

Preserving Their Fame in Imperishable Bronze



THE HOOVER PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL International Photo



GOLD MEDAL AWARDED TO GENERAL CROGHAN

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

FOLLOWING an established custom, the United States mint recently issued the thirtieth in the series of Presidential medals this one commemorating the inauguration of Herbert Hoover as President of the United States. The medal is made of bronze and will be sold to the public for \$1.00, which is its value in United States currency. Any one in this series is available to the public at the same cost.

The first of these medals to be struck is that undraped bust of Washington facing the right, with the inscription, "George Washington, President of the United States," and the date, 1789. The artist who designed this medal was Pierre Simon du Vivier, grandson of Jean du Vivier, known as Du Vivier "le pere," the first of a distinguished family of medal engravers who, at the beginning of the Seventeenth century, lived in Lige.

The reverse of the medal has the legend "Peace and Friendship," and two hands clasped in token of amity. On the cuff of the left wrist there are three stripes and buttons with the American eagle; the other wrist is bare; above, the pipe of peace and tomahawk are crossed, Indian emblems of peace and war.

The reverse of this medal is repeated on the medals of the Presidents from Washington to William Henry Harrison, who died after one month in office. The reverse of the Harrison medal bears this inscription, with a laurel wreath: "Inaugurated President of the United States March 4, 1841. Died April 4, 1841."

The medals of John Tyler, 1841, James K. Polk, 1845, and Zachary Taylor, 1849, have the same reverse as the Washington medal—clasped hands with the calumet and tomahawk.

The artist who designed the medal for Millard Fillmore, 1850, placed on the reverse a different design, but still typifying the friendship between the United States and the Indians—a white man and an Indian stand before a flag in an agricultural scene; above, "Labor, Virtue, Honor." This design is repeated on the reverse of the Pierce and Buchanan medals.

The medal struck for Abraham Lincoln carries on the obverse his head, bearded, facing the right with the simple lettering, "Abraham Lincoln." On the reverse, "Inaugurated President of the United States, March 4, 1861. Second term, March 4, 1865. Assassinated April 14, 1865," surrounded by an oak wreath. The simplicity of this medal and the fine balance of lettering make it one of the most artistic of the series.

The next medal, the Andrew Johnson, is the last to bear a representation of the peace between the United States and the Indians. On the reverse is the figure of Columbia, in a flowing robe, grasping the hand of an Indian chief before a tomb surmounted by the bust of Washington.

Except for the portraits there are but slight differences in the later medals, most of which bear on the reverse the simple lettering stating the dates of inauguration. For William McKinley two medals were struck, the second commemorating his assassination on September 6, 1901. The reverse of this represents the mourning figure of Columbia, designed by Mr. Morgan, the artist who later engraved the Harding medal.

The Presidential medals, however, are only a small part of those authorized by congress and struck by the mint in order to perpetuate the fame of Americans of outstanding achievement. Among the most interesting of the others are the medals given officers of the army and navy as a part of their reward for distinguished services. This custom began during the Revolution, the first one being a medal in commemoration of the retaking of Boston in 1776. The medal bears the bust of Washington with the inscription, "Georgio Washington Supremo duci exercituum adsertori libertatis." (The American Congress to George Washington, Commander-in-Chief of the armies, assessor of liberty.) On the reverse, "Hostibus primo fugatis." (The enemy put to flight for the first time.) Washington on his horse, surrounded by his staff, points to the British fleet which is leaving Boston. The American army in battle makes ready to occupy the city. This fine

medal was designed by Du Vivier, who also designed the Presidential medal of Washington.

