

The Baird Star.

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

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COUNTY FAIR TO BE MADE PERMANENT

CALLAHAN COUNTY FAIR HAD AN HUMBLE BIRTH

The Callahan County Fair—the first one in 34 years—has come and gone, and only the most pessimistic radical can declare it was not a success, both ethically and artistically.

Experience has taught us that an organized and harmonious minority, with limited resources, can accomplish greater things, with less friction, than a disorganized and dissonant majority, with unlimited resources. This fact patent is reproven in the history of this late Fair.

On Friday night, October 5, the following, which composes the personnel of the Chamber of Commerce of Baird, met in the office of Attorney J. Rupert Jackson, in the Jackson Abstract Building and unanimously resolved to organize and hold a County Fair:

H. W. King, Emmerson D. Merrill, T. P. Bearden, George W. Symonds, W. O. Fraser, Howard E. Farmer, W. A. Haley, J. Rupert Jackson, Joe Leach and Burnace F. Andrews, Leland Jackson 11—count 'em—11.

This body has worked together in a general spirit of concord and harmony. H. W. King was made Secretary-Manager of the County Fair, to continue from Monday, November 5 till Saturday, November 10, inclusive. Miss Juanita Bowlus was engaged as Stenographic Secretary and Howard E. Farmer accepted the Treasurership of the Association. It is needless to say that no bond was required of him, for the Association's total capital was \$16! Oh! boy! But every member had capital unlimited of pluck and grit and faith, and preparations for the week-long festival that has now become history, were begun at once.

There were those—not many—who pooh-hoed the ambitious undertaking, but the undaunted eleven went steadily ahead with their preparations. The Association had no Fair buildings to accommodate the exhibits that were solicited, the old five eighths-mile race track was a jungle of mesquite, cat's-claw and cactus. All they had as capital to secure these necessities were those sixteen bucks, plenty of grit and optimism and hope eternal.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR FAIR EXHIBITORS

A multiplicity of letters were sent out soliciting exhibits, arrangements were made for decorating Market Street, a campaign of publicity was inaugurated and as the days slipped by the propositions began to take concrete shape and friends sprang up and voluntarily enlisted in the cause. The lady members of the various Baird fraternal organizations volunteered the preparation of the street decorations and a coterie of race fans, led by Mr. Louis Reno volunteered the rehabilitation of the ungled race track. This gallant and did yeoman service and to them the Fair Association will always feel deeply grateful for their

unselfish service.

In the meantime Secretary King made a trip to San Francisco, California, to attend the National Convention of the American Legion, of which organization he is a member, going as an active member of the famous "Old Gray Mare Band" of Brownwood.

But, so admirably had he planned the Fair's preliminary preparations, that during his absence everything skidded along like a launched ship slipping down its greased ways, and the success of the Fair seemed assured. The detail work had fallen upon the frail shoulders of Mr. King's very competent secretary, Miss Juanita Bowlus, and right gallantly did she carry on during his absence.

When everything was riding pretty, there came the week of steady rain that preceded the opening of the Fair, and the country roads became bogs, almost impossible of travel. It looked as though the Fair would be rained out.

In that emergency Secretary King, who had returned to his post of duty, suggested the taking out of rain insurance for the coming Fair week. This was done, and the enterprise was underwritten in a responsible company against the heavy loss that seemed imminent. But Fair Week was fair for sure, and while the members did not regret the precaution taken, yet in the final adjustment of the Association's affairs they sorely missed the large sum expended for the insurance policy.

For, West Texas weather is a fickle jade, and her antics can never be accurately forecast for more than an hour. Monday morning, November 5, dawned bright and beautiful, and every day the weather was most lovely.

CROWNING OF FAIR QUEEN AN IMPOSING SPECTACLE

Monday dawned bright and beautiful and the rain-washed air had an invigorating tang. Its most interesting event was the crowning of the beautiful Princess Eulless of the House of Stephens, Queen of Callahan County.

When Court Marshal Edward Glover voiced the official proclamation of her election, and placed the crown upon her pretty head, a shout of approval went up from the throats of those of Her Majesty's loyal subjects who had managed to crowd into the improvised throne room in the Terrell Building that the metal ceiling fairly rang, and the directors of the Callahan County Fair smiled broadly and took new heart of grace.

Her Majesty acknowledged the plaudits of her subjects and signaled "on with the dance," and on it went until an early hour Tuesday morning, stimulated by the jazzy music furnished by the "Texas Masqueraders" of Abilene.

The coronation ceremony was most imposing. Just inside the door the royal party was met by Royal Usher Emmerson, Lord Merrill, and escorted to the throne. Previously the Princess Lucille of the

House of Farmer had been escorted to a seat on the right of the throne, as Her Majesty's chief lady in waiting. The Crown Bearer was Master Ray Norman and right gallantly he performed his duties.

As the Queen elect reached the throne the royal guard of honor, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel William P. Kershner of the officers' reserve, First Class Private H. F. Pritchard, Sergeants Clyde White and Willie J. Evans, Corporals Dudley Foy and Grady G. Respass and Sergeant E. B. Chambers, all overseas men, came to a snappy salute.

Lord Chamberlain, Edward, Earl Glover, proclaimed Her Highness "Queen of Callahan" after the golden crown had set upon her regal head, and she pronounced the Fair officially opened.

FAIR BUILDINGS ARE GENEROUSLY DONATED

Through the kindly courtesy of Mr. J. H. Terrell the Fair Association secured the three splendid rooms in his new and beautiful business block, southwest corner of Market Street and Mac Bell Avenue, which were devoted to the Merchant's and Auto Dealers displays, the southern room being used as a Coronation Hall, where Callahan County's beautiful and regal Queen, Her Gracious Majesty Eulless, of the House of Stephens began her short but happy reign, being afterwards devoted to the nightly terpsichorean festivities that followed the coronation.

Mr. Herman Schwartz, who has always been a friend of the Baird Public School and a connoisseur in needle artistry, threw open his store building on the southeast corner of Market Street and Eugene Bell Avenue, lately occupied by Mayfield & Hall, for the display of the domestic science, fine arts and work of the pupils in the Baird Public School.

Mrs. G. M. Hall, who has a lease on the old race track pasture kindly donated its use for the horse and auto races, and the managers of The Tabernacle turned over that building, in which the agricultural and miscellaneous exhibits were housed.

A sterling dramatic company, the Carl Thomas Famous Players was engaged and showed here during the week in their canvas theatre, which was set up on West Mac Bell Avenue, facing Market Street.

A contract was made with the Beasley-Boucher Carnival Show Company for a week's stand, but it was late in arriving and did not get in commission until Tuesday night, at its location west of the Court House.

