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CATTLEMEN TO MEET IN EL PASO

Cattlemen and packers from various parts of the United States, returning from the annual convention of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association at Fort Worth, will be in El Paso today.

Thomas E. Wilson, president Wilson & Co., packers, Chicago, will arrive on the Sunshine Special at 12:45 p. m., according to company's officials.

A group of 25 packers from Omaha are scheduled to arrive at 4 p. m., according to advices received by the Chamber of Commerce. They will be met by heads of local packing companies. Omaha visitors will remain in El Paso until Saturday night.

El Paso Gets Convention
According to word received by the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, the annual convention of the association will be held here. Word that this city has been chosen as a meeting place was sent by A. L. Knight, local representative of the Fort Worth convention.

El Paso was selected following much argument at the final meeting of convention delegates, it was said. Representatives from Houston and San Antonio sought to win the convention for their respective cities. A speech, urging cattlemen to choose El Paso as a meeting place, was made by attorney Dan Jackson of this city.

The convention will bring 2,000 or more delegates to El Paso, according to estimates. The association is the largest of its kind in the country, and has a membership of more than 7,000, officers said. W. W. Turney, of El Paso, is president of the organization.—El Paso Times.

OVERGOVERNMENT

Whenever we have occasion to look thru the list of offices and bureaus at Washington and consider the extent to which government now inspects, regulates and directs private business and private affairs or is urged to do it, we fall to wondering what our wise and long-headed forefathers could have thought of it all. One of their chief causes of revolt against Great Britain was the inquisitions and restrictions of the royal government. "He has erected a multitude of new offices," says the Declaration of Independence in enumerating the grievances of the colonists against King George, "and sent hither swarms of officers to harrass our people and eat out their substance." When the fathers drew up our Constitution they were jealous of the power of the central government to interfere in local affairs or to restrict the liberty or the personal responsibility of the citizen. They were probably somewhat too solicitous about the matter, for the tendency for at least a century has been to increase the authority of the central government; but we often wonder if that tendency has not gone far enough.

It is true, of course, that the "new offices" of government have been established with the consent of the people, and many if not all of the extended activities at Washington have their excuse in the desire of well-intentioned persons to use the great powers of government either to establish justice and uniformity of law throughout the land or to aid in extending and improving the industries by which we live. But granting all that, is there not danger in depending too much on government and in too greatly restricting the right of personal liberty? Carried to its logical issue the present tendency will make this country the most gigantic bureaucracy ever known, with millions of public officials withdrawn from productive work and supported in their wasteful supervision of everyone's business by the labors of the rest of people among whom personal responsibility and self-reliance will largely have been destroyed.

A bureaucracy, however efficient, for the moment, is almost the worst kind of government, for it lays the people under staggering taxation and finds a thousand ways to hamper and exasperate private enterprise. What our people need in order to recover their prosperity and

WILL NOT MOVE BORDER TROOPS

Washington, D. C., March 22.—Reports that the war department might withdraw all troops from the Mexican border and concentrate them at posts in the interior of the country are without foundation.

Gen. Harbord, assistant chief of staff, said the reports did not originate in the war department and there are no plans contemplated now to change the present distribution of troops along the border.

Texas congressmen have been dismayed by the reports and several of them, including Rep. Claude Hudspeth, talked with Gen. Harbord. In his recent testimony before the house military affairs committee, on the army bill, Gen. Harbord said, however, if the army was reduced to 115,000 men, which has been done in the bill, that it might be necessary to withdraw the border patrols and concentrate the troops on the border at Fort Bliss and Fort Sam Houston.

Southwestern congressmen, despite the reduction in the army, will not permit such a policy, some of them said, which would leave the border open at any time to raids by bandit bands from Mexico, the congressmen asserted that despite the reduction in the army there will be enough troops on the border for patrols and for posts where posts now exist.

Gen. Harbord said that concentration and abandonment of the patrols could save the war department \$1,000,000 annually.

