

The Baird Star

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CROP PRODUCTION LOAN BLANKS NOW AVAILABLE

Mr. H. L. Johnston Field, supervisor for the Feed and Seed or Crop Production Government Loan for this district, which is composed of Callahan Taylor, Runnels and Coleman counties with headquarters at Abilene, was in Baird Wednesday and Thursday of this week conferring with the local committees in reference to making loans to Callahan county farmers.

The Crop Production Loans will be in charge of a county committee composed of R. F. Mayfield, as chairman, Bob Norrell and Rod Kelton. There will also be local committees at Baird Clyde, Putnam and Cross Plains to assist the county committee in this work.

The Committee at Baird is composed of the following: W. E. Melton, chairman, J. Rupert Jackson and Ben L. Russell, Jr.

We do not have the names of the full committees at the other places but E. G. Hampton will serve as chairman at Clyde; R. L. Clinton, chairman at Putnam and C. C. Neeb, chairman at Cross Plains.

Application blanks for Crop Production Loans are now here and those who wish to apply for the loans must see Ben L. Russell, Jr., or J. Rupert Jackson, who will assist them in making out their application without charge.

Farmers applying for the loan will be required to agree to an acreage reduction of 30 per cent. The agricultural department at Washington in announcing that \$90,000,000, would be available for loans to American farmers this year, outlined and the theory that the farmer is honest will also apply in all these contracts. Any farmer who choose to violate the regulations will be taking chances as the penalty for misrepresentation in loan applications is a fine of \$1000 or six months in jail, or both.

Accompanying the 30 per cent reduction in acreage, the 1923 regulations limit the amount of loan available to any farmer to \$300.00. No loan in excess of \$100 will be made to any applicant who is in arrears on as many as two previous loans made by the Secretary of Agriculture. The rate of interest this year is 5 1-2 per cent, same as last year.

In the Crop Production Loan the use of the money is limited to buying seed and fertilizer, and to feeding of work stock only, with a small proportion for miscellaneous use, as specified in the application and no loans will be made to anyone who has a means of livelihood other than farming.

An application for a loan accompanied by the necessary crop lien will be passed on first by the county advisory committee. If the county committee and field inspector certify the application; it will then be sent to the regional field office at Dallas for final approval and disbursement.

Where the farmer is a tenant the owner of the farm must in all cases sign a waiver in favor of the government. All notes are due Oct. 31, 1933.

As Callahan County has no county agent whose duty it would be to assist in this matter; M. G. Farmer, of Baird has been appointed to act in this capacity.

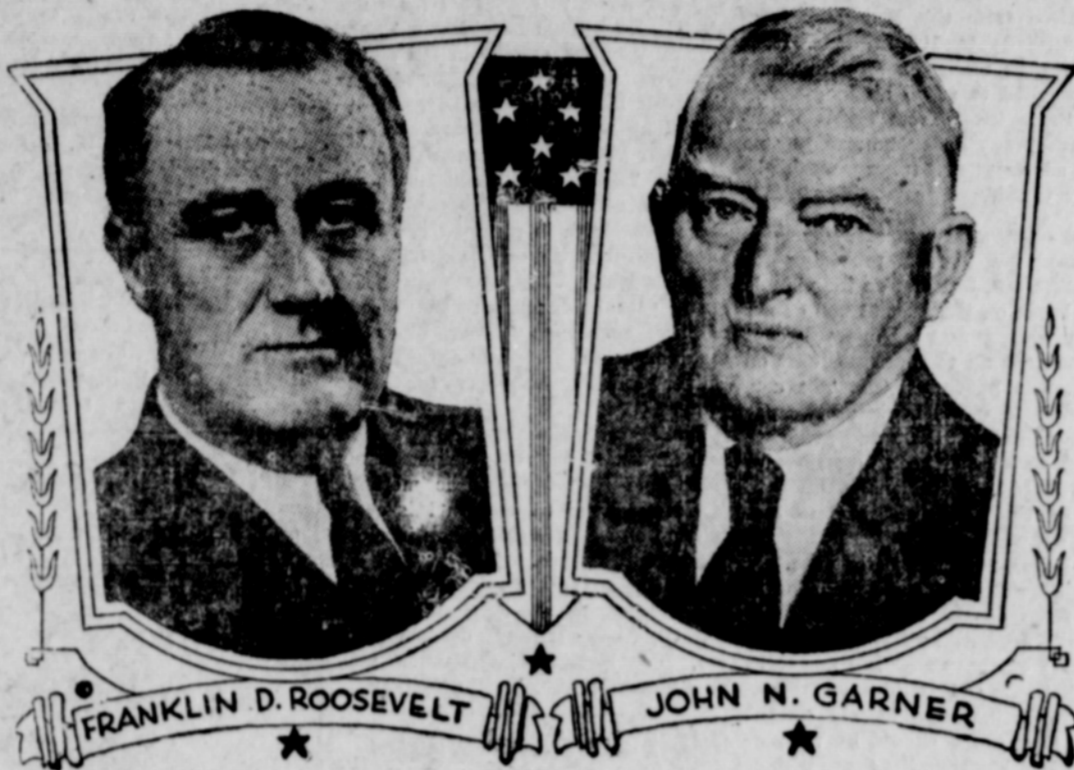
Mr. Johnston, field supervisor, will be in Baird on Thursday and Friday of each week to assist in this work and may be found in the Commissioner's Court Room.

Application blanks for this loan will also be available at the office of Foster Bond, Cross Plains; at the Farmers State Bank, Putnam; and at the Clyde National Bank, at Clyde.

There is another fund available to farmers for the purpose of helping make a crop, etc and that is the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation in which farmers may secure a loan on their collateral and where there is sufficient collateral owned by the applicant who is a tenant farmer it will not be necessary for the land owned to sign a waiver.

The following committee is handling applications for this fund: W. E. Melton, (Baird), chairman; C. C. Neeb, Cross Plains; E. G. Hampton, Clyde; R. L. Clinton, Putnam; B. L. Russell, Baird; James C. Asbury, (Baird), inspector.

