

The Baird Star

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Broadway of America."

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

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in Callahan County."

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Baird High School Football Team

This year one of the best opportunities for a real High school football team is presented to the citizens of Baird if they will give the team the proper support. The result will be that the School will not only stand with leaders in all other departments but will also rank with the best in athletics and will mean many dollars to the town in clean advertisement. Any town that supports its Football and Baseball Teams properly, derives a source of advertisement and good-will that cannot be created otherwise. All true Americans are lovers of clean athletic sports and football is rapidly becoming the National game. A team cannot be successful without the support of the students and citizens, and for the interest of both our school and town, it is hoped that the people of Baird will realize that they owe their moral support to the Baird Cubs and will back the boys to the limit.

Fortunately the Trustees were able to obtain an especially good Coach, Mr. A. M. Coleman, Jr., formerly of A. C. C., and with five of last years stars, Bell, Eastham, Bennett and Thompson, again in the line-up and plenty of good material to pick from, the future looks encouraging.

Last Friday afternoon, the fighting against odds and the usual breaks of the game, the Cubs held the Merkel Team to a tie 13-13. Averaging twenty pounds lighter than their opponents, the nerve and headway of the Cubs saved the game. In the game Merkel made the first touchdown but failed to kick goal, making the score at the end of the first quarter 6-0. In the second quarter neither team scored. During the third quarter Baird made two touchdowns and one extra point on goal, making the score 18-0 in favor of Baird. The Cubs held their opponents until the very last Merkel scoring a touchdown and kicked goal in the last three minutes of play. Out of eight attempts of forward-pass Baird completed six and kept the ball in Merkel's territory practically all of the game. Only two penalties were made during the game. Merkel penalized 5 yards for off side and Baird penalized 5 yards for too much time out. The Merkel team averaged 165 pounds, while Baird's men averaged 145 pounds. Friday afternoon the Baird boys will play Putnam on their local field, and although the Putnam Team is made up of many of last years men, the boys are going to make a hard fight to win. An earnest plea is made for the Baird people to turn out for this game.

Red Chain Feed Store Opened

Messers Jones & Conner have opened their new feed store, Red Chain Feed and report doing a nice business. They plan to have a formal opening later, watch for date.

Baird to Have a Princess at Coleman County Fair

Miss Millie Morrison has been selected by the members of the Chamber of Commerce as "Princess Baird" at the coronation of the Queen of the Coleman county Fair October 16th.

Miss Morrison is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of B. F. Morrison, formerly of this city, who now resides at Roby, Texas, and she is one of the most popular of Baird's younger set. She is the efficient bookkeeper for the Home Telephone Company where she has been employed for the past two years.

The heavy vote cast for Miss Morrison reflects the popularity of this young lady among her home folks.

In wages alone (exclusively of salaries) the printing industry in Texas (including newspaper and job printing plants) in 1927 expended \$9,282,298.

Picture Show to Open Saturday Night

Mr. H. Ford Taylor, of Brady and Sam Saba has been in Baird this week and has closed a deal whereby the Sigal Theatre will be opened under his management Saturday night, with a formal opening Monday night. Mr. Taylor tells us the name of the theatre will be changed to the Ritz, and the admission price will be 10 cents and 25 cents always, regardless of the picture shown.

Mr. Taylor is an experienced show man and will give Baird a good show, which will, we are sure be given a liberal patronage by our people. Mrs. Taylor is with her husband, we understand and they plan to build a home here. Watch for ad giving further notice of the show.

Joe Matthews Seriously Hurt in Car Wreck

Joe Matthews, an oil man of Breckenridge was seriously hurt about 7 o'clock last Saturday evening just west of Putnam, when his car ran off a high embankment. Two young men who were just behind him when the accident occurred, rushed with him to the Griggs hospital where his injuries were dressed. He is suffering from concussion of the brain and internal injuries, and is in a serious condition. A sister from Houston and a sister-in-law from Big Spring are at his bedside. His brother from Big Spring spent several days with him. Mr. Matthews was enroute to Big Spring when the accident occurred.

ALPHA OMEGA CLUB MEETS TO BE INITIATED

Misses Bessie Mae Gillit and Elizabeth Reed entertained the Alpha Omega Club at the home of Mrs. J. P. Smedley, Sat. night, Sept. 21, 1929. Misses Maurine Iverson and Carrie Inmon initiated the following members into the club: Leota Alexander, Maggie Harp, Eva Robinson, Dorothy Boydston, Anna Roberts, Claribell Tabor, Erma Dell Mitchell, Ola Faye Nichols, Kara Luce, Anness Reynolds, Opal Stringer, Edith Lyle Hinton, Josephine Morgan, Christine Settle, Bessie Mae Gillit, Elizabeth Reed and Juanita Finch. After the initiation delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake was served.

The next meeting will be at the home of Leota Alexander, Thursday night, Sept. 26, 1929.

THE DELPHIAN PROGRAM FOR OCT. 8, 1929

Preliminary Survey—Miss Eliska Gilliland.
The Parade—Mrs. Gus Hall
First Stasimon and Second Stasimon—Miss Opal McFarlane
Hypochremes—Mrs. Brightwell
Third Stasimon—Mrs. Royce Gilliland.
The Kommos and Epilogue—Mrs. James Ross.
Character of Greek Tragedy—Mrs. Alexander.

OUR HONOR ROLL

The following have paid their subscription the past few days, some of them for the first time, being new subscribers:
Alex Robinson, Baird; L. B. Neal, Clyde; R. A. Elder, Big Spring; Mrs. Fannie Coffey, Baird; Dan Clark, Abilene; W. B. Barton, Pampa; S. C. Walker, Clyde; W. B. Gibbs, Rowden; C. D. Jones, Baird; Uncle Jack Estes, Baird; W. U. Roberts, Rowden; Miss Thelma Boatwright, Denton; Weldon Varner, Lubbock; Edmond Webb, Baird; Lloyd Bowman, Munday; C. E. Barr, Cross Plains; Miss Catherine Mullican, Austin; R. O. Thompson, Baird; J. W. Mayes, Enid Okla.; J. A. Sikes, Rowden.

Saturdays Bring Much Business To Baird

Baird merchants are enjoyed unusually big business on each Saturday. Last Saturday is said by many to be the best days business in sometime.

Our merchants are making special prices for each week, and it is bringing many people to Baird. Read The Star each week and see the bargains offered.

Cash Prizes were awarded as follows last Saturday:

Mrs. W. L. Clinton, \$1; Lynn Bryant, \$1.50; Jack Gentry, \$2; Olga Johnson, \$2.50; W. P. West, \$3; Bob Stephenson, \$5; Orvel Taylor, \$10.

LADIES OF THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY ENTERTAIN WITH TEA

One of the most attractive and charming teas of the season was given by the Womans Missionary Society, Monday afternoon at 3:30 in the basement of the Methodist church, with Mesdames Shaw, Norrell, Kelton, Hickman, Ross, Brice Jones, Roberts, Fetterly and Hughes, in receiving line.

The basement was decorated in pink roses, fern and queens wreath making it altogether a beautiful place.

An interesting program was rendered by Misses Condron, Russell, Mesdames Gentry, Brightwell and the two "Red Skins," Helen Virginia Mayfield and Sarah Francis Roberts.

A very dainty and attractive plate was served to the Ladies of the Missionary Society of Clyde, as well as the local members and their guests.

MRS. CLINTON EDWARDS DIES

Mrs. Clinton Edwards age 21 years died last Friday morning, and the remains were prepared for burial by W. O. Wylie, undertaker and carried to Gerad, for burial. Mrs. Edwards is survived by her husband and two baby boys, twins, about 2 months old, and other relatives. Mrs. Edwards has been seriously ill for sometime and was brought here from her home at Moran, some days ago for medical treatment.

WITH THE BAIRD BAPTIST

Our fifth Sunday meeting held at Clyde last week was splendid, I think the best I have attended in years. The attendance was good and the discussions were up to the standard. The Clyde people, as they always do, made ample provision for the comfort of all who attended and the entertainment was perfectly satisfactory.

The next Worker's Meeting will be held with the Baird church on Monday.

The services at the Baptist church Sunday were good. Two good women came into the church by letter and all of us feel that we had a good day.

Our young people went over to Clyde Sunday afternoon and gave an excellent program to the joy of all who were there. We have most wonderful talent among our young people and we are very anxious to have everyone in our B. Y. P. U., developing that talent. Let every young person in the church find their place next Sunday. Miss Dorothy Boydston will have charge of the Juniors and we want 50 Juniors in that Union.

Next Sunday is our Promotion Day in the Sunday School. A good program with Mrs. Strahan as leader, has been arranged, and we are making it a big rally day as well as promotion day.

Let every one be in their place and bring a new pupil.

Sunday night is our regular time to take the Lord's Supper. How church would be there to observe this beautiful ordinance together. Let us pray for each other and meet in our services and help each other along the highway of life. Joe R. Mayes, Pastor.

B. F. McCaw Finds Poultry Raising Profitable

B. F. McCaw, who lives out on Rt. 1 six miles northwest of Baird, has been engaged in raising chickens and turkeys in addition to his work on the farm. In talking with him Monday while in town, he tells us that since Jan. 1st he has sold \$146.27 worth of chickens and \$233.74 worth of eggs, a total of \$380.01 from the sale of chickens and eggs. He started the year with 125 hens and now has a flock of 150 also about 50 turkeys. Mr. McCaw raised most of the feed for his chickens and turkeys.

Judge J. R. Black Reports Busy Court Session at Abilene

District Attorney, J. R. Black, who is attending District Court at Abilene, tells us that they are having an unusually busy term of Court. The term of eight weeks is about half through and they have disposed of 32 criminal cases each receiving a penitentiary sentence and one suspended sentence was granted. Three murder cases were tried and two of the defendants were given 20 years each and one 25 years in the penitentiary.

Elton Everett, charged with burglary was convicted in two cases and given 4 years in the penitentiary. J. G. Austin convicted on the same charge was given a suspended sentence. Several from Baird were character witnesses for Austin, namely, Martin Barnhill, Judge White, Tom White, J. P. and J. C. Barringer, W. J. Cook and Harry Ebert.

COTTON REPORT

B. L. Russell, Jr., gives us the following government report on cotton ginned in Callahan county this year: 2158 bales up to Sept. 16th as compared with 1172 bales for the same period last year.

The Callahan County Gin had ginned 511 bales up to yesterday morning.

CALLAHAN COUNTY SCHOOLS GET FIRST PAYMENT OF STATE AID FOR THIS YEAR

The first payment of the per capita school apportionment for Callahan county has been received by Mr. B. C. Chrisman, county superintendent school districts of the county. Mr. Chrisman received \$455.75 representing a \$2.50 payment for the 1823 scholastics in the common school districts of the county. Baird received \$1520.00; Cross Plains \$1525.00; Clyde \$937.50 and Putnam \$705.00.

This payment comes early, according to a letter from State Superintendent E. M. N. Marrs, because of a balance which was carried over from the preceding biennium. This caution is given County superintendents in Mr. Marrs' letter:

"In view of the fact that this large balance is available for the year 1929-30 and the further fact that possibly 100,000 six year old children will be enumerated for 1930-31, it is estimated at this time that the per capita apportionment for 1930-31 cannot exceed \$16.50. The State Board of Education, therefore, instructed me to request the boards of trustees of school districts throughout the State wherever practicable to reserve a balance amounting to 50 cents per pupil, in order that the per capita expenditure for the school will be \$17.00 for each year. Of course, this is impracticable in State aid districts, as the law requires an account to be taken of all of the per capita apportionment, but many of the independent districts by proper budgeting of their accounts may be able to adjust their expenditures according to the suggestion of State Board of Education.

Baird Lions Attend Banquet At Cross Plains

A delegation of Baird Lions, headed by President S. E. Settle, attended the Dove Banquet Tuesday night given by the Cross Plains Lions Club. This meeting was the annual "Ladies Night" of the Cross Plains Club and the unique banquet was arranged for the entertainment of the neighboring clubs. The entertainment, which consisted of numerous stunts and speeches by members of the Brownwood, Coleman, Santa Anna, Cisco, Eastland, Abilene and Baird Clubs, was very enjoyable; and as is the custom when the Cross Plains Club entertains, they have plenty to eat and lots of fun.

The principal speaker of the evening was Deputy District Governor, T. N. Carswell of Abilene.

Those attending from Baird were Lions L. L. Blackburn and wife; L. B. Lewis and wife; Bennie Russell and wife; H. M. Dudley and wife; Ev Hughes and wife; S. E. Settle; J. E. Roberts; W. D. Boydston and James C. Asbury.

I. T. CLUB NEWS

The I. T. Club was entertained with a picnic by Miss Dorothy Halsted. The girls were "picked up" at their homes at 7:00 o'clock Thursday 26, by Miss Halsted.

The girls went to Gat's lake where sandwiches and lemonade was enjoyed by all.

Those present were: Miss Inmon, sponsor; Miss Dorothy Halsted, Miss Helen Settle, Miss Jessie Evans, Miss Bessie Smith, Miss Mary E. Fetterly, Miss Lucille Jones, Miss Pauline Woods, Miss Aileen Newton, Miss Mable Redding. Those absent: Miss Julia Cooke, Miss Carmen Haley, Miss Thelma Evans.

