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# The CLAYTON NEWS

WE GIVE YOU  
THE NEWS  
WHILE IT'S NEWS

VOLUME FIFTEEN  
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Clayton, New Mexico, July 7, 1922

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## NEW MEXICO IS ENTERING PERIOD OF PROSPERITY

"New Mexico's climate appeals with great force to home and health-seekers" declared Edward Chambers, vice president of the Santa Fe railway in charge of traffic, who was in Albuquerque Tuesday. "The Santa Fe railway realizes the great pulling force of such a climate and will do all in its power to help New Mexico develop this valuable asset."

The state will make rapid progress in both agricultural and industrial development according to Mr. Chambers who predicts a rapid increase in the population of the state.

Reports from our representatives in various parts of the state show that farmers, stockmen, merchants, bankers, miners, and manufacturers generally are recovering from the hardships caused by the war. Mr. Chambers explained, "The tide has turned. Everywhere men are hopeful of the future. They have begun to plan improvements. Business actually is picking up, and transactions again are carrying profit."

**Copper in Demand**  
The reopening of the New Mexico and Arizona copper mines is a good indication that the manufacturing business all over the country has taken a turn for the better, because the products of these mines are used everywhere. The demand for New Mexico coal is increasing. Gallup coal is growing in popularity in California, and when the labor trouble is settled, a great deal of the output of the mines will go to that state. The smelters at Jerome are calling for large quantities of Gallup coal.

**Big Crop Expected**  
Our reports indicate that 1922 will be a big crop year for New Mexico; that there will be a ready market for all the state's products, and that prices will be more satisfactory than they have been for two years. Building activities throughout the state this year will be far ahead of those of 1921. Practically every community has something of a building program.

The Santa Fe is endeavoring to bring to the attention of home-seekers and other investors the opportunities in New Mexico, and I am sure that through our publicity efforts a good many desirable families will come here to live.—State Record.

**RAILROAD STRIKE HELP UP PENDING ACTION BY BOARD**  
Chicago, July 3.—The six railway shop crafts unions which went on strike Saturday were outlawed by the United States railroad labor board today.

In a formal resolution, the board declared that the unions, by their action, forfeited all rights before the board as railway employees and that new organizations of shopmen taking the striking men's jobs should be formed to represent the shop employees in disputes before the board.

**KANSAS NEEDS HARVESTERS**  
Virtually the whole northwest quarter of Kansas needs harvest hands, according to George E. Tucker, representative of the U. S. agricultural service, 204 Main St. in the territory of which, Salina is the chief marketing point.

## KU KLUX KLAN PAY VISIT TO DALHART

The Invisible Empire Knights of the Ku Klux Klan are in Dalhart. All doubt about Dalhart having a Ku Klux Klan was removed last Sunday night, when nine men robed in full regalia of the Ku Klux Klan, entered the Methodist church, south, during the services and handed the pastor Rev. A. B. Davidson, an envelope containing a letter and a sum of money, with the request that the letter be read after their departure.

An unusually large crowd was present, tending to show that at least some of the congregation had knowledge of their coming, but to most of the congregation and to the pastor, it was a complete surprise. The pastor had taken for his text for this service one of the shortest verses in the Bible "Remember Lot's Wife," and was nearing the end of his sermon when the interruption came.

The Klansmen came in cars, with license tags concealed and leaving the cars with engines running, silently entered the church, marching single file down the right hand aisle, forming in front of the pulpit. The leading Klansman, handing the pastor a letter requested that it be read after their departure. Rev. Davidson, having by this time recovered from his surprise at their entrance requested that before receiving the letter that the leader answer a few questions, to which he responded that the letter would be self-explanatory. Another member of the party presented the minister with an American flag, saying that "the Klan stood for all that the flag implied, 100 per cent Americans." With eight of the party kneeling and the hooded figure in the center standing erect, a prayer was given, after which they departed as silently as they came.

Not a sound was made by the congregation, so complete was the surprise until after the Klansmen had taken their departure, when a buzz of conversation began to run over the church.

This was their first public appearance in Dalhart and confirms a rumor that has been running over town for two weeks, that an organization was in the city for the purpose of organizing a Klan in Dalhart. The letter handed Rev. Davidson is reproduced for our readers:  
Dalhart, Texas,  
June 25, 1922.

To the Pastor, Methodist Church, Dalhart, Texas, Reverend Sir:—"God moves in mysterious ways, His missions to perform; He walks upon the water, He rides upon the storm."

We have seen the good work done here by your church and wish to inform the pastor that his brave and untiring efforts are appreciated. We are behind him ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND strong. From time to time, this organization will send representatives to call on the protestant churches of this city, with the intention of offering our moral and financial support.

**GO BACK ON PENNSYLVANIA**  
St. Louis, July 3.—Local officials of the Pennsylvania railway today announced that six of the 165 Pennsylvania shopmen who went on strike here Saturday returned to the work today, and that they understood the strikers were returning to their shops.

## CHRISTIAN AID ENTERTAINS ON THURSDAY EVE

The Ladies' Circle of the Christian Church, gave a blouse and overall party that made inroads on the pocket books of the portly church-goers of Clayton, last Thursday, each person attending being supposed to give one penny per inch, generous measurement, in return for which the ladies offered a short program of readings and musical numbers, which were exceptionally fine. The readings were given by Mrs. H. J. Hammond, Jr., and Evelyn Farber. Mrs. Hammond is an able reader and delighted her audience with two numbers.

Piano solos were given by Pauline Bealy and Thelma Humley; duets by Grace and Avis Bryan; solo by Mrs. Bushnell, also one by Leah Gray and another by Avis Bryan, all of which were greatly enjoyed.

The Progress Club Orchestra made its initial appearance and gave several numbers. This orchestra is composed of Mrs. P. Scott and Mrs. C. Linford, violins; Oren Gentry, cornet; Willie Keuneke, clarinet; Raymond Means, saxophone, and Mrs. Tom Bushnell, piano.

These young people are accomplished musicians and will with credit represent Clayton with honor at the Progress Convention held this fall.

Refreshments were served at 9:30 and all enjoyed a splendid evening.

## HUBERT YOUNG OF GUY IS KILLED BY LIGHTNING

It is reported that during an electrical storm Thursday afternoon, Hubert Young, a young farmer in the Guy community was instantly killed by lightning. The particulars cannot be learned.

Mr. Guy was a progressive farmer, an ex-service man, and was liked by all who knew him.

**M. E. CHURCH**  
Morning Topic: "A Personal World."  
Evening Topic: "Thought and Things."

## BILLION LOSS FOR U. S. TAX INCOME IN ELEVEN MONTHS

Government tax receipts fell off by more than 4,000,000,000 during the eleven months of the current fiscal year, as compared with a year ago, according to the classified collections for May issued today by the internal revenue bureau at Washington.

For the 11 months ending with May revenues from taxes, according to the bureau's statement, aggregated \$2,732,000,000, as compared to \$3,800,000,000 for the corresponding months of 1921, while for the month of May the total was \$102,545,000, as compared with \$217,850,000 during the same month a year ago.

Income and profits taxes for the 11 months ended with May amounted to \$1,702,000,000.—Magee's Independent.

## Sporadic Walkouts Today

Chicago, July 3.—Sporadic walkouts of stationery firemen and oilers, clerks and maintenance of way men to join the striking railway shopmen marked the day's developments in which all strikers on the country's railroads were formally banned from federal recognition by the United States railroad labor board.

**Price Glemons has been found guilty of murder in the first degree in the district court in Rio Arriba, according to reports here. The crime for which he was tried was the killing of...**

## STATE BRIEFS

Work is being pushed on the new \$60,000 school building at Aztec, and it is expected that the new building will be ready for use during the last half of the coming school year.

At a depth of 2,400 feet the Midwest Refining Co., operating near Aztec, struck a flow of petroleum gas which, it is claimed is exceeded in volume by only one well in the United States. Testing machines could not register the amount of gas gushing from the mouth of the hole, but experienced drillers declare it is not less than sixty million feet.

Governor Mechem has received a telegram from Director General Jones of the United States employment service, Washington, to the effect that Arizona is in need of 4,600 laborers, preferably Mexicans, to harvest the cotton crop. Application should be made to Mr. Jones.

