

SPEEDING STREET CAR DIVES INTO RIVER

Striking Miners Will Battle to End, Lewis Declares

DRY LEADERS TO FIGHT MODIFICATION MENACE

WETS HAVE FUND INFLUENCE VOTE CLAIM NOW MADE

ATTEMPTS TO MODIFY LAW IN PRESENT CONGRESS BE FUTILE

BY EARL JOHNSON
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CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The American Anti-Saloon League signalized the dawn of the seventh year of national prohibition by appealing to the church, its staunchest and oldest ally to rally its forces against possible leaks in the Volstead act.

Spectacular and warlike, as usual, the league sent, "minute men" into the pulpits of hundreds of churches throughout the country Sunday to sound a warning against the sanguine modifications.

Many of these speeches lasted more than a minute but the nature of the warning was uniform. F. Scott McBride, general superintendent of the league, struck the keynote when he declared:

"Every Christian must fight this new menace of modification as vigorously as he fought the saloon in the old days."

Since its national convention here in October the Anti-Saloon League leaders have felt their hold on the churches is slipping. As explained by McBride, the average churchgoer, especially in the smaller communities, believes prohibition is secure.

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POPE NOT ASKING FOR TEMPORAL POWER

ROME, Jan. 17.—Suggestions allegedly emanating from a number of the sacred college of cardinals that the matter of the pope's temporal power be adjusted through a League of Nations mandate to rule over a small area of the city of Rome were declared at the Vatican Sunday to be absurd.

No section of Italy would submit itself to mandatory rule, it was explained. Such a solution not only would be offensive to Italy, it was said, but would be particularly hideous to Rome, which is the cradle of civilization and of law.

For the pope to function as a mandatory authority was inconceivable at the Vatican where it was explained that highest moral authority in the world scarcely could be expected to resort to an inferior authority, as the pope would have to do if he exercised temporal through a league mandate.

DRUNKENNESS AMONG YOUNGER SET NOW CAUSING MUCH WORRY—PARENTS MUST SET BETTER EXAMPLE, SAYS TEACHER

BY HAROLD ANDREWS
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KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—If the members of the Anti-Saloon League in Kansas City find any "kick" in the fact that their favorite child, the prohibition law has just rounded its sixth birthday, it is probably less than one half of one per cent.

Just as the ardor of a new crusade stirred in their hearts Sunday following a series of celebration, playlets, pageants and banquets all in honor of the birthday of the infant prohibition, the league members learned that the youth of Kansas City has been barred from holding dances in two of the leading hotels because of drinking and rowdiness.

"Never again," signs have been hung up conspicuously at the exclusive Ambassador and Brookside hotels, following recent dances which the management charged, resolved were held by youths not so much old.

Playing Golf at St. Augustine



Photograph shows Bobby Jones, American amateur golfer, as he appeared driving off at the twelfth tee, while Arnold Massy, the French pro golfer, looks on. In a match at St. Augustine, Massy and Archie Compston, the Englishman, opposed Bobby Jones and Watts Gunn, American amateurs. Massy and Compston won the match.

WEST TEXANS AROUSED OVER NEW NOVEL DESCRIBING STATE; SLAM IN FACE OF WESTERNERS' CLAIM

STAMFORD, Jan. 17.—West Texas has been aroused over the publication of the anonymous novel "The Wind" by Harper's, denying that the story properly describes conditions in and around Sweetwater, Texas.

SEVERAL ARRESTS MADE DURING SUNDAY

While there were no murders, robberies or criminal assaults in Lubbock Saturday night and Sunday, officers have an idea that a lot of people could have spent the Sabbath in a more pleasing manner.

Jake, corn, choc and other refreshments were prominently displayed, and before old Sol peeped over the eastern horizon Sunday morning the city bustle was comfortably filled. One man was arrested on a charge of driving a car while intoxicated, which is a felony, and his case will in all probability be transferred to higher courts. Another man with him at the time is now in a local hospital suffering severe injuries sustained when their car was overturned.

Five "crap-shooters" were also rounded up just before day. They gave cash bonds in the sum of \$25 for appearance Monday.

SHAMROCK, TEXAS, Jan. 17.—George W. Huster, 42, of Sweetwater, was instantly killed when his automobile jumped an embankment near here Sunday morning. George Brown, 45, passenger with Huster, was badly injured in the accident. Huster was pinned beneath the car which fell into a creek.

SLATON STORE IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

Special to Avalanche.
SLATON, Jan. 17.—Fire of undetermined origin broke out in the Star Grocery, of which A. C. Hardy is proprietor, damaging the stock to the extent of \$600 or \$700. Quick work on the part of the Slaton fire department saved the stock and building from being a complete loss. Part of the loss was covered by insurance, according to Mr. Hardy.

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SUFFERING WILL NOT CAUSE MEN TO COMPROMISE

FAMILIES WILL NOT STARVE NO MATTER HOW LONG STRIKE LASTS

By United News
WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 17.—The 158,000 striking anthracite coal miners will hold out until the operators meet their demands—for another year if necessary—President John L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers, told a mass meeting of the strikers at the Capitol theater here Sunday afternoon.

Admitting that hunger, sickness and poverty existed among the miners as a result of the strike, Lewis insisted in a denunciatory address that the strikers and their families would not starve, no matter how long the strike lasted.

"The whole economic and financial strength of United Mine Workers of America is here made available," he said. "It will be augmented by the moral and financial assistance of millions of wage earners affiliated with the American Federation of Labor."

The miners' leader made a bitter attack on the operators. He charged that they had attempted coercion of employees by refusal of mercantile credit and sought political, civic and religious influence by the expenditure of large sums of money.

"In a feeble effort to achieve moral justification for their act of bribing the population," he said, "they have, by insidious intrigue invaded even the sacred precincts of the Christian church. The net results of the operators' prodigious effort has been utter failure, except as they glorify and delight in human sacrifices and human suffering."

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PORTION OF FORD PLANT BURNS SUNDAY

DEARBORN, Mich., Jan. 17.—The main experimental plant of the stout engine division of the Ford Motor Co., was totally destroyed by fire Sunday.

Some ten all-metal engines, including one triple engine machine under construction of the former-acting Detroit-Arctic expedition, were believed damaged beyond repair, no one was injured in the fire.

The destroyed building, a one-story structure of modern design, situated in a corner of the Ford air field here, contained the administrative offices of the company, and an attached experimental plant where the planes were built. It is located within view of the Ford administrative offices.

Slaton Bond Issue Approved by Moody

Special to Avalanche.
SLATON, Jan. 17.—The hundred thousand dollar bond issue which was voted in Slaton recently for the construction of street paving has been approved by the attorney general, according to advice received here today.

The E. L. Steck Co. of Austin has been given the contract for the printing of the bonds, and they are to be delivered to the city of Slaton within a short time. The city commission has been working steadily upon the paving program, and it is hoped that all preliminary arrangements will be made so that the actual construction work on the paving can begin as soon as weather conditions will permit.

AID IS ASKED FOR FAMILIES OF STRIKERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Bread and clothing are needed for the families of striking anthracite miners, declares Wm. Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a second appeal issued by the federation's executive committee.

"If the miners are willing to fight and suffer let us be willing to contribute so they may have food and clothing while fighting the battle of the United Mine Workers," Green said.

"Hungry children are calling upon us for help. Who among us can be indifferent to the appeals of the children for food, clothing and shelter?"

Congressman Victor Berger, Wisconsin, socialist, announces he will introduce a resolution for government seizure and operation of the anthracite mines. Anthracite prices in New York have gone from \$14 a ton to \$30, coke from \$3 to 18 and soft coal from \$6 to \$16.

BIG ELEVATOR AT PLAINVIEW IS DESTROYED

PLAINVIEW, Jan. 18, 2:45 a. m.—Fire which is thought to have started from defective wiring broke out at the plant of the Harvest Mill & Elevator Co. at 1:20 o'clock this morning and in less than two hours property valued at approximately \$150,000 had been destroyed.

It is not definitely known that electric wire caused the blaze though shortly before the fire was discovered all lights in the city went out.

The fire department made heroic efforts to save the plant and its contents, but to no avail, and all that is left of the once modern plant is the concrete walls of the elevator. Many thousands of dollars worth of grain went up in smoke, as well as a number of box cars on a nearby track.

Rain at Waco
WACO, Texas, Jan. 17.—More than an inch of rain had fallen up 6 p. m. and it was showing no signs of letting up. General rains fell after noon all over McLennan, Falls and Robertson counties.

SUFFERING RESULT HEAVY SNOW IN NEBRASKA

SCOTT BLUFFS, Neb., Jan. 17.—Harrisburg, 25 miles south of here, is snowbound. The food reserve is diminishing rapidly and the one general merchandise store is rationing supplies among the 150 inhabitants.

Twenty inches of snow, often drifting to a depth of 20 feet has blocked all highways leading into the village for the last month.

A mail carrier from Kimball, reported the little town's plight. He said he changed horses four times reaching the village on a sled. Officials here believe the present thaw will reduce the drifts enough to permit a truck load of food supplies to reach Harrisburg this week.

Killed in Car Wreck
QUAH, Texas, Jan. 17.—Harvey Mann of Quah was killed late Saturday when his automobile collided with another machine and overturned.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Monday fair and warmer.

"Sleep Sickness" Discoverer Joins U. S. Medic School



Dr. Aldo Castellani, world famous Italian authority on tropical diseases, has joined the medical school, Tulane University, New Orleans, which is becoming a center for research in tropical ailments. He discovered the cause and cure of the African "sleeping sickness."

BANDITS ROB SAFE HUTCHINSON THEATRE

HUTCHINSON, Kan., Jan. 17.—Two bandits early this morning forced the manager of the Midland Theater of this city into their automobile. Taking him to the country, they forced him to give them the combination of the safe. They returned to the city and secured \$2,000 turned and released the manager from the safe. They then re-entered and departed with their loot.

SLATON BANK ELECTS NEW OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

SLATON, Jan. 17.—The annual stockholders meeting of the First State Bank of Slaton resulted in the following directors' election: J. H. Brewer, E. N. Twaddle, F. C. Rector, W. A. Tucker, and J. H. Frye. The following officers were chosen: J. H. Brewer, president; F. C. Rector, vice president; I. M. Brewer, cashier; Radford McKay, assistant cashier.

LAD HELD IN LUBBOCK JAIL HAS NOT BEEN IDENTIFIED AS SLAYER OF JAS. CONNER; INVESTIGATIONS CONTINUED

Perry Wilson, 21 year old Canyon youth, has failed to convince Lubbock and Garza county officers that he is innocent of accusations hurled at him in connection with the brutal slaying of James Conner, Tulsa garage man, last August.

Awaiting Finger Prints
Officers are holding the youth in the Lubbock county jail here believing that when finger prints of the man who killed Conner are compared to those of the youth his absolute identity will have been established. Finger prints were taken from the car where blood stains were found. Little or nothing developed in the case Sunday, however, Wilson was viewed by a brother of the slain man and numerous others who sought to identify him.

Wilson's mother, who declares he is innocent of any wrong, arrived here yesterday morning and made a futile effort to secure his release. "I told my boy he would get in trouble if he didn't stay at home, and I am sure he will not leave again once I get him back again," the mother said.

3 DEAD AND 22 INJURED, MANY STILL MISSING

MOTORMAN LOST CONTROL AS CAR SPEEDING 40 MILES AN HOUR

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 17.—At least three persons were killed, six remained unaccounted for and 22 others were injured when an uncontrolled street car plunged off a bridge at Neville Island into the Ohio river late Sunday afternoon with a load of between 40 and 50 screaming passengers.

Before they could realize what was happening, the waters of the Ohio had closed over their heads. Some reported afterwards that they had seen others hurtling through windows, apparently unconscious and perhaps doomed. The full list of casualties may not be revealed for several days. Several of these in the hospital were seriously injured.

Harry Croshin, the motorman, is in a hospital, too dazed to speak coherently. Surviving passengers said that he had been sitting on the top of his car almost directly after the accident and that neither he nor they could tell how he had escaped from his post.

Gilbert Schell, the conductor, is among the missing. John Freeburg, a passenger told how he had been sitting near the conductor toward the rear and had grabbed at a strap

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ACID THROWER NOW MENACING GIRLS IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A phantom acid thrower, known only by the results of his walkway, is blating a trail of burned hair and blistered feminine legs on the North Side here.

