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"On The Bankhead Highway"
"The Broadway of America."

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State. But the Get-Up-and-Get That Makes Men Great."

BUCKY and his PALS

Panel 1: A man in a hat is chopping wood. A dog named Bucky is sitting nearby. **Text:** "BUCKY, IF THE COMING EATS ARE AS GOOD AS THIS WOOD IS HARD, THEY'LL BE GREAT!"

Panel 2: The man is finished chopping wood. **Text:** "AH! THAT'S DONE! NOW LETS GO GET OUR WELL-EARNED REWARD"

Panel 3: The man is talking to a woman who is giving him food. **Text:** "TINKER, I SORTA THOUGHT YOU EARNED SUMP'N MORE'N A MEAL- HERE'S MEAT, JAM, AN' OTHER THINGS" **Text:** "THANKS"

Panel 4: The man is eating with Bucky. **Text:** "BUCKY, ISN'T THIS GRAND? WE'LL DINE ROYALLY FOR AT LEAST A WEEK"

Panel 5: The man is eating a lamb. **Text:** "LAMB! YOUNG! TENDER! SAY, DOESN'T YOUR MOUTH WATER?"

Panel 6: The man is tending to a fire. **Text:** "I THINK WE MUST REPLENISH OUR FIRE, BUCKY, TO COOK IT WELL"

Panel 7: The man is carrying a large bundle of food. **Text:** "WHAT A FEAST! WHAT SURPLUS! WHY, BUCKY, WE COULD FEED A BEAR!"

Panel 8: The man is running away from a large bear. **Text:** "GOSH—NOT A TAXI IN SIGHT—GUESS I'LL HAVE TO TAKE THE STREET CAR"

Panel 9: The man is walking away. **Text:** "I HOPE I DON'T FALL ASLEEP IN THE CAR AND GO PAST MY STREET!"

Panel 10: A taxi driver is talking to the man. **Text:** "LET ME OFF AT ELM ST." **Text:** "Z-ZZZ ZZZ ZZZ"

FRITZI RITZ

By Ernie Bushmiller

Panel 1: A woman in a dress is talking to a man in a tuxedo. **Text:** "ARE YOU GOING TO LEAVE THE PARTY, UNCLE ZACK?" **Text:** "HO-HUM—YES—I'M AWFUL TIRED—I'M GOIN' HOME"

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LOOY DOT DOPE

By John Devlin

Panel 1: A man in a tuxedo is talking to a woman. **Text:** "ALAS, POOR YORICK, I KNEW HIM WELL." **Text:** "THAT'S ALL FOR T'DAY, HAMLET, REHEARSAL TOMORROW AT TEN!"

Panel 2: The man is talking to a woman. **Text:** "ALAS, POOR YORICK..."

Panel 3: A man is looking at a woman who is lying in bed. **Text:** "NEXT MORNING" **Text:** "!!? EEEK"

Capt. S. P. Ross and Indian Chief Fight Duel

By W. J. WILBARGER

Author "Indian Depredations in Texas"

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AMONG the noted Indian fighters of Texas two names stand out prominently—Captain S. P. Ross and his son, Captain L. S. (Sul) Ross, who served as Governor of Texas four years, from 1887 to 1891.

Both father and son commanded ranger companies that fought the red man from Red river to the Rio Grande. It was Captain S. P. Ross who killed the notorious chief, "Big Foot," in a knife duel,

near Temple, Bell county, Texas in 1842. It was L. S. (Sul) Ross, his son, who commanded the troops at the Battle of Pease River, fought in 1860, near Foard county, Texas. During this battle young Ross engaged in personal combat and was instrumental in killing the Comanche chief, Peta Nocona, husband of Cynthia Ann Parker and father of Quannah Parker, peace-time chief of the Comanches.

The Pease river battle was a death-blow to Comanche tribe supremacy in Northwest Texas.

A Ruthless Killer

Big Foot, a murderous chief of the Comanche tribe, raided settlements periodically along the border of Central Texas. He was a ruthless killer, sparing neither women nor children. In the spring of 1842 his band, marauding down the Brazos valley, stole the last horse of Captain S. P. Ross, who lived near what is now Cameron,

Milam county. During a previous raid the Indians, under Big Foot, had stolen horses belonging to Captain Ross.

The captain had but recently returned home from Burleson county, where he purchased a blooded mare, paying a high price for the animal. His wife told him she believed the Indians were still loitering in the neighborhood, but he quieted her fears with the remark that the Indians had gone on down the valley. He had turned the mare loose to graze, expecting before bed-time to round up and put her in the corral.

While going outdoors for this purpose, he heard what seemed the hooting of owls and the knickering of a colt. His mare, trotting in the direction of the knickering, suddenly stopped short and snorted. This behavior on the part of the mare, together with the hooting and knickering, convinced Captain Ross that Indians were nearby and were trying to draw him into an ambush. He prudently returned to his house,

making no further effort that night to corral the mare. During an exchange of signals Indians often resort to imitating the calls of birds and of animals.

Suspicious Verified

Early next morning Captain Ross' suspicions were verified. The Indians, while prowling about his cabin home the previous night, had stolen his last horse, the blooded mare. He walked several miles to a nearest neighbor, a Mr. Monroe, with the avowed intention

of pursuing the Indians and recapturing his mare. Monroe and Shapley Woolfolk agreed to accompany Captain Ross in pursuit of the Indians.

All three men soon mounted good horses from Monroe's corral and took up the trail. The tracks of Big Foot, the chief, were easily discernible. Big Foot was an uncompromising foe, bitterly hating the white race.

The three white men came upon a camp the Indians had occupied the night before. From here the Indians had gone down a ravine in the direction of a Mr. Bryant's home. Arriving at Bryant's home, the three pursuers were informed that none of the Indians had been seen in that vicinity. Bryant willingly joined the pursuing party which now numbered four men.

Picking Up the Trail

Picking up the trail again, it was followed north thirty miles through a rain-storm. It was still raining as the posse approached "Knobs," a well known landmark in Bell county, within a few miles of what is now Temple, Texas. While rounding an escarpment, the white men came suddenly upon four Indians with the stolen horses, but the Indians fled, offering no resistance.

A consultation was now held. All the men, except Ross, decided it was useless to pursue the Indians further; that their horses were tired while the horses of the Indians were fresh. Ross, however, insisted on following the Indians. Finally all agreed to back up Ross and continue the chase.

In a short while the savages were again overtaken, out in the open, where they were cutting and eating raw flesh from a buffalo just killed. As a protective measure against rain, the Indians had placed their firearms under a blanket. The Texans charged immediately, but rain had rendered useless their old-fashioned cap-and-ball, black powder guns.

The Indians, taking deliberate aim at the Texans, pulled triggers, but their weapons, also rain-soaked, failed to fire. Mounting horses, the Indians now attempted to escape. Bryant ran alongside an Indian, struck him on the head with the butt of his gun and killed him instantly.

Fighting Desperately, Hand-to-Hand

Both white and red men "clubbed" guns and began to fight desperately, hand-to-hand. Monroe was battling to the death with a hideously-painted warrior.

