

The Baird Star.

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

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Street Paving Is Under Way

Work began on Market street paving by the McClung Construction Company. Supt. O. B. McKown in charge. Koch & Fowler, Engineers, for the City, by M. Rickenbough, engineer in charge. All are glad to see this work start, because Market street is in very bad condition, full of chug holes. We never counted the chug holes, but from the way the autos bounced as we ride over them, there must be a thousand chug holes from the Court House to the Depot. A few have not signed up and if not signed, the space in front will be left and that would be bad, very bad. Nearly all property owners have signed up and it is hoped all will sign.

W. S. PARKS WRITES FROM GALVESTON

The following letter was received Thursday evening from W. S. Parks, who with Claude Flores, was in Galveston enroute to France for which country they sailed Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, on the ship "Chicago". They are due to arrive at Brest, France, on September 16th.

Galveston, Texas, September 1st.—Several hundred legionnaires arrived in Galveston this morning and all trains arriving brought more. The local post of the American Legion and the Chamber of Commerce were on hand to render the boys a reception and turn over the city to them during their stay here.

The beautiful city of Galveston is all decorated up for the occasion and are extending the glad hand to all of the boys. On every corner wherever you may stop, you are wished a bon voyage and thanking you for coming thru Galveston on our trip over.

Many amusing incidents have already happened that brings back the memory of the spirit of the A. E. F. Several adventurous Legionnaires have arrived from different parts of the United States, with a hope of working their way to France, or being a stoway, just any way to get there.

The city of Galveston has provided entertainment for the Legionnaires during their stay in the city, with free tickets to the shows, Dog Races and the Bathing Beaches. All hotels are offering reduced rates to them and also providing entertainment.

It is really amusing to watch how careless some of the lady travelers are in that one in particular came into a cafe and ordered a meal, and saw a friend pass and got up and left her purse laying on the table, where it might have gone astray, but fortunately for her, it did not.

Tomorrow morning all Legionnaires will have arrived in the city preparatory to taking to boat at 3 p. m. and the program of entertainment is a ride over the city at 10 a. m.; luncheon at Galde's, and cars will meet us there to take us to the pier.

During the morning I took a short walk along the sea-wall and down by the bathing beach and then back to the Galvez Hotel. Another stroll down town and through the flag decorated streets to the Cotton Exchange. This is one of the largest exchanges that deals strictly with cotton in the United States. Another trip this afternoon to the wharf to one of the largest shipping ports of cotton in the world.

I expect to take in a show this afternoon, then a dip in the ocean and then attend the Dog Races tonight. I will tell you all about the "fun" in my next letter, which will be written from Paris, France.

ENTERTAINED

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Church met in a social meeting Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with Mesdames Settle, Price and Vestal, as hostesses.

Quilt pieces were passed and each one present requested to make a block for a quilt to be sold for the benefit of the Church. Refreshments were served to eighteen ladies.

Paul, the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cooke got a mesquite thorn stuck in his eye a few days ago but it is hoped that the eyeball was not injured.

"Spirit of Baird" Contest Will Close Saturday Night

MISS RUTH SIMONS LEADS IN CONTEST

Miss Ruth Simons is in the lead this week in the Popularity Contest, which is on in Baird, the winner will be the "Spirit of Baird" to meet Col. Lindbergh at Abilene.

The following is the official count on the standing of contestants in this contest, which was handed in by the committee at 10 o'clock yesterday morning.

Miss Ruth Simons, 1705 votes.

Miss Madge Holmes, 662 votes.

Miss Ila Mae Guffey, 154 votes.

Remember this contest closes Saturday night, September 10th. Be sure and cast your votes so as to be counted in the final count.

The name that has been chosen for these young women coming from all over West Texas, representatives of their town, was, of course, suggested by the name of Colonel Lindbergh's ship, "The Spirit of St. Louis." For their benefit and pleasure, in addition to the honor of receiving Col. Lindbergh. Some social activities of unusual taste and pleasure will be arranged. Every detail has been so arranged that in after years memory will take them back to that day with the freshness, the glow and the beauty of a most wonderful dream.

Miscellaneous Shower

On last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Evans a Miscellaneous Shower was given for Mrs. McCleary, a recent bride; the hostess being Mesdames A. M. Cooper and W. L. Ray.

Pretty score cards marked the places for the tables of "42". After several interesting games were played a lovely refreshment plate was passed consisting of chicken salad, peach sherbert and wafers. The favors being pink baskets filled with candy. The tables were then removed and little Miss Shelby Jones, Vivian Nunnally and Lula Mae Asbury entered dressed as little fairies and presented the bride with many beautiful gifts.

CAPT. J. L. LEA HURT

Capt. Lea fell at his home early Tuesday morning and broke his hip and was otherwise bruised. Dr. Griggs was summoned to see the Captain, and later took Dr. R. G. Powell with him to make a more thorough examination. We learn that Captain Lea is doing as well as could be expected of one of his age, which is about 90 years. We are sorry that such a serious accident should befall our old friend and express the hope that he will recover.

KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL

I will open my Kindergarten School Monday, September 9th at my home. Special attention given to pupils. I will appreciate your patronage. 41-1t. Mrs. Brown Jones.

FARM HOUSE BURNS

Mrs. Sam McClendon had the bad luck to lose her farm house near Admiral by fire Thursday of last week. Mr. Smith, the tenant, who occupied the house, lost all his household goods.

THE MAN WHO COUNTS

It is not the critic who counts; not the strong man stumbles, or where the door of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena; whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who comes short again and again; because there is no effort without error and shortcomings; who does actually strive to do the deeds; who knows the great enthusiasm, the great devotion, spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement; and who at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who knew neither victory nor defeat.—Theodore Roosevelt.

Baird Public School Will Open Monday

School will open Monday morning, September 12th with a full corps of teachers and everything ready to begin the work of the new school year in earnest. Considerable improvements have been made in the school equipment, the school having purchased some fifty new desks for pupils; new shades have been ordered for all windows; quite a bit of laboratory equipment has been added; the frame buildings is being treated to two coats of paint; and indoor toilets are being installed.

The school is classified by the State Department of Education as a high school of the first class and has 21 units of affiliation. All graduates from the Baird school are admitted to any college or university of the state without examination.

The following is a list of the teachers for the term:

J. F. Boren, B. A., M. A. Supt. P. L. Armour, B. A., Science and Athletics.

W. O. Patton, B. A. Latin and Spanish.

Miss Eula Mings, B. A., English.

Mrs. J. F. Boren, B. A., M. A., Mathematics.

Mrs. W. C. White, B. A., History. GRAMMAR GRADES

Miss Julia Holden, Arithmetic and Spelling.

Miss Ferrell McDonald, English and Reading.

Miss Evelyn Fox, Drawing and Writing.

Miss Elouise Haley, B. A., History and Geography.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT

Miss Thelma Graham, B. A., Fourth Grade.

Miss Ruth Riding, Third Grade.

Mrs. Bessie Short, Second Grade.

Miss Mary Terry, First Grade.

Sunday School Class Entertained

Mrs. N. M. George entertained Monday evening at her beautiful home so splendidly located on the Bankhead Highway, East of Baird.

This evening of pleasant entertainment in interest of the Senior Sunday School Class of the Church of Christ is in harmony with the earnest endeavors of Mrs. George to implant in the hearts of all, the sublime principals of life.

The afternoon pleasers were concluded by the serving of dainty refreshments by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. Fred Hart, R. F. Mayfield and W. T. Hensley.

Besides the pupils of regular attendance, there were quite a few present whom we would be glad to have become active Sunday School pupils. The following guests were present: Ines Morris, Orville Morris, Anaheim Cal, Raymond Sinclair, R. B. Campbell Clyde, Misses Ruth Simons, Oleta White, Ellen Beauchette Messers Arvin Melton, Ralph Short and Horal Ray.

J. T. Respass Dies

J. T. Respass, long time citizen of Cottonwood, died Sunday night, and was buried at Cottonwood Monday.

We are sorry to hear of the death of this worthy old time citizen, who was for years the Cottonwood correspondent of The Baird Star. Peace to his ashes.

A GET-TO-GETHER MEETING OF PRESBYTERIAN MEN

A Get-To-gether meeting of the men of Abilene Presbytery was held at Buffalo Gap Monday, September 5, at 6 p. m. Rev. A. W. Yell, Mr. Mullican, J. S. Hart and Dwight Yell went from Baird.

A splendid supper was served in the new cafeteria. W. R. Lence, Manager of Southern Railway District, Judge Chapman, with S. P. Neal Sect. of the Chamber of Commerce, all gave addresses. It is understood that this is to be a repeated thing.

SERVICES AT MIDWAY SCHOOL HOUSE

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock I will preach at Midway School House. I will be glad to meet the entire folks of that good community and any one else who can be with us. Expecting you, I will abide the time, Joe R. Mayes.

A Happy Birthday Dinner

The family pulled off a surprise on Grant Bowlus last Monday, by giving him a dinner in honor of his 58 birthday, and invited a few of his old friends, and did not let Grant know anything about it until everything was prepared and guests assembled at the pretty home of his daughter, Mrs. Alex Ogilvy, where the dinner was given.

The long table was laden with everything to tempt ones appetite and was enjoyed by all. The birthday cake with its 58 brightly burning candles was placed on the table in front of the honoree, who blew out the candles and cut the cake, which with ice cream, was passed to the guest.

Mr. Bowlus received a number of nice gifts from his friends and members of his family.

W. G. Bowlus and Miss Bertha Rice were married in Baird, October 11, 1889, thirty eight years ago, next month. Of the guests assembled at the birthday dinner Monday, Miss Eliza Gilliland and W. E. Gilliland, then as now, Editors of The Baird Star, were guest at the marriage of this worthy couple.

Many changes have come to all of us in the past 38 years. Mr. and Mrs. Bowlus's children are all grown. The oldest son, Lawrence and four of their daughters are married. One daughter, Miss Edith, and their two younger sons, Grant, Jr., and John, are single and at home, with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Bowlus have four grand-children.

Grant Bowlus, like most of us had a rocky road to travel the first few years of married life, but in the course of time fortune began to smile on him. He went into the lumber business and has prospered from the beginning. Being a carpenter, the lumber business seemed to be his destiny. He is big hearted, a true friend, un-terprising and favors every thing for the up building of his home town. May he and his wife, children and grand-children live many, many years to celebrate his birthdays.

Guests present were: Dr. R. G. Powell, H. Schwartz, W. A. Hinds, W. K. Boatwright, Dr. W. S. Hamlett, W. T. Hensley, W. E. Gilliland and Miss Eliza Gilliland. Members of the family present to this happy occasion were: Mrs. W. G. Bowlus, Edith Bowlus, Grant, Jr., and John Bowlus, Mrs. C. E. Haley, and little daughter, Errolene, Mrs. Hal Ramsey and little daughter and son, Nena Juanita and Hal, Jr., of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvy, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Cecil West and little son, Cecil Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bowlus. C. E. Hailey and Hal Ramsey were unavoidably absent.

BILLY WRIGHT APPOINTED TO AMERICAN RED CROSS LIFE SAVING AND FIRST AID CORPS

Last week Scout Billy Wright received his appointment, emblem and badge, signifying that he has passed the prescribed tests for enrollment as a member of the American Red Cross Life Saving and First Aid Corps. The above is only one of the many fine things that are carried on in the Boy Scout work, and such work recommends the Boy Scouts to every clear thinking person.

Billy is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Cal C. Wright. He is fourteen years of age, in the 10th grade in the Baird High School and winner of the Callahan County Senior Boys Declamation contest, last spring.

We are informed that he is nearly always busy at something. Through his own efforts he has bought his own clothing for the past several years, provides his own spending money and has some money saved up to help pay his way through college. Of such stuff are Boy Scouts made, and the Star editor hopes to see every boy in Baird a member of the Scout Troops.

FORD TO PRODUCE 6,000 NEW CARS A DAY "STREET" HEARS

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Wall Street hears that the production of the new Ford car based on the orders received by a large accessory manufacture will average 2,000 daily during September and 6,000 from the first of October on.—Abilene Morning News.

Woodfin Ray Buys Interest In City Pharmacy

Woodfin Ray is now the new manager at the City Pharmacy, also a member of the firm, he having recently bought an interest from Dr. R. L. Griggs, who has been the sole owner. Woodfin is a graduate Pharmacist, from the Baylor University. He has had two years experience in prescription work in Abilene in both the Harvey Hays and Grimes Drug Stores.

Woodfin is a Baird boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ray, and we are glad he has returned and gone into business in the "old home town." We wish him every success.

MACHINE WORK ON THE FARM

It is estimated in Washington that the number of men needed to harvest this year's wheat crop is from 80,000 to 90,000 less than the number engaged in that work last year. It is not that the crop will be smaller, but that the combine will be more extensively used.