Applications for loans in this fund



Inauguration Ceremonies Will Be Held Saturday, March 4, 1933

Franklin D. Roosevelt and John N. Garner will be sworn in as President and Vice-President of the United States Saturday, March 4, 1933; it being the fourth time since the civil war that the Democratic Party has come into power. Thousands of people are journeying to Washington to attend the inauguration. The people of Texas are particularly interested in the inauguration, because of the fact that John N. Garner is a native son of the Lone Star State, and hundreds of Texans will be in Washington to witness the inauguration.

Texas Bank Holiday Ordered by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson has declared a financial moratorium of five days in a proclamation issued yesterday, that prohibits and enjoins all Texas state and national banking institutions from paying out any amount of money until Wednesday, March 8th.

Gov. Ferguson resorts to this drastic action in an effort to stabilize economic conditions distributed somewhat within the past few days by the closing of banks in other states.

This order for a holiday came as a surprise, but the order is mandatory and Bob Norrell, cashier of The First National Bank, of Baird, informs us that the order will be obeyed and accordingly the following notice is displayed on the front door of the bank to-day:

Bank Holiday

"In accordance with the proclamation of the Governor of Texas which is mandatory on all Texas banks until Wednesday morning, March 8, 1933 or until such proclamation is lifted, the doors of this bank are temporarily closed.

"We expect the banks of Texas will be permitted to resume business within a few days."

So far as The First National Bank is concerned, this action was in no way necessary, for the bank, which is one of the strongest banks in West Texas, was never in better condition than at this time.

Henry James, of Abilene, who is vice-president of The First National Bank, of Baird, and who for many years has been considered one of the best and most conservative bankers of the south-west says, in the Abilene Morning News, to-day:

"So far as the Abilene country is concerned, it was in no way necessary as the banks of this territory are in splendid condition, better than in years. There are extremely liquid and have large cash reserves. However, speaking personally, I feel that these bank holidays being proclaimed throughout the United States will do much in clarifying the situation which had become disturbed after the governor of Michigan had declared the initial holiday and the governor of Maryland had followed suit.

"The action of the various governors, coupled with the legislation passed by congress last week-end enlarging the authority of the comptroller of the currency, should be especially helpful to small banks in remote places, which do not carry large cash reserves and which are entitled to fullest protection while the country is going through a trying period of uncertainty."

are also available now and any of the above named committee can give you any information you may desire in regards to this loan.

Funeral Rites For Lem Lambert Held Friday

Funeral rites for Lem W. Lambert who died at 12:50 Friday morning, February 24, 1933 were held at the graveside in Ross cemetery at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, the service being conducted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes pastor of the Baptist church, assisted by Rev. Royce Gilliland.

Active pall bearers were: Robert Estes, Bob Warren, Olin Jones, Melvin Farmer, Colonel Dyer, Bud Walker, Judge J. H. Carpenter and Haynie Gilliland.

Honorary pall bearers were: L. A. Blakley, Joe Glover, George Crutchfield, Jack Gilliland, Fred Cutbirth, Richard Price, Dr. H. H. Ramsey, H. C. McGowan, John McGowan, C. B. Snyder, Sr., Ed Bounds, W. G. Bowles, Charlie G. Hadley, Judge B. L. Russell, H. W. Ross, J. F. Dyer, O. L. Black, J. S. Hart, H. A. McWhorter, Tom Windham, S. E. Settle, John Asbury, W. P. Brightwell, Dr. S. P. Rumph, Dr. G. A. Hamlett, C. B. Holmes, G. M. King, J. P. Walker, R. J. Harris, W. T. Jones, Price McFarlane, Larmer Henry, Fred Estes, Tom Powell, E. L. Finley, James Ross A. T. Vestal, Buck White, Morgan Stokes, W. B. Griggs, J. W. Seay, L. L. Blackburn, Harry Ebert, Arthur Young and Will Young.

Mr. Lambert had been in failing health for the past four or five months and for the past three weeks was confined to his bed. His mother, sisters and friends and attending physicians did everything possible to relieve his suffering and during his long illness he was cheerful and enjoyed having his friends come in to see him. He was a typical West Texan and had spent most of his life in the outdoors and he found it trying to stay in doors, but he never complained and bore his suffering with great fortitude.

Lemuel Wylie Lambert was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Lambert, pioneer residents of Hood county where Lem, as he was called by all, was born on June 4, 1877; he would have been 56 years of age on his next birthday. He moved with his parents to Callahan county in 1884, when a small child. The family lived for one year at Putnam then moved to Baird where they lived for a short time moving from here to Tecumseh an dlater to Clear Creek, moving back to Baird in 1899 where the family have since lived.

Finishing Touch Being Put On Street

J. W. Hammons, county commissioner is putting the finishing touch on the street leading north from the highway which was graded and graveled. The rain which came the past week was just what was needed as it fell slowly and thoroughly soaked the road bed which is now being rolled and will be put in first class shape by this able commissioner, Mr. Hammons.

This work was a part of the work financed by the R. F. C. Fund in this city, and gave work to quite a number of men the past few weeks.

Mr. Hammons informs us that he gave work to 320 men in his precinct during the month of February; the amount being \$1,060.00; \$500.00 being spent in the Baird district and \$560 in the Clyde district.

American Legion Banquet Tonight

The American Legion and Auxiliary will give a banquet at the Chamber of Commerce building to night. Quite a large number of ex-service men are expected to attend.

The funeral was one of the largest ever held in Baird and there were many beautiful flowers, a token of the esteem in which he was held.

He was laid to rest in the family lot near his father, who died some years ago, and his sister Lauretta Carter, who died more than twenty years ago.

The deceased is survived by his mother, Mrs. Henry Lambert, two brothers and two sisters, Ed Lambert and Miss Jeffe Lambert, of Baird; Rolly (Jack) Lambert, of Houston, and Mrs. R. Q. Evans, of San Antonio, all of whom with Miss Donna Carter, his niece, were at his bedside when death came. Mrs. Rolly Lambert and daughter, Doris Jean arrived a few hours after his death. He is also survived by an uncle, Wylie L. Lambert and a large number of relatives, many of whom were here to attend the funeral. Relatives and friends from a distance, who were here to attend the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Mae Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lambert and Mrs. Homer Rucker, Sweetwater, Miss Willie Hodges, Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lambert, Mrs. Fred Scott, of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lambert Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lambert, Mrs. Dee Williams, of Grandbury; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lambert and Mrs. H. Roff, of Bluffdale; C. B. Snyder, of Moran Dr. H. H. Ramsey, Abilene; Mrs. F. Fisher and Mrs. Anna Mae Lundabring, Big Spring; Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. Geo. B. Scott, Cross Plains; Mrs. Andy Young, Mr. and Mrs. Will Young and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Burkett; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Baum, Mrs. M. A. Brightwell, Burnt Branch.