T. A. Spencer, manager of El Capitan Livestock company, recently contracted for 2000 steers to J. O. Whittington, of Amarillo, Tex. It is the biggest bunch of cattle to be shipped out of Lincoln county in several years. The sale involved about \$65,000.

Congressman Montoya has nominated the following persons as postmasters over the state: C. B. B. Thacker, at Raton; E. A. Hannah, at Artesia; Carl Solomon, at Grants; Mrs. E. C. Snayman at Bluewater; M. P. Harvey at Clayton; Abran Barcala at La Joya; Harran De Losier at Texico; Rosendo Fernandez at Arroyo Seco; Miss Myrtle Harris at Thomas; Estevan Fajardo at Clyde; C. A. Ripley, at Newman; Jose A. Perea, at Torreon; J. J. Matt at New Laga; Ben C. Hill at Eden and F. C. Sanchez at Arniño.—Record.

William Harris of Grant County, has been appointed register of the U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces.

Thousands of dollars loss in crops was sustained by the farmers in the Carrizo community when visited by a terrific hail storm last week. Hail fell to the depth of one foot.

Folsom voted \$50,000 at the recent election to erect new school building.

Deming Roller Mills opened July 1st, and will be operated permanently.

Convention was held in Roswell July 1st, to determine nominee of Democratic party in assessor's race. Disclosures have been made that ballots were tampered with.

John Zurich with his string won the Cowboys' relay race the first day of the Las Vegas Cowboys' Reunion.

Herbert B. Holt has announced his candidacy for U. S. senator for the Republican party.

New Mexico Cattle & Horse Growers' association will form a police force to trace many cattle thieves in the state.

It is rumored that the Shriners will erect a hospital for crippled children in Albuquerque.

Roswell reports about 7000 lbs. of wool sold at around 30c, with about 7000 yet remaining to be sold later.

Artesia Chamber of Commerce will issue booster booklet on Artesia and the valley.

Las Cruces gave \$1,000 for Salvation Army work this year.

Mesilla Valley will produce this year about 125 cars of cabbage.

Cimarron voted at election held last week \$75,000 for the erection of school buildings.

New Mexico Construction Co. of Albuquerque was awarded the contract for paving district No. 9, Raton, the cost being about \$175,000.

297 shop men answered the strike call at Raton and went quietly to their homes.

## CLAYTON GETS SMALL END OF GUYMON GAME

The road to Guymon was kept hot last Monday evening and Tuesday morning by a crowd of about fifty favored fans who were on their way to the big celebration put on by the Guymon Legion Post, for the Fourth. The whole day's program was big league style, according to eye-witnesses, but the chief attraction was the ball game between Hooker and Clayton.

Clayton was scheduled to play Hooker at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, the winner to play Dalhart in the afternoon. The Grays were on the job, but the team was not the same that we have been used to seeing, owing to the absence of Tom Johnston, who was called to Amarillo by the death of his brother, and Johnny Corich, who was injured and laid up in the hospital. Most of those who saw the game say that Hooker's winning by a 4-1 score was largely due to the absence of these players. Johnny Waters, who pitched for Clayton in 1916, was on first base, and Paul McHargue, fast shortstopper of the Mt. Dora team, held the right field position. Waters, being unused to playing first, failed to put up a first class game, and it is said that only one of Hooker's runs was earned, Waters accounting for several errors.

Clayton got only one hit off Russell, the emery ball artist, it being a two-bagger by Capt. Hardy Kerr, with one man on base, which accounted for Clayton's only run. Although some say Hooker got 3 hits and others say 6, off Smoky Joe, everyone agrees that he pitched wonderful ball.

Dalhart won the afternoon game, 6 to 1.

We understand that the Grays will take on Amistad on the local box next Sunday afternoon. It is reported that Amistad has a strong team, and if that is a fact, the Grays will have to hustle to come out in the lead.

## SOCIETY FOR THE WEEK

Mrs. Dick Sparks entertained her Bridge Club at their ranch, this week.

Monday of this week, Mrs. C. L. Collins entertained the Two Table Bridge Club at her home. Those present were Mesdames Eklund, Wallton Snyder, Dick Woolen, Selzer, Taylor, Priestley, Reed, of Denver, and M. C. Johnson.

Mrs. A. C. McElwain entertained 8 tables at Bridge at her home on Pine street last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. D. W. Priestley entertained the Bridge Club last Saturday afternoon at her home on the West side. There were present Mesdames Eklund, Woolen, Snyder, Selzer, Sam Edmondson, Tombs, Collins, Rankin, Easterwood, Granville, Taylor, Canon, Reed, Hill, Sr., M. C. Johnson, O'Beir and Miss Dakin.

## ART EXHIBIT AT R. W. ISAACS STORE

Miss Marjorie Record of Des Moines, opened recently in the Thompson building a studio. Miss Record is well recommended.

In the display window of the R. W. Isaacs store, Miss Record has an exhibit of her work. This work is the strongest recommendation of her ability that could be given. Artists of Clayton will do well to look over this display.

## CLARA HAMON PICTURE SHOWING IS CANCELLED

The Clara Smith-Hamon picture advertised at the Fair Theatre this week has been cancelled by Manager Carl Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan said that he had reviewed the picture and read press notices concerning the film, which indicated it was not of an immoral character and could be easily pass boards of censorship as probably the average picture, but added that he was glad to cancel the engagement when four churches of the city protested, claiming that the use of this name in connection with the film was objectionable. He declared he was glad to comply with the request of the moral influences of the city, even though it entailed his loss to the theatre, as he intended his show house to play none other than the highest class pictures.

Ray Sullivan, Gus Beck, Mayon, Montell, Edna Baskin, Walter Boy...

## HOME INDUSTRY MAKES BETTER BUSINESS

"Dollar Days" and "Trade at Home" weeks have become a fixed institution in American business life, hoping by these means to induce the consumer to park his or her dollars in the till of the local merchant and keep business at the hum.

No one can possibly dispute the fact that in the time-honored sermon, the text of which is "Trade at Home," is to be found a vital truth that is of more than passing interest to the community. USE CLAYTON-MADE PRODUCTS should be the slogan of every citizen in Clayton and Union County. This will help decidedly to strengthen business and bring back prosperity.

Clayton boasts of one of the best creameries and ice plants combined in this section of the southwest. This has only become possible thru the outlay of several thousand dollars, and the effort of the progressive business men of the town.

DAFFODIL BUTTER cannot be beat, absolutely pure and made from the best cream produced in Union county. Why not make it a habit to ask for Daffodil Butter? Why not ask for a Clayton-Made product when applying your table?

Butter is no good without bread. Will your slice taste sweeter because it is made in Colorado or some other state? The Clayton Bakery is well equipped, bakes twice daily and is conducted for the benefit of Clayton people. When buying these articles ask for "Clayton-Made."

## C. E. SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

The C. E. Society of the First Christian Church held their regular election of officers at the church last Thursday evening. This proved to be a very happy affair.

Walter Selby has been a very efficient president the past six months, and is largely responsible for the success of the society. As his closing event, the Society gave to its members a banquet which was appreciated by the 32 members who were present.

The following officers were elected for the present term: Bonnie Rinker, president; Walter Selby, vice president; Opal Brane, secretary-treasurer; Mae Bumley, corresponding secretary. We predict for them a very successful term of office and feel assured the society will grow in numbers and spirit during their administration.

## THREE STATES TRUCKING CO. OPENS OFFICES IN CLAYTON

The Three States Trucking Co. is a new concern that has designated Clayton as its headquarters, and will hereafter conduct a general trucking business, having scheduled trips to all points between Trinidad, Colo., and Dalhart, Texas.

This will be a real benefit to the people of this district who have been seriously handicapped for lack of adequate railway facilities.

Mr. George Larkin of Guy, and Mr. W. H. Eastwood of Des Moines, both experienced men, make up the partnership, having in operation one International 3-ton truck and one Republic 2-ton truck.

The territory covered will no doubt afford a very profitable business.

## THE PULLMAN CAFE CHANGES MANAGEMENT

The Pullman Cafe, Clayton's ever-popular restaurant, has changed hands, and will under the new management continue to cater to the people of Clayton and Union county.