Big Foot picked out Captain Ross for an adversary, coming toward him with a scowl. Ross tried both of his pistols, but neither would fire. He hurled one of the pistols at Big Foot, the pistol hitting him on the head. At this moment another Indian, coming from behind, tried to deal Captain Ross a fatal blow, but was intercepted by Woolfolk, who knocked the Indian from his horse. In falling, the Indian pulled Woolfolk down with him, but immediately jumped up behind Big Foot (who was riding a fine mare he had stolen from Monroe) and

the two Indians, thus separating them. This enraged Big Foot, who drew his hunting knife and advanced on Ross. The Captain, acquainted with the Indian sign language, asked Big Foot to surrender. But the chief continued to advance, shaking his finger defiantly at Ross. Coming in closer, Big Foot lunged hard at Ross with his knife, but his foot slipped, and before he could regain balance Ross grasped the chief's plaited hair with one hand and with the other hand drove his hunting knife repeatedly to the hilt in the chief's body.

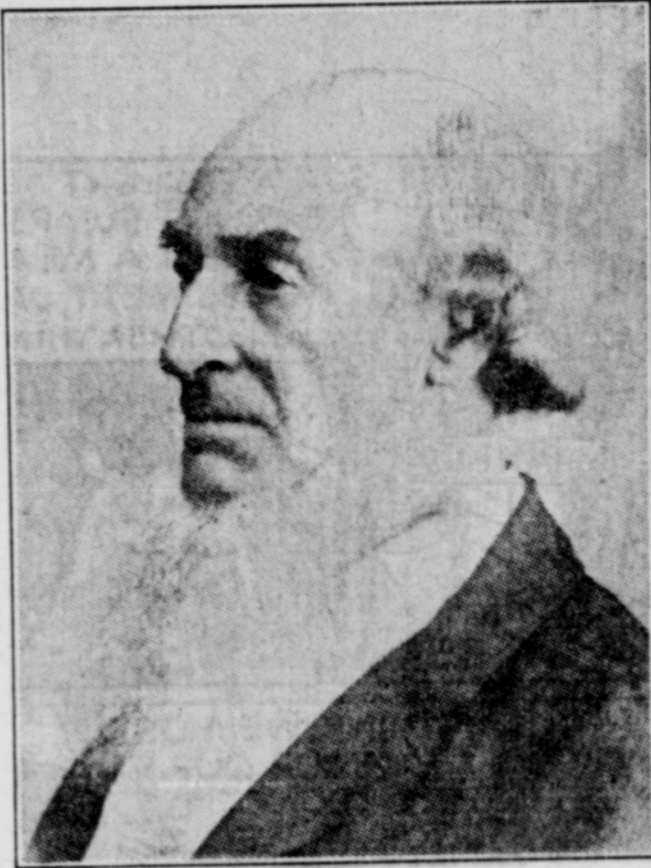
While this battle was going on between Big Foot and Ross, Woolfolk had killed the other Indian. Ross and Woolfolk now rode back to seek their two companions, Bryant and Monroe. They found them sitting beside the dead bodies of two Indians. After congratulating each other over their hard-earned victory, the four white men, slightly injured, rounded up their horses that had

been stolen by the four Indians and returned home. This was a remarkable battle, in that it was decisively fought without the firing of a gun or the shooting of an arrow. The Indians had bows and arrows, as well as guns, but the bowstrings were wet and would not discharge the arrows.

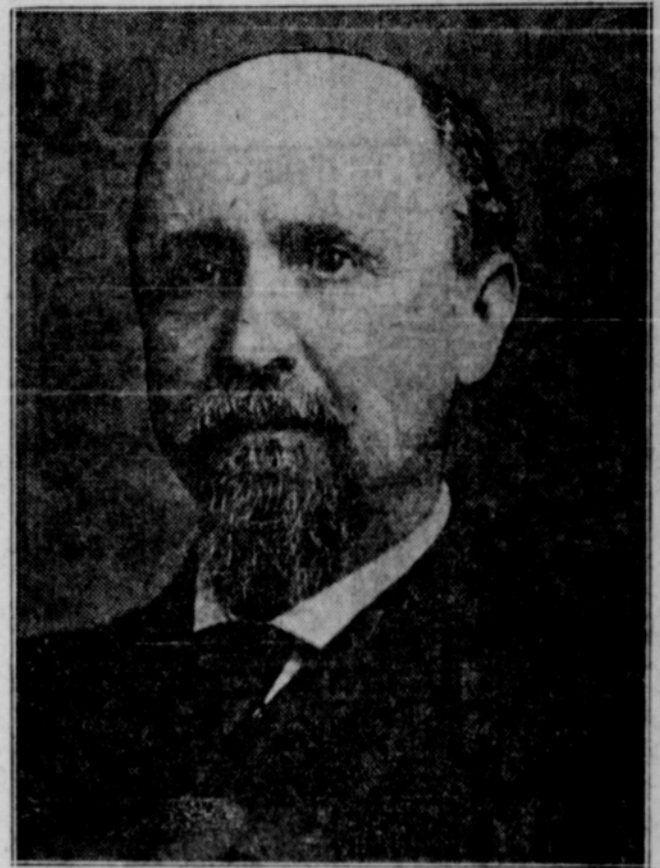
Following the death of Big Foot, there were fewer Indian raids along the Brazos river, in Central Texas. The name, "Big Foot," was given this chief because of his immense moccasin tracks.

The Knife Duel

Captain Ross quickly leaped from his horse, rushed down to the water-hole and placed himself squarely between



S. P. (Shapley) ROSS
Father of Ex-Governor Ross and Captain of Ranger Company.



L. S. (Sul) ROSS
Ex-Governor of Texas and Captain of Ranger Company.

Catching the Rose-Tinted Red-Snapper in Gulf Waters

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WHETHER or not you like to go fishing, you will be interested in this tale of catching the red-snapper, an aristocrat among fishes, that ranges from Long Island to Brazil, but is more abundant in the Gulf of Mexico, along the Mexican coast and the rocky banks of Campeche, off the coast of Yucatan.

At pier 22, Galveston, is a fleet of 14 boats, manned by crews of 9 men each, employed exclusively in catching red-snappers for the markets of the Southwest.

These boats are 70 to 80 feet long, 15 to 20 feet wide, draw 12 feet of water and stand 5 feet above water. They are two-masted, equipped with sails, motors and radios.

The average landlubber may wonder how such small craft can sail the Gulf and survive storms of hurricane force. The answer is they are strongly built, out of the best material, in shipyards at Gloucester, Maine. Storm-tossed waves may completely bury one of these little schooners, but it will nose out of the water and ride safely if handled by experienced sailors.

