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## FROM THE EDITOR'S WINDOW

**Bill Ingram's Death**  
As Bill Ingram, as he was commonly known to his friends, was laid to rest Monday afternoon in the Putnam cemetery with the United States flag draping his casket, and a flag waving from the top of the freshly completed mound, we believe every horror of the World War (our last war) which we could conceive was brought to our mind. Every familiar scene of the movies and every word picture of the books published about the war came before our eyes.

Mr. Ingram, a man of only 42, was forced at last to lay down his life, as a result of our last war which ended 18 years ago.

He was gassed during the war and had suffered from lung and heart trouble since his release in 1918.

After 18 years we are still giving up the needed of the land because of the "horrible war." Mr. Ingram's companion and six children are left behind. He was needed so much yet the war was bound to be conqueror over his strength. Knowing these past horrors, how can we, as nations, even consider the thought of another war? We can't keep from recalling the familiar words of General Sherman, and from believing that words were never truer.

### Mrs. Cook's Death

Another old timer, Mrs. J. T. Cook, left our midst this week to join the redeemed band of the other shore. Mrs. Cook had lived in Putnam many years and was known to be a splendid specimen of womanhood, contributing of her strength to the betterment of the world. At one time she was a neighbor of the editor, living across the corner. Thought we were a very small child we can remember her friendly calls, glasses of jelly, etc., which she brought to our home.

We hope the art of being a good neighbor is not lost to us of the modern generation. Being a good neighbor as taught by the Book of Books is a great thing. Mrs. Cook who served such a large family, even in her older days, found time for the neighborly deeds of kindness along with other good works.

### A Thought for Today

"For though I be absent in the flesh, yet am I with you in the spirit; joying and beholding your order, and the steadfastness of your faith, O Christ."—Colossians 2:5.

Faith and works are as necessary to our spiritual life as Christians as soul and body are to our life as men; for Faith is the soul of religion and Works the soul of the body.

All the Napoleonic wars, lasting from 1790 to 1815, cost slightly more than \$3,000,000,000.00. Whereas the direct cost of the World War was about \$186,000,000,000.00.

### Too Slow

"So your uncle died. That's tough luck. Was his death sudden?"  
"Yes, very sudden."  
"Did he leave any money?"  
"Yes, a bit, because the sheriff shot him before he could get it out of the bank window."

### CALLAHAN DROUGHT COMMITTEE SELECTED

In accordance with the designation of September 24th that Callahan be included in the drought area a committee composed of three farmers has been appointed to administer the relief this year. This committee is composed of Aaron McKee, Clyde; Lester Farmer, Eula; and S. N. Foster, Atwell. They have selected R. M. Pyeatt Grocery Company, Clyde; Flores Feed Company, Baird; G. P. Gaskins Grocery Company, Putnam, and Higginbotham Bros. Company, Cross Plains to receive and distribute feeds under this reduced freight rate classification. These rates save the farmers 33 1-3 per cent on all types of hay and cottonseed cake or like feeds. The above named companies will receive the feeds for the committee and pass the saving on to the buyers because of the drought.

The county agent is the secretary of this committee and all communications should be made to him. This rate continues in force until November 12th unless an extension is granted.

ROSS B. JENKINS,  
Callahan County Agt., Baird, Tex.

### DRILLING WELL

Wittmer Oil and Gas Company are drilling on the E. W. Ross land, survey 110, north of Baird. They have reached a depth of about 500 feet.

## MRS. EMMA COOK DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Emma Cook, wife of the late J. T. Cook, died suddenly just shortly after noon Saturday from an acute heart involvement.

Emma Eldiss Cook was born in Geneva, Ala., May 29, 1852, and died Sept. 26, 1936.

She is survived by one son, E. H. Simmons of Enid, Okla., and by ten step-children: L. J., M. H., I. E., John and Fred Cook, and Mrs. C. K. Peek, Putnam, Texas; J. C. Cook, Menard, Texas; W. R., and Ezra Cook, Clyde, and Mrs. J. H. Cook, Josephine, Texas, and many other relatives.

Mrs. Cook came to Texas from Alabama in the early seventies, locating with her mother, brothers and sisters near Nevada, Collin county. She was married to J. T. Cook Dec. 30, 1894, at Nevada, Collin county, Texas, and continued to live in Collin county until the fall of 1903 when they moved to Scranton, Texas. They lived at Scranton until 1905, then moved to Clyde where they resided until 1913. They moved from Clyde to Putnam in 1913 and lived here until Mr. Cook died in 1932 and since that time Mrs. Cook has continued Putnam her home.

Mrs. Cook was a member of the Baptist church here at the time of her death. She had been a member of the Baptist faith for more than 60 years. Grandma, as she was called by almost everyone in her last years, so long as she was able acted her Christianity. She was always willing to assist with her time and talents those that were in need of difficulties of any kind.

A simple funeral was held for Grandma at the home Sunday afternoon conducted by Rev. G. W. Parks who was for a long time her pastor and neighbor. Rev. Parks was assisted by her present pastor, Rev. Hollis, and by Bro. Williams, Methodist minister.

Mrs. L. B. Williams led the song service. After "Amazing Grace" and "Asleep in Jesus" were sung, Reverend Parks delivered the tribute wherein he spoke of thinking about death as a sweet, sad occasion. He spoke upon man's life in this world as being very short compared with eternity, yet it means something to us, he said. The burdens seem heavy along the road he said, but looking back the whole of life seems short. He said the Christian should think about tomorrow in the other world, believing with a constant faith.

He said Mrs. Cook's life had been full, busy, and successful for she had a part in rearing such a large number of children, into fine, law abiding citizens and that her task being accomplished, there was nothing sweeter than to fold her hands and lay down to rest. He said when I think of Matthew, 6th chapter, I think of the redeemed, which group is open unto all of us. "Jesus Lover of My Soul" was sung at the close.

The body was carried overland Monday and put away beside her husband in the Old South Church cemetery, Collin county. Five cars carrying her son and Mrs. Simmons and the Cook children, made the trip.