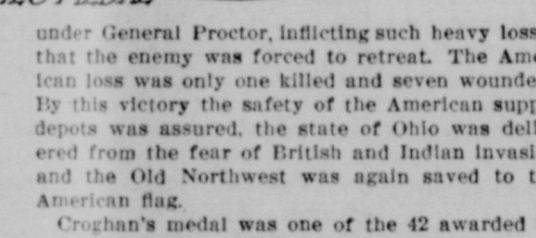
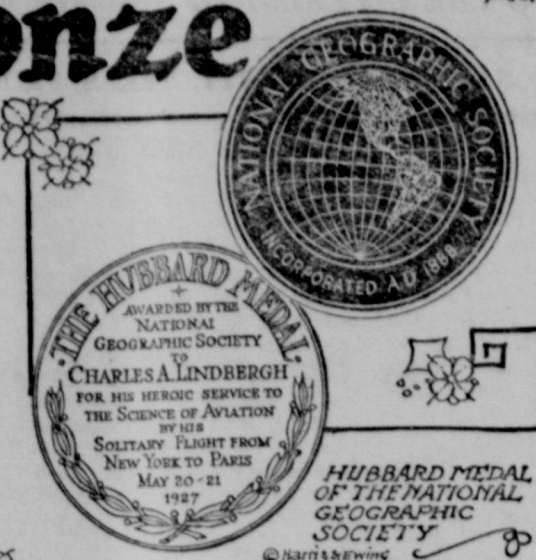
Thereafter the Continental congress voted such an award to nearly every general who won a battle, as for example the gold medal given to Gen. Daniel Morgan and the silver medals to his subordinates for their victory at Cowpens, or who won a campaign, such as Gen. Nathaniel Greene, for his brilliant maneuvers in the South which wore out his opponent, Lord Cornwallis, and led finally to Yorktown and the British surrender.

The small Washington medal (shown above) is typical of the many which were struck after the death of the first President. This one, which was made of silver and is described as "a little larger and thicker than the Spanish quarter of a dollar," was designed by Dudley A. Tynge, collector of customs at Newburyport, Mass., at that time and was made by Jacob Perkins, a well-known engraver and die-cutter. This is only one of the many bearing the head of Washington, there being about fifty others, not to mention an even greater number in which his features appear in some combination.

After John Paul Jones in the Bon Homme Richard won his great naval victory over the Serapis during the Revolution, congress passed resolutions in his honor three times and also presented him with a gold medal. And that started a veritable flood of medals for our naval heroes which reached its high tide during the War of 1812. One was struck in 1800 in honor of Thomas Truxton's victory over a French ship and another in 1804 in honor of Commodore Preble's services in subduing the Barbary pirates. Then came the second war with England with its series of American victories on the sea to dispel some of the gloom caused by the repeated defeats on the land. It brought medals to Capt. Isaac Hull, Commander Jacob Jones, Capt. Stephen Decatur, Capt. William Bainbridge, Capt. Oliver Hazard Perry, Capt. Jesse D. Elliott, Capt. James Lawrence, Lieut. William Burrows, Lieut. Edward McCall, Capt. Robert Henley, Lieut. Stephen Cassin, Commodore Thomas MacDonough, Capt. Johnston Blakely, Capt. Lewis Warrington, Capt. Charles Stewart and Capt. James Biddle.

But that the war on land was not all defeats is shown by the fact that valorous military services won medals for the following: Gen. William Henry Harrison and Gov. Isaac Shelby of Kentucky at the Battle of the Thames; Gen. James Miller, Gen. Winfield Scott, Gen. Edmund Gaines, Gen. Jacob Brown, Gen. Peter Porter and Gen. Eleazer Ripley at the Battles of Chippewa, Niagara and Erie; Gen. Alexander Macomb at the Battle of Plattsburgh; Gen. Andrew Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans, and Gen. George Croghan at the defense of Fort Stephenson, Sandusky.

The latter was one of the most brilliant feats in all American history. Croghan, a nephew of George Rogers Clark and a youngster of twenty-four, who had already won the rank of major, was placed in command of Fort Stephenson, a ramshackle old stockade which was the outpost protecting the supplies and munitions of all the American armies in the Northwest. His garrison consisted of 100 officers and men, but this tiny force successfully withstood the assaults of 3,000 Indians under Tecumseh and 600 British regulars



under General Proctor, inflicting such heavy losses that the enemy was forced to retreat. The American loss was only one killed and seven wounded! By this victory the safety of the American supply depots was assured, the state of Ohio was delivered from the fear of British and Indian invasion and the Old Northwest was again saved to the American flag.

Croghan's medal was one of the 42 awarded by specific acts of congress down to the time of the Civil war. Eleven were given for deeds performed during the Revolution, one each for the French and Tripolitan war, 27 for the War of 1812 and two for the Mexican war. The only medals awarded during the Civil war were to General Grant and Commodore Vanderbilt and only one was given during the Spanish-American war—to Admiral Dewey. After that war the general medal of honor took the place of the old-fashioned congressional award.

