## Development Moving Forward in Baird Shallow Field

Claude Stublefield Flores (Special Correspondent to The Star)

MARCH 3, 1927

One good well to report this week. Drilling is very active, and a large number of new locations and good demands for leases. Most all land has been leased near the producing

Moutray Oil Company: Jack Flores No. 14, came in Tuesday evening. No. 14 was shot Wednesday and the oil flowed several hundred feet into the air. This well is estimated to make from 75 to 100 barrels per day. No. 14 was finished at 762 1-2 feet. Moutray Oil Company: Jack Flores

No. 15, drilling at 640 feet. Moutray Oil Company: John Flores No. 14, drilling at 630 feet.

Valley Oil Company: Ace Hickman No. 9, drilling at 400 feet.

Mississippi Valley Oil Company: R. H. Seale No. 1, drilling at 1850 feet. Hunmble Oil & Refining Company: Ace Hickman No. 1, drilling at 865

Shaw & Others: Joe Crutchfield No. 1, drilling at 940 feet.

NEW LOCATIONS On John Blakley ranch, No.1. Moutray Oil Company: Jack Flores

No. 16 and No. 17. Moutray Oil Company: John Flores No. 15 and No. 16. Moutray Oil Company: Claude

Flores No. 3 and No. 4. Valley Oil Company: Ace Hickman

Humble Oil & Refining Company:

Ace Hickman No. 2. New location on the Higgins farm. and several new locations on the Beasley ranch, in the new addition to the Baird, Shallow field.

PERSONALS Mr. Henry Seale, of Bryan, is the

guest of his neices, the Missess Seale

on the Seale ranch. Miss Jerry Schoott,, of Cisco, was

the week-end guest at the Seale ranch. Mrs. Burt and daughter, Bettie, and Misses Ruth Akers and Ella Moore d to Fort Worth Wednesday for a few days.

## District Court

Court convened Monday at Baird, with the following officers present: M. S. Long, District Judge; J. R. Black, District Attorney; Harvey Brown, Court Stenographer; Mrs. Hughes, Sheriff. GRAND JURY

Earl Hayes, Foreman.

L. M. Farmer, Secretary. J. A. Reed, J. F. Alexander, Floyd Coffey, Charley Barr, W. M. Wylie, W. H. Boatwright, Otto Betcher

R. E. Clark. Four indictments for fellony; one woman, Mrs. Frank Day, indicted for bootlegging liquor, cash bond, \$1500.

#### MISS HAZEL REYNOLDS ENTERTAINS H. O. P. CLUB

Dr. R. L. Griggs, Friday night Febspent by those present.

## SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM birthday book for the honoree.

March 6, 1927. Topic: Building True Character. Privilege:

Chisel:, Dorothy Boydstun. 3. God's Providences

Alyce Hooper. 4. Service Continues to Character: Glenn McGowen.

5. Christ, Our Good Samaritan:

6. The Carpenter's Comment: Lelia Lassiter.

Go Into Our Character: Madge Holmes. Everyone is urged to be present.

Carlyne, little daughter of Mrs. her neice, Miss Mildred Smith, of Olds is survived by his wife and Kate Hearn, is reported very ill with Spur, who is seriously ill at the Bap-several children. We regret to learn Cross Plains, visited relatives here the dead than alive, first of the week.

Methodist Revival Will Program and Banquet American Legion Start Sunday Morning is Arranged for Oil Belt



REV. FRANK NEAL

Rev Neal will be in Baird Sunday morning, and will preach at the Methodist Church during the two weeks Revival. He is a General Evangelist of the Methodist Church, and because of his ability and success he is in demand from coast to coast. The revival will begin Sunday. Services at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., daily.You are invited to attend and take part in the meeting.



FRED POULTER Gospel Singer

Mr Poulter will have charge of the chorus at the revival at the Methodist Church, beginning next Sunday. He is a Gospel singer of many years ex-Kate Hearn, District Clerk; Everett perience and has been with Rev. Neal for ten years or more. If you sing you are invited to help in the choir. If you do not sing, you are invited to hear Mr. Poulter and his choir.

## Armstear, Ed Henderson, Tom Mrs. Homer Driskill Entertains in Honor of Her Mother

Mrs. Homer D. Driskill, entertained last Tuesday afternoon, at her beautiful new home, in West Baird, in honor of her mother, Mrs. M. Franklin, who celebrated her 70th birthday on that date. Two interesting contests were The H. O. P. Club met with Miss held, Mrs. T. E. Powell won the first Hazel Reynolds at the home of Mrs. prize and Mrs. H. A. McWhorter, second prize in the first contest. In ruary 18th, Washinton's birthday, was the second contest, Mrs. Fulton won observed. The evening was pleasently first prize and Mrs. Will S. Hinds, second. Each guest was asked to write a wish which was placed in the

The birthday cake with it's 70 candles, was then brought in and Mrs. Judith Mayes. the candles, each representing a year Besse Mae Gillette. basket of pink and green laden with 2. Character and the Sculptor's many gifts, was brought in by little Jimmie Shaw.

V. E. Jones, H. A. Lones, W. T. all good, clean throughout and will and Mrs. W. E. Gilliland, of Baird. Wheeler, W. H. Smith, A. W. Yell, intertain you. "Folk's they are good." J. H. Laird, E. M. Wristen, M. G. 7. What Enduring Material Should Farmer, J. McCoy, Cliff Hill, Price ALF OLDS DIES McFarlane, J. R. McFarlane, S. E. Jones, Cora L. Estes, H. H. Shaw, Miss Madge Holmes Will S. Hinds, Clarence West, J. A.

# District Convention in

be present for the banquet.

Star Telegram) "On The Air"., Max officers were installed: Bentley, of the Abilene News on the subject "Press and Progress", Col R. L. Penick, of Stamford on "Whirlwind Poultry Shows", Arthur P. Duggan, President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, "Problems of West Texas", Ollie B. Webb, Assistant to the President of the Texas & Pacific Railway on "The Point of View," Hon W. R. Ely, State Highway Commission on the subject "Hiways and By-Ways" Two minutes talk will be made by representatives from visiting towns. There will be other talks from such men as A. B. Spencer of Fort Worth, W. P. Hallmark, of Dublin, and Col. R. H. McCarty, of Albany.

The Banquet will be served prompt Association will receive the profit. money to beautify the school ground often in the future. or in such other way that they see fit.

Mesdames H. H. Shaw, J. H. Terrell and W. T. Wheeler were hostess to Ladies of Church of the Woman's Missionary Society of afternoon at the home of Mrs. Shaw.

Two cleverly arranged contests were enjoyed by the guests, the prizes going to Mrs. Brown Jones and Mrs. To further a recent study on Japan,

Mrs. Homer Tatum, assisted by sereral ladies, gave a Japanese prayer. The afternoon's pleasure was concluded by the serving of dainty refreshments by the hostesses who were assisted by Mrs. Tatum, Miss Mae

Claire Wheeler and Jimmie Shaw. Despite the bad weather, this affair was largely attended by the members and the following guests: Mesdames Harrison, Landingham, Irby, McIntosh Joiner, Lydia and Hall.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Program For March 6, 1927. Subjeca: Stewardship. Leader: Oleta White.

Song. Scripture Reading: Matt. 25; 14-Grace Jackson. Brother Yell Prayer:

Stewardship of Time: Mildred Warner. Stewardship of Opportunity:

Vermon Johnson. Stewardship of Communion: Ressa Faye Enoch.

Song. Benediction.

Brunks Comedians, well known and Those who were present on this de- in Baird each night. These people

## IN CALIFORNIA Star.

Alf H. Olds, a brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Atkenson and little Tuesday in Abilen,e at the bedside of on last Thursday, February 24th. Mr.

## Installs Officers

Baird, March 23rd. Eugene Bell No. 82, of the American Fire Dept. held it's Annual Banquet in Legion held their annual banquet and the main Show Room of Shaw Motor From every indication the Oil Belt also public installation of officers in Company with about 100 persons District Convention of the West the basement of the Methodist Church present. A nice program was ren-Texas Chamber of Commerce which On account of the bad weather, dered by local talent that every one will be held in Baird March 23rd will State Commander, R. C. Winters and enjoyed. be a record breaker. Word has been the Abilene Delegation and Ben J. Chief Brundage and the two ex- is willing to help in every way posreceived from Stamford the head- Dean from Breckenridge were unable chiefs present. Chief Schwartz and sible. They now have committees out quarters of the West Texas Chamber to attend. The banquet was served Chief Harry Jones of Ranger, were soliciting chickens, potatoes, salads, of Commerce that at least 500 would by W. P. Kershner, Rev Cal C. Wright somewhat surprised when the boy's pies, cakes and other things that help acting toastmaster with the "the three presented unexpectidly to them to- to make a good meal. A very constructive program has Methodist preachers, Rev. Cal C. kens of appreciation for their past been outlined and one that should draw Wright, of Baird; Rev. Price, of services. A gold badge was presen- are offering their help in the way of a large crowd. B. M. Whiteker, Putnam, and Rev. Brabham, Cross ted to Chief Brundage in behalf of giving chickens, potatoes etc. The Agriculture Manager of the West Plains, as principal speakers, for the the boys of the department by Chief ladies certainly do appreciate their Texas Chamber of Commerce will talk occasion, but all three being real Schwartz who made a wonderful help, especially in giving chickens. on the "Object of District Conventions' buddies, they knew how to entertain speech and after, a musical number We feel that there are others that Col. C. C. French, of Fort Worth "A the crowd and their talks were very was rendered. Chief Jones and Chief would like to help and we suggest New Basis of Wealth." D. H. Van interesting. W. S. Parks, formerly Schwartz were also very pleasently that you get in touch with the Pelt, Sales Manager Universal Mills of Tulsa, Okla., Post, but now a mem- surprised when James Asbury in a Chamber of Commerce or Mrs. G. W. on "Poultry and Prosperity," Harrold ber of Eugene Bell Post, had charge few short words presented them each Porter, Chairman, representing the Hough (The Hired Hand Fort Worth of the installation and the following with a beautiful fountain pen around Parent-Teachers Association. A lit-

Ashby White, Commander.

Commander. W. J. Bennett, Adjutant.

Royce Gilliland, Finance Officer. B. O. Brame, Publicity. Vernon King, Sgt-at-arms.

mostly "K P Duty."

eral minutes facing West in silent ly applauded. prayer in honor of the buddies "gone

Entertains Missionary | wre several cakes lft which were sold Society of M. E. Church Some \$35 was raised for the ladies. the money going to the Auxillery.

