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COYOTES DEFEAT ABILENE ALL- STARS

The Baird Coyotes defeated the Abilene All Stars Sunday by the count of 13 to 4. Jim Strickland who pitched for the Coyotes was afforded good support and beside pitching air tight base ball he led the attack at bat with three hits. Young, H. Ray, Farmer and Joe McIntosh got two hits each while E. Hall, R. Ray, Pea, McQueen and Jessie McIntosh got one hit each. Morman who two weeks ago beat the Coyotes started the game Sunday for Abilene but was knocked out in the fifth. He was relieved by Claxton who was also hit hard. The Coyotes got 13 runs, 14 hits and 4 errors. Abilene got 4 runs, 8 hits and 4 errors.

Box Score	Coyotes				
	AB	R	H	E	
Young, 3b	5	2	2	0	
H. Ray, ss	4	2	2	2	
Farmer, 2b	5	2	2	0	
Joe McIntosh, c	4	2	2		
G. Hall, lf	4	0	0	0	
E. Hall, rf	4	1	1	0	
R. Ray, 1b	3	1	1	0	
Pea cf	5	0	1	0	
Strickland p	5	2	3	0	
McQueen, lf	2	0	1	1	
McIntosh	1	1	1	0	
	42	13	16	3	
All-Stars					
	AB	R	H	E	
G. Powers, 2b	5	1	2	1	
L. Powers, 3b	3	1	2	0	
B. Johnson, 1b	5	0	0	0	
Claxton, ss, p	3	0	0	0	
A. Powers, cf	4	1	2	0	
Nunnally, c	4	0	1	0	
Norman, p, 3b, cf	4	0	1	2	
C. Jackson, lf	4	1	0	0	
Mathis, rf	3	0	0	0	
Long, ss	3	0	0	1	
Mathis	1	0	0	0	
	39	3	8	4	

Summary: Home runs: Joe McIntosh and Jessie McIntosh. Two base hits: Joe McIntosh, Strickland and A. Powers. Struck out by Strickland 6, by Claxton 4. Base one balls: Claxton 2. Double play: L. Powers to G. Powers to B. Johnson. Time of game: 2 hours, 35 minutes. Umpires, Short and McIntosh.

	AB	R	H	Pct
Pea	6	0	2	.333
Gibson	3	1	2	.667
Farmer	28	8	11	.393
Modisette	14	1	5	.351
Joe McIntosh	36	8	13	.361
L. Ray	27	1	9	.333
Jessie McIntosh	13	4	5	.385
H. Ray	56	13	18	.322
Ground	11	1	3	.273
E. Hall	53	5	14	.267
Young	52	11	14	.269
R. Ray	54	10	15	.278
Barr	8	0	2	.250
Strickland	22	3	7	.318
McQueen	11	1	3	.273

	Game	Won	Lost	Pct
Bar	1	0	1	1.000
Ground	4	2	1	.667
Strickland	8	2	3	.400
Modisette	6	1	3	.250

Mrs. H. A. Lones Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. H. A. Lones, who has been a resident of Baird for more than forty years, celebrated her 74th birthday on last Saturday and was made happy by having all of her children at home on that day the first time in ten years and the second time they have all been together at one time in thirty-five years. All the children visit their mother often, but do not happen to all come at the same time.

The day was joyously spent and at noon a birthday dinner was served. Her children here were: Charlie Lones, of Madill, Okla.; Mrs. B. N. Leonard, of Sioux City, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Copeland, of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. John Lones and little son, of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Selman Lones, of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowler and children of Abilene and Mrs. W. P. Kirshner.

Hancock Family Hold Reunion at Abilene

Eighty descendants of the late Levi and Lou Hancock held a reunion here Sunday at Cobb Park, Abilene, and laid plans for making the affair an annual event, with August 3rd, 1931, set as the next meeting date and Buffalo Gap selected as the place. The Hancock were pioneers in this section of the state, settling near the present City of Clyde before the establishment of the townsite.

Six daughters and one son of the pioneer couple attended yesterday's reunion. They were J. G. Hancock, Mmes. J. M. Morrisett, M. L. Hays, Ollie Estes, J. M. McGee, S. O. Wagner and Raleigh Jones.

Following a dinner of barbecue, salads, pies, cakes and other edibles, discussion of family happenings gave interest. Souvenirs of the day will be pictures made of the group in the afternoon.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hancock, Genevieve Hancock, J. G. Hancock Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Jones and children, Raymond, Delton, Bernice and A. G. Abilene; Mrs. J. M. McKee, Hugh McKee, and Mrs. Margie Brown of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron McKee and little son, Willie D. of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wagner and son, Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Kleiner and son, Charles Jr., Abilene; Mr. Ollie Estes, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Black and daughter, Alamae, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson A. Estes and daughter, Nancy Faye of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Morrisett, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Morrisett and children, Bonnie Belle, Jewell and Opal, Lanham; Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Morrisett and daughter, Marietta, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stinchcomb and children, C. G. Jr., Morrisett and Hattie Cleora, Hamby; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrisett and children, Wendall and Leslie, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland Holt, Mary Isabel Holt, J. D. Holt, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holt, Hamby; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Estes and sons, Connard Burns and Mac-Ross, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. John L. Estes and children, John L. Jr., Billy Sol, Joe Ann and Bobby, Lanham; Mrs. M. L. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Hays and children, Marion, Connard James Allen and Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Echols and Clyde Jr., Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Hays and children, Harvey L. Jr., and Betty Jean, Abilene.

MRS. J. A. CRESWELL BURIED HERE SUNDAY

Mrs. Lola Creswell, wife of J. A. Creswell and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. May, of Clyde, died at her home in Oklahoma City, Thursday, July 31st and the remains were brought to Baird Saturday accompanied by members of the family for burial in Ross cemetery where other members of the family are buried. The remains were carried to the Wylie Funeral Home where they remained until the hour for the funeral Sunday afternoon, which was held at the Baptist church conducted by Rev. C. C. Andrews.

Mrs. Creswell was born at Clyde in 1890. She was married to J. A. Creswell, Sept. 19, 1908. She was a grand-daughter of W. P. May, who came to this county fifty years ago and of J. E. Lee, who was one of the first settlers in Callahan county and helped to organize the county. She was the mother of five children, four daughters and one son, who with her husband and other relatives were here for the funeral.

Mrs. Creswell was converted and joined the Methodist church when 14 years of age. She was a faithful Christian, a devoted wife and mother and dutiful daughter and had the love and esteem of all her family and friends.

Rain Reported in Many Places

Rain has fallen in many places in West Texas the past week but so far only light showers have fallen in this immediate section which has to some extent retrieved the extreme heat. Good rains are reported west around Colorado, Sweetwater and Big Spring.

METHODIST REVIVAL ATTENDED BY BIG CROWDS EACH NIGHT

What promises to be one of the greatest revivals to be held in Baird was inaugurated last Sunday morning by the Methodist church, where the Rev. B. W. Dodson, D. D., is the popular pastor.

Dr. Dodson has secured to hold this revival Rev. Burke Culpepper, D. D., of Memphis, Tennessee, one of the outstanding evangelists of Dixie. Dr. Culpepper is one of the general evangelists of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, and as such his work carries him into almost every state in the union and to the larger cities as well as the smaller ones. Through a close personal friendship Dr. Dodson was able to secure Dr. Culpepper and his party for this engagement. The services are being held in the Baird Tabernacle.

From the very first Dr. Culpepper captured his large audiences and has held them to closest attention. His sermons are gems of practical truths and are calculated to carry one over the pitfalls of life. He is not sensational, but preaches with a directness that impresses his audiences. He knows human nature from A to Z and portrays life in a way that one can see the errors and also realize the wonderful opportunities that lie before if they will only let Jesus Christ have the right-of-way in their hearts and life.

Dr. Culpepper has associated with him his son, Rev. Jimmie Culpepper, who has charge of the young people's work. He is a licensed preacher and during the short time he has been in Baird has made a splendid impression on not only the young people but also on the adults. He is earnest and has a message for the young people that will be helpful to them throughout life if they will only give heed to his words of admonition and emulate the example he sets. Young Mr. Culpepper is also a magician of no mean ability, and can prove conclusively that the "hand is quicker than the eye," and the "harder you look the less you will see."

The music of the revival is under the direction of John U. Robinson, who left a newspaper office in Kentucky some fifteen years ago to join Dr. Culpepper in revival work. Mr. Robinson has organized a large chorus choir and the singing is an attractive feature of the revival.

In his opening sermon Dr. Culpepper had for his subject "Sleep," using the words for his text. "A son that sleepeth in harvest causeth shame." The speaker brought out the necessity of sleep, the mercy of sleep, the universality of sleep and the tragedy of sleep. The churches today "are asleep at the switch," he declared. Wide-awake Christians are as necessary as wide-awake business men. If the church does not awake to her responsibility and exercise her God-given rights God will take her crown from her and give it to another.

On Fire For God Sunday night Dr. Culpepper discussed the apostle Peter in a way that caused his large audience to think deeply on the subject—"Peter by the Fire." Peter not only denied the Lord, but he "was warmed by the devil's fire," and finally got in the fire of doubt and denial. Realizing his condition Peter "got on fire for God" and was a true follower of the lonely Nazarine. Many people today are in the fire of doubt and skepticism, but if they were on fire for God they would be a power in the land.

The Wages of Sin Monday night Dr. Culpepper spoke on the subject of sin and its consequences and what it will lead to. "I hate sin with a bitter, burning hatred but have only love and pity for the sinner," declared the evangelist. Sin is unnatural, it is an outlaw, it is a great contractor, and pays off in death. It requires all of one's time and energy. In order to sin one has to "dodge everything from the argus-eyed sheriff to his wet-eyed mother." It takes only one sin to

damn, just as it requires the cutting of only one vein to empty the body. One bullet crashing through the brain will produce death; one sin drove Adam and Eve from the garden, and one sin, if not repented of, will land the offender "in that land of dark despair."

Reading The Signs of The Times

Religious thinkers agree that some great change is scheduled to take place, says Dr. Culpepper. People are losing confidence in each other. Science has given the world many wonderful things, but science cannot take the place of the Bible and God. The church with some is a very small thing, but the speaker is not willing that the opinion of those who would destroy the church go unchallenged. He rests his faith on the promise of Jesus Christ who declared that "the gates of hell should not prevail against the church."

Prayer is Needed as Never Before

People are doing too little praying, Dr. Culpepper told a large morning audience. "If I was given the choice of first-class preparation for a revival or prayer, and could not have both, I would take prayer. People today are doing too little praying. Prayer is an argument and if taken to the court room would win its case with the jury. Prayer is objective, subjective, directive and sometimes it is defective. I had rather have God's will than to have my way. If your life does not square with God you need not pray for your neighbor, but you must first pray for yourself. If you are not living on the square and God should answer your prayer He would be placing a premium on your meanness. The church needs to go to her knees before Almighty God and repent of the things she has left undone, and the world needs to go to God and cry out from the very depths, "Lord, what must I do to be saved."

The Origin Of Sin

Sin is not a creature of earth, but had its origin in heaven, Dr. Culpepper told his large audience on Tuesday night, when he spoke on "The Exceeding Sinfulness of Sin." The world today is trying to humanize God, deify man and minimize sin, declared the speaker. The first sin was that of an assumption and was born in an angel's mind, "on the gold-washed streets of God." Lucifer, the biggest angel God had, transcended his bounds and God had to throw him and his cohorts out of heaven. The second place where sin had its lodgment was in a woman's heart. Eve was deceived and was the victim of this deception. Adam, realizing what his wife had done chose to stand by her and caused sin to find its place in man's imperial will. Not satisfied there sin next chose the depraved passion of the human will and Cain killed his brother and blood trickled and flowed.

With these four birth places of sin clearly set before the audience, Dr. Culpepper declared that "sin exceeded the power of the pulpit, the prayers of the pew and the liberality of the church at large." He also declared that he believed there was "a burning, bottomless hell and a smiling, topsless heaven." One can sin themselves away from God, sin because they are away from God and sin for God.

Dr. Culpepper declared that the greatest need of the world today is a revival of religion. He said in one of the large city dailies recently the editor called upon the pastors of the city to bring an outstanding evangelist to the city and put on a city-wide revival, and if the churches could not agree on some outstanding man the paper would foster the movement. This, he declared was but an index of what is needed to stabilize business and establish confidence.

"The Hounds of Hell"

A sermon that gripped the large audience as possibly no other that Rev. Burke Culpepper has delivered in Baird was the one on Wednesday night, based on the text, "Be not deceived, God is not mocked, (Concluded on last page)"

Massa-Hill Wedding Tuesday

Mr. James Benedict Massa, of Pampa and Miss Lucille Hill of Baird was married in Ranger, at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening in the rectory of the Catholic church the Right Rev. Father Collins of the Catholic church of Ranger performing the ceremony.

The only attendants were Mr. Glenn Poole of Pampa and Miss Ruby Ernest of Denton and the immediate families of the couple.

Miss Hill is the youngest daughter of the late Cliff Hill and Mrs. Cliff Hill, one of the oldest and most prominent families of Callahan county. Miss Hill is a graduate of the Baird High school and the C. I. A. at Denton, a very charming and popular girl with a host of friends who join in wishing the young couple much happiness through life.

Mr. Massa is one of Pampa's most popular young men and is with the Phillips Petroleum Co.

Reception

One of the smartest social affairs of the summer was the reception given by Dr. and Mrs. V. E. Hill at their home, at nine o'clock Tuesday evening for the Massa and Hill bridal party. In the receiving line were Dr. and Mrs. V. E. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. James Benedict Massa, Mr. Glenn Poole, Miss Ruby Earnest, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Massa.

