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COUNTY'S APRIL R. F. C. QUOTO

Judge J. H. Carpenter, county judge of Callahan county and County Commissioners J. W. Hammons, S. S. Harville, E. C. Bray and G. H. Clifton and Judge B. L. Russell attended an all day conference of the R. F. C. held in Abilene Saturday of last week.

County officials and others working with this relief program from 44 West Texas counties were present at this conference with J. J. Boley, newly appointed fieldman for this area, presiding.

The discussion mainly was along procedure lines, Boley giving the group instructions about getting up their forms, making their applications for allotments, and keeping financial records. He said April allotments, already approved, are the same for all counties as March.

Callahan County received \$3,000.00 for March—the amount being divided equally between the four precincts.

Prior to April 1 county RFC committees were using trucks and teams in their work projects, but those are now out, Boley said. If they are used at all, it must be at expense of local bodies.

Committeemen present didn't like that. On motion of Judge B. L. Russell, of Baird, they unanimously passed a resolution asking the RFC to allow continuance of teams, at a cost not to exceed 20 per cent of the job payroll.

Dan Collie Made Senate Mascot

Austin, April 10th.—By Senate resolution, Dan Collie, three year old son of Senator Collie, was made a special page to his father April 5th, the birthday of Senator Collie, the youngest member of the Senate. Dan was further designated "Regular Mascot of the Senate." The resolution was sent up by Senator Pace of Tyler and Senator Beck of DeKalb, and came as a complete surprise to the Senator from Eastland. Mrs. Collie, Dan and Kathleen, age 6, had been given advance information of the plan and were present for the occasion. After the resolution was read and adopted unanimously, young Dan was escorted to the platform and presented by Lieutenant-Governor Witt. He responded by waving a flag presented him by Senators, amid applause from the floor and gallery.

7th Grade Pupils Have 'Hobo' Picnic

The Grammar School Seventh Grade Pupils observed last Friday as 'Hobo Day' in the afternoon the party chaperoned by their teacher, Miss De Spain and the room mothers, Mrs. Lee Estes and Mrs. Larmer Henry, went to Pecan Grove in the Bell pasture for a picnic.

GRIGGS HOSPITAL

Voyde Kemper, 17, son of George Kemper of the Enterprise community who was operated on for appendicitis Saturday night is doing nicely.

Preston Clark, of Eula, who was operated on for ruptured appendix Tuesday night, is reported in a serious condition.

Miss Mary Darby was a minor surgical patient Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Hall entered the hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Royce Gilliland was a tonsilectomy patient yesterday.

Mrs. Ray Hickman, who has been a patient for the past two weeks following an operation for appendicitis was moved to the home of her sister, Mrs. Stella Green Tuesday. Mrs. Hickman is doing nicely.

Ted Ivey, who has been a patient for the past twelve days following an operation for appendicitis, is doing nicely, and was carried home Tuesday. Shelby Harville, son of S. S. Harville of Oplin, who was severely burned Sunday a week ago, is improving and was carried to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Harp, Tuesday.

Commissioner's Court In Regular Session

The Commissioner's Court of Callahan County met in regular quarterly session Monday with all officers present, namely: Judge J. H. Carpenter, Commissioners J. W. Hammons, S. S. Harville, C. E. Bray and G. H. Clifton and S. E. Settle, county clerk. The court canvassed the election returns of the elections for school trustees held on April 1st. The result of this election will be published later. The Court passed an order that two county warrants for the sum of \$1,000.00 which were issued in 1930 and which were never sold or passed into the hands of a purchaser, be destroyed and the sum of \$2,000.00 be restored to the credit of the county.

Friends Shower Mrs. Chappell And Mrs. Allphin

Friends of Mrs. George Chappell and Mrs. Irvin Allphin whose homes were destroyed by fire on Wednesday and Thursday of last week, honored them with miscellaneous showers.

The shower for Mrs. Chappell was given at the home of Mrs. Lonnie Ray on last Friday afternoon, where many friends gathered bringing beautiful and useful gifts for Mrs. Chappell. The shower for Mrs. Allphin was given at the home of Mrs. L. B. Lewis Saturday afternoon. Many friends were present and Mrs. Allphin was the recipient of many nice gifts.

Crop Production Loans

H. L. Johnston, field supervisor of the Crop Production Loans for Callahan County was here yesterday on his weekly conference with the local committee.

Mr. Johnston informs us that 143 applicants have been sent in to the Dallas office for approval and that a number was being sent in yesterday.

Mr. Johnston asked The Star to again remind those wishing to make application for loans, that their Application Must Be Made so as to Be In The Dallas Office April 30th. The Last Day Applications Will Be Received.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. F. L. Crisman, of Clyde, honored her little granddaughter, Geneva Faye daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dunlap of Baird, with a birthday party on Saturday, April 8th, the little girl being one year old on that date.

