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## MEMPHIS HIGH SCHOOL IS CLASSED AMONG THE BEST OF THE STATE

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, W. F. Doughty, notified the Superintendent of Schools that the report of the visitor of schools regarding equipment and faculty of the High School is entirely satisfactory and that he is glad to announce that the Memphis High School has been classified as being equal to the schools of the first class.

### Superintendent V. Z. Rogers Re- ceives Good News.

Superintendent V. Z. Rogers of Public Schools of Memphis, received a letter Monday from the Director of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, informing that the local High school is conditionally affiliated with that institution. Now therefore, graduates of the Memphis High School may enter the freshman of the A. & M. College without entrance examinations.

### Pupils of High School Will Give Program for Good Cause.

The pupils of the High school are meeting with success in their efforts to secure a Piano. Pledges from the students and from the Harmony and Culture Clubs now amount to nearly \$200.00.

To secure additional funds, the music and expression teachers of Memphis have prepared a program with the aid of a few others, to be given Friday night at the Presbyterian church. The program will consist of piano, pipe-organ, violin and vocal solos, duets, and there will be a male quartet. Those who have the affair in charge assure the public that the program will be very good, one of the best treats the town has had in years.

Some of those who will perform are: Misses Juanita Kinsey, Kate Arnold, Bilbro, Abena Richardson, Mesdames Roberts, M. McNeely, J. Conley Ward, and V. Z. Rogers.

### Grandpa Henderson Dead.

R. H. Henderson died at the home of his son, R. L. Henderson, in west Memphis, at an early hour Sunday morning. While he had been in bad health for several months and his death was not expected, still it came as a great shock to his relatives.

Grandpa Henderson had reached the ripe old age of 77 years, and was born in Wilson county, Tennessee. He moved to Texas in 1865, and has since resided in several counties in this state, his late home being in Jack county near Crafton, where he had resided for many years.

His health failed him about a year ago and he had been traveling from place to place in search of health. He had spent several months in Colorado without much improvement and started back to his home in Jack county just before Christmas and stopped over to visit his son, R. L. Henderson, in this city and was unable to go further. He leaves a wife and eight children to mourn his departure, his death being the first in the family.

He was a Confederate veteran and served gallantly under Gen. R. E. Lee during the war.

He was a prominent mason and had been affiliated with that order for forty years.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 3:00 p. m. Sunday afternoon by Elder O. M. Reynolds, of the Church of Christ after which the remains took charge of the remains which were laid to rest in Fairview cemetery. Some beautiful floral decorations were sent by the Eastern Star Lodge of Duncan, Oklahoma.

The Democrat extends its sincerest sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

J. H. Brumley was up from his Childress county ranch Wednesday and made this office a pleasant call. It is rumored that he will make the race for commissioner in his precinct in Childress county. Those people would do well to select him to look after their affairs as we have tried him in that capacity in Hall county and know he is well qualified.

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### The "Willing Workers" Entertained.

Mrs. J. R. Gates, assisted by Mrs. W. D. Morgan, entertained the "Willing Workers" and some friends (in all about forty ladies) last Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. R. B. Gates, of Oakolona, Mississippi. The first part of the afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation, Mrs. Ethel Ballew and Misses Clara Goffinet and Bess Norwood furnished the music for the occasion.

The club members had a display of some beautiful handwork which showed that each member was being benefitted by the organization. After discussing and examining the work we were then served with a most delicious two course refreshment.

Mrs. Gates is indeed a splendid hostess and each one present spent a most enjoyable afternoon.

One Present.

Mrs. W. T. Rouse entertained the children of the lower grades in the public school with a George Washington party Tuesday afternoon. About 75 youngsters were present and enjoyed themselves hugely. The cherry tree and hatchet were in evidence and the house was appropriately decorated. Games, music and recitations were the order of the evening after which light refreshments were served. Mrs. Rouse was assisted by Mesdames W. D. Roberts, W. H. Lindsey, Nora Barker and J. M. Willborn.

Dr. W. M. Horton Nelsson arrived in this city Sunday night from Terrell, Texas, and will locate here. He comes well recommended as a physician of the osteopathic school, as well as a splendid gentleman. He is a nephew of Mrs. L. Dowell of this city. The Democrat extends him a cordial welcome to our community.

### M. E. Missionary Program For Monday, February 28th.

Bible Lesson, Matt. VIII 2-6, 14-16.

Hymn.

Prayer.

1. How the Revival Began—Mrs. C. A. Powell.

2. Simultaneous and Similar Campaigns—Mrs. Floyd.

3. Official Evangelism—Mrs. Blanton.

4. Social Evangelism—Mrs. Gates.

5. Beauty From Ashes—Mrs. C. F. Wilson.

6. Care of the Sick in Mexico—Mrs. Bowman.

Roll Call. Scripture on "Christ's Ministry to the Sick." Leader—Mrs. Mickle.

### Blake Miner Dead.

The people of Memphis were shocked to learn that Blake Miner had died at an early hour Wednesday morning at the family home in East Memphis. He had been sick only a few days, the immediate cause of death being locked bowels, but few people knew he was seriously ill. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss. He was a constant member of the Presbyterian church, an earnest christian and an honorable upright citizen. The funeral took place at the home about 5 o'clock Wednesday evening, the services being conducted by Rev. Swaim, assisted by Rev. W. T. Rouse and Elder S. H. Austin, after which the remains were laid to rest in Fairview cemetery. The Democrat extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

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### Meeting With a Convalescent Member.

The "Lillie Delaney" Young People met for the study of the "Missionary Voice" with Ira Hammond, Friday, February 11, 1916. To our glad surprise we had a large number of members and four visitors, as we had been requested to meet with Ira, who had not sufficiently recovered from her recent operation to come to us. The meeting was led by Ethel Ballew having read several passages of Scripture on "Jesus is Life," called for several sentence prayers, Mrs. Delaney closing the prayer. A number of interesting topics in the "Missionary Voice" were read and discussed by different members, after which Mrs. Delaney was called on for comments or any suggestions on the subject. She responded with a most beautiful and inspiring talk, and read an interesting article which gave encouragement to each girl present. The central thought of which was that there is a vast difference in knowing or believing things about Christ and knowing Christ himself. The program thus completed Mrs. Delaney read a chapter from "Fanny Crosby's Story of Ninety-four Years."

We then adjourned for a social hour during which we were served with a most delicious salad course which was enjoyed to the fullest by every one present. Before leaving each girl declared Ira a most hospitable hostess even though she was unable to be with us and expressed her desire that it may not be long before Ira would be able to be with us and able to assume her regular place and duties. We trust that she was made to realize, in a degree, how much she is really loved and appreciated by each member, and what her life and influence means to our societies.

Publicity Superintendent.

### Hall County Lumber Company to Move Sheds.

W. B. Owen of Ft. Worth, proprietor of the Hall County Lumber Co., was here Wednesday visiting his son, Geo. H. Owen, and looking after the lumber business. He is well pleased with the business his company has built up in the short time they have been doing business here, and is very optimistic as to the outlook for the future. To a Democrat reporter he stated that he was making arrangements to move his yards to the new site where the Crump cotton yard is now located which he purchased sometime ago. They will begin the erection of sheds etc., in time to make the move early in the summer.

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### \$25.00 Reward.

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J. F. Bradley.

Editor Johnson of the Herald is breaking in a brand new Ford car this week. It is certainly an index to the prosperity of any community when even the editors can afford a Ford.

