

The Baird Star.

Our Motto: " 'TIS NEITHER BIRTH, NOR WEALTH, NOR STATE; BUT THE GIT-UP-AND-GIT THAT MAKES MEN GREAT."

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CALLAHAN'S 1st SHERIFF

**Thomas J. (Uncle Tom) Norrell
Texas Pioneer and Ex-
Confederate Is Dead**

The friends of T. J. Norrell (Uncle Tom, as he was known to his intimates), were startled last Sunday morning, shortly after ten o'clock by news that he had died at about fifteen minutes after that hour, at the home of his son, Bob Norrell, in the west part of town.

Thomas Jefferson Norrell was born in Rankin County, Mississippi, October 11th, 1838 and came to Texas before the Civil War and settled in Wise County. He enlisted in the Confederate Army, joining the 10th Texas Infantry (Nelson's Regiment), after the death of Colonel Nelson known as "Mills' Regiment," Colonel Roger Q. Mills commanding.

He was wounded at Atlanta, Georgia, which caused the loss of his right arm. He was elected the first Sheriff of Callahan County. In 1888 he was elected Tax Assessor and held the office for twenty-two consecutive years.

He was generous to a fault and that was one reason why he never accumulated much of this world's goods. He never went back on a friend.

Uncle Tom had been in ill health for some time, though he seemed to be improving; but he knew that his time here was limited, as he made numerous suggestions as to what he wanted done when the end should come. Among other things he left a request for the editor of The Star to write a short sketch of his life, which will be published later in The Star, when we get some data desired for that sketch.

The funeral was held at Cottonwood Monday evening, conducted by Rev. T. J. Rea, pastor of the Baird Methodist Church, assisted by Rev. Chas. A. Loveless and Elder R. H. Rogers.

After the church services the large audience, composed mostly of his old friends and neighbors were permitted to view the old familiar face of this friend for the last time, after which the Cottonwood Lodge, I. O. O. F., took charge, and the body was interred with the impressive ceremony of that order. He was buried beside his wife, who died thirteen years ago.

Mr. Norrell is survived by three sons, T. J. Jr., of Weatherford, Bob, of Baird, Pink, of Breckenridge and one daughter, Mrs. Mittie Wilson, of Dermott, Scurry County. All the children were present at the funeral.

Some twelve or fourteen autos, containing some fifty or sixty Baird friends, accompanied the body to Cottonwood. The pallbearers were six old time friends: B. L. Russell, Sr., W. E. Gilliland, J. I. McWhorter, Baird; E. B. Whitehorn, Beta Freeland, Tom Houston, Cottonwood.

Our old friend is free from bodily pain and the strife and turmoil of life. May his soul find rest and peace and may all his children, relatives and friends meet him in "That city builded by no hand, And unapproachable by sea or shore; And unassailable by any band Of storming soldiery for evermore."

BAIRD'S FAST AMATEUR TEAM "THE COYOTES"

[Courtesy of The Fort Worth Star-Telegram.]
Front Row, reading from left to right—George Scott, utility; Fred L. Wristen, 3d base; B. Max Brundage, 2d base; Ollie Jones, centre field; Elmer Norman, left field. Back Row—Everett Driskill, secretary-treasurer; J. A. Allphin, president-manager; Guy Tabor, short stop; Earl Hall, right field; W. S. Allphin, utility; W. L. Ray, catcher; Gus Hall, 1st base, Rawleigh Ray, pitcher, Harry Jones, captain; Fred Frazier, umpire. Seated—O. C. Hawk, mascot.



EARLY WHEELER PEACH NETS CLYDE GOOD MONEY

The fruit and truck business is bringing money to Clyde every day. The Early Wheeler peach has been the principal money maker in early fruit. It will ship a long distance with perfect safety. They have been shipped from here this year to Galveston, Beaumont, El Paso and many other long distance points and at fancy prices.

One of the good citizens of the Clyde community was handed an open letter by one of our townsmen, supposed to be a member of the K. K. K., in which letter he was gravely warned about being a "knocker." Some little feeling exists over the matter.

Professor Boder, who recently moved here from Ranger and has been employed by the School Board to superintend our school next term, is teaching a summer school at the school building, which is very well attended.

Wilburn Long, of Albany, candidate for District Attorney, spoke to a big crowd here last Saturday evening. He is a young man and made a good impression on the people.

Doctor Miller, who has been paralyzed for nearly two years, is still holding his own pretty well and is always cheerful and glad to see his friends. Come in to see him.

Miss Gracie Miller, daughter of W. H. Miller, who attended college at Abilene the past term, left Monday for Canyon to attend the Summer Normal.

Several prospectors from different places have been in Clyde recently and some changing hands of real estate is taking place.

Last Saturday was a big day for Clyde. Lots of people in town and our merchants report a fine trade.

Old Grandpa Bacon and Albert Bacon's wife and children are visiting relatives on the Plains.

The Clyde section had just a little rain the past week; not enough to interfere with farm work.

Elder J. C. White, of Coleman, an old pioneer Christian preacher, preached here Sunday.

Joe Kemper, of Cottonwood, was shaking hands with old friends in Clyde Monday.

Mrs. Jim Watts, who has been very low for a long time is no better. XXX

"FLASHES OF ACTION"

"It's Going to be a Long, Tough War"
Sighed the Kaiser, When He Saw
This Picture

Back in March 1918, the Germans were preparing for their last big drive, "Paris or Bust," was in effect, their slogan. Well of course we know they busted. But it wasn't so certain in those days that it wouldn't be Paris.

The high moguls of the German grand headquarters went in strong for propaganda in those troubled times. They took great pains to convince the soldiers that they need not fear the Americans. The United States never could send its men to Europe in time to be of use, they alleged.

Just about this time, the accompanying picture, taken in New York of troops embarking for France, was received at American Headquarters, at Chaumont. Someone there had the idea of letting the Germans see it too, since it was such an informative sort of a picture. The decent thing to do was hold a meeting, invite the Germans and flash the photo on the screen. But that was hardly feasible so resort was had to the aviators. A squadron started out one morning, well supplied with prints of this and other photos calculated to disturb the German soldier, and dropped them into the enemy trenches.

History does not record how they were received but it is safe to say that many a Bavarian rifleman and many a Saxon machine gunner became intensely worried and wondered if his officers really were right when they said the Americans couldn't fight. History does record that said officers were wrong.

The magnificent dash of American troops against the pick of the German army is one of the most glorious pages in our history. Remember how you thrilled when you read about Chateau Thierry and figured that your boy was THERE? And then St. Mihiel and the long terrible days of the Argonne?

Mr. Average American hasn't forgotten the war, by any means. Whether he read about it, or whether he saw it, he knows. Concluded on last Page

JUDGE BOWYER'S NIECE GOES TO HER LAST HOME

The sympathy of The Star is extended, in its broadest sense, to this paper's good friend, Judge Otis Bowyer, in the death of his talented and beloved niece, Miss Louise Bowyer, daughter of Judge and Mrs. John Bowyer, of Abilene, which occurred at the Bowyer home, on Cedar Street, in our sister city, Friday morning, June 16th.

Miss Bowyer was hostess to her church society at a lawn party the Tuesday evening previous to her death and to all appearances was in the best of health. Wednesday morning at four o'clock she became violently ill, acute indigestion being followed by congestion, which, with complications, caused her death Friday morning.

She was born in Abilene November 28, 1888, and has lived there continuously. She was very prominent in both social and church circles, and will be greatly missed. She was a model daughter, a true and faithful friend, and an intimate companion of her father and mother.

She is survived by her parents; one sister, Mrs. Victor Gillette, of Dallas; three brothers, John Bowyer, of Alvarado, Hubard Bowyer, of Dallas and Robin Bowyer, of Abilene.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at four o'clock at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, with Rev. Willis P. Gerhart, under whom Miss Bowyer had done such magnificent church work, officiating.

Those who attended the funeral from Baird in company with Judge Otis Bowyer, Sr., were his daughters, Misses Aurelia and Mary Bowyer; Mesdames E. A. Leache and R. B. Landran, Jr., and Otis Bowyer, Jr.

BELLE PLAINE CEMETERY

All persons who are interested in the Belle Plaine Cemetery are requested to contribute to a fund to pay for cleaning up the cemetery. A man is now at work in the cemetery and we want the money ready to pay for work when completed. Leave your contribution with Geo. B. Scott, at the First National Bank

LET US HAVE GOOD SCHOOL

**For Baird And Live Sweet In
The Memory Of Our Children,
Its Beneficiaries**

Tomorrow the property taxpayers will vote on the proposition to increase the tax rate in the Baird Independent School District from fifty cents to one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation.

For several years we have been doubling the rendition value of property in this school district in order to meet the increased cost of running the school. If the people vote the increase the School Board assures us the renditions will be the same as before the raise was made, and there will be no increase this year in the amount of taxes necessary.

We do not see how any taxpayer who really wants to see our town grow and our public school prosper, would think of opposing this tax. Other towns, in different parts of Texas, within the past few months, have voted the increase asked for our town, and in the last three months if a single town has voted the tax down, we have failed to note it. We sincerely hope Baird will keep step with the other progressive towns of our great State and vote the tax by overwhelming majority.

For the last thirty-two years the people of Baird have responded nobly to every appeal made by the editor of The Star to vote increased taxes to support the schools and build school houses in Baird. We appeal to you again, not for our benefit, but for your own benefit, to vote the increase.

The editor's children are all grown and most of our grandchildren have moved away recently and we have less reason for considering our personal interest in the question now. We have only one grandchild in public school, and our school tax would pay for his tuition for a ten month's private school.

We merely mention this to show that personal interest has no influence over us in the matter and never did, because we could always pay for tuition of our children, and often did so in past years, when the public schools were so crowded we preferred to pay tuition in private schools, though our children were as much entitled to go to public school as any other.

If we did not have a single relative to go to school, we would still favor a liberal support of any public school, because our schools are our best asset. Vote for the school and for Baird.

Read the ad at the foot of page 5, in this issue of The Star, announcing the production at the Municipal Forum next Friday night, June 30, of the three act comedy, "Between the Acts," by a company of talented local thespians, and then buy a ticket—two of 'em, for the net proceeds are for the benefit of the Forum Building Fund.