### T. C. GARDNER WILL BE IN PUTNAM WEDNESDAY

T. C. Gardner, Baptist worker of Dallas, will be present at a county wide associational meeting at the Putnam Baptist church Wednesday morning, beginning at 10:00. Other state workers will accompany him. Everyone is invited to attend and B. T. U. workers are urged to be present.

### EARL JOHNSON MOTOR IN NATION-WIDE USED CAR SALE

With the announcement that all Ford dealers in the United States are joining during the month of October in a nation-wide Used Car Clearance Sale, the Earl John Motor Company of Baird reported Wednesday that the Baird dealership has made complete preparations for active participation in this nation-wide Ford dealer activity.

"This type of nation-wide used car clearance sale," said Mr. Johnson, head of the Baird firm dealership, "is something new and unusual in the automobile industry. We are joining the rest of the Ford dealers throughout the United States in inaugurating this new movement, and we expect that our share of the sale will produce the largest volume of used car sales in our history."

"We feel that hundreds of persons now driving cars that are growing more costly to operate and losing in trade-in value daily will take advantage of this October sale, with the new low prices and unusual bargains offered, to obtain better transportation for winter."

"Many of the used cars and trucks in our stock bear the famous Ford 'R. & G.' emblem, which means they have been renewed and bear our written guarantee."

## Hoped To Dance



NEW YORK . . . Miss Sarah Churchill, 21 (above), daughter of Winston Churchill, former British Chancellor of the Exchequer, is in New York, but whether she will dance in a theatrical production depends upon what her brother says, who sailed a day later from England with "word" from the family.

## SCHOOL BUILDING IS PROGRESSING NICELY

The new Putnam high school building, being built across the street north of the present building, is taking form new and will be completed within the specified time allotted the contractor (according to E. N. Ross, superintendent of construction). The contract within 200 working days beginning July 12th, 1936. The east wing is story high and the carpenters have the partitions set and the ceiling joists in place on this part of the building. The brick work will be finished next week and the carpenters will begin to raise the roof. The roof is covered with asbestos shingles (which is the best roof that can be put on). All material used in the construction of this building is A. No. 1 and when finished this structure will be modern in every respect and an asset to the Putnam Independent School District.

## COTTON GINNED TO SEPT 16

The amount of cotton ginned in Callahan county prior to September 16 is 1,471 bales, as compared with 21 bales ginned to September 16 last year. Last year was an unusually late season and the gins did not get started until late, while this season was very dry and cotton opened up early and prematurely and picking was started early in the season.

## BABY SON

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Shirley of Putnam are announcing the birth of a son, born last Thursday.

## \$41,000 DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST T. & P. RAILWAY

S. C. Jones filed suit against the Texas & Pacific Railway Company in the 104th district court at Abilene Monday, asking \$41,000 damages.

The petition alleges Jones suffered permanent injuries to his right arm when it was broken in a fall while attempting a board a passenger train here September 20. He is a barber by trade.

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## WILLIAM INGRAM BURIED MONDAY

Funeral services for William Ingram, 42, were held at the Putnam cemetery Monday afternoon at 4:00 with Reverend F. A. Hollis, Baptist pastor, officiating. Mr. Ingram had lived in Callahan county and in Putnam 15 years prior to moving to Dallas three years ago. Mr. Ingram and family had lived in Olden for the past year, where he had engaged in farming.

William Gilmer Ingram was born in Newton county, Mississippi, January 21, 1892; but in early infancy moved to Wayland, Texas, where he spent his childhood.

He was married to Miss Irma Nettles of Putnam, March 16, 1918, the marriage taking place at Albany, Texas. Death came suddenly last Sunday about 1:30 in the afternoon when Mr. Ingram was attempting to cross a street in Olden. He was stricken and lived about ten minutes from the time he fell. He had suffered from lung and heart trouble since his release from the army at the close of the World War in 1918.

Reverend Hollis spoke consoling words wherein he spoke of Mr. Ingram having been in frail health for many years. He spoke upon the life of Paul taken from the Holy Bible, wherein Paul was afflicted with a thorn in the flesh. He stated that the Lord did not see fit to remove this thorn; but that he promised Paul, "My grace is sufficient for thee." He spoke of the marvelous peace which comes to a Christian from the Holy Spirit in a sad hour. He stated that Christ said that it was necessary for him to go away; but that he would send the comforter. He told of Mr. Ingram's conversion to the Christian faith last year, and what a consolation to leave behind it was, and that others should take his life as an example and be prepared before it is too late. He urged the bereaved family and friends to think of the time as not being long when they could be together again on the other shore for he said, "If there is a God and the Bible is true, which we have proof it is because of its fulfillment, then immortality is bound to be true also."

Mr. Ingram is survived by his companion and six children, Harold, the eldest, 14, Gene, Luther, Frank, Evelyn and Johnnie. One son, Lawrence, age 3, died last year. Two other children died in infancy. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. B. J. Ingram of Dallas; a sister, Mrs. C. B. Nelson of Dallas; three brothers, Lee Ingram of Baird, Curtis and Monroe Ingram of Corpus Christi. Pall bearers were J. L. Hudson, V. M. Teague, W. L. Park, Jack Brandon.

Clements & Norred, undertakers, were in charge.

## 4.41 INCHES OF RAIN FALL THIS WEEK

The Putnam territory received another good rain this week, the fall being 3.41 inches, bringing the fall to 9.39 inches in the last two weeks and the total fall for this year up to 22.36 inches, against an average rainfall of about 25 inches.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST BEGINS MEETING WED.



TRINE STARNES

The Church of Christ will begin a Gospel meeting Wednesday evening, October 7th, which will continue through Sunday, Oct. 18th. Trine Starnes, well known young evangelist, will do the preaching.

Services will be held twice daily, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Brother Starnes is not a stranger in Putnam, having held a meeting in Putnam last summer. We feel that all will welcome him back to our little city and the church invites everyone to hear him morning and evening.