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## ENGLISH AND FRENCH NEWS- PAPERS ARE NOT PLEASED WITH LANSING'S SEA CODE

The English and French newspapers are not pleased with Mr. Lansing's ruling that an armed merchant man is in some respects a vessel of war and may be treated as such. No one expected them to be pleased, however, for they naturally desired something in the opposite direction, which would allow them to guard their merchant vessels from the attacks of the submarines in an effective way and at the same time enjoy all the rights and immunities of peaceful vessels. A submarine is a delicate vessel and can be easily destroyed, even by the smallest guns. It has no means of defense except sinking under the water and hiding away. A merchant vessel, armed with small cannon, is just as innocuous to a submarine as would be a great war vessel. The owners of the merchant vessels know this and that is why they have placed such guns on their vessels. When they did that they converted each one into a war vessel and Mr. Lansing recognizes that fact; that is all there is to it. It was a commonsense ruling and will be

indorsed by all sane, thinking people. But there is another question of equal importance decided by Mr. Lansing, that relating to the offensive operations of submarines. He says that no submarine may attack an unarmed merchant vessel without giving warning of such attack and shall not destroy such vessel until all the passengers and crew shall have had ample time to leave her. Until now the merchant vessels were allowed to arm themselves and if opportunity presented itself they could and would destroy submarines, while submarines could and would attack merchant vessels as secretly as possible for fear of being sunk. The practice gave rise to many forced secret attacks, and loss of life, which might have been avoided if it were known in advance that the attacked vessel was really unarmed and therefore not dangerous. The questions involved are all new ones, though there is little doubt that Mr. Lansing's common-sense ruling will figure prominently in future International Law codes.

### U. D. C.

The U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. Crain Friday, February 25, when the following program will be rendered:

#### Reconstruction Days.

1. What is meant by Reconstruction in the South? How long did it last?—Mrs. Hart.
2. What was the condition of the South at the close of war?—Mrs. Wright.
3. Contrast it with that of the North—Mrs. Wells.
4. Who was Dan Voorhus? What memorable speech did he make?—Mrs. Boykin.
5. What did he say of Georgia and South Carolina?—Mrs. Whaley.
6. What rebuke was given by him to the Republicans?—Mrs. Wheat.
7. Social hour.

Historian.

### McMurry for Commissioner.

We are authorized to place the name of T. M. McMurry in our announcement column this week as a candidate for commissioner of precinct No. 1. Mr. McMurry is now serving out the unexpired term of J. H. Brumley to which he was appointed. He is a practical, progressive farmer and business man and one of our best citizens. He is in every way qualified to fill the responsible office which he seeks.

### Card of Thanks.

In the recent illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother, the friends were exceedingly kind to her, for which we are thankful, and pray the God of mercies to bless you with His tender care and choicest blessings.

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### High School Organizes Society.

Die Deutsche Gesellschaft of the Memphis High school was organized February 5, 1916, in which club both German classes are included. The following officers were elected: Grace Fickas, president; Joe Alexander, vice president; Opal West, secretary-treasurer and Myrtle Nelson press reporter.

The first regular meeting was held at the home of Joe Alexander, Friday, February 18. The day in German conversation, games and songs, after which a delightful salad course was served.

The following members were present: Willie Ben Baldwin, Homer Thompson, Albert Read, Joe Alexander, Ella Pearl Wheat, Lois Quigley, Dixie Brewer, Grace Fickas, Miss Peele, Bess Norwood, Matilda Richardson, Bessie Barton and Myrtle Nelson.

The invited guests were: Misses Smith and Hollingsworth.

### At the Church of Christ.

Bible School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Morning subject: "The New Testament Church in Antitype". Evening theme: "How Many Churches Did Christ Build?"

Last Lord's Day services were well attended, with fine interest. One young man was baptized and two took membership.

O. M. Reynolds, Evangelist.

### C. E. Entertainment.

The C. E. Society of the First Christian church was entertained at the home of Elder S. H. Austin last Friday night, with a most enjoyable social party. After a pleasant social hour refreshments were served to the happy crowd of young people.

The Endeavorers are taking steps to re-organize the society and put it on a more practical working basis. It is hoped to perfect the meeting of the society. All young people of the city are cordially invited to co-operate with them. Elder Austin and his affable wife, propped themselves splendid hosts and the young people departed for their respective homes at a late hour after voting unanimously that the evening had been most pleasantly spent.

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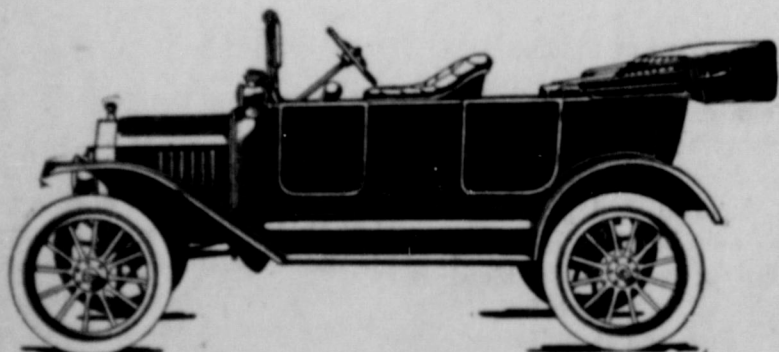
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### FROM THE PANHANDLE TO THE OZARKS IN A FORD.

Interesting Story Written by Memphis Young Lady While With Father and Mother on Trip.

Tuesday, July 7.

After spending a pleasant night on the cot and in the car, we started about five o'clock hoping to reach Hobart before noon.

We passed through the picturesque little town of Granite, which is built on and among quaint mountains, just at sun-rise. The rising sun made a beautiful background, for we were going east, and the mountains showed all the colors of the spectrum. The crops through that country were real good and seemed much further advanced than ours. We all took breakfast at Lone Wolf, and

Again started we left for Hobart, lost about forty-five minutes, which we reached about nine, having had good roads and seen pretty scenery and crops of harvested grain. We got some gasoline and further directions. Thro' that country we saw many Indians as the country seemed pretty well settled up with Indians, and there also we saw a pretty Indian mission called Rainy Mount Mission where they lived and are supported by the government. The country was indeed very fertile but it was very much misused and gone to waste as the Indians did not take care of it. Of course seeing, passing and coming in contact with these Indians was very interesting yet we were glad to get back to a more civilized country.

About eleven-thirty or twelve we came to a large old farm house on the cross road where we stopped to inquire directions. While there we got fresh water and bought some eggs for dinner. We also learned that Anadarko was our next town so we decided to reach there for dinner. The country around had become quite wasted and thinly settled, the crops were not so good but the roads pretty fair. We struck the paved streets of the pretty little town of Anadarko about twelve thirty and enjoyed an easy ride into town. The whole surroundings were quite attractive, the town being well shaded with large and stately trees, paved streets, and clean pretty green yards, surrounding many large and beautiful residences. Afterwards we remarked that Anadarko was the prettiest little town of the size we saw in Oklahoma.

After getting some gasoline and directions we made arrangements with Mr. Daniels to meet after dinner just outside of town on a certain street. A little way out of town we had dinner, fried eggs and ham which was the first hot meat we had cooked on the way so far.

When we had finished and gotten ready to start again we looked for Mr. Daniels' car but failed to find them. We drove around town some time and lost forty-five minutes or an hour all together waiting and looking for them, but failed to find them finally deciding to go without them, so we lost them for good. Again started alone we made the best of our time having lost quite a bit and it looked as tho' we were going to be

caught in a rain. The country around there was beautiful. Some woods could be seen but the land seemed fertile and crops were good, especially wheat, which was then being threshed in many fields. Further on we came to some pretty pasture land and saw herds of pretty cattle, all fat and hearty looking. The towns were scattered and riding seemed lonesome for a time, until we neared Chickasha, for then we began to meet some autos and were surely glad as the roads for miles had seemed quite deserted and desolate of autos. We were very much surprised on nearing Chickasha to find it quite a large and pretty city as our imagination had led us to believe it to be a much smaller town.

After riding around a bit and getting further directions we started on the road again, having given up all hopes of finding Mr. Daniels and folks. After we got out of the wooded country for miles we passed no towns few homes and no signs of civilization except the railroad occasionally. The grass land was plentiful and beautiful for a time until we neared Blanchard. On approaching the town we came to a group of men working on the road and stopped to inquire directions. The boss was a young man by the name of Mangum who seemed real polite and quite an interesting talker. He too owned a Ford and put in a few words of praise of the Ford as he saw we were in one. Papa assured him they were the only car and none can take the place of it for rough roads or traveling on a trip of any length. We soon reached the little town of Blanchard about seven o'clock and found that it was quite new as the streets were all cut up having just been laid off and buildings new and a number were just going up. We bought a few articles for supper and got fresh water and directions. Papa saw and spoke to a man whom he had known at Memphis several years ago.