H. F. Foy's Store Burglarized

Some thief entered H. F. Foy's store sometime Tuesday evening from the rear door and took quite a number of things among which was a lot of silk underwear, also a package of valuable papers from the safe.

Mr. Foy says if the thief or thieves will bring back or mail to him the papers which are valuable only to him no questions will be asked.

PROGRAM OF P. T. A. THURSDAY, OCT. 10, AT 4 O'CLOCK

Song—America the Beautiful
Prayer—Cal C. Wright
Vocal Solo—Mrs. H. H. Shaw
Reading—Mrs. Gentry
Piano Solo—Miss Condron
Reading—Miss Russell
Business
Social Hour

This is to be the first meeting for the new year and there are many plans for the benefit of the school to be discussed at this meeting. Every mother and father should belong to the P. T. A. as it is an institution that exist wholly for the school and the children receive one hundred per cent of the benefits. Your children are enjoying many pleasures and comforts that would have been impossible without the aid of the P. T. A.

Don't forget the date, come if you want to really help your children.

Alex Robinson Lassoos Big Rattler

Alex Robinson, the sign painter, while out on the J. F. Dyer ranch north of town Sunday, lassoed a big rattler snake, which he brought to town and with the help of some of the boys at the rock crusher, pulled the fangs of the rattler out. The snake had 14 rattles and a button and was about five feet.

Putnam Big Rodeo And Trades Day

Putnam will hold its big Rodeo and Trades Day Saturday, Oct. 5th on the public square.

Heretofore there has been large crowds and the managements hopes to make this an exception and wants everyone to come.

All who have horses are invited to bring them and enter them in the events. There will be no charge to enter, anything, only the events that has cash prizes, when a small entrance fee will be charged.

Funeral For Mrs. W. E. Mayes

Funeral for Mrs. W. E. Mayes, former resident of Baird, who died on Sept. 22nd at the home of her youngest son in Enid, Oklahoma, following a short illness, was held at the Methodist church last Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock conducted by Rev. Al C. Wright, the pastor and the body carried to Cottonwood, the old home of the deceased for burial. The remains were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mayes, of Enid, Okla, Arvin Mayes of Oklahoma city, Mrs. A. M. Mettler, of Portland Oregon, Mrs. J. L. Warley, and family of Hilton, Texas, Mr. Newt Olds, of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Mayes was 74 years of age. She was born in Virginia. She was the mother of twelve children, six of whom survive her.

The Mayes family moved to Oklahoma some 25 years ago, where Mr. Mayes died, several years ago.

Mrs. Mayes was a devoted Christian a good friend and neighbor, and a faithful and loving wife and mother. Many old friends at both Baird and Cottonwood were present to pay a last respect to another of our pioneer residents.

American Legion To Meet

A call meeting of Eugene Bell Post will be had at the chamber of commerce building in Baird Monday night, Oct. 7, at 7:30, in the evening. All members are being urged to come as the new officers will be presiding and plans will be laid for a membership drive. Other business of importance will be taken up and disposed of. All visiting Legionnaires are cordially invited to be present.

A LETTER

The Government of the City of Baguio, Baguio, P. I. August 23, 1929

The Mayor, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, U.S.A.

Dear Sir:

On the 19th instant an old-timer of this city, Mr. John Reavis, whom familiarly called "Tex" Reavis, being a Texan, left this world for the great life beyond, a victim of intestinal tuberculosis which afflicted him for the last eight months. He was about 70 years old. The good old scout was held in high esteem here, and I thought of writing you this in the hope that you will kindly break the sad news to his folks and friends, if you should happen to know them. I have often heard him speak of his brothers living in your city.

Very truly yours,
J. J. KEITH
Chief of Police

The Lindalee canning plant, which handles fruits and vegetables in season, cans pumpkins, citron melons and meats in the fall and winter so as to keep busy practically every month in the year.

San Angelo shipped 14,500,000 pounds of wool of the 1929 crop, representing more than one-third of the 40,000,000 pounds which Texas as sheep produced. The fall clip will start moving in September and is expected to total about 7,000,000 pounds against 6,000,000 last fall.

Baird Shallow Oil Field

Baird Shallow Oil Field, Oct. 3, 1929.—In the past two months, five new oil wells have been drilled in the Baird shallow oil field, these wells produced from 20 to 50 barrels of high gravity oil per day.

Moutray Oil Co., Ace Hickman No. 50, section 149, B.B.B.&C. survey, in 300 acre lease, five locations east of the Flores lease, No. 50, was finished up at 684 feet Saturday, production, 30 barrels per day of high gravity oil, Callahan county.

Moutray Oil Co., Ace Hickman No. 51, section 149, B.B.B.&C. survey, located on east side of 300 acre lease, drilling at 660 feet.

Humble Oil Refining Co., Ace Hickman lease, McCleary contractor spudded in Monday, located west of the Arthur Beasley pool and north of the Joe Crutchfield ranch in the south east corner of the Hickman ranch.

Moutray Oil Co. has a large number of men at work on the new sixteen thousand dollar compressor and boosted plant. The new 94 horsepower engine is in operation and the plant will soon be in fine shape.

IONA NEWS

Miss Lois Ivey is attending Simmons University at Abilene.

Mrs. J. W. Shipp is visiting her sister, Mrs. Goble.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Robertson returned last week from a short trip to Colorado and New Mexico.

School began September 23, with practically a full enrollment.

Sunday afternoon, Sept. 22, the District Epworth League Assembly met at Bethlehem church. An enjoyable program was rendered by the visitors, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson entertained the school board and their wives with a six o'clock dinner last Friday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Duncan and daughter, Juanita, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant and son Harold.

Weldon Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bryant, exhibited a collection of paintings at the Abilene Fair, receiving second prize on landscape painting.

Miss Jewel Johnson was at home Sunday from Baird.

Mrs. Holmes of Baird paid a visit to Iona last week in the interest of a music class.

Next Sunday will be the pastors day at Bethlehem church. Every body is invited to attend services, and Epworth League services every Sunday night.

Baptist Hold Big Reception

The members of the Baptist church held a reception at the church Wednesday night, the occasion being in honor of the new members about 60 in number, who have been received into the church recently.

The program was cared for by the young people of the church and it was well done, in every particular.

It consisted of songs, two of them led by Leo Thompson, Scripture reading, the 13th chapter of First Cor. by Greer Holmes, Duett sang by Leo Thompson and Maurine Satterwhite and played by Dorothy Boydston. A harp solo by Prof. H. L. Williams, and address of Welcome by M. J. Holmes, responded to by A. C. Cooper. Then all stood and sang, Bless be the tie that binds." After which refreshments were served to the entire of 90 happy souls. Prof Williams entertained us with his harp and we all felt that a very profitable time had been spent.

The pastor and the church are grateful to the young people for their hearty response to the request to do this work.

We are proud of them.

Joe R. Mayes, Pastor

The TRAIL OF 98

A Northland Romance

by Robert W. Service

ILLUSTRATIONS BY IRWIN MYERS

SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—Disappointed with the quiet life in his home town, Athol Meldrum, young Scotsman who tells the story, leaves his mother and brother, Garry, to seek his fortune in Alaska. He is practically penniless, he takes a laborer's job, and meets a fellow adventurer whom he dubs, and who is hereafter known as, the Prodigal.

CHAPTER II.—The Prodigal is anxious to join the rush of gold seekers into Alaska and Meldrum agrees to go with him after he (the Prodigal) comes back from a visit to his wealthy father in the East. Athol, in great need, is befriended by Jim Hubbard ("Salvation Jim"). When the Prodigal returns, the three men join the stampede into the frozen North, the Prodigal and Hubbard financing the outfit.

CHAPTER III.—Among the motley crowd on the boat is a young girl obviously out of place. She is traveling with her grandfather, an old, hard-looking fellow named Winkles, who figures as her uncle and aunt. Athol has an opportunity to befriend her, and she tells him a sad story of her life. She is four years old when she was taken from her grandfather, who is obsessed with the idea of getting rich in Alaska. Her name, she tells him, is Berna.

CHAPTER IV.—Landing at Skagway, Athol's party at once takes the trail. In the early hours of the trip, Athol meets Berna and her companions had taken hundreds of miles into the interior for Berna's safety. Athol hastens to the scene. He finds the old man dead and Berna, who is prostrate, in the arms of Winkles. Athol tries to help her, but she refuses to let him see the girl, but he leaves a letter for her. At Bennett Berna begs him to marry her, to save her from the harsh fate she foresees. He is unwilling to take such a desperate step, and tells her they must wait.

CHAPTER V.—Some days afterward Berna tells Athol that she has obtained information from her uncle, "Black Jack" Locasto, millionaire owner of evil reputation. While wondering how greatly he loves the girl, Meldrum, who is a stranger to Berna, finishes from the idea of immediate marriage, and they agree to wait a year, though Berna is afraid. Her grandfather, who is Athol and his party and the claims of the Yukon.

CHAPTER VI.—Athol's party develops a plan to stay and wait developments. Unable to locate Berna, Athol seeks information from Locasto. "Black Jack" discloses knowledge of her whereabouts, and Athol, evidently the only one who has between them, lures Meldrum to a lonely spot and beats him into unconsciousness.

CHAPTER VII.—Through a heavy snow Athol finds Berna. She tells him she has been waiting for him. They are both alone in the world. Athol will do his best to help her. They are both alone in the world. Athol will do his best to help her. They are both alone in the world. Athol will do his best to help her.

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can I break down the barrier or pierce pride and arouse the love latent in her heart.

Always amid that lurid carnival of sin floats the figure of Blossom, Blossom with her child-face of dazzling fairness, her china-blue eyes, her round, smooth cheeks. How different from the pinched pallid face of Berna! Poor, poor Berna! I never see her, but amid all the saturnalia she haunts me. The thought of her is agony, I know she watches me. If she would only stoop and save me now! Or have I not fallen low enough? I must go deeper yet. Faster and faster must I swirl into the vortex.

In all that fierce madness of debauch, thank God, I retained my honor. They beguiled me, they tried to lure me into their rooms; but at the moment I went to enter I recoiled. It was as if an invisible arm stretched across the doorway and barred me out.

And Blossom, she, too, tried so hard to lure me, and because I resisted it inflamed her. She would coax me with the prettiest gestures, and cajole me with the sweetest endearments; then, when I steadfastly resisted her, she would fly into a fury and flout me with the foulness of the stew.

It was in one of the corridors of the dance hall in the early hours of the morning. The place was deserted, strewn with debris of the night debauch. We were up there, Blossom and I. I was in a strange state of mind, a state bordering on frenzy. No longer, I felt, could I keep up this pace. Something had to happen, and that soon.

She put her arms around me. "Come," she said.

She led me toward her room. No longer was I able to resist. My foot was on the threshold and I was almost over when—

"Telegram, sir."

It was a messenger. Confusedly I took the flimsy envelope and tore it open. Blankly I stared at the line of type. I stared like a new man in a dream. I was sober enough now.

"Ain't you coming?" said Blossom, putting her arms round me. "No," I said hoarsely, "leave me, please leave me. Oh, my God!"

Her face changed, became vindictive, the face of a fury.

"Curse you!" she hissed. "Oh, I knew. It's that other, that white-faced doll you care for. Look at me! Am I not better than her? And you scorn me. Oh, I hate you. I'll get even with you and her. Curse you, curse you!"

She snatched up an empty wine bottle. Swinging it by the neck she struck me square on the forehead. I felt the stunning blow, a warm rush of blood. Then I fell forward, and all the lights seemed to go out.

There I lay in a heap, and the blood spurting from my wound soaked the little piece of paper. On it was written:

"The place is packed with rowdy men and ribald women. Mother died this morning Garry."

"Where am I?" "Here with me."

Low and sweet and tender was the voice. I was in bed and my head was heavily bandaged, so that the words weighed upon my eyelids. By my bedside some one was sitting, and a soft, gentle hand was holding mine.

"Is that you, Berna?" "Yes, please don't talk."

I thrilled with a sudden sweetness of joy. A flood of sunshine bathed me. It was all over, then, the turmoil, the storm, the shipwreck. I was drifting on a tranquil ocean of content. Blissfully I closed my eyes.

up in me, and in my agony I spoke to the girl.

"Berna, tell me, is it true? Is my mother dead?" "It is true, dear. You must try to bear it bravely."

I could feel her bending over me, could feel her hand holding mine, could feel her hair brush my cheek, yet I forgot even her just then. I thought only of mother, of her devotion and of how little I had done to deserve it. So this was the end; a narrow grave, a rending grief and the haunting specter of reproach.

My sobs were choking me, and Berna was holding my hand very tightly. Yet in a little I grew calmer.

"Berna," I said, "I've only got you now, only you, little girl. So you must love me, you mustn't leave me."

"I'll never leave you—if you want me to stay."

"God bless you, dear. I can't tell you the comfort you are to me. I'll try to be quiet now."

I will always remember those days as I grew slowly well again. Berna left me much alone, alone with my thoughts. Often when all was quiet I knew she was sitting there beyond the curtain, sitting there beyond the curtain, sitting there beyond the curtain, sitting there beyond the curtain.

"Oh, that wonderful brother of yours! One would think he was a small dog, to hear you talk. I declare, I'm half afraid of him. Do you think he would like me?"