## 343 BALES OF COTTON GINNED

Charley Davis reported that there had been 343 bales of cotton ginned in Putnam to Wednesday noon and it looks as though the crop is more than half gathered. There has been no cotton coming to the gin in the last week and what is being ginned is of a low grade.

## UNION CONSOLIDATION IS VOTED OUT

In one of the hottest school elections in the history of the district Wednesday the Union Consolidated district voted to rescind action taken several years ago when they created the Union Consolidated School district. In the election Wednesday there were 110 votes cast with 62 favoring the dissolution of the district and 48 against. This leaves the district just where it was before the consolidation several years ago.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our appreciation to our friends for the many kindnesses shown us, in our deepest sorrow, the loss of our most cherished mother. We assure you, every deed and act, was most sincerely appreciated and the tribute paid her by her many friends made our ties of friendship stronger and our love for each of you deeper. With the hope that we may serve you when the hour of trouble comes to your homes, we remain,  
Faithfully yours,  
The W. D. Clinton Children.

## PANTHERS ENGAGE HASKELL TONIGHT

(Oliver Davis, Sports Editor)

The Putnam Panthers will tangle with the strong Haskell team, hunting for revenge after losing a hard game to the mighty Winters Blizzards 20-12. This will be the third game of the season for the Panthers, all which have been non-conference tilts. This will also be the second game this year for the Panthers under lights. Haskell defeated Aspermont last week 19 to 0 in the mud in a conference game.

Panthers will engage with Strawn next Friday for the first conference game of the season for Putnam. Strawn is a new entry in district 11-B and is considered a strong team. They beat Ranger last week 12 to 6. The Panthers play Clyde, Baird, Moran and May besides Strawn in District 11-B, which will be a tough schedule. However, Coach Bill Wright is working hard and is doing everything in his power to develop a winning team. There are about 25 boys who report daily for practice.

The Panthers scrimmaged the Cross Plains Buffaloes here Tuesday. The Cross Plains team, formerly a foe of Putnam, is now in district 23-B with a much tougher schedule. They play Winters today for the first game of the season for them and it is also a conference game. The Buffaloes average close to 170 pounds to the man.

The Panthers lost to Winters last Friday after taking a 12 point lead in the first half. Due to blocked kicks and fumbles the Panthers lost their lead in the last half. The Winters team outweighed the Panthers about 10 pounds to the man. They are favorites in district 23-B.

The starting lineup against Winters was:  
Left end—Jack Everett.  
Left tackle—R. Williams.  
Left guard—B. Williams.  
Center—B. Brandon.  
Right guard—C. Culwell.  
Right tackle—E. Fields.  
Right end—O. Davis.  
Quarter—Cunningham.  
Right half—J. Brandon.  
Left half—W. Jobe.  
Full—Shackelford.  
Substitutes were: Dwight Triplitt, W. A. Price, Clinton King.

## RAIN REPORT

E. W. McCollum of the Pueblo community was in Putnam Tuesday and reported a good rain in his territory.

G. W. Geter was in Putnam Wednesday and reported that he thought he could get along a few days without any more rain, however he said he was not kicking about too much rain.

J. E. Eubank who lives about four miles north of Putnam was in town Wednesday and in talking about the rain stated he had a good tank washed out Saturday night, which was not so bad, however, as there was two or three feet of water left.

## TO OUR FRIENDS

We want you to know that your sympathy and your many acts and deeds of kindness shown us at the death of Mother Cook were appreciated more than you will ever know. You made her going much easier for us.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Simmons,  
The Cook Children,  
The Grandchildren.

## B. A. U. REVIVAL TO BEGIN OCT. 5TH

The Baptist Associational union will begin a revival of interest Monday evening at 7:30 at the church. Services will be held each evening of the week and five classes will be conducted. Thomas J. Young of Abilene will bring the inspirational address each evening and will be teacher for the Adult union. Other teachers will be Mrs. S. M. Eubank, seniors; Mrs. F. A. Hollis, intermediates; Miss Artie Cook, juniors; Mrs. S. W. Jobe, primaries. Revival services will be county wide at the different churches, with interest manifested for the upbuilding of the training unions of the churches. Adults will study, "More Than Money;" seniors, "Investing in Christian Living;" intermediates, "The Meaning of Church Membership;" juniors, "Trail Makers in Other Lands;" and primaries, "Bible Pictures and Their Stories." Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

## BAPTIST ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Subject for sermon, "Training for Christian Service."  
Special music.  
R. T. U., 7:30 p. m.  
Preaching, 8:00 p. m.  
Special music.

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**ABUNDANCE VS. HIGH PRICES AND SCARCITY**

In his Jefferson day dinner speech Mr. Roosevelt made it very plain that there are two very distinct types and ideas of government advocated by the politicians of the American government. One of them founded on an abundance and plenty with mass production and employment for everyone and the other a scarcity with high prices and millions of unemployment. We have tried the one putting price up artificially and raising the wages of industrial labor for three years and it has shown to be a failure, since we find that the number on relief has increased by more than two million in the last eighteen months and naturally unemployment has increased in the same proportion as the more people that are getting employment checks the less there are on relief. If prices and wages of all the people had been raised in the same proportion there could not have been any complaint, and this would have enabled the person who owed debts to pay; but at the same time it would not have been fair to the man holding notes or bonds made before the devaluation of the dollar as the man that bought government bonds or made private loans made them in good faith; but under the theory of the present administration, no one is considered except certain minority classes, while the man that bought bonds in good faith finds that they are to be paid with a 59 cent dollar, or in other words the person who bought \$1,000 bonds is being paid off with \$590 in terms of purchasing power.

Dorothy Thompson has the following to say in the Dallas Morning News of September 29th. "The people who suffer most from this kind of an economic theory (high prices) are the middle classes, the people engaged directly neither in industry nor agriculture; but who dispense services of one kind or another. And as it happens they are one of the largest groups in this country. They are school teachers, housewives, garage men, government employees, barbers, clerks, journalists, doctors, lawyers, ministers who are neither farmers, manufacturers, nor industrial workers capable of being organized into trade unions.

