

The Baird Star

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

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HICKMAN NO. 36 MAKING 40 BBLs. AT 750 FEET

Baird Shallow Oil Field, Feb. 20, 29. Moutray Oil Co., Ace Hickman No. 36 was finished around 750 feet and was put on the pump Monday and is making more than 40 barrels per day of high gravity oil.

Mutray Oil Co. Ace Hickman No. 7 was spudded in Tuesday in 300 acre lease southeast corner section 146 B.B.C. Survey.

L. A. Warren, Rod Kelton No. 1 fishing job below 750 feet. Located southwest section of the Kelton Ranch.

The Hatchet Field has 34 producing wells on the pump and two or more drilling.

Mutray Oil Co. P. G. and Bill Hatchet No. 14 was put on the pump Friday around 340 feet and is reported to make from 25 to 40 barrels per day.

Two third of the sheep in the United States are found in 12 states. Texas leads all states with 5,052,000 head or about one-ninth of the supply California is second with 3,846,000.

The average value of Texas sheep is placed at \$8.90. While the average for the United States is \$10.60. Washington State show the highest average with a mark of \$12 per head.

From U.S.A. Report

FUR SALES BRINGS NICE RETURNS

Mr. T. M. Simmons, manager for the Standard fur Company who have done business in Baird for the two past seasons has closed his house here and returned to Dallas. Mr. Simmons informs us that his Company bought something like \$9,000.00 worth of furs during this season, and \$7,000.00 last year. He says the entire receipt for fur sales in Baird the two past seasons amounts to some \$25,000.00.

Mr. Simmons wishes to express his appreciation to the people of Baird and Callahan County for the nice business given him and says that he expects to return to Baird next season.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING

Mrs. James Ross and Mrs. Joe Hanley were hostess to the American Legion Auxiliary Monday night Feb. 18, at the home of Mrs. Ross.

The meeting was called to order by our efficient president Mrs. Ben F. Russell followed by a reading of the previous meeting by our secretary Mrs. Joe Hanley.

The meeting proved to be exceedingly interesting for the hour of midnight was fast approaching before any realization of it was evident by any member.

We planned to have forty two tournament accompanied by a splendid program for the purpose of raising two fold money for "The Legion Hut" and the public installation of officers of the Legion and Auxiliary at the conclusion of the business. The hostesses served strawberry jello topped with whipped cream, two kinds of cake and a cup of steaming coffee. We adjourned to meet at the home of Mrs. Ode Berry.

Reporter

R. M. PYEATT, JR. DIES AT CLYDE

R. M. Pyeatt, Jr. age 7 years, eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Pyeatt, died at the home of his parents in Clyde last Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 pm. Saturday, conducted by Rev. D. O. Griffith of the Church of Christ assisted by Rev. Albert S. Hall, of Baird and interment made in the Clyde cemetery. R. M. J. had been ill for some two weeks with the flu. He is survived by his parents and two brothers, age 11 months. He was a nephew of Mrs. Callie Marshall, District Clerk.

SEGAL THEATRE TO HAVE "GET ACQUAINTED NIGHT"

Mr. Toby Durnal, manager of the Segal Theatre has announced a Get Acquainted or Family Nite on every other Wednesday night, beginning last night, when the admission will be only 10 cents—children and adults. He also contemplates giving a special performance of "The Business Men of Baird."



EDUCATIONAL PICTURES AT SIGAL THEATRE

The Sigal Theatre has agreed to furnish a good educational picture each Friday night for the benefit of the school, and fifty percent of the money taken in at the ticket office is to go to the school.

Besides the pictures given at this time there will be different entertainments given at the same night by the school students.

The program for next Friday the 22, is the latest picture out that has any popularity, "Docks of New York" which is praised by all who see it.

Besides this picture the High School is staging the play that you have heard about, "Love Pirates of Hawaii."

This entertainment alone is worth the price charged. For both of the features, the price is the same as usual—10 and 35 cents. If you want to see a good picture that will make you think about times past, come out and see this. Then after you have seen a good picture, you will be able to have the best laugh that you have had in years.

This play that is put on by the school is the story of a bunch of pirates that have been to sea all of their life, and who have been stranded on the land. The captain captures the old maid school teacher and is then captured himself. It is the funniest play ever staged at this price in Baird.

There will also, in a few days be some prizes given away at the show. The merchants and supporters of Baird are anxious to have those good old days when main street was filled to the brim. Help us put this thing over, and you will help yourself, your town and your school.

On March the first there is going to be many valuable prizes given away at the Sigal Theatre, there will be enough for you to come out and get your share. These prizes will consist of the many things in the grocery line that you have to have in the house, the groceries will not be all, there will be everything from vanity cases to shoestrings given away, they will not be cheap either.