## the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church on Monday Christ, Pledge Support to Baird C. of C.

to publically express our willingness, south of The Star office to Market Tenn, conveying the news of the death

is, can come a Greater Baird to be." work depends upon the attitude of the in the town of Baird should make every day a "Ralley Dayy" for the upbuilding of our town. To the Chamber of Commerce, we extend our appreciation for honors and privileges conferred:

Mrs. W. T. Hensley Mrs. Fred Hart Mrs. J. F. Boren Mrs. R. F. Mayfield Mrs. Jim Smedley Mrs. Roy D. Williams.

## MARRIED

Franklin made a wish and blew out BRUNKS COMEDIANS HERE the Methodist Church. Rev Cal C. to entertain. Wright, officiating. The young 1. True Character is a Christian's of a life well spent. A large wicker LARGE CROWD EACH NIGHT couple were accompanied by Mrs. night, as the Methodist Meeting will Gilliland, Ila Fae Guffey and Jewell we will have no night services, until Miss Helen Fulton, and Master popular players in this section of the Grimes. The bride is the youngest the meeting is over. state, are playing to a crowded house daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bennett, of Baird, and the groom is lightful occasion were: Mesdames are giving Theatre goers in Baird a son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Price, end with her father, Mr. Hart, at Whorter, J. B. Cutbirth, J. Y. Gilliland shown in our town, their plays are in Van Horn, and a grand-son, of Mr. The young couple will continue to

make their home here, where Mr. Price has a position with The Baird

Miss Madge Holmes and Willie Flores-Barnhill. Mrs. Mose Franklin, of Baird, and a son, Judson, of Pampa, are visiting Baird for several years, was found to rtheir kindness and sympathy in pioneer resident of Callahan County, Mrs. Atkenson's brother's M. J. and dead in bed yesterday morning about the death of our father and brother,
Mrs. R. L. Elliott spent Monday and died at his home in Bakersfield, Calif. C. B. Holmes, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Carleton I. Powell, of ofted remarked that he was more

## Baird Fire Boy's Hold Parent-Teachers

Last Monday night the local post Wednesday night the Baird Vol.

words "Presented to Chieff" with their vention over in good shape. Fred Heyser, Putnam, 1st Vice name "From the boys of the Baird Fire Dept."

Mr. Schwartz was the principal speaker on the program and Mr. Judge W. C. White, Post Historian. Tatum, Secretary of the Chamber of

The Baird Volunteer Fire Depart- wife, who died in August 1921.

#### STREETS OF BAIRD PRESENT LIVELY SCENES

The streets of Baird present lively scenes these days, more oil machinery We, the undersigned, as represen- of all kinds; more strangers in town

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. W. Yell, Minister.

Services at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 a. m.. 101 in Sunday Skawhegan, Maine. They spent one School last Sunday, this is fine. Some few more in Sunday School than members in Church. Come on and help us reach our goal next Sunday. We thank the Band Boy's for their nice program. Too we thank the many in 1887, and Mrs. Burrill and daughyoung people for remaining for church ters moved to Oxford, Ohio some years

The Christian Church will meet at Mr. Robert G. Price and Miss Inez 6:30. The total points are as follows was very loyal to "The Star" being Bennett, were united in marriage, in the contest: The Reds, 2935, and sunday morning, February 27, 1927, the Whites, 2590. Next Sunday ends ways read it with a great deal of at 9 o'clock in the pastor's study at it, so work fast, some one will have pleasure."

We will have no preaching Sunday

T. E. Powell E. C. Fulton, H. A. Mc- one of the best line of plays ever formerly of Baird, but who now live Zephyr, Brown County. Mr. Hart friends here, that her eldest daughter was right badly hurt by a fall, a few Gertrude was married to Dr. Bush, a weeks ago.

## A. R. Spitzer, Dead

in ill health for a long time and lately

## Annual Banquet | Association to Have Charge of Banquet

The ladies of the Parent-Teachers Association will have charge of serving the banquet for the Oil Belt District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The report

which was a gold band bearing the the help by everybody will put the con-

## G. W. Burkett Dies

Mr. G. W. Burkett, fother of Mrs. Commerce, also made a very interest- V. W. Heard, died at the home of Mr. ing talk. Miss Ruth Simons gave a and Mrs. Heard Tuesday evening, Mar. Several talks were made by the reading which pleased those present 1st following an illness of several buddies present, on "how I came to very much, and the vocal numbers by weeks. Funeral services were held join . the army" and experiences, Mrs. H. H. Shaw, and musical num- at the Church of Christ Wednesday bers by Mr. Buckinhan, Mr. Johnson afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by The entire gathering stood for sev. and Miss Condron were enthusiastic- the pastor, Rev. R. C. Bell, and the body laid to rest by the side of his

west". Commander Dice of the Cross ment has made a good record for the The pall bearers were: Floyd, Geo. Plains Post and several buddies at- past ten or fifteen years and the boys Edgar and John Burkett, of Mullins, ly at 12:15 at the Tabernacle. A price tended which was very commendable are to be commended for their efforts Texas, all nephews of the deceased of \$1.00 will be made for the meal of the boys owing to the weather and and accomplishments. The equipand in case there is any profit made roads. Several buddles from Putnam ment on hand has about served its Luther Jackson, of Abilene. Mr. from the banquet the Parent-Teachers were also present and owing to the time and considering the apparatus Burkett, was born October 5, 1852, good roads between Baird and Putnam they have to work with, the boys have being in his 75th year, at the time of We understand that they will use the local post is expecting them quite done excedingly well. If we expect his death. He has made his home to have protection from fires, we must with his daughter, Mrs. Heard, for the The Ladies Auxillery furnished the provide the boys who fight the fires past year. Mrs. E. Guffey, of Lock-The Ladies Auxiliery furnished the cakes etc, for the banquet and after the 100 present had been fed there they can give their time, ruin their Burkett, of O'Donnell, a son, were here clothes and risk their lives to save for some days before their fathr died, our property, we certainly should also his brother, J. H. Burkett, of give them good equipment as money Clyde. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jackson can buy to help protect our property. of Abilene, and Miss Berdie Burkett, of Mullins, were here to attend the

#### MRS. M. P. BURRILL DIES IN OXFORD, OHIO

The Star is in receipt of a letter tatives of The Church of Christ, wish than ever known before. The street from Mr. T. H. Carlisle, of Memphis, and desire to co-operate with the street shows more evidence oil activ- of Mrs. Mary Parlin Burriell, at her Chamber of Commerce of the town of ity perhaps, than any other street in home in Oxford, Ohio, on Saturday, Baird and become an auxilery to same town, mainly because the Putnam February 19, 1927, at 12:30 p. m. The great Spirit of public improve- Supply Company's ware house is lo- The letter reads: Mrs. Burrell had vent now prevalent in our town, makes cated on the south side of this street. been ill for about three weeks. She us confident there is something in the Then the only black smith shop in had recovered from a slight stroke of philosophy "That from the Baird that town, owned by R. E. Bounds, is lo-paralysis, but had a relapse caused by cated on the corner east of this ware physical weakness, and she gradually The bold fact that the success of this house. Then comes the gang of drifted to the "Great Beyond". Her workmen, laying water pipe and other daughter, Mrs. Mayme Burrill Neal, individuals of the town, we feel that improvemnts going on. Yes, Baird her grand-daughter, Gertrude Burrill we in co-operation with every citizen is certainly going forward these days. Neal, and her brother, Fred Parlin, survive her.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burrill, with their two daughters, Gurtrude and Mayme, joined Mrs. Burrill's brother, Fred Parlin, in Callahan County, during the summer, of 1884, coming from year on the old Watt's ranch on Pecan Bayou. The Burrells moved to Baird during the fall of 1885, renting and conducting the Sigal House. Mr. Burrill died and was buried in Baird after. Mrs. Burrill, was very fond of Baird and her friends there. She

We are very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Burrill. There are a number of old friends here, who will join The Star in extending sincere sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

Mrs. Burrill, during her residence Mrs. Sam McClendon spent the week here was always active in welfare work. It will be remebmered by few years after leaving Baird, and died a few years later.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere A. R. Spitzer, woh has been around thanks to our friends and neighbors

> Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Heard Mr. and Mrs. John R. Burkett Mr. and Mrs. E. Guthe J. H. Burkett.

#### **TENANTS CHARGED** BY YARD IN RUSSIA

#### dlord Also Considers the Size of Salarics.

Moscow.-In Russia rooms are rentby the yard and paid for on the sis of a tenant's weekly wage. Bolevism has evolved a rent law unilleled anywhere else.

he commissioner of health estabdished a minimum space necessary for wholesome life for one person. This is called the "minimum norm." Any worker is entitled to this living space, and pays for it in proportion to his

When two or more persons live tother, all earning money, the rate of ent for their room is fixed by the largest salary earned by one of its inhabitants. This makes the "nepor private business men, exemely unpopular as tenants, because It drives up the rent of all in their apartments to the higher level of their

But the "nepmen" are popular among co-operative house-building organizations, of which there are now 450 in Moscow. To make both ends meet on the small payment of \$50 required of members of co-operatives, one-tenth of the available living space in co-operative houses usually is sold or rented to nonmembers. Naturally, "nepmen" are preferred because, compared to others, they have such a large amount of money.

Besides what they can get from the "nepmen," the housing co-operatives are assisted by state funds, which are generally loaned to them at 2 per cent Interest, with repayment in forty-five

"minimum norm" officially declared able to support one life in good condition is fixed at about 7 by 7 feet, which can under certain condicondition is fixed at about 7 by tions be increased to about 10 by 10 feet. Many concessions and exceptions are made, such as for students, whose rent is only five cents a month for each "minimum norm" they occupy,

## Tapestries, Once Pope's,

New York .- Tapestries which once decorated the palace of a pope, and which are valued at \$300,000, soon may be hung in St. Patrick's cathedral here. The World learned recently that wealthy New York Catholics are considering purchase of one or more of the tapestries for presentation to the cathedral.

Woven in the Seventeenth century on the pre-Gobelin looms of De la Planche from designs drawn by Rubens, the set was presented by Louis XIII of France to Cardinal Barberini. who later became Pope Urban VIII. For years they hung in the Barberini palace at Rome

The set, of which seven survive, were brought to this country by Mrs. Rosa Lewis, English hotel owner, who acquired them from Mrs. Benjamin Guiness of the English brewing fam-11y, who bought them from the descendants of the Barberini family. Mrs. Lewis brought them here to sell, tors almost constantly. and has already received offers for individual pieces, but it is hoped to keep the whole set together.

estries made in France.

on exhibition at the Grand Certral Art

## Says Friends Know You

on .- "It is possible to distinproceeded to demonstrate.

the television system were received as have been removed. sounds by telephone or radiophone each object or scene having its corresponding vibration,

In his demonstration he used pictures of various persons, and then of a matchbox, a pair of scissors, a hat sound like a saw, another like a pneumatic riveter, while the hat purred softly. The cabbage's image emitted a noise like a man gargling.