Main Feeding Grounds

To reach the main feeding grounds of the red-snapper, these little boats must sail across the Gulf of Mexico, 600

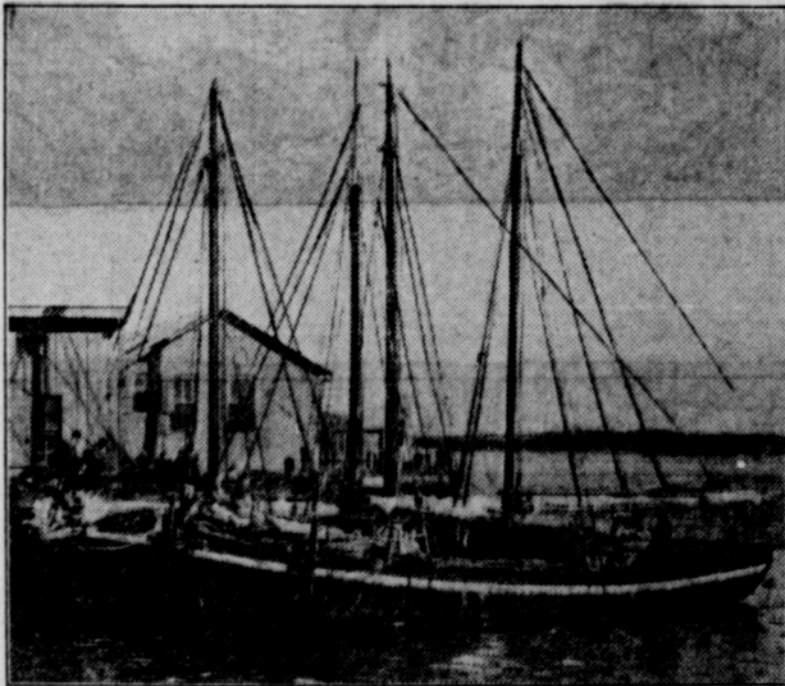
miles, to the Campeche banks, off the coast of Yucatan. The boats carry provisions to last three to four weeks, for it will be that length of time before they return to the port of Galveston. About 2200 pounds of ice is stored in each boat for refrigeration—to keep the fish fresh. Capacity per boat is 60,000 to 75,000 pounds of fish.

It requires skill, strength and patience to catch red-snappers. They lie in ocean depths of from 300 to 600 feet, among coral reefs and rocky clefts. Only live bait, either shrimp or squid, is used in angling for the snapper, which is very choice in the food it eats. At such great depths it is impossible to net these fish, so they are caught with hand line and hook, the line being about one-quarter inch thick and the hooks either a number 4 or number 5. Rose-red in color and streamlined, the red-snapper is a beautiful fish and a game fighter. The average size is about 12 pounds, although they run in sizes from one to 30 pounds.

Hooking a 20-Pounder

Hooking a 20-pound red-snapper at

a depth of 500 feet and pulling it into a boat, including the line and the 3-pound lead sinker, is no job for a flat-



Two schooners of the Red-Snapper Fleet in the Port of Galveston.

chested, flabby-muscled man. The snapper puts up a hard fight when hooked and keeps on fighting until landed, therefore, these fishermen of the red-snapper fleet must be athletes,

with sinews like steel, and endurance to stand up under hours of gruelling work. When a school of snappers is found there is no stop or rest so long as the fish are biting. Like all game fish, snappers are temperamental and may suddenly stop biting all baited hooks. For this reason it is necessary that fishers remain at their posts while the fish bite, with little time off to eat or sleep. But there is adventure in pulling from the deep these rose-tinted snappers, smart to many tricks, one of which is to disentangle the hook, when caught, thereby fooling the angler and escaping back into the ocean's depths.

Testing out the spot where there may be a school of snappers is an important part of a fleet's work. When in the vicinity of feeding grounds a lead with a hole in the bottom, filled with soap, is let down and drawn up soon as it touches bottom. If the lead brings with it sand the fishers know there is not much chance of finding snappers there. Should the lead bring up gravel they make closer observations, perhaps dropping a baited line to see if a nibble follows. Snappers are generally found

among coral reefs and gravelly beds.

Luck Plays a Big Part

Crews making up the snapper fleet are mostly men of experience in catching fish along the Gulf coast waters, yet at times they have no better luck than an ordinary fisherman with pole, cotton line and hook, liver or worm bait. As in all fishing, whether on the banks of Campeche, or on the banks of some small creek, Lady Luck plays the big part. You either catch 'em or you don't catch 'em. The snapper fleet has been known to cruise about for days without catching a pound of fish. Again it will get a break—run smack into a school of snappers, catching from 75,000 to 100,000 pounds in one day.

This tale of red-snapper fishing would be incomplete without a tribute to the boat crews who brave all kinds of weather to bring into port this important food fish. Rovers of the sea, freedmen of the far-flung Gulf shores, these sailor-fishermen (they must be good sailors as well as good fishermen) love their calling, love the salt sea spray and the freshening salt sea gales. If they cannot sail around a storm they face it bravely, with confidence in their craft and skill as seamen to win the battle against wind and wave. They meet the challenge of fate—whether good or bad—doing their part of the world's useful work as a matter of course and without brag or bluster.

Exploring the Stratosphere, a New Frontier of the Air

By DR. LYMAN J. BRIGGS

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A NEW frontier of the upper air, destined to play an increasingly important part in the world of tomorrow, is being opened up by the daring balloonists of today who are exploring the stratosphere.

This frontier of the air already is known to affect our lives in more ways than one, and it will become much more important to us in the future. Perhaps that is the best answer to the question, "why explore the stratosphere?" which doubtless many people asked as they read of stratospheric flights in June or July of the Explorer II, sponsored by the National Geographic Society and the United States Army Air Corps.

Least Explored

The stratosphere is only one part of

the new frontier that lies above our heads, but one of the least explored. It can be thought of as a shell of very thin, cold air, completely surrounding the earth. Over the United States it begins about seven miles above earth, but over the equator it begins at about 10 miles up. The sun shines more brightly in the stratosphere than it ever does on earth, and there are practically no clouds or storms there.

The blanket of air that surrounds our earth is like a roof that shelters a man in a storm. It enables him to live in comfort, but makes it difficult to know what is happening outside. The stratosphere balloon, Explorer II, sought not so much to set an altitude record as to penetrate as far as possible through the earth's "roof" of air, and get a good idea of what lies beyond.

The light of the sun, which makes our

own life possible on earth, can be studied much more accurately from the stratosphere, because much of its light cannot penetrate to the earth through the roof of air. Scientists also are anxious to learn more about the ozone gas that exists somewhere in the upper air, and which is believed to protect us from rays of the sun that might be extremely harmful could they reach us.

Mysterious Cosmic Rays

The mysterious cosmic rays, which are constantly shooting through our bodies like invisible arrows from somewhere out in space, also can be better studied in the stratosphere. They are the most powerful rays known, and if their nature and origin can be fully explained, the past history of the universe and perhaps its future may be better understood.

The weather, important to all of us, provides another reason for exploring the upper air. Winds and air currents all of the way from the earth up to great heights are studied during balloon flights.

Aviation, too, wants to know more about winds of the upper air. Airplanes are flying higher and faster, seeking to take advantage of the prevailing winds at high levels and to get above dangerous clouds and storms.

Flying through the stratosphere is no longer a dream, but a fact. That Wiley Post could hop off the earth at Los Angeles and fly at 25,000 to 35,000 feet at a speed of 300 miles an hour, in his old plane, the "Winnie Mae," with an ordinary but highly supercharged motor, has proved the feasibility of high-altitude transportation.

Startling Developments Expected

For month's people who have been watching events in aviation have felt that something was about to happen which would be the most startling development in the field since Lindbergh spanned the Atlantic in one dramatic swoop. A speed at extreme high altitudes of more than 400 miles an hour can be reached with present equipment, and at that speed the Atlantic could be crossed from New York to Paris in less than ten hours. Eight years ago Lindbergh required thirty-three hours for the same flight.

Winds of the upper air also are carriers of tiny spores of various fungi, some of which cause serious diseases to crops and plants, while others are beneficial or harmless to man. Spores will be hunted in the stratosphere during (Continued on Page 4, Column 5)

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Lobbying and Virgin Islands Investigations Develop Lively Scraps—House "Rebels" Are Tame Concerning TVA Amendments.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

FIFTY thousand dollars was appropriated by the house for investigation by the rules committee of lobbying for and against bills affecting utilities interests.