"He would love you, little girl; anyone would."

"Don't be foolish," she chided me. And then she drew my hand down and kissed me.

"Oh, I'm so happy," she said with a sigh.

"Are you, dearest?" I caressed the soft floss of her hair.

Aye, she was happy, and I will always bless the memory of those days, and thank God I was the means of bringing a little gladness into her marred life. She was happy, and yet we were living in what society would call sin.

Conventionally we were man and wife, and yet never were man and wife more devoted, more self-respecting. Never were man and wife endowed with purer ideals, with a more exalted conception of the sanctity of love.

The thought of her terrible experience haunted her. I knew, and I, too, suffered.

I tried to make her forget, yet I could not succeed; and even in my most happy moments there was always the shadow of Locasto; there was always a fear, the fear of his return.

My partners and I were up to our necks in business these days. Our Gold hill property had turned out well. Jim was busy installing his hydraulic plant on Ophir creek, and altogether we had enough to think about. I had set my heart on making a hundred thousand dollars, and as things were looking it seemed as if two more years would bring me to that mark.

"Then," said I to Berna, "we'll go and travel all over the world, and do it in style."

"Will we, dear?" she answered tenderly. "But I don't want money much now, and I don't know that I care so much about travel either. What I would like would be to go to your home, settle down, and live quietly."

She was greatly interested in my description of Glenogle. Particularly she was interested in my accounts of Garry, and rather scoffed at my enthusiastic description of him.

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CHAPTER XIII

TWO men were crawling over the winter-locked plain. One, the leader, was of great bulk and of a vast strength; while the other was small and wiry, of the breed that clings like a louse to life while better men perish.

The small man was breaking trail. Down almost to his knees in the soft snow, he sank at every step; yet ever he dipped a foot painfully upward, and with an other forward motion he pushed an

"Come on, you little fellow," he growled, "get up here, you're slowing the frost-fingered old man down."

The little man pulled himself up, and thickly wadded with furs, he crawled out with the fear of a hare's beast.

"Curse him, curse him!" he whimpered; but once more he lifted those leaden snowshoes and staggered on.

The big man lashed fiercely at the dogs, and as they screamed at his blows he laughed cruelly.

"Mush on there, you curs, or I'll cut you in two," he stormed, and the heavy whip fell on the yelling pack. They were pulling for all they were worth, their heads down, their shoulders squared. Their breath came panting, their tongues gleamed redly, their white teeth shone.

Weary and worn were men and dogs as they struggled onward in the growing gloom, but because of the feeling in his heart the little man no longer was conscious of bodily pain. It was black murder that raged there.

and lashed it on his back. Then, after a final look of gloating hate, he went off and left the big man to his fate. At last the Worm had turned.

The dogs were closing in. Nearer and nearer they drew. They wondered why their master did not wake; they wondered why the little tent was so still; why no plume of smoke rose from the slim stove-pipe. All was oddly quiet and lifeless. Closer and closer they crept to the silent tent.

The man opened his eyes. Within a foot of his face were the fangs of a malamute. At his slight movement it drew back with a snarl, and retreated to the door. Locasto could see the other dogs crouching and eyeing him fixedly. What could be the matter? What had gotten into the brutes? Where was the Worm? Where were the provisions? Why was the tent flap open and the stove stone-cold?

Then with a dawning comprehension that he had been deserted, Locasto uttered a curse and tried to rise.

At first he thought he was stiff with cold, but a downward glance showed him his condition. He was helpless. He grew sick at the pit of his stomach, and glared at the dogs. They were drawing in on him. Their gleaming teeth snapped in his face. Violently he shuddered. He must try to free himself, so that he could fight.

Grinly the Worm had done his work, but he had hardly reckoned on the strength of this man. With a vast throes of fear he tried to free himself. Tenser, tenser grew the thongs; they strained, they bit into his flesh, but they would not break. Yet as he relaxed it seemed to him they were less tight. He made another giant effort. Once again he felt the thongs strain and strain; then, when he ceased, he imagined they were still looser.

The dogs seemed to have lost all fear. They smelled the blood on his head, and a slaver ran from their jaws. Again he cursed them, but this time they did not move. They seemed to realize he could not harm them.

Again he tried to get free. Now he fancied he could move his arm a little. He must hurry, for every instant the malamutes were growing bolder. Another strain and a wrench. Ha! he was able to squeeze his right arm under the rawhide. Quickly he wrenched out his other arm. He was just in time, for the dogs were upon him.

He struggled to his knees and shielded his head with his arms. Wildly he swung at the nearest dog. Full on the face he struck it, and it shot back as if hit by a bullet. But the others were on him. Two of them were making for his face. As he lay on his back he gripped each by the throat. In his grip of steel they struggled to free themselves in vain. With his huge hands he was choking them, choking them to death, using them as a shield against the other three. Then slowly he worked himself into a sitting position. He buried one of the dogs to the last door. He swung his long arms at the others. They fled yelping and howling.

Then he rose and freed himself from the remaining things. He

With a Final Growl of Fury He Started in Pursuit.

was torn and cut and bleeding, but he had triumphed.

"Oh, the devil!" he growled, grinding his teeth. "He's taken everything, the scum! Left me to starve! Ha! one thing he's forgotten—the matches. At least I can keep warm."

He picked up the canister of matches and relit the stove.

"I'll kill him for this," he muttered. "Night and day I'll follow him. I'll camp on his trail till I find him. Then—I'll torture him; I'll strip him and leave him naked in the snow."

He slipped into his snowshoes, gave a last look around to see that no food had been left, and with a final growl of fury he started in pursuit.

He had a thought of capturing the dogs and hitching them up; but, thoroughly terrified, they retreated into the woods. To overtake this man, to glut his lust for revenge, he must depend on his own endurance.

So, with head bowed and shoulders sloping forward, Jack Locasto darted on the track of the Worm.

He came to where the fugitive had made a camp. There were the ashes of a fire.

"Curse him; he's got some matches after all," he said with bitter chagrin. Eagerly he searched all around in the snow to see if he could not find even a crumb of food. There was nothing. He dashed on. Night fell and he was

forced to make camp. "If I only had a tin to boil water in," he muttered; "there's lots of reindeer moss, and I could stew some of my mucklucks. Ah! I'll try and roast a bit of them."

He cut a strip from the Indian boots he was wearing, and held it over the fire. The hair singed away and the corners crisped and charred. He put it in his mouth. It was pleasantly warm, but even his strong teeth refused to meet it. However, he tore it into smaller pieces, and bolted them.

At last the dawn came, that evil, sneaking corpse-like dawn, and Locasto flung himself once more on the trail. He was not feeling so fit now. Hunger and loss of blood had weakened him so that his stride insensibly shortened, and his step had lost its spring. However, he plodded on doggedly, an incarnation of vengeance and hate.

Beyond a doubt he was growing weaker. Once or twice he stumbled, and the last time he lay a few moments before rising. He wanted to rest badly. Then night came and he built another giant fire.

Again he bolted down some roasted muckluck. He had to make tremendous efforts to keep from sleeping. Several times he drowsed forward, and almost fell into the fire. At dawn the sky was leaden with cold less despotism. Stretching interminably ahead was that lonely snowshoe trail. Locasto was puzzled.

"Where is creation is the little devil going to, anyway?" he said, knitting his brows. "I figured he'd make direct for Dawson, but he's either changed his mind or got a wrong steer. By heavens, that's it—the little varmint's lost his way."

Locasto had an Indian's unerring sense of location.

"I guess I can't afford to follow him any more," he reflected. "I've gone too far already. I'm all petered out. I'll have to let him go in the meantime. It's save yourself, Jack Locasto, while there's yet time. Me for Dawson."

There was a strange stillness in the air, not the natural stillness of the Wild, but an unhealthy one, as of a suspension of something, of a vacuum, or bated breath. It was curiously full of terror. Every second the horizon grew blacker, more bodiful, and Locasto stared at it, with a sudden quake at his heart.

"Blizzard!" he gasped. "I guess I'm done for. But I'll fight to the finish. I'll die game." He lowered his head and butted desperately into the heart of the storm. He was faint from lack of food, but despair had given him a new strength, and he plunged through drift and flurry with the fury of a goaded bull. He knew his only plan was to keep moving, to stumble, stagger on. It was a fight for life. He had forgotten his thirst for revenge, forgotten everything but his own dire peril.

"Keep moving, keep moving for God's sake," he urged himself hoarsely. "You'll freeze if you let up a moment. Don't let up, don't!"

But oh, how hard it was not to rest! Every muscle in his body seemed to bog and pray for rest, yet the spirit in him drove them to work anew. He was making a certain mad headway, traveling, always traveling. He doubted not he was doomed, but instinct made him fight on as long as an atom of strength remained.

Where was he going? Maybe round in a circle. He was like an automaton now. He did not think any more, he just kept moving. His feet clumped up and down. He lifted himself out of snowpits; he staggered a few steps, fell, crawled on all fours in the darkness, then in a lull of the furious wind rose once more to his feet. The snow whirled around him in a narrow eddy, and he tried to grope out of it and failed. His feet were frozen; his arms were frozen. Here he would lie down and—quit. It would soon be over, and it was a pleasant death, they said.

Ha! what was that? He fancied he saw a dim glow just ahead. It could not be, he closed his eyes. Then he opened them again—the glow was still there.

Surely it must be real! It was steady. As he fell forward it seemed to grow more bright. On hands and knees he crawled to it. Brighter and brighter it grew. It was but a few feet away. Oh God! could it be?

Then there was a lull in the storm, and with a final plunge Locasto fell forward, fell toward a lamp lighted in a window, fell against the closed door of a little cabin.

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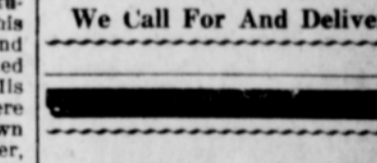
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The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County? Greeting.

You are hereby commanded to summon A. I. McAda, defendant in this cause, whose residence is unknown to this plaintiff, by making Publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Baird, on the Fourth Monday of Oct., 1929 same being the 28 day of Oct., A. D. 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14 day of Sept., A. D. 1929, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, 7458, wherein M. E. Wakefield is plaintiff and A. I. McAda is defendant.

Plaintiff sues defendant in trespass to try title for the title to and possession of the following land, all that certain tract, lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in the County of Callahan and State of Texas, and being a part of the Walter Converse Survey No. 333, and being described as follows: Beginning at the S. E. Corner of the A. W. Booth tract of land; Thence North 363 3-4 varas; Thence East 1045 varas to the East line of said Walter Converse Survey; Thence South 363 3-4 varas; Thence West 1045 varas to the place of beginning, containing 67 1-4 acres of land, more or less.

Plaintiff also alleges that on June 30, 1928, plaintiff and wife sold to defendant, A. I. McAda the land described above by deed of said date and recorded in Vol. 126, page 527 of Callahan County Deed Records, reserving in said deed a vendors lien for part of the purchase price as evidenced by five notes for \$100.00 each payable to M. E. Wakefield or order, signed by A. I. McAda, due one, two, three, four and five years after date, respectively, providing for 8 per cent interest from date until maturity and 10 per cent thereafter and each note providing that failure to pay same or any installment of interest thereon, shall at the election of the holder mature all of said notes and providing for 10 per cent attorneys fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or collected by suit and Plaintiff further alleges in said petition that the first of said notes and the interest on all of said notes are past due and unpaid and defendant has failed to pay the same or any part thereof, and that plaintiff elects to mature and declares that all of said notes and the interest thereon is now matured; that by virtue of his retention and reservation of the vendors lien on said land in said deed that said title is still in him and that he elects to assert his legal title in said land instead of foreclosing said vendors lien notes and that he now sues defendant for the title to and possession of said land.

Plaintiff prays judgment for the title to and possession of said tract of land, for a writ of possession of the same and that all clouds cast upon said plaintiffs title to said land by reason of defendants claims thereto under said deed, be removed and plaintiff be established, confirmed and quieted in his title to same, for general release and for costs of court and for such other relief, special and general to which he may be entitled.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Mrs. Callie Marshall, Clerk of the District Court Callahan County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office at Baird, Texas, this the 14th day of September, 1929.

Callie Marshall, Clerk 142nd Judicial District, Callahan, County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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You Are Hereby Commanded to summon Jeanette Muller Nurdyke, Felix L. Nurdyke, Emma Muller Barceloux and George A. Barceloux Alfred L. Muller and Pinkie, Mrs. L. Stengal, Edmund B. Stengal, Albert T. Stengal and Teresa C. Stengal, Helen Ready, George Werneburg deceased, and unknown heirs of George Weneburg deceased, Jos. T. Muller, deceased, and the unknown heirs of said Jos. T. Muller deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the 4th Monday in October, A. D., 1929 the same being the 28th day of October, A. D. 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of October A. D., 1929 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7468, wherein Lillie Belle Hirt Cammon and husband, W. D. Cammon, are Plaintiffs, and Jeanette Muller Nurdyke, Felix L. Nurdyke, Emma Muller Barceloux and George A. Barceloux, Alfred L. Muller and Pinkie Muller, Mrs. L. Stengal and Edmund B. Stengal, Albert T. Stengal and Teresa C. Stengal, Helen Ready, George Werneburg deceased, Jos. T. Muller, deceased, and the unknown heirs of said Jos. T. Muller, deceased, are Defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiffs allege that the following described lands and premises are situated in the county of Callahan, State of Texas, to-wit:

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1885, same being the South 1-2 of the NE. 1-4 of said section No. 88. Second Tract: Being Lot No. 4, Block No. 31, of the town of Clyde, as the same is shown by the plat of said town of record in the office of the County Clerk of said Callahan County, Texas.