Ice cream and cake was served to the following: Bartley Wayne Chisman, J. W. Sikes, Elizabeth Holley, Willie Nell Armstrong, Letha Doris Eager, Lyndon Keiler, Geneva Emerson, Neta Cotton, Mary Skort, Allen Earle Armstrong all of Clyde; Lavetta Barnhill, Raynell and Willie Martha Miller, of Baird, and the little honoree. Other guests were Misses Susie and Ruby Barr, Mesdames A. Chrisman, Holly, Brewer, Thompson, Eager, Franks, Wristen, Barnhill, Searcy, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dunlap and the hostess, Mrs. F. L. Crisman.

Five Injured In Auto Collision

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McIntosh and little son, F. O. Dunlap and M. D. McElroy were injured Wednesday about noon when the McIntosh car and a truck driven by McElroy and Dunlap had a head-on collision on a sharp curve out in the Hatchett oil field during the severe sand storm which raged Wednesday, the dust being so dense at times you could see only a short distance, and it was this which caused the wreck.

The injured were all brought to the Griggs hospital for treatment. Mrs. McIntosh suffered the most severe injuries, she having sustained a badly injured ankle, the ligaments being torn loose and also painful bruises about the body. The little boy who is recovering from a recent operation for mastoid trouble received a painful scalp wound. Mr. McIntosh was bruised about the body. Mr. McElroy who was driving the truck, has a badly sprained forearm and Mr. Dunlap a lacerated lip. The McIntosh car was badly wrecked.

Mrs. Keith Fuller Honored With Shower

Mrs. R. F. Jones and Mrs. Harold Ray entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Jones Friday afternoon of last week, honoring Mrs. Keith Fuller, nee Miss Carmen Haley, whose marriage was announced a few days ago.

Some forty or more guests were present and the honoree was presented with many beautiful gifts.

REBEKAH'S SEW FOR ORPHAN'S HOME

The Rebecca Ladies met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Johnson on Thursday of last week to sew for the Orphan's Home, making two quilts for the home that afternoon.

Mrs. Johnson served cake and punch to the following ladies: Mesdames Wm. Kehrer, O. B. Jarrett, Sam Black, L. A. Beasley, S. I. Smith, Lorena Price, Chas. Kimmel, Bob Swinson and several others whose names the reporter did not get.

Methodist Revival

The Revival Meeting which has been in progress at the Methodist church since Sunday, April 2nd is creating a wide-spread interest and large crowds are attending each service.

Dr. Griswold, the pastor, is conducting the meeting, assisted by Rev. Jimmy Culpeper, of Putnam, who is a young man of wonderful ability and his sermons are listened to with interest. Rev. Culpeper is a son of the well known Evangelist, Burt Culpeper who held a meeting here a few years ago at which time young Culpeper spent several days here assisting his father.

A number of conversions have been reported. Mrs. H. H. Shaw is directing the singing which is especially good and adds a great deal to the interest in the meeting.

Bear Facts Staff Gives Banquet

Last Friday evening the staff of the Bear Facts, Baird High School newspaper, was host to the guests of the Bear Facts staff members.

A very entertaining program was given, the musical numbers of which were rendered in the high school auditorium. Following the concluding musical number the guests went to the Home Economics lecture room where the banquet was served following a splendid program.

Those who gave musical selections were: George Nichols, Mrs. Gleen McGowan Kylie and Frances Haley.

Speakers on the program were: Clarence Pretz, Supt. Boren, Kathryn McCoy, Mr. Daniel, Mrs. Boren, Thaxton McGowan and Miss Ivison. Clarence Pretz, the editor of the Bear Facts, served as toastmaster.

The Home Economics girls and their instructor, Miss Rice served a very appetizing three course dinner. The tables and room were beautifully decorated. Bluebonnets were used as the decorating flowers. Favors were miniature copies of the Bear Facts.

PUTNAM HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS HONOR TEACHER

Misses Lillian and Frances Cook entertained in the home of Mrs. C. K. Peek Monday afternoon honoring Mrs. Roy Barnes, who has been teaching Spanish and English here for the past four years. The honoree is leaving to make her home in Brownwood. Little Miss Fredalyn Cook dressed as Easter Rabbit pulled a little red wagon with a large Easter basket of gifts to the honoree.

Miss Doris Stephens sang "I'll Do My Best"; a toast was given to Mrs. Barnes by Miss Lillian Cook, and a "Farewell Toast" was given by Miss Dolores Brandon.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Tex Herring, C. C. Russell, R. C. Clifford, J. G. Overton, G. W. Rogers, John Cook, Gus Brandon, C. K. Peek, Fred Cook, L. B. Williams, S. M. Eubanks, C. F. McMillan, Jess Whitaker, Owen Cook, R. R. Hale, Fred Farmer; Misses Lera Fleming, Doris Stephens, Frances Cook, Vella Sandlin, Dolores Brandon, Elsie Kelly Lillian Cook, Ardella Gaskin, Hadel McMillan, Opal Heslep, Leola Isenhower, Gertrude McCullough, Kathleen Green, Louise Peek, Elouise Norred, Hortense Rogers, Myrlene McCool, Melba Bray, Willie May Stephens, Joyce Bray, Martha Jean Rogers, Dorothy Roberson, Marie Fisher and little Misses Fredalyn Cook, Freda Jean Peek and Gladys L. Farmer.

Dr. W. V. Ramsey, of Abilene, was called in consultation with Dr. Griggs attending physician, last night.