It is reported here that recognition of the Oregon government is near, and if this is done, war department officials believe the state department will put upon the Mexican government the obligation to protect the border and prevent raids and disorders.

This would allow all the border troops to be concentrated at Fort Bliss and Sam Houston and this probably will be done for economy, despite the fact that the department has as yet no plans for concentration.—El Paso Herald.

to gain fresh inspiration of courage and vigor is neither coddling nor discipline from Washington, but hard, honest work under conditions that make work a joy and a builder of character and intelligence. In making the national government a schoolmaster and a disciplinarian, we run the risk of turning our free American citizens, who know their rights and enjoy their responsibilities, into something like school children, docile or not, as the case may be, but certainly under the kind of compulsion and direction that is suitable only for the immature.—Youths' Companion.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks for the many kindness shown us during the illness and death of our son and brother, Benjamin F. Nudd, Master Sergt. of the 7th cav. By the many friends and comrades of the army and the Masonic lodge at Marfa. May God Bless all of you. Mr and Mrs P. W. Nudd Mrs C. B. Dermatt Mrs D. K. Pearsons Mrs O. M. Conaley

DR. GRONER COMING

Will speak at the Baptist church Tuesday, the 28th at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Everybody invited and urged to hear him. Dr. Groner is General Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and a very forceful and interesting speaker.

There will be no services at the Baptist church Sunday, but our people are all urged to attend the all-day services at Fort Davis, where Dr. Groner will speak both morning afternoon and night.

C. S. HARRISON, Pastor.

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Preaching by pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning theme: "Christ Triumphant," and evening subject: "The Mission of the Son of Man." You are cordially invited to attend. J.L. Henson, Pastor.

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the 83rd Judicial district, subject to
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83rd Judicial district of Texas.

C. R. Sutton.

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nounce L. F. Elliott of Sonora, as a
candidate for Judge of the 83rd
Judicial district, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic primary.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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nounce Judge Brian Montague of
Brewster county, as a candidate for
the office of District Attorney of the
83rd Judicial District, subject to the
action of the Democratic primary.

For District Clerk—

The New Era is authorized to an-
nounce as a candidate for 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 pri-
mary on the 22nd day of July, 1922.

For Sheriff—

The New Era is authorized to an-
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.

The New Era is authorized to an-
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—

The New Era is authorized to an-
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.

The New Era is hereby authorized
to announce Sam W. Wooley as
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 authoriz-
ed to announce Sam Neill as a can-
didate for the office of treasurer
of Presidio county, subject to the
action of the Democratic primary.

For Tax Assessor—

The New Era has been authorized
to announce E. T. McDonald as a
candidate for the office of Assessor
of Taxes of Presidio County, subject
to the action of the Democratic pri-
mary in July next.

The New Era is hereby authorized
to announce Robert Greenwood for
Tax Assessor of Presidio County, sub-
ject to the action of the democratic
primary.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—

The New Era is authorized to an-
nounce D. D. Kilpatrick as a candi-
date for County Commissioner of
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A CITY ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the city council
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of an ordinance regulating a dog tax
within the city limits of Marfa, Texas
passed and approved by the City
Council, May 12, 1921, and providing
a penalty.

If any person or persons shall be
guilty of allowing their dog or bitch
to run loose on the streets or alleys,
within the city limits of Marfa
without tags on them, issued by the
city of Marfa, they shall be deemed
guilty of a misdemeanor and upon
conviction of same, shall be fined

not to exceed the sum of ten dollars.

Passed and approved by the City
Council and approved by me this
the 10th day of March, 1922.

Jno. T. Hamil, Mayor of the City
of Marfa.

Attest:
A. M. Avant, Sec. and Treas.