That the plaintiffs claim in and to said lands and premises the fee simple title thereto; that on the 1st day of January, 1929 plaintiffs were in the possession of said lands and premises, and that the defendants, and each of them a terwards, on or about the first day of March, 1929, unlawfully entered upon and disposed them, the said plaintiffs, of said lands and premises. Plaintiffs also plea in the alternative their claim of title to said lands and premises under the three, five and ten year statutes of limitation; said cause of action being fully set out in the plaintiff's original petition on file in this cause.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas on this 3rd day of October A. D., 1929

Callie Marshall, Clerk District Court Callahan County, Texas.

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You are hereby Commanded to summon Don E. Lewis, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Forty-second Judicial District; but if there be no

newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Forty-second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the 4th, Monday in October A. D., 1929, the same being the 28th day of October A. D., 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7274, wherein R. A. Rowland, Trustee is Plaintiff, and Don E. Lewis and Mrs. Estelle W. Lewis are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 7th, day of January 1920, Stewart Farm Mortgage Company conveyed to defendant Don E. Lewis the North one-half (1-2) of the T, E, and L, Company Survey No. 3000, in Callahan County, Texas, containing 160 acres more or less, That Defendant Don E. Lewis in part payment for said land executed his five certain promissory vendor's lien notes for the sum of Nine Hundred Forty and no-100 dollars (\$940.00) each dated January 7th, 1920, bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum and payable to the order of Stewart Farm Mortgage Company on or before 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 year respectively after their dates; that in said deed vendor's lien was retained on said land to secure the payment of said notes.

That on the 13th, day of December 1922, defendant Don E. Lewis conveyed said land to defendant Estelle W. Lewis, who assumed payment of said notes, That on the 15th, day of July, 1927, Stewart Farm Mortgage Company transferred and assigned to plaintiff the said notes and the lien securing them, That said notes are unpaid and have been placed in the hands of L. L. Blackburn, an attorney, for collection and plaintiff has contracted to pay him the ten per cent attorney's fees stipulated in said notes, said petition prays for judgment, for plaintiffs debt interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, for foreclosure of plaintiffs lien on said land and that the same be sold according to law.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this the 25th, day of September, A. D., 1929.

Mrs. Callie Marshall, Clerk, District Court, Callahan County, By Alex Ogilvy, Jr., Deputy. 43-5t

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Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this the 25th, day of September, A. D., 1929.

Mrs. Callie Marshall, Clerk, District Court, Callahan County, By Alex Ogilvy, Jr., Deputy. 43-5t

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded to summon Jeanette Muller Nurdyke, Felix L. Nurdyke, Emma Muller Barceloux and George A. Barceloux Alfred L. Muller and Pinkie, Mrs. L. Stengal, Edmund B. Stengal, Albert T. Stengal and Teresa C. Stengal, Helen Ready, George Werneburg deceased, and unknown heirs of George Weneburg deceased, Jos. T. Muller, deceased, and the unknown heirs of said Jos. T. Muller deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the 4th Monday in October, A. D., 1929 the same being the 28th day of October, A. D. 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of October A. D., 1929 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7468, wherein Lillie Belle Hirt Cammon and husband, W. D. Cammon, are Plaintiffs, and Jeanette Muller Nurdyke, Felix L. Nurdyke, Emma Muller Barceloux and George A. Barceloux, Alfred L. Muller and Pinkie Muller, Mrs. L. Stengal and Edmund B. Stengal, Albert T. Stengal and Teresa C. Stengal, Helen Ready, George Werneburg deceased, Jos. T. Muller, deceased, and the unknown heirs of said Jos. T. Muller, deceased, are Defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiffs allege that the following described lands and premises are situated in the county of Callahan, State of Texas, to-wit:

First Tract: Being 80 acres of land out of Section No. 88, B. B. & C. Ry. Co., land abstract No.

1885, same being the South 1-2 of the NE. 1-4 of said section No. 88. Second Tract: Being Lot No. 4, Block No. 31, of the town of Clyde, as the same is shown by the plat of said town of record in the office of the County Clerk of said Callahan County, Texas.

That the plaintiffs claim in and to said lands and premises the fee simple title thereto; that on the 1st day of January, 1929 plaintiffs were in the possession of said lands and premises, and that the defendants, and each of them a terwards, on or about the first day of March, 1929, unlawfully entered upon and disposed them, the said plaintiffs, of said lands and premises. Plaintiffs also plea in the alternative their claim of title to said lands and premises under the three, five and ten year statutes of limitation; said cause of action being fully set out in the plaintiff's original petition on file in this cause.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas on this 3rd day of October A. D., 1929

Callie Marshall, Clerk District Court Callahan County, Texas.

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You are hereby Commanded to summon Don E. Lewis, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Forty-second Judicial District; but if there be no

newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Forty-second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the 4th, Monday in October A. D., 1929, the same being the 28th day of October A. D., 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7274, wherein R. A. Rowland, Trustee is Plaintiff, and Don E. Lewis and Mrs. Estelle W. Lewis are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 7th, day of January 1920, Stewart Farm Mortgage Company conveyed to defendant Don E. Lewis the North one-half (1-2) of the T, E, and L, Company Survey No. 3000, in Callahan County, Texas, containing 160 acres more or less, That Defendant Don E. Lewis in part payment for said land executed his five certain promissory vendor's lien notes for the sum of Nine Hundred Forty and no-100 dollars (\$940.00) each dated January 7th, 1920, bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum and payable to the order of Stewart Farm Mortgage Company on or before 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 year respectively after their dates; that in said deed vendor's lien was retained on said land to secure the payment of said notes.

That on the 13th, day of December 1922, defendant Don E. Lewis conveyed said land to defendant Estelle W. Lewis, who assumed payment of said notes, That on the 15th, day of July, 1927, Stewart Farm Mortgage Company transferred and assigned to plaintiff the said notes and the lien securing them, That said notes are unpaid and have been placed in the hands of L. L. Blackburn, an attorney, for collection and plaintiff has contracted to pay him the ten per cent attorney's fees stipulated in said notes, said petition prays for judgment, for plaintiffs debt interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, for foreclosure of plaintiffs lien on said land and that the same be sold according to law.

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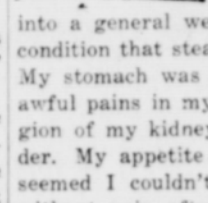
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condition has improved and I am glad to recommend Orgatone for what it has done in my case." Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Baird at Wheeler's Drug Store.

Texas Woman Was Near A Breakdown

"Recently I spent fifty-four dollars in a clinic getting X-rayed for what I was told was chronic gall bladder and intestinal trouble, but I am now convinced that Sargon was all I needed. If I had known what a wonderful treatment it was I could have saved lots of money and suffering. "About two years ago I began to decline into a general weak and rundown condition that steadily grew worse. My stomach was upset and I had awful pains in my back, in the region of my kidneys and gall bladder. My appetite was poor and I seemed I couldn't eat anything without pain afterwards. I lost strength and energy and was very much discouraged. "Before I had finished the first bottle of Sargon I had a splendid appetite and could eat what I wanted without any discomfort. The pains in my back began to ease up and now they have gone entirely. Sargon Coft Mass Pills stimulated my liver and relieved my constipation. I just can't find words to express my gratitude for this marvelous treatment."—Mrs. Ollie Henry, 4805 Maple Ave., Dallas. City Pharmacy, Agents.



Wichita Man Has Gained Twenty Pounds

"I feel better than I have for a long time since taking Orgatone," he says. "The day I started on Orgatone I was in a very bad run-down condition, but since taking Orgatone I feel better than I have in about 18 months, and have gained about 20 pounds," was the remarkable statement made by T. W. Gouddy, repairman for the Texas Electric Service Company, who lives at 2002 1-2 Jones St., Wichita Falls, Texas.

"I have finished my second bottle of Orgatone, and I feel like a different person. For a long time I have been bothered with stomach trouble and my liver was in a very bad condition. The pain across my back was something awful and I knew that I needed a medicine for my general condition for I was very poor and the food that I did eat did not nourish me and I felt tired and worn out most all the time. I was nervous and restless and didn't sleep well at night. I suffered constipation. "Orgatone was recommended so highly I decided to try it and it has certainly proved a good medicine in my case. I am improving right along and am gaining daily in weight and strength and feel better than I have in about 18 months. My constipation is a thing of the past and in fact, my general

condition has improved and I am glad to recommend Orgatone for what it has done in my case." Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Baird at Wheeler's Drug Store.

Not Especially Helpful

"Our ancestors," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "with all their wisdom, leave us to meet new conditions. They thought demons of unrest could be eliminated by the use of firecrackers."—Washington Star.

KITCHEN CUPBOARD

By NELLIE MAXWELL

When a person gets around fifty, so many things that he thought of one time as very important do not seem important at all. Only the precious things of life seem important and significant—George Matthew Adams.

Seasonable Good Things

Now that rhubarb is plentiful, you'll find this sauce a rare treat: Rhubarb and Orange Sauce.—Wash and cut the rhubarb into inch pieces without peeling. Grate the rind of two oranges and remove the pulp from the white membrane. Mix the rind, rhubarb and one and one-half cups of sugar together and bake one hour. Dissolve a tablespoonful of gelatin in a tablespoonful of cold water and add to the baked rhubarb with the orange pulp. Fill pastry shells and decorate with whipped cream.

Orange Strawberry.—Wash and hull one box of strawberries, cover with the juice of two oranges mixed with one cupful of sugar. Serve in glasses and top with whipped cream piped on with a pastry tube.

Raspberry Junket With Raspberry Jam.—Prepare plain or flavored junket with milk according to directions. Garnish with raspberry jam and serve.

Peanut Rice Salad.—Wash and cook three cups of rice for seven minutes in boiling water, drain, cover with one cupful of orange juice and cook in a double boiler until rice is tender. Cool, mix with chopped peanuts, using one-half cupful. Sprinkle with salt and arrange on lettuce with cream cheese balls. Serve with french dressing.

Carrot Marmalade.—Grate twelve raw carrots, add four cupfuls of sugar, three lemons, rind and juice—one teaspoonful each of allspice, cloves and cinnamon and cook slowly one hour. Turn into glasses and seal with paraffin.

Pineapple and Strawberry Sherbet.—Boil two cupfuls of sugar with one quart of water for twenty minutes. Add one cupful of apple juice and one cupful of strained strawberry juice; add the juice of a lemon and one teaspoonful of gelatin dissolved in two tablespoonfuls of cold water and pour over hot water. Cool and freeze as usual.

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**MAYOR SCHWARTZ REQUESTS
OBSERVANCE OF FIRE
PREVENTION WEEK**

In as much as October 6 to 12 was designated as Fire Prevention Week, and deeming it of great importance to our city, that suitable action be had on said date by the citizens of Baird, I, as mayor, call on you to do your bit in cleaning and removing from your premises any and all trash which is dangerous, not only to health, but liable to start fires. Let us all do our best to rid ourselves of this hazard, when we can point with pride and say, "Baird is a clean town." Will you help?

Respectfully,
H. Schwartz,

Mayor of the City of Baird.
We trust the citizens of Baird will cooperate with Mayor Schwartz in the observance of the Fire Prevention Week, and clean up the town.

Fire is a terrible destroyer of life as well as of property. It causes more deaths than occur in all our railroad operations, including the grade crossing crashes we read so much about. It causes more deaths than drowning. In fact, it is surpassed only by automobiles. Accidental fire, like any other accident, results from doing something in the wrong way. To protect our lives and our property against fire loss, we do not need to give up the use of fire—probably the most valuable servant which mankind possesses—but we do need to learn how to use it properly.

The remedies for all kinds of accidents, including fire, have been aptly grouped under the three Es—Engineering, Enforcement, and Education; and the greatest of these is education.

The Engineering remedies for fire loss include the proper construction of buildings, proper heating and lighting apparatus, exits, fire extinguishing equipment and the like.

Enforcement, too, is essential. We must have enforcement of building regulations and fire prevention ordinances by our communities; enforcement of good house-keeping rules in factories and enforcement by every parent and housekeeper, of fire prevention rules in the home.

All of these depend on Education—education of every man, woman and child in the hazards of matches, cigarettes, gasoline, gas, electricity, and other things of everyday use; education of those engineers architects, and of those public officials not yet alert to modern fire hazards and fire protection; education of all citizens to demand proper buildings, equipment, laws and enforcement.

Activities expended toward the prevention of fire, which at the same time automatically tend to save life and avoid personal injury are a necessary, and obligatory duty. Such activities have been proven successful beyond a doubt.

Fire Prevention carried on in every community, either large or small, if to be looked upon as bringing about a successful issue, re-

quires not alone the cooperation of the citizens, but officials of the government as well.

The cost of carelessness in handling matches, cigars, cigarettes, etc., was \$36,882,411.