G. P. Clark's Condition Some Better

G. P. Clark, prominent farmer of Eula, who was operated on for appendicitis Monday night at the Griggs hospital and whose condition has been serious since, is reported to be some better this morning.

Miss Maurine Woodward, nurse of Fort Worth, a niece of Mr. Clark, is assisting in nursing him.

Dr. W. V. Ramsey, of Abilene, was called in consultation with Dr. Griggs attending physician, last night.

Shelby Harville Re- covering From Burns

Shelby Harville, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Harville of Oplin, who was seriously burned Sunday night a week ago, when a bucket of gasoline was ignited, burning the car and garage at the Harville home.

The boy ran from the garage with his clothing on fire and before his father could get to him he had torn all his clothing off except one shoe.

Shelby is a member of the Boy Scouts at Oplin and it is in this organization that he was taught to think quickly and what is to be done in a case of this kind. Mr. Harville said: "I attribute my son's life today to the training he received as a Boy Scout." Shelby is doing nicely and will soon be able to go home.

Jones-Shaffrina Wedding

Mr. Oscar Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Jones, of Baird, and Miss Pauline Shaffrina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaffrina, living on Rt. 1, northwest of Baird, were married at the home of Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church, Monday afternoon, March 20, 1933 with Rev. Mayes saying the marriage ceremony in the presence of Miss Blanche Jones, sister of the groom, Mrs. R. A. Harris and Mrs. Mayes. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will make their home with Mrs. Jones parents.

State Highway Brings Much Money To Callahan County

Austin, Texas, April 10th.—Callahan county's state highways bring \$216,000 a year in extra business to the county in the form of tourist trade. The Texas Good Roads Association has estimated from a survey of the state's last official traffic census.

This business, the survey points out, does not include "natural" trade from local cars or those of adjoining counties, which obviously would increase with improved roads.

State checkers, from four day's actual count, found the average daily traffic to be: 1200 motor vehicles on Highway 1;

Motor traffic in Texas is divided, the experts have found, in two almost equal classes. Roughly, half are local cars or from adjoining counties. The other half are from beyond the state, or from Texas points at least two counties distant. The latter are genuine tourists.

On this basis, some 600 outside cars cross Callahan county each day, the Association's survey, "scattering their good American dollars among the restaurants, hotels, tourist camps, hot dog stands, garages, filling stations and stores along the important highways.

"If they spend as little as \$1 per vehicle within the borders of the county, then Callahan county's trunk roads mean \$18,000 in added business per month, or \$216,000 a year, exclusive of their convenience and saving to her own 13,000 people, who operate some 2500 cars themselves."

The survey, conducted by the Association for every county in Texas, was designed to show importance of roads to each community, and thus arouse public opinion against any further diversion of gas tax money, which would cripple the highway program.

MRS. M. J. HOLMES WILL REPRESENT WEDNESDAY CLUB AT DISTRICT MEETING

The Wednesday Club met April 12 with Mrs. E. Cooke. Nineteen members answered roll call with current events.

Mrs. M. J. Holmes was elected as a delegate and Mrs. O. B. Lidia alternate to the Sixth District Federated Club Meeting, which convenes in Midland April 24th to 26th inclusive.

The following program was enjoyed: Wylie: Life and Works, Mrs. Driskill, Hymn to Earth: Criticise, Mrs. Ivey.

Other Poems: Discuss: Mrs. White.

The members will attend the Callahan County Club Institute which meets with the Woman's Study Club of Putnam Thursday, April 20th.

BAIRD WELL REPRESENTED IN THE DISTRICT MEET

The students of the Baird Public School are having a holiday today, this privilege being granted them by the Board of Trustees so that all who wanted to could attend the District Meet at Abilene, where Baird will be represented.

Baird High School will be represented at the track and field events by Judson Atchison, Donald Melton, Alvin Chrisman, Neal Stanley and B. L. Vines.

In literary events Roberta Stringer and Sarah Nell Cooke will represent Baird in debates for senior girls; Kathryn McCoy, junior high school girls in Declamations and J. E. Pitts: grammar school junior boys.

In track and field events several of the Baird boys in practice have made better records than winners in last year's District Meet.

Baird will have the largest representation in the district track and field events in the history of the school and has a splendid chance to win the district meet. This district, No. 8, is composed of thirteen counties.

Beatrice Hickman, Baird's representative in the tennis tournament, was given second place, Miss Hickman defeated Loraine and Roscoe at Abilene Thursday of last week and the next day advanced to the finals by defeating Stamford and played the district championship off with Marguerite Weed, of Abilene.

Severe Sand Storm Followed by Cold Snap

A severe sand storm raged over this section all day yesterday, coming from the northwest and followed last night by a cold snap, causing the mercury to drop near the freezing point.

It is cloudy this morning. Rain is badly needed.

Mrs. Sam Wristen Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Sam Wristen who went to Topeka Kansas last week where she entered the Security Benefit Association Hospital for treatment was operated on Monday morning for appendicitis and gall bladder trouble.