Thus set, the members of the Association cried with great unanimity: "Let's go!" and they went.

Ben Sigal is back from Andrews County, where he has leased pasture land, and he and Mrs. Sigal expect to leave for their new home next Monday. The best wishes of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sigal in Callahan County go with them to their new home, and all hope to see them back with us again.

THE EDUCATIONAL AND HANDCRAFTS DISPLAYS

The Educational Display by the pupils of the Baird Public School and the Handcrafts Work by the ladies of Baird and vicinity, which were exhibited in the Schwartz Building, were visited by crowds of delighted sightseers and they were not all of the gentler sex, either. The judges of the Educational Display were Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Mrs. Brown Jones and Miss Alice Gilliland and their awards were as follows:

Primary department: First, Burney Dunlap; 2nd, Erma Dell Berry; 3rd, Axel Marshall.

Second grade: 1st, Frank Stanley; 2nd, Lerline Boyd; 3rd, Dorine Finch.

Third grade: 1st, Mary Glover; 2nd, J. B. Stringer; 3rd, Elaine Pratt.

Fourth grade: 1st, Avanel Pratt; 2nd, Mary Blackburn; 3rd, Anetta Hart.

Fifth Grade: Robert Barnhill; 2nd, Juanita Finch; 3rd, Lewis Varner.

Sixth grade: 1st, Bernice Jones; 2nd, Willard Kelton; 3rd, Bessie Calvert.

Seventh grade: 1st, Ara Elder; 2nd, Kenneth Hart; 3rd, Clayton Reed.

Science: 1. Margaret Newman, 11th grade; 2nd, Eulless Stephens, 10th grade; 3rd, Jewell Perdue, 8th grade.

English: 1st, Frances Vestal, 8th grade; 2nd, Jacqueline Stephens, 8th grade; 3rd, Elizabeth Boren, 9th grade.

History: 1st, Helen Ogily, 10th grade; 2nd, Viola Boatwright, 9th grade; 3rd, Lois Allen, 8th grade.

Mathematics: 1st, Wendell Fraser, 11th grade; 3rd, Ray Stringer, 9th grade.

Language: 1st, Jewell Monroe; 2nd, Ressa Fay Enochs; 3rd, Annie Tatum.

The judges in the Handcraft exhibit, were the Mesdames J. H. Terrell, Emmerson D. Merrill and Ford L. Driskill, who made the following awards:

Quilts: Miss Sue Hornsby, first prize; Mrs. C. M. Curry, 2nd; Mrs. A. Cooke.

Bed Spreads: Mrs. H. D. Driskill, applique spread, first; Mrs. W. O. Miller, 3rd; Embroidery spread, Miss Ruth Akers, 1st; Mrs. J. A. Dubberly, 2d; Mrs. S. E. Jones, 3d. Luncheon Sets: Mrs. H. D. Driskill, 1st; Mrs. Robert Charters, 2d; Miss Vada White, 3d.

White Embroidery: Mrs. Homer Driskill, 1st; Mrs. J. F. Browning, 2d; Miss Leota Powell, 3d.

Colored Embroidery: Miss Vada White, 1st; Miss Hilda Albin, 2d; Mrs. T. B. Chambers, 3d.

Cross Stitch Embroidery: Mrs. Fred Hart, 1st; Mrs. Robert Charters, 2d; Miss Vada White, 3d.

Crochet Work: Mrs. S. I. Smith, 1st; Mrs. C. E. Pretz, 2d; Miss Nora Davis, 3d.

Tatting: Mrs. J. A. Dubberly, 1st; Mrs. C. G. Bloom, 2d; Mrs. T.

B. Chambers, 3d.

Point Lace: Mrs. L. L. Blackburn.

Children's Embroidery: Lizzie Bell Smith, 1st; Evalyn Grace Barton, 2d; Dorothy May Scott, 3d.

Art: Miss Jean Powell, 1st. Canned Fruits: Mrs. Louis Hall, 1st.

Special Prizes: Miss Jean Powell, luncheon set, 1st; Miss Jeffie Lambert, tatted bedspread, 1st.

POULTRY, FRUIT AND VEGETABLE DISPLAYS

The leading and most important display in the Tabernacle was that made by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Derryberry, of the famous Valley View Farm in the Spring Gap section, and it attracted a great deal of attention and much favorable comment. It was displayed on the Tabernacle stage, being grouped about a miniature reproduction of their beautiful and productive farm and showed in replica the entire farm, with the house, barn, stables, etc., the orchard, vineyard, fertile fields, pastures—and even the well curb.

The display so pleased that public spirited citizen W. Grant Bowlus that he wrote a check for \$25 and presented it to the Derryberrys, and he also presented a check for \$5 to Mrs. W. L. Henry, who took first prize on her trio of Rhode Island Reds.

The judges of General Farm Exhibits were W. K. Boatwright, Robert Walker and James Chatham and they awarded 1st prize to J. A. Derryberry and 2nd to Hornay Bros.

In the poultry Section the judges were J. A. Derryberry and R. C. Leverett. They made the following awards:

Rhode Island Red: Mrs. W. L. Henry, cockerel 1st; pullets, 1st and 2nd.

Game: Aaron Bell, cockerel, 1st; J. S. Hart, cockerel, 2nd; George Houston Corn, cockerel, 4th; pullet, 3rd.

White Wyandotte: Cockerel, J. M. Cummings 2nd, pullet 5th; Virgil Jones, pullets, 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th.

Arkansas Traveler Game: Cockerel, Lee Watson, 1st.

Cornish Game: Cock, 1st; cockerel, 1st; hen, 1st; pullet, 1st, R. C. Leverett.

Partridge Wyandotte: Cock, 1st, hen, 2d and 3d, R. C. Leverett.

QUAINT AND CURIOUS RELICS OF THE PAST

In a special case in the Schwartz Building there was an exhibition many quaint and curious relics of the past, some of them over a century old, and these reminders of the dead past were the center of wondering interest to the throngs of visitors. This is a catalogue of these old timey articles:

Family Bible of C. B. Holmes, 133 years old.

Family Bible of Mrs. Henry, 125 years old.

Wedding ring 173 years old, the

Concluded on last page

NOW OPEN Murphy's Cafe

Filling a long felt need, Murphy's Cafe is now open for business. A Cafe that you can recommend to your friends, knowing when you do that they will receive the very best of everything.

An ideal place to take your wife, sister or lady friend to dine, where everything is neat and clean and they will be shown every courtesy.

Only one week old Murphy's is already one of Baird's most popular Cafes.

Eat at **MURPHY'S** and Get the Best
The Place to Dine all the Time
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UNDERWOOD MAKES ATTACK ON I. C. C.