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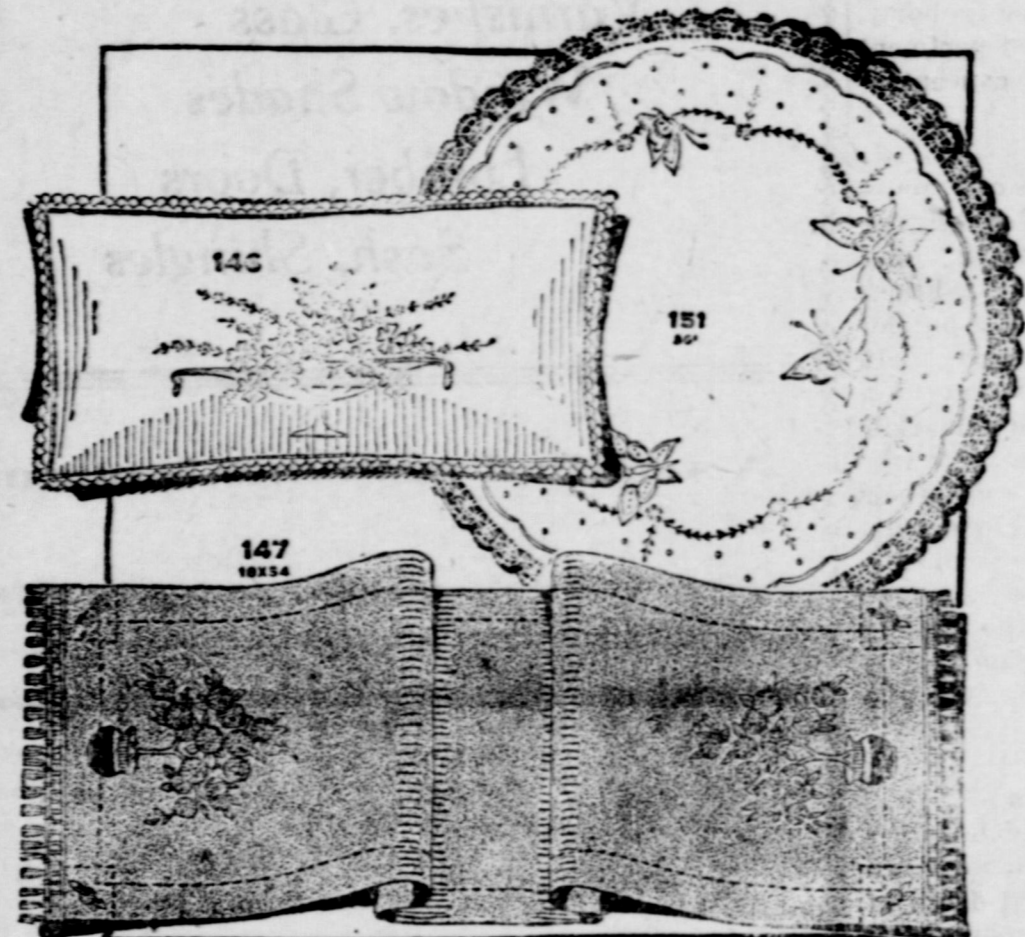
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Mr. and Mrs. Gordan Hysaw are contemplating moving to El Paso in the near future.

Mrs. T. H. Spencer is in Uvalde, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Willie E. Hogan was again operated on in San Antonio Monday. A letter from her aunt, Mrs. Blanks, reported that she stood the operation in good form.

Rev. F. M. Johnson held services in Alpine last Sunday, going from there to Fort Stockton.

New Axminster Rugs 9X12 feet—just in—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Dr. A. G. Church attended the convention of the Odd Fellows in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Orgain have been the first of the week looking around in El Paso, with a view of moving there soon. It is reported that already they have purchased a home there.

Fresh shipment of that Famous LIGHT CRUST Flour—you can't beat it—Griffith Grocery Co.

Golden State butter tastes better and stays fresh longer—Griffith Grocery Co.