The combine, which is a machine that makes one continuous operation out of harvesting and threshing, is not so new an invention as is generally supposed. It has been in use in the semi-arid regions of the Pacific States many years. But it was not until 1922 that it came into general use in the grain-growing areas of the Great Plains. The Department of Agriculture has figured that with the combine it costs \$2 an acre to harvest 300 acres of wheat yielding at the rate of fifteen bushels to the acre, and that the same work by the older method cost \$5.50 an acre. The combine is equal to the difference between 53c and 13c per bushel. The loss of grain is less when the combine is used. Against these advantages the department lists some offsetting disadvantages. First among them is that, especially in humid sections the grain in the field is not always in a good condition for immediate threshing. Another is that weeds passing through the combine are crushed and dampen the grain, sometimes sufficiently to make drying necessary.

The combine is not science's latest contribution to the mechanics of agriculture. At least the "cotton sled," of which we in Texas are more familiar, postdates it, and probably the corn picker and corn husker do, too. But the combine has come into larger use than any of the three other farm machines named, and so is of more economic importance. In 1850, when the mow was about the most modern of the machines given to the farmer, and before the harvester was known, the value of the implements and machinery on the farms in this country was \$151,587,638. In 1925, the Census Bureau reports, it was \$2,691,703,629.

It is a rather popular notion that the efficiency of the farmer as a producer has not increased in anything like the degree that that of the industrial worker of the city has. It is a fallacious notion, if some calculations lately put out by Dr. E. Dana Durand of the Department of Commerce are trustworthy. These show that in 1925 production per farm worker was, in point of quantity, 45 per cent greater than in 1899, whereas the increase for workers in manufactures was 49 and for workers in transportation 48 per cent. Individually, the farmer seems to have made the greater progress; for undoubtedly science and invention have done much more for industrial than for agricultural workers. Another index to the increased efficiency of the agricultural worker is offered by the statement that whereas in 1850 there were 70 workers per 1,000 acres of crop land in 1925 there were but 28.

The increase thus given to the productive power of the individual by science and invention explain the reduction—absolutely as well as relatively—of the number engaged in farming. And it is an explanation which shows that the phenomenon presents none of that economic and social menace which some professional friends of the farmer have warned us to consider.

—Dallas News.

Putnam Spudders Whip Coyotes

All right folks, here we come with our alibi; yes we admit that we got licked, and when we say licked, we mean it in every sense of the word; oh! well, of course if you are not a mind reader and don't get our drift; then we might add that we are raving about last Sunday's Matinee at the old T-P Park, when the Coyotes and the Spudders of Putnam, tangled up in one of the many struggles staged by these two ancient foes. The Spudder slobbered us good and proper in a fast game of good baseball, with few hits and some errors and comedy mixed with the threatening clouds that hovered over the park and temperature was more of an ideal football day than a baseball game, however it might be said that the biggest error or bonehead pulled during the afternoon, was executed by none other than Skipper Cliff Harville; Cliff should have used the old golf bean and "put" Mr. John Purvis out of the game, before the game ever started, for knowing John as Cliff does, he, Cliff, should have realized that with the dark-overhanging clouds and with John's blinding speed on such a day, that the Coyotes would be helpless; and helpless they were, thirteen of the Coyotes fell victims to John's speed and curves and rushed toward the water can; only two clean hits were made off of John, in the fourth, Bennett first up dropped a Texas Leaguer back of first, but John with his snap-throw caught him napping just a moment later; in the fifth Earl Hall shot a single to right, but was forced at second by Harold Ray who perished on first; in the seventh Wristen walked, and that was the sum total of the Coyotes who tricked any of the bases—the afternoon Putnam made one in the fourth, Mercer singled to left and took second on the throw in; C. Allen singled to right and took second when the Coyotes attempted to get Mercer at third, L. Purvis fanned swinging, Sullivan delivered the pinch blow, a single to right, scoring Mercer.

In the eighth the visitors added a couple more; Ralston singled to right with Jobe at bat, Ralston stole second and went to third a moment later when Pool let the ball get away from him; Jobe struck out; Buford Allen flew out to Raleigh Ray in center and Ralston scored after the catch; Mercer was safe at first on an error by the pitcher and the first baseman; then, Allen sent a long triple over Earl Hall's head, scoring Mercer.

In the ninth the Spudders added another for good measure; Sullivan was thrown out by Pool, John Purvis scampered to third, while Harold Ray and O. Jones were doing the Alphonso & Gaston stunt just back of the shortstop's position and let John's high fly go for a triple, when it should have been a easy out for either one of the fielders; then John scored when Bailey playing second, threw wide to Pool trying to catch John.

It was a good game and it must be said in all candor that John had a wonderful day, he is ordinarily a hard man to beat, but give him a dark day and he smokes-em by the batters so blamed fast they just can't seem to connect.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS

Suit will be instituted on all Delinquent Taxes for the year 1925, on Monday, September 19, 1927. All persons are urged to pay their taxes for the year 1925 before that date and save further heavy fees and court costs.

B. F. Russell, County Attorney.

REBEKAH ANNIVERSARY

Baird Rebekah Lodge No. 112 will celebrate the Anniversary of the organization of that order on Tuesday night, September 19th. All Rebekahs are invited to attend.

QUILTS FOR SALE

The Baptist Ladies have a number of hand made Quilts for sale. They also solicit quilting.

Improved Uniform International Sunday School Lesson

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Lesson for September 18

THE KINGDOM DIVIDED

LESSON TEXT—1 Kings 12:1-24.
GOLDEN TEXT—Pride goeth before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall.
PRIMARY TOPIC—God Punishes a Foolish King.
JUNIOR TOPIC—God Punishes a Foolish King.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Folly of Pride.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—How to Prevent Divisions.

The movements leading up to the disruption of the kingdom had begun in Solomon's reign. He saw in Jeroboam the leader of insurrection and endeavored to kill him. Jeroboam fled to Egypt until Solomon's death (1 Kings 11:40). Having been informed by the prophet Ahijah that he was to have ten tribes over which to rule, as soon as he heard of Solomon's death he returned to be ready to take up his work.

I. The Demand of the People (vv. 1-4).

This was occasioned by the burden of excessive taxation and enforced labor, which was required by Solomon in order to build costly houses and temples for his heathen wives. The people were groaning under its weight. Upon the accession of the new king Rehoboam, the people, through their leader Jeroboam, came with the request that their burdens be made lighter, promising loyalty to him on the condition of lightened burdens.

II. Rehoboam's Foolish Decision (vv. 5-15).

1. Rehoboam consulted with the old men (vv. 5-7). These were men of experience who had been Solomon's advisers. Being acquainted with the condition as imposed by Solomon, and knowing the temper of the people, they advised that the people's request be granted.

2. Rehoboam consulted the young men (vv. 8-11). These young men had grown up with him, possibly were his half-brothers, sons of Solomon's many wives. Being thus brought up in the luxury of the harem, they were ignorant of the legal right of the people. Therefore they advised that the burdens be increased.

3. Rehoboam followed the advice of the young men (vv. 12-15). At the appointed time he announced his purpose to the people. He even answered them roughly, asserting his purpose to increase their burdens and sorrows. He assumed that it was his right to rule and that it was the people's role to obey regardless of conditions.

III. The Revolt of the Ten Tribes (vv. 16-24).

Upon Rehoboam's announcement of his rash purpose all Israel cried out, "What portion have we in David? . . . to your tents, O Israel!"

1. Rehoboam's attempt to collect tribute (vv. 18, 19). As he endeavored to collect tribute from the ten tribes, Adoram, his tribute gatherer, was stoned to death. So violent was the opposition on the part of the people that Rehoboam had to flee to Jerusalem to save his life.

2. Jeroboam made king over Israel (v. 20). They seem to have lost no time in selecting a head so as to be strong in their opposition to Rehoboam.

3. Rehoboam's attempt to compel the ten tribes to return to David (vv. 21-24).

To effect this, he assembled his army of 180,000 men. Through the prophecy of Shemaiah, which forbade them to go against their brethren, they were persuaded to return.

IV. Jeroboam's Scheme to Unify the Ten Tribes (vv. 25-33).

1. He established calf worship (v. 25-33).

(1) He built houses and high places (v. 31). This was against the direct command of God. God had directed His people to destroy the high places and to break down the idolatrous centers. So we see that Jeroboam, by the demands of his sinful heart, disobeyed God.

(3) He changed the day of the Feast of the Tabernacle (v. 32). The time of this feast was set by the Lord (Lev. 23:33, 34). Jeroboam argued that the change in the time would be better suited to their northern climate, but God, who made the climate, ordained the time of the feast. It was His business, therefore, to obey God.

(4) Jeroboam himself intrudes into the priest's office. The act of presumption on his part was the climax of his godless acts, all of which grew out of his wicked heart.

God Established Prayer

God has established prayer to communicate to His creatures the dignity of causality.—Pascal.

The Business of Life

The business of life is largely made up of minute affairs, requiring only judgment and diligence.—Beecher.

Be Not as Water

Be not as water which takes the tint of all colors.—Syriac.

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Lesson for September 11

SOLOMON DEDICATES THE TEMPLE

LESSON TEXT—1 Kings, chapter 8.
GOLDEN TEXT—I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Worshiping in God's House.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Young Man's Love for God's House.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Love for God's House.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Value of God's House to a Community.

The first task of Solomon after his coronation was the building of the temple, a privilege which was denied to his father, David. In his preparation for this task he secured wood from King Hiram of Tyre, stones for the foundations from the Phoenicians, skilled workmen also from King Hiram. It was located on Mount Moriah (II Chron. 3:1). The suitability of this place was due to the fact that the Lord had appeared here to Abraham. Its dimensions were 90 feet long, 30 feet wide, and 45 feet high. It contained the brazen altar, the laver, the golden candlesticks and cherubim. The dedication of the temple was arranged to take place at an auspicious time. The dedicatory services consisted of:

I. Bringing Up the Ark (vv. 1-11).

The ark of the covenant was typical of Jesus Christ. God dwells among men through Jesus Christ (John 1:14). The ark was God's holy dwelling place. This, therefore, must be brought up first and placed in the temple. For the manifestation of the divine presence was the real dedication. When the house of God was to be dedicated the king arranged for a representative gathering of the people, consisting of the elders, princes and heads of the tribes. There were many great men present, but only the priests, God's appointed ministers, moved the ark. The fatal experience of Uzzah in David's time was doubtless clear in their minds. Solomon profited by the blunder of his father. Connected with this service was a very great sacrifice, one in keeping with the occasion. The ark with the two tablets of stone under the mercy seat shows God manifesting Himself to His people on the ground of a law perfectly kept and since atoned for by the shedding of blood. At the completion of the sacrifice, the temple was filled with the glory of the Lord.

II. Solomon's Address to the People (vv. 12-21).

He points out to the people that God had chosen David to be king, yet for certain reasons He would not allow him to build the temple, promising that his son should do the work. Now that the work was done, the temple was built and the ark of the covenant was in its place, they could be assured that God had raised him up in the room of his father.

III. Solomon's Dedicatory Prayer (vv. 22-53).

The ark having now been placed in the most holy place, and the address to the people being ended, the king pours out his soul to God in prayer. In this prayer Solomon gratefully acknowledges God's goodness in the past, giving glory to Him, and pleads that His promise to his father be verified (vv. 22-26); he prays that God's eyes might be continually open toward the temple which He had now taken possession of (vv. 27-33); so that (1) in case of contention between parties He would judge between them (vv. 31, 32); (2) in case of being smitten by the enemy, even though they had sinned, upon confession of the same, God would forgive and restore (vv. 33, 34); (3) in case of famine as chastisement for sin, upon confession and prayer before the temple, God would forgive and send rain (vv. 35, 36); (4) in case of pestilence and sickness, if they pray to God toward the temple, God should hear and forgive (vv. 37-40); (5) in case of the coming of the foreigner who comes at the news of God's greatness, and prays toward Jerusalem, his prayers should be heard (vv. 41-43); (6) in case of going out to battle, their cause should be maintained (vv. 44, 45); (7) in case of being in captivity because of sin, God should hear their prayers and restore (vv. 46-53).

IV. Solomon Blesses the People (vv. 54-61).

On the strength of the covenant promises, he invokes His presence always with them to keep them faithful, and exhorts the people to have their hearts perfect before God, walking in His commandments and statutes.

V. Solomon and the People Offer Sacrifices of Thanksgiving (vv. 62-66).

Ideals Like Stars

Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands; but, like the seafaring man on the desert of waters, you choose them as your guides, and following them, you reach your destiny.—Exchange.

Charming Human Beings

It is always good to know, if only in passing, charming human beings. It refreshes one like flowers and woods and clear brooks.—George Eliot.

