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Fresh Meats, Fruits, Vegetables.

Fish and Oysters in Season.

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A Ford Timer?

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Head and Tail Light Bulbs for Any Car?

Rim Bolts, Nuts or Lugs for Any Car?

If So, You Can Get Them At The--

Keefer Filling Station.

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WOOD and COAL

Will receive a car Dawson Coal in a few days.

\$15.00 per Ton off the car.

Drayage.

Store Room.

Phone No. 2

Sanderson, Texas.

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Lands Sold Property Rendered Abstracts Examined and Titles Passed Upon By an Efficient and Reliable Attorney. Office with County Clerk, Sanderson, Texas

Lands Leased Taxes Paid

G. J. Henshaw, Mgr. Ora E. Lemons, Sec'y

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1924 Model

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We deal in every thing in the general merchandiseline.

We have a most complete stock of general merchandise.

We can take care of your orders, large or small

We have on hand at present some nice Steel Ranges at very Attractive prices

We will be glad to show you our stock at any time, a call from you will be appreciated

Our business is to show the goods and make the sale afterwards

All Goods Guaranteed

SMITH & ELDRIDGE

BURDWELL FOUND NOT GUILTY

In district court here on February 1st, of the State of Texas vs. Jim Burdwell, charged of cattle theft, he was found not guilty by the jury.

District Attorney J. Q. Henry, assisted by Dayton Moses, attorney for the Southwest Texas Cattle Raisers Association of Ft. Worth, represented the State, while the defense was represented by Walter F. Jones, of Del Rio, assisted by Judge G. J. Henshaw, of this city.

Arguments on the case were started on the afternoon of February 1st by opposing lawyers and the case was given to the jury at 5 p. m. and they were out for about a hour, bringing back a verdict of "not guilty."

Other cases heard and disposed of in this term of district court were:

The State of Texas vs. John Roco, assault with intent to murder, continued to special term of this court to be held, March 31st. Bail fixed at \$1000.00.

The State of Texas vs. A. Bankhead, rudely displaying of a deadly weapon, transferred to county court. Found guilty in county court, fined \$1 and costs.

The State of Texas vs. O. L. Birdine, with intent to defraud. Bond fixed at \$500.00, continued to special term of this court to be held March 31st.

María R. Villegas vs. Samuel Villegas, suit for divorce. Divorce granted.

Fernando de Leon vs. Seledenia de Leon, suit for divorce. Divorce granted.

BOX CAR DAMAGED BY FIRE

Last Sunday, about noon, a fire alarm was given at the roundhouse of the G. H. & S. A. An empty box car attached to the end of a freight train standing in the railroad yards caught on fire. By the cool headness and quick work of J. S. Birdsley, engineer on the day switch engine, would have resulted in the whole train burning, as there was a heavy wind blowing towards the train. Engineer Birdsley ran the engine up to the nearest switch and coming back on the track the burning car was on, while Ray Parker and Dick Lewellen uncoupled the car from the train, running it at a safe distance they stopped and coupled a hose to the boiler of the engine and soon extinguished the fire.

The fire was started from unknown origin and the damage was estimated at \$350.00.

If you want to dance the old-time dances over again, come out to the Princess Theater next Friday night.

J. Calvin Stansell bought about 900 head goats from the Del Rio National Bank this week at \$2 a head, delivery was made immediately.

Walter Stansell bought about 20 head cattle from the same Bank at \$18 a round, calves were thrown in.

Your clothes will always look neat and clean if you have them pressed and cleaned at the Royal Tailor Shop. Phone No. 6, and we will call for your package and deliver when finished.

Attorney Julian LaCrosse of the law firm, Boggess, Smith & LaCrosse of Del Rio, spent several days in Sanderson this week on legal business.

Bill Crittenden is driving around in a new Studebaker touring car which was delivered to him this week.

P. T. ASS'N. MEET IN REGULAR SESSION

The P. T. A. held their regular meeting Friday, February 1st, with 39 members present.

Several interesting papers were read, among them were two deserving mention, Mrs. Daisy Cochran read, "What Share Has the Mother in the Success or Failure of Her Daughter at High School," by Maria Bassard; Mrs. McKee read a letter from Miss Eunice Aden, chairman of Physical Education on, "Child Hygiene in the Schools."

Miss Deason's room was given a beautiful plant for their efforts to bring their mothers out. After the meeting adjourned, the members were invited to visit the exhibition of first term sewing in the Art room. On arriving we were surprised to see so many nice and useful garments on display, which showed the earnest efforts of the teacher and girls. The following ladies were appointed as judges by the president; Mesdames Daisy Cochran, McKee, Arrington, Mitchell and Bodkin, to select the neatest work, and it was not an easy matter, as a number of garments were beautifully made. After close examining, Mattie Banner won first and Eddie Mae Stirman second, silver thimbles were the awards.

The girls of the domestic art class served delicious pimento and chocolate sandwiches with tea to the ladies, in all it was a splendid meeting and we are looking forward to sampling more art of the cooking class later. We feel Miss Pruitt deserves credit for the year's work of the girls. Next regular meeting will be March 7th, everybody welcome.

President.

W. B. A. to Have a Mexican Supper

The W. B. A. will have a Mexican supper at the home of Mrs. Chester Smith, Tuesday evening, February 19th, at 6 o'clock.

If you want to be dressed up wear made-to-measure clothes. Call at the Royal Tailor Shop and let us fit you up to a nifty suit. The cost is low and satisfaction guaranteed.

NOTICE

Beginning Monday, February 11th, I will be in Sanderson for a short time. Anyone desiring dental work done, please call as soon as you can so that I may complete the work during my stay.

Dr. L. C. Pope, Dentist.

RESOLUTION.

God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call the nephew of our beloved sister, Buelah Newton, to the heavenly home above where all is peace and love.

Be it resolved, that the officers and members of Oasis Div. No. 378 of the G. I. A. to B. of L. E. extend to her our heartfelt sympathy and love in this hour of sorrow.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to our beloved sister, a copy spread upon the minutes of the Div., and a copy published in the Sanderson Times.

Mabel Petersen, Mora Cochran, Avalena Birdsley, Committee.

Come one! Come all! to ye old time masked ball! At the Princess Theater, Friday night, February 15th.

Mrs. P. P. Roberts returned Sunday from San Antonio after several weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

SHERIFF HARRELL OUT FOR RE-ELECTION

We have been authorized by F. N. Harrell to announce his name as a candidate for re-election to the office of sheriff and tax collector of Terrell county.

Sheriff Harrell has held this office for the past two years, and as he is well known to the voters of this county it would be needless of our giving introductions. He believes in the full enforcement of the laws of our county and state, and is a man that has shown to be capable of the office which he seeks for re-election.

MUSSEY BROS. INSTALL RADIO OUTFIT

The travel-worn and weary tourists traveling overland will have an opportunity to relax and rest their weary bones when they stop to fill their cars up with gasoline at the Mussey Bros. Garage, by listening to the latest Jazz music and all favorite songs over the radio.

The first of the week a complete radio set was installed in the sales room of Mussey Bros. garage with several headphones and a loud speaker included.

Royal Neighbors masked ball at the Princess Theater next Friday night.

Mat Turner left Wednesday for Tucson, Ariz., on business.

FEBRUARY

The Father of Washington and Lincoln:

Every one of us during the month of February will be made better and stronger for having reviewed the lives and principles of our two great progenitors--Washington and Lincoln.

Not only in statecraft, these two men by their simplicity, thrift and conservatism created a heritage that is a perpetual source of inspiration to every one who wants to succeed.

Study Washington and Lincoln--You'll be Highly rewarded for your efforts.

SANDERSON STATE BANK

A Guaranty Fund Bank.

GROCERIES

Fruits, Vegetables, Ham, Bacon.

YOUR TRADE SOLICITED

W. H. FARLEY

CITY BARBER SHOP

and

BATHS

FIRST CLASS SERVICE

We Carry Everything Handled In A General Store

DRY GOODS

The Season's New and Best Styled

DRESS GOODS,

MEN'S SUITS,

HATS, CAPS,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

GROCERIES

We Have Everything That's Good to Eat

Canned Vegetables and

Fruits,

Jellies, Jams,

Teas and Coffee.

HARDWARE

We Are Headquarters for

Hardware, Oil, Paints

Stoves, Pipe Fittings,

Wire, Nails,

Studebaker Wagons

FURNITURE

We Have a Nice Line of

Chairs, Rockers, Tables,

Dressers, Beds,

Springs and

Mattresses.

LUMBER

Anything You Want in

Building Material, Sash

Doors, Cement, Lime

Brick, Roofing,

Fencing.

THE KERR MERC. COMPANY

Take It at Night
Makes Morning Bright



St. Joseph's
LIVER REGULATOR
for BLOOD-LIVER-KIDNEYS
The BIG 25¢ CAN

**WARD OFF HEAVY
COUGHS AND COLDS**

PURIFY your blood and build up your strength with Gude's Pepto-Mangan. It will fortify you against colds; it will help you put on flesh. Don't wait until a heavy cold gets its grip on you; begin to take Gude's now. Your druggist has it; in liquid and tablet form.

Free Trial Tablets—The health-building value of Gude's Pepto-Mangan, write today for generous trial package of Tablets. Send no money—just name and address to M. J. Brettenbach Co., 53 Warren St., N. Y.

Gude's
Pepto-Mangan
Tonic and Blood Enricher

Grove's
Tasteless
Chill Tonic
Invigorates, Purifies and Enriches the Blood. 50c

Cure for Insomnia

Insomnia victims have found strange cures, such as counting imaginary sheep passing through a gate, but an inventor in Europe, when she discovered one of her guests had not slept well, turns his bed so that it will face in another direction. She maintains from her long experience in catering to the comfort of travelers that some are "east and westers," while others are "north and southerners," or "west and easterers" when it comes to sleeping.