Mrs. Corinne Driskill accompanied Mrs. Wristen to Topeka and she called Mr. Wristen over long distance telephone telling him that Mrs. Wristen stood the operation fine and that the attending surgeons report her condition very favorable.

Mrs. Wristen has been in ill health for several months and her many friends trust she will soon be well again. Mrs. Driskill will remain with her until she is able to come home.

Irving Allphan Resi- dent Damaged by Fire

The residence of Irving Allphan on the south side of the highway in west Baird, was badly damaged by fire on Thursday night of last week; the fire originating in a back bed room and sweeping through the house badly damaging all furniture, etc.

The Fireboys made a quick run and soon had the flames in check, but not before heavy damage was done to the house and furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Allphan were both out of town at the time. Mr. Allphan being at Longview working with the Texas & Pacific Rr., and Mrs. Allphan was visiting in Fort Worth.

It was reported that the house had probably been burglarized and then set on fire.

Services At Deep Creek Camp Ground

Services will be held at the Deep Creek Camp Ground Friday evening April 28, 1933 at 7 p. m. W. E. Hawkins, Jr., and several others from KRLD Radio Revival, Dallas, will be present; also O. E. Phillips of Abilene. The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

Midget Automobile Shown Here Tuesday



Baird citizens down town Tuesday afternoon had an opportunity to see one of the smallest cars that have ever been shown in Baird.

Bob Singleton of the Universal Mills Fort Worth, manufacturers of Gold Chain Flour and Red Chain Feeds, was the driver and incidentally the

builder of the unique automobile. There are many interesting features about this midget automobile. It is specially built four-cylinder motor and the rest of the car is made from discarded parts gathered 'here and there'.

It can attain a speed of 55 to 60 miles per hour with ease, and has unusual rid-

ing qualities for so small a car. The only disadvantage of this 'Universal Speedster' is that it carries only one passenger (the girl must walk).

The car was on display at Sam (Tot) Wristen's store. Mr. Wristen carries a full line of Universal Mills products.

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Unsound Credit Relief

One of the most unsound ideas that has been gaining ground in this country is that debtors as a class should be relieved of their obligations by sweeping legislation. This is curing one difficulty by creating many others; it is jumping from the frying pan into the fire. Many debtors are seriously embarrassed and need help. Leniency on the part of the lender or creditor is widely recognized as desirable, and even necessary.

There is a very general disposition to work out cooperative arrangements by which hard-pressed debtors, especially farmers, can remain on the farms and carry on. Consideration for those who are honestly desirous of meeting their obligations, but are temporarily unable to do so, is of the very essence of sound business at this time.

But there is only far-reaching injury to commercial honor and confidence in permitting debtors who can pay to escape because of blanket legislation. The foundations of morality are struck at when men who are perfectly able to meet their debts are let off because other men are unable to pay in full. There is no point in correcting one injustice if others are thereby created. It is necessary to be fair to creditors as well as to debtors.

The creditor class does not consist mainly of the idle rich, of Wall Street financiers, and of millionaires. It is composed of many millions of ordinary citizens who have pooled their savings through means of life-insurance companies, savings banks and other lending institutions. The great bulk of their holdings is individually small, although the aggregate is very large.

But there are other very practical reasons why a wholesale legislative relief of the debtor class is the worst kind of public policy. It means that the future borrower will have just that much more difficulty. It means drying up the sources of credit. It renders voluntary adjustment and a sensible leniency all the more impossible. It inevitably makes the creditor or lender hard to deal with, which is precisely the condition to be avoided. Debts can be adjusted by the parties concerned; they cannot be dissolved in any real sense by legislation.

A group of large life-insurance companies and savings banks has presented to Governor Lehman, of New York, a brief memorandum on mortgage relief that fairly bristles with common sense. They point out that all but a small minority of individual and corporate borrowers have been meeting the obligations which they undertook when the loans were made.

This minority consists of two classes the first being those who are anxious to maintain their ownership and carry on. These, the lending group points out, deserve the utmost degree of consideration. The other group is those borrowers who have so many different kinds of commitments in addition to real-estate mortgages that they have no hope of solving their financial difficulties.

There is every reason to believe, ever now, that the majority of our borrowers on mortgage are responsible citizens who do not seek to escape obligations which they are able to fulfill. A part of them may seek readjustments when insuperable difficulties face them.

To give them all a general release from the promises they have made is just about the surest way to destroy the basis of good faith and trust upon which modern society rests.

—Saturday Evening Post.

Senate Takes Up Educational Appropriations

Austin, April 10th.—The Senate today began consideration of the educational appropriations for the biennium September 1st, 1933 to September 1st, 1935, inclusive. The plan which the Senate has adopted in regard to the educational appropriations is to make lump sum appropriations to the various educational institutions of the State, making a considerable reduction in the amounts for the present biennium. The House has fol-

lowed the usual custom of itemizing its appropriations for each school. The difference in method of making appropriations will in all probability necessitate a free conference committee between the two bodies to settle the matter.

The Senate has now completed discussion on the other three divisions of the appropriations. The appropriations for the judiciary, with thirty-three and one-third percent reduction, have already been signed by the Governor. The appropriation bill for the eleemosynary institutions, with thirty-one percent cut, has gone into the hands of the free conference committee. The departmental appropriations, completed last week with drastic cuts, have likewise gone to free conference committee.