The bride wore a gown of pink silk all over lace and flesh maine with pink satin slippers, her only jewel was a necklace the gift of the groom, made of two links of an ancient Indian bracelet of hand carved ivory and gold filigree. She carried a bouquet of white lilies and green ferns with maline streamers. Her evening jacket and turban were of coral chiffon velvet.

The maid of honor, Miss Ernest, was dressed in a tea rose organdy with silver slippers.

Miss Frances Harris presided at the brides book. She wore a lovely dress of flame maline, she was assisted by little Miss Ellen Marie Hill, who was dressed as a miniature bride.

Mrs. Ernest Hill and Miss Emily Driehof served punch from a three hundred pound block of crystal ice studded with frozen carnations a gift to the bride from the Price Ice Co. and West Texas Utilities Co. Miss Mary Massa served the brides cake which was a creation of beauty three tier high mounted with miniature bride and groom.

Misses Annie V. Foy and Opal McFarland ushered the guests through the gift room, which presented a gorgeous array of silverware and crystal table ware of every shade and hue, and some rare old jewelry a gift from the grooms father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Massa.

The guests were entertained with music during the entire reception rendered by Miss Frances Snyder at the piano and Miss Gillian Buchanan on the violin.

Vocal numbers by Mrs. Shaw accompanied on the piano by Mrs. V. E. Hill.

More than one hundred and fifty guests attended this smart affair. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hagaman, Misses Gillian Buchanan and Emily Driehof, Ranger; Mr. Fay Snyder.

Misses Laura and Frances Snyder of Moran; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McFarlane and little daughter, Annie Laura of Mexia, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Massa, Plainview; Miss Ruby Ernest, Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Anderson and son, San Antonio; Miss Mary Massa, Cross Plains; Claude Flores, Bell Plaine.

Immediately after the reception Mr. and Mrs. James Benedict Massa left for a motor trip through New Mexico. They will be at home to their friends after Aug. 15th., in Pampa, Texas.

The reception hall and adjoining room were decorated in cut flowers and ferns, green and pink being the color scheme.

Mrs. Massa's going away frock was an ensemble of French brown basket weave with blouse of burnt orange, accessories were also of brown.

Misses Ramseys To Spend Year In England

Misses Nena Kate and Comette Ramsey and Mrs. Norma Ramsey Horn, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramsey, of Abilene, accompanied by their brother, David Ramsey, of Dallas, were in Baird Wednesday morning enroute to New York from where the young ladies will sail on August 15th on the Ss Carmania, for Europe, following a tour of France, Italy, and Spain, a trip to the Passion Play at Oberammergau and four weeks in Paris, they will go to London, where they spend a year studying in the University of London.

Miss Comette will enter the Slate School of speech of the University of London; Miss Nena Kate, who is head of the speech arts department of Mississippi Woman's College, Hattiesburg, Miss., will study phonetics as work on a Ph. D. degree in the college of the University of London, and Mrs. Horn will do B. A. degree study in the college. They are to return early in September, 1931.

The party is making the trip to New York by automobile. David Ramsey will return to Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. Ramsey and family are former residents of Baird. Dr. and Mrs. Ramsey accompanied the party as far as Baird Wednesday morning.

MRS. BROWN SEAY, GOLD STAR MOTHER, VISITS SONS GRAVE

Mrs. Brown Seay, formerly of Baird, where she made her home for many years, now living in Houston, is now in France, with other Gold Star mothers, to visit the grave of her son, Lieutenant Sam H. Seay in Soissons Allied Cemetery.

Bryant P. Seay, of Houston informs us that his mother left Houston July 22nd arriving in New York on the 24th and sailed for France on July 26th on the Ss Republic.

Sam Seay, the eldest son of the late Brown Seay and Mrs. Seay, was born and reared to young manhood in Baird, but was living in El Paso in 1917 when he was called in the first draft. He was sent to Camp Travis and assigned to Motor Truck Company No. 411.

Some four months after he went into the service he was commissioned First Lieutenant of his company which was sent to Camp Jackson, Fla., for training, Lieut. Seay acting captain. The company went overseas in April 1918.

At the time Lieut. Seay was called to service he had signed up with the government as a civilian employee, to establish a motor shop in Paris. He had been in that branch of the service since the Pershing Expedition in Mexico.

Lieut. Seay died December 2, 1918, of bronchial pneumonia, in a hospital at Chateau Thierry and was buried in the Soissons Allied cemetery near that place.

Bryant Seay, who was also in the service had corresponded with his brother Sam but they had not met since reaching France, but after the Armistice was signed they had planned to visit Paris together. Bryant went to Lieutenant Seay's base, which was across the river from Chateau Thierry arrived there two days after his brother had been buried, not knowing that his brother had been ill.

Democratic County Convention

The Democratic County Convention was held in Baird last Saturday. J. Rupert Jackson, county chairman presiding judge, Clyde White was elected secretary.

A large crowd was in attendance and it is said to have been the most enthusiastic Democratic Convention held here for some years.

Delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Galveston in Sept. 9th go uninstructed but were instructed to vote as a unit on all questions.

ALDEN A. BELL DIED IN VIRGINIA

Alden A. Bell, a former resident of Baird, died at his home in Culpepper Va., Sunday, following an illness of several months.

Mr. Bell was a brother of Mrs. Otis Bowyer and the late F. S. Bell, of Baird, and formerly lived here, coming here in 1883 and lived here until 1897 when he returned to his old home in Virginia.

Mr. Bell was prominently identified with the development of Baird and Callahan County during the fourteen years he lived here. He served the county as county attorney and was also Mayor of Baird at one time. He was serving as mayor when the first water bond were issued.

Mr. Bell was a prominent writer, writing for a number of the leading papers in the United States. He traveled a great deal, visiting South America, Africa and other foreign countries in the pursuit of his journalistic work.

Mr. Bell served in the Spanish-American war, also the World War, going overseas among the first American troops. He made a trip to France a few years ago to visit the grave of his nephew, Lieut. Eugene Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bell, who fell in battle in the Argonne.

Mr. Bell is survived by his sister, Mrs. Otis Bowyer, of Baird and a number of nieces and nephews in Texas and Virginia.

Many old friends in Baird and Callahan county learn with regret of Mr. Bell's death.

PUTNAM GOLF TOURNAMENT

Alex Ogilvy, proprietor of the Putnam Miniature Golf Link, set the tournament which began at the Links Monday is attracting quite a number of intrants.

On each Thursday evening Ladies play free with each paid attendant.

Republican County Convention

The Republican County Convention was held in Baird Saturday, presided over by W. B. Baldwin of Cross Plains, county chairman, L. L. Blackburn secretary.

W. B. Baldwin was elected as a delegate to the Republican State Convention which meets in San Angelo Saturday, August 23rd.

A Sunrise Wedding

Tuesday morning at sunrise, marriage of Anthony Hunt, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt, of Abilene and Miss Pauline Kendrick of Clyde was solemnized in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendrick, in Clyde.

Dr. Hunt, McMurry president officiated with the ring ceremony read in the presence of members of the two families of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt left Tuesday morning for a honeymoon trip to Galveston and other points south, and will return August 15 to Post where he is coach of the high school.

Mr. Hunt, who was assistant coach at Post last year, has been made head coach for next year. He is a graduate of McMurry academy, and of McMurry college, where he received his B. A. degree in 1929. He was a star member of the Indian football team of McMurry, selected during his last year as a member of the all T. I. A. A. team.

Mrs. Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick of the Denton community completed three years work at McMurry. She was named one of the college favorites during both her sophomore and junior years, and was a popular entertainer as a reader. She did special work in the speech department.

For her wedding she was wearing an attractive frock of beige crepe with accessories in harmonizing shades. She is traveling in a modish ensemble of navy blue and white with smart accessories in the same tones.

PUTNAM

Mrs. J. S. Yeager

Putnam

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lee returned this week from a stay in Olney. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Nurdyke, of Cottonwood, were guests in the home of their son, Clarence Nurdyke and family, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Yeager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager, has been on the sick list at the family home here this week.

E. C. Waddell returned Friday from a stay of several weeks in Hobbs, N. W. Mexico.

Miss Willie Kennedy, our congenial post, is away this week spending a few days with relatives in Goree.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jenkins and son, Louis Jenkins returned Tuesday night from a vacation spent in El Paso and Santa Fe, N. M.

Miss Dorothy Frank Clements, of El Paso, is the guest of friends and relatives in Putnam and Cisco this week.

Miss Martha Brock, of Ft. Worth spent the week-end in Putnam the guest of relatives and friends.

Miss Pauline Cathey is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Luke Cathey and family here this week, having returned home with relatives on a recent visit to Stanton.

Clyde King left Tuesday for Plainview on a prospecting trip. He may move his family here later.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Yeager have returned from an extended stay in Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard and family visited in Rotan through the week-end.

Wesley Williams Jr., of Midland, is the guest of relatives in Putnam this week.

Miss Bertha Buchanan, Elizabeth Wilhite, Frances Cook and Messrs Carl Brock and Neal Moore attended church at Cross Plains Sunday evening.

Misses Ora Coon, of Loraine, and Lura Boyd, of Gustine, visited friends in Putnam through the week-end.

Omar Burkett, of Cisco, was transacting business in Putnam Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Brandon, of Jorman, spent Sunday in the home of Dr. Brandon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon.

J. D. Dallas and Miss Minnie West, of Baird, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anthony here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yarbrough, of Lubbock, were guests of relatives and friends in Putnam through the week-end.

Willie Wilcoxen visited in Atwell Sunday and Sunday evening.

I. G. Mobley, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley Sr. of this place, is here to spend his vacation with his parents and other relatives.

Mrs. L. B. Moore was the guest of Mrs. Hattie Gray at Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco and small son, Reed, of Cross Plains, spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Francisco's mother, Mrs. W. E. Pruett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Norred and children, Neal and Eloise, arrived Tuesday night from a vacation in Ruidosa, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mayes and son, Wilburn, returned Friday from a visit with Mr. Mayes' parents in South Texas.

There will be services at the Methodist church on next Sunday morning as usual. The pastor's subject at the morning service will be The Vision Splendid. Those with infants and small children to be baptized are requested to be present at the eleven o'clock morning service. The public is invited.

Mrs. W. W. Everett is spending the week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Nurdyke and family.

J. W. Brandon arrived this week from Tolar for a visit with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon. J. W. will probably remain here to attend school during the 1930 and '31 term.

Miss Gladys Suggs, of Clyde, is spending the week in Putnam the guest of Miss Eva Moore.

Willie Wilcoxen and Miss VaVa Black, of Atwell, spent the week-end visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nurdyke are the happy parents of an eleven pound son born Friday, August 1, 1930. Mother and son getting along nicely.

Mrs. R. D. Williams Sr. and son, Lou (Williams), returned Thursday from a vacation spent in California. Calvin King spent Saturday night at the Hart community the guest of his cousin, William Edward Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Walser moved their household effects to Cisco on Saturday of this week where they will reside in the future.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson, of Cisco, spent the week-end in Putnam the guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wallace and children returned Sunday from a vacation spent at Carlsbad and other points in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackelford and nephew, Fred Golsen, returned from Calhoun La., Wednesday night where they went in response to a message stating that Mr. Golsen's mother was ill. She is reported as much improved and able to be up most of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Elliott, of Dallas, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott and family here this week.

Miss Crystine Eoff returned Saturday evening from Cisco where she visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and Mr. Johnson.

White Tanner, of Clayton, N. M. has returned home after a visit in the homes of his sisters, Mes. J. A. Heyser and C. A. Conlee.

Miss Hazel Jobe is visiting friends in Oplin this week.

W. L. Johnson, father of Mrs. Raymond Clark, was a visitor in Baird on Thursday of this week.

L. L. Bartine and family were Baird visitors Saturday.

Rev. William E. Hawkins, radio revivalist of Ft. Worth, will begin a series of revival services at the Hughes Filling Station, three miles west of Putnam, on August the twentieth lasting two weeks. This camp meeting is an annual affair. Fifteen or twenty families camped on the grounds last year and about twice that number is expected this year. The citizens of the community are erecting a large tabernacle for the accommodation of about 1500 people. This will be completed in time for the meeting.

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Isenhower, of this place, was seriously burned Sunday, Aug. 3, at the family home.

The family had returned from church and the mother was frying chicken for lunch and had set a bowl of hot grease on the edge of the cooking stove when the little fellow toddled by and reached for the bowl, turning it over and spilling the contents over his body. He was badly burned from the pose down over the chest, also the right hand and arm. It was not determined whether he had swallowed any of the contents or not, but at last reports was in a very serious condition.

C. E. Wakefield, prominent banker and oil operator of Cross Plains passed through Putnam enroute home from Ft. Worth this week and stated that the people of Cross Plains are highly elated over the prospects of a designated highway from Brownwood to Cross Plains, extending north. The people of Putnam feel sure this highway comes to Cross Plains that it will be extended to Albany via Putnam and Moran, as this route will shorten the distance from Cross Plains to Albany about eighteen miles less than the present route around by Cisco. Putnam is very much interested in this road and will make the necessary preparations to secure it as soon as it is definitely assured.

Rev. Balch, of Seymour, left for his home Saturday after spending about two weeks in Putnam engaged in holding a series of revival services, under the auspices of the Baptist church, at the tabernacle on the north side of town. This is the second successive year Rev. Balch has held revival services here and he has greatly endeared himself to the people of Putnam, members of the church and those outside as well.

Rev. J. E. Black, pastor of the church, was in charge of the choir and led the singing. Mesdames Barney Anthony and Loren Everett played the pianos throughout the meeting. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Crosby was thrown open to the ladies where a prayer meeting was held each evening previous to the preaching service. Other prayer meetings were held in groves near the tabernacle at the same hour.