AT THE FIRST SIGN of Colds, Fevers, Sore Throat, Headache, Neuritis, etc., cleanse your liver and bowels of the poisonous waste and germs by taking one BOND'S LIVER PILL at bed time. They prevent serious colds, La Grippe, Influenza and other complications by removing the cause. 25c at all drug stores.—Advertisement.

Roads Employ Many Men

There are 77,000 trolley car motor-men employed in this country every day on the electric railways. It requires 63,000 conductors for their cars. Approximately 150,000 other men are employed on the tracks and in the shops and car houses of these electric railways.

The wages of this large group of men are derived from the receipts of the electric railways from fares paid by their passengers.

DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN

Aspirin Marked With "Bayer Cross" Has Been Proved Safe by Millions.

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years. Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

A candid man feels that if he had a lot of useless money he would buy a lot of useless things.

Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION

BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION 25 CENTS
6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief
BELLANS
25¢ AND 75¢ PACKAGES EVERYWHERE

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Always irritation, soothes and heals throat and lung inflammation. The constant irritation of a cough keeps the delicate mucous membrane of the throat and lungs in a congested condition, which BOSCHEE'S SYRUP gently and quickly heals. For this reason it has been a favorite household remedy for colds, coughs, bronchitis and especially for lung troubles in millions of homes all over the world for the last fifty-seven years, enabling the patient to obtain a good night's rest, free from coughing with only expectation in the morning. You can buy BOSCHEE'S SYRUP wherever medicine is sold.

**WOODROW WILSON
AMERICA'S WAR
PRESIDENT, DEAD**

End Came Peacefully at His Home in Washington Sunday Morning.

WORKED FOR PEACE

Lead Nation in Most Trying Years of Its History—Was Twenty-Eighth President of United States.

Washington—Former President Wilson died Sunday at 11:15 a.m.

Mr. Wilson, though he had told his personal friend and physician, Dr. Cary T. Grayson, that he "was ready to die," and that he was only "a broken piece of machinery," still clung to life with amazing tenacity.

Those who watched said that his indomitable will, despite his resignation to the inevitable, would not be conquered, and fought on and on to live—long after the flesh should have succumbed.

Fatigued and worn by the battle with death which began before he left the White House in 1921, the war president of two terms—eight of the most momentous years in the history of the world—closed his eyes and slipped peacefully away.

The end came when vitality no longer could retard the steady dissolution which set in with the stroke of paralysis that laid Mr. Wilson low on his return from the Western speaking trip in 1919 in which he declared he was glad to give his life for the league of nations if that would make it a success.

The cause of death, as officially announced, was general arterio-sclerosis and haemoptigia.

The general sclerosis had been progressively hardening Mr. Wilson's arteries since he was first stricken in 1919. The haemoptigia, which refers to the paralytic condition of his left side, manifested itself principally in his left arm and leg.

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

It was a peaceful drifting to the end, in the main. Mr. Wilson talked to his wife whenever his strength would let him. He recognized his daughter, Margaret, when she arrived from New York. He joked with his doctors, once saying: "Too many cooks spoil the broth, you know."

The passing of the former president was announced in the following statement issued by his physician and friend, Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson.

"Mr. Wilson died at 11:15 Sunday morning.

"His heart action became feebler and feebler, and the heart muscles were so fatigued that it refused to act any longer. The end came peacefully."

Mr. Wilson was 67 years and one month old at the time of his death.

His work is done, the final chapter written, and he had closed the book, not caring to look inside it again at the final moments, either to review the work he had done for humanity or to mourn and regret the bitterness which accompanied it.

Mrs. Wilson, his daughter Margaret and Dr. Grayson were in the death chamber at the end. Dr. Grayson, restraining tears with obvious difficulty, gave the formal announcement to waiting newspaper men.

Worn with the strain, his voice was barely audible when he said that the former president's last moments had been peaceful.

Except for a brief whispered conversation with Mrs. Wilson early in the morning, so low that she had to lean over the coverlet to catch the faint words, the former president did not speak Saturday other than to breathe "yes" and "no" to inquiries.

His mind, however, seemed clear throughout, Dr. Grayson said. The opiates made him a bit hazy at times, but in the main he retained all of his mental faculties and was conscious of all that has gone on about him in the sick room until evening.

The last hours were being made as comfortable as medical science permitted. The official bulletin mentioned the fact that the main efforts of the physicians were to make him comfortable.

"Does this mean, doctor, that you

His Work for Peace.

Washington—Senator Morris Sheppard said. The death of Woodrow Wilson removes from the walks of men one of the sublimest characters of all time. His work for universal peace has already developed greater practical results than that of any other man in history. This work, combined with his other efforts for the welfare of humanity, will bear richer and ever richer fruitage as long as the earth endures.

are making his death as easy as possible?" Dr. Grayson was asked. "Yes," he replied frankly, after a pause.

First word of the seriousness of Mr. Wilson's condition was given by Dr. Grayson Friday morning after he had spent Thursday night at the bedside. He called "in" at once two other physicians, and members of the family were summoned by telegraph.

As the news of his death spread throughout the world, messages of sympathy poured in a great flood tide to the widow who so long had kept him in her tender care.

One of the first to send a message of condolence was President Coolidge, who on Friday, when the serious nature of the illness became known, conveyed to Mrs. Wilson the hope of the former president would recover.

Saturday night the crowds of people that stood respectfully outside the ropes increased. This was particularly noticeable between 8 and 11 o'clock. For several years the gathering of crowds about the entrance to a local vaudeville theater to see the former president on his regular Saturday night visit has been a feature of Washington life.

**PRESIDENT COOLIDGE
ISSUES PROCLAMATION**

Washington.—President Coolidge's proclamation on the death of Woodrow Wilson follows:

By the President of the United States of America—A Proclamation:

To the people of the United States: The death of Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States from March 4, 1913, to March 4, 1921, which occurred at 11:15 o'clock Sunday morning at his home at Washington, D. C., deprives the country of a most distinguished citizen, and is an event which causes universal and genuine sorrow. To many of us it brings a sense of profound personal bereavement.

His early profession as a lawyer was abandoned to enter academic life in this chosen field he attained the highest rank as an educator, and has left his impress upon the intellectual thought of the country. From the presidency of Princeton University he was called by his fellow citizens to be the chief executive of the state of New Jersey. The duties of this high office he so conducted 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 can not 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 enlarged influence in the destiny of mankind.

In testimony of the respect in which his memory is held by the government and the people of the United States, I do hereby direct that the flags of the White House and of the several departmental buildings be displayed at half staff for a period of thirty days, and that suitable military and naval honors under orders of the secretary of war and of the secretary of the navy may be rendered on the day of the funeral.

Done at the city of Washington this 3d day of February, in the year of our Lord 1924, and of the independence of the United States of America the 148th.

CALVIN COOLIDGE
By the president,
CHARLES EVANS HUGHES,
Secretary of State.

A Prayer for Wilson.

Washington.—Rev. James Shera Montgomery, chaplain of the house of representatives, in his prayer Saturday opening the session of that body, invoked divine support for Woodrow Wilson as he faces death. Rev. Montgomery said: "In this silence with subdued breath we pray for that most distinguished one, as he lingers in the shadows of eternal morning. In that hushed chamber reveal Thyself in the varied forms of comfort and peace. Give restful assurance to all sad and heavy hearts. Shelter and keep him unafraid in Thy secret place and may the shadow of the Most High bathe his brow, as he awaits the summons to enter his father's house—in heaven forever more."

Called Greatest Man Of Age

Tyler, Tex.—Cone Johnson, solicitor of the department of state under President Wilson, said: "Woodrow Wilson was the greatest man of this age; this is the greatest age of all time. He was a world man. And now that he is dead, captious criticism will cease and he will be proclaimed by the people of all countries and climes as the great friend of man."

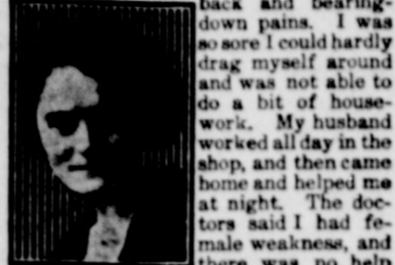
What Col. Bryan Says.

College Station, Tex.—"As the nation mourns the passing of former President Wilson it will be able to make a more accurate measurement of his relative place in history than was possible during his life," said Colonel William Jennings Bryan Sunday. "Public men are judge by the way they deal with great problems," said Colonel Bryan. "No president, with the exception of Washington and Lincoln, was ever confronted by problems as grave."

**HAD TO LET
HOUSEWORK GO**

So Ill Husband had to do the Work. Completely Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

South Bend, Indiana.—"I was all run-down, tired out, and had pains in my back and bearing-down pains. I was so sore I could hardly drag myself around and was not able to do a bit of housework. My husband worked all day in the shop, and then came home and helped me at night. The doctors said I had female weakness, and there was no help but to be operated upon, and of course that would cost us a great deal. My husband heard about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at the factory and one night he stopped at the drug store and bought me a bottle of it. I had been to think there was no help for me, but I took three bottles of it and now I feel like myself once more. The price for three bottles wasn't so much as the doctor had charged. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough."—Mrs. DORA OSBORNE, 430 Sherman Avenue, South Bend, Ind.



Women troubled with female weakness should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial—now. For sale by druggists everywhere.

ADD TODAY—DON'T DELAY



All the Joys

At a South-end chauffeur's wedding his comrades made an arch of petrol cans outside the church. Another pretty idea would be to strew soft pedestals in the path of the happy couple as they drive away.—London Opinion.

GIRLS! HAIR GROWS THICK AND BEAUTIFUL

35-Cent "Danderine" Does Wonders for Lifeless, Neglected Hair.



A gleamy mass of luxuriant hair full of gloss, luster and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalp with dependable "Danderine." Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drug store.—Advertisement.

In Boston

"Why didn't you turn in a fire alarm?" "I didn't know there was a fire," said the green cop. "This lady claims she went out to notify you." "She did say something about a conflagration."

INDIGESTION, GASES, UPSET, ACID STOMACH

"Pape's Diapiesin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages of Pape's Diapiesin.—Adv.