The fight on the floor of the Senate for economy has been led by Senator Collie of Eastland, Senator DeBerry of Bogata, and Senator Poage of Waco. Senator Collie submitted amendments to departmental appropriations totaling more than \$150,000.00 for the biennium. About one-third of this amount was accepted by majority vote of the Senate. Collie strongly objected to many items, directing his remarks to lump sum appropriations where it could not be determined what salary reductions were being made. He favored itemizing all appropriation bills and voted against the bills when passed because he said they did not carry sufficient reductions in many instances.

This Week In Washington (Autocaster Service)

Washington, 7th.—President Roosevelt, after more than a month in office, is still riding the top wave of popularity and authority. He is growing in the esteem of many who undervalued him before he took office, and certainly is proving himself the best politician who has occupied the White House in many years.

There is no politics, however, in the plan for refinancing farm mortgages which the President proposes and which Congress doubtless will adopt. Under this plan the Farm Loan Board will take over farm mortgages expecting the time for their payment and establishing the interest rate at 4 1-2 percent.

Under the blanket authority granted him by congress to reduce the Governmental expenditures, Mr. Roosevelt's director of the budget, Lewis E. Douglas, has worked out a system which will cut an estimated nine million a year off the Federal expenses. It will still cost some four millions a year to operate the Federal machine, and just how this money is to be raised is not yet completely clear. There will have to be some new revenue legislation, but that is still in the future.

Besides cutting about \$400,000,000 a year off veteran relief, Mr. Douglas' economy program calls for a fifteen percent reduction in all Federal salaries. This will affect pretty close to a million people on Uncle Sam's payroll, for it includes the Army and Navy as well as civil employees.

There is every reason to expect that the Administration's plan for Federal control of all new issues of stocks and bonds and perhaps also Federal control of all new issues of adopted substantially as the President has requested it. This is calculated to do away with many of the frauds which were perpetrated upon a gullible public during the recent boom. It is also a part of the program for the protection of the investor for the Government to exercise a high degree of control over all exchanges in which securities and commodities are traded in.

The Senate Finance Committee's investigation of the banking situation has been extended to private banks, institutions, and the great house of J. P. Morgan & Co., is to be one of the first called upon to tell how private investment banking houses work.

The general banking policy of the Administration is beginning to take shape. It looks as if it would work out into a single banking system under which every bank would be required to be a member of the Federal Reserve system, and perhaps to have

a Federal charter. It would be easy and legal to force State banks to become National banks by imposing a prohibitive tax on their checks, for example, or by refusing to let them participate in any plan for the insurance or guarantee of deposits.

The President's plan for putting an army of unemployed at work in the national forests has been approved by Congress, and there is little doubt that he will get, perhaps before this is printed, the authority he seeks to land five hundred millions to the states for direct unemployment relief. Every possible effort to put men back to work is being made, and intensive study is being given to numerous "self-liquidating" projects of public work, which might be financed by Government loans to be repaid out of earnings. For example, the new bridge across the Golden Gate at San Francisco and the Grand Island bridges in the Niagara River between Buffalo and Niagara Falls are being financed by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, but they will be toll bridges and will eventually earn enough to repay the loans.

The same policy may be adopted for power projects and other enterprises which are sure to earn enough to pay back the loan.

Where the money is coming from to lend, enough of it to make this policy of stimulating business and putting men back to work big enough to make a dent in the unemployment situation, is another question. There is talk about a huge bond issue, perhaps running the national debt up from its present twenty-one thousand million dollars to thirty billions.

Such an issue would not necessarily interfere with "balancing the budget," since the interest charges on such a bond issue would be comparatively small, and one change which is impending in our Governmental system is in its book-keeping, in which moneys raised by loans will be kept separate from those raised by taxation. Current expenses and interest on loans are expected to be paid out of taxes; there is no suggestion now of paying off the principal of any of the existing loans or the projected new ones.

In this matter of public works, the expectation is that contractors and suppliers of materials will be required to adopt the thirty-hour week for labor, six hours a day, five days a week. And on its own initiative the Senate has under consideration a bill which would compel all private industry engaged in inter-state commerce to adopt penalty of having its products barred from trade across state lines.

That Roosevelt Humor

The personal life of the Roosevelts in the White House is the subject of innumerable anecdotes illustrating the simplicity and home-likeness of the Executive Mansion's new occupants. They keep practically open house for their friends and casual acquaintances just as they did at their home in Hyde Park. And the verdict of Washington is that they are not exhibiting any of the signs of "swelled head" which have sometimes afflicted Presidential families.

One lady who was invited in an offhand way by Mrs. Roosevelt to come to dinner said at the table:

"I never expected to dine in the White House."

"You've got nothing on me," replied President Roosevelt.



By Raymond H. Nichols

Austin, April 7th.—It is known that the costs of the State government for the next two years will be substantially lower than for the past two years. The single uncertainty is what may be done with reference to appropriations for support of the public schools. Other major appropriation bills have been finally passed by both houses of the Legislature. They represent reductions varying from 25 to 40 per cent. The aggregate reductions will probably be from 30 to 33 per cent.

