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Texas

National Stock Con- The C. C. C. Organvention Goes to Los Angeles

Fred H. Bixby, of Long Beach, Cal., Cubs." The team will have their was chosen president of the Ameri- court at the residence of Mrs. L. C. can National Livestock Association Brite. They are going to have lights to succeed United States Senator J. on the court, so as to enable them R. Kendrick, Sheridan, Wyo., at the to playgames at night. close of the 25th annual convention The team is in hope that the othhere today. Other officers include: er churches in Marfa will soon do C. M. O'Donnell, Bell Ranch, N. M., the same, so that they may have a first vice-president; M. K. Parsons, church league like other cities have Salt Lake City, Utah; E. C. Boice, every year. San Carlos, Ariz; E. L. Burke, Oma- At the first meeting of the team, ha, Neb.; L. C. Brite, Marfa, Texas, they decided on the name, the coland William Tollman, Baker, Ore., ors, which are maroon and white, second vice-presidents; Sam H. Cow- the captain, who is William Bailey, an, Fort Worth, attorney; John W. Springer, Denver, treasurer; T. W. Tomlinson, Denver, secretayr . Los Angeles was chosen as the 1923 meet

ing place. away to engage in what proises to the near future. The boys ar ehopbe a lucrative business in the re- ing that the people of the town will public of Mexico, Virgil V. Parr of turn out and give them their most the bureau of animal industry, earnest support, as this is what they day's session. He said the Texas not only be of benefit to the boys of stock raisers were counting on it.

Parr Tells of Mexico Conditions

15 per cent of that which exists there in normal times. There are prospects of much good business on the part of the American stock raisers, and it will be 25 or 30 years before Mexico will become a competi-

In what he was pleased to term "tax virtue" lies the solution of too much of the troubles which the country is experiencing at the present time, according to Charles B. Rhodes, of Orchard, Colo., who addressed the convention. He is a former vice-presilent of the organization. He said in part:

Tax Exemption Assailed

"While writing under our tax payments it is not pleasant to feel that many of our well-to-do neighbors are practically exempt through holding tax exemption securities and through the ownership of diamonds, jewelry, silver plate, cosly furniture, libraries, all easily concealed or the costs minimized, thereby getting off scott free.

"We stockmen must eject the beam from our own eye before we can properly, accurately fand honestly discern the mote in the eye of our neighbor. At the risk of asking a disagreeable question or two, we do not know of mortgages on stock, though no disclosure is made of the number mortgaged, all don efor the benefit of the assessor? By the same token is not this deception practiced at times for the benefit of the forest reserve people, when we want to smuggle into the summer pastures more than our allotment? No doubt our taxes on grazing land is too high. One of the results of too free buying of highpriced land for grazing purposes is the present hard situation among us."

Declaring that provisions of the transportation act, the arbitrary rule of making rates has resulted in the present unjust and unreasonable rates, which impose such enormous burdens upon the livestock industry as to destroy its prosperity, ruin was an enthusiastic member of the prices an cost of production makes from unprofitable conditions in business, the association adopted a rescommerce of the senate.

izes Athletic Club The Christian church has organized a basket-ball team under the

Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 14 .- name of the "Christian Church

the treasurer, who is Donald Church, and for coach, who is Herry Coef-

The feam expects to have a game Colorado stockmen are not too far with the Alpine Christian church in Washington, D. C., declared at to- need most. This organization will the church, but to the High school team ...

Mr. Parr, who only recently re- Everybody come out and support turned from a trip through Mexico, them and they will put up a good accompanying a train of 11 cars of game for you. There is only one livestock, all of which was offered trouble with the people of this comfor sale to Mexicans, told of condi- munity and that is, that they don't tions there as he hadobservedthem. back up the boys in their athletics. "The livestock business of Mex- Look at Fort Davis-they have the ico," he said, "today is only about support and see how they are winning. Get busy people and let the boys know that you are behind them, as they hope to beat Ft. Davis in the near future.

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MRS. W. G. YOUNG

A wire reached Marfa from El Paso Thursday morning, announcing that Mrs. W. G. Young had died at 7:35 m.. The body arrived in Marfa this morning and will be burried tomorrow-Saturday, the 21st

The El Paso Times of January 19 says: Mrs. Hattie Young, aged 60 years, wife of W. G. Young, proprietor of the undertaking establishment at Marfa, Texas, died at 8 o'clock last night at a local hospital. Mrs. Young was brought to El Paso last Mondayweek. An operation was performed three days la-

Her husband and five children survive. The children are Walton S. Spencer of Moorpeck, Cal.; T. A. Spencer, of Marfa; George E. Spencer, of Ysleta; Mrs. R. R. Ellison, of Deming, N. M., and Miss Louise Young, Marfa, Texas.