"In these two view points we have

**A Modern Joshua** — by A. B. CHAPIN



what is probably the most important issue before the public today. An issue which is non-partisan because both parties are pledged directly or indirectly to the theory of high prices. Yet an issue which has split the middle class, disaffected voter, because he is unable to decide which party would raise consumer prices the higher. This middle class voter is forced to choose between, on the one hand a party which has always sponsored the theory of high prices, high profits, and high wages, which as far as they are concerned, can only be accomplished through scarcity and controlled prices and production. And on the other hand, a party whose leadership is either so narrow minded that it can see only one way of increasing purchasing power, or who deliberately choose the high price theory for political expediency, regardless of its effect on the people of little or no means."

Inflation of the dollar may have been alright if the administration had not attempted to control production; at the same time putting millions of people out of employment without any consideration for their welfare, which are just as much a part of this government as any other class. No class minority has a right to go before congress and ask for any favor that every other class should not be entitled to and if benefit payments are paid to one class, then every other class should be given the same chance, and it is being planned to pay the stock men bonuses and they are just as much entitled to benefit payments as any other

**BRUCE BARTON**  
*Says:*



class; but this only emphasizes the Supreme Court's contention when it stated in its decision voiding the AAA that the principal was wrong and that congress had no authority to collect a tax off all of the people and pay it out to certain classes, and besides, if it did it could not be done from the fact it would cause every other class to demand benefit payments, and it would only be a short time until all classes would be receiving benefit checks. We do not like to mention the name of Hoover, but think that Edgar Hoover was about right when he stated a few days ago that politics and politicians are the greatest enemy to the American form of government, as every thinking person knows that all of this talk of helping the old age assistance to death trying to get back into office, and the same thing applies to the national campaign, that is being carried on at the present time.

**REPORTS SHOW MORE THAN 23,000,000 ON RELIEF**

The federal government through the work relief program and rural rehabilitation organizations are doling out relief to more than 23,000,000 (million) people according to reports from the different organizations of this character made to the government Saturday and published in the Star-Telegram in Sunday's edition.

The resettlement administration, however, has found that the average farm family receiving aid numbers five persons. Thus the 766,900 farm families receiving RA loans and grants total 3,830,000 (million) unemployed provided for by states and local governments. The total number on relief at the present is placed at 23,059,468 (million).

A report of WPA administrator Harry L. Hopkins summarizing FERA activities issued in July stated that the peak of federal emergency relief was reached March 1935, when 21,000,000 (million) were on the relief rolls. This report shows that there are more than 2,000,000 (million) more on relief than there were at what they called the peak.

**THE LITERARY DIGEST POLL**

In the last Literary Digest report, the poll shows Landon leading Roosevelt by a margin of about three to two, as returns are announced from 21 states in last week's tabulations.

Landon is shown to have received 283,972 votes as compared to Roosevelt 185,495 votes and Lemke 19,632 votes, out of a total of 503,509 ballots counted to date.

An analysis of how the same voters voted in 1932 shows that of Lemke's total balloting of less than 20,000, that 2,790 voted for Hoover in 1932 and 12,993 voted for Roosevelt. The analysis also shows 268,369 present Landon supporters who indicated how they voted in 1932, that 53,071 voted for Roosevelt and 215,298 voted for Hoover. Of the 166,336 present Roosevelt

**Let's Save About 65 Percent**

If it had not been for the patriots of the Revolutionary period the task of naming the counties of the various states of the union would have been beyond the ingenuity of the pioneers who settled them and the surveyors who fixed the ragged boundaries. There are enough Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Monroe, Franklin, Hamilton, Putnam and Warren counties to stretch from Maine to California. Altogether we have more than three thousand counties in these United States.

All these petty principalities were necessary in the early days. Communication was difficult; there were no telephones. Transportation was confined to oxcart and horse drawn vehicles. People living near the county line had to take a day or more to travel to the county seat. A county could not be much larger than the distance a sheriff could cover on horseback to convey a prisoner to the county jail.

But the railroad came and the telephone and the automobile and the necessity for narrow county boundaries disappeared, yet the counties continue. They continue because they provide jobs. Each county must have a court house, commissioners, a judge, a clerk and all the rank and file of tiny officeholders who, as individuals, draw little enough but in the aggregate are a huge expense. Experts have estimated that at least 65 per cent of all the money spent for county government could be saved

supporters who indicated who they voted for in 1932 there were 28,149 voted for Hoover, and 138,217 voted for Roosevelt that year.

The striking point in this report is that there are 53,071 Democrats voting the Republican ticket while there are 28,149 Republicans voting Democratic.



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ed by sensible consolidation. Human nature being what it is, if I were a county commissioner or a deputy sheriff I wouldn't like to have my job abolished. It would not please me to go on the dole or on work relief. Maybe nothing can be done about the counties now but I hope some one will issue a loud call for county abolition some time soon. With all the policemen in New York City I personally feel no need of a sheriff. He can be liquidated any time and I don't think it will endanger me a bit.

**Make Your Own Decisions**

An ambitious and sensitive youngster confined to his home for some months by an accident finally was able to move about the house in a wheel chair. It was suggested that he might go out with his nurse to the park. He shied away from the suggestion. "I can't stand the idea of having everybody stare at me," he said.

At length he was persuaded to make a trial flight. The nurse wheeled him several blocks through the busy streets to a motion picture. He came home excited. "It was thrilling," he exclaimed to his father, "and do you know, not a single person on the street paid any attention to me."

His father said, "You have made one of the most important discoveries anyone can make in life. You have found out that the thing to do is to make your own decisions without too much regard for what 'they say'." Some years ago it was deemed im-

portant by the American up-and-comer to belong to more clubs than he could use and to own a higher priced car than he could afford. The size of one's car was a measure of success. A big car in front of a house was the advertisement of a big shot inside. In those days my wife received a visit at our country place from an inquisitive caller.

"What kind of a car does your husband drive?" she asked. My wife pointed to a couple of aged vehicles in the driveway.