However the possibility of upsetting the results of the start toward economy—and it is only a start, notwithstanding the impressive savings made—is by no means remote. There are two very pressing influences that may supply the necessary support to bring about the enactment of laws that will open new sources, which would eventually neutralize the progress already made. These are the insistent demand of public schools for liberal appropriations and the desire to balance the State budget and wipe out the existing deficit during the next year, or two at most.

Thus far, no general new taxes have been levied. The sales tax, which was the most important means for raising new revenues, has been killed again. This time, its death is supposed to be final, but it is known that plans

are being made to revive the idea, dress it up in a fresh Spring outfit, bring it out as the angle of public school education and the Santa Claus for sadly depleted county and city treasuries, through an ingenious proposal to split the proceeds between the schools, counties and cities. Basically, this is the familiar "aid" method of increasing taxes, which has been a prolific cause of the increase in the cost of government in this country for the past ten years.

Those who oppose new taxes will need to be alert during the closing days of the session of the Legislature. It is also well to bear in mind that up to the present time the fundamental causes of high taxes have not been removed. Nothing has yet been done that will provide effective barriers against a return of extravagance, once the present emergency is passed. Changes have been proposed, which, if finally adopted, will give some degree of permanence to measures of economy. The fate of these really constructive changes is still uncertain and there seems to be possibility that some of them will fail.

The amendment in the Senate proposing to reduce the State ad valorem tax for general revenue purposes from 35 to 15 cents has been engrossed in the Senate but apparently lacks the required two-thirds support to submit it as a constitutional amendment.

The amendment placing an arbitrary limit on total expenditures of the State government has been finally passed by the Senate by the necessary two-thirds vote. It is yet to go through the House. The judiciary reorganization amendment, making drastic changes in the set-up of the courts and promising important economies which passed the House some time ago awaits an uncertain fate in the Senate.

Amendments proposing reorganization of costly county government are yet to be acted on. This is also true of a bill which proposes county unit system of public school administration. These latter two subjects are vital, because local taxes are much more burdensome than State taxes.

The Senate has passed unanimously a bill limiting the amount of compensation which would be allowed county and precinct officials. The reductions will radically affect official incomes

in counties of populations above 25,000. The top compensation allowed any county official in Texas would be \$5,000, and this would be possible only in counties above 150,000 population. The following maximums have been set: Counties under 10,000 population, \$3,000; between 10,000 and 25,000, \$3,250; between 25,000 and 37,500, \$3,500; between 37,500 and 75,000, \$4,250; between 75,000 and 150,000, \$4,750; above 150,000, \$5,000. The rates do not apply to all fee officers alike. The maximums are for more important county offices. Lower figures are fixed for justices of the peace, constables, etc.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to Bro. Joe R. Mayes, Dr. R. L. Griggs and the hospital attendants; also the Goodfellows for kindness shown me in my recent illness.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Lee Emmerson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the members of the Bairst Fire Department who worked so faithfully to save our home from destruction by fire, also all for the many kindnesses shown us.

Respectfully,
Mr. and Mrs. George Chappell.

LAUNDRY

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Abilene, April 10th.—Alumni and ex-students of Simmons University will gather in local groups throughout every section of Texas to observe Founder's Day on April 17, in response to a request being sent out by Dr. J. D. Sandefer, president of the university, and Solon R. Featherston of Wichita Falls, president of the Alumni and Ex-Students Association.

April 17 will be the 104th anniversary of the birth of Dr. James B. Simmons, principal founder of the school and the man for whom the institution was named 41 years ago. It is observed each year at the university as Founder's Day.

Presidents of various town and community organizations of exes are being asked to call their members together on that day, or at some other near date convenient, to arrange any fitting program to commemorate Founder's Day, to formulate plans for a closer union of their clubs, and to make a definite report to the alumni president.

The message, as sent out through the press, follows:

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**A Dime A Democrat
Is Asked of Party**

A dime a Democrat is the quote assessed Texans by the Democratic National Committee. The Texas National Democratic organization of which Roy Miller is Director, Senator Margie E. Neal, re-director, and Frank Scofield, finance director, has assumed the task of raising \$75,000, which is 10 per cent of the \$750,000 deficit of the Democratic National Committee.

This rather formidable sum is proportionate to what Texas has received and expects at the hands of the Democratic party, it was said in a statement released by National Democratic headquarters at Austin.

Postmaster General James A. Farley who is chairman of the Democratic National Committee, in requesting so large a sum of the Texas organization is actuated by the extraordinary record of this state in the campaign last fall. Texas, it will be recalled, furnished the largest Democratic majority for Roosevelt and Garner, and contributed the second largest sum of money, being exceeded only by Roosevelt's own state of New York.

The amount requested from Texas was approximately one-tenth of the number of Democratic votes cast in Texas last November. In determining the quota for each county the Texas organization decided to allot the quota in proportion to the votes cast. Ten cents for each Democratic vote approximates very closely the sum expected from Texas.

There were 2,138 votes cast in Callahan county. The quota, therefore, is \$213.80.