The meeting was a great success and a number was added to the church.

WEDDINGS

Moore-Cunningham

Miss Rita Moore, of Cisco, and Charley Cunningham, of Putnam, were married Feb. 1, in Lawton, Okla. Their marriage was kept a secret until Mrs. Cunningham finished school in Cisco.

The bride was born and reared in Cisco and made her home with Mr. and Mrs. John Kleiner, of that city.

Mr. Cunningham is a native of Putnam, a graduate of the High School here and has been associated with the Y. A. Orr Drug store for the past several years.

He is a young man of unusual character and has many friends.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham, of this city.

Moore-Allen

Miss Ted Moore, of Putnam, and Buford Allen, of Breckenridge, were married Saturday afternoon at the Baptist parsonage in Breckenridge, with the Rev. Smith, pastor, performing the ceremony.

The couple will make their home in Breckenridge where Mr. Allen is associated with the Gulf Refining Company.

The bride was born and reared in Putnam and is the daughter of Mrs. L. B. Moore. She has been associated with the George F. Pearce Tailor Co., until her marriage to Mr. Allen.

The groom is also a native of Callahan county and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen, of the Colony community.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen have many friends here who wish them much success and happiness.

Miller-Kirkpatrick

Miss Leona Miller and Oran Kirkpatrick, both of this place, were married on Saturday afternoon August the second, at the Methodist parsonage. Rev. Cecil Fox, the pastor, read the ceremony.

Miss Miller is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller and is a graduate of the Putnam High school here. Mr. Kirkpatrick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Kirkpatrick and is associated with the West Texas Utilities Company, of this place. Both young people are popular with the younger society set here.

They left immediately after the marriage ceremony on a wedding trip to points in Eastern Texas. They will be at home to their friends in Putnam about August the fifteenth.

Wonderful Says Sweetwater Housewife

Wasn't Able To Do Housework. Now Wants Everybody To Know The Good Argotane Has Done For Her.

"It is certainly wonderful how two bottles of Argotane restored my health after I had spent many dollars on other medicines that did me no good," recently said Mrs. G. W. Byrd, living at 1205 ViVne Street, Sweetwater, Texas.

"For three long years," she continued, "my stomach gave me no end of trouble, and though I was constantly trying to get relief by taking something or other I was steadily getting worse. I didn't have a bit of appetite and just had to force down what little I did eat. After every meal my food soured in my stomach and I would be miserable for hours from gas that boated me up so I could hardly breathe. I suffered agonies from a hard lump that formed in the pit of my stomach after eating and sometimes it just seemed like it would never go away. My nerves went all to pieces and I was so restless I could hardly sleep. In the morning I would get up feeling so tired out it was all I could do to drag myself about the house."

"From the statements I read in the papers I was lead to think that Argotane might do me some good, so I bought a bottle. I was surprised to see the way I began to pick up before I had finished my first bottle, and my improvement continued till after almost finishing my second bottle my stomach is in first class shape and I can eat heartily of anything I want and not suffer the least discomfort from gas or anything else. My nerves are alright, I sleep like a baby and wake up in the morning feeling as fresh and bright as I ever did. My troubles are now at an end and I am so grateful for what Argotane has done for me that I want everybody to know about it."

Genuine Argotane may be bought in Baird at the Holmes Drug Co.

Texas and Texans

By WILL H. MAYES

Austin, Texas

"All Texans for all Texas"

Political Interest High

Just now it is difficult to secure the attention of Texans for any movement except politics. The results of the first primary in many races were surprising to even the most astute political observers, including the candidates themselves.

Enough candidates are left in the state races, and in most cases in the county races, to make the August "run-off" the most exciting second primary ever held in Texas. In most of the races the results will depend on the activities of the personal friends of candidates, as the candidates themselves will be unable to cover the large territories in the brief time before the run-off, August in Texas

is too hot a month for the political excitement that is all too probable.

Attend The Local Fairs

County and community fairs are to be held in many parts of Texas during August and September. In many ways these small fairs are worth more to the people than the State-wide expositions, although the state fairs are resulting in great good to all Texas. The special benefits from the county and community fairs come from careful comparison of exhibits and methods among people known to each other and from the strengthening of friendships that invariably result from the close association of people of like interests. These small fairs bring the people of their communities together to discuss problems in an intimate way and to form ties that can be created in no other way. Every effort should be made to make the greatest possible success of local fairs.

Features That Attract

In recent years too many fairs have over-stressed the roving carnival companies and side-shows that are of no value whatever to the public and that get the largest share of the profits. People patronize them only because they are not given anything better to see or to do. Horse-racing when fairly conducted, always interests a crowd and is attracting more attention now than in recent years. The objection frequently made to this sport is the dragging out of time and this is being met by putting entertaining features in front of the grandstands between the races. Fireworks have again become popular as night features of small fairs. More interest is being shown in cattle and poultry than heretofore. Farmers like to see and hear how neighboring farmers are succeeding. The small fair is worth all it costs in any community.

Terracing In Texas

In 1920 only 689,000 acres of Texas lands were terraced; in 1925 the terraced acreage had increased to about 1,600,000 acres. It is now placed at about 3,700,000 acres, and the work extends to 202 of the counties of the state. In most instances the interest in terracing is due directly to county farm agents or to vocational agricultural teachers in the public schools. It is resulting in a great saving of Texas soil and in increased crop production, but there is still far too much good soil being washed into the gulf.

Conserving Texas Soil

In the next ten years greater attention will be centered in conserving Texas water and soil. It is probable that irrigation will be increased at least five-fold, the waters of the river watersheds being stored in reservoirs for that purpose. Greater care will be taken to prevent the waste of soil fertility from the washing of the lands. All this will mean far greater wealth for Texas. No state can prosper as it should while its soils are being depleted and its resources are going to waste.

Marketing Problems

That Texas lands can and will produce far more than they are now producing is evident to every one who is even a casual student of the state's progress. An even greater problem than production is the marketing of farm products. The greatest need of the day is for men of ability to devote their best thoughts to the solution of marketing troubles to the end that farmers may secure their returns from their labors. Politicians can not be depended on to do this, however fulsome they may be in promises. But this writer believes that there is wisdom enough among the people to solve their marketing problems if only that wisdom can be organized and set to work.

Need State Museum

A number of museum organizations are springing up over Texas with the very laudable purpose of saving the things of valuable historic interest and placing them where they may be seen and studied by the people of the present and future generations. Most of these organizations are somewhat local in character and are not financed to carry on large undertakings either in buildings or in collecting exhibits. The collections they can make are at most local and limited and likely to go the way of most poorly financed undertakings. Texas should have and can afford to support a richly endowed museum located at some central point accessible to the largest number of people and should not depend on poorly supported organizations to preserve its valuable treasures.

Lamesa Milk Plant

Lamesa now has a \$200,000 powdered milk plant, which is to be supplied by farmers on six milk routes leading to the plant, with more to be established. The plant can handle 100,000 pounds of milk daily. It belongs to 100 stockholders, a Chicago concern owning one-half the stock. The enterprise has already greatly stimulated interest in dairying in Dawson and adjoining counties.

Texas Tomato Shipments

Texas shipments of tomatoes are still reaching New York and other eastern markets, the season for Texas tomatoes having been longer than ever before and the markets having been fairly satisfactory to growers. Plans are under way for a large planting of fall and early winter tomatoes in South Texas. With proper plantings Texas can have tomatoes on the markets throughout the entire year.

Pea Curing Plants

Jefferson has a pea-curing plant which has contracted for 10,000 bushels of field peas at \$2.00 a bushel. Farmers find the crop profitable at that price. Many parts of Texas would find pea-growing a good business with markets assured. Peas at \$2.00 beat wheat at 60 cents a bushel.

Profitable Feed Crop

A Nueces county farmer has harvested 500 acres of dwarf maize and hegar with which he expects to fatten calves after grazing them for the first sixty days on the second crop growth of the sorghums. On the basis of his former stock-feeding operations the farmer expects to realize \$50 an acre for his feed crop and pasturage.

Cowpeas In Demand

Farmers near Kingsville have been using Chinese red cowpeas extensively for several years for feeding dairy cattle. The success they have had with the cowpeas has been such that a demand has been created for seed peas in excess of the supply. The peas were introduced there by the Texas agricultural experiment station near Beeville.

Expression of Contempt

"To show the white feather" is synonymous with "to show cowardice." The proverbial expression arose from the circumstance that a white feather in the tail of a gamecock is a certain sign that he is not thoroughbred.

True Temperance

There is no difference between knowledge and temperance; for he who knows what is good and embraces it, who knows what is bad and avoids it, is learned and temperate.—Socrates.

Briefly Told

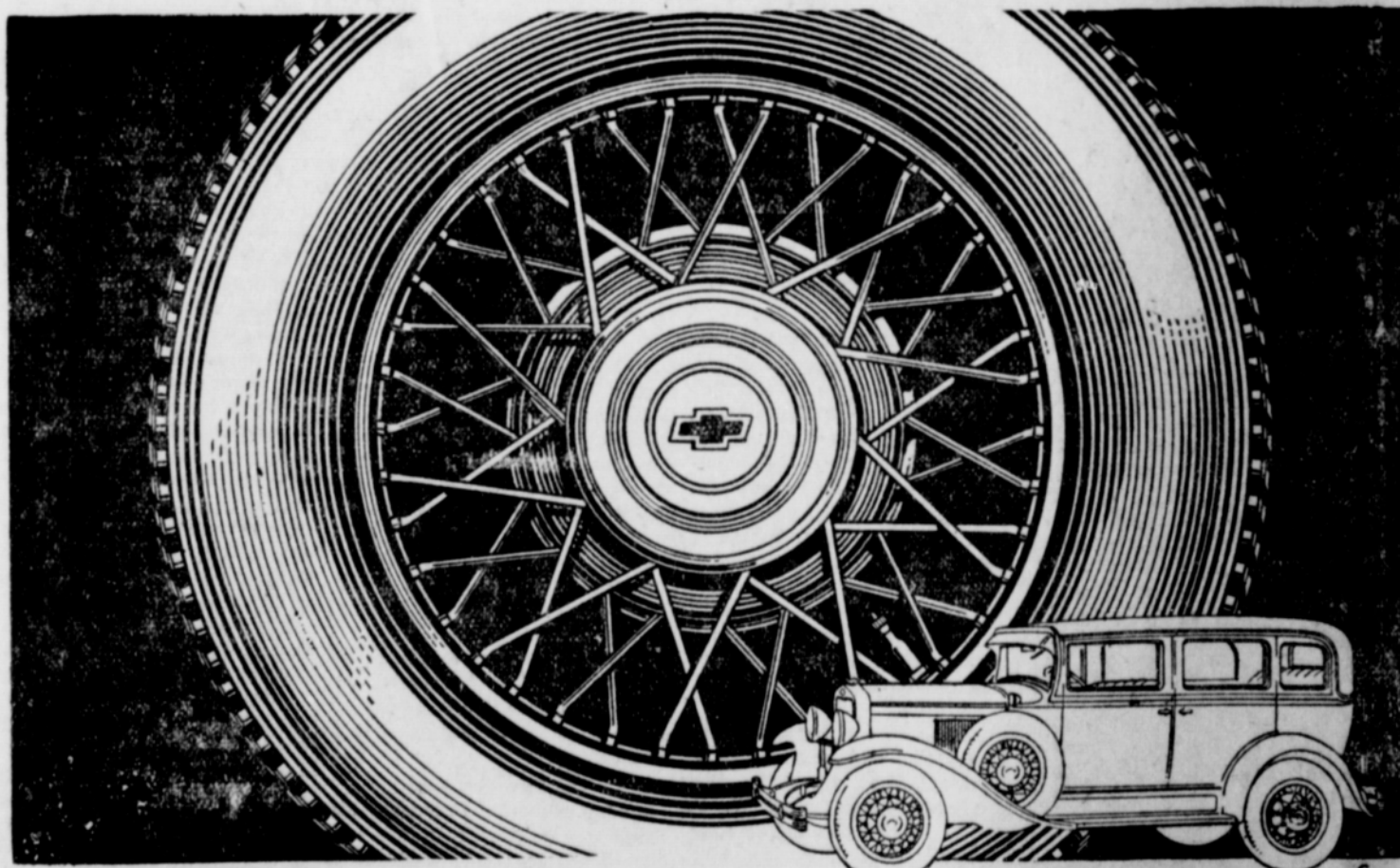
Actions, looks, words, steps, form the alphabet by which you may spell character.

Tribute to the Silent

There are some silent people who are more interesting than the best talkers.—Lord Beaconsfield.



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Chevrolet again adds extra value to the Chevrolet Six! Those who prefer may now have any passenger model equipped with beautiful de luxe wire wheels—at no additional cost! These wheels incorporate many important features that have won favor on cars much higher in price—large chrome-plated hub caps, bolts located inside the hub, and an unusually large number of spokes.

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This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

The Unimaginable
A Really Big City
What's Wrong With Us
Meden Agan, and Ederle

Britain's airship, R-100, greatest that ever rose into the air, has safely crossed the Atlantic and arrived at Montreal, with thirty-seven crew and seven passengers. The R-100, faster than the Graf Zeppelin, represents Britain's determination to rule the ocean of air, as for centuries she has ruled the ocean of water, regardless of expense.

A few years ago the average man could not have imagined that. Now that it has happened, not one in a hundred realizes what it means.

Long after steam railroads were operating successfully in England, wise men, in and out of parliament, said the locomotive could not possibly be a success.

Many equally "wise" still think that "flying never can be practical."

New York city's population is fixed at 6,950,195. It will pass 7,000,000 in a few months.