Senator Says the South Should Have
Three Members On
Body

Greenville, S. C.—Declaring that the South has only herself to blame for failure to receive proper recognition from the Government in various ways, attacking the Interstate Commerce Commission because he said discriminatory freight rates exist, and asserting that he expects the movement southward of textile manufacturing to continue in the United States, Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, delivered two luncheon addresses here. Thursday night he delivered the principal address at the annual banquet of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce.

"Not through any fault but our own has the South lost the golden opportunities that have presented themselves in years past," Senator Underwood told the Kiwanis Club.

"The reason is merely our fear of a shadow that does not exist," he continued. "The war between

the States today is no more a fact than the War of the Roses, because the two sides have long mingled. The whole fault lies with us, because we have surrendered to a shadow—and we have surrendered material interests of our business and consequently of our communities and our firesides."

Senator Underwood discussed the Interstate Commerce Commission, declaring that the South "virtually is without representation thereon, even though members are named from geographical districts."

Aviator to Make Flight in Arctic
Washington.—An American naval aviator will participate in an attempt next summer to traverse the Arctic regions by airplane, the Navy Department announced. Lieutenant Ralph E. Davison will pilot one of the three planes making up the convoy, which will be commanded by Capt. Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer. Plans do not contemplate a non-stop flight. The expedition will be transported on ships to Spitzbergen in May and an adequate base will be established there.

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BAIRD, TEXAS

Father of Tree Surgery Dies
Akron, Ohio.—John Davey, 73, known as the father of tree surgery in the United States, died here after two days' illness.

Harvey is Homeward Bound
London.—George Harvey, the American Ambassador, and Mrs. Harvey, with their little granddaughter, Dorothy Thompson, were given an exceptionally warm farewell party at Waterloo Station, previous to their departure for Southampton, whence they will sail on the Aquitania for home soon.

Surrender to Greek Soldiers
London. All the counter revolutionaryaries in Greece have surrendered to force and peace has been restored.

After several years of limping about on crutches because of rheumatism, Joseph Gerard of Atchison, Kan., has cast them aside, probably forever. Gerard was dozing on the Missouri river bridge. A snake, crawling across one of his legs, awoke him. The crutches are still where he left them.

**Seventh Annual Red Cross
Roll Call, Armistice Day,
November 11 to Thanksgiving Day, November 29.**

Answer when you name is called

"In the service of all who suffer"

**Citation On Application For Letters
Of Guardianship**
No. 696.

The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten 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 Callahan County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the welfare of Fay Rylee, Alvin Rylee, Avis Rylee, Nina Belle Rylee, Evelyn Rylee Minors:

Mrs. Eva L. Rylee has filed in the County Court of Callahan Co., an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the estate and persons of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the 1st Monday in Dec. A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1923, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, may appear and contest said application if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this 2nd day of November, A. D. 1923.

Grady G. Respass, Clerk
County Court,
Callahan County, Texas.

Notice Of Annual Account In Guardianship.

The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date in the County of Callahan, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of twenty days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the welfare of Thurston E. Jolly, Raymond C. Jolly and Don K. Jolly, Minors:

R. L. Jolly, who is Guardian of the Persons and Estate of said Minors, has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, an annual account of said guardianship for the year ending on the 10th day of October A. D. 1923, which will be heard by our said County Court on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1923, at the Court House of said county, in Baird, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such account if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this 2nd day of November, A. D. 1923.

Grady G. Respass, Clerk
County Court,
Callahan County, Texas.



Four-Door Sedan Interior Features

A cozy, attractive interior has been achieved in the Ford Four-Door Sedan. Broadcloth upholstery, soft brown with a slightly darker stripe, harmonizes with the lighter shade in the head lining.

Ornamental interior fittings are finished in nickel.

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There has been a change of ownership in the building we now occupy, and this sale is a preliminary step in our plans for vacating the building when the time comes for its occupancy by the present owners. With such a situation

confronting us, it becomes necessary to make our plans well in advance of the changes to be made

In anticipation of advancing prices, we bought heavily of winter merchandise and now own the most attractive and dependable stock as well as the largest ever offered the people of Central West Texas. And this stock was bought on a comparatively low market when cotton was 20 cents. Now with cotton above 30 cents and still going up, you can readily see that dry goods are bound to go much higher in the near future.

Under such conditions, it becomes the part of wisdom to buy now all your winter needs,

and anticipate as far as possible your wants for the future. Here you can meet all those wants to the best advantage in our BIG REDUCTION SALE, where everything is offered at sharp reductions.

Men's Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments and Millinery. Children's and Boy's Clothing, Shoes for Men, Women and Children. Piece Goods, Silk's, Cottons, Woolens, Traveling Luggage, Notions and Toilet Goods—all marked down to new, low levels that mean handsome savings for you. Come now while stocks are big and assortments complete.

CAMPBELL'S

Abilene

Texas

Death in two weeks claimed three persons in the village of Park Ridge, whose ages totaled 271 years, as follows: 92, 91 and 88. Two were women.

A shoat, that became fast in a hollow log and remained there 20 days without food or water, was rescued on the farm of Jacob Lohnes, near Pekin, Ill., and will live. Lohnes was attracted to the log by grunts.

Harry Braham, 73, actor, associated with Tony Pastor and William H. Crane, 40 years ago, died recently in a Staten Island hospital. Braham came from England in 1874 and played in the Crane production of "The Senator" in 1880.

A motor transportation company is planning an automobile passenger,

mail and freight line from the Mediterranean across the Persian desert to Bagdad. The trip across the desert, a run of 45 miles, is to be made in less than 12 hours.

Indians and palefaces gathered in Evanston, Ill., recently for a three-day conference on Indian affairs, one of the purposes of which will be to start an educational campaign to study the Indian as he was, is now and will be.

The largest number of people ever camped in the San Bernardino mountains had ascended to points on the Rim of the World recently, according to figures of the chamber of commerce of San Francisco. It is estimated there were 49,000 people in the mountains.

BRIEFS BY CABLE, WIRE, WIRELESS

Great Events That Are Changing the World's Destiny Told in Paragraphs

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO ALL

Short Chronicle of Past Occurrences Throughout the Union and Our Colonies—News From Europe That Will Interest.

DOMESTIC

Dr. Fridtjof Nasen, famous Arctic explorer and winner of the Nobel peace prize, arrived on the Berengaria to tour American and Canadian cities under the auspices of the World Alliance for International Friendship.

The Ford Motor Company is now well advanced toward the production of its nine millionth car, Ford motor, No. 8,500,000 having gone off the assembly line at the Highland Park plant early in October. The last 500,000 motors were produced in seven days less than three months.

