-

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