

## "Bennett's Coon Hunters" to Play Over KFYO, Abilene

The "Bennett's Coon Hunters," The string band composed of Farris Bennett, Tom Wylie and Lee Strawn, of this city have completed arrangements with the K F Y O broadcasting station at Abilene for programs over that station every Friday evening from 7 to 8 p. m.

This trio of Coon Hunters, played over K F Y O last Friday evening but unfortunately was unable to render their best accomplishment on account of the short period of time after the invitation for practice and arrangements of the program.

However, The Coon Hunters have worked out an excellent program for Friday night, but of course the station will consider the public's request for special numbers but will follow the outlined program until requests are made.

The program planned is:  
Rag Time Annie, Down Yonder Monday, Chicken Reel, Turkey in the Straw, The Eighth of January, Sally Johnson, Billy in the Low Ground, Comin' 'round the Mountain, Dan Wagoner, Soldiers Joy, Cotton Eyed Joe, Black Eyed Susie, Arkansas Traveler, Hell Among the Yearlings, Over the Waves, Wednesday Night Waltz, Zendar Waltz, Kelly Waltz.

### MARRIED

Mr. M. D. Estes, (Uncle Jack as he is familiarly known to his many friends) and Mrs. Meadar Moore, were married at the courthouse yesterday, Thursday, morning at 10 o'clock, the Hon. Tom J. White, J. P., reading the marriage ceremony in the presence of a large number of friends who had assembled to witness the marriage and to wish Uncle Jack and his bride happiness and prosperity as they journey along life's pathway.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes are both well and favorable known in Baird and Callahan county where they have resided for a number of years.

## Ritz Theatre To Sponsor Beauty Contest

Mr. H. F. Taylor, owner and manager of the Ritz Theatre, following a custom established by him some ten years ago, will sponsor a Beauty Contest beginning sometime during the present month. Any school girls in Baird is eligible to enter this contest, the prize being a diamond ring. Further announcements will be made in regards to the contest.

## Grandma Varnes Dies At Cottonwood

Grandma Varnes died Feb. 2, 1930. She was nearly 84 years old. Having been a resident of Callahan county for 44 years.

Her husband, Grandpa Varnes passed away 5 years ago.

Grandma leaves three sons, all of whom were at her bedside at her death. These are: H. S. Varnes of Cottonwood; J. G. Varnes, of Baird and W. B. Varnes of Cottonwood.

Grandma has 20 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. All of the grandchildren were present at her death except three. One in Texas Tech at Lubbock, one in South America, and one in California.

She was a member of the Missionary Baptist church and a devoted mother, also a loving grandmother.

Her presence will be missed in the home and in the church.

Rev. Ross Respass of Cottonwood, and Rev. Joe R. Mayes of Baird, conducted the funeral exercises.

Some of the out of town friends who attended the funeral were:

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Melton, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bennett, Mrs. Pearl Riley and children, Mrs. John Allman, Miss Jewel Mills, all of Baird and others whose names we did not get.

## Cottonwood Gets First Place In Tournament

In the Basketball Tournament held at Abilene last Saturday the Cottonwood Cagers led by Coppinger and Varner, came from behind in the fourth quarter and defeated Putnam 26 to 24, in the final game of the Callahan county interscholastic championship basketball tourney. The game closed a two day meet for Callahan county staged in the old A. C. C. gymnasium with eight boys' teams and five girls' teams competing.

In the girls' division, Putnam won Saturday morning by defeating Eula in the final, 22 to 19.

The Cottonwood boys advanced to the final game by eliminating Baird, 20 to 16, while Putnam was trimming Eula, 25 to 17, at the same stage.

In the titular final Coppinger of Cottonwood and Little Putnam tied for point honors with eleven each. Varner scored four field goals for the winners, and Jeter ran close behind for Putnam with seven points.

The box score:  
Cottonwood— FG FT PF TP  
Coffey, f ..... 1 0 0 2  
Joy, f ..... 2 0 3 4  
Coppinger, c ..... 4 3 1 11  
Varner, g ..... 4 0 3 8  
Ivey, g ..... 0 1 3 1  
Total ..... 11 4 10 26  
Putnam— FG FT PF TP  
Little, f ..... 5 1 1 11  
Jeter, f ..... 3 1 3 7  
Connel, c ..... 1 0 2 2  
Miller, g ..... 0 1 0 1  
Jones, g ..... 1 2 2 4  
Totals ..... 10 4 8 24  
Referee: Adams.

## Last Saturday Brought Large Crowd to Baird

There was a large crowd in town last Saturday—the largest since the holidays, and our business men report a good business.

There were 368 out-of-town people registered and cash prizes were awarded as follows:

Claremont Gary	\$ 1.00
Mrs. Joe Bryant	1.50
J. O. Smedley	2.00
Margaret Fuller	2.50
C. B. Shelton	3.00
Otis Coats	5.00
Mrs. John Asbury	10.00

Below is a list of the business houses and merchants of Baird, who contribute and make it possible to give the cash prizes away each Saturday.

This money is given, so that out of the \$25.00 Cash several persons are benefited each time, without taking a chance or being out a penny.

These are your merchants, and your friends. You will find that they sell at live and let live prices.

Besides many times on Saturdays they have special reductions on which you can save.

Come and make it your Home Town, where you can meet your neighbors, and see your friends.

Thompson & Strahan, Lowe-Barker Chevrolet Co., McElroy Dry Goods Co., Baird Cash Dry Goods, E. M. Wristen & Son, Wheeler's Drug, Shaw Motor Co., First National Bank, Jones Dry Goods, A. & P. Tea Co., Self Serve Grocery City Pharmacy No. 2, Robertson Dry Goods Co., T. B. Emmonds, City Bakery Helpy-Sely, Bowlus & Bowlus, City Pharmacy No. 1, Black's Economy Store, Roy D. Williams, Quality Cafe, Mayfield Co., Bowlus Lumber Co., Ray's Garage, Putnam Supply Co., Ritz Theatre, First State Bank.

**BANK HOLIDAY FEBRUARY 22, 1930**

Saturday, February 22nd, Washington's Birthday, being a legal holiday the banks of Baird will be closed; as most of the officers and employees expect to attend the Bankers Convention of The Seventh District of Texas, at Fort Worth, Texas.

Miss Ruth Akers is spending a few days in Fort Worth.

## Chamber Of Commerce Membership Drive

Regardless of the fact that conditions are not as prosperous as at this time last year, the merchants and business men are loyally supporting the Chamber of Commerce and laying plans for much activity for the year. A good general rain would put things moving nicely and Baird would be able to move forward very rapidly.

The business memberships already pledged are:

Mayfield Company, Quality Cafe, McElroy Dry Goods Co., Putnam Supply Co., Jones Dry Goods Co., Russell-Surle Abstract Co., Baird Cash Dry Goods Co., L. B. Lewis, A. J. Northington, Shaw Motor Co., E. M. Wristen & Son, S. E. Settle, Wheeler Drug Co., Sanitary Barber Shop, Roy D. Williams, Thompsons Filling Station, L. L. Blackburn, West Texas Utilities, Baird Sewer Co., E. C. Fulton, J. M. Glover, First National Bank, Sam Gilliland, W. J. Evans, Community Natural Gas Co., V. E. Hill, Holmes Drug Co., Everett Hughes, Home Telephone Co., City Pharmacy, Blacks Economy Store, Claude Flores, Baird Star, Ashby White, J. H. McGowen, Jacksons Abstract Co., Ace Hickman, T. J. White, First State Bank, H. Schwartz, Norman Finley, Dr. G. A. Hamlett.

## Lions Club Entertain by Judge Birdwell

The Baird Lions Club was agreeable entertained at the Thursday luncheon last week by Judge Birdwell of Pilo Pinto. With Commissioners Lofton and Green, Judge Birdwell came to Baird to inspect our new county courthouse and in addressing the club Judge Birdwell stated that he had visited the majority of the courthouses in Texas and that he believed Callahan County had received more for their money than any county he had visited. He commended those who were responsible for the efficient arrangement of the courthouses and offices and the convenient equipment.

Callahan County, until the new building was constructed, held the record of having one of the worst courthouses in Texas and Pilo Pinto was given the distinction of being champion in the race. A movement is now on foot to build a new building and the citizens of Baird hope they will be able to put it over. Their county is also due a modern building.

The Lions Club is sponsoring the Boy Scout movement in Baird and at the meeting Thursday a committee was appointed to see that Baird quota in finances was raised.

An unusually large attendance was present at last weeks meeting.

## Young Man in Jail Charged With Burglary

A young man is being held in the county jail here, having been arrested by Deputy Sheriff W. A. Peterson and Jim McMellon on last Saturday night near Putnam, charged with having stolen goods in his possession.

A woman who was with him was later arrested at Abilene. The couple are charged with burglary of the home of Rube Harris, four miles north of Abilene, last Friday night.

Clothing, bedding, a target, lantern and other articles were missed by Mr. Harris and his family when they returned to their home after being absent Friday evening.

Articles found in possession of the young man when arrested, were identified by Mr. and Mrs. Harris and returned to them.

Mrs. S. L. McElroy is spending a few days this week in Dallas, in the style centers, purchasing ready-to-wear and millinery for McElroy Dry Goods.

Miss Margaret Smith of Lubbock, was the guest of Mrs. Sophia Hill, Wednesday.

## Bear Facts And Headlight Banquet Big Success

The Bear Facts and the Headlight staffs had their banquet last night in the dining room of the high school building. The evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner. A delightful program was arranged. The first number every one took part in as Toastmaster, Leo Thompson, announced, "go to eat."

After the first course, Dr. Dodson gave a very interesting talk. His talk was full of encouragement. He said, "Every one who has a hard job, gets discouraged at times." He went on to say, "You should be proud of your school here. You have one of the best schools in the country, as shown by you retaining your place on the Southern List of Accredited Schools and Colleges."

The next number was a reading, "The Way of a Maid," by Miss Dorothy Boydston.

Miss Eva Robinson then read a very interesting history of some of the staff members, since it was full of witty remarks.

Interesting talks were given by Mrs. Boren, Mr. Boren, Miss Camp and Miss Inmon.

Every one present was given an opportunity to talk and many responded.

Miss Camp suggested that a form of press club be organized in Baird High School in order to promote interest in journalistic work. Everyone indorsed this plan.

Those present were: Bro. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Boren, Miss Camp, Mr. Williams, Miss Inmon, Leo Thompson, W. O. Wylie, Olaf Hollingshead, Dorothy Boydston, Eva Robinson, Cliff Johnson, Helen Settle, Norris Keltan, Bessie Mae Gillit, Tommie Evans, Percy King, Nan Roberts, Christine Settle, Mary Elizabeth Fetterly, Lorene Finch and Rupert Jackson.

## Fur Season Closes With Fair Business

Mr. Eric Matthews, Jr., manager of the Baird Hide & Fur Co., has closed his business, the season having closed on Monday, the 10th inst.

Mr. Matthews informs us that considering the low price of hides and furs and the rigid restrictions in force, he did a fair business here paying out something over \$8,000.00 for hides and furs.

Mr. Matthews left Saturday for his home in Lampasas.

## Candidate



The announcement of Col. R. Q. Lee, of Cisco as a candidate for re-election to Congress from this district will be found in the regular announcement column of The Star this week. Col. Lee is serving his first term in congress and has been a faithful and efficient representation of the people of the seventeenth district, and should he be re-elected will continue to give the same, careful attention to the affairs pertaining to this important office. See his message to the people of the district in this issue.

Mrs. George Baum and son, Leo and Leonard and her mother, Mrs. M. A. Brightwell, from Burnt Branch, were in Baird Saturday.

## J. F. Barton Dies at His Home at Tecumseh

J. F. Barton, age 78 years, another one of Callahan county's pioneer citizens has passed on. Mr. Barton died at his home at Tecumseh on Thursday evening, of last week, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the grave side in Tecumseh cemetery, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Dick Bright, pastor of the Oplin Baptist church after which the Tecumseh Lodge, A. F. & A. M. took charge and interred the body with the beautiful burial services of that ancient order, his last resting place being near his two little boys, Tom and Charlie, who died in childhood.

Mr. Barton was born in North Carolina, Jan. 5, 1852. He came to Texas when a young man living first in Burnett county, where he was married to Miss Bettie Connell. He came to this county in 1876, and established a home in the piece of land which he has owned since that time, building his first home on the east side of the land, and two years later built the home where he lived for 52 years. Coming here at that early day, he knew what the hardships of a pioneer life were, but he had the courage to face them and has been identified with the development of the county.