The lady's face exhibited a shocked expression. "Why," she exclaimed, "I always understood that he was getting along very well."

Undoubtedly she made her report in the places where it would do the most good and so saved us from a considerable number of visits from people who did not want to run the risk of associating with failures.

"I could have listened to that opera forever."

"You'd have had to if you wanted to understand what they were, singing about."

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# Local Happenings

Drue Sprawls of Scranton was transacting business in Putnam Wednesday.

Miss Pauline Goerdel, night nurse of Griggs Hospital, spent several days in Marlin this week.

J. Martin of Gail is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Harold Arledge of Baird this week.

C. J. White and Vernon Gile were business visitors in Sedwick Thursday morning.

Mrs. E. G. Scott, Mrs. Alton Lunsford, and Mrs. J. E. Heslep were Cisco visitors Tuesday.

Feed for sale, cake, meal and hulls—Farmers Gin Co., Putnam, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague, Viola Teague, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hudson and daughter, Betty Lou, made a trip to Breckenridge Thursday evening.

Mrs. Bill Ingram left Monday to accompany her son, Gene, to the hospital at Dallas where he will receive treatment for being crippled.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudie White and children, Margie and Lois Faye, returned from Merkel Tuesday, where they visited in the home of Mr. White's brother, Ordia White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hudson and daughter, Betty Lou, returned from Merkel Tuesday, where they visited Mr. Hudson's father, C. A. Hudson and daughter, Miss Willie Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gunn of the Pueblo community were in Putnam Monday transacting business. They were accompanied by Ez Graves of Fort Worth, Mrs. Gunn's father, who is visiting them.

Joe Burnam of Cisco, agent for the Great Southern Insurance Company, was in Putnam Tuesday and with him was L. R. Cook, state agent. While here they paid the News office a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Duran Cox of Moran spent several days in the home of Mrs. Cox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brazil, this week. Mrs. Cox will be remembered as the former Miss Edna Brazil.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

by Charles E. Dunn

THE MACEDONIAN CALL  
Lesson for October 4th. Acts 16:  
6-15.

Golden text: Matt. 28:19.

After a short visit in Antioch Paul set out on his second missionary tour, taking Silas with him. Passing through Syria and Cilicia they came to Lystra where Paul found Timothy, an attractive youth whom he persuaded to accompany him.

Upon reaching the harbor of Troas in the northwestern corner of Asia Minor, not far from the scene of the Trojan war, Paul had a dream in which he saw a man from the province of Macedonia, across the Aegean Sea, begging for help. It has been surmised that this Macedonian was none other than St. Luke, the beloved physician, who apparently joined Paul's party at Troas. However this may be, Paul at once answered the call, crossed the sea, and landed at the important city of Philippi, situated about ten miles inland. Its inhabitants enjoyed Roman citizenship, spoke Latin, and lived under Roman law.

Apparently Philippi had no synagogue. So Paul went down to the river bank and preached to the women who liked to gather there to bathe and to pray. His first convert was a proper woman, Lydia by name, who hospitably entertained Paul and his companions in her home. It is significant that a woman should be the first person in Europe to be won to Christ. Christianity, we must remember, brought to women a more honorable standing, and gave them greater freedom.

It would be hard to overestimate the services rendered by the Christian faith to the gentler sex. In the time of Jesus it was the custom to expose female babies to die at the hands of the pitiless elements. What a far cry it is from this barbarous habit to the deference, sympathy and consideration manifested everywhere toward woman today. It is not too much to say that Christ has emancipated woman from the brutal thralldom of a pagan past.

"My dear young lady," said the clergyman in grievous tones, as he listened to the extremely modern young girl tear off some of the very latest jazz on the piano, "Have you ever heard of the ten commandments?"

Modern Young Lady: "Whistle a few bars and I think I can follow you."

### One Way Out

"I say, you're not still engaged to that old girl of yours, are you?"

"No, I'm not."

"Lucky for you, old man. How on earth did you get out of it?"

"I married her."

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NEW YORK . . . John W. Fischer (above), of Cincinnati, is the new Amateur golf champion of the United States. He came through to the crown by superb play through weather conditions said to be the worst encountered in this annual event.

## LET'S ADVERTISE TEXAS FIVE YEARS

HOUSTON.—Lieutenant Governor Walter F. Woodul today issued the following statement relative to an advertising campaign for the state: "Business Week, issue of August 29, shows the following percentage of gain in Texas the first six months of 1936 over 1935 as follows: passenger car sales up 11; commercial car sales up 25; household refrigerator sales up 17; value of checks drawn up 14; and heavy construction up 93. Texas is definitely on the upgrade.

"On two of the tax items that visitors from out of the state help us pay, the figures in the state comptroller's office show we collected \$4,047,300 more on gasoline taxes for the 12 months ending September 1, 1936, over the same period ending 1935, and a like increase in cigarette taxes of \$1,121,723.

"Better business helps the taxpayer to meet the burdens of taxes. It is estimated there is some \$25,000,000.00 in delinquent taxes due over the state. Should Texas pursue a five year advertising program men and money will come to Texas and create a market for real estate with increased prices, and when real estate trading again becomes a fact and not a recollection, one of the first and most natural results will be to clean up in a large measure this delinquent tax situation. I confidently expect that as a result of five years of advertising and publicizing Texas, we could in that time collect enough of these delinquent taxes to pay the costs of the campaign and wipe out the state deficit, not to mention the money benefits that would accrue directly and indirectly to every citizen of Texas."

## YOUTH IN UNIFORM

The French Chamber of Deputies is considering a bill to enforce compulsory physical training for all boys and girls over six years old, as a beginning to prepare them for army service in the elementary schools. This is only following the trend of most European countries. Austria has lately put all boys between 11 and 18 into uniform for purposes of sport, military training and political education.

In Italy every boy of 12 has to join the "balilla," wear a uniform and be subjected to military discipline, and lately Mussolini has promulgated an order that boys of six shall be put into training and uniforms against the time when they are old enough to undergo the more rigorous discipline of the balilla.