We had begun to think we would not find a suitable place to camp for the night, for the woods were growing on us and the road being stumpy we could not make much progress. But finally we came to a pasture through which we had been directed to go and very much to our benefit it was quite an open country with only a few trees scattered about. We selected a lone tree near the road and stopped to spend the night. Papa and Marvin fixed the cots for bed time while mama and I cooked our first supper. Having brought a camp oven along we made biscuit, fried eggs, and ham. It was certainly enjoyed and relished by all as we had not had a hot meal for three days. I can't describe how cool and pleasant it was out in the open. Each of us decided it was delightfully cool and enjoyable.

Wednesday, July 8.

Rising early Wednesday morning and making some few preparations for the day, we got off about six-thirty, having to get to Oklahoma City for breakfast as we were only thirty-five miles from there. We stopped to inquire directions at a farm house and were directed by a woman to go a certain way to the bridge which was across the Canadian river. We later found out that she directed us to go the wrong road knowing nothing of the auto route, for we got into the deepest sand we experienced on the whole trip. The further we went the worse we got in the sand. We all abandoned the car and took to the job of making paths by scraping out the sand in front of the wheels and then Marvin would run it to about a yard and took to the same job, all the time replenishing the faithful engine of our little Ford. After about an hours work of this kind when the water was about given out, as well as we, we were rejoiced to see a man coming in a wagon driving a large pair of mules. Papa asked his assistance, which he gave, by tying our car to the wagon axle and making the mules pull us to the bridge, which they did with little or no effort, but for the use of which we paid their owner the sum of two dollars. Since we were then safe on hard ground we could enjoy the scenery about with ease. The treacherous stream, as it has been called, was then very muddy and seemed on a rise. The angry waters were too muddy to supply us with water for our thirsty engine.

Again making good headway about nine, we began nearing the city, for we were on the public highway and were following the main telephone line. Stopping at the first good place to get water that we saw, we ate some fruit and quenched our thirst with wholesome water as well as that of our engine. On nearing the city we got on a fine pike road and enjoyed riding as well as looking around at the sights. For a mile or more before reaching the main part of the city, the grounds were laid off in blocks and surrounded by cultivated trees and walks. We wound around the streets taking in the views, and at the same time looking for the main business part of the city in hopes of purchasing something to eat, as by this time, about ten o'clock, we had

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Co-operation in Many Parts  
of the New Republic.**

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**One With All Great Men.**

As he was at once with other men bred in the new, free spirit of the colonies. He sought to set himself over them with them, contributing to the struggle his military and experience, and his careful executive ability. His was the common good. For that his time and strength unstinted his all and withdrew only when government was so well established that it would not suffer from want.

Throughout his career the one thought was that he might partake in the midst of my fellow-citizens the benign influence of good laws and free government, the ever-constant object of my heart.

George Washington, although poor in wealth and position, although without the forms and ceremonies of the best sense a democrat, a man who sought the same privileges and opportunities for every one of his fellow-citizens which he enjoyed and which he offered his gifts and energies to

they might have them, he not contented freely his energies of his body, but he constantly exhorted his fellow-countrymen to prepare themselves for the high destiny of this country, first, by equipping an adequate force that frequently hung

on his hands; and, secondly, by properly safeguarding their rights after they had been won.

**Believed in Preparedness.**

Washington was an early and constant believer in national preparedness. George Washington received less education (in school) than most lads of poor parentage do today. He left school before he was 16 years old, and except in mathematics, in which he had advanced through geometry and trigonometry, his education did not extend beyond that which boys usually get in the grammar grades of the public schools. What he studied he knew, however, as his carefully kept note-books attest. He manifested a special attitude for surveying and for military affairs. This taste led to his having a royal midday's warrant, obtained for him when he was 14 years old, and only because of his mother's reluctance to have him go to England was he spared to fight for the colonies instead of becoming an officer in His Majesty's service.

He had been out of school only a few months when he got his first job, as a surveyor. It was a good one, too, for Lord Fairfax, having noted the lad's mental equipment and his intrepidity, gave him a commission to survey his wild acres in the Shenandoah Valley. So well did Washington accomplish the arduous task that he was made a public surveyor. Almost coincident with his entrance upon a private career young Washington identified himself with public interests. Fond of athletics and sports, as well as of military affairs, he joined the local militia, and when 19 years old was made Major.

When he was still in his twenties he won his first colonelcy in his gallant but disastrous first campaign against the French. It was there that he first tasted the bitter fruits of unpreparedness.

When Washington went to Philadelphia as a member of the Second Continental Congress he wore his provincial uniform, an instructive expression of his feelings in regard to the crisis that was to come—in its way a fulfillment of prophecy—for

during the session he was yut at the head of the irregular army, near Boston. He found that army not only without discipline and equipment, but without powder. Me who had enlisted only for a few months ran away. Washington ardently appealed to the Continental and Provincial Congress to provide for longer enlistments and an adequate system of recruitment.

**Fitted Out Fast Vessels.**

Such authority as he had he used with diligence and foresight. Under his orders a few fast vessels were fitted out and armed as privateers at the nearest safe ports. Marblehead volunteers in the army were put aboard them for crews, and the enemy's supplies, including much needed powder, were captured upon the seas and brought overland into the America camp.

After a long period of waiting the Americans were on Dorchester Heights and the British had evacuated Boston. Washington's keen sense told him that the die was now cast, that peace was impossible, and that England would speedily pour forth reinforcements to "reduce the colony to a proper sense of its duty."

Conservative and aristocratic as he was classed, Washington now favored the Radicals, who sought to break with the home Government and set up their own. "I have never entertained the idea of an accommodation," he said, "since I heard of the measures which were adopted in consequence of the Bunker Hill fight."

His staunch attitude was maintained in the midst of disheartening experiences, not only with the enemy in the field, but with trouble-makers in his own camp. "I know the unhappy predicament in which I stand," he wrote; "I know that much is expected of me; I know that, without men, without arms, without ammunition, without anything fit for the accommodation of a soldier, little is to be done, and, what is mortifying, I know that I can not stand justified to the world without exposing my own weakness and injuring the cause by declaring my wants. My situation has been such that I have had to use art to conceal it even from my officers."

Jealousies hampered him so sorely that he sternly proclaimed: "The General most earnestly entreats the officers and soldiers to consider consequences; that we can no

way asset our enemies more than by making divisions among ourselves; that the honor and success of the army and the safety of our bleeding country depend upon harmony and good agreement with each other; that the provinces are all united to oppose the common enemy and all distinctions in the name of America.

"To make this name honorable and to preserve the liberty of our country ought to be our only emulation, and he will be the best soldier and the best patriot who contributes most to this glorious work, whatever his station or from whatever part of the country he may come. Let all distinction of Nations, countries and provinces thereof be lost in the generous contest who shall behave with the most courage toward the enemy and the most kindness and good humor to each other.

"If any be so lost to virtue and love of country as to continue in such practice after this order, they will be severely punished and discharged from the service in disgrace."

After the disastrous battle of Long Island, Washington "once more took the liberty of mentioning to Congress that no dependence could be put in a militia or other troops than those enlisted and embodied for a longer period than our regulations have heretofore prescribed.

"Our liberties must of necessity be greatly hazarded, if not entirely lost, if their defense is left to any but a permanent standing army. I mean one to exist during war. Men who have been free and subjected to no control can not be reduced to order in an instant.

"There is no situation on earth less enviable or more distressing," continued Washington, "than that person who is at the head of troops regardless of order and discipline and unprovided with almost every necessity. The difficulties that have surrounded me since I have been in the service have kept my mind constantly upon the stretch; the wounds which my feelings as an officer have received by a thousand things that have happened contrary to my expectations and wishes; the effect of my own conduct and present appearance of things so little pleasing to myself as to render it a matter of no surprise to me if I should stand capitally censured by Congress \* \* \* induce a thorough conviction in my mind that

it will be impossible, unless there is a thorough change in our military system, for me to conduct matters to give satisfaction to the public, which is all the recompense I am at or ever wish for."