Mrs. M. Franklin Succumbs To Long Illness

Mrs. Kate C. Franklin, wife of Mose Franklin, member of one of Callahan county's pioneer families, died at the family home, Monday evening February 27, 1933, at 7 o'clock, her death following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the rites being conducted by the pastor, Rev. R. A. Walker, assisted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist Church and Rev. Thos. McDonald, pastor of the Church of Christ. The choir sang several selections and a quartette composed of Mrs. H. H. Shaw, Mrs. C. B. Holmes, Rev. Mayes and Mr. Satterwhite sang "In The Land Where We Never Grow Old".

Pall bearers were: V. E. Hill, John Simons, Fred Cutbirth, Sam Gilliland, Royce Gilliland and Haynie Gilliland.

Interment was made in Ross cemetery where the new made grave was covered with many beautiful flowers, silent messages of the love and esteem in which the deceased was held by her loved ones and friends.

Mrs. Franklin had been ill for the past eight months; her illness being due to a fall in which her hip was fractured. She spent several weeks in the Griggs hospital and was then carried to her home where everything possible was done for her and for a while her family were hopeful that she would again be able to walk; but some four weeks ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis, since which time her condition has been serious and for the past two weeks life hung by a slender thread, she being unconscious most of the time. Everything that medical skill, good nursing and the tender care by her family and friends was done to relieve her suffering.

Mrs. Franklin, whose maiden name was Kate C. Hill, was born in Shelby county, Kentucky, on March 1, 1856 and would have been 77 years of age Wednesday. She moved to Texas with her parents in girlhood and settled in Denton county. From there the family moved to Callahan county in the frontier days and lived in the Belle Plaine community where she was married to Mose Franklin on Sept. 17, 1885. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin moved to Mitchell county where they lived on a ranch until 1893 when they returned to this county and lived on the W. H. Gilliland ranch on the Bayou until they moved to Baird some 36 years ago, where they have since made their home.

Mrs. Franklin is survived by her husband, three daughters and one son. They are: Mrs. B. L. Boydston and Mrs. H. D. Driskill, of Baird; Mrs. George E. Simons, of Okmulgee, Okla.; and W. C. Franklin, of Dallas. She is also survived by two nieces, Mrs. C. E. Drake and Mrs. Charles E. Vitatoe, of El Paso, whom she reared and loved as her own children and they in return loved her as a mother, being devoted to her as were her own children. She is also survived by three grandsons, George E. Jr. and Bobby Simons and Billie Franklin, two sisters, Mrs. Price McFarlane, of Baird and Mrs. Jennie Gilliland, of Abilene, and a number of nieces and nephews among them being little Blanch Nell and Jacqueline Vitatoe, who loved her as a grandmother.

Mrs. Franklin was a devoted Christian and was always at her post of duty in the church, Sunday School and Ladies Aid Society. She sang well and was a faithful member of the choir in the Presbyterian Church, and as a fitting tribute to her, her chair in the choir was draped and the members of the Ladies Aid followed the casket into the church, carrying the beautiful floral offerings, which were many.

Many friends, some of whom had known and loved her for more than a half century, followed the remains to the last resting place.

Thus passes to her reward, such as is promised to all who are faithful unto the end a dearly beloved Christian woman, for Mrs. Franklin had lived a life of Christian service and it was her delight to minister to the needs of those who required help and kind assistance. The world is better for her having lived here and she will be sadly missed by those who have had the pleasure of knowing her these many years. She was a loving and devoted wife, mother and sister and her family loved her with a love that knew no bounds.

DISTRICT COURT CONVENE MONDAY

District Court, for the 42nd judicial district opened Monday with Judge M. S. Long presiding. J. R. Black, district attorney; R. L. Edwards, sheriff; Bob Tollett, deputy sheriff; Mrs. Ford Driskill, district clerk and Mrs. E. M. Smith, deputy district clerk in attendance.

The following is a list of grand jurors sworn in: R. P. Stephenson, foreman, Joe Reed, secretary, Ace Hickman, Sam Barr, Fred Cutbirth, W. H. Bryant, Jim Yarbrough, Gus Brandon, Roy Kendrick, Steve Foster, Houston Box, Hugh McDermett.

The grand jury has been quite busy all week and up to yesterday afternoon had returned ten indictments, five of this number being against Ben Chaney, charged with burglary. Jury Bailiffs: Door Baliff, Jack Jones; Walking Baliff, Sam Black; Riding Bailiffs: Melvin Farmer, W. A. Petterson, C. R. Nurdyke and Cos Thompson.

There is a heavy docket before the court for this term.

Petit Jury for third week of court: J. T. Houston, Ed Carpenter, J. E. Alexander, G. C. Welch, W. P. Ramsey, Quincy Lovern, E. G. Pierce, Ed Davis, S. B. Strahan, E. C. Neeb, Otto Betcher, J. A. Sikes, B. H. Freeland, L. L. Montgomery, C. R. Farmer, M. B. Clements, M. E. Bain, F. L. Smith, John Harris, Fred Cook, Kirby Meyer, H. J. Gibbs, E. C. Waddell, G. A. Crane, John Stone, B. F. Andrews, H. W. Caldwell, J. R. Green, G. P. Clark, Euls Johnson, B. Crow Ed Henderson, Dorse Odum, Carlton Powell, W. B. Barrett, Ode Berry, C. L. Dickey, H. W. Grisham, Clint McIntyre, Dee Peevy.

John H. Boen, Pioneer, Passes Away

John H. Boen, of Rowden, died at an early hour Tuesday morning, February 28th.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church at Rowden Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by Rev. R. H. Williams of Abilene, assisted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes and Royce Gilliland of Baird, and interment made in the Adair cemetery, where so many of the early residents of Callahan county are buried.

