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Ghosts Of Vimy Ridge Do Not Seek Our Pity

Those two pylons that rise toward the sky along the green slopes of Vimy Ridge were dedicated by the King of England, and a great crowd stood in silence to hear his eloquent tribute to the heroes whom the pylons commemorate.
Yet this memorial, like all World War memorials, becomes more than a record of great heroism and painful sacrifice, when you think about it a little. It is both exclamation point and question mark; a reminder that human beings on this earth must stand or fall together, all of them, and a repetition of the wistful, unanswerable "Why?" which the great war continues to provoke.

TEXAS AND TEXANS

LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS
WILL H. MAYES, AUSTIN, TEXAS
In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. As evidence of good faith inquirers must give their names and addresses, but only their initials will be printed. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

Q. Did David Crockett ever live in Hood County? H. H., Dublin.

A. No, but his widow, Elizabeth Crockett, came to Texas and in 1856 settled in Hood county on land granted her by the State. She died there in 1860 and was buried in the Acton cemetery, where a tall monument was erected to her memory. Ashley Crockett, the only surviving grandson, lives at Granbury and edits the Hood County Tablet.

Q. Please tell in your column something of the life of Col. John S. Sutton, for who mthis county was named? G. G., Sonora.

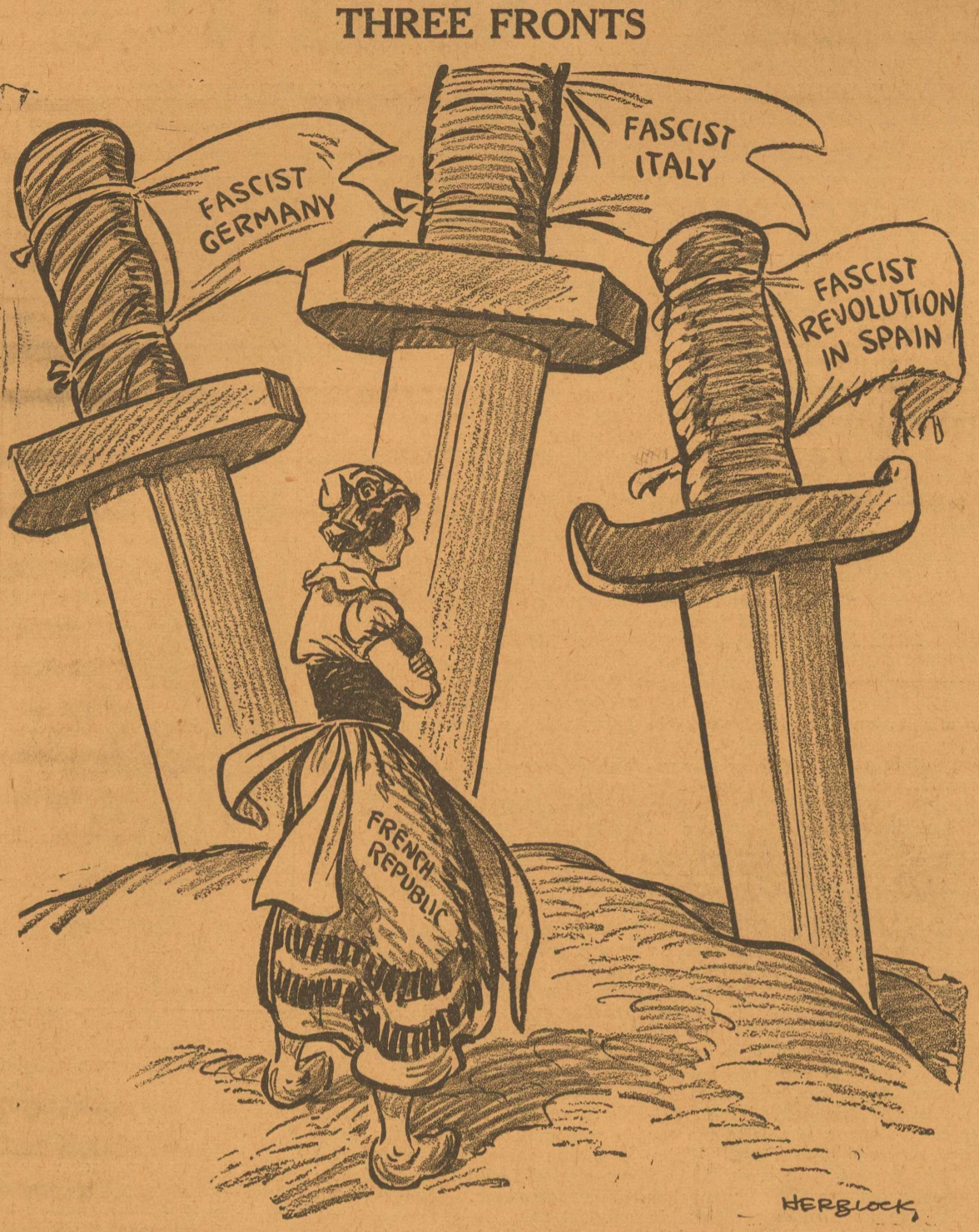
A. He was born in Newcastle County, Delaware, fought through the Texas revolution; was among the 300 Texans who followed Gen. Adrian Woll into Mexico after Woll's invasion of San Antonio in 1842; was captured at Mier; re-at Salado; imprisoned at Perote; drew a white bean; finally made his way back to Texas; served with distinction in Mexican war; in Sibley's Brigade in Civil War; cited for gallantry; lost his life in battle.