It cost \$24,404,880 to pay for the losses occasioned by defective chimneys and flues. Stoves, furnaces, boilers and their pipes caused a loss of \$22,483,040.

Spontaneous ignition caused a loss of \$17,051,005. Sparks on roofs destroyed \$14,070,379.

Carelessness in handling electricity and electrical appliances caused a loss of \$15,450,697. Electric flatirons, improper wiring and overloading of circuits causes the greatest per cent of fires from electricity and electrical appliances.

The loss of life by fire in the United States during 1928 is estimated at 10,000. The loss of life by fire in Texas during 1928 was 349, an increase of 110 over 1927. Of the deaths from fire, 30 per cent are from the country and 70 per cent from the city.

Of the injuries from fire, 17 per cent are from the country and 83 per cent from the city.

One of the startling features of this record shows that 31 per cent of the deaths from fire and 13 per cent of the injuries are children under ten years of age.

Classification shows that 66 per cent of the deaths by fire and 40 per cent of the injuries occur in dwellings.

25 per cent of deaths and 13 per cent of the injuries result from 14 per cent of the deaths and fires ignited by open flames.

12 per cent of the injuries follow fires originating from defective heating devices.

23 per cent of the deaths and 27 per cent of the injuries follow improper use of flammable liquids. Since and including the year 1922 the records show that one thousand eight hundred and thirty one (1831) men, women and children in Texas have met their death from fire.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM OF ABILENE SUCCEEDS CLEM CALHOUN AS 14th DISTRICT ATTORNEY

J. W. Cunningham, of Abilene, veteran West Texas attorney, has been appointed by Gov. Moody, District Attorney of the 104th Judicial District to succeed Clem Calhoun who was appointed to succeed the late John A. Holmes, whose death resulted in Gov. Moody placing Borger and Hutchinson county under martial law.

Judge Cunningham was formerly District Attorney of the 42nd Judicial District, having first been appointed to the office by Gov. S. W. T. Lanham, in October 1903 and was elected to the office in 1904 and again in 1906.

In January, 1907, he resigned the office and at a special election was named state senator from this district.

In 1918 he was again elected district attorney of the 42nd district, serving for four years. Each time that he was elected he was unopposed. He did not seek reelection in 1922 an dsince that time he has engaged in the private practice of law. During that time he has participated in some of the most important cases tried here.

Judge Cunningham has lived in Abilene for 30 years, having come here from Waco. He has been an outstanding figure in West Texas criminal trials for more than a quarter of a century. While he has served as a defending attorney in many of these, he probably is more familiar as a prosecutor or special prosecutor.

Clem Calhoun, who moved to this section some five years ago from El Paso, has represented the state in some of the most sensational trials ever held in this section. In two of these, Joyce Sheppard, alias Bill Smith, charged with the murder of two Fisher county officers, and Marshall Ratliff, "Santa Claus bandit" of Cisco, death penalties were obtained.

When Tom Davis of Haskell county resigned as prosecutor in the 39th district consisting of Jones, Haskell, Fisher, Kent and Stone-wall counties, Calhoun was appointed to succeed him by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

At that time, Calhoun lived at Hamlin, Jones county. In 1927 when the 104th district was created, Jones and Fisher counties were taken from the 39th and, with Taylor, comprised the new district. Judge Chapman was appointed to the bench, the bill providing that Calhoun should serve the district in which the county he lived was immediately after the new court became operative in March, 1927.

Texas and Texans

By WILL H. MAYES

Texas Business Grows

Although some Texas railroads may not be doing so well as before the introduction of busses and trucks there is no occasion to sympathize with the railroad business as a whole. Statistics show that they are receiving about 23 per cent greater operating income in Texas this year than last year, which is a good showing for the business.

Texans are glad to see the railroads prosper, for it indicates corresponding prosperity for the people of the State. Transportation is a pretty fair index to the conditions of a country.

Another Line Proposed

The proposal to build a line of railroad from Roswell, New Mexico, in a southeastern direction through Texas is attracting much attention in the territory under consideration. Uvalde and Sabinal are among the towns that are already offering terminal facilities for the Texas part of the road and doubtless there will be others. The development of West Texas justifies the railroads in extending their lines into that section.

Tourist Camp Industry

The secretary of the Texas Camp Owners' Association says that the "tourist camp industry is the fastest growing enterprise in the country." That may or may not be correct, but certainly there has been great development in the industry in the last year or two. Not only are many camps being constructed, but they are being provided with better facilities for entertaining tourists. Some of them are as good as hotels in the same places, and some are said to be even greater.

Among the places that have recently completed excellently built and fully equipped camps are Midland, Mineral Wells, Waco, Lubbock, Kent, Abilene Colorado Big Spring and Pecos.

Texas Road Building

Texas led the country in road building last year and will lead it again this year. The Texas mileage of improved road construction for 1928 was 2,365. Kansas was second with 1,783 miles, and Arkansas third with 1,345 miles.

While Texas is not building permanent highways fast enough to suit some of its people, good roads are being constructed about as fast as they can be built economically. Texas is such a huge State and the road building has to be scattered over such a large area that the many people think but little is being done. However, about \$40,000,000 is being spent annually for road building.

Point Isabel Harbor

The United States Army Engineers having given approval to the Point Isabel port project the \$500,000 bonds voted for the Port Isabel-San Benito Navigation District will be issued to enable the district to meet the Government requirements. The engineers' report favors a turning basin near Point Isabel an drecommend an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for dredging and constructing the channel. The Brownsville Navigation District will be given the right to connect its \$2,000,000 project with this channel. This, Texas develops.

Cactus-Destroying Insects

Australia is trying to find an insect that will help in destroying the vast growth of cactus in parts of that country. The government of the country is spending around \$35,000 a year around Uvalde, Texas, where it has a station experimenting with the "cactablaustus" insect and shipping it to Australia. Some of the insects are proving effective but difficulty has been found in getting them acclimated. Clearing ground of cactus growth is a problem in that part of Texas that is its natural habitat.

Milk Plant Project

The Southwest Dairy Products Company has bought 55 acres of land near Sulphur Springs for a \$75,000 milk plant. Five acres of the land will be used for the plant buildings and the remainder of the land for a dairy demonstration farm. Butter, ice cream and condensed milk will be made and farmers will be shown how to obtain the best results from their dairy herds. The demonstration farm fea-

ture is rather a new idea, but one that should be generally adopted.

Georgetown Wants Cheese Plant

Round Rock has awakened all the surrounding towns to the value of milk products plants and dairy farming. Williamson county has as rich lands as can be found anywhere, and they are proving too valuable for single-crop cotton production. Round Rock, with its cheese factory, proved this so conclusively that Taylor, close by, has contracted for a big milk plant, and now Georgetown and Austin are hard at work to get factories for manufacturing milk products.

Jumbo Pecan Tree

Although it sounds like a Munchausen tale, San Saba citizens will vouch for the fact that the Jumbo Hollis pecan tree in San Saba county has a record of 1,035 pounds of pecans at one bearing. It is estimated that 5,000,000 buds of choice varieties of pecan buds have been shipped from the county to other sections for pecan propagation. More than 100,000 buds have been shipped to California this season.

San Marcus Pleasure Grounds

The Southwest Texas State Teachers' College at San Marcos has leased 15 acres of land adjoining its recreational playgrounds where tennis and volley ball courts will be placed. The school already has an attractive river bathing pool as can be found in the South. The college is but keeping pace with the rest of San Marcos in the effort to create an attractive atmosphere for its students.

Fall Flower Show

There are differences of opinion as to whether the spring flowers or fall flowers of Texas are prettier. If the decision is in favor of the spring flowers, it is probably because we have been largely without flowers in the winter months and we welcome their return. The spring flower shows were so successful that in many places fall shows are being held. Many of the community and county fairs are offering prizes for the best exhibitions of flowers, and the floral exhibits are doing much to spread an increasing love for the beautiful.

Handing Them Lemons

Raymondville appears to have gotten the lead in shipments of citrus fruits for the season from the Rio Grande Valley, having sent 100 bushels of lemons to Houston last week. Reports are that the fruits this season are "better than ever" in the Valley and that the grapefruit and oranges are the "sweetest and juiciest" that grow.

Something For Cobb

Ever since W. M. Cobb retired from the newspaper business the people of Milam county have been trying to find something for him to do, and now the problem has been solved by the Cameron Chamber of Commerce making him manager of the fall poultry show. He has already started an active publicity campaign and it is safe to say the people will learn more about chickens than they ever suspected needed to be made known.

Llano's Celebrations

Llano had two worth-while celebrations in one week; the opening of the new hotel, for which the town has been eager so long, and the 42nd birthday of W. B. Collins & Son's Llano News. Perhaps they might have overlooked the newspaper birthday if the publishers hadn't issued that splendid 36 page edition, but that made them sit up and take notice of the fact that a good newspaper like the News is even a better asset for a town than a new hotel. A good newspaper grows better with age; a hotel seldom does.

Think On These Things

And as he entered into a certain village, there met him ten men that were lepers.

And they lifted up their voices, and said, Jesus, Master have mercy on us.

And when he saw them, he said unto them, Go shew yourselves unto the priests. And it came to pass, that as they went, they were cleansed.

And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified

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God.
And fell down on his face at his feet, giving him thanks.
And Jesus answering said, Were there not ten cleansed? but where are the nine?
Quotation from Luke.

Sunset Musings
By J. Marvin Nichols.

A face that cannot smile is like a rose that cannot bloom. make the shadows.
Life and death are the opposite sides of the same great orb.

If a merchant church member uses a 35-inch yardstick he is none the less a thief.

When you put yourself on the block to be sold to the highest bidder, you cannot put too high a price on yourself.

The element of time enters into everything. Given time, the problem will not only be solved, but slowly and imperceptibly outgrown.

We are living in an age when buoyant youth refuses to worship the dust and bones of a musty past. Whether the future years shall profit thereby remains to be seen.

Some very poor people have nothing but money. That's the very reason why they can't break into some high circles. There are some things money won't buy—brains and character, for instance.

A man had better die poor if his hoarded wealth comes by piracy and pillage, even though it be gotten under the guise of progress and the commercial policy of the age.

Genuine sacrificial affection can never be wasted. When proffered to enrich the heart of another, if refused, it will return to the heart of the giver like a sweet refreshing rain. But there's an infinite pathos in the tragedy of that other heart. After all, it is the refusing heart that shrivels up at last turns to stone.

Farmers in the Medina Valley and the Winter Garden district are advantaging from the construction of a new canning plant at Natalia, 30 miles southwest of San Antonio, which will have a daily capacity of 10,000 cans of vegetables and fruits.

Sixty thousand square miles of lignite underlie Texas.

The Western Carbon Co. has filed application for permit to construct a carbon black plant in Gray county to burn 10,000,000 cubic of residue casinghead gas daily in the manufacture of carbon black.

The Texas Tanning & Manufacturing Co., of Yoakum has recently increased its capital stock to \$240,000 and with its enlargement is employing 100 persons.

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Cremation in America
The first crematory in the United States was established at Washington, Pa., by Dr. F. Julius Le Moine in 1876. The first cremation was that of the body of Baron de Falla, in December of that year.

Brick's Value in Building
In the manufacture of brick they are burned for days under a temperature of 2,000 degrees. Brick cannot burn or crumble under heat thereafter. They increase the fire resistance of a home many times over.

ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS

Please Phone News Items To Number 8

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nunnally and little daughters, spent the week end in Abilene visitin relatives and attending the Fair.

Miss Pauline Terrell, who has been spending some time in Fort Worth with relatives returned home a few days ago.

Mrs. John Fraser, of Abilene was in Baird a few days this week, having some work done on her residence here.

Miss Josie Lois Ivey another member of the graduating class of Baird high school the past year, is attending Simmons University at Abilene.

The Presbyterian Ladies will hold their annual Pure Food Show in the Tabernacle October 31, and Nov. 1 and 2. They are planning for a bigger and better show than ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tackett and little daughter, Gloria, who were called here some two weeks ago by the death of Mrs. Tackett's father, R. D. White, left Sunday for their home at Wink.

Olaf South, principal of the Belle Plaine public school was in Baird Monday afternoon. He informs us that the Belle Plaine school opened Monday with a good attendance, Mrs. South is the assistant teacher of the school.

Ewell Tyson, of Oplin, was in Baird Tuesday, calling at The Star office to place an order for cotton receipts and tags for the Tyson Cotton yard, Oplin. Mr. Tyson says the gins at Oplin had ginned 680 bales up to Tuesday morning and that farmers believe they will get that many and maybe more yet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weeks and daughter, Miss Faye, of Putnam, were Baird visitors last Saturday afternoon. Miss Faye who is a Senior in Putnam High school was here getting data on the history of Callahan county which she was to use in writing a theme. They were pleasant visitors at The Star office.

Miss Thelma Lois Boatwright, who is attending the Teachers Normal, Denton is another Baird girl who will read The Baird Star while attending school. Charnel Harp, who is attending the A. & M. college at Ft. Collins, Colo. also receives The Star each week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their wonderful kindness to us in the illness and death of our dear husband and father. We especially thank the members of the Woodmen Circle and the ladies of the Presbyterian church for their thoughtfulness and sympathy. We shall ever be grateful to our friends for what they did for us in this sad hour. We appreciate the many beautiful flowers and messages of sympathy.
Mrs. R. D. White and family.

