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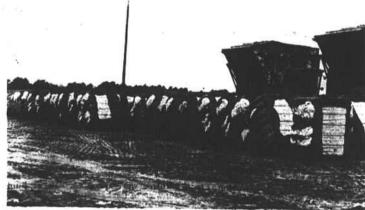
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PILED HIGH -- Boxes containing the new 1975 license plates are stacked nearly to the ceiling at the Raeford office of the DMV. The plates go on sale Jan. 3.



STILL SMILING - One of the jolly old St. Nicks, securely encircled in a Christmas wreath, apparently toppled from his post at Main Street and Prospect sometime last week and Monday he was still waiting for someone to assist him in getting up.



STOCKPILED -- Bales of cotton are stacked like cards outside Oakdale Gin.

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Fear has been the devastating enemy of mankind in all generations. We must distinguish between fear, which is foolish, and anxiety, which is wise. Anxiety causes one concern about future events likely to occur and induces one to take provident steps to prepare for them, whereas fear fills one with dread of dangers which are imaginary or dangers which cannot be avoided.

People are probably more fearful today than they were at any time in the past. They are assailed on all sides by the old fears, such as fear of economic insecurity, fear of unemployment, fear of loss of status, fear of sickness, and fear of death. But, if we are to overcome the fears which beset us, we must have courage. Joanna Baillie described courage aright in this verse

"The brave man is not he who feels no fear.

For that were stupid and irrational; But he, whose noble soul its fear subdues. And bravely dares the danger nature

shrinks from.

Continued from page 2 make preparations for water works. The favorable vote was taken to issue bonds that year but it was well into the year of 1916 before the project was completed.

--BICENTENNIAL--

Austin was re-elected in 1915. Mayors for the next several years were as follows: E.S. Smith, 1917-1921; B.G. Rowland, 1921-1925; W.B. McLauchlin, 1925-1929; R.L. Bethune, 1929-1931; G.B. Rowland, 1931-1939; Dr. G.W. Brown, 1939-1943; Carl Morris, 1943 resigned in June after serving

month; N.L. McFadyen, 1945-1947, W.L. Poole, 1949-1953. Main Street was paved some time prior to this but in 1923 bonds were floated for \$83,000 for an extensive street paving program. In 1926, more funds were appropriated for a Town Hall to cost \$16,000.

Mayor Alfred Cole who is completing term this month, has been in office since being elected in 1953. With the addition of a number of

industries over the years, the town's population is now 3,300.

Others completing terms this month are Commissioners J.D. McMillian, John K. McNeill Jr., Carlton E. Niven, Marion H. Gatlin and C.F. Upchurch Jr. A new slate of officers will take over in June, having been elected the first Monday in the month. They are H.R. Morday in the month. They are H.R. McLean, mayor; and J.D. McMillian, W.L. Alexander, Fred Culbreth, C.P. Kinlaw and John K. McNeill Jr. City clerk is Charles Morrison, chief of police is L.W. Stanton. (An update since this was written for the Jubilee-John K. McNeill Jr. is now mayor: John Gaddy is city manager and Leonard Wiggins is chief of police.)

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One of the most beautiful afternoons of my life was spent on a lovely hillside overlooking the Sea of Galilee. Having visited this spot, the traditional Mount of the Sermon, with a tour group in December of 1973, I determined last May on a second visit to Israel that I would spend some time at this place alone.

I sat in the shaded garden next to the graceful Italian chapel and from my little red New Testament I read the Sermon on the Mount. The familiar words took on a new significance for me as the Master Teacher spoke to my heart.

As many were drawn to Jesus because of his healing works, others were attracted because, as one of his disciples put it, "You have the words of eternal life." Men came to him, not only to be healed, but also to learn, to grow, mature.

They learned that the teachings of Jesus, new and different as they might seem, were neither of these. His teachings were linked to the teachings they already knew. What seemed different was both the intensity of these words and their tendency to make clear what before had been obscure. "I have not come to abolish them," said this Master Teacher, "but to fulfill them" (Matthew 5:17).