These sounds, Mr. Baird said, formed permanent records from which the original images could be reproduced.

## Factory Hands Better

Paid Than Office Help New York .- Factory workers and other manual laborers receive an average higher wage than office employees, according to a survey of the national industrial conference board. made public here recently. Weekly wages of the first type of employees averaged \$2 a week more than those of clerical workers, the analysis revealed. The office salary study was based on earnings in twenty occupational classifications of office workers. The data for the survey was gathered in eighteen cities and was collected sep-

arately for men and women. 000000000000000000000

## U. S. LONGEST TUNNEL **NEARING COMPLETION**

## Greatest Engineering Feat of Modern Times.

Tolland, Colo.-When drillers boring from each side of the Continental divide near Tolland meet in the center of James peak within the next few weeks, consummation of one of the greatest engineering feats of modern times will have taken place.

A force of 700 men is laboring daily to rush completion of the gigantic project known as Moffatt tunnel this spring. When finished it will extend slightly more than six miles, making it the longest tunnel in the United States. Passing directly under one of the highest peaks of the Continental divide, it will open up the long isolated Moffatt country, a virgin territory larger than the state of New York, and will save approximately twelve hours' running time between Denver and Salt Lake City, on opposite side of the Rocky mountain

#### To Be Ready July 1.

Unless more unforeseen difficulties arise, the tunnel will be ready for the first train to pass through it on July 1.

At present trains crossing the di vide are forced to climb a winding mountain trail more than 30 miles long before they arrive at Corona, on top of the range, 11,666 feet above sea level. Trains passing through Corona, a town which consists merely of a telegraph operator's hut, entirely inclosed by a snow shed, move on the highest standard-gauge tracks in the

For several months in the year traffic often is stopped for days at a time because of heavy snowfalls on the right of way. The chief operating expense of the line, according to its annual report, is caused by the necessity for almost constant use of snow-

removal equipment. When the Moffatt tunnel is completed all of these difficulties will be eliminated. Trains will travel on almost level ground until they come to May Come to New York the entrance of the tunnel. There they will start climbing a gentle grade straight through the Continental divide and more than two miles be low ground. When they get to the middle of the tunnel the grade will change and they will gradually go downward and out into the open coun-

try beyond. The tunnel, expected to cost \$10,000, 000 before it is completed, is being financed by the countles it will serve. The railroad using the bore, in turn will repay the counties affected. The rental scale will be graduated to provide for the expected increased earning capacity of the road after the new route has been in use several years.

Almost insurmountable difficulties have been passed so far by engineers constructing the mammoth hole. Such obstacles as soft rock, requiring extensive and permanent timbering, and underground rivers, which had to be pumped away, have faced the contrac-

## Strike Subterranean River.

At one place, for instance, an unknown subterranean river was struck The seven tapestries, all excellently It filled the tunnel as rapidly as the preserved, represent scenes from the pumps would empty it. Finally it was life of the Emperor Constantine, first | noticed that Crater lake, high up in Christian ruler of the world. Nearly the mountains, was becoming lower. a century was needed to complete the | Engineers dropped several tons of colentire set, one of the first famous tap- oring matter into the lake. When they went down to the tunnel they discov-The sum needed to purchase the ered that the water swirling through tapestries would be about \$300,000. It was the same color as that in the Until they are sold five of them are lake above. The lake almost vanished before the contractors were able to stop its rushing flow through the tun-

Some idea of the stupendous size of the project may be gained from the by Noise of Your Face latest construction figures. Seven hundred miles of holes have been drilled; your face from other people's 2,500,000 pounds of blasting powder faces by the noise it makes," said J. used; 11,000,000 board feet of timber, L. Baird, the televisor inventor, in a corresponding to 2,000 miles of planks lecture here the other night. He then an inch thick and a foot wide, have been put in place; 800,000 pounds of He explained that he had discov- drill steel have been consumed, and ered that transmissions of pictures by more than 3,000,000,000 tons of rock

#### Alberta's Silver Foxes Found of High Value

Clairmont, Alb.-Silver foxes reared in the Peace river country of northand a cabbage. One face made a ern Alberta are attaining a remark able reputation for quality, and fox farms in many sections of the United States and Canada now have stock taken from this district.

Alfred Fraser, a prominent New Yorker, once saw in New York four pelts from the ranch of F. E. Turner of Clairmont consigned to London, and was so struck with their quality that he delegated a representative to the Peace river country to secure live silver foxes. A big trade has since been built up in supplying breeding foxes. Last year Turner shipped 80 consignments to all parts of the continent.

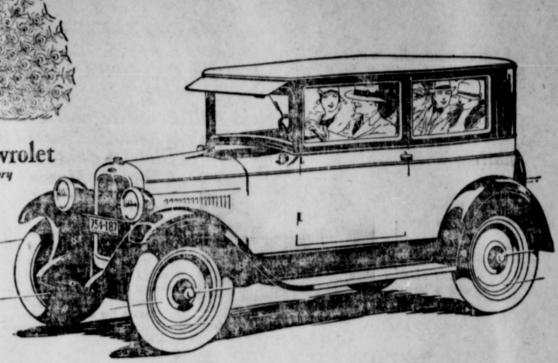
#### 100 Eagles Attack Flock of Sheep, Kill Forty-two

Moscow .- A great flock of mountain eagles, darkening the sky, swooped down on the meadows of the Dagestan republic and killed forty-two sheep in mass attack, according to word received by the Soviet commissary of agriculture. The terrified shepherds, accustomed to beating off the attacks of single eagles, fled when the big birds descended on their flocks in mass formation. It was estimated that at lease 100 eagles participated in the raid from the sky.



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#### Low Lunar Gravity Would Increase Gun Range.

Washington .- If men from the earth were ever able to reach the moon, by the methods of Jales Verne or H. G. Wells, they would engage in warfare in a way unprecedented on the earth, for the ordinary 75-millimeter field gun would shoot three times as far there as did the German long range gun that bombarded Paris during the

Though the range of the 75 is about 13,000 yards on the earth, on the moon this would be about 250 miles, Dr. Fred E. Wright petrologist of the geophysical laboratory of the Carnegie institution of Washington, said in a

Could Fire 3,400 Miles. With the long-range gun that bombarded Paris from a point about seventy miles away, and had a muzzle velocity of about a mile a second, the lunar gunner could fire nearly half way around the moon, 3,400 miles. If the gun were pointed directly upward its shell would reach a height of a thousand miles above the lunar surface. At a muzzle velocity of a little less than a mile and a half a second, which is not beyond the realms of possibilty, the projectile could be ared

or some other planet if desired. For n projectile to leave the earth it would have to be fired at a velocity of eighteen miles per second, or at nearly seven miles a second if the earth had no atmosphere.

Doctor Wright has made these studies of the diminished force of gravity and lack of atmosphere on the moon's surface in connection with the work of a Carnegie institution committee of astronomers, mathematicians and ge ologists who are collaborating in an effort to learn about the earth's sat-

"The geologist, accustomed as he is to working with conditions as they exist on the earth's surface, finds himself in a different kind of world when he studies the moon," said Doctor Wright. "The force of gravity to which he is accustomed being so much less, many phenomena would be dif ferent. For example, volcanoes on the earth throw rocks only a short distance, so that they often fall back into the crater from which they came. But moon volcanoes would throw material much farther. The result would be that the inside floor of the volcanic craters would be lower than the outer surface, just the opposite of the earthly volcanic conditions. Also the craters would be much larger than any on the earth. Telescopic observation shows that both of these condi-

tions actually occur.

"Another point of marked difference is the lack of erosion forms on the

moon. Wante so many of the eartniy surface features are the result of weathering by wind and water, the moon is without atmosphere and moisture and these forms are absent."

Measures Gravity on Earth. Doctor Wright has also been investigating the force of gravity of the earth and is developing a new form of apparatus for measuring its intensity. The standard way of doing it is with a very accurate pendulum, but the method is complicated and a week or more is required to set up the apparatus at any one place and make the readings. The new instrument. which measures the twisting of a spiral tungsten spring due to the earth's attraction, gives promise of permitting readings comparable in accaracy with the pendulum to be made he a few hours

## Navy Officer Sues

Washington.-Rear Admiral Bradley Fiske charges that the navy has infringed his patents for shooting submarine torpedoes from airplanes. He is suing Mr. Wilbur and several officlals of the Navy department for a quarter of a million.

## Home for Widows

Constantinople.—Constantinople has dedicated a new widows' home, the first institution of its kind in Turkey

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#### **NEW WING PLANNED** FOR U. S. CAPITOL

Building, Begun in 1783, to Have Extension.

Washington.-The capitol, as it stands today, is a symbol of the nation's growth. It has passed through three major stages of expansion, and is yet to be completed through extension of the central part of the east front to give it better architectural balance with the present senate and house sections.

This vast white monument, covering 153,113 square feet, embraces the first capitol of the United States, a modest, almost plain structure about 120 feet long and 100 feet wide, once large enough to accommodate the senate, the house, the Supreme court and the Library of Congress, but now too small for the court and its library.

Funds were scarce when the young government set out in 1793 to build its capitol after a design by Dr. William Thornton, calling for a domed rotunda, a portico and two wings, so it was decided to erect first only the north wing. That was completed in 1800 and congress, the court and the library moved in. "The Oven," a temporary round brick structure, was put up the next year on the site of the house wing, the permanent structure of which was not finished until 1811, three years before both wings were burned by the British. After repairs had been made, work was begun on the rotunda, and the capitol visioned by Thornton was completed in 1827.

It then proved adequate until shortly before the Civil war, when it became necessary to build the present senate and house extensions. Subsequently the library was given a building of its own, and large office buildings were erected for senators and representatives. The library and the house office building are already overcrowded.

When the senate moved into its extension in 1859, the Supreme court acquired the old senate chamber, and only recently have its members been willing to contemplate leaving that room where Webster, Clay, Calhoun, many of the great of the early republic, made history with words, A new site has been selected for a Supreme court building east of the capitol, near the Library of Congress.