Representative Rankin of Mississippi declared that Representative O'Connor of New York, chairman of the committee, was unfit to conduct the inquiry because he was antagonistic to the administration.

Already the committee had begun its work, the first witness being Representative Brewster of Maine, who declared Thomas G. Corcoran, New Deal lawyer, had tried to force him to vote for the "death sentence" provision in the utilities bill by threats of stopping work on the Passamaquoddy project.

Corcoran was then put on the stand and denied the main features of Brewster's story, whereupon the Maine congressman shouted, "You're a liar."

Corcoran explained with facility his activities in behalf of the utilities measure. He said he was assigned to help with the original drafting of the bill "through a direct request from the President."

PERHAPS it was the summer heat in Washington; perhaps there was a lot of pressure from the direction of the White House.

To delete a clause saying the TVA must sell power or chemicals at not less than cost after July 1, 1937.

To let the TVA operate without absolute control by the comptroller general over its expenditures.

ONE of the hottest scraps of the year developed between Secretary of the Interior Ickes and Senator Tydings of Maryland over the inquiry into the administration of Gov. Paul M. Pearson in the Virgin Islands.

Federal Judge T. Webster Wilson of the Virgin Islands had given testimony that exasperated Ickes and the secretary denounced that the judge be removed from office for "official misconduct."

Judge Wilson had told the committee that there had been "administrative interference" with his court and that Morris Ernst, counsel for the Civil Liberties union, while a guest of Governor Pearson, had threatened to put him "on the spot" in the press unless he granted a rehearing to a government employee accused of theft.

Tydings accused Secretary Ickes of "gross deceit upon the American people" by stating in an Interior department press release that Paul C. Yates, administrative assistant of Pearson, had been discharged, when "you know and I know that Mr. Yates had re-

signed five days before your press release was issued."

TO PROVIDE quick employment and end the dole, the entire four-billion-dollar works-relief fund must be expended within the next twelve months.

"In order to do it, of course, we are faced by a problem of arithmetic which is comparatively simple. We have four billion dollars and three and one-half million people to put to work with it.

"That has to include the cost of the material, so that the four billion dollars includes not only the amount we pay the men but also the cost of the material. It is a perfectly simple arithmetical problem—we have to work out an average that will come within the sum of money divided by the number of people we have to put to work.

NOBODY who knew Ray Long well was surprised to hear that formerly famous magazine editor had committed suicide at his California home. In late years he had not been very successful in business, his most recent ventures being in the field of scenario writing.

CRITICS of the President's program have made up their minds that he is deliberately building up a "crisis" which will provide excuse for a demand for constitutional amendments in the campaign of 1936.

THE secretary of the treasury appeared before the house ways and means committee which was trying to formulate the new tax bill wanted by the administration, and declared that, depending on the rates of taxation adopted, the measure might bring in as much as \$1,000,000,000 a year or as little as \$118,000,000 annually.

OUR army lost an able and distinguished officer in the death of Maj. Gen. Stuart Heintzelman at the army and navy hospital in Hot Springs, Ark.

NIKOLA TESLA, famed scientist, celebrated his seventy-ninth birthday in New York city by giving out the news of three astonishing developments in the sciences. They are: A new method and apparatus for transmitting mechanical energy over any terrestrial distance.

Passage of an induction current with a varying flux one way only through a circuit without use of a commutator. Proof, after observation of cosmic rays, that many of the propositions of relativity are false.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL McCARL doesn't care where the chips fall when he starts bowing. He has just given an opinion that ruins the President's plan to require bidders on government contracts to bind themselves to abide by any future legislation providing for minimum wages and maximum hours of labor in employment on such contracts.

Secretary of the Navy Claude Swanson has announced that a ship construction program has been decided upon which calls for the construction of 12 destroyers and six submarines.

FLOODS in several eastern states, following torrential rains, took about three score lives and did vast property damage. The Finger lakes and Catskill mountain regions in New York suffered most severely.

Women, before and since Heloise, have taken heart affairs more seriously than men. Margaret Jordan, an Irish girl, lonely, fell in love with a Mount Vernon, N. Y., policeman.

At Fort George Wright, tiny bluebirds built their nest in the mouth of a big cannon, and mother bluebird laid four pretty blue eggs.

In American churches Sunday, August 18, will be a day of prayer for peace in Africa and safety for little Ethiopia, which confronts war with powerful Italy.

There is the right United States interference in foreign affairs. The prayers will reach their destination, and the Supreme Being to whom they are addressed knows what is best, and has power to arrange matters in Ethiopia as he chooses.

To send a million young American men, and several thousand million American dollars, to meddle in hot Africa would be wrong.

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BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Big War or Little? LaGuardia's G-Men She Took It Seriously Pretty Bluebirds

War is not coming; it is here. It may or may not be a war "setting the world on fire."



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Washington Digest National Topics Interpreted by William Bruckart

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Washington.—Back in 1916 before the United States became involved in the World War our government had a national debt which was regarded as large at that time.

On the first of July, 1935, the treasury started a new set of books. This represented the beginning of a new financial year for the government.

When the treasury closed the fiscal year books on June 30 and counted the cost of the preceding 12 months of government it was found that there had been expended roughly \$7,300,000,000. In the same period it had collected through income and other forms of taxes, including duties laid at the customs houses, a total of approximately \$3,500,000,000.

There is bred these questions: How long can the federal government continue to spend money like water and thus increase its public debt, and how long will the American people continue to permit expenditures by their government in excess of the revenues it collects?

They are related questions. Neither can happen without the other. But it seems to me that the time has come for taxpayers and voters generally to take note of the condition of the government's finances.

Mr. Roosevelt justifies these heavy outlays under the necessities of an emergency. He contends that when prosperity returns and business is normal, citizens will pay their taxes without complaint and that these taxes will be sufficiently large in their total production to whittle down the gigantic outstanding debt.

Careful analysis of government finances in the last 12 months shows that federal revenues were sufficient to cover what Mr. Roosevelt charges.

He means by that the expenses of the regular establishments of government and excludes all of the so-called emergency agencies, of which there are now some sixty-odd. This condition reveals that federal taxes are about the only item in governmental affairs or in private business that have completely recovered from depression effects.

I mentioned earlier a comparison of the public debt now and in 1916. Let us take another date, namely, 1919. At that time the outstanding debt was \$25,594,000,000. The annual interest charge on that debt was just short of one billion dollars.

This seems almost paradoxical but the answer lies in the interest rate the government is paying. In 1921 the average rate of interest calculated on all different types of government securities outstanding was 4.34 per cent. At the present time it is less than 3 per cent.

It is that undoubtedly there will be no reference in either investigation to the tremendous activity carried on by the American Federation of Labor lobbyists or the lobbyists for the American Legion or the lobbyists for certain groups such as the pacifists or the radical supporters of Russian types of government.

So the investigation of lobbying is to be started by a house committee and it will be broader than just the public utility lobbyist. If the undercurrent of information proves to be correct, administration representatives who have frequented the house chambers during consideration of the holding company bill will be placed on the witness stand to tell their story.

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its bonds and notes at much reduced interest.

On the one hand, therefore, the Roosevelt administration has run up the public debt by about \$3,000,000,000 but has succeeded in actually reducing the carrying charge of this great debt structure by more than \$100,000,000 per year.