**Sections Hampered Washington**

This unhappy state of things was almost wholly due to the feeling manifested in several sections of the country, persisted in to the hampering of Washington's campaign and to the detriment of the cause. Congress was finally prevailed upon by Washington's representations and the tardily drawing consciousness that war was inevitable, and that, being so, unpreparedness means calamity. On December 29, 1776, he wrote to the President of Congress:

"Short enlistments and a mistaken dependence upon our militia have been the origin of all our misfortunes and the great accumulation of our debt. \* \* \* I beg leave to give it as my humble opinion that eighty-eight battalions are by no means equal to the opposition you are to make, and that not a moment's time is to be lost in raising a greater number, not less, in my opinion and that of my officers, than 110. \* \* \* In my judgment, this is not a time to stand upon expense; our funds are not the only object of consideration. \* \* \* I may be thought that I am going a good deal out of my line of duty to advise thus freely. A character to lose, an estate to forfeit, the inestimable blessings of liberty at stake and a life devoted must be my excuse."

**Welcomed Co-operation.**

Far from holding himself aloof and wanting to keep all power in his own hands, Washington welcomed co-operation. After he had been invested with the dictatorial powers necessitated by the emergency of public affairs, the Council of Safety of New York apologized for certain measures it had taken in regard to New York troops, which were later discovered to have been an infringement on his authority. Washington replied:

"I should be unhappy in the belief that any part of my letter to you could be construed into the slightest hint that you wish to interfere in the military line. Heaven knows that I greatly want the aid of every good man, and pleasures attending my situation as to make me too jealous of its prerogatives. Rather than complain of your late efforts in the military way, you

deserve the thanks of us all, and I feel myself happy in this opportunity of returning you mine in the greatest truth and sincerity."

At Valley Forge, where Washington's troops were almost naked, had few blankets and scanty food, he was moved to resentment against "the gentlemen, without knowing whether the army was really going into winter quarters or not, reprobating the measure as much as if they thought the soldiers were made of steels and stones and equally insensible of frost and snow, and, moreover, as if they conceived it easily practicable for an inferior army, under the disadvantages I have described ours, to be to confine a superior one, in all respects well appointed, within the city of Philadelphia, and to cover from depredation and waste the States of Pennsylvania and New Jersey. \* \* \* I can assure the gentlemen that it is a much easier and less distressing thing to draw up resolutions in a comfortable room by a good fireside than to occupy a cold, bleak hill and sleep under frost and snow, without clothes or blankets. However, although they seem to have little feeling for the naked and distressed soldiers, I feel superabundantly for them, and from my soul I pity those miseries which it is neither in my power to relieve nor prevent."

**The Cost of Unpreparedness.**

Lack of preparedness cost the United States thousands of men and many millions of money in getting ready for fighting, when the war with Spain broke out. The suddenness with which this war developed should be a lesson also, showing the importance of being prepared before such contingency may arise. The explosion which wrecked the Maine fired the train which plunged the country into war almost before the people had time to catch their breath. And, as President Wilson has pointed out, the loss of any American ship upon the seas today if sent to the bottom by a foreign torpedo, might cause the country to go to war again with equal suddenness. It was costly enough to prepare to fight Spain, so greatly inferior in military strength, and the delay in getting ready for this war was humiliation enough. If we should be thrown into war with real power, our state of unpreparedness would give the country a staggering blow.—*Brownsville Herald.*



# A CARLOAD OF NEW GOODS

We are this week receiving more than a car load of new spring goods, new clothing, new shoes and oxfords, new high boots, new dress goods, new laces--embroideries, waists, ties, shirts, caps, and hats.

All kinds of merchandise is advancing rapidly. There has been a big advance within the last few weeks.

There are several reasons for this, these two are the principal ones.

FIRST: An extreme scarcity of dyes and bleaching materials of all kinds, practically all of which are made in Germany.

SECOND: Every principal market in the United States is full of buyers from South America, Central America, Mexico, Canada and some of the European countries. The factory output of the United States for the past two years has made only a very small increase--our demand for goods occasioned by an increased prosperity at home and by buyers from foreign countries who have been supplied by Europe in the past, has increased more than fifty per cent.

## When Goods are Scarce and Buyers are Plentiful--what occurs--Prices Soar

Fortunately for us and our customers we placed large orders last fall for spring goods and are now receiving them and we have enough goods on hand to take care of our trade until June--after that time unless conditions change, prices will have to be advanced.

### TO ILLUSTRATE:

We have a good stock of American prints today and are selling them at 5c--to replace these today would cost us 6 1-2c and freight.

Cotton checks, a good one, to buy today will cost 5 3-4c. We are selling them at 5c.

Peperell sheeting today will cost us exactly what we are selling them for and we would have to pay the freight.

We can not replace our full cut work shirts today for less than we are retailing them for to our customers.

We are selling a good fast col-

or Eastern Gingham today at 10c. When this lot is gone we can't get any more to sell for less than 12 1-2 cents.

Woolen dress goods in serges and similiar weaves that we are today selling at 50c, cost more than that at wholesale.

We are telling you this so that you may understand conditions and protect yourself: We have enough goods on hand to take care of you at our old prices until June--after that, unless conditions change, we will simply have to advance prices.

**WE EARNESTLY ADVISE YOU TO BUY SPRING GOODS OF ALL KINDS EARLY AND STAPLE GOODS ENOUGH TO LAST YOU THIS YEAR TAKE OUR ADVICE NOW--You will see the wisdom of it later.**

# GREENE DRY GOODS CO.

Memphis

"THE BIG DAYLIGHT STORE"

Texas

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Democrat is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 22, 1916, unless otherwise stated:

For Tax Assessor--  
A. G. POWELL  
R. E. PAINTER  
F. A. HUDGINS

For Treasurer--  
J. M. (JIMMIE) WILLBORN

For County Attorney  
SAM J. HAMILTON--Re-election.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector  
W. L. WHEAT  
J. E. KING

District and County Clerk  
MISS FRANCES ROBERTS

For County Judge  
S. G. ALEXANDER

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct Number 1.  
R. E. STAFFORD

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1  
T. M. McMURRY

We note that Judge C. R. Buchanan of Scurry county has entered the race for representative from the 28th district.

If cleanliness is next to Godliness then some of the people in this burg are a long ways from the pearly gates. Clean up and make sure of a stand-n with St. Peter.

The daily press reports that the Russians have captured Mush, a town in Asiatic Turkey. Now if they can cut the unspeakable Turks off from their milk supply it will most effectively put a crimp on the rascals.

From the numerous interviews and straw votes being taken in various parts of the state, it is quite evident that the people of Texas is thoroughly in accord with President Wilson in his preparedness program. No effort has been put forth to influence the people and they have only been asked to answer yes or no to the direct question.

The people of Beaumont are liberally signing a petition to Congressman Martin Dies, in which they are asking him to change his views on the subject of preparedness and his fight against President Wilson in this particular point. Of course if Congressman Dies looks at the matter as having a great principle involved he could not conscientiously withdraw his opposition in but one way, and

that would be to resign. At the same time he is supposed to be a representative of the people of a certain district and they have an equal right to object when not being represented in accordance with their wishes.

The newspaper is a business institution, but a greater factor in the up-building of the community than other institutions, although it may not handle the amount of cash that some of them do. It often deserves more than it gets, for the reason that it gives more than value received. Get rid of the idea says the Bonham Favorite, that when you hand the editor a dollar, you are helping him alone. You are helping the editor, but you are also helping yourself as much or more than you are him, for you are getting more than value received for your money. You are supporting a business enterprise that labors diligently day by day for the social, intellectual and commer-

cial advancement of yourself and every other citizen of the community. And no other business enterprise can speak louder or more to the point.--Greenville Banner.

Dial has everything in the feed line. Horse feed, cow feed, hog feed and chicken feed.

COAL! COAL! COAL! Yes, we have any grade you want. At prices to compete with any of them. Woolridge Lumber Co. 28-1fc.