Early in its history the United States began issuing medals for the War department to present to Indian chieftains on the conclusion of treaties of peace. The Red Jacket medal (shown above), owned by the famous Seneca chief, was typical of the medals issued during the administration of President Washington. It was given to Red Jacket in 1792 after the United States and the Six Nations had signed a treaty of peace soon after the close of the Revolution. This medal is made of silver, with a heavy rim, and is five inches in width and nearly seven inches in length. The devices upon it were engraved, it is said, by David Rittenhouse, the famous Philadelphia philosopher who was a jeweler in his younger days.

Large numbers of medals similar to this one were presented to the chiefs who signed the Treaty of Greenville in 1795 and came to be regarded as insignia of leadership, being handed down from one generation to another in tribes where the chieftainship was hereditary. About the time of the administration of Jefferson the regular Presidential medal was used for presentation to the Indians and one of these which had an especially interesting history is the Black Partridge medal (shown above), once the property of the famous Pottawatomie chief, who played such a noble role at the Fort Dearborn massacre in 1812.

When Black Partridge learned that Captain Heintz, commander at Fort Dearborn, had been ordered to evacuate that post he went to him and said: "Father, I come to deliver to you the medal I wear. It was given me by the Americans, and I have long worn it in token of our mutual friendship. But our young men are resolved to immerse their hands in the blood of the white people. I cannot restrain them, and I will not wear a token of peace while I am compelled to act as an enemy." How true was his warning was shown by the scenes of horror which followed when the little garrison marched out of the fort and started on the slaughter. It was Black Partridge who saved Mrs. Helm, the wife of one of the officers, from the attack of an infuriated young brave, a deed which is commemorated in the Fort Dearborn massacre monument which stands at the foot of Eighteenth street in Chicago today.

POULTRY FACTS

INSURE PROFITS FROM HEN FLOCK

Protection From the Wintry Blasts Quite Important.

Insuring the poultry flock against wintry blasts will insure the profits to be received from the birds this winter.

"Incomes from farm flocks depend upon poultry housing conditions. A good flock poorly housed is almost certain to be less profitable than a poor flock sheltered in an adequate building," warns G. T. Klein, extension poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural college.

The modern poultry house has facilities for the hens to scratch, feed, roost, lay, and exercise in the same room, according to the poultry specialist. One large, well-ventilated, well-lighted, clean sanitary room has replaced the separate roosting quarters, scratching shed, and laying house. An up-to-date house is so complete that hens are confined in them in September and are not given range until the following spring.

Klein says that the most satisfactory house is one 20 feet in depth. It should have about one-fourth of the south side open and be tight on the other three sides except for windows in the east and west ends and under the droppings board on the north. A 10-inch layer of straw as a ceiling gives protection to the birds by modifying the temperature in both winter and summer. Such a ceiling keeps the air in the building free from dampness, prevents accumulation of frost, and keeps the litter dry.

Lanterns as Henhouse Lights During Winter

There is no question but what providing the laying flock with a twelve-hour day throughout the winter by means of artificial light at the beginning or end of the day, or both, pays under Iowa conditions. More and more farm flocks are being thus helped to make the best of warm houses and good rations during the months of short days. Generally, providing the poultry house with lights has been assumed to go hand in hand with electricity on the farm. But as yet a comparatively small per cent of Iowa farms are electrically equipped.

During the last two years I have visited at least a dozen Iowa farms where it was called to my attention that lanterns had been used to furnish light for the chicken house, says a writer in Wallace's Farmer. In most cases, these were gasoline lanterns, although I know at least one farm woman reported the use of an oil pressure kerosene lamp. If equipped with reflectors of the right sort and hung in the right part of the poultry house, these lanterns have proved a safe and desirable sort of light. For those without electricity, this sort of lighting for the poultry house is worth investigation and trial.

Patriotism now consists in keeping your country out of war instead of pushing it in.

Turkeys have the annoying habit of getting into a lot of difficulties.

A damp house causes colds and other troubles for the birds, and a loss of money to the owners.

Experience has shown that washed eggs are suitable only for immediate consumption, and will not stand for any length of time under storage conditions.

If Leghorns are hatched too early they may start laying early and have a fall moult before cold weather. This throws them out of laying all winter.

Hatch the turkey eggs in the incubator. Put the poults in chick boxes until they are forty-eight hours old. Have the brooder houses thoroughly cleaned and disinfected and keep the temperature under the hover around 90 degrees.