To these pioneers we owe much for the many comforts we enjoy today. Mr. Barton had been a member of the Christian church for more than 40 years, living up to the ideals and principals of the church. He was a straight forward man in all his dealings with his fellowman, an outstanding man in the community where he lived for more than a half century. He was a member of Tecumseh Lodge No. 562, A. F. & A. M., and an active member as long as his health would permit.

Mr. Barton had a severe illness something more than a year ago and was confined to his bed for many weeks. His recovery was slow and he was never really well any more and in the early part of last November he was again taken seriously ill and all that was possible was done for him, his family, relatives and neighbors, tenderly nursed him hoping to again restore him to health, but he who rules the destiny of all, rule otherwise and his spirit was wafted away to the great unknown, there to await the coming of his loved ones.

Mr. Barton is survived by his wife, four sons and four daughters. The sons are: Lane Barton, Seagraves; Jim Barton of Tecumseh; Seth and Homer Barton, of Pampa.

The daughters are: Mrs. Eugene Jones, of Seymour; Mrs. Sam Johnson of Sweetwater; Mrs. Earnest Crawford and Miss Uphia Barton, of Tecumseh, two brothers, Perry Barton, of Eula and Cull Barton of Burnett county, several grand-children, nieces and nephews, also survive. Two sons, Tom and Charlie who died in childhood, near forty years ago, and one daughter, Mrs. Bessie Clark, who died in Arizona, some years ago, preceded him in death.

A large concourse of relatives and friends attended the funeral, many coming from a distance, to pay a last tribute of respect to the deceased.

Friends from Baird who attended the funeral were: Dr. R. G. Powell, S. E. Settle, T. E. Powell, Everett Hughes, J. C. Barringer, H. Schwartz, Rev. B. W. Dodson, D. S. McGee, Rev. Joe R. Mayes, W. J. Evans, Judge W. C. White, John Asbury, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Mrs. E. M. Wristen, Fred Wristen, Dr. V. E. Hill, Mrs. E. C. Hill, Mrs. Price McFarlane, W. S. Melton and perhaps others whose names we did not get.

Mrs. D. C. Barton is visiting her parents at Haskell, this week. A. J. Robinson and Miss Myrtle Barton accompanied her to Haskell returning Sunday evening.

Dr. Josephine Morrison, accompanied by her son, Jack Morrison, made a business trip to Eastland and Ranger yesterday.

## CALLAHAN LEADS FOR JANUARY ON OIL WELLS IN THIS SECTION

By Claude Flores

Baird Shallow Field, Feb. 12.—Scouting around over Texas and Callahan County Oil Fields and the Daily News reports and the Oil Weekly, I have gathered oil news and data, which reveals some interesting facts about the oil game in Texas and Callahan county.

**Callahan County**  
For the month of January, 1930, Callahan County had 21 permits to drill and brought in 15 producers.

Coleman County 30 permits and 13 producers.

Eastland County, 15 permits and 8 producers.

Shackelford County 33 permits and 12 producers, and Taylor County, 1 permit.

**Texas Largest Producing District**

A comparison of production figures of the various oil producing States of this Country with foreign production statistics is decidedly impressionable, since even our smallest producing states are credited with a total output that greatly exceeds the total of numerous foreign countries. Even though Venezuela occupies second place in oil production of the world, it is significant that our three largest producing states, Texas, California and Oklahoma individually produce more than twice the annual amount credited to Venezuela.

For the second year in its history, Texas holds first place as the largest producing oil state in the United States. During the year 1929, Texas recorded a total production of 298,848,150 barrels, or about 30 per cent of the total production in the country. This was a large gain over the preceding year when production aggregated 257,320,000 barrels.

A check of field operations in the United States for last year, indicated that nearly 24,000 wells were drilled. The average initial production per well during 1929 was about 410 barrels.

**Texas Field Operations, Jan. 1930**  
Texas, (outside of Gulf Coast), completed 407 wells, 210 were producers and 37 gas wells and 160 failures. The initial production was 99,823 barrels, Gas 701 1-2, total production 27,012,250.

**Oil Price Cuts**  
The oil price cut in January came as a shock and surprise to producers. Prairie Oil and Gas Company is the only purchaser in Texas that has not participated in the price cuts that began January 15 and is exceedingly popular with the small operators. The Prairie Oil and Gas Company claims the distinction of being the largest purchaser of crude oil in the business.

Howard Petroleum Corporation, I. N. Jackson, survey 16, located Gibson & Johnson MacDermott No. 1, survey 100 B B B & C, No. 1, closed down at 1150 for casing.

States Oil Corporation, H. W. Ross, four million feet of gas at 1250, survey 98, B B B & R R Co, Prairie Oil & Gas Co., Mrs. R. D. Williams spudding in.

Gilman & McMurray, G. M. Slaughter, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, survey 7, D & DA lands, application to drill 600 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., I. N. Jackson, No. E-1, survey 17, drilling at 980 feet.

W. F. Bateman, L. L. Nichols, survey 527 drilling at 246 feet.

W. F. Esteman, Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth, drilling at 1290 feet.

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## Drilling Report for Callahan County

Prairie Oil and Gas Co., R. H. Seale No. 1, located five and one half miles Southwest from the Moutray pool, offsetting the W. P. West ranch, on the west and on the North by the Billie Seale tract, drilling around 1000 feet.

McCleary, Young Bros. & Alexander, Ace Hickman No. 1, drilling around 200 feet, No. 1 offsetting the Valley Oil Co., lease to the North, and this well is expected to pick up the pay at around 700 feet, as the Valley pool has 12 or more good producers.

The L. G. Bradstreet Co., J. A. Miller No. 15, block 98 Comal County School land has permit to drill to a depth of 1700 feet.

Ben Welch, W. H. Coppinger No. 1, W. G. Anderson survey No. 777, application to drill 400 feet.

Moutray Oil Co., P. G. Hatchett No. 4, survey 20 D & DA estimated 15 barrel well at a total depth of 361 feet.

Moutray Oil Co., P. G. Hatchett No. 5, survey 20 D & DA application to drill 400 feet.

Moutray Oil Co., P. G. Hatchett No. 6, application to drill 400 feet.

Cisco Oil Co., Mrs. W. E. Pruet, No. 31, T E & L CO., survey No. 2278, well record 8 barrels at total depth of 313 feet.

H. H. Adams, H. Wagley No. 16, estimated 10 barrel well at a total depth of 275 feet, Survey 2 D & DA.

H. H. Adams, Z. C. Wagley No. 1, survey 2 D & DA application to drill 275 feet.

H. H. Adams, H. Wagley No. 17, application to drill 280 feet, survey 2 D & DA.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., I. N. Jackson, No. F-1, survey 2 C&M Ry Co., rigging up.

Gilman & McMurray, G. M. Slaughter, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, survey 7, D & DA lands, application to drill 600 feet.

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## C. E. Bray Candidate County Commissioner Precinct No. 3

C. E. Bray, of Putnam, announces this week as a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3. Mr. Bray is so well known in the county, having been a resident of this county for a number of years and having held the office of sheriff for a number of years, we do not feel that it is necessary for an introduction to the people of Callahan County. He is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office and promises a fair and impartial discharge of his duties as a county official. See his announcement in the regular column. His announcement is made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

## SERVICES AT PUTNAM

We are requested to announce that Rev. Ike Sidebottom, of the Radio Revival, will hold services at Putnam tonight, Friday, Feb. 14th, at the Methodist church, instead of next Friday the 21st, as announced last week.

Miss Jeffe Lambert returned home last Friday evening from Cisco, where she has been the past few weeks with her sister, Mrs. R. Q. Evans, whose little son, Joe had a very severe attack of diphtheria. The little fellow is slowly recovering and Mr. and Mrs. Evans and the children accompanied Miss Jeffe home, returning to Cisco Saturday afternoon.



**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting;

You are hereby commanded to summon C. B. Shipman, J. T. Armstrong, Elbert Harris and wife, Katherine Harris and F. M. Johnson, whose residences are unknown by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the 1st, Monday in March, 1930, the same being the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1930, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7492, wherein H. W. Ross is Plaintiff, and C. B. Shipman, J. T. Armstrong, Elbert Harris and wife, Katherine Harris, F. M. Johnson, W. A. Farrar and J. B. Latham are Defendants, and said petition alleging as follows:

The State Of Texas, County Of Callahan.

In The District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

To Said Honorable Court:  
The petition of H. W. Ross, Plaintiff, complaining of C. B. Shipman, J. T. Armstrong, Elbert Harris and wife, Katherine Harris, F. M. Johnson, W. A. Farrar and J. B. Latham, Defendants, would respectfully show the following:

Plaintiff resides in Callahan County, Texas, and the residence of the Defendants, C. B. Shipman, J. T. Armstrong, Elbert Harris, and wife, Katherine Harris, and F. M. Johnson, is to this Plaintiff unknown and he asks for service of citation by publication the Defendant, W. A. Farrar, resides in Howard County, Texas, and the Defendant, J. B. Latham, resides in Taylor County, Texas.

On February 27, 1925, the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, executed and delivered to Mrs. M. E. Ross, a widow, his two promissory notes bearing date on such day and year, and thereby promised to pay to her, the said Mrs. M. E. Ross, or her order said two notes, for the sum of \$1000.00 each, with interest thereon from date until maturity at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, together with 8 per cent interest thereon on all past due interest, and principal the first of said two notes due one year after date and the second of two said notes due two years after date and in addition thereto promised to pay 10 per cent Attorney's fees upon principal and interest if said notes were placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection or suit should be brought thereon, after maturity; which said notes read as follows:  
\$1000.00 No. 1 Big Spring, Texas, February 27, 1925.

On one year after date I promise to pay to Mrs. M. E. Ross or Order, the sum of One Thousand and no 100 Dollars with interest thereon from date until maturity at the rate of 10 per centum per annum, the interest payable annually as it accrues, both principal and interest payable at Baird, Callahan County, Texas for value received. This Note is given in part payment for a certain lot or parcel of land situated in Taylor County, Texas, known and described as follows: SE 1-4 of Section No. 7, in Blk No. 5, T & P Ry. Co., cert. 1-539, and also 10 acres of land out of the SW 1-4 of Sec. No. 7, Blk. No. 5, in said Taylor County, Texas, more particularly described in deed from W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar to C. B. Shipman this day conveyed to me by said W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar which instrument of conveyance is hereby referred to for further description and to secure the payment hereof, according to the tenor hereof, a Vendor's Lien is retained in this Note and in said conveyance. This note and all past due interest thereon shall bear interest from the maturity thereof until paid, at the rate of 8 per centum per annum. It is understood and agreed that failure to pay this Note, or any installment of interest hereon when due, shall at the election of the holder of them, or any of them, mature all Notes this day given by me to said Mrs. M. E. Ross in payment for said property. This Note is a first Lien on above described property.

And I hereby specially agree that if default is made in the payment of this Note at maturity then the holder of said note is and shall be entitled to a re-conveyance of the land, and such re-conveyance shall be full liquidation for amount of principal and interest due thereon.  
(Signed)  
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C. B. SHIPMAN

\$1000.00, No. 2, Big Spring, Texas, February 27, 1925.

On Two years after date I promise to pay to Mrs. M. E. Ross or Order, the sum of One Thousand and no 100 Dollars with interest thereon from date until maturity at the rate of 10 per centum per annum, the interest payable annually as it accrues, both principal and interest payable at Baird, Callahan County, Texas for value received. This Note is given in part payment for a certain lot or parcel of land situated in Taylor County, Texas, known and described as follows: SE 1-4 of Section No. 7, in blk No. 5, T. & P. Ry. Co., cert 1-539, and also 10 acres of land out of the SW 1-4 of Sec. No. 7, blk. No. 5, in said Taylor County, Texas, more particularly described in deed from W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar to C. B. Shipman this day conveyed to me by said W. A. Farrar and wife L. M. Farrar which instrument of conveyance is hereby referred to for further description and to secure the payment hereof, according to the tenor hereof, a Vendor's Lien is retained in this Note and in said conveyance. This Note and all past due interest thereon shall bear interest from the maturity thereof until paid, at the rate of 8 per centum per annum. It is understood and agreed that failure to pay this Note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, shall at the election of the holder of them, or any of them, mature all Notes this day given by me to said Mrs. M. E. Ross in payment for said property. This Note is a first Lien on above described property.

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That in due course of trade and before maturity of said notes Mrs. M. E. Ross, for a valuable consideration, sold and assigned said two notes to the Plaintiff, who is now and has been since such date of purchase, the legal owner and holder of said two notes.

That said two notes were given by the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, to said Mrs. M. E. Ross and were made a first Lien and given as apart of the purchase money on the property hereinafter described.