Don't forget that we will handle your cream this spring and summer. The present price 28c. Smithee Grocery Co. 33tf

Two furnished rooms for rent, telephone 77 or apply to Mrs. J. J. Walker. 34-1tc

If you grow peas, beans, peanuts and other legumes in a garden or field

on rich or poor land by all means use Farmogerm for best results. It is cheap and certain. Literature free. Ellagene Farm, Aldine, Texas. 34-3mc

For courteous treatment, prompt service and good values, buy your entables from Dowell & Howard. Phone 147. 33tf

If you cannot get seeds you wish write us and we may be able to supply you at reasonable rates. Tell us your seed wants as well as Farmogerm. Ellagene Farm, Aldine, Texas 34-3mc.

If your chickens are diseased, call on W. L. Wheat for Pratt's Roup Cholera and White Diarrhoea Remedy. 52-tf

Eastman Kodaks and Kodak supplies of all kinds at Wherry's the Jeweler. 33tf

The COAL bins at the W. L. Wheat Lumber Co. are heaping over with the best and cheapest coal in the city. Try an order and be convinced.

W. L. Wheat is in the market with all kinds of headed grains.

Read The Democrat. W. L. Wheat is in the market with all kinds of headed grains.

A large shipment of new hats for men just this week received. Greene-Dry Goods 35-1tc

The European war is causing a fertilizer famine in America. Count of the shortage of "The fertilizer manufacturer" in the air; the farmer is in a better use Farmogerm to save money and make more. Ellagene Farm, Aldine, Texas

## CHILDREN

WILL BE YOUNG BUT ONCE--PRESERVE THAT CHILDISH EXPRESSION TODAY.

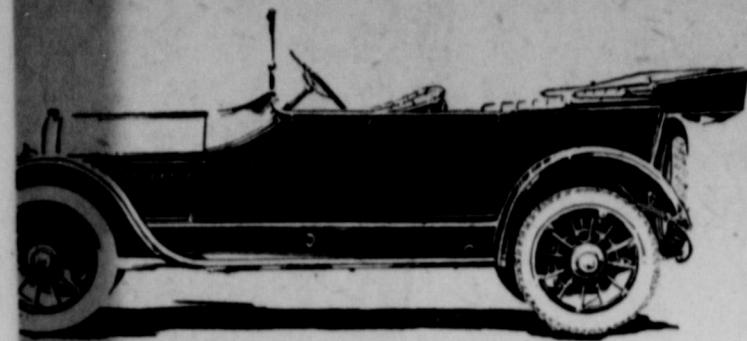
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# THE MARION SIX...



Is an easy car to drive. The Gemmer steering control—the perfect balance of the car—the low center of gravity makes the car hold the road perfectly—even at high speed. The powerful high speed 56-horse power motor gives unlimited power. The car will climb practically any hill easily on high. You don't have to be constantly shifting gears.

We'll be glad to show you.

Price is **1,165.00**  
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**Greene Bros., Motor Sales Co.**  
MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

Bond W. Johnson was down from Hedley Tuesday looking after business interests here.

Why waste your time churning when you can get 28c for cream? Smithee Grocery Co. 35-1fe

Miss Gladys Trueblood departed last Thursday for Temple where she will teach school.

Fresh Butternut Bread. Have you tried it? Smithee Grocery Co. 35-1fe.

Hon. Marvin Jones of Amarillo was in the city Wednesday in the interest of his candidacy for Congress. He made the Democrat office a pleasant call while here.

We are showing some very attractive values in new spring shirt waists and skirts. Greene Dry Goods Co. 35-1te

V. R. Jones came in from Denison last Saturday to visit his family a few days. He is arranging to move his family to Denison in the near future and make his home in that city permanently.

Mrs. C. M. Martin has the thanks of the Democrat force for a plate of hot gingerbread Wednesday. It was a nice treat.

S. I. Byers left for Cleburne Wednesday in response to a telegram that his mother was lying at the point of death. We trust he may find her better when he reaches the bedside.

Lonnie Edmonson received a telegram from C. L. Sloan Tuesday evening from Baltimore stating that his mother, Mrs. Edmonson was very low and expected to survive but a short time.

H. J. Rice has sold his residence in north-west Memphis to L. McMillan, and will build a neat modern residence as son as he can secure a suitable location.

A. D. Crow, a prominent old-time citizen of Estelline, was in the city last Saturday transacting business and shaking hands with friends.

Read the Greene Dry Goods Co. ad in this issue with reference to advancing prices on dry goods—it will mean money to you. 35-1te

W. M. Stout's new residence is now in the hands of the painters. When it is completed he will have one of the handsomest and most comfortable homes in the city. \*

M. T. Hutcherson, a former citizen of Hall county up to about 12 years ago, is here this week from Aspermont visiting his son, R. A. Hutcherson and daughter, Miss Julia. His many old friends were glad to see him again.

Ewell Noel has been making some substantial improvements his home on west Noel street this week. A force of men have been terracing, grading, planting trees, building sidewalks, etc. He will have one of the most attractive homes in the city.

W. C. Milam went to Dallas Saturday returning home the first of the week. He made the return trip in a new car and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Browder and Mrs. M. L. Kelley who had been to Dallas to attend the wedding of Emory Sager and Miss Irene Kelley of this city.

The ladies of the Baptist church surprised Mrs. R. C. Walker Tuesday evening with a stork shower. Mrs. Walker was the recipient of many appropriate and useful articles and the occasion was a most pleasant one for both hostess and guests.

Don't neglect to read the Greene Dry Goods Co. display ad in this issue—it will mean several dollars to you. 35-1te

That injunction to love your neighbor as yourself, means the neighbor in trouble as well as the other who has a big autooble.

# Last <sup>TO JOIN</sup> OUR <sup>Call</sup> Christmas Banking Club

It Costs Nothing To Join Our **CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB** Now and Have

## MONEY

In the bank next Christmas come in—we will tell you how to do it

### OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB

Is the best way for men and women, boys and girls and little folks, to save and HAVE money.

Pick out the Club you want to join and come into our BANK.

We will do the rest.

### EVERY MAN SHOULD JOIN

And also see that his wife and children are also members.

It is the easiest and most attractive plan for saving money ever devised.

Come in and let us tell you about it.

What club do YOU want to join?

### What The Different Clubs Will Pay You

<b>1 CENT CLUB</b> 1st Week.....1 Cent 2nd Week.....2 Cents 3rd Week.....3 Cents <b>Increase Every Week By One Cent Total in 50 Weeks \$12.75</b>	<b>2 CENT CLUB</b> 1st Week.....2 Cents 2nd Week.....4 Cents 3rd Week.....6 Cents <b>Increase Every Week By 2 Cents Total in 50 Weeks \$25.50</b>
<b>5 CENT CLUB</b> 1st Week.....5 Cents 2nd Week.....10 Cents 3rd Week.....15 Cents <b>Increase Every Week By 5 Cents Total in 50 Weeks \$63.75</b>	<b>10 CENT CLUB</b> 1st Week.....10 Cents 2nd Week.....20 Cents 3rd Week.....30 Cents <b>Increase Every Week By 10 Cents Total in 50 Weeks \$127.50</b>
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### OUR CLUB IS FOR EVERYONE

The Christmas Banking Club was planned so that all could join, by having Clubs for everyone; those of small means; those of moderate means and also the wealthy, and we will welcome your account no matter what Club you join.

Every parent wants to teach their children to save money. It is one of the best habits any child can have, and it can be done best by putting them into Christmas Banking Clubs where they save and bank a specified sum each week.

Come in and join today.

### MAKE A START TODAY

It is easy to join the Club. Just decide which Club you want to join; 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1.00 or more and come into our Bank with the first payment. We will make you a member of the Christmas Banking Club and give you a Bank Book.

We do the rest.

It costs nothing to join. It is the easy way to save and HAVE Money.