MISS ROBERT WARREN HEARD

Miss Roberta Warren, of Baird, a student in the Fine Arts Department of A. C. C., Abilene, was one of the students who was heard over K. F. Y. O., Abilene, Monday night. Miss Red, "Tommy's Prayer" and Zingerella" by McDowell. Miss Warren is a member of the Kitten Club and the Dramatic Club of the College.

Pat Murphy suffered a stroke of paralysis and has been confined to his bed since.

DR. W. S. HAMLETT APPOINTED CO. HEALTH OFFICER

Dr. W. S. Hamlett, was appointed County Health Officer, by the Commissioner's Court at the regular February term of that body.

CHEVROLET DEALERS ATTEND SALES MEETING AT DALLAS

With the demand for its cars at the highest level in the history of the company, the Chevrolet Motor Company is preparing for the greatest year in its history with its sixteen giant factories now busy on a 1,250,000 car production program for 1929.

This statement was issued here today by Messrs. Barker and Winters local Chevrolet Dealer at Baird and Putman who recently returned from Dallas, where they attended the twenty sixth of a series of 40 nationwide sales meetings that are being sponsored by the company this winter.

Though the medium of these meetings the company hopes to bring the 1929 Chevrolet sales message directly to every Chevrolet dealer in the United States. The day's program which embraced a graphic sales presentation in the Showhouse in the most elaborate ever attempted by an automobile manufacturer.

Talks were illustrated in the form of playlets, depicting the proper procedure to be followed in the successful operation of a retail automobile business. More than a carload of scenery, drops and special fixtures were used to stage the afternoon meeting.

D. E. Ralston, assistant general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company directed the day's program. Associated with Mr. Ralston were Felix Doran, Jr., sales Manager of the Southwest region and R. W. and a large group of officials from the central office of the company in Detroit.

MRS. O. B. CLARE OF OPLIN DIES

Mrs. O. B. Clare, age 24 years of Oplin, died Tuesday morning at a sanitarium in Abilene and the body was carried to Oplin Wednesday afternoon at the home at Oplin.

Mrs. Clare had been ill for some three weeks.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a 14-month-old son, Everett Clare; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dickson of Oplin; four brothers, G. W. and W. E. Dickson of California; Arthur Dickson of Lawn and J. R. Dickson of Oplin; four sisters, Mrs. C. A. Dick of Paducah, Mrs. Elva Mae, Mamie and Sarah Edith Dickson, of Oplin.

Evangelist Will Hogg Recovering

Rev. L. D. Boatman sends us the following item concerning Evangelist Will Hogg: "Evangelist Will Hogg, who some two months ago, suffered a complete nervous breakdown and since that time, has been in the hospital in Memphis, is now on the road to recovery and health. He will be under the doctors care about two more months at the sanitarium, and after that time, he is advised to reinforce his nerves with an additional three months rest, so that there will not again be a recurrence of nervousness. He hopes during the months of August and September to be able to conduct one or two short revivals. During his sickness, he has completed a 250 page commentary on the book of Acts, that he has entitled, "Christianity in Action." He hopes through the sale of this fine volume to be able to help pay the heavy expenses of his long sickness. His many friends throughout Texas, will anxiously await announcement concerning the publication of this commentary. Bro. Hogg conducted his last revival for me that closed just two days before his tragic breakdown. I have the above information from him, dated the 29th of January—Texas Christian Advocate.

BAIRD DEFEATS PUTMAN—11-6

The junior basketball teams of Baird and Putman fought an 11-6 practice contest out in the cold wind of last Tuesday. Baird came off with the long end of the score. The freezing temperature slowed the game considerably.

The Baird Cubs making the trip were; Judson Acheson, Billie James (Capt.) Glenn Browning, Donald Melton, Bruce Bell, George Nichols, Morris Redding, and David Newton. Bell and James tied for high-point man with four points each.

The McElroy Dry Goods Co. are moving their stock of goods to their new building between the Baird Cash Dry Goods and H. F. Foy's. They have been delayed some however by the carpenters not having finished their work and the bad weather and in addition to this Mr. McElroy was taken ill Monday and has been confined to his bed since. They hope to have everything in order today or tomorrow.

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TO RAISE FUNDS FOR LEGION HUT

The American Legion Auxiliary will have a 42 tournament at the Chamber of Commerce Thursday night, Feb. 28th at 8:00 o'clock. This tournament has a two fold purpose: namely, for the public installation of officers of both the Legion and Auxiliary, and to raise money for the Legion Hut.

The price is 50cts. per person so make your reservation as soon as you can from the members of the auxiliary.

FUNERAL FOR H. F. FOY, JR. HELD FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT 2 O'CLOCK

Funeral for H. F. Foy, Jr. who died in Kansas City, Mo. Tuesday night, Feb. 12, were held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Foy last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Joe E. Mayes and Rev. Carl C. Wright.