#### Depicts Future Man as Bodily Ugly, Brainy

Philadelphia .- "A bald-headed, tooth less, chinless, thin-shouldered, spindlelegged individual," was the futuristic portrait of the average person of the next generation painted for the Philadelphia Physical Education association by James E. Rogers, director of the National Physical Education Service of New York city.

But the man of the future, though ne may have lost all claim to beauty, will be well equipped with brains, Mr.

Rogers added. The one way to avoid having his

futuristic sketch become a reality, the speaker added, was for the present running." He indicated that a school p. m.. Ladies Senior Class meets on day lengthened to conform with the each Tuesday at 3 p. m. present business day, to provide a more complete recreation program tend the services. and foster "educational athletics as against spectator athletics," would be a welcome step in American educa tional methods.

#### 45 Days on Trail to Get to Seat in Legislature

who complain of over-night travel to Alaska legislature. Gaffney is now dogs. When he reaches Nenana behind his team he will take the government railroad to Seward. From there it is a steamer ride to Juneau. The legislature convenes at Juneau the first Tuesday in March and Gaffney calculates with 45 days start to just about make it.

## London Street Is Paved With Blocks of Rubber

Washington.-The first thoroughfare to be constructed of rubber is now in use in London. Blocks consisting of rubber caps, vulcanized to a brick base, have been laid in New Bridge street, a road subjected to heavy traffic, and, according to cable 11-tf. reports to the Department of Commerce, have proved successful.

## Famous Irish Castle Will Be Abandoned

Belfast .- A recent decision of the war office to abolish Carrickfergus castle as a military station makes very uncertain the future of one of the most historic spots in the British

The castle is situated on the shore of Belfast lough and was founded in 1128 by Sir John de Courcy, one of the Norman invaders, and was for centuries the scene of much strife between Ireland and England.

King William the Third landed there in 1690 on his way to the Boyne and some years later the French privateer Thurot was captured there.



## HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE IN THE MENU

this reason, as well as because all of us like pineapple, our winter dinner menus should contain plenty of this healthful fruit. Fortunately, Hawaiian pineapple may be served in any course in the meal, and since it becomes a different dish when dressed in a different costume, we can readily use pine-

sounds very enchanting and proves to be a wondrous way to begin a good meal. Just remove the skins from three bananas, cut in quarters lengthwise and slice in quarters. Arrange in cocktail or sherbet glasses. Pour icecold, crushed Hawaiian pineapple, olive and place in center, trimming the contents of a large can, over underside to make it fit. Garnish with mayonnaise.

Then, if the dessert is to be a content of Paradise Islands where it originated. Bake a thin sheet of plain cake. Cut into six rounds the sizes of pineapple slices. Frost the rims with frosting made with three-fourths cup confectioner's sugar, one teaspoon orange juice and one teaspoon pineapple juice from a large can of sliced Hawaiian pineapple. Place a slice of pineapple cup to each serving. Garnish with

costume, we can readily use pineapple in two or maybe three, of our dinner courses.

Suppose we start a dinner with a South Sea Island Fruit Cup. It sounds very enchanting and proves to be a wondrous way to begin a coloring and cavenne penper have installed. Another salad, if you wish something a little more ornate for your when ready to use it immediately. Once the steamer and steam for thirty minutes. Serve hot with hard sauce. Oahu pineapple cake is a delicious dessert which is reminiscent of Paradise Islands where it originated. Belong the steamer and steam for thirty minutes. Serve hot with hard sauce.

MOST of us have the habit of wanting what we want when we want it. Especially during the cold days we crave plenty of rich foods in the way of meats, roasts, curries, rich sauces, all the foods we like, but which really are generally much too rich for our digestions.

Too often we can't have some of the things we want, but there is probably no reason why we can't eat all of these delicious meats we want, if our cold weather dinners are carefully balanced.

Pineapple, for instance, has been found by science to be invaluable as an aid in digesting meats. For this reason, as well as because all of the like pineapple are winter to and one cup to make the pineapple form a medium size can, drained and slit across with a sharp knife so that it can be easily divided by the salad fork, yet does not show the cutting until eaten. Rub a fresh cream cheese through a ricer or colander on the pineapple so that it stands up in light delicated for the pineapple, for instance, has been gently put in the hole of the pineapple, for instance, has been gently put in the hole of the pineapple, for instance, has been gently put in the hole of the pineapple, for instance, has been gently put in the hole of the pineapple, for instance, has been gently put in the hole of the pineapple as an aid in digesting meats. For this reason, as well as because all of the pineapple stand of vinegar. The combined for the pineapple and one-half cup raisins, one-fourth cup citron and one cup cup currants, one-half cup raisins, one-fourth cup citron and one cup can deal therefore more "kalanced." Ha-waiian Plum Pudding is the best of this kind:

Cream one-fourth cup butter, add one cup brown sugar and one egg well beaten. Heat one-half cup the contents of one medium can content the contents of one medium can content the pineapple and one-half cup raisins, one-fourth teaspoon cloves, one-fourth teaspoon cone-half cup raisins, one-half cup raisins, one-fourth cap contents of the pineapple and one-half cup raisins, one-fourth cup citron and one-half cup fo

cup to each serving. Garnish with a candied cherry and serve immediately.

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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall Nome, Alaska.—State legislators to complain of over-night travel to County, Texas on Saturday the 12th reach the capital, have only one day of March, A. D. 1927 for the forty-fifth the troubles of Thomas purpose of electing a Mayor to serve Gaffney, representative-elect to the the unexpired term of J. R. Black, resigned and one Alderman to serve mushing outbound from here with the unexpired term of L. Rubio, resigned. Said election having been City of Baird at a meeting of said Court of Callahan County, Texas, an time and low rate. Total payment re-Council held on the 8th day of Feb- application for Letters of Temporary ruary, A. D. 1927.

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You are hereby notified, that Ferne Administration upon the Estate of only 6%. Edward R. Wilson, deceased, and on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1927, by order of the County Judge of said Callahan County, the said Ferne G. Wilson was appointed Temporary Administratrix of the Estate of said 36-tf. Edward R. Wilson, Deceased, and at the next regular term of said Court, LAUNDRY WORK: We are prepared Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, Yard. J. C. Neal, Clyde, Texas. at which time, all persons interested

TEMPORARY ADMINISTRATOR in the Welfare of said Estate are here-CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF by cited to appear and contest such appointment, if they so desire, and if such appointment is not contested at the said term of said Court, then the same shall become permanent.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court on the You are Hereby commanded, to first day of the next term thoreof, cause to be published once a week for this writ, with your return thereon ten days, exclusive of the First day of showing how you hav executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of circulation published in said County, said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, which has been continously and regperiod of not less than one year; the 12-3t.

S. E. Settle, Clerk, County Court, Callahan Co. Texas.

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The foreign relations of our govern ment is becoming more tangled every packed the room with 1,000 propaday. Mexico, China and Nicaragua ganda spectators, who loudly apall present vexed problems that re- plauded every attack on the bill, quire statesmanship to solve, without would interrupt, ridicule and jeer involving our country in war. We Committeemen who insisted that such believe our country should protect the hearing should be a proper one. Bloom lives and property of it's citizens any continually interrupted and insulted where on the globe, but should advise the Committee. Both Chairman Mc American's to get out and keep out Leod and Read of Chicago were of countries that raise only hell and against the bill, yet they repeatedly revolutions.

hunderd years ago that "China was a position witness testified that when sleeping giant, and that if it ever he took the oath of allegiance, ending woke up and realized it's power it with "So help me God", he crossed would be a menace to the peace of his fingers immentaly protest, as he the world." Well China is waking up and beginning to realize that the nations of the earth have robbed them on every hand. The United States is the only nation that ever treated China half way fair and right but now we have war ships and soldiers over there ready to land at Shanghai if Americans interest or people are threatened.

President Cooledge vetoed the socalled "farm relief bill" and no one is toward me. I caught both his wrists surprised. There was more politics and held him back against the table than anything else back of this bill, so he couldn't move. A Sunday that would if it had become a law Amusement Park owner named Sloss probably done the farmers more harm ran in to attack me, and was knocked than good. No cotton raisers need to the floor. Thus our Committee grieve over the death of this bill as controlled its own meeting and renot one chance in a thousand for it to benefit the cotton raiser therefore happened. And that night by a vote the cotton farmer has not lost any- of four to two we favorably reported thing. The wheat growers only ad- the bill. I don't like fights. I never ded cotton to secure votes in Congress engage in one unless it is forced on

the price of both products if they will If one don't fight here once in a reduce production. There are other while, he wouldn't do very much. farm products besides, wheat, corn, cotton and tobacco, that can be raised at profit. The farmers have the remedy in their own hands. Why not use it? Government aid to hold up prices on overproduction in wheat and cotton has gone glimmering for the present.

be made valid by a special law. We in the 1927 Almanac. hope that time will prove that we are Do you want to know what the vote each road district validate these bonds to the public. would meet all legal requirements.

bonds by either the Legislature or Representative you will find the

BLANTON'S SIDE OF THE STORY

February 21, 1927.

My Dear Editor:

You Believe in Fair Play. Because I have prevented Washington citizens from paying most of their civic expenses out of the U. S. Treasurery, and forced them to pay as other citizens do, the press here 8. 1887 at the Post Office at Baird, tries to punish me by never permitting any reference to my work, except that which is derogatory, to reach our Texas papers.

Here are the plain facts: For years our Committee has sought to pass a reasonable Sunday closing law for wirdeopen Washington. It is not a "blue law", but permits amusements to open between 2 and 7 P. M., is less \$1.50 drastic than any State now has, but .80 it provides one rest day each week for the hundreds of men and women now employed by Washington theatres, picture shows, dance halls, amuse ments parks, barber shops and other businesses. Millionaire owners of amusements from big cities have blocked us for years.

With Congress about to adjourn, our Committee wants to report the bill. We have pratiently heard all opposition. Cong. Sol Bloom, an interested millionaire from New York, has been heard for hours. He was not a member of the Committee, yet attended every session, interrupting the Committee, and leading the opposition.

On this morning, the opponents has called Bloom to order. Bloom had some buffalooed. A Government Napoleon I said more than one Printing Office employee as an opdidn't believe in any God, and he was loudly applauded. Another Bloom witness posing as a Baptist preacher claimed that he appeared for 11,000. 000 Baptist who were against any Sunday closing. Not believing him, McLeod, Read and myself challenged him to prove it, and Bloom again insulted the Committee. I told him that he mustn't let his New York amusement interests cause him to interrupt any more, and he said my statement wasen't true, and started sumed its hearing. That is all that from the cotton states to pass the bill. me. But when it is necessary to fight Wheat an dcotton growers can raise to perform one's duty, I don't run

> Very sincerely yours, Thomas L. Blanton. Hit him again Judge. We are with you.