The new management consists of Tom Johnston of Tulsa, Texas, and B. A. Landolt of Clayton. Mr. Johnston came to Clayton about 3 months ago from his home in Tulsa, to become a member of the Clayton ball team. He has proven his worth as a ball player, and is very popular with the Clayton fans. We predict he will prove his efficiency in the restaurant business.

Mr. Landolt came to Clayton five years ago from Atlantic, Iowa. He is well known in Clayton, a member of Fred J. Little Post of the Legion, and a splendid young business man.

These young people deserve the patronage of the Clayton and Union county people, and the News predicts a very successful business venture for them.

## BABY SHOWS IN COUNTY AWAKE INTEREST

On Thursday of last week a Baby Conference was conducted at Amistad, N. M., but due to the fact that it had not been thoroughly advertised, there were only a few brought to be examined.

The Union county Health Department wishes to express their appreciation to Dr. Brooker for his cooperation and interest during the Conference.

The Department is contemplating conducting another conference at Amistad at a later date, and advise more extensively in order that the parents in that community may have this wonderful opportunity.

6 P. M. last Saturday closed another successful Better Baby Conference. The physician and nurses began the examinations at 10 A. M. and continued throughout the noon hour and until 6 P. M. A total of fifty Greenville children were given a thorough physical examination, and a good number had to be referred to the approaching clinic before their children were examined.

No doubt we could have reached the one hundred mark, if we had more time to do so. This Conference more than made up for the time for Health Lectures, Baby Stations nor to distribute pamphlets as we had hoped to do.

Union County Health Department wishes to express their appreciation to the merchants and business community for their hearty cooperation during this conference. And also to express their appreciation to Mr. G. W. Selby, who so kindly volunteered his home for the conference.

Department fully appreciate interest and cooperation of the people all during this Conference at Greenville.

There is no age period to which the number of deaths is greater than during the first year of life, and none in which the number of preventable deaths is so great. Probably the most important health problem that the U. S. has to solve today is the reduction of her infant mortality. Actually more important than the problem of communicable disease, tuberculosis or any disease that primarily affects the adult. It is appalling, but nevertheless true, that "A baby comes into this world with less chance of living a week than a man with 70 years of age," and less chance to live a year than a man of eighty years.

Today the work directed toward keeping the baby well, and the method of doing this is by education, teaching the parents the proper way to feed and care for their child, and to have them understand the value of a clean, healthy environment in their homes.

Product samples and well produced leaflets in English, Spanish and French are being distributed to the parents.

The Union County Health Department will conduct a BABY CONFERENCE at DES MOINES, on JULY 16, FOLSOM JULY 18, and at DEEDMAN JULY 20. All parents are urged to bring their children 5 years and under to either of these Conferences for FREE PHYSICAL EXAMINATION.

There will be physicians in attendance at each; Lectures, Exhibits and Literature on Infant and Child Care will be distributed at all these Conferences. DON'T FORGET THE DATES.

## FIRST ANNUAL REUNION OF THE CLASS OF 1921

The Class of 1921 held its first annual reunion on Saturday, July 1st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller. As the class of 1921 was the most progressive class ever graduated from Clayton High School, it is the first to organize an association. It is hoped that next year will bring a larger attendance, but it will be hard to make a enthusiastic group that year, as the reunion of the first class was the following reunion was held at...

The following members were present: Tom Johnston, Gus Beck, Mayon, Montell, Edna Baskin, Walter Boy...

With the present state of affairs...

### LOCAL ITEMS

None such—Daffodil Butter.

W. I. Baer spent the Fourth in Amarillo.

Miss Myrtle Haueck spent the Fourth in Trinidad, Colo.

W. Garrison was a visitor in Clayton the first of the week.

Nature intended that you should eat what you want. You can do it if you take Tanlac, Wanser Drug Co.

Miss Vera Dangertier is employed in The News office.

When you think of butter, say Daffodil.

Jane Gray is confined to her home by an attack of appendicitis.

**GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME**  
Oh! Boy! A Good Garden and a Dandy Lawn.

We have Hoes and Rakes, Seed, Hose (Rubber, not Silk) and all kinds of Sprinklers. Just ask Sherry about them.

R. W. Isaacs Hdw. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Miller returned from Tennessee last week, where they had been visiting relatives.

Mr. H. G. Farber and family spent the Fourth with Sam Farber and family in Trinidad.

Orange Food Cakes—Ask your Baker.

Miss Lila Fans has accepted a position with Otto-Johnson Merc. Co. as stenographer.

Theridier of Hayden was a visitor in Clayton several weeks.

Daffodil Butter makes a nice spread on Clayton made bread.

Nelle Momey of Grenville, was a visitor in Clayton Wednesday of this week.

Harry E. Murphy of Mt. Dora was a visitor in Clayton Wednesday of this week.

From coast to coast Tanlac is being used and honored, and millions of people need it if they are to stay well.

W. A. Henderson was a business visitor in Clayton Monday morning for a business trip to Oklahoma.

**STRAYED**—A red roan horse, 3 years old, 250 lbs., brand D—F on right thigh, 1 dark bay horse, 4 years, 1000 lbs., no brand. Manes reached \$5000 for information leading to their recovery. J. C. Kisner, Clayton, N. M.

Miss A. Roberts was shaking hands with old friends in Clayton the first of the week.

Try a pound—Daffodil Butter, pure and sweet.

Howard M. Barrow, of McKinney, Texas, is in Clayton this week looking after business matters.

R. E. Selvy is spending a week on business in the Geymon, Okla., community.

Daffodil Butter is made in Clayton and of the purest cream obtainable. Ask your grocer.

For business man who want a teacher in the school was transacting business in Clayton this week.

W. T. Crandall, prosperous farmer of the Sedan community, was in Clayton transacting business the first of the week.

"I have sold over 2,000 bottles of Tanlac and have never had a dissatisfied customer," writes Smiser's Drug Store, Columbia, Tenn. Wanser Drug Co.

T. H. Baker of the New Home community was a visitor to Clayton the first of the week. T. H. is still drawing of oil.

**GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME**  
Get out those Golf Clubs and Balls. And harken to good old summer time calls:  
Old Bobby is the Champion of our time.  
Our line of Golf Goods will make you say "Fore!"  
R. W. Isaacs Hdw. Co.

Geo. H. Wade is taking his vacation and will leave for the mountains in a few days.

Daffodil Butter goes well with rice and whole wheat bread. See your baker.

Joseph Gill had a horse struck by lightning Thursday of last week. The horse was not injured.

J. H. Horn Jr. has been awarded the contract for the Bertrand Route by Uncle Sam's mail. He made his first trip July 3rd.

Leahart and Jack Potter, who were in Clayton from the Clinton community, were visitors in Clayton this afternoon.

J. M. Darden of Passmore, was a business visitor in Clayton the first of the week.

Mrs. D. W. Priestley will entertain this afternoon at Bridge.

S. E. Lane is busy showing Union county land to prospective citizens.

J. B. W. O'Neil of Kephart, was a Clayton visitor this week.

**FOR RENT**—3 office rooms over Weichman's Grocery. Have just put in window and repainted. H. C. Goleman, Dalhart, or see L. N. Taylor.

J. P. Miller left Monday evening for Cheyenne, Omaha, and other points. Mr. Miller recently sold the Pullman Cafe to Laudet and Johnston.

Mrs. Mortimer Johnson of Wichita Falls, Texas, left Saturday for her home in Wichita Falls, Texas, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Huff.

Money to loan on Improved Farm and Ranch land. Terms reasonable. Blakely & Scott, Clayton Nat'l Bank Bldg. Clayton, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huff and son left at noon Saturday for Canyon and San Angelo, Texas, for a four weeks' vacation. At Canyon they will be entertained ten days at the Club grounds.