And that on the 27th day of February, 1925, the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, executed and delivered to W. A. Farrar his promissory note bearing date on such day and year, and hereby promised to pay him, W. A. Farrar, or his Order, three years after date, the sum of \$600.00, with interest thereon from said date at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and 10 per cent Attorney's fees upon principal and interest if placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection or if suit should be brought thereon, after maturity; which note reads as follows:  
\$600.00, No. 3, Big Springs, Texas, February 27, 1925.

On Three years after date I promise to pay to W. A. Farrar or Order, the sum of Six Hundred and no 100 Dollars with interest thereon from date until maturity at the rate of 10 per centum per annum, the interest payable annually as it accrues, both principal and interest payable at Taylor County, Texas for value received. This Note is given in part payment for a certain lot or parcel of land situated in Taylor County, Texas, known and described as follows: SE 1-4 of Section No. 7, in Blk No. 5, T & P Ry. Co., cert. 1-539, and also 10 acres of land out of the SW 1-4 of Sec. No. 7, Blk. No. 5, in said Taylor County, Texas, more particularly described in deed from W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar to C. B. Shipman this day conveyed to me by said W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar which instrument of conveyance is hereby referred to for further description and to secure the payment hereof, according to the tenor hereof, a Vendor's Lien is retained in this Note and in said conveyance. This note and all past due interest thereon shall bear interest from the maturity thereof until paid, at the rate of 8 per centum per annum. It is understood and agreed that failure to pay this Note, or any installment of interest hereon when due, shall at the election of the holder of them, or any of them, mature all Notes this day given by me to said Mrs. M. E. Ross in payment for said property. This Note is a first Lien on above described property.

A Vendor's Lien is retained in this Note and in said conveyance. This Note and all past due interest thereon shall bear interest from the maturity thereof until paid, at the rate of 8 per centum per annum. It is understood and agreed that failure to pay this Note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, shall at the election of the holder of them, or any of them, mature all Notes this day given by me to said W. A. Farrar in payment for said property. This Note is a second Lien on above described property.

And I hereby specially agree that if default is made in the payment of this Note at maturity then the holder of said note is and shall be entitled to a re-conveyance of the land, and such re-conveyance shall be full liquidation for amount of principal and interest due thereon.  
(Signed)  
C. B. SHIPMAN

5.

That thereafter, and before maturity of said note, in due course of trade said W. A. Farrar sold and assigned said note to H. W. Ross, for a valuable consideration who is now and has been since said date of purchase, the legal owner and holder of said note.

That said note given by Defendant, C. B. Shipman, to W. A. Farrar was given as part of the purchase money and was made a second and junior Lien on the property hereinafter described, as against the two notes first described.

7.

The three notes herein described are set out in a Deed made by W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar, to C. B. Shipman dated March 23, 1925, and recorded in Vol. 162, page 505 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, and all Defendants are given notice to produce said Deed in Court or secondary evidence will be used to prove the contents thereof.

Plaintiff, being from the date of the purchase of the said three notes to the present date the legal owner and holder of said notes, after such notes were due and payable, made demand on the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, and other record owners of the property hereinafter described to pay said notes, and Defendant, C. B. Shipman, and other record owners of the property failing and refusing to pay said notes, placed such notes in the hands of the undersigned Attorneys for collection, agreeing with them to pay them the said amount of Attorney's fees for their services in connection with such notes; which is a reasonable amount therefor.

Though repeated demands have been made by Plaintiff the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, and other record owners of the property, and Defendants herein, to pay such notes, interest and Attorney's fees, the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, and other record owners of said property have failed and refused, and still fail and refuse, to pay the same or any part thereof; to Plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$5000.00.

10.

Upon the 23 day of March A. D. 1925, the Defendant, W. A. Farrar and wife, L. M. Farrar, executed and delivered to the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, a Deed, granting and conveying to him the following described Real Estate, to-wit:  
Conveys:—All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Taylor State of Texas, being the S. E. 1-4 of survey No. 7, in Block No. 5, T & P Ry. Co., being a part of the tract of land surveyed by virtue of land certificate, 1-539, issued to the T & P Ry. Co., by Commr. of Gen'l Land office of the State of Texas July 7th, 1873.

Also the following described tract of land situated in Taylor County, Texas, being a part of the S. W. 1-4 of Sec. No. 7, Blk. 5, T & P Ry. Co., survey, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point in the E. B. line of said S. W. 1-4 of Sec. No. 7, Blk. 5, T & P Ry. Co., survey 295.88 vrs. N. from the S. E. Cor. of said S. W. 1-4 of said sec. No. 7, Blk. 5; Thence W. parallel with the S. B., line of said Sec. No. 7, Blk. 5, T & P Ry. Co., sur. 188.1 vrs. for cor; Thence N. parallel with the E. B. line of said S. W. 1-4 of said Sec. No. 7, Blk. 5, T & P Ry. Co., survey 300 vrs. to place of beginning, containing 10 acres of land. Both of said above described tracts containing 170 acres of land.

11.  
The said three promissory notes were given as part of the purchase price for such land so conveyed, and to secure their payment the Vendor's Lien was retained in such Deed.

12.  
That the Defendant, F. M. Johnson, purchased the land above described from O. Ernest Wilson and Wife, Mabel Wilson, by Deed dated November 27, 1918, which Deed is recorded in Vol. 104, page 117 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, and thereafter, for a valuable consideration fully paid, sold said land to W. A. Farrar, who became the owner thereof; that the Deed from F. M. Johnson to W. A. Farrar was lost or destroyed without having been recorded in Taylor County, Texas, and all the Defendants are given notice to produce that Deed in Court, and upon their failure to do so, secondary evidence will be introduced to prove the contents of such Deed.

13.  
That the Defendant, J. T. Armstrong, appears to be the present record owner of said property as shown by Deed from C. B. Willey and Wife, Maggie Willey, to said J. T. Armstrong dated October 11, 1926, and which deed is recorded in Vol. 173, page 660 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas.

14.  
That the Defendants, Elbert Harris and his Wife, Katherine Harris, are claiming a lien upon the property herein described by virtue of a note described in a Deed made by C. B. Shipman and Wife, Delia Shipman, to C. B. Willey dated January 9, 1925, and which Deed is recorded in Vol. 165, page 45 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas; that the Lien held by said Elbert Harris and Wife, Katherine Harris, by the terms of said Deed is a junior and inferior Lien as against the Lien securing the three notes first herein above described.

15.  
That the Defendant, J. B. Latham, is asserting some kind and character of Lien against the property herein described, the nature of which is unknown to the Plaintiff.

Premises considered, Plaintiff prays that the Defendants be cited in terms of law to appear herein, and that on final hearing Plaintiff have judgment against the Defendant, C. B. Shipman, for such principal sum of \$2600.00, interest, Attorney's fees and costs of suit, for foreclosure of such Vendor's Lien and Order of Sale, and for removal of all Liens and clouds to the title of such land, and for such other and further relief to which he may be entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Callie Marshall, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1930.

Callie Marshall, Clerk, District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

Issued this the 20th day of January, 1930.

Callie Marshall, Clerk, District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

**T. L. Blanton Makes Reply to R. Q. Lee**

Taking note of an interview with Congressman R. Q. Lee of Cisco, as published in The Dallas News under a Washington date line, former Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, who has announced that he will seek his old place in Congress as a candidate against Mr. Lee, gave out the following statement:  
The half-column interview with R. Q. Lee in The Dallas News is absurdly ridiculous. Voters will demand real issues, affecting them. Bunk won't interest or satisfy them.

Mr. Lee bought my house, as he did his railroad stock, to benefit only himself. Gouged for several years by unconscionable high rents for houses not modern or comfortable and to keep my five children out of hotels, I gave a substantial cash payment for this house, with long-term notes for the balance. Besides paying all taxes, insurance, interest, for rare plants and inclosing an open sleeping porch with glass windows, I also paid the additional sum of \$4,400 on the notes against it. Mr. Lee paid my only \$4.00 for it and got free my three years' insurance on it. It is a splendid location.

He bought to save high rents and to make some profit. Until I could move I paid him \$150 per month rent on it. Nothing whatever was said between us respecting my running again. Mr. Lee is grabbing at straws.

On the front page of the Abilene Reporter for Aug. 15, 1928, I publicly notified my constituents, many of whom were then organizing in all nineteen counties to write my name on the ballot for Congress in the second primary, to cease doing so, as I would not permit same, as it would be unfair to Mr. Callaway and Mr. Lee, who ran knowing I was not a candidate, but I then gave public notice that should constituents still want me to return to Congress I would run in the next regular election. State papers carried same. Mr. Lee knew this. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald's comment commending such action appeared in many daily papers, being in the Abilene Reporter Aug. 19, 1928. Becoming alarmed, Mr. Lee wrote the Attorney General to know whether it would be lawful for voters to write my name on the ballot. He then knew voters were dissatisfied with his campaign and would elect me in 1930.

Answering Mr. Lee's other absurd assertions: With six prominent opponents against me for the United States Senate—Mayfield, a Senator; Connally, a Congressman; McLemore, an ex-Congressman; Colquitt, an ex-Governor; Owsley, a national American Legion president, and Mrs. Cunningham, a national officer of the Federated Women's Clubs—I carried seventy-nine counties in Texas against the field—about twice those carried by Mr. Connally—and carried every one of the twenty-six voting boxes in my home county of Taylor by an overwhelming majority against the field, receiving in Taylor county 2,827 more votes than all of my opponents put together, while in Eastland county, where Mr. Lee lives, he lacked 494 votes of receiving as many as did his opponents.

Relative to what happened in Mr. Lee's office on Jan. 7: I then found him, his wife, his son, his boy-curator Killough and a young lady busily engaged mailing old 1927 yearbooks to Texas. I jokingly remarked, "That won't re-elect you." Lee said he relied upon the "second-term" issue. I advised him not to try that, as it failed in 1928. I went through the senatorial campaign without mentioning an opponent. Neither Connally nor myself said an unkind word about the other and quit good friends. There won't be any "pussy-footing" and I will meet Mr. Lee on every issue, real or assumed, he conjures up.

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Love's Messages



Valentine, like butterflies,  
Fly north, fly west,  
Seeking each a true heart  
That love has blessed;  
Seeking each a fond heart,  
Not fond of true,  
None can beat as my heart  
Still beats for you.

Valentines, like sailing birds,  
Fly south, fly east,  
Seeking each a love land  
Where love may feast;  
Seeking each its own kind  
The whole world through;  
Never finding more love  
Than I give you

Valentines, like fairy folk,  
Fly high, fly low,  
Seeking choicest gift of earth  
That man may know;  
Seeking love you gave me  
When life was new;  
Love that lives forever,  
That I gave you.  
—Ohio Farmer.

Valentine Customs and Superstitions of Old

There were certain superstitions during early times which now seem entirely to have passed away. For instance, if a young girl, on the eve of St. Valentine day, went alone and waited until midnight on the porch of a church, then started for home, scattering hempsed on the way, it was believed she would see her own true love in a winding sheet raking the hampseed behind her. Why he was supposed to be seen in a winding sheet has not been explained.

Another superstition was most interesting. If a young girl got five bay leaves and pinned one on each of the four corners of her pillow, the remaining one to be placed in the center, and if that night her sweetheart appeared in her dreams they would be married before the end of the year.

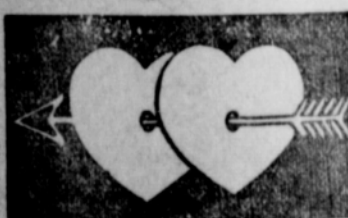
It is written of one young lady of those times that she confessed, in order to make the charm more potent, to having boiled an egg perfectly hard, removed the yolk, filled the vacant place with salt and, upon going to bed, eaten the entire egg, salt, shell and all, without drinking or speaking to any one after she had finished the eating of it.

But the really, truly way to find out the name of your own true love was to write the names of all your admirers upon bits of paper, roll them up in clay, put them in a vessel of water and the first one to rise to the surface was surely the one.

The practice of sending comic valentines is a much later one. These caricatures which poked fun at people's personal appearance, their clothes and even the work in which they were engaged had their greatest popularity perhaps 40 or 50 years ago. Fortunately, they now seem to have lost their vogue. There is no doubt that many friendships were severed and enemies made because of these frequently offensive missives being sent with malice aforethought.

Meanwhile, the pretty valentine—all hearts, paper lace and cupid—seem to grow finer each year. Beautiful hand-painted cards and painted and beautifully decorated boxes for confections are sold in great numbers.

Not the least interesting of the present-day valentines are the various and numerous assortments of packages filled with all the paraphernalia ready to be assembled into lovely valentines which children love to prepare for their teachers, friends and family. As it has now become more a day for children than for grown-ups, these packages afford much pleasure to the sender and to the recipient.