One of the interesting things that often occurs in government affairs is the explosive effect of a single incident.

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County Agent News
ROSS B. JENKINS
County Agent

NEW COTTON RULINGS

At a meeting of Assistants on Cotton Adjustments and the County Agents at Eastland Tuesday, July 16 many new rulings designed to speed up the issuance of exemption certificates and also means of finishing 1935 compliances were given. The meeting was called to order by T. B. Woods, District Agent No. 3.

Some of the highlights of the meeting include new method of disposing of surplus certificates this fall. They will be sold only through the office of the county agent and before the eyes of the Adjustment Assistant. The certificates will be sold at 5 cents per pound and the Assistant must see the money, checks, or bonds paid before surrendering the certificates. No bartering will be allowed by the government. The certificates will not be transferred but new ones will be issued in the place of the old ones.

Persons who have a certain base acreage established by the past cotton history will receive certificates on about 65 per cent of that acreage provided they plant 40 per cent of same this year before it is measured by the supervisor. Those who plant less than 40 per cent will be given certificates on the actual number of acres planted at a yield of one and one-half their adjusted yield as certified to by the county committee.

Persons who have planted no cotton this year will not receive bale exemptions even though they have a base.

It is not permitted to transfer the base of one contract to another; that is, each contract is only allowed its assigned quota. Producers cannot have one farm under contract and farm other land not under a contract, unless it is signed under a non-participating agreement, without violating the voluntary contract.

Exemption certificates are expected far in advance of any ginning needs this year. Callahan has a notice today that all her contracts are in at the State Review Board and will be ready for issuance as soon as the counties in South Texas have been given theirs since cotton is open there now.

COURT RULING

Some people are deeply concerned when the papers announce that certain of the New Deal legislation is found to be unconstitutional. Such has been going every since the Congress began enacting laws, but at this time it concerns the farmer therefore the future of the farm programs. Not long ago one of the courts upheld

provisions of the processing tax, today another court disagreed in a decision of 2-1. That will enable the government to get the case brought before the Supreme Court probably by Christmas. The government wants to know definitely if the processing tax are to stand up or shall some other plan be advanced to pay the farmers benefit checks as the Congress is agreed that the farmers are going to be given Federal Aid in the control of crops. Bankhead votes of 8 to 1; Corn-Hog votes of 7 to 1; Tobacco votes 20 to 1; Wheat votes of 8 to 1; all go to show the Congress that the farmers are awake to their needs and will be demanding equal protection that has been given the manufacturing interest.

All benefit checks are from contracts with the government and will be paid regardless of whether from the processing tax, an inheritance tax or from a direct appropriation from the government. Just now all benefit checks are paid from the processing tax.

The Senate has just agreed to continue the Bankhead law for another year and that the AAA will go along side by side. There are errors that will necessarily be ironed out but the AAA is accepted by all parties as one of the best laws ever to be made for the farmer. Naturally it has opposition from the cotton handlers, the wheat handlers, and the packers as



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Mrs. Corrie Driskill, Mgr.

each separate group derives profit from large and cheap supplies of the farmers raw materials. But farmers are not going to be hoodwinked by such poppycock as loss of foreign markets and an increase of unemployment when foreign markets will pay out 5 cents for cotton, 25 cents for wheat and 3 1-2 cents for pork not to mention 20 cent corn and 8 cent oats. They instead ask the question if such prices didn't become real before the government started to control crops and thereby raise the price to where it is now. Farmers won't soon forget the lessons learned in 1932 when prosperity was just around the corner. It was around the corner, but took the wise leadership of Roosevelt and a determined and inspired Congress to withstand the assaults of the mighty monied interest to turn the corner. Now that the farmers have slipped back stage and have found out some of the secrets of the dressing room,

they want to see more, and wise observers say they are to get more and more attention from now on as they have proven to themselves that they can profit from cooperating with one another and with the government. Manufactures all over the world have long known that the supply governs the price and have controlled the supply. When automobiles were found to lessen in sale a lack in production was seen. The price fell very little. When plow tools were not bought the factories shut off production but the price remained about constant. When the price of farm products fell off the farmer doubled the yield to try to get the same volume of money but instead of the same money for the twice the same supply they got even less and stopped the wheels of all industry with the burdensome surplus. The reason the AAA is so popular is that it is based on the time honored

principles that are used in every major industry of the world; that is control the supply to the demand. This is reflected in an advertisement of a large rubber concern placed on the writers desk this morning which says, "As you may know, the British and Dutch rubber growers have cut rubber production 30 per cent for the remainder of this year, and as a result of this, rubber prices have advanced 20 per cent in just the past few days, but we anticipated this". The rubber people control supply and raised the price 20 per cent in a few days, but the government is criticized if it raises the price of cotton 100 per cent or wheat 150 per cent, or hogs 200 per cent by the same methods. The difference is that the government works for all the people, while special selfish interests profit under the old order, and people pay bills that pile up fortunes for the oil, electric, packing, cotton and other corporate interest.