None of his victims have ever seen this freak of the crime wave, but five women have reported to police that acid has been thrown out at them from the dark recesses of alleys and driveways. Police say their stories indicate the same individual is responsible for all of the attacks.

The latest victim is Miss Ruth Lawrence. She felt a sting on her right leg as she walked past an alleyway. Arriving home she found that large holes had been burned in her dress and stockings.

The acid thrower's motive remains as remote as his identity.

HILL TO SPEAK AT DEDICATION SERVICES

CANYON, Jan. 17.—President J. A. Hill of the West Texas Teachers College left today for Comstock where he will represent the seven Teachers Colleges of Texas at the inauguration of President Whitley, at the East Texas Teachers College. He will also be a speaker on the program at the dedication of the E. T. S. T. C. education building that has just been completed and occupied.

SENATOR REID SPEAKS FOR S. M. M. COINS

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 17.—Senator J. W. Reid spoke to the student body of the West Texas State Teachers College one day this week in the interest of the memorial coins being sold to raise funds for the Stone Mountain memorial to the brave heroes of the south. He recalled the awful suffering of the south during and after the civil war, "Not to arouse old bitterness and hatred, but to show how far we have come since that time." He emphasized the fact that the American flag means far more to the southern people now than it did then because the north and south are now one.

Professor T. B. McCarter of the physics department of the teachers college is county chairman of the coin sale in Randall county. He hopes that the allotment of coins will be sold before January 28.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

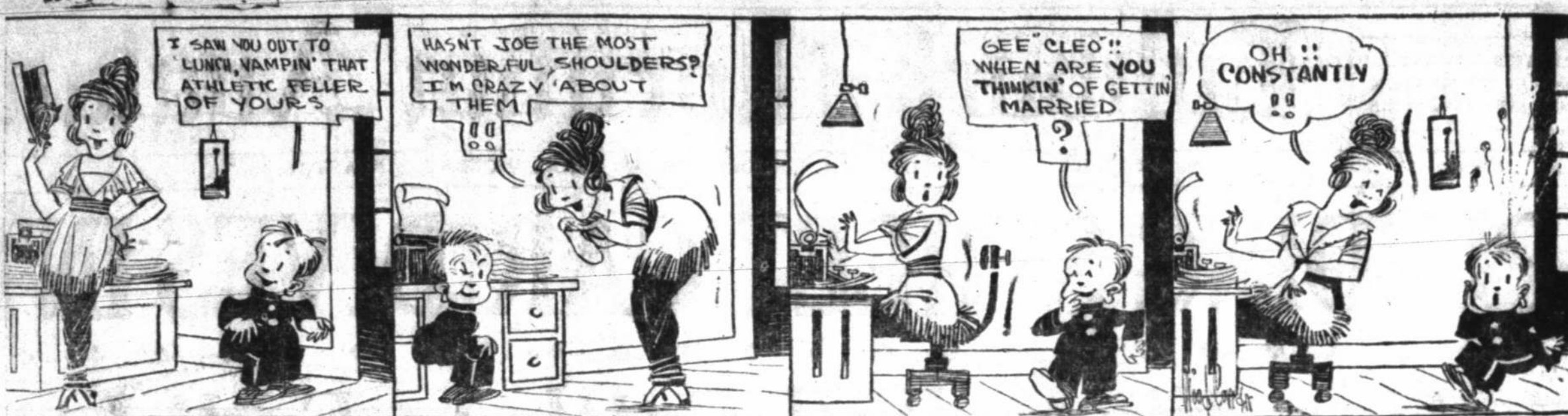
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Wheat Cereal with Dates
Toast Scrambled Eggs Coffee
Luncheon
Toasted Sandwiches
"Different" Baked Apples
Cookies Tea or Cocoa
Dinner
Spare Ribs Baked Potatoes
Lady Cabbage Fruit Mixed Nuts
Coffee

TODAY'S RECIPE
Wheat Cereal with Dates—One cup of wheat, one cup dates, stoned and cut small, six cups boiling wa-

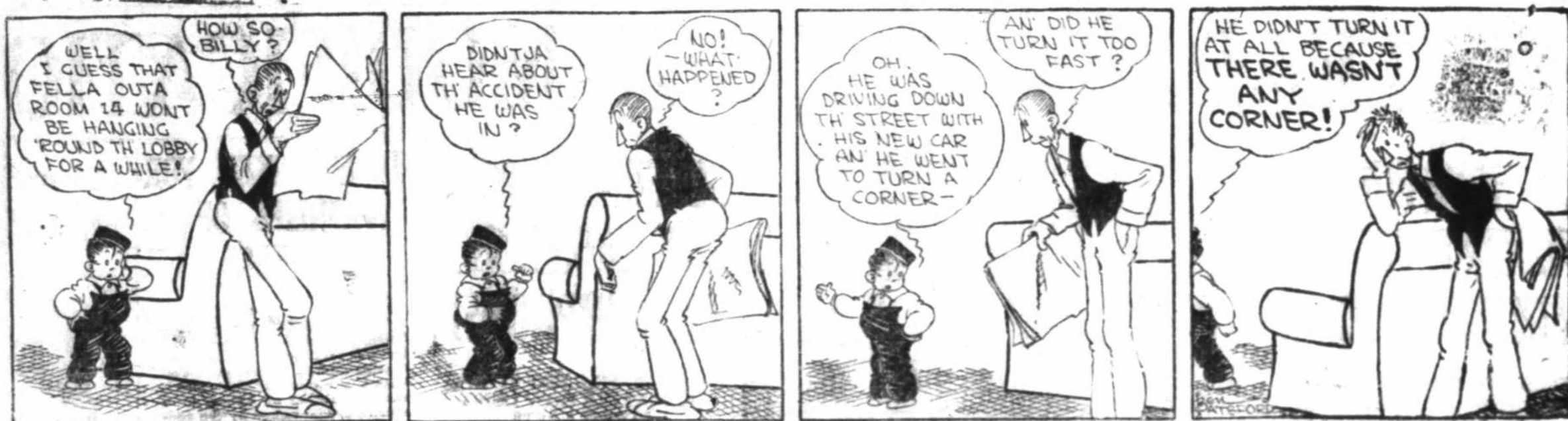
ter, one teaspoon salt. Add wheat slowly to boiling water, stirring constantly. Add salt and allow to boil for five minutes. Add dates and cook for a few minutes longer. Serve with milk. Leftover wheat cereal with dates may be turned into small previously wet cups, and when cold unmoulded and served as a dessert with cream, milk or soft custard.

Toasted Sandwiches—Take as

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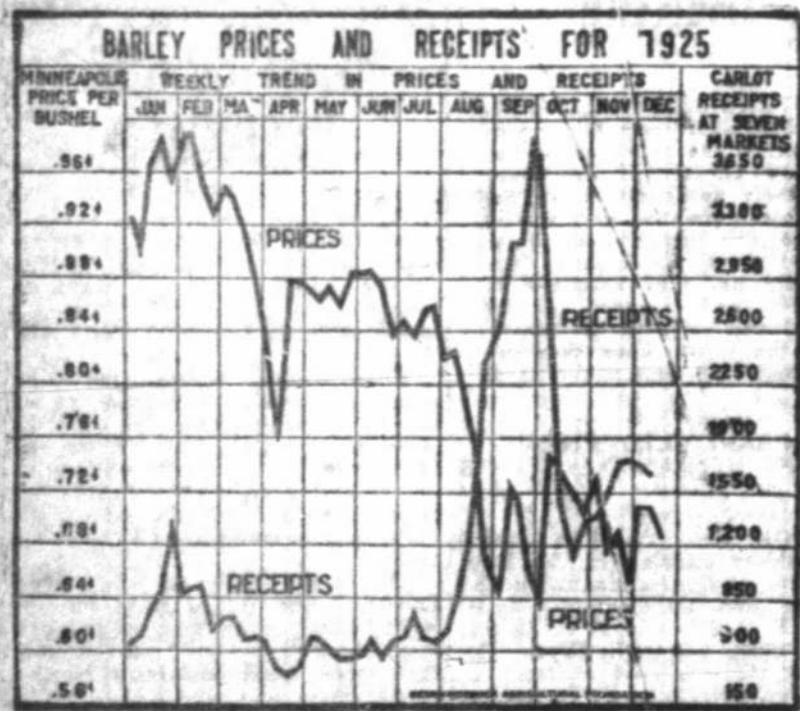


BILLY'S UNCLE



BARLEY CROP GAINS 40,000,000 BUSHELS IN THE YIELD OF 1925

The 1925 barley crop of 227,000,000 bushels was one of the largest ever produced, states the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation in its survey of crop conditions. It exceeded the 1924 production by nearly 40,000,000 bushels and the five-year average by 45,000,000 bushels. This makes the 1925 crop approximately 25 per cent larger than the 1924 crop. California was responsible for much of the increase this year. Last year the California crop approached a failure. This year conditions were reversed. More than 20,000,000 bushels of barley have already been exported which was fully as much as was shipped out of the United States in 1924. Receipts have been low for most of the current year, rising sharply in August and September and declining again in October and November. Prices have stayed relatively high except in the two months of heavy receipts. On the whole, however, prices have been much lower than they were last year because of the large increase in the domestic as well as in the European crop. Clearances have declined sharply since early November and foreign trade has been rather sluggish because of the larger supplies of European barley in foreign markets. California is the leading barley producing state. Russia normally is quite a competitor in barley.



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Spare Ribs—This recipe is for four persons. One and one-quarter pounds pork tenderloin cut into four pieces, three-quarter cup cream, four strips bacon, mustard, sifted crumbs, lemon juice, salt, pepper, paprika. Spreading mustard on both sides of the tenderloin. Do not spread it on to stick. Roll the pieces as one rolls a jelly roll. Dip in crumbs and tie with string so that the rolls will keep their shape. Let stand for twenty-four hours in a cool place. Then put in a baking dish and cook in a hot oven, basting with the cream mixed with the juice of one lemon and seasoned with salt, pepper and paprika to taste. When the little rolls are cooked through (allow at least a half hour, three quarters would be better) remove the fat from the sauce, reheat and pour

"Different" Baked Apples—Eight apples, one tablespoon butter, one cup dates, chopped; one-half cup shredded coconut, juice of one orange. Mix the dates, coconut and butter together; core and peel half of each apple and fill cavities with the mixture. Place in a baking dish with the peeled surfaces upward and sprinkle the cavity and peeled part of each apple with orange juice. Add a little water to the dish and bake slowly until the apples are tender, basting occasionally with the syrup.

Lady Cabbage—Wash the cabbage thoroughly and cut into pieces. Boil in water to cover about twenty minutes—drain and serve with a cupful of cream sauce.

LOCKNEY LEADS FLOYD COUNTY IN POLL TAX RECEIPTS TODAY

LOCKNEY, Jan. 17.—To date Lockney is leading all Floyd county voting precincts in number of poll taxes paid. Lockney is first with 301 and Floydada second with 243.

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Joanna

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CHAPTER XXXII (Continued)

With the appearance of the hold-up victims, dragged and suffering from their various reflections upon becoming, as they surely would be, heroines of a widely told about night on La Turbie, pantheonism broke out among the revelers who had elected to remain and who, by that time, had made serious inroads upon their host's store of champagne. The sense of the reception of those who had thought it necessary to brave the mist for a return to places below, by those who needed such convention, was that each one of the robbers' victims had, by the unexpected circumstance, become "one of us."

Joanna sat apart from the ribald scene that immediately shaped itself. She made no pretense of restoring her mask to her face—by now all masks were openly discarded. Even the mask that restrained the club house itself had been dropped, and the revelry was unbridled.

Outside, after an hour, the big gray car which had appeared after depositing the women slid up again to the parking yard and found a place to stand. This time Brandon still guffied in his great coat, got out, leaving Antoine, as he had earlier in the evening. He threw his coat back into the car, arranged his domino, and, without his face mask, went directly into the house. He saw Joanna, alone at her isolated table and went directly up to her.

CHAPTER XXXIII

The Test

When the dominoed figure loomed over her table Joanna looked up, curiously. When she recognized the unmasked face she started. The relieved greeting she would have given anyone close to her, who might provide intimate companionship through the rest of such an exciting adventure, trembled for an instant at her tongue. But, when she saw Brandon's face numbered her lips.