The body accompanied by two brothers, Hugo Foy, of St. Louis, Mo. and Raymond Foy, of Dallas, arrived on the Sunshine Special, Thursday evening and were met at the station by a detachment from Eugene Bell Post, American Legion and carried to the home.

At the conclusion of the services the American Legion took charge and interred the body in Ross cemetery where the new made grave was covered with beautiful flowers. Taps were sounded and they left their buddy to sleep forever in God's keeping.

Active pall bearers were: James Asbury, Clyde White, Ode Berry, Robert Estes, Haynie Gilliland, and Royce Gilliland, Honor pall bearers were: Swan Jones, Judge Otis Bowyer, Louis Boydston, Will D. Boydston, Judge B. L. Russell, Rupert Jackson, Will Hinds, C. B. Holmes, M. J. Holmes, R. E. G. Powell, Dr. R. L. Griggs, R. E. Nunally, S. E. Settle, Ford Driskell.

Henry Frederick Foy was born in Rannoke, Denton, County, Texas on August 6, 1886, and died at Kansas City February 12 1929.

He received his grammar and high school training at Baird and was graduated as an Electrical Engineer from the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas in the class of 1908.

Prior to the World War he was employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Abilene and other Texas cities. Later he was associated with the Federal Interstate Commerce Commission in a valuation survey of telephone and telegraph lines in the Middle Western and Southern States.

At the time of his death he was employed as an engineer at Kansas City by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

During the World War he served as Sergeant of the 315th, Field Signal Battalion, 90th, division. He participated in the St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne drives.

Following the Armistice, he entered Germany with the Army of Occupation, and while there, was detached to make the survey of German lines of communications within the area occupied by the 90th Division.

The funeral services will be conducted at the home of his parents at 2 pm Friday, by the Reverend Joe R. Mays and Carl C. Wright. Burial will be at Ross Cemetery under the auspices of the American Legion.

Fred Foy was a young man with many warm friends as was shown by the messages of condolence received by the family and the many beautiful flowers sent by friends. Fred has been in ill health since his service in the World War. He was gassed while in the service and never regained his health. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Foy, five brothers and eight sisters, all were present at the funeral except Mrs. E. M. Switzer of Memphis, who was unable to come on account of illness in her family.

Out of town relatives and friends who attended the funeral were: Hugo Foy, St. Louis, Raymond Foy, Dallas, Miss Bernice Foy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Austin, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Latimer, Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Springer, Eastland, Dudley B. Foy, Amarillo, Harold Foy, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramsey, Dr. W. V. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Austin, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Jones, Big Spring.

C. L. Gusep and Frank Hinds are both quite sick, we are sorry to learn.

BAIRD LIONS ARE STANDING FOR A BIGGER, BETTER, BAIRD

Last week the usual program period of the Lions Luncheon was taken up by the reports, from the General Committee, appointed to arrange the open meeting, which will be held tonight, and the Steering Committee. H. M. Dudley reported for the Steering Committee, submitting the following recommendations:

The Lions Club to be purely social with the primary purpose of Club fellowship and good-will of community. Whole hearted support of the Chamber of Commerce.

Loyal support of the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen. A deputy Tail Twister and Lion Tamer to act and officiate in absence of regular officials.

Unanimous support of the Callahan County Wolf Club.

To be alert at all times to assist in building the town and supporting worthy County enterprises.

The Club was fortunate in having two distinguished out of town guests Deputy District Governor of the Lions Club, T. N. Carswell of Abilene, and Mr. C. C. Kilway, supt. T. & P. Railway Co. of Big Spring. Mr. Kilway made a short talk expressing his appreciation of the friendship and co-operation existing between his company and our town. Lion Carswell delivered a very interesting talk on the Material and the Social duties of the Lion Clubs in their respective towns. Mr. Kilway was accompanied by Clark of Abilene, accompanied the Deputy District Governor.

The local speaker on this occasion was Mayor H. Schwartz who delivered an inspiring message with numerous worthy suggestions. The approval of his message was shown by the hearty applause tendered him.

GRAMMER SCHOOL EVENTS.

Fern Wright—School Reporter

Grades one and two have nothing special this week, but will next week.

Third Grade: The highest average in the third grade for the first term of school was 94, made by the following pupils:

Frances Mayfield
Ruth Hardwick
Jean Newton
Berrice May Weatherly
Beryl Owen
Martha Faye Baker
James Gillitt

James Gillitt won the prize last month for the most number of perfect lessons in spelling

Fourth Grade—Two days last week the Fourth Grade had perfect attendance. We are working for perfect attendance each day.

Fifth Grade—Presented play in chapel Monday morning.

Bess Hodges and Sarah Nell Cooke have the highest averages for fifth grade.

Sixth Grade—Have nothing special this week, you will hear from them next week.