The body in charge of the Simmons Hartford undertaking establishment, will be sent tonight to Marfa, accompanied by her husband and two of the children. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning in the Sacred Heart Catholic church at Marfa, of which Mrs. Young was a member. Fathe rPaloma will officiate. Burial will be in the family plot in the Marfa cemetery.

The burial took place at 9:30 Saturdy morning. Mrs. Young came to Marfa thirty years ago from Uvalde, Texas, and has been a resident of Marfa continuously since. She the industry and under present W. O. W. Circle and was a leading spirit in all charitble undertkings. it etremely difficult in ost cases Her departure from our midst will and impossible in many, to recover not only be the source of profound

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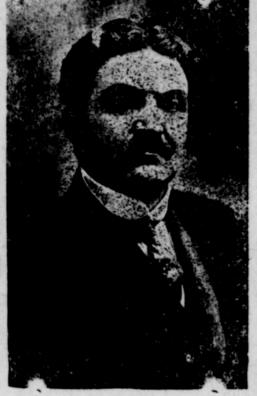
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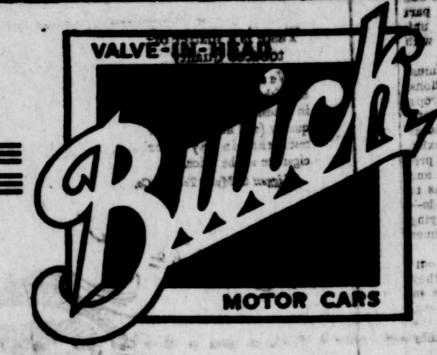
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means something different to most everybody. To some it has brought a great joy; to others a great sorrow; to many, both grief and gladness in full measure. Many of us have gone along the regular, uneventful path, filled with the happiness of love and work and the joy of everyday things; which, efter all:

To youth the New Year means a long, pleasure-filled evening and the writing of a new date on their letters. They look neither furward nor back. They make resolutions because it seems the contract thing to them to do. They keep them sometimes and within but 10 is not a writing make them better must and within but 10 is not a writing make them better must and within

best is all; on the own of great years and systematically, but with a general systematically, but with a general systematically, but with a general systematically, but with fortable at things left unders or fallures to make good as they had intended. Maybe there has been just one thing accomplished that gives them a little warm feeling round their bearts—maybe not ing round their series or great joy stands out with more meaning to them these to youth. The another milestons passed.

The New Year may no resent very bright prospects to some, but these same elder folks know that there is something better in store than what the immediate future seems to offer—know that unhappy things can't last—that they are pretty sure to lead to something greater and better—know that even if they can't understand the reason for sorrow and trouble that there is a reason—know it deep down within themselves, though outwardly they resent and rebel against fate. It is not blind faith or optimism that teaches this, but reason and knowledge of life.

Older felks know that the year terbound to bring handlows and seller to those who are now bearing the seller. Mrs. J. In the Butroit News.

P. ACK NEW YEAR PUDDING

lasses; one cupful thick sour milk; one dessertspoonful soda; beat well. Add one teaspoonful salt; one grated nutmeg; one eighth pound citron, chopped fine; one-fourth pound suct. chopped fine; four dry figs, chopped fine; one dozen almonds, minced fine; one cupful seeded raisins; three raw tart apples, chopped coarsely; three cupfuls flour. Mix all together, steam in a buttered mold for three hours and dry for 15 minutes in an oven. Serve with any good pudding sauce. This will serve 15 persons.

Resolutions



Let's us girls form little clubs a



Let's break up th' practice o' wearing



Let's all resolve t' spend our mones



Mothers, keep a closer surveillance on your daughters in 1922.—Abe Martin

Some Aspects of the Farmers' Problems

By BERNARD M. BARUCH

(Reprinted from Atlantic Monthly)

The whose rural world is in a fer ment of unrest, and there is an unparalleled volume and intensity of de ning to form pools, inaugurate farmtermined, if not angry, protest, and an ers' strikes, and demand legislation ominous swarming of occupational conferences, interest groupings, political movements and propaganda. Such a turmoil cannot bit arrest our attention. Indeed, it demands our careful study and examination. It is not likely that six million aloof and ruggedly independent men have come together and banded themselves into active unions, societies, farm bureaus, and so forth, for no sufficient cause.