Give each poult a drink of warm water when they are put under the hover. Use a good intestinal antiseptic in the water for seven days, then skip seven days.

Test after test has proved that a plentiful supply of liquid milk is one of the best ingredients in the ration for chicks of any size.

Many farm flock owners fail to realize the importance of selecting good cockerels for the breeding purposes the following season.

Shavings are superior to straw as litter for hens, as well as for nest material to prevent soiled eggs.

This is a good time to get rid of the unpromising pullets. Later you will have to part with them, even though you know they will lay few eggs.

The most certain means of controlling blackhead of turkeys is to prevent its development by artificial hatching and brooding and rearing the fowls on ground not used for poultry of any kind previously.

"Please make Father change his smoking tobacco"



MEN go to their graves ignorant of the suffering an over-strong pipe has caused others. But now, we trust, Father will lose no time in discovering Sir Walter Raleigh, whose mild, fragrant blend is as popular with the smoked-at, as it is delightful to the smoker. This blend of choice Burleys has plenty of body and a very special fragrance. Yet it's so mild you can smoke it all day long, with only the sensation of increasing enjoyment.

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SIR WALTER RALEIGH Smoking Tobacco

It's milder

Gr-r-r
 Eddie, age four, stood in the kitchen of his home watching his mother prepare the evening meal. For several minutes he watched the proceedings without comment, but when the potatoes were put on to fry he drew closer to the stove.
 "Gee, ma," he said, "listen to those potatoes grind their teeth."

Be careful. Use Red Cross Liquid Blue. Highly concentrated. Your grocer sells it.—Adv.

Patriotism now consists in keeping your country out of war instead of pushing it in.

FAMILY DOCTOR LEARNED THIS ABOUT CONSTIPATION



Dr. Caldwell loved people. His years of practice convinced him many were ruining their health by careless selection of laxatives. He determined to write a harmless prescription which would get at the cause of constipation, and correct it.

Today, the prescription he wrote in 1885 is the world's most popular laxative! He prescribed a mixture of herbs and other pure ingredients now known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, in thousands of cases where bad breath, coated tongue, gas, headaches, biliousness and lack of appetite or energy showed the bowels of men, women and children were sluggish. It proved successful in even the most obstinate cases; old folks liked it for it never gripes; children liked its pleasant taste. All drugstores today have Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in bottles.

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 Try Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh
 All dealers are authorized to refund your money for the first bottle if not suited.

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FOR SALE—A few genuine Mammoth Bronze turkeys, Bird Bros. strain. Toms, \$10.00, Hens \$6.00. MRS. R. L. CHILES, Friona, Texas. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Some very fine full blooded White Holland turkey hens, One of the best strains. Price \$3.50 each. A. S. CURRY, Friona, Texas. 23-tfc

NOTICE—We will be in our office in the Bank building next Thursday. DR. HEARD & WILTSHIRE. 26-tfc

FOR SALE—Having equipped my poultry houses with Jamesway metal feeders and nest boxes, I have several sections of wooden nest boxes and feeders for sale. Hillside Hatchery and Poultry Farm, South Hereford, just across the creek, Main Street. 1-tfc

WANTED—To do your typewriting, for expression students, invitations, letters, etc. 10c per page. Bring or send to LUCY M. LIGON, one block west, one block south Ford Garage. 27-1p

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Friona Star is authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for election to the various county offices under which headings their respective names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July.

For County Judge:
JOHN ALDRIDGE, Jr., of Farwell, (Re-election).

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
W. L. VENABLE, Bovina.

For County Commissioner, Precinct Number 1:
D. H. MEADE, of Friona, (Re-election).

Political Calendar Next Year Shows Interesting Facts

Appended is a calendar of the principal political events for 1930: Jan. 31—Last day of payment of poll taxes and securing certificates of exemption. Election Judges appointed by Commissioners' Courts at February term of court.

March 10—Before this date the Tax Collector shall make a list of qualified taxpayers.

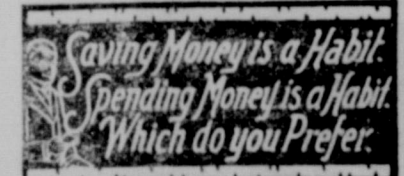
April 1—Before this date, County Tax Collectors shall furnish county election boards with lists of poll tax payers and exemptions.