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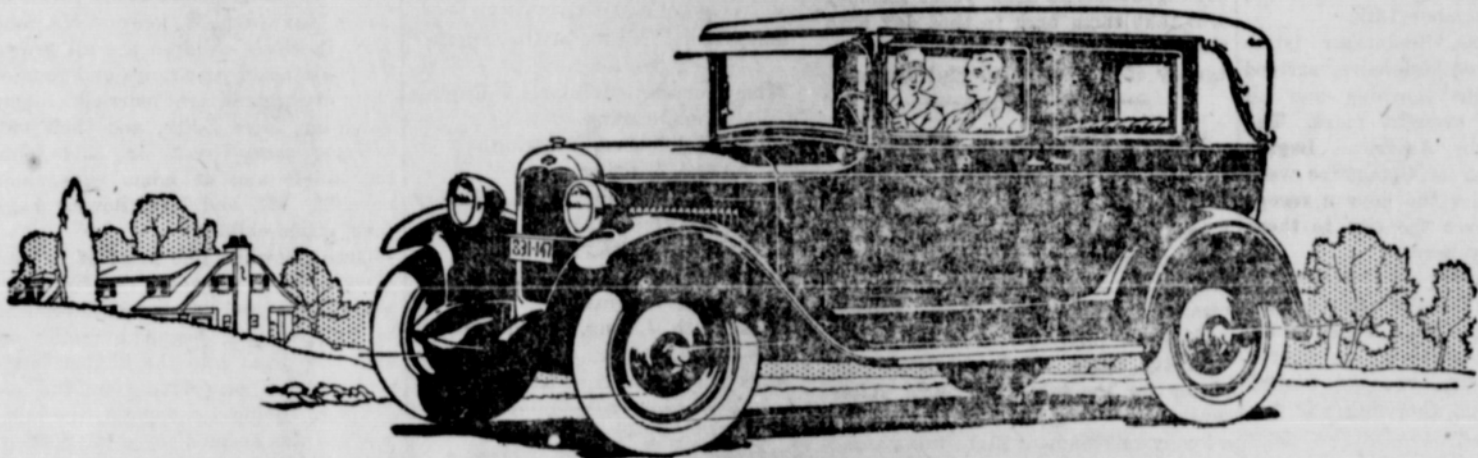
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WILL VISIT "LOST WORLD" OF NOVEL

American Museum Expedition Will Explore Place.

New York.—The scene of Conan Doyle's famous novel and movie, "The Lost World," will be visited and its animal life studied this summer by T. D. Carter and G. H. H. Tate of the American Museum of Natural History in their expedition to Mount Roraima, Brazil, under the auspices of Lee Garnett Day.

Mount Roraima, which is in the northern tip of Brazil bordering on British Guiana, is an ancient district geologically. With some of the country south of the Amazon it formed a continent ages before the formation of the rest of South America. This was long before the existence of the Amazon river. Later the Amazon divided the old continent, and new land appeared, forming the South America of today.

Mount Roraima consists of a plain from which rises a sugar-loaf mountain with sharp cliffs. The geological structure of the plain differs from that of the mountain. The plain is thought to date back to the preterozoic era, one of the earliest periods in which life is known to have existed. The mountain, however, is of red sandstone, probably of the Jurassic period of the age of reptiles, a much later time.

Because of the early formation of this land, Mount Roraima became one of the first strongholds for mammals and birds when they appeared upon the earth. Little is known of the present-day animal life of this region and it is hoped that the expedition will bring to light some interesting species. The dinosaurs and pterodactyls of Conan Doyle's romance have, of course, been dead for many ages, but relics of archaic mammalian and bird faunas probably haunt the region still.

Refers to Dress

New York.—Green chaitreuse is to be popular in the spring. It's a shade for midday's clothes. The forecast is made by Miss Margaret H. Horke, textile color expert, just back from

WOMEN ACTIVE IN ITALY'S FASCISTI

Thousands Being Trained for Productive Work.

Rome.—Woman's place is in the home, but not necessarily her own home, according to woman Fascist organizations which are training several hundred thousand girls and women for productive occupations closely connected with domesticity.

Signora Eliza Majer Rizzoli, head of the feminine Fascists, said the nation's crying need for nurses would have been satisfied within a few years. Five thousand trained nurses have been graduated in special courses, and 35,000 more are being trained. More than a hundred thousand women are being instructed as scientific farmers with the intention of relieving men of such work as animal breeding, truck gardening, fruit farming and horticulture of all types.

Premier Mussolini, believing "a mother's kitchen budget to be the cornerstone of healthy national economy," has instructed women to carry out propaganda in favor of home rather than imported products. The organized groups train each member as a lecturer, and provide her with data that even casual conversations prove of propagandistic utility. Feminine Fascists advise producers of the necessity of changes and improvements.

The most far-reaching of the six roles assigned to women by Il Duce—the others being propagandistic, sanitary, agricultural, scholastic and protection of home products—is "moral tutelage of labor," which means that social work among laboring classes of both sexes is their duty.

Despite the fact that a principle of Fascism is to keep women out of political activity, it is pointed out that they have equal rights in "politics" of the new national labor unions.

In several unions women have commanding positions. Some say that women will be permitted to be deputies when the present chamber of deputies, conforming with Mussolini's plan, is transformed into a "chamber of labor" representing the productive population of Italy by trades and professions instead of by geographical regions.

Here It Is Dinner-Time Again!



By CAROLINE B. KING
Culinary Expert and Lecturer on Domestic Science

WHAT shall we have for dinner when everyone is tired of the same old things? Tired of steaks and chops and tired of vegetables

oaked and boiled and stewed in the same old way. Well, why not elimate meat for a change and substitute a main dish of some kind—not one of the ordinary affairs, however, but one that combines some tasty, wholesome, substantial vegetable and nutritious Swiss cheese, straight from Switzerland, piquant and aromatic in flavor and cheaper as well as more nutritious than meat? Such combinations as these, for instance, which amply supply all vitamins and are both delicious and digestible.

Cheese Stuffed Peppers:

Select six green peppers or pimientos of regular size. Clip the tops from them and remove all seeds and fibres. Place in boiling water to which a pinch of soda has been added. For the filling melt 1 1/2 tablespoons butter, add 2 tablespoons of flour, stir to a paste, then add 1/2 cupful milk and cook to a thick sauce. Fold in 1/2 cupful of Switzerland cheese cut in small pieces, one well beaten egg and one cupful of soft bread crumbs. Season with salt and paprika, drain the peppers and fill. Top with dry bread crumbs and a wafer thin slice of genuine Swiss cheese. Place in a dripping pan, pour one-half cupful of water or tomato juice about the peppers and bake one-half hour. Serve at once.

Egg Plants a la Suisse:

Cut a medium sized egg plant in

halves and boil till tender. Peel and cut in dice, removing seeds. Make a tomato sauce, as follows: Melt 1 1/2 tablespoons butter and add 2 tablespoons of flour, cook to a paste, then add 1 1/2 cups strained tomato pulp, season to taste and simmer to a thick sauce. Arrange the diced egg plant in layers in a baking dish covering each layer with very thin slices of Switzerland cheese. When the dish is full, pour in the tomato sauce, sprinkle the top of the dish with bread crumbs, dot with bits of butter and bake one-half hour.

Stuffed Potatoes With Cheese:

Select large potatoes and halve lengthwise. Rub all over with fat and bake. Remove the pulp from the skins and mash it well, season with salt, pepper, butter and add a little milk. Return to the potatoes and place a thin slice of real Swiss cheese on each. Sprinkle with paprika and place in the oven until the cheese melts and brown slightly. Garnish with chives.

Corn and Cheese Pudding Creole Style:

Cut enough corn from the cob to make two cupfuls, or use one can of corn. Add 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 2 eggs well beaten, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon each paprika and pepper and one canned pint minto cut in small pieces. Mix all well and place in greased baking dish. Cover with thin layer of Switzerland cheese and bake one-half hour in a moderate oven.



IT'S NO ACCIDENT

—but a good understanding. A few days ago a fond Mama asked her newly wedded daughter where new hubby went every afternoon and was told that "I guess that he goes to some kind of a publishers meeting, for he is always talking about the Bookmakers." He'd always be talking about our delicious frothy sodas if he ever drank the refreshing sodas we serve at our fountain.



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WHISTLING GIRL "TALKS" TO BIRDS IN TEXAS HOME

Feathered Warblers Give Daily Srenades for Miss Dorothy McFarland of Dallas.

Dallas, Texas.—From early childhood Miss Dorothy McFarland, seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight McFarland of Dallas, has been talking to birds. She comes nearer understanding the meanings of songs and notes of the many different kinds of birds that she has about her than any other living person, her friends declare. By imitating the calls of birds she quickly makes friends with them and they come in great flocks to her home and serenade her each day. Miss McFarland is a pupil at North Dallas high school and she frequently has delighted her schoolmates with her imitations of songs and calls of birds.

Dorothy doesn't know when she began her childish pastime of "talking" to the birds.

"They seemed like little fairies to me when I was young enough to believe that fairies really existed," she declared. "I used to watch them quietly, seeing their little throats swell and pulsate as they poured out their lovely songs."

"After a while I began to imitate the sounds they produced. I had never heard of professional whistlers at that time and knew no one of my own sex who was interested in whistling. So I didn't go at the art in a conventional manner, but just practiced and practiced until, with the aid of the diaphragm, tongue and lips, I could produce sounds that were very like bird notes."

When she told her elders that she could really "talk to the birds," they had to see and hear her performances to become convinced.

"I would come very close to a mocking bird," related Dorothy, "and whatever was sung by him I immediately imitated. There was one bird who turned his eyes toward me with wonderment; his head would tilt over to one side. Then he would apparently pull down his vest, swallow hard and send out a perfect torrent of sounds in an effort to lose me conversationally. When I persisted in answering in my best bird talk, he would listen curiously, then with a disgusted look he would fly away. I suppose he was thinking of the proverb about whistling women and crowing hens. Maybe he tried to tell me what he thought of my darling, but I couldn't catch his meaning."

"I wish everybody in Dallas could hear the bird concerts given at my home every morning," generously concedes Dorothy. "Birds don't have to practice in order to be able to sing. They fill the air with melody. But I practice several hours every morning during vacation and I wouldn't change summer for any other part of the year."

A visit to a local bird store found Dorothy McFarland able to make friends with even the shyest canary and the most capricious critic among the parrots. "Birds like to be noticed, just like humans," she said, "and they know when you love them and when you are just fooling them. Some day I'm going to have costumes just like the canaries and the gorgeous macaws and I'll give such fine impersonations that Dallas will be proud of me yet."

Child Finds Radium

Cordoba, Argentina.—After having been lost for more than a year, a tube containing eight milligrams of radium was found here recently by an eight-year-old girl playing in the street in front of her home. The radium is valued at \$8,000. It was lost by a local physician while on his way to call on a cancer patient.

Persistent

New York.—Moses Weintraub will peddle beads on Fifth avenue even if it's against the law. He has been arrested an average of twice a week for two years and has paid fines totaling \$500.

Fat Man Is Dumber Than Lean Brother

Chicago.—Based on the study of 450 men students at the University of Chicago, Dr. William H. Sheldon, psychologist, announces that the bulky-bulky men, with paunches and "bay windows" are jolly and companionable, but dumb when compared with the lean, slithering ones.

In the experiments on the 450 subjects, their physical characteristics were compared with their intelligence, as evidenced by grades, special tests and personal ratings. Summing up his findings, Dr. Sheldon says:

"While no definite conclusions can be drawn, the bulky, pot-bellied type of man seems inclined to be less intelligent than his slender opposite. There seems to be no relationship between height and intelligence. It is rather a matter of how the various parts of the body are proportioned."

However, Dr. Sheldon is years late with his alleged discovery. It was Caesar who said, in effect, "Bring about me men who are fat. These lean and hungry dogs think too much."

CALLIN' THE HOGS



Texas has just as talented hog-caller as there are in the world. Perhaps if we were to have an opportunity to put our champion up against the champions of the states in the east we would win hands down.

Trouble is we don't know just who is the champion of Texas.

That difficulty will disappear, however, because a hog-calling contest "on the state" of the State Fair of Texas this fall. Besides the money prize for the winners, there will be a gold medal for the champion.

Applications to enter this contest which will be the first to be held in Texas, are coming in already and strange to say, the very first entry was a "city fellow," Bob Pool, one of the assistant managers of the Adolphus Hotel at Dallas. But Bob is nationally proud of the fact that he was brought up on a farm in Milan County, where, as he says in his application, "the hogs roamed about in perfect freedom and had to be called at feeding time."

Pool says he may need to "rehearse" a little, but that by the time the fair opens he will be in shape to offer competition to any and all comers from the state of Texas.

The "points" which the judges will take into consideration in determining the winner will be: Individuality, expression of caller, volume, distance, tone, persuasiveness and effectiveness. Entry blanks and prize list for this contest may be had by addressing Roy Rupard, Secretary of the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Texas.

WALTER BURTON SAYS

Walter Burton, known to every poultry man in America as the superintendent of the Poultry Department of the State Fair of Texas, has a message for his Texas friends. He asks us to say this:

"Boys, take my word for it, the State Fair this fall will be so much better in every way than ever before that I am urging you, with all the earnestness that I can command, to begin right now to get your birds in condition for the greatest poultry show you ever saw!"

No matter what your past experience has been, be sure to show this fall. If you have been winning, don't be content to rest upon your laurels. A win this fall will mean more than ever before.

If you have not been entirely successful, try again next October. Begin to look your flock over at once. Pick out the likeliest birds and get them in shape. You may win a higher prize than last year.