A Clear Case

Stage Hand—Did you say you wanted a window or a widow? Show Manager—I said widow, but they're both much alike. When I get near either of them I always look out.—Japan Advertiser.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

ITCH!
Money back without question if HUNT'S SALVE fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Price 25c at Druggists, or direct from 111 South Main St., Boston, Ma.

Avoid & Relieve COLDS INFLUENZA MALARIA

BY TAKING **WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC**
It is a Reliable General Improving Tonic

Texas News

A petition has been presented to the commissioners court asking for a bond election to finance the work of hard surfacing state highways through Walker County.

There was collected in the state during the past year \$214,900 in occupation taxes, which is an increase of \$10,839 over the previous year, while the gross receipts taxes totaled \$4,414,280.

Rapid progress is being made in the construction of Robstown's new \$90,000 cotton oil mill.

Wilson County commissioners court has sold \$315,000 road bonds for the county. The bonds sold at par with accrued interest.

A \$100,000 school bond election will be called in Humble in the near future in response to a petition circulated among voters of the district. If the election carries, the money will be used to erect a modern school building.

There were 167,643,887 acres of land in Texas in 1923 valued at \$1,357,242,089, not including \$908,355,468 as the value of city and town lots, according to the report of the state comptroller.

The topographic survey to determine the feasibility of construction of a great water dam at the "narrows" just south of the confluence of Pecan Bayou and Jim Ned Creek, north of Brownwood, is making steady and satisfactory progress.

There were in Texas in 1923 1,851,615 horses and mules valued at \$6,765,229; cattle 5,867,850 head, valued at \$82,469,004; jacks and Jennets 13,555, valued at \$271,219; sheep 2,473,167 head, valued at \$8,317,499; goats 1,465,511, valued at \$2,769,863.

Application for authority to construct a railroad line from Beeville to Laredo, a distance of 135 miles, has been filed with the railroad commission by the Nueces Valley and Rio Grande railroad at Beeville. This line would connect with the Southern Pacific.

The Smithville National Farm Loan Association has elected officers for the coming year as follows: W. T. Tippen, president; V. S. Rabb, vice president; E. C. Williams, secretary and treasurer. Since the organization of the association loans of over \$100,000 have been made to farmers in Bastrop County.

An issue of \$350,000 special road bonds of Taylor County, bearing 5 1/2 per cent and maturing serially, has been approved by the attorney general's department. It has also approved an issue of \$18,000 North Rich (Madison County) independent school district bonds, bearing 6 per cent and maturing in 40 years with a 20-year option.

Marble Falls is assured of a textile mill in the very near future. It will be in operation some time this year and will make blankets and towels. A three-foot dam on top of the upper falls near the plant site will be under construction by March 17. Machinery will be installed to begin work in April, according to plans now being worked out by engineers.

A good roads association has been organized in Jackson County with A. C. Egg as chairman and E. T. Rose as secretary. A representative from each voting precinct in the county has been appointed, who, with the chairman and secretary, will constitute the executive committee. A move is now on foot to call an election to vote bonds to build a concrete road from the Victoria to the Wharton County lines—a distance of about 27 miles. There is also a tentative plan to build lateral roads over the county with gravel.

Funds for building the \$300,000 bridge across the Brazos river at Richmond have been secured. A part of the money was raised in Fort Bend County, a part by Richmond citizens and the balance was allowed by the federal and state highway departments by floods of May, 1922, and since that time a ferry has been in operation.

District Judge George Calhoun has rendered judgment for the state and incidentally in favor of Smithville in the matter of the construction of the judgment of 1913 fixing the status of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railway Company in Texas. He held that the shops must be maintained at Smithville in substantially the same manner as they were of Jan. 25, 1913, and that the railroad in recent months has not so maintained them. He also held that the superintendent and train dispatcher for the division must be maintained at Smithville. A further holding was that the number of men at work on Jan. 25, 1913, has nothing to do with the case.

At a recent meeting of the state board of health at Austin it was disclosed that renewal license of nearly 230 maternity homes in Texas had been held up pending investigation. At this meeting the state health officer was authorized to issue these licenses only after a thorough investigation of each applicant for a 1924 license had been made and based on a recommendation by the city or county health officer. He was, however, directed to act on the applications whether recommendations were favorable or adverse.

Why You May Need—



There are three main groups of prospective buyers of Chevrolet automobiles and commercial cars.

First, are all who know from comparison or through the experiences of friends that Chevrolet provides the utmost dollar value in modern, economical transportation of people or merchandise.

Second, the large group of people with modest incomes who have the false impression that so good a car as Chevrolet is beyond their means.

They do not realize that due to engineering excellence and full modern equipment, Chevrolet operating and maintenance costs average so low that during the life of the car, it delivers modern, comfortable, fast transportation at the lowest cost per mile, including the purchase price.

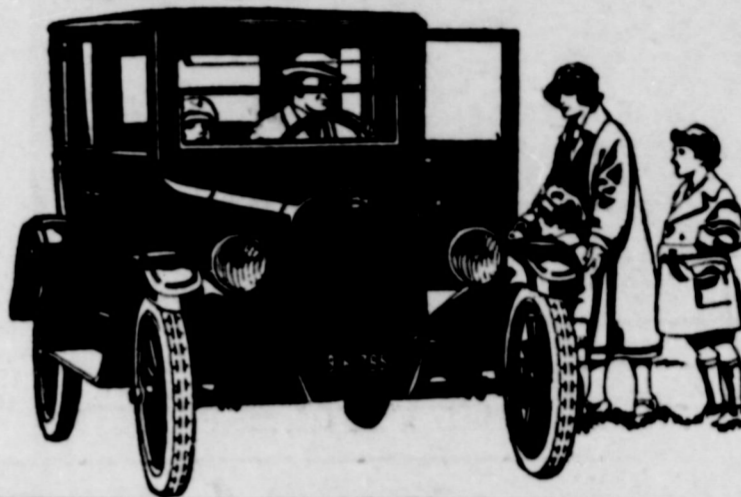
Third, the smaller but very important group of car owners of ample means, only a small percentage of whom as yet realize that Chevrolet as an extra car virtually costs them nothing, due to the reduction in their transportation expenses effected by it.

We respectfully suggest consideration, investigation and comparison of Chevrolet with any other car at any price.

Chevrolet Motor Company, Detroit, Michigan
Division of General Motors Corporation

Prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich.

Superior Roadster	\$490	Superior Sedan	\$795
Superior Touring	495	Superior Commercial Chassis	395
Superior Utility Coupe	460	Superior Light Delivery	495
Superior 4-Passenger Coupe	715	Utility Express Truck Chassis	550



Market Poultry Direct

Free "Fox Plan" booklet prepared by Chicago's largest direct receivers and distributors of poultry—gives information that enables Northwest farmers to get 25% more for turkeys, capons, and other poultry. Southwest farmers can do the same. Kill, dress and ship poultry now, while the weather is still enough to cool birds. Write today for "Free Fox Plan."

THE PETER FOX SONS CO
1321 Fulton Market at May Street, Chicago. Resources over one-half million dollars.

Where He Shone

Teacher (exasperated)—Isn't there anything you can answer? Duncie—Yeah, the telephone.

"DANDELION BUTTER COLOR"

A harmless vegetable butter color used by millions for 50 years. Drug stores and general stores sell bottles of "Dandelion" for 35 cents.—Adv.

Many "entertainments" are well attended because those who attend think staying at home is a bore.

If a woman would stop to think while she is talking she might think to stop.

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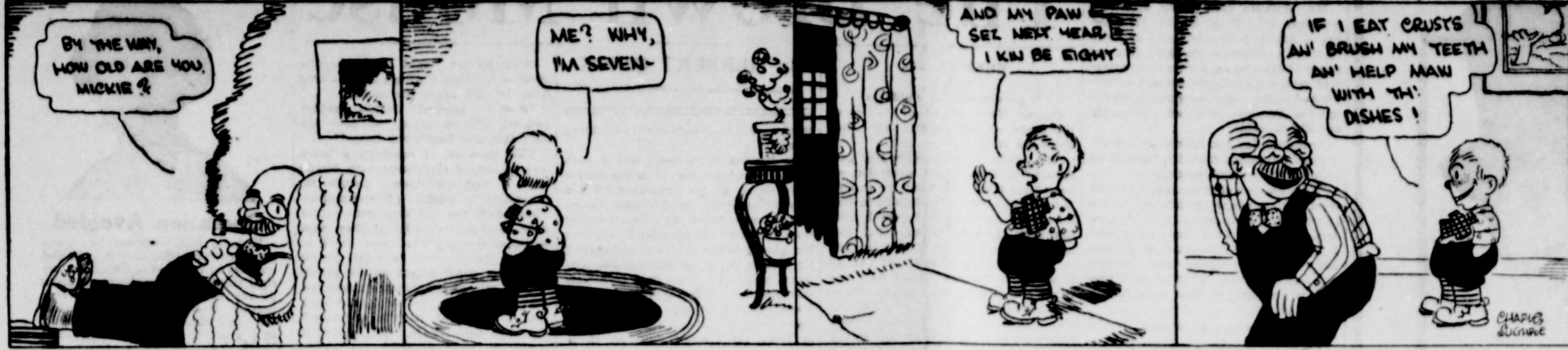
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Very Kind of Paw

TEXAS JANUARY LIVESTOCK REPORT

Improvement Shown in Range and Stock Conditions Over That of Year Ago.

Houston, Tex.—In general the livestock industry in Texas is in a better condition than it was 12 months ago and the year should see a realization of at least some of the hopes of the stock raiser. The report of H. H. Schutz, statistician, division of crop and livestock estimates, shows a marked improvement in range and stock condition over that of a year ago with the cattlemen somewhat less pessimistic, the sheep and goat raisers quite hopeful, the hog raisers retrenching and a healthy expansion of the dairy industry. Little activity has been noted in raising mule horses and mules to take care of the steadily growing crop acreage, but far-seeing stock raisers have been acquiring cheap cattle and swine of good quality to build up their breeding herds.