# CITIZENS STATE BANK

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**COMING!**  
**TUESDAY, FEB., 29th**  
**ONE NIGHT ONLY**

LEE & FOGG'S BIG MUSICAL REVIEW  
**Midnight Romance'**

5 **PEOPLE** 25  
90 PER CENT GIRLS

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Special Scenery Elaborate Costumes

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TICKETS NOW SELLING

### PARSON CAN'T DO IT.

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**YOU SHOULD HELP**  
le load. The Sunday ds your help, the church ur help, and if you are ember you will

**IN LINE TO-DAY**  
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**SUNDAY MORNING SUNDAY SCHOOL NEEDS YOU**  
Church 10th and Main

**Osteopath.**  
th—Dr. W. H. Ballew of American School of y at Kirksville, Mo. Of s. Spradlings. 35-2tc

We are in the market for cream Smithee Grocery Co. 35-1f

D. A. Grundy returned to Waco Tuesday to be with his family for a time. He said he did not know just when he would return to Memphis.

Read The Democrat.

black purse, with twen-lars in it two tens and ar bill and some small id a postoffice key, be-postoffice and Mrs. Jno. funder will receive a returning to Lucile Green Dry Goods Co.



The Home Circle Column  
PLEASANT EVENING REVERIES

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

Crude Thoughts From The Editorial Pen

**Our Pledge.**  
The family pledge hung on the wall,  
And on it you could see  
The names of mamma and Mary Jane,  
And Charley—that is me.  
We did not dare to ask papa  
To write upon it, too,  
So left a place for him to fill—  
'Twas all we dared to do.  
He saw our pledge as soon as he  
Came in the door that night,  
And when we saw him read it  
It put us in a fright.  
He did not say a word to us  
About the pledge at all,  
But oft we saw him look at it  
Hanging upon the wall.  
And every night when he came home  
He stood and read it through;  
We all kept still about its words,  
Although we knew them through.  
Four weeks passed and then one night,  
When pa came home to tea,  
He took the pledge down from its nail  
And then turned to me,  
"Go get the pen and ink, my boy,  
And let me fill that space,  
It looks so bare," he slowly said,  
A queer look on his face.  
And then mamma sat down and cried,  
(She said it was for joy)  
And Mary Jane, she cried some, too,  
I did not—I'm a boy!  
And papa said he did not drink  
Since that first night when we  
Had hung that pledge upon the wall  
Where he our names could see.  
And ever since that space was filled,  
Mamma said so tonight,  
Though dark may be our little room  
One corner's always bright.

The past year has been one of bloodshed and carnage. In all part of the world men, women and innocent children have been murdered by the tens of thousands, but yet Christianity is advancing, is rolling on and it is going to warm the hearts of all nations and all nations will bask in its light. Men may shut the window blinds so they cannot see it, or they may smoke the pipe of speculation until they are shadowed under their own vaporing; but the white light of the gospel made up of all the beautiful colors of earth and heaven, violet plucked from amid the spring grass, the indigo of the southern jungles, the blue of the skies, the green of the foliage and the yellow of the autumnal woods, the orange of the southern groves and the red of the sunset, all the beauties of earth and heaven are combining to keep the ball of Christianity rolling. Great Britain is going to lead all Europe to the foot of the cross; the United States is going to bring all America to God; these two great countries will combine and take Asia for God and then the three with their combined strength will bring Africa into the fold and the world will be redeemed. The good homes of our land are the little yeast-cakes that keep the moral influences working. Infidelity and atheism are receiving their death blow from clubs in the hands of the good mothers of our land.

Young man! Young woman! Don't let your lives be failures. Make the best of what God has given you. Let your gratitude to Him for life and its noble endowments, be exerted in a full devotion of will, and thought, and strength to whatever work He brings

In His wise providence to your hand. And remember, that it is only good and useful work that He provides. Shun evil work—work that harms your neighbor in any way, as you would shun the deadliest thing. No true success ever comes from evil work. It may bring a harvest of golden apples and purple grapes; but the apples will be like those of Sodom, full of bitter ashes and grapes sour.

The grandest luxury God ever gave man is health. He who trades that off for all the palaces of the earth is cheated. Many have envied Napoleon, but he would gladly have given all his honors to have been freed from the gout. A dinner of herbs tasted better to the appetite sharpened on a woodman's ax or a scythe, than wealthy indigestion experiences seated at a table covered with venison and all the luxuries of the season. With good health we can sleep sweetly on a straw mattress, while fashionable invalids get but little rest on a couch of eagle's down. Let us remember Paul's advice to the Hebrews and if we have health in all other respect "Be content with such things as ye have."

It is so easy to criticize one's neighbor who has gone wrong in morals, or made a failure in business, and so hard to give credit for the effect of the influences impelling him to disaster, over which he has no control, that our criticism of others is often very uncharitable. Men often say how good they would have been, or what they would have accomplished had they been in the other man's place. They do not stop to ask why the fellow that was in the other shoes did not succeed. If they did they would often find the man who went wrong, or who failed, was entitled to great credit for standing up so bravely under forces and burdens that might easily have overthrown his accusers. Sometimes the man who fails is a greater hero than another who wins.

GEORGE W. FAIRCHILD.

Congressman Succeeded Payne on Ways and Means Committee.



SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson IX.—First Quarter, For Feb. 27, 1916.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Acts vi, 1-7—Memory Verses, 2, 3—Golden Text, Gal. vi, 2—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Increase of numbers, even in ordinary church membership, does not always tend to increase or even continuance of peace, especially if it means pleasing more people, as is often the case, though it should not be so. Pleasing people is not the business of the preacher or the session or the vestry or the committee; not pleasing men, but God, like the apostles in the last lesson. In our lesson, while the number of the disciples was multiplied, troubles multiplied also, for some were neglected or felt that they were in the daily ministrations. Today some people are not happy if they think the pastor seems to neglect them in his pastoral calls or in not noticing them after church or on the street, and no committee can rectify this.

The twelve decided, wisely or unwisely, certainly for their own comfort, that they could not attend to this business of serving tables, but must continue to give themselves to prayer and Bible study and teaching the Word. When compared with some other lines of service that of prayer and teaching would be to many a delightful preference, but ordinary service must be attended to also and often requires more grace. The preacher's wife may need more grace and patience for the housekeeping than he does for the preaching, but any kind of service needs a special anointing of the Holy Spirit.

A committee of seven Spirit filled men of honest report was chosen for this special ministry, the first two of whom we shall become better acquainted with as we go on in our studies. Stephen, the first of the seven, occupies the prominent place in this chapter and the next, while Philip is the most prominent in chapter viii. We do not hear of Peter again until chapter viii, 14, and that is the last mention of John in the Acts except in xii, 2, where he is mentioned as the brother of James, who was killed with the sword. It is possible that some others may have wished that they had been among those chosen as apostles but here are two of seven seemingly ordinary men honored above some of the apostles. It is well to remember that the Spirit gives to every one severally as He will and to be content to fill any place by its service small or great.

It is written of Stephen that he was a man full of faith and of the Holy Ghost, full of faith and power; that he did great wonders and miracles among the people, and they were unable to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake (verses 5, 8, 10); also that by the word of God the number of the disciples in Jerusalem multiplied greatly, and a great company of the priests were obedient to the faith (verse 7). In chapter v, 24 we heard the high priest and other wondering where unto this movement would grow, and we still see it growing even unto this our day, but it does look as if we had now come almost to the completion of the growth of His body, the church. The one thing to do is to be full of faith and the power of the Spirit and faithfully and fearlessly witness unto Him and His salvation and His coming again until we are called out of the body or up to the air to meet Him. The power of Stephen in overcoming those who disputed with him (verse 10) was in accordance with our Lord's assurance in Luke xxi, 15 "I will give you a power and wisdom which all your adversaries shall not be able to gainsay nor resist."

This and similar assurances, such as Ex. iv, 12; Jer. i, 7-9; John xiv, 12, 14 xv, 7, are all for us today if we will stand for Him as Stephen did, for His eyes are still looking for hearts that are whole toward Him, that He may hold strongly with them (11 Chron. xvi, 9, margin). If we stand for Him and with Him, as Peter and John and Stephen did, we must expect to know something of the hatred of the adversary as they did, for we cannot know the power of His resurrection without knowing also the fellowship of His sufferings (Phil. iii, 10). Those who could not gainsay nor resist the truth of God in the power of the Spirit by the mouth of Stephen could hire men to falsely accuse Stephen and make him out a liar and a dangerous man to be about.