Seventh Grade—Violet Wiley, a pupil of the seventh grade of Baird Grammar School had the misfortune of breaking her ankle about 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon while riding a bicycle. We are hoping she will soon be back with us at her school work.

Mary Jo Hart and Clarence Pretz of the seventh grade have the highest average which are 90 and 96 respectively. Both are working hard for the highest honor. The class is very proud of this high standing.

The junior boys of Baird Grammar School will meet the Putman junior basketball team Tuesday afternoon. We are hoping to win this game as it is our first game this season due to the weather.

The Baird Grammar School has a snappy tract team this year and we are sure they will make a big showing at the tract meet to be held here March 29 and 30.

Carl Smith Room Reporter.

MARRIED

"John W. Bowlus, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowlus, of Baird, and Miss Juanita Nolan, of Abilene, were married in Fort Worth yesterday. They will make their home in Baird where John is interested in lumber business with his father.



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TOUCH the button, on goes your Premier Duplex Vacuum Cleaner! . . . Smoothly it moves over your rugs, under tables, into dark corners where dust easily collects. . . The Premier Duplex picks up every particle of dust, ravelings—yes, everything, leaving your home absolutely clean.

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West Texas Utilities Company

Temple of Warriors Rebuilt in Jungle

Washington.—The task of rebuilding the great ruin of the Temple of the Warriors in the city of Chichen Itza has at last been completed, as far as modern science can make the fallen stones stand again in their rightful places. This is the message which Earl Morris, in charge of the excavations at Chichen Itza for the Carnegie Institution of Washington, has brought to the institution on his return from Yucatan.

The Temple of the Warriors, reclaimed from the tropical jungle, stands again on its pyramid of four receding stone terraces. The stone altar, once used for human sacrifice, has been restored.

The project of restoring the temple became extremely complicated when Mr. Morris discovered traces of another, older temple beneath the ruins. The Warriors temple is believed to date from about 1200 A. D.

Paintings found during the last season are a valuable addition to old American art.

Why Judge Thy Brother?

Why dost thou judge thy brother? or why dost thou set at nought thy brother? for we shall all stand before the judgment seat of Christ. For it is written, As I live, saith the Lord, every knee shall bow to me, and every tongue shall confess to God.—Rom. 14:10, 11.

New Yorkers' Baby Born as Citizen of Turkey

Constantinople.—The first American to be born a Turk is Rudolf Riefstahl, Jr., whose parents are from New York. The baby was born in the American hospital here and was claimed by the Turkish government as a Turkish citizen under a new law.

That law provides that the children of foreigners born in Turkey shall be Turkish citizens although on reaching their majority they may elect the nationality of their parents. In that case, however, they must quit Turkey forever.

Prof. Rudolf Riefstahl is professor of Moslem art in New York university. He is a visiting professor in the American college here. Mrs. Riefstahl teaches art in the American College for Women in Constantinople.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Albert Julian, whose residence is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in the city of Baird, on the First Monday in March, 1929, being the Fourth day of March, 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said court, on the thirty-first day of January, 1929, the file number of which is 7408, in which suit The Farmers State Bank, a banking corporation of Putnam, Texas, is plaintiff, and Albert Julian and Ethel Julian are defendants;

The cause of Action being alleged as follows:

THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF CALLAHAN)

In the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, March Term, 1929.

TO SAID HONORABLE COURT: The petition of The Farmers State Bank, plaintiff, complaining of Albert Julian and his wife Ethel Julian, defendants, would respectfully show the following:

Plaintiff is a banking corporation created and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Texas with its principal office and domicile in the town of Putnam, in Callahan County, Texas; That the residence of the defendant Albert Julian is unknown; that the residence of the defendant Ethel Julian is in Callahan County, Texas.

That on the 15th day of June, 1925, the defendant Albert Julian executed and delivered to Geo. M. Jeffers, C. K. Peek and E. F. Robinson, Trustees of the M. E. Church South of Putnam, Texas, his promissory note bearing date on such day and year, and thereby promised to pay to said trustees or their order Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1200.00), payable in installments of \$100.00 per month, the first payment or installment due July 15, 1925, the last payment or installment due July 15, 1926, with interest thereon from June 15, 1925 at the rate of ten per cent per annum, the interest payable every three months, principal and interest payable at the office of The Farmers State Bank, at Putnam, Texas, and ten per cent attorney's fees upon principal and interest if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit should be brought thereon after maturity; which note reads as follows:

"VENDORS LIEN NOTE"

June 15th, 1925 \$1200.00

Payable in installments of \$100.00 per month, first payment due July 15th, 1925—Last payment due and payable July 15th, 1926, after date I promise to pay to the order of Geo. M. Jeffers, C. K. Peek and E. F. Robinson, trustees of the M. E. Church of Putnam, Texas, the sum of Twelve Hundred & No. 100 Dollars, for value received, with interest thereon from June 15th, 1925, until maturity at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, the interest payable every three months, and annually thereafter as it accrues. This note and accrued interest thereon shall bear interest after maturity at the rate of ten per cent per annum until paid. Principal and interest payable at the office of Farmers State Bank, Putnam, Texas.