Mr. Boen was truly a pioneer of Callahan county, coming here in 1876, when a boy of 17 years of age, and with the exception of a year or so spent in West Texas, has spent the past 57 years in Callahan county, coming here with the late Thos. B. Hadley from Johnson county, who came here to take charge of the D. K. & S. P. ranch, located on Deep Creek. He has been engaged in ranching and farming for many years. He was a good man in every sense of the word, possessing a most cheerful disposition and numbered his friends by hundreds, who are made sad by his death.

Hundreds of friends were present at the funeral to pay a last tribute to the deceased.

Mr. Boen has been in ill health for several months but was able to be up most of the time and was in town a few weeks ago, and his death came as a shock to many who did not know of his serious condition.

John H. Boen was born April 4, 1859, near Sand Mountain in Jackson county, Alabama. He came to Texas in 1874, first living in Johnson county from there to this county in 1876. He was married to Miss Willie Price, November 8, 1888. He was converted and joined the Baptist Church at Adair about 38 years ago. He later moved his membership to Rowden, where he has been a member since.

Mr. Boen is survived by his wife, one son and daughter, Ray Boen, who lives at home with his parents, and Mrs. Grover Miller of Baird, also three little grand daughters, Martha, Ray Nell, and Joe's Boss Miller of Baird.

Many friends from Baird attended the funeral.

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This Week In Washington

(Autocaster Service)

Washington, D. C. Feb. 20.—The last of the Hoover family's personal effects have been taken out of the White House and put on board a Government ship, which will take them through the Panama Canal to the Mare Island Navy Yard in San Francisco Bay. From there it will be a short haul by truck to the Hoover's permanent residence at Stanford University Palo Alto, California. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover are "living out of suitcases" until the fourth of March. They will have very little baggage to take with them when they leave Washington on that day. Mr. Hoover will accompany the new President to the Capital, but his plans do not contemplate remaining there to listen to his successor's inaugural address. Instead, he will meet Mrs. Hoover at the railroad station, shortly after noon, and they will take a train for New York to catch a ship which is sailing that night for California.

Democrats in Capital

Twelve years of uninterrupted Republican control of the Federal Government are practically at an end. The Democratic Party is in more complete control than it has been since the first Administration of Woodrow Wilson, which began just twenty years ago. At that time only a few persons on either side of the Atlantic anticipated the great European war, and fewer still had any remote idea that the United States would be dragged into it. Yet it is the event which occurred during the war which are at the roots of the economic troubles from which the United States and all the rest of the world are suffering.

By all odds the biggest job ahead of the Roosevelt Administration is the adjustment of the international situation, with respect of debts growing out of the war, and the effort to restore international trade upon which the prosperity of the United States still greatly depends. And the most important task which President Roosevelt and his party's Congress will have to tackle also grew out of the war. This is the problem of pensions, hospitalization and bonus payments for those who served under the American flag in that war.

It seems from here at this time safe to assert, first, that the new Administration will not consent to the demand of the American Legion for the immediate payment of the deferred bonus certificates held by veterans of the war. It also seems safe to predict that there will be a complete reorganization of the system of caring for invalid and disabled veterans whose allowances and injuries are not directly due to their war service. At present the cost of medical and hospital service for such cases is estimated at around \$400,000,000 a year, and it is anticipated that this will be one of the first points of attack by President Roosevelt in his effort to reduce the cost of carrying on the Government by at least 25 per cent.

Presidential Power

The desire of many of the Democratic party leaders to rush a bill through the present Congress to give the President broader powers than have ever been conferred upon any President in peace time, for the reorganization of governmental offices, the consolidation of bureaus and the elimination of unnecessary functions, seem to have run against a snag in the shape of an intimation from the White House that if such a bill as proposed is adopted, Mr. Hoover will veto it. Mr. Hoover had asked for authority to make certain reorganizations, which authority was denied him. He never requested any such broad powers as it is proposed to confer upon President Roosevelt, and he does not believe that any President should be exempted from the control and review of his acts by the Congress. Since there are not enough Democratic votes in either House to pass any measure over the President's veto, if it is made a party issue, this seems to settle the matter so far as this Congress is concerned.

Cleared For Action

Mr. Roosevelt, it is known, has

asked his supporters in Congress to give him all the power they can legally grant under the Constitution. And, in the beginning at least, there is little doubt that he will get it. Of course, any power delegated to the President by Congress can always be taken away from him by Congress, but it begins to look as if President Roosevelt would find himself in a position of more complete authority than any President has occupied since Mr. Wilson, who for two years, from early 1917 until early 1919, was practically the Supreme Dictator of the United States.

In any event, the new President will have to call a special session of the Senate to confirm the appointment of his Cabinet members, the new ambassadors and ministers with whom it is certain he will replace America's representatives abroad, and the hundreds of other Presidential appointees who must be immediately put in office and confirmed. In all, there are something like 150,000 Government positions over which the President personally, or his Cabinet, have unrestricted power of removal and appointment.

If the plans which are being discussed by the friends and supporters of the new Administration are carried out there will also be a big shake-up in the classified service, which is under the protection of the civil service laws. Appointments, promotions and dismissals in the classified service, which includes now about half a million Government workers outside of the Army and Navy, can be made only on the basis of examinations for fitness and merit, and these places have always been regarded as permanent and secure. But all of these positions are subject to Congressional action. Congress can, for example, abolish and entire bureau or division.

Tips On Taxes

Austin—Many measurers are pending in the Legislature designed to reduce the cost of government. They range all the way from simple resolutions to constitutional amendments. Legislators are giving attention to the problems of local taxation, as it is affected by State law, and bills are pending whereby local governing bodies will not be hampered in economy efforts by State law and constitutional provisions. The major share of the tax burden is for local purposes, cities, counties and school districts.

Senator Purl of Dallas, has introduced a resolution providing for a constitutional amendment abolishing the fee system, except as to public weighers, notaries public and county surveyors. It is believed that vesting in Commissioners Courts the right to fix salaries for officials who are now compensated by fees would result in great savings to the taxpayers. Other legislation, similar in purpose, is being considered.