And if you never have shown, don't miss this chance. Get into the game when it will mean the most to you."

THE ALL-TEXAS DINNER WILL BE GREAT FEATURE OF PRESS DAY AT TEXAS STATE FAIR



The "Special Days" announced for the State Fair of Texas this year are as follows:

Saturday, Oct. 8—Opening Day.
Sunday, Oct. 9—All-Church Day.

Monday, Oct. 10—Press Day, Agricultural Exhibitors' Day, All-Texas Dinner, honoring Newspaper Men and exhibitors in Agricultural Department.

Tuesday, Oct. 11—Dallas Day, Red Men's Day.

Friday, Oct. 14—Children's Day.

Saturday, Oct. 15—Traveling Men's Day, All-College Day.

Sunday, Oct. 16—Spanish War Veterans' Day.

Monday, Oct. 17—Dairy Day.

Wednesday, Oct. 19—Kentucky Day.

Thursday, Oct. 20—Academy Day.

Friday, Oct. 21—R. O. T. C. Day.

Saturday, Oct. 22—University of Missouri Day, American Bankers' Day.

Sunday, Oct. 23—Fraternity Day, American Legion Day, Closing Day.

Other "Special Days" will be announced later.

The All-Texas dinner, which is to be one of the features of Press Day, Monday, October 10, will be a banquet at which everything served at the tables—and there will be an astonishing variety of foods—will be a Texas product. Each article of food served will be of the very best prize-winning products, in fact, gathered for this purpose from every part of the state.

This will include every variety of fine meats, chickens, fruits, vegetables, preserves, jellies, pastry, ice creams, sherbets and so on down the line—the best that Texas raises—the whole making a bill of fare that to print which would take about two columns in an average newspaper. The guests at this dinner will be the newspaper men and their wives and families, exhibitors in the Agricultural and Livestock Departments and county agents. It is to be an annual affair hereafter.



Brian Boru Recognized as Ruler of Ireland

The O'Briens and many other distinguished Irish families claim as their ancestor Brian Boru, king of Ireland from 1002 to 1014. This warlike monarch, says a writer in the Kansas City Star, is regarded as the popular hero of early Irish history and the stories told about his reign have led to its being regarded as a sort of golden age. Brian passed his youth fighting the Danes, who were constantly ravaging Munster, northern part of the holding of Brian's tribe, and he won much fame for the dashing brilliancy of these encounters. He was still quite young when he avenged the slaying of his brother, a tribal king, and became a ruler himself. Settling out on a career of conquest, he forced virtually every Irish tribe to acknowledge him as its chief, and during the last 12 years of his life he was regarded as the king of Ireland. Then the Danes made an effort to re-establish their supremacy and some of Brian's enemies joined the invaders. In 25 battles, however, he displayed such indomitable fighting spirit that the Danes were all but vanquished, and finally, at the battle of Clontarf, in 1014, the victory was made decisive. Brian, then eighty-three years old, was able only to advise on the maneuvers from his tent, where, after the victory had been won, he was killed. To this day many pilgrimages are made to Armagh, which tradition makes his burial place.

Evidence That Tigers

Select Human Victims

Man-eating tigers of the Indian jungles sometimes appear to single out a certain person and go after him, ignoring all others until they get him, points out Gen. William Mitchell, the noted flying officer, in an article in Liberty. The general tells a story to illustrate his point.

"A native became separated from his companions in the jungle and was chased by a tiger," he writes. "He succeeded in climbing into a tree, while the tiger remained on watch below."

"After a while," General Mitchell continues, "his companions, noting his absence and suspecting that a tiger might have killed him, returned, making a great racket by beating drums so as to keep the tiger away."

"The man descended and joined his companions. They were walking quietly, single file, through the jungle, when suddenly there was a flash of orange and black and the doomed man was carried off by the tiger. It is related, also, that this man was the fattest of the group."

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BROWNWOOD ASKS A LOAF AND GETS A CRUMB, ONE OF THE CRUMBS FROM THE SYNDICATE POWER TABLE

The decision of the Board of Water Engineers, in the Brownwood case, looks very much like a dog fall. Brownwood got more than the Rice Growers on the coast wanted it to have, and Brownwood did not bet half it asked for and by every moral right should have had. The decision of the Board of Water Engineers in granting Brownwood less than half the water asked for, lends color to the charge made at Abilene that the water rights of the people living on the Colorado river above Austin are being ignored by the Water Engineers. The granting of the Brownwood permit was by a majority of one vote. Mr. Dunlap, one of the members of the Board, voted against the Brownwood permit. In answer to a telegram from the Abilene Daily News, for his reason for voting against granting the permit, his reply was, that he voted against granting the permit because he believed that Brownwood people were entitled to all they asked for, but refused to discuss the matter further. If the rights of the people of the upper reaches of the Colorado for irrigation or other purposes are being bartered away in the interest of a Power and Irrigating company for the sole benefit of a few people on the river in Travis, Burnett and two or three other counties; if people living above the proposed dam sites in Travis and Burnett counties, are to be deprived of their divine right to the water falling on their land, by some law or hocus pocus ruling of a Board of Water Engineers the people of Texas ought to know it, and knowing the facts if the law or the arbitrary ruling of those in charge of Texas waters supply, is being given, bartered or sold to any syndicate power company, Gov. Dan Moody should summons the Legislature in session at once to amend or repeal the law, before the waters of every river in Texas are handed over to corporations.

Just what the people of Brown County will do, we do not know, but there is some indications that the permit might prove worthless. That clause about the permit being made subject to prior allotments (We have not the report before us at this writing,) but that and some other reservations might be constructed by this or some other succeeding Board of Water Engineers as a violation of prior permits. In that case the Board might require that the water be let out of the reservoir after the dam is built. The people of Texas will not stand for such skull duggery as this, and a lot of speculators who think that they have secured the exclusive right to the water that belongs to the people of 34 counties above Austin, to sell to some great corporation for a fortune—a fortune that belongs to the people that no just law or any kind of ruling of a Water Board can deprive them of, will have another think coming.

Next thing we know, the Legislature is liable to pass a law granting a permit to some Air Power Company at Austin, and make every body living north, east and west of Austin, pay for the air we breathe, and use to turn our wind mills. There would be as much sense or justice in stealing the south wind from West Texas as to confiscate the water that falls on their land, and give it to people

hundreds of miles south of them.

It would seem that only one or two things can clear up the middle of this block head law. A court decision as to the constitutionality of the law, or a special session of the Legislature before other power companies secure the right to all the water on every river in Texas, and repeal the law outright.

NOTICE, SHERIFF SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Callahan.

By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County, on the 25th day of August 1927, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of John J. Russell versus T. G. Shaw No. 12947 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in October 1927, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Callahan County, in the City of Baird, the following described property, to-wit:

Forty three acres off the north end of a part of the J. B. Teague Pre-emption Survey, described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of T. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 2999, in said Callahan County; Thence west 170 varas to stone mound for corner in east line of survey No. 123, University Land; Thence south 2345 varas to a stone corner; Thence east 170 varas to a stake; Thence north 2345 varas to the place of beginning, containing 70 4-5 acres more or less, except one acre at north end, said property leased herein comprising forty-two acres, more or less levied on as the property of T. G. Shaw to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,268.32 in favor of John J. Russell and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of September 1927.

Everett Hughes, Sheriff,
41-3t. Callahan County, Texas.

NOTICE, SHERIFF SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Callahan.

By virtue of an Alias Execution, issued out of the Honorable Justice Court, Precinct No. 3, Court of Shackelford County, on 26th day of August 1927, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of W. H. Kirby, et al versus Jim McMurry No. 305 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in October 1927, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Callahan County, in the City of Baird, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain oil, gas and mineral lease upon the N. W. ¼ of Section 2999 H. Wagley Fee, T. E. & L. Co. Lands, Callahan County, Texas, levied on as the property of Jim McMurry to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$152.00 in favor of W. H. Kirby and E. L. Kirby and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 30th day of August 1927.

Everett Hughes, Sheriff,
41-3t. Callahan County, Texas.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF GUARDIAN, TO BE DISCHARGED FROM GUARDIANSHIP

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting: In the Matter of the Estate of Lula Jackson, a person of unsound mind, W. A. Hinds, Guardian, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Lula Jackson, a person of unsound mind, Numbered 692 on the Probate Docket of Callahan County, together with an Application to be discharged from said Guardianship.

You are hereby commanded that you cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said County, giving due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper to do so, on or before the October Term, A. D. 1927 of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the City of Baird, Callahan, Co. Tex. on the first Monday in October A. D. 1927, the same being the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1927, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the City of Baird, this 2nd day of September, A. D. 1927.

S. E. Settle, Clerk,
County Court, Callahan
County, Texas. 41-4t.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County, on the 7th day of September, 1927, in a certain cause wherein J. B. Eubank is plaintiff, and G. F. Witt is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 6th day of June, 1927 in favor of the said plaintiff J. B. Eubank against said defendant G. F. Witt for the sum of Three Hundred Forty Four and 5-100 (\$344.05) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in October 1927, it being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House at Baird, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of G. F. Witt in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of G. F. Witt to-wit: On the oil and gas lease and the oil and gas and other mineral and all pumping and other equipment on, in and under the following described tract of land situated in Callahan County, Texas, being the South ½ of the West ½ of the South ¼ of Survey No. 2271, T. E. & L. Co. Lands.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Three Hundred Forty Four and 5-100 (\$344.05) Dollars, in favor of J. B. Eubank, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

Everett Hughes, Sheriff,
41-3t. Callahan County, Texas.
Baird, Texas, September 7, 1927.

EULA LOCALS

EULA TEXAS, Sept. 4, 1927—Well, Uncle Billie how are you and The Star force? We are all well out this way and we have made a good crop of feed. I think it will take five acres to make a bale, take the county over. We have lots of dead cotton, we have run our land to long in cotton seems like, and yet cotton is the only think we can get a dime out of. Feed is cheap, the only way to realize anything out of feed, is to feed it out. In some places we are having good rains.

Cotton picking will start in a few days. The Eula gin is ready to gin all the cotton far and near.

The oil business is a little dull out this way. Sanger Oil Company is drilling day and night. Mr. Sanger thinks he is going to open one of the largest fields in Callahan County soon. Crane City wont be in it.

Judge White and Sheriff Hughes, of Baird, were in Eula Saturday. We are proud of both of these boys for they are making good.

Nunnally Stephens, who is attending school at Arlington, is home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stephens, are visiting Mrs. Stephens parents, Mr. and W. B. Ferguson. They are from Floyd County. They report short crops up there.

Well, as news is scarce, I will ring off Uncle Bill. I may have to get you to round up a few of the boys and come out and help me pick cotton; Such men as Dad Boydston, H. F. Foy, T. E. Powell, H. Schwartz, W. A. Hinds, Grant Bowlus, Bob Norrell, Ace Hickman and Rod Kelton. With best wishes to The Star force. "Patsie."

MR. ISENHOWER OF PUTNAM, DIES

Mac Isenhower, aged 78 years, died and was buried at Putnam, Wednesday.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sim Smith, of Admiral, on September 1, 1927, a daughter.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of thanking the people of Admiral, Baird and surrounding country for the help so generously contributed to me and my little ones last week, when we lost almost every thing by fire, may God's blessing rest on every one of them.

E. Mabry Smith
and children.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study at 10 a. m.
Preaching and Communion at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Preaching by Albert S. Hall. We invite you to worship with us. Ladies Bible Class meets Tuesday at 4 o'clock. Mrs. R. F. Mayfield will be in charge of the lesson.

Subject: "Solomon Dedicates The Temple." I Kings-8:1-1,62,63.

Elder Albert S. Hall has been selected as Minister of the Church of Christ in Baird, and has moved to Baird to make his home here permanently. Elder Hall comes from Willington, Texas to Baird.

Churches

METHODIST RALLY DAY AND FALL OPENING

Cal C. Wright

On next Sunday, September the 11th, the Annual Rally Day and Fall Opening will be observed at the Methodist Sunday School.

Vacation season is over, the public school is about to open, and it is our purpose to RALLY our Sunday School Church forces for the fall and winter work, in carrying on the Kingdom of God.

We hope to have every former member of the Sunday School present, and if you are not enrolled in another Sunday School, we invite your presence with us.

The Methodist Sunday School in Baird is said to be one of the best organized and equipped in this section of the State. The Cradle Roll Department is the place where the mothers may leave their babies under careful attention, while they go to their own classes.

The Beginners, Primary and Junior Departments use the graded literature, and the teachers are trained in the work.

The Intermediate, Senior, Young People's and Adult Department are doing fine work and the classes are most interesting.

Our largest attendance this year was 365—on Mother's Day—and we hope to go beyond that number next Sunday.

If the Committees have not extended a personal invitation to you, we want you to understand that a welcome awaits you at 10 o'clock next Sunday, for the Rally Day and Fall Opening services.

Come to Sunday School and stay for Church.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. W. Yell, Minister

Sunday School 10 A. M.
You come, our Sunday School is increasing in number each Sunday and you come help keep it up.