#### WESTERN MAN HONORED

Howard Toncray, who has been connected with the National Surety Company at its Denver Branch since 1904, has been appointed Assistant Secretary of the Company. Mr. Toncray has the distinction of being the only Assistant Secretary outside of the home office of this company, and his many friends in the territory under the supervision of the Denver office will feel satisfaction in the fact that the Company has seen fit to recognize his long and efficient service. The Denver Branch of this company now has a complete personnel of executive officers, Mr. Ralph W. Smith being Vice-President of the Company, and Mr. Toncray Assistant Secretary. This puts them in a position to give the same prompt attention and efficient service to the needs of their clients in Colorado, New Mexico and Wyoming, as well as throughout the Northwest, that is given by the Home Office of their Company.

**"111" Cigarettes**



**They are GOOD! 10¢**

Buy this Cigarette and Save Money

J. Allen Wikoff spent the 4th in Trinidad.

Fred Hanan of Rosebud community, was in Clayton the first of the week.

Otto A. Moe of Rosebud, attended to business matters in Clayton, on Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. Bushnell has been visiting in Denver and will return to Clayton, Sunday.

Mr. Mann entertained a large crowd at a camp dinner at his ranch near Tate, on the 4th.

E. M. Rutledge was in Clayton this week, looking after the duties connected with his office.

A. A. Henneman, with the Four States Seed Co., returned yesterday from Rocky Ford, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Black are entertaining Miss Tate, of Oklahoma, and Dr. Jones of Utah, this week.

Mrs. Christopher and two children of Greeley, Colo., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Mann, at the ranch near Tate.

Grand Denny of Mt. Dora, was in Clayton this week looking after duties connected with his office as commissioner.

D. C. Sachse of Gladstone, one of Union County's most progressive farmers, was in Clayton this week looking after business matters.

A. M. Barwood of the Quaker community, was trading in Clayton this week.

T. G. Begley of Quaker, was shaking hands with friends in Clayton this week.

Geo. Reck and Slat Rankin were in Mt. Dora today looking after business matters.

Mrs. W. M. Gentry, who has been confined to her home by illness, is reported better.

J. W. Orender has sold his farm at Sedan and will in the near future go to Kentucky to live.

A. F. Aytes and family have rented their home on Pine street and moved to Missouri.

Ben Dienken, prominent farmer of Hayden community, was in Clayton, shopping, Wednesday.

E. M. Hott, prominent farmer of the Otto community, was a business visitor to Clayton, this week.

Mr. Shelton of Shelton and Harris of Thomas, has sold his interest in their merchandise establishment to Mr. Harris.

Mrs. Bob Chase and little daughter of Oklahoma, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hartley, returned to their home Wednesday.

W. A. Craig of Carlsbad, N. M., recently came to Clayton as the representative of the New York Life Insurance Co. Mr. Craig is now a resident of Clayton, having rented the Aytes home on Pine street and moved his family here. He has opened offices in the rooms occupied by Pennington & Talbot in the First National Bank building, and will devote his entire time to convincing the Clayton people of the value of insurance. We are glad to have Mr. Craig and family as citizens of our city.

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Prompt and Satisfactory Service  
C. H. GLAGETT, Prop.

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MILK BY THE PINT 6c.  
MILK BY THE BULK 35c. gal.  
CREAM—PINTS 30c.

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WHEN THEY CONTINUE TO BE CUSTOMERS AFTER YEARS

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SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNERS .....50c

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A. M. Graves, all of San Antonio, Texas.  
Maj. Bealine, U. S. A.  
E. E. Townes and wife.  
E. E. Townes Jr., Houston, Tex.  
E. E. Waller, wife and son, Baltimore, M. D.  
E. T. Jackson and wife, Trinidad, Colo.  
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D. K. Lord, Kenton, Okla.  
R. E. Murphy and wife, Baton, N. Mex.  
S. W. Horn and wife, Graham, Tex.

**The Colorado and Southern Railway Company**  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Chicago, July 4, 1922.

TO MECHANICAL CRAFT EMPLOYES:

In compliance with the order of United States Railroad Labor Board of July 3rd, as follows:

"Whereas, in the future submission of disputes involving rules, wages and grievances of said classes of employees of the Carriers, it will be desirable, if not a practical necessity, for the employees of each class on each Carrier to form some sort of association or organization to function in the representation of said employees before the Railroad Labor Board in order that the effectiveness of the Transportation Act may be maintained. Now, therefore, be it resolved that it be communicated to the Carriers and the employees remaining in service and new employees succeeding those who have left the service to take steps as soon as practicable to perfect on each Carrier such organization as may be deemed necessary for the purposes above mentioned; and be it further resolved that if it be assumed that the employees who leave the service of the Carrier because of their dissatisfaction with any decisions of the Labor Board are within their rights in so doing; it must likewise be conceded that the men who remain in the service and those who enter it anew are within their rights in accepting such employment, that they are not strike breakers seeking to impose the arbitrary will of an employer on employees, that they have the moral as well as the legal right to engage in such service of the American Public to avoid interruption of indispensable railway transportation and that they are entitled to the protection of every department of the Government, State and National."

And in view of our duty to the public to maintain our service, we are obliged to reorganize with sufficient forces. Before taking this step, in view of the harmonious relations which have always existed between us, and because we want to give every consideration to faithful employees, we ask you to give most earnest and sober thought to your final decision in the matter of returning to our service. The existing law provides the means of correcting any injustice which you may feel needs correction. For years in the past we have been able to meet and agree amicably on all matters. We believe that condition can and should exist again. Those of our Mechanical Craft who report for their duties not later than for the beginning of the first shift on Monday morning, July 10th, may do so with the resumption of full seniority and will be treated as if their service had been continuous. Those returning after that time, if accepted, and those newly hired, will rank as new employees.

We sincerely urge you to make up your minds individually and to act for the best interest of yourselves, your families and the Country which is dependent upon your loyal service.

HALE HOLDEN, President.

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DEMOCRATIC SELF-REFUTATION.

A prominent Democratic paper in the West is continually clamoring for a repudiation of the Republican administration but publishes in its news columns statements that refute its claims that the country is suffering from industrial depression. In flaming headlines it proclaims that "Unemployment in New York is Almost Thing of Past, and in the body of the article informs the public that "The most deserted places in New York are the waiting rooms of the employment agencies." That is said of a portion of the United States where unemployment always finds its first and last manifestation. The crowded city lures the idle. Following the announcement above, the Democratic editor informs his readers that "The reason is that in most lines there are more jobs than men and those who are working are going from one place to another to find the job that pays most."

If these statements were published in a Republican paper, they would be discredited as political propaganda in support of the administration, but printed by an ardent Democratic editor they cannot be discounted on the ground of partisan bias. They are printed by the same paper which soon after Harding was inaugurated was giving great prominence to reports of millions of unemployed. The stories of unemployment were undoubtedly exaggerated for political effects, the effort being to create the impression that the Republican administration was responsible notwithstanding the administration had just assumed control of the Government. It was a fact, however, that there was much unemployment eighteen months ago, and that there is practically none now. Of course, we always have with us some men who never have a job. We had them even during the war-time emergency.

In further elucidation of the employment situation as it exists today, the Democratic editor tells us that "There is a vast amount of railroad construction going on." He might well have added that this is due largely to the action of the Republican Congress which turned the railroads back to their private owners and ended the Democratic governmental-control policy of neglecting maintenance. We are also told that workers are benefiting from the law restricting immigration, although we are not told that this law was passed and is continued in force by a Republican Congress. The Democratic editor would not give due credit to a Republican administration.

Further explanation might well have been given, showing additional reasons why there are more jobs for wage-workers. The Republican administration reduced substantially the taxes that discourage industry; it rejected the debt cancellation scheme, which would have saddled the country with an additional debt of \$14,000,000,000; it adhered to the traditional policy of avoiding entangling alliances with Europe; it reduced rates of interest, thereby encouraging enterprise; it helped the farmers recover from the deflation program of the Democratic administration; it terminated government meddling with private business.

With unemployment ended and all lines of business thriving, it is difficult to imagine on what grounds the Democrats will seek votes. The election in November—Stats Record

LASKER PLEADS FOR MERCHANT MARINE IN THE U. S.

By Albert D. Lasker, Chairman U. S. Shipping Board.