May 15—State executive committee of any party which cast as many as 10,000 and fewer votes in next preceding gubernatorial election, shall meet and decide whether candidates for state, district and county offices are to be nominated by convention or primary election, and shall certify such decision to Secretary of State.

June 2—On or before this date, candidates for party nominations file applications for place on primary ballot—with state chairman for state office; with district chairman, if for a district office in district having more than one county, and if no district chairman, with each county chairman in district.

June 16—County executive committees meet and issue call for precinct conventions to elect delegates to county conventions.

MONEY TALKS



DIVERSIFIED FARMING MEANS BETTER FARMING

Soil preparation, seed selection, crop rotation, intensive cultivation, some cows, some sows, some hens.

Just a little planning makes a wonderful difference in production.

That sort of farming is BETTER FARMING—and better farming means happier farmers and farm families.



also announce chairman, hour and place of precinct conventions.

June 14—On or before this date, candidates for offices within counties including district within confines of any single county, and candidates for county chairman shall file for places on primary ballot.

June 16—County executive committees meet to determine order of names on ballot, estimate cost of primary and apportion cost. A ballot, or primary subcommittee of five is appointed. Also decide whether nomination of county officers shall be by majority or plurality.

June 23—On or before this date, candidates must pay ballot fees. June 26—First day to file first statement of campaign expenses with county clerk.

July 1—Last day to file same. July 6—Voters may arrange to cast ballot, not later than July 14.

July 14—Ballot, or primary, subcommittees meet to prepare primary ballots.

July 14—First day to file second expense account.

July 14—From this date until July 23, voters expecting to be absent may cast ballot through notary publics.

July 21—On or before this date, county chairmen secure from Tax Collectors complete lists of voters, paying not more than \$5 therefor.

July 21—Last day of voters who have removed from one ward to another to secure transfers from Tax Collectors, such transfers being necessary in event voters lives in city of 10,000 or more population, and removal was prior to delivery of lists of certified voters to precinct chairmen.

July 22—Last day for voters who have removed from one county to another, or from one precinct to another, such transfers being necessary if new residence is in

city of 10,000 or more population.

July 26—Primary election day. Polls open from 8 a. m. until 7 p. m. Returns of primary election delivered to county chairmen. Precinct conventions to name delegates to county conventions held. Republican primary convention held.

Aug. 2—County executive committees meet to canvass returns and county chairmen certify results to proper officials.

Aug. 2—County conventions held to elect delegates to district and State conventions. Republican county conventions held to nominate county officers and name delegates to state convention.

Aug. 5—Last day to file third expense account.

Aug. 11—Democratic State executive committee meets to canvass returns. Republican State executive committee meets to prepare temporary role for state convention.

Aug. 12—Republican State convention meets to nominate candidates for State officers if primary is not ordered.

Aug. 23—Second, or run-off, primary election for offices where no candidate received a majority in first primary. (Democratic.)

Aug. 23—District conventions held and nominations certified to Secretary of State.

Sept. 2—Last day to file fourth expense account.

Sept. 8—State executive committee meets to canvass vote of second primary and prepare list of State convention delegates.

Sept. 9—State Democratic convention.

Nov. 1—On or before this date county chairmen nominate supervisors in each election precinct.

Nov. 4—General election. Polls open at 8 a. m., close at 7 p. m. Elect United States Senator in 1930.

Nov. 10—Returns to be canvassed by Commissioners' Court.

Dec. 15—Return on State and district officials (except Governor and Lieutenant Governor) canvassed by Secretary of State in presence of Governor and Attorney General.

Jan. 31, 1931—Legislature convenes and within one week, canvasses returns of Governor's and Lieutenant Governor's election.

NEW DRUG STORE OPENS

The Friona Drug Company will celebrate its opening day Saturday of this week.

Mr. Eckles, the proprietor, has invited the public to visit his place and enjoy some of the excellent hot cocoa and coffee that he and Mrs. Eckles will be dispensing throughout the day to the many visitors whom they hope to greet on that occasion and whose acquaintance they wish to form.

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Our work is guaranteed and our prices are reasonable.
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Are Our Watch Words.
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Judge: "Guilty or not guilty, Rastus?"
Rastus: "Not guilty, suh."
Judge: "Ever been in jail?"
Rastus: "No, suh. I never stole nuthin' before."