Every Democrat in Callahan county ought to feel that the New Deal is worth at least a dime to him," Frank Scofield said. "We are now advising county chairman of the sums expected of them and anticipate no difficulty in raising Texas' part of the party's debt."

MISS HELEN SETTLE IMPROVING

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Settle have returned from Lubbock where they spent several days with their daughter, Miss Helen, who was seriously ill with pneumonia.

Miss Helen is improving and will probably be able to leave the hospital Sunday and is expected home about the middle of next week.

Miss Christine Settle is with her sister and will accompany her home.

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April 16, 1933

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9:45 The Sunday School assemblies. At this time we will worship in the study of the sublime fact of the Resurrection.

10:30 The whole school will gather in the auditorium for the reception of members. What a privilege to be baptised and taken into the church of Christ on the Victorious Day of the Resurrection.

11:00 Bro. Culpepper will preach on the Risen Savior. All are invited to hear this brilliant consecrated young minister.

The meeting is a good one. The sermons are simply fine. Already a number have been converted and a score have given their name to join the church.

The Singing is great; the crowds are large and God is with us; The interest is real.

Come people! Come to the Revival. Present your selves before God in his house.

At 4 p. m. next Saturday Bro. Culpepper will preach again on the street. Hear him then.

Forced to Sacrifice Vote

It is said that Zachary Taylor, the twelfth President of the United States, never remained in one place long enough to qualify himself for voting.

PERSONALS

Raymond Foy, of Dallas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Foy, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harp, of Mesa Colorado, arrived Tuesday on a visit to Mr. Harp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Harp and family.

R. J. Harris and daughter, Miss Jennia, of Admira, were in Baird Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Crisman and little son Bartley Wayne are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wristen.

Mrs. Harry Dunlap and little daughter, Geneva Faye, have returned home after a week's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Crisman at Clyde.

Miss Madia Beasley has returned home after a three weeks visit with Miss Wanda Kennedy and Miss Hazel Starr of Fort Worth. While in Fort she visited Miss Elaine Pratt, who is a student in C. I. A., Denton, Miss Beasley was accompanied home by Miss Starr.

T. W. Keblinger of San Antonio, has our thanks for a check for \$2 paying his subscription for another year from April st. Mr. Keblinger is among our oldest subscribers and wants to keep up with the affairs in Callahan county where he spent his early life, coming here in the late 70's and engaged in the cattle business. The Keblinger family have been living in San Antonio for a number of years.

Mrs. Ford Driskill, district clerk of Callahan County attended the fifth Annual Convention of the North Texas Auxiliary, County and District Clerks Association of Texas, held in Abilene Thursday and Friday of last week. Visitors attended from an area that included one hundred and eleven counties. The meetings were held in the Hilton Hotel.

WITH BAIRD BAPTIST

We are inviting everyone to be in our service next Sunday morning. If you like an Easter service, then come to the Baptist church. We will have one. No service at our church Sunday night, but we are urging everyone to go to the Methodist church for the closing service of the meeting.

The First Sunday in June is the time set for our Revival Meeting to begin and Bro. Dick O'Brien will be our helper. We will go two and maby three weeks. We are going in for a sure enough revival. Let me urge everybody to begin right now and pray for the meeting. It will take that to win.

Beginning the Second Sunday in July I will hold a meeting at Midway. We plan to have an outdoor meeting there this year. Let's all pray and work for a good meeting there.

Here is my text for next Sunday morning. "Wherefore He is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, serving he ever liveth to make intercession for them." Heb. 7:25. Come hear it, JOE R. MAYES.

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Have you begun the Christian walk? Don't wait too long. To do so is to tempt God. We welcome you next Lord's day.

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Remember Saturday, April 29th is the day we will give away Ten Prizes of Groceries, Absolutely FREE. Tickets given with each 50 cents purchase.

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PUTNAM NEWS

Mrs. Lula Fleming spent the week end visiting her daughter, Miss Mildred Fleming in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Crayton Sandlin and family of Brownwood, were week end visitors with relatives.

Mr. W. C. Rogers, who has been working in Brownwood for the past two or three weeks returned to his home in Putnam Sunday.

Misses Deloris Brandon and Hortense Rogers were Cisco visitors Monday.

Meedames B. Herring, John Cook, J. E. Green, E. P. Whitaker, Fred Short, C. C. Russell and Miss Eva Moore attended the Rebekah Association held at Cisco last Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kelley of Albany, spent Sunday with Mr. Kelly's parents. Archie returned to his home in Albany Sunday evening; Mrs. Kelley remained and is visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Teague this week.

Mr. John D. Isenhower, student of Abilene Christian College, was a week end visitor with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moore of Goree, Texas, visited Mrs. Moore's mother and family, Mrs. Mack Kennedy Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Maddox and daughter Miss Gertrude of Eastland visited in our community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Farrow and son Edmond and Miss Lavel Hodges visited home folks near Duster last week end.

The play presented at the school house last Friday night was enjoyed by a good crowd.

Fred Heysar and Weldon Stewart of near Putnam attended the play here Friday night.