The number of cattle on feed west of the Mississippi on January 1 was practically the same as a year ago, while east of the river the number was about 8 per cent larger. In the Mountain and Pacific States the number on feed shows a reduction of one-fourth. The shipments of stocker and feeder cattle into the corn belt during the second half of 1923 were below those for the same period in 1922; however, they greatly exceeded the shipments in 1921 and 1920 and were larger than the five-year average from 1915 to 1923. During the last six months of 1923 the total shipments of stockers and feeders were 2,259,000 head.

In the Western States there were 2,050,000 head of sheep on feed on January 1 as compared with 2,170,000 last year. In the corn belt there was a decrease of 40,000 head and in the states east of the Mississippi will be considerably reduced owing to the long drouth. The number of sheep in Texas as shown an increase of 8 per cent, bringing the total to 3,997,000 head, or practically what it was on January 1 of 1921 and 1922. Goats, also, have increased in number and now total 1,815,000 head, which is 148,000 less than on January 1, 1921, the high point of recent years.

The Farmer and the Income Tax Return

Austin, Tex.—The following statement is issued by James W. Bass, collector of internal revenue of the first district of Texas, as to whether farmers should file an income tax return:

Every individual, if single, and having a net income of \$1,000, or if married and having a net income of \$2,000 or more, must, under the revenue act in effect for the year 1923, file an income tax return.

It will be seen that a single man, who during the year 1923 produced and sold fifteen bales of cotton, should file a return.

All farm income from whatever source must be reported. Anything of value received instead of cash must be treated as income to the extent of its cash value. Thus the total value of groceries, merchandise, etc., received in exchange for eggs, butter or other produce must be reported as income.

There is a very severe penalty for failure to file returns and to avoid this penalty inquiry should be made to collector or deputy collector concerning the matter.

The time for filing 1923 return expires on March 15.

Sinclair Denies Fraud Charges.

Paris.—When he has completed the business which brought him to France, Harry F. Sinclair, American oil producer, will return to the United States and "welcome the judicial determination" of the questions at issue with regard to the Teapot Dome oil concession. It is his purpose, however, to remain abroad until his business is finished. Mr. Sinclair Thursday sent a cable dispatch to United States Senator Lenroot to this effect. He reiterated that he already appeared five times before the investigating committee and had given the committee "every fact or circumstance of a fact you have inquired about from me."

Another Call for Warrants.

Austin, Tex.—Another call for registered warrants was issued Wednesday by State Treasurer C. V. Terrell, there being \$215,944 in cash available to the credit of general revenue. This call takes up all warrants up to No. 16,250 and embraces 1260 warrants, most of them salary warrants of state employees and issued since September 1, 1923. Warrants issued prior to that date have already been paid.

Waller County Poultry Raisers.

Waller, Tex.—Twenty-five poultry raisers of Waller County have organized a poultry association for Waller County. The organization set for its first year's resolution 10,000 laying hens.

College President Elected.

Ablene, Tex.—The board of trustees of Abilene Christian College has elected Hutsel Baxter as president of the college to succeed C. P. Sewell, who resigned recently.

AW, WHAT'S THE USE

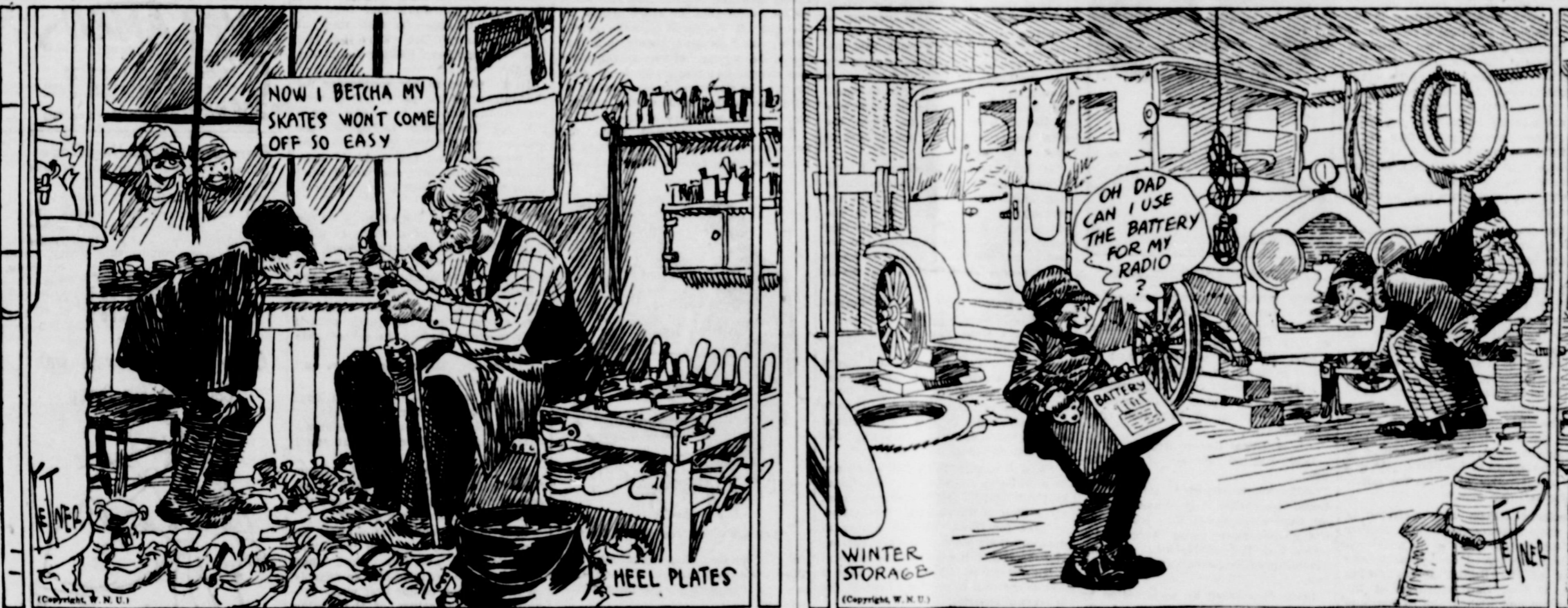
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RADIO RALF AND HIS FRIENDS—

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EX-PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON

PRESIDENT WILSON WAS HUMAN PHENOMENON OF GREATEST WAR

At 54 No More Than a University Professor and Political Writer; at 63 in a Place of Power and Fame and Honor Unsurpassed in History—Defended His Unsuccessful Peace Policies to the Last.

History, in determining the place of Woodrow Wilson, 28th president of the United States of America, will pass judgment upon the most prominent world-figure of the events growing out of the most momentous war of all time. From the viewpoint of hundreds of millions of lovers of liberty Woodrow Wilson stood at the zenith, as the ex-kaiser stands at the nadir.

The great war brought to the front many men whose names will live in honor. In the last analysis three men stand out: Wilson, Lloyd George, Clemenceau. Of these three it was Wilson who held the world's eye—Wilson, the human phenomenon of the times, until fifty-four no more than a college professor and political writer and at sixty-three on a pinnacle of fame and honor and power unsurpassed if ever attained by any man in history.

It is impossible now to differentiate between Woodrow Wilson the man and Woodrow Wilson the head of the most powerful nation of earth in wealth, material and fighting men. Certainly he could not have reached the place he held without great ability and extraordinary capacity for leadership. By virtue of his place he became a focus of world attention as soon as the great war began. Before the armistice was signed he had become a great moral leader with the ear of the peoples of the world. Only as such could he have forced upon the allied world the unofficial acceptance of his project of a league of nations, with its fourteen points as set forth to congress January 18, 1918.

Abroad and at Home.
The enthusiasm evoked by President Wilson's visits to Paris, London and Rome was proof of his unique place in the regard of the people. It was evident that he was to Europeans not so much a man as a voice—a voice putting into words what they wanted and had not been able to express; his ideas and ideals were a sort of religion to them.

But he showed himself a statesman as well as a voice. He played the game masterfully. He established sympathy between himself and his man or his crowd. He made few if any mistakes in taste or judgment. He "matched his mind" to use his own expression, with the best of Europe and he got his league of nations before the peace conference and got it adopted.

President Wilson's two months in Europe may be divided into phases. When he landed the attitude toward the league of nations was this: The government of France was antagonistic; Great Britain was suspicious; Italy was skeptical. The first phase, his triumphant progress through France, England and Italy opened the eyes of these governments to his hold on the people. The second phase, the preliminary work of the peace conference, convinced these governments that President Wilson had an idea rather than a set plan which he purposed to force upon them. This simplified the situation and the rush to climb on the bandwagon began.

Contemporary estimates of President Wilson at home were as wide apart as the poles. Senator J. Thomas Heflin (Dem., Ala.), when representative spoke on the floor of "Woodrow Wilson, the greatest apostle of world liberty and democracy since Jesus Christ."

Senator Thomas W. Hardwick (Dem.) of Georgia, said January 21 in the senate: "I believe in a written constitution. I believe in a strict interpretation of it. . . and I believe that unless we leave and abandon this mad saturation of imperialism here at home and return to the ancient principles of our fathers there will be no safety nor

happiness for the people of this republic."
Senator Albert B. Cummins (Rep.) of Iowa expressed the half-way view when he said in the senate January 23: "I think President Wilson is the most intensely practical statesman of this or any other day. He began his administration in the belief that the executive office had not the power that it ought to have. He has accomplished more in the direction in which he set his face and his mind than any other man, either in this generation or in any former generation; and the only criticism, if it is a criticism, is that he has not marched in the right direction and has done things that he ought not to have done."

In the process of wrestling from congress all the powers he believed the Constitution conferred upon the executive, President Wilson made many political enemies who questioned not his ability, but his motives and methods. To particularize would be largely to review the political history of the last six years. The railroad situation, however, may be cited as an example. Representative E. E. Denton (Rep.) of Illinois said January 15, 1919, "Government ownership of railroads will be the dominant political issue in the next national campaign and Mr. Meadon will of course expect to be the candidate of his party. He will hope to capitalize what has been done for the railroad men."