There seems to be a well-defined purpose to reduce the cost of State government an average of 25 per cent. The House has already passed the judiciary supply bill, providing for that amount of reduction in salaries of district judges, appellate court judges and district attorneys. The Senate has not acted. Vigorous protests against the reductions have been made before the Senate committee, considering the bill.

Presidents and regents of teachers colleges are reported to be agreeable to a 25 per cent reduction in their budgets.

The House has before it a bill reducing automobile license fees one-third. Passage of this or some similar measure is regarded as certain.

A constitutional amendment, introduced by Senator Walter Woodward, would limit the total cost of the State government to \$10 per capita per year. This proposal is unique in that it would compel economy by placing an arbitrary limit on expenditures. Approval of the amendment would place expenditures on the same per capita basis as 1927. In 1925 the per capita cost of State government was \$8.50. The peak was reached in 1930 when the figures were \$14. Last year the per capita was \$12.50.

It is claimed for this amendment that it would provide an automatic check on taxation, which is now virtually without limit. Another claim

is that it would compel the discontinuance of bureaus, commissions and departments once their usefulness had passed. Instances of government bureaus and services being discontinued are rare. It is argued that this amendment would require the abolishment of less needed services when necessity for new ones arises.

The general trend is for tax reduction measurers, but several bills have been introduced seeking to tap new sources of revenue. The most far-reaching is the proposal to levy a three per cent tax on gross receipts from sales and professional services. Estimates of the amount that would be derived from this levy vary from fifty millions to 100 millions. It is certain that many businesses would be compelled to stand an increase in their State taxes from eight-to-tenfold, and many lines who now pay no State ad valorem taxes would be heavily taxed.

Another new source of revenue is suggested in the bill providing for an income tax. The tax on individuals would begin on the first \$1,000 of net income with a rate of one per cent and graduate up to seven per cent on net incomes above \$11,000. The corporation rate would begin at two per cent on the first \$1,000 and graduate upward to six per cent on incomes above \$6,000. Deductions, similar to those of the Federal income tax, would apply.

The belief, however, is that the two bills will be combined and modified to carry some of the features of both. It will predict, however, what the final fate of these new tax measures will be. There is determined opposition to both, based chiefly on the theory that there should be no new taxes levied but that the State budget should be balanced by economies in expenditures.

A constitutional amendment has been introduced for increases in salaries of a few State officials. The Governor's pay would be increased from \$4,000 to \$12,000; Attorney Generals from \$4,000 to \$10,000; Treasurer and Land Commissioner from \$2,500 to \$6,000. Many other State officials now receive much higher pay than these.

Callahan County Taxpayers Will Save \$145,000 On Outstanding Bonds

Austin, Texas, Feb. 22.—Callahan county taxpayers will save more than \$145,000 on their outstanding road bonds through the refunding act of the Legislature last year, according to preliminary figures just compiled by the state highway department.

Gasoline tax revenue are providing the money for this saving, beginning this year. The law sets aside one cent of the four-cent gas tax, or more than \$7,000,000 a year. Each month's portion of this income is to be divided in the proper ratio and paid against the maturities of each county for that month.

The ration is to be set by the new Board of County and District Road Indebtedness. Gigg Gilchrist, its chairman, said that while payments already have been begun, the amounts thus far are too scattered to bear any real significance.

The highway department's records show that Callahan county has contributed \$147,490.65 to the construction of designated state highways and bridges since the department was established in 1917. Judge J. H. Carpenter has given state officials an estimate which covers a longer period, totalling \$309,000. The amount finally approved will be somewhere between the two.

The total expenditures of this type by all the counties of the state, since 1917, total \$90,345,267 according to highway department records. Estimates of county officials are still larger, but highway officials believe the ultimate total will be about \$110,000,000. On the basis now set by the legislature, from 12 to 15 years would be required to pay it from the gasoline tax.

The Texas Good Road Association, which secured these figures from the department, pointed out that in addition to the one cent of the tax which goes to county bonds, another cent goes to the state school fund, leaving but two cents of the tax for its primary purpose—the construction and maintenance of roads.

"Surely the motorists of Texas," the association's statement said, "are entitled to the remaining one-half of this special tax for highways and highways alone, unmolested by any further diversions. It will provide barely enough money to carry on the highway program on a much-reduced scale."

In order to weld the motorists of the state into a unified force for concerted action in their own interest, the association is now engaged in a state-wide membership campaign, at a nominal fee. Civic leaders in every county in Texas are being selected to head local campaigns.

High School Scholarship Offered

Time for eligible boys in Texas to file applications for the \$4,500 Texas scholarship in Culver Military academy is getting short, and Dr. Fred C. Ayer, professor of educational administration, University of Texas, who is chairman of the Texas committee on award for the Culver scholarship, is anxious to have all interested make their applications as soon as possible. The closing date is March 1.

Applicants must be recommended by the principals of their high schools as outstanding in school activities and studies. They must be between 13 and 15 years of age and be in the eighth grade or not further advanced than the first half of the ninth grade. Similar scholarships are awarded this year in Iowa, Tennessee and Wisconsin. These scholarships are the last of a series of twelve established three years ago in memory of Emily Jane Culver, wife of the founder of the Academy. They are among the most valuable ever offered to boys of high school age. They cover all costs of room, board and tuition in Culver Military academy for three years.

Preliminary examinations will be held March 18 in twenty-eight Texas cities and towns. Scientific methods of selection will be used in this competition on a wider scale than in most scholarship awards.

The forms for the application may be secured from the Scholarships Secretary, Culver Military academy, Culver, Ind. Detailed information may be ad from high school principals.

'Up-Town' Telegraph Office Closed

The Western Union Telegraph Co. has closed their office in the IOOF building and the business will be handled here after at the office at the depot.

Miss Clara Williams, who has been in charge of the office 'up-town' for the past three years has been transferred to Rockdale, Texas and left Wednesday evening for that place to begin her duties.

Miss Williams has proven herself a very efficient and business like young lady, and has made hundreds of friends here who regret to have her leave us. She was ever faithful, efficient and courteous in the discharge of her duties and we all regret to have her leave Baird.

Miss Williams' father, Mr. Bird Williams who has been here for the past year, will join her later at Rockdale.

County Singing Convention Meets Here Sat. and Sun.

The Callahan County Singing Convention will be held in Baird Saturday and Sunday. The first program to be held Saturday night at the Methodist church.