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SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Callahan.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Callahan County, on the 5th day of February, 1930, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Farmers State Bank of Putnam, Texas, versus Albert Julian and Ethel Julian, No. 7498, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in March, 1930, it being the fourth day of said month, before the Court House door of said Callahan County in the city of Baird the following described property, to-wit:

Lot Number Two (2), in Block Number Thirty-four (34), in the town of Putnam, in Callahan, Texas, levied on the 5th day of February, 1930, as the property of Albert Julian and Ethel Julian to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1848.00 in favor of Farmers State Bank of Putnam, Texas, and costs of suit.

Given Under My Hand, this 5th day of February, 1930.  
Everett Hughes, Sheriff.  
By W. A. Peterson, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to summon Jack Scarborough by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the 1st Monday in March, A. D. 1930, the same being the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1930, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7495, wherein J. R. Mims Plaintiff, and Jack Scarborough Defendant, and said petition alleging:

Plaintiff sues for the cancellation of an assignment of an oil and gas lease executed by plaintiff J. R. Mims to Jack Scarborough of date October 18th, 1928, covering the following described land, to-wit:

In Callahan County, Texas being fifty (50) acres of the East eighty acres of the 240 acres known as the South 3-4ths of T. E. & L. Company Survey No. 2298, alleging that while said assignment on its face purports to convey absolute title to defendant, reciting the consideration of \$10.00 cash and \$2500.00 out of fifty per cent of the first production, that in truth

and in fact there was no consideration paid and the sole and only consideration was, and the purpose of said assignment was to enable defendant to execute a conveyance of same to a purchaser for the price stated. That defendant stated that he could sell said lease for said amount and that he would not record said assignment from plaintiff until such sale was made. That said statements were fraudulently made to induce plaintiff to execute said assignment. That defendant caused said assignment to be put of record and failed to make said sale as he agreed to do, and the record of said assignment casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title to his irreplaceable damage.

Plaintiff prays for the cancellation of said assignment, for the possession of said land under the terms of said lease, and all personal property thereon, and production therefrom, for writ of possession, costs of suit and special and general relief.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Baird this the 29th day of January, A. D. 1930.

Callie Marshall, Clerk District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to summon Henry Ridley by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in March, A. D. 1930, the same being the 3rd day of March A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of February A. D. 1930, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7498, wherein Ella Ridley is Plaintiff, and Henry Ridley is Defendant, and said petition alleging "and being a suit for divorce, alleging cruel treatment on the part of Defendant toward Plaintiff of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable, and for general and special relief, and for restoration of Plaintiff's maiden name.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the

Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 5th day of February A. D. 1930.

Callie Marshall, Clerk District Court, Callahan County.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting: M. E. Gurney the administrator of the estate of W. M. Isenhower, deceased, has filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of said W. M. Isenhower, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded that by publication of this Writ for twenty-days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Callahan you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objection as thereto if any they have, on Monday following the publication of this notice for twenty days, before said County Court holden in the Court House of said County in the town of Baird, Texas, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witness S. E. Settle, Clerk of the County Court, of Callahan County, Texas.  
Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office in the town of Baird, Texas, this the 5th day of February, A. D. 1930.  
S. E. Settle,  
Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County, Texas  
A true copy, I certify.  
Everett Hughes,  
Sheriff, Callahan County, Texas.  
By W. A. Peterson,  
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"My trouble had been growing worse instead of better, all the time," she continued. "It was almost impossible for me to eat a meal without suffering from gas and sour stomach afterwards. Gas would form on my stomach and it would crowd my heart and made me short of breath and I always felt tired and worn-out. And I could not find anything to relieve my pain or build me up.

"After I had suffered month after month without getting any better, some one gave a statement on Orgatone (Argotane) that convinced me and I started taking it. As I have said before, it has helped me wonderfully. I haven't a sign of that old indigestion pain since I started taking Orgatone (Argotane.) I can eat anything I want with no ill effects. I am no longer troubled with gas on my stomach and I have no spells with my heart. I feel better than I have ever felt in a long time. I have only taken one bottle of Orgatone (Argotane) but from the way I have improved already, I am glad to recommend it to everybody.

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SINGER SEWING MACHINE

Electric and foot power Singer Sewing Machines for sale on easy terms. I also have a few good second hand machines for sale. See me if interested in a sewing machine.  
J. C. Neal, Clyde Tex. 29-52:

Sargon Again Scores In An Unusual Case

"I think Sargon is the grandest medicine ever made for nervous, rundown men and women.

"Four years suffering with stomach trouble had pulled me down



MRS. W. B. BROOM

until I was so weak and nervous I scarcely had enough strength for anything. The peculiar thing was that my stomach always troubled me worse just before meals—a dull, gnawing sensation, with terrible gas pains—and when the attacks came on at night, I couldn't get to sleep to save my life.

"It seems almost too good to be true, but since I've been taking Sargon I haven't had the slightest sign of trouble of any kind with my stomach. It just seemed to set my whole system in order; I quit being nervous, began to enjoy sound refreshing sleep, and I feel so much stronger and in better health generally that I'm like an entirely different person."

—Mrs. W. B. Broom, 5215 Junius St., Dallas.  
City Pharmacy, Agents.

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We have monuments of Barre Granite, Texas Granite, either gray or red or any marble you may want. We guarantee our work.

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**MEMBER**  
TEXAS PRESS  
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Member  
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"Success is his who thinks be-  
fore he speaks."

**MY WAGE**  
I bargained with life for a penny,  
And life would pay no more,  
However, I begged at evening  
When I counted my scanty store,  
For life is just an employer  
He gives you what you ask,  
But once you have set the wages,  
Why, you must bear the task,  
I worked for a menial's hire,  
Only to learn, dismayed,  
That any wage I had asked of life,  
Life would have paid.

When the times are hard and  
people are not buying, is the very  
time that advertising should be  
the heaviest. You want to get the  
people in to see what you have to  
sell, and you must advertise to  
do that. When the times are good  
they will come of their own accord.  
But I believe in advertising all the  
time. I never stop advertising.—  
John Wanamaker.

**SUCCESS IN BUSINESS**  
Get the confidence of the public  
and you will have no difficulty  
in getting their patronage. In-  
spire your whole force with the  
right spirit of service; encourage  
every sign of the true spirit. So  
display and advertise wares that  
customers shall buy with under-  
standing. Treat them as guests  
when they come and when they  
go, whether or not they buy. Give  
them all that can be given fairly,  
on the principle that to him that  
giveth shall be given. Remember  
always that the recollection of  
quality remains long after the price  
is forgotten. Then your business  
will prosper by a natural process.  
—H Gordon Selfridge.

**WHAT IS GOOD**  
What is the real good?  
I asked in musing mood  
Order, said the court;  
Knowledge, said the school;  
Truth, said the wise man;  
Pleasure, said the fool;  
Love, said the maiden;  
Beauty, said the page;  
Freedom, said the dreamer;  
Home, said the sage;  
Fame, said the soldier;  
Equity, said the seer;  
Spake his heart full sady  
The answer is not here,  
Then within my bosom  
Softly this I heard,  
"Each heart holds the secret,  
KINDNESS is the word."  
—Selected.

**A THOUGHT**  
Build for yourself a strong-box,  
Fashion each part with care,  
Fit it with hinge and padlock  
Put all your trouble there.  
Hide there-in all your failures.  
As each bitter cup you quaff  
Lock all your heart aches within  
it.  
Then sit on the old lid and laugh.

As Poor Richard says: Work as  
if you were to live 100 years. Pray  
as if you were to die tomorrow.

**THE COUNTRY NEWSPAPER**

The country newspaper is be-  
coming more and more a commu-  
nity newspaper—the community in  
the sense that towns and smaller  
cities from one to five thousand  
population are gradually spread-  
ing into the rural regions.

The rural and interurban popu-  
lation have so much in common,  
with the telephone, rural mail,  
parcel post and better highways,  
that they are more like one big  
neighborhood.

More farmers are building homes  
in towns and smaller cities to give  
their children the advantages of  
high schools, colleges and business  
opportunities.

In all lines of social develop-  
ment the community newspaper is  
playing its part and is becoming  
a more valuable property from an  
advertising standpoint and as a  
leading factor in the cooperative  
growth of city and country.

**Texas and Texans**  
By WILL H. MAYES  
Austin, Texas  
"All Texans for all Texas"

**Another Texas Port**  
The United States board of wa-  
ter engineers, the chief of water  
engineers and the rivers and har-  
bors committees of Congress have  
all recommended the Point Isabel  
port project, and it has been put  
in the congressional emergency  
bill. Congress will doubtless pass  
the bill and the president will like-  
ly approve it.

That will give the rich Rio  
Grande Valley and the adjacent  
territory unsurpassed water ship-  
ping facilities to all parts of this  
country and Europe. It will about  
complete the line of Texas seaports  
along the Gulf of Mexico from  
Port Arthur to the mouth of the  
Rio Grande and afford all needed  
ocean outlets for Texas products.  
Nothing except the failure of  
Texans to co-operate with each  
other can retard the development  
of this great State. "All Texans  
for all Texas" should be our motto.

**Widen The Vision**  
The Mission Enterprise, the  
splendid paper that Cobb and Cobb  
are publishing for Hidalgo county,  
has at its masthead the words "For  
Mission, for Home, for Schools and  
for Better Things." That is good  
as far as it goes, but should be  
broadened by placing "for Texas"  
after "Mission". No Texas com-  
munity is big enough to stand alone  
and every community should feel  
itself an important part of its  
state. The omission is just an  
oversight on the part of Editor  
Cobb, who spends his days and  
nights dreaming of the future  
greatness of Texas, at least when  
he is not at work to make his  
dreams come true. Another ob-  
jection to the Enterprise is that  
it is too big for a busy columnist  
to read "through and through."  
But of that the publishers will  
hardly complain.

**Fighting Development**  
It seems that the fight being  
made by one of the leading Texas  
railroads against the building of  
Cross Plains is largely because  
Abilene shippers are subscribers to  
the stock of the new railroad and  
will likely divert some of their ship-  
ments to it. That brings the is-  
sue to the question of whether the  
public good is to be subordinated  
to that of existing railway lines.  
This writer opines that this will  
not be done if the public can pro-  
tect itself.

**Texas Fair Record**  
When a Nebraska congressman  
asserted in Congress that his state  
fair had a larger attendance than  
that of any state, the statement  
was promptly challenged by a mem-  
ber from Minnesota. Congressman  
Summers at once produced the fig-  
ures to show that in both 1929  
and 1928 the Texas State Fair had  
a larger attendance than the two  
fairs of Nebraska and Minnesota  
combined, and led all fairs of the  
United States. Summers wasn't  
satisfied with that, but declared  
that "the State Fair of Texas is  
perhaps the greatest annual exposi-  
tion in the world." and had his  
speech put in the Congressional  
Record. While congressman may  
not be elected to boost fairs and  
the Congressional Record may not  
be published to give out fair pub-  
licity, Summers is right in holding  
up the Texas standard against all  
competitors.

**San Marcos Airport**  
San Marcos is to have an airport.  
Through the interest of the local  
chamber of commerce and one of  
the most enterprising county jud-

ges in Texas. Judge Will H Thomp-  
son, the Government has leased a  
100-acre tract of land, which will  
be used for emergency landing  
and refueling and will be supplied  
with all the equipment of a mod-  
ern airport. When anything is  
to be done that will help the town,  
San Marcos can be relied on to  
do it without making much noise  
about it.

**MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER  
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elected.

For that nomination and election  
I have a feeling of the deepest  
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strate that gratitude by rendering  
the best service of which I am ca-  
pable to all the people of my Dis-  
trict and to the country at large.

There are two sorts of members  
here, one who does sensational  
things to attract outside notice,  
and newspaper publicity, the other  
sort who, by solid devotion to his  
duty, and straightforward dealings  
with his colleagues, wins their con-  
fidence and respect, and inspires  
in them a kindly concern for his  
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To be the latter sort of Congress-  
man has been my ambition and to-  
ward that objective I have worked,  
not only because it is in line with  
my disposition, but as I see it,  
it is in line with useful service.  
I have been in office now less than  
eleven months. If you will in-  
quire you will find that I have  
the confidence of my colleagues  
here, and you will find that I have  
been diligent to take care of the  
duties of my office from the mat-  
ter of smallest concern to the in-  
dividual citizen to the largest mat-  
ter of national interest.