President Wilson was re-elected in 1916 upon a peace platform. October 25, 1918, just before the congressional election, he issued an appeal to the voters of the United States asking them, if they had approved of his leadership and wished him to continue to be their unembarrassed spokesman in affairs at home and abroad, to express themselves unmistakably to that effect by returning a Democratic majority to both houses. The result of the elections was to change the political complexion of both houses as follows: 45th congress—Senate, 51 Democrats and 45 Republicans; house, 215 Republicans and 213 Democrats in 66th congress—Senate, 47 Democrats and 49 Republicans; house, 239 Republicans and 193 Democrats.

President Wilson in attending the peace conference made several new departures. He left the country during office. He took the office with him, signing acts and making appointments while in Paris. He ignored the senate, though he is empowered by the constitution to make treaties "by and with the advice and consent of the senate."

He appointed as the American representatives himself, Secretary of State Robert Lansing, Henry White, Edward M. House and General Tasker H. Bliss. He sailed December 4, 1918, and arrived at Paris December 14. The French capital was so feted for the occasion. December 24 he went to England and thence to Italy. He returned to Paris January 8, after a journey that resembled a "triumphal procession."

After the preliminary sessions of the peace conference President Wilson returned to the United States in February, returning to Paris March 15, 1919. He signed the peace treaty June 28, 1919, and returned to the United States July 8. His second term as president expired March 3, 1920.

After his retirement from the presidency Mr. Wilson lived quietly, making a partly successful fight to regain his health. He occasionally went to the theater and rode much in his car about the environs of Washington. He bought a home in Washington and in 1921 formed a law partnership with Bainbridge Colby, who had been his secretary of state, succeeding Robert Lansing. He took part in the funeral procession of President Harding in Wash-

ington and was the recipient of much public attention.

Mr. Wilson's last public utterance was last fall. November 10, 1923, the eve of Armistice day, he spoke by radio to the American people, defending his peace policy and saying that the American people had withdrawn into a "solitary and selfish isolation which is deeply ignominious because manifestly cowardly and dishonorable."

Armistice day Mr. Wilson briefly addressed thousands from the front steps of his home, concluding thus:

"I am not one of those that have the least anxiety about the triumph of the principles I have stood for. I have seen fools resist Providence before and I have seen their destruction, as will come upon these again—utter destruction and contempt. That we shall prevail is as sure as that God reigns. Thank you."

Chronology of Wilson.

Woodrow Wilson was born December 28, 1856, in Staunton, Va. He was the son of Rev. Joseph R. Wilson, a Presbyterian minister, and Jessie (Woodrow) Wilson. In 1885 he married Ellen Louise Axson. They had three daughters—Jessie (Mrs. Francis B. Sayre), Eleanor (Mrs. W. G. McAdoo) and Margaret. Mrs. Wilson died August 16, 1914, in the White House. December 18, 1915, Mr. Wilson married Edith (Bolling) Galt, a descendant of Pocahontas. The first 25 years of Mr. Wilson's life covered his boyhood and education. The next 25 were devoted to teaching and writing. With his election to the governorship of New Jersey in 1910 began his active political career. His chronology follows:

- 1858—Family removed to Atlanta, Ga. Student in private schools.
- 1870-82—Student at Princeton.
- 1879-82—Law student at University of Virginia.
- 1882-3—Practicing lawyer in Atlanta.
- 1883-5—Post-graduate course at Johns Hopkins university in history.



MRS. WOODROW WILSON

Jurisprudence and political science; received degree of Ph. D.

- 1886—Associate professor of history at Bryn Mawr college.
- 1888—Professor of history and political economy at Wesleyan.
- 1890—Professor of Jurisprudence and political economy at Princeton.
- 1902—President of Princeton (first nonclerical).
- Political Career Begins.**
- 1910—Elected governor of New Jersey.
- 1912—Nominated by Democratic national convention in Baltimore in June on forty-sixth ballot by vote of 900 out of 1,086 over Champ Clark of Missouri and Judson Harmon of Ohio. Elected president over Taft and Roosevelt.

- 1916—Nominated by acclamation by Democratic national convention in St. Louis in June. Elected president over Charles E. Hughes.
- Woodrow Wilson's Ph. D. thesis was "Congressional Government: A Study in American Politics" (1885). His later works include:
 - "The State: Elements of Historical and Practical Politics" (1885; new edition, 1911).
 - "An Old Master, and Other Political Essays" (1893).
 - "Division and Reunion" (1893).
 - "Mere Literature, and Other Essays" (1896; new edition, 1913).
 - "George Washington" (1896; new edition, 1913).
 - "The Free Life" (1908; new edition, 1913).
 - "Constitutional Government in the United States" (1908).
 - "Civic Problems" (1909).
 - "History of the American People" (5 Vols., 1902; new edition, 1912).
 - "The New Freedom" (1913).
 - "When a Man Comes to Himself" (1915).

Tax Returns Show More Women Are in Business

Washington—Women are more active now in the business world than ever before in the history of the nation. Treasury department statistics show that since the war the number of women who earn incomes large enough to be taxed has tripled.

For the tax year 1921 there were 89,654 wives who filed income tax returns separately from their husbands' returns, upon which a tax of \$48,541,348 was paid. For the same year women who were heads of families filed 113,356 income tax returns, on which \$10,848,457 was collected in tax, while all other women filed 608,829 income tax returns, on which \$58,610,994 was taxed.

For the tax year 1920 there were 77,558 wives, separate from their husbands, who filed income tax returns; women who were heads of families filed 132,181 tax returns, while all other women filed 608,940.

The Brown Mouse

By HERBERT QUICK

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CHAPTER XIX

A School District Held Up.
Colonel Woodruff was on his feet as Jim made his way through the crowd toward the door.

"Mr. Irwin is here, ladies and gentlemen," said he, "and I move that we hear from him as to what we can do to meet the offer of our friends in Potawatomi county; but before I yield the floor, I want to say that this meeting has been worth while just to have been the occasion of our all becoming better acquainted with our friend and neighbor, Mr. Simms. Whatever may have been the lack of understanding, on our part, of his qualities, they were all cleared up by that speech of his—the best I have ever heard in this neighborhood."

More applause, in the midst of which Old Man Simms slunk away down in his seat to escape observation. There, the chairman said that if there was no objection they would hear from their well-known citizen, whose growing fame was more remarkable for the fact that it had been gained as a country schoolmaster—be needed not add that he referred to Mr. James E. Irwin. (More and louder applause.)

"Friends and neighbors," said Jim, "you ask me to say to you what I want you to do. I want you to do what you want to do—nothing more or less. Last year I was glad to be tolerated here; and the only change in the situation lies in the fact that I have another place offered me—unless there has been a change in your feelings toward me and my work. I hope there has been; for I know my work is good now, whereas I only believe it is then."

"Sure it is!" shouted Con Bonner that astute wirepuller's definite choice of a place in the handwagon. "Tell us what you want, Jim!"
"What do I want?" asked Jim. "More than anything else, I want such meetings as this—often—and a place to hold them. If I stay in the Woodruff District, I want this meeting to effect a permanent organization to work with me. I can't teach this district anything. Nobody can teach any one anything. All any teacher can do is to direct people's activities in teaching themselves. You are gathered here to decide what you'll do about the small matter of keeping me at work as your hired man."

"If I'm to be your hired man, I want a boss in the shape of a civic organization which will take in every man and woman in the district. Here's the place and now's the time to make that organization—an organization the object of which shall be to put the whole district at school, and to boss me in my work for the whole district."

"Dat sounds good," cried Hankon Peterson. "Vell do dat!"
"Then I want you to work out a building scheme for the school," Jim went on. "We want a place where girls can learn to cook, keep house, take care of babies, sew, and learn to be wives and mothers. There's somebody right in this neighborhood able to teach anything the young people want to learn."

"And I want a physician here once in a while to examine the children as to their health, and a dentist to look after their teeth and teach them how to care for them. Also an oculist to examine their eyes. And when Bettina Hansen comes home from the hospital a trained nurse, I want her to have a job as visiting nurse right here in the Woodruff District."

"I want a counting-room for the keeping of the farm accounts and the record of our observation in farming. I want co-operation in letting us have these accounts."

"I want some manual training equipment for wood-working and metal working, and a blacksmith and wagon shop, in which the boys may learn to shoe horses, repair tools, design buildings, and practice the best agricultural engineering. I want to do most modern breeding discoveries, and I want you co-operation in that, and a poultry plant somewhere in the district."

"I want a laboratory in which we can work on seeds, pests, soils, feeds, and the like. For the education of your children must come out of these things."
"I want these things because they are necessary if we are to get the culture out of life we should get—and nobody gets culture out of any sort of school—they get it out of life, or they don't get it at all."

"So I want you to build as freely for your school as for your cattle and horses and hogs."

"The school will make for you—this new kind of rural school—a social life which will be the social center, because it will be the educational center, and the business center of the countryside."

"I want all these things, and more. But I don't expect them all at once. I know that this district is too small to do all of them, and therefore, I want a bigger district—one that will give us the financial strength to carry out the program I have sketched. This may be a presumptuous thing for me to propose. If you think so, let me go. But if you don't, please keep this meeting together in a permanent organization of grownup members of the Woodruff school, and by pulling together, you can do these things—all of them—and many more—and you'll make the Woodruff District a good place to live in and die in—and I shall be proud to live and die in it at your

service, as the neighborhood's hired man."
As Jim sat down there was a hush in the crowded room, as if the people were dazed at his assurance. There was no applause, until Jennie Woodruff, now seen by Jim for the first time over next the blackboard, clapped her gloved hands together and started it; then it swept out through the windows in a storm. The dust rose from stamping feet, until the kerosene lamps were dimmed by it. And as the noise subsided, Jim saw standing out in front the stooped form of B. B. Hamm, one of the most prosperous men in the district.