It is hereby expressly agreed that if this note is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or collected by suit, I agree to pay ten per cent additional on principal and interest then due, as attorney's fees.

This note is secured by a deed of trust of even date herewith on the following described property, to-wit: Situated in Callahan County, Texas, Being Lot No. 2, in Blk. No. 34, in the town of Putnam, Callahan County, Texas, as per the official map of said town of Putnam, Texas.

Albert Julian.

That on or about the 15th day of June, 1925 said trustees of said M. E. Church of Putnam, Texas, for a valuable consideration sold, transferred and assigned said note to the plaintiff herein, and the plaintiff, being from such date to the present date the legal owner and holder of such note, and after all installments were due and payable on such note made demand on the defendants to pay the same and, defendants refusing, placed such note after such maturity in the hands of the undersigned attorneys for collection, agreeing with them to pay them the said amount of attorney's fees for their services in connection with such note; which is a reasonable amount therefor.

Though repeated demands have been made by plaintiff upon the defendants to pay such note, interest and attorney's fees, the defendants have failed and refused and still fail and refuse to pay the same or any part thereof to plaintiff's damage in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000.00).

That upon the 15th day of June, the trustees of the M. E. Church, of Putnam, Texas, executed and delivered to the defendant Albert Julian, a deed,

following described real estate to-wit: Lot No. 2, in Blk. No. 34, in the town of Putnam, in Callahan County, Texas, and laid down and described on the official map of said town. The said promissory note was given as part of the purchase price for such land so conveyed and to secure its payment the vendor's lien was retained in such deed.

That the defendant Ethel Julian is the wife of the defendant Albert Julian and is living on the above described premises and is asserting some right or title thereto, the exact nature of which is unknown to this plaintiff.

Premises considered, plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited in terms of law to appear herein, and that on final hearing plaintiff have judgment against said defendants for such sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars, interest, costs and attorney's fees, for foreclosure of such vendor's lien and order of sale, and for such other and further relief to which it may be entitled either in law or in equity.

You are commanded to summon such defendant, Albert Julian, and to serve this citation, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county; but if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term hereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the city of Baird, this 31st day of January, 1929.

Callie Marshall Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County Texas.

Issued this the 31st day of January 1929.

Callie Marshall Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County Texas. 9-4t.

WANT ADS THAT BRING RESULTS

If you want to buy, sell, or trade, or find anything anywhere or anytime—USE STAR WANT-ADS.

FOR RENT: the brick business house now occupied by the McElroy Dry Goods Co.—also the building just west of the Leache Store. I also have two nice two room apartments with garage. See or phone Mrs. J. H. Terrell, Phone 112. 9-tf.

WANTED: to rent a 100 to 150 acre farm on the halves. See or write B. F. Lych, Clyde, Texas, in care of C. B. Blevins. 9-3tpd.

CHINESE ELMS 50c to 75c each. Pecans \$1 to \$10 each. Peaches, Plums Apples, 15c to 75c each. Evergreens Crape Myrtles, Altheas, Roses, etc. 20c to 50c each. Clyde Nursery, J. H. Burkett Prop. 9-tf.

FOR RENT OR LEASE: 800 acres of land, 100 acres in cultivation; good house and plenty of water. This is the J. W. Tatum estate, south-east of Belle Plaine. See me on the premises, or write Chas. K. Tatum, St. Rt. 2, Baird, Texas. 8-tf.

FOR SALE: Medium-sized pigs. Mrs. E. M. Wristen, Phone 30. 11-tf.

FOR SALE: One full-blooded R. I. red rooster; Barred Rock, at Iona Teacherage. 11-1tpd.

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W. S. HAMLETT Residence Phone 73
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BEHEADED STATUE OF KING MUCH ABUSED

Shaft Attacked by Irishmen Since 1701.

Dublin.—When a party of men recently cut the head from the equestrian statue of William III that stands near the Bank of Ireland in this city they accomplished the wish of at least one of their predecessors in the defacement of a monument which has been the object of attack ever since it was erected first on the Dublin college green in 1701. "To chronicle all of the mishaps of this statue," says the Historian Chambers in recounting some of them, "would require a volume." He sets down the story of Watty Cox and some of Cox's forerunners and successors who have directed their attacks toward the likeness of the "hook nosed Nassau."

Cox was an eccentric. For many years the editor of the Irish Magazine, he was a man of varied talents. Before becoming an editor he had been a gunsmith and was expert in the use of tools. He was annoyed by the statue of the English king who had secured the "predominance of the Protestant religion in Ireland," and one dark night tried to file off the monarch's head.