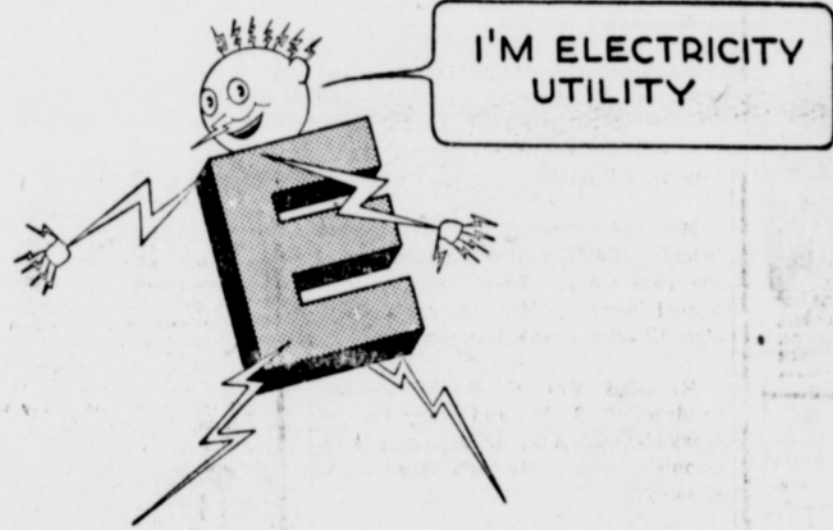
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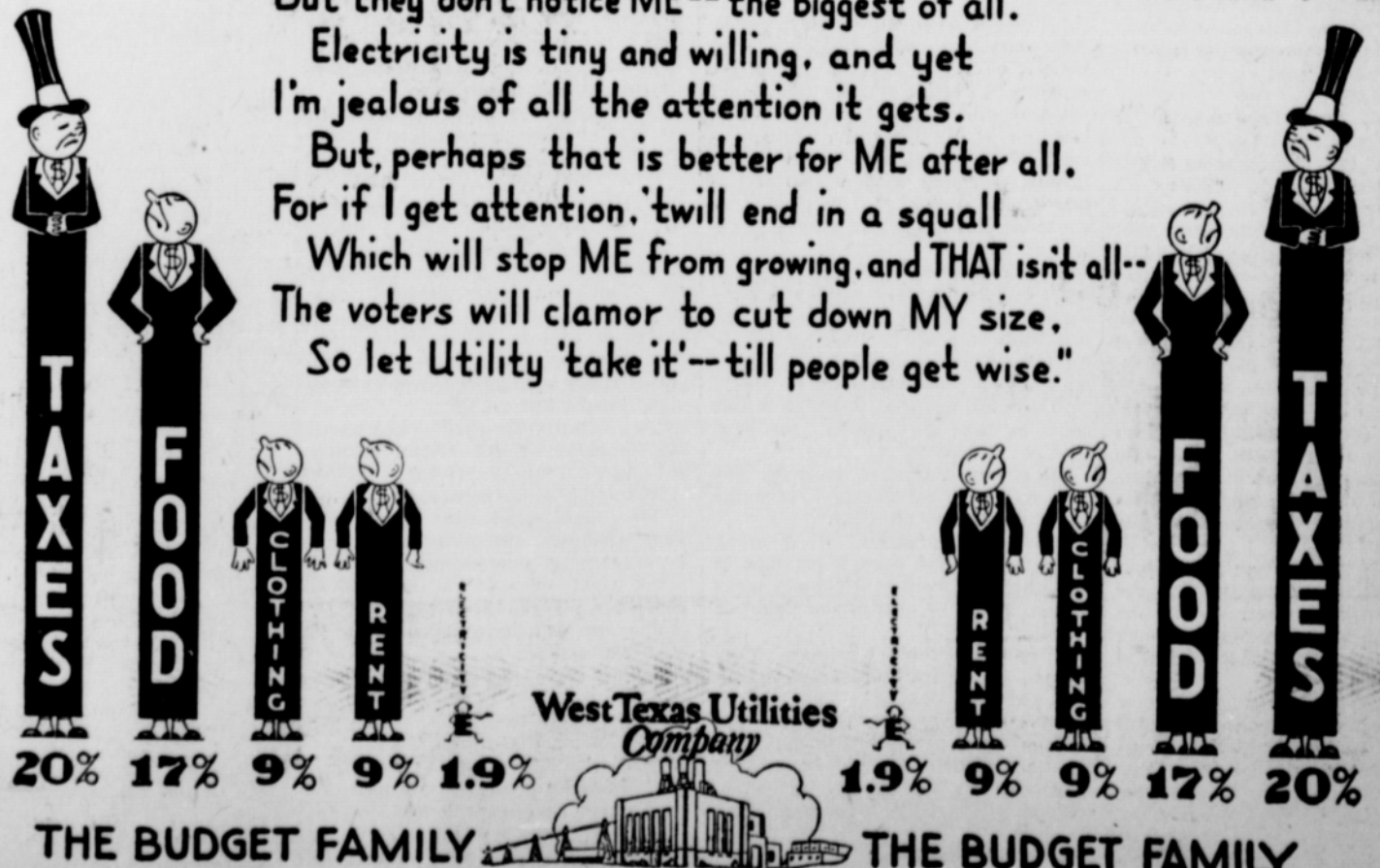
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PERSONALS

Miss Geraldine Fulton of Lubbock, is visiting her cousin, Helen Fulton this week.

Mrs. Ross B. Jenkins and children have returned from a visit with relatives in DeLeon.

M. and Mrs. Chris Blakley of Santa Anna are visiting relatives in Baird and Belle Plain.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray left Saturday for a trip to Monterey, Mexico.

Miss Ellen Louise and Vivian Nunnally returned Sunday from a weeks visit with friends in Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones returned Friday from a trip to Monterey, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tollett, who have been visiting here for some time left Sunday for California.

Charlie Frank Lambert left Sunday for California where he will spend several months.

Deputy Sheriff, C. R. Nordyke of Baird, and Fred Short of Putnam, spent Monday in Fort Worth on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvy, Jr., and children of Stamford spent the past week end with Mrs. Ogilvy's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowlus.

Raymond, W. Foy, advertising manager of the Dallas News, spent the past week end with his mother, Mrs. H. F. Foy and family.

M. and Mrs. Keith Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson and family attended a family picnic at Lake Cisco Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimmel of Cisco, spent Sunday in Baird visiting relatives and attending services at the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCowen and little daughter, Shirley and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maxfield of Itasca, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haynie Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Duncan of Wichita Falls visited relatives here the past week. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Duncan's sister Mrs. Charlie Frank Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dennis and children, C. B. Jr., and Mary Lou of Marked-Tree, Ark, are visiting Mrs. Dennis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Beasley.

Miss Sarah Beth Hall of Wichita Falls is the guest of Miss Beatrice Hickman. Misses Hickman and Hall who are students in Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, spent Tuesday in that city visiting friends.

Mrs. Hal Ramsey and children, Juanita and Hal Jr., who have been visiting Mrs. Ramsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowlus for several weeks, have returned to their home at McAllen.

Clyde News

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fuller and son, Leonard Jr., of Arkansas City, Kansas and Mrs. Fullers' Nephew Martin Terrell, of Little Rock, Ark., returned to their home after a visit with their aunt, Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Brother Keith Fuller.

Mrs. George Perry has returned to her home in Santa Monica, California after a visit of several weeks with friends in Baird. Mrs. Perry ordered The Star to bring the news of Baird each week.

The Star is indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Nolia Smartt of Admiral, for a basket of fresh vegetables from their garden, also Mrs. Willis Tatum for fresh beans and Mrs. W. H. Berry for fresh roastingears.

Miss Myrtle Boydston left Sunday for a visit with relatives at Rockwall and Tiago. Mrs. Corrine Driskill has taken Miss Boydston's place as sales lady in W. D. Boydston store during her absence. B. L. Boydston accompanied his sister to Rockwall.

Little Misses Jo Ann and Mary Lou Hamlett, daughters of Dr. and Mrs Earl Hamlett, of Memphis, Tennessee are visiting their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Hamlett. Dr. and Mrs Hamlett accompanied their little daughters to Baird and after a few days visit returned home via Fayetteville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bains and daughters, Miss Lorena, Nellie Mae and Lillie Frances, of Oplin, were in Baird Monday. Miss Lorena who is a nurse in the Lubbock hospital is visiting her parents for a week or so. She was accompanied home by Miss Irma Dell of Slaton and Miss Margaret Houston of Lubbock. Mr. Bains and family returned a year or so ago from Lubbock where they lived for ten years are now living on Mr. Bains father's farm near Oplin. Mr. Bains says he has a fine feed and cotton crop.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Dodson are the proud parents of a son, born Sunday. Mrs. Dodson will be remembered by her many friends as Miss Oliver Cassaux. Dr. and Mrs. Dodson are making their home in El Paso.

Mrs. C. W. Cowden and small son are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Perkins spent a few days last week in Mineral Wells where they stopped at the Crazy Hotel.

Fred Stevens of Fort Worth is here for a visit with his mother.

Eldon Keele who has been employed in a department store in Houston is spending a few days with his parents and plans to go from here to Calif.

FORT WORTH STAR TELEGRAM—Delivered twice daily, Morning, evening, Sunday, Tom Warren, Agent.

WANTED—Will work for our board. Good cook, middle aged lady and boy 12 years of age. Address, Mrs. Alma Mayes, Rt. 1, Baird, Texas. 32-tf

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In The United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, Abilene Division Fred B. Cable, Receiver of the Clyde National Bank of Clyde, Callahan County Texas.—Plaintiff Versus—G. M. Thaxton Et Al Defendants.