"Mr. Chairman—Ezra Bronson," he roared, "this fellow's crazy, and from the sound of things, you're all as crazy as he is. If this fool scheme of his goes through, my farm's for sale! I'll quit before I'm sold out for taxes!"

"Just a minute, B. B.," interposed Colonel Woodruff. "This ain't as dangerous as you think. You don't want us to do all this in fifteen minutes, do you, Jim?"

"Oh, as to that," replied Jim, "I just wanted you to have in your minds what I have in my mind—and unless we can agree to work toward these things there's no use in my staying. But time—that's another matter. Believe with me, and I'll work with you."
"Get out of here!" said the colonel to Jim in an undertone, "and leave the rest to your friends."
Jim walked out of the room and took the way toward his home. A horse tied to the hitching-post had his blanket under foot, and Jim replaced it on his back, patting him kindly and talking horse language to him. Then he went up and down the line of teams, readjusting blankets, tying loosened knots, and assuring himself that his neighbors' horses were securely tied and comfortable. He knew horses better than he knew people, he thought. If he could manage people as he could manage horses—but that would be wrong. Horse management was despotism; man-government must be like the government of a society of wild horses, the result of the common work of the members of the herd.

Two figures emerged from the schoolhouse door, and as he turned toward his home after his pastoral calls



"Tell Us What You Want, Jim."

on the horses, they overtook him. They were the figures of Newton Bronson and the county superintendent of schools.

"Dat wants you back there again," said Newton.

"What for?" inquired Jim.

"You silly boy," said Jennie, "you talked about the good of the schools all of the time, and never said a word about your own salary! What do you want? They want to know!"

"Oh!" exclaimed Jim in the manner of one who suddenly remembers that he has forgotten his umbrella or his pocket-knife. "I forgot all about it. I haven't thought about that at all, Jennie!"

"Jim," said she, "you need a guardian."

"I know it, Jennie," said he, "and I know who I want. I want—"

"Please come back," said Jennie, "and tell papa how much you're going to hold the district up for."

"You run back," said Jim to Newton, "and tell your father that whatever is right in the way of salary will be satisfactory to me. I leave that to the people."

Newton darted off, leaving the schoolmaster standing in the road with the county superintendent.

"I can't go back there!" said Jim. "I'm proud of you, Jim," said Jennie.

"This community has found its master. They can't do all you ask now, nor very soon; but finally they'll do just as you want them to do. And, Jim, I want to say that I've been the biggest little fool in the county!"

CHAPTER XX

Theory and Practice.

Superintendent Jennie sat at her desk in no very satisfactory frame of mind. In the first place the court was to convene on the following Monday, so that her one-room office was not to be hers for a few days. To Wilbur Smythe, who did her the honor of calling occasionally, she remarked that if they didn't soon build the new courthouse so as to give her such accommodations as her office really needed, they might take their old office—so there!

"Fair woman," said Wilbur, as he crossed his Prince Albert in a parting bow, "should adorn the home!"
"Bosh!" sneered Jennie, rather pleased, all the same, "suppose she isn't fair, and hasn't any home!"

This question of adorning a home was no nearer settlement with Jennie than it had ever been, though increasingly a matter of speculation. There were two or three men—rather good catches, too—who, if they were encouraged—but what was there to encourage them? This is what Jennie asked her paper-weight as she placed it on a pile of unfinished examination papers. And the paper-weight echoed, "Not a thing out of the ordinary." And then, said Jennie, "Well, you little simpleton, who and what are you so out of the ordinary that you should sneer at Wilbur Smythe and Beckman Fifield and such men?" And echo answered, "What?"—and then the mail-carrier came in.

Down near the bottom of the pile she found this letter, signed by a southern state superintendent of schools, but dated at Kirksville, Missouri:

"I am a member of a party of southern educators—state superintendents in the main—on tour of the country to see what we can find of an instructive nature in rural school work. Professor Withers of Ames suggests that we visit your schools, and especially the rural school taught by a young man named Irwin, and I wonder if you will be free on next Monday morning, if we come to your office, to direct us to the place? If you could accompany us on the trip, and perhaps show us some of your other excellent schools, we should be honored and pleased."

And then came the shock—a party of state officials were coming into the county to study Jim Irwin's school! They would never come to study Wilbur Smythe's law practice—never in the world—or her work as county superintendent—never!—and Jim was getting seventy-five dollars a month, and had a mother to support. But there could be no doubt that there was something to Jim—the man was out of the ordinary. And wasn't that just what she had been looking for in her mind?

Jennie wired to her southerner for the number of his party, and secured automobiles for the trip. She sent a note to Jim Irwin telling of the prospective visitation. She would show all concerned that she could do some things, anyhow, and she would send these people on with a good impression of her county.

She was glad of the automobiles the next Monday morning, when at nine-thirty the train discharged upon her a dozen very alert, very up-to-date, very inquisitive southerners, male and female, most of whom seemed to have left their "rs" in the gulf region. It was eleven when the party parked their machines before the schoolhouse door.

"There are visitors here before us," said Jennie.

"Seems rather like an educational shrine," said Doctor Bratway of Mississippi. "How does he accommodate so many visitors in that small edifice?"

"I am not aware," said Jennie, "that he has been in the habit of receiving so very many from outside the district. Well, shall we go in?"

Once inside, Jennie felt a queer return of her old aversion to Jim's methods—the aversion which had caused her to criticize him so sharply on the occasion of her first visit. The reason for the return of the feeling lay in the fact that the work going on was the same sort, but of a more intense character. It was so utterly unlike a school as Jennie understood the word, that she glanced back at the group of educators with a little blush. The school was in a sort of uproar. Not that uproar of boredom and mischief of which most of us have familiar memories, but a sort of eager uproar, in which every child was intensely interested in the same thing; and did little rustling things because of this interest; something like the hum at a football game or a dog fight.

On one side of the desk stood Jim Irwin, and facing him was a smooth stranger of the old-fashioned lightning-rod-agent type—the shallover and laxer sort of salesman of the kind whose sole business is to get signatures on the dotted line, and let some one else do the rest. In short, he was a "closer."

Standing back of him in evident distress was Mr. Cornelius Bonner, and grouped about were Columbus Brown, B. B. Hamm, Ezra Bronson, A. B. Talcott and two or three others from outside the Woodruff district. With envelopes in their hands and the light of battle in their eyes stood Newton Bronson, Raymond Simms, Bettina Hansen, Mary Smith and Angie Talcott, the boys filled with delight, the girls rather frightened at being engaged in something like a debate with the salesman.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

For Policemen's Comfort.
Hot plates, warmed by electricity, are set into the ground at certain street corners in Amsterdam. They are intended for the comfort of policemen on crowding duty.

Benefit Through Suffering.
And this is the course of Nature; there is nothing like suffering to enlighten the giddy brain, widen the narrow mind, improve the trivial heart.—Charles Reed.

Mrs. W. E. Dean



Operation Avoided

Elkhart, Kan.—"About two years ago I began to suffer so with pain and soreness in both sides, (especially my right side) that I was almost unable to do any housework. I was also very nervous. Doctors advised an operation, but this I wished to avoid if possible, so I wrote to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, describing my condition, and was advised to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Ironic Tablets, and before I had finished one bottle of each I was feeling much better. I took seven bottles of the 'Prescription' and two of the Ironic Tablets and weighed more and felt better than I had for some time. There is no doubt about it, Dr. Pierce's medicines cured me, for I took no other."—Mrs. W. E. Dean, Route B.

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INFLAMED EYES DISFIGURE YOUR LOOKS!
Don't experiment on the eyes. MITCHELL EYE BALM for speedy relief. Associated with 25c at all druggists. HALL & ROGERS, New York City.

Running a Boarding Cave
Officer Stonebat—You got awfully beat up. Some enemy do it?
Widow Bonechisel—No, sutors; I killed and dressed an aurochs and served my boarders with real porterhouse steaks. Then they all proposed to me at once.

MOTHER!

Clean Child's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! Even constipated, bilious, feverish, or sick, colic Babies and Children love to take genuine "California Fig Syrup." No other laxative regulates the tender little bowels so nicely. It sweetens the stomach and starts the liver and bowels without gripping. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Say "California" to your druggist and avoid counterfeits. Insist upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions.

You are right, Clarence—a sound sleeper is one who makes so much sound that others cannot sleep.

Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

Rub on Good Old Musterole
That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippe or, even worse, Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once. Rub good old Musterole on the congested parts and see how quickly it brings relief.
Colds are merely congestion. Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold.

As effective as the messy old mustard plaster, does the work without blister. Just rub it on with your finger-tips. You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

To Mothers: Musterole is now made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole. 35c and 65c, in jars and tubes.

MUSTEROLE
Better than a mustard plaster

Children Cry for "Castoria"

Especially Prepared for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years as a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups. Contains no narcotics. Proven directions are on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it. The kind you have always bought bears signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

Two pleasant ways to relieve a cough

Take your choice and suit your taste. C-B or Menthol flavor. A sure relief for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Put one in your mouth at bedtime. Always keep a box on hand.



SMITH BROTHERS
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Famous since 1847

Pugnacity is defending a proposition when you don't care.

"CASCRETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS—10c A BOX

Cure Biliousness, Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Drug Store. Adv.

Bloviat, a New Word

There is a word which, so far as I know, is local to Washington, and largely to its newspaper and political fraternity. The word is "bloviat." It is not in the dictionary. (I have just looked and found there is no word of which the first four letters are "blov.") You pass from "blousing" immediately to "blow." But although the word is not in the dictionary, those whose ears have quick apprehension of the meaning inherent in sounds, will already have guessed its significance. When a public man, especially one rather given to speechmaking, is invited to adorn and address the annual dinner of this or that, we say he has gone out of town to bloviat. The word carries an implication of ornate, round speech and partly of expansion of the ego.—Mark Sullivan in McNaught's Monthly.

Worth More Than Gold

The rhea of the Argentine pampas and the Patagonian wastes has been done to death in thousands and its feathers sold, says Nature Magazine. Heron feathers were worth eighty dollars an ounce, four times as much as gold; and, as man has murdered his fellowman for gold since he first stood on two legs, the bird was doomed.