In Germany the "Youth Movement" has become almost a brown-shirted militia. In Russia the age of military conscription has become lowered to 16 years. Every boy from 18 years onward must do compulsory military service in France and in Germany.

Europe is preparing its cannon fodder for the next war. Far back of all of this military preparedness lie the scarcely concealed designs of the rulers of the dictator-ridden nations to take the first opportunity to seize the territory of their neighbors. France alone is arming for defense of the fatherland.

Under such conditions, how is it possible for war to be avoided?—Selected.

## WOMAN'S GUN PUTS PROWLER ON THE RUN

Prowlers have, without doubt, scratched 1541 Swenson avenue off of their calling list.

Mr. Green Jones told police that she took a couple of shots at a man who appeared at her bed room window Monday night and commanded her to "stick 'em up." The man ran when she grabbed her six shooter and started shooting. Mrs. Jones told police who answered her telephone call. A negro window peeper arrested by police was transferred to the county Monday for prosecution.—Abilene Times.

The Punters  
Judge (to couple)—"Caught on a park bench, eh? What are your names?"

He—"Ben Petten."  
She—"Ann Iowe."

## RUSSELL BROS. CIRCUS COMING TO ABILENE FRIDAY, OCT. 2.

There will be a general exodus of circus admirers from this city and vicinity when Russell Bros. Big Three Ring Circus gives two performances in Abilene Friday, Oct. 2. Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m.

"When you have seen one circus you have seen them all" was a remark frequently heard in the past, but nowadays, it seems as if each of these huge tented attractions is different from the preceding one. The Russell Circus has a reputation for presenting more actual novel and surprising circus acts than any other show and because of this it claims the motto, "The highest class circus in the world." This Russell Circus is a big show, exhibiting in cities ranging from ten thousand to half a million population and rarely in towns of lesser population. A circus tent crowd for one performance does not meet the expenses of a show of the magnitude of the Russell Bros. Circus. The high pay roll of the performance makes it necessary for such shows to go where there is population, so they plan to exhibit only in such spots where they have the chance to get two big crowds.

"Every act a feature" and "A thrill every minute" is the promise of the management of the Russell Circus and according to reports, this is one circus which seems to make good its boast.

## PENSIONS MAY EXCEED PLANS

AUSTIN, Sept. 28.—Orville S. Carpenter, director of old age assistance, warned in a report to Governor James V. Allred today, that Texas has embarked on a pension program which threatened to exceed anything ever seen in this country.

The report was made public as the forty-fourth legislature met for an extraordinary session to provide pensions. Carpenter said the needy aged in Texas could be provided for adequately at much less cost than an estimate he submitted if the state law were estimated to restrict eligibility requirement of needy.

"This can be done without placing any undue hardships upon those persons actually in need and without lowering the scale of payments now in effect," he said.

The conclusion is inescapable that Texas has embarked upon a program of old age assistance that will very shortly reach proportions never before attained in this country.

## \$10,000 BOND FIXED FOR BAIRD BANDIT

Baird, Sept. 26.—Officers charged H. L. Meyers, furloughed Texas convict, with assault to murder and assault to rob in the attempted robbery Saturday of the First National Bank at Baird.

Bail of five thousand dollars was set in each one.

Assistant Cashier C. V. Jones drove Meyers from the bank in a gun battle and Larmer Henry, cattleman, chased the robber into a blind lane where he surrendered to officers.

Meyers is on a furlough from the Texas penitentiary where he was serving a five year sentence from San Antonio for robbery by assault.



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## SCRANTON NOTES

Your reporter is reminded this morning of the small boy whose teacher told him to write up a story of a ball game. When he turned in his paper it read like this: "Rain, no game." Well, there may have something happened over the week-end except rain, but I do not know what it was.

School seems to be moving along nicely in spite of the rains. The bus drivers report the roads in fair condition, owing to the hard rain either packing the ground or washing off the loose dirt.

Mr. Elam has bought the late Mrs. E. C. Haislep's home and plans to move there in the near future.

Rev. C. E. Dick of Ovallo was here on business Friday.

Rev. G. C. Williams was called to Putnam Saturday afternoon because of the death of Mrs. Emma Cook.

Mrs. W. L. Anderson of Fort Worth is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Earl Ray, who has had her baby under the care of a specialist for some time in Fort Worth, returned home Thursday.

## RICHARDSON CASE SET AT ABILENE FOR OCT. 5TH

The fourth trial of Charles S. Richardson, former mayor of Olney, on a charge of slaying his only son, Elga, at the family home in that city Jan. 1, 1934, will open before Judge Milburn S. Long in Abilene October 5, Otis Rogers of Fort Worth, chief defense counsel, said Monday.

Prosecution will be in charge of Sam B. Spence of Wichita Falls and District Attorney J. R. Black of Abilene.

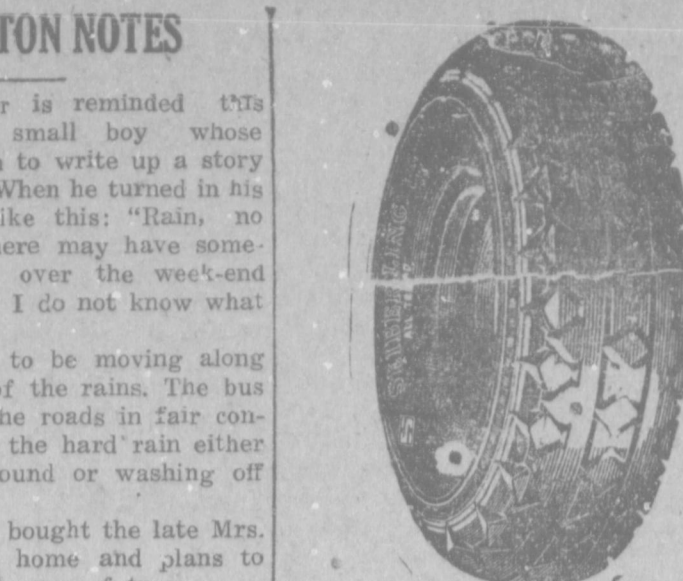
Richardson first faced trial at Graham, was found guilty and given life sentence on January 19, 1934, less than three weeks after the homicide. The court of criminal appeals reversed the case, April 19, 1934.