## THE TEXAS ALMANAC

A copy of the 1927, Texas Almana and State Industrial Guide has been received at The Star office. This Before the Legislature adjourned publication, by the Dallas Morning some investigation of the validating News has a unique place in Texas of the road laws passed by the last history, back 70 years to 1857 when call session of the 39th Legislature. the first edition was published by the Possibly a Constitutional Amendment owners of the Galveston News. This may yet be required to validate the valuable publication with occasional bonds, if so no amendment unless sub- breaks, has continued to the present mitted at the present regular session time by the owners of the Galveston can be submitted for two years. It Dallas Nws. This Almanac ceontains would give Texas the worst black eye information about the industrial and it ever got, if the Courts should hold political history of Texas, not found that the laws passed by the Call in any other one volume publication. Session attempting to validate the Each year some new information is road bonds are null and void. We give. For instance, the scholastic never could understand how bonds population given by counties in the issued under a law that the United 1926 Almanac, the scholastic popu-States Supreme Court decided vio- lation of each Independent school dislated the federal constitution could trict of each county in Texas is given

wrong this one time, but we do not by county in the first and second believe that the special laws vali- Democratic primary in 1926? You dating illegal road bond's is worth find it in the 1927. You find this on the paper they are printed on. There pages 83 to 95. You cannot find this is a plain and simple way to vali- information anywhere else, except date these bond's that no court would in the files of state daily papers that question. A constitutional amend- published full returns of the primary ment providing that the people of election last year, and not available

The Texas Legislature is now in If there is any clause in our state session at Austin, you might want to constitution that permits validating know the name of some Senator or the voters, we do not recall it. I names of each Senator on pages 295 believe a little investigation by mem- to 296. We might fill two or three bers of the Legislature before the columns of The Star with brief notes regular session adjourns might save of information found in this book, but the people of Texas much trouble in it is not necessary. The price is very selling bonds hereafter. We want low, and really does not cover the these bonds paid to protect the honor actual cost of publication. Single and credit of Texas. We have no copies, paper cover60 cents; cloth bind faith in the special acts attempting ing, 85 cents, by mail. These Almato validate these road bonds. These nacs include two late maps of Texas, laws will certainly be tested in the We perfer cloth binding, as they last courts at an early date if one is not longer. Address the Dallas Morning already filed in a certain district.

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I ask my subscribers to help me out in this matter so that I will not be forced to borrow any money.

The more money I can pay on the first payment on the new press, the less I will have to pay on monthly installments.

I incurred heavy expense last year in purchasing a half interest in a new Model 14 Linotype. I wish to avoid more indebtedness, that is why I make this appeal to the friends of The Star.

I never asked anyone to give me anything nor do I ask it now.

I do ask that those knowing themselves indebted to me to pay up at once and I will greatly appreciate my friends helping me to secure at least 200 two year renewals, old

Read this over and if you wish to help me out, send me a check for \$2.50, stating whether new, or old Subscriber. If you live out side of Callahan County send \$3.50 for two y ears Subscription, (Subscription outside of County is \$2.00 per year.)

Very Respectfully,

W. E. Gilliland, Editor The Baird Star, Baird, Texas.

C. E. Barr, Cross Plains,

The response the first week was

really better than I had and reason to

hope for, owing to the fact that The

Star being late, did not reach some

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R. V. Newton, Baird,

## Honor Roll, They Are Coming!

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A. E. (Al) Young, Clyde,

F. L. Walker, Baird,

H. D. Taylor, Baird,

Virgil Ground, Onley,

V. W. Heard, Baird,

One thing we are striving for, as well as others is, better equipment to enable us to get a better print, not bad as it is, but we want to improve it 2.50 and get out on time every week, as 3.00 we used to do. Increased business makes more work with the same force. Improved and faster press will help. I do not expect all to pay two years 2.50 in advance to whom this circular is 3.00 mailed, but will give all a chance to 2.50 subscribe if they so desire. We are 2.50 spending lots of money on The Baird Star equipment and Job Department--2.50 large for a country paper, even in a 2.50 town three or four times as large as 2.50 Baird. This new press will run the 2.50 cost of new equipment in The Star 10.00 office for the past twelve months to something over \$8000.00, made abso-2.50 lutely necessary by the rapid changes 2.50 going up all around Baird. We have T. B. Harris, Panhandle, Tex., 3.50 on the subscription list many old sub-3.50 scribers who have paid regularly in

2.50 advance for 40 years, and five of them

of this offer.

SPECIAL NOTICE

If you have already paid in advance one year from January 1st, 1927, \$1.50 the one outstanding need of the town in county, or \$2.00 out of the county, first, now, is an old fashoned Holy if you wish to, you may extend your Gost Revival, when sinners will want subscription another year by sending to do right and will be afraid to do in \$1.00, in county, and \$1.50 out of wrong, when people will come to love fore April 1st, not after then.

I thank each one who has responded to our proposition and others who such a meeting to be had, one is have promised.

Remember that this offer ends

Sincerely yours,

W. E. Gilliland. Baird, Texas, Feb. 24, 1927.

# BRUNK'S Comedians

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#### were among those to take advantage A REVIVAL NEEDED. WHAT WILL WE DO ABOUT IT?

Every thoughtful right thinking person, living in Baird knows that county. Must be received on or be- each other better and the community will be more fit to live in.

There are some things needfull for prayers. Every great religious wakening that has ever come, has been the result of a long season of pervent praying. Another is for the people to give themselves to the meeting just take time to attend and give the Lord a chance at them. Another thing that must be for any successful revival effort is the hearty cooperation of all of the Christian people in the community. On the day of Pentacost they were all together and of one accord: that is all the Christians in Jersusalem were together and agreed on what they wanted; that was the coming of the Holy Spirit, they wanted that power, they all wanted that power and the Holy Spirit came upon them according to their unnanonous desire.

Now Brother Wright and his Church begin a meeting next Sunday, March 6th, at their church with a team to lead them, who has led many successful campaigns against sin and are coming here for the same purpose. No wthe question is, will we of Baird do our part? Will we put ourselves in that attitude before God, that he can bless us and our town? Will we give ousselves to this meeting in cooperation one with another, so that our effores can be used as a mighty force for good in this campaign.

I make this appeal to the Christians people of our town. Why not earnest ly pray and work together in and for this meeting to the end that we may have a real old fashioned revival, a thing that Baird needs badly indeed. My earnest word and solicitation is that we every one, do our best. I expect to, and I am sure that brother Yell will do the same, and hope and sincerely desire asy that every member of the Baptist Church in Baird, give themselves in co-operation in this meeting and help fight back the evil standing ready to wreck our homes and destroy the peace of our community. Certainly this is a time when we will all work together for one strong pull to redeem our town from the forces of inequity.

Joe R. Mayes.

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas, will receive bids at Baird, Texas, on March 14, 1927 for the purpose of purchasing one Caterpillar 10 ton size Road

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## PROGRAM

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A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer "Special Western," One you will want to see. Also a Good Comedy, "Loves Hurdle"

Monday and Tuesday, - March 7 & 8th Mae Murray in

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## "Cheyenne Trails"

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## "The Silent Flyer"

Satuaday, March 12th-Hoot Gibson in

## "The Buckaroo Kid"

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#### CALLAHAN COUNTY SCHOLASTICS

Number in Common School District Number in Independent Districts: Baird, Clyde, Cross Plains, Putnam, 3,773.

-From the Texas 1927, Almanac. The enrollment at Baird has inmas holidays, and is now near 700. Baird has the best and largest school | CLYDE sandy land belt.

building in the county, but is so crowded that extra rooms on the campus have been in use for many years, but a new building or buildings should in all Literary Events and all single be constructed right away. Our Entry Track and Field Events: Penrooms constructed of brick, any place A Silver Loving Cup goes to the Pitts Strain, for sale at \$1.50 per setin town, most desirable to a majority school making the greatest number of the tax payers. We had as well of points in the Meet. take this matter up at once before the present buildings are over crowded Cross Plains Review, The Baird Star CPIRELLA: Hoisery, Lingerie, Figure It is near that now.

creased considerably since the Christ- "Contracts already made and pros- enthusiasm for the coming Inter-Scho- Representative, Phone 133. pective assured some fifteen wells in lastic Meet. I wish to say in this MAIZE HEADS FOR SALE: Maize

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## INTER-SCHOLASTIC MEET AT CLYDE. MAR. 25-26, 1927

For Rural, Class B and High School Divisions to be held at Clyde, Friday Evening and Saturday, March 25th and 26th

School executives of the County are equested to call the attention of their respective schools to the folowing new Events added to the old list by the County Executive Committee in called session, January 29th.

Friday afternoon, from 3 to 5, Tennis, Singles and Doubles for both and Mrs. C. P. Taylor, in Albany. Boys and Girls.

Playground Ball, Junior Boys and Friday, 5 p. m., Volley Ball, Senior this week.

Boys and Girls. Basket Ball, Junior Boys.

Friday, 9 to 10 a. m .- All Spelling contests. Saturday, 10 to 12 a. m .- Essay

Writing Contests. Saturday, 1 to 2 p. m .- Music Mem-

ry. Independent Districts. Saturday, 2 to 3 p. m .- Music Memory. Rural School Division.

Saturday, 3 to 3:20 p. m .- Arithmetic Contests.

Saturday, 8 p. m., at the Baptist Extemporaneous Speaking Contests. The Track and Field Events will begin Saturday morning promptly at

9 o'clock, in the following order: 220 yard Low Hurdle, Sr. Boys. 50 yard Dash, Junior Boys. 100 yard Dash, Senior Boys. 30 vard Dash, Senior Girls. 100 yard Dash, Junior Boys. 220 yard Pash, Senior Boys. yard Dash, Junior Girls. 140 yard Relay, Senior Girls. 440 yard Dash, Senior Boys. 220 yard Dash, Junior Boys. 50 yard Dash, Senior Boys. 440 yard Relay, Junior Boys. 120 yard High Hurdle, Sr. Boys. 140 yard Relay Race, Jr. Girls.

1 mile Run, Senior Boys. Running Hop, Step and Jump, Junior Boyz.