Manhattan Island, which until recently was all of New York, has lost 18.6 per cent in ten years. This is made up by gains in the outlying boroughs, 130.1 per cent in Queens, 28.6 per cent in Brooklyn, 73 per cent in the Bronx.

Queens is probably the fastest growing big place in the world. Manhattan still holds the pocket-book.

Hundreds of thousands work there and sleep elsewhere. Americans from all over the nation come to spend their money, between Fourteenth and Forty-ninth streets, to say nothing of what they spend downtown in Wall street.

When you are traveling serenely in an express train and it stops suddenly you put your head out of the window to look, or you ask the conductor, "What is the matter?" We were all traveling in the prosperity express train, it stopped with a jolt last October and everybody is still asking, "What is the matter?"

Adolph Zukor, an intelligent American business man, who retains his capacity to keep cool and think clearly even when business is not so good, says:

"For one thing, we had lost our heads. We began to think about a dollar as we ought to think about a 25-cent piece."

"After a while we shall learn what money is, what thrift and common sense mean. Then we shall be better off than we ever were."

"Nothing better than this so-called 'slump' could have happened to us."

"For my part, I was never more optimistic in my life."

Mr. Zukor, of course, speaks sincerely and his optimism is justified. This country needed a lesson and is having it.

How long it will last nobody knows.

Every little while something reminds you of two words that the wise Greeks wrote above their temple doors, "Meden Agan," meaning "Shun Excess."

Aristotle put it almost as briefly, "Not too much, not too little."

This time the "Meden Agan" reminder comes from Gertrude Ederle, who swam the English channel, amazing the world, four years ago. She has become almost entirely deaf as the result of the fourteen hours spent in the cold English channel.

She had a wonderful triumph. The President and Governor Smith congratulated her. New York gave her wonderful receptions. But she says: "It wasn't worth it."

The "outboard motor" idea, used for years on little boats, is successfully applied to the air.

Myrtle Johnson, from Oakland's field, in a glider with a thirty-horsepower engine attached, went up 14,000 feet. Boys and young men will want to experiment with that.

John MacDonald years ago swore that Tom Mooney and Billings were responsible for a bomb that destroyed many lives. Now he swears his original testimony was perjury. "If he is telling the truth this time," Mooney and Billings will, of course, be set free.

How are the seven justices of California's Supreme court to know whether MacDonald was lying then, or is lying now? Knowledge of human nature may help. One thing is certain, MacDonald committed perjury, then or now. The governor and the judges might well hesitate to keep men in jail on his testimony.

Canada's election surprised many of our friends in the north.

Mackenzie King, who has been prime minister for twelve years, lost the election to a Conservative, a lawyer named Bennett.

King, educated at Harvard, was always on friendly terms with the United States. Perhaps his defeat means that Canada doesn't like our new tariff.

For the first time a woman is elected to the Canadian parliament. Nine more that wanted to be elected failed.

Turkish territory was invaded by savage tribesmen coming out of Persia. Kemal Pasha threw his troops into Persia to get them and killed thousands of them.

To Persia's demand for damages "for invasion" Kemal replies, "Come and get the damages."

Program of CALLAHAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION To be Held With Scranton Baptist Church September 10, 11, 12th. 1930

WEDNESDAY MORNING

- 10 a. m.—Devotional and Song Service.
10:15 Reading Church Letters, enrolling messengers.
Election of Officers and Organizing.
11:30 Associational Sermon—Chas. R. Smith.

NOON

- 2 p. m.—Devotional and Song Service.
2:15 Announcement of Committees, recognizing visitors.
2:30 Report of Committee on Budgeting—Graves Darby.
3:15 Report of Committees on Hospitals. Address E. M. Collier.
3:45 Report on State Missions—Joe R. Mayes, Chairman.

EVENING SESSION

- 7:30—Devotional and Song Service.
7:45 Report on Home Missions—R. S. Bright.
8:15 Report on Foreign Missions—J. E. Black.
8:45 Missionary Sermon—W. J. Brisco.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

- 9:30 a. m.—Devotional and Song Service.
9:45 Report of Finance Committee—Leo Tyler.
10:00 Report on Associational Work—J. G. Fleming.
(Pres. Board, Round Table Talks)
10:30 Report on Christian Education, by Chairman.
Address—D. W. Arnett.
11:15 Report on State of Religion—Harvey Dennis.
11:30 Sermon—J. H. Littleton.

NOON

- 2 p. m.—Devotional and Song Service.
2:15 Report on Sunday School—W. S. Jobe.
2:30 Report on B. Y. P. U.—Miss Jessie Tatum.
2:45 Report on B. O. H.—Mrs. W. E. Faires.
3:15 Address on our Denominational program—M. A. Jenkins.
4:00 Report of Minor Committees.

EVENING SESSION

- 7:30—Devotional and Song Service.
7:45 Report on Womans work—Mrs. Jno. T. Cook.
8:00 Report on Evangelism—H. R. Williams.
8:30 Sermon—G. W. Parks.

W. M. U. FRIDAY MORNING SERVICE

- 9:30 a. m.—Miscellaneous.
10:00 Song—Joy To The World, Watchword and Devotional—Mrs. J. H. D. Fleming.
10:15 Report from Local Presidents.
10:40 Presidents Address.
11:00 Memorial Service. (Duet—Mrs. J. H. Shrader and Mrs. A. T. Blalock.)
11:20 Address—Returned Missionary.

NOON

- 2 p. m.—Song Service, Scripture Reading—Mrs. T. D. McGuire
2:15 Report Standing Committees.
3:00 Song by Scranton Quartette.

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Sunset Musings

By J. Marvin Nichols

Are you determined to be a beast of burden?

Nobody but a coward fails to make the venture.

When love goes out stagnation, suffering and death come in.

When a man gives all he has—that is, himself—and then does all the good he can for his race, that man deserves immortality.

Love demands some sort of secrecy. Otherwise it shrivels to the plaine of a mere acquaintance.

Of the worst of men it can at least be said—their lives are useful in so far as they show what all men ought not to be.

When the good Lord promised to help the man who helps himself, he didn't mean to help the fellow who helps himself to something that belongs to somebody else.

While we believe the material progress of this country is simply prodigious, yet we seriously question a corresponding growth in our ideals and our literature.

What you need is an eternal determination along a given line. If one says a thing often the unthinking majority will come to believe it, no matter how absurd that thing may be.

It is very significant that one every hand we hear much of "the new era." It is coming—for the strenuousness of the times, the individual and national unrest, signify a blind effort among the people to adjust themselves to something. Vaguely understood, that's true; but intensely felt. It must be very near, for the intuition that marks its presence it well-nigh universal. Every passing event seems but its foreshadowing.

No Cracks in Currency

The paper in currency is so prepared that the bills do not crack in time; old bills show wear, but not cracks.

Good Breeding Needed

Good qualities are the substantial riches of the mind, but it is good breeding that sets them off to advantage.—Locke.

Over 15,000 Daily Demand New Sargon

Vast Growing Army of Sargon Users, Marching Single File, Would Encircle Globe in Only Few Years Time.

(By Richard L. Simms)

ATLANTA, GA.:—More like a tale from the Arabian Nights of old than a record of modern business achievement reads the story of the marvelous growth and development of Sargon, the New Scientific Compound which has become the sensation of the drug trade throughout the United States, Canada and other countries.

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Marching in regulation U. S. Army fashion—single file—this vast army of Sargon users would reach from New York to San Francisco and at the present rate of sale—would, in a few years time, encircle the entire globe.

The only explanation of Sargon's triumph in the Medical World is Sargon's true worth. Back of its triumph in the drug stores is its triumph in the homes and it is the grateful endorsements of its millions of users that has made it the most widely talked of medicine in the world today.

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Coldest Spot on Earth in Small Texas Town

Nature's cold spots, like the Arctic and Antarctic regions are hopelessly outclassed by a basement in Soney, Texas. Here there is a laboratory of the United States bureau of mines, the business of which is to produce helium for inflating dirigibles and balloons. The phrase "zero weather" would mean a scorching hot day in comparison to the temperature daily produced in this plant, for the production of helium requires a temperature of 300 degrees Fahrenheit below zero!

The helium is made from natural gas. It is produced by cooling the gas to 300 degrees below zero, at which low temperature all the elements in the gas except helium are liquefied. The helium may be drawn off as a gas. The rest may then be thawed out, after which it can be used for illuminating or heating purposes just as if nothing had been taken from it.

English Sheep-Shearers

Make Festival of Work

In the rural districts of England sheep-shearing time is made the occasion of festivity and merrymaking. In Devon particularly it is an age-old custom that all neighboring farmers should unite to get work done as quickly as possible. At the same time they have merry evenings. Each farmer is served in turn, all the other farmers trooping up to do the sheep shearing for him. The "host" of the day takes no active part in the work, for it is his job to see that the others are happy and well served with beverages. A shearer does about 30 sheep in a day. The day's work is not finished until well after dark. But when the last sheep has been shorn, a ram's horn is filled with liquor and handed round. As each man drinks, he cries: "Here's health to the flock." After this the evening is devoted to feasting, drinking and merrymaking.

Orchids for Every One

The middle of May is the height of the orchid season in the tropical countries to the south of us and at that time it is possible to buy orchids by the bunch on the streets of the City of Mexico at a price which would make the American girl envious. The blooms grow wild in the Mexican country and are gathered by the peasant people and carried into the cities. The promenades of the City of Mexico are lined with men and women from the country districts who have come loaded with the blooms. These rival in size and beauty the flowers which are readily sold for several dollars each. In the City of Mexico one may buy a bunch of about two dozen flowers for a price about equal to 25 cents of American money.

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One Year.....\$1.50
Six Months......80
Three Months......50
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Six Months.....1.25
Three Months......75
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Vacation Time

This month of August is the one month of the whole year which has no legal holidays of general observance in it. But in another sense, it is the great holiday month.

Everybody who can take a vacation tries to take it in the Summer, and August is the time when people whose homes and work are in the cities get away as far and as fast as they can from the heat and noise.

The vacation habit has become so widespread in America that it is practically universal. There are few, if any, business houses or manufacturing establishments which do not give all employees some sort of a Summer vacation. The general rule is two weeks with pay for all who have been with the concern a year or more, one week for those who have been with it less than a year. Uncle Sam is more generous. All employees in the Federal Civil Service get 30 days vacation with full pay.

One thing which business has discovered is that vacations pay. Few persons can stand the unrelenting grind of 52 weeks of work without relaxation, or if they can stand it they do not take it kindly. In health accumulated for the rest of the year vacations pay dividends to employers as well as to employees.

The automobile has extended the range of vacation roaming inland, while fast steamships and low rates for ocean travel make it possible even for those who have only a fortnight free from business to run across to Europe and back. By taking advantage of the customary Saturday half-holiday it is possible for a worker in New York to sail for Europe at noon on Saturday, arriving at Cherbourg the following Thursday, reaching Paris that night, then to spend a solid week in touring France, Italy, and Switzerland and catch a boat out of Cherbourg the following Wednesday morning, returning to New York in time to be at his desk again on the following Monday morning, having taken exactly two weeks' vacation.

There are those to whom vacation means merely a change of scene, others to whom it means nothing but rest, others who find in vacation an opportunity to pursue some special sport or outdoor interest. But to everybody a vacation of some sort has passed out of the class of luxuries, so far as the American people are concerned and become a necessity. And it almost seems as if two out of every three persons one knows are away on vacation during this month of August.

An Investigation of The Texas Records

The Federal Government is quietly gathering from the homes in Texas, a report of the births and deaths which have occurred during the past 12 months. The reports made to the Federal Government will be arranged by counties and cities, brought to Texas and checked against the certificates actually filed.

Texas is the only State in the Union with an adequate law for birth and death registration, whose

birth and death rates are not authenticated and published, and whose records are not recognized by the U. S. Census Bureau. If, in the investigation now being made by the Census Bureau, it is found that 91 per cent of the births and deaths have been registered, Texas will be admitted the Registration Area, and her statistics recognized, as is the case in 46 other States in the Union.

Although South Dakota has no adequate law, and her records up to this time have not been recognized, a test has been made in that State, and it is believed that South Dakota will be shown to have reached the necessary standard.

A report of a birth or death made to the Federal Government is not a legal registration, but a simple notification, so that the legally filed records may be checked. Any birth, to be legally registered, must have the signature of the Medical attendant on the record, must be filed with the Local Registrar and sent to the State Bureau of Vital Statistics at Austin, Texas.

The law places the responsibility for registering births on the medical attendant, who is liable to a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$50.00, if he has not filed a report at the time of the birth. Any person wishes to bury a dead body violates the law if the body is buried before a public record of the death is made, but as the system is new in Texas, and is not yet thoroughly understood, any birth or death which has not been previously filed, should be registered immediately, if it is the desire of those concerned that such record be counted in the test being made by the Federal Government, which test will begin about Aug. 1st.

Anyone desiring to file a record of an unregistered birth or death, should remember that the law makes it the duty of the Justice of the Peace in the Justice Precinct, and the City Clerk in the city of 2,500 or more, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths. In those precincts or cities where the Justice of the Peace or City Clerk has failed or refused to act, the county or city authorities have suggested some individual to act, the county or city authorities have suggested some individual to act in his place, and a list of these individuals may be secured, either from the city or county authorities or from the State Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The New Government Supported Cotton Marketing System

This is the first week of a new cotton season. It brings with it a new, government-supported cotton marketing system.

The new service will be brought directly to the cotton grower of this territory at his home market. The grower will find an agent near him who will handle, in person, all details of the system from supplying information to making final payment.

Branch offices and sub-offices are in charge of federally licensed cotton classifiers. Receiving agents at smaller points will give similar service, but will send samples to branch or sub-offices for grading and stapling. Managers of branch and sub-offices are being selected from the best-qualified cotton men of the state. It is required that they have at least four years of grading and stapling according to government standards, as well as to have a government license.