Investigation of the subject conclusively proves that, while there is much overstatement of grievances and misconception of remedies, the farmers are right in complaining of wrongs long endured, and right in helding that it is feasible to relieve their ills with benefit to the rest of the community. This being the case of an industry that contributes, in the raw material form alone, about one-third of the national annual wealth production and is the means of livelihood of about 49 pro cent of the population, it is ob-

visits that the subject is one of grave concern. Not only do the farmers make up one-half of the nation, but the well-being of the other half depends upon them. So long as we have nations, a wise

politcial economy will aim at a large degree of national self-sufficiency and self-containment. Rome fell when the food supply was too far removed from the belly. Like her, we shall destroy our own agriculture and extend our sources of food distantly and precariously, if we do not see to it that our farmers are well and fairly paid for their services. The farm gives the nation men as well as food. Cities derive their vitality and are forever renewed from the country, but an imgence and retains unintelligence. Only the lower grades of mentality and character will remain on, or seek. the farm, unless agriculture is capable of being pursued with contentment and adequate conspensation. Hence, to embitter and impoverish the farmer is to dry up and contaminate the vital sources of the nation.

The war showed convincingly nov dependent the nation is on the full productivity of the farms. Despite herculean efforts, agricultural production kept only a few weeks or months shead of consumption, and that only by increasing the acreage of certain staple crops at the cost of reducing that of others. We ought not to forget that lesson when we ponder on the farmer's problems. They are truly common problems, and there should be no attempt to deal with them as if they were purely selfish demands of a clear-cut group, antagonistic to the rest of the community. Rather should we consider agriculture in the light of broad national policy, just as we consider oil, coal, steel, dvestuffs, and so forth, as sinews of national strength. Our growing population and a higher standard of living demand increasing food supplies, and more wool, cotton, hides, and the rest. With the disappearance of free or cheap fertile land, additional acreage and increased yields can come only from costly effort. This we need not expect from an impoverished or unhappy rural population.

It will not do to take a narrow view of the rural discontent, or to appraise it from the standpoint of yesterday. This is peculiarly an age of flux and change and new deals. Because a thing always has been so no longer means that it is righteous, or always shall be so. More, perhaps, than ever before, there is a widespread feeling that all human relations can be improved by taking thought, and that it is not becoming for the reasoning animal to leave his destiny largely to

chance and natural incidence. Prudent and orderly adjustment of production and distribution in accordance with consumption is recognized as wise management in every business but that of farming. Yet, I venture to say, there is no other industry in which it is so important to the public-to the city-dweller-that production should be sure, steady, and increasing, and that distribution should be in proportion to the need. The unorganized farmers naturally act blindly and impulsively and, in consequence, surfeit and dearth, accompanied by disconcerting price-variations, harass the consumer. One year potatoes rot in the fields because of excess production, and there is a scarcity of the things that have been displaced to make way for the expansion of the potato acreage; next year the punished farmers mass their fields on some other crop, and potatoes enter

class of luxuries; and so Agriculture is the greatest are fundamentally the most important of our ranches of the tree of naly into the land. We all flourish or sive, bear heavily on both consumer decline with the farmer. So, when we and producer, and are under the conof the cities read of the present uni- trol of those performing the services.

of their inability to meet mortgages o to pay current bills, and how, seeking relief from their ills, they are planabolishing grain exchanges, private cattle markets, and the like, we ought not hastily to brand them as economic heretics and highwaymen, and hurl at them the charge of being seekers of special privilege. Rather, we should ask if their trouble is not ours, and see what can be done to improve the situation. Purely from self-interest, If for no higher motive, we should help them. All of us want to get back permanently to "normalcy;" but is it reasonable to hope for that condition unless our greatest and most basic industry can be put on a sound and solid permanent foundation? The farmers are not entitled to special privileges; but are they not right in demanding that they be placed on an equal footing with the buyers of their products and with other industries?

Let us, then, consider some of the farmer's grievances, and see how far they are real. In doing so, we should remember that, while there have been, and still are, instances of purposeful abuse, the subject should not be approached with any general imputation to existing distributive agencies of deliberately intentional oppression, but rather with the conception that the marketing of farm products has not been modernized.