Don't fail to attend the Free Band Concert tonight at the Municipal Forum. Baird's reorganized Municipal Band of thirty pieces will present a program of unprecedented excellence.

EPITOMIZED NEWS OF ESPECIAL INTEREST

IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE ENTIRE WEEK REDUCED FOR BUSY READERS

FOREIGN—

The preliminary work of establishing the mammoth Australian radio station for direct communication with great Britain has begun.

The steamship "British Trade" will leave London sometime this month on a round-the-world tour, carrying samples of British goods, and visiting all the principal ports.

King George and Queen Mary have accepted invitations to be guests at a dinner June 24 of Ambassador and Mrs. Harvey in London. Chief Justice and Mrs. Taft, who will be in London at that time, also will be present.

Another German specialist has been summoned to attend Premier Lenin of Soviet Russia. It was stated in Berlin Professor Flechsig, a leading brain authority has been asked to leave immediately for Russia.

The independent socialist Freiheit of Berlin declares that a triumvirate will take the place of Premier Lenin in Soviet Russia during a six months absence from Moscow which his health will obligate him to take. The three men who will hold the reins, according to this newspaper, are J. V. Stalin, Leo Kameneff and A. L. Rykoff.

Two members of the Mount Everest expedition headed by General C. C. Bruce are now engaged in attempt to reach the summit of the world's highest peak, according to reports from Tibet. The final dash was attempted when the expedition arrived within 2,200 feet of the summit after having ascended nearly 27,000 feet in the long, tedious climb.

Canada's agricultural wealth for 1921 is placed at \$6,831,022,000 in a final report just issued by the standard department. Gross agricultural wealth, as shown in the report, is made up of seven items. Land accounts for \$3,196,876,000. Buildings are placed at \$1,035,712,000; implements \$391,660,000; livestock \$76,720,000; poultry \$38,007,000; animal and fur farms \$5,824,000,000, and agricultural production \$1,396,223,000.

The new Irish constitution has been made public. It is a lengthy document of more than 15,000 words, covering the whole range of British-Irish relations. It stipulates that if any of its provisions or any law made under the constitution is in any respect repugnant to any of the provisions of the Anglo-Irish treaty, it shall, to the extent only of such repugnance to the treaty, be absolutely void and inoperative. The constitution provides for universal adult suffrage, including women who have reached the age of 21 years.

WASHINGTON—

President Harding, it was said at the White House, hopes and expects that the tariff bill shall be passed prior to soldier bonus legislation.

Dr. John C. Wise, 74, U. S. N., retired, who was chief surgeon with Admiral Dewey at Manila bay, died at his home in Washington a few days ago.

The Postoffice Department has asked the Civil Service Commission to conduct examinations for selection of postmasters at Calvert and White-wright, Texas.

Organization of national headquarters of the Friends of Mexico, an association of American-born citizens who are working to secure recognition of Mexico, is being completed in Houston.

Prohibitionists in Congress decided to make an immediate move to knock out the Shipping Board's ruling that all kinds of liquor can be sold on American ships outside the three-mile zone.

New soldier hospitals are to be built near the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Chicago, at a cost of \$3,000,000, and at Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., at a cost of \$1,500,000, it was announced by Director Forbes of the Veterans' Bureau.

Manufacture of cotton in May showed an increase over April, 495,674 bales having been consumed, or 48,831 bales more than April, the census bureau's monthly report indicates. Of the increase in consumption, the cotton-growing States utilized 14,343 bales more. Cotton-growing States consumed 331,771 bales. More than 61 per cent of the month's consumption occurred in the cotton-growing States.

After a two day fight, the Senate voted to remove sewing machines and cash registers from the tariff free list. Committee rates ranging from 25 per cent ad valorem to 40 per cent on these machines and 25 per cent on cash registers were approved.

DOMESTIC—

Texas Woodmen of the World will hold their State encampment this year at Galveston, from Aug. 14 to 19.

The annual grand parade of the United Confederate veterans reunion in Richmond, Va., will include men who served in the Civil Spanish and World wars, it was announced.

Directors of the Sinclair Consolidated oil corporation have declared an initial quarterly dividend of 50 cents, payable August 15, to stockholders of record July 15.

O. F. Bledsoe, Jr., of Memphis has been re-elected president of the Staple Cotton Co-operative association, controlling a large part of the long staple cotton raised in the Mississippi delta.

Mexican authorities put the torch to \$10,000 worth of opium, morphine, hypodermic needles and other paraphernalia used in lens of vice when they staged a municipal "clean up" campaign at Calexico, California.

The Grant Park Trust and Savings Bank has no record in its books of loans of \$750,000 to Cudahy & Co., Chicago packers. Norman Griffin, cashier of the bank, testified at the trial of Governor Len Small.

The opening speech of the campaign for re-election of Governor Pat M. Neff will be made at Plainview on June 24, according to announcements. That night the Governor will speak at Lubbock.

Marked gain in retail trade in the last two weeks is reported by almost every market in the West and Middle West, according to dispatches received in Chicago by the Fairchild News Service. Decidedly warmer weather is generally held to be the cause for the increase.

Representatives of the coal operators and miners of the Central District, comprising Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, will meet before July 1, in an effort to end the strike in the Central District, coal operators told the United Press recently.

R. C. Wheelock of Zion, Ill., and his bride of two weeks were killed and the pilot was injured recently when an airplane fell 300 feet to the earth at Ashburn Field. According to the pilot, John Metzger, the controls of the plane jammed, causing the accident. The Wheelocks were visiting Chicago on their honeymoon.

Appreciation of the special rates via the Southern Railroads to the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans at Richmond, which were put into effect largely through the efforts of Hutton Sumners, Representative from the Fifth District of Texas, has afforded Mr. Sumners much pleasure, according to a letter received from the legislator by Texas friends.

Former Governor Brough of Arkansas, speaking before a large audience at Florence, Ala., was cheered to the echo when he declared that "unless this Congress gives Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford, the people will elect a new Congress that will do it." He expressed the conviction that the work would be begun on the Wilson dam by July 1.

Facing a coal shortage "unparalleled in intensity" in this country, President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America, said at Springfield, Mo., "is kept from a realization of the situation only by the sultriness of summer weather." Public interest, Mr. Lewis said, demands a conference of miners and operators in the very near future.

The outstanding feature of the wool situation during the last week was the increase in the number not only of inquiries, but of actual sales, of Ohio and similar fleeces. The greatest interest of the Boston market, however, was still centered on the current operations in Texas. Prices paid Merton last week were 47c to 49c for good twelve months' clips and 43c to 46c for good French combing wool.

Probate Judge Voltz of Baldwin county, Alabama, was waited upon by a crowd of citizens, including town officials, and ordered to leave town. He left Monday and his whereabouts are unknown. According to county authorities Voltz was charged by the crowd with improper relations with a married woman of the community. Voltz is a married man about 45 years old. He was serving his first term as probate judge.

The Department of Agriculture, after six years of trying, has rescued the lowly corn-cob from the ignominy of hog fodder and raised it to the level of a substitute for hard rubber and a possible motor fuel supply.

President Harding has selected Gov. Robert A. Cooper, South Carolina, to fill the vacancy on the farm loan board caused by the recent resignation of A. F. Lever, North Carolina.

After being treed by a panther, devoured by mosquitoes, his clothes torn to tatters by the saw grass of the Florida swamps, without food for nearly forty hours—these were among the experiences of Cadet Raymond White, Carlstrom Field aviator, whose plane crashed into the wilds of Southeastern Lee County, Florida. He was brought back to the flying field in one of the planes that had been searching the everglades since his disappearance was reported.

HUERTA AND BANKERS NEARING AN AGREEMENT

Draft Covering Point Discussed to Be Presented This Week.

New York—Agreement between Aldolfo de la Huerta, Mexican Minister of Finance, and the international committee of bankers was indicated at the conclusion of a conference this week.

De la Huerta and the bankers have been discussing the Mexican debt, interest on which has been in default since 1914.

Details of arrangements agreed upon were not disclosed, but it was stated that the draft of an agreement covering all points discussed and settled up to the present time is being drawn, and will be presented at a meeting to be held sometime this week. The next step will be a final agreement, subject to ratification by President Obregon.

Thomas W. Lamont, chairman of the bankers' committee, issued this statement:

"Conferences carried on for the last week between Finance Minister de la Huerta and the international committee of bankers on Mexico, have now reached a point where the Finance Minister and the committee have decided to reduce to writing the points that have been discussed.

There are, however, certain important matters to be arranged, and examination of these will be made in conference between the Minister and the committee.

Appeal Filed in Asphyxiation Case.

Austin, Texas.—The Court of Criminal Appeals has set down for submission next Wednesday the appeal filed in the case of ex parte Y. S. Mathis, from Harris County, indicted on a charge of "murder by asphyxiation" of his three grandchildren at Houston last April. Mathis' application for bail was denied by District Judge C. W. Robinson at Houston and from that judgment he now appeals to the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Probability of More Wars.

"Since the inception of the United States, this Nation has spent one-fifth of the time at war and it would be a foolish dream for us to believe we will have no more wars," Colonel Beaumont B. Buck, military strategist and prominent figure in the World War, told a gathering of former members of the United States forces at a meeting in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce in Dallas.

Baptists Buy Land For Encampment.

Amarillo, Texas.—Baptists of forty-eight counties of the Panhandle-Plains country have purchased a section of land on the Palo Duro Canyon, south of Amarillo, and are establishing a summer camping colony there.

Millions For Aircraft.

Washington.—The naval appropriation bill reported to the Senate carries the House item of \$5,470,000 for the development of naval aircraft, including the production of helium.

Texas Gets \$149,000 Loans

Washington.—Approval of 42 advances for agricultural and live stock purposes, aggregating \$1,008,000, was announced by the War Finance Corporation.

Build Home For Widow Free.

Columbia, Texas.—The union carpenters of Dallas and other workmen have donated \$2,000 to build a home for a widow of a World War soldier.

IS YOUR HEALTH GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health:

"Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did some time ago when I found myself in a very nervous, run-down condition of health. I was so tired and felt so lifeless I could hardly go at all.

