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HAS INTERESTING MEETING

Last Monday evening at the Community House, the members of the Retail Merchants Association met for the purpose of discussing ways and means of assisting the consuming public as far as possible, and at the same time finding a way for the merchant to stay in business.

On account of the condition of the money market has been in for the past several months, it has been necessary for all merchants to carry accounts for some of their customers for indefinite periods of time. This action on the part of the merchants has led to considerable embarrassment, and as money is probably tighter now than at any time during the present money stringency it is evident that something must be done to relieve the merchants or they will be out of business.

A general discussion was had by practically all members present, besides talks were made by representatives of a number of wholesale houses and by consumers not in the mercantile business. A peculiar feature of the discussion was the fact that while the retail merchants "shivered in their boots" at the attitude they feared the public would take should any steps be taken to limit the time accounts should run, the consumers present, who were not in the mercantile business, frankly admitted that the merchants should take such steps in that direction rather than permit themselves to be forced out of business.

From the discussion it soon became an open secret that a large number of the wholesalers and jobbers have been forced to go almost, and in some cases, quite on a cash basis, and many of them are limiting their retail customers to strictly cash basis, with instructions to their representatives to enforce these regulations to the letter or seek other employment. As the retail merchant, as well as the individual out of the mercantile business, has only a limited capital on which to do business, and as the wholesalers and jobbers are limiting credit, the inevitable is facing the retail merchants.

With much reluctance it was finally and unanimously agreed that in the future all accounts made during any month should be due and payable between the first and fifteenth of the coming month, and that same should not be paid or settled by note by the end of such following month, the person owing the account would not be permitted to make further purchases on open account. It was further agreed that in the event it should become necessary for one merchant to discontinue an account for non-payment, the other members of the Association would not extend credit to the person making such default.

The Retail Merchants Association by bringing about a condition where by bad accounts can be eliminated, will be of wonderful benefit to the public. When it is made possible for the merchant to buy goods for cash and save the discounts offered for cash, and to stop the wastage from bad accounts, it will thus be possible for the retailers to sell on a smaller margin of profit to the public.

SENT WRONG CARDS

The office ordered about 5000 commercial cards, in which to print the names of candidates running for office. In a few days 5000 large mourning cards were received from the paper house. The cards were returned and the manager stated in the letter to the house that it was not possible to use them in the natural order of things within the present generation, unless the candidates, failing in election, should decide to send them to voters who promised to support them and did not.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES



To speak in parables is a very ancient custom, yet it is often a much easier matter to explain by comparison, for instance: a little boy will say: "What a pretty horse," and his grouchy old grandpa will reply, "Must be a fat one then," and so it is with the Carroll Farmer Post 151, American Legion.

One member stated the other evening that "we have the finest little Posts in the State," and another member who has not been attending very regularly exclaimed, "there must have been an awful change," and he was right—there HAS been a change and we have got the best little Post in Texas, for we have cleaned house in a sense, and have chased all the dust and cobwebs of discontent, ill feeling and misunderstanding forever from our Post, and we have a right to feel proud and to boast of our Post, and our one great request is that conditions of the past have been in a great measure responsible for the many empty chairs in our rooms.

There is no person or organization but what makes mistakes and Carroll Farmer Post 151 American Legion, has made many, but we have decided to discontinue this habit as an "Indoor Sport," and the best possible way to avoid mistakes in any organization is by attending the meetings and killing the germ before it develops into a mistake.

It cannot be expected that the recommendations or activities of six or eight live members will meet with the approval of each of the approval of the forty or fifty dead members who will not attend meetings and who, by their absence deny the six or eight the benefit of the opinion of the majority.

The Nation depends upon the Legion for much that will make our country what we, as children, were taught to believe it was and in a certain measure our cities depend upon the local Posts for many things and just so does the Post depend upon you and I to do our best.

We need you and want you and we want your assistance to help make Carroll Farmer Post just what you think it should be, so come each and everyone and make it possible for us to gather around the camp fire and sing: "Hail, hail, the gang's ALL Here!"