The noisier an argument, the more people will be drawn into it.

The Best External Remedy for all local aches and pains, the result of taking cold, over exertion or strain, is an Alcock's Plaster.—Adv.

Duke Has 12 Tons of Silver

The duke of Cumberland is selling his silver, they say, which weighs over twelve tons, and is judged to be priceless, the collection including, as it does, some of the rarest specimens of antique silver known.

Walburga, Lady Paget, in one of those books of memoirs of her, tells how on the way from London to Berlin as lady-in-waiting to the then princess royal, the seventeen-year-old bride of the crown prince of Prussia, they stopped at Hanover, where a court banquet awaited them. The long table gowned under the famous dinner service, which for so many years, with other heirlooms, had been the object of a great lawsuit between the English queen and king of Hanover, and which the English crown lawyers gave in his favor.

The princess royal recognized the service at once and was much hurt.—Detroit News.

Human Ingenuity

Most of the human ingenuity is devoted to making more machinery; very little to thinking out a method to lessen crime.

Term "high brow" is applied to intellectual people, but people who are really intellectual can't be derided.

VALUE OF TEXAS FARM PRODUCTS

State Led in Three Commodities in 1923, U. S. Report Shows.

Houston, Tex.—The value of Texas farm crops in 1923 reached the tremendous sum of \$1,064,775,000, which was \$588,855,000 more than the value of the crop of its nearest competitor. But in spite of this Texas was a leader in only three products of the farm. These were cotton, grain sorghums and watermelons.

The figures are taken from the report of H. H. Schutz, statistician for the department of agriculture.

The following values were placed on Texas crops: Cotton, 4,290,000 bales, \$652,089,000, value per acre, \$44; grain sorghum, \$43,602,000, value per acre, \$23; watermelons, \$2,161,000, no value per acre given; rice, \$6,126,000, value per acre, \$46; onions, \$3,108,000, value per acre, \$245; peanuts, \$4,841,000, value per acre, \$40; sorghum syrup, \$2,150,000, value per acre, \$67; broom-corn, \$810,000, value per acre, \$27; sweet potatoes, \$7,445,000, value per acre, \$91; corn, \$96,449,000, value per acre, \$18; oats, \$26,813,000, value per acre, \$19; lettuce, \$271,000, value per acre, \$238; cantaloupes, \$529,000, value per acre, \$251; wheat, \$16,861,000, value per acre, \$11; cabbage, \$653,000, value per acre, \$169; wild hay, \$2,850,000, value per acre, \$14; barley, \$1,763,000, value per acre, \$16; rye, \$200,000, value per acre, \$12; tame hay, \$18,768,000, value per acre, \$26; potatoes, \$3,080,000, value per acre, \$88.

In the production of this last commodity Texas stood thirty-eighth in the list of states, the lowest it fell in the production of any product listed.

In the value of the 1923 crop Iowa ranks next to Texas. The total value of its crop was \$475,920,000; California is next with a total farm value of \$447,993,000. Texas is also first in the number of acres that were planted. The total is given as 27,923,000. In this Kansas comes second with 22,085,000 acres in cultivation last year.

In nearly every instance the farm products listed showed a heavy gain in the value per acre over that of 1922. One notable exception was broom-corn. In Texas it declined \$10 an acre, falling from \$37 to \$27.

Only one state surpasses Texas in the production of rice, which is Louisiana. Texas comes third in the production of onions, being surpassed by New York and California. It dropped to fourth place in peanut production and sixth in the production of broom-corn and cane syrup. Its production of lettuce, oats and cantaloupes ranked eleventh with other states.

"Earned" Incomes Get A Tax Reduction

Washington—Rumblings of dissatisfaction among house republicans over the action of the majority members of the house ways and means committee in deciding to report a tax bill carrying the income rates proposed by Secretary Mellon crystallized Friday in an announcement by Representative Frear, Wisconsin, a leader of the republican insurgents, that his faction would not support the measure.

The proposed compromise rates, which were upset by the decision of the committee majority, included, it is understood, a 50 per cent reduction in the normal tax instead of a 25 per cent out as suggested by Mr. Mellon and a maximum of about 40 per cent instead of 35 per cent. Eleven members of the committee insisted upon the Mellon rates, which were adopted.

Washington—Income taxpayers got their first slice of the proposed tax relief Monday when the house ways and means committee adopted the recommendation of Secretary Mellon to allow a special 25 per cent reduction in the tax on incomes which are "earned."

All taxable incomes under \$5000 were defined as earned for purposes of this reduction, while \$20,000 was set as the maximum amount of incomes on which the reduction could be taken.

Treasury estimates show that about 11,000,000 taxpayers have incomes of less than \$5000 and automatically could deduct from their tax when computed 25 per cent of its total. Thus, a married man with two children who now pays a tax of \$28 on an income of \$4000 would pay only \$20.50, this figure not taking into account any normal income tax reductions.

Hidalgo Cotton Acreage Doubled. Edinburg, Tex.—About 7,000 bales of cotton were ginned at Edinburg last year, but the acreage this year, including the newly cleared dry land, will be increased about 200 per cent and the estimated yield for this year will be 20,000 bales. Hidalgo County last year produced 55,000 bales and it is thought this year nearly 100,000 bales will be produced.

Butler Perryman Sentenced. Houston, Tex.—At the request of government prosecutors, Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson, Jr. Wednesday agreed to change his decision to send Butler Perryman, former president of the Butler Perryman interests, to a federal penitentiary. Instead, Perryman will spend thirty days in the county jail, and every possession he has will be sold and the proceeds turned over to the government. Judge Hutcheson named the fine due the government as \$15,000.

Sick for Ten Years Gained 60 Pounds by Use of PE-RU-NA

Read This



Mr. John Wick

No matter how long you have been sick or how much you have suffered, you must not give up hope. Mr. John Wick, of Monomonee Falls, Wisconsin, did not and is a well man today. In September, 1918, he wrote: "I have been a user of Pe-ru-na for nearly twenty years. I had catarrh of the stomach for ten years. Nothing did me any good. I grew worse until a friend advised me to try Pe-ru-na. While using the first bottle, I felt I had found the right medicine. I am entirely cured. My weight was down to 135 pounds and now I weigh 195 pounds. I have used very little medicine for the last ten years."

The condition known as catarrh is not confined to the nose and throat. It may be found wherever there are mucous membranes and is responsible for a multitude of troubles. Coughs and colds are catarrhal as well as stomach and bowel disorders.

Do as John Wick did. Keep Pe-ru-na in the house. It stimulates digestion, aids in throwing off the poisonous secretions, enriches the blood, increases the resistance to disease and promotes good health generally.

Insist upon having genuine Pe-ru-na in either tablet or liquid form. Your dealer has it.

NR Tonight Tomorrow Alright

Get a 25c. Box.



Your Doctor

Caspian Sea Tideless

The Caspian sea is a tideless inland sea which is becoming saltier through evaporation. It is the largest inland body of water in the world. It is 700 miles long in north to south direction, and has a width varying from more than 100 to nearly 300 miles. Lake Superior is the largest fresh water body in the world. The extreme length of Lake Superior from east to west is 412 miles. Its extreme breadth is 167 miles.

Always Keep a Box on Hand.

Brandreth Pills are a safe and reliable laxative, made in America for ninety years, entirely vegetable.—Adv.

Fish Not Brain Food

It used to be believed that certain foods, especially fish and other foods containing phosphorus, were especially valuable for the gray matter of the brain. This is not believed any more. Brain cells apparently use the same kinds of food materials as all other living cells do. The best way to feed the brain well is to keep the body in good health.

Anoint the eyelids with Roman Eye Balsam at night and see how refreshed and strengthened your eyes are in the morning. Send now to 372 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

Carnauba Wax

Scales of wax form on the under side of the young leaves of the Carnauba palm of South America. This wax drops off when shaken. Being collected in this way, the wax is melted into masses and is often used to adulterate beeswax. It is exported and used in the manufacture of candles.

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Break a Cold Right Up with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Take two tablets every three hours until three doses are taken. The first dose always gives relief. The second and third doses completely break up the cold. Pleasant and safe to take. Contains no quinine or opiates. Millions use "Pape's Cold Compound." Price thirty-five cents. Druggists guaranteed it.

BATHE YOUR EYES

Use Dr. Thompson's Eye Drops. 100 N. River, New York, N. Y.

Births in Texas Exceed Deaths 2 to 1 in 1923

Austin, Tex.—There were 76,714 births recorded in Texas last year, compared with 36,558 deaths, showing there were more than two births for each death. The same ratio applied during 1922, there being 76,606 births and 37,049 deaths. There were 1108 more births during 1923 than 1922, and there were 611 less deaths during 1923 than in 1922, showing the ratio for last year was better than for the previous year.

A noticeable feature of the birth registration is that there were more births during September than any other month in the year. During that month there were 7880 births recorded. March was the month showing the greatest number of deaths, there being 3821 recorded during that month.

The following list shows the births and deaths recorded as to months: January 6534 births, 3658 deaths; February, 6560 births, 3278 deaths; March, 6551 births, 3821 deaths; April, 6043 births, 3023 deaths; May, 5621 births, 3923 deaths; June, 5621 births, 2767 deaths; July, 6636 births, 2750 deaths; August, 6596 births, 2718 deaths; September, 7680 births, 3532 deaths; October, 6864 births, 2138 deaths; November, 6342 births, 2892 deaths; and December, 6766 births and 2028 deaths. A noticeable coincidence in the foregoing is there were exactly the same number of births in May as in June, although May is one day longer than June.

During the past year there were 128 suicides in Texas. Of this number 83 were by firearms and 45 by other agencies. During the same period there were 158 homicides in the state. Of this number, 115 were with firearms and 42 by other means.

Proceedings of Teapot Dome Investigation

Washington—Adopting the Walsh oil lease annulment resolution by the unanimous vote of the 89 senators present, the senate plunged Thursday into what promises to be a historic and extremely bitter fight over the Robinson resolution requesting the president to call immediately for the resignation of Secretary Denby.