"I was just no account for work. I would get a bucket of water and would feel so weak I would have to set it down before I felt like I could lift it to the shelf. In this condition, of course, to do even my housework was a task almost impossible to accomplish.

"I was . . . nervous and easily upset.

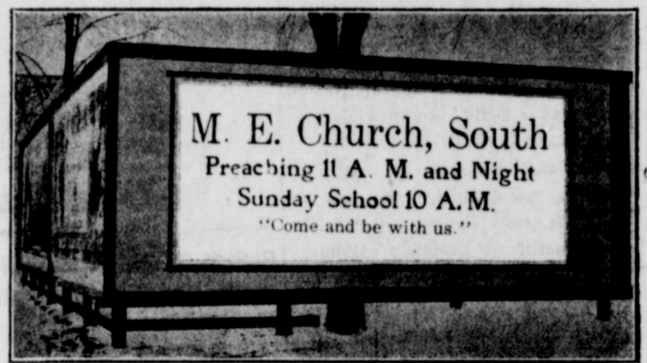
I couldn't rest well at night and was . . . just lifeless.

"I heard of Cardui and after reading I decided I had some female trouble that was pulling me down. I sent for Cardui and began it. . .

"In a very short while after I began the Cardui Home Treatment I saw an improvement and it wasn't long until I was all right—good appetite, splendid rest, and much stronger so that I easily did my housework.

"Later I took a bottle of Cardui as a tonic. I can recommend Cardui and gladly do so, for if more women knew, it would save a great deal of worry and sickness."

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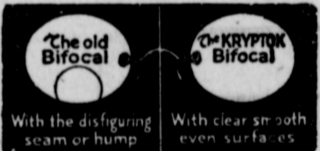
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PANELED CLOTH SKIRT



Spring presents its separate skirts of wool or silk or cotton and those for general wear are called "walking skirts" to distinguish them from sport skirts. Here is a pretty new model made of crepe. It is cut on straight lines and has a separate belt of the material. Around the bottom there are set-in panels trimmed with rows of narrow silk braid in a contrasting color.

THE MARKETS

Prices quoted below were those obtained from jobbers and commission men and are subject to constant fluctuations. They are given here as an approximation of the actual market.

Dairy Products.
BUTTER—Creamery 55c. CREAM CHEESE—Daisy 25c. Longhorn 25c. domestic Swiss 35-40c. brick 25c.

Beans and Rice.
DRIED BEANS—California navy's, small white 8 1-2 pound, California pink beans 7 1-2 lb., California black-eye 8 1-2c. Pinto 8 1-2c. Lima 11 1-2c. Baby Lima 11 1-2c. RICE—Fancy Blue Rose 6 1-2c.

Sugar and Syrup.
SUGAR—Beet, \$8.80 per 100 lbs. pure cane \$9.80 per 100 lbs. SYRUP—Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans \$3.75-4.25 a case. No. 5 cans \$4.00-4.50 a case. No. 2 1-2 cans \$4.25-4.75. No. 1 1-2 cans \$3.60-4.00.

Poultry and Eggs.
HENS—18 & 18c per lb. ROOSTERS—8-9c per lb. YOUNG CHICKENS—7 to 2 1-4 lbs., 35c-55c per lb. TURKEYS—23-25c. DUCKS—\$3.00-\$9.00 per doz. GEENSE—10-12c per lb. EGGS—Fresh 20-21c per doz., new cases included, .20c cases returned. PACKING STOCK BUTTER—15-16c

Grain, Hay and Feed.
HAY—No. 1 prairie \$29.00 per ton, alfalfa \$28.00-30.00 per ton. Johnson grass \$19.00-20.00 per ton. CORN—55c per bu. OATS—60c per bu. CORN CHOPS—\$1.50 per 100 lbs. BRAN—\$1.45-1.55 per 100 lbs. KAFIR CORN—\$1.55-1.60 per 100 lbs. MIXED CHICKEN FEED—Extra quality \$2.50 per 100 lbs., standard grade \$2.10. COTTONSEED MEAL—\$3.55 a ton in 100 lbs. WHITE SHORTS—\$1.80-2.00. BROWN SHORTS—\$1.60-1.70. HOMINY FEED—\$1.50. MILK MAIZE—\$1.60-1.65.

Fresh Vegetables.
EGGPLANT—12 1-2c per lb. GREEN BEANS—12c per lb. LETTUCE—\$1.50-\$4.00 crate. POTATOES— Idaho White 2 1-4c per lb. Burbanks 3c. BEETS—5c per lb., 75c per dozen bunches. CABBAGE—15c-20c per lb. ONIONS—Green, 40-50c doz. bunches. Crystal Wax 6-7c lb. Bermuda 7c per lb. SWEET PEPPERS—25c per lb. PARSLEY—50c per doz. bunches. MUSTARD—10c per lb. 80c per dozen bunches. TOMATOES—\$5.00 per crate. SPINACH—10c per lb. CELERY—\$1.50-2.50 per dozen. TURNIPS—3-5c per lb., 25c per dozen bunches. CAULIFLOWER—15c-25c per lb. NEW POTATOES—5c-8c per lb. CUCUMBER—8c-10c lb. SQUASH—5c-8c lb. SWEET POTATOES—2 1-2c-3c lb. OKRA—20c

Flour and Meal.
FLOUR—48-lb. sacks 24-lb. sacks 12-lb. sacks 25c, 30c, 27c. MEAL—Cream Meal 50 lb. sacks \$1.95, 25-lb. sacks 55c, 10-lb. sacks 25c, 5-lb. sacks 12c.

Packing-House Products.
HAM—Extra 35c per lb., extra skinned 35c. BREAKFAST BACON—8-lbs 35-37c, sliced 40-42c. DRY SALT BELLIES—15c-20c. LARD—15-16c. BEANS—17c-18c. PEPPER LARD—15-16c, compound 14c. OLEOMARGARINE—27-28c. NUT MARGARINE—25-26c. FRESH PORK—Loin 29-27c, ham 24-25c, shoulders 16-18c.

Fresh Fruits.
BANANAS—6 1-2-7 1-2c per lb. LIMES—1.10 per basket. LEMONS—\$8.00-10.00 per box. ORANGES—California navel \$8.00-9.00. Florida \$8.00. COCONUTS—65c each. GRAPEFRUIT—6.00-7.50. STRAWBERRIES—\$5.00-5.50 a crate (quarts). BLACKBERRIES—\$1.00-1.50 a crate (quints).

PROHIBITION HEAD REPORTS ON WORK ACCOMPLISHED

Says Government Saved \$500,000 in Year By Unit Work

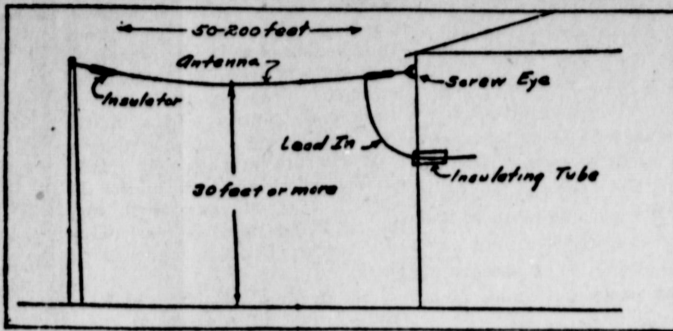
Washington.—Prohibition Commissioner Roy A. Haynes has been in office one year, and within that time, according to his own summary, has completely reorganized the prohibition unit, increased the number of prosecutions and has saved the Government nearly \$500,000.

He also presents a record of 2,076 cases of violations as reported by his general agents force of approximately 240 trained men. Then, too, 60,000 samples of liquor, good and bad, have been examined by his chemists. And, airplane patrols, several submarine chasers and speedy motorboats have been recruited to eliminate smuggling in Southern coast ports.

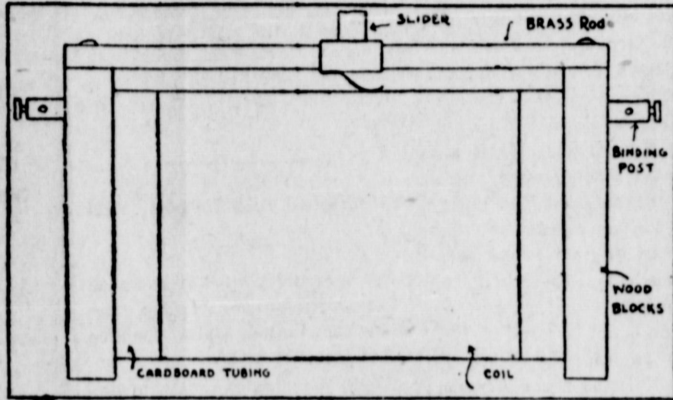
The fact that indictments have been secured against former officials and against other offenders "in the face of what would have been a year ago insurmountable obstacles," indicated, in his opinion, "an intention to hew to the line and play no favorites."

Boy Kills Father in Sleep
Bessie, Ark.—William Delaney, 16 years old, while walking in his sleep, shot and instantly killed his father, Edward Delaney, 60 years old, farmer, near here.

Statement From Crowder Is Asked
Havana.—Due to the silence of President Zelayas with regard to the recommendations of Major General Enoch H. Crowder, President Harding's personal representative in Cuba, for the "moral" reform of the Cuban administration, Carlos M. de la Cruz, a member of Congress, presented to the parliamentary committee of the National League a motion that the House of Representatives request from General Crowder a formal statement of the attitude, recommendations and intentions of the United States Government.



The Antenna.



The Tuner.

RADIO

HOW AMATEUR CAN BUILD A RECEIVER

Instructions for Setting Up the Antenna and for Assembling the Tuner.

In order to pick up sufficient energy with the simple radio receiving set it is necessary to connect one terminal to an antenna consisting of one or more wires suspended in the air and insulated from all grounded material and the other terminal to a ground, usually the water supply pipe. The height of an antenna used with a small receiver should not be less than 30 feet. As the received energy varies directly as the height of an antenna, the higher the antenna the louder will be the signals or voice produced. The length of an antenna for short wave reception should not be less than 50 feet nor should it be longer than 200 feet. The minimum wave length to which a simple receiver can be adjusted for electrical resonance will be above that used by amateurs if the receiver is connected to an antenna 200 feet or more in length.