Mrs. W. M. Ellison and daughter, Miss Mildred Ellison, left for San Antonio. Miss Mildred goes there for medical treatment under a specialist.

Mrs. Eugene Kelley, nee Miss Mary Shannon, and her husband, of Kansas City, are visiting the parents of Mrs. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shannon.

Ranches Wanted—Have buyers for ranches worth the money. Also Clients willing to trade farms and city property. If your ranch is for sale or exchange at reasonable price I want to list it. No charges unless sold. Fennell Dibrell, San Antonio Texas.

J. C. Orgain, manager of the Queen theatre of Marfa, was in Fort Davis Wednesday advertising a special feature at this theatre in Marfa April 5th and 6th, matinee an night.—F. L. Davis Post.

Axminster Rugs 27X54 inches—just received—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Marx Stool returned with their daughter Tuesday evening from El Paso, where she was operated on for appendicitis.

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Miss Florence McKissick, the popular school teacher of Brite, Texas, spent the week-end in Marfa, the guest of Miss Flora May Stockard.

Miss Mary Belle Taff, who is attending the Sul Ross normal at Alpine, came in Saturday to spend a few days with home folks.

Miss Elizabeth Fennell, a student of Sul Ross normal at Alpine, spent the week-end here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fennell.

Draperies—good patterns—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Capt. J. B. Gillett and wife returned Monday from the Live Stock convention and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

Miss Cornelia Cox, of San Antonio, is here visiting her brother, Jim Cox.

Miss A. Leveque was a visitor to El Paso last week.

Rev. A. S. Carver, who was operated on several weeks ago, is convalescing.

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Jno. T. Hamie, C. E. Mead, H. O. Metcalfe J. W. Howell, C. R. Sutton and several others from this city are attending court in Fort Stockton this week.

Linoleum—12 feet wide, extra good patterns, just received—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mrs. Gordan Hysaw left yesterday for El Paso. She was accompanied by Mrs. Emma Gillespie.

Major Tyler, accompanied by Mrs. Tyler, left for El Paso Wednesday. The Major expects to be operated on there soon.

Dr. Ellen Church has been on the sick list this week.

Dr. M. R. Mahon was called Wednesday evening to Brite, Texas, where he visited the family of T. T. Neill, most of them being down with the flu.

Major and Mrs. Daly left Wednesday evening for San Antonio. The Major may be transferred there. A large number of friends were at the train to bid them good speed.

HISTORY CLUB

The History Club will meet next Tuesday, March 28 with Mrs. K. C. Miller at her home.

Topics—Father Ryan; Henry Timrod.

Leader, Mrs. Snyder.

PRESS REPORTER.

ST. PATRICK'S PARTY

One of the loveliest parties of the season was given by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Kerkendall, March 17th, at the C. T. Mitchell home.

The spirit of St. Patrick was in evidence everywhere. White carnations—green foliage, ribbon and moline added charm to the already attractive rooms. The evening's fun was begun by an Irish romance contest. A box of candy was given to Mr. and Mrs. La Monde as winners of the first prize and the booby, a pipe and bottle of perfume went to Clay Mitchell and wife. Forty-two was the main feature of the evening. Eight tables were set for Mesdames and Messrs. Coefield, Spence, Mabry, Anderson, Casner, Lockley, Rosson, McKie Mitchell, Clay Mitchell Orr, Kerr, Hoffman, LaMonde, Haynes, Maurer and Davis.

At a late hour refreshments were served. Here also was the spirit of Old Ireland beautifully carried out.

Grettonne?—Yes—about 15 new patterns just received.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

MRS. EUNICE STONE POER

On March 28th Mrs. Eunice S. Poer, wife of C. E. Poer, departed this life. She was born in San Antonio, Texas on November 27th, 1878.

At 11 o'clock funeral services were held at the Methodist church, conducted by Rev. J. L. Henson, pastor, and assisted by Rev. C. S. Harrison. For several months the deceased was ill, but her death was quite unexpected to her family and friends.