An ancient evil, and a persistent one, is the undergrading of farm products, with the result that what the farmers sell as of one quality is resold as of a higher. That this sort of chicanery should persist on any important scale in these days of business integrity would seem almost incredible, but there is much evidence that it does so persist. Even as I write, the newspapers announce the suspension of several firms from the New York Produce Exchange for exporting to Germany as No. 2 wheat a whole shipload of grossly inferior wheat mixed with oats, chaff and the like. Another evil is that of inaccurate

weighing of farm products, which, it is charged, is sometimes a matter of dishonest intention and sometimes of protective policy on the part of the local buyer, who fears that he may "weigh out" more than he "weighs in."

A greater grievance is that at present the field farmer has little or no control over the time and conditions of marketing his products, with the result that he is often underpaid for his products and usually overcharged for marketing service. The difference between what the farmer receives and what the consumer pays often exceeds all possibility of justification. To cite a single illustration. Last year, according to figures attested by the railways and the growers. Georgia watermelon-raisers received on the average 7.5 cents for a melon, the railroads got 12.7 cents for carrying it to Baltimore and the consumer paid one dellar, leaving 79.8 cents for the service of marketing and its risks. as against 20.2 cents for growing and transporting. The bard annals of farm-life are replete with such commentaries on the crudeness of present practices.

Nature prescribes that the farmer's "goods" must be finished within two or three menths of the year, while financial and storage limitations generally compel Mm to sell them at the same time. As a rule, other industries are in a continuous process of finishing goods for the markets; they distribute as they produce, and they can curtail production without too great injury to themselves or the community; but if the farmer restricts his output, it is with disastrous consequences, both to himself and to the

community. The average farmer is busy with production for the major part of the year, and has nothing to sell. The bulk of his output comes on the market at once. Because of lack of storage facilities and of financial support. the farmer cannot carry his goods through the year and dispose of them as they are currently needed. In the great majority of cases, farmers have to entrust storage-in warehouses and elevators and the financi ' er-rying

of their products to others. Farm products are general, marketed at a time when there is a congestion of both transportation and finance-when cars and money are scarce. The outcome, in many instances, is that the farmers not only sell under pressure, and therefore at a disadvantage, but are compelled to take further reductions in net returns in order to meet the charges for the American industries. The cities are service of storing, transporting, financtional life, the roots of which go deep- charges they claim, are often excesversal distress of the farmers, of a It is true that they are relieved of siump of six billion dollars in the farm the risks of a changing market by value of their crops in a single year. selling at once; but they are quite will-

ing to take the unfavorable chance they can retain for themselves a part of the service charges that are uniform, in good years and bad, with high prices and low.

While, in the main, the farmer must sell, regardless of market conditions, at the time of the maturity of crops, he cannot suspend production in toto. He must go on producing if he is to go on living, and if the world is to exist. The most he can do is to curtail production a little or alter its form, and that—because he is in the dark as to the probable demand for his goodsmay be only to jump from the frying pan into the fire, taking the consumer with him.

Even the dairy farmers, whose output is not seasonal, complain that they find themselves at a disadvantage in the marketing of their productions, especially raw milk, because of the high costs of distribution, which they must ultimately bear.

Now that the farmers are stirring. thinking, and uniting as never before to eradicate these inequalities, they are subjected to stern economic lectures, and are met with the accusation that they are demanding, and are the recipients of, special privileges. Let us see what privileges the government has conferred on the farmers. Much has been made of Section 6 of the Clayton Anti-Trust Act, which purported to permit them to combine with immunity, under certain conditions.
Admitting that, nominally, this exemption was in the nature of a special privilege,-though I think it was so in appearance rather than in fact, we find that the courts have nullified it by judicial interpretation. Why should not the farmers be permitted to accomplish by co-operative methods what other businesses are already doing by co-operation in the form of incorporation? If it be proper for men to form, by fusion of existing corporations or otherwise, a corporation that controls the entire production of a commodity. or a large part of it, why is it not proper for a group of farmers to unite for the marketing of their common products, either in one or in several selling agencies? Why should it be right for a hundred thousand corporate shareholders to direct 25 or 30 or 40 per cent of an industry, and wrong for hundred thousand co-operative farmers to control a no larger propertion of the wheat crop, or cotton, or