We are now out of the "hole" financially, and there will be no more "gloom" gatherings—there will be no more assessments, nor will it be possible in the future to obligate the Post financially in any way, so there will be no more contracts or agreements for some one to make good or pay later as has been the custom in the past and we want you to come and help us plan a program of real enjoyment for the future.

Along these lines was our wrestling match Saturday evening, and while the small attendance was somewhat disappointing, we are not in the least discouraged and there will be another program Saturday evening, March 11, so do not forget the date.

All who attended Saturday night agreed that the matches were the cleanest and best seen in Marfa for many months, and were especially well pleased with the final bout between La Vern and Wentworth, which was all that could be expected in the way of good wrestling and a pair of game contestants, and was won by La Vern.

The semi-final match between Hayes and Berry of troop B, 7th cavalry, was also a fine exhibition and was won by Hayes after a very spirited contest.

And last, although first on the bill, was the match between Gay Howard and Delbert Hurley, both Marfa boys

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Some time during the latter part of April there will be given, under the auspices of the American Legion, something entirely new in the way of a minstrel show.

This show—"A bundle of Burnt in Marfa.

Cork"—has been running for fourteen weeks in New York City and is still playing to a full house, and it will be given for the approval of our Marfa friends, by a cast from our own city, and we hope to make it the best that has ever been seen here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Appell of El Paso announce the birth of their daughter, Esther Vale. Mrs. Appell was formerly Miss Esther Vale Seacrest, who was raised and educated

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nounce C. E. Mead as a candidate
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the action of the Democratic pri-
mary.

Subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic primary, I announce as a can-
didate for the office of District
Judge of the 83rd Judicial District
of Texas.

W. A. HADDEN.

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cratic primary, I announce as a
candidate for the office of judge,
83rd judicial district of Texas,
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judicial district, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic primary.

For District Clerk—

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nounce as a candidate or the office
of District Clerk of Presidio Coun-
ty, the name of Miss Pauline Quick,
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic primary in July.

The New Era has been authorized
to announce as a candidate for the
office of District Clerk of Presidio
County, Miss Anita Young, subject to
the action of the Democratic prima-
ry on the 22nd day of July, 1922.

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nounce J. E. Vaughan as a candidate
for re-election to the office of Sher-
iff of Presidio County, subject to the
action of the Democratic primaries
on July 22nd, 1922.

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nounce Harold King as a candidate
for the office of sheriff of Presidio
County, subject to the action of the
Democratic primary in July next.

For Treasurer—

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nounce Mrs. Troxie Daugherty as a
candidate for County Treasurer of
Presidio County, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic primary in
July next.

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a candidate for the office of Treas-
urer of Presidio County, subject to
the action of the Democratic primary
in July next.

The New Era is hereby author-
ized to announce Sam Neill as a can-
didate for the office of treasurer
of Presidio county, subject to the
action of the Democratic primary.

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candidate for the office of Assessor
of Taxes of Presidio County, subject
to the action of the Democratic pri-
mary in July next.

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primary.

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the first day of April, A. D., 1922, in
each and every school district, at
the Schoolhouse thereof, in compli-
ance with and order of the County
Judge of this County, and the polls
in said District will be opened at 8
o'clock a. m. and closed at 6 o'clock
p. m., on said day for the purpose of
electing 3 COUNTY SCHOOL TRUS-
TEES for said County, to-wit: one
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In his book "The Crime of '20,"
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sation of the year, Judge George
Armstrong indicates his discontent
with party conditions and flays, with
an impartial hand, both of the old
parties. He has followed this up
with a letter to the press in which
he says "our salvation now lies not
with the republican party or with
the democratic party, but with the
"agricultural bloc." He criticizes
Culbertson for opposing the 'bloc' and
endorses the support Shepard has
given it. One he characterizes as
"deflationist and the other as an
inflationist."