Preaching Services at 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M., by the Pastor. We expect to meet you at some of these services.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM September 11, 1927

Subject: The Great Judgment.

Leader: Judith Mayes.

Introduction: Judith Mayes.

1. Why Is The Judgment Delayed?

Eva Robbison.

2. The Righteous At The Judgment.

Dorothy Nummy.

3. The Wicked At The Judgment.

Carroll McGowen.

4. Unconscious Of Service and Of Sin.

Lucille Robbison.

5. Picture Of Life In Palistine.

Bessie Mae Gillette.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Joe R. Mayes, Pastor

We had a good day Sunday. My but its fine to be home.

We missed several who were out but we know they will be back next Sunday.

Don't forget the meeting at the Jackson School House. The meeting will be conducted by the pastor. Everyone should help.

The Association meets this week with the Putnam Church. A big time for everyone is assured, if you will attend.

We must get about our new church building now. The women are at the task of raising the money and surely the men will join them. The W. M. S. will have a Cooked Food Sale Saturday, September 17th to raise some of this much needed fund, and I am sure every woman of the church will gladly help and every one will be anxious to make a purchase.

We are expecting a large attendance at Sunday School and every one of them to stay for church. If you are not there, and you too, my sisters, you will disappoint somebody. Don't do it, be in your place and let us put this thing over for the Master.

The B. P. U. will meet at their regular hours. Let every Junior be on hand Sunday afternoon, and meet your leader. The Senior Union meets at 7 o'clock and we are so glad for the work being done, but why dont the other young people take a part in this work of the church, is a question I can not answer.

If all of our Baptist young people would help us, we would have the best young people's department in our church, any where to be found. Now you remember young people, I am counting on you to do your part. Surely you will not fail me?

Hoping to see every one in their places next Sunday and looking forward to a great time all together.

I am, Cordially,
Joe R. Mayes.

BUILDER OF THE FUTURE

A Welcome to Our Teachers



We doubt if any one group of people is doing more for the future of the Baird territory than are our teachers.

For this reason, this bank extends a most sincere welcome to the teachers—both those who have served here before and those who are taking up the work for the first time. We'll consider it a privilege to number you among our friends!

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BAIRD, TEXAS

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Henry James, Vice President	Bob Norrell, Cashier
Ace Hickman, Vice President	Howard E. Farmer, Asst. Cashier
W. A. Hinds	A. R. Kelton

The Happy Home



Atwater Kent Radio goes a long way toward making every home it enters happy. To aid you to learn first-handedly the extra measure of happiness it will bring to your home, let us install one. There will be no obligation on your part to buy, but we do feel that you will want to keep it, once you know and hear a One Dial Control Atwater Kent.

We carry a complete stock of accessories for all makes of Radios.

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Kept fresh and pure with a modern FRIGIDAIRE. Visit our store and note the new cooling system.

Our stock Staple and Fancy Groceries, Fresh and Cured Meats is complete and well kept. Phoneus your Grocery and Meat orders, which will be given prompt and careful attention and our deliveryman will see that your goods are delivered promptly

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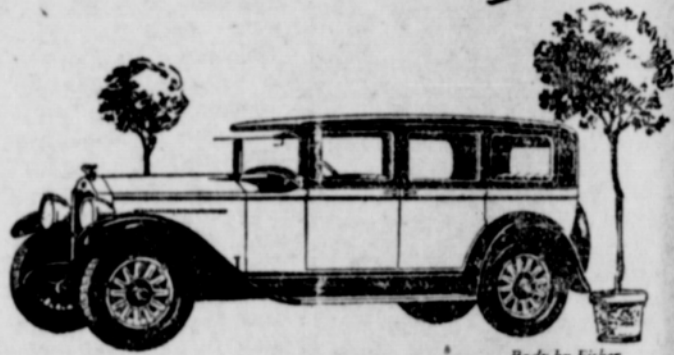
—one or more of these will surely overtake you. You can provide against the financial discomfort of these things, however, by laying aside a reserve in this bank

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BUICK for 1928



When Buick improves upon Buick—the standard for the year is set

Buick for 1928 introduces a higher standard of beauty and luxury than the world has ever known. Buick interiors are as modish as exquisite drawing-rooms—as harmoniously colored—and as comfortable. Buick's new Fisher bodies are low-slung without any loss of head-room or road-clearance.

And so, down to the smallest detail of construction, wherever refinements could be made, Buick has made them. Again Buick has improved upon Buick. Again the standard for the year is set.

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Sedans \$1195 to \$1995 / Coupes \$1195 to \$1850
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All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich., government tax to be added. The G. M. A. C. financing plan, the most desirable, is available. The model illustrated is the Five-Passenger Sedan, Series 120, \$1495.

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ABILENE TEXAS.

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TABLETS, PENCILS, INK, RULERS—
EVERYTHING IN SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Complete Line of Stationary
Fresh Candies and Cold Drinks

The ARCADE

Formerly Hensley's Confectionery

Personal Mention

Miss Brooksie Wright spent the week end with friends in Abilene.

Mrs. R. Q. Evans spent Tuesday in Cisco.

Mrs. Corinne Driskill left the first of the week for Dallas.

Mrs. Ray Garrett left the first of the week for her home in Fort Worth.

C. H. Mahan of Fort Worth, was in Baird, Tuesday.

R. G. Halstead of Merkel, was in Baird Saturday.

W. W. Everett of Putnam, was in Baird Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul McNabb, of Abilene, nee Miss Kate Darby, of Baird, visited her mother here this week.

Mrs. Ray Hickman of Sweetwater, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. B. Griggs.

Otis Bowyer of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Otis Bowyer.

Mrs. Cal C. Wright is quite sick. She has been confined to her bed for several days.

Mrs. W. O. Miller returned Wednesday night from a visit with friends in Midland.

A. T. Young of Belle Plaine, left Wednesday for Newcastle, Texas, to visit his son, Jack Young and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker, of Trent spent the week end with Jack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Walker.

R. E. Nunnally, engineer in the T & P yards here, is laid off from work by a badly sprained wrist as the result of a fall.

Mrs. W. M. Hoover and son, Leslie, of Dallas, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. L. Henry, and other relatives.

Mrs. C. G. Bloom and children have returned from Dallas, where they have spent the past month visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Morris and family, of Anaheim, California, and A. B. Masterson, of Floydada, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren, the past week.

Mrs. H. H. Shaw underwent a surgical operation at Dallas Wednesday. We did not learn the nature of the trouble, but throat trouble we believe.

Miss Dorothy Boydston returned a few days ago from South Texas, where she spent the summer. Miss Dorothy says she spent a delightful summer, but is surely glad to be at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Alaf G. South have returned from Stephenville, where they attended John Tarlton College the past summer. Mr. and Mrs. South will teach the Belle Plaine School again this year.

Esteen King, employed in the Lubbock Post office, is spending part of his vacation with friends in Baird. He will also visit in Breckenridge, Fort Worth and Gatesville before returning to Lubbock.

Frank Brock, of Gatesville spent Wednesday with friends in Baird. Mr. Brock has many friends here who are glad to see him, and know that he has entirely regained his health. He made his home here with his sister, Mrs. C. R. Brandon, who now lives in Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ferguson and baby, Donald David, who have been visiting Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boydston, left a few days ago for Brownsville, where Mr. Ferguson will build a \$300,000.00 school building.

Morgan Price and Less Walker, returned last Friday from an extended auto trip to West Texas. They attended the Boys Camp Meeting at Skillman Grove, high up in the Davis Mountains, near Fort Davis, and visited Valentine and Marfa, where Morgan worked as a cow boy in the "80's" for W. L. Gilliland, and J. B. Cutbirth, both now dead.

Miss Gladys Eastham in company with Mrs. Ada Alvord and Mrs. White, of Abilene, are spending several weeks at Rudosa Springs, in the mountains of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hart and son, Kenneth, have returned from an extended auto trip through Colorado, Yellowstone Park and other places of interest in the north-west. They were gone about four weeks.

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H. D. Taylor was in town from the Moran oil fields yesterday.

When business is poor, advertise to make it better. When it is good, advertise to keep it that way.

Don't fail to see Mrs. Vada Bennett as "Mrs. Doleful," at the Tabernacle tonight.

Watch for the date of the Pure Food Show, by the Presbyterian Ladies.

Miss Pauline Terrell has returned from Denton, where she received her A. B. degree at the summer Normal.

Miss Madge Holmes returned Tuesday from Dallas, where she visited relatives.

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Mrs. Mary Kera and Miss Juanita Johnson has returned from Rochester Pa., where she spent a month visiting.

Miss Pauline Terrell and Miss Hilda Albin are visiting in Dallas this week.

Mr. W. C. Franklin and little son, Billy of Dallas spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Franklin.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McFarlane and little daughter Anna Louise, of Mexia are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price McFarlane.

Mr. John Lones and mother, Mrs. H. A. Lones, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kershner, Mesdames Joe Copeland attended a three days picnic at Aspermont last week end.

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School Time is here



and as usual we have every accessory you will need. If you will make a habit of coming to our store for your needs you will always be able to find just what you want.

School Shoes for Girls and Boys

We have just received a shipment of Selzshoes in cloth high tops and Oxfords. Just what you have been wanting. These little shoes are built and sold to the public with only one aim, and that is complete satisfaction to the wearer.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Baird will not be responsible for any bills or accounts unless accompanied by requisition, signed by the City Secretary or City Water Superintendent.

By order of the City Council in regular session, Thursday, August 18, 1927.

C. L. Dickey,
Mayor.

Royce Gilliland,
City Secretary. 39-3t.

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1927 for the Taxes of 1926, in Callahan County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONER'S COURT

The State of Texas

County of Callahan In Commissioner's Court: We certify that we have examined the following twelve pages of Collector's Report of Lands and Town Lots, assessed on the Tax Rolls of Callahan County, for the year 1926, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1926, and find the same correct, and that W. J. Evans, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Given in open Court this the 10th day of May, A. D. 1927:

W. C. White, County Judge

Virgil F. Jones

J. H. Carpenter

W. A. Everett

G. H. Clifton,

County Commissioner s.

Attest: S. E. Settle, County Clerk.