The Department of Agriculture is often spoken of as a special concession to the farmers, but in its commercial results, it is of as much benefit to the buvers and consumers of agricultural products as to the producers, or even more. I do not suppose that anyone opposes the benefits that the farmers derive from the educational and research work of the department, or the help that it gives them in working out improved cultural methods and practices, in developing better yielding varietles through breeding and selection, in introducing new varieties from remote parts of the world and adapting them to our climate and economic condition, and in devising practical measures for the elimination or control of dangerous and destructive animal and plant diseases, insect pests, and the like. All these things manifestly tend to stimulate and enlarge production, and their general beneficial effects are

any other product?

obvious. It is complained that, whereas the law restricts Federal Reserve banks to three months' time for commercial paper, the farmer is allowed six months on his notes This is not a special privilege, but merely such a recognition of business conditions as makes it possible for country banks to de business with country people. The crop farmer has only one turnover a year, while the merchant and manufacturer have many. Incidentally, I note that the Federal Reserve Board has just authorised the Federal Reserve banks to discount export paper for a period of six months, to conform to the meture of the busi-

The Farm Loan banks are pointed to as an instance of special government favor for farmers. Are they not rather the outcome of laudable efforts to equalize rural and urban conditions? And about all the government does there is to help set up an ad-ministrative organization and lend a little credit at the start. Eventually. the farmers will provide all the capital and carry all the liabilities themselves. It is true that Farm Loan bends are tax exempt; but se are bonds of municipal light and traction plants, and new housing is to be exempt from taxation, in New York, for ten years.

On the other hand, the farmer reads of plans for municipal housing projects that run into the billions, of hundreds of millions annually spent on the merchant marine; he reads that the railways are being favored with increased rates and virtual guaranties of earnings by the government, with the result to him of an 'ncreased tell on all that he sells and all that he buys. He hears of many manifestations of governmental concern for particular industries and interests. Rescuing the railways from insolvency is undoubtedly for the benefit of the country as a whole, but what can be of more general benefit than encouragement of ample production of the principal necessaries of life and their even flow from contented producers to satisfied consumers?

While it may be . " ded that special governmental a. ; be necessary in the genera intere. all agree that it is all cult to see why agriculture and the production and disprovided for other businesses; espe- ers will please take notice. cially as the enjoyment by the farmer of such opportunities would appear to A. M. AVANT, City Tax Collector. be even more contributory to the gen-

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eral good than in the case of other ! industries. The spirit of American democracy is unalterably opposed, alike to enacted special privilege and to the special privilege of unequal opportunity that arises automatically from the fallure to correct glaring economic inequalities. I am opposed to the injection of government into business, but I do believe that it is an essential function of democratic government to equalize opportunity so far as it is within its power to do so, whether by the repeal of archaic statutes or the enactment of modern ones. If the anti-trust laws keep the farmers from endeavoring scientifically to integrate their industry while other industries find a way to meet modern conditions without violating such statutes, then it would seem reasonable to find a way for the farmers to meet them under the same conditions. The law should operate equally in fact, Re Phone 129 Over P. O. Bldg. pairing the economic structure on one side is no injustice to the "her side, which is in good repair.

We have traveled a long way from the old conception of government as merely a defensive and policing agency: and regulative, corrective, or equalizing legislation, which apparently is of a special nature, is often of the most general beneficial consequences. Even the First Congress passed a tariff act that was avowedly for the protection of manufacturers; but a protective tariff always has been defended as a means of promoting the general good through a particular approach; and the statute books are filled with acts for the benefit of shipping, commerce,



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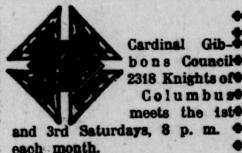


Marfa Chapter No. 6 344 O. E. S. meets • the third Tuesday evening in each month. Visiting members cordially invited to

be present. Mrs. Rada Humphreys, W. M. Blanche Avant, Secretary.

> MARFA LODGE No. 596 A. F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evening in each month.

Visiting brethern are cordially invited to be present. J. Anson Coughran, W. M.; . J. W. Howell, Secretary.



bons Council 2318 Knights of Columbus meets the 1ste and 3rd Saturdays, 8 p. m. All visiting Knights cordially

Welcome. James H Conlin, G. K. Andrew Heaton, F. S.

OUR COUNTY GOVERNMENT James Cornell, Judge 83rd judicial

District,, Sonora, Texas. N. W. Graham, District Attorney, 83rd judicial district, Ozona Texas.