I am a candidate for my second  
term. I had hoped I might have  
that without opposition. It is  
impossible to go into the campaign  
now without a neglect of important  
duties. Under these circumstances,  
the fact that I can not be in the  
District, I feel that I have a right  
to appeal, and I do appeal, to  
Democrats who believe in the time  
honored principle of our party to  
give a man a second term, unless  
he has done something to forfeit  
their confidence, and who appre-  
ciate the handicap which a new  
man here labors under during his  
first term, to give me the fair and  
the usual chance which it is a  
Democrat principle to give, and I  
hope it is not asking too much  
that you take care of my interest  
until I can get home and have an  
opportunity to give to you in de-  
tail an account of my stewardship.

As soon as I can do so without  
neglecting the business which you  
have employed me to attend I will  
return to the District and make  
as vigorous a campaign as I can  
for my second term.

Having lived in the 17th Con-  
gressional District for nearly forty  
years, and being a close student  
of the needs and development of  
West Texas, I feel that I can ser-  
vice my District in a creditable way.

On the basis of faithful service,  
I most earnestly solicit your vote  
and influence in the July Demo-  
cratic Primary.

R. Q. LEE, Member of Congress,  
17th District, Texas.

**Think On These  
Things**  
WHOLESOME MEDITATION  
Selected by Bro. Andrews

**THE TRAGEDY OF LACKING  
THE CHRISTIAN BUDGET**

"But he that LACKETH these  
things is blind, and cannot see  
afar off, and hath forgotten that  
he was purged from his old sins,  
Wherefore the rather, brethren, give  
Diligence to make your calling and  
election sure: for if ye do these  
things, ye shall never fall!"  
Therefore, beloved, seeing ye  
know these things before, beware  
lest ye also, being led away with  
the error of the wicked, fall from  
your own Steadfastness."  
—PETER.

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**WHODELT MEETS WITH MR.  
AND MRS. RUPERT JACKSON**

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rupert Jackson  
entertained the Whodelt Club on  
Monday evening.

Bridge was played at six tables,  
the places being marked by dainty  
Valentine hearts, and the same  
emblems decorated score pads and  
table appointments.  
High score went to Mrs. C. L.  
McCleary and Mr. C. B. Snyder  
for members and Mr. and Mrs. H.  
E. Farmer for guests.

A plate of creamed chicken, hot  
rolls, skillet cake and hot chocolate  
was passed to Messrs and Mmes,  
C. L. McCleary, Sam Gilliland,  
James Ross H. Ford Taylor, Haynie  
Gilliland, G. H. Tankersley, H. D.  
Driskill and H. E. Farmer.  
Misses Glyndol Elliott, Annie V.  
Foy, Onita Russell and Clark.  
Messrs Jim Asbury, Greer Hol-  
mes and C. B. Snyder.

**BRIDGE LUNCHEON**

On Saturday, Feb. 8, Miss Mary  
Blackburn entertained with a  
bridge luncheon at her home in  
North Baird. A Valentin motif  
was carried out in the decorations,  
place cards, tallies and favors, kep-  
pies with daggers in their hands  
marked the places for each guest.  
A large red taper was in the center  
of each table and mint cups were  
placed at each plate.  
A delicious four course luncheon  
was served consisted of fruit cock-  
tail, baked potato, shrimp sauce in  
heart pastry cups, asparagus,  
battered rolls and ripe olives.  
Fruit gelatine salad molded in  
heart shape, Brick ice cream with  
red heart center served with heart  
cakes completed the luncheon.  
Games of bridge were played,  
High score went to Miss Beatrice  
Hickman and consolation went to  
Miss Mary Glover.

At tea time a delicious beverage  
was served to Miss Marjorie Boren,  
Mary Glover, Lizzie Glover, Nan  
Roberts, Dorothy Boydston, Chris-  
tine Settle, Beatrice Hickman, the  
hostess.

**TO THE VOTERS OF COM-  
MISSIONERS' PRECINCT NO. 3**

I have been solicited by many  
friends in this precinct to make  
the race for County Commissioner  
and after having carefully con-  
sidered the matter, I have decided  
to make the race and you will find  
my announcement in this weeks  
issue of The Baird Star, subject

**RITZ THEATRE**  
BAIRD, TEXAS PHONE 237 H. Ford Taylor  
Owner and Manager  
"Where Baird is Entertained"

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
FEBRUARY 14—15**  
Ken Maynard, The Ace of  
all Western Stars in—  
"Sabor Americano"  
Action Galore! All Talking  
Comedy and Fables!

**MONDAY & TUESDAY  
FEBRUARY 17—18**  
CHARLES (BUDDY)  
**ROGERS**  
"Half Way  
to Heaven"  
A Paramount Picture  
Buddy ROGERS and Jean  
Arthur in—  
"Half Way  
To Heaven"  
All Talking! Also News and  
Song!



**WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY  
FEBRUARY 19—20**  
**FAST  
COMPANY.**  
with  
EVELYN BRENT - JACK OAKIE  
RICHARD 'SKEETS' GALLAGHER  
A Paramount Picture  
"Fast Company"  
Featuring that wonderful  
Jack Oakie, of "Sweetie"  
fame! Also Skeets Gallagher  
and Evelyn Brent — All  
Talking — Also Comedy  
"Turkey for Two" and  
News!



**FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
FEBRUARY 21—22**  
"The Song Of  
Kentucky"  
Always a good Show!  
Always a complete Show!  
Night show starts prompt-  
ly at 7:00, continuous until  
11:00 o'clock

ADMISSION 10c—35c  
Your Patronage Really  
Appreciated

to the action of the Democratic  
Primary. I trust the voters of  
this precinct will give my candi-  
dacy consideration and if elected  
I pledge myself to a fair and im-  
partial discharge of the duties of  
the office. I will appreciate your  
support.  
Sincerely,  
C. E. Bray.

**NOTICE**  
J. U. Jernigan is now working  
at the old stand, Jones Barber  
Shop, next door to the T&P Cafe  
and will appreciate your business.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
The following announcement for  
office are made subject to the  
action of the Democratic primary.

- For Congress, 17th District,  
R. Q. Lee.
- County Judge:  
B. C. Chrisman.  
J. H. Carpenter.
- Sheriff:  
Robert L. Edwards.  
Everett (Ev.) Hughes.
- County Clerk:  
S. E. Settle
- Tax Collector:  
Wm. J. Evans.  
W. A. Everett.
- County Superintendent:  
A. L. Johnson.  
Olaf G. South.
- District Clerk:  
Mrs. Callie Marshall.
- For County Treasurer:  
Mrs. Will McCoy.
- For County Attorney:  
L. B. Lewis.
- County Commissioner, Pre. No. 1.  
J. W. Hammons.
- For Com. Pre. No. 2:  
S. S. (Sidney) Harville.  
W. E. (Walter) Gillit.
- County Commissioner, Pre. No. 3.  
C. E. Bray.
- For Tax Assessor:  
E. M. Smith.
- CITY OFFICERS**  
For City Marshal:  
T. H. (Homer) Price.  
J. C. Barringer.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
S. F. McCaffity, Pastor  
All the regular services will be  
held Feb. 16 and the week follow-  
ing. All members urged to attend  
these services. They are the  
church at work and the church  
can not do its work without the  
assistance and cooperation of its  
members. Have you been and are  
you giving your to the church?  
Next Sunday the eleven o'clock  
offering will be given the Reynold  
Presbyterian Home. This home is  
maintained solely by voluntary of-  
ferings. It is in need of funds to  
meet its obligations and to feed day  
with an appropriate program  
the children and clothe them. No on Saturday, February 22nd,

home in Texas is doing a better  
part to its children than Reynolds.  
If you feel like, and can, helping  
these children bring your offering  
next Sunday morning or send it.  
Make it as liberal as you think  
you should. The pastor will have  
something to say about the Men's  
meeting Ft. Worth and the Minis-  
ter's Meeting in Dallas at the  
morning service.  
The public will find a welcome at  
our church, and are cordially in-  
vited to worship with us.  
Baird Masonic Lodge will cele-  
brate George Washington's Birth-  
day with an appropriate program  
the children and clothe them. No on Saturday, February 22nd,

**PROGRESSIVE - YET  
CONSERVATIVE!**  
Although progressive is providing a complete  
banking service, in the installation of modern  
equipment, and in encouraging Baird develop-  
ment, the First National is always conservative  
in providing for the safety of depositors' funds!  
Keep your account in this progressive yet  
conservative bank!

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
BAIRD, TEXAS

TOM WINDHAM, President  
HENRY JAMES, Vice-President  
ACE HICKMAN, Vice-President  
A. R. KELTON, Vice-President  
BOB NORRELL, Cashier  
HOWARD E. FARMER, Asst. Cashier  
C. V. JONES, Asst. Cashier





## Buying Comfort

Although not a commodity, and not rated in dollars and cents—it is possible to actually purchase "Comfort" by having complete electrical equipment in your home.

What could be more comfortable than conveniently placed lightning fixtures; floor and wall plugs where they're needed; radio; the labor and time-saving Hotpoint Electric Range; the health-assuring Frigidaire; and the indispensable Vacuum Sweeper?

Electrical appliances add to your comfort, and the comfort of those about you, a hundredfold.

Let us show you how Electricity—the modern servant—can increase the beauty, comfort and livableness of your home.

**West Texas Utilities Company**

## PERSONALS

Roy Windham, of Tecumseh, was in Baird Tuesday.

Mrs. Fay Webb and baby have gone to Fort Worth to spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Boydston, spent a few days in Dallas this week.

Mesdames E. B. Moore, E. C. Fulton and Miss Katie Lou Moore, spent Wednesday in Abilene.

Ms. Lee Counts, of Abilene spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Curry.

R. E. Bounds was able to be down town yesterday for the first time in a week. He was seriously ill with the flu for several days.

Edward Thomas, secretary of the Roby Chamber of Commerce, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Clarence West, for a few days.

Miss Nina McFarlane has returned from a months visit with her brother, S. C. McFarlane and family at Mexia.

Little Johnnie Joe Walker, has gone to Merkel to join his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Walker, nurse in Grimes and Sadler hospital.

Mrs. Drew Beams and little son, Billy, of Okmulgee, Okla., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Driskill.

Mrs. Frank Parker and daughter, Doris and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Parker, of Fort Worth, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fulton.

Mrs. C. L. McCleary says her English White Leghorn hens are doing fine and she averages 300 eggs a day from the flock of 380 hens.

E. C. Bray, of Putnam was in Baird Monday. Mr. Bray is a candidate for Commissioner of his precinct. See his announcement in the regular column.

Miss John Gilliland returned Sunday morning from Breckenridge. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Hayes, who spent the day with Mrs. Hayes' mother, Mrs. J. E. Gilliland.

Editor Butler, of the Clyde Enterprise, was in Baird on business Monday. He informs us that they expect to move in the splendid new school building some time this week.

C. E. Barr, of Cross Plains, is a candidate for Commissioner precinct No. 4. Mr. Barr is a prominent citizen of Cross Plains, where he has lived since 1879.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McElroy, T. E. Powell and John Simons went to Ovalo Monday to attend the funeral of J. B. Wilkerson, prominent banker of that section, who died suddenly on last Friday at Midland. Mrs. Wilkerson was formerly Miss Estelle Crofton, of Baird.

### MRS. H. SCHWARTZ ENTERTAINS QUESTION CLUB

Mrs. H. Schwartz entertained members of the Question Club at her beautiful new home on last Friday, three tables of bridge were played, and a lovely salad plate was served to Mrs. Tyson, Taylor, L. Ray, W. Ray, Boydston, Driskill, Cooke, Nunnally, Misses Collier McFarlane and Powell.

### CITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The following is a condensed report of the City Finances as made by C. L. Dickey, City Secretary, for the year beginning Jan. 1, 1929 and ending Dec. 31, 1929:

PAID OUT	
Material	\$2,592.36
Street Lights	2,121.90
City Wells	860.91
Two New Wells	4,650.00
Labor	2,108.10
Salaries	3,392.67
Interest	7,432.16
Bonds Paid	3,000.00
Warrants	6,308.59
Insurance	44.00
Printing	61.75
Cemetery Asso.	120.00
Telephone	54.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$32,746.44</b>
Taxes Collected for 1929	\$ 7,122.65
Water Rent Collected for 1929	13,694.26
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$20,818.91</b>

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer, of Burnt Branch, were in Baird Wednesday. Their daughter, Mrs. Tom Deer, who has been visiting them for the past several weeks, left for her home in Big Spring.

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### "SHOULD AN INFIDEL WEAR SPECTACLES?"

"Should an Infidel wear Spectacles?" will be the sermon subject at the First Methodist church next Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

This subject will discuss the question from the standpoint of consistency. Is it consistent with an Infidel's attitude toward faith for him to wear spectacles?