The program Sunday will be given at 10 o'clock and continue through the day.

Prominent singers from all parts of the county, as well as nearby cities will be present and a large attendance is expected.

Episcopal Service

Rev. Paul Reese, from Emanuel church, of San Angelo, will preach at the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon at 3:30. The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

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Monthly Workers Conference, March 5

The Monthly Workers Conference will be held with the Scranton Missionary Baptist Church, March 7, 1933

- 10:00. Devotional, Ross Respass.
- 10:10. Inspiration of the Scriptures Mack Richardson.
- 10:30. The Atonement, Joe R. Mayes
- 10:50. Spiritual Regeneration, Roy O'Brien.
- 11:10. Announcements.
- 11:30. Sermon, P. B. (Dick) O'Brien
- 12:00. Lunch.
- 1:15. Song Service.
- Congregational Song led by Gattis. Duet by Mesdames Shrader and Blalock, Congregational song, Spurgeon Sprawls.
- 2:00. Address, V. W. Tatum.
- A Special Song.
- 2:30. The Debt Paying Campaign, Graves Darby.

Dephian Chapter

The Delphian Chapter will meet with Mrs. Gus Hall, Tuesday afternoon, March 7th, at 3:30 o'clock.

Missionary Society

The Woman's Missionary Society

of the Methodist Church met in regular business meeting last Monday afternoon with a good attendance. The scripture lesson was led by Mrs. W. S. Hamlett.

The Society will meet in the regular social meeting at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock March 6th with Mesdames S. P. Rumph and Mrs. Lua James, as hostess. All members of the church are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

The Country Home, the farm, garden and home magazine—Those who love the out of doors and enjoy making a garden or pretty yard, will get some good points from this inexpensive magazine. One year only 25c or 5 years for \$1.00. Eliza Gilliland at the Star office

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GILLILAND'S SHOPPE

Harry Marquar Given Life Sentence

Harry Marquar, who was charged with the murder of Leon P. Neal, son of J. C. Neal, of Clyde was given a life sentence at Chillicothe, Mo., Monday. The two women who were also charged with the murder of Mr. Neal and who were arrested with Marquar in Florida, will be tried at Chillicothe on April 10th.

Presbyterian Meeting Begins March 5th.

Begins Sunday Night, March 5th Rev. Dr. L. B. Gray of Strawn, will do the preaching. We want to extend to everyone, a very cordial invitation to attend the services, and we feel that many of his old friends will want to hear him, and enjoy his good sermons and his genial friendliness. We invite you to come.

Committee.

PERSONALS

J. C. Neal of Clyde, was in Baird on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bradley of Rowden were Baird visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Isenhower of Putnam, were in Baird yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eve Hughes returned yesterday from Kilgore, Texas.

Mrs. B. H. Bennett is visiting her daughter in San Angelo.

Miss Ethlyen Clark spent last week end in Dallas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jarrett visited their daughter, Mrs. John Finto, in Ranger last week.

Miss Earlene West of Tarleton Station spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. P. West.

Mrs. Harold Ray is visiting her mother Mrs. J. C. Lee, in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross spent the week end with Mrs. H. W. Ross and Mrs. Bookhout in Dallas.

Mrs. Robert Walker returned Sunday afternoon from McKinney and Dallas and resumed her class work in expression and dancing Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jarrett of Big Spring, spent the week end with Mr. Jarrett. Mr. Jarrett returned home and Mrs. Jarrett going to Fort Worth to visit relatives.

Mrs. Olive M. Clark, Mr. Howard Jester, of Fort Worth spent Sunday with their brother, Mr. Jester and family. They were accompanied by Mrs. Clark's little grandson, Eugene Brooks.

W. E. Melton, accompanied by his son Arvin spent Tuesday in Ft. Worth. Mr. Melton has been suffering for some time from a kidney trouble and is taking treatments from a specialist there. We are glad to learn that Mr. Melton is much improved.

Billie Carroll, a former High School student, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, in a Midland hospital is reported improving and able to leave the hospital. Billie is a son of Mrs. Joe Gossett, formerly of Baird, who now lives at McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Meadows and Garland Bennett, returned yesterday from Dallas, where Mrs. Meadows and Garland attended the Spring school for Hair Dressers. Mrs. Meadows always attends these schools so that she can keep up with the new trend in hair dressing.

Mrs. O. B. Hundley and two daughters, Mary Joe and Dorothy, of San Diego, Chili, South America, are the guests of Mrs. Hundley's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Griswold. Mr. Hundley, who is dean of the University of Chili, accompanied his family to the States, but has gone on to New York on business. Mrs. Hundley and daughters will spend several months here.

Special prices on magazines:—I will send you the Woman Home Companion and the American magazine, (both magazines to one address) for 15 months for \$3.50.—You get 3 months subscription to each of these popular magazine free by accepting this offer. This offer is only good for a short time. Call me at phone 6 or 8. Eliza Gilliland, Star office.

'Nubbin's' Independant Service Station

Last week Irvin Corn, 'Nubbin' as he is better known to his many friends took over the Bennett Service Station located in the building formerly occupied by Bennett & White Feed Store. 'Nubbin' needs no introduction to the people of this community, as he was connected with the Lowe-Barker Chevrolet Co., for three years and has had considerable experience in the sales and service department of several automobile firms in the past. He is a high class young man and has the ability to render the kind of service the public desires. This service station will feature Octane gasoline, made from Callahan county crude oil, by the Octane Oil Refining Company, of Baird. They will also handle Big State Oil. This place of business will be operated as an independant station and in addition to handling gas, oils and accessories, a repair department will be maintained. Hancel McClendon a nother young man well known here is in charge of the repair department. Hancel McClendon is well experienced in this work and will appreciate a part of your business. (See their ad in this issue.)

Former Co. Resident Buried At Rockwall

Mrs. B. W. Boydston, who with her husband formerly lived on the B. L. Boydston farm, north-west of Baird, died at Corpus Christia Saturday and the remains were carried to Rockwall the old home of the Boydstons for burial; the funeral rites being held Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boydston lived for some years on the Boydston farm, which they called 'the end of the trail' and left several years ago going back to the state of Washington where they lived for a while, going from there to New York and after a short residence returned to Texas.