Taking No Chances.

Grocer (to small customer): "Willie, would you like to have an apple?"
Willie: "No, sir, I'm afraid to eat 'em."
Grocer: "Why?"
Willie: "Cause my grandfather died of appleoxey."—Exchange.

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Who Said City Slickers, man?"
Farmer (who had visited banks): "No, that's the first vice-president in charge of cows."—Exchange.

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Come in and look them over—you will find us easy to trade with. If you are not ready to trade, loaf with us.
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FELT HATS WITH "PINKED" EDGES; NEW SILHOUETTE IN PRINT SILK

NOW comes the midseason time of the year when most women feel the urge for a new hat just to "bridge over" until the arrival of the first robin of spring.

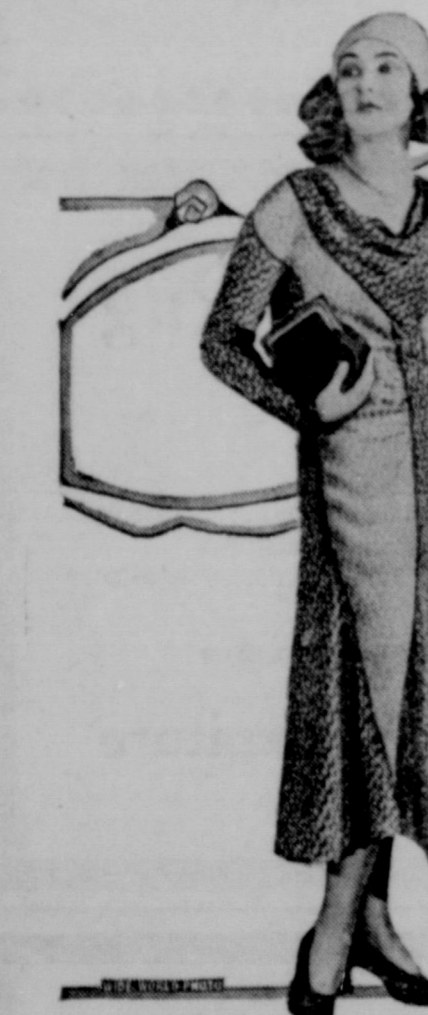
It is really not to be thought of wearing a last season's dress and expecting to "get by with it."



New Hats From Paris.

to the decorative openwork bands and insets as "felt lace." The model photographed in the oval is one of the simpler types.

are different were thrust upon us by the regime which controls the destinies of fashion.



Print Silk Frock.

eyelet embroidery takes its place. The embroidery is done exactly as one works on linen or any other material, with a view to achieving a lacy openwork appearance.

deep reds and greens. Tiny motifs in vivid color contrast are spaced very regularly, whether the weave be crepe de chine, taffeta or foulard.

MOLLY SPENDS HER "MAD MONEY"

ALTHOUGH the family Bible recorded Molly Burke's middle name as Imogene, it might be better to have been Independent.

Never had Molly gone to a dance without taxi fare tucked away. Yet, oddly enough, Molly had always returned to her home in company with the same escort with whom she left.

The year after the twins were born Molly very nearly spent a generous portion of her reserve—not on escape from domesticity, but on a session in a sanitarium.

When the time candle burned to the third notch it was time to feed the baby; at the fifth notch or stripe, the housewife put on the potatoes to boil for the evening meal.

Compare the "insides" of a pig's bristle watch with the delicate mechanism of the Twentieth-century product, which, in a lady's watch, has screws so infinitesimal that a thimble will hold 20,000.

"Why, what's the trouble?" exclaimed Molly as she caught sight of Norman's face.

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"See," she said, triumphantly, "with your five hundred we can have the house."

"Applesauce," cheerfully responded Molly. "Don't I have to live in your house for the rest of my life?"

Ingenious Methods of Keeping Track of Time

Many and strange have been the methods adopted by primitive man for measuring time. His earliest method, says a writer in the New York Times magazine, was to decide the time by the length and position of the sun's shadows.

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Enough Said. A soft answer, besides turning away wrath, frequently causes it. Teddy Brown, on arriving home after a long business journey, was in no mood to submit to the inevitable catechism of his loquacious spouse.

Advertisement for Barton's Dyanshine shoe polish, featuring an illustration of a shoe and a woman's face. Text: "New life for old leather. Clean, smooth color restored. Scuffs concealed instantly."