Essie Aiken,	District Clerk
K. C. Miller,	County Judge
J. H. Fortner	
J. E. Vaughan,	Sheriff
W.m. Harer,	Tax Collector
H. W. Reynolds,	
Amos Kerr,	Treasurer
J. C. Fuller	County Att'y
W. B. Bean,	Surveyor
T. C. Mitchell, Cour	nty Commissioner
Precint No. 1.	

F. C. Mellard, County Commissioner Precinct No. 2. F. F. Hill, Count yCommissioner

Precinct No. 3 W. King, County C

Precinct No. 4. W. J. Yates, Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1.

W. M. Conghram, Constable Precinct No. 1.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. H. H. Kilpatrick left Thursday for St. Louis to purchase spring goods for Milady's Shoppe

Warm knitted mittens at 23 cents at Baileys.

Beautiful bath robes for Women, men and children. Jess than cost, at Baileys.

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Winter union suits for men, women and children, at cost-Baileys. of her education here. She is not \$3.95 and \$4.95, at Baileys.

Percy Kerr left several days ago for Little Rock, Ark., where he will stay with his sister, Mrs. Porter, and also take a husiness course in a very fine business college there.

Fine, all-wool enmbroidered Flannel petticoats for babies, 85c. and \$1.00 each, at Baileys.

Good, fleece-lined gloves for lette Dry Goods Co. school at 25c., at Baileys.

Mrs. Vara Longyear left Monday for El Paso, where she expects to take a special course in beauy cul-

In the absence of W. G. Young. W. Livingston has made several ton Undertaking Co.

Mrs. Mary M. Howard left Thursday for St. Paul. Minn., to accompany the body of Prof. A .E. Kipatrick, which will be buried by the side of his wife .

The Sale of Wonders-Come and Stock up.-Mitchell-Gilletts Dry

Our entire stock of Ladies and Childrens Hosiery. Economy Sale Price 25% reduction.-Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

Judge .OW. Williams, of Fort Reward for return to New Era. Stockton, was a business visitor to

the city Tuesday. All our beautiful Jardinieres, candlesticks and art vases, 25% dis-

count at Baileys. Mrs. W. W. Bogel and daughter. Mrs. Jessie Hubbard, left Tuesday

All Sheffield silver tea-sets, fruit bowls, sandwich plates, 25% discount!

for San Antonio on a visit.

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Gillett Dry Goods Co. Miss Virginia, were El Paso visitors exemption certificate before Jan. Mills at 1/2 price During Economy sued the occupation of civil engin-

Sousa band and to visit friends.

MARFA,

Sale Price. 25% reduction. -Mitch- Skirts, Economy sale, 1/2 price.ell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

General Harbord, with the Assistant Secretary of War, will reach Marfa Tuesday, the 24th of January and will remain here several hours. The luncheon takes places at 1 o'clock sharp.

MISS PAULINE QUICK

In this issue of the New Era the name of Miss PaulineQuick is announced as a candidate for District Clerk. Miss Pauline grew up in Marfa and received a greater part Fine Georgette waists, all colors, only popular with everyone, and doubtless will receive a large support for this reason. Besides, she is skilled as a stenographer and bookkeeper and also for the reason of protected from fire ay mten thous her competency to fill the position will win many to her side in her laudable effort to better her financial condition.

> Our entire shoe stock-for men, women and children, Economy Sale Prict, 25% reduction-Mitchell-Gil-

MISS ANITA YOUNG

The name of Miss Anita Young has been presented to the voters of Presidio County as acandidate for the office of District Clerk. Miss Anita was born in this county at Presidio, and therfore, comes before the voters as the first young lady born in trips from Alpine to Marfa, attend- the county to ask for a position at day. We now have ano rchestra ing to the business of the Livings- the hands of her fellow citizens. She that rendered splendid music Sun- and second hand, for sale cheap, or is not only popular but eminently day night. They will play agin next will charge 10 cents to read any qualified to fill the position sought. Sunday night. During the big sale at Mitchell- If elected to this responsible posi- Let every member become a boost-Gilletts there will be some big bar- tion, without question she will rend- er for the services. If the church gains. Call and examine the prices. er good service, and fill same with of which one is a member is not credit to herself and the voters of worth ones best efforts to make that merly priced up to \$10.00, during the county generally, placing her church a go, then it is not worth a Economy sale, \$3.35.-Mitchell-Gil-

> Co's, store carries first-class, up-todate goods, of every decription in the dry goods line.