You never heard a sermon like this, and it will bring you a real message in a most interesting and helpful way. Take my word for it—you will actually miss something different and rather unusual, if you fail to hear this sermon, at 10:50 a. m., the subject will be "Protestantism in Europe,—its past and future."

This sermon will be full of information and will give inspiration to every church worker. Be there to hear it.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. come on time.

Epworth League will meet at 7 p. m. We want to start a new line of work next Sunday night—be there to begin with the beginning.

The Methodist church is a friendly church and asks you to come to its services. Come to "The Church of Glad Hand" next Sunday.

Rev. E. W. Dodson, D. D., pastor

### WITH BAIRD BAPTIST

Sunday was really a great day with us. Splendid attendance and many have expressed their appreciation of the Song Sermon Sunday night. Just here I want to thank every one who worked so faithfully in the preparations and rendition of that fine program. Not boasting but let me say it now, if it is singing Baird Baptist can certainly do it. We'll come and worship with us and we will give you the best we have.

Two important things were done Sunday. The church voted to hold a meeting beginning the second Sunday in June and have asked Bro. Chas. Dossley of Dallas, who is one of our Evangelists employed by our State Board, to hold the meeting. We trust every one will take notice and help us get ready for the meeting and then to put it over for the Lord.

The other things I speak of: The executive Board of this asso-

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### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for the many deeds of kindness and words of sympathy in the loss of our dear son and brother, Harold, May God's richest blessings rest on each one is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bray,  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben. E. Boutwell,  
Howard Bray,  
Melba Bray,  
Joyce Bray,  
Betty Jo Bray.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEET

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in study. Mrs. Hickman gives the lesson so interestingly, wish more of our members had been present.

The ladies wish to especially thank Mr. Virgil Jones and Mr. L. L. Blackburn for the use of their building for the "42" party last Friday night, also Mr. H. H. Shaw for the use of his truck, the Chamber of Commerce for the use of the chairs and all who attended and helped to make the evening a success.

Reporter leave.

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**PUTNAM PARAGRAPHS**

By Mrs. J. S. Yeager

L. J. Cook made a business trip to Clyde and Abilene Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Williams returned to their ranch home Thursday after a stay of about three weeks in Putnam.

Dr. H. V. Caldwell, of Breckenridge, was a business visitor in Putnam on Saturday.

Mrs. O. W. Hampton and J. D. Yardley made a trip to Breckenridge Monday.

Mesdames Clyde King and G. P. Gaskin visited in Cisco on Wednesday.

Junior Renfro, small son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Renfro, is reported on the sick list this week.

Theo Bell was a guest of relatives and friends in De Leon through the week-end.

Mrs. Earl Hamby and baby, of San Angelo, are guests of her brother, J. A. Sharp and family this week. Mrs. Hamby was formerly Miss Peggy Sharp.

Rev. Cecil Foxe, pastor of the Methodist church here, spent a few days this week in Hillsboro and Brandon.

Mrs. Otis Sparks, of Rotan, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Maynard this week.

Lewis Pope was a visitor in Baird on Sunday.

A. D. Purvis, of Cisco, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King, of this place, Sunday.

Miss Viola Teague is visiting in Merkel this week with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Hudson and Mr. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ascue Dodd and family, of the Atwell community, are moving to the Hutchison ranch near town this week.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford and children, Miss Alwilda and Franklin, were visitors in Abilene Saturday.

Mesdames Floyd Coffey and Clarence Nordyke and Miss Bertha Buchanan were visitors in Abilene Saturday.

Fred Short and Bill Roberson made a business trip to Big Spring on Thursday of this week.

Homer Lane and Jim Bailey, of the Scranton community, were transacting business in Putnam Friday.

Mrs. W. M. Weed and sons, Ernest, Johnnie and Lewis, spent Sunday in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Claude King and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Mayhew and children and Mrs. Jim Mayhew and children, of Cisco were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. King and family Sunday.

W. M. Crosby left Wednesday for Seymour where he is employed as driller in the oil fields.

Miss Edna Marie Jones, of Abilene, visited Miss Maymie Coppinger here on Tuesday returning home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Pruett and daughters Mesdames Marvin Eubank and W. R. Francisco, of Baird, visited in Eastland Friday.

Miss Opal Heslep entertained the young people of the town with a party on Saturday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heslep, in North Putnam. The young people report a most enjoyable time.

Rev. R. H. Yeager and daughter, Mrs. W. P. Thompkins, of the Pueblo community, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager and family on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ped Yarbrough, of Albany, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hudson, of Merkel, have returned home after spending the week as guests in the home of Mrs. Hudson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague.

Mrs. E. F. Finch, of Brandon, Texas is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Foxe and family.

Mesdames Jewel Golsen and Louise Anthony were visitors in Cisco on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Browning of the Telephone Exchange, were visitors in Cross Plains Saturday and Sunday.

T. L. Rieh and family are moving to Clyde this week.

Miss Mildred Yeager, teacher in the Clyde schools, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager, here through the week-end.

Mrs. Leona Gott, of Coleman, spent Monday in Putnam the guest of Mrs. and Mrs. W. M. Crosby.

Mrs. Sam Crenshaw, of Breckenridge, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cribbs through the week-end.

Grady Pruett left Monday for Louisiana where he will spend a few days transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eubank and daughter, Mary Lou, were guests of Mr. Eubank's mother in Moran Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Walls, splendid citizens of this place, are moving to Baird this week. Putnam regrets losing this good family but our loss is Baird's gain and we recommend them to our neighboring city as law abiding peaceful good neighbors and church workers.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Sandlin and daughter, Miss Vella Sandlin, visited relatives in Brownwood Wednesday.

Walter Agnew, of Cisco, was transacting business in Putnam Monday of this week.

Mesdames Fred Golsen and Barney Anthony visited in Ft. Worth this week returning Saturday night.

Emmet Woods, of the Colony community, was a business visitor in Putnam on Monday.

Mrs. Elizara Dodd, of Graham, and Mrs. Ellie Jackson, of Baird are guests of Mrs. S. E. Heslep this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam and children, of the Colony community, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey Monday.

Lynn Williams made a business trip to Abilene on Tuesday.

Mrs. N. A. Pate and nurse, Miss Viola Ellis, who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett for the past several months returned to Baird Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Wingo was a visitor in Cisco on Tuesday.

Miss Leita Coppenger, student in John Tarleton college, Stephenville, visited relatives at Cottonwood and her sister, Miss Maymie Coppenger, of this place, through the week-end.

Andrews and Hogan are drilling at 300 feet on the Joe Green lease about 3 miles south of town. They expect to drill in by the last of the week.

The Moutray Oil Co. brought in a good well on the Hatchett lease last week making about 25 barrels per day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett and family moved to Abilene on Monday of this week. Putnam regrets, exceedingly, to lose this most estimable family from our midst, but we recommend them to Abilene as splendid citizens, good neighbors and church workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Peek, of Clyde are moving back to Putnam this week. We welcome them back most cordially, as they lived here for many years before going to Clyde and have always been found to be loyal citizens, valuable church workers and ready to go out of their way, if necessary, to assist in any worthy enterprise.

Mrs. Lizzie Rogers, elderly woman, living alone in the north part of town, was found by Neal Moore on Sunday morning, when he called to accompany her to Sunday school, to be seriously ill. Mr. Moore notified neighbors of Mrs. Rogers, who went immediately to her assistance. Dr. Britain was called and relatives at Cisco notified. She was later removed to Cisco to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burnam, relatives. At last report Mrs. Rogers was in a critical condition.

Jack Brandon, of this place was suddenly stricken with appendicitis on Wednesday of this week. He was rushed to the sanitarium at Gorman where he underwent an operation and at last reports was resting nicely.

**Miscellaneous Shower**  
"42" Club

A miscellaneous shower was given on Friday afternoon, Feb. 7, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Culwell, honoring Mrs. Culwell and infant son. Mrs. Willie Culwell, hostess. The honoree and son were recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. A refreshment of sandwiches, cakes and hot chocolate was served the following guests. Mesdames F. P. Shackelford, L. B. Williams, Clarence Mayes, Jim Yarbrough, Arthur Yeager, Eldridge Park, L. B. Moore, Ellen Cathey, Doc Isenhower, John Cook, Wesley Hale, Elmer Butler, Wesley Hale, Loren Everett, W. E. Pruett, H. Culwell, Claude King, and the hostess, Mrs. Willie Culwell and Miss Maggie McCrum.

**"42" Club**

Mrs. Charles Brandon was hostess to the "42" club at her home on the evening of Feb. 6. A most delightful time was had and Mrs. Brandon proved herself a very capable and gracious hostess. At the close of the games a splendid refreshment consisting of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate was served the following members of the club, Mesdames O. W. Hampton, E. C. Waddell, Grady Pruett, Homer Pruett, Fred Short, W. A. Wallace, E. P. Whitaker, Bess McCool, Jim Yarbrough, Bill Ribbeck and Miss Vella Sandlin, Mrs. Bill Ribbeck won the high score.

**"Night Hawk" Bridge Club**

Mrs. E. H. Williams entertained the "Night Hawks" Bridge Club in her home on Monday evening, Feb. 3. Much enthusiasm was exhibited in the diversion of the game throughout the evening. Miss Willie Kennedy won high score and was presented a beautiful scarf as trophy. Delicious refreshments were served the following members, Mesdames F. P. Shackelford, J. F. Cunningham, S. B. Miller, A. J. Frazier, L. B. Williams, Misses Ted Moore, Willie Kennedy and Lois Kennedy.

**Putnam Girls Win First Place In Basket Ball Tournament**

The County Basket Ball Tournament was held in Abilene on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 10 and 11. On Friday the Putnam boys played Denton and won, leaving them to play Cottonwood on Saturday. This was a much harder fought game ending with a score of 25 to 26 and giving Cottonwood first place in the county.

The Putnam girls were more fortunate. Their hard game came on Friday with Denton, the score being 10 and 11. On Saturday they played Eula, defeating them, 18 and 22, giving the Putnam girls first place in the county championship.

**Married**

The many friends of Carl, Gunn, of the Colony community, and Miss Gertrude Kill, of Putnam, were surprised when this young couple slipped away and were married in Frederick, Okla., on Thursday, Feb. 6, 1930.

Mr. Gunn is the son of Mrs. Frank Gunn, of the Colony community, and is a very promising young man, full of vigor, and not afraid of work. He has made his home in the community with his mother for several years and has a host of friends.

Miss Kill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Kill and is a young woman of many charms and admirable qualities and like her husband, has acquired many friends.

They carry with them, as they embark on the untried sea of life, the best wishes of both Putnam and the Colony community, besides other friends elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunn will make their home in the Colony community.

**ADMIRAL NEWS**

(By Romeo)

Mr. and Mrs. John Birchfield, of Turkey Creek, spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Higgins.

Miss Jennie Harris spent Saturday night in Baird the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Walker, Christine and J. L. Walker, of Denton were guests of Mrs. J. A. Walker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Higgins and daughter, Earstine, were shopping in Putnam Saturday.

J. R. Harris of Clyde and S. C. Bradford of Baird are running a terrace on the R. J. Harris farm this week.

Don Higgins was a Ft. Worth visitor last week.

Mrs. Boutwell of Putnam returned to her home Sunday after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Rob Walker.

Mrs. G. W. Black was the guest of Mrs. Grover Miller at Baird Sunday.

Jackie Street is on the sick list this week.

**IONA NEWS**

There is quite a lot of sickness in our community. Mrs. Julia Scott is very ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. E. F. Rutledge.

Jack Browning is suffering from diphtheria, Messrs Leslie and Herman Goble, Loyd Duncan, Olen and Leonard Appleton spent Sunday with Dupree Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Bryant, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant.

Miss Jewel Atwood of Baird spent Sunday at home.

Miss Bill Atwood spent Saturday night with her brother, at the

Hatchett Oil field.

Mr. W. L. Johnson, of Putnam, visited his son, Clyde Johnson Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Bryant and daughters of Clyde spent Sunday with W. H. Bryant and family. Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Clyde also spent the day with Mrs. Bryant.

Friends of Byron Harris will be glad to know he is recovering satisfactorily from injuries sustained last Thursday when he was struck by a car.

Joe Graham and L. B. McNeil have returned from a trip to Red Barn, Texas.

Iona basket ball boys went to Abilene last Friday afternoon to see the tournament. Iona team will play its second schedule game Friday when it meets Midway at Clyde.

Iona Junior girls have organized a team and will play Enterprise Friday at Clyde.

Miss Jewel Johnson spent the week-end at home, and visited school Monday.

Mrs. Cordii Brame and children of Baird visited Mrs. C. M. Harris Sunday.

Saturday and Sunday there will be a district League meeting at Anson. Several Leaguers from this church plan to go.