Lillian Tashman, former Ziegfeld Follies beauty, whose legs were valued at \$100,000 by Flo Ziegfeld, may never again display them before the footlights or on the screen. A doctor's statement announced that Miss Tashman has been severely cut above the left knee during the filming of a picture at the Goldwyn studio.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals upheld the action of Federal Judge Winslow in denying the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., an injunction restraining the International Magazine Company from publishing in Hearst's International, an alleged exposure of the Klan in articles written by Norman Hapgood.

D. M. Dunn, living west of Weatherford, has brought into the Chamber

of Commerce what is said to be the largest sweet potato ever raised in Parker County. It weighs twelve pounds, is eight inches in diameter, twenty-four inches in circumference and thirty-one inches around the ends.

An Oregon farmer has produced a new hybrid corn from crossing Golden Bantam with Oregon Evergreen variety, that produces a large ear, at the same time maintaining the principal quality of the bantam sweet corn. The hybrid yields ears 10 to 12 inches long and about seven inches in circumference.

President Coolidge and Congress will be urged to place a heavier tariff on wheat imported into the United States and to establish a Govern-

ment board or bureau with power to purchase and merchandise the exportable surplus. George Jewett, general manager of the American Wheat Growers, Associated, said in Denver

President Coolidge is evolving a plan for linking the Federal and State Governments more closely by enlarging the scope of the contemplated conference of Governors on prohibition. His present intention is to have the Governors consider not only prohibition, but other important problems, such as immigration, suppression of traffic in dope and similar matters in which the State and Federal Governments are concurrently interested.

Christmas Greeting Cards

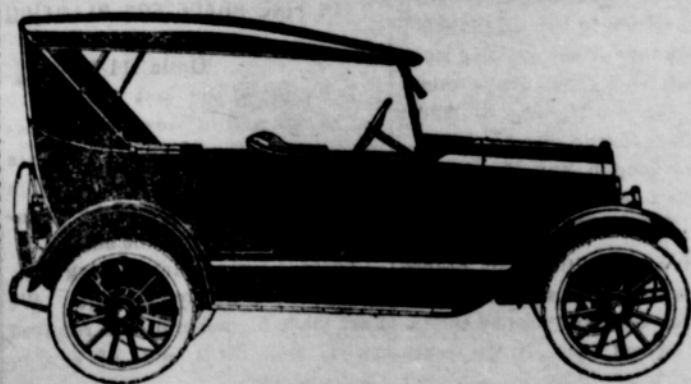
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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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Six Months.....1.25
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Six Months......80
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General Ludendorff made a sorry exhibition of himself in his efforts to restore the Kaiser to power in Germany. He was arrested and put in jail at the very first step he made to aid the restoration of the empire.

Gov. Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, in his effort to throw the responsibility upon President Cochrige for the enforcement of prohibition in Pennsylvania, will not help his chances for the Presidential nomination that he seeks.

Even anti-express contempt for Pinchot in his cowardly attempt to escape responsibility for the enforcement of the prohibition laws in his own State.

The Kaiser sent his son, the Crown Prince, to Germany and, after he found no one knocked out his light, news comes that the Kaiser is going back to Germany.

All of which is plain that an effort will be made to restore the Empire. Well, if Germany prefers that kind of a government it would seem that they have a right to choose their own form of government; but France fears the Hoenzollerns, and well she may.

They are already talking of a big cotton crop next year. That is the way with the South. When they get a good price for cotton they go all for cotton the next year, and as a result prices fall and we get no more for a big than a little crop.

But why speculate or expostulate about such things? The West went broke on wheat, with half the world hungry. The western farmers seem to have overlooked the fact that Europe, our best customer for wheat, is unable to buy all that they need, and most of our cotton goes to Europe also, but short crops raised the price, while a big crop of wheat lowered the price of wheat.

It is not good in any business to put all one's eggs in one basket.

There is much criticism of France in this country, because she is trying to force Germany to pay the indemnity agreed upon in the treaty after the war. Why should not France make Germany pay? Germany made France pay the last franc demanded in the war of 1870-3 before the German army quit France. Had Germany won they would have made France pay long before this time. Why, some of the leaders in Germany when they thought they had the war won in 1916 boasted that they would come over here and make our nation pay forty billion dollars for selling war material to the allies, and no doubt they would have tried it. Let Germany pay the fiddler. They started the dance of death that involved the whole world.

MORE WATER FOR CITY OF BAIRD

Baird has begun work on a \$60,000 water system that will furnish enough water for a city of 20,000 people. Baird is following the example set by Callahan County in voting good road bonds. No city is deserving of the name that has not provided an ample water system. It is the one necessity that must be provided before the investor can be invited to town.—Moran News.

Baird will never regret the \$60,000 she is spending for her water supply. Abilene certainly never has and never will. Abilene rather rejoices every hour of the day that the million dollars was spent in providing a water supply which will be adequate for many years to come. Water is something you have got to have if you build a city, it is useless to try without it.—Clip and Comment in Abilene Reporter.

A HEAVY TRAFFIC ON BANKHEAD

When the Bankhead Highway is hard-surfaced from Washington City to San Diego, it will carry a yearly traffic heavier than any other trans-continental road. What that means to towns along the line nobody can compute. But it will mean a lot.—Abilene Reporter.

And by the way, speaking of the Bankhead Highway, Callahan County's section of this great thoroughfare will soon be on its way to hard-surface completion.

The Commissioners' Court, at its session this week sold the \$200,000 bonds voted by Road District No. 1 to W. L. Slaton of New Orleans, for par, accrued interest and all expenses, plus \$1,000 premium, which will net the county \$98.01.

The \$200,000 will be realized by the interest and principal paid in to the county depository.

State Engineer Webb and his assistants, Engineers McCanlies and Kreep, have surveyed and plotted the road for 15 miles west from the Eastland County line and contracts for the hard surfacing of this division will be awarded as soon as possible. The engineers, in the meantime, will begin a survey of the second 15 mile division.

AUTOS ABANDONED ON HIGHWAYS

A steady rain began falling here Tuesday at noon and continued almost without intermission until nearly noon Wednesday. The roads, already soft from previous heavy rains of week before last, became very boggy and autoists had hard sledding. Many cars had to be abandoned along Callahan County's highways.

Yesterday was bright and beautiful and the thermometer rose to 70. Frost is predicted for today.

GROUND IN OPLIN SECTION IN FINE SHAPE FOR PLANTING

Oplin, 11-12-23.

The rains of the last week have put the ground in fine shape for sowing wheat. Some wheat and oats have been sown, but there are lots to be sown yet. Most all the farmers have their land in fine shape.

There is some cotton to pick yet, but we are nearly through. We have made a good crop and received a good price for it and, of course, feel good.