No. 836, In Equity Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a final order and decree made and entered by the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, Abilene Division, at Abilene, Texas, on and dated April 11, A. D. 1935, in a cause then pending in that Court and entitled upon its docket "Fred B. Cable, Receiver of the Clyde National Bank, of Clyde, Callahan County, Texas, Plaintiff, versus G. M. Thaxton et al, Defendants, No. 836, In Equity", I, William E. Hawkins, of Abilene, Texas, who in and by said order and decree was appointed to be the Special Commissioner to make and who thereby was authorized and directed to make the therein ordered sale of the herein after described real estate, and to report such sale to said Court for confirmation, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder therefor, for cash, in the City of Baird, at the door of the County Court House of Callahan County, Texas, at which public sale of real estate under Execution, or-and under Deeds of Trust, usually and customarily are made, and between the hours of ten (10) o'clock A. M. and four (4) o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, August Sixth (6th) A. D. 1935, that being the first Tuesday in said month of August, the assets and real estate described in said order and decree of said court and thereby ordered sold; said real estate being situated in the County of Callahan and State of Texas, and being in four separate tracts, which, respectively, are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First Tract: Being all of the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of the B B B & C R R Co. Survey No. 127, containing forty acres, more or less.

Second Tract: Being an undivided one third interest in and to the east three fourths of the certain 230 1-2 acre tract of land conveyed to G. M. Thaxton, M. D. Thaxton and E. C. Thaxton by Mary Louise Thaxton and others by deed dated February 26, 1927, said 230 1-2 acres tract being a part of the certain 240 acres of land conveyed to M. C. Thaxton by A. J. Mathis and wife by deed recorded in Book 28, page 544 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, said land being a part of the B B B & C R R Survey No. 47.

Third Tract: Being an undivided one seventh interest in and to eight and one half acres of the Northwest quarter of the B B B & C R R Co. Survey No. 75 conveyed to M. C. Thaxton by C. R. Brock by deed dated July 1, 1911, recorded in Vol. 46, page 398, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

Fourth Tract: Being an undivided one seventh interest in and to all of Fractional Block No. 21 in the town of Clyde as laid down and described on the official map of said town, a copy of which is of record in Book N, page 641, Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, and two acres of land, more or less, out of the Southwest quarter of the B B B & C R R Co. Survey No. 66, said fractional block and two-acre tract being the same land described in deed from E. W. Dizard and wife to Mary C. Thaxton dated December 22, 1913, recorded in Vol. 52, page 577, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

All of the foregoing tracts of land are the same lands which were conveyed in Deed of Trust dated June 1, 1928, recorded in Book 20, page 247, of the Deed of Trust Records of Callahan Co., Texas, and are the same lands which were conveyed in Deed of Trust dated October 28, 1929, recorded in Deed of Trust records of Callahan County, Texas, in Vol. 21, page 116.

In pursuance of the terms and provisions of said order and decree of said Court, said sale of said real estate will be made by me subject to confirmation by said Court; and, duly and seasonably, such sale will be reported by me to that Court for confirmation.

Additionally, public notice of such proposed sale of said real estate, at the time and place and on the terms and conditions herein above stated and shown, is being given by me by posting a true and correct copy hereof at each of three public places in Callahan County, Texas, (one such notice being posted on the Bulletin Board in said County Court House and no two of said notices being posted in the same city or town) for at least twenty one (21) days immediately preceding said sixth day of August, A. D. 1935, and all such postings of said notices of such sale are being made at places and in manner and form and for the length and period of time prescribed by the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas for sales of real estate under execution.

For further and full particulars in the premises and regarding such public sale, (including a description of said real-estate to be so sold, and the terms and conditions of such sale) intending or-and contemplated purchasers at such sale hereby are referred to said order and decree of sale, as the same appears in the files and in the minutes of said Court, now in the office of Clerk of said Court, in the City of Abilene, in Taylor County, Texas.

WILLIAM E. HAWKINS, Special Commissioner. Dated July 2, 1935.

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All school patrons desiring to transfer their children to another district in the county, or to an adjacent district in an adjoining county should make written applications to the County Superintendent prior to Aug. 1st.

Under a new ruling of the State Superintendent, all applications for transfers must be forwarded to Austin and must be signed by the parent or guardian of the transferred children. Transfer blanks may be secured from the office of the County Supt. for this purpose.

B. C. CHRISMAN, County Superintendent.

Transfer Notice!

All parents living out of Baird Independent School District who expect to send their children to school in Baird next fall, will please see that transfers are made before August 1st. The law does not provide for transfers after that date.

J. F. BOREN, Superintendent, Baird Schools.

MRS. CLARA STONE HOSTESS TO TECUMSEH DEM. CLUB

The Tecumseh H D Club met in the home of Mrs. Clara Stone Monday, July 15. Miss Vida Moore was to have attended this meeting but was unable to attend.

We had an attendance of 19 members; three new members were enrolled. Two visitors, Mrs. Anne Bell Foster and Miss Evelyn Windham were present at the meeting.

Two of our members, Mrs. Jewel Barton and Mrs. Callie Windham, who were badly burned last Tuesday when a can of corn exploded, were reported recovering from their burns nicely.

The club will meet in the home of Mrs. Hazel Crawford Monday, Aug. 5 from 2 to 4 p m

The previous meeting of the club was held at the home of Mrs. Alice Nichols on July 1st. The afternoon was spent in cutting patterns. Twelve members were present at this meeting, also three visitors, Mrs. Doris Wilson, Annie Lee Harrison and Mrs. Walter Fowler.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all for their kindness to us in the long illness and death of our loved one J. L. Taylor. We

especially wish to thank Dr. Rumph and Mrs. V. Voschelle, who so faithfully attended him, Sincerely,

Mrs. J. L. Taylor, L. N. Taylor and family, Mrs. Vernie Crawford and family, Mrs. Vera Tollett, Miss Ethel Taylor, Clifford Taylor, Beaul Taylor.

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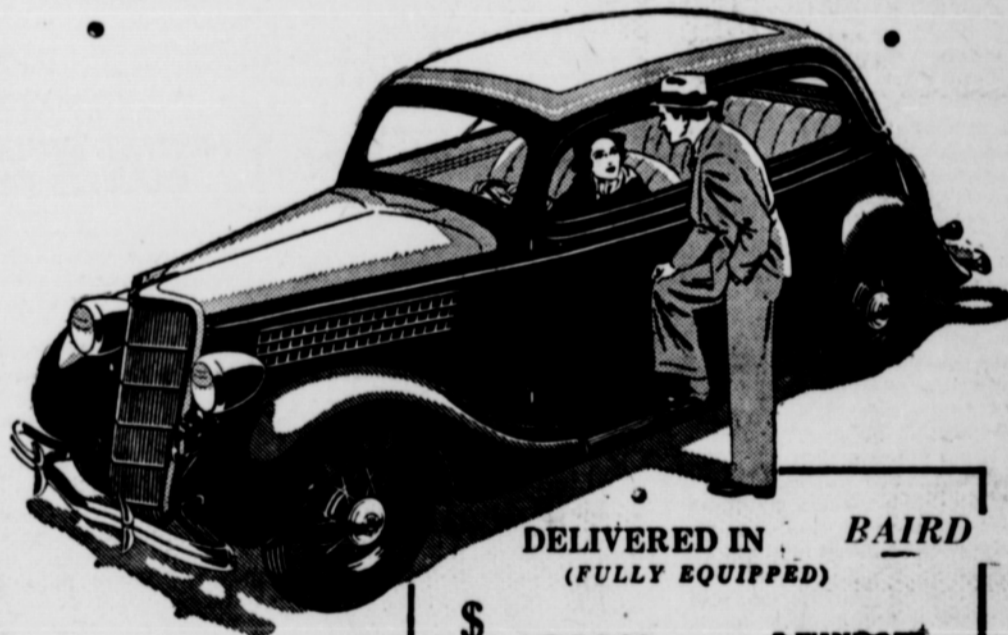
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TEXAS FARM REPORTS

Cash income from the East Texas tomato crop for the 1935 season is estimated around \$2,000,000.