She was a member of the Methodist church and was a lovely Christian character and had a host of friends and relatives, who deeply regret her passing away. She is survived by her husband, C. E. Poer, three daughters and one son—Mrs. Oscar Wells, Mrs. Jack Rawls, both of Marfa, Miss Willie May, of Los Angeles, Calif., and Charles E. Poer, Jr.

BENJAMIN F. NUDD

On March 19, at Marfa, Benjamin F. Nudd died. He was born at Shendoah, Iowa, on July 13th, 1874.

Funeral services were conducted from the undertaking parlor at 10:30 o'clock, March 21, by the Masons and assisted by the military.

UNCLE HICK O'NEAL

This week the editor received a letter from his old friend, H. O'Neal, known to all the West Texans as Uncle Hick. He came to Alpine—then Murphysville—in 1885, and lived there for a number of years. Uncle "Hick" was a Confederate veteran, an old ranger and at different times especial officer in West Texas and Arizona. He was known as a peaceable law-abiding citizen—but a brave man and a most fearless officer. For these brave officers of the West, who in the lawless days, braved every danger to bring about peace, safety and order along the border, the Government, both State and National should not forget in their old age. "Here's looking, Uncle Hick!"

Newest Sport suits just arrived—Livingston-Mabry Co.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The members of the Ladies Aid society of the First Christian church was delightfully entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. L. C. Brite at her beautiful and hospitable home on West Hill. Mrs. Brite was assisted in entertaining the members by Mrs. H. H. Kilpatrick. After the disposal of the regular order of business, a social hour was enjoyed. A very interesting Bible contest was the main feature of the afternoon entertainment, in which Mrs. Simpson, mother of Dr. J. A. Simpson, carried off the first honors by answering 29 object questions out of the 33 objects. The prize was a leather book New Testament. Several musical selections were greatly enjoyed. Mrs. L. M. Hight rendering a lovely vocal solo and a piano solo, and Miss Florence McKissick a number of beautiful piano solos.

A salad course, with fruit punch and pecan cake was served. Twenty members were present, and the guests of honor were: Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Hight, Miss Florence McKissick and Miss Cornelia Cox.

Spring Goods in all departments now in and on display—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank the kind friends of Marfa for their many manifestations of thoughtfulness and esteem in our great sorrow and bereavement. May every blessing and rich reward come to you all—always.

C. E. POER and FAMILY.

MENDIAS BROTHERS

The firm of Medias Bros., of Marfa and Presidio, have gone into voluntary bankruptcy. As near as can be ascertained, the liabilities are about \$25,000 and the assets about \$35,000.

Urbano Mendias, the senior member of the firm, came to Marfa about ten years ago and is universally regarded as an intelligent and honorable citizen, and a very capable business man. But the hard times found the firm loaded down with merchandise, besides, at the beginning of the World War the firm put into buildings about \$15,000, which has proven almost dead capital.

NOTICE

To all dog owners: You are hereby notified that the dog tax due the City of Marfa for 1922 are now due. You are respectfully requested to call at the City Hall and pay your tax and get your tag for 1922.