R. L. Alexander, Abst. 221, Sur. 6, W. Hickman, original grantee, 177 acres. Total Tax, \$16.55.
R. T. Anderson, Abst. 39, Sur. 81, B. B. & C. original grantee, 83 acres. Total Tax, \$25.89.
L. D. Barnard, N 1/2 Lot 3, Block 41, and Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 25, Clyde. Total Tax, \$5.84.
E. J. Beard, Abst. 263, Sur. 850, Jas. Lavine, original grantee, 49 acres. Total Tax, \$7.20.
W. M. Bennett, Abst. 156, Sur. 757, A. L. Eaves, original grantee, 1 acre; Abst. 220, Sur. 5, W. Hickman, original grantee, 50 acres; Abst. 1628, Pre-E. F. Griffin, original grantee 30 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$14.53.
C. H. Berry, Lot 3, Blk. 45, Putnam. Total Tax, \$7.01.
A. L. Biggerstaff, Lots 13, 14, 15, Blk. 27; Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, Blk. 36, Putnam. Total Tax, \$91.65.
D. M. Buffington, Lots 9 & 10, Blk. 13, Putnam. Total Tax, \$4.49.
C. L. Childs, Abst. 274, Sur. 846, D. Millican, original grantee, 100x135 feet. Total Tax, \$25.10.
E. B. Cole, Abst. 86, Sur. 65, B. B. & C. Ry. Co. original grantee, 29 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$24.17.
Mrs. J. C. Colvin, Lot 12, Blk. 70, Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$17.35.
J. R. Curtis, Abst. 1699, Sur. 60, J. T. Dugan, original grantee, 160 acres. Total Tax, \$45.06.
Fannie Deaton, all Lot 6 & E 1/4 Lot 7, Blk. 49, Baird. Total Tax, \$4.44.
C. W. Duty, Abst. 84, Sur. 51, B. B. & C. Ry. Co. original grantee, 40 acres. Total Tax, \$7.80.
W. D. Early, Abst. 87, Sur. 75, B. B. & C. Ry. Co., original grantee. 29 acres. Total Tax, \$15.60.
E. J. Eddlemen, Abst. 974, Sur. 24, B. O. H. original grantee, 85 acres. Total Tax, \$23.12.
Ely & Driskill, Lots 7 to 12, Blk. 49, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$2.69.
Marvin Eubanks, N. 1/2 Lots 13, 14, 15, Blk. 20, Putnam. Total Tax, \$13.65.
Farmers Gin Co. Lots 1, 2, 16, 17, 18, Blk. 26, Putnam, Texas. Total Tax, \$68.25.
J. T. Farrar, Abst. 82, Sur. 47, B. B. & C. original grantee, 1 acre. Total Tax, \$5.48.
Chas. Forbus, Abst. 6, Sur. 2, John Anderson, original grantee, 30 acres; Abst. 243, Sur. 339, Geo. Hancock, original grantee, 69, acres. Total Tax, \$17.55.
Francisco & King, East part, Lot 5, Blk. 11, Putnam. Total Tax, \$5.85.
Ed Frazier, Lot 10, Blk. 50, Baird. Total Tax, \$6.17.
Mrs. N. A. Frazier, Lots 8 and 9, Block 50, Baird. Total Tax, \$14.75.
Mrs. Mattie Gray, Abst. 638, Pre. F. M. Boykin, original grantee, 50 acres. Total Tax, \$11.75.
Mrs. W. A. Graham, Abst. 122, Sur. 332, A. Cherry, original grantee, 3 1/4 acres. Total Tax, \$12.60.
Marion Graham, Abst. 84, Sur. 51, B. B. & C. original grantee, 40 acres. Total Tax, \$12.29.
J. L. Haley, Estate, Abst. 521, Sur. 3, J. Van Winkle, original grantee, 220 acres; Abst. 955, Sur. 1, B. O. H. original grantee, 118x140 feet. Total Tax, \$68.85.
L. M. Haley, Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 9, Div. H. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$9.79.
J. M. Hart, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 32, Clyde. Total Tax, \$29.84.
S. R. Hoover Estate, Abst. 221, Sur. 6, W. Hickman, original grantee, 23 acres. Total Tax, \$5.87.
Hudson Estate, Abst. 111, Sur. 3, T. C. Catonett, original grantee, 50 acres; Abst. 112, Sur. 2, T. C. Catonett, original grantee, 300 acres. Total Tax, \$63.75.
S. G. Jones, Abst. 14, Sur. 9, Uriah Bass original grantee 24 acres. Total Tax, \$16.01.
E. B. Jones, Abst. 329, Sur. 27, S. P. Ry. Co. original grantee, 168 acres. Total Tax, \$12.63.
C. C. King, Abst. 955, Sur. 1, B. O. H. original grantee, 50x140 feet. Total Tax, \$20.85.
B. F. King, Abst. 34, Sur. 61, B. B. & C. original grantee, 4 acres; Abst. 84, Sur. 62, B. B. & C. original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$10.53.
H. R. Klepper, Abst. 36, Sur. 69, B. B. & C. original grantee; 80 acres, Lot 1, Blk. 8, Clyde. Total Tax, \$28.58.
S. D. Langly South 1/2 Blk. 7, Div. M. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$1.80.
A. F. Lockley, Abst. 86, Sur. 65, B. B. & C. original grantee, 45 acres. Total Tax, \$14.61.
John Mason Estate, Abst. 339, Sur. 3, S. P. Ry. Co. original grantee 100 acres. Total Tax, \$16.80.
J. R. Mason, Abst. 339, Sur. 3, S. P. Ry. Co. original grantee, 100 acres. Total Tax, \$23.66.
T. H. Millhorn, Lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 3; Lots 4, 5, 6, Blk. 19, Clyde. Total Tax, \$12.66.
G. A. Moore, Lot 7, Blk. 84, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$10.51.
J. S. Morgan, Abst. 77, Sur. 29, B. B. & C. original grantee, 120 acres. Total Tax, \$34.05.
Mrs. Bess Morris, 75x150 feet Lot 4, Blk. 8, Clyde. Total Tax, \$5.85.
W. G. Morris, Lot 1 Blk. 31, Baird. Total Tax, \$15.69.
L. P. Murphy S. W. 1/4 Blk. 92, Baird. Total Tax, \$17.70.
Dr. George McBride, Abst. 2, Sur. 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 46 acres. Total Tax, \$12.75.
R. P. Nurdyke Estate, Abst. 156, Sur. 757 A. L. Eaves, original grantee, 18 acres. All Blk. 38, Cottonwood. Total Tax, \$17.85.
A. J. Nurdyke, West 1/2 Blk. 1, Cottonwood. Total Tax, \$1.29.
G. C. Osborne, Abst. 1773, Sur. 18, S. P. Ry. Co. original grantee, 140 acres. Total Tax, \$18.50.
J. H. Potter, Abst. 523, Sur. 798, G. M. Vigal, original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$6.05.
Mrs. N. A. Pratt, Lot 1, Blk. 50, Baird. Total Tax, \$17.70.
H. A. Pruett, 1/2 Lot 2 and all Lot 3, Blk. 44, Putnam. Total Tax, \$16.76.
I. R. Ray, Abst. 86, Sur. 65, B. B. & C. original grantee, 20 acres. Total Tax, \$15.98.
W. E. Reed, Abst. 150, Sur. 376, G. W. Denton, original grantee, 160 acres. Total Tax, \$38.50.
Mrs. Tom Russell, Abst. 1494, Sur. 66, B. B. & C. original grantee, 18 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$17.55.
Mrs. J. H. Rutherford, Lots 8 to 12, Blk. 18, Clyde. Total Tax, \$11.70.
Mrs. M. L. Shelman, Lot 13, Blk. 21, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$1.88.
J. N. Smith, Abst. 1290, Sur. 8, U. N. Smith, original grantee, 124 acres. Total Tax, \$16.80.
T. L. Terry, Abst. 1722, Sur. 47, Lunatic Asylum, original grantee, 42 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$4.11.
R. H. Thomas, Abst. 266, 758, Ira Leffingwell, original grantee, 35 acres. Total Tax, \$9.67.
S. H. Thomas, Abst. 266, Sur. 758, Ira Leffingwell, original grantee, 100 acres. Total Tax, \$23.93.
M. Q. Thorn, Abst. 718, Sur. 62, B. B. & C. original grantee, 84 acres. Total Tax, \$26.51.
Mrs. S. M. Tisdale, Lot 4 Blk. 64, Baird. Total Tax, \$17.70.
W. C. Tisdale South 1/2 Lot 4, Blk. 88, Baird. Total Tax, \$29.15.
Andrew Urban, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 51, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$8.09.
Mrs. J. W. Walker, Abst. 761, Sur. 111, E. H. Newlan, original grantee, 5 acres. Total Tax, \$23.60.
R. A. Wilbank, Lot 1 and 2, Blk. 35, Putnam. Total Tax, \$32.75.
Walter Williams, Abst. 1692, Sur. 4, G. W. Cresswell, original grantee 40 acres. Total Tax, \$16.27.
H. G. Williford, South 1/2 Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 3, Div. O. T. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$6.21.
G. T. Yarbrough Estate, Abst. 2, Sur. 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 45 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$7.20.
George McLain, Abst. 113, Sur. 333, Walter Converse, original grantee, 79 acres. Total Tax, \$21.84.