17. Running Broad Jump, Sr. Boys. Running Broad Jump, Jr. Boys. Running High Jump, Sr. Boys. Running High Jump, Jr. Boys. Chinning the Bar, Junior Boys. 880 yard Run, Senior Boys. 8 pound Shot Put, Junior Boys. Pole Vaulting, Senior Boys. Pole Vaulting, Junior Boys. 26. Rural School Basket Ball

Championship, Girls. Basket 27. Rural School Championship, Boys.

Javelin Throw, Senior Boys. 12 pound Shot Put, Senior Boys 1 mile Relay, Senior Boys. 31. Discus Throw, Senior Boys.

Medals will be given for First, Second and Third Places, respectively

and girls of the County, a greater 7-tf. connection that 100 sets of medals and the silver loving cup are ordered, Baird. D. F. Harp, Po. Box, 276, all of which will be on hand to be de- Baird, Texas. livered to the winners before they leave the Meet. I wish to say, fur- WANTED TO SELL: 30,000 feet 5-8 thermore, that the good citizens of inch sucker rods, 3 1-2cents. Clyde will make ample provision for all contestants and teachers who have to be at the Meet on Friday and wish the greatest in the history of the League.

W. M. YOWELL. Director General of the Co. Meet. Junior,

TO THE COTTON FARMERS

I am placing with F. L. Wristen, 14-2t. the famous Allen farm Acala Cotton Seed for planting. This is a pure longer staple than the common cotton. This cotton is propogated on the Allen farm, of 4000 acre's at Navasota, Texas, by John D. Rogers FOR SALE: Millinery and Dress These seed are specially processed by Making Shoppe. Doing nice business air blast, all light and faulty seed opportunity if taken at once. Address being blown out, leaving only the full 310 Chestnut St. Abilene, Texas. fortile seed. These seed can be pro- 14-1tpd. cured at Mr. Wristen's in time for planting, at reasonable prices. He FOR SALE: One Detroit Jewell stove has data and folder's, giving proof of See or phen, Mrs. Lonnie Ray. 14-1t. the genuineness of this cotton. 13-tf. C. M. Click.

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## Personal Mention

Al Irvin, of Oplin, was in Baird,

Ben Sigal, of Hamby, was in Baird Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Irving Mitchell, is visiting her parents, in Center, Texas, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bounds, and children, spent last Sunday with Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rupert Jackson, are spending a few days in Fort Worth,

Mrs. Gus Hall, and little daughter, Gusolyn, are visiting relatives in Houston, this week.

Mrs. Chas. Powell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, for the past week, returned to her home in Spur, Tuesday.

Creed M. Click, of San Antonio, visited his cousin, Dan Click, whom he had not seen in 30 years, last Friday. Church-All Singing, Declamation and Mr. Click formerly lived in Abilene, and frequently came to Baird.

> Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, and son, Leonard Weston, of Ranger, came up Wednesday to attend the Baird Firemen's Banquet. Harry is an ex-chief of the Department.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark, of La Monte, Mo., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Shaw, for everal weeks, left a few days ago for their home. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw ecompanied them as far as Fort Worth, driving through in their car.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE: Pure bred Mebane Cotton seed for planting. \$1 per bushel. See or phone Mrs. Sam McClendon, Star Rt. 2, Box 12, Baird, Texas. 12-4tp.

FOR SALE: Dark Carnish Baby Chicks, 15 cents each, at Baird Hatchery. March 9-16th. Also Carnish Eggs, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. See Mrs. Sam McClendon, Baird, Texas, Star Rt., 2, Box 12.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE: Nice residence, five rooms, sleeping porch, and bath, also all necessary out houses, close to Public School, concrete side walks to town, see C. M. Curry. 13-4p.

idea is to construct one or two build- nants will be awarded to Teams win- EGGS FOR HATCHING: Ringlet ings for ward schools, but favor more ning First Places in all other events. Barred Rock, both light and dark, ting of 15 eggs. Mrs. B. F. Lovvorn, Box 292, Baird, Texas.

and the Clyde Enterprise with the Training Garments and Abnormal desire to arouse in the school boys Supports. Phone me for appoint-

leads at \$15.00 per ton delivered at

14,00 feet 2 inch line pipe, 14 cents. 1,200 feet 5 1-8 inch casing 25c. Many other sizes of pipe all in shape to remain over for Saturday's evets. to run. Located at my yard, Breck-Let us all pull together to make this enridge, Texas, C. A. Craig. 14-3tp.

If you want a good shine, get it at Bob Swinson's Barber Shop, by 14-tf.

FOR SALE: Full Blood English White Leghorn Baby Chicks, beginning OF CALLAHAN COUNTY March 16th. Also Eggs, at \$8 per tray. Mrs. Ed Alexander, Phone 48.

> LOST: On north detour between Baird and Clyde, one Ford Truck Endgate. Finder please notify Norman Finley, Baird. Reward offered.

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FOR SALE: Each Thursday at Clyde Hatchery, a limited number of my Mrs. Al Young, Clyde, Texas. 14-6pd.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES I sell both the Electric and ordinary Singer Sewing Machines. Also

11-tf. J. C. Neal, Clyde, Texas

# Money Saving Prices FOR CASH Saturday & Monday March 5th and 7th

# Dry Goods Specials

32 in. Red Seal Gingham, Guaranteed Fast Color. Only\_\_\_\_18 cents per yard. 30 in Imperial Chambray, Color Guaranteed, the yard 23 cents. 32 in. Peter Pan and Fasheen Prints in fast colors, Sell regular for 50 cents, This Sale 38 cents. Sheets, 72x90 Regular \$100 Grade for \_\_\_ 79cents. Cotton Checks, 27 in. wide. Just the thing for Quilt Lining 7 cents per yd. for only\_ 9-4 Bleached Garza Sheeting 39 cents per vd. One Table of Hats, Your Choice for.

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Cabbage, Per Pound	21/2c
Three Pounds Coffee	\$1.45
Spuds, Per Pound	_31/2 c
Kellogs Corn Flakes, Two for	25c
25 Cent can Snow King Baking Powder,	15c
Sea Foam Washing Powder, 7 Boxes for	25c
Six Bars P. & G. Soap and 4 Bars	
Hard Water Soap for	50c
Five Cans No. 2, Tomatoes for	50c
Five Cans No. 2, Pork & Beans, for	50e
Three Cans Babbit Lye for	35c
Six Pounds, Pinto Beans for	50e
One, 35 Cent Bottle Catsup for	25c
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## HISTORY OF WORLD UPSET BY SPICES

#### Struggle for Trade Led to Great Discoveries

New York. - Spices altered the course of world history, according to Dr. H. A. Gleason, curator of the New

York botanical garden. "It can safely be said that no group of plants, large or small, has had as great historical influence as these few East Indian plants which furnish important social studies, it is dees with our now cheap and common cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, ginger and pepper," says Doctor Gleason.

"Although they are natives of the East Indies and the Malayan archipelago, they have been known to Exropean or oriental civilization for thousands of years.

"During all this ancient period the source of spices was unknown to the duropeans. The Egyptians and the Phoenicians obtained them from Arabian merchants, or through Bagdad, and passed them on, always at an immense profit, to the nations still far-

"How they obtained them is unknown, but references in Arabian Nights to fabulous and hazardous voyages to the land of spices would indicate that some sort of maritime trade to the East Indies had been developed over a thousand years ago. probably through the Persian gulf and down the coast to India.

Modern History Begins. "The modern history of spices befrom that time on, through a span of tween European nations for a monopoly of the spice trade was the direct and immediate cause of a series of events which have been of the utmost importance in shaping the history of civilization

"During the height of Venetian prosperity in the Fifteenth century, its erchants obtained their spices chiefly from Alexandria, whither they were brought overland from the East by caravans. Venetian fleets distributed ent. in to the rest of Europe and at so great a profit that the cupidity of the Portuguese was aroused. They determined to discover, if possible, a sea route to the Far East by sailing south along the coast of Africa.

Their explorations were pushed farther and farther to the south and finally they succeeded in rounding the Cape of Good Hope, sailing up the dian ocean and loading their ships direct from the East Indies.

"Under the leadership of Vasco Gama they entered on a career of of live fishes lost in the food and air piracy and warfare in the Far East which soon gave them the monopoly of the coveted spice trade. This they largely retained through the Sixteenth

"About the same time Christopher Columbus, imbued with the remarkable idea that the world was round instead of flat, set out to sail westward to the East Indies and discovered America instead. Magellan, seeking the same goal, was the first to succeed and he returned to Spain from the first circumnavigation of the world with his one remaining ship

loaded with spices Spanish Acquire Philippines.

"The Spanish were unable to wrest the East Indies from the Portuguese. gain control of the Philip pines, and for two centuries fleets of Spanish galleons brought back the wealth of the East across the Pacific ocean to Mexico and thence across the Atlantic to Spain.

"The Seventeenth century marked the rise of the Dutch commerce to the East Indies. They had recently freed themselves from Spain, they were excellent sailors and good fighters, and they soon won for themselves not only a monopoly of the spice trade, but also the enormous island empire which they still retain in the Far East.

"One result of this struggle of four centuries was the steady reduction in the price of spices.

"With the fabulous profits of the old trade gone, spices were no longer a cause of bloodshed, piracy, and war, and during the last century the spice Industry has lost its romance and has settled down into a respectable position in the commerce of the world."

## Unredeemed Currency Aids

French in Road Building Paris, France.-Good roads are bejing built in France out of the profits from the wear and tear on paper money.

Forty million francs of the substitute currency printed by chambers of commerce soon after the war have never been reclaimed. This was money of small denominations printed to supply small change in the days of Inflation. Much of the money was lost and destroyed, some was carried away by travelers and some was presented too late for redemption.

The government ruled that part of the profit that accrued to the chambers of commerce in this manner must go to road building.

#### New Electric Insulator May Replace Porcelain

Leningrad.-The Academician Joffe has invented an electric insulating material which may supersede porcelain and other present high-voltage insulators. A piece one-twentieth of a millimeter in thickness, he announced. successfully resists a 60,000-volt of charge. The maximum resistance of 

#### ASK CONGRESS TO **HELP HISTORIANS**

New York.-America must know more about Americans, historians assert. In a resolution adopted by the American Historical association congress is asked to have census takers throw more light on family histories. Lack of information in census reports has been a stumbling block to clared. The association urges that the fifteenth census record counties as well as the states in which native Americans were born, and the names of the local government units as well as the states or counties in which for-

In a close analysis of social elements, the historian must know these facts, it is explained. By the study of such figures he learns how many individuals migrate from their birthplaces, where they eventually settle. and how long they stop in intervening

gigners were born.