More than 1,000 acres of vegetables have been planted in the Blackwater Valley irrigated district, near Muleshoe, Bailey county. The potato crop is reported especially promising.

"Second Monday Trade Day" has been inaugurated at Stamford. A free auction, with farmers and merchants co-operating, will be a feature of each Trade Day.

A fashion show and dress contest featured the Wharton County Home Demonstration Clubs "Rally Day," held in June at the Wharton County Fair Grounds. Three hundred club members attended.

East Texas farmers and business men are watching the soil conservation service project at Lindale. The attendance record for one day was 311, this number attending in parties from Shelby, Titus and Wood counties.

Citrus growers in the Rio Grande Valley may extend grapefruit trade agreements between the United States and Sweden. Grapefruit, which had been subject to an import duty, goes on the free list. Texas grapefruit is gaining in demand in a number of European countries.

Sudan grass seed is being imported from Argentina, Australia, Hungary, Morocco and South Africa to make up a shortage of approximately 7,000,000 pounds in the United States, caused by the 1934 drought. Many Texas farmers recognize the value of Sudan grass as a temporary hay and pasture crop.

The Arbor community home demonstration club, in Houston county, sponsored building of a relief canning center at small expense. Twenty men gave their labor, lumber was donated and only \$16 in cash expended. The club supplied six dollars worth of materials for the canning work.

The Rio Grande Valley has had 10,534 new farms placed in operation in the past five years, according to figures of the United States census bureau. There now are 19,954 farms operating in Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy and Starr counties, compared with 9,420 in 1930. Hidalgo county led the list, increasing from 4,321 farms in 1930 to 9,885 in 1935.

Doreen Parker, garden demonstrator for the Huffman Girls' 4-H Club, Harris county, planted 1700 feet of starchy vegetables, 2000 feet of leafy vegetables, 500 feet of tomatoes and 1370 feet of miscellaneous vegetables, for a cash outlay of only \$1.20 by saving seed from her 1934 garden. She harvested, approximately, a ton of fresh vegetables, canned 104 containers and sold more than enough vegetables to repay the cash expenditure.

Bag worms, which attack cedar trees, especially should be fought at their first appearance, according to authorities on tree pests. The worms are small, encased in small bags, which they drag about with them as they devour tree foliage. The worms extend their bodies partially from the bags while feeding and may be destroyed easily while young with an arsenic spray. Lead arsenate or arsenate of lime in proportions of two pounds of either to 50 gallons of water is recommended for a spray, which should be applied with force.

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The North Texas onion growers held their inaugural harvest festival in Chihuahua, Mexico, were sent to Brownfield for feeding. Marketing of the fattened cattle will continue through the summer. First sales of around 3,000 head averaged more than \$70 per head.

Ector and Andrews counties have 5,000 less ravens than they had a few weeks ago, thanks to a new type of cage trap, says H. L. Atkins, county agricultural agent. The traps are home built, easily moved and will last for several years, according to Atkins.

Approximately 20 families have been located on farms in Howard county under the rural rehabilitation program. Families are being allotted approximately 35 acres of land and are furnished a horse, cow, pigs and chickens and necessary farming implements. Leases are being made for five years.

Williamson county will have an immense feed crop this year from land formerly planted to cotton, according to D. W. Brown, county agent. Many farmers are planning to store this feed in trench silos for winter feeding. The county agent's office is offering bulletins containing detail instructions on constructing and filling trench silos.

W. P. Moody, who has farmed near Paradise, Wise county, for 38 years, hasn't bought seed corn for 24 years, and only once in that time—last year—has he had to buy corn for feed. Moody's 1935 corn crop, he says, will yield about 20 bushels to the acre. L. P. Moody, also of the Paradise community, says he will have the best orchard crop in four years, his plum and peach trees being loaded with fruit.

Home and community garden programs under the Texas Relief Commission embrace 76,891 home gardens for which seed was furnished and 171 community gardens operated by relief administrations in 82 counties. Home gardens are operated by individual clients and their families and as much of the produce as can be consumed in the fresh state goes direct to the family table. All surpluses may be taken to the nearest State relief commission canning plant where they will be processed on a toll basis. Sixty per cent is retained by the commission for distribution to relief clients through surplus commodities depots, and 40 per cent is retained by the producer clients. Community gardens will distribute as much produce in the fresh state as possible and will can the remainder. More than 500 plants will be operated during the canning season.

C. M. Caldwell of Abilene has bought the "30" brand, 5,000 head of cattle and leases on 41,000 acres in two tracts, in Taylor and Shackelford counties, from the B. S. Walker estate. Caldwell and the late Breck S. Walker, of Breckenridge and Fort Worth, were partners in various enterprises for many years until Walker's death six years ago. Cattle bought included 1,000 head of registered stock, among them two bulls for which the Walker estate paid \$5,000 and \$2,200, respectively. Guy Caldwell and Lack Beckham, son and son-in-law of C. M. Caldwell, are associated in the sale and will manage the properties.

First 1935 carload of new Texas wheat received in the Fort Worth market was grown by J. E. Suggs of Munday. The wheat was No. 2 hard and tested 58.7 pounds.

Mary Louise Revier, of Carlisle girls' 4-H club, won the A. & M. short course trip offered by the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce. The prize was won by Mary Louise's bedroom improvement work.

Pauline Arnst of the Sam Fernando Home Demonstration Club, Kleberg county, bought clothes for herself and her sister, paid for their music lessons, and bought shrubs for improvement of their home yard from the sale of canned chicken.

Old tin cans were used by one Williamson county garden demonstrator for sub-irrigation, because concrete for tile meant paying cash. The cans take more work in laying and do not last as long as concrete, but are better than no irrigation, according to the experimenter.

Texas ranks first in the South and is eighth in 37 States reporting commercial production of cheese, according to H. L. Wilson, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. Wilson, who is a cheese specialist for the bureau of dairying, has been in Texas on a trip of inspection. Annual cheese production in Texas from 14 commercial plants amounted approximately to 8,000,000 pounds.

A machine to destroy weevil infestation in grains and lentils has been patented by R. R. Reppert, entomologist for the Texas Extension Service, College Station. The inventor expects to build small machines to enable farmers to treat their own products so that they may be stored without loss. An experimental machine has been in use for two years by the Texas prison system, and has enabled the system to store peas and beans produced on the prison farms without serious loss.

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Twenty-six Lampasas public school students have formed a 4-H club, starting work on feeding calves, lambs and poultry during the summer. Snyder had a two-day hickory school in June. M. K. Thornton, leather specialist of the A. & M. Extension Service, conducted the school and demonstrations.

Collis Bouldin, Gonzales county, says his 150 acres of terraces paid in full during one day's rain, when the precipitation amounted to seven inches, half of it in less than one hour. Without terracing, he says, his whole crop would have been carried off by erosion.

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