The American Cotton Cooperative Association, with E. F. Creekmore, one of the South's cotton merchants for many years, as general manager, makes all sales not only for the Texas Association, but for fourteen other associations covering the American cotton belt. This such a large volume of cotton passing through its hands that it will attract world-wide attention, and be assured of the world's top market.

Since members are bound to deliver only part of their cotton to the association, the association must command a price equal to that which can be obtained elsewhere, if it is to obtain the rest of the member's cotton. Cotton growers might remember that the price being paid on the street is higher than it otherwise would be because the association is on the job, keeping the price up. But they may not be farsighted enough to appreciate that fact. The association must meet competition under the new plan, because delivery by its members is largely voluntary.

But the farmer might also bear in mind that his loyal support is necessary to make the program a success, and that the government

which has been 154 years in putting itself behind the farmer, may be a long time in doing so again should the farmer fail to accept this opportunity.

Favors Ferguson For Governor

The following is a copy of a letter sent to the Dallas News by Mr. W. G. Bowlus, of Baird and ardent admirer of James E. Ferguson.

I have been reading the Dallas News ever since the Ft. Worth Gazette stopped publication. It is a wonderful paper. I don't think there is anything equal to it in the south. I am 61 years of age, have lived in this little city of Baird for 42 years. Have been in the lumber business for 19 years. I very well remember the Hogg and Clark campaign and all others. However your editorial of Sunday comes awfully near insinuating that the Ferguson support is the poor down hearted Tenant Farmer, dispossessed, mortgaged, simple and unpretending and utterly in the toils of the wizardry of words. Has it gotten to where the poor man cannot read and think aright? It is possible that the Tenant Farmer must bow to the big city pencil pushers and the Big Bank lenders to get the right idea of life, who closes out the mortgages of the poor person? Now I never had much education and I may be simple to the ante Ferguson bunch, but if I don't miss my guess the simple will confound the mighty. The political opponents of Jim Ferguson tried to send him to the penitentiary. Why didn't they do it? Your editorial suggests that the work worn and tenant farmer, jobless day laborer and simple unpretending will not listen to the facts but stick to Jim. I will ask again, why if Jim Ferguson was such a crook as he was pictured by his political enemies that they did not send him to the penitentiary? Now we all know he was tried and acquitted by law but he must be disposed of and we all know how it was done. Westall have Ferguson and we all know that Jim Ferguson is no fool and the same political bunch and the big money interest is after this notorious crook Jim Ferguson to keep him out of office. They tried the bond issue in the first primary and the people buried it so deep that they have side tracked it and all they have in their platform is BEAT THAT CROOKED JIM FERGUSON.

Dear people wake up. Jim Ferguson is advocating a constructive platform and he has to fight a bunch of politicians almost as smart as he and my guess they are almost as crooked as they brand him. They are preaching to rid Texas of Fergusonism for our children's sake. I have eight children, all grown and have taught them to follow such men as Jim Hogg, Joe Bailey and Jim Ferguson and if they will they will not go far wrong. Now we poverty pinched poor tenant farmer, dispossessed mortgaged, jobless day laborer, simple and unpretending, let's show this bunch of politicians that are backed by the wealth of the banks and some of the best papers of the state, that we can think aright, can vote aright and can elect a right man. Jim Ferguson for Governor.

W. G. BOWLUS.

FERGUSON SPEAKING DATES

The following speaking dates of Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and Gov. Jas. E. Ferguson were announced today:

First Week
Aug. 7th—Thursday, at Cooper—8:00 P. M.
Aug. 8th—Friday, at Wichita Falls—8:00 P. M.
Aug. 9th—Saturday, at Whitesboro—8:00 P. M.
Second Week
Aug. 12th—Tuesday, at Clarendon—8:00 P. M.
Aug. 13th—Wednesday, at Floydada—8:00 P. M.
Aug. 14th—Thursday at Colorado City—8:00 P. M.
Aug. 15th—Friday at Aspermont—8:00 P. M.
Aug. 16th—Saturday, at Breckenridge—8:00 P. M.

ROBERT L. BOBBITT THANKS FRIENDS

The Baird Star,
Baird, Texas.

Dear Mr. Editor:

Will you please convey, through your valuable column, to the good people of Callahan County, my great appreciation for the fine support given me for Attorney General in the Democratic Primary on July 26th.

Sincerely,
ROBERT L. BOBBITT.
Attorney General.



Old Charlie was just a cow pony.
All saddle-marked, buck-kneed and lank
With scars where the cruel wire cut him.
And Double-O brand on the flank
His sire was just one of the herd—
His mother as common as he;
But little we thought as we galloped
Of blood lines that make pedigree.

He carried us safe to the school house
Through the mud or the sleet or the snow,
And never put up an objection
Whenever we wanted to go.
And dull was that bright day of autumn,
And many the tears that we shed,
When father came up from the barnyard
And told us old Charlie was dead.

Sometimes in my dreaming I ride him
Again through the snow and the rain
And galloping on in my fancy
I hear the wind sing through his mane.
I hope on the great day of judgment
Somewhere and somehow, there will be
A pasture for faithful cow ponies
Like Charlie, without pedigree.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

The following is a list of the Nominees of the Democratic Primary, July 26th.

For State Representative
107th District
Victor B. Gilbert

County Judge:
J. H. Carpenter.

County Clerk:
S. E. Settle

Tax Collector:
Wm. J. Evans.

County Superintendent:
A. L. Johnson.

District Clerk:
Mrs. Callie Marshall.

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. Will McCoy.

For County Attorney:
L. B. Lewis.

For Tax Assessor:
E. M. Smith.

County Commissioner, Pre. No. 1.
J. W. Hammons.

For Com. Pre. No. 2:
S. S. (Sidney) Harville.

Commissioner Pre. No. 4.
Geo. Clifton.

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Sheriff.
R. L. (Robert) Edwards,
Everett (Ev.) Hughes.

County Commissioner, Pre. No. 3.
C. E. Bray,
J. S. Yeager.

VIC GILBERT THANKS CALLAHAN COUNTY FRIENDS

To the people of Baird and Callahan County:

I have occasion to again express my sincere appreciation for the vote received in the Primary which has elevated me once more to a position of high trust and responsibility. I share with you a tender interest in the prosperity and progress of Callahan County and I trust that I may have frequent occasion to cooperate with and assist you in attaining those things our country needs. I shall always be glad to have you call on me. Very truly yours,

VIC GILBERT

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF TEXAS

Making the race for Railroad Commissioner in the short period of five weeks time, with \$826.00, against a former Governor and railroad attorney who had the backing of the railroads, the railroad-controlled bus lines, pipe lines, and big oil companies, together with nearly 20 persons placed on the state's payroll while he was Governor, and by his influence since that time, (including members of the Railroad Commission and the all-powerful State Board of Control, which directs the expenditure of the State's money and passes upon the salaries of the state employees) as well as their combined corporate and personal influence in closing the columns of some newspapers to my candidacy and in minimizing the

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Griggs Hospital News

Claremont Gary, son of Mrs. Tom Gary, had his tonsils removed Friday morning.

Irene Bonner, of Clyde, had her tonsils removed Sunday. Hospital one day.

Lorena Blankenship, daughter of W. N. Culpepper, of Dudley, had her tonsils removed Monday morning.

Mrs. D. A. Murray, of Baird, had her tonsils removed Monday morning.

Mrs. J. B. Shultz, of Big Spring, underwent a major operation, Monday night.

Mrs. Flossie Walsh had her tonsils removed Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Kent, of Oplin, daughter of Will Poindexter will undergo a major operation Friday.

Lloyd Duncan went home Sunday.

Herman Goble went home Monday.

Sarah Nelle Cook went home Wednesday.

Billie Wright, of Snyder, is visiting Reaves Hickman.

VESTAL BABY IMPROVING AT GRAHAM SANITARIUM

Reports from The Graham Sanitarium at Cisco state that the little six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Vestal who has been so critically ill is showing a marked improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal wish to thank the mothers who have so kindly volunteered to furnish the proper nourishment without which the little one could not have survived.

NOTICE TO ALL EASTERN STAR MEMBERS

Tuesday night Aug. 12th, is our regular meeting. We have some special work to do and owing to the fact that the Methodist revival is in progress, please be at the O. E. S. hall at 7:30 so we can start on time, finish our work and those who care to may attend the revival.

Mrs. Blanche Hanley, Worthy Matron.

Sam L. Dryden, of Abilene was in Baird on business Wednesday.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Lee Ivey and children, James and Carol, are visiting in Marlin.

Mrs. J. C. Lee, of Fort Worth, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harold Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes spent the week-end in Dallas. They were accompanied home by Mrs. M. D. Hoover and daughter, Zelma.

Mr. and Mrs. James Orr Hoover, of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes and family.

Mrs. Emma Evans is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Stacy, in Fort Worth this week.

Miss Obera Lawson, of Toyah and Mrs. Aubrey Fox, of Abilene, visited their aunt, Mrs. Brice Jones, the past week.

Master Fred Estes, who has been visiting his father, Henry Estes for several weeks, has returned to Oklahoma City.

Mashter Bernie Walls, of Albuquerque, N. M., is visiting his uncle, W. V. Walls and family this week.

Mrs. Jack Waite, Mrs. G. W. Jones and Mrs. A. Anderson spent the week-end in San Antonio, the guest of their children and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fiedler, spent Saturday and Sunday in Dallas with their son, Joseph, a patient in the Scottish Rite Hospital. Joseph is getting along nicely and hopes to be able to come home soon.

Misses Jean and Jessie Powell will leave tonight for the mountains of Colorado where they will spend some weeks. They will be joined at Amarillo by their sister, Mrs. A. J. Duberley and little sons, of Clovis, N. M.

Mrs. Ode Berry and little daughters, Elouise, accompanied Mrs. Berry's brother, Ted Ivey to Breckenridge and spent several days with her sister, Mrs. L. E. White and her brother, Ed Ivey, of Colorado, who is there for a week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Andrews returned home on Thursday of last week from a two months visit with their children, a daughter in East Texas, a son at Wichita Falls and two sons in Los Angeles. Bro. Andrews says they had a wonderful trip but were delighted to get back home again.

Miss Beatrice Hickman is spending the month of August at Camp Kiva, on Lake Madena, near San Antonio. Reaves Hickman and Billie Wright, of Baird, Charles Hickman of Coleman, and Miss Carrie Reaves, of Brownwood accompanied Miss Beatrice, returning home after spending a few days.

Hugh Ross Jr., left yesterday morning for Dallas and will accompany his father and mother home. Mr. and Mrs. Ross have been in Dallas for the past six weeks. Mr. Ross underwent an operation for the removal of a goitre from his throat and is slowly recovering from the operation.

Hugh L. Moore and Otto Betcher, of Dudley were in Baird on business Wednesday. They were visitors at The Star office and Mr. Betcher had his name enrolled as a subscriber. Both gentlemen are pioneer residents of this county. Mr. Moore coming here in 1879 and Mr. Betcher has spent all his life here. He now owns the old John Trent place which was established by Mr. Trent in 1876.

Mrs. W. C. Asbury is quite ill at the home of her son, John Asbury, four miles east of Baird. Mrs. Asbury has been in ill health for some months and due to her advanced age her family and friends are very uneasy about her. Her son, Bob Asbury, of Big Spring and her sister, Mrs. Wm. McClure and sons, Wayne and Walter Jr., of Fort Worth, spent the week-end with her.

Judge and Mrs. A. B. Martin, of Austin, who have been spending some time at Plainview, visited Mr. Martins sister, Mrs. Sophia Hill, the first of the week. Judge and Mrs. Martin were enroute to Kerville to get their little son who has spent all the summer in a boys' training camp and they will go to Rochester Minn., where Judge Martin who has been in ill health for some months will consult Mayo Brothers, specialists.

TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

I want to express my appreciation to the people for re-electing me as your District Clerk. I am deeply grateful for the support of my friends. I will continue to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability and trusting my service will be satisfactory. I remain.

Respectfully yours,
MRS. CALLIE MARSHALL

TO THE VOTERS AND CITIZENS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

I want to thank the people of Callahan county for the support given me in the recent primary. Although I lost the race, I know that I made many new friends during my campaign and trust that I made no enemies.

To the voters of my district where I have taught for the past eight years, I wish to say that I appreciate beyond words your expression of confidence and faith in me. All the efforts I have made for the betterment of our school and community were rewarded by the 60 to 1 vote you gave me. To my neighboring districts, Rowden, Admiral, Hill Side and Atwell, I thank you for your loyal support. Even though I was not nominated, it is a great satisfaction to know that you with my home precinct gave me 7 out of every 8 votes cast. I am proud that my neighbors believe in me and feel this a great honor.

To all the county I am indeed grateful. Let's all cooperate with Mr. Johnson for the betterment of the rural schools of Callahan County. Respectfully,
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W. C. Holley, who has been with the City Barber Shop for sometime, left Tuesday for Cross Plains, where he has accepted a position.

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TO THE VOTERS AND CITIZENS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

I take this method in thanking the people for the vote given me in the recent Primary, and for past favors and co-operation. My policy, as your Sheriff, has been to enforce the law fairly, impartially, and at the same time, fulfill my sworn oath of office.

I have never made the people of Callahan County but one campaign promise, and that promise was this,—If elected I would make you the best Sheriff that I conscientiously knew how. I believe that a man should be honest and exercise good sound judgment, and with the experience I have gained in the past, I believe I will be much more qualified to serve you better in this office during the next two years.

In filling the duties of this important office I have worked day and night that no law breaker would go unpunished, and should you see fit to elect me again, I will make the very best Sheriff that I possible can, and will be on the job at all times.