Q. Who were the pioneer Lutheran missionaries in Texas? W. S., Seguin.

A. Revs. T. Klies and A. Sager

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson
FLYING FISH HAVE BEEN TIMED AT A SPEED OF 50 MILES AN HOUR.
THE HOLLY TREE HAS NO BARK! THE ORIGINAL OUTER CELL OF THE TRUNK SURFACE GROW AND KEEP PACE WITH THE NEW TISSUE OF THE INTERIOR.

TOADS ARE WORTH \$20 EACH, ANNUALLY, AS CUTWORM DESTROYERS, IT IS ESTIMATED.
IT has been found that about 88 per cent of a toad's food consists of insect pests, and in a period of three months, about 10,000 injurious insects will be destroyed. Of this number, about 16 per cent will be cutworms, and, counting each cutworm's annual damage at the low figure of 1 cent, each toad would be worth about \$20 for this one service alone.



Bull Protects His Master From Probe

He started across the field. Twerder saw him coming and thinking it might be a holdup man, started running. Then Perussima started running. Then Twerder, looking back for a second time, decided after all it was not a holdup man and stopped running. But Perussima kept on running. Even when he reached Twerder he didn't stop. Perussima just had time to reach the fence before the bull reached him. He had to walk a mile around the fence to his car where he found Twerder calmly waiting.

Life of the Saint Of the Day

By REV. S. E. BYRNE
In the liturgy of today, two saints are commemorated. During the reign of Carinus, Agresticus Chromatius was vicar to the prefect of Rome, and he condemned several martyrs merely because they were Christians. Later, however, he was converted after seeing the staunch faith of those who were put to death, and realizing that they were being condemned merely because of the greed and ignorance of those who persecuted them. Chromatius's son, St. Tiburtius, was ordained subdeacon, and was soon after betrayed to the persecutors, condemned to many tortures, and at length beheaded on the Latician road, three miles from Rome, where a church afterwards was built. St. Susanna, who is also remembered today, was nobly born in Rome, and is said to have been the niece to Pope Caius. Having made a vow of virginity, she refused to marry, on which account she was accused as a Christian and suffered with heroic constancy a cruel martyrdom. St. Susanna suffered towards the beginning of Diocletian's reign, about the year 295.

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MARKETS

Table of market prices for various commodities including stocks, bonds, and agricultural products. Includes sub-sections for 'Closing Selected New York' and 'Curb Stocks'.

Texas Bull Given No. 100,000 In The Polled Register

Thirty five years of intensive work in the development of naturally hornless purebred Hereford cattle reached a climax the other day in the issuance of pedigree number 100,000 by the American Polled Hereford Breeders' Association of Des Moines, Iowa. Polled Herefords were originated in 1901 by locating and assembling eleven head of purebred registered Herefords, four bulls and seven females, which by "freak of nature" had failed to develop horns. This was true despite the fact that these cattle descended in all lines from horned ancestry. Polled Herefords, which may be referred to as a breed or a strain, have had one of the most remarkable histories in the annals of the livestock industry. From that original herd Polled Herefords have increased to upwards of 100,000 animals scattered through every state in the Union and to every continent of the world except Europe. In from 10,000 to 12,000 herds of purebred and commercial cattle in America, purebred Polled Hereford bulls are in use today. Nearly 1,000 breeders are active members of the National breed promotion organization, the American Polled Hereford Breeders' Association. Through all the economic changes in the past 35 years Polled Herefords have come through stronger and stronger. They have become more and more popular through theups and downs of the Pure Bred Cattle business. During the recent depression one of the most encouraging developments in Polled Herefords was the great interest which developed in Australia, New Zealand and South America. B. O. Gammon, Secretary of the Association, has spent many weeks during the last five years locating the kind of cattle desired by the purebred cattle interests abroad. When the record number 100,000 was approached, the Directors of the Association decided to offer this "round number" at auction and after considerable bidding by several prominent breeders it finally fell to the bid of Johnson Bros., Jacksonville, Texas at \$106. This firm has for several years owned the largest herd of Polled Herefords in the world. The number, curiously enough, is to be assigned to another naturally polled animal descended in all lines from horned ancestors. This time these horned ancestors are all of the so-called "air-tight" Anxiety 4th strain, now so widely in demand among Hereford cattle breeders. This animal is the bull Polled Domino Mischief, registered in the American Hereford Record under number 2145604. He was bred by, and dropped the property of, B. A. Elliott, Moran, Texas, one of the most widely known Hereford breeders of the United States. His pedigree traces seven times to Prince Domino, six times to Beau Mischief, four times to Mischief Maker 6th, twelve times to Donna Anna 22nd and 244 times to Anxiety 4th. In every line it runs back to the herd of Gudgell & Simpson, the developers of the Anxiety 4th strain of Whitefaces. Polled Domino Mischief 100,000 has already been rather extensively used by Johnson Brothers and has sired nearly 75 per cent hornless calves even though most of his matings have been with horned cows. In an endeavor to create a polled family of "air-tight" Anxiety 4th Herefords, Johnson Brothers have used Polled Domino Mischief on a number of horned cows that are themselves "air-tight" in breeding. The resulting calves are in most instances hornless and are very pleasing individuals.

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