A. W. Johnson has returned to his home here, after spending the summer with relatives at Blackwell, Big Spring, Sterling City and Stacy Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones and family spent the week-end at Stacy. The guests of Mrs. Jones sister, Mrs. J. F. Powell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Evans and children of Cisco, spent the week-end with Mrs. Evans mother, Mrs. Henry Lambert and family.

A CORRECTION

The Star made a mistake last week in giving the name of the Junior Girls Club, giving it as "J. T." when it should have been "I. T." We trust the young ladies will accept our apology for the error and that the "I. T." Club will be everything that is expected and hoped for, for "I. T."

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Cal C. Wright, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Our attendance is good, the classes are instructive, and we want you to meet with us.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
S. F. McCaffity, Pastor

The services were good both in the Sunday school and the church. Bue others were needed to make them better. Be present next Sunday if you love your church and can possibly be present. Do you think you are giving the church its dues as to your presence and influence? Settle matter conscientiously by talking frankly with Jesus about it.

The quarterly report on your attendance will not be made this time but your record of attendance will be kept this and reported at the close. Will you not try for a 100 per cent.

Be present at the Young People service at 6:30 p.m.; the subject is "Ideals Worth Living For" and Miss Christine Settle is leader.

Mrs. Joe McGowan leads the Mid-week service Oct. 9 Attend and the spiritual refreshment that you need, and encourage her and others.

All are cordially invited to worship with us.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks, for the kind words, and deeds of sympathy to our friends in Baird, and Cottonwood during the death of our dear mother, Mrs. Anna Mayes. May Gods richest blessings be with you all. The Mayes family.

Miss Gus Hall and little daughter, Gusolin, visited Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. Riney Simpson at their ranch near Albany the first of the week. Mrs. Hall and little daughter have recently returned from a visit with relatives in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Spikes, of Louisiana spent a few days this week with O Nitschke and family. Mr. and Mrs. Spikes formerly lived here. Mr. Spikes being in the employ of the T & P Ry. They were inroute to California.

Tige Thompson and Miss Ella-moore Seale returned Monday from El Paso, where they attended the big rodeo. They went out by airplane, leaving the Abilene airport last Thursday afternoon, making the trip in something over five hours.

Farris Bennett, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia for the past week, is reported some better.

Mrs. C. C. Seale, Jr., who has been visiting Misses Loraine and Ella-moore Seale at the ranch at Belle Plaine for the past several days, left Tuesday for Houston where she will visit relatives for a few weeks, sailing on Nov. 9th, for Bordix, France, where she will spend sometime with her mother.

FORDS TAKE LIFE EASY IN WEST TEXAS—LIE DOWN TO SLEEP WHEREVER NIGHT OVERTAKES THEM

W. L. Kingston, Sr. returned from Ft. Davis Tuesday morning after spending the night on the road side, near Limpia. He said that he had had wagons and buggies turn over with him but that this was the first time his Ford had cut such a caper. He left Ft. Davis late in the evening, and stopped at Wild Rose Pass to inspect the road work for an hour or more, and when he started on home the storm broke, and the lightning flashed, the thunder rolled and it began to rain, and his Ford could not see the road very well, and as a nice deep gully showed up, it gradually went off down the bank and turned over on its side, shut its eyes and went to sleep. He said he got out walked around it; and seen that it was not hurt and seemed to be resting comfortable, he placed a few sacks over its head to keep out the rain and crawled back inside to spend the rest of the night. Next morning he walked back to Mr. Willis McCutcheon's ranch home, got help, put the Ford on its feet, and came on home, none the worse for wear except the loss of a good night's rest and a little wetting, but he said that it was sure a fine rain."—Madera Valley News, Bal-morhea, Texas.

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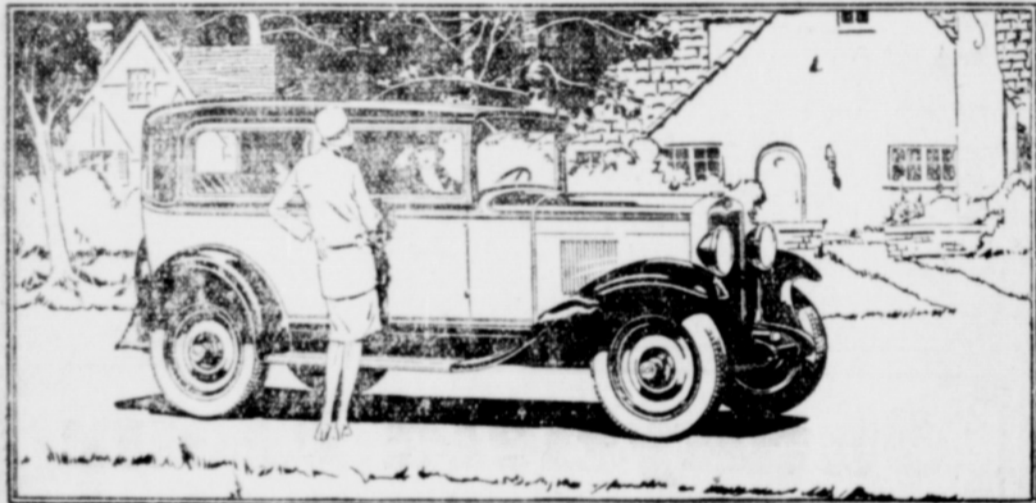
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How to Raise Poultry

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-six years of veterinary practice on diseases of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. Nationally known poultry breeder. Noted author and lecturer.



Editors Note—This is another story in a series of 82 stories on poultry raising written by the well known national poultry authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis. The entire series will appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for future reference.

Pullets For Profit When Winter Comes

"Youth will be served" so runs the old proverb. Of course, no reference to poultry was intended, but it happens to fit just the same. As a rule, pullets lay more eggs during their first laying season than during any subsequent season. Consequently, if hatches are correctly timed so that plenty of pullets will be brought to maturity some time during the latter part of August or September, a banner winter egg season is bound to follow. Pullets hatched during February or March, according to breed, should begin laying just about the right time for winter eggs.

Pullets should not be allowed to come into maturity too quickly. Normally, a pullet starts to lay eggs as soon as she has reached maturity and her body has ceased to grow. Sometimes laying starts somewhat before full growth has been reached and further growth may cease. Such pullets may remain undersized and their eggs may be defective and small. If pullets are maturing too rapidly their mash and animal food should be reduced. The grain rations may also be slightly increased, as pullets should have a good reserve store of body fat before they start laying. Otherwise they will not stand up well under the strain of laying and may fall considerably short of the possible maximum egg production. For that reason, many poultrymen make a marked increase in the quantity of grains fed to the pullets as their combs begin to reddens. At the same time, they cut down on the mash and animal food; beef scraps or similar material.

The grain is fattening, whereas the animal food being no longer required for muscle building as the birds reach maturity, may start egg production before it is desirable. It is usually considered better not to force pullets into premature laying by feeding large quantities of mash. Instead limit the mash until pullets are quite ready to lay and, by feeding a greater amount of grain, to get them fat. Such a ration emphasizes the fat making material and, by withholding the egg-making materials, removes the danger of a too early maturity. Mash should not be entirely eliminated, as it contains materials needed for building up the muscles of young fowls. Too much of it, however, may precipitate egg laying before it is desirable. Give the developing pullets all the grain they will eat during early fall and after they come into normal laying, gradually decrease grain with a corresponding increase in mash feeding.

If pullets have been properly developed along the lines just described above, they should begin laying just as they are put into winter quarters. Their quarters should not be changed once they start laying. Such a change will usually cause a molt and falling off in the egg yield. Furthermore, pullets should never be housed with older hens. The more mature hens annoy the younger ones and that too interferes with their laying. From this point on, the usual rules for feeding and handling laying hens will apply to pullets developed especially for winter egg production.

Of course, I do not mean that older hens are incapable of winter egg production merely because I have emphasized the desirability of developing pullets for that season. With proper culling, breeding and feeding, hens can be made to lay almost as many eggs during the winter months as in warmer weather. The subject of special feeding and handling of fowls for winter egg production is, however, of sufficient importance to constitute a separate article all by itself.

The reason for emphasizing ways of increasing winter egg production is, of course, that prices reach their very highest peak at that time. It is, therefore, desirable not only to produce as many winter eggs as possible, but also to market every possible one of those that are produced then. Practically all of them can be marketed by preserving and keeping for home use the low priced eggs of spring and summer.

It is very easy to preserve eggs for future use by putting them down in water glass, syrupy liquid that can be obtained from almost any druggist. This water glass should be mixed with nine parts of cold boiled water and the solution kept in crocks or stone jars. Kegs or barrels may also be used if absolutely clean and free from odors provided they are thoroughly scalded. Fill the jar or keg full of the water glass solution and put in the eggs from day to day as they are gathered. Be sure there is always at least two inches of solution over the eggs. No dirty or cracked eggs should be used nor any about which there is any doubt as to when they were laid. They must be absolutely fresh, laid the same day they are put in the solution.

The cost of preserving eggs in this way is very small and calls for almost no work at all. Eggs in water glass will keep for six or eight months if stored in a cool, dark place, well covered, and may then be used for all cooking purposes or for the table. The advantages of this plan certainly should be apparent without argument.

I have not attempted to go into any great detail in this article. On the contrary, I have tried only to suggest enough so the reader will want to know more about methods of increasing the winter profits from his flock.

by Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.,
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Cause of Snoring

Snoring is usually due to the relaxation of the muscles that close the mouth during sleep. Sometimes, however, it may be due to a disturbance in the nasal passage which may be corrected by proper treatment.

The Better Understanding

Women have the understanding of the heart which is better than that of the head.—Rogers.

Did You Ever Stop To Think?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla.

Col. Luke Lea, publisher of The Nashville (Tenn.) Tennessean, says:

THAT the profession of teaching, though one of the most important to the welfare of our country, is yet one of the most sadly underpaid.

Upon the ability and inspiration of our teachers rests the hope of our youth.

In the graded schools and in the colleges and universities the teacher often fails to make a living wage. This is especially true when the individual has children to support and educate.

In one of our Southern institutions an eminent scientist, after thirty years of labor, has attained a salary which should come to a minor business official at the age of thirty-five. He has educated his boys, has built a substantial home, and is a leader in community life. Though still in the fullness of his faculties, he must look ahead to the not-far-distant time of retirement. Within a few years he will be entitled to a meager pension.

Ten years ago he was offered a large salary from a great textile concern. It would take him from his home and his family. It would remove him from association with his students. He chose to remain a teacher and the choice meant the sacrifice of financial independence.

If it is worth money to know the technicalities of turning out first class textile goods, is it not worth as much to know the art of developing successful boys and girls, or men and women?

Mass education, which is, after all, the education of the individual on a large scale, is vital to the future of our country. Good citizenship is worth more than good machinery, and it is worth paying for.

CIRCUS WILL SET NEW RUN RECORD

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 28.—The longest engagement ever played under canvas by any circus in the world, will play at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 12 to 27, when the Hagenzeck-Wallace moves on to the "grandstand lot" for a 32 performance engagement. This circus will come to the State Fair with the greatest number of wild animals ever taken on tour by any organization.

One of the big features of the show is the act of Clyde Beatty, 29 year old animal trainer who handles a mixed group of "cats"—lions and tigers. Beatty has an act in which 32 "cats" perform. He worked all last winter putting the lions and tigers through their routines.

The circus will unload in Dallas the night before the Fair opens and be on the "lot" before the gates open on Oct. 12.

The State Fair engagement is not only the longest run ever made under canvas by a circus, but is also the greatest number of performances ever played by one show at one place in the entire south. There are but few cities in the entire country which can support a circus for 32 performances.

200 Bands at State Fair
More than 200 bands will be entered in the Statewide Band Contest to be held at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 12 to 27, under the auspices of the Texas State Band Teachers Association, according to Earl D. Irons of Arlington, who is chairman of the contest committee. A total of \$10,000 in cash prizes is being offered the winners of the contest. A massed band concert will be played on the grounds each afternoon during the 16 day exposition.

Flower Show at Fair
A flower show will be one of the big features of the 1929 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 12 to 27 it has been announced by T. E. Jackson, president of the fair. The flower show will be held on the new mezzanine balcony of the Agriculture Building. Florists, horticulturists, and landscape architects from the entire Southwest will be represented in the flower show.

Really Great Matter

Words are good, but they are not the best. The best is not to be explained by words; the spirit in which we act is the great matter.—Goethe.

Kiddies' Evening Story

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

A Proud Mother

The King Lion was talking of how much he enjoyed his food, how happily he roared his thanks and how gorgeously a well-fed king lion could feel.

He loved his beautiful mane, he felt quite contented, although he would have loved being free so he could roam and wander.

Still it was different from the old days when his great grand-parents lived.

All these hunting expeditions and terrible guns were not fair.

But Mother Lioness had much that she wanted to say.

"A lion is not nearly so wild as a lioness," she was saying. "A lioness is a far greater creature. She is wilder, far wilder, and she has little lion cubs."

"Now, my mother lionesses have from one to six little babies."

"They say that mother bears have from two to six little cubs."