My record is an open book to all for investigation at any time, and I can truthfully say that I believe we have one of the clean-

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est counties in Texas. And in casting your vote in the run-off Primary August 23rd, I ask that you carefully consider this, and vote for your own welfare and the interest of all concerned.

It will be my purpose to see as many voters personally as possible, but owing to the duties of office and shortness of time, it will be impossible to see everyone, and should I miss you I earnestly solicit your influence and vote, and promise you that, if I am re-elected I will continue to put forth the same diligent efforts to keep Callahan County as one of the cleanest law-abiding counties in Texas.
Sincerely yours,
EVERETT HUGHES.

PUTNAM BABY IS SERIOUSLY BURNED

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Isenhower, of Putnam was seriously burned Sunday at the family home.

The family had returned from church and the mother was frying chicken for lunch and had set a bowl of hot grease on the edge of the stove when the little fellow toddled by and reached for the bowl, turning it over and spilling the contents over his body. He was badly burned from the nose down over the chest, also the right hand and arm. It was not determined whether he swallowed any of the contents, but was in a very serious condition.

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A&P. GRAPE JUICE, Pint Bottles	25c	Pickles, Dill or Sour 25-oz	23c
Quart Bottles	43c	SOAP, Pal mOlive, 3 for	20c
OLIVES, Libby's Fancy Plain 3-oz Sixe	10c	HIRES ROOT BEER extract	
Stuffed, 3-oz Sixe	12c	Bottle	24c
Flour, Crown, 48lb	\$1.25	YUKON GINGER ALE	
IONA KETCHUP 3 Bottles	25c	2 Bottles	25c
Pacific Tissue, 4 rolls	19c	ANN PAGE PRESERVES	
Mix Vegetables, No. 2	15c	All Flavors, 16-oz jar	23c
Eagle Brand Milk, can	19c	QUAKER MAID BEANS	
Encos Spaghetti, 3 cans	25c	3 Medium Cans	23c
Oleo Margarene, Nutley lb	19c	Ivory Soap, 2 Med. cakes,	15c
2 Boxes Matched	5c	California Prunes, 2 lbs	25c
		NeCtar Tea, Orange Pekoe	
		Delicious iced, 1-2 lb	29c
		Scrub Brush	17c
		Pancake Flour, Sunnyfield	9c
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Quality cabbages as well as quality in other vegetables can best be obtained by growing the vegetables yourself. In this manner you can select seed of the newest and finest introductions. Otherwise you must depend on the staple sorts grown by market gardeners, good but not of the newest and finest type. The finest quality cabbage for home growing to use fresh cut from the garden is the Savoy type. This is not a popular market cabbage because it is not a long keeper like most of the types. It is quite different and altogether distinct in appearance from the common cabbage.

It is a bright dark green in coloring and the leaves are crinkled, giving it an unusually handsome and tasty appearance. The heads are solid and of the highest quality, sweet and mild flavored. Plant a row of Savoy cabbage seed and you can have a supply in late summer and early fall. They require exactly the same treatment as the common cabbage, a good sweet, rich soil with plenty of moisture during their growing period.

Set the plants two feet apart in the rows and keep them well cultivated, establishing a dust mulch and keeping the moisture in the soil which the cabbage needs for its best growth. Cabbage worms will come in spite of everything. Arsenical poisons are the most effective but often gardeners fear to use these poisons for fear they will remain on the cabbage and be poisonous when the cabbage is cooked. This danger is negligible, but there are nonpoisonous insecticides which may be used to equally good ad-

vantage and all fear of poisoning will thus be obviated. Keep a close watch for the first flight of white butterflies and give the plants a dusting or spraying as soon as they appear.

Spray on suspicion even if you can't find a bug when the plants



CROOKNECK, PATTY PAN, SQUASHES
AND VEGETABLE MARROW.

show traces of attack. It will save a lot of trouble.

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DAIRYING

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-eight years of veterinary work. Eminent authority on diseases and raising of dairy cows, other livestock and poultry. Nationally known lecturer, writer and author.

**Selecting Ancestors
Real Job in Dairying**

Family Tree Counts for Everything
In Development of a Valuable Herd

A favorite source of puns for our vaudeville humorists is the fact that mankind has no voice in the selection of its ancestors. A family tree must be accepted whether good branches or bad cling to it.

In dairying ancestry is a most important factor. And what's more it is under the absolute control of the herd owner.

Having determined the breed of cattle you desire for your herd you next proceed to that very interesting task of selecting the foundation stock. Let us consider first the job of picking for the herd. We might as well make clear at the outset that there is no sure way of knowing how good an animal is from the standpoint of producing heirs. Two cows sired by the same bull may have four calves in four years. One mother will have four sons and the other might possibly have four daughters. In the first instance the result would be most disappointing and, in the other case, exceedingly fortunate.

The most satisfactory test you can make in choosing cows for dairy purposes is to study the records and breeding of their ancestors and their individual records of production. You should know, for instance, what amount of milk or butterfat your cows should produce at a given age. It should be remembered that developers of dairy breeds have spent hundreds of years in careful selection for the purpose of increasing milk production. No matter what breed you have it is possible to secure judging cards which will assist you

a long attachment to the body, in front and behind. After milking it shows plenty of loose flesh.

Remember a first-class dairy cow may not have much flesh in the milking season. The most of her food goes to the producing of milk. She may appear thin, but she will be vigorous, with soft, healthy hair and bright eyes. The cow that is thin in flesh because of the lack of food, has exactly the opposite appearance. We should keep in mind that dairy cows will naturally take on fat toward the end of the milking period and when dry. This fat is needed for the first few weeks which follows calving.

One rule that should be followed invariably in selecting a dairy cow is to do the choosing when the cow is in milk and preferably near the best stage of her milking period. That is when her characteristics are easiest to judge.

Long experience has shown what physical characteristics in breeds usually indicate high production. For instance, the body of the dairy cow should be wedge shape as viewed from the front, side of top of the withers. The body should be deeper from the hip points to the bottom of the udder than it is at the fore quarters. All of this means that width at the hips, width of the chest and depth of the body are evidences of capacity. Unless these characteristics are present it is practically certain that the animal will not be a big producer of milk.

No in Either Case

Richard Henry Sheridan (1751-1816) Irish dramatist and politician, and Edmund Burke (1729-1797), English statesman and orator, are both credited with the pun which follows. When asked to pay at least the interest on a sum owed, the impatient but witty, reply was:

"It is not to my interest to pay the principal, nor is it my principle to pay any interest."

Radio to Mars Blocked

Modern weather study shows that the atmosphere is in two layers—the troposphere lies nearest the earth and the stratosphere is divided from it by the tropopause. In the stratosphere lies the "heavenside layer" which has a very high radio conductivity and bends the radio signals so that they follow it and encircle the earth instead of shooting off into space.—St. Nicholas.

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BATTLE STAGED ON MT. ARARAT

Noah's Landing Place Is Scene of Conflict Between Troops, Raiders.

Washington.—Mt. Ararat, Christendom's most famous peak, where, according to the Biblical narrative, humanity had its second start, after Noah landed his Ark, has become the world's most recent battlefield. News dispatches tell of clashes on the flanks of Ararat between Turkish forces and Kurdish raiders from across the Persian border. The mountain is the subject of a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

"Because of the wars of the past century, Mt. Ararat has been a sort of fugitive mountain," says the bulletin. "It has not moved as Mohammed would have his mountain move, but its change of jurisdiction has been just as effective by the simple device of shifting boundary lines."

Meeting Place of Three Empires.

"Before 1878 Ararat was shared by Turkey and Persia, with the main peak, Greater Ararat, in Turkish territory; and the smaller eminence, Lesser Ararat, six miles to the southeast, marking the Persian-Turkish border. Then came a further southern advance of Russia that made the Ararat mountain mass a three-way boundary mark. From that time until the World war the mountain marked the southern boundary of Russia. During the war the Muscovite line surged back and forth over Ararat, only the Persian border remaining fixed."

"The treaty of Sevres, signed in 1920, which attempted to fix the status of Turkey and adjoining territories, created an Armenian republic which included Ararat and pushed the Turkish boundary approximately 100 miles to the south. But the same year the Turks pushed the boundary back even beyond the point established in 1878, placing Greater Ararat entirely under Turkish sovereignty. This has been the status of the mountain since that time."

"Ararat, capped with eternal snow, has a certain austere beauty from a distance; but on close inspection it discloses little to endear it to a beholder as 'mother of the world,' as Armenians have called it. Owing to its peculiar porous structure the water from its melting snow is swallowed up and does not produce a rill or torrent to water the lower slopes and near-by plains. This is in striking contrast to other mountains of the general region."

Once Flooded; Now Arid.

"Today the slopes of Ararat are arid. A certain amount of herbage exists during the rainy season up to an altitude of 12,500 feet. Between that point and the snow line at 14,300 feet the peak is bare. The total altitude of Greater Ararat is 16,700 feet, and that of Lesser Ararat, 11,680 feet. Sheep graze on the lower slopes during the moist season, but when the dry season sets in and the sun beats down glaringly, everything is parched and the mountain becomes uninhabitable. Even the birds leave."

"Ararat is difficult to climb and for ages the Armenians asserted that it was supernaturally guarded to prevent any man from gaining its summit. When it was first scaled in 1829 by Parrot, the Armenians insisted that he was lying. A number of mountain climbers have since reached the top, and in 1850 a Russian engineer passed five days there making triangulation observations. "The mountain is volcanic and had an eruption of considerable magnitude in 1840 from an old crater on the side. The village of Arguri with 2,000 inhabitants, on the lower slopes, was destroyed. The Armenians looked upon Arguri as 'the oldest village in the world,' asserting that it was founded when Noah planted a grape vine there. Vines did not find their first resting place over-hospitable. In the vicinity of Ararat they must be buried each winter to protect them from the extreme cold."

"The name Ararat, supposedly of Armenian origin, means 'supremacy.' To the Armenians the mountain is Masis, meaning 'sublime.' The Turkish name is 'Agri-dagh,' or 'steep mountain.' The Persians alone bear out the Hebrew and Christian tradition. To them the peak is Koh-i-Nuh, 'Noah's Mount.'"

Many Business Concerns Quit When Hit by Fire

Chicago.—Forty-three per cent of American business firms that suffer from destructive fires every year never resume business, according to a survey made public here by the American Research Foundation.

"Fourteen per cent undergo drastic reductions in credit ratings," the survey disclosed, "and 17 per cent no longer furnish statements after a fire. Only 23 per cent, who by safeguarding their property in advance by the use of fireproof precautions are not affected in their business rating by fire."

Wed and Freed, She's Too Young to Marry

Falls City, Neb.—Already once married and divorced, Georgina Surritt, twenty, of Farmington, Kan., couldn't get another wedding license here recently because she was too young. The Nebraska law requires parental consent for minors.

Measurements of Time by Old Water-Clocks

An early means adopted for the measurement of short periods of time was by noting the quantity of water discharged through a small orifice in the containing vessel, says an article in the Montreal Family Herald. If the vessel would empty itself between sunrise and sunset, a certain number of markings equally distant on the side of the vessel would enable one to tell what portion of the day had passed by the height of the water. This crude measure of time was called a water-clock.

When the Roman general, Julius Caesar, was carrying out his conquests of Gaul, he crossed to Britain for the first time in the latter part of the summer of 55 B. C. In his account of the expedition he tells of many things he had observed among the Britons, and one was the water-clock. Through accurate measurements by this clock he found that the midsummer night in Britain were shorter than in the south of Gaul or Italy. He ascertained the fact, but he did not know the cause—the spherical form of the earth and its revolving on its axis not at right angles to the plane of its orbit.

String of Amber Beads Sheds Light on History

A "human bridge" to Asia was discovered by Horace McCracken, leader of a scientific expedition into Alaska looking up some anthropological subjects. The "bridge" was the finding of a Stone-age mummy and a string of amber beads that may determine the fact that America's first settlers came from the west. Because of their fear of invoking the displeasure of the spirits, natives would give little assistance to the explorers regarding any ancient burial places, but finally an old fellow was found who knew of such a place and he was induced to reveal it, although he would not visit it. The clue which he gave resulted in the success of the expedition. In a cave on a remote island they found four mummies, one probably that of a tribal leader or chief, as he was surrounded by a collection of furs, trinkets and ancient implements. Another had a string of amber beads about the neck and these are what connected the Alaskan races with the Orientals, for it is stated with authority that the beads could have come only from Korea.

Altogether Too Frank

Fishing, perhaps, for a little adulation, the eighth-grade teacher told her pupils to write a theme telling just what they thought of her.

"Please be absolutely frank, now," she urged.

Eleven-year-old Virginia, not yet wise enough in the ways of the world to realize that frankness is merely a pious ideal that meets vindictive oppression and punishment in practice, wrote:

"I think you're brutal. I don't like you. I think you're mean to me and to the other children . . ."

Poor Virginia.—Chicago Evening Post.

Making Sure

Wilson was on his way home from the station. When he was about three miles from the village and about a mile from his home he saw a man approaching him from the opposite direction.

"Excuse me, sir," said the stranger when they met, "do you happen to have seen a policeman anywhere about?"

"I'm afraid I haven't seen one for over two miles," returned Wilson unsuspectingly.

"Good!" snapped the stranger, changing his tone of voice. "Hurry up and give me your watch and pocketbook then."