She rose to her feet, hand up, over her breast, with a faint recoil. The fear that she had never shaken off, crashed down upon her in a tumult. He unformed, unutterable fear that came to her when he first touched her fingers at the cable across from Eggleston in the bank when she had written her first check against her mysterious money.

"You where," she breathed. "I didn't know you had been here."

"I have only arrived," he said, his words suave but irritatingly ironic. "I am happy to find you—alone."

Joanna knew, from his tone and his manner, that a climax lurked. A climax of some sort, something associated with the night, with her with whatever Brandon had stood for in his relationship to her since that day in the bank.

Out on the dance floor, and at the tables near, she saw men and women looking at them curiously; at her, the Golden Girl whom everyone recognized and for whom many eyebrows had been raised when she came in with bedraggled troop that had been ushered back to the club house by the brigands. Looking at her and Brandon whom they knew, she knew. Her chin went up a little, and she braced herself inwardly.

"I am alone only by chance," she said, coolly. "I was here, with Kenilworth. He has been—"

"I know," he said. "Some mountain bandits have taken charge of him and returned you here—so that everyone may know that for your relaxations you choose a society and a surrounding that are, to say the least, daring."

"That, of course, is what pleases you to know. Why have you come? I feel that you are here—because of me."

"I am," he said shortly. "I am here to tell you, at last, that the play is over. As you have put your mask aside for the rest of the night, so your interesting little masquerade must be dropped. You came up here, I imagine, to color an amour. Instead you are about to discover what you made of."

She sank back into her chair. Her face blanched. Her brain ached with the knowledge of an animal that in some mysterious fashion it has been caught in a trap. Before he spoke again she laughed, a short, unamused laugh, as if she were amused by the foolishness of her feeling, the utterly ridiculous about it.

The laugh died abruptly and she watched the man who still stood looking down at her unsmiling, ungracious, unconsiderate.

"I have a great deal to say to you," Brandon declared. He paused a moment, and then continued: "There is a room—a small supper room, just off the balcony. If you do not object, may we walk in that room?"

She got to her feet silently, and when he had bowed his acknowledgment of her assent, walked with him to the circular stairway that led to the mezzanine. At the door of the private banquet room he stood aside that she might enter ahead of him. A waiter—him at the door—"We shall not be served," Brandon said to the man, "but as I shall leave the door open, perhaps you will stand near to discourage loitering on the balcony."

Joanna faced him when he stepped across the threshold.

"Don't spend your wits in skinning," he challenged him. "What is it?"

He ignored her challenge for a moment while he lighted a cigarette, first offering her his platinum case. When he had evened his light to his satisfaction he went to the fireplace and dropped the burnt match into it. For another moment he puffed calmly. Then turned to face the girl, who leaned back against the table in the corner of the room.

"Would you mind," he asked,

softly, deliberately, "telling me what is your general impression of me? Not an analysis of my character, please, but an expression of the quality of your regard for me?"

She replied without hesitation. "I have always distrusted you, but I have never been convinced that I was justified. If I hadn't feared you, I'd despise you, at times, because I know you are dishonest—dishonest with me, and with Yvonne who loves you. Is that the answer you want?"

"Not exactly, but it will serve. Suppose I should ask you to become my wife?"

You used to tell me that you might do that, some day. I've always had an answer ready. I'd never marry you because I could never love you. If I could love you I wouldn't marry you because, by all the laws of decency, you belong to Yvonne whom you all used to love you before you decided to laugh at her for her pretension that she would be worthy of you."

He examined his cigarette flame, and then drew in its smoke.

"That establishes our position toward each other," he observed, and was silent for another interval. "But the situation is that you are going to marry me, never the less, because you will have to."

Now she gathered strength to stand. She made a little move as if to go up to him, but faltered. Her lips moved as if she were praying for words—words that would save her money, save her dreams, save her beauty and luxury and pearls and diamonds and priceless furs—save them and, at the same time, save herself. But whatever her prayers, she heard no echoes of an answer. She turned to go out the door. Brandon, the torturing smile playing, now, about his lips, watched her silently, coolly, unmoved.

At the door she hesitated, stood for a minute leaning against the case, looking down into the lurid scene on the dance floor that blurred into a whirling black pool with monsters swimming on the surface.

Suddenly the little body stiffened. A bit of the brown came back into the eyes. Something of the scarlet turned to the quivering lips. She swung around slowly and walked firmly back into the room until she stood so close to Brandon that her body was almost against his.

"I want to keep my money, Francis," she said, her voice quivering but soft and ineffably pleading. "I can't do without it now. But I am very much in love with someone else. Very much in love, Francis. And it's the kind of love you would never understand. I don't understand it myself. Nor does he—the man, I mean, that I'm in love with. You'll tell me why the money was given me? You'll tell me what I've done that's wrong, so that I shall not do it again? I'll be anything you say, if I may have my money, the money that has made life so beautiful—with money and my love."

"Anything I say?"

Before his sudden thrusting back at her those pleading words, she shrank as if he had struck her. Dazed again she heard him saying: "You may have your love, my dear girl. I would not interfere with that. It's you I want, for reasons and purposes of my own; not your love. I know the one you mean; I know the man to whom you've given the love that neither you nor he understands. Give it. Let him have it. Take his in return if you can win it. All of that shall be the bargain—a bargain of today!"

"The morals of today, you know, and the conventions, are not what they were in the yesterday. You are

He threw the cigarette into the fireplace and faced her across the table.

"Be pleased to understand the import of what I am about to say," he breathed. "You have wondered where your money came from; you have wondered why it was given to you. I am about to solve for you, at least, a portion of your mystery."

"I control the source of your money, I guard its secret and its reason and its purpose. I am the one to whom you have made your account; the accounting you haven't known you were making in every whim, in every spendthrift mood, in every choice of the paths you have elected to follow!"

"Your account has been fully made. It is totalled up—by me. I give you now, the results. I demand that you marry me."

"I do not say that I love you, for I do not."

"I do not say, even that I respect you for I despise you, as you have preferred to despise me. I shudder before all that you stand for; the abortive pretenses of you, the sham of you, the deceit and cheapness of you!"

"Yet I am saying to you that I want you to be my wife."

Joanna had stood as if transfixed. Her eyes widened. The brown deepened to black. The scarlet of her lips became ashen. Her hands were hot with the scalding riot of her blood. Through her brain rang the one phrase: "I am the one!" And in its wake all those other sentences, sharp and bitter, that emerged from his lips like the crashing of cannon on a battlefield, pierced her with the precision of a deadly fusillade. She collapsed into a chair and threw her hands before her eyes as if to shut out a vision.

Brandon, moving over to her, went on cruelly, relentlessly: "Of your enormous gift of money you have made a farce. You have used it to enhance—not the world, not society, but the lure, the sense appeal, the woman of you. You have created nothing with your gift, but love; the kind of love that thrills but is nothing of nobility. You have shown what the kind of girl you represent shall surely become if given time."

"But the farce is over, as I said down stairs. The mystery of your money is dispelled—or you may count it as being dispelled. The other mystery, which must exist for a little while, is that despite the frailty of you, I want you to marry me."

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"Are you by any chance, still of the mind not to be my wife?"

The crumpled figure in the chair straightened a little. It tried to rise but sank down again. Its hands fluttered a bit. The girl looked up, at last.

"But I couldn't marry you! It could never be. I don't love you. I said. You wouldn't marry me—without! You are playing with me."

"Not playing; very earnest, and final, and definite," he assured her. "As I said, that is the new mystery for you to be baffled by. As my wife you shall keep your money; more money will be given you perhaps, and you shall, of course, share mine."

Now she gathered strength to stand. She made a little move as if to go up to him, but faltered. Her lips moved as if she were praying for words—words that would save her money, save her dreams, save her beauty and luxury and pearls and diamonds and priceless furs—save them and, at the same time, save herself. But whatever her prayers, she heard no echoes of an answer. She turned to go out the door. Brandon, the torturing smile playing, now, about his lips, watched her silently, coolly, unmoved.

At the door she hesitated, stood for a minute leaning against the case, looking down into the lurid scene on the dance floor that blurred into a whirling black pool with monsters swimming on the surface.

Suddenly the little body stiffened. A bit of the brown came back into the eyes. Something of the scarlet turned to the quivering lips. She swung around slowly and walked firmly back into the room until she stood so close to Brandon that her body was almost against his.

"I want to keep my money, Francis," she said, her voice quivering but soft and ineffably pleading. "I can't do without it now. But I am very much in love with someone else. Very much in love, Francis. And it's the kind of love you would never understand. I don't understand it myself. Nor does he—the man, I mean, that I'm in love with. You'll tell me why the money was given me? You'll tell me what I've done that's wrong, so that I shall not do it again? I'll be anything you say, if I may have my money, the money that has made life so beautiful—with money and my love."

"Anything I say?"

Before his sudden thrusting back at her those pleading words, she shrank as if he had struck her. Dazed again she heard him saying: "You may have your love, my dear girl. I would not interfere with that. It's you I want, for reasons and purposes of my own; not your love. I know the one you mean; I know the man to whom you've given the love that neither you nor he understands. Give it. Let him have it. Take his in return if you can win it. All of that shall be the bargain—a bargain of today!"

"The morals of today, you know, and the conventions, are not what they were in the yesterday. You are

He threw the cigarette into the fireplace and faced her across the table.

"Be pleased to understand the import of what I am about to say," he breathed. "You have wondered where your money came from; you have wondered why it was given to you. I am about to solve for you, at least, a portion of your mystery."

"I control the source of your money, I guard its secret and its reason and its purpose. I am the one to whom you have made your account; the accounting you haven't known you were making in every whim, in every spendthrift mood, in every choice of the paths you have elected to follow!"

"Your account has been fully made. It is totalled up—by me. I give you now, the results. I demand that you marry me."

"I do not say that I love you, for I do not."

"I do not say, even that I respect you for I despise you, as you have preferred to despise me. I shudder before all that you stand for; the abortive pretenses of you, the sham of you, the deceit and cheapness of you!"

"Yet I am saying to you that I want you to be my wife."

Joanna had stood as if transfixed. Her eyes widened. The brown deepened to black. The scarlet of her lips became ashen. Her hands were hot with the scalding riot of her blood. Through her brain rang the one phrase: "I am the one!" And in its wake all those other sentences, sharp and bitter, that emerged from his lips like the crashing of cannon on a battlefield, pierced her with the precision of a deadly fusillade. She collapsed into a chair and threw her hands before her eyes as if to shut out a vision.

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"I am asking you to be my wife—only. To give me yourself only. You may give your love where you want it to be received and take whatever pleases you in exchange. Surely you, who have played the game of lure, will not shrink before the flame your very essence kindles."

Deep colors came and went across her face. She closed her eyes, and then opened them slowly, to quickly shut them.

"You mean," she said, "that I may marry you, but love someone else and invite him to love me? That if I do that it will be—quite all right, with you, my husband? And that if I do all this, why, I may keep my money?"

"Just that," he answered shortly. "Your money, and your love!"

When she did not speak at once he went on with a merciless sneer: "The man you are thinking of will not hesitate, I imagine, to take full advantage of such an arrangement. He has shown himself to be amenable to any kind of conditions. While we are here, tonight, he is kneeling before satin slippers that have never worn by your feet. You have not done with him as you would like to have done only because he was afraid to bind himself to you. Free him from that fear, and offer him another way; and I fancy he will not be so elusive. Perhaps I might add that by giving me yourself, as my wife, mind you you will not only retain your money, but you will solve the problem of retaining—him!"

(To be continued)

CANYON AWARDS CONTRACT TO PANHANDLE CONSTRUCTION CO.

Special to Avalanche.

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 17.—City improvements at Canyon are still being carried forward with great zest. A bond election Monday was carried by a vote of 87 to 7 on three propositions: refunding warrants, issuing paving bonds, and issuing water bonds.

A contract is being closed with the Panhandle Construction Company for the paving on Sixth avenue. A plan of water extension is being considered that will put fire plugs within a short distance of every home in Canyon.