Iron Foils Attempt. Perhaps he knew that under the coating of lead the statue was of iron; perhaps he did not. At any rate the iron "foiled" his attempt; and the head was left on the statue for other Irishmen better equipped to take off—just 130 years after Cox's failure.

Attempts to destroy or to dismember the statue began soon after it was set up. Many people took, it seems, an instant dislike for it—not only Catholics, but Protestants. The college boys in particular had toward it a feeling of hostility, because, it was said, "it turned its tail upon the university." We are told that "despite all magisterial denunciations notwithstanding," incessant maltreatment and indignities were put upon it. On June 27, 1710, "it was found to have been feloniously robbed of its regal sword and martial baton."

This robbery was too gross an offense to be overlooked by the authorities, who offered a reward of £100 for the discovery of the culprits. Money brought them to book; and three students of Trinity college were consecutively accused, tried and condemned to suffer six months' imprisonment, to pay a fine of £100 each and to be carried to College green, there to stand before the statue for half an hour with this inscription on their breasts: "I stand here for defacing the statue of our glorious deliverer, the late King William."

On account of their loss of prospects by expulsion from the college, however, and loss of health by imprisonment in a dungeon, the latter part of their sentence was remitted and the fine reduced to five shillings. In 1804 the king's birthday fell on Sunday. On the Saturday night preceding, the watchman on the College green was accosted by a man, "seemingly a painter," Chambers relates, who stated that he had been sent by the city authorities to decorate the statue for the approaching festivities, "adding that the apprehended violence of the disaffected portion of the populace rendered it advisable to have the work done by night."

Watchman Aids Painter. "The unsuspecting watchman assisted the painter in mounting the statue, and the latter plied his brush most industriously for some time. Then, descending, he coolly requested the watchman to keep an eye to his painting utensils while he went to his master's house for more colors. The night passed away without the return of the painter, and at day-break on Sunday morning the statue was found to be completely covered with an unctuous black pigment composed of grease and tar; while the bucket that had contained the mixture was suspended by a halter fixed around the insulted monarch's neck."

But the crowning catastrophe came to the statue in 1836. "One midnight in April of that year the statue blew up with a terrific explosion, smashing and extinguishing the lamps nearby. The body was blown in one direction, the broken arms and legs in another, and the wretched horse, that had suffered so many previous injuries, was shattered to pieces." Again a reward was offered for the perpetrators, but it failed to bring them to light.

The statue was repaired and placed in its old position.

Diamond Drill Cuts Expenses in Oil Hunt

Wichita, Kan.—Gone are the days when oil companies spent millions of dollars drilling wells simply on indications of surface geology.

Now prospective oil areas are examined by miniature drilling operations, known to the industry as "core drilling."

The core drill, three inches in diameter, has a diamond-edged bit. It bores into the shale and rock far beneath the surface, bringing up in a small receptacle samples of the formations at various depths for examination by trained geologists.

EARL WON'T GIVE UP CABIN FOR CASTLE

Happier in Environment of Canadian Northwest.

Winnipeg.—"I will not," said Frederick Joseph Trevelyn Perceval, when asked whether he would exchange the doubtful comfort of a bachelor's shack on a ranch in the Priddis district of the Canadian Northwest for an earldom, a fortune estimated at £1,000,000, about \$4,750,000 in American money, a country estate rated as one of the finest in all England and a seat in the house of lords.

A death in England a few days ago changed Fred Perceval, pioneer rancher in the Canadian Northwest province of Alberta to the tenth earl of Egmont, fourteenth baronet and master of Avon castle, Ringwood Hauts, England. As if by magic wave of a fairy wand the modest Canadian rancher was transported to an earldom when his cousin, the ninth earl of Egmont, died at his ancestral home, Avon castle.

While other members of the British peerage sought news of the old earl's successor, the tenth earl of Egmont was toiling away in the hills south of the city of Calgary, clearing brush from his ranch. Swinging an ax side by side with his father, was the Hon. Frederick George Moore Perceval, fourteen, son and heir of the new earl.

Prefers Ranch Life. The new earl was in an old well worn sweater and overalls working away at his woodpile. Nearby his husky young son and heir, clad in chaps, windbreaker, top boots and Stetson hat, as worn by all the cow boys in the district, was saddling a pony preparatory to taking the cattle out to their grazing place just over the hills.

"Well," the earl was accosted, "I suppose you'll soon be packing up and heading for England to claim your estates?"

"I will not," said the tenth earl of Egmont with a smile. "I have lived in western Canada 20 years, and my father was here before me. We have farmed and ranched and raised cattle and horses, and I love the life. There is no reason why I should not stay here until I die for I love my ranch, my cattle and my horses, and I am not going to leave it all unless it is absolutely necessary."

"If I do leave it, it will only be because I want to see my son obtain the benefits which will come automatically with the title and the estates."