The Dividing Line

The great distinction between teachers, sacred or literary—between poets like Pope—between philosophers like Spinoza, Kant and Coleridge, and philosophers like Locke, Paley and Stewart—between men of the world who are reckoned accomplished talkers, and here and there a fervent mystic prophesying half insane under the influence of his thought—is that one class speaks from within, or from experience, as parties and possessors of the fact; and the other class from without, as spectators merely.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Quaker Meeting House

At Cotham, in Sussex, England, there is a picturesque old Quaker meeting house known as "The Blue Idol." Tradition says it was built of the timber of one of William Penn's ships. The grave of Penn's daughter Letitia is in the adjoining burial ground. But why is the building called "The Blue Idol"? It is a strange name suggesting rather the contents of an eastern temple than the rendezvous of a quiet God-fearing people. Originally it was called "Little Shatters" and it acquired its present mysterious name towards the end of the Seventeenth century.

Somewhat Disturbing

A nun was in the habit of opening his Bible at random and taking the first thing his eye alighted upon as something that would be helpful to him.

One day the first verse he read was, "Jesus went out and hanged himself," and not thinking this quite suitable he shut the book and opened it again at another place. The verse his eyes fell upon was, "Go thou and do likewise." He tried again, and this time, to his amazement, he read, "What thou doest, do quickly."

UNREQUITED LOVE DRIVES PRINCE TO LIFE IN WILDS

Kaiser's Grandson Seeking Career in Jungle to Forget Lily Damita.

Berlin.—With heavy heart the Princess Cecile, ex-crown princess of Germany, has just returned from an unsuccessful trip made to the wilds of South America with the object of inducing her favorite son, Prince Louis Ferdinand, to renounce his socialism and return as a member of the Hohenzollern fold.

The prince steadfastly refused to give up his idea of making a career for himself in exile.

In discussing her favorite son's stand, Princess Cecile said: "I have had my trip for nothing. I am grieved beyond measure, but nothing seems likely to move my son. He is determined to cut himself adrift from the old life and try to make a career for himself entirely on merit."

"He is keeping in the background, and would rather starve on the pay of an ordinary laborer than have the best paid job in the world given to him because he happened to be a Hohenzollern."

About a year ago Prince Louis Ferdinand made his appearance at Hollywood, becoming one of the social lions of the film colony. At the time beautiful film stars made much of the prince, but he proved adamant to their blandishments, with the exception of one, the charming Lily Damita, the French star and Broadway musical comedy favorite.

But Lily Damita refused to consider him as a lover and a husband. In a recent interview in Paris, Lily Damita said:

"The prince is a nice boy in every way, a charming and interesting companion, far above the average empty-headed youths of foreign nobility, but he is not my Prince Charming and I cannot imagine him being so ever. I do not think I could ever bring myself to marry a German. I am too French for that."

Mr. Damita has in her possession letters from the prince protesting his love for her and declaring that he will never think of marrying any one else.

Deadly Cobra Is Used in Plot to Kill Woman

Bombay.—What is regarded as a deliberate attempt to murder a European woman resident of Utakmand, a hill town in South India, is reported by the police there.

Going to a desk in her home to look for a paper, she was confronted, as she raised the lid of the desk, by a huge cobra. The snake reared its head and struck viciously at her. She leaped back and just missed the deadly fangs of the reptile.

A neighbor was attracted by her screams for help. He rushed in and shot the snake.

There are no cobras in that region, and the police are endeavoring to learn who brought the snake there and for what purpose. They are convinced that a deliberate effort was made to murder the woman but so far have been unable to get any clue to the strange case. The woman says she knows of no one who would seek her death nor can the authorities ascertain who placed the poisonous reptile where it was found.

Treat Flivvers Like Dogs in This Ol' Town

Buffalo, N. Y.—The family automobile parked too close to a fire plug now receives much the same treatment here as the family dog at large without a license tag.

An automobile pound has been established across from downtown police headquarters where errant cars may be stored pending deposit of \$5 by their owners. Cars are impounded only for flagrant parking violations.

"The pound is serving its purpose well," Capt. George L. Rickard, head of the traffic squad, said. "Flagrant violations of parking ordinances have decreased materially."

During its first month of operation, the pound received an average of three automobiles a day. Only one owner refused to pay the \$5 penalty. He took his case to court and won.

French Army Prisoner Gets Away in Airplane

Bourges, France.—On the charge of having stolen a motorcycle an air service mechanic at the Avord military camp near here was being held for trial. When the officers went to the place of detention to get the prisoner and take him to court they found he had disappeared. It was later learned that he had literally taken "French leave," using a military plane to effect his escape.

So far as is known, this is the first case on record of a prisoner having fled by the air route.

Tree 130 Years Old Removed at Princeton

Princeton, N. J.—An elm which has stood on the campus in front of Nassau hall for ten years, was removed by university employees. Struck by lightning four years ago, the tree began to rot away and had become dangerous to passers-by. When the elm was planted in 1800, during the presidency of Samuel Stanhope Smith, only three buildings comprised Princeton university and the enrollment was less than 100 students.

Kills 3 Tots and Self Tacoma, Wash.—Mrs. N. Sardiri, Japanese mother, slashed the throats of her three small children, killing them all, and then committed suicide in the same manner.

"Hail Columbia" Written as Offering to Friend

Just to oblige an insistent friend, a Philadelphia judge back in 1796 spent part of one week-end composing a patriotic song which he thought would sink back into obscurity within a week or two.

And the result was one of America's greatest national airs—"Hail Columbia."

The composer was Joseph Hopkinson, who was widely known for his artistic, musical and literary tastes. It was in the middle of the summer of 1796 that a young actor, Gilbert Fox, for whom the benefit was to be given, went to Hopkinson's home at 338 Spruce street. He explained that there was little prospect of attracting a crowd and asked his friend to help him out.

That was Saturday. The performance was to be on Monday. And early that morning "Hail Columbia" had been completed.

Fox sang the song, accompanied by a full band and a "grand chorus." Crowds sang it in the streets as they left the theater.

And a short time later Hopkinson wrote to George here and in New York have recounted with it night after night and men and boys sing it wherever they go.—Kansas City Times.

Sabbath Not Always Sabbath for the Jews

The period from sunset Friday to sunset Saturday was adopted by the Jews as their Sabbath about 300 A. D. It is erroneous to suppose, as many do, that the ancient Jewish Sabbath always fell on what corresponds to our Saturday and that the weekly cycle has never been broken.

In ancient times the first day of the Jewish year was also the first Sabbath of the year and the day was determined by the high priests or the sanhedrin by observing the new moon. A Sabbath followed every seventh day thereafter until the end of the year. Consequently the Sabbath was not a regularly recurring seventh day in the sense that our Saturday or Sunday is, and the Sabbath did not fall on the day corresponding to our Saturday more often than it fell on other days of the week. At that time, of course, all the days began and ended at sunset. The Jews, after being scattered over the world, found the ancient Hebrew calendar difficult to follow, and about 300 A. D. under the leadership of Hillel II, they began to adopt Saturday as their regular Sabbath.—Pathfinder Magazine.

"Playing Safe"

A portion of the river was partitioned off as a swimming bath available for both sexes. A meek-looking man went up to the attendant, who was eating his lunch, and said:

"When you have quite finished I should like to have a word with you."

After ten minutes had passed the attendant said: "What do you want?"

"My mother-in-law," he replied, "dived in off the deep end about twenty minutes ago, and she hasn't come up yet. Would you please lend me a lifebuoy to throw after her? I shouldn't like it to be thought I was unkind."—London Tit-Bits.

Gulls Which Keep to Shore

The black-head gulls of Europe, unlike the ordinary seagulls common along the coast of the country, are not sea-going birds. They will not follow ships day after day, but keep themselves well within reach of land. In fact, they are not adverse to flying inland and feeding in new-plowed land, on insects, worms and larvae.

The gulls breed from the British Isles east through Europe, as far as Turkistan. In winter they range all the way from the Azores to Japan, living largely along the shores, on crustaceans, small fish and any food which finds its way into the waters along the shores.

Brittany Druid Stones

Brittany, the "Land of the Sea," is one of the oldest lands in the world, and its Druid stones of colossal size date back thousands of years before the Christian era and like those at Stonehenge, in England, are visited annually by thousands.

St. Milo, on the coast, has the appearance of a large ship at anchor. It stands on a rocky peninsula and is surrounded by massive walls which were built in the Sixteenth century as a defense against the French and the British. The town is named after a Welsh monk named St. Milo, or Maclou, who held a bishopric there in the Sixth century.

Catching Up With Bullets

If a shotgun is fired directly ahead of an airplane, within a few seconds the plane will run right into the shot, declares Gen. William Mitchell (in "Skyways"). This is because the shot has an initial velocity of 900 feet a second, which falls off very rapidly, until at 50 yards it is only about 400 feet a second left, and at 100 yards it has none. An airplane going 100 miles an hour covers 100 yards in two seconds, which does not give the shot time to drop.

Where Men Excel

While woman is superior to man in the matter of endurance of pain, she is inferior in the senses of taste and smell. In an experiment made with 38 women, young and healthy, and the same number of men it was found that no woman could detect essence of lemon for more than in a solution of one in one hundred thousand, but several men remembered it down to one in two hundred and fifty thousand.



WHAT DR. CALDWELL LEARNED IN 47 YEARS PRACTICE

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Hindu Title of Honor "Mahatma" in Hindu means great-souled one.

FRESH SALADS ARE IMPORTANT DURING COLD WINTER MONTHS

By JOSEPH BOGGIA, Chef The Plaza Hotel, New York City

COMING between the main course and the dessert, the perfectly prepared salad affords a welcome contrast to the heavier foods—the soups, roasts and puddings—which we naturally turn to during the cold winter months. Equally important is the fact that salads provide essential vitamins and mineral salts, and so are a valuable substitute for the fresh vegetables which are by no means so plentiful or inexpensive as during the summer.

For these reasons, the efficient housewife will see to it that salads are a regular item on her winter menus. She will not, however, confine herself and her family to a few standard varieties. She will remember that salads are capable of assuming an infinite variety of forms. Thus she will avoid the reproach of monotony so greatly dreaded by every woman who prides herself upon her proficiency in the art of the cuisine.

TOMATO SALAD LEOPOLD.—Soak two-thirds box gelatine for fifteen minutes in one-half cup cold water. Add to one can strained tomatoes which have simmered fifteen minutes with one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon powdered sugar, a fleck of onion, three cloves and a pinch of thyme. Strain and pour into coffee cups and chill. Remove from molds and place on lettuce leaves. Garnish with mayonnaise dressing made as follows: Add to one egg one teaspoon salt,

one teaspoon mustard, a dash of pepper and paprika, a few grains cayenne and one teaspoon vinegar. Beat thoroughly. Add one and a half cups salad oil, a tablespoon at a time. Beat thoroughly after each tablespoon until a half cup of the oil has been added and the dressing is thick. When all the oil has been added, add six teaspoons lemon juice and five teaspoons vinegar.

PIMENTO CABBAGE SALAD.—Add one-fourth cup vinegar to one tablespoon flour, one-half teaspoon dry mustard, one-half teaspoon salt and one tablespoon sugar. Place in a small saucepan over the fire for a few moments, without letting it come to a boil. Then slowly add one cup diluted evaporated milk, stirring constantly until the mixture thickens. Boil for one minute and remove from fire. Add two tablespoons salad oil, a dash of onion juice, and one can of pimento chopped fine. Mix thoroughly and serve with shaved cabbage.

CUCUMBER ASPIC SALAD.—Peel and chop fine one cucumber. Season with salt and pepper. Let stand a half hour in four tablespoons warm vinegar. Add two tablespoons lemon juice and one-third cup sugar to one-quarter cup boiling water. Mix with the liquid drained from the cucumbers. Pour into the hot mixture two tablespoons of gelatine that have been soaked for a few minutes in a half cup of cold water. Add, a drop at a time, green vegetable coloring until you have the color desired. Cool and strain through cheesecloth over the chopped cucumber. Place in a mold that has been chilled in cold water. Keep in refrigerator until firm. Garnish with cream cheese balls and serve on crisp lettuce leaves with French dressing.

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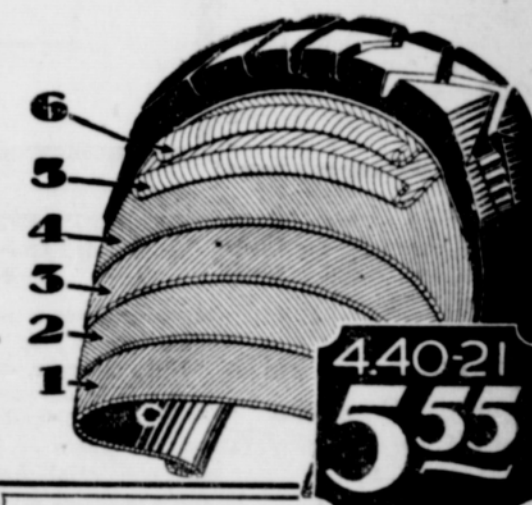
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30x5	19.45	19.45			
32x6	34.10	34.10			

Firestone COUNTRY

Our Tire (Cash Price) *Mail Order Tire

30x3 1/2	\$4.20	\$4.20
4.40-21	4.79	4.79
4.50-21	5.35	5.35

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HI-WAY GARAGE
BAIRD, TEXAS

EULA

(Patsie)

This newsy letter was received too late for publication last week. July 31.—Well, how is The Star force? We are awful hot out this way, we are needing rain and we hope we will have good rain before this reaches The Star readers.

Cotton is beginning to need rain. Well the election has come and gone and I want to say we had a fine bunch of candidates. All ran a clean race. I can welcome all those who won, and can say that those who did not win were good men. Some must win and some must lose.

Now lets get up behind our new officers and show them we are with them every way that we can, then we will have a fine place to live.

The Baptist have just closed a real good meeting. Bro. Sam Malone, of Abilene did the preaching and Bro. Robt. Edwards, candidate for sheriff, led the singing.

Most farmers are done work and are enjoying a few days rest.