As the verbal battle got under way it was conceded that a sufficient number of republican insurgent votes might be joined with those of the democrats to insure adoption of the resolution. Such a coalition repulsed all efforts of administration senators to modify the language of the Walsh measure which, as finally adopted, declares the leases signed by Mr. Denby to have been made without authority and contrary to law.

Meantime, Mr. Denby continued to stand pat on his decision that he would not resign.

"No one had advised me to resign," he declared in response to suggestions that he had been urged to give up his cabinet post to avoid embarrassment to the administration.

Supporters of the Denby resignation resolution are giving close attention to the proceedings before the house naval committee, which was told Thursday by Rear Admiral J. K. Lattimer, judge advocate general of the navy, that Mr. Denby had told him that he had initiated the transfer of the naval reserves to the interior department after investigating the question and consulting with various experts.

President Coolidge is devoting much of his time to the oil lease muddle, giving attention both to the various phases of the evidence adduced by the senate committee and the question of the qualifications of the special counsel he has selected to prosecute the cases.

Dohoney Testifies Before Committee.

William G. McAfee, candidate for the democratic nomination for president and Thomas W. Gregory, the democrat selected by President Coolidge to assist in the prosecution of the lease cases, had employment as counsel for oil interests, Edward L. Dohoney, California oil magnate, testified Friday before the senate investigating committee. Mr. Dohoney said he personally had retained McAfee after his retirement as secretary of the treasury; that he thought his company had paid him "all told" about \$250,000 in fees, and that he now pays him a retainer of \$50,000 a year.

Hartlingen's World War Hero.

Hartlingen, Tex.—The Better Hartlingen club, a civic organization following the recommendation of the Women's Federated clubs of the state, has purchased a tree which will be planted as a memorial to Manuel Olivares, who lost his life in the world war. The tree is a beautiful eucalyptus upon which will be placed a plate bearing the soldier's name, together with his record in France and the time and place of his death. Olivares is the only soldier from Hartlingen who was killed in the war.

El Campo Ginnings.

El Campo, Tex.—Public Weigher Cousins states that he has weighed over 500 bales of cotton, which is very unusual for January. Over half of this cotton was ginned during the month. The total number of bales weighed is only a few less than 7000.

Bastrop County Ginnings.

Smithville, Tex.—There were 26,495 bales of cotton ginned in Bastrop County from the crop of 1923, prior to January 1, counting round bales as half bales.



"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Is Winter Time Your Backache Time?

DOES every cold, chill or attack of grip leave you lame, achy and all worn out? Does your back throb and ache until it seems you just can't keep going another day? Do you know these troubles are often due to weakened kidneys?

Winter's colds and chills throw a heavy strain on the kidneys. The kidneys are apt to weaken and fall behind in filtering the blood. Poisons accumulate and upset blood and nerves.

Then comes constant backache, rheumatic pains, headache dizziness and kidney irregularities.

Don't wait! Delay is often serious. Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Doan's have helped thousands. They are recommended by users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

"Use Doan's," Say These Good Folks:

Mrs. Jim Smith, Avenue F, Huntsville, Tex., says: "I had an attack of kidney complaint and suffered with sharp pains in the small of my back. I felt dull and rundown and my kidneys didn't act right at all. A friend advised me to try Doan's Pills which I did and they soon relieved the trouble. My kidneys were put in a good healthy condition. I am glad to endorse so good a remedy as Doan's Pills."

R. Murray, Huntsville, Tex., says: "I had kidney complaint which was brought on by a strain. My back ached and pained mornings and I was stiff and lame. My kidneys didn't act right and annoyed me, too. I used Doan's Pills and they soon relieved me. The backaches left and I have had no kidney trouble since."

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Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys
At all dealers, 60c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chemists, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. They restore the organs to their proper functions and headache and the causes of it pass away.

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Woman's Wisdom

He—What do you think Miss Oldby would like for her birthday?
She—Not to be reminded of it.

"SHE'S A GOOD LOOKING GIRL!"

You can't expect people to say that about you as long as your appearance shows you are careless about keeping your skin free from pimples, rash, "breaking out" and eczema.

You may feel like you have no hope of getting rid of these things, but you should not give up because Black and White Ointment is proving to thousands of people every day that they can depend on it to keep their skin clear, smooth and lovely.

Black and White Ointment is economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—Advertisement.

He Knew

Teacher—And what was Washington's farewell address?
Bright Boy—Heaven, ma'am.

Not in This Weather

English Teacher—John, have you done your outside reading?
Johnnie—No, ma'am, it's too cold.

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Coffee contains caffeine, a drug, prescribed by doctors as an emergency stimulant for the heart and nervous system. It has a tendency to increase blood pressure, develop heart irregularities and cause digestive disturbances.

If you feel that coffee is not good for you, serve Postum as your meal-time drink.

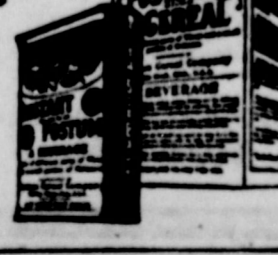
Postum is a pure cereal beverage that refreshes and satisfies. It is absolutely free from caffeine or any other irritating drug.

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J. B. McPhee,
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New Spring and Summer suit samples are open for your inspection at the Royal Tailor Shop.

Church News of Sanderson

Tomorrow is Rev. J. A. McMillan's regular appointment for this place. All cordially invited to come. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. M. F. Bell and wife were here last Sunday, it being their regular day for this place. Although very cold a full church for evening services.

Measles are keeping many away from both Sunday schools. Presbyterian having an attendance of only 65, and did not learn exact number at the Methodist, but quite a few were absent.

Lesson for prayer meeting February 13th, 11th and 12th chapters Heb.

Prayer meeting as usual last Wednesday. Mr. Merschon, the leader, gave a good lesson from the 9th and 10th chapters Heb. Many helpful thoughts and ideas were given by those present. Those that stay away miss much, come and see.

The Ladies of the W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. T. L. Williams Monday evening, at 4 o'clock. Business meeting, all try and be present.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. W. H. Savage Monday evening, at 3:30 o'clock, bible study.

No time or place was assigned for the next meeting of the W. M. S. At Mrs. Landers last Monday, but the president will call a meeting as soon as the measles will permit.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church gathered at the church last Sunday evening for the first service of the week of special prayer, for and in the interest of foreign missions. That all funds may reach headquarters at the set time, so that the good work may continue for the cause of Christianity. The closing service will be at the same church, February 10th at 3:30 p. m. Everyone very welcome.

—Regular Correspondent

NOTICE

Anybody planning on planting trees, vines, shrubbery, flowers, etc., see or write W. J. Banner, Sanderson, Texas, for catalogues and prices, as I have the local agency for the Austin Nursery. 4-t-c

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QUICKER DELIVERY OF NEWSPAPERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—As a result of several months of investigation and study by experts of the Post Office Department, Postmaster General New today issued the first definite, concise and complete program that has ever been put out by the Department for the mailing, transmission and delivery of newspapers. This order is most important. It is far reaching. It gives the same expedition to newspapers as is accorded to first class mail.

The essence of the order is that newspapers shall not be mixed with parcels post at any point in their dispatch from the publisher's offices until their addressees. Papers shall be handled by themselves, and kept in constant transit, not being sent to railway terminals to be reworked. In other words, they are to be handled in the same manner as first class mail.

Another striking feature of the order is the elimination of sacks of mail which are known to the business world as "mixed mail." Sacks of mixed mail some times contain letters, papers, and parcels post, and often times the entire contents were treated as parcels post. This order will prevent a recurrence of that condition.

Another important feature of the order is that postmasters are required to notify publishers in each instance when they do not hit the dispatch which they advertise to hit; also to notify publishers when they are sending to wrong addresses and to the addresses of deceased persons. Publishers will also be notified when they are putting up their mail in an incorrect way.

This order means much to the American public. It is one of the most important and far reaching steps in post office history. It is for the benefit of those who desire to have their newspapers placed before them at as early a moment as possible. This should keep both the city and rural population in closer and quicker touch with their several fields of activities.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

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For County Judge:

G. J. HENSHAW.
(Re-election)

For Sheriff & Tax Collector:

W. J. BANNER.
F. N. HARRELL, (re-election)

For County & District Clerk:

LUELLA LEMONS.
(re-election)

For Tax Assessor:

W. J. FERGUSON.
(re-election)

Mrs. James Wallen of Del Rio, spent last week in Sanderson, visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Wolff, and other relatives.

Mrs. Leta Robertson, who is attending the Sul Ross Normal at Alpine, visited friends here this week.

Miss Frankie Harris resigned her position in the Sanderson High School as English teacher, and she left Tuesday for her home at Henderson, Texas. Mrs. W. H. Savage was elected by the trustees to finish Miss Harris' term.

Miss Ruby Mansfield left Tuesday for El Paso where she will visit relatives and friends.

Harry Sharp and son, Jack, spent several days in Del Rio this week visiting friends.

Judge W. Van Sickle of Alpine was in the city the first of the week on legal business.

—Don't forget the Barn Dance at Princess Theater next Friday night.

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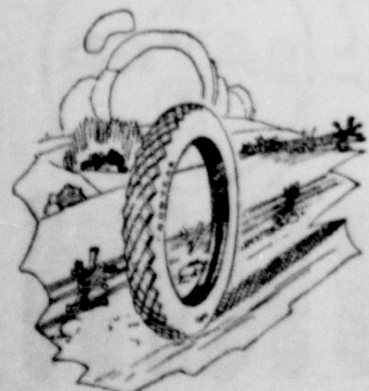
This year winter buying for immediate delivery has been more active than ever before—and in addition 200,000 orders have already been booked through the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan for spring delivery.

These facts clearly indicate that the demand during this spring and summer will be far greater than ever, and that orders should be placed immediately with Ford Dealers as a means of protection against delay in securing your Ford Car or Truck or Fordson Tractor.

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