The son is also happy in his ranch life, and there is little likelihood the new earl will return to England except for a visit and to take care of business pertaining to his new fortune.

Avon castle, the Egmont family seat, is in Ringwood, Hampshire, the earl continued. "It comprises 1,300 acres of land and as recently as 1913 approximately \$200,000 was spent on it in improvements. We also own land in several parts of England and Ireland, and the estate investments include shares in at least forty different companies, including a huge sum in war loans."

"Probably people will say we are queer when I say that I do not want to leave my Alberta ranch for all the wealth and comfort I could enjoy in England, but I repeat that if I do go back it will be only for the boy. We have lived the simple life out here for more than half my lifetime and we have been happy. The neighbors call me 'Fred,' and I call them 'Bill' and 'Jack' and 'Harry' and that suits me fine."

Home Only Two Rooms.

The new earl of Egmont is about fifty-five, 5 feet 6 inches in height, grizzled and lean from years of hard work and deeply tanned. His ranch-house is a two-room affair built of logs and although sparsely furnished, memories of old England in the way of pictures adorn the walls. He is independently wealthy in his own right but explains his simple surroundings by saying that before the death of his wife he promised her their son would be brought up in the clean hard life of the Canadian Northwest.

"My change of position is not a surprise," the earl said in conclusion. "I've known for years that I would succeed to the title. I've been in steady communication with my solicitors in London and from time to time they have mailed me reports of the condition of the estate. These reports indicate I am a very rich man indeed."

Canadians Move Whole Town 5 Miles to R. R.

Winnipeg.—The entire town of Waterhole, Alta., was moved five miles to a new location in less than two months. When the new railway was extended in that area the citizens of Waterhole found they were five miles from the steel. The town council had a conference and decided that if the railway would not come to them they would go to the railway, and in consequence the whole town, including two hotels, stores, etc., was moved to a point on the railroad and the town renamed Fairview.

They Eat Animal Crackers. Barcelona, Spain.—The Ark of Noah is a new social club. One requirement for membership is that the applicant shall be named after an animal.

CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS
No. 912 A
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting:
You Are Hereby Commanded To cause to be posted for at least ten days, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, at three of the most public places in Callahan County, one of which shall be at the Court House door, and no two of which shall be in the same city or town, copies of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To All Persons Interested in The Estate Of William E. Gilliland, Deceased Catherine Eliza Gilliland has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said William E. Gilliland Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in April, A. D. 1929, the same being the 1st day of April, A. D. 1929 at the Court House in Baird, Texas, in said County, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so

Herein Fail Not, But have you before said Court on the said first day of the April term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under my Hand And Official Seal At my office in Baird, Texas, this 23rd day of January, A. D. 1929.

S. E. Settle
Clerk County Court
Texas. 9-3t.

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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 917.
The State of Texas:

To The Sheriff or Any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of Ten Days before the return day thereof, in a Newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than One Year in said Callahan County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas:
To all Persons Interested in the Estate of Katherine Mays and Delta Ray Mays, Minors: You are hereby notified that Mrs. Alma Mays has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, an application for Letters of Temporary Guardianship upon the estates

of said Minors, Katherine Mays and Delta Ray Mays, and on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1929, by order of the County Judge of said Callahan County, the said Mrs. Alma Mays was appointed Temporary Guardian of the Estates of said Minors, and at the next regular term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in April, A. D. 1929, the same being the 1st day of April, A. D. 1929, at the Court-house thereof, in Baird, Texas, at which time, all persons interested in the Welfare of said Minors, may, and are hereby 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 first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at Office in Baird, Texas, this 8th day of February, A. D. 1929.

S. E. Settle
(SEAL)
Clerk, County Court, of
Callahan County, Texas.

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 915.
The State of Texas:
To The Sheriff or Any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of Ten Days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than One Year in said Callahan County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas:
To all Persons Interested in the Welfare of Gordon Herron, Nettie Herron, Eugenia Bell Herron, Minors, Mrs. Bertha A. Herron has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the estate of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in April A. D. 1929, the same being the 1st day of April, A. D. 1929, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the Welfare of such Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said First day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this 6th day of February, A. D. 1929.

S. E. Settle
(SEAL)
Clerk, County Court of
Callahan County, Texas.

FOUND: one cow and calf, cow is redwith white face, about 5 yrs. old. calf is red with white face. Owner can have same by paying for this ad and paying pasturage on cow and calf. A. H. Campbell, 18 miles south of Baird, on Baird-Coleman road. 10-4tpd.

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Col. R. E. Lee, of Cisco, congressman elect from this district accompanied by Mrs. Lee left last week for Washington. Col. Lee's term of office will begin with the March session of Congress.