The Methodist meeting is in progress this week. Bro. Van Pelt is doing the preaching. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ramsey and baby Mrs. A. E. Ellis and son Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Ellis of Putnam, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Hight at Colman last week end.

Don't fail to see the Senior play, "Two Days To Get Married" to be presented Friday night at the School Auditorium. Admission 10 cents.

G. H. Clifton and F. W. Respass were business visitors at Abilene Saturday.

Mrs. Cleo Ivy and baby are visiting relatives in Baird this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsell were called to Abilene Tuesday on account of the death of his sister.

Mr. J. H. Robinson was called to Stamford Monday on account of the death of his grand daughter. He was accompanied by his son Wyatt and Mr. Floyd.

Mrs. John Henry Mitchell of Baird is visiting Mrs. P. G. Freeland this week.

ROWDEN

It seems like every time we have a chance for rain the weather man sends along a north wind to blow the rain all away. Here is hoping we have a rain in a few days.

Miss Eva Robinson is visiting Misses Clara Bell and Joyce Tabor.

Miss Janie Hall gave a picnic to a few of her friends on the Bayou Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White from Tishomingo Okla., visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Roberts Sunday. They came through Baird and Miss Ruth Roberts came out home with them to visit home folks. Mr. and Mrs. White left for their home Monday Miss Ruth returning to school at Baird.

MIDWAY NEWS

The Midway Choral Club will present a musical entertainment at the school house Friday night, April 21. The Choral Club won first place among rural schools in the recent county meet.

Mrs. Harold L. Pyeatte, of Jal, N. M., arrived April 8 to visit her mother, Mrs. A. L. Parrisher and Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Pyeatte.

The Girls and Boys classes of the Midway Sunday School enjoyed a picnic Saturday, April 8. The girls treating the boys, being a culmination of a race between the two classes started some time ago. The following went to the Bowman pasture, where games, fun and the 'eats' were enjoyed: Misses Hudler, Emma, Nora, Mabel and Inez Anderson, Mildred Griffin, Ava Nell Webb, Fern Conlee, and Nellie Johns, Raymond Anderson

Harold and Bascom Webb, Evan Woods, Edgar Walker, Rex Jones and Mr. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods and family have moved to Breckenridge.

Mrs. Cye L. Perkins, Kent Harris and Mrs. Weldon Harris of Jal, N. M. are visiting relatives in Clyde.

Flora Jones of Abilene, visited at home Sunday.

We have singing at the school house each Sunday night and are glad to welcome you, whether you sing or listen.

Three representatives of our school who placed first in their respective events at the county meet, will enter the district meet at Abilene. They are: Mildred Griffin and A. R. Dillard, senior girl and boy declaimers and Bascom Webb, half miler. Dillard is also an entrant in track, 100 yd, 220 yd. and 440 dashes.

Dr. and Mrs. Whitney Franklin, of San Antonio, and her brother Arline Stuart of N. M., visited their uncle E. L. Johnson and family April 6th.

Miss Anna Lou Russell of Abilene visited her mother and sister in Clyde Sunday.

J. G. Malphus of Clyde Church of Christ minister is in Oklahoma this week.

G. H. Red made a business trip to Lamesa the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Haskins of Grovton, are visiting his uncle E. L. Johnson and family this week.

Economics Headlights

During and since the bank holidays the best news of each week has been of a psychological character. It has three phases: Faith in the new Administration, demonstrated by the support it is being given by organizations and individuals of all political diversions; confidence in the future of the country; a belief that recovery is underway. Most important of these is confidence. So far as the public mind generally is concerned, the days of gloom are over. The spirit of inertia that gripped so many millions a few months ago, has been replaced by a spirit of aggressiveness and action.

This spirit is naturally reflected in the attitude of industrial organizations. Of great interest is a survey recently made by a press association among the major industries of the country. It produced opinion as follows:

STEEL—Prospect for recovery brighter than at any time in past few years.

METALS—An unmistakable return of confidence is felt.

CEMENT—Slow but certain change for the better anticipated.

MACHINERY—Stimulated sales looked for.

MEAT PRODUCTS—Supplies on hand not excessive, and price rise expected.

FLOUR—Moderate price advance, at least, assured.

TEXTILE—Greater buying activity and firmer price levels anticipated.

DEPARTMENT STORES—Predict rise in prices.

SHOES AND LEATHER—Any change will be up, not down.

These forecasts reflect the attitude of leaders of most other industries.

Aftermath of the banking difficulties is a drive to bring all of the 12,000 state banks into the Federal Reserve System. Some observers hold that this is not enough—in 1932, over 80 per cent of bank failures involved banks of less than \$200,000 capital

and they believe this to be proof of a need for extension of branch banking. Others point to the fact that sounder than many big banks, and thousands of small banks are excellently managed, and are as sound or hold that banking legislation should simply seek to eliminate poor management and dubious practices, whether the product of dishonesty or inexperience.

The Supreme Court decision in the Appalachian Coals case is of importance to other industries, principally lumber. Appalachian Coals was central selling agency for more than 130 producers of bituminous coal. The government brought suit against it on the grounds of violating the anti-trust laws. The Supreme Court decided against the government, and held the concern to be legal.

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