Nations, like individuals, are seldom the masters of their own destinies. Whether America wills or no, the time has come when we must perforce occupy the first place on the stage of world commerce—a place never occupied in history by any nation not strong in its own right in sea power. Sea power means a strong merchant marine; for there is no need of a navy save to protect the nationals, the shores, and the water transportation of a nation. The first act ever passed by an American congress was one designed to encourage American shipping. During the period from the establishment of our republic until the civil war, America developed into one of the leading maritime nations of the world.

Halted by Civil War

With the closing of gold in California, the lure of adventure and profit attracted our young men from the seaboard and the Alleghenies to the great and all the time unbroken stream of the westward

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The movement then inaugurated (a movement of vast importance to ourselves and, indeed, the whole world) marked the beginning of the decline of the American merchant marine.

The hurt given our merchant marine through the civil war, historically known to all, followed by the great demand for men and capital in the development of our country, resulted in a steady drop of interest in shipping.

At Outset of World War

At the start of the world war in 1914, America's passenger fleet in the North Atlantic had dwindled to the shameful total of six, to-wit: The Finland, The Kroonland, St. Paul, St. Louis, Philadelphia and New York. The aid given them in the way of postal subsidy by our government was undoubtedly the chief reason four of them were able to continue in service at that date.

In other words, 1914 found us no longer a merchant marine power, but one utterly dependent on foreign flags for the carriage of our surplus; and, of course, we had had to pay, and pay heavily, for the service rendered by them.

Fortunately for us, Great Britain and its allies, in the prosecution of the world war, needed all the materials we had to sell them, and therefore sent their ships to our shores in their own interest.

Lesson to U. S. in Boer War

Perhaps not as fresh in public memory is the marine experience of the Boer war. This, conducted on a lesser scale but at a greater distance, required more of Britain's tonnage for her own use and less of America's materials. It resulted in the serious curtailment of our industrial line; for when Britain, on whom we were dependent for the greater portion of our sea carriage, withdrew a million tons of ships from the North Atlantic, our farmers on our manufacturers saw their surplus on which their foreign market depended waiting vainly for ships, until even their domestic market was destroyed.

Immediately upon our entrance in the war in 1917 there arose a cry from the allies, voiced by Lloyd George, the prime minister of the greatest maritime nation of the entire world, for "ships, more ships, and again more ships," as the foremost contribution from America.

Building to Fill a Gap

We all remember the feverish haste and enthusiasm with which, through treasury drains, shipyards were created at all available points, resulting in government building of more than 4,700 ships, with more than 11,000,000 dead-weight tons capacity.

We started to build these ships that we might quickly and in great quantity carry our men and supplies to the battle front. No one factor brought the war to a quicker conclusion than the kaiser's recognition

tion that America was verily arranging to span the Atlantic with a bridge of ships.

So that if every ship built or then being built by the government involving a total cost of more than three billion dollars, had been dismantled or sunk at the war's end, they would properly have paid for themselves in the short cut that resulted in the ending of the war and in the saving of men and treasure.

Hasten Return of Prosperity

Happily, while everything else created for war purposes has had to be scrapped, America's war built merchant marine has been turned into a peace-time asset, thus establishing the possibility of turning the sword into the plowshare. It is apparent that after the war terminated the great prosperity America enjoyed would have been impossible without the existence of our government owned fleet.

America came out of the war a creditor nation, whereas, before it had been a debtor nation. Prior to 1914 the maritime nations of the universe, to whom we owed vast sums could surely be counted upon to send their ships to our shores that we might pay in our products the debts we owed them.

Today however, they are the debtors, we the creditors; there is not the same reason why they should send their ships for our surplus. Moreover, we must compete with them if we are to dispose of our surplus products in the available markets of the world. It is not to be supposed they will give us those facilities which are essential to the world commerce to enable us to compete with them.

Stop Government Operation

Of the 1430 steel ships owned by the government, 983 are tied up; the other 447 have been operating to make sure the American flag shall reach every needed port of the world. This operation is being conducted at a cash loss of \$50,000,000 a year, and at the expense of the deterioration of the fleet.

President Harding and the present Shipping Board aver, because of reasons to be covered in subsequent articles, that government operation of ships is impossible on the one hand, and that for America to turn back and depend on foreigners for its sea carriage is unthinkable on the other. The only alternative is to make it possible for private American initiative to maintain the American flag on the seas and to get the government itself out of the business of ship operation.

The editor has been good enough to give me an opportunity, in a series of articles of which this is the first, to discuss the premises here laid down and the remedies the government proposes.

The News prints the news when it's News.

OPENING OF FOREST LAND TO HOMESTEAD ENTRY BY SOLDIERS.

Santa Fe, June 28, 1922. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that a supplemental plat of survey of Secs. 1, 2, 23, 24, 35 and 36, T. 11 N., R. 5 E., will be officially filed in this office Aug. 10, 1922, and from that date until Nov. 9, 1922, inclusive the unreserved and unappropriated lands in the above sections will be subject to homestead and desert land entry by soldiers and sailors of the World War only. Such applicants may, if they wish, file their applications beginning July 22, 1922, and such applications so filed will be treated as filed simultaneously with those presented at this office at 9 A. M. on Aug. 10, 1922.

The preference right extended to soldiers and sailors is subject only to valid settlement rights and equitable claims recognized by existing law. Sec. 23 lies within a National Forest and no land therein is subject to entry unless listed by the Forest Supervisor. Sec. 24 has been withdrawn from entry pending adjustment of conflicting claims therein.

The above land lies in Sandoval County, N. M., about 25 miles due west of Santa Fe, N. M. A. M. BERGERE, Register. ISIDORO ARMILJO, Receiver.

If we are the standard by which our community is judged, we should be careful to make ourselves stand for the best possible things: Better schools, better streets, better government and a cleaner and better citizenship.

MICKIE SAYS

OLD PETE WIMPUS SAYS, "DIDJA SEE TH' QUELL AD THAT TRAMP SIGN PAINTER PUT ON TH' SKUNK HOLLOW BRIDGE FER ME?" "N' TH' BOSS, HE SAYS WEARILY, "BRING HER BRIDGE ROUND TO TH' HOUSE COME TIME WHEN I AINT TOO BUEV'N I'LL GIVE IT TH' ONCE OVER. I AINT GOT TIME TO BE QUASHIN' ALL OVER TH' COUNTRY READING ADS ON BRIDGES 'N FENCES 'N COWBARNES!"



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STRAYED—From my ranch 25 miles east of Clayton, one Iron Gray Horse, pacing kid pony, weight abt. 750, 4 to 6 years old, unbranded. Reward. Notify Roy McBride, Delfin, Okla. 28-3

FOR SALE—Pedigree Duroc-Jerseys. L. H. Morrison, Clayton, N. M. 29-2

COUNTERFEIT \$100 NOTES ARE OUT; BANKS WARNED.

Washington, July 4.—Notices have been sent to banks throughout the country to be on their guard against a new counterfeit \$100 federal reserve note, it was said yesterday at the treasury department, but it has not been thought necessary to caution banks against accepting \$100 federal reserve notes because of the new counterfeit.

SELF HELP STORES

Babson, the Statistician Advises the Merchant to Adopt New Method.

Wellesley Hills, Mass., July 22.—In an interview today Roger W. Babson appealed to merchants to study the "self help" stores. He believes that the small merchant has great opportunity if he will only adopt modern methods and advertise more. He insists that the public does not demand the Chain Stores, but rather demands economical and convenient service. People buy from the chain stores because that is the only place in their community that they can find in Germany, we cannot begin

LODGE DIRECTORY

CLAYTON LODGE NO. 22, A. F. & A. M. Meets in Masonic Hall, Cor. 2nd and Walnut; 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month; 7:30 P. M. R. E. Hamblin, Secretary.

WASHINGTON CHAPTER NO. 16, K. A. M. Meets fourth Saturday in each month; Masonic Hall, Cor. 2nd & Walnut; 7:30 P. M. J. W. Hamners, Secretary.

CLAYTON COMMANDERY NO. 8, E. T. Meets 2nd Saturday night in each month; Masonic Hall, Cor. 2nd & Walnut; 7:30 P. M. J. W. Hamners, Recorder.

CLAYTON CHAPTER, EASTERN STAR Meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights; Masonic Hall, Cor. 2nd & Walnut; Miss Mary Rucker, Secretary.