See O. J. Sheeran, the Watkins Man, for cheap auto casing.

LOST-Sunday, on road between Marfa and Alpine, long army overcoat, old style. Prized by owner because used in service in France.

Community silverware, Rogers silverware, Sterling silverware, 25% discount at Baileys.

Our entire stock of Ladies, Men, and Childrens Underwear, Economy sale. 25% reduction.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co. '

Yes, we are selling Stetson Hats at 25% reduction during Economy Sale at Mitchell-Gillett's.

ATTENTION REPUBLICANS

We urge the importance of every Republican, both men and women, this week to hear the celebrated 31, 1922. Don't overlook it. Republican Executive Committee.

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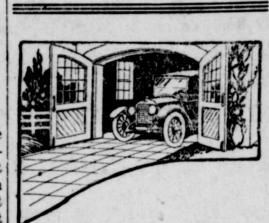
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Sunday at 11 a. m. we will obare requested to be present.

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vine Image Possessed." "Original Sin or the Divine Image Lost.

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the following Sunday. greatly helped by them. Come and roll call.

see wat you think of them. C. S. Harrison, Pastor.

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BENEFIT C. C. C.

The members of the Christen church will give a benefit social on Thersday, the 26th of January, 7:00 House. All members of the congregation, Sunday School and the Christian Endeavor are cordially invited to attend. A free-will offering for the benefit of the C C. C. basket ball team will be taken. Refresh-. ments will be served.

Prices 75c., 95c., \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, Judge Neill said of hisfriend: \$5.95 values up to \$12.00 at Baileys store.

THREE SHERIFFS VISITORS

This week Sheriff Townsend, of Brewster, Sheriff Kiser, of Reeves. and Deputy Sheriff Brown, of Tarrant countis, were here to get prisoners captured by Sheriff Vaughan. The prisoners were held in the Presidio County jail.

Dr. A. E. Brown, the dentist, is . W. G. Young. G. W. Livingston still in Marfa and kept busy professionally. He has not decided as yet how long his stay in Marfa will + be, but he expects to remain as long • as business remains good.

Attractive bargains gloves for cold days.-Baileys. Big sacrifice sale at Baileys. Everything goes.

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DISTRICT COURT

The following grand jurors and petit jurors were drawn for District Court, commencing next week, January 23.

GRAND JURORS:

C. P. Arthur, Ben S. Avant

L. C. Brite Geo. F. Chastain,

T. C. Crosson, Wm. Harper,

J. M. Hurley,

R. A. Lackland, J .H. Locke.

E. R. Mabry,

C. T. Mitchell, T. T. Neill,

W. G. Ridout. R. L. Stevenson,

R. N. Settle. PETIT JURORS

Chas. Bailey Chas. Bishop, Joe Bunton O. M. Bunton, W. H. Colquitt, N. L. Casner. W. K. Colquitt. W.M. Coughran, W. T. Davis. Wm. Duty A. C. Easterling. W. M. Ellison,

W. P. Fischer, Raymond Fitzgerald. W. A. Hord, G. A. Howard D. C. Wease, Janson Cougran, C. G. Hysaw. F. M. Gordan. A. H. Karstendeik. Arthur Kerr, A. O. Knight, W. W. Lewis. H. B. Lockley, R. W. McGhee.

W. A. Mimms F. A. Mitchell. E. F. Niccolls, R. Nichols C. R. Poer. Gus Raetszch. R. R. Smith. J. H. Tyler, R. B. Mitchell. John Damron.

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FLETCHER RAWLS WOUNDED IN MEXICO

Word came to Marfa Monday that serve the Lord's Supper. The pastor Fletcher Rawls had accidentally will discuss the meaning of this shot himself while on a business trip beautiful ordinance. All members to Mexico. Immediately steps were taken to have him brought to Mar-

ANDREW E. KILPATRICK

OnSaturday, the 14th of January, 1922, A. E. Kilpatrick passed away "Salvation, or the Divine Image at Candelaria, Texas. He was as well as usual up to a short time before Remember the first of these is his death. Feeling, as he stated, next Sunday night. The other two unwell, he went to his room. In a few minutes some one stepped in to Many who have heard these ser- see him. He was on his bed, strangemons have told me that they were ly quiet-he had answered the last