The Oplin Gin Company has ginned about 1500 bales. Some Oplin cotton has been ginned at Lawn. We will make about 1700 bales, at around \$140 average per bale, which will put the Oplin country in fine financial shape.

The only thing about our community is a shortage of feed. There was enough planted to feed the county; but most of it was too late to make.

We have had some sickness in and around Oplin, a kind of fever. Wm Riley, Miss Chidie Riley, Miss Esther Varner, Miss Ola May Lin-

ceum and Miss Emily Collins were among those who have had a siege of this fever. All are now up, however, and will soon be strong again.

Some of our people have bought land on the Plains and will leave Oplin next year. Others have gone to different places prospecting and have come back telling us that Oplin is the best place. The place you have been satisfied in is the best place. We can make a good home anywhere in our old Lone Star State, if we put energy against the wheel.

Our County Fair was a success, and we all have an interest in its success and hope it will be an annual event in each after year. We have got the acreage, the soil and the men to make it bigger and better each year. S. S. H.

FOURTH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Baird, was held Sunday, October 28, by Presiding Elder W. M. Lane. We have held up the report awaiting the arrival of some statistics not yet received.

The report shows that the Baird church collected more than seven times as much as was ever collected in one year in its history of 41 years. Total collected for all purposes around \$25,000, \$20,000 of which was on new church building.

The following were elected Stewards for 1923-24: J. H. Grimes, W. S. Hinds, A. R. Kelton, Ace Hickman, V. E. Hill, B. L. Russell, Jr., J. F. Boren, H. E. Farmer, J. E. Alexander, J. W. Brown.

Recording Steward: W. E. Gilliland.

Trustees of Church Property: T. E. Powell, W. R. Ely, B. L. Boydston, H. W. Ross, J. R. McFarlane, S. E. Webb, W. E. Gilliland.

Sunday School Superintendent: Mrs. Verda James.

Pastor's salary paid in full. Pastor's salary for 1924 raised from \$1500 to \$2000. Conference collections short about 34 per cent. Latter will give full report of total collections and complete list of official boards, as some names of some organizations I did not get.

W. E. Gilliland,
Recording Steward.

JURY IN HAMMANS CASE AGREED TO DISAGREE 4-8

The Honorable W. R. Ely, Judge of the 42nd Judicial District Court, came in last week and convened Court Monday morning. The following criminal cases were disposed of:

Milton Speagle, illegally selling intoxicating liquor; acquitted.

Joe Green, theft of cow; acquitted.

J. O. Hurst, forgery of check for \$50; plead guilty and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Harrison Hammans, pandering; the jury retired with the case Tuesday night at about 10 o'clock, and after deliberating until late Thursday afternoon, the foreman sent for Judge Ely and informed His Honor that while they were agreed as to the guilt of the defendant, they were hopelessly divided on the question of punishment, 8 to 4, some holding out for a suspended sentence and their fellows demanding a penitentiary sentence. The defendant will be arraigned next Tuesday morning on the second count for the same offense.

Other cases set for that day are: Mrs. Frank Woodard, illegal sale of liquor and Witt McMillan, assault to murder.

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BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICES

At 11 a. m. the pastor will speak on "The Dangers of Ignorance." The service will be in keeping with a request to all pastors of the State, from the State Superintendent of Education.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m., preaching at 7 p. m.

Judge B. L. Russell wishes to have every man, young or old, who is not a member of a Sunday School in town, to meet him at the Court House at 10 a. m.

Everybody invited to meet with us in our services.

Chas. A. Loveless, Pastor.

SURVIVED BY FOUR GENERATIONS

Mrs. Mary Adams, grandmother of Mrs. Katherine Vineyard of this city, died in Wichita Falls Sunday, October 28, aged 88 years and one month. Funeral services were held in Abilene Tuesday evening, being conducted by Rev. Millard A. Jenkins, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church. Interment was made in the Abilene Cemetery.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Vineyard's mother, 8 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

WILL GIN MORE COTTON THIS YEAR THAN LAST

It is likely that the production of cotton in Callahan County this year will exceed that of 1922, according to Census Statistician Ben L. Russell, Jr.'s ginning report up to November the first.

The total number of bales ginned up to that date last year was 10,172. This year the total of bales ginned up to November 1 was 10,078.

Gin Notice

The Callahan County Gin will run Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week and will buy remnants and seed cotton.

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Wherever there's a mail box, the service of this bank reaches out as efficiently as if we were located just across the way from you.

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He is always in position to enjoy every advantage obtainable. The magnates of commerce solicit his good will and patronage, and court his favor.

Like other priceless gems of life, good credit is within the reach of everyone, yet millions can't buy it. Kingdoms can be bought, but credit like its inseparable companion, reputation, must be built.

Some one has said that nature created all men equal. Whether or not this is true in every sense, it is decidedly true in the matter of establishing good credit.

The man who has only \$1000.00 in assets, can be just as good a credit risk and enjoy the same advantages, each within their means, as the man who is worth millions. Neither can do more than meet their obligations whenever they become due.

Guard well your credit. It is your best friend and most valuable asset. It is an asset that neither fire, wind or water can destroy. It is imperishably yours. Keep it.

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PERSONALS

Tom Windham, of Oplin, returned Saturday from a trip to Midland.

The Weather Man slipped his gears last night. That predicted frost failed to materialize.

Miss Eloise Pond, of Colorado City, was the guest of Miss Catherine Mullican, for a few days the first of this week.

Mrs. G. M. Hall has gone to Fort Worth to visit relatives. She will also visit in St. Louis and other points before returning home.

Mrs. Tom Windham and children, Doris and Hollis, and Mrs. Neal, of the Tecumseh country, were in town Monday.

Virgil Hart, attorney at law, Cross Plains, was a pleasant visitor at The Star office the first of the week.

Read the new Abilene ads this week: Big half page for Campbell's, and a four column ad of the West Texas Motor Company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Webb, of Abilene, were visiting friends in Baird last Saturday. They went out home with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb, to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Caylor and children, and Miss Mary Caylor, of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes, Saturday and Sunday.

W. W. Robinson, of Cottonwood was in Baird Monday, enroute home from California, where he has been for the past year. He in company with another young man, drove through in a car.

Three former District Attorneys of this district were in attendance at Court here this week, B. D. Shropshire, Walter Morris of Fort Worth, and W. J. Cunningham of Abilene.

Rev. Chas. Loveless, pastor of the Baird Baptist Church, was called upon last night by a young couple who wanted to travel life's road in double harness. The groom-to-be produced the necessary license and presently the twain were made one. These newlyweds were Mr. Charles Heghey of Hamlin and Miss Leona Potts of Abilene.