LARGE ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED AT ROAD MEET IN CANYON

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 17.—A meeting of the Southwest Trails to be held in Canyon January 28 will be a red letter occasion and a large attendance is expected. President J. A. Hill of the West Texas State Teachers College will deliver the address of welcome. W. A. Palmer will give the response. The business session will be held in the afternoon after a luncheon served by the chamber of commerce.

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Pastry Shades for Little Costs

yet the scheme may be modified or entirely omitted, if preferred, in duplicating the coat in other fabrics. The lace is inserted on the shoulders away from the edge of the coat and the cape, and may be of flax, Irish crochet or Venice variety. Of course, the pattern is simple. The embroidery stitches employed to develop the scalloped effect of the motifs are buttonhole (Fig. 1), flat satin (Fig. 2) and eyelet (Fig. 3).

The scalloped should be padded with the uneven basting stitch and the chain stitch. Pad the centers of the scalloped heavier than the edges. Always pad in the opposite direction to the way the stitches will fall in the finished work. Begin at the left hand of the scalloped, fastening the thread with a few running stitches along one of the scalloped. Place the needle straight up and down over and back of the top line of the scalloped. Hold the thread in the form of a loop with the left thumb. Bring needle out through the loop, exactly under the bottom row of outline stitches.

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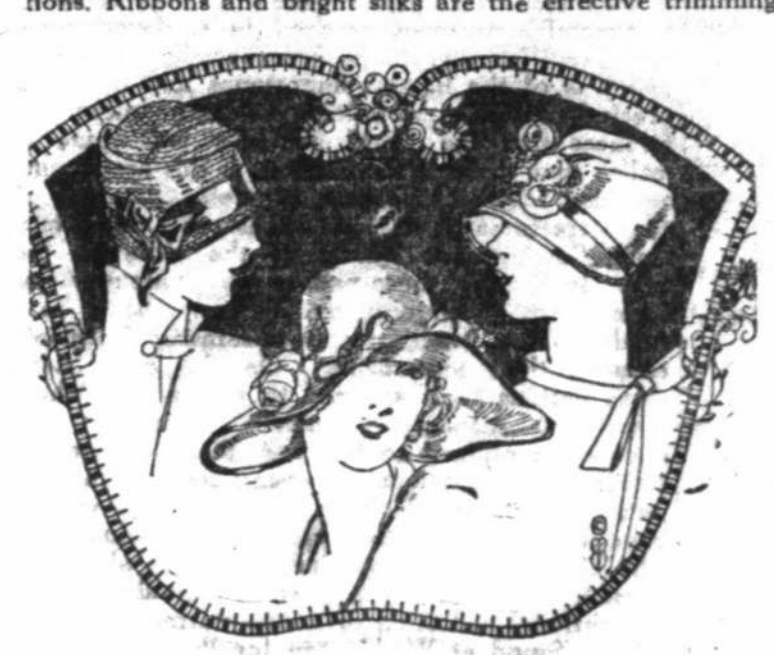
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THE DEMOCRATIC PLEDGE

We are just wondering if the Democratic executive committee will require the so-called democratic pledge to be placed on the primary election ballots this year as heretofore. If they do we are of the opinion that there will be many a good Democrat study a long time before they vote the primary ticket and that pledge. Many of them were sick of it last fall. Many of the democrats remained at home and would not vote in the general election because they could not stand to vote for the nominee and were too conscientious about their pledge to violate it, while others, who are prominent in politics in Texas brazenly went to the polls and voted the Republican ticket for governor.

They vowed they would never be caught that way again, but if they are not very careful, and have that pledge removed from the ballots they may have just as bitter pill to swallow again next November.

There will also be many questions asked a number of state candidates we are sure, as the same old line goes on the cards asking for the support of the voters in the Democratic primary in July.

It is the customary thing to do, in Texas, for the primary is in reality the general election, and the candidate who hopes to succeed goes into the primary seeking a nomination which is equivalent to election.

It is too early, perhaps, to begin discussing issues. But before the campaign is ended, a number of candidates whose cards indicate that they are Democrats are going to be asked some embarrassing questions by those whose votes they solicit. At least some of the candidates who are now proclaiming their democracy bolted the party and its nominees in 1924, and gave their support to the Republican nominee for the governorship; and it will not be the easiest thing in the world to shake off that record during the coming campaign. A vast majority of the real Democrats of Texas believe that party obligations are real obligations, and that they can not be repudiated with impunity by those who would profit from the operation of the party's machinery.

There was an unusual situation in Texas in 1924, when the Republican nominee for the governorship was given such a large vote, a situation so unusual that many old-time Democrats vowed that never again would they enter a Democratic primary and voluntarily assume an obligation to support the party nominees. Many, no doubt, will remember their vow this year, and will refrain from entering the Democratic primary elections; and for them one may have the greatest respect and even a measure of genuine sympathy. But there is a vast difference between that class of voters and those who bolted the party in November, 1924, but now plan to return and seek favors from the party in 1926. The ghost of a vote for Butte is going to arise to plague many a would-be Democratic candidate this year.

It is every voter's privilege to participate in the primary election of any party, to be sure. No one should be damned forever because in the last general election he failed to vote the Democratic ticket without a scratch. But the candidate who seeks to offer himself for the approval of voters in a primary is under special obligations to the party; and a failure to fulfill his obligation to the party in the last general election is evidence of bad faith if he offer himself as an applicant for approval in a primary election this year. It is equivalent to saying to the party, "I want to be your nominee this year, and to have your united support in my race for public office, but refused to support your nominees in the last election although I had voluntarily pledged that I would do so."

Our guess is that one of the issues in this year's campaign is going to be just that.

THE ARMS CONFERENCE

In spite of the steps just taken by the League of Nations for the preparation and convocation of a general disarmament conference, League circles remain convinced that disarmament will never take place as the result of any general agreement. This conviction is the result of six years of the most profound study of the whole disarmament question by the various technical organizations of the League. According to the thesis that is now generally accepted by most competent League authorities armaments are merely the result of insecurity, and they can never be wiped out or seriously reduced until the original has been removed. When this cause has been removed by a series of agreements like Locarno, for example, or a general international treaty for obligatory arbitration, for mutual assistance, or for other peaceful means of settling all disputes, League members are convinced disarmament will take place voluntarily and spontaneously as a natural result. No disarmament conference, it is asserted will then be necessary to attain that end. The rather

paradoxical situation created by the fact that the League possessing as it does this firm conviction, but nevertheless proceeding with the preparation and convocation of a general disarmament conference is explained in this way. The world at large as expressed during the 1925 Assembly of the League of Nations, still demands that direct efforts towards disarmament be continued by means of a disarmament conference instead of the indirect method of trying to obtain security first and letting disarmament follow as a natural sequel. The League is obliged to carry out the wishes of the nations belonging to the League and especially the public opinion of those nations. In the second place, while the League is convinced that disarmament will never come by a general agreement reached in a disarmament conference, it recognizes that the study of armaments is of the highest importance and that it is precisely through the holding of disarmament conferences that the world generally will come to realize that the evil to be cured is not armaments but insecurity. As recent concrete examples of the correctness of its conclusions the League cites the following situations since the close of the war: In Europe, those nations whose security was formerly menaced only by Germany, have, as a result of the peace treaties disarming Germany, reduced their armaments. On the other hand those nations most exposed to Russia and whose security is menaced principally from that side have been obliged to increase their armaments. Similarly these nations possessing colonies that are now being menaced either from within or without have been obliged to increase their armaments. The League is also especially skeptical about the possibility of finding a precise formula for the proportional reduction of military armaments such as was found at Washington for the reduction of naval armaments. The problem from a military point of view, they insist is much more complicated because all of the elements entering into military armaments are not so precise and so visible as are warships and submarines. Nevertheless, League members admit that for the attainment of whatever is possible in the way of reduction of armaments by agreement the lines laid down and established by the Washington conference are the soundest ones.

MONOPOLIES

The announcement that a Congressional inquiry has been arranged at Secretary Hoover's instigation brought caustic comment from abroad, especially from London. Assurances that the American Government would not undertake retaliatory measures, and that it had never tolerated price-fixing—although possessing ample weapons in wheat, cotton and other domestic products—brought the retort from London that the United States government had endeavored to restrict wheat production in the face of a starving world. To this Secretary Hoover made sharp denial. Great Britain also claims that the rubber control is no more unfair than the American protective tariff system, and it has been maintained that this government should not protest because less prosperous nations were taking measures to obtain the wherewithal for liquidating their wartime indebtedness to America. Secretary Hoover is seriously alarmed over the situation. He asserts that governments have created monopolies to control trade in at least eight raw materials and several other are controlled by government aid, and that other agreements are now in negotiation. While Mr. Hoover is opposed to "reprisals" and does not deny the legal right of foreign governments to effect these monopolies, he urges Congress and business men to exercise the severest economy in the use of these raw materials and to extend our own sources of supply by use of substitutes. In this connection Mr. Hoover asks the following pertinent questions: "Can governments avoid the arousing of national animosities over every advance in price by such monopolies? Shall governments tell their consuming citizens to abide in peace with whatever they get? Can governments undertake to protest and haggle over prices and descriptions with monopoly controlling governments without further arousing national animosities? Can they set up protective measures without further fanning these members of suspicion and enmity?"

"Are consumer nations to sit still and take their punishment for fear such embers will blaze? Does not all this staging of monopolies and the reactions against them simply the greatest entry of 'governments into business' known in history?"

The trouble is that one once begins to ask questions about monopolies it leads into "sacred ground" of sheltered domestic monopolies—and that means trouble nearer home. But this is a matter that the business men of this nation will have to meet sooner or later—and meet it on an equitable basis.

Whether or not anything comes of it, the country is now assured of an old time discussion of the tariff in the United States Senate and possibly also in the lower house of Congress. Two resolutions for an inquiry into the Tariff Commission and its functions are already before the first-named body, and it is promised that the debates will take a wide scope. The flexible provisions are the first thing aimed at, and the "packing" of the commission in favor of the protected interests will come in for attention.

Great Britain asks Italy to pay about \$35,000,000 annually on its war debt of \$2,400,000,000. This is about proportionate with the figure France is expected to pay. The American settlement should make this an easy task for Great Britain.

A gentleman has been described and defined as one who would never willingly hurt the feelings of another. There are other definitions of course, including that of one who keeps his finger nails cleaner than his character.

The man who can't take honest criticism would be better off of business. It's an evidence of thin-skinned egotism.

It is estimated that the volume of time payment purchasing in 1925 will reach the staggering figure of 8,000 millions. The future earning power is mortgaged to this extent.

Which Way?



SO THINK WE

We think that no one should object to the Florida boom it was brought about by a continuous systematic line of advertising, and she is entitled to all the consideration she is getting, but the trouble is it is very hard on a lot of folks who are going there.

We think that some people's idea about hospitality is to give visitors the very highest class entertainment that their money will buy. We hope that Lubbock will never get that hospitable.

We think that every farmer and every business man should become vitally interested in the Farmers Short Course that International Harvester Company is going to give here January 28-29, and attend each meeting.

We think everybody who has the interest of the South Plains country at heart should talk diversification.

We think if many of the women are talked about by the men the women themselves are to blame for it.

We think that if every man woman and child owned an automobile they would learn more about how hard it is to keep from running over more people than they do. If it was not for the presence of mind of the average automobile driver a lot of pedestrians would injure themselves by running over the automobiles.

We think it should be a strict rule of the courts of the country that no smoking be allowed in a court room. Men are forced to sit day after day in a jury box and in a jury room where there is a fog of smoke, when they do not use it themselves, and very often makes them sick, and you know what it means to have a sick juror. Men who smoke can better get along without the use of the stuff better than the fellow who is not addicted to the habit can inhale it and get away with it.

We think when the matter of the morals of the community is at stake that the people of Texas should choose the very best talent for prosecution, and always see to it that prosecution is fully carried out. The sooner the people who believe in law and order, see to it that law violators are punished, and given the limit, the sooner will laws be more respected.

We think that there must be something scientific about the newspaper business. We read a few days ago where science needs money and we never saw a newspaper that didn't need some of that stuff too. So we judge we must be somewhat scientific.

We think we have discovered something that possibly you have noticed before. We have discovered that perfection can be improved on. Just compare au-

tomobile ads of 1926 with those of 1925 and see if this is not true.

We think when the women of our land get so much paint on their face that it attracts the attention of men on the streets it might be considered too much, and a number of Lubbock women do this.