Mr. Boydston is an uncle of B. L. and W. D. Boydston, Mrs. J. C. Barringer and Miss Myrtle Boydston, of Baird. Many friends here will regret to learn of Mrs. Boydstons death.

Piano Pupils Will Be Presented In Recital

Glenn McGowen-Wylie will present a number of her piano pupils in two recitals next week. The first recital will be given by three high school students Misses Shelba Jones, Ida Louise Fetterly and La Verne Edwards, Tuesday evening, March 7th at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium. Included in Miss Edwards group of pieces are two compositions by Prof. Irl Allison, dean of music at Simmons University. The High School Choral Club, directed by Miss Reeves, will also sing two numbers.

The second recital—a twilight musical, will be given by a group of junior pupils, Thursday; afternoon, March 9th at 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. H. McGowen. The following students will take part: Ellen Louise Nunnally, Wyoma King, Martha Work Cora Mae Mayes, Delores Riley, Frances Berry, Jimmy Shaw and Billy George Wylie. Miss Vera Mae Edwards, a student of popular music, will play a group of popular selections. Everyone is invited to attend each of these recitals. The program for the first one follows:

- "Poet and Peasant Overture"
- Von Suppe, Shelba Jones, Ida Louise Fetterly.
- "The Fox Chas", Irl Allison
- "To a Rosebud", Irl Allison
- "Listen to the Mocking Bird"—Lange La Verne Edwards
- "Pulonaise Militaire"—Fryssinger Ida Louise Fetterly
- "Hungarian Dance"—Brohms Shelba Jones
- Song, High School Choral Club.
- "Berceuse" from Jocelyn, Godard
- "Juba Dance"—Dett Ida Louise Fetterly.
- "Chromatic Valse"—Godard La Verne Edwards.
- "Melody of Love"—Eugelmann
- "Country Gardens"—Percy Grainger Shelba Jones.

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Church of Christ

All classes will meet for Bible Study Sunday morning at ten o'clock. This is not a side issue but an important part of the worship. The worship can not be complete without it. At eleven o'clock a sermon will be preached on "Weariness in Well Doing" At 11:45 the Lord's Supper will be offered.

Sunday night, immediately following the young peoples meeting another sermon will be preached by the Minister on this subject, "Why I Am Not A Catholic". There will be no misrepresentation, and I will be willing for any devout Catholic to sit as judge. 10:45. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

THOS. McDONALD, Minister.

Brunk's Comedian's Here Monday For Three-Day Showing

'APPLESAUCE' IS THE PLAY FOR OPENING NIGHT

"Applesauce" is the name of the play that Brunk's Comedians will use here next Monday night when they open a three day's engagement in their tented theatre. "Applesauce" is a comedy drama of homespun life and is from the pen of the universally favored writer, Barry Connors.

"Applesauce" deals with two young men trying to win the hand of a certain young lady; one uses his money and business methods, the other uses "Applesauce" and this combination fairly sets the wheels of high-powered and clean comedy go round and round at a speed fast enough to make any speed-cop get in fast motion. Don Howell, Brunk's new comedian this season as one of the young suitors, is one of his pet parts, and he always feels greatly at home in this particular kind of a comedy part. Leonard Davis, one of Brunk's old favorite players, playing the part of the old man, the father of the girl, comes in for his share of the laughs in the good old home spun way, especially when he discovers one of the lovers is 'dirty with dough'. "Applesauce" has never failed to please at least 99 percent of its audience.

As usual Brunk's are carrying their same good musical organizations, with vaudeville between the acts. The tent is well heated, in case cold weather, and it will be located on the lot west of the Courthouse.

The Brunk's Comedians are under the personal management of Henry L. Brunk, and are playing here three days only, starting Manday, March 6.

Wednesday Club

The Wednesday Club met March 1st with Mrs. Norman Finley. Sixteen members answered roll call with current events, after which the following 'Texas Day' program was enjoyed: Stark Young: Life and Works.

Mrs. Russell. River House. Mrs. Finley. Criticism: River House, Mrs. White.

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Sunday, Monday, Tuesday March 12, 13, 14

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Quaker Maid Beans With Pork 4 16 oz Tins 15c

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16 oz. Jar 10c
32 oz. Jar 19c
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COTTONWOOD NEWS

Rev. D. Van Pelt filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and little daughter of the Admiral community, attend church here Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Windham and daughter, Myrl visited in the home of Mrs. J. H. Johnson Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Maggie Mae Barr and little daughter, Charlsye Jean visited in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Rev. Ross Respass, wife and baby, went to Dressy Sunday where he filled his appointment at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Elano Ried, Miss Winifred Robbins, Parker and Stanly Coppinger, spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. A. Coppinger.

Little Jimmie Glen Coffey has the chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy, of Cross Plains, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Worthy Sunday.

Miss nez Coppinger who is teaching at Comal, spent last week end at home.

Mr. A. Men Whitzel made a business trip to Vernon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner entertained the senior basket ball boys and girls Saturday night. Carroms and '42' were played. The boys and girls have a very good basket ball record this year. The girls having lost four games; and the boys three. The boys won the Callahan County championship over Putnam by a large score. This has been four years in succession that Putnam and Cottonwood have played the final game; and our boys have won three of these games. The girls lost to Oplin in the final game. Our girls kept a lead until the last few minutes of the play; but were unable to hold it. The girls played a good game but were unable to keep up their speed and accuracy, since that was the second game they had played in three hours. They won over Union by a score of 45 to 1n, which was the largest score in the elimination games, and the defeated team scored as few points as any team. M. Coppinger scored 26 points in the three-quarters, K. Champion scored 14 and A. M. Shirley, 5. In the semi-finals the girls won over Eula 38 to 27. That was the highest score in the semi-finals. M. Coppinger scored 20 points and K. Champion 18. In the final game we lost to Oplin by a score of 21 to 30. K. Champion scored 17 points and M. Coppinger, 5. M. Coppinger was the high point forward of the tournament, scoring 51 points in less than eight quarters.

A program will be given at the school auditorium. Friday night, March 11, 1933. The program will be printed next week. Everyone is invited. There will be no admission fee.