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We have just received a large shipment of Ladies' Dresses, which were bought to retail at \$25.00 but we are making an Extra Special Price of

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on them. Come in and look over this line of Dresses. You will be more than pleased with both quality and price

Ladies' Suits at Half Price

We have ten Ladies' Coat Suits which we have on sale at Half Price

Received This Week

A large shipment of Men's Sheep Skin Lined Coats and Leather Jackets which are priced right.

Wool Hose for all the Family. All Prices.

A complete line of Novelty Slippers in Suede and Satins. Reasonable Prices.

A new shipment of Royal Society Packages.

Special Prices on Overcoats

Overcoats that were \$25.00 now	\$17.50
Overcoats that were \$30.00 now	\$22.50
Overcoats that were \$35.00 now	\$25.00
Overcoats that were \$40.00 now	\$28.00

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DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FARMING MACHINERY,
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Seventh Annual Red Cross Roll Call, Armistice Day, November 11 to Thanksgiving Day, November 29.

Answer when you name is called

"In the service of all who suffer"

In the return of Senator Robert M. La Follette, the leader, plans for a conference of the progressive bloc, which holds the questioned balance of power in both the senate and house, will get under way at once. It is now expected that the meeting will be held about the middle of this month. Senator La Follette, Senator Norris of Nebraska, who has also reached Washington, and other progressives in the city will get together and draft a call for the conference.

Special Pictures At SIGAL THEATER All Next Week

Monday, November 19th, is National Motion Picture Day. We have arranged a Special Program for the entire week

Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 19 & 20th—Constance Talmage in

"POLLY OF THE FOLLIES"

Also an Educational Comedy

Wednesday and Thursday—Anita Stewart in

"ROSE OF THE SEA"

Friday—Jackie Coogin in

"MY BOY"

A wonderful picture, one of the little star's best. Bring the children to see this wonderful child actor. Everybody loves Jackie and you will love "My Boy"

Saturday—Tom Mix in

"STEPPING FAST"

Also a Sunshine Comedy, "Where There's A Will"

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FORMER PRESIDENT CRITICIZES
SEVERELY AFTERMATH
OF WAR

HIS SPEECH WAS BY RADIO

Addresses People of Nation Directly
for First Time Since He Left
the White House

Washington.—Woodrow Wilson, ad-
dressing the American people direct-
ly Saturday night for the first time
since he left the White House, de-
clared America's attitude after the
World War was "deeply ignoble,
cowardly and dishonorable."

Mr. Wilson spoke exactly five
minutes into a radio instrument at
his home here and his message was
broadcast to every section of the
country.

"The anniversary of Armistice
Day," he said, "should stir us to
great exaltation of spirit because of
the proud recollection that it was
our day, a day above those early days
of that never to be forgotten Novem-
ber which lifted the world to the
high levels of vision and achievement
upon which the great war for democ-
racy was fought and won, although
the stimulating memories of that
triumph are forever marred and em-
bittered for us by the shameful fact
that when the victory was won—
won, be it remembered, chiefly by
the indomitable spirit and valiant
sacrifices of our own unconquerable
soldiers—we turned our backs upon
our associates and refused to bear
any responsible part of the admin-
istration of peace, or the firm and
permanent establishment of the re-
sults of the war—won at so terrible
a cost of life and treasure—and with-
drew into a sullen and selfish iso-
lation, which is deeply ignoble be-
cause manifestly cowardly and dis-
honorable."

"This must always be a source
of deep mortification to us, and we
shall inevitably be forced by the
moral obligations of freedom and
honor to rectify that fatal error and
assume once more the role of cour-
age, self respect and helpfulness
which every true American must
believe to be our true part
in the affairs of the world."

"That we should thus have done
a great wrong to civilization, and
at one of the most critical turning
points in the history of mankind is
the more to be deplored, because
every anxious year that has followed
has made the exceeding need for
such service, as we might have ren-
dered more and more manifest and
more pressing, as demoralizing cir-
cumstances which we might have
controlled have gone from bad to
worse, until now—as if to furnish
a sort of sinister climax—France and
Italy between them have made waste
paper of the treaty of Versailles, and
the whole fields of international
relationships is in perilous confusion."

"Happily, the present situation of
affairs in the world afford us an
opportunity to retrieve the past and
to render to mankind the incompar-
able service of proving that there is
at least one great and powerful na-
tion which can put aside programs
of self-interest, and devote itself
to practicing and establishing the
highest ideals of disinterested ser-
vice and the constant maintenance
of exalted standards of conscience
and of right."

"The only way in which we can
show our true appreciation of the
significance of Armistice Day is by
resolving to put self-interest away
and once formulate and act upon
the highest ideals and purposes of
international policies, thus, and only
thus, can we return to the true tra-
ditions of America."

COTTON PLANTERS' BLOC NOW PLANNED

Representative Lowrey of Mississippi
Seeks New Alignment in House

Washington.—A new bloc—the cot-
ton planters' bloc—is forming for
the coming session of Congress. Rep-
resentative Lowrey of Mississippi is
organizing it.

Declaring that after circulating
among his constituents last summer
he is a wiser and more sympathetic
representative of their interests, he
has asked Congressmen from cotton-
producing States to get together and
demand more fertilizer, more poison
for the boll weevil and fewer and
lighter taxes. To carry out his plan
for united effort, he has called a
conference for Nov. 20 at the House
official building.

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tection from rain, wind and cold, but
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the doors. The secret of their comfort

and convenience is the fact that they are
metal-framed, stowed flat, never rolled
and are handled always in individual
flat units.

Thus the curtain lights are never
scratched or broken. They are kept flat
by the frame—no wrinkling when stored,
no sag when in use. Individual units are
slipped easily and quickly into and out
of their envelope compartment at the
back of the front seat.