"An angora goat has one baby only to look after at a time and an ordinary goat has two, or three babies."

"But I am very unusual. Not only am I a wild lioness, but I have six little babies."

"Are they not, King Lion, perfect little beauties?"

And Mother Lioness admired them and looked at them so lovingly.

"Six lion babies are as many as any lion mother has ever been

known to have had," continued Mother Lioness, "so I am one of the famous mother lionesses, I am."

"Why are you famous, Mother Lioness?" asked one of the lion babies, waking up.

"Because there are six of you," she said, "and there are usually only about three."

"It's fine that there are six of us then, eh?" asked the lion baby.

Then another lion cub awoke, and a third and a fourth.

"What is all the excitement?" they asked.

"Mother Lioness is so proud because there are six of us," one of the cubs answered.

"Then let's all wake up and play and tell her how glad we are," said the fourth lion cub.

So they woke up the two who were still sleeping and all the lion cubs began to play and frolic and to say that they wanted to show what fine, playful, merry little cubs they were, and that they hoped their mother would always be proud of them.

And oh, how proud of them she was. Every one came and looked at her six wonderful babies, and she was proud of that, too, but mostly she was proud because they were so beautiful and she was their mother.

She heard the keeper telling people that six was a very fine number to have, and quite an unusual number, too.

"A happy, proud mother lioness am I," she growled softly to herself.

And her eyes, which could look so wild, were filled with love and adoration as she gazed at the adorable little cubs, so playful, so gentle, so beautiful.

RIDDLES

When is a man like a cart wheel?
When he is tired.

How can you keep a rooster from crowing on Sunday? Get him stuffed Saturday night.

What is the difference between a cloud and a whipped child? One pours with rain, the other roars with pain.

Why is the United States government not going to have bayonets any longer in the army? Because they are long enough.

Why is an elephant's head different from every other head? Because if you cut his head off his body you do not take it from the trunk.

There were two fathers and two sons. They caught three rabbits and each one had a rabbit. How could that be? It was a son, his father and grandfather.

Well Up in German

Little three-year-old Evelyn had her friend Ruth playing with her. Ruth spoke German very well. Upon her departure Evelyn's mother said, "Doesn't Ruth speak German nicely?"

"Yes, and how nice German she laughs," replied Evelyn.

So Very Simple

Old Salt—Well, sonny, do you know how to make fish nets?

Jimmy (from town)—Yes; that's easy. Just take a lot of holes and sew 'em together.

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She is the kind of woman, we said in our bitterly intolerant way, that thinks a photograph is much better if she calls it a studio portrait.—Ohio State Journal.

Critic's Duty

The aim of criticism is to distinguish what is essential in the work of a writer. It is the delight of a critic to praise; but praise is scarcely a part of his duty. What we ask of him is that he should find out for us more than we can find out for ourselves.—Symons.

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MINES OF RED CROSS CHRISTMAS SEALS

Over 500 miles of Tuberculosis Christmas Seals are being distributed throughout Texas by the Texas Public Health Association in preparation for their annual seal sale which starts Thanksgiving Day. Approximately 100 chairman are being appointed.

Each seal is seven eighths of an inch wide and one inch long and 32,000,000 have been allotted to Texas. If placed end to end they would reach from Houston, through Austin, Dallas and Denison. The seal this year has a background of blue on which is shown a bell-ringer tugging at a bell, the double-barred cross in red and the words, HEALTH GREETINGS 1929, complete the design.

For the past 15 years the Texas Public Health Association, a volunteer health organization, through its affiliated local agencies, has sold Tuberculosis Christmas Seals and with the funds thus obtained, has carried on a state-wide campaign against tuberculosis and other preventable diseases.

The work consists of teaching health habits to school children, physical examination, lectures to ages and races, literature, exhibits, clinics and tuberculosis surveys. Ninety-five per cent of the total amount of money raised to the official agencies engaged in promoting public health.

Stained-Glass Treasures
The foremost museum collection of stained glass in the world is at the Victoria and Albert museum, London.

To Clean Coral Beads
Coral beads may be cleaned by dissolving a teaspoonful of borax in a pint of warm water. Dip the coral and when clean put through tepid water.

Early Public Dance Hall
The first public dance hall was opened in 1788 by an Englishman named Tickson. The first shelter soon proved inadequate and he built a large hall known as the "Grande Chantier."

Practical Dishes For Busy Days

By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON
Director, Home Economics Dept.,
H. J. Heinz Company

We suggest these recipes for easily-prepared, savoury dishes for use on busy days when dinner must be prepared at the last minute. When you have used them you will think that they are good dishes for any day!

Chili Con Carne—Brown 1 pound ground beef in skillet with 2 tablespoons fat and finely chopped onion. Season with salt and pepper, add 1 medium can Oven Baked Red Kidney Beans. Simmer for few minutes, add 1 small can Tomato Soup. Add 1/2 teaspoon Chili powder, cook for ten minutes. Serve with boiled or baked potatoes. (Some people prefer to omit the Chili powder).

Sausages with Kidney Beans—Brown Sausage in a skillet. Pour over it 1 can Kidney Beans and simmer or bake in slow oven for 1/2 hour. Place beans in center of hot platter, surround with sausages and garnish with sprigs of parsley.

Ham with Ketchup Sauce—Brown thick slice of ham in skillet, place in casserole, cover with the following sauce:

1/2 cup Tomato Ketchup or Chili Sauce; 1/4 cup cold water, 1 tablespoon Pure Vinegar; 2 teaspoons flour; 1 teaspoon sugar; 1/2 teaspoon Prepared Mustard.

Bake in a moderate oven or simmer until tender (about 1/2 hour).

Creamed Ham Patties—1 1/2 cups diced cold cooked ham; 2 tablespoons Stuffed Spanish Olives chopped; 2 tablespoons butter; 2 tablespoons flour; 1 1/2 cups milk; pepper; 1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce; 1 loaf bread.

Melt butter in a saucepan, add flour and stir until well blended. Add ham and seasonings to cream sauce. Cut bread in 6 slices, trim off crusts, cut in squares and hollow out center. Toast boxes thus

made, fill with the creamed ham. Garnish with parsley and serve. Cold pork or veal may be prepared in the same way.

Everyday Chop Suey—

1 pound ground beef; 2 onions; 2 green peppers; 1 egg; 1/2 cup oil; 1/2 cup soy sauce; 1/2 cup ketchup; 1/2 cup chili sauce; 1/2 cup tomato sauce; 1/2 cup onion sauce; 1/2 cup mushroom sauce; 1/2 cup soybean oil.

In a skillet with butter, fry chopped onions and green pepper until slightly brown. Add chopped meat and fry until meat is brown. Add water, season with salt and pepper, simmer for 10 minutes. Add Spaghetti, allow to boil and serve.



Boston Rolls—

1 can Baked Beans, 1 cup grated cheese; 1 tablespoon chopped onion; 1 cup bread crumbs; 1/2 cup milk. Drain sauce from beans, chop them, add crumbs, onion, cheese, salt to taste, and enough milk to moisten. Form into small cakes or rolls, place in buttered baking dish in moderate oven for 20 minutes. Baste several times with one cup boiling water to which has been added 1/4 cup Tomato Ketchup. This dish makes an excellent substitute for meat.



A Kitchen Convenience

NOW that the number of cans of food consumed in the United States has jumped another billion, annually, it is more necessary than ever to know just how to handle the many kinds of food that come in this form. It's the simplest food in the world to handle, but one of the problems which the housewife runs up against is to know just what size can of any particular food to buy. If your recipe calls for two cups, for instance, of any particular food, you want to know what size of can contains nearest to that amount. The contents of most cans are stated in ounces on the label, and the sizes run by numbers, so that's no help.

Here's the solution. Paste it up somewhere in your kitchen, and you'll find it a great convenience in planning your purchases of canned foods. The following table, based on tomatoes in all cases, gives the

sizes of cans you ask for at the store, their net weight and their contents as measured by a standard eight-ounce measuring cup.

Contents of Cans

Can Size	Net Weight	Cups in
No. 1	10 oz.	1 1/4
" 2	1 lb. 3 oz.	2 1/4
" 2 1/2	1 lb. 12 oz.	3 1/4
" 3	2 lbs. 1 oz.	3 3/4 to 4
" 5	3 lbs. 8 oz.	7
" 10	6 lbs. 7 oz.	12 1/2

The use of this table will not only simplify your shopping, but enable you to buy more thriftily and have fewer left-overs. One good thing about left-over canned foods, however, is that they can always be combined with other foods in second day dishes, and they do not, therefore, represent waste. There are few other foods on the market, all of which can be used, except canned foods.

Keep Your Coffee Right



ARE you a coffee lover? Then nothing will replace that steaming cup of succulence with its tempting aroma with which you are accustomed to start each day. But are you going to get good coffee where you go this summer? You can, easily, if you'll observe only one simple rule.

There are lots of brands of good coffee on the market, but scientists have recently discovered that no coffee is good coffee if it is not fresh. It has been ascertained beyond the possibility of a doubt that from 65% to 70% of the coffee gas and an appreciable part of its aromatic oils disappear in the first twenty-four hours when freshly roasted coffee is exposed to oxygen. After that period it expels the gas more slowly,

but in ten or twelve days it has lost all of its gas and a great part of the aromatic oils which constitute its flavor.

The One Sure Way

The only way in which fresh roasted coffee can be kept fresh and flavorful is by packing it in a container which is absolutely impervious to all climatic influences. This method of packing is known as the "Vacuum Process" and more and more coffee packers are adopting it. After the vacuum packed can has been opened, the coffee should be put into Mason jars and their covers screwed down tight or the rubber rings. It's just as simple as that, but it makes all the difference. Try it this summer, and you'll see.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS COULD BE SAVED

Detroit, Sept. 28.—Millions of dollars could be saved annually by the automobile-owning public through a more strict observance of the factors that control the gasoline mileage offered by the average automobile, it was revealed in a survey on fuel economy completed today by the Chevrolet Motor Company.

A gain of from two to five miles on the gallon of gas could be effected, on the average, it was shown, if the motorist paid strict attention to the elements that govern fuel consumption.

The matter of economy has always been a factor of the uppermost importance with Chevrolet in the designing of its cars. Having brought the mileage to the highest point ever offered in a six cylinder car, Chevrolet sought to corral in this survey, the many seemingly unimportant details, which through carelessness or indifference on the part of the driver, cut down the mileage that might be obtained through more intelligent handling of the car.

Manufacturers have been doing their utmost to make gains in the direction of greater mileage and now it is felt that with greater cooperation from the driver motorists may ride millions of miles yearly at no extra fuel cost if the matter of watchfulness can make a sufficiently strong appeal.

Just how this attention to fuel economy brings its reward is illustrated in records of performance coming in to the company's offices, which show that although the Chevrolet six is expected to run approximately 20 miles to the gallon, motorists in various sections of the country are getting 23, 24 and 25 miles through just a little added attention to the matter.

The majority of items to be watched are rather obvious to the average automobile owner, but through an inadequate appreciation of their importance, are commonly overlooked.

The survey sets down specifically a number of factors, which if observed, should increase your mileage two to five miles to the gallon. They are:

1. When standing or waiting for the light to change, don't race your motor.
 2. When you are to make a stop of more than a minute, turn off your motor.
 3. Don't drive at excessive speeds unless the occasion demands. High speed travelling burns more gas.
 4. Remember that the faster you drive the more gas you consume. So when you find that you are about out of gas and are heading for a gas station, take it slowly and your chances for negotiating the distance will be greater.
 5. When starting watch the choke. Don't drive with the choke out a moment more than necessary.
 6. Be sure that your brakes are not dragging. This cuts down your mileage. Get your brakes inspected frequently.
 7. Have your valves ground when they need it.
 8. See that the idling adjustment on your carburetor is set at the proper point so that the mixture is not too rich. If it is not at the proper point it gives you inefficient idling performance and wastes gas.
 9. Don't fill your gas tank full to the cap, some will escape through the vent in the cap.
 10. Don't ride the clutch.
 11. Watch gas line for leaks at joints. Check it periodically to see that fittings are tight.
 12. Be sure that spark is in fully advanced position.
 13. Avoid excessive use of brakes in traffic.
- Observance of these suggestions, the survey points out, will save money for the motorist and, add considerable mileage to your driving and reduce the number of necessary stops at the gasoline station.—Chevrolet Motor Co.

Instability

"Beware," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "of one who forgives an enemy too easily, since he may with equal ease forget a friend."—Washington Star.

Ancient Residence

The oldest inhabited residence in Scotland is said to be Dunvegan castle, in the Isle of Skye, dating back to the Ninth century.

Thought for Today

What is done at home will always have its influence—and its revelations—in the life outside.

Mexico's First College

The first university in Mexico was established in 1538 and was founded by a royal order from Spain.

Women Did It

When one is waiting in a barber shop for his "turn" and listens to a man telling the barber how to comb his hair and shave his neck one has a greater respect for a fussy old maid.—Atlanta Constitution.

Wisdom's Beginning

The beginning of wisdom is the realization that the thing you are anxious about today won't seem important tomorrow.—Capper's Weekly.

Determining Ocean's Salt

The saltiness of ocean water at different points is determined by passing an electric current through it, since the saltier the water the greater the current that can pass through.