A simple radiophone receiver capable of picking up radiophone stations similar to KDKA at East Pittsburgh, can be assembled by a novice for from \$4 to \$15, depending upon the builder's ability to use his hands. If the builder will construct most of his apparatus he will appreciate it much more and probably will understand more about its operation than if he buys a set already made. However, for those who have not the ability or the time to spend constructing their own apparatus the following description will not only give the details as to the construction of each component part of a receiver but also what standard ready-made parts can be purchased and used in its stead.

The material can be purchased at any electrical supply store.

In erecting a simple antenna for use with the receiver shown in the diagram, the antenna proper and the lead-in are of stranded hard-drawn copper wire, strand No. 22, costing about 1 cent per foot. The two insulators are of molded material and can be purchased for about 25 cents each. The antenna shown is supported between a house and a pole. It may be found more convenient to support it between a tree and a house, two houses or even between two chimneys on the same house. In bringing down the lead-in care should be taken that it is kept as far away from grounded material as possible and when bringing through the wall or under the window into the house it should be brought through some sort of an insulating tube, such as rubber or bakelite.

In making the ground connection the same kind of wire can be used as was purchased for the antenna. You can clean a section of the water pipe thoroughly and solder the ground wire to it.

MAKING THE TUNER

To make a tuner for this receiver, the following raw material will be required:

- 1 Piece of cardboard tubing three inches outside diameter and five inches long, costing about 10 cents.

100 feet No. 22 double cotton-covered magnet wire costing 25 cents.

Standard slider (see sketch) for 1/4 by 3/4 brass rod, 40 cents.

1 six-inch length of 1/4 by 1/4 brass rod (square) 20 cents.

2 binding posts (see sketch) 20 cents.

2 circular blocks of wood whose diameter is just equal to the inside diameter of the piece of cardboard tubing and between 3-8 and 1-2 inch thick.

Some shellac or varnish is also required.

Starting one-half inch from one end of the cardboard tube wind on the No. 22 D. C. C. wire within one-half inch of the other end of the tube. Fasten one end of the winding to the tube but allow some surplus wire on the other end for making a connection. After the winding is in place give it a coat of shellac or varnish to hold the turns in place. Assemble the circular-cut pieces of wood in the geometrical center of the square blocks and then shellac or varnish them for the appearance's sake.

When thoroughly dry slip the two end blocks into the wound tube and by means of a few finishing brads driven through the cardboard tube, fasten the end blocks to the wound tube. The slider is to be mounted on top of the coil and should be capable of making contact with any turn of the wire on the tube. In order to remove the insulation from the wire just under the rod where the slider moves back and forth, wrap a piece of sandpaper around a thin piece of wood and using another piece of wood as a guide, sandpaper the insulation from the winding. Drill a hole one-eighth inch in diameter through the slider rod about one-fourth inch in from each end so that the rod can be fastened by screws to the end blocks. After the slider rod is fastened in place see that the contact finger on the bottom of the slider can at all times make good contact with the winding. Mount a binding post on either end of the coil, attaching one by means of a wire to the slider rod and the other to the end of the wire wound on the tube and the tuner is complete. A tuner can be purchased already assembled for about \$3.50 to \$4.00.

LINKING MOVIE AND RADIO

British Scientists Have Some Success in Wireless Transmission of Motion Pictures.

British scientists are reported to have met with more or less success in developing a method of transferring motion pictures by radio. Some months ago a photograph was transferred by wireless from the Copenhagen newspaper, the Politiken, to England and later from England to a ship in mid Atlantic, so that the possibility of linking the movies with the new art is not remote.

If perfected the new development of the already versatile art will make it possible for one to see on his own receiving instrument things that are happening at a great distance. For instance, a ship is sinking at sea. The transmitting station of the vessel, instead of sending a message of the disaster, sends a picture that anyone with a receiving set will be able to see just as the present broadcasting programs are heard.

That all sounds remote now, but the telephone was considered even more so, and the wireless, even after Marconi's immortal message had bridged the Atlantic, was generally believed to be akin to the idea of perpetual motion.

IRISH CONSTITUTION SPECIFIES SUFFRAGE

LENGTHY DOCUMENT IS MADE PUBLIC COVERING ALL BRITISH RELATIONS

London.—The new Irish Constitution has been made public. It is a lengthy document of more than 15,000 words, covering the whole range of British-Irish relations.

It stipulates that if any of its provisions or any law made under the Constitution is in any respect repugnant to any of the provisions of the Anglo-Irish treaty, it shall, to the extent only of such repugnance of the treaty, be absolutely void and inoperative. The Constitution provides for universal adult suffrage, including women who have reached the age of 21 years.

The oath of allegiance is provided under Art. 17 of the Constitution in the following words:

"I do solemnly swear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the Irish Free State as by law established and that I will be faithful to His Majesty, King George V., and his heirs and successors by law and in virtue of the common citizenship of Ireland and Great Britain and her adherent to and membership of the group of nations forming the British commonwealth of nations."

The Constitution provides that the oath of allegiance shall be taken and subscribed to by every member of Parliament of the Irish Free State before taking his seat therein. The oath shall be taken and subscribed to before a representative of the crown or some person authorized by him.

Art. 46 of the new Irish Constitution gives the Parliament of the Irish Free State exclusive right to regulate the raising and maintenance of such armed force as are mentioned in the Anglo-Irish treaty, and such forces shall be subject to the control of the Parliament.

Art. 48 provides that "except in case of actual invasion the Irish Free State shall not be committed to active participation in any war without the assent of the Free State Parliament."

MANY MORE MURDERS LAID AT DOOR OF TURKS

1,300 Christian Women and Children Are Reported Killed By Turk Troops.

London.—Charges that 1,300 Christian women and children were taken by the Turks from Savaura on the Black Sea to the interior and massacred near Kavak two weeks ago are contained in a telegram received by the Greek defense committee here from Archbishop Helottis Metaxakis, Greek patriarch of Constantinople.

The British Government has agreed that the French proposal to limit the period to be covered by the investigation into atrocities in Asia Minor to the last year, it was said in well-informed circles, but has declined to attempt to punish the guilty in view of the American attitude which favors merely making known the facts in the case.

The British have also declined to reinvestigate alleged Greek excesses during the evacuation of Iamld last June.

The appointment of a commission for the Asia Minor investigation, it was said, is to be left to the four commissioners in Constantinople.

5 Children Born to Woman

Monroe, La.—Five children were born to Mrs. William Prestage, wife of a farmer in the Old Floyd neighborhood, sixty miles northeast of Monroe, according to word received here. Five years ago she became the mother of triplets.

Sell Kaiser's Memoirs.

Berlin.—World's rights, both serial and in book form of memoirs of ex-emperor William of Germany have been sold to an American syndicate for a quarter of million dollars. McClure's Syndicate controls the serial rights. Serial publication will begin September 1. Harpers will issue the memoirs in book form in November. The book contains 80,000 words.

6,100 Tons of Sugar to Be Shipped.

Houston, Texas.—Shipment of 6,100 tons of refined sugar to Holland and Germany from the Imperial Refinery at Sugarland through the port of Houston will begin with the sailing of the S. S. Dominion Miller, which has arrived on her maiden trip from England and is loading at Pier 8, turning basin. She will take 300 tons to Antwerp, completing her cargo with cotton here.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

IN CALLAHAN COUNTY

One Year.....\$1.50
Six Months..... .80
Three Months..... .50

OUTSIDE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY:

One Year.....\$2.00
Six Months..... 1.25
Three Months..... .75

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Our farmers and stockmen are or should be more interested in a new Senator who can aid them to get out of the slough of dispond, rather than a man who was an original prohibitionist and never had an original idea on anything else.

Sovietism is said to be gaining strength in Mexico. Anarchy in Mexico for twelve years has about ruined Mexico, and if it goes Bolshevik the job will be completed, as results in Russia show. Sovietism, like a pestilence, means death to any nation that it attacks.

Last week The Star mentioned the fact that Alexander Howat, a general disturber in labor meetings, would not be at the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor this year, being in jail in Kansas, but his spirit is there it seems. The lie was hurled back and forth by Lynal and President John Lewis over a resolution referring to Howat. The Miner's Union expelled Howat last year and did a good deed. Men like Howat have done Union Labor much harm, because of their extreme radicalism.

Senator Culberson has been honored more than any Texan. For thirty-two years he has served the State, as Attorney-general, Governor and United States Senator—now serving his fourth term as Senator. Few young people in Texas have ever seen him. Thousands of voters, born since he was elected to the Senate twenty-four years ago, have never seen him. Senator Culberson has served the people faithfully and well, but he should give way to a younger man, who can mix up with the best of them in any kind of a scrap.

Charley Culberson could do this when he first went to the Senate and did do it, but for twelve years little has been heard of him, and it seems that his health has been so impaired that he can only attend to routine business, but not mix up in debate. Senator Lodge, five years the senior of Senator Culberson, is the leader of his party in the Senate after thirty-two years in Congress.

If Senator Culberson was in good health we would vote for him in preference to any man in Texas, but he is in ill health and has been for twelve years, and he ought to retire while retiring is good. He forced Col. Roger Q. Mills, the ablest man Texas ever sent to Congress out of the race twenty-four years ago, when he had only served one term in the Senate.

The Senatorial race is becoming interesting. Culberson, Mayfield, Thomas, Henry and Owsley, all seem to have good crowns at speak-

ings. One thing noted by different writers is that Clarence Owsley is gaining. As to ability, character and a knowledge of what Texas really needs in a new Senator, none excel Clarence Owsley. He is able, conscientious, safe, sane and conservative, on all issues, but not reactionary. He appeals to the sound judgment and common sense of the voters for support, does not appeal to the prejudices or passions of the current hour, but talks plain common sense to the voters.

It remains to be seen whether the public want a man in the Senate from Texas who understands the needs of the farmers, stockmen and all other classes, or one who appeals for support because he is a prohibitionist, anti prohibitionist, Ku Klux, er or anti Ku Kluxer. Is it not time for Texas Democrats to put a man in the Senate that has something else to recommend him besides being an original prohibitionist or because he is a Ku Kluxer or something else?