The curtains can be attached without the
necessity of anyone leaving the car and
in a fraction of the time ordinarily
required for the adjustment of side cur-
tains. Nothing has ever been devised to
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been so pronounced in every car bear-
ing the name, have been still further
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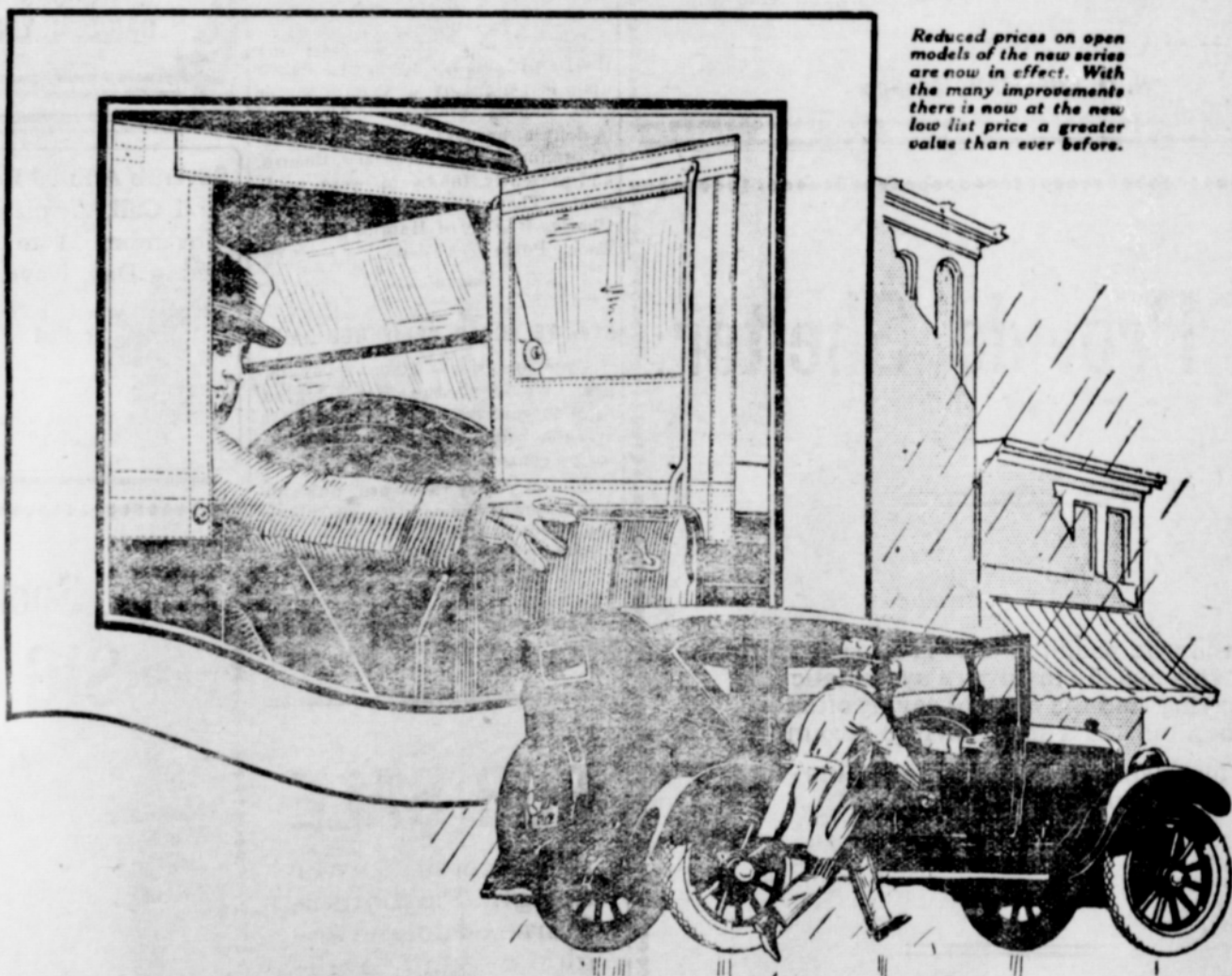
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er propulsion, this new Hupmobile
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and the good medicine it was, I had been having a tired feeling when I'd get up in the morning. I would be stiff and sore, and had a slimy, bad taste in my mouth, but didn't think so much of it till I began to feel stupid and didn't feel like eating--then I knew I needed medicine. It was then I began Black-Draught, and I felt all made over, ready for any kind of work, ready to eat and sleep. So, for any return of this trouble, I take Black-Draught, and for 25 years it has been my medicine, and I wouldn't be without it at all. My work is constant. I am on my feet a lot. I am out of doors, and fresh air and Black-Draught are all the medicines I need. I recommend it to others for I know it is good."

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HOLD RESTRICTED INQUIRY USELESS

Assumed That Invitation to U. S. Will Be Dropped Since It Would Be Rejected

London.—News from Washington of the failure of the negotiations for a reparations conference will hardly come as a surprise to British official quarters, although they had hoped that France would not push her attitude so far as to endanger the chances of the proposed conference of experts.

The question will now arise as to what will follow from the refusal of the United States to enter a reparations discussion. The general view is that the next step may be a formal request by the American and British Governments for payment of the war debts owed to them by France as a means of bringing economic pressure and so inducing France to adopt a more moderate policy.

Washington.—France and the United States came definitely to the parting of the ways Friday on the proposal to enlist American aid to ward a solution of the reparations problem.

Premier Poincare was advised by Secretary Hughes, through Ambassador Jusserand, that restrictions insisted upon by France would serve to "frustrate" the object of the Washington Government in offering American co-operation in an expert reparations inquiry plan.

The State Department refused to go beyond this point in disclosing the purport and result of recent conversations with the Ambassador, in which detailed explanations of the French attitude were made.

No formal invitation to participate in an expert inquiry is before the Washington Government and a declaration is, therefore, not in order. In the circumstances, no invitation from the allied powers now is expected.

There is no doubt that such an invitation, if presented under the French restrictions, would be declined. President Coolidge feels that the French limitations render the inquiry plan useless and futile. He believes the French restrictions would reduce the inquiry into a mere audit of German accounts, that the United States could serve no useful purpose by sanctioning American participation in an investigation that could not produce broad and comprehensive plans for economic rehabilitation of Germany and adequate payments by Germany on reparations accounts.

The conversations at the State Department ended when Ambassador Jusserand called with advices from his Government which reached him while Mr. Coolidge and his Cabinet were discussing the situation on the basis of previous explanations from Paris. The message showed no modification of the French attitude and added nothing new to the situation.

Secretary Hughes, before receiving the Ambassador, made a second visit to the White House for a brief conference with the President in preparation for presenting the American decision.

ILLEGAL TO SEIZE BREWERY, JUDGE HOLDS

Philadelphia Jurist's Ruling on Top of Federal Seizures

Philadelphia, Pa.—After prohibition agents had announced the seizure of fourteen breweries in and near Philadelphia, Federal Judge McKeehan rendered a decision that it was illegal to seize the entire plants of brewing companies.

Holding that a search warrant authorizes prohibition agents to seize only intoxicating liquors illegally manufactured and the appurtenances necessarily used in the manufacture, Judge McKeehan advised Federal prohibition authorities to "use some discretion and judgment" in the execution of such warrants, and warned them there was a penalty of a fine or imprisonment for exceeding their authority.

The decision came like a thunderbolt to the big squad of prohibition agents assembled here from different parts of the country, and who had planned to make other seizures in the Government's Nation-wide movement to enforce prohibition.