A. E. Kilpatrick was born in Mississippi about 69 years ago. His father was a prominent lawyer and district judge, residing at Corinth, where his son Andrew was reared He was a graduate of the university of his native state, with honor; and soon after graduating, was appoint-Gossard Corsets and Brassiers, ed to the U.S. army as a lieuten-Economy Sale, 25% discount.— ant. For several years he served in the army, principally in the Northwest. After resigning from the ar-All Bath robes, including wool my for a number of years, both in Mrs C. O. Thomas and daughter, to pay their poll tax or procure an robes from Orego n City Woolen the United States and Mexico, pur-Sale .- Mitchell Gillett Dry Goods eer. Finally on account of the necessary absence from home in this in this profession, he commenced

teaching. For several years he was principal of the San Antonio High school, also that of Houston, Texas. His wife died about ten years ago

o'clock p. m., at the community Paul, Minn. After her death he while on a visit to relatives in St. came to Presidio Co., where he has resided most of the time since.

The late Judge H. H. Neill and Prof. A. E. Kilpatriek were college chums, and up to the time of his death in San Antonio several years ago, were very intimate. In speaking some years ago to the writer,

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JUDGE E. F. HIGGINS

In this issue Judge Higgins announces for re-election to the office presented this week as a candidate of Associate Justice of the Court of for the office of tax assessor, sub-Civil Appeals Eighth Supreme Ju- ject to the action of the Democratic dicial District. There are twenty- primary to be held on Saturday, Jutwo counties in his district. On the ly 22, 1922. T. & P. it extends to and includes Mr. McDonald has lived in this Martin county, ofwhichStanton is county a number of years and bethe county seat; on the G. H. & S. A. fore this has never asked for an ofit extends to and includes Terrell fice. This year he expects to be county, of which Sanderson is the and is now an active candidate for

Judge Higgins was born at Bastrop and was educated there in the public schools and afterwards at the portant and carries with it great res-Southwestern University at George- ponsibility. So far as known Mr. town, Texas. At an early age, in McDonald is the only candidate. He 1806 he was admitted to the bar. He is honest, capable and if selected, began the practice oflaw in his na- without doubt, will prove to be the tive home, but soon afterwards right man in the right place. moved to Houston, where he was assceleted in the practice of law with the late Jonathan Lane, one of the leading lawrers of Texas. In 1905, or is to ill health, he moved to Al-

Court of Civil Appeals at El Paso he was appointed Associate Justice of the Court, which position he has of the Democratic primary, which is since served.

Judge Higgins, before his eleva- 1922. tion to the bench, wa sregarded as Mrs. Daugherty has lived in Mara splendid lawyer and for one of his fa for a number of years, and has age, considered one among the very always filled responsible positions best in Western Texas. Since his el- with credit, having always the perelevation to the present position he fect confidence of her employers. has ably demonstrated that his is At this writing she has no opposithe judicial as well as the legal tion for this responsible office, and mind. Judging by remarks made by without question, if elected, she will members of the bar of this dis discharge its duties ability. She trict, Judge Higgins will be re-elect- discharge its duties with ability. She ed without doubt.

The name of E. T. McDonald is

the above position. The office of Tax Assessor is one of the most im-

MRS . TROXIE DAUGHERTY

In this issue the name of Mrs. Troxie Daugherty appears as a can-Upon the creation of the Eighth didate for County Treasurer of Presidio County, subject to the action held this year on Saturday, July 22,

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Come in; compare our prices, and we are convinced you will agree with us that we are doing, in every way, what we advertise.

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HAROLD KING

In this issue of the New Era the name of Harold King is presented to the voters of Presidio County as a candidate for Sheriff. Mr. King before coming to this county, lived for many years in the adjoining county of Jeff Davis, where he had considerable experience as chief deputy under ex-Sheriff Davis. About five years ago he moved to Marfa, and for the last three years; up to a few months ago, he served the State as ranger, stationed at of Marfa National Bank Marfa and Redford most of the time. Mr. King is widely known in this and adjoining counties, ad enjoys the reputation of being a citizen, loving peace and observing law and order; and it is believed, that if selected for the responsible position of sheriff he will conduct himself with credit and honor.

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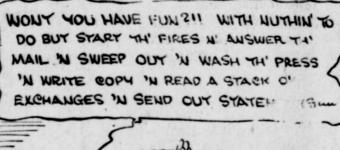
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