Deer have been brought from the West to replenish the big-game population of eastern forests, but without marked success.

Advertisement for Ugly Dimples? NR TO-NIGHT TOMORROW ALRIGHT. Text: "Nature's warning—help restore clear complexion and pale red nose in your pale, yellow cheeks. Truly wonderful remedy follows thorough colon cleansing."

Advertisement for Blue Star Ointment. Text: "Apply Blue Star Ointment to relieve Skin Irritations, Itching Skin or the Itch of Eczemic conditions, Tetter, Ringworm, Itching Toes, Poison Oak and so on."

Advertisement for Wintersmith's Chill Tonic. Text: "For over 50 years it has been the household remedy for all forms of Malaria, Chills, and Fever and Dengue."

Advertisement for Merit Milk Maker. Text: "Best for Laying Cows. That Good Feed Satisfies Their Need. HARDEMAN-KING CO., OKLA. CITY."

Advertisement for Merit Egg Mash. Text: "Best for Laying Hens. That Good Feed Satisfies Their Need. HARDEMAN-KING CO., Oklahoma City."

Advertisement for Prest Machine Works Co. Text: "Machinists and Electricians. Motor Repairing a Specialty. Oklahoma City, Okla."

Advertisement for Musterole. Text: "Stop that COLD... before it stops you! COMMON head colds often 'settle' in throat and chest where they may become dangerous—rub Musterole on these parts at the first sniffle—it will draw out infection and pain."

International Sunday School Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

January 26, 1930

STANDARDS OF THE KINGDOM

Matthew 5:3-9, 17-20, 43-48

Golden Text: Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.—Matthew 5:8.

Introduction.

"The Beatitudes are the Gate Beautiful to the Temple of Holiness. They are the seven-fold rainbow that overarches the throne of God."

Following a night of solitary prayer (Luke 6:12) our Lord made formal choice of his twelve disciples (Luke 6:13-16, Matt. 10:1-4) and then addressed to them and to the multitude that had gathered the ever-memorable discourse which is called the Sermon on the Mount and is reported fully in the three chapters of Matthew, 5-7, and also in shortened form in Luke 6:20-49. This wonderful address will be our study for three weeks.

Mount of Beatitudes.

The mount on which it was delivered was, according to trad-

tion, a square-shaped hill called the Horns of Hattin, or Mount of Beatitudes. It is about sixty feet high, has two tops and is situated on the west side of the Sea of Galilee, two or three miles from the lake and seven southwest of Capernaum.

The Sermon on the Mount.

"What is the Sermon on the Mount? It is the moral law of the kingdom of Christ, or in other words it occupies in the New Testament the place which in the Old Testament is occupied by the Ten Commandments."—Bishop Charles Gore. "Of all the teachings of the New Testament the sayings of this Sermon on the Mount have perhaps carried the most universal conviction with them."—Prof. George F. Gennep. "This sermon was the inaugural address of the King. It was a pronouncement of the rules and regulations which were to control the lives of his subjects."—David James Barrow.

The Beatitudes.

It is an evidence of the ore of God that this great sermon of the Son of God should open with an account of true happiness. "Blessed" might well be "happy" in our translation of the Beatitudes. Christ makes his followers happy, but with a happiness so different in its origin and nature from the happiness of worldlings that the translators thought they must have another word for it, "blessed." "The members of the kingdom are meant to be happy, but they are made happy by conditions that no one else can remove.

They That Mourn.

"Blessed are they that mourn; for they shall be comforted." Every man who passes through the first Beatitude finds himself at the door of the second. Only the poor in spirit are blessed when they mourn. And the mourning which the Master had primarily in mind is not the sorrow because of bereavement or the pain of physical suffering. It is the grief of soul in this conscientiousness of sin, and the sense of self-condemnation before the eye of God. Christ had reference to that pain of heart which an honest man knows because his life is so full of sin, and self, and so barren of unselfish service. Evidently only the poor in spirit can be truly blessed when they mourn."—Rev. Howard Agnew Johnston, D. D.

The Merciful.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy." "There must be, in some faint measure at least, a corresponding spirit in us to receive any gift or blessing

from God. It is true, therefore, in relation to God, that the merciful shall obtain mercy, and the unmerciful shall find no mercy. This is taught in the petition, 'Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.' This divine mercy and human mercifulness are linked together. But the same is true in our relations with our fellow-men—the merciful obtain mercy and the unmerciful find no pity. The unmerciful find only coldness and ungentleness, while the merciful obtain mercy."—J. R. Miller.