A. M. AVANT, City Marshal.

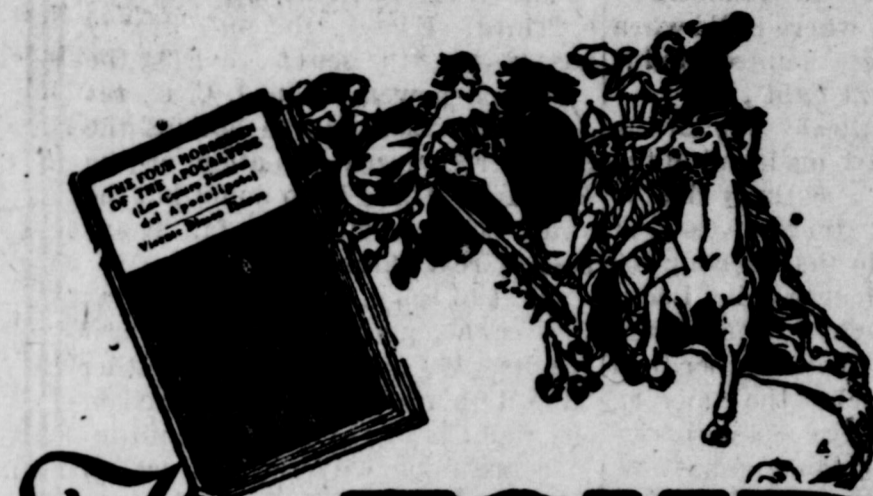
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HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE

Mrs. Clay Mitchell was hostess at the home of Mrs. Hildsman Davis. Those answering the roll call were: Mesdames Kerr, McKie Mitchell, Casner, Metcalfe, Lockley, Ray, Haynes, Maurer, Hoffman, Davis, Anderson and the hostess.

Mrs. Kerr had the lesson, which was on dress making.

The guests were Mrs. Tom Mitchell and Mrs. Rosson.

The hostess April 6th will be Mrs. Loyd Mitchell at her ranch home.

General R. E. L. Howze, in command at El Paso, inspected the troops at Marfa this week. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Miller.

Phone 228 for your groceries. Get what you want when you want it—Griffith Grocery Co.

NOTICE OF SALE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS EL PASO DIVISION.

The United States VS. One Dodge Touring ... No. 4326 Cr. Automobile

NOTICE is hereby given that, under an order of our said Court, made and entered October 3rd, 1921, in the above styled and numbered cause, I will, on the 8th of April, it being the second Saturday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer for sale and sell at public auction, before the County Court House of Presidio County, at Marfa, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property to-wit: One Dodge Touring automobile, motor number of which has been obliterated, which property was by said Court condemned and forfeited to the United States of America and ordered sold.

D. A. WALKER, United States Marshal, Western District of Texas. By R. S. Bynum, Deputy.

CATHOLICS—PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Catholics view with delight the efforts being made to give public school children some religious instruction. They hope these efforts may be successful, and the rising generation come to know Almighty God, and knowing Him, love Him and serve Him. That is why the Catholic church builds and maintains her own schools, that her own children may have a knowledge of God.

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FABULA NARRATUR

—OF LODGE

James M. Cox says the Democratic party "stands just where it did when the votes were counted" and is "Ready for the next fight".

Whatever political capital the Democrats will have made out of the arms conference is entirely due to the Republicans themselves—and particularly due to that sterling 100 per cent patriot—Henry Cabot Lodge.

Lodge, who fought Wilson—not with sincerity, but with hypocritical protestations which the American public did not recognize as hypocrisy at the time—is the man who has now taught the American public that it was thoroughly goldbricked.

Lodge whose opposition to the League of Nations while Wilson was in office, and whose right about face the minute he was out, has made of himself the greatest laughing stock of the country.

For the news is beginning to seep through, how this same Lodge, the watchdog of the American people against European aggression, allowed himself to be "blindfolded and used as a cat's paw."

And it was done through his egotism apparently, just as his egotism was played upon to persuade him to "lead" the fight against President Wilson.

Lodge was one of the American delegates who signed the 4 power Pacific treaty. Some time during that discussion—at the eleventh hour we are permitted to believe—the question of interpreting "insular dominions" to mean the homeland of Japan, was raised. The American delegates, Lodge among them, dubiously assented.

Then the treaty was carried into the open conference. Secretary Hughes as a delicate little tribute to the man who had led the fight on the Versailles treaty, called upon Lodge to tell the world just what it meant.

And Lodge—the statesman—with his nifty little address about Roert Louis Stevenson all written out and ready for the press, either couldn't think on his feet fast enough, was mentally incompetent to realize the importance of America guaranteeing the integrity of the Japanese nation or deliberately deceived the American people.