We think that if the prediction that the ladies skirts are to be much shorter next spring, they will have to go back to the old palm leaf design.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that "intoxicating stuff" is harder to get in Lubbock than it used to be, but evidently there is still some of it around here.

It is reported that some airplanes have a very intoxicating effect on some people in Lubbock. We presume it just makes some folks a bit dizzy to fly high any way.

It is reported that the pardon board of Leavenworth prisons has five hundred application for pardons on hand. Wonder why they don't call in the Texas pardon board, they might help them dispose of some of them.

It is reported that the International Harvester Company will have several of the very best speakers in the country, at the meetings they are proposing for this county on January 28 and 29th. It will pay every farmer to attend these demonstrations each day.

It is reported that race suicide is becoming alarming especially if you take into consideration the number who kill themselves in automobile wrecks.

It is reported that the average man these days does not have to be told of the shrinkage of money. He has the dope first handed.

It is reported that one fellow went to a light testing station to have his "light" tested, and did not want to pay full price because he only had one light to test.

It is reported that a fellow got the fenders of his car stripped off one night last week because he met a car with one light and he could not tell which light was burning. He miss judged the distance and paid the penalty.

It is reported that one man in Lubbock has so much time he cannot spend it judiciously hence wastes most of it playing dominoes, pool or golf. The same fellow however does not have enough money to keep his grocery bill paid.

It is reported that the reason some men never bring home the bacon is because the wife is too lazy to cook it for him after he gets it there.

Governor "Ma" Ferguson of Texas extended clemency to 1,315 convicts during her first year in office.

WHO'S WHO IN THE NEWS

GENERAL PANGALOS

Greece, torn by political strife for the past decade, is now ruled over by a military dictator, General Pangalos, former premier. Upon assuming power he announced that since there was no hope of obtaining an understanding from the dominant political parties the government had decided to concentrate all power in his hand and place the responsibility for the political future of Greece with him.

A soldier and republican, he was instrumental in deposing King Constantine and putting Crown Prince George in his place. Later he resigned his post in the Gonas cabinet to join the Greek army in Thrace, engaged in fighting the Turks. While serving there General Pangalos became generalissimo of the Greek army. In 1923 he resigned his command to devote his time to planning the overthrow of the government. He achieved his ambition when, as military governor of Athens, in 1923, he proclaimed a republic and demanded the resignation of the Gonas cabinet.

General Pangalos became premier last June by executing a coup that overthrew the Michalakopoulos government.

Four women sheriffs are now holding office in Kentucky.

TIMELY VIEWS on WORLD TOPICS

Poems That Live

THE SONNET

Nuns fret not at their convent's narrow room;
 And hermits are contented with their cells;
 And students with their pensive citadels;
 Maids at the wheel, the weaver at his loom,
 So blithe and happy; bees that soar for bloom,
 High as the highest peak of Furness-fells;
 Will murmur by the hour in foxglove bells:
 In truth the prison, unto which we doom
 Ourselves, no prison is; and hence for me,
 In sundry moods 'twas pastime to be bound
 Within the Sonnet's scanty plot of ground;
 Pleased if some souls (for such there needs must be)
 Who have felt the weight of too much liberty,
 Should find brief solace there, as I have found.

Scorn not the Sonnet; Critic, you have frowned;
 Mindless of its just honours; with this key
 Shakespeare unlock'd his heart; the melody
 Of this small lute gave ease to Petrarch's woes;
 A thousand times this pipe did Tasso sound;
 With its Camoens sooth'd an exile's grief;
 The Sonnet glitter'd a gay myrtle leaf
 Amid the cypress with which Dante crown'd
 His visionary brow; a glow-worm lamp,
 It cheered mild Spenser, call'd for Fairy-land
 To struggle through dark ways; and when a damp
 Fell round the path of Milton, in his hand
 The thing became a trumpet; whence he blew
 Soul animating strains—alas, too few!

—William Wordsworth.

JUST FOLKS By EDGAR A. GUEST

OLD IRONSIDES

I would good Doctor Holmes were here
 Once more to rouse the land,
 And set the loyal hearts of men
 Against destruction's hand.
 For once again the harpies rise
 With petty talk of cost.
 And once again "Old Ironsides"
 Is given up for lost.
 For five and ninety years her mast
 Has worn the starry flag
 But strike her holy colors now
 And serve the money bag.
 Tell all the world that we have gold
 To squander or to lend
 But for a ship all patriots love
 We can't afford to spend
 A century of time has dimmed
 Her glory and our pride,
 We'll do what foreman could not do,
 Or storm or angry tide.
 We'll sweep her from the sea she loved
 With petty talk of cost.
 We'll leave her to a sea tramp's fate
 And give her up for lost.

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DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH

By W. L. GORDON

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED; Don't say "I am going to lay down for an hour." Say "lie down."
 OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED: amicable. Pronounce first a as in "am," and accent the m.
 OFTEN MISSPELLED: receive; ei, not ie.
 SYNONYMS: imperative, obligatory, binding, peremptory, commanding, authoritative.
 WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: ENVIRONMENT; that which surrounds. "His spirit of geniality was rewarded by an environment of mutual kindness."

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Sport Flashes

PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL

BY HENRY L. FARRELL
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—All the
legislators, the jurists and the
theologians of college football ad-
mit that they know of no means of
taking the life of the devil that they
see in professional football.

Every moral and physical means
has been considered and everything
discussed and debated but the one
practical solution.

"Let it alone," would be the wis-
est and the sanest course.

If professional football is the
game that its promoters want the
public to believe, it will last and it
cannot be stopped.

If it is the coming of darkness that
the college guardian angels insist it
is, it will die a natural death.

In consideration of recent develop-
ments it would seem that the purists
should apply for ringside seats and
watch the "demon" die.

At the close of the first season in
which the pro game attained any
national prominence the franchise of
the National League team was re-
voked for an alleged violation of
territorial rights; one manager was
barred from the league for life and
two other clubs were fined for violat-
ing rules.

To overcome the objection that a
punch without any principal cash
payment whatsoever. There is just
a little advance five per cent inter-
est on school debt that they require
purchaser now to pay, which will
run from \$25 to \$50 per tract, only
cash in the entire transaction.

The school money bears five per cent
interest, this interest being payable
annually, then the balance of the
purchase price is put in one note
requiring 20 years or an acre, at
six per cent interest. Purchaser is
required to make out 125 acres this
year and cultivate it in cotton and
feed, and is to pay one third of the
feed and one fourth of the cotton
to sell which is to apply first on
six per cent interest then principal
so far as it will go. No other im-
provement requirements whatsoever.

We have sold on an average of eight
tracts a day for two weeks. The
entire company sold 12 Saturday. I
sold four myself. The manager fig-
ures that this land will all be gone
in less than ten days. I am making
trips every day and am in my office
very little and if you wish to get
with me to see this land you had better
drop me a card in P. O. box 68, tell
me who you are and where you are
and I will come and talk this propo-
sition over with you and if I can't
convince you this is the best propo-
sition you ever saw in your life
after showing you this land I won't
ask you to buy. All it takes is an
ambition to own your own farm and
a willingness to work. Act at once
for I am positively not overdriving
this one bit. All I ask of you is to
let me show you this proposition.
J. M. Patterson, office room four,
Conley Building. 78-2

FOR RENT—One large store room
and two small ones. Phone 227. Ax-
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office. Very reasonable rent.
Standard Abstract Co. Phone 214.
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FOR RENT—Furnished room. Fur-
nace heat, adjoining bath. 2316
Broadway. Phone 6343. 78-2

FOR RENT—Six room house. 1216
13th street. Phone 697-W. 78-2

FOR RENT—Bed room, private en-
trance to bath, hot water. 1614 Ave.
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NICE WARM rooms with board,
close in, also meals without rooms.
\$5.50. Single meals 50 cents.
1304 Ave. L. Phone 1106. 78-2

FOR RENT—February first, busi-
ness house, modern, twenty by
twenty, all front feet, never be-
fore occupied, occupied by Lubbock
Mutual Aid. See Woods Jewelry
& Optical shop. 78-2

FOR RENT—3 rooms in duplex,
unfurnished. See B. F. Hodges.
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room. One or two gentlemen.
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FOR RENT—1051 Ave. N. Duplex
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age. Phone office 837. 78-2

FOR RENT—Two modern new
houses, one 5 and one 6 room.
Garrison & Holt, Phone 864. 78-2

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room,
furnace heat, hot water, garage, to
gentlemen only. 1801 Main Street.
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COMFORTABLE ROOMS close in,
with substantial meals. Plenty hot
water. 1117 16th street. 78-2

FOR RENT—Bed rooms, hot and
cold water, furnace heat in each
room. \$20.00 per month. Phone
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READ EVERY WORD OF THIS—
IT MAY MEAN THE OPPORTUN-
ITY OF YOUR LIFE—We are closing
out to settlers the balance of the
large ranch located southwest of
Lubbock, that mostly sold last
summer. The purchasers were to
pay five dollars cash per acre and
balance on crop payment plan. Most
of them put up a small forfeit. After
the freeze came and ruined the
cotton a great part of them
could do nothing but forfeit, con-
sequently the owner and manager
of this proposition rearranged many
of those sales by waiving the cash
payment and just a few days ago
offered for sale the balance of the

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professional league would disrupt
the college game, the league officials
announced that it would stick to its
own field and that a solemn agree-
ment had been reached that no col-
lege players would be tampered with
until they ceased to be college play-
ers.

Yet, Red Grange, before he de-
cided to leave the University of Illinois
was swamped with offers from league
promoters. He was signed to a
professional contract even before he
played his last game with Illinois.

Then another team invaded the
high school ranks and recruited a
number of boys who were discovered
in the ranks of the pros and were
disqualified for life as amateurs.

This may or not have a serious
effect upon the future of those high
school boys. If they were good
enough to play on a professional team
they certainly would have had a
chance to play on a college team and
it has been known that football play-
ers have been able to get a college
education on their football.

The officials of the professional
league have not lived up to their
pledge and they have put a nasty
taste in the mouth of a public that
was just getting an appetite for the
professional game.

Owners of the New York fran-
chise have promised to fight for
numerous reforms at the winter meet-
ing of the league but it will take
some time to convince the public
that money grabbing promoters who
fell down on one promise will keep
a second and harder one.

Baseball
SAN JOSE, Calif., Jan. 17.—A
"big butter and egg man" in fact,
Johnny Couch, recently released
from his pitching job by the Phil-
adelphia Nationals to the Portland
club of the Pacific Coast League, is
enjoying life here—back amid the
scenes of his childhood.

Couch has opened a butter and
egg business here, announcing his in-
tention of remaining here permanent-
ly.

"Of course I'll play ball for Port-
land, but I'm looking ahead to the
days when I'll be done as a ball
player," Couch said. "Then I'll have
this business here among friends,
and the only section of the world
that I want to live in."

Couch was reared at Palo Alto the
seat of Stanford University. He
entered professional baseball ten
years ago, so should have several
good years in his pitching arm before
he must retire.

"The Pirates ought to stay on top
for some time," in Couch's view of
the current baseball series. "The
Pittsburgh has a young team as a
whole, and I'll say a good one. The
Pirates have some wonderful field-
ers. I think Cuyler is one of the
greatest outfielders in the world.
Carmichael is another great fielder,
and Pittsburgh has some fine in-
fielders in Traylor and Wright."

"We started off pretty well at
Philadelphia and then sort of busted
up. We only drew fair. Philadelphia
is a Connie Mack town. When we
lost 9-0, 5,000 fans, Connie would pull
40,000."

DRY LEADERS TO FIGHT
MODIFICATION MENACE
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cure, that no forces are threatening
it.

Fight Not Won
"The truth is," McBride said,
"that the fight is not yet won. The
wets have a \$385,000 fund to influ-
ence the ballot. These facts must
be brought home to every church
member. The churches harbor no
wet sentiment; they are simply too
complacent."

Complete reports from Sunday's
barrage of prohibition oratory
throughout the land have not yet
been received by the general super-
intendent of the league, but judg-
ing from the campaign in Chicago,
he believes it was a success.

"We have re-awakened the active
interest in the churchman and that
was the purpose of the minute men
that we sent out," he said.