Hugh O'Brien of Comanche visited his cousin, R. H. Robertson, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Peek of Clyde, spent Tuesday with their daughter, Mrs. Joe Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Appleton visited their daughter, Lois in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Robertson attended the A. C. C. and McMurry basket ball games in Abilene this week.

John Warren of Ft. Worth visited his sister, Mrs. T. F. Gaines last week.

Mr. and Miss Smith, of Ft. Worth also visited Mrs. Gaines, and friends in Breckenridge and Eastland.

Mrs. L. A. Childress, of Big Spring is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Earl Browning.

Mrs. A. M. Wagner and son, James visited her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Holt near Abilene last week.

Miss Lois Ivey of Simmons U. spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Cook of Abilene is visiting Mrs. Earl Browning.

Rudolph Backham, of Ft. Worth, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. T. F. Gaines.

Mr. Bishop of Breckenridge, Mrs. DeRossit and daughter, Mrs. Ray, of Cisco, Mrs. Berryhill, of Goldthwaite are all at E. F. Rutledge's, helping care for Mrs. Julia Scott.

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**WE'LL PUT YOUR CLOTHES IN GOOD SHAPE**  
It pays to have us take care of your clothes, for our rates are low and our work and service excellent. We'd like to see the suit that we can't make just as fresh and clean as a new one! Try us out.  
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DRY CLEANER  
We Call For and Deliver Phone 268

**OUR SUNDAY DINNERS ARE THE CHOICE OF MANY**

SUNDAY CHICKEN DINNERS as we cook them and as we serve them are the choice of the Majority if we are to judge by the Quality we sell each Sunday and to the same folks day after day.  
**TO KNOW WHY, YOU MUST TASTE THEM WEEK DAY LUNCHES SERVED IN THE SAME SATISFYING WAY**  
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

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GOOD SERVICE—GOOD FOOD—WELL COOKED



### How Gas Cos. Met Emergency of Recent Blizzards

(How a gas company confronted by an emergency such as grew out of the blizzard and sub-zero temperatures that prevailed over Texas for an unusually long period in January, meets the situation to insure adequate supplies for its patrons is told in a brief story written for the Public News by William C. Grant, public relations director for the Lone Star Gas Co.—Editor).

Natural gas companies of the Southwest have developed an elastic system of gas control in order to meet the sharply fluctuating temperature of this section. These controls involve a gas dispatcher pressure men in the fields, maintenance crews and private telephone systems. In the severe cold weather of January these gas dispatching systems serving Texas were put to a very severe test but in nearly every case the organizations and the gas supply proved adequate.

The Lone Star Gas Company, one of the largest systems in the Southwest, had about 100 wells in service at the peak of the cold spell. When a sudden norther comes the gas dispatcher sitting at a center of a network of telephones and gas pipelines, immediately calls his pressure men in the fields and his compressor engineers and gives them instructions on how pressure will be required to meet the emergency. The pressure by means of valves. The engineers begin driving their gas pumps at full capacity in order to send the gas over hundreds of miles of pipelines.

At the same time hundreds of repair crews stand by at strategic centers over the systems to be ready in case of any trouble. Breaks in lines are repaired quickly and frequently the men must work all night in severe cold weather and sometime in ice and water to repair breaks. By means of modern interconnected pipelines a break in one line seldom causes inconvenience to the consumers because the gas is moved over other lines.

The Lone Star Gas Company had 3,500 miles of pipelines, 25 compressor stations, and more than 1,000 gas wells in twenty-five gas fields in operation during the recent cold weather.

Beautiful Home grounds give pleasure, and add value to property. Valuable information is found in free catalogue of Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. Write for it.

**NOTICE CITY TAX PAYERS**  
All delinquent City Taxes, if paid before March 1st, will have no penalty attached. Take notice please.

J. C. Barringer,  
City Tax Collector.



**Ride the Greyhound**

convenient  
economical  
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For short trips, or for long trips, the Southland Greyhound Lines offer a highly desirable travel way. Fares are now lowest in the history of the company—schedules have just been rearranged to permit the greatest saving of time—modern motor coaches with deeply cushioned, individual, reclining chairs assure you perfect relaxation and comfort.

Our agent will gladly help plan your trip.

HOLMES DRUG CO.  
Baird, Texas

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#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to summon J. M. Harris, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the 1st Monday in March A. D., 1930, the same being the 3rd day of March A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 1st day of February A. D. 1930 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7496, wherein Venera Harris, Plaintiff, and J. M. Harris, Defendant, and said petition alleging\* That the plaintiff is an actual bone fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has so resided in the said State of Texas for period of more than twelve months next before the filing of this suit, and is now and has so resided in Callahan county, Texas, for more than six months next before the exhibition of this petition herein.

That plaintiff on or about the 7th day of August, 1927, in Eastland county, Texas, then and there a single woman by the name of Venera Black, was then married to the said defendant, and continued to live with him as his wife until on or about the 29th day of March, A. D. 1928, when by reason of the cruel harsh treatment and the improper conduct of the defendant toward the plaintiff, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife; which cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct are more fully set out in plaintiff's original petition on file in the office of the District Clerk of Callahan County, Texas.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Baird this the 3rd day of Feb. A. D. 1930.

Callie Marshall, Clerk District Court, Callahan County.  
10-4t

#### THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD WILL HOLD A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF CADETS JUNE 18-20, 1930

An exceptional opportunity is offered young men of the right caliber between 18 and 22 years of age, to complete their education at government expense and to become commissioned officers in the United States Coast Guard, one of the military services of the United States afloat and ashore.

Cadets are trained and educated at the Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn., and each summer are taken on an extended practice cruise. Cadets receive the same pay and allowances as midshipman in the navy (\$780 per annum, Quarters, Subsistence and Medical attendance).

Upon graduation, after completing the prescribed course at the academy, a cadet is eligible to be commissioned an Ensign. Commissioned officers in the Coast Guard rank with officers in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, and receive corresponding pay and allowances, grade for grade.

Educational examination for cadets precedes the physical and takes two days. Applicants for cadetship of the required moral character who present satisfactory certificates that they have completed the equivalent of a four year high school course and have received fourteen credits in subjects prescribed by Coast Guard headquarters are required to take a written examination in mathematics (algebra and geometry), english and history. A high school graduate should be able to pass the examination.

The examination is strictly competitive and is open to young men who possess the qualifications with respect to age, education and character. Examinations will be held at such places throughout the United States where it is found practicable to have examining boards, and the number of candidates warrant.

The successful candidates who are tendered appointments will be required to report to the superintendent of the Coast Guard Academy on or about August 15, 1930.

The will be allowed five cents per mile to cover travel expenses from the place of appointment to New London, Conn. Upon arrival at the academy a cadet will be required to deposit the sum of \$200 to be applied to the purchase of necessary uniforms and equipment. Pay and allowances received are adequate to cover all expenses while at the academy.

For further particulars write to E. Q. Lee, House Office Building Washington D. C.

#### VETERANS OFFERED AID IN CLAIMING PENSION

Representative Jack Keller, of Dallas Saturday offered his assistance free of charge in establishing the claims of Confederate veterans entitled to pensions.

Keller invited all persons who

should be drawing pensions but were unable to establish their claims through the records or corroboration, to write him. He said that he believed that with the aid of the newspapers and radio he could find some one to substantiate their claims.

Keller's bill, which will be offered as soon as the Governor submits the subject, would reduce the number of corroborating witnesses necessary from two to one. The bill was designed to eliminate provisions in the present law under which veterans' widows under 75 were said to be not receiving any money. Veterans and widows over 75 years old would receive \$35 monthly under Keller's measure and widows between 57 and 75 would receive \$25.

The Keller measure also would allow a pension to any veteran born in Texas and now a resident of

this State who has spent 50 years of his life in Texas. Under existing statutes, a veteran must have lived in the State for the past 10 years in order to draw a stipend.

#### Did You Ever Stop To Think?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla.

That the home city is a good place to trade. Why trade elsewhere?

There are many people in every city who, when they need anything that costs money, go to a distant city or send a mail order house for important purchases of articles or merchandise that the home merchants have in stock. People who do that hurt the home

city. And when they hurt the home city, they hurt themselves.

It is a tremendous convenience and advantage to you to trade at the stores of the home city.

Your business men are the great fighting force of your city. They are doing most to advance the home city. Why not back them?

When you buy in your home city you see what you buy and keep your money circulating at home.

Merchants of the home city give "Satisfying service." What more could you want?

Beautiful Home grounds give pleasure, and add value to property. Valuable information is found in free catalogue of Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. Write for it.

**Long Daylight Period**  
Hannoverfest is the most northern town in the world. There, from May 13 to July 29, the sun never sets and the people take advantage of their long day busily trading the cod liver oil, which they make, for commodities sent up from the southerly parts of Norway.

Do you plant to beautify your home grounds this winter? Write for catalogue Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas.

#### STILL LENDING

that cheap Federal Land Bank long time money on farms and ranches.

Every borrower will recommend it. Why pay the higher rates. See me.

W. Homer Shanks, Sec.-Treas.  
Clyde and Abilene, Texas

# How Ford Methods Cut Cost of Distribution

**Lower profits in selling save you at least \$50 to \$75 in addition to the many savings in manufacturing**

**T**WENTY-SEVEN years ago the Ford Motor Company was formed to provide reliable, economical transportation for all the people. That original purpose has never changed. The constant effort in every activity is to find ways to give you greater and greater value without extra cost—frequently at lowered cost. This applies to distribution and similar important factors, as well as manufacture.

For the Ford Motor Company believes that its full duty is not only to make a good automobile at the lowest possible price, but to see that there is no waste, extravagance, or undue profit in any transaction from the time the car leaves the factory until it is delivered to your home. It is obvious that hard-won savings in production will be of little value if they are sacrificed later through excessive selling costs.

**EVERY** purchaser of a motor car has the right to know how much of the money he pays is for the car itself and how much is taken up by dealer charges. If these charges are too high, one of two things must happen. Either the price of the car must be raised or the quality lowered. There is no other way. The money must come from somewhere.

In the case of the Ford, the low charges for distribution, selling, financing and accessories mean a direct saving of at least \$50 to \$75 to every purchaser in addition to the still greater savings made possible by economies in manufacturing. Ford charges are not marked up or increased to cover a high trade-in allowance on a used car.

The profit margin on the Ford car has always



## FORD MOTOR COMPANY

been fair to both the dealer and the public. Within the past three months, it has been possible to effect still further economies. Today, the discount or commission of the Ford dealer is the lowest of any automobile dealer. The difference, ranging from 25% to nearly 50%, comes right off the price you pay for the car.

**THE** business of the Ford dealer is good because he makes a small profit on a large number of sales instead of a large profit on fewer sales. He knows, too, that the extra dollar-for-dollar value of the car makes it easier to sell and more certain to give satisfactory service after purchase.

Consider also that the Ford car is delivered to the purchaser equipped with a Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield, an extra steel-spoke wheel, and bright, enduring Rustless Steel for many exterior metal parts, in addition to four Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers and fully enclosed four-wheel brakes.

If for any reason you wish to buy certain small accessories, you will find that these, too, are sold at the usual Ford low prices. Replacement parts are also available at low prices through Ford dealers in every section of the country.

**THESE** are important points to remember in considering the purchase of a motor car. They show why it is possible to put so much extra quality into the new Ford and still maintain the low price. They are also the reasons why more than 35% of all cars sold today are Model A Fords.



**MILK and BUTTER**

We sell only Pure Pasturized Milk and Butter, also Bulgarian Butter Milk.



**BOBBIE JACKSON**

Fifteen month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson, who was awarded First Prize in the recent Better Baby Show. Bobbie has drank pure pasturized milk from the Baird Creamery all his life. Bobbie is a healthy boy and this pure milk—helps to make him so.

Give the children Pasturized Milk—it will make them strong and well.

**BAIRD CREAMERY**

JOE M. GLOVER, Mgr.  
Phone 111 Baird.

**Music Memory Contest**

The following records are required for study in the Music Memory Contest of the Interscholastic League to be held here March 28th and 29. The teachers in charge, Miss West and Miss Fey, will deeply appreciate the loan of any of the records. Please communicate with them if you have any.

**Theme Recognition**  
Victor Record No.  
20153 Wild Horseman—Schumann  
20802 Country Gardens—

Grainger  
20802 Shepherd's Hey—English Morris Tune.  
21938 Amaryllis—Old French Air.  
21938 Minuet (Don Juan)—Mozart  
1136 Minuet—Bach.  
1136 Gavotte—Beethoven  
21938 Believe me if all those endearing young charms—English Folk Song.