Prohibition is not an issue in this campaign. An aspirant who is fighting the Volstead law will be the hindmost candidate in the race is our guess. Prohibition, right or wrong, is here to stay, and we had just as well recognize that fact. All the candidates recognize that fact and all the beating the air by candidates warning the public that prohibition is in danger is all folderol, to throw dust in the eyes of the voters.

Vote for a man who is running on his own merits, not on dead issues, like prohibition, or an ethereal issue like the Ku Klux, that will pass away long before the term of the next Senator expires.

BAIRD IS YOUR TOWN

Make of me what you will—I shall reflect you as clearly as a mirror throws back a candle beam.

If I am pleasing to the eye of the stranger within my gates, if I am such a sight as, having seen me, he will remember me all his days as a thing of beauty, the credit is yours.

Ambition and opportunity call some of my sons and daughters to high tasks and mighty privileges, to my greater honor and to my good repute in far places, but it is not chiefly those who are my strength.

My strength is in those who remain, who are content with what I can offer them, and with what they can offer me. It was the greatest of all Romans who said:

"Better be first in a little Iberian village than be second in Rome."

I am—your Town of Baird—more than wood and brick and stone, more even than flesh and blood—I am the composite soul of all who call me Home.

I am Your Town!

PATSIE COMMENDS CANDIDATES

Oplin, 6-19-'22.

Well, Uncle Billie, how are you and The Star force?

I am sure some of the readers of The Star are wondering what has become of Patsie. Well, you know we farmers are awful busy just now. I spent two days in Baird, at court. I sure did enjoy myself. You know when a fellow stays away from Baird as long as I have, he sure enjoys being there and meeting so many of his old friends.

I love Baird and her good people. I am glad to see Baird improving. So many new homes. Long live Baird.

Well, crops look good. Row stuff is good. Wheat is going to be very good. Oats is just fine. You know good crops mean lots to the county.

I am looking for a good price for cotton this fall. Plenty of money won't hurt anybody. We can pay our debts then.

I met my old friend, Ben Allen, of Oplin, at court. You know Ben Allen deserves lots of credit. When Ben came to Baird, a mere boy, he worked for T. E. Powell, in the dry

goods business; later for E. M. Wristen, in the grocery business. He worked hard and made goods. Then he moved to Oplin, where he worked for Wristen & Johnson as manager. Today he owns one of the largest general stores in the county and besides this he owns a good 200 acre farm at Oplin. How did Ben climb so high up in the world? I can tell you: By hitting the ball 365 days in the year. Keep on climbing, Ben, is the wish of Patsie.

I am meeting lots of candidates now. I want to compliment them all for running a clean race. We all like clean politics.

I met my old, true friend Uncle Tom Norrell, the old war hero, a real man. Uncle Tom loves his old friends and likes to talk with them.

With best wishes to all my Star friends,
Patsie.

CLARENCE OUSLEY'S PLAIN TALK

In a speech delivered at Lampasas Wednesday, Clarence Owsley, candidate for United States Senator, said in part:

"With the close of the campaign only thirty days off, the time has come for plain speaking, and I shall exercise the privilege of free speech even at the peril of seeming to be immodest.

"I have yet to visit a county where I am not told that many men prefer me but have been told by friends of opposing candidates that I cannot win. It is not for me to say that I am the best qualified man for United States Senator, but when other men say it and then say that I cannot be elected, I resent the statement as an insult to the intelligence and patriotism of the people.

"I now make bold to say what I have refrained from saying before. I have waited until I have visited more than half the populous counties in the State. I profess some skill as a political observer and I am taking pains not to fool myself. I declare the firm belief that if the people who have not yet committed themselves, divide in the ratio of those who are committed, then it is certain that the Democrats of Texas will have a chance to vote for me or against me in the second primary.

"My supporters are not vehement or loud mouthed. They are the quiet, substantial, thoughtful and industrious farmers, merchants, bankers and thinking men of Texas, who understand the real issue before the nation, who approve my views and who are undisturbed by old prejudices, by irrelevant questions and by passing whims. They realize that the Senatorship is a man-sized job, that it should not be conferred as a distinction or a reward but as a task to be performed by intelligence and industry.

"I dislike to say this and I do so only because I am unwilling longer to permit designing men and ignorant men to deceive the people with the slander that a thoughtful and qualified man cannot be elected without appealing to passion or clique.

"I am not so bold as to say I will be elected, but I dare say that if the citizens who approve my views and believe me fit for the office will vote their convictions, I am certain to be elected. I know as thoroughly as I know my name that in mind and heart, in purpose and policy, I am in accord with a majority of the Democrats of Texas."

PRESBYTERIAN REGULAR SERVICES

Rev. J. P. Walker, agent for The Presbyterian Advance, preached at both services Sunday. In the morning he brought a practical message on "Thought as a Builder of Character." In the evening he delivered an inspirational message on "Seeing Visions."

We will have our regular services next Sunday morning and evening. As we plan now the morning theme will be: "Why We are Glad to Go to Church." Evening theme: "The Believer's Experience of the Spiritual and the Unseen." Come and be with us.

Cordially,
Gerald Fitzgerald, Pastor.

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PERSONALS

"Flashes of Action", the official war picture at the Sigal Theatre, on July 10th and 11th.

Mr and Mrs. R. F. Jones, of Greenville are visiting relatives in Baird, Eula and Abilene, this week.

Mrs. R. B. Landran, Jr., of Parks, is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. Otis Bowyer, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brown, of Cisco visited relatives in Baird, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Alice Gilliland left Tuesday for Chicago, where she will attend the summer session of the Chicago University.

The school election at Eula, held last Saturday, to increase the maintenance tax from 50c to \$1, carried by a vote of 32 to 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Leonard, of Shreveport, La., are visiting Mrs. Leonard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lones.

See what modern warfare is as told by the camera. "Flashes of Action at Sigal Theatre, July 10th and 11th.

Mrs. Russell Hart and children, of Abilene, spent the week end with Mrs. Hart's mother, Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth.

Mrs. Joe Mitchell was called to Cisco, Tuesday, by the death of her brother-in-law, Will Prewitt, who formerly lived near Putnam.

Will Steffen, brother of Mrs. Frank E. Stanley, who has been the sometime guest of his sister and brother-in-law, has gone to Louisiana.

Otis Bowyer, Jr., of Dallas, and Misses Aurelia and Mary Bowyer, of Fort Worth, spent the week end with their parents, Judge and Mrs. Otis Bowyer, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes went to Fort Worth Sunday to meet their little grandson, Fred Estes, of Oklahoma City, who will spend the summer with them.

Mrs. C. A. Grisham and little granddaughter, Cordelia Grisham, from the Hart community, were pleasant callers at The Star office, Tuesday.

Mrs. M. M. Terry returned yesterday morning from a three week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Morgan, at Mobetic, Texas.

M. E. Wakefield and C. C. Neeb have sold their interest in the First Guaranty State Bank, of Cross Plains to J. H. Hulme, of Dallas and B. F. Simmons, of Graham.

Master Frank E. Stanley, Jr., has been the guest of Clark Smith this week, out at the latter's hospitable ranch farm, and declares that he has had the time of his young life.

Lawyer L. L. Blackburn has leased the room recently occupied by the Baird Light, Power & Ice Company, has had it furnished up and furnished sumptuously, and will make it his legal headquarters.

"Flashes of Action", is not a posed war picture. Some of the scenes were filmed by men who lost their lives. See this wonderful picture at Sigal Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, July 10th and 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dickson, who are now located at San Bernardino, California, in a recent letter to their friends the Frank E. Stanleys, express themselves as entranced with their new home. "The Santa Fe shops here," declares the letter, "are as large as the whole town of Baird. We are right in the heart of the orange belt and have fruits and flowers galore. The climate is delightful, the views are grand, the roads are the finest ever, we are only sixty miles from Los Angeles and altogether it is a most delightful spot to live—and work in."

J. B. Morrisett, Chairman of the Lanham voting precinct, was in Baird Monday to attend the meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee.

A petition is being circulated to hold an election to consolidate Dudley District No. 38, in Callahan County with Lisman District, in Taylor County, which, if successful, will give that section a 3-term rural school.

In the mention of K. Alex Ogilvy's candidacy for District Clerk in last week's Star, the assertion that his home is at "Caddo Peak", was erroneous. He really lives three miles northeast of Cross Plains.

By an oversight last week we failed to call attention to the announcement of W. F. (Frank) Youngblood as a candidate for Constable of the Baird Precinct. Mr. Youngblood is well qualified to discharge the duties of this office. He is worthy of and will appreciate your support.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schwartz, who spent three months at Mayo Bros. Sanitarium, Rochester, Minn., returned home on the 15th. Both are improved in health we are glad to know. Herman says this is a great institution, but rather expensive for a protracted visit.

Mr and Mrs. J. R. McFarlane returned home Tuesday night from Mayo Bros. Sanitarium at Rochester Minn., where Mrs. McFarlane underwent an operation for the removal of a goiter. We are glad to learn that the operation was completely successful.

Miss Flora Thomas entertained a few of her friends Monday at a birthday party, from three to five o'clock. Games were played by everyone until time for refreshments. Ice cream and coco cola were served. Those present were Misses Eliza Pruitt, Opal Corn, Mae Carlile and Mary Bounds.

J. A. Smith, who conducts a prosperous grocery and creamery at Stephenville, is here for a vacation as the guest of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williamson. The former is storekeeper at Baird of the Texas & Pacific Railway Company.

Announced by the shrieking siren on its engine, the train de luxe of Moslah Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, of Fort Worth, on their return from the National Convention in San Francisco, reached Baird at 4:40 p. m. Monday and stopped here about ten minutes.

Mrs. W. T. Hensley and little daughter left Monday morning for Chattanooga, Tenn., where Mrs. Hensley was called by the illness of her sister. Mrs. Hensley and the little boy also left the same day on an automobile trip to Corinth, Miss. where Mrs. Hensley and the little girl will join them later for the return trip. They expect to be gone five or six weeks.

THANKING KINDLY FRIENDS

To the kindly sympathetic friends who gave us such timely aid in our late bereavement, following the sudden death of our dear father, T. J. Norrell, we desire to extend our grateful thanks and especially do we appreciate the gifts of beautiful and fragrant flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norrell, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Norrell, Mrs. Mittie Wilson and family, Tommie Norrell.