I was in Baird last Saturday night and met many of my old friends.

I was very sorry to hear of the death of John Bowyer, of Abilene. He was a great man and I knew him well. One by one we will soon join the number.

Well we will soon be called on to choose a governor, Aug. 23rd. Exercise your privilege and be careful how you vote.

I just want to hand J. Rupert Jackson, our county chairman, a bouquet on the way he has handled the July 26th primary. Most boxes went in Saturday night and he sent out checks that night to the election officers. That was quick work and I am sure all the precinct chairman join in thanking him for his good work.

Oplin Defeats Clyde

The following report of the game between Oplin and Clyde played at Oplin on July 30th was sent in by A. H. Armor, manager of the Oplin team:

On July 30, Oplin and Clyde played at Oplin.

Cross Pitched for Oplin allowing only 2 hits and 3 runs. He got 10 strike out and hit one man. Oplin made 3 errors. He threw through 86 balls. The record being 65. This makes his 10th game winning all.

Oplin got 4 runs 8 hits. Clyde got 2 hits 3 runs and the Clyde pitcher got 6 strike outs. Clyde made 1 error.

Baird High School Secures Additional Credits

Supt. J. F. Boren informs us that he has received notice that the Baird High School has been awarded the 2nd unit of affiliation in the Home Economics department which gives the school a total of 24 units.

A third unit is being added to the school this year, in Commercial Work, Bookkeeping Shorthand and Typewriting.

The Public Schools will open on Monday, September 8th.

MARRIED

Mr. W. L. Kehr, and Miss Lodea Gibson, both of Baird were married at the Presbyterian church on the evening of July 29th. Rev. S. F. McCafferty officiating.

MRS. LONES SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. H. A. Lones, who went to Abilene Sunday afternoon to spend the day with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Bowler, was stricken with paralysis a short time after reaching the home of her daughter, and her condition is quite serious. She wants to come home and if her condition will permit they will bring her today. Mrs. Lones has been in failing health for some time and her family and friends are quite uneasy about her.

Baptist Meeting Closed at Oplin

Rev. Thos. B. Ramsey, living out on Route 1, was in Baird Monday and made The Star office a pleasant call. He informs us that he closed a very successful meeting at the Oplin Baptist church Sunday night, the meeting having extended over a period of eight days. He says the church was greatly revived. There were fifteen additions to the church, five by letter and ten by baptism.

Put God First

THE METHODIST CHURCH

PRESENTS TO

BAIRD AND SURROUNDING COUNTRY

Rev. Burke Culpepper

"THE PREMIER EVANGELIST OF DIXIE"

IN A COMMUNITY-WIDE REVIVAL

AUGUST 3 TO 17



Rev. Burke Culpepper, D. D.

THE CHURCH is the greatest institution we have today and the only institution that is making real abiding character. I had as soon try to pull a load with a team not hitched to a wagon as to try to do anything with men and women who do not belong to some organized church. If the influence of the churches were removed from the community it would revert to barbarism. If Baird is a good enough place for you to live in, make money in and send your children to school then you should join one of these splendid churches and help these Godly pastors pull this town to God. Property in Baird would not be worth ten cents on the dollar if the influence of the churches were withdrawn.—Rev. Burke Culpepper.

Young People's Services are being held each evening at 7:45 in the Methodist church. Rev. Jimmie Culpepper has charge of this work. All the young people are invited.

Singing for the revival is being furnished by a large chorus choir, under the direction of John U. Robinson. This part of the service is growing more interesting at each service.

TWO SERMONS DAILY
10 A. M.—8:15 P. M.

TABERNACLE

BAIRD, TEXAS

Rev. B. W. Dodson, Pastor

METHODIST REVIVAL
(Concluded from last page)

for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

Dr. Culpepper declared that it was a "day of omnibus deception, desecration, defamation and prostitution." There is political, financial and social desecration. "I am not a political preacher," he said, "but there is the same difference between a politician and a statesman as there is between a piece of common glass and a diamond. The politician is the common glass, but the statesman is the diamond."

Husbands are deceiving wives and wives are deceiving husbands. Children are deceiving parents. "A happy home is like heaven, but an unhappy home is like hell. It is a low of life and a law of grace that whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap. He will reap the kind he sows, more than he sows and some one will have to help him reap it. The business men of Baird are setting the examples for the younger generation. If the sowing is corrupt the reaping will be of corruption.

"Men are mocking God today by profanity. They had rather their lips be blistered with oaths than to have them hallowed by prayer. God is being mocked in the holy relationships of life. Children are being born without the benefit of clergy and laid on the doorsteps of others to be provided for.

"If you sow ignorance you will reap crime. If you sow indifference to the church you will reap infidelity and Athisis. But if you sow good seed you will reap a good harvest of men and women who will make the world better and brightened by their having lived in it."

Dr. Culpepper held his large audience spell bound as he described the execution of two prisoners in the electric chair. This one illustration was sufficient to revolutionize the lives of those who are living in sin, if they would but heed the admonition. Other forceful and gripping illustrations were used by the evangelist to rivet his point on the minds of those present, and each pointed a moral that time alone can efface and cause the hearers to think deeply.

The revival will continue all next

week, with two services daily—10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Dr. Culpepper will discuss such subjects as "The Man of Gallilee," "Was Jesus Christ Divine or Just a Common Man?" "The Sin God Never Forgives," "The Incarnation," "How Much do You Weigh in God's Scales?" "The Greatest Thing in the World," "The Darkest Night in History," "Immortality," "The Judgment" and many other subjects that are uppermost in the minds of people today. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEET
IN SOCIAL MEETING

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in a social meeting. The program consisted of special music by Miss Bonnie Bell James and a reading by Miss Jewell Grimes and an interesting talk by Dr. Culpepper.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, Mesdames B. W. Dodson, Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr. and Miss Eliska Gilliland, to about twenty-five guests among the number being Dr. and Mrs. Culpepper, Mr. Robinson and R. Dodson.

CHIROPRACTORS OF WEST
TEXAS ELECT OFFICERS

At the annual business session of the West Texas Chiropractic Society held in Abilene Wednesday, Dr. J. E. Busby of Abilene was elected president. Other officers chosen were Dr. A. W. Canfield, Sweetwater, vice president; Dr. G. G. Bronson, Ranger, secretary; Dr. V. B. Chrane, San Angelo, and Dr. Josephine C. Morrison, Coleman, directors.

PYTHIAN SISTERS WILL
SERVE ICE CREAM

The Pythian Sisters, will serve ice cream and cake on the evening of August 23, second primary election on the lot just south of the Fire Station and invited the public to attend. Ice cream and cake will be home made.

TO THE VOTERS OF
CALLAHAN COUNTY

I wish to thank you for re-electing me as your County Treasurer at the July Primaries, and want to assure you all that I shall continue to give all of my spare time and attention to the duties of the office in a courteous, efficient and business-like manner.

Again thanking you for the honor conferred upon me, and for this opportunity of enabling me to make my own living for myself and family, I remain,

Gratefully yours,
MRS. WILL MCCOY.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN ANG. 8

Plain Gospel preaching and good congregational singing. Everybody invited.

L. E. CARPENTER
Evangelist Church of Christ,
Cottonwood, Texas.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Two interesting and profitable services were held at the Church of Christ last Sunday. We are beginning to grow again despite the fact that some have prophesied our doom. We beg the cooperation and support of all the members. You owe it to yourself, and you owe it your God. Hell is too horrible and Heaven too glorious for any person to neglect Christian worship.

The subject for next Sunday morning will be "Love" Come at ten for Bible study. Remember if you have no conveyance, we shall be glad to send a car for you. Get in touch with Bro. Conner at his feed store.

THOMAS McDONALD, Minister.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Nice residence suitable for large family or for two apartments. All modern conveniences. See H. Schwartz.

FOR SALE—Flower pots of all kinds, hanging baskets, bird bath etc., all kinds of pottery used in growing plants. J. H. Burkett. Clyde Nursery, Clyde, Texas.

Cottage for Rent—Suitable for couple or small family. Garage. See Otis Bowyer.

FOR RENT—One 3 room house, with bath, furnished and one 5 room with bath, unfurnished, both close in. See Mrs. H. A. Lones.

FOR RENT—4 room house with all modern conveniences, garage. Furnished. Mrs. R. L. Griggs. 2t

FOR RENT—3 room apartment with private bath and garage, hot and cold water. Furnished. Mrs. B. L. Russell. 36-4t

SELL YOUR PROPERTY, farm, business or residence quickly for cash. No matter where located. Pay small commission only when deal is closed. Write today for free description blanks and particulars. J. D. Baker, 1205 First National Bldg. Dallas, Texas

WHEN IN ABILENE SEE

Madame Virginia, Reader and Adviser. Advice given on all matters. 1365 Butternut St.

Righting Errors

An error uncovered is an error half corrected.—Woman's Home Companion.

FOLLOW
THE CROWDS TO
"SUNNY-DELL"

LINKS

And You'll Know Why They
All Go There

POSTED

My pastures on Clear Creek are posted. No camping, fishing or hunting or trespassing in these pastures. All permits are revoked. H. A. McWhorter. 32-12

ELECTION RETURNS

The Star will give a full tabulated report of the vote in the Democratic Primary next week. Had hoped to publish it this week but were unavoidable delayed in getting it up.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that all of my land is posted and all persons are requested to not trespass or hunt and fish upon same. Trespasser will be prosecuted.

Tom Windham.

S. J. R. No. 2
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED
ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Section 2. That Section 3 of Art. V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by repealing the sentence of said section which reads: "The Supreme Court shall sit for the transaction of business. Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Art. V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by adding a new section to be known as Section 3a, to read as follows:

"Section 3a. The Supreme Court may sit at any time during the year at the seat of government from the first Monday of October in each year until the last Saturday in June of the next year, inclusive, at the Capitol of the State."

Section 3. If the Constitution shall not have been previously amended so as to provide that the Supreme Court shall be open at all times, then, in that event the foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1930.

(A correct copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State

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SURPRISE BIRTHDAY
LUNCHEON

As a surprise to Mr. Minter Uzzell on his 21st birthday, August 6, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller and Miss Jennie Shields entertained with a luncheon at their home on 849 Hickory St., Abilene.

Guests were assembled when Mr. Uzzell and his mother entered. To their great surprise the table was centered with a birthday cake with 21 candles.

After a delightful luncheon, the candles were lighted by Miss Faye Theben, whose birthday, it was learned, was also Aug. 6th.

Both Miss Thebens and Mr. Uzzell are students in Simmons University summer school. Mr. Uzzell receives his degree this month.

Guests were: Prof. W. T. Walton, Prof. W. C. Ribble, Misses Lora Self, Helen Fulton, Mesdames J. C. Gorman, J. N. Cannon, E. C. Fulton, Messrs. Gaston Gooch, Nichols Crain, Vernon Hobdy and Blanton Gorman and Miss Faye Theben.

ENGAGEMENT OF FORMER
RANGER TEACHER IS
ANNOUNCED

One of the loveliest of the season's social affairs listed on Baird's society calendar was given on Saturday afternoon, July 26, at the pretty home of Miss Lucille Hill, announcing the engagement of the bride-elect, Miss Hill, to Mr. James B. Massa, formerly of Ranger.

This announcement comes with marked interest to many Ranger people. Miss Hill taught in the Ranger high school two years and is one of Baird's most popular and accomplished young ladies. Mr. Massa lived in this city a number of years and was connected with the Phillips Petroleum company, having been transferred to Pampa, two years ago.

Included among the Ranger ladies attending the lovely afternoon affair were: Mrs. Ernest Fletcher, Mrs. Stanley McAnelly, and Misses Gillian and Lillian Buchanan and Emily Dreinhofer.

BRIDGE PARTY AND SHOWER
GIVEN MISS HILL AT RANGER

A bridge party and shower in honor of Miss Lucille Hill of Baird, bride-elect of Mr. J. B. Massa, of Pampa, were given Friday by Misses Emily Dreinhofer and Gillian Buchanan at the Buchanan home on Pine street.

The pink and green color scheme was used in the floral decorations of summer flowers. The tables were attractively covered with green or pink spreads.

Similarly colored tarleton covers were spread over the tables for the serving of refreshments, which were in pink crystal. Pink ice cream slippers and green iced angel food cake further emphasized the motif, the slipped tallies also being decorated with pink and green.

High score, a Rose Marie vase and stand won by Mrs. J. T. Dreinhofer was presented to the bride-to-be. As guest prize Miss Hill was presented with a silver heart, the door of which told her to follow the string to the end. At the end of the string was little Elizabeth Ann Boyd, charming daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Boyd, dressed as a bride and surrounded by gifts for the honoree.

The guest list included: Meses J. E. Fletcher, Stanley McAnelly, R. L. Hamrick, Grady Davenport, Leslie Hagaman, L. C. G. Buchanan, J. F. Dreinhofer, S. J. Dean, Miss Lucille Buchanan of Ranger; Meses Ernest Hill, V. E. Hill, James Ross, Misses Nina and Opal McFarlane, Annie V. Foy, Frances Harrell of Baird; Miss Ruby Ernest of Denton; Misses Laura and Frances Snyder of Moran. The honoree and the hostess.

CELEBRATE 33rd WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ellis, celebrating their 33rd wedding anniversary at their home 3 miles northwest of Cottonwood on Aug 1st, 1930.

The children who were present are as follows:

Misses Viola and May Ellis, Eldon and Herbert Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and little daughter, of Colony, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ellis and family of Denton and Mrs. Edmond Hight and children of Santa Anna. Those absent Mr. Edmond Hight of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McKeohan and family of Sipe Springs.

A nice dinner was served and had music and singing and took some pictures in the afternoon. All reported a nice time.

A Reader.