His intention, of fulfilling them, was to make clear their purpose and intention, to push them to their highest application. His teaching always pointed beyond the letter of the law to the spirit: "For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven" (5:20).

Something else that was significant about the teachings of Jesus was the imperative he set upon doing them as well as hearing them. Jesus was not dealing with "nice words," although one would often think today that that was their purpose. The words were for instruction as well as inspiration. Jesus had great disdain for "pretty words" that did not become dead. that did not become deeds.

The writer of Matthew tells us two reactions to Jesus' teaching: "the crowds were astonished" and they regarded him as a teacher with real 'authority." Unlike their scribes who were officially recognized authorities, this man taught them in a way that needed no certification. What he said touched responsive chords within their own minds and hearts. His words had the ring of truth.

taught them about truth is its pervasive influence. Holding up a parable, he said: "The kingdom of heaven is like leaven which a woman took and hid in three measures of flour, till it was all leavened" (13:33). A little bit of truth can change the whole world.

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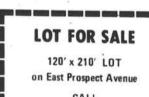
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Courage falls into two categories, These are physical courage, which enables one to brave physical dangers, and moral courage, which empowers one to carry the burdens and take the heavy blows of life without losing heart. One way to scorn dangers which are imaginary and defy dangers which cannot be avoided is to live a day at a time. As Robert Louis Stevenson Said:

"Anyone can carry his burden, however hard, until nightfall, Anyone can do his work, however hard, for one day. Anyone can live sweetly, patiently lovingly, purely, till the sun goes down. And this is all that life really means."

Another way is to make duty the supreme obligation of life. Robert E. Lee wrote to his son, Custis Lee:

'Duty then is the sublimest word in our language. Do your duty in all things. You cannot do more. You should never wish to do less."

Courage often comes through the realization that the alternative to the impending danger is more dreadful than the danger itself. Elmer Davis had this in mind when he said

"Atomic warfare is bad enough; biological warfare would be worse; but there is something that is worse than either...It is subjection to an alien oppressor.

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Finally, courage results from having faith in ourselves, faith in righteousness of our cause, and faith in the promises of God.

If we will seek truth, keep faith, and have courage, I have no fear that this nation can overcome all challenges from within and without.

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However, they may not be operated by anyone under the age of 16 on any public driving area such as highways and parking lots.

Hot rodders will find jacking up a vehicle more than six inches in the front or rear is unlawful under a new law. Any raising greater than six inches will require permission from the commissioner of motor vehicles.

It will be illegal to operate a vehicle displaying white lights in the rear while moving forward. Back up lights are not included, however.

Motorists have been relieved of one obligation under a new act. Drivers involved in an accident are no longer required to send an accident report to Raleigh. A copy of the investigating officer's report will be forwarded, instead.

Pedestrians, too, have a new law to contend with. It will be illegal to walk along a roadway if a sidewalk is available.

Accent On Agriculture

Inflation and steadily rising marketing costs are pushing up retail food prices while farm prices, especially meat and -dairy products, have continued to decline.

Farm - retail spreads for a market basket of U.S. farm foods are expected to widen in the fourth quarter and for all of 1974 will probably average 21 percent more than in 1973. This, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, is nearly three times the largest previous annual increase.

Inflation, plus built - in increases in labor costs all along the marketing, processing and distributing chain due to union contracts, makes it difficult for management to make the necessary adjustments in order to pass on lower farm prices to consumers.

This inflexibility and labor monopoly power in our economy not only affects the productive efficiency of our food industry, but many other segments of our competitive enterprise system.

Productivity has lagged in the food industry. Manpower output in food processing and distribution has been increasing at an annual rate of only 2 to 3 percent and the U.S. Department of abor forecasts a similar rate of progress for the remaining years of the seventies. Also, government through many of its regulatory agencies, has contributed to higher food marketing costs.