The second trial and third trials were held at Vernon with 99 and 10 year sentences respectively assessed. Both were reversed by the higher courts.

## \$150,000 LEASE DEAL AT ALBANY LAST WEEK

One of the largest oil lease deals Saturday that has been made in the last five years in this territory was closed at Albany Saturday when A. Y. Jones and H. R. Stasney, Albany geological firm, and the Reliance Oil and Royalty Corporation sold their three fourths interest in 187 acres in the southwest quarter section 199, East Texas Railway lands in the southwest of the Bluff Creek pool of western Shackelford county to W. E. Butler, Dallas oil man. It sold for a consideration of \$150,000.

The property included five producing wells with a daily allowable of 226 barrels and a daily potential of 1,200 barrels. All the wells, producing from the Bluff Creek sand at 1600 feet, have been drilled since the first of the year.



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To OVARIES  
To LOWER LIMBS  
To BLADDER  
To GENITALS



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Baird, Texas

**FARM NOTES**

(ROSS B. JENKINS, County Agent)

**Has Agriculture a Right To Government Aid?**

"In none of the major industries are there anywhere near so many people operating independent units as in agriculture. With these independent units it is hard to get all producers to unite on any program for the benefit of all. Furthermore, there is no large industry that has such a complicated marketing system, or that must feed so many mouths from the time the article is ready for market until it reaches the ultimate consumer. Also, there is probably no other large industry in which the processing and distributing part of the marketing system so nearly controls producers as is the case in agriculture. For instance, who ever heard of an automobile distributor threatening to start manufacturing automobiles when that industry made a 75 or 80 per cent reduction in its production or how many new steel factories did distributors of steel products build when the great industries closed down on production?"

"In agriculture the picture is changed, for on every hand the farmer is threatened with competition from those upon whom he must depend to process and market his crops. Furthermore, when the price prospects are good, bankers stand ready to finance those who want to engage in agriculture, thus making it impossible for the farmers to control their own industry even were they able to unite on a program.

"If farmers reduce their acreage because of overproduction, the handlers of these crops stand ready to finance others to grow increasing supplies so that they may maintain their volume of business, for it is the volume rather than price that determines their profits. In no other industry does such a condition exist. In but very few, if any, other industries can a new plant be established so cheaply, comparatively speaking, as in agriculture.

"Because of this peculiar situation, therefore, agriculture has a right to ask and receive some protection from the federal and state governments, otherwise it must be ever at the mercy of those who prey upon it."

—California Cultivator.

**Winter Legumes Will Make AAA Compliance**

There are some producers who have signed a worksheet but have not since planned to be in compliance but now that they find that there is a nice payment to be made for certain soil building practices they desire very much to be included in the pay off. To those men there might be interest in planting of acceptable crops for the winter.

On all such farms if there is a

sufficient acreage that has not had a crop harvested during the year 1936 this land may be put in compliance by planting in vetch, clovers, Austrian winter peas, and alfalfa. This must be done by or before October 31st.

The county agent recommends that vetch be planted and on the sandier soils that the clovers be planted. Biennial white sweet has proven its worth on several farms in this county and is recommended. Vetch is a very good cover crop and is especially recommended for the orchards. The county agent would plant the purple variety.

Austrian winter peas will grow here but the county agent knows only from limited experience about them. They live but whether they will mature properly here is not known. It might be a good experiment to try.

Land that was planted in peas after small grain was harvested this past spring will be accepted by the county committee as compliance even though the peas didn't make the required 2 months growth. This is made possible because of the drought.

Practically all the farms are now measured and the maps in the office. Soon the supervisor will visit each farm and check the compliance and sign the S. R. 8's so that the grant will be paid. If any farm is not measured, however, it will hold up the entire county so it is hoped that each farmer will see that his measurements are in the office at once.

Each farmer who wanted rain to enable him to turn under his green peas or sudan sorghum should only wait for dryness now. When the crop is under, please let the office know of it at once.

**B. A. U. PROGRAM SUNDAY, OCT. 4, 7:00 P. M.**

Scripture reading—Mrs. E. G. Scott.  
Part 1—Mrs. W. M. Tatom.  
Part 2—Mrs. Fred Golson.  
Part 3—Mrs. Lorea Everett.  
Part 4—Mrs. W. M. Crosby.  
Part 5—Mrs. F. D. Spratt.

**ARDELIA GASKINS HONORED**

Miss Ardelia Gaskins, who left Wednesday for Abilene to enter Draughon's Business College, was honored for a surprise gift party in the home of Miss Naomi Buchanan Thursday evening with members of the Y. W. A. as hostesses.

Miss Gaskins was president of the Y. W. A. until the time of her departure. Halloween decorations were prominent.

A program was rendered consisting of a song, "Jesus Calls Us," by the crowd. The Y. W. A. watchword was then given, after which Reverend F. A. Hollis led prayer. Mrs. S. M. Eubank led the devotion. Johnnie Myrtle West sang, "God Will Take Care of You." Mrs. John Cook gave an appropriate talk. Naomi Buchanan gave a reading. Mrs. W. E. Pruet led prayer.