That is one of the wiles of the devil which he has practiced so long that he is very skillful in it. He tried it even upon our Lord Himself, and we cannot hope to escape, for as the Lord Jesus was persecuted, so must His followers expect to be (John xv, 20). To these false accusations before the council we do not read that Stephen made any reply (verses 11-14). Like David and like the Lord Jesus, he was dumb before them (Ps. xxxviii, 13; xxxix, 1, 2; Matt. xxvi, 63; xxviii, 12, 14). It is a great victory when one can keep his mouth and his tongue at such a time or at any time (Prov. xxi, 23). Although Stephen was outwardly in the presence of the council, his heart was in the presence of God, and it was seen in his face (verse 15). God was watching over His word and blessing it to the salvation of many, including a great company of the people.

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Literature of war times will henceforth enroll as immortal the number "42". In 1836 forty-two Irishmen, commanded by Lieutenant Dick Dowling, at Sabine Pass, Texas, captured two Federal gunboats with all their men, about 300, Dowling and his men having only small shotguns and old second-hand muskets, and shovels, etc. They captured and used the guns of the Federals on themselves, marching them, in humiliated amazement, into the Confederate lines without the loss of a man on either side. In 1916 forty-two Germans, commanded by Lieutenant Berger, captured the big British liner Appam with her English crew of 155 men, besides more than 150 English passengers, together with about forty German prisoners. And these forty-two Germans sailed the Appam across the ocean, past England's fleet and into the American port, to the humiliation and amazement of that army of Englishmen on board who were captured with out the loss of a man, and with no more arms to speak of than had Dick Dowling and his famous Irishmen in

1836. "History repeats itself never was before anything thrilling events. Hurrah for neutral, we will say heroes!—Arlington Journal

Will Conduct Tracing

Prof. J. C. Osley, of the neering Department of the College, and County Agent, of Clarendon, will Monday, February 28, as days we will conduct a tracing in this county. Interested in having the traced should at once notify an arrange an itinerary able to utilize the three best possible advantage, to be out when you call Commercial Secretary A. Yours for success Will M. Midkiff, Comm

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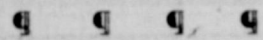
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### STATES OFFICERS CAPTURE GERMAN SPY

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York, Feb. 19.—Ignatius T. the self-confessed German spy who escaped several weeks ago deputy federal marshal in New York, was arrested at 39th and 5th today by agents of the Dept. of Justice. He was returned to the custody of the marshal, and held in the Raymond street Brooklyn. According to a dispatch, the Department will return him to England as soon as possible. No charges have been filed against him in this country. He declared that after his escape on January 15th he was disguised as a New Jersey farmer, and made frequent trips to New York. He said his capture was due to the fact that the proprietor of the house here learned his identity and attempted to extort \$250 in cash for the surrender of his baggage.

"I never would have run away from the American government if I had been aware of the attempts of the British to persecute me, and had I known of the attempt."

It is believed that politics were in his mind. Lincoln was in Austria. His name was changed until he went to England where he was ordained as an Anglican minister. He later became a member of the House of Commons and was intimate with the late minister. After the war he wrote of his

exploits as a spy. His arrest was requested by the British government on the charge that he forged notes of exchange.

### School Appropriation Nearly All Expended.

Austin, Feb. 18.—The state board of education has now appropriated \$459,000 out of the \$500,000 appropriated for this fiscal year under the governor's \$1,000,000 rural school law, and there are more than a sufficient number of applications on hand to consume the remaining \$41,000. Nearly 1,200 rural schools have been granted state aid through this appropriation.

The board also has exhausted the \$50,000 appropriation made for the aid of high schools in the teaching of agriculture, manual training and domestic science. High schools situated at the following points were extended state aid under this appropriation at the meeting of the board yesterday: Banna, Childress, Corrigan, North Ft. Worth, Dilley, Farwell, Floresville, Hereford, Kingsville, Livingston, Long Beach, Scranton, Waelder, Alpine, Bay City, and Sweetwater and conditionally to the I. O. O. F. Home at Corsicana, Ozlesbee, Mineola and West.

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## FROM THE PANHANDLE TO THE OZARKS IN A FORD

(Continued from page two.)

grown quite hungry. We remained in the city some thirty minutes where we got a supply of gasoline and further directions concerning our way to Chandler, to which place we were then headed. We also bought us a little breakfast which we stopped a few miles away from the city to eat, after seeing all the city we could without getting off our road. It might be said here that we noticed that the streets of Oklahoma City are very narrow, so much so that vehicles became so crowded that there was hardly passing room along a few main streets. We enjoyed seeing quite a number of large and beautiful buildings and in all the surroundings showed them to be quite a rustling and enterprising people.

While eating our eleven o'clock breakfast, as before mentioned, a car of travelers overtook us whom we learned to be a family moving from Vernonia to some little Oklahoma town. The name of the fellow-travelers, we learned, was Day, and they proved to be very beneficial to us in a time of trouble concerning which will be related later. We noticed that the crops along that country were very poor and only occasionally could be seen a match to our Hall county crops left behind. The trees, too, were growing denser and such forests and thickets that we did not admire because of so much underbrush, but to our disappointment we later found that most of the scenery was made up of such.

We had not traveled so very many miles with our new companions until we were misdirected and led into strange country as well as circumstances. The first thing that led us to believe we were off our road was an old rickety bridge that looked as though it had never seen a respectable looking buggy much less an automobile. We fairly held our breath while crossing it, but learned a little later that we might have breathed on for the good it did, as we soon found ourselves following up a wagon trail into the densest of woods, with the axle of the car dragging the ground having such "high middles". We were compelled to stop every few yards and papa used his shovel in preparing the road for the car. After creeping along at such a rate for a time we started down a terrible steep, rocky hill. It was impossible to hold the car back against such rocks and while in such a strain in guiding and twisting and creeping, we suddenly found ourselves as well as the car nearly lying parallel side ways to the ground. Screaming and scared in an inch of our lives, papa stopped the engine and we "tumbled" out as quickly as we could, and so weak we could hardly stand. The extreme twisting in trying to guide had caused the rod of the steering wheel to be bent and when papa meant to guide it a little the wheel went too far and ran upon a six foot bank and was from under papa's control. With the help of our abled fellow-travelers we were at last in the middle of the road at least and winding our way through trees so dense that there was no chance to turn round, dangerous to back, and altogether we were at a loss to know what to do! Coming to a little clearing we saw at a short distance a man in his "little patch", as they had no field in such country, and asked him concerning the road and the next town. Poor lost wanderers that we were, we were unable to learn any thing from the man as he was not capable of speaking nor understanding English, so we were at a loss to know where to go or what to do. Papa and Mr. Day left us in the cars and walked on a little way until they found a little clearing in the woods where we managed to get our cars turned around and headed for the bad roads again over which we had just passed in hopes of finding our lost road. On climbing the terrible hill where we had fortunately escaped with our lives, our little Ford refused to follow Mr. Day's Overland. Therefore we all got out and proceeded to assist in pushing and dragging it up, which we finally did with the aid of a block and tackle.

**"I Love You."**  
Very interesting are the phrases used by the various people of the world to express "I love you." Wherever there are human beings declarations of love are made, and there are a thousand languages in which the tender passion may be expressed. The Chinese say "Uo ugal ni," the Armenian expresses his love with "Se siren as hex," the Arab is content with the short "Ne habbek," while the Turk murmurs "Sidi seveorum." In India "Main syne ka pisar karim" is the declaration. But the Greenlander holds the palm for the word love. When he does not stammer it has fifteen syllables and has been recorded phonetically thus: "Unifgraerndialnerfronajunguarrig-ujak!"

**An Ancient Guild.**  
The Cutlers' company had probably existed long before the grant of the first charter by Henry V. Early in the previous century a fierce quarrel is recorded between the Cutlers and the Sheathers, who were accused of having discredited the Cutlers by supplying them with unworkmanlike sheaths for knives, daggers and swords, to which the Sheathers cruelly retorted that the Cutlers disgraced the sheaths by selling inferior foreign blades for English.—London Spectator.