TRIANGLE LODGE NO. 16, K. of P. Meets 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Wednesday nights in each month; Palmer Hall, Cor. 2nd & Main; 7:30 P. M.

HALL LODGE NO. 48, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday night; Palmer Hall; Cor. 2nd & Main; 7:30 P. M. Alex Lucas, Sec'y.

CLAYTON ENCAMPMENT NO. 9, I. O. O. F. Meets second and fourth Tuesday; Palmer Hall, Cor. 2nd & Main; 7:30 P. M. W. P. Hunter, Sec'y.

SERRA CLAYTON LODGE NO. 22, BROTHERS OF HERMES Meets every 2nd and 4th Friday night in each month; 8:30 P. M. Palmer Hall; Mrs. J. B. Hunter, Secretary.

such service, he continued. "Chain stores are having a free moment, right today. They are springing up like weeds in every community. Local merchants are beginning to become panic stricken. They fear that the chain store is to swallow up everything. Grocers, druggists, and clothing dealers are especially troubled. Considering the tremendous number of small merchants this is a problem in which every one should be interested. There are for instance over 300,000 independent grocers in this country. To have their business wiped out would result in a tremendous economic appeal. All together there are over 1,000,000 small merchants in America who are vitally interested in this problem, as they will be wiped out if the chain store proves to be the legitimate method of merchandising.

"Personally, I feel that this change is due to the fact that the chain store comes nearer to giving the public what it wants and prospers for that reason. If the local merchants will adopt the same up-to-date methods of economical merchandising he need have nothing to fear from chain store competition. These newer and especially these self help establishments are doing a splendid business because their plan is practical and because they are being operated by young men with initiative and enthusiasm. The railroads did a fine business when they were so operated, 20 or 30 years ago. Chain stores, however, will have their troubles just as the railroads have had theirs. Clerks, truck drivers, and buyers will some day be organized and as saucy and independent as the typical plumber is today. Then the chain store sales will drop off and operating expenses will increase and they will have to adopt a more modern form of merchandising or give way to a new order. The "self help" system eliminates labor difficulty to a considerable extent and presents a most interesting study both as to service and to cost.

"I appeal particularly to merchants of the older school and urge them to study very carefully those "self help" stores, with their "self help" service. It is true that the average merchant cannot get the advantage of collective buying unless he himself joins a chain. Any merchant, however, can install a self help system of selling independently. Of course, this means more than reorganizing the fixtures of his store. "The most change his entire attitude. The "self help" stores are constantly very dependent upon a varying, much more so than are the chain stores and local merchants. The latter must advertise more than ever if he is to adopt the "self help" system. I am not a merchant, merely a statistician. Statistics, however, clearly indicate that if the local merchant continues as at present he will be eliminated from American industry to make way for more modern machinery of distribution.

"In regard to chain store securities. Most of these merchandising companies should do well for the next few years. Mail order concerns will also prosper, but I predict that even stores like the A. & P. will some day change to a "self help" system. They will be forced to in order to survive. When the change is made their securities will become "self help" securities. It is not my purpose, concluded Mr. Babson, to recommend them as securities but rather to try to awake the local merchants before it is too late, and to get them to adopt the methods of more economical distribution which are winning out today.

General business, according to the index figure of the Babsonchart is at 17 per cent below normal. This is encouraging indeed when you realize that it is holding up in face of the threatened rail strike on top of the usual summer dullness.

THE AMERICAN VALUATION PLAN

Considerable discussion has been going on regarding the "American Valuation Plan," which is now before congress. Some opposition has developed because the charge was made that it would increase the cost of living. The American valuation plan bases the cost for levying tariff on an imported article after it arrives at an American port instead of at the European port.

That such a plan would increase the cost of the article there is no question but when all the facts and circumstances are taken into consideration but when all the facts and circumstances are taken into consideration it may be preferable to pay more. We were talking with a former Antigo man engaged in the manufacture of furniture, and his politics is Democratic. Recently in the city where he now resides, the manager of the Brady Knitting Works, one of the largest of its kind in the country, gave a talk before the Rotary Club in that city. This man had been making a study of conditions in Europe. Upon his return he said unless proper protection were given he would have to close his plants. And in fact, he has all arrangements made to do so, and go into the jobbing business.

It is impossible, he said, to compete with the cheap European labor. At present he can buy a product as good as he can make and sell it at a profit and still get under his present manufacturer's cost. He has a moral obligation, however, and he wants to keep his people employed, which he will do if he is not compelled to do otherwise. Marshall Field & Company is one of the most bitter opponents of the American valuation plan. But their interest is largely selfish. They can get their goods abroad and sell cheaper than they can get goods from the American manufacturer, who must pay his help much more than in Europe. Those people who purchased Christmas toys if they observed already would have seen the danger mark on most of them. With the present scale of wages

is of such a nature that it is a decided detriment to the interests of the country. We read of a hotel being sent to Denmark. If a party be shipped here, the hotel, we can get values of labor over there. It is evident, therefore, should not be to having a bill that would appear to increase it and but which actually at blessing to the worker and farmer, as well as the manufacturer.—The Joint

SOUND TARIFF

Senator Snodgrass, member of the Senate Finance Committee, has proposed the Forney Tariff, which the House passed in its recent session. The president has tariff rates by a cent of the rate to proclaim America, the basis for assessing given list of imports within the limits of the tariff. The tariff can be used to protect our own markets and to prevent dumping in America. The American foreign trade is being protected.

In his discussion of the question in his report, Harding declared to be essential, and rapidly and the tariff. A large tariff, based upon the rate of the duty, may be entirely necessary next week or next month in a period of such a nature that will not only make our life foolish even before capital.

In his message, the tariff. "I know of no man to effect this flexibility the extension of the tariff commission, so itself to a scientific administration of the tariff. These can be given authority to the who could proclaim a tariff. Many nations delivery valuation of collecting duties; the cost of the import leaving duty of the porture, in view of the money value to pay an valuation, but it ignored the danger of a production cost, make prohibitive. It might instances where imports encouraged. I believe ought well to consider the of the only promising, namely, a provision author claimed American value prescribed conditions. list of articles imported. "In this proposed the thoring increases to nations so likely to increase. A rate may be and entirely out of proportion value to today. "If our tariffs are to equitable and not necessary, our imports and hinder abroad. Frequent adjustment necessary for years to of the responsibility of by act of congress, a score of lines with long array of schedule shall go a long way to ation if there is recent tariff commission's amended urgent claimation.

To meet possible dealers, the Snodgrass bill, the prolongation of the date at which they are to be.

At all times, the of an economic than position. The tariff public party in tion in the past by observance of a and (last Harding's plan is now being asked in line with the tariff.

It is a decided detriment to the interests of the country. We read of a hotel being sent to Denmark. If a party be shipped here, the hotel, we can get values of labor over there. It is evident, therefore, should not be to having a bill that would appear to increase it and but which actually at blessing to the worker and farmer, as well as the manufacturer.—The Joint

**THE FARMER**

**LOCAL** are contributed, and this column is for Farm Problems or any subject pertaining to farm organization. It is not to be open to anyone who desires to discuss subjects. But articles of abusive nature will not be considered. No one is to be bearing whatever on the policy of must bear the signature of the writer.

**ACRAHY.** that he would give a demonstration that would be very like a resurrection from the dead if only he were given complete charge of the case.

"Who will decide when doctors disagree?" If we are a democracy the only thing for us to do is to discuss the experts and take the case into our own hands. That is to say, the remedy for the ills of democracy is more democracy. There is always a strong tendency in the opposite direction. There is always a tendency to claim as one's own and use for selfish purposes, power that is delegated by the people. Elected officials tend to become autocrats. Department heads tend to become bureaucrats. The possession of power tends toward tyranny. It isn't strange that there should be a tendency to curtail the freedom of the press. It isn't strange that there should be a tendency to limit the freedom of speech. It isn't strange that men should be unreasonable in their use of political power or financial power or of the power of the press or of the power of free speech. To some, for example, it is unthinkable that the remedy for the abuse of the freedom of speech is more freedom of speech. But unless that is true the cause of democracy is hopeless.