Chinaman Meets Death by Burning
San Antonio, Texas.—Ng Hong Que, Chinese restaurant owner, burned to death in a fire that gutted his restaurant. The man evidently was sleeping in the building at the time of his death.

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KNIGHT

Explosion Kills Five

Kingston, Jamaica.—The fourth engineer and four negro stokers were killed and four other members of the crew injured, three seriously, by the explosion of a boiler in the engine room of the Jamaica Fruit and Shipping Company's steamer, Princess May, en route from Port Antonio to New York. The steamer was towed into this port badly damaged. The passengers on board, including Joseph di Giorgio and other prominent fruit men, escaped injury.

Girl Students Held; Two Are Killed

Chicago, Ill.—Three girls who said they were students of the University of Wisconsin, returning from the Wisconsin-Illinois football game at Urbana, were taken into custody after the automobile in which they were riding and another car collided, killing two persons. The dead are John T. Murphy, 48, and Miss Agnes R. Erb, 25, both of Chicago, who were in the automobile with which the car the girls were riding collided. The accident occurred on the Lincoln Highway.

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Buffalo horns; gold washed in California in 1849.

An old fashioned lamp-shotgun, 116 years old, the property of W. S. Gunn.

Silver goblet, 65 years old, the property of Mrs. Price McFarlane.

Candle snuffer, used before lamps, over 100 years old.

An old biscuit, baked in 1856, the property of Thomas H. Floyd.

Hand made baby cap, 95 years old, the property of Mrs. M. Franklin.

Knapsack that went through the War Between the States.

Flute, bought in 1848, played in the War Between the States.

Daguerrotype taken before the War Between the States.

Confederate belt buckle, with 13 stars on it, used in the War Between the States.

Embroidery made about the middle of the last century.

Iron tongs which have been in constant use for 100 years.

Steak platter, used for 150 years.

Old fashioned china ware, 200 years old, the property of Mrs. Jarrett.

Brass candlesticks 109 years old.

Stone pitcher, brought over from Ireland, 129 years ago.

Quilts and counterpanes which were hand spun and hand-woven.

Many souvenirs of the World War from France.

PRAISE FROM SIR HUBERT IS INDEED HIGHEST PRAISE

All must admit that for a hastily conceived and quickly perfected undertaking it was a pronounced success, and Mr. Thomas E. Powell, Cashier of the First Guaranty State Bank, who had been a staunch friend and supporter of the undertaking, upon his return to Baird when the Fair was in full swing, thus expressed himself, as quoted in last week's Star:

I was away from Baird last week when I read about the torrential rains you were having in Callahan County. I decided that the Fair was off. You can imagine my surprise upon returning home to find Market Street in gala day attire and a collection of exhibits that could be surpassed by no county in the State. Altogether, it has been differently conducted from any County Fair that I ever attended, and I have heard only praise of it.

It is simply wonderful, and the Fair Association deserves not only our commendation but should have our support, both moral and financial, in making the 1924 Fair—which I presume you are already planning—a bigger success than this.

It was probably more strongly due to the closing sentence of this public spirited and progressive gentleman's commendation that inspired the members of the Fair Association at its meeting last Monday night, to unanimously agree to still "carry on," and plans were immedi-

ately formulated for the 1924 Callahan County Fair, which it was resolved to hold sometime in September, if possible, the definite date yet to be set by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, with which body local Chambers of Commerce are affiliated, and which will so arrange the dates for the county fairs in this great division of the Lone Star State that there will be no conflict, as there was, unfortunately, in the Fair just closed, when Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the Callahan County Fair were the dates of the Eastland County Fair at Cisco.

WILL CONCLUDE THIS ACCOUNT NEXT WEEK

The press of advertising on the columns of The Star, and the editor's pronouncement that at least a few paragraphs must be devoted to other matters of contemporaneous human interest, admonishes The Fair's Reporter that he must perforce stop right here, and the story of the Fair Week's happenings is not yet told—not by a long shot—for there was something doing all the time.

Consequently he chops off right here, and will conclude the narrative in next week's paper.

Come in and let us show you our Novelty Shoe Lot D149

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PROGRAM AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

The following is the program to be rendered at the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock:

Subject: Lord's Supper.

Leader: Mr. Fowler.

Song: Class.

Scripture Reading, I Cor. 1-11-26;

Elizabeth McGowan.

Prayer: Lee Counts.

The Lord's Supper as an Emblem of Love: Maggie Lou Price.

Commemorating the Lord's Supper as a Duty to the World Around Us: Mrs. Justin Andrews.

Song: Class.

Queen Esther: Little Folks.

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RETURNING GRATEFUL THANKS

We desire to return our grateful thanks to all those—and that includes almost the entire population of Baird—who hastened to the assistance, practically and sympathetically, of our son, Walter L. McNeil, who was injured Friday, November 9, on the Fair Association's race track, while he was speeding out his racing auto, prior to a race in which he was an entrant.

Particularly do we thank Dr. R. L. Griggs for his prompt and efficient surgical aid to our boy; and in general to all the good people, male and female, old and young, who tendered their sympathy and their practical assistance; and Wallace, who is rapidly convalescing and was able to come to Baird last Tuesday to get his wounds dressed, joins us in this expression of our gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McNeil.

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50-3t Mrs. G. M. Hall

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car in good condition for sale at a bargain. Also a Vitrola for sale. See C. E. Reynolds

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POINTER SLUT LOST—One and one half years old, small for her age. White with Liver colored head. Finder return to me and get reward

50-2p Bill Work

RADIO SET FOR SALE—Price \$30.00 complete with tube, batteries, head set, insulators and aerial wires.

50-1p Jack Newman, Baird.

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50-p O. L. Black, Admiral, Texas

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PECANS—Halbert Papershells. A two pound sample for One Dollar. Cheaper in quantities.

48-4t H. A. Halbert, Coleman, Texas.

SEWING MACHINES—Now is a good time to buy a new machine for the extra rush of sewing. I sell both the ordinary and electric Singer Sewing Machines.

43-16tp J. C. Neal, Clyde, Texas

FRUIT TREES—This Fall and Winter will be a fine time to put out Fruit Trees. I will sell again, beginning about November 20th. Get my prices before you buy.

49-4t W. W. Slater, Clyde, Texas.

SAILORS' COAT LOST—I lost a Sailors' blue coat on the Bankhead Highway between Baird and Clyde, Monday. Finder please leave at The Star Office, Baird.

50.1p W. W. Robinson, Cottonwood, Texas

WANTED—Man to sell Rawleigh Quality Products direct to consumers in Callahan County. Pleasant, permanent, profitable business. Little capital needed. Make practically every family a steady, satisfied customer. Workers make large, steady income. Give age, occupation, reference. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. 1580, Memphis, Tenn.

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