**Cyprus.**  
Cyprus was an extremely popular resort for Britshers for a year or so after the announcement, in 1878, that it had become a British protectorate, but as the coast could not provide harbors to compete with those of Malta the vogue of the island receded as quickly as it had sprung up.—London Globe

**Worms Used in Medicine.**  
The earthworm, or the common fish worm, was utilized by the medical practitioners in Europe two and three hundred years ago. The worms were for internal administration and some times made into an ointment or embrocation for external use.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

**Marengo.**  
In the battle of Marengo 38,000 men participated, and of that number 13,000 were killed or wounded, about 22 per cent. Napoleon thought Marengo his greatest victory. He always kept throughout life the uniform he wore on that day.

**Information Wanted.**  
Most of the stock phrases of every day life are intelligible to us, and we know a lot, but we wish somebody would tell us what a little is.—Columbis State.

Life without pursuit is a vague and languid thing.—Bacon.

(To Be Continued Next Week.)

## ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF A CITIZEN DEFINED.

More Efficient Citizenship Suggested as Remedy.

(Editor's Note.—The following is the first of a series of articles by J. S. Cullinan, of the Texas Economic League, on the Administration of Justice, to which subject the League is now addressing itself.)

By J. S. Cullinan.

The Texas Economic League in holding for discussion the subject "Administration of Justice," brings to the attention of the public a question of community, state, nation and world-wide importance. The Declaration of Principles adopted by the League sets forth that the ills which we are now suffering are due in a large measure to the incompetent application of law, the faulty administration of justice and to indifference on the part of citizens to the welfare of society, and the League is pledged to acquaint the people of Texas with the causes that have contributed toward defeating justice and promoting injustice, and to a study of the fundamental principles of modern civilization, and it is to this task that the League now addresses itself.

As a citizen, I want, in a measure, to plead guilty to the charge of indifference to the public welfare, for, in common with many men in my class, I have not always performed my full duty as a citizen, but as a member of the League, I am endeavoring to atone for my sins of omission by giving such time and ability as I am able to devote to a study of public affairs. I invite others who may feel remorse of conscience, or who, for any reason, have a desire to become more efficient citizens and help others to do likewise, to join the League and become identified with an organized effort of "preparedness" for citizenship.

The Administration of Justice is the heart and soul of government. It is there that the citizen comes in contact with his government and hears an interpretation of the Bill of Rights and the Constitution of the United States, which is the citizen's contract with government for life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. To those who may feel that this subject is not one of pressing importance, I want to say that no matter what Sherman said about war, in my opinion we are reaching a point where PEACE IS HELL, and I believe that most of the active and responsible members of society in this state will join me in this conclusion. When government reaches a point where to enjoy liberty one must become a tramp, and to be free one must seek the habitat of a savage, then the citizen is justified in demanding a cancellation of his contract with government.

It is my conception of our government that its mission is to increase liberty and expand freedom, and it is not only the privilege, but the duty, of the citizens to challenge any act of government that interferes with these ends. In the Constitution, the citizen has a written agreement with government for liberty, freedom and justice, and he is sole authority on what constitutes liberty, freedom and justice; our government contracts to preserve, safeguard and administer them.

I am not one of those who believe that this subject is wholly a legal question. I consider the legal profession, more than any other class, responsible for the present state of affairs, for the pathway to justice is lined with lawyers, and liberty cannot be taken from the people without the consent of the Judiciary, composed wholly of lawyers. In order that every citizen may feel perfectly within his rights in entering into this discussion, I want to quote a clause from the Declaration of Independence, giving the citizen the right to alter or abolish government: "We hold these truths to be self-evident; that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty and pursuit of happiness. That to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men; deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed; that whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it, and to institute new government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness." And continuing the discussion of the rights of a citizen, the Declaration of Independence states: "It is their right, it is their duty to throw off such government and to provide new guards for their future security." I would neither abolish nor alter our form of government, but I would use it. I, for one, claim my Constitutional rights as a citizen to liberty and freedom, and to the extent of my ability I propose to defend it. It is not a better form of government we need, but better citizenship and a more efficient administration of Justice.

**Alaska's Verdant Islands.**  
The island of Attu, at the end of the Aleutian chain, is not far from Asia. From north to south Alaska reaches almost as far as from Canada to Mexico.

This mighty territory is a world in the variety of its lands and waters. It is a country of seas, lakes and rivers and of almost as many islands as the empire of Japan. It has a vast continental mainland, with mountains and valleys, rolling plateaus and great lowland plains. I traveled a thousand miles through rocky islands in going from Seattle to Skagway and later passed through the Aleutian archipelago, which extends from the end of the Alaskan peninsula about as far westward as the distance from the Atlantic ocean to the Mississippi river. The island of Kodiak is as big as Porto Rico, and Prince of Wales island is as large as Connecticut. All of these islands are green from one year's end to the other, and some have a vegetation as dense as that of Hawaii.—Christian Herald.

### Novel Use For Gunpowder.

"Early in the sixties of the last century," writes Rev. Fuller Mills, a Welsh clergyman, "I was a boy behind the counter of what was known as the company's shop at Aberillery. Among the collier customers who came to the shop was a tall, well developed man known as Dick Stevens or Stephens. "He was a member of the prize ring or the pugilistic fraternity, which was very popular in those days. . . . Dick Stevens was matched to fight Ianto Catcham and was preparing for the fight when he came to the shop for his weekly requirements. . . . He generally asked for an ounce or two of gunpowder. I wondered at this, and my curiosity was aroused. "I asked what he used it for. His reply was: 'I mix it with my gray when I have my dinner and swallow it. It prevents the flesh from easily puffing under the hard blows of an opponent. The cuts and bruises are not so hurtful and heal more easily.'"

### The Gentle Art of Smiling.

A mother had a little girl, her first child, who seemed to have been born with a scowl. Perfectly well, still she had a morose disposition which it seemed as though nothing could alter. When a second child was born the mother made a rule that no one should look at the baby without a smile. With the imitation of childhood the baby at once began, even in her early weeks, to smile back, and as she grew, and the rule still held in the home, she developed into what every one who knew her called "the smiling baby" and grew up with the sunniest disposition, a joy to every one. Now, what that mother did any mother can do. A child may actually inherit a serious, even a sullen disposition, yet these may be crowded out while they are undeveloped by the habit of cheerfulness.—Woman's Home Companion.

### Awry.

"What does that mean your English word 'awry'?" asked the French girl, newly landed on these shores. "Why," replied the walking dictionary, "it means crooked, disheveled. If my hat is awry it's tipped on one side, or if you apply it to my necktie it means mussed up. In what connection did you hear it?" But she was frowning violently and muttering "Ah-h-h! Zat least! I was sure he meant to insult, but nevair did I believe eet was so bad!" "Why, what on earth happened to you?" "I ride in ze tram. I say to ze conductair, 'Please to say to me w'en we stop at ze Forty-second street.' And he smile at me—so—and he say to me, 'A' rrr!'"—New York Post.

### Teeth of a Shark.

In respect to its dentition the shark is a very remarkable creature. The white shark has seven rows of teeth, while other species vary in the number of rows they possess. It must be understood, however, that the shark only uses one row at a time. The other rows lie down inside the mouth behind the edge of the jaw, erecting themselves when it is time for them to take successively the place of the first row. When one observes how keen edged these incisors are it seems no wonder that they can bite off a big rope as readily as if it were thread.

### Light Reading.

"Do you read much?" she asked of him. "A great deal," he replied. "But it's mostly light reading." "And when some one told her that he read gas meters for a living she gnashed her teeth in wild but helpless indignation.—London Telegraph.

### Poor Fare.

"What came before the literary club this afternoon, my love?" asked Mr. Dibble at dinner. "Oh, 'The Merchant of Venice,' and some of the worst sandwiches I ever ate," answered Mrs. Dibble.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### They Were More Accurate.

"Did Hamfuit make a hit when he appeared on the stage?" "No, but some of those in the audience displayed excellent marksmanship."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

### Ignorance.

Mrs. Stubbins—Do you like golfish balls, Mr. Fox? The New Lodger: I don't know, Mrs. Stubbins. I never attended any.—London Tid Bits.

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