At first democracy in America was rather exclusive—a sort of "gentlemen's club." One by one property qualifications and color qualifications and sex qualifications have been removed without proving fatal to democracy.

The vital force of democracy is this—a desire to serve others and a faith in others. The illness of democracy will disappear in proportion to the strength of this vital force. Men whose highest ideals in life are to be of service to their fellow men whether in private or official capacity are the guiding stars of democracy. Men who believe in the sincerity and ability of others are the balance wheel of popular government.

In a democracy many good men refuse office because of the unkind criticism and ingratitude that comes from the people. If we would all of us be destructive critics and become constructive critics what would happen?

If we could all get together and find out that we are all honest or make each other all honest what a heavenly world this would be! Every get together movement helps to cure the ills of democracy. C. E. ANDERSON.

**IMITATE THE HEN**

The hen produces a good egg, so why shouldn't the farmer sell a good egg? This can be done very easily if he will get rid of every rooster in the flock and then market regularly. It is a common practice on many farms to go to town once a week, and this on Saturday. It happens too often that all eggs that can be found at that time are loaded in the back of a wagon, buggy or car, where the sun can warm them up on the way to town. By the time the merchant gets them, they are in bad shape.

When eggs are brought to town on Saturday, they have to stay in the store over Sunday and sometimes until the middle of the week, in case of a storekeeper who is located off the railroad and who makes only one or two trips to the railroad station to get goods for the store and deliver his eggs. If these eggs are fertile, caused by roosters in the flock, they have by this time a chick well under way and are not fit for human consumption.

This waste can be overcome by adopting the following practices, according to Professor Beardley of the New Mexico Agricultural College. (1) Sell off all the roosters on your farm and see that your neighbor does the same. (2) Gather your eggs at least twice a day and put them in a cool place until you go to town, which should be some other day than Saturday. (3) Find out when the merchant markets his eggs and try to get them to him the day before, or on the same day of shipment. (4) See that your eggs are candled and that you are paid only for the good ones. If you have any bad ones, find out the cause and arrange to overcome the trouble. It might appear at first thought that the farmer has little concern in regard to the quality of his eggs, providing the merchant takes all he has at a uniform price, regardless of quality. The fact is, however, that the merchant will make due allowance for bad eggs, and he can well afford to pay a higher price if he candled and buys only good ones.

**HOG PASTURE AND PROFITS**

The hog is a grazing animal. This statement, printed in letters a foot high, should be placed on great mello cans and appear in all places where lasting impressions as to the facts of animal husbandry are supposed to be made, says Mr. C. A. McNabb, of the New Mexico Agricultural College. By this method we might counteract our past century of wrong thinking concerning hogs; that it was ecated to "cash in" on America's leadership in Indian corn.

The following paragraph, summarizing tests made by an agricultural college on the effect of various pastures on pork production, contains a sermon well worth remembering. Except for the pasture, the hogs were fed uniformly on shelled corn and meal.

The figures at the right represent the cost per 100 lbs. gain:

In dry lot without pasture ..... \$1.75  
On blue grass pasture ..... 3.40  
On rape pasture ..... 3.20  
On clover pasture ..... 3.10  
On sweet clover pasture ..... 3.00  
On alfalfa pasture ..... 2.90

Did the school children of rural New Mexico ever commit to memory a paragraph combining the simplicity and shortness of that one?

One farmer was heard to remark that he used a self feeder in order to get his pigs to market before the market becomes glutted with those that grow slowly because they are fed by hand.

**FEDERAL AID TO ROADS IN PUBLIC-LAND STATES**

A statement showing the amount per mile and the percentage of the total cost that can be paid on Federal-aid road work in certain public-land states from the \$50,000,000 recently authorized for the fiscal year beginning July 1, has been issued by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Fifty per cent of the cost, not to exceed \$16,500 per mile, is the maximum participation in all states except those containing unappropriated public lands in excess of 5 per cent of all lands in the state. For these states the special provision is made that the government may participate to the extent of 50 per cent plus a percentage ratio of the total estimated cost equal to one-half of the percentage which the area of the public land bears to the total area of the state. The maximum federal aid of \$16,500 per mile is increased by a like percentage.

This has been done to secure the construction of important trunk line highways through thinly settled regions. In the following table, the first column of figures represents the percentage payable by the government, while the second column of figures represents the maximum federal-aid payment per mile of highway, with \$16,500 basis:

Arizona	61.14	\$20,167.20
California	59.31	19,574.49
Colorado	56.12	18,521.13
Idaho	58.01	19,111.97
Montana	53.04	17,509.28
Nevada	87.22	29,781.51
New Mexico	61.50	20,297.58
Oregon	61.13	20,175.12
Utah	74.85	24,701.89
Wyoming	64.65	21,335.83

These are based on the area of unappropriated public land as reported by the Secretary of the Interior and may be changed according to the new figures which were reported on July 1.

**He Was Willing**

Wife—Do you object to my having \$200 a month for spending money?  
Hub—Certainly not, if you can find it anywhere.

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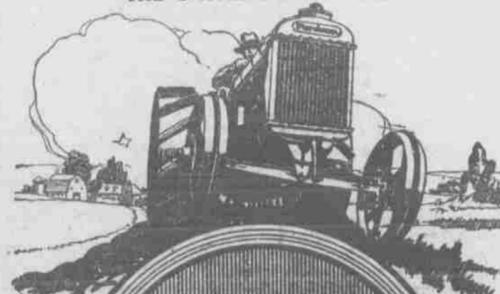
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**AT HOME.**

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**LAJUNAS.**

Perl Moore received 100 day-old R. I. Red chicks, Wednesday, the 29th.

Although the shower Sunday was very beneficial, the crops would stand a lot more.

We were pleased to greet the smiling face of Eugene Lamey, Sunday, as he came up to attend the Chautauqua.

**CLAPHAM NEWS**

Clapham and vicinity are rejoicing over the fine rain we had Sunday. It has been so dry that the farmers had discontinued their work on the farm, but now they can go ahead and finish putting in their crop.

Mr. Belcher and family, who have been living on the Knox ranch for some time, have moved on the Ora Johnson place, one mile east of Thomas. We are indeed sorry to lose them from our midst, especially in the Sunday School, but our loss is Thomas' gain.

Sunday School was well attended last Sunday, but the superintendent had to close in short form on account of the rain. As soon as the services were ended there was a hustle by those who had to cross the creek to get across before the raise of the creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Peach and Mr. J. F. Klutz took dinner at the Howard home last Sunday. Mrs. H. Eldson, who was taken to Clayton last week for medical attention, has returned to her home, much improved in health.

Mrs. Walter Howard's sister from Joplin, Mo., is visiting her. She will remain most of the summer.

There was a large crowd at Chinaberry Grove the 4th. It was an ideal day for a picnic, and everybody reports a good time.

**The Infallible**

Patient—What shall I do for insomnia, doctor?  
Physician—Every night keep repeating to yourself: "I am a night watchman, I am a night watchman, I am a night watchman."

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EL HERMANO DIEGO CELEBRA SU JUBILEO DE ORO

(La Voz del Pueblo)

El Hermano Diego, bien conocido en esta ciudad por haber enseñado por varios años en uno de los grandes del Instituto de La Salle...

Al celebrar el Jubileo de Oro del Hermano Diego, que significa haber pertenecido cincuenta años a la Orden de los Hermanos Cristianos...

Los hermanos de Sacred Heart Training College se oponen a que el Jubileo de Oro del Hermano Diego en el próximo agosto y tengan que todos los que fueron discípulos de Hermano Diego se pongan en comunicación con dicha institución...

Vimos amedidos de la semana pasada en la ciudad transando negocios personales...

El hermano Diego cuyo nombre de bautismo es Marcelino Ortiz, nació en Santa Fe el 26 de abril del año 1837...

Don Rosendo Casados de Barney este condado estuvo en la ciudad de Lueda acompañado de su esposa...

El pueblo está tan cansado con la herencia que nos dejó la administración Wilsoniana...

Nuestro muy inteligente inspector de ovejas por los condados de Union y Harding...

Don Toribio Lobato de Holland, este condado, estuvo en esta el domingo habiendo venido a encontrar a su hijo Eusebio...