W. M. Adams, Abst. 274, Sur. 846, D. Millican, original grantee, 30 acres. Total Tax, \$9.00.
Mrs. T. A. Allison, Abst. 267, Sur. 17, James Lehw, original grantee, 15 acres. Total Tax, \$2.55.
J. B. Baker, Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 84, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$10.80.
J. J. Bennett, Abst. 156, Sur. 757, A. L. Eaves, original grantee, 102 acres. Total Tax, \$25.50.
C. M. Blair, Abst. 136, Sur. 352, G. W. Denton, original grantee, 82 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$14.19.
F. Bowman, Lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 32, Baird; Lot 12, Blk. 24, Clyde. Total Tax, \$7.85.
J. J. Boyd, Abst. 1785, Sur. 50, A. Carter, original grantee, 42 acres. Total Tax, \$8.19.
G. T. Bryant Abst. 1275, Sur. 14, J. M. Webb, original grantee; 160 acres; Abst. 1630, Sur. 34, I. J. Hanna, original grantee, 20 acres; Abst. 1816, Sur. 34, E. O. Wennett, original grantee, 13 acres. Total Tax, \$56.95.
J. H. Burks, Abst. 86, Sur. 65, B. B. & C. original grantee, 15 acres. Total Tax, \$14.61.
A. P. Carrington, Abst. 843, Sur. 64, B. B. & C. original grantee, 30 acres. Total Tax, \$8.71.
Mrs. Mollie Dickens, Lot 3, Blk. 6, Div. S. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$10.80.
R. H. Echols, Abst. 139, Sur. 360, G. W. Denton, original grantee, 40 acres. Total Tax, \$6.72.
J. T. Ellis, Jr., Abst. 87, Sur. 75, B. B. & C. original grantee, 1/2 acre. Total Tax, 60 cents.
W. A. Irwin, Abst. 274, Sur. 846, D. Millican, original grantee, 66 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$25.50.
A. F. Evans, Abst. 115, Sur. 748, W. M. Cooper, original grantee, 50 acres. Total Tax, \$12.75.
J. M. Ferguson, Abst. 113, Sur. 333, W. Converse, original grantee, 290 acres. Total Tax, \$51.00.
A. L. Fisher, Lot 7, 8, Blk. 31, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$5.40.
T. E. Gabbert, Abst. 34, Sur. 61, B. B. & C. original grantee, 11 acres. Total Tax, \$6.84.
J. N. Gooch, Abst. 1427, Sur. 29, R. L. Peterson, original grantee, 142 acres. Total Tax, \$25.35.
F. Hall, All of Blk. 27, Cottonwood. Total Tax, \$1.26.
Ollie Harlow, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 11, Div. S. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$8.11.
C. Hatchett, Abst. 86, Sur. 65, B. B. & C. original grantee, 7 acres. Total Tax, \$5.85.
A. H. Heffner, Lot 10, Blk. 22, Putnam. Total Tax, 99 cents.
H. L. Howlett, Abst. 1494, Sur. 66, B. B. & C. original grantee, 7 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$9.75.
E. L. Jones, Abst. 9, Sur. 768, C. H. Bennett, original grantee, 100 acres. Total Tax, \$25.50.
Clyde Kennedy, Abst. 1646, Sur. 88, M. J. Lee, original grantee, 20 acres. Total Tax, \$5.40.
N. W. King, Abst. 84, Sur. 51, B. B. & C. original grantee, 40 acres. Total Tax, \$7.80.
C. E. Kingsbury, Abst. 280, Sur. 35, Moorehouse, original grantee, 100, acres; Abst. 1248, Pre. J. E. Scott, original grantee, 19 acres; Abst. 1828, Pre. I. E. Kendrick original grantee, 7 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$41.12.
G. A. Knoefler, Abst. 34, Sur. 61, B. B. & C. original grantee, 40 acres; Lot 7, Blk. 18, Clyde. Total Tax, \$9.75.
J. A. Knott, Abst. 340, Sur. 5, S. P. Ry. Co., original grantee, 81, acres. Total Tax, \$10.50.
E. C. Lacy, Abst. 335, Sur. 735, W. D. Yeiser, original grantee, 78 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$9.93.
R. P. Lightfoot, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 6, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$3.60.
W. L. Lilley, Abst. 1151, Sur. 4, B. R. Webb, original grantee, 161 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$25.85.
H. & J. Lingleback, Lots 7 to 12, Blk. 6, Div. M. 2, Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$3.60.
E. F. Miller, Lots 5 and 6, Blk. 1, Putnam. Total Tax, \$1.95.
C. N. Morgan, Abst. 263, Sur. 850, Jas. Lavine, original grantee, 91 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$16.20.
Mrs. C. C. Moss, Lot 12, Blk. 70, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$14.40.
J. C. Murdock, All Blk. 37, Cottonwood. Total Tax, \$7.65.
O. V. Murphy, Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 3, K. G. Addition, Baird. Total Tax, \$2.95.
J. S. McClendon, E. 1/2, Lot 3, Blk. 64, Baird. Total, \$20.65.
Oasis Hotel, Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 45, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$14.40.
Mrs. M. C. Pendergrass, Lot 1, Blk. 23, Clyde. Total Tax, \$1.95.
Mrs. C. J. Pruett, Lot 6, Blk. 36, Putnam. Total Tax, 99 cents.
J. M. Purvis, Abst. 14, Sur. 9, Uriah Bass, original grantee, 7 1/4 acres. Total Tax, \$3.81.
Lee Respass, Abst. 2, Sur. 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 7 1/2 acres; Lot 24, Blk. 1; Lot 16, Blk. 2; Lot 2, Blk. 3, Div. F. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$8.64.
Bernie Richardson, Abst. 782, Sur. 104, E. H. Newlan, original grantee, 12 acres. Total Tax, \$36.86.
O. M. Robbins, Lots 5 and 6 Blk. 30, Putnam. Total Tax, \$1.17.
Sanger Bros. Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 5, Baird. Total Tax, \$2.95.
H. W. Seman, Abst. 2, Sur. 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee; 302 acres; Abst. 224, Sur. 2, L. Herbert, original grantee; 111 acres; S. 1/4 Lot 2 and All Lot 3, Blk. 19, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$97.50.
J. W. Slatton, Abst. 521, Sur. 3, J. Van Winkle, original grantee, 91 1/4 acres. Total Tax, \$13.20.
Lola Smith, All Blk. 22, Cottonwood. Total Tax, \$12.75.
T. H. Smith, Lot 16, Blk. 38, Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$5.40.
Mrs. J. C. Snow Estate, Lot 16, Blk. 44, Baird. Total Tax, \$2.95.
C. A. Stone, Abst. 88, Sur. 77, B. B. & C. original grantee, 80 acres; Abst. 1505, Sur. 12, T. N. Parrott, original grantee, 213 1/2 acres. Total Tax, 80.45.
A. B. Street, Lot 1, Blk. 74, Baird. Total Tax, \$5.90.
Mrs. Roy Tuggle, Abst. 1494, Sur. 66, H. C. Merchant, original grantee, 7 1/4 acres. Total Tax, \$7.60.
W. T. Tart, Abst. 274, Sur. 846, D. Millican, original grantee 60x225 feet. Total Tax, \$12.60.
Mrs. Emma Taylor, Abst. 87, Sur. 75, B. B. & C. original grantee, 20 acres. Total Tax, \$7.80.
J. M. Thomas, Abst. 659, Sur. 129, W. L. Henry original, 80 acres. Total Tax, \$11.84.
A. E. Upton, Lot 12, Blk. 15, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$7.20.
S. H. Williams, Abst. 14, Sur. 9, Uriah, Bass, original grantee 1/2 acre. Total Tax, 77 cents.
G. H. Williams, Abst. 138, Sur. 359, G. W. Denton, original grantee, 160 acres; Lot 6, Blk. 1, Div. S. Clyde. Total Tax, \$51.13.
T. H. Wilson, Lot 6, Blk. 17, Div. C. Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$7.20.
O. N. Wingfield, Abst. 523, Sur. 798, G. M. Vigal, original grantee, 50 acres. Total Tax, \$7.65.
T. F. Wolfe, 50x60 feet, Blk. 9, O. T. Addition; 50x60 feet Blk. 7, O. T. Addition, Cross Plains. Total Tax, \$1.80.
Dr. E. L. Thomason, Abst. 156, Sur. 757, A. L. Eaves, original grantee, 45 acres. Total Tax, \$47.65.
Mrs. M. V. Adams, Abst. 114, Sur. 1, A. Clements, original grantee, 100, acres. Total Tax, \$12.75.
Unknown, Abst. 2, Sur. 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 58 acres. Total Tax, \$10.44.
Unknown, Abst. 60, Sur. 55, B. B. & C. original grantee, 33, acres. Total Tax, \$3.90.
Unknown, Abst. 85, Sur. 63, B. B. & C. original grantee, 20 acres. Total Tax, \$3.90.
Unknown, Abst. 87, Sur. 75, B. B. & C. original grantee, 29 acres. Total Tax, \$11.31.
Unknown, Abst. 88, Sur. 77, B. B. & C. original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$1.95.
Unknown, Abst. 94, Sur. 129, B. B. & C. original grantee, 93 acres. Total Tax, \$12.95.
Unknown, Abst. 108, Sur. 771, Geo. Click, original grantee, 26 acres. Total Tax, \$6.73.
Unknown, Abst. 110, Sur. 4, M. Cherry, original grantee, 81 acres. Total Tax, \$17.82.
Unknown, Abst. 221, Sur. 6, W. Hickman, original grantee, 70 acres. Total Tax, \$17.85.
Unknown, Abst. 263, Sur. 850, Joseph Lavine, original grantee, 225 acres. Total Tax, \$40.51.
Unknown, Abst. 274, Sur. 846, D. Millican, original grantee, 28 acres. Total Tax, \$10.08.
Unknown, Abst. 317, Sur. 1, S. P. Ry. Co., original grantee, 43 acres. Total Tax, \$8.40.
Unknown, Abst. 388, Sur. 3, T. & N. O. Ry. Co., original grantee, 25 acres. Total Tax, \$2.24.
Unknown, Abst. 392, Sur. 91, T. & O. Ry. Co., original grantee, 130 acres. Total Tax, \$15.60.
Unknown, Abst. 412, Sur. 3000, T. E. & L. Co., original grantee, 160 acres. Total Tax, \$19.50.
Unknown, Abst. 444, Sur. 2293, T. E. & L. Co., original grantee, 9 acres. Total Tax, \$1.95.
Unknown, Abst. 486, Sur. 3161, T. E. & L. Co., original grantee, 86 acres. Total Tax, \$13.65.
Unknown, Abst. 521, Sur. 3, J. Van Winkle, original grantee, 116 acres. Total Tax, \$25.52.
Unknown, Abst. 588, Sur. 130, E. Huffman, original grantee, 15 acres. Total Tax, \$1.85.
Unknown, Abst. 611, Ser. Z. T. Fullmore, original grantee, 104 acres. Total Tax, \$16.20.
Unknown, Abst. 629, Sur. 33, T. & P. Ry. Co., original grantee, 204 acres. Total Tax, \$55.08.
Unknown, Abst. 669, Sur. 2, J. W. Jones, original grantee, 9 acres. Total Tax, \$1.87.
Unknown, Abst. 675, Sur. 120, W. C. Powell, original grantee, 46 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$20.34.
Unknown, Abst. 774, Sur. 32, S. Russum, original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$2.20.
Unknown, Abst. 778, Sur. 33, F. Russum, original grantee, 41 acres. Total Tax, \$9.01.
Unknown, Abst. 957, Sur. 3, B. O. H., original grantee, 18 acres. Total Tax, \$3.51.
Unknown, Abst. 878, Sur. 16, M. Hadley, original grantee, 16 acres. Total Tax, \$3.12.
Unknown, Abst. 938, Pre. A. Wyatt, original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$2.20.
Unknown, Abst. 978, Sur. 18, B. O. H., original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$1.70.
Unknown, Abst. 1170, J. W. Day, original grantee, 415, acres. Total Tax, \$53.74.
Unknown, Abst. 1233, Sur. 10, Sim McCoy, original grantee, 17 acres. Total Tax, \$2.10.
Unknown, Abst. 1247, Pre. R. Y. Scott, original grantee, 42, acres. Total Tax, \$9.87.
Unknown, Abst. 1270, Sur. 2, A. G. Webb, original grantee, 198 acres. Total Tax, \$23.40.
Unknown, Abst. 1328, Sur. 8, L. R. Dillard, original grantee, 25 acres. Total Tax, \$6.77.
Unknown, Abst. 1432, Sur. 42, C. P. Timbs, original grantee, 80 acres. Total Tax, \$21.60.
Unknown, Abst. 1525, Pre. J. L. Lawson, original grantee, 11 1/2 acres. Total Tax, \$1.95.
Unknown, Abst. 1634, Sur. 150, E. M. Wristen, original grantee, 28 acres. Total Tax, \$5.09.
Unknown, Abst. 1654 Pre. T. S. Motley, original grantee, 17 acres. Total Tax, \$3.98.
Unknown, Abst. 1674, Sur. 47, D. & D. Asylum, original grantee, 19 acres. Total Tax, \$3.90.
Unknown, Abst. 1675 Sur. 10, T. H. Brown, original grantee, 272 acres. Total Tax, \$31.80.
Unknown, Abst. 1682, Sur. 32, J. M. Chandler, original grantee, 110 acres. Total Tax, \$29.70.
Unknown, Abst. 1716, Sur. 80, Levi Hancock, original grantee, 30 acres. Total Tax, \$5.85.
Unknown, Abst. 1787, Sur. 24, J. H. Crow, original grantee, 26 acres. Total Tax, \$6.63.
Unknown, Abst. 1808, Sur. 74, John M. Mayes, original grantee, 27 acres. Total Tax, \$10.53.
Unknown, Abst. 1834, Sur. 14, J. J. Settle, original grantee, 120 acres. Total Tax, \$16.80.
Unknown, Abst. 1839, Pre. G. O. Cresswell, original grantee, 20 acres. Total Tax, \$4.30.
Unknown, Abst. 1890, Sur. 74, B. B. & C., original grantee, 40 acres. Total Tax, \$9.75.
Unknown, Abst. 1913, J. E. Anderson, original grantee, 10 acres. Total Tax, \$1.90.
Unknown, Lot 12, Blk. 10, Baird. Total Tax, \$2.95.
Unknown, Lot 3, Blk. 12, Baird. Total Tax, 90 cents.
Unknown, S. 1/2, Lot 2, Blk. 67, Baird. Total Tax, \$2.95.
Unknown, Lot 1, Blk. 2, Baird, K-G Addition. Total Tax, \$1.18.
Unknown, Lot 3, Blk. 2, Baird, K-G Addition. Total Tax, \$1.18.
Unknown, Lot 4, Blk. 2, Baird, K-G Addition. Total Tax, \$1.18.
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Unknown, Lot 9, Blk. 16, Clyde. Total Tax, \$5.85.
Unknown, Lot 16, Blk. 16, Clyde. Total Tax, \$15.60.
Unknown, N. 1/2 Lot 4, Blk. 18, Clyde. Total Tax, 96 cents.
Unknown, N. 1/2 Lot 5, Blk. 18, Clyde. Total Tax, 99 cents.
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Unknown, Lot 8, Blk. 29, Clyde. Total Tax, 96 cents.
Unknown, Lot 9, Blk. 25, Clyde. Total Tax, \$1.95.
Unknown, Lot 3, Blk. 35, Clyde. Total Tax, 96 cents.
Unknown, Lot 4, Blk. 35, Clyde. Total Tax, 99 cents.
Unknown, All Blk. 55, Clyde. Total Tax, 57 cents.
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Unknown, Lot 11, Blk. 1, Clyde.

K-1 Div. Total Tax, \$1.17.
Unknown, Lot 12, Blk. 1, Clyde, K-1 Div. Total Tax, \$1.17.
Unknown, Lot 5, Blk. 11, Cottonwood. Total Tax, 51 cents.
Unknown, Abst. 957, Sur. 3, B. O. H. original grantee, 18 acres. Total Unknown, Lot 6, Blk. 11, Cottonwood. Total Tax, 51 cents.
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Unknown, Lot 5, Blk. 17, Cross Plains, Div. C. Total Tax, \$10.80.
Unknown, Lot 19, Blk. 44, Cross Plains Div. C. Total Tax, \$5.40.
Unknown, Lot 4, Blk. 40, Cross Plains Div. C. Total Tax, \$1.80.
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Unknown, N. 1/2 Blk. 1, Cross Plains Div. F. Total Tax, \$4.32.
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Unknown, Lot 1, Blk. 4, Putnam. Total Tax, \$1.17.
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Plains. Total Tax, \$126.00.
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Comal County, original grantee 40
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acres. Total Tax, \$99.44.
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Acker, original grantee, 30 acres;
Abst. 107, Sur. 55, 60 acres; Abst.
107, Sur. 56, 40 acres, Comal County,
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Sur. 73, Comal Co., original grantee,
30 acres. Total Tax, \$108.00.
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\$90.00.
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Tax, \$129.66.
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Plains. Total Tax, \$36.00.
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& L. Co., original grantee, 80 acres.
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dub, who was poor also. Musa
knocked and told the widow of his
hunger, and she gave him two hard-
boiled eggs, all the food she had.
In after years, when Musa Ben Ad-
hem had grown rich, Abdullah, the
shyster lawyer, persuaded the widow
to sue him, not for her two eggs alone,
but for the two chickens which they
would have become, together with all
the chickens' eggs and offspring, a
vast sum equal to the whole of Musa
Ben Adhem's fortune.
"Where is the defendant in this
case? Why isn't he present?" the
judge demanded sternly.
Then the brilliant young corpora-
tion lawyer, Haroun, rose and said in
his suave voice:
"I represent the defendant, your
honor. I have sent him out into the
country to sow baked potatoes."
"To sow baked potatoes?"
"Yes, your honor."
"Why, he must be mad. You must
be mad. The pair of you are mad."
"No, your honor, we are very wise,"
said Haroun in a suaver voice than
ever, "for surely, if boiled eggs can
be hatched, baked potatoes can be
grown."
The judge laughed heartily. Then
he delivered judgment against Abdul-
lah, the shyster lawyer, with heavy
costs.

Porridge That Makes

for Domestic Felicity

When a husband begins staying out
late at night and cultivating his crop
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with a bit of food considered certain
to bring him back to the paths of
domesticity and proper conduct. The
food must be served without his
knowledge, but once it has entered
his system, the woman expects him
to be a model husband for all the
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azine.
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sun, pounds it to a fine powder with
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the dose the misconduct of her hus-
band appears to require.
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is tired and hungry, liable to take the
food and devour it without asking
questions. The dried lizard powder
porridge is the antidote for divorce
court troubles, and is said to work
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Sensational Advance Seat Sale to "Countess Maritza" at State Fair of Texas, Oct. 8-23



Roy Rupard, secretary of the State Fair of Texas, says
that never before have there been so many advance appli-
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torium during the
State Fair period,
Oct. 8 to 23.

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hits, plenty of comedy all through it,
lots of good dancing and all that goes
to make up a bright, keen entertain-
ment."