Doc's Secret

Faith is still the prime requisite for healing. Subconsciously you know it and you reinforce your own faith on the basis of your doctor's tones.—American Magazine.

Three Good Suggestions

Help to preserve the good of the past; try to select the best that the present offers; strive to transmit to others what is worth while.

Old-Time Playing Cards

Some authorities believe that the very earliest wood block prints of Europe, perhaps earlier than the Buxheim St. Christopher, were playing cards. The earliest of these which we know are also French, two valets or knaves which are thought to have been made in Provence not later than 1440.—Boston Transcript.

Muzzles More Appropriate

Several masked tenors are featured where muzzles would be more appropriate.—Toledo Blade.

Merciful Provision

There is no remembrance which time does not obliterate, nor pain which death does not terminate.—Cervantes.

Got Name From Russia

Muscovy glass, or muscovite, a variety of mica, was so named because it was formerly used instead of glass for windows in Russia.

Misplaced Charity

There are too many people on this earth administering their medicines to the strong and healthy.—American Magazine.

Wristen's

CASH SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY

FREE DELIVERY TO ANY PART OF THE CITY

COFFEE Wamba 3 lb Can \$1.42
5 lbs. Sugar FREE

BANANAS Dozen	19c
COFFEE Maxwell House, 3 lb can	\$1.34
HOMINY Van Camps, No. 2 1-2 can	10c
HOMINY Van Camps No. 2 can	8c
SHREDDED WHEAT Package	12c
BAKING POWDER K. C., 25c size	18c
SALT Table, 10 lb sack	19c
LUX Washing Powder, 15c size	10c
MATCHES Winner, 2 boxes	5c
MACARONI Spaghetti, Vermicelli, per box	6c
SPUDS U. S., No. 1, 10 lbs.	35c
COFFEE White Swan, 3 lb can	\$1.79
MILK Carnation, large can	10c
PEACHES Cock of the Walk table peach, 2 1-2	17c
TOILET SOAP Coco Hardwater, bar	5c
OAT MEAL 3 minute, large package	19c
CRACKERS 3 lb box Brown's	38c
MEAL Fresh Cream Meal, 10 lb	33c
COFFEE Schillings, 2 lb can	\$1.07
BREAD All standard loaves	7c
CATSUP Van Camps, Armours Veribest, large	19c
CAKES Fresh, all 25c cakes	21c
FRUIT SALAD Milady, extra fancy, No. 1 tall	24c
SOAP P&G, Crystal White, 5 bars	19c
FLOUR Sun Bonnett Sue, 24 lb bag	84c
BEANS Pinto, 11 lbs.	99c
SYRUP West Tex, gallon	79c
EGG CARRIERS 12 dozen size	\$1.00
PICKELS Sour Mixed, quart jar	23c
PICKLES SWEET Mixed, quart jar,	44c

MARKET DEPARTMENT

STEAK Baby beef, hind quarter, lb	28c
STEAK Baby beef, fore quarter lb	24c
SAUSAGE Mixed, lb	20c
RIBS Baby beef, lb	16c
BACON Sugar cured squares, lb	17c
BACON Fancy sliced, pound box	32c
CHILI Pound blocks	28c

Again we thank all of you who attended our Sale last Saturday, which was a big increase over the week before. Come in next Saturday and Monday and get your share of this good and cheap merchandise. We have many bargains not listed in this ad. In our market we carry only the choicest of Baby Beef, fresh every day.

I will go to Dallas again Friday to personally select the best line of fresh vegetables to be had for Saturday and Monday. Come pay us a visit. Look over our stock and over prices. We will be glad to have you. Thanks.

E. M. WRISTEN

"A BAIRD INSTITUTION" HELP YOURSELF

N. P. SMITH, MANAGER

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY

BANANAS Nice Yellow Fruit **19c**

FROM 9:00 O'CLOCK UNTIL 10:00 O'CLOCK SATURDAY, WE WILL SELL BANANAS FOR ONE CENT EACH, 1 DOZEN LIMIT **1c**

SPUDS NO. 1, IDAHO, 10 lbs. **29c**

YAMS NEW CROP, PER lb. **3 1/2c**

TOMATOES Just Like Home Grown, 3 lbs. **25c**

GRAPES TOKAYS, 3lbs. **25c**

LETTUCE NICE FIRM HEADS, EACH **6 1/2c**

DELICIOUS APPLES LARGE SIZE, DOZ. **59c**

SNOW PEAKS Buy 'em by the box **71c**

Premium Flakes 1 lb. Carton **17c**

HOME GROWN Turnip Greens, bunch **7 1/2c**

PORK & BEANS 3 cans **25c**

TOMATOES N. 2 size **10c**

HOMINY No. 2 size, 3 cans **21c**

KRAUT No. 2 size, 3 cans **27c**

COFFEE Wamba 3 lb Can 5lbs. SugarFREE **\$1.40**

SPAGHETTI No. 2 cans, 2 for **25c**

CORN Primrose, No. 2 can, each **14c**

BROWN BUTY BEANS No. 1 size, 3 cans **23c**

PINTO BEANS Dried, 3 lbs. **25c**

BLACK EYED PEAS, Dried 2 lbs. **25c**

PEAS Early June, No. 2 size, 2 cans **25c**

PEACHES Best grade, No. 2 1-2 size **19c**

SYRUP West Tex, gal. **84c**

SYRUP West Tex, 1-2 gal **44c**

FLOUR OUR SPECIAL, 48 lb BAG **1.59**

FLOUR SUPREME The Best **\$1.85**

CORN MEAL 24lb bag **75c**

SUGAR 25 lb bag **\$1.56**

IN OUR MARKET

SMOKED BACON THE BEST, PER lb **25c**

DRY SALT JOWLS PER lb **15c**

BACON SLICED, ONE lb PKG. **32c**

CHEESE CREAM CHEESE, PER lb **29c**

HAMS ARMOURS STAR, Half or Whole **29c**

BACON ARMOURS STAR, 1 lb Box **40c**

BACON SQUARES, PER lb **18c**

CHILI BRICK, PER lb **25c**

PICNIC HAMS PER lb **25c**

Want Ads

FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment. Phone 159. 44-1p

Mrs. Lewis Hall has household goods for sale. Phone or see Mrs. W. O. Fraser. Phone 239. 44-1t

FOR SALE—Large dining table and six chairs for sale. Mrs. J. H. Terrell. Phone 112. 44-1f

LOST—A black and white Schaffer Fountain Pen. Suitable reward for return to me. Earl Smith. 1

FOR RENT—New furnished apartments, all conveniences. Mrs. E. M. Wristen, Phone 30. 40-1f

FOR RENT—Apartments, all modern conveniences, garage; adults only. Mrs. J. H. Terrell. Phone 112. 44-1f

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Nicely furnished; all conveniences; See or phone Mrs. Estherbell Haley. 43-1f

APARTMENT—Two rooms, nicely furnished and modern conveniences. See or phone, Mrs. J. M. Cunningham. Phone 32. 41-1t

GLOVES LOST—A pair of ladies brown kid gloves, plain. Lost some where in town. Suitable reward for return to Mrs. Alex McWhorter. 44-1t

FOR RENT—Reasonable, my residence, in good condition, to permanent couple or small family. Mrs. John Fraser, Gen. Del. Abilene Texas.

WANTED TO TRADE—A new two wheel-trailer and a piano. Will trade either one for a cow, J. G. Varner, Baird. 40-6tp

SHEEP FOR SALE—500 head of Ewes and Lamb will sell eWes in small lots; See F. D. Miller; 5 miles N, Baird on Albany Road, 2-4p

LOST—White face Hereford bull, yearling, branded, J-E on left hip; Strayed from J. N. Brown ranch on Bayou; \$10 reward for return of bull or information as to whereabouts; Ed Alexander, Baird Tex. 43-2t

One of the largest fertilizer plants west of the Mississippi River is to be established at Texarkana by the International Agricultural Association, the twenty-seventh unit in that company's chain. The plant will cost \$750,000 when completed. The company owns large phosphate rock mines in Florida and Tennessee and also owns and operates tankage plants, cotton seed oil mills, a fleet of tank cars and its own railroad and is interested in German potash mines, according to an Associated Press dispatch.

In 1927 there were 116,763 industrial wage earners in Texas who drew wages \$116,535,580.

ADMIRAL NEWS

Miss Mae Eastham is spending this week in Baird with relatives. Bonnie and Norman Lee Black, of Baird, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hansen of Abilene, were guests of J. A. Coffey and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Higgins and two children, E. J. and Raymond, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Church at Merkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Pearce of Baird were guests of Mrs. Clark Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coats and so, Otis, attended church at Rowden Sunday.

Don and Roy Higgins have gone to Carlsbad New Mexico for a few days.

O. L. Black and wife of Baird were Admiral visitors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tots Wristen of Baird were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Pearce Sunday.

Mrs. Tom West, Mrs. Don Gil- lit and Mrs. Lottie Ruth Higgins, were shopping in Abilene one day last week.

Miss Jennie Harris of Abilene, and J. R. Harris of Clyde, spent Sunday with their parents, R. J. Harris.

Mrs. O. E. Higgins and daughters, Isabelle, spent Friday with Mrs. John Birchfield at Turkey Creek.

By Romeo.
(The above communication was received too late for publication last week.—Ed)

PALACE THEATRE, CISCO SUNDAY

Twelve women of generously ample proportions, not one of them weighing less than 180 pounds, got their "break" on the screen when Paramount made the all-talking, all-singing, all-dancing picture, "The Dance of Life," from the successful stage play, "Burlesque." The "beeftrust" chorus has a composite poundage of 2,000 the exact figure demanded by Directors John Cromwell and Edward Sutherland. The Amazon chorus appears in an opening sequence of "The Dance of Life," in which Hal Skelly and Nancy Carroll are featured. Fred Datig, casting director, says that to find these women was the most difficult assignment he has ever had.

Gordona Bennett and her daughter, Miss La Reno, were the first two to be signed. Miss Bennett has been on the stage since she was three years old. Miss La Reno, for the past three years, has been a member of the chorus in Los Angeles burlesque show.

Cora Beach Shumway was the prima donna with Eva Tanguay in "Sambo Girl" in 1909. One of the largest and, hence, one of the most statuesque ladies in the group is Charlotte Ogden with years of experience as a New York show girl behind her. Kay Deslys, an "end" girl of the line, has been in the show business twenty years. Europe contributed Magda Blom, once a well-known classical dancer of the Swedish stage.

The "beef-trust" chorus work appealed to these women as a "lark" and it was on this appeal Director Datig coaxed them back to the lime-light. They will be seen and heard in the all-talking picture, "The Dance of Life," at the Palace Theatre, Cisco, starting Sunday, Oct. 6, for 3 days.

Grain Sorghum

Durso is a grain sorghum of unknown origin. It is probably a cross between a saccharine sorghum and a nonsaccharine sorghum.—Exchange.

"Eyes" in Swiss Cheese

Gases are produced in swiss cheese by the action of certain bacteria in the curds, and the holes result from the liberation of the gases. Some authorities have advanced the theory that the air and grass of Switzerland have something to do with this quality of producing eyes in the cheese.

NOW!!

No better time than right now to begin taking Chiropractic adjustments to build up your resistance against the ills incident to the cold winter months, such as colds, sore throat, influenza, Pneumonia, etc.

If you are sick, or some one dear to you is sick, and you are discouraged because health is denied you or your loved one—If you have tried everything else without success—We want you to know that there is still a message of Hope for you through Chiropractic, The Better Way to Health.

WHAT CHIROPRACTIC HAS DONE FOR OTHERS IT CAN DO FOR YOU

528 West Myrtle St., San Antonio, Tex. November 12th, 1928.

This is to certify that my two boys and myself have taken the adjustments from Dr. Morrison for about three months.

I was in a general run-down condition and was so nervous I couldn't sleep at night, and didn't feel like doing my housework, but since taking the adjustments I feel well and work hard every day and sleep good at night.

My oldest boy had very bad tonsils and was forever with a sore throat and high fever, but now he is not troubled with his throat any more; and my youngest boy was so constipated that he would go for days without movement of the bowels if I didn't give him something to make them move, but since taking adjustments he is improved and has a good movement almost every day.

I am a strong believer in Chiropractic and highly recommend Dr. Morrison as a good doctor. Respectfully,

MRS. W. DENTON

I want to meet you face to face—hear your story—Analyze your case from every angle, then tell you about this Better Way to Health and give you my honest opinion as to what it may be expected to do for you. This counsel is yours for the asking. There is still time for you to take advantage of the Free X-ray service as previously advertised.

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But It's Worth It

A baby is a small member of the animal kingdom that will make love stronger, days shorter, nights longer, bank roll smaller, home happier, clothes shabbier, the past forgotten and the future worth living.

Bible on Antelope Skin

"Books Before Typography" says: "The famous Alexandrian codex, one of the earliest known copies of the Bible, is written on antelope skin."

Summing It Up

Be true to your best! Genus is only great pains.

Temptation

We are not tempted when we are weak, but when we are strong.—American Magazine.



Astonishing . . . easy way to make Wash-

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YES—here at last is freedom! You can have more time to do those things you like to do. . . . Because the new Fedelco Washer cleans clothes safely and quickly—just five minutes to the tubful!

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