**Recognition of Dance Type**  
1. March.  
22014 March Heroique—Saint Saens.

22014 Dead March (Saul)—Handel.  
22014 March (Leonore Symphony)—Raff.

22014 March (Norma)—Bellini.  
2. Waltz.  
21938 Waltz in Ab—Brahms.  
21938 Skaters Waltz—Waldteufel.

3. Minuet.  
20164 Minuet—Paderwski.  
21938 Minuet—Mozart.  
20164 Minuet—Beethoven.  
1136 Minuet—Bach.

4. Gavotte.  
21938 Amaryllis—Old French Air.  
20164 Gavotte—Popper.  
1136 Gavotte—Beethoven.

**Recognition of Instrumental Tone**  
20164 Badinage (Herbert)—Piccolo.  
20164 Legend of the Bells (Planquette)—Bells.

20164 Humoresque (Dvorak)—Violin.  
20164 Scherzo (Beethoven)—Bassoon.  
20164 Minuet (Paderwski)—Viola.  
20164 Minuet (Beethoven)—Cornet.  
20164 Omaha Game Song (Kinsella)—Flute.  
Overture—William Tell.  
20606 The Dawn (Rossini)—Violincello.  
20607 The Calm (Rossini)—English Horn.  
20802 Shepherd's Hey (Grainger) Trombones and Xylophones.

**Memory Contest**  
Andante Contabile—Tschaiowsky.  
Country Gardens—Grainger.  
Berceuse—Godard.  
Emperor Quartette—Hayden.  
From an Indian Lodge—MacDowell  
Gavotte—Beethoven.  
Grand March (Aida)—Veri.  
Heart Bowed Down (Bohemian Girl)—Ralfe.  
Love Song—MacDowell.  
March of the Smugglers—Bizet.  
Meditation—Mossenet.  
Minuet—Bach.  
Moarish Ballet (Aida)—Verdi.  
Music Box—Liadow.  
Oh Vermeland, Thou Lovely—(Swedish Folk Song.)  
Overture (William Tell) Rossini.

1. The Calm.  
2. The Storm.  
3. The Dawn  
4. Finale.

Shepherd's Hey—Grainger.  
Slavonic Dance—Dvorak.  
Soldiers Changing the Guard—Bizet.  
Then You'll Remember Me—Balfie.  
Songs Hy Mother Taught Me—Dvorak.

**Place for Return Address**

The proper place for a return address on a letter is in the upper left-hand corner of the envelope. The Post Office department discourages the placing of the return address on the backs of envelopes.

**Court House News**

The following is taken from the County Records on file in the County Clerk's office:

**Marriage License**  
R. L. Collins and Miss Louise McGowan, both of Baird.  
Russell Conklin, Abilene and Miss Lawrence Kossey, Tuscola.  
P. H. Carley, Clyde and Mrs. Roxie Marie Bowden, Abilene.  
J. A. Harris, Oplin and Miss Etta Mae Ford, Denton.  
Cecil Spivy, Baird and Miss Lorena Allen, Admiral.

**Warranty Deeds**

A. R. Gray and wife to M. H. Kendrick. Lots 7 and 8, blk. 1, Shanks addition, Clyde.

Mrs. S. J. Bryson, Adm to Marie and Clara Bryson. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 18, 19, 10. Blk. 8, Haley addition, Cross Plains.

Mrs. S. J. Bryson, Adm. to C. E. Bryson, et al, Int in 7 1-2 acres, Pat. to E. S. Milleg; 160 acres. Pat. to W J Bryson; 35 3-4 acres to part J. A. Burks, sur. Pat to W. J. Bryson.

F. L. Asherbranner to O E & L. A. Pierce, 79 3-4 acres. A L. Eaves, sur. 75, abst. 156.

D P Hollis and wife to J D Fonville, 40 acres, sur, 67, B B B & Co Ry Co.

Mrs. Georgia Rice and husband to W. L. Jackson, 25 acres out of Walter Converse, sur.

W L Jackson to U F Casey 25 acres, Walter Converse sur.

V R Jackson and wife to Ida W Looney, lot 4, blk. 5, Oplin.

Evelyn Johnson to I V Looney, 1-2 acres out of Thomas E Johnson pre.

J M Childers and wife to Ike Kendrick S 1-2 blk 87, E 1-2 of S 1-2 blk 86, Comal Co. sur.

Ike Kendrick and wife to H. A Young S 1-2 blk 87, E 1-2 of S 1-2 blk 86, Comal Co.

W D Lloyd and wife to C F Carley E 1-2 lot 3, blk 8, Clyde.  
B. F. Russell and wife to M D Heist 1-2 int. in 133 acres out of D & D Asylum, sur. 45.  
J D Tonville and wife to T J Bovill S 1-2 of W 1-2 sur. 67, B B B & C Co.

**Oil and Gas Leases**

Humble Oil & Refining Co. to Campbell Oil Corp. NW 1-4 sur. 20 E T Ry Co. Sur.

Tidal Oil Co. S N Foster 42 1-2 acres. A T Burnley sur.

Tidal Oil Co. to Rebecca Maddux 46 1-2 acres out of A T Burnly, sur.

Tidal Oil Co. to S N Foster, 32 acres blk 23 Butts DW of A T Burnly sur.

Tidal Oil Co. to Nettie Gilliland et al SE 1-4 sur. 131 B B B & C Ry. Co.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. to C. B Snyder, N 1-2 of SW 1-4, sec. 66, blk. 11, T & P Ry Co.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. to J J Humphrey's 204 1-2 acres out of Anthony Bales sur.

**Mineral Deeds**

A. P. Leskamp to D. P. Dean 1-16 int. in 10 acres out of Geo M Vigal survey

J. P. Erwin to Harry W Erwin 1-8 int in acres DW 1, G. A. Hays estate T E & L Sur. 316.

**B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY, FEB. 16**

- Topic: The Way Out.  
1. Jesus Fulfills God's Promises—Royce Gilliland.  
2. Jesus Fulfills God's Demands For Men—Maurine Satterwhite.  
3. Jesus Can Satisfy The Sinner's Need—Gladys Thompson.  
4. Jesus Is The Only Way of Salvation—Leo Thompson.  
5. Jesus is Able to Save to the Uttermost—Dorothy Boydston  
6. Not All Shall Be Saved—Howard Davis.

**WANT ADS**

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. See Fred Jackson at Baird Creamery. 6-1f

FOR SALE—Nice residence suitable for large family or for two apartments. All modern conveniences. See H. Schwartz.

Save your City Bread Wrappers, they are valuable.—City Bakery.

FOR RENT—A 6 room house, well 3 lots chicken lot fenced. Garage, located in north center of Baird, etc. See T. E. Powell. 6-1f

WORK WANTED—Housework of any kind, washing or ironing. Will work by hour, day, week or month. See Mrs. Ada Roe at Mrs. Herons, across street from Bowlius Lumber Yard. 11-1f

APARTMENTS—For rent; all modern conveniences; See or phone Mrs. Gus Hall; Phone 66 10-1f

STRAYED—White Persian Cat, finder please notify Mrs. J. H. Terrell. Phone 112 10f

FOR RENT—Three light house-keeping rooms, either by week or month. Second house from corner, third block, east front. Mrs. S. M. Houghton. 8-1t

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs; M. Johnson; White Leghorns, \$5 tray; also will sell baby chicks with orders. Mrs. W. E. McCollum. 11-4tp

FOR RENT—The Highway Garage, 50x130 feet, good wash rack at back and entire building in good shape. See Wylie James at Highway Garage. 11

FOR RENT—The west part of the building occupied by Leache store, 25x40, suitable for machine shop; Also a 5 room unfurnished house; suitable for 2 apartments, and a furnished apartment, with all conveniences. See or phone Mrs. J. H. Terrell, Phone 112. 11f

FOR SALE—Cheap—2 truck tires, 34x7; 2 back wheels; battery; all in good condition; also some other truck parts. Apply W. E. Gray Service Station, west on highway. 11-1p

FOR RENT—Three room furnished house, close in. See or phone Mrs. Earl Hall, phone 324. 11-1t

EGGS For Hatching—English White Leghorns; per setting of 15, \$1.50; per tray, \$5. Mrs. C. L. McCleary, phone 39. 11-1p

FOR SALE—Some real nice Collie pups at \$5 each. Also wish to trade for team. See A. R. Dillard, Route 1, Baird. 11-1t

LOST—Hat, ladies black felt hat, lost from car some where on street. Suitable reward for return to me. Mrs. Ford Driskill, phone 170. 11-1t

Where Teacher Counts  
Learning," said H. L. the sage of Chinatown, "is a guide to the fortunate, but a menace to one who selects the wrong teacher."—Washington Star.

**DOES IT PAY?**

How much time do you lose from your work on account of illness? How much is this time worth? Chiropractic will put you back on the job more quickly than any other healing science, therefore it would be real economy for you to avail yourself of this health means without further delay.

**JOSEPHINE C. MORRISON**  
CHIROPRACTOR  
At Mrs. C. M. Curry's Residence  
Phones 286 and 296  
BAIRD, TEXAS.

When you select the Feed for your Cows look for

milk-pail Results NOT

low-cost per bag

When anyone offers to "save you money" by selling you a "cheap" dairy feed, remember that the milk pail determines both the cost and the profit of any feed... Feeds selling for less than RED CHAIN usually contain an excessive amount of cottonseed meal; they produce milk for a while, but eventually they "burn up" your cows... Experienced dairymen know RED CHAIN 24% Dairy Ration is the most economical feed for cows because it produces more and better milk and keeps cows in better condition, insuring a long life of usefulness and profit. Everything considered, the best is always cheapest in the end.



By the Bag, RED CHAIN 24% Dairy Ration May Cost a Little More—By the Milk Pail it Always Costs LESS!

**JONES & CONNER**  
Red Chain Feed  
Baird, Texas

RED CHAIN Feeds are SUPERIOR Feeds

**"A BAIRD INSTITUTION"**  
**HELPY-SELF**  
N. P. SMITH, MANAGER

NOT A CHAIN STORE

**SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY SATURDAY AND MONDAY**

BANANAS	DOZEN	19c
LETTUCE	LARGE HEADS	7 1/2 c
APPLES WINSAPS.	DOZERN	19c
SPUDS	10 POUNDS	44c
YAMS KILN DRYED.	POUND	6 1/2 c
LEMONS 360 SIZE.	DOZEN	39c
FLOUR OUR SPECIAL.	48 POUND BAG	\$1.53
PINTO BEANS	10 POUNDS	78c
COFFEE WAMBA.	3 POUND CAN	\$1.12
SOAP P & G. OR C W.	5 BARS	19c
PORK & BEANS	3 CANS	25c
MILK CARNATION.	3 TALL 6 SMALL	25c
EGGS FRESH FROM THE COUNTRY.	DOZEN	26c
BUTTER FRESH COUNTRY.	POUND	25c
PICKLES	QUART SOUR	25c
HOMINY NO 2 SIZE.	3 CANS	23c
PORK CHOPS	POUND	30c
BACON SLICED	POUND	32c
PORK SAUSAGE	POUND	22c
HAMBURGER MEAT	POUND	22c
CHEESE FULL CREAM.		29c

**SATURDAY** We will have a complete line of fresh Vegetables. Everything that grows in the garden, Shop early while they are fresh.

**WRISTEN'S**

**CASH SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY**

FLOUR KANSAS BEST 48 lb Sk.	\$1.59
FLOUR Kansas Best, 24 Pound Bag	84c
SUGAR PURE CANE 100 POUND SACK	\$5.70
CORN CHOPS 100 POUND SACK	\$2.20
COMPOUND WHITE CLOUD, 8 lb BUC KET	\$1.02
SHORTS 100 Pound Sack	\$1.95
MILK Sweet Feed, 100 POUND SACK	\$2.05
COFFEE Morning Joy, 3 Pound Bucket	\$1.32
COFFEE GRANDMA'S DELIGHT, 3 POUND BUCKET	99c
COFFEE A GOOD BULK PEA BERRY, POUND	17c
SPINACH White House, No. 2 can, 2 for	25c
HOMINY No. 2 can	7c
HOMINY No. 2 1-2 can,	11c
PEACHES All Brands, Best Table Peach, No 2 1-2 can, 2 cans	45c
SOAP P & G or Crystal White, 10 Bars	38c
SOAP LIGHT HOUSE LAUNDRY, 10 BARS	35c
SOAP Toilet, Woodbury, 3 bars	50c
OAT MEAL Highland Oven Toasted, 3 lb box	25c
CATSUP Large Bottle	19c
RICE White House, 3 Pound box	19c
PICKLES Sour, Quart Jar	23c
LEMONS Large, 360 Size, Dozen	29c
BEANS GREAT NORTHERN NAVY, 12 POUNDS	99c