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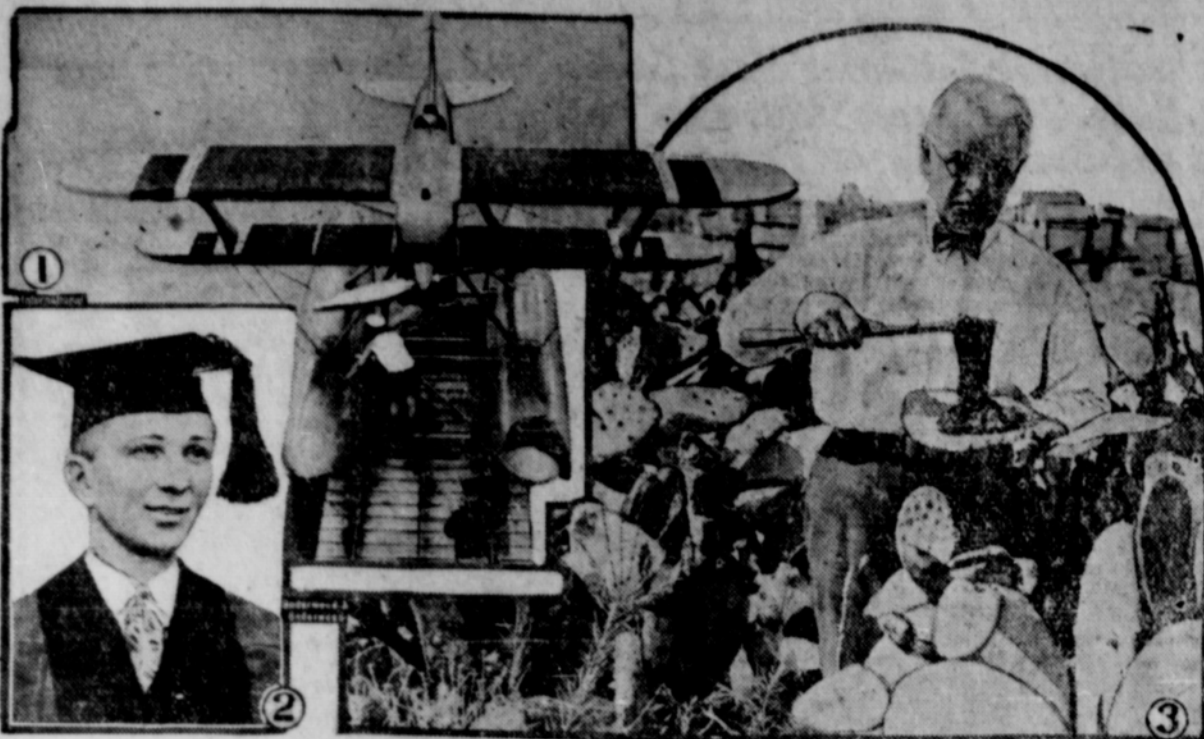
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NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

G. O. P. Men in Legion Plan to Boom Pershing for President of U. S.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

POLITICAL leaders in Washington have learned that there is a full-fledged movement within the American Legion to promote the nomination of General Pershing for the Presidency by the Republican party. The general is to go to France on the Leviathan as the guest of the Legion, and it is said that influential members of the organization who are also influential Republicans will be aboard with him and will take the opportunity to arrange the details of the plan. Then, at the Legion's convention in Paris, the boom is to be sprung as the climax of a series of demonstrations. It will be easy to keep the former commander of the A. E. F. in the limelight over there, and the boom will be brought back to the United States all developed, according to the plans of its promoters.

Ever since General Pershing returned from France after the war he has been intermittently boomed for the Presidency. In 1919 a movement for his nomination in the 1920 convention was started, but it failed to develop sufficient momentum to place him actively in the field in the pre-convention contest. His name figured occasionally in the discussions during the convention, which finally selected Warren G. Harding.

If General Pershing should become a serious contender for the nomination next year he would be the oldest candidate in the field. He will be sixty-seven years of age on September 13. Frank O. Lowden will be sixty-seven next January. Charles E. Hughes was sixty-five last April, while Charles G. Dawes is sixty-two and Herbert Hoover fifty-three.

Vice President Dawes and Secretary Hoover are still leaving their booms in the hands of their friends, both having said they were not seeking the nomination. Mr. Lowden, on the other hand, is out in the open as a contender and has appointed as his pre-convention manager Fred Starck, former director of the war finance corporation. Just before President Coolidge left Yellowstone park he was visited by a party of Wyoming editors, nearly all of whom told him they and their communities favored the nomination of Hoover because he helped frame the Coolidge policies, is a good administrator and, they believed, would safely carry on the present national prosperity.

Reports have been current in official circles in the summer capital in Rapid City that Secretary Hoover will offer his resignation to President Coolidge within the next few months and devote his energies to winning delegates. Campaign committees for Hoover are ready to spring into existence in many states and headquarters will be opened in Washington and directed by his present secretary, George Ackerson.

DEMOCRATIC leaders hear that there is a prospect that many states, especially in the South, will send uncommitted delegations to the Democratic national convention for the purpose of avoiding, so far as possible, the bitter factional strife that characterized the convention of 1924. Some of the backers of William G. McAdoo in that contest are among those responsible for the uncommitted delegation policy. Their original thought was to bring about harmony by agreeing in conference at convention time upon the nomination of some one other than either McAdoo or Gov. Al Smith of New York.

EARLY among the President's callers after his return to the Black Hills was Senator Wesley Jones of Washington. He is chairman of the senate merchant marine committee, and after his talk with the Chief Executive he declared himself in favor of keeping the American merchant marine afloat and insisted that if it

were necessary to accomplish this the government would continue to operate the fleet and would provide funds for replacement. He said he agreed with the President's view that the government should get out of the business, but did not think the United States should get off the seas. "It appears to me now," said the senator, "that unless we continue to operate the ships that is what will happen. Other plans of placing the American shipping on a parity with foreign shipping by a subsidy such as exists in most countries have failed to enlist the support of congress. It appears that we can do nothing through a subsidy to help private concerns engaged in shipping. Therefore, the situation is plain to me the government must continue to operate the ships and vast sums must be expended to keep our fleet abreast of competition."

Senator Jones told the President that in his opinion it would be wise to call a special session of the senate in October for the consideration of the cases of Senator-elect Smith of Illinois and Senator-elect Vane of Pennsylvania. He said the pressure of business made this advisable so that legislation should not get jammed. Senator Reed of Missouri, chairman of the senate campaign funds investigation committee, while in Chicago to attend the funeral of J. Ogden Armour, issued a call for a meeting of that committee in Chicago on September 7 to take up the matter of destruction of the Pennsylvania ballots. He said there had been no developments that called for further consideration of the case of Smith by the committee.

TRANSOCEANIC flights, successful and otherwise, are becoming matters of almost daily occurrence. W. S. Brock and E. F. Schlee in the plane *Pride of Detroit* made a fine flight from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, to Croydon, the London airport, and then continued their journey to Munich, to Belgrade and to Constantinople in their projected flight around the world in what they hope will be record-breaking time. Another pair of flyers started from London, Ont., for London, England, but were turned back by bad weather. Charles A. Levine, tired of waiting for Drouhin, his French pilot, jumped into his Columbia plane at Paris and flew alone to Croydon where he just barely managed to make a safe landing. The British airmen were astonished by his nerve performance. Levine selected Capt. W. C. Hinchcliffe, an English war ace, to pilot the Columbia back to America but afterward said he might change his mind and fly eastward.

The spectacular flight of the week was that of Capt. Leslie Hamilton and Col. F. F. Minchin of England, with Princess Lowenstein Wertheimer as passenger, from Upavon, England, across the Atlantic to Ottawa, Canada. The princess, who financed the flight, is sixty-one years old and has been a licensed pilot for thirteen years, usually flying under her maiden name, Lady Anne Saville. Minchin and Hamilton are old-timers at the flying game.

RENEWED hope that Paul Redfern, who disappeared in his flight from Georgia to Brazil, might be found came with the report that a plane was seen two days after his start, over the delta of the Orinoco river in Venezuela. It was said to be moving south-easterly, and later another report from a government telegraph operator at Ciudad Bolivar said a plane had been sighted flying over the village of Macarieto. It was believed Redfern might have landed safely and was making his way out to civilization.

DESPERATE fighting in China took place between the northern troops of Marshal Sun Chuang-fang and the armies of the south which were trying to keep possession of Shanghai. Though the northerners were reported to have met with a severe defeat in a four days' battle along the Yangtze, later advices said they were hanging on and steadily pushing men across the river. The southerners apparently had abandoned Nanking and withdrawn to prepared positions south of that city. Chinese cruisers in the river at first fought against the northern troops that were crossing, but afterward held about, possibly having been bought off.

in and about Shanghai, under the command of Gen. Chow Feng-chi, but his loyalty to the Nationalists was questioned. This matter worried the foreigners there, for the men of that army were supposed to be anti-foreign as well as communistic.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY LOWMAN intends to stop the smuggling of liquor from Canada if it can be done, and has been conferring with members of the royal Canadian commission with that in view. The United States is seeking a supplementary agreement under which Canada will attempt to prevent liquor shipments to the United States instead of limiting its activity to merely giving notice that such shipments have been declared. Canada, on the other hand, wants the United States to do its utmost to stop smuggling of industrial alcohol to Canada, for the reason that such shipments are seriously cutting into the Canadian revenues.

Mr. Lowman said the border patrol westward from Buffalo, including the Detroit river area, would be increased from 200 to 400 men, and that it might be necessary to enlarge the coast guard fleet on the Great Lakes. The prohibition bureau instead of the customs service is now handling the liquor smuggling prevention work.

VISCOUNT CECIL, chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, created a sensation by resigning from the British cabinet, giving as his chief reason the attitude of the cabinet toward the United States in the recent futile naval disarmament conference. He also let it be known that he expressly opposes the tyranny of the big powers over the affairs of the League of Nations, in the procedure of which he has been a dominating factor.

"I have resigned because of the handling of the disarmament question generally, culminating in the failure of the naval conference," Lord Cecil told the correspondents. "I was not in sympathy with the instructions I received from the British cabinet and I believe an agreement could have been reached without any sacrifice of the British interests."

Lord Cecil's withdrawal from the League of Nations, and the resignation of M. de Jovenal, the French delegate, were believed in Geneva to open the way to Foreign Minister Stresemann of Germany to become the dominating figure in the league. It was said he would have the solid support of the smaller nations and the war-time neutrals if he would honestly stand by the covenant regarding disarmament.

CHICAGO'S moving picture theaters, 850 or more in number, were shut up tight last week by their owners because of disputes with the Motion Picture Operators' union. A few independent houses undertook to operate, but film distributors cut off their supply of pictures. Both sides were apparently determined to make it a fight to a finish, and there were prospects that the strike and lockout might be extended to other territory. It was estimated that the theaters were losing \$225,000 daily, and that 25,000 employees were out of work. Attorneys for the union applied to the Federal courts for an injunction against the film distributors to force them to deliver films to the independent theaters.

ECHOES of the Sacco-Vanzetti case are heard daily, in the form of riotous demonstrations, quarrels among the radicals over the defense fund, and threats against the American Legion by French communists. The General Confederation of Labor, representing a great majority of French unionized labor, gave way to the radical element and voted after a stormy meeting not to participate in the national holiday activities in connection with the Legion on September 19.

SO-CALLED "ease and desist" orders charging them with fraud and deception in the promotion of Texas oil stock schemes have been issued against Shepherd & Co., a Chicago stock brokerage firm, and eight similar companies, all of Texas, by the federal trade commission. The orders are the first results of an investigation into "the stock" and "oil" schemes begun months ago by the commission.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In The County Court Of Taylor County, Texas.

The State of Texas:
County of Callahan:
J. M. Radford, Plaintiff:
vs

G. T. Bryant, Defendant:
WHEREAS, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Taylor County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 20th day of April, 1926, in favor of J. M. Radford, against the said G. T. Bryant, being No. 5691 on the docket of said court, I did on the 18 day of August A. D. 1927, at 1:30 o'clock, P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Callahan, State of Texas, belonging to the said defendant, G. T. Bryant, to-wit:

First Tract

Being the northeast quarter of Section No. Fourteen (14), Block No. Eight (8), S. P. RR. Co. land, Certificate No. 17-497, patented to T. H. Hampton, assignee of A. G. Webb, and described in deed from G. S. Osborne and wife to G. T. Bryant, recorded in Vol. 53, page 412, Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

Second Tract

Thirty-two (32) acres of land, being part of Section 6, Thirty-two (32), Block No. Eight (8), S. P. RR. Co. land, Certificate No. 17-525, and a part of Section No. Thirty-four (34), Block No. Eight (8), T. & P. Ry. Co. land in Callahan County, Texas, being thirty-two (32) acres off of the south end of said Sections Nos. 32 and 34, said 32 acres of land being described in deed from C. F. Dillard and wife Beulah Dillard, to G. T. Bryant and wife dated April 24, 1919, recorded in Vol. 73, page 261, Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

Both of said tracts of land above described being fully described in deed of trust from G. T. Bryant and wife to Texas Land Mortgage Company, recorded in Vol. 17, page 296, Deed of Trust Records of Callahan County, Texas.

And on the 4th day of October A. D. 1927, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said day, at the court house door of said Callahan County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said G. T. Bryant in and to said above described property.

Dated at Baird, Texas, this 18th day of August, A. D. 1927.

Everett Hughes,
Sheriff of Callahan County, Texas. 38-3t.

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