Entertaining these views, the nat-
ural thing for Judge Armstrong and
those who agree with him to do is
to join in a citizens movement to
wrest Texas from the control of the
Pewees. If the masses shall vote
hereafter as they are talking now,
a citizens ticket would sweep Tex-
as by 150,000 majority, and send six
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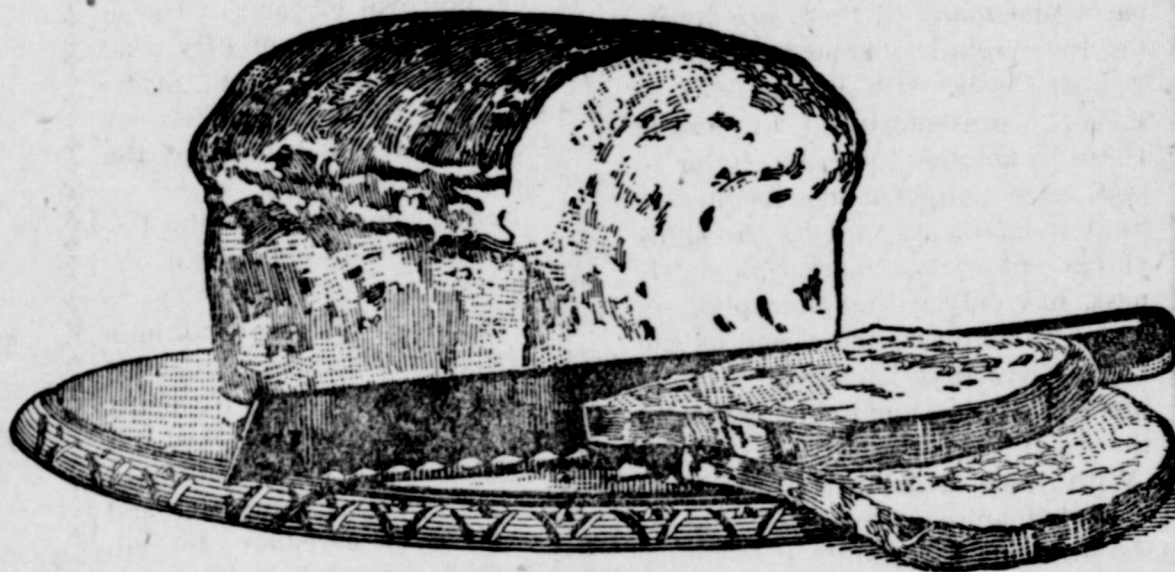
Last Saturday the Hi school boys
had a game with the soldiers, in
which the soldiers came off the vic-
tors by a score of 14 to 11, but the
game was lost in good sportsman-
ship, which characterizes the stu-
dents of this school. Despite the
fact that a large number of the best
players were absent but substitute
were as follows: Bill Baijey, catcher
Prof. Jackson, pitcher; Jim Living-
ton, first base; Elmo Ballew, second
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A number of gypsies were camped near Marfa this week en route East. At Alpine it is reported they killed a Mexican.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mabry left Thursday for Dallas and other points

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Miss Sallie Stroud of Alpine, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. B. Chastain.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spence have returned after several weeks visit his mother, who has been very ill.

New Gingham, just in—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mr. Harry Grierson of Ft. Davis, was in the city today on business.

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Sheriff Vaughan returned this week from Gatesville, where he took two juveniles.

On the 1st day of March—the first day of Spring—was the coldest day of the year.

FIRE AT VALENTINE

This week two fine dwelling houses belonging to Mrs. Will Foley of Valentine, were burned, with a total loss. It appears that a gasoline lamp exploded which set on fire one house and the wind being in the right direction, causing the other to catch.

Miss Virginia Thomas left Tuesday for Valparaiso, Ind., where she will attend the University. She will stop over at New Orleans to visit her brother, Wayne and wife; and at Cincinnati, to visit relatives in that city.

MRS. FANNIE ROSS

On the 23rd of February at Dos Cabezas, Arizona, Mrs. Fannie Ross passed away, aged 73 years. Mrs. Ross was married about 50 years ago to Mr. Sam Catlin, and in 1885 moved to Marfa with her husband and children. On the death of her husband in 1886, later she was married to Mr. John Ross, who died a number of years ago in Mexico.