Mrs. Maggie Cook, Mrs. Pearl Woods and Mrs. Sidney Ratliff of Cross Plains, visited Mrs. C. V. Ram-

sey Tuesday afternoon.

With Baird Baptist

In spite of sickness and bad weather our services last Sunday were pretty good.

Next Sunday morning is Young People's Service again. We are to be favored by the services being for and by these fine young people of our church. All are invited and urged to be there and help and enjoy it.

We will have no night service, because of the meeting beginning at the Presbyterian church.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week I am to preach for the church at Putnam. Let us pray that these will be glorious hours when the good Lord shall pour out his blessings upon us.

Here is a question for everyone "What Think Ye of Christ?" I submit this clipping, because I think it to be the most splendid thing in this line I have ever seen:

WHAT THINK YE OF CHRIST?
Jesus challenges the attention of the world by His many-sidedness. He meets the needs of all classes and conditions of men.

As deep answereth unto deep, so He responds to the movings of each soul of man.

Call the roll of the world's workers and ask, "What think ye of Christ?" Their answers amazes us by their revelations of this many-sidedness of our Lord.

To the artist, He is the One Altogether Lovely.

To the astronomer, He is the Sun of Righteousness, the Bright and Morning Star.

To the baker, He is the Living Bread To the biologist, He is the Life.

To the builder, He is the sure Foundation.

To the carpenter, He is the Door.

To the doctor, He is the Great Physician.

To the educator, He is the Great Teacher.

To the farmer, He is the Sower, and the Lord of the Harvest.

To the florist, He is the Rose of Sharon and the Lily of the Valley.

To the geologist, He is the Rock of Ages.

To the horticulturist, He is the True Vine.

To the judge, He is the Righteous Judge, the Judge of all men.

To the juror, He is the Faithful and True Witness.

To the lawyer, He is the Counsellor, the Lawgiver, the Advocate.

To the newspaper man, He is the Good Tidings of Great Joy.

To the oculist, He is the Light of the Eyes.

To the philanthropist, He is the Unspeakable Gift.

To the preacher, He is the Word of God.

To the railroad man, He is the New and Living Way.

To the sculptor, He is the Living Stone.

To the statesman, He is the Desire

of all Nations.

To the student, He is the Incarnate Truth.

To the theologian, He is the Author and Finisher of our Faith.

To the toiler, He is the Giver of Rest.

To the sinner, He is the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world.

To the Christian, He is the Son of the living God, the Savior, Redeemer and Lord.

What is He to YOU?

—Selected.

Workers Meeting

The Callahan County Baptist Workers Meeting is with the Scranton church next Tuesday, March 7th. A good program is arranged. Let's all go; any one who misses that meeting is looser, for we always have a mighty good times at Scranton.

Zion Hill News

(The Early Bird)

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Morgan, of Merkel, spent the week end with Mr. Morgan's brother, Dick Morgan. Nine Morgan returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed spent Thursday night with their daughter, Mrs. Jim Everette.

A party was given in the home of Joe Morris Saturday night.

Mrs. Velma Frazier and children, Raymond, Billie Gene and Mary Jo, and Floyd Shelton, of Abilene, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shelton.

Lola Mayes entertained the "Best Yet Club" Wednesday night in the home of Travis Odell. After many interesting games of "42", refreshments of whipped cream and berries and cake were served to, Mesdames Opal Reid, Pearl Odell, Miss Marie Fisher Messrs Lance Reid, Travis Odell, Joe Ramsey, Joe Bentley, Bill Ramsey and the hostess, Lola Mayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Odell spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lance Reid.

Mrs. Borden Heslep of Loving Texas, is visiting her mother Mrs. Fisher of this community and her sister Eula Mae Denning, of Clyde.

Messrs J. M. Shelton and Alton Eubanks were Baird visitors Monday.

Methodist Church

March 5, 1933

9:45 Sunday School.

The Callahan County Singing Convention Association will take charge at 10:30 a. m., and singing will last until some time in the afternoon.

Our church is glad to have these good people with us. We extend a hearty welcome.

6:30. The Epworth League assembly.

7:30. Sermon, by Pastor.

8:00. Monday Womans Missionary Society will gather.

7:30. Wednesday mid-week service. Come and be with us at this hour for I believe you will enjoy it.

Church Night, March 22, 1933

March 22nd, we are to have Church Night. The request is for every member to be present if possible. There will be a short interesting program followed by a great supper and a grand good social time. We really want all to come.

April 2nd, our Pre-Ester Meeting begins with Rev. James Culpeper doing the preaching.

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NOTICE OF BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE

In the District Court of the United States For The Northern District of Texas.

In The Matter Of George Lee Walker, doing business as Walker Cash Grocery, Bankrupt.

No. 1592 in Bankruptcy.

Office of Referee

Abilene, Texas, Feb. 17, 1933.

Notice is hereby given that George Lee Walker, as aforesaid, of the County of Callahan, and district aforesaid, did, on the 27th day of January 1933 file in the Clerk's office of said Court, at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 22nd day of March 1933, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said district, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled cause.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr.,
11-1t Referee in Bankruptcy.

LEGAL NOTICE

In Re: Guarding of the estate of Thelma Mitchell, a minor.

No. 265.
In County Court, Dawson County, Texas.

To All Persons Interested in the above Minor Or Her Estate:

You are notified that I have on this the 24th day of February, 1933, filed with the Judge of the County Court of Dawson County, and application for authority to make, to J. A. Miller-

man, as lessee, two oil and, or gas and, or mineral leases of that certain land belonging to such minor described as all of her undivided 43 1-4 acres, being out of the N. 1-2 of H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Sur. No. 132, 160 acres, and 13 8-10 acres out of the Northeast corner of M. Cherry Sur. No. 4, situated in Callahan County, Texas, and that such application will be heard in the County Court room in the Courthouse of Dawson County on the 11th day of March, 1933.

MRS. FRED A. ARMSTRONG
Guarding of the estate of
12-1t Thelma Mitchell, a minor.

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WILL SWAP: Mammoth Bronze Toms for turkey hens. 11-2t E. H. Williams, Putnam.

FOR SALE—Kitchen Cabinet and three burner gas cook stove. Phone 290. R. E. Nunnally 11-3t

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