The program of the Anti-Saloon
league during the present year will
be three-fold McBride said: Re-
mobilizing the forces of the milit-
ant prohibitionists; moulding public
sentiment in places where it is not
yet crystallized, and defeating "wet"
candidates in the congressional elec-
tions.

The league believes attempt to
modify prohibition in the present
congress will be futile.

SPEEDING STREET CAR
DIVES INTO RIVER
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as the car dropped. Women seized
him to save themselves, and swept
him down into the pile he said.

Policemen were dragging the wa-
ter and crashed through the bridge
would be increased by a number of
additional names.

The fact that the street car land-
ed in shallow water at the Neville
Island edge of the bridge and re-
mained but half submerged proba-
bly was responsible for the survival
of the majority.

The motorman lost control as the
car was speeding at 40 miles an
hour from Sewickley and Coropolis
toward Pittsburgh according to the
police. The trolley failed to take a
sharp curve on a high abutment
and crashed through the bridge rail-
ing to the river 30 feet below.

The passengers, already thrown
into a panic as the car reared down
hill toward the bridge, were thrown
into a screaming mass at the front
of the car as it made its terrifying
nose dive.

Prince Loves Her 'Tis Said
The father, Prince Carl, is not
only a general in the Swedish army,
occupying the post of inspector of
cavalry but he is also the active head
of the Red Cross in Sweden and the
honorary president of the Interna-
tional Red Cross of Geneva.

The Prince of Wales is now 31.
Not for hundreds of years has the
heir to the British throne reached
this age without a wife, and if this
condition has not bothered him, as
his intimates declare to be the case,
it has worked just the other way
with the British people.

Most British girls believed at some
time to be on the verge of marriage
with Wales found mates elsewhere.
This, with the collapse of hopeful
enthusiasm which surrounded the visit
of princesses of Spain, Belgium,
Italy and Roumania to England,
made many people believe the story
that the prince had declared he
would never marry.

It is authoritatively learned that
Wales several years ago informed
his family that he did not wish to
marry until he had completed tour-

Equitable Builders
Will Have Meeting

The stock holders and directors
hold their monthly meeting tonight
of the Equitable Builders, Inc. will
at 8 o'clock in the office of the
corporation, 224 Temple Ellis build-
ing. All stock holders and directors
are urged to be present in order to
transact the important items of busi-
ness which will be brought up at
this meeting.

Wales' "Bride-to-Be," Descendant of Napoleon General Brought Up as "Old-Fashioned Girl," Bakes and Spins



A view of the Princess Astrid in her home in Stockholm. She is sewing with her sister, Princess Martha (right) while their brother, Carl, reads to them.

By JACKSON V. JACOBS

Central Press Correspondent

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A hundred
years ago Britain was clearing up
the wreckage wrought by the im-
pulsions of its greatest enemy in five
centuries, Napoleon Bonaparte. Now
it is joyfully reading the news that
its crown prince is going to wed a
descendant of one of Napoleon's les-
ser generals.

A hundred years ago the mar-
riage of a British crown prince with
a little known Swedish princess of
royal blood of short standing would
have been considered madness. To-
day, with monarchies in decline, and
the princesses eligible by religion to
be bride of the Prince of Wales,
there is no alternative.

The prince, after showing a pref-
erence for flappers on his extensive
globe-trotting, is now, it seems,
about to wed an old-fashioned home
girl. That is the description of
Princess Astrid given by intimates.
From her mother, Princess Ingeborg,
a niece of the late Queen Alexandra
of England, she has learned all the
domestic accomplishments and, what
she has not been able to pick up at
home, she has acquired through do-
mestic science and nursing instruc-
tion in the excellent schools of
Stockholm. Last spring she took a
regular course in the care of babies
at the Foundlings' Home in Stock-
holm, and this fall she and her older
sister, Martha, attended a course in
cooking at the housekeeping school
of Mrs. Jenny Akerstrom-Soderstrom.
Like a regular Cinderella she there
learned to peel apples and pota-
toes, bake, sweep and wash dishes,
as well as calculate calories and mix
salad dressing.

Lives Out-of-Door Life
In society circles in Stockholm
Astrid has the reputation of feeling
happiest at home. There survives
the old tradition that after the eve-
ning meal the family gathers about
the reading lamp, and while some one
reads aloud the women folk either
sew or embroider or knit or crochet.
Astrid is fond of out-of-door life.
In Stockholm parks she may be seen
on skis at almost any time in win-
ter, usually with her younger broth-
er, Prince Carl, as a pacesetter. At other
times she and her sister may be found
out for a brisk walk with their moth-
er or on a morning horseback canter
with their father. In summer the
girls play tennis; they can handle a
motor car in traffic and an equestrian
in the inland waters of the beautiful
Stockholm skerries when the water is
not too rough.

This is the way, Princess Inge-
borg, who married Prince Carl,
younger brother of King Gustav,
has brought up her own daughters.
Originally there were three of them,
but the oldest, Princess Margaret,
already has married Prince Axel of
Denmark.

At The Churches Sunday

First Methodist Church

A large attendance turned out at Sunday school at the First Methodist church yesterday morning, and the program to have a thousand in attendance each Sunday this year was commenced. Dr. Horn's Young Men's Bible class appointed team captains and will have a business meeting and social next Friday night at which time the campaign for at least 150 members present each Sunday will be launched and it is anticipated that this number will be exceeded by a large majority within a short time.

Rev. E. E. White preached on "The Place and Influence of the Church in the Life of the World." He took his text from Matthew 5:13-16.

There has been no institution more far-reaching in its influence than has the church. There are those who have discounted the usefulness of the church. There is a group who have magnified its importance and discounted its worth. These are the misinformed. Then there are those who consider the church has failed and that it is on the rocks, and that it is impossible to redeem it. There is also a large majority of the so-called fundamentalists. They seem to fail to note the confidence expressed by Jesus.

Rev. White said that he was an optimist and found his faith in humanity and in the plan of God too well grounded to have it swept aside by any such teaching.

What has the church done? The spirit of Jesus and Paul has lived in the hearts of those organized believers that their influence was felt and churches were built. That influence went to England dispelling darkness with its light. Our Colonial fathers brought with them the same spirit and established churches that were to become the foundation stones of American liberty. With the church in our land came education and business pitched on a high ethical basis. Morality and religion strengthened the national life.

It was not until Jesus saw that there was no hope for the Christian religion without groups of organized believers that he said he would build His church. It is the preacher's business to make this fact real and to build into men and women a spirit which will add strength to the organization.

The church is not a place into which a few chosen people may come in time of danger. It is not a mere city of refuge into which sinners desiring merely to save their souls may go. But a group organized for service and bent on world redemption. It should be the most vital factor in the transformation of the whole social order. It should be an instrument of redemption; an angel troubling the waters of the pool in which humanity is to be healed.

For a church to meet the expectations of the Master Builder it must become a working self-sacrificing community of brethren striving together in all places of social betterment.

First Christian Church

The beautiful weather of yesterday brought many people out to the First Christian church to hear the Rev. Walter P. Jennings deliver a sermon on "How Shall We Know The Christ?" taking his text from 1st John 1:1-3.

In his introductory remarks, Rev. Jennings said that the probabilities are that Paul never heard first hand any of the burning words of Jesus, nor saw any of His splendid miracles, while Christ was here on earth in bodily form. During all of Christ's ministry, Paul was abroad studying with a foreign master.

At that time Rabbi Gamaliel seemed the great fixed star of light, and the humble Nazarene only a star of night, whose light would never go far beyond the shores that skirted the lake of Galilee. But Paul did not know what was going on in Palestine; did not know that the Star of Bethlehem was merging into the Sun of Righteousness that was to light all mankind; did not know that the Divine Orphan had come with

music that was world music, singing the epic of man's soul and God's love.

One way of knowing Jesus was through the physical eye or senses. The apostles and men and women who were associated with Him, knew Jesus by the physical senses. Always he went about doing good. But yet the mere fact of the apostles and the people who were friends of Jesus life in Galilee who saw him and walked with him—this was not sufficient in itself to transform their lives. Many people think that if Jesus had remained immortal in Palestine, superior to physical death, the Golden Age would have come long ago. But that is the smallest of knowledge concerning the Christ. So what the soul needs and asks is the living glorified Christ, a perpetual presence, a traveling friend, a knowledge that the hand does not drop from the eye, the ear and the believer.

Therefore we must know Christ through the intellect. But knowledge is not through the intellect alone, because many people think that the sunbeam has white light, but also heat and color, and the three blended together make up the beam. When the intellect is one note and the affections and other and the conscience a third, all these blended together make up harmonious music of full knowledge, whose anthem will flood the soul with faith, hope and love. The scholars who have talked only about culture and pure intellect and despised the publicans, the lame, the halt and the blind, have turned poetry and culture into diabolical use. So it is not enough that man has intellect and analyzes the truth, he must have affection and conscience.

Thirdly, we must know Christ by personal experience. And the Holy Spirit will guide us into fellowship with Christ. The Holy Spirit is God at work. Wherever a great Christian man or woman lives, it will be found that the reason for their potent and fruitful activity is because something is added to their personalities and that something is the Spirit of God. Paul plus the Holy Spirit accounts for his great life. Jesus is here in spiritual power. Here in person of the Comforter, the Advocate, the Helper. He is near to us than He was to those fishermen in Galilee, but we seem slower to take our boats and nets than they were. The prevalent way to know Christ is by personal experience. True religion is a vastly more than insurance against fire in the world to come, or an endowment policy for the hereafter. It is chiefly a program for the present.

T. E. L. CLASS MEETING

The T. E. L. class of the First Baptist church met Sunday morning with 62 members and two visitors present. Three new members were welcomed to the class.

Mrs. Scott gave the personal service report for the week, and read the devotional from John 3:31-36. The class was favored with a vocal solo, very pleasingly rendered by Mrs. R. N. Chitwood.

In her usual capable manner, Mrs. Sideman took up the lesson topic, "Jesus and Nicodemus" and brought the class a very profitable lesson.

The T. E. L. class especially invites any visitors or strangers in the city over Sunday to meet with them.

ENTERTAINMENT PLANNED

Mrs. Hamilton of 1791 Avenue Q will entertain the first vice president, Mrs. F. J. Moore, and the ten captains of the T. E. L. class, in addition to the ladies of the group of which she is captain, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The following captains please take notice: Mesdames Pendergrass, Biffie, Wall, McRehbell, Brooks, Hamilton, Murphy, Paulger, Osborne and Barnett.

T. H. Walters, sheriff of Swisher county, was a visitor in Lubbock Sunday.

L. G. Conner, George Reed and Gilroy of Tulsa, spent several hours in Lubbock Sunday.

Deputy Sheriff J. A. Grigsby of Florida transacted legal business in this city Sunday.

McDONALD'S HERD IS ATTRACTING ATTENTION OF CATTLEMEN

Special to the Avalanche.

HEREFORD, Jan. 17.—D. L. McDonald, Deaf Smith county breeder of Anxiety 4th Herefords, is creating a great deal of attention with his animals. He has only been in the breeding business for the past five years and is known all over the state as a producer of fine Herefords. His breeding herd now consists of thirty breeding cows, and some twenty five head of heifers and young bulls. The Great Super Anxiety by Bright Stanway Junior, and out of Donna Anna 52nd by Superior Mischief, or heads McDonald herd. This bull was purchased when only eight hours old, and has since developed into one of the outstanding herd bulls of the country.

This man entered his first sale last spring at Amarillo and topped this sale with his young bull, Mischief Caldo by Robert Caldo, and but of Georgia 5th by Superior Mischief. He repeated this feat at Sweetwater last October when he topped the big Hereford sale there with Super Anxiety 3rd by Super Anxiety and out of Miss Womble by Beau Randolph.

Four head of Anxiety 4th animals have been consigned by McDonald to the big Hereford sale which will be held in connection with the Fort Worth Fat Stock Exposition in March, and all of these animals are outstanding in their respective classes. Here are the four that McDonald will stake his hopes on in "Fort Worth": Super Anxiety 4th by Super Anxiety, and out of Georgia Randolph by Tom Stanway; Super Anxiety 2nd by Super Anxiety, and out of Mischief by Bright Stanway Junior; Mattie Anxiety by Super Anxiety, and out of Mattie Mischief by Mischief 5th by Superior Mischief; and Superior 3rd by Superior Anxiety, and out of Miss Anita by Beau President Junior. Young Superior 3rd was grand champion last fall at both the Deaf Smith county Hereford show and the Nolan county fair. These four animals are now being conditioned at D. L. McDonald's farm just north of Hereford.