Much misapprehension about migration from one section of the country to the other may be cleared up by more complete figures, it is believed.

The resolution has been sent to the airman of the committee on census of both houses of congress and to he National Research council.

Broadening the scope of the census would, the historians say, greatly aid the new program of historical research for which an endowment of gins some 600 years ago with the de- \$1,000,000 is being raised by a mavelopment of Venetian commerce, and tional committee headed by former Senator Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana some four centuries, the struggle be- and with headquarters at Columbia nniversity.

"Among the activities proposed," according to a statement by the association, "is a study of the problems arising in our society from immigraion and the secondary stages of its development, the conditions produced by the division of our people into great racial sections of the historical approach to the legal, economand social conditions of the pres-

"Such a study in the hands of com petent men will have great significance in our intellectual life."

#### Here's Anthology of Men Who Swallowed Live Fish

New York,-Many a gullible mortal has swallowed a fish story, but how many have ever swallowed a live fish? east coast of Africa, crossing the In- Dr. W. E. Gudger, associate in ichthyology in the American Museum of Natural History, has published a collection of accounts, dating back to 1567, passages of man

In the coasts of France and Italy nd in India and the Far East, says Doctor Gudger, fishermen are accusomed to take live fishes between their teeth, either to kill them by biting, or to hold them while the hands are used o free the hook or net. A fish so held, if it pricks the lips with its pine or makes a sudden wriggle, readly causes the man to open his mouth, into which the fish is very likely to

ump still farther, Most of the accounts show, contin- No ues Doctor Gudger, that the fishes nost often lodge in the pharynx, No where the spines, fins and gills make N It impossible to pull them out without lacerating the throat. Death usuoperation can be performed to open the trachea and remove the offender quickly. The consequences are somewhat less serious though not less unleasant when a fish finds its way into the esophagus, according to Doctor

#### High Winds Paint Alaska Town With Salt of Sea

Unca, Alaska.—This little fishing village endured a salt bath when a raging tempest swept Bering sea and the Aleutian Islands. Spray from the ocean was carried over the entire town and forced by the wind into every

crevice and crack. Following the receding sea and decreasing wind the buildings presented a queer appearance. Drifts of salt lay on roofs, network of salt hung on window panes and trees and shrubbery were glittering in the sun.

## Believes in Fairies

New York.—Bringing a wide assortment of scientific apparatus, E. L. Gardner of London arrived on the France with the one purpose of proving there are fairles. He is secretary of the English Theosophical society.

## Big Airliner to Link

Egypt, Central Africa London,-A big new triple screw air liner to use on a 1,200mile jungle airway from Khartoum through Central Africa to Kismayu in the Kenya colony is being designed in Leeds. This new empire airliner will be based on the successful Blackburn Rolls Royce flying boat built for the air ministry which proved to be the fastest in ex-

Owing to the presence of lakes and swamps along the route, it will be possible by using seaplanes to alight at almost any point. Passengers may be picked up, and set down at any "safe" spot along the line. COMING TO ABILENE

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#### WEST TEXAS COACHES SCHEDULE COACHES STOP AT HOLMES DRUG COMPANY LEAVE BAIRD EAST-

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3 p. m. 6:30 p. m. 9 p. m. LEAVE BAIRD WESTto Abilene-Sweetwater.

8:30 a. m. 11 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 4 p. m. 9 p. m. 12:30 a. m. 4:30 p. m., 9 p. m. and 12:30 a. m. Coaches go to Abilene only.

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... CIE OF MAN'S FIRST FLIGHT

## Plan to Commomorate Feat of Wright Brothers.

Washington .- A bill has been introduced in congress to provide for the erection of a monument at Kill Devil hill, Kitty Hawk, N. C., to commemorate the first time in history that man flew in a power-driven machine. This was the flight of the Wright

brothers on December 17, 1903, The site of the flight, where it is proposed to erect the monument, is on one of the "banks" of North Carolina, the narrow spits of sand that run along the coast of the state, ten to forty miles off the mainland-naked wastes that seem worlds away from the United States. A bulletin from the Washington (D. C.) hendquarters n medicine and surgery and is licensed of the National Geographic society based on a communication from Melville Chater describes this region.

A Graveyard for Ships.

"In motoring across the Hatterns banks from the sound to the ocean front, we had entered the greatest sults in diseases of the stomach, liver, says the bulletin. "For 12 hours we wreck area on the Atlantic coast,' lowels, blood. skin, nerves, heart, passed the skeletons of what had once kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrh, been ships, now blanched victims of ribs resembling files of gravestones Below are the names of a few of his their forests of protruding spikes bewrecks within 100 yards,

"Offshore lay here a careened schooner, there a crazily tilted steam freighter, the waves' white teeth gnawing at their sides in advance of the northeaster which would fling these great hulks into their last resting place among the sand dunes

"The grim joke which says that Hatterns' chief import is wrecks haunted Remember above date, that consul- us throughout this 100-mile graveyard

> "And now our seaward-curving beach route revealed the great apex of the banks, off which are those dreaded quicksands, the Diamond shoal. They are the more to be dreaded because off Hatteras, due to the enormous tonnage of steel buils imbedded in the Diamond, there is a magnetic deviation sometimes amounting to 8 degrees.

"Compass correction by swinging the best farm and general newspapers ship—that is, laying her in different directions toward known points-was - \$1.50 the skipper's main resource until the development of the radio and its coastal application by the United \$2.50 States naval communication service.

"Man's allies in this warfare against shoals and shricking gales are Hat teras light, the Diamond Shoal light ship, and the radio compass. Since 1876 the enemy seas have eaten inland almost two miles toward the fifty-six-year-old lighthouse, whose 80,000 candle-power flare is known to passing vessels by its 48 consecutive flashes, followed by a seven-minute

glow. "The farther northward we followed m. the banks, the more remote and resourceless seemed the life of the people. Often it was a mere existence, as of castaways who had taken root on this two-mile width of sand bar, 40 miles offshore.

"The unchangingness of Hatteras folk is revealed in their daily usage of obsolete, often Sixteenth-century words. 'My poke' for 'my pocket,' to be 'consentable' instead of willing. to demand a kiss by saying, 'Com buss me!', and to speak of one's sweet heart as 'my may,' and of a water dog as a kelple-all this is perfectly good Shakespeare.

"'Hit' for 'it,' the Anglo-Saxon neuter of 'he,' is as commonly found in rural North Carolina speech as in Queen Elizabeth's letters.

"When you hear 'abashed' for 'discredited' and 'abladed' for 'nauseated.' or when a mother affectionately terms her creeping baby an insect, you sense a radical vigor of language, and by the time you learn that on Hatteras molasses, like measles, is a 'them,' you begin to suspect that your early education was neglected.

"Beyond Oregon inlet we gained Nags Head, whose name celebrates those palmy days of professional wrecking when a hobbled horse with a lantern on his head was turned loose on the beach at night to lure ships to their doom.

"Farther along, towering 100 feet above the surrounding flatness, ros Kill Devil hill, the scene of the Wright brothers' flying experiments in 1900-1903. A former lighthouse keeper, his wife, and a coast guard are the sole remaining witnesses of those now historic events.

"Trust a woman for determining that, if those crazy Wright fellows wanted to waste their time and money. at least some of the material could be salvaged! The lighthouse keeper's wife had sewn the cloth on the first glider, and when the glider of 1902 was abandoned she thriftly refashioned its covering into dresses for her children.

"On December 17, 1903, the Wrights having built a motor-driven plane at their workshop under Kill Devil hill. the unexpected occurred. This is what the old coast guard told us:

"They tossed a coin, and Wilbur won. 'Good luck!' I says as he climbed into the machine. And 'The Lord only knows!' he says. And then, just as I was telling myself that something heavier than air couldn't and never would fly, that machine rose up and flew 850 feet!"

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#### SON SERVED IN WAR, DAD GOT PENSION

#### Strange Case Comes to Light in Nebraska.

Auburn, Neb .- The story of a men who not only served in place of his father after the latter had volunteered while drunk to be a soldier in the Civil war but also was deprived of his rightful pension after the war by his father, has come to light here in

the case of James Parry Whitlow. Whitlow, who is past eighty and in dire need, declares that in 1863 Peter Whitlow, his father, while drunk at Nemaha City, near here, enlisted in the Union army. After returning home and sobering up he realized that a man with nine children, all under eighteen, had no right to go to war and leave his family to the charity of neighbors. But if he failed to fulfill his enlistment he would be consideerd a deserter and would suffer a desert er's punishment.

His son, Perry, who was then seventeen, solved the problem. He would go in his father's stead. So Perry reported for duty and became a soldier in the Second Nebraska cavalry under the name of his father, Peter Whitlow. The commanding officer was none the wiser and the subterfuge was not disovered.

Between 1863 and 1865 Perry saw service on the western frontier, fighting Indians. After the war he returned to Auburn and took up the life of a farmer on a homestead which his father had obtained.

His discharge papers, made out in his father's name, were delivered in due time to his father. Later application for a pension was made in his father's name and was granted. Perry, having done the service, wanted the pension, but the father insisted on having it. So for 21 years the father received and cashed the pension checks.

Ill feeling, engendered by the pension matter, caused Perry to leave home. His father forbade him ever to return. And when the paternal will was probated in 1905, after the death of the father, there was no bequest to the estranged son.

Perry V'itlow then tried to have the wrong righted by the government. but his efforts were futile.

As the years wore on Whitlow be came unable to work. Today he is in coverty. Upon the urging of his friends, he has told his story to Con ressman John L. Moorehead of this district. The congressman says that he will try to get through congress at this session a bill granting to Perry Whitlow the pension which he has been denied these many years.

## Domestic Insects Urged

## to War Upon Parasites

Philadelphia.-Possible domestication of insects which prey upon harmful bugs and parasites was suggested by Dr. L. O. Howard, chief of the bureau of entomology, Department of Agriculture. Doctor Howard was one of the speakers before the entomological section of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

"It may be too much to expect," he said, "that we shall ever be able to handle these creatures as quasi-do-mestic animals and to use them at all but we must develop all possibilities."

Doctor Howard urged that every important parasite on injurious insects and every predatory insect that feeds on injurious insects should be brought here from all parts of the world to aid the farmer, whose worries, he said, would be much greater if he did not enve these winged and crawling

#### Executions for Fraud Increase in Soviet Russia

Moscow.-Executions for embezzle ment, fraud and speculation in the conduct of government owned banks and commercial enterprises seem to be increasingly frequent, according to ceports in the soviet newspapers. The evere penalty of death, reserved uner the law for crimes judged dangerous to the security of the state, have been reported from small towns and communities. None have been reorded recently in the larger cities ach as Moscow, Leningrad or Odessa.