He has purchased the Washington home of Hon. Thomas L. Blanton, his predecessor in office. The dwelling is a new brick and is located at 1815, Irving street, north west. Judge Blanton will return to his home in Abilene, and engage in the practice of law with his two sons, Matt and Tom Blanton, Jr.

It is generally conceded that Lee faces a task in filling the bill as satisfactorily to the people as Blanton satisfied them and the proof that he pleased is shown in the record of their votes. Every time he wanted to go to congress they sent him.

The two men are so different in their natures that it is may prove a source of wonder to Washington citizens who have from time to time had occasion to get a close up view of their fighting "Mayor" when they realize that the kindly face and gentle voice of the conservative Lee of Cisco are those of the man honored by the district to replace him in the halls of the house. When they see his successor they will be perplexed, no doubt, at the ways of men and women when they march to the polls.

They have known Blanton in Washington as "the guardian of the treasury." If the plans of Lee do not go astray, the people of Washington will come, in time, to know his home section as a man whose hobby is diversified agriculture, with fine chickens and pure bred stock high on the list of his favorites. He believes in placing his eggs all in one basket and in watching that basket and will go to Congress with some well defined ideas as to the needs of the farmer for which he will battle vigorously a tangle of causes.

He is largely a product of the farm and ranch, although his activities have carried him into the store as a merchant, into the office as a railroad executive and into various other works and walks of life.

Into his public career he will carry the convictions of a long life spent in close touch with the men of the district to be served. Although his life's sun has started on its westward journey, he will go to Washington "fit as a fiddle—two of them" physically and it is certain that his comrades in the chamber of representative will soon learn that he has powers to resist and ability to carry on in a way not unlike that of the ever alert and aggressive Tom Blanton.

Lee, like Blanton, has a profound respect for the press. Blanton has come to know that there is teeth in type. The latter has gained front page notoriety time and again in his public career. Editors have devoted columns to his prying powers. Some of them have been for him. Some of them have been against him, but the majority have recognized that it is well that men of his fighting spirit and courageous energy are some times placed by the vote of the people in a position where there restraining influences may serve as a check on the issuance of too many checks or halting extravagance in the dispensing tax raised funds.

JUDGE D. G. HILL, PIONEER JURIST DIES AT HOME IN ABILENE

Judge D. G. Hill, one of the best known jurists in West Texas, and who had many friends in Baird and Callahan county, died at Abilene, Tuesday. We take the following notice

of his death from the Abilene Reporter. Judge D. G. Hill, pioneer Abilenean, one of the city's '81'ers' although only 70 years of age, died at 6:15 Tuesday evening at his home, 1758 North Second street, as he sat peacefully in a chair by his fireside. Although his health had been bad, death came to Judge Hill very suddenly and gently, a few minutes after he had been walking in the yard of his home, turning off water. Going indoors, he told Mrs. Hill that he felt very badly, and a she ran back to him after hurriedly telephoning her daughter, Mrs. Hy Haynie of 880 Highland avenue, he passed away.

The funeral service will be held Thursday, the hour to be announced later by Laughter Undertaking Company. Judge Hill served his community as prosecutor and jurist longer than any other Abilenean. He was, successively, city attorney of Abilene, county attorney, of district attorney, and county judge. In the latter office he served altogether for 20 years, of which 16 years were served consecutively, or eight terms. After an interim of 13 years he returned to the bench, but shortly before the completion of his second term was forced by failing health to resign, give up his law practice, and go into retirement.

The years during which he was in office were the most exciting, and yet among the most vital, in the history of this community. Lawyers considered him a model judge, and among the members of the bar visiting the Hill home last night there were many who paid tribute to his soundness, fairness, good judgement, and complete integrity.

Judge Hill was a native Texan, born at LaGrange in 1858. His father was a wealthy planter and cattleman and the family were closely related to the Mills brothers, wealthiest residents of Galveston Island. He himself received his early education in Galveston, completing his academic training in Trinity University.

After studying law in Sherman and being admitted to the bar, he decided to move westward, and in the fall of 1881 started for El Paso. The Texas & Pacific railroad was still in construction; there was a wash-out in the line, and David G. Hill found himself stopping over-night in the tent town of Abilene, just then springing. "There was something about it—beautiful country, fine people, a place obviously with a future. On the moment I made up my mind to go no farther."

Soon after settling here the young lawyer was made city attorney. A short while later he was elected county attorney, and it was he who, with pistol buckled about his belt, went to Buffalo Gap following the county seat election to bring the official court records back to Abilene. His record was conspicuously good, and he was urged to make the race for district attorney. He did so, and and won—he was then only 26—then soon afterward commenced his long service as county judge.

Judge Hill was married December 12, 1884, to Miss Lucerne Campbell of Tuskegee, Ala., who had come to Abilene to visit her brother, J. W. Campbell, a banker. The marriage took place in Tuskegee and the young couple immediately returned to Abilene. During all the 44 years of their married life they