He spoke his little piece about the treaty and Stevenson and said nothing about the guarantee of the Japanese homeland. All his boasted statesmanship has vanished. They are letting him stay in the game merely because it wouldn't look well if he had to admit that the spokesman in the senate against Wilson had gummed up the cards. But it is safe to say that the minute this conference ends, Senator Lodge will be very small potatoes. He is already the private joke of Washington.

The American people are pretty well beginning to realize that the attacks by Lodge, et al. on the Wilson league were dictated entirely by politics. A republican must be credited with the success of bringing about world peace.

There are many who opposed the Wilson league and the Harding treaties—they are honest about their opposition. They resent Lodge's right about face as bitterly as anyone.

But the truth of the matter is the American people know now that most of the forces opposed to Wilson, merely wanted to steal democratic thunder for the Republican party.

Gov. Cox is right. The Democratic party "stands just where it did when the votes were counted" and "is ready or the next fight."

And when the next fight comes the nation will vote with its eyes open.—El Paso Times.

FARM BLOC'S NEW OBJECTIVES

Washington.—"The farm bloc has only begun to fight."

That is the message of Senator Capper of Kansas, new leader of the agricultural bloc in the United States senate, who inherited leadership when Senator Kenyon resigned to go on the federal bench.

"The legislation in which the bloc has been most active to date," Capper explains in discussing his plans for the future of this bi-partisan agricultural group, "has been in the main emergency measures."

"We are now facing, however, the task of getting into law matters that must form a great, constructive, national agricultural policy."

"Of first importance to agriculture are lower freight rates. We cannot get back anywhere near to normal until these rates are lowered. Although it is doubtful that there is a great deal that congress can do in this line, the matter of rates being in the hands of the interstate commerce commission, there are two or three things which would help. Among these are:

"First: Repeal the guarantee clause

of the Esch-Cummins act.

"Second: Restore to state railway commissions power to correct abuses and discriminations in local rates.

"Third: Enact the bill, already passed by the senate, revising the valuation powers of the I. C. C., reducing by about three billions the present recognized valuation of the railways. There is no doubt but the value now recognized is far in excess of real values.

"Next to the matter of transportation is the question of agricultural credits. We are just now getting shaped up a new credit bill, based on the findings of the joint agricultural commission which would set up new machinery for more adequate credit facilities through the federal farm loan board.

"There is now a gap between the short term 60 day and 90 day paper and the long term mortgage loan on land which must be filled.

"There is a need for credits running from six months to three years to farmers and stock raisers, to enable them to make necessary turn-over in their products.

"The result of the present financial system, devised to fit business, not agriculture, is that the farmer must often market under the most unfavorable conditions.

"Next comes the problem of marketing. One of the biggest things this government can do, I believe, is to shape up a new and efficient code or system of marketing its agricultural products. This is in the interest of the consumer as much as of the producer.

"Today the United States has the costliest and most inefficient system of marketing of any country in the world.

"That the farm bloc has been able to get things done is due to the fact that the things for which it has fought have been fundamentally correct. Among the more notable of these measures have been:

First: The Capper-Volstead cooperative marketing bill.

Second: The future trading bill, regulating grain exchanges.

Third: The revival of the war finance corporation as an aid to helping move farm products.

Fourth: Increasing funds available for loans by the farm loan board by \$50,000,000.

Fifth: Passage by the senate of the bill giving agriculture a representative on the federal reserve board.

"The farm bloc is going to allow no letup in its activities. There is a big job ahead, and the biggest proposition is to work out a constructive national program for agriculture.

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"The bloc has been fighting along economic, not party lines. It represents a union of those forces interested in helping agricultural and general economic conditions regardless of party affiliations. "I do not believe the bloc will develop any new party alignment. But it will hold on economic questions affecting agriculture, a strong bipartisan following."

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