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OFFICE CAT



BY JUNIUS

A Clayton man while out walking near Grenville the other day, saw an old negro driving a mule attached to a dilapidated wagon...

Hard Telling The new servant was as truthful as could be. The first caller asked to see her mistress...

T. H. says about the only thing that can be said of plush cushions in a closed car is that the garage mechanic likes to use them for a towel.

It is the frost that comes in a French box that has caused most of our "peach" blight.

Comparatively few of the young people are playing the mandolin nowadays. Yet we are being assured the world grows worse.

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TER EVERY MEAL

That is all very nice, but we know of no president who has resigned that office.

There is surely something wrong in Kansas, else the reporter at Kansas City is writing inaccurately. A press item from there Tuesday said there are 5000 men in that city trying to get out to the harvest fields to save the grain crop which is rapidly going to the bad for lack of hands to save it, but the men have no money to pay railroad fares to the fields and the railroads decline to furnish free transportation. Now just why the railroads should be expected to do such a thing is not easily understood. If the wheat is spoiling why not the farmers do like cotton farmers in Texas when they want pickers—send an agent to the men and furnish transportation to all that may be engaged, or, on the other hand, if the city is crowded with these men it would probably be cheaper to buy tickets for them to the harvest fields than to feed them. On its face, the story suggests a species of propaganda.—Am. Ariz. Tribune.

Now, brother, you have not sized the situation up right. Two or three years ago the farmer had money enough to send out an advance agent after help to harvest 82.25 wheat at \$5 to \$10 per day. Now wages are \$1.00 per day and wheat around a dollar. The old ox is going the other fellow now. The railroads are like a certain class of business men—they are public-spirited to the extent where a dollar donated returns ten dollars for the deep pocket.

### AN IDEAL INVESTMENT

Mr. Albert W. Atwood, one of the best known writers on the subject of finance and investment, has recently written a very important article for the Saturday Evening Post under the title, "Protecting the Small Investor." In the course of that article he writes of Treasury Savings Certificates, using the sub-title, "An Ideal Investment," of which he says: "It cannot be stated with too much emphasis that anyone who really wants a safe investment with a good interest return can secure the same without the slightest difficulty. On December fifteenth last, the wife of the president of the United States purchased from Mr. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, the first Treasury Savings Certificate sold by the United States government. These are now on sale at all post-offices and many banks and can be had by mail direct from the treasury department. They pay twenty-five per cent on the money invested for a five year period. They are guaranteed by the government to pay this figure, and guaranteed against any decline in price. They are beyond question the safest and surest investment available to any American citizen and if they are not good, then nothing in the world is.

There has been a lot of cheap platitudes about the necessity and advantages of thrift and savings, but a man cannot dig a garden without tools and he cannot save without a safe place to put his money. A splendid work is done by the savings banks, but they do not cover the entire country by any means. There are millions of people whom they do not reach. Life insurance covers an even wider field, but it is only partially a savings and in-

vestment proposition. The government is the one agency that can appeal to everybody, and at last, after much experimenting during and following the war, it has devised a permanent form of small investment which is simple, convenient and which meets the needs of all except the wealthiest classes. "These certificates are always sold at the same price—\$50, \$80, and \$100. In five years they are paid off at \$55, \$100 and \$120, respectively. It is twenty-five per cent in five years. There is no state or local tax on these certificates and no normal federal income tax. Any individual can buy as much as \$5000 each year, and the same amount is available to any member of his family. They can be redeemed at any time before the five years are up, at the full amount paid, plus three and one-half per cent interest, by sending them to the treasury department. Since the name of the owner is registered at Washington, the loss of the certificate does not mean the loss of the investment. There is no risk, depreciation in value or promoter's or broker's commission to pay, there is liberal interest and an immediate cash withdrawal value."

### SPANISH-AMERICAN WOMEN STUDY VOCATIONAL CLASSES

The recent closing of the evening classes in home making, conducted by Mrs. M. M. Leibold at Santa Cruz, marks the end of a remarkably successful period of instruction. This work, which was commenced early in September, was continued with growing success and interest until the last of May.

In all, Mrs. Leibold has to her credit 74 lessons. Instruction was given two evening a week, each lesson being at least two hours long, sometimes three.

The instruction in home making was divided into short unit courses, each unit being complete in itself. By this plan pupils might enroll for only those units in which they were particularly interested. It is a noteworthy fact, however, that the students did not avail themselves of this proffered option—they took all the work that could be given, and asked for more.

The following units were given: canning and food preservation; elementary sewing and textiles; elementary food study and cookery; food values, food requirements and house care; advanced cookery; advanced sewing; care and repair of clothing.

In the food preservation unit a total of 222 quarts was canned by the class. This included tomatoes, beans, apples, chili, corn and pumpkins. Much of the work was entirely new, drying being the only method of preservation hitherto used.

"They were perfectly delighted with it," Mrs. Leibold said. "From all parts of the valley came pleas to bring the class and show them how. When we arrived there would be all the women in the neighborhood, gathered to watch the process of canning."

"There would also be all the kettles, pans and utensils in the neighborhood, borrowed for the occasion. Many of the homes are sadly lacking in equipment. One man bought a stove and utensils so that we would go and put up his tomatoes."

"Along with the canning, it was essential, of course, to stress the need of absolute cleanliness. Most of the women wear the traditional shawl. They watched, wide-eyed, the operations of the white-aproned class."

"The food study and cookery was necessarily adapted to the conditions and materials at hand. Even thus restricted, much was accomplished. It is a great deal that they

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### OBSERVATIONS

The Amarillo Tribune contains the telegraphic information, Canyon, Texas, that a carload of wool has been shipped from that point and brings that there are now 1,000 sheep in that county. That is still assuming to residents of Union county, N. M., that used to run 10,000 still run more than the whole Randall county, Texas.

These men are planning to build portable plants to manufacture gasoline, kerosene, etc., from crude oil. This will not prevent gas from soaring unless the refiners own the crude oil. So far, Union county has failed (and "oil") too many wildcaters out the necessary "spontaneity" any great depth.

It was cotton crop is reported fine around Quanah, and turning out twenty-five cents please have the acre and bring in some wash.

It was somewhat amusing to see the of the U. S. Labor Board and

the R. R. union strikers trying to convict each other in the eyes of the long-suffering public, each claiming the other is not within the pale of the law. No good for the pot to call the skillet black—that will whitewash nothing. The general public does not know everything, but it pretty well understands the efforts to crush the labor unions. If the latter could eliminate a few hot-heads the organization would become much more powerful and be listened to with greater respect. In the meantime, the public has to take just what the railroads offer. Our freight rates are much too high, but the public is not in position to strike. In all probability the automobile is the cause of reasonable freight rates being offered the public.

President Harding thinks it a hard row to be president of the United States. In his 4th of July address at his old home, he says: "Some of you think it is a fine thing to be president of the United States. Keep on thinking it—you'll find the situation very different when you wake up."

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### BIBLE THOUGHTS FOR THIS WEEK

**Sunday**  
HE REDEEMS AND CROWNS:—Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits; who redeemed thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with kindness and tender mercies.—Psalm 103: 1-4.

**Monday**  
A MORNING PRAYER:—Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.—Psalm 51: 10.

**Tuesday**  
THE LORD IS GOOD:—O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in Him.—Psalm 34: 8.

**Wednesday**  
THE GOLDEN RULE:—Whatever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so unto them; for this is the law and the prophets.—Matthew 7: 12.

**Thursday**  
SAFEGUARDED:—He shall give

His angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways.—Psalm 91: 11, Friday

RICHES HAVE WINGS:—Labour not to be rich; cease from thine own wisdom. For riches certainly make themselves wings; they fly away.—Proverbs 23: 4, 5.

**Saturday**  
BETTER THAN RUBIES:—Search the Scriptures; for in them ye think we have eternal life; and they are they which testify of me.—John 5: 39

THANKS

The ladies of the Baptist Church wish to tender through The News, a vote of thanks to the ladies of the other churches for their assistance, to the I. O. O. F. Band for the concert given in the evening and to the public at large for their patronage which contributed to the success of the Ladies' Aid in serving cream and cake last Saturday afternoon.

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