Mrs. Ross is survived by a daughter, Mrs. A. M. Porter, of Marfa and two sons, Harry and Peyton Catlin, of Dos Cabezas, Ariz.; and one sister, Mrs. S. E. Walker of Mesilla Park, New Mexico.

Mrs. A. M. Porter received a wire on the death of Mrs. Ross, to prepare for having her body interred at Marfa but it was later temporarily buried at Wilcox, Ariz. Later the body will be brought to Marfa and placed in the Marfa cemetery beside her first husband, mother and several sisters.

HISTORY CLUB

The Marfa history club met with Mrs. C. E. Pruett Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. H. M. Fennell was leader of a most interesting program on "Confederate Lyrics" which opened with a discussion of James Ryder Randall's poetry by Mrs. T. C. Crosson, followed by the reading of "Pelham" by Mrs. W. H. Colquitt. A paper—Francis Orray Ticknor's Best Poems, by Mrs. E. C. Nicholls proved very interesting. Mrs. J. E. Connor read the poem entitled "Little Giffin" in her own charming manner. Miss Jacobs read an excellent paper on "James Renburs Thompson's best poem," followed by the reading of the poem "Music in Camp," by Mrs. Jessie Hubbard.

Mrs. R. S. McCracken read "A tribute to Thompson," by Margaret Junkin Preston. Mrs. W. J. Yates read a beautiful paper on Mrs. Preston, who is recognized as our chief American woman poet.

A discussion of "James Barron Hope, William Gordon McCabe, Henry Lynder Flash and other writers of "Confederate Lyrics" by Mrs. L. C. Britte was very much enjoyed.

Two poems by Mrs. Preston entitled "Gone Forward" and "The Shade of the Trees" were read by Mrs. Chas. Bailey; after which Mrs. W. W. Bogel discussed "Dixie" and its various versions.

The program closed with the entire club joining in singing the Confederate war songs—"Dixie" and "The Bonnie Blue Flag," in such a spirited fashion that a guest remarked, "there is musical as well as literary talent in the History Club."

The afternoon being very cold, the hostess invited the ladies to gather sociably around the huge fireplace where a warm and hospitable blaze burned cheerily upon quaint old-fashioned andirons. Afternoon tea was served, accompanied by delicious chicken salad, wafers, gherkins and cake—all of which were heartily enjoyed.

An interesting and appropriate decoration, was a relic of the Civil War—a flag borne by the first Confederate forces out of San Antonio, commanded by Mrs. Bogel's father, Captain Newton. The flag is a valued heirloom belonging to Mrs. Bogel and the club members appreciated the privilege of seeing it. Despite the low temperature, fra-

grant violets adorned the dining room, while daffodils bloomed upon the table.

At the close of the delightful social hour the Club adjourned to meet in March with Mrs. K. C. Miller.

—PRESS REPORTER.

METHODIST CHURCH

Last Sunday being the last Sunday in the month, and the people having agreed to read the Book of Genesis during the month, both morning and evening hours will be devoted to the discussion of "Some Lessons from the Book of Genesis." A great many expressed themselves as being helped by these sermons.

During the month of March we will read the book of Exodus and on the last Sunday in March I will preach on "Some Lessons from the Book of Exodus."

Next Sunday I will preach on "Not Being Ashamed," at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. on the "Parable of the Tares, or Good and Evil Mixed in the Kingdom," with particular reference to the question, Is There any difference between a good moral man and a poor Christian? J. L. HENSON, Pastor

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Essie Aiken, District Clerk
K. C. Miller, County Judge
J. H. Fortner, County Clerk
J. E. Vaughan, Sheriff
Wm. Harer, Tax Collector
H. W. Reynolds, Assessor
Amos Kerr, Treasurer
J. C. Fuller, County Atty
W. B. Bean, Surveyor
T. C. Mitchell, County Commissioner Precinct No. 1

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E. F. Hill, County Commissioner Precinct No. 3

E. W. King, County Commissioner Precinct No. 4

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

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COURT CALENDAR

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Justice Court, Precinct 1 meets on the 3rd Monday in each month for civil business.

County Court meets every 1st Monday in September, December, March and June.

Commissioners Court meets every 2nd Monday in each month.