The Halloween ghost and witch were the last feature. Guests assembled outside the house and when invited inside (with the lights out) they were greeted by the ghost (Artie Cook) and then in turn by the witch (Mrs. Janey Roberson) who told fortunes from an old fashioned dinner pot, with a fire under it, in the kitchen. The ghost and witch then carried a basket of gifts to Miss Gaskins. Refreshments of hot chocolate, sandwiches and cake were served. Those present were Misses Thelma Everett, Frances Cook, Eva Moore, Elsie Kelley, Pauline Robers, Hazel McMillan, Bertha Buchanan, Johnnie Myrtle West, Artie Cook, Niles White, Estelle King, Iona White, Naomi Buchanan, Mary Beth Bates, Mary Ann Roberson, Messrs. Exal McMillan, Wayne Tripplitt, W. P. Everett, Neal Moore, Mmes. E. G. Scott, G. P. Gaskins, John H. Bates, W. M. Tatom, W. E. Pruet, Bill Wright, J. Y. Culwell, S. M. Eubank, Alton Lunsford, John Cook, Jack Brandon, Will Rogers, F. A. Hollis, Janey Roberson, R. L. Buchanan, and Rev. F. A. Hollis.

**GEO. N. PEEK JOINS REPUBLICAN PARTY**

George N. Peek announced for Governor Landon Tuesday, giving as his reasons broken promises of the president. Peek was former head of the AAA and of the export-import bank.

"Republican party and its candidate," he said in a broadcast, "have met squarely the issue of these broken promises by picking up the promises dishonored by Mr. Roosevelt, and his administration and by pledging themselves to their fulfillment."

**SOCIAL COMMITTEE FOR BAPTIST W.M.S. TUES., OCT. 6**

The following members will be hostesses to the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, when they meet in a social in the home of Mrs. S. M. Eubank next Tuesday afternoon at 3:00: Messrs. James J. E. Green, Jack Brandon, E. C. Waddell, W. E. Pruet, S. M. Eubank. Various plans have been made for the stitching of dish towels to be presented to the orphan's home.

**GRIGGS HOSPITAL NOTES**

Mrs. Lewis Hall of Longview was a medical patient this week. She is improving.

Mrs. W. B. Griggs of Baird is able to be up part of the time.

Odie Gleghorn of Baird suffered an injured foot which was placed in a cast Monday.

J. W. Jones of Winters was a medical patient Tuesday.

**B. T. U. WILL MEET AT BAIRD SUNDAY**

The first meeting of the Association B. A. U. revival will be held at Baird Sunday afternoon, October 4th, at 2:30, when the east and west zones of the county have a joint session. T. C. Gardner, prominent Baptist worker of Dallas, will be present and will be the principal speaker.

**CITY PHARMACY OF BAIRD IS LOOTED**

BAIRD, Sept. 29.—Loot valued at \$600 to \$700 was taken from the City Pharmacy here about 2:30 a. m. by burglars who climbed through the bars of the back door and rifled the jewelry case of watches, diamonds and rings amounting to more than \$600.

The burglary was discovered at 3 o'clock by Nightwatchman George Albin, who had made his previous round at 1 o'clock. A window on the back door had been prized open. Dr. R. L. Griggs, owner, and Woodson Ray, manager of the pharmacy, were checking the loss and estimated it would run near \$700.

**P. T. A. HAS FIRST MEETING**

The Parent Teachers Association of the Putnam public schools met at the school building September 24, for the purpose of electing new officers and introducing the new teachers.

Miss Lois Pulley was elected secretary and Miss Pauline Robers treasurer. The following committees were appointed by Mrs. S. M. Eubank, president: Finance committee, Mrs. Gus Brandon, Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, Mrs. C. K. Peek, Mrs. J. A. Sharp of Putnam and Mrs. Doyle Gunn, Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough, Mrs. Chester Allen, and Mrs. Burette Ramsey of Union community. Publicity, Misses Ruby Jo Pounds and Sally Griffin. Program committee, Mrs. Wylie Clinton, Mrs. J. G. Overton, Lois Pulley, Mary Jo Pouns. Membership, Mrs. E. A. Fields, H. A. Pruet, E. E. Sunderman, Pete King, R. L. Clinton, Mrs. C. F. McMillan, Miss Rowena Saunders, of Putnam and Mrs. Mark Burnam, Mrs. Foy Woods, Mrs. Enoch McCollum, and Mrs. Eugene Green of Union.

The P. T. A. will meet every two weeks at 3:30 p. m. beginning October 8th.

**W. M. S. HAD ROYAL SERVICE**

The Womens Missionary Society of the First Baptist church enjoyed a Royal Service program at the church Tuesday at 3. Opening song was, "I Gave My Life." Mrs. E. M. Eubank, vice-president, presided. The program, "Schools and the Kingdom," was led by Mrs. Jack Brandon. Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Fred Golson, Mrs. S. M. Eubank, and Mrs. Brandon. Those present were Mmes. G. P. Gaskins, S. M. Eubank, Jack Brandon, Fred Golson, W. M. Crosby, J. E. Green, W. A. Ramsey, E. G. Scott, W. M. Tatom and one visitor, Mrs. Reuben Ross.

**HEALTH EDUCATION IMPORTANT PROGRAM**

AUSTIN.—Assembling of students in the schools of the state this month calls to public attention the definite health responsibility of parents and teachers, as well as health workers, and is the subject of an address from the State Department of Health to the citizenship.

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development of the physical, mental, and social welfare of the school children of today," said Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer. "Health teaching should be a basic part of every educational program. Practically every phase of the school system is related to health. Housing, screening, diet, disposal of wastes, exercise, rest, even the manner of daily contact with others, all have a direct bearing on health. Schools must treat the child as a whole—with his physical condition

related definitely to his mental and emotional capacities.

"Prevention is the all important factor in the control of communicable disease. 'Communicable—as we all know—describes that kind of disease which may be imparted or transmitted from one person to another, either by personal contact or through some other method. One by one, the communicable diseases, such as smallpox, diphtheria, whooping cough, and typhoid fever, are being controlled by preventive or immunizing agents. It is much better for all concerned that

the child should be protected from ever taking these diseases, which often leave some condition that will cause trouble later in life.

"Assume your responsibility in the community and work for the development of health education which will pave the way to a better health for the future."

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**"Down the Stretch"**  
WED.-THURS., OCT. 7-8  
America's Sweetheart No. 1  
SHIRLEY TEMPLE  
in  
**"Poor Little Rich Girl"**  
with Alice Faye, Gloria Stuart  
MATINEE at 3:00 P. M.  
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