The Peacemakers.

In worldly kingdoms highest honor is bestowed upon warriors, captains, generals, but not in the Kingdom of Christ. There those who bring about peace between enemies shall be distinguished with the exalted title, "Sons of God." "There is no more Godlike work to be done in the world than peacemaking" (Broadus). "To be a peacemaker is the climax of Christian character." (MacLaren). This of course does not imply that Christ's followers are to make peace with evil. We must first get things where peace is possible. (Matt. 10:34.)

Salt and Light.

Men and women, boys and girls, of the kind described in the Beatitudes are compared by Christ to salt. Salt seasons food, makes it tasty; salt purifies and salt preserves. Christians do all these things for the society in which they mingle. But salt that loses its saltiness is good for nothing, and is thrown out into the street; so with a Christian who loses touch with Christ.

People of the Beatitudes are also like lights. Citizens in Palestine were often conspicuous, built on hills for health and protection, so also must a light be set on a lamp stand whence its rays may go out into all the room and not under the common wooden peck measure. Even thus must Christians let their light shine, make their characters and works manifest, not that men may praise them, but that men may glorify the heavenly Father who is humbly acknowledged as the Source of all goodness, the Power enabling the Christian to do any worthy deed. Such is Christ's beautiful picture of the kind of life his followers are to lead, the citizens of the kingdom of heaven.

The Laws of the Kingdom.

Every kingdom must have laws, and it might have been expected that Christ's new kingdom would have new laws; but instead of new laws Christ put a new spirit into the old laws. He was the completion of the old laws. His kingdom was that to which the old laws pointed, his dispensation was the fulfillment of the Mosaic dispensation, the New Testament is rooted on the foundation of the Old Testament.

The Law and the Prophets.

"Think not that I came to de-

stroy the law or the prophets." The Jews regarded the five books of Moses, the Pentateuch, as the Law, and the remainder of the Old Testament, including the historical writings, as the Prophets. They added the poetical books, calling them "Sacred Writings." Haglographs. Christ's teachings were so revolutionary that the stricter Jews, the scribes and Pharisees, had already accused him of seeking to destroy the old religion, so dear to the nation (Mark 2:24; John 5:16, 18). "I came not to destroy, but to fulfill." Matthew's Gospel is mainly devoted to an exposition of this sentence of Christ's, placing the Saviour's life and teachings alongside the Old Testament and showing how the Old Testament is fulfilled by the deeds and words of Christ.

The Law of Purity.

"Jesus applies the same reasoning in reference to the Seventh Commandment. He declares that it is broken not merely by a sinful act, but by every impure desire. He warns against allowing any occasion for evil thought. No matter how great the sacrifice being, one must put out of his life all that might cause him to be tempted needlessly, anything which might endanger the purity of his soul; if necessary, even that which is as precious as the right

eye or the right hand, must be sacrificed."—Prof. Charles W. Erdman. "The prevalence of divorce in this country finds in this section its strongest condemnation.

The Law of Reverence.

The Jews of Christ's time used oaths on every occasion. "Their number was endless; men swore by heaven, by the earth, by the sun, by the prophets, by the temple, by Jerusalem, by the altar, by the wood used for it, by the sacrifices, by the temple's vessels, by their own souls."—Cunningham Gekkie. They were careful not to break literally the Commandment against profanity, but they broke it essentially, for it is a commandment requiring reverence for sacred things and for truth. "An honest man does not need to take an oath that what he says is true; and a liar only colors a deeper dye his lie, by his oath."—Rev. Herbert Mortimer Gesner.

The Law of Protection.

"Ye therefore shall be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect." Perfect in love, in regard to which Christ has been speaking. "The perfect are not men with a conceit of perfection, but aspirants—men who seek to attain, like Paul (Phil. 3:12)."—Expositor's Greek Testament. The verb is in the form of a future imperative, a command for the future, a form not found in English and not to be translated into English. "Man and Jesus, the inlet and the ocean; the divine nature becomes human in Jesus, the human nature becomes divine in Je-

sus. God has his human life and unveils it in Jesus; man has his divine life and it is unveiled in Jesus."—T. Calvin McClelland, D.

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