Mrs. James Pool and niece, Mrs. Eaton, have been visiting in New Orleans, taking in the Mardi Gras and other sights. Before returning they expect to visit relatives in Mississippi.

BE MORE CAREFUL

At first it was reported he was dying, having been run over, it was said, by an automobile. However, it appears that the small Mexican boy had only been knocked aside and a little skinned up; the next day he was around. Still it is well to agitate drivers to be careful, very careful indeed, or else, some one will be killed in Marfa by some reckless person.

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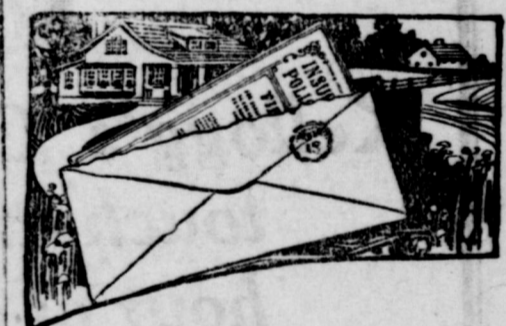
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fly he hop
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—The Shorthorn



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DANGER OF "SHORT CUTS" WAS DISCUSSED IN CHAPEL

Interesting Program for February 22 Also Rendered

On Wednesday morning February 15th was held a very good Chapel program.

Elva Spencer and Margaret Nicolls gave declamations that were much enjoyed. The Rev. Harrison delivered a very appropriate and interesting talk on the "Danger of Short Cuts," which could be very beneficial to us if we only applied it. We desire Mr. Harrison to visit us with another thoughtful talk.

Again on February 22nd, the birth of the great president, George Washington, we had a rousing, patriotic program, given us by the pupils from the seventh grade. They sang patriotic songs; told stories about George Washington and Lincoln. Margarite Herrera who read "The Early Life and Character of George Washington" deserves special mention for her ability to enunciate clearly and forcefully in English. Charles Rice told us a humorous incident about Abraham Lincoln. Dick Shannon also related a good story. Miss Mills' orchestra played Valse Barcarolle from Tales from Hoffman, Offenbach and Priscilla—M. Greenald. These beautiful selections made each heart glad.

THIRD GRADE GIVES PROGRAM

The Third grade gave a short program before the Parent-Teachers Association Friday, February 17th. A most interesting as well as instructive number on the program was a selection entitled "The Most Important Days in February." This brought forcibly to the minds of the children that even though February is the shortest month of the year, it is the birth month of three of our

most famous American men—Lincoln, Washington and Longfellow.

Parent-Teachers Send Delegate to 6th District Convention.

The Parent-Teachers Association held a profitable sale at the Community House on Saturday, Feb. 25, every kind of delicious eats were for sale—and sold too. In fact those well-prepared foods were gone before half of the buyers had procured their Sunday dinner.

But most important of all, a goodly sum was cleared. This will be used to send Mrs. Hill, the delegate elected, to the Sixth Parent-Teachers Association to meet in El Paso.

THE ROUNDUP

Willie and Margaret Harper have been absent from school this week on account of illness.

Helen Grantham has been absent from school this week.

Miss Mae Phelan has gone to Ft. Riley, Kan., where she will make her future home.

Miss Mitchell has been teaching for Mrs. Robinson, who has been very ill.

Miss Davis has also been absent. Of course we are grieved when our teachers are absent, but we wish that when they have to be out they would all be ill at the same time.

There were many Apine visitors at the "Gold Bug" performance last Wednesday evening.

Elaine Briam is convalescing rapidly. We hope to have her with us again in the near future.

Tyler Wilkerson, who is attending school at T. C. U., is making such progress and showing such ability that he has been appointed Assistant Instructor in Freshman Biology.

Luci-Belle Snyder, '18, has been chosen as one of the "Texas Favorites."

Flora Mae Stockard spent Friday Saturday and Sunday in El Paso visiting the dentist and incidentally enjoying some El Paso sports.

Eva Jones, who has been in El Paso for an appendicitis operation, was joyously greeted Friday afternoon by her family and friends.

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