Shows in Houston HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 17.—Showers of about five to ten minutes duration began falling in Houston and vicinity late Saturday afternoon accompanied by what apparently would develop into a cold norther. By 5:45 it had rained approximately 1.8 of an inch.

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LUBBOCK HAS IT

Poultry Industry On South Plains Is Assuming Enormous Proportions; Thousands of Bird Shipped Weekly

(BY RAY B. McCORKLE)

More than half a million fowls were shipped out of Lubbock during 1925, and the 1924 crop was larger by far. During 1926 Lubbock dealers will in all probability handle a million birds and the South Plains farmer who fails to contribute to the success of the poultry industry is just robbing himself of dollars that are his for the asking.

The poultry business is not over-crowded, but rather the demand for high grade poultry and poultry products was never greater, and prices, despite the fact the holiday season is over, are as good as one could ask. Poultry dealers say 1926 prices will be attractive all the year. People are learning the value of the hen, and as a result her tribe is rapidly increasing on the South Plains.

In Growing Industry
Not least among the many paying industries on the South Plains, today, is the poultry industry. During recent years it has been growing by leaps and bounds, and those who are in position to know declare they have every reason to think that the industry is still in its infancy, and during coming years even greater progress may be expected.

Now the two words "poultry industry" cover considerable ground. Just so long as a man or woman is producing, buying, selling, raising, trading, shipping or breeding domestic fowls of any variety they may be referred to as members of the poultry fraternity. Of course all of them are interested in production, but they have their own important stations to fill else the entire industry would fail. It is a great system and one that must be given thought.

To say that Lubbock and adjoining counties are ideally located for the successful breeding of poultry is merely admitting a fact. Few sections in America will be found where soil and climatic conditions are more favorable, although eastern buyers have seen fit to discriminate against Texas poultry and poultry products.

Conditions Favorable
In a way these buyers are not to be censured, for it is a well known fact that the average Texas poultryman does not care for his flock as he should. He can raise a moderately good grade without any effort whatever. The condition is ideal. Soil conditions and drainage are favorable. So he just turns his baby chicks loose and lets them make what they will. The result is he raises only a fair grade of poultry. Had he given them proper diet, plenty fresh water, warm houses and a little personal care he would have realized considerably larger profits for his efforts.

And that is just what Lubbock and South Plains poultry breeders are doing today. They are building substantial homes for their birds, and are feeding them balanced rations so necessary to the bird's well-being. That is one reason why birds from the Plains command prices that birds from points in the South and East.

Occasionally one will find a person who declares that the "poultry business" is being overdone. Well, he just doesn't know. Chances are he doesn't own a hen, and if he did he would not know whether to feed her hominy or hay. He enjoys scrambled and fried chicken, but knows about the price. He imagines poultry growers have formed a trust for the sole purpose of filling their coffers at the expense of the public, and never realized just how much work there is attached to the production of a case of eggs.

Prices Satisfactory.
The poultry industry is not over-crowded. On the other hand there is a demand for high grade poultry and poultry products 12 months each year. Multiplied millions of baby chicks are hatched in America each season, hundreds and thousands of novices start into the business, but so far there has never been a time when the demand was not greater than the supply.

Here in Texas, the natural home of domestic birds, prices are rather low. We kick when we pay a dollar for a small hen and have an idea we are being robbed whether we ever say so or not. But Texas isn't all there is to America. There entire population of Texas is considerably less than that of one Eastern city—New York. And New Yorkers, on account of crowded conditions, are unable to produce their own fowls. Therefore they depend upon poultry growers in other sections to supply them. A hen that will bring a dol-

lar in Texas retails in New York for \$2.00 after it has been in cold storage for six months and New Yorkers think they have a bargain if the hen happens to be moderately fat. The trouble is they find it impossible to get good grades of poultry at all seasons.

So those who have an idea that the "business" is being overworked had best check up on facts before they begin preaching the calamities of over production. There isn't now, and never has been such a thing as far as poultry is concerned. There have been a few instances where unscrupulous dealers, for the sake of a gold, have claimed "glutted market" in order to lower prices. Once the prices drop they turn their storage products on the market at an enormous figure. The rubbish and second grade stocks disposed of they again bid for poultry at good, fair and even fancy prices.

Poultry a Safe Crop.
The freeze last season, while out of the ordinary, should serve as a warning to one crop farmers. We can't all be exclusive poultry breeders, but there is no good reason why we should not raise a surplus of poultry each year. Early freezes mean little to the "chicken man."

In conversation with a Lubbock produce dealer, F. A. McCaskill, the writer recently learned that the poultry growers in this section are increasing their flocks. Mr. McCaskill has been in the poultry business for nine years and is of the opinion there were more birds raised per capita at that time than at present, although sales during the past two years have been large. He says this section is ideal for the successful breeding of turkeys and predicts a bumper crop this year. There were birds sold here in 1924 than in 1925.

Mr. McCaskill, as well as other buyers, declares the poultry business is getting harder to "over do" each year.
P. F. Rucker, local produce dealer also predicts a bumper poultry crop this year, and has an idea that prices will hold up in a very satisfactory manner. Ducks and geese have never been successfully produced in this section, though he attributes this to the fact that people here know little of the bird's traits. He says the poultry business this year will be 100 per cent better than in 1925.

Shipments Are Large
It might surprise some Avalanche readers to know that during the month of December, 1925, one Lubbock produce house shipped 20 cars of chickens and 12 cars of turkeys to Northern and Eastern markets. This is a fact, however, and the dealer's name will be given if requested.

During the month of December approximately 50 cars of poultry and poultry products were shipped out of Lubbock. Of course all this was not produced in Lubbock county, though the county contributed its quota of products. As a matter of fact the Lubbock Poultry and Egg company has nine branch houses, and the 32 cars were made-up from these points. The branches are located in the following towns and cities: Falls, Lorenzo, Crosbyton, Muleshoe, Tahoka, Lamesa, Brownfield, Seagraves and Post.

Another Lubbock concern shipped some 12 or 15 cars during and just prior to the holiday season. Doesn't look like the market is over crowded, for prices are still at the top.

Lubbock has one poultry house that has 24 men on it's payroll. Still another has a larger number during certain seasons, and almost that many all the time.

This is a positive proof the poultry industry on the South Plains is being very rapidly developed. There are not so many large or exclusive poultry farms, but many farmers and their wives are producing a surplus of poultry each season, and they know their efforts are being rewarded in a very substantial manner. There are a few exclusive farms, and the number is increasing each season.

Modern Hatchery Here
In the past people have found it next to impossible to get baby chicks when they wanted them and at a reasonable price. Not so today. The Lubbock Hatchery, one mile east of the city, has a capacity of 25,000 baby chicks each three weeks, and poultry growers will be enabled to get just the kind of birds they want and when they want them.

This hatchery is modern in every respect, and is operated by experienced and successful poultry breeders. The owners will supply their patrons with almost any variety of baby chicks they may call for, and in any quantity. They also do custom hatching—that is hatch eggs from your flock and deliver the chicks to you when they are old enough to move.

Two mammoth incubators are used, and those of you who have never seen a mammoth machine will find the time well invested if you visit this plant.

New Dressing Plant
There is no way one may arrive at a fair estimate of the amount of poultry shipped out of Lubbock during 1925, though many thousands of dollars were involved. There were at least half a million birds shipped as well as many cars of eggs. This year the figure will be higher.

Until a few years ago Lubbock shippers handled only live fowls. Today, at least two dealers specialize in dressed birds. Swift & Company has an exclusive plant of this kind in Lubbock—the only one in Texas. The plant is located at Ave. H and 5th street. The building, two stories high, and 64 by 125 feet is conveniently divided into sections. The dressing station occupied the entire second floor, and is sufficient in size to care for 10,000 birds. At this time the dressing room has a capacity of 1,500 fowls daily.

The very fact that Swift & Co. would locate such a plant in Lub-



WHEN DAWN CAME

Was there ever such an exciting tale! Black Bear thought not. He almost held his breath to listen as Polar Bear continued.
"Luck was with me, Gypsy. After all my fears I was not dumped into the sea. But drifting on my raft of ice I told myself more than once that I might as well freeze as be frightened to death. And hungry! Say, you don't know what hunger is until you have gone for days without a bite in your tummy. To be sure I did catch a fish or two, but what were they—just



mouthfuls! They did little to quiet that dreadful ache inside of me. I am a good fisherman, but if any one thinks it is easy to bring one of the finny folk out of the deep, just let him try it—that's all. Fishing near shore? That's the cub's sport—nothing to it. But it is a different matter when you are way out where you can't guess where bottom is. It seems only once in a while's age that a fish comes to the surface, and even if you do catch sight of his gleaming scales he is gone again before you can make a grab for him—gone into the depths where he knows quite well you would never dare to follow."

"Dear, dear!" grunted Gypsy.

bock speaks well for the community as a poultry producing area. And when we are told that it is the only plant of its kind in Texas, owned by this company, it is natural that we take time for a second thought.

The poultry industry on the South Plains is in its infancy, but large at this time at this time to attract the attention of eastern buyers.

Only one thing remains to be done—improve quality and quantity.

President of the Phillies is quoted as saying: "I will use Jack Bentley (recently acquired from the Giants) as first base most of the time." Does this, then, solve the problem as far as Manager Art Fletcher is concerned?

It is quite probable that Young Walter Huntzinger, sold to the St. Louis Cardinals by the Giants, will be given an opportunity to earn the berth of relief hurler with the western team. The big right-hander showed considerable ability in the pinch role with the Giants during his three seasons with the New York club.

Huntzinger, formerly a star of the University of Pennsylvania, a ball team, joined the Giants in 1923. He warmed the bench that season, but the following one he was thrown into "hopeless" games now and then, appearing in some 12 contests. He was charged with one victory and one defeat.

Last season he broke into 26 games, mostly as a relief hurler, and emerged with five victories credited to him and but one defeat registered against him.

Johnny Dundee, who won the featherweight championship of the world to his rocking chair and slippers now announces that he plans to come out of retirement, stand his cane up in his corner, and fight Rocky Kansas, present holder of the New York model of the lightweight championship. If he does the promoter ought to match Methuselah and Rip Van Winkle for the semi-final.

Now the colleges plan to appeal to Commissioner Landis to prohibit professional baseball contracts to players in college. This request from the institutional heads must be considered perfectly proper were they to broaden the request to include leaders in every other business. We see no greater crime in suggesting to an under-grad that he earn an honest and remunerative living for a few years by playing baseball than in asking him to become a toll-gate, a broker's office boy or a tie salesman.

Official fielding averages, out recently, show that the seven other clubs in the National League finished ahead of the Pittsburgh Pirates in fielding. And that's all the good it did them.

Latest knitting machines have 200 needles, all working on a stocking at once.

FEDERATED CLUBS OF OF CANYON PLANS TO BEAUTIFY TOWN

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 17.—Mrs. C. H. Flesher and Mrs. C. W. Warwick have been appointed by the City Federation of Canyon to ascertain the kind of flowers the citizens of the city wish to plant this spring in order that a large quantity may be ordered, thus saving some expense in ordering bulbs or seeds and arousing greater interest in making the town beautiful.

JAPANESE POPULATION INCREASING RAPIDLY

BY MILES VAUGHN
United Press Staff Correspondent
TOKYO, Jan. 16.—Every time the clock strikes a new hour the population of Japan increases by eighty-five, and this growth in the number of Japanese has been going on for the past five years, since the last census was taken.

The new census shows that in five years the population of Japan proper, not including the thickly populated possession of Korea, has grown by 3,773,651, being today 58,763,704.

The area of Japan is 148,756 square miles, approximately the size of the State of Montana, and with somewhere near the same relative mountainous area. This gives a density of population of 39 per square mile, as compared with 36 to the square mile in the United States, 3 to a square mile in Canada and 2 in Australia. The only countries with a denser population are Belgium

and England, neither country in any way mountainous.

For every hundred women in Japan there are 101 men, a reversal of the population rule generally.