## Dogs Run Alaska's

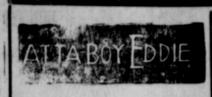
## "Pupmobile" Railway

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Nome. Alaska-Sheer novelty of transportation is the claim to fame of the Pupmobile railroad between Nome and Shelton, for the trains are minus both locomotives and engineers.

The motive power is furnished by busky dogs and the railroad crew is composed of the pasengers. Operation of trains consists colely in wielding a whip, except in cases where two trains meet between s'dings. In that contingency the one with the lighter load is lifted from the track while the other passes. Then the "engine" is hitched on again and the journey con-

The railroad has 87 miles of narrow-gauge track. It was built in the early days of Alaska mining to connect the Kougarok mining district with the coast, and was bought by the territory three years ago. It is operated by the Alaska road commission for public use.





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#### Lying Between Rails, Gir. Unhurt by Train

Jeannette, Pa.-Jolted from a car while climbing across & freight train which was blocking the tracks here while she was on her way to work, Miss Jan Nesbit of North Jeannette had a narrow escape from death as the train started.

Warned by two companions to ife still, the young woman lay under the cars while they passed over her. After the last car and found her manjured.

Miss Nesbit and her companions are employed at the Pennsylvania Rubber company and, fearing they would be late, had climbed over the cars. Her two companions were successful.

## Guard Paper Stained With Lincoln's Blood

Topeka, Kans,-A piece of pape stained by the blood of Abraham Lin coin the night he was assassinated is ne of the guarded treasures of the Kansas State Historical society.

As the mortally wounded Presiden was carried out of Ford's theater Vashington after he had been shot by John Wilkes Booth, two drops of blood fell upon a theater program near the feet of T. D. Bancroft, a Union soldier. Bancroft picked up the program and tore off the corner with the crimson spots. About twenty-five years ago he presented the memento to the historical society.

The paper, with its two large red spots appearing almost as plainly as the black type which tells the name of the Ford theater, seldom is exposed

Mr. Bancroft, a Kansas minister after the Civil war, died several years

## Snapshots of Cruiser Emden Stir Germans

Wilhelmshaven, Germany. - There was excitement among members of the German navy when the cruiser Emden departed on a world tour. For sailors on board a British tank ship were observed to be photographing the German naval vessel as she steamed out of port.

Wild rumors began to circulate in this harbor, describing the network of big English espionage system.

But these stirring stories were quickly dissipated by the Frankfurter Zeitung, which wrote: "Nowadays there are few jobs for foreign spies. The plans of the Emden are known to members of the interallied military control commission better than they are to the builders 'n Wilhelmshaven."

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# Sunday School 'Lesson'

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of the Evening School, Moody Bible in-stitute of Chicago.) (©. 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

## Lesson for March 13

MAKING THE WORLD CHRISTIAN

LESSON TEXT-Matt. 28:16-20; Acts GOLDEN TEXT-Go ye therefore and

teach all nations.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Telling Everybody About Jesus.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Winning the World

or Christ.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-IC—How We Can Spread the Gospel.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christian Missions the Hope of the

I. The Great Commission (Matt. 28:16-20).

World.

1. When and where given (v. 16) It was shortly before the ascension in a mountain in Galilee where the disciples met Jesus according to ap-

pointment, 2. The foundation upon which the

commission rests (vv. 17, 18). In order to prepare the disciples to receive this commission, Christ declared to them that all power in heaven and in earth was given unto Him. Before the disciples would enter upon the execution of this commission they must be convinced of His Lordship. To create doubt in the minds of believers as to the deity of Jesus Christ is to cut the nerve of missionary endeavor.

What the commission is (vv. 19. 20).

"Go-teach all nations" (v. 19). This means make disciples of all the nations, not Jews merely.

(2) "Baptize them in the name of the Triune God" (v. 19).

Those who have become disciples of the Lord should receive the rite which signifies their relation to him.

(3) "Teach them to observe all 'hrist's commandments" (v. 20). Those who have become Christ's disciples should be taught obedience to all His commandments.

4. The promise attached (v. 20). Those who obey the king in evangelizing the world have the promise of His unfailing presence.

II. Forbidden by the Holy Spirit to Preach in Asia Minor (Acts 16:6-8) The inclination of Paul and his companions was to tarry in Asia Minor preaching the Word, but contrary to their inclination they were hurried along. We have here a fine lesson on divine guidance. The Holy Spirit is just as active and faithful in closing doors as in opening them 'The stops as well as the steps of good men are ordered of the Lord," We ought as truly to recognize God's hand in the "shut-ins" as in the

open-outs. III. The Call to Macedonia (Acts

16:9-12).

The gospel having broken the con fines of the Jewish city and country the middle wall of partition having been abolished, the time has come for it to leap across the Aegean sea and begin its conquest on another continent.

The vision (v. 9). Being hemmed in on all sides, a vision was given to Paul of a man of Macedonia pleading for help. This made plain to him the closed doors about him. In finding the divine will. we should look both ways.

2. The advance (vv. 10-12). As soon as the divine way was pown they moved forward therein. IV. The First Convert in Europe

The devout people were accustomed to worship by the riverside. To this umble gathering Paul came and preached to the women assembled here. A certain woman from Thya tira named Lydia, a proselyte, be leved his message and was baptized The steps in Lydia's conversion are worthy of note for they are typical 1. Attendance at the place of wor

shfp (v. 13). Usually those whom God is calling are found at the place of prayer. 2 Listening to the preaching of

the Word of God (vv. 13, 14). The instrument used in the conversion of sinners is the Word of God

(Rom. 10:17). 3. Her heart was opened by the Lord (v. 14). Only the Lord can convert a soul

It is our business to preach the Word of God, and it is God's business to open the heart of the inquirer. She was baptized (v. 15).

Every one whose heart the Lord has opened desires to confess Him in baptism. Her household believed (v. 15)

When one is converted those in the home will find it out. 6. Practiced hospitality (v. 15).

Those who have experienced God's saving grace are thus disposed to have part in His work by rendering ald to His ministers.

## Pursuit of Happiness

Many people are on the wrong cent in pursuit of happiness. They think it consists in having and get ting, and being served by others. It consists in giving and in serving others .- Herald of Gospel Liberty.

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busy hands are folded upon his peace- . Will Rylee was born in Hood Co. ful breast; a calm sweet face, no more Texas, March 7, 1882, moved to Putto smile at me upon this lonely earth, nam, Callahan County, when he was or hear his cheerful voice in kind six years old, thence to Cottonwood, and loving words; his kind blue eyes where he grew up to manhood, and are closed, no more to shed a tear; married Miss Pearl Thompson, June his rosy lips are pailed by death, but 28, 1903. To this union four children a peaceful smile lingers there; no were born, the eldest a boy who died more his voice I loved so dear, falls in infancy. Three girls are living, on my listening ears; no more his two of them are married, Mrs. Burford welcome smiling face to greet me as Tyson and Mrs. James Steakley, of when I met him at our door; his gen- Oplin. Will Rylee's friends were tle Spirit strong and pure, yet seems numbered by his acquaintances. He to linger near; so quick to feel ano- went to school to this writer two thers wee, and sooth anothers care. years at Cottonwood, as a boy he was

In our employ for sixteen years, But I must bow to the Saviors will, he was always at his post of duty, with a smile and a kind word for

"Will", as we always called him, is Where pain and parting never greatly missed by his immediate comes to disturb his Eternal rest. family and a host of friends at Oplin, I am thinking of you dear Darling where he lived 21 years; a citizen of thinking of our happy past, and these the truest type has gone to his reward memories shall last, as long as I live. Surely, God with his boundless mercy resented by its champion health girl. But now I am sad and lonely since you will take care of the souls of men A similar contest for club boys will

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## GIRL HEALTH CHAMPION TO TRY FOR NATIONAL HONORS

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Chlcago.-Alberta Hoppe, age fifteen years and ten months, who received a score of 98.9 per cent, was adjudged to be Iowa's healthiest 4-H club girl in a state-wide contest at the recent Iowa state fair. Girls representing 73 counties competed.

A few weeks later she was declared champlon health girl at the Sioux City interstate fair in a field of 4-H club entrants from the states of Ohio, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missourt. Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota North Dakota, Wyoming and Montana. In this regional contest she scored 90. per cent perfect, being faulted only for a little irregularity of teeth and a little weakness in the arch of her foot. The latter is now being corrected through exercises in prepara tion for the National Health contest in which she will be entered at the National Club congress to be held in Chicago, November 27 to December 4. in connection with the International Live Stock exposition. There Aiberta



Alberta Hopps,

will meet the healthiest club girls from all parts of the country for national honors, each state being rep also be conducted at the same time.

Josephine Arnquist, state leader of T. A. Irvin. girls' club work in Iowa, says: "Alberta, who is a farm girl from Linn county, is a splendid example of a club girl living up to the standards of all-around development of head. heart, hand and health for which 4-H

club work stands. "Alberta is a girl who lives up to the rules of the health game. has been a 4-H club girl for four years-where health is emphasized in some way at all regular club meet-

"Swimming is her favorite sport, although she is fond of all gymnastic. work including folk dancing, volley ball and indoor baseball. She likes outdoor life.

"Alberta is a sophomore in high school. In her freshman year she averaged about 96 and ranked second in her class. This shows how a good body is the basis on which to build a good mind and a good disposition She is an example of a rather recently established fact that school children showing the best physical development make the best progress

Thousands of Soldiers Training for Civil Life

tional training work given enlisted men in the army along with the milltary instruction they got in the service shows that 44.719 soldiers are being fitted for places in civil life, representative of some 500 trades and

In the particular month covered by the survey 7,800 soldiers were attending motor transport schools; 9,300 were enrolled in post schools to qualify for positions in business life, either as clerks, stenographers or ac countants; 1,200 were studying medicine and its allied callings; 4,500 were engaged in work connected with the care of animals, veterinary, blacksmithing and horse shoeing; 4,553 were studying cable, radio, telegraph and telephone communications.

Of the remaining soldier students several hundred are learning the printing trade, more than a hundred are working on railway locomotives as engineers, mechanics and firemen. Still others are trying to master scientific and technical subjects, in-

cluding meteorology. About 500 soldiers pursue their studies at night. Arrangements have been made for them to leave their military posts each night to attend classes held in schools of nearby

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