COYOTES DEFEATED BY DUDLEY

At T-P Park Friday, the Baird Coyotes were defeated by the Dudley Farmers by a score of 2 to 1.

Broadfoot, pitching for Dudley, was never in trouble, striking out twelve men and allowing them only three scattered hits, while Dudley got to Rawleigh Ray, of Baird, for seven hits. Baird's only run was made on an error.

Batteries for Dudley: Broadfoot and Crow; for Baird: Ray and Ray.

TENDERING GRATEFUL THANKS

We desire to tender our grateful thanks to those kindly sympathetic friends who gave us consolation and neighborly help during the illness and after the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Wm. K. Davis, and for the beautiful floral offerings, that were fragrant tributes to her worth.

Wm. K. Davis,

Mrs. Cornelia Floyd, of Watsonville, California; Ed Davis, Admiral; J. C. Davis, Kansas City, Missouri; Mrs. J. C. Rucker, Opalin; Mrs. Ralph Harris, Houston; Mrs. Allie Smith, Grand Prairie.

MASONIC OFFICERS

The following is a list of officers elected by Baird Chapter No. 182, R. A. M. for the coming year:

H. Schwartz, High Priest
Royce Gilliland, King
T. E. Summers, Scribe
T. E. Powell, Treasurer
Martin Barnhill, Sec.
L. L. Blackburn, C. of H.
C. B. Holmes, P. S.
J. F. Greenrock, R. A. C.
A. D. Williams, M. of 1st V.
R. G. Howell, M. of 2nd V.
J. R. Wilkes, M. of 3rd V.
B. L. Russell, Chaplain
J. M. Monroe, Guard

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

The Rev. W. P. Gerheart will hold services at the Episcopal Church next Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

NOTICE, PARENTS.

I contemplate opening a Piano Studio at the residence of Mr. Harry Ebert in September, and wish to solicit your patronage. I have had several years' experience teaching. Have studied under excellent teachers and am taking a special teacher's course this summer. My class will be limited as to number. For further particulars see C. E. Strain.

29-2 Best Strain-Curry

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Alexander Meander, Dick's uncle, Blamed but blameless Ed Merrell
Harris, Comfort's man-servant Winton Loveless
Mrs. Clementina Meander, Dick's aunt, blameless, but blamed India Mae Ramsey
Edith Comfort, Dick's wife, "Unknown, unhonored and unsung" Elouise Haley
Sally, Mrs. Meanders' Maid Luella Farmer

ADMISSION: 20c and 35c. Reserved Seats 15c Extra

SILVIA DREAMS

By AGNES GRAHAM BROGAN

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The violin stood in a corner of the shed where shabby sweaters and faded hats of men who worked, hung, nearby. This outer kitchen was a place where Silvia pured potatoes in summer time—and dreamed her dreams.

Silvia was not a child; stored in her quiet head were wise philosophies and happy beliefs. These beliefs she intended by faith and effort to bring true. But the summer boarders who flocked yearly to Mrs. Haskins' cheery home were unaware of Silvia's wisdom; her dreams had long been a source of general amusement. Mrs. Haskins, good natured and indulgent loved to enlarge upon Silvia's visions.

"She sure is an odd piece," Mrs. Haskins would say, "and has been ever since I took her out of the orphanage, six years ago. She was fourteen then, and I know why I fancied that she'd be a help to me, but I did. And Silvia is a great help with all her notions; that's the strange part. They called her Ann, there, for want of a true name, but as soon as Miss Ann comes here she looks at me decided, out of her big black eyes and says: 'From now on, Mrs. Haskins, I am Silvia. I always did want a pretty name, and I guess I've as good a right to choose it as the asylum. Silvia is the kind of name my mother would have chosen.'"

"What," asked a boarder, "did the child know of her mother?" "Nothing," Mrs. Haskins replied, "except what they told us at the institution. Silvia had been rescued when a baby from a deserted tenement room, where her young dead father lay with his cold hand on her tiny warm body. Silvia's mother had died in the same room at the child's birth. The two young people had come there just before, and no one knew a thing about them—except, that the man played a violin.

"That," asked a sympathetic young woman, "that is her father's violin, which Silvia keeps in the shed?"

"Bless you no!" laughed Mrs. Haskins, "her father's violin was taken for debt. The one Silvia has, was a premium offered by a grocery concern.

"Do you think," asked the interested young woman, "that Silvia would play for us? After the dinner dishes are out of the way, I mean?" "I am sure," responded the smiling hostess, "that she would not. Silvia goes far into the wood to play her music."

"She is then a queer little thing," agreed the guest.

Tears filled the elder woman's eyes. "And a dear little thing, too," she said.

Silvia slipped down from the stool where she had been polishing kitchen faucets, then from beneath a farm worker's hanging green sweater, she drew her violin; and far in the wood where shadows were deepest, she raised it lovingly to her chin.

A man in a cabin flung his book quickly aside, and hastening through the doorway came noiselessly toward the player. Close to her he halted, his eyes filled with wonder; breathlessly he listened. And then, as the last bird note echoed and echoed still again softly across the strings of Silvia's violin, the man faced her. She gazed startled. "I thought no one was near," she reproved him. "Are you so selfish with your music?" he asked.

"The dark eyes were suddenly bright. "Is it then, music?" she asked eagerly, "real—music? And do you understand?"

The man sat down beside her. "I understand music so well," he replied, "that I am out here in the woods nursing the disappointment of failure. For you see—I realize that all the skill I have will not compensate for lack of—genius. Your music is genius."

Silvia looked down at him sorrowfully.

"Without skill," she said. "See here," asked the man sharply, "who are you, where do you come from? I have kept hidden in my shack for days, fearing that my presence might startle you away; yet you, playing played upon my heart strings because it is such as I had hoped to create. Tell me—about yourself?"

So Silvia told him. He listened as others had not listened to her dreaming; understanding, believing.

"You are right," he said at last, "your father has bequeathed his gift to you. What are you going to do with it?"

"This," cried Silvia, and rose to her feet.

"This is the song that my father would have played when death called him."

Over the tree tops the enchanted melody rippled. Against the girl's round chin the violin sang wondrously of life, of joy, of sorrow. And when the song finished the man leaned closely forward.

"You," he said, "must take that

money which I intended to spend on study; you shall fulfill my—ambition."

And when later, a great ship started upon its voyage across the waters, little Silvia stood high on the deck waving her good-byes. She smiled cheerily into the rosy face of Mrs. Haskins; and then turned; that her last farewell might be to the man who watched her intently from shore. And into the eyes of Silvia flamed a sudden new dream. A dream of love come when both her purpose and this man's hope for her should be realized. And Silvia, has the faith of her dreaming.



VACUUM TUBE USED AS RADIO DETECTOR

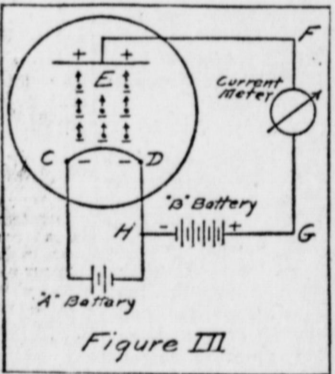
How This Device Depends on Emission and Control of Electrons for Its Operation.

Readers of the radio column are urged to clip each article and paste it in a file book. The articles printed are continuous and the entire series will be valuable for reference.

The greatest advances made in the past few years in the radio art have been due in one way or another to the use of vacuum tubes. In view of this fact a more careful consideration of them will be of interest.

All of these tubes, known by a variety of names, such as radiotron, audion, seriotron (trade names of the manufacturer) depend upon the same fundamental principles for their operation. For the sake of simplicity of brevity these will be referred to in this column simply as vacuum tubes. A vacuum tube can be made to function as a detector, as an amplifier, or as an oscillator.

The vacuum tube depends on the emission and control of electrons for its operation. The electron is the smallest subdivision of matter which mankind recognizes and it carries the smallest known charge of negative electricity. For years previous to electron research it had been held by scientists that matter was built up of distinct particles or units which they called atoms and molecules. At first the molecule was assumed to be the smallest quantity of matter that could have a separate existence or take part in chemical action, but more vigorous research pointed to the fact that the molecule is made up of still smaller elements which are termed atoms; that is, a molecule may be composed of several atoms. Then for a time it was assumed that the atom was the very smallest quantity of an element that could exist, but later researches have revealed that atoms may be further subdivided into particles



called electrons. The apparent mass of an electron is about one-eighteenth-hundredth part of that of an atom of hydrogen which is the smallest of the chemical atoms.

According to the electron theory an atom consists of a definite number of electrons grouped around a nucleus having a positive charge and so long as none of the component electrons are driven from the atom, the latter possess no detectable charge. The positive charge on the nucleus is said to be exactly neutralized by the negative charges on the electrons grouped about it.

Suppose now that by some means an electron can be detached from the atom. Then the atom becomes what is known as a positive ion and it exhibits the properties of a positively charged body, or in other words since an electron which carries a negative charge has been removed from the atom which has equal positive and negative charges, the portion of the atom now remaining has a deficiency of negative charge and acts like any positively charged body.

On the other hand if some force can be brought to bear that will add an electron to a normal atom which is neutral as far as electrical charges are measured, the result will be a negative ion, which will possess all the properties of a negatively charged

body. An atom then which has a deficiency of electrons is called a positive ion and one having excess of electrons is called a negative ion.

Since each electron carries a negative charge of electricity an electron represents a certain quantity of electricity. Forcing electrons to move from one point to another causes electricity to flow. The ability of any medium to conduct electricity or allow a current to flow through it depends upon the number of free electrons available as carriers of charges.

It has been known for many years that the space surrounding a piece of heated metal is a conductor of electricity. It has been demonstrated more recently that this is due to the release of electrons and that if an incandescent metal be placed in a bulb exhausted of all gases, pure electrons will be liberated from the incandescent metal.

In a vacuum tube such as we are using at the present time, the piece of metal used to furnish the electrons is called the filament and is usually made of tungsten and sometimes is coated with oxides to increase the electron emission. For convenience the filament of a vacuum tube is heated by a battery current and it is this heat furnished by the battery current that constitutes the force that disrupts the atoms of the filament and liberates electrons.