The big earthquake of 1923 took away from Tokyo the honor of being Japan's biggest city, Osaka now outnumbering the Capital by 2,114,809 to 1,995,303.

New mayor's robes have been ordered for Mrs. Alderton, first woman mayor of Colchester, Eng., who said the old robes of her office were the only ones she had ever worn.

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Cunning Handiwork Features Children's Dainty Tub Dresses

(By JULIA BOTTOMLEY)



STYLE decrees that little folks' clothes must be featured with an abundance of cunning handiwork—so here is mother's opportunity to keep busy with needle and gay-colored yarns during the long, tedious winter-season period when winter refuses to take its ice and snow and depart from hence.

There is any amount of fun to be had collecting lovely remnants in the clearance sales which take place at this time of the year. Fashions are so cunning for youngsters, it adds to the joy to choose the pattern and that and then "get busy" following directions.

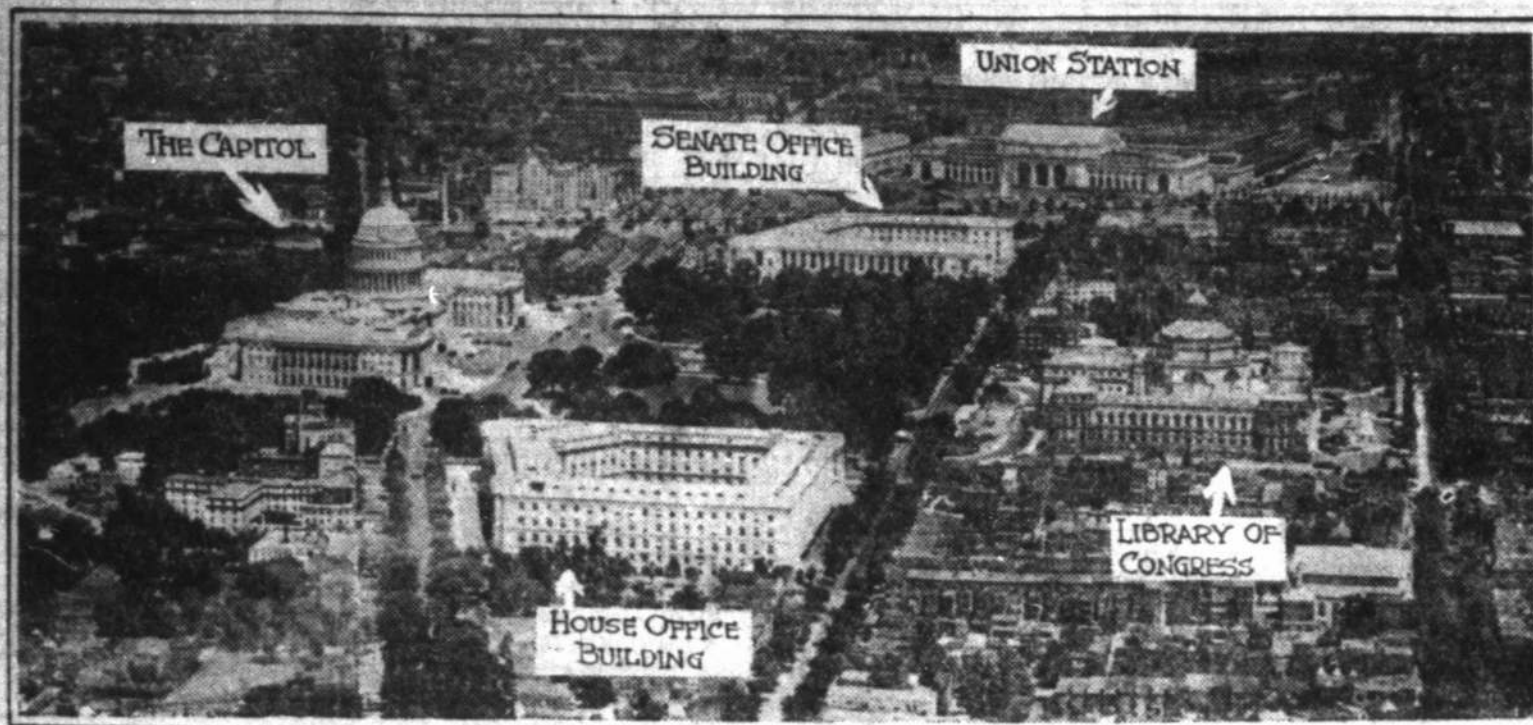
Think of the pleasure in store for the home seamstress who has in contemplation the making of a little fine white net frock, for net is one of the materials favored for little girls' dainty dresses, which will serve now for wear at winter parties and later for summertime dress-up affairs. The fairylike sleeve-

less straight-from-the-shoulder frock in the picture is made of net, although colored voile could be used just as pleasingly. This dainty model is really quite unusual, first on account of its being made in net and then because of the unique embellishment of quaint green geese which are figuratively sailing on green water, as interpreted by the embroidered design. The geese are done in cross-stitch with fuzzy orange wool. There are other colors introduced in the scene and about the neck, where Antwerp blue and tangerine floss enter into the scheme.

Another item to keep mother busy is smoking. For no one's little girl is expected to go through the spring and summer season without owning several smoked gingham, voiles and dotted swisses. Myriads of little ruffles are finding their way, also, on lovely pastel-colored dresses.

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House in Tug-of-War With Senate to Re gain Lost Power and Prestige; Inner Workings of Congressional Machinery Are Explained Where Uncle Sam Manufactures His Laws



A bird's eye view of "Capitol Hill" Washington

By JOHN T. LEWING, JR.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The perpetual tug-of-war between the senate and the house for power and prestige is being fought in this session of congress more vigorously than in many years.

The house, eclipsed by the upper chamber in a major sense for two decades, and in a minor sense since the peace treaty fight, is bidding again for a place in the spotlight. Its members, their dignity ruffled by having to play second fiddle in all things to the senators, are rebelling. And for the first time in recent years they have in Speaker Nicholas Longworth a leader capable of capturing a successful campaign for the recovery of their lost prestige.

With longing eyes the representatives look upon the supremacy of the lower chamber of the parliament of Great Britain, France and Italy, for instance, and hope at least to place themselves in a position of importance to the senators. They complain that even the president, who should be neutral, discriminates against them. The public's attitude is indicated by the fact that the senate gallery has the most visitors.

As matters now stand, the most important work of congress is done in caucus or in committee and there is comparatively little opportunity for the individual member to distinguish himself, particularly in the house. In the senate the rules are liberal and there is more freedom of debate, discussion and amendment. Of course, the size of the house compels restrictions that are unnecessary in the senate.

The Senate's Power
Few citizens understand the difference in the powers and prerogatives of the two houses. Few, in fact, know what the powers of congress are.

The senate has the sole power to try all impeachments of federal officers, including the president. When the president is tried, the chief justice of the supreme court presides, as the vice president, ruling officer of the senate, is, of course, an interested party. The house of representatives brings the charges in impeachment cases and the senate acts as both judge and jury. Treaties with foreign powers are made by the president, but two-thirds of the senate must concur. The president also appoints ambassadors, other public ministers, consuls, judges of the supreme court, with the advice and consent of the senate.

All bills for revenue must originate in the house, but the senate may propose or concur in amendments as on other bills. Frequently, however, the senate so amends revenue bills as to leave only faint traces of the original measure.

The house brings impeachment charges.
What Congress Can Do
Congress has such powers as are delegated to it by the constitution. They are too many to set down here, but the principal ones may be named:

To lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

To borrow money on the credit of the United States;

To regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states;

To coin money, to regulate the value thereof, and of foreign coin, and fix the standard of weights and measures;

To establish postoffices and post-roads;

To promote the progress of science and useful arts;

To constitute tribunals inferior to the supreme court;

To declare war; to raise and support armies, but no appropriation to that use shall be for a longer term than two years;

To provide and maintain a navy; to provide for calling forth the militia to execute the laws of the union, suppress insurrections and repel invasions;

To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested in the government by the constitution.

The Constitution states that "Congress whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this Constitution, or to any part thereof, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes, as part of the constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states, or by conventions in

three-fourths thereof."
Under the constitution, congress is expressly denied the following powers:

"The privilege of writ of habeas corpus shall not be suspended, unless, when in cases of rebellion or invasion the public safety may require it."

"No capitation, or other direct, tax shall be laid, unless in proportion to the census or enumeration thereof directed to be taken."

"No tax or duty shall be laid on articles exported from any state."

"No preference shall be given by any regulation of commerce or revenue to the ports of one state over those of another."

"No money shall be withdrawn from the treasury, but in consequence of appropriations made by law."

"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting its free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances."

How to Rise Above Mob
The mere introduction of a bill in congress has no significance. Any member may introduce any measure he likes. Probably less than five per cent of the bills drafted and placed on the clerk's table, which constitutes the formal act of introduction, ever become laws.

The ordinary member of the house may bring his own discussion only by unanimous consent; in this way his efforts may be hopelessly blocked if he opposes the speaker or the party caucus, as someone may be instructed to object to his every move.

In the senate it is slightly different. A legislative matter may be brought up in three ways, unanimous consent; making it a special order, which requires two-thirds vote; taking its due course on the calendar. This latter provision makes it easy to bury a bill under the great mass of bills introduced in every session.

It can be seen that it takes a strong personality not to be reduced by the workings of congress and the party organization to a mere "rubber stamp."

Only by close unity of members of both parties, under clever and tactful leadership, can the house hope to get an equal place in the sun. Rebellion against the senate is difficult. Obviously, if the house should sidetrack legislation of senate origin, or amend senate bills, or refuse to originate revenue measures, the senate could retaliate in kind.

Then, too, there is the matter of the representative's subordinate place in party politics. The senators wield the political power in their respective states. They manage the patronage, and patronage, i. e. jobs for constituents, is the crux of political influence. The representative, who comes up for election every two years, must be wary of bucking the influence of the senators of this state.

Unity of members of both parties and clever leadership, will be necessary to make the house's bid for a place in the sun effective.

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The letters, now nearly 200 years old, are as pertinent today as they were the day he wrote them. Wisdom never dies.

One of them pertains to the matter of choosing one's friends: "Dear Boy: People of your age have, commonly, an ungoverned frankness about them which makes them the easy prey of the artful and experienced."

They look upon every knave or fool, who tells them he is their friend to be really so.

And pay that profession of simulated friendship with an indifference and unbounded confidence, always to their own loss, often to their ruin.

"Beware, therefore, now that you are coming into the world, of those proffered friendships. Receive them with civility, but with incredulity too and pay them with compliments, but not with confidence."

There is a Spanish proverb, "Tell me who you live with and I will tell you who you are."

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"Do not make your vanity and self-love make you suppose that people become your friends at first sight, or even upon short acquaintance."

"Real friendship is a slow grower; and never thrives unless ingrafted upon a stock of known and reciprocal merit."

"There is another kind of nominal friendship among young people which is warm for the time, but by good luck, of short duration. This friendship is hastily produced, by their being accidentally thrown together—they tell one another all they know, and often amuse too, when, of a sudden, some accident disperses them, and they think no more of each other unless it be to betray and laugh at their unprincipled confidence."

"Remember to make a great difference between companions and friends; for a very complaisant and agreeable companion may, and often does prove a very improper and very dangerous friend."

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Lockney Lodge Entertains Masons

LOCKNEY, Jan. 17.—Lockney Lodge No. 867 A. F. & A. M. was host to over two hundred Masons at its twenty-fourth annual banquet Friday night. There were over 75 visitors and 17 past masters present. Dr. Freeman of Sentinel, Okla., the first master of Lockney Lodge was present and made the principal address. William P. Stalcup, who has been a mason over 68 years was present and made an address that was very impressive. There were five present who had belonged to the order over 43 years, this is said to be one of the largest gatherings of Masons in the history of Floyd county. Rev. T. J. Rea of Lockney made the opening address, and W. W. Angel, was master of ceremonies. Addresses were made by R. C. Scott, Tom Deen, W. B. Maxey, T. S. Stevenson and J. D. Starks, of Floydada, T. L. Anderson, and Judge Wright of Silverton, B. F. George, of Texline, D. C. Lowe, Dr. Henry, Dr. E. L. Mewshaw, W. D. Biggers, and J. D. H. Hatcher of Lockney.

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