Fig. III is a spherical glass bulb from which all the air and gases have been exhausted and having mounted in it a filament C-D which can be heated to incandescence by the "A" battery connected to it, and the metallic plate E. When the filament C-D is heated to incandescence by the "A" battery connected across its terminals electrons are emitted. Connecting the cold plate E to the incandescent filament C-D by means of the circuit E-F-G-H which includes a current meter and a "B" battery, with its negative side connected to the filament lead at H and its positive side connected through the current meter, the plate becomes electrically positive with respect to the filament.

Since like charges repel and unlike charges attract, there will be a movement of electrons from the filament

to the positively charged plate, and the current meter will show a deflection which indicates that a current is flowing in the circuit E-F-G-H.

Increasing the "B" battery voltage causes an increase in the current flowing in the circuit E-F-G-H, the plate circuit, until the positive charge on the plate E is so strong that all of the electrons given off by the filament are attracted to it. Assuming that the temperature of the filament is kept constant and that the plate voltage has been increased to the point where all of the electrons given off by the filament are attracted to it, any further increases in the "B" battery voltage will not cause any increase in the current in the plate circuit.

Increasing the temperature of the filament will increase the total number of the electrons emitted.

FRISCO TALKS TO HONOLULU

New Radio Station at the Presidio Can Be Heard Half Way Around the Globe.

"Hello, Honolulu." That may sound like fiction, but it is a reality, nevertheless.

The new radio station at the Presidio, San Francisco, with aerial conditions right, can be heard half way around the globe. Officials in charge of construction declare it to be the most powerful vacuum tube transmitter on the Pacific coast.

Located on the highest point in the Presidio, overlooking San Francisco bay, two 150-foot aerial towers to augment its efficiency, the new station will command similar stations in Salt Lake City and Cheyenne.

Radiophones on German Trains.

Wireless telephone instruments will be installed on a number of important German express trains, and receiving instruments will be placed in hotels and embassies, according to an announcement made recently. Experiments conducted in a moving freight car have shown that the wireless system works well, the men engaged in

the testing of the instruments being able to hold conversations with friends in Berlin. The tests were made under the observation of engineers, military attaches and the diplomatic representatives of the United States and Sweden.

Handling Vacuum Tubes.

When you handle the vacuum tubes of your receiver great care should be exercised that they are not knocked about or that the elements are broken. These little lamps are the heart and soul of the set. A good way to operate these tubes is to keep the glow just a little below the critical point.

OF BEAD-TRIMMED CREPE



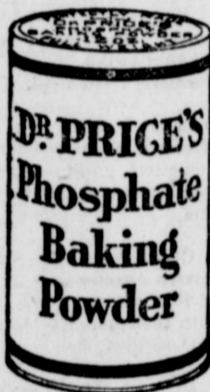
When you go in quest of a new blouse keep in mind two phrases—"crepe de chine" and "over the skirt," and in all the displays you will find the blouses repeating them. There are many simple over-the-skirt styles similar to the pretty blouse shown here, and they invite the seamstress to try her hand at blouse making. This is made of a colored crepe, with white in the collar and cuffs, ornamented with stitching of silk floss and trimmed with beads.

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The Summer Cloud

It is a bright summer day. You're working hard in your office or in your store, and your wife is working hard at home.

Suddenly the summer day is no longer bright. Great thunder clouds cover all the heavens.

Immediately, thousands of hands in factories, in offices, in homes, reach for a switch or a button and turn on the light. The response is instantaneous.

As far as its obscuring power is concerned the summer thunder cloud is vanquished.

Under the clear electric lights, work goes on as before.

This is made possible by the constant vigilance of employees in the electric light and power stations, who, upon the first indication of a cloud in the sky, or of approaching night, prepare additional generators for instantaneous service, fire up the boilers, or open the water gates and start up the turbines, so that there may be no flickering of lights and no delay in the response of electrical energy when it is needed.

On a cloudy or stormy day more electrical energy is needed, and, therefore, more equipment is required to handle the load than during the bright, sunny days.

All this means equipment.

And equipment means capital.

Capital means investment by thrifty American men and women who look for a fair return upon their money.

Already, in addition to banks and insurance companies which have invested and loaned millions of dollars, there are 1,450,000 individual American investors in the electric light and power industry. They expect fair treatment from the public of which they are a part.

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ADVICE FOR AMATEURS.

The voltages applied to the plate circuits of amplifying tubes are not extremely critical and one voltage control will suffice. The detector tube, however, is often very critical and an efficient potentiometer will work wonders in controlling it.

Apparatus used for the reception of broadcasting is exactly the same as that used for the reception of code signals. The transmitting equipment, however, is different.

The use of a single wire for reception is advantageous because it lessens the amount of objectional interference in the way of static. It is equally as good as a multiple wire system for reception.

Defective "B" batteries will often cause roaring in the telephone receivers.

The electron often talked about is the smallest known quantity of negative electrical energy. In motion it makes up the electric current.

A "soft" vacuum tube is used as a detector tube and a "hard" vacuum tube as an amplifier. The terms "hard" and "soft" refer to degree of evacuation.

Radio waves travel at the same speed as light, namely 186,000 miles per second.

A wavemeter is an instrument used for checking up the wave lengths of sending and receiving stations.

Gas pipe or water pipe systems may be used for grounds, the latter being more advisable.

Lightning protection secured by grounding the antenna when not in use is essential and is required by the underwriters.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to make the following announcement, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary

For District Attorney:

L. W. Green, Baird.
W. P. Mahaffey, Abilene
M. S. Long, of Albany.
J. R. Black, of Baird,

For County Tax Collector:

Clyde White.
Oral D. Strahan, Cottonwood.
W. C. Martin, of Baird.

For Sheriff:

G. H. Corn (re-election).
C. E. Bray, Belle Plaine.
D. W. Pool, of Eula.
J. F. Tucker, Belle Plaine.

For Tax Assessor:

Wm. J. Evans, Cottonwood.
W. L. Bowlus, Baird.
John E. Tatum, Belle Plaine.
Willie T. Wilcoxon, Cottonwood.
G. E. Printz Baird.
J. F. (Frank) Collins, of Clyde

For County Judge:

Victor B. Gilbert, of Putnam.
J. Rupert Jackson, Baird.

For County Attorney:

B. F. Russell, of Putnam.

For County Treasurer:

Mrs. J. Roy Jackson, of Baird.

For District Clerk:

Roy D. Williams, reelection.
F. Alex Ogilvy
Mrs. J. Winston Hearn

For County Clerk:

Grady G. Respass, reelection.

For County Superintendent:

B. C. Chrisman, reelection.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

A. R. Kelton, re-election.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:

J. H. Carpenter, of Dudley.
J. B. Dickson, Oplin.
J. C. Steakley, of Oplin.
W. Y. Cleveland, Rowden.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:

Sam McClendon, of Admiral.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 4

H. Windham.

For Constable, Pre. No. 1.

W. F. Youngblood

ELECTION ORDER

Be it ordered by the board of trustees of Baird Independent School District that an election be held at the City Hall in the City of Baird, in said Baird Independent School District on the 24th day of June, 1922, to determine whether the board of trustees of said district shall have power to annually levy and collect a tax upon all taxable property in said district for the support and maintenance of public free schools in said Baird Independent School District, of and at the rate of not exceeding one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property in the district: such tax, if voted, to be levied and collected for the year 1922 and annually thereafter unless it be discontinued as provided by law.

R. G. Powell is hereby appointed manager of said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same.

None but property taxpayers who are qualified voters in said Baird Independent School District shall vote at said election.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law.

L. L. Blackburn,
President

Board of Trustees of Baird Independent School District.

Attest: J. F. Greenrock,
Secretary.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of an order made by the board of trustees of Baird Independent School District at a meeting by said board held on the 24th day of May, 1922.

J. F. Greenrock,
Secretary.

Board of Trustees of Baird Independent School District. 26.4t

PRESIDENT THREATENS TO CALL EXTRA SESSION

ADMINISTRATION SEEMS DETERMINED TO PRESS FIGHT FOR ACTION NOW.

Washington.—Warning by President Harding that he would feel obligated to call Congress in special session if it failed to take up the ship subsidy bill prior to adjournment, was supplemented by a White House announcement that the administration was determined to press unremittingly for action now.

The President's views on the question of an extraordinary session were set forth in a letter written May 26 to Chairman Campbell of the House Rules Committee expressing hope that the committee in charge of legislative machinery would open the way for speedy consideration of the measure. Copies were obtained meanwhile by the Merchant Marine Committee framing the bill and the notice served by the President will rally many persons to its support, Republican committeemen declared.

While the merchant marine committee was working rapidly to have the bill in shape for the House Representative Davis, Tennessee, launched the first minority attack on it, declaring it "vicious" in its provisions, and that it gave more power to the Shipping Board than "good men ought to want, or bad men ought to have."

On the heels of this, Representative Gullivan, Massachusetts, attacked the board for permitting the sale of liquor on vessels flying the American flag, displaying a photostat copy of the wine list on the steamship President Pierce, which, he charged, was printed out of money appropriated by the Government.

Encyclopedia Firm Head Dies.

Mount Kisco, N. Y.—Horace Everett Hooper, president of the Encyclopedia Britannica Company, died of heart trouble at his home in Bedford Hills. He was 62 years old.

Terrell Masons to Build.

Terrell, Texas.—The Masonic lodge of this city is arranging to build a temple. Bids for the construction have been asked. The new building is to be modern in every respect.

Motions for rehearing were overruled by the Court of Criminal Appeals in three forgery cases against Henry Monckton, from Dallas. Punishment in two cases was five years and two years in the other.

"Constitutional Limitations and Social Justice" was the title of the commencement address delivered to the graduates of the University of Texas by Samuel T. Bledsoe of Chicago, general attorney for the Santa Fe.

Sentence of eighteen months at Leavenworth was passed upon Herman P. Childress, a negro, by Federal Judge Duval West for using the mails with intention to defraud. Childress entered a plea of guilty.

Approval was given by the railroad commission to the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad of Texas to dismantle its present shops at Denison and to construct new shops and terminal facilities there, to cost approximately \$3,000,000.

Hearing of the complaint made by United States District Attorney against the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company for alleged violation of the hours of service act has been continued until the next term of the Federal Court.

Suit brought in the Federal Court by Fritz Haberlin, proprietor of a confectionery at Pflugerville, Travis County, against David H. Morris, Federal prohibition director for Texas, involved a ten-gallon keg of punch which Haberlin seeks to recover.

The case of Ben Little from Wichita County, convicted on a charge of intent to commit robbery, was reversed and dismissed by the Court of Criminal Appeals because the indictment was returned by a grand jury not secured according to law.

In charging the Federal grand jury Judge Duval West declared that "the United States is as much interested in the innocence of a man as it is in his guilt, and if you are inclined to lean either way, favor the man against whom a charge has been made."

The right of private contract is being used to the detriment of both the farmer and the local cotton buyer, the producer paying all dockages that may be made as a result of the prevailing price-fixing system, according to Chas. H. Baughman, commissioner of markets and warehouse.

There will be no opposition by the railroads of Texas to the proposition of the State Railroad Commission to reduce the intrastate rates all along the line in the same proportion that the interstate rates have been reduced by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"They sold me a high powered automobile but took away all the gasoline," former Governor James B. Ferguson said in commenting on the action of the Democratic executive committee in placing his name on the ticket and refusing to recognize his beer and light wine platform plank and barring all but straight Democrats from the July primaries.

Grain harvesting is general throughout the State and threshing will begin on a large scale by July 1, according to reports received by the Texas Chamber of Commerce. From Government reports issued June 3, the crop will be 65 per cent normal. Present conditions are indicative of an average yield of eleven bushels per acre, or a total of 11,253,800 bushels in the State.

"West Texas is dressed in her Sunday clothes," said F. C. Weilert, former State Senator and former Secretary of State, who passed through Austin en route to his home at Bogu after a visit of ten days with his son, Herman Weilert, Haskell County. Crop conditions, particularly cotton and feedstuffs, were never better in the western part of the State, and cattle also are in fine shape.

With the first issue on June 14, The Daily Texan, college newspaper of the University of Texas, began its publication for the summer session. It is the only college newspaper which continues to be published throughout the year. The plan of publishing the paper during the summer was adopted two years ago, and has proved highly successful. William Harry Jack of Corsicana is editor-in-chief of the paper and Henry C. Fulcher of Naples is managing editor. The first editor of the summer Texan was Miss Ruby Black of Thorata. Vernon B. Hill of Waco was the editor of the summer Texan last year.

"FLASHES OF ACTION"

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er he actually was in it, it is still vivid in his memory. His memory can be refreshed for of this war photography has made an enduring record. Signal Corps photographers accompanied soldier, sailor and marine in action. Millions of feet of movies were made. Of these millions, five reels of the cream of all the pictures have been collected by the War Department into a drama of stirring adventure, entitled: "Flashes of Action."

This drama will be exhibited Monday and Tuesday, July 10th and 11th, matinee and night at Sigal Theatre under the auspices of the American Legion, Eugene Bell Post No. 82. It is a picture that will hold any one enthralled.

FLETCHER'S STATE RIGHTS FARMING IS NEW PUBLICATION

Fletcher's State Rights Farming is a new farm publication that will make its appearance at Hondo, Texas, July 1, 1922. The paper will be owned, edited and published by Fletcher Davis, a member of the Texas Press Association and well known to most of the readers of the Texas farm press through his contributions to their columns. The new publication will appear under the most favorable of auspices. Besides the practical experience incident to being reared to mature manhood on the farm, Mr. Davis was with the State Department of Agriculture during the entire three terms of Commissioner Fred W. Davis and for the first nine months of Commissioner Geo. B. Terrell's administration.

During his service with the department he was an institute lecturer for a number of years, traveling over much of Texas and studying and observing her agriculture at first hand. Later he was transferred to the Market Division and while there established the department market publication and conducted it for two years.

During his service with the present Commissioner, he had full editorial management of the Department Monthly News Bulletin, and resigned only after the Legislature discontinued the appropriation for the publication.

In addition to this exceptional preparation for the work he is undertaking, Mr. Davis is a practical newspaper man and owns a printing plant at Hondo that is admirably equipped for handling the mechanical part of the undertaking.

He ought to succeed. He will succeed, if enough farmers of Texas appreciate the service he rendered them as their servant in the State Department of Agriculture and extend him a helping hand.

Farming is one dollar a year in single subscriptions, or in clubs of four for \$2.00. Show Mr. Davis a dollar's worth of appreciation and good cheer by sending at once for his paper. adv-29.1t

TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN

If, during the few weeks intervening between now and primary election day, I find it impossible to see each and every voter in Callahan County, in advocacy of my claims for the office of District Clerk, it will not be because I would intentionally slight anybody, but because I have to work daily to make my living and support and educate my two little children.

The position that I am at present holding with the Home Telephone Company enables me to make a living for myself and my dear ones, and I cannot jeopardize that position by neglecting its duties. I will try, however, to see all of you that I can.

I am well qualified for the position of District Clerk, and I pledge myself, if selected by you for the position, to perform its duties faithfully and well, now remaining,

Very truly yours,
Mrs. J. W. Hearse.

AIRPLANE LEAP AT CROSS PLAINS

First Lieutenant Harry W. Turner, United States Aviation Service, who is a cousin of our own J. R. (Bob) Black, is planning, according to The Review, a thriller for the Fourth of July celebration in Cross Plains.

Lieutenant Turner has been in the air service for five years and has accomplished some thrilling feats of flying. He holds the world's record for tail-end spins. On his Fourth of July fly at Cross Plains he will try to reach a 30,000 feet altitude, which will beat the world's record.

A modern DeHavelin plane will be used and at a great height he will leap from the plane and descend to the ground in a parachute, while the pilot of the airplane will circle him in their return to the earth.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM

The following program will be rendered by the Society of Christian Endeavor at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday, June 25:

Topic: "Duties: What They Are and How to Do Them." Eph. 4:25-32; 5:1, 2.

Opening Prayer.

Song.

Leader's Talk.

Song.

"What Makes Any Act a Duty": Mrs. L. W. Green.

Duties to the Church: Aubrey Forrest.

Special Music: Lucy Faye Alvord.

Christian Endeavor Duties: Nora Davis.

Home Duties: Mabel Fewell.

Sentence Prayer.

Open Meeting.

Pastor's Talk:

Benediction.

Our own Rawleigh Ray had his tryout with the San Angelo Bronchos Monday and carried them on triumphantly to victory, the score being 7 to 3 in their favor. The Abilene Bears made but one score after he climbed the mound. He pitched 8 1/3 innings and struck out 5 Bear swatters.

An election has been ordered for July 15 in Fish District No. 5 and Enterprise District No. 47, to increase the school maintenance tax to fifty cents to pay for conducting the new consolidated school and for a \$1,500 bond issue to pay for moving the two school buildings to a central point in the consolidated district and uniting them into a single building.

A. & M. SUMMER SCHOOL WILL BE FOR REAL COUNTRY PEOPLE

Simultaneously with the completion of the annual commencement exercises, which were held at the A. & M. College, from June 3 to 6, plans were formulated for the annual Summer School, which began last Monday.

This is the part of the year when the College extends its facilities for the training of those actually engaged in the business of farming and who cannot leave the farm, except for a short period during the summer months.

Courses will be given for all the various groups of rural inhabitants, farm boys and farm girls, farm women and farm men, rural teachers and rural ministers, county and local officers, merchants and others interested in any phase of agricultural or rural development. And then there will be the specialized schools for the business men handling agricultural products, implements and supplies.

In fact the range of subjects will cover all phases of agriculture and the allied sciences, from the simplest course in butter making for the farm girl and the primary course in livestock judging for the farm boy, to the courses in rural

sanitation, rural economics and rural social science for the minister, teacher, welfare worker and other community leaders. Catalogs of the courses are now being distributed to all who ask for them.

IN MEMORY OF GLADYS PEARCE

The Death Angel visited the home of our brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pearce, Sunday, June 13th and called from them their darling girl, Gladys, aged 19.

She was sick two years. All that tender hands and medical skill could do for her was done, but to no avail.

She left a mother, father, two sisters, an aged grandmother and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her death.

Oh! how sad and sorrowful was the home when the Death Angel came and bore her spirit to its eternal resting place. She was a loving daughter, sister and friend. None knew her but to love her. Her cheerful, bright and happy smiles spread sunshine and love wherever she might be. Her vacant seat brings sadness to our hearts. She will be missed in her home, community and church.

True, it is hard for the beloved family and friends to part with this dear one, but our loss is her eternal gain. She has only gone to await our coming and will have received her final reward when the bitter pangs of this temporary separation are blotted out. We know that useful ones attain their goal. When the final day of reckoning comes she again will be united with her loved ones.

Weep not, dear friends, but place your trust in God. We must become submissive to His will, for He does all things well to them that love Him.

Remember, friends, as we pass by, That all mankind are born to die. Then let your cares on Christ be cast.

That you may dwell with Him at last.

She saw a hand you could not see,
Which beckoned her away;
She heard a voice you could not hear,
Which could not let her stay.

God in His Wisdom has recalled the boon His hand has given;
And though her body slumbers here,
Her soul is safe in heaven.

Written by a friend,
A. B.

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Endeavorers To Meet in Houston—Houston, Texas--Houston will be host to some 2,000 delegates to the State convention of the Christian Endeavor Society, meeting here through Sunday, June 18.

CHURCH OF CHRIST PROGRAM

The following program will be rendered at the Church of Christ, Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock:

Leader: Bob Warren.
Song: Class.
Subject: "How to Build Up the Church of God."

Scripture Reading, Acts 8:1-12: Brother McKenzie.

Attend It Up: Grace Sharman.

Pray It Up: Mrs. Powers.

Quartette: India May Ramsey, Grace Sharman, Parthenia Bebee and Mabel Earl Farmer.

Buck It Up: Mrs. Maude Hart.

Talk It Up: Beatrice Bebee.

Song: Class.

Reading: Maggie Lou Price.

Work It Up: India May Ramsey.

Live It Up: Spencer Price, Quartette: Ramsey, Rogers, Hart and Chrisman.

Closing Talk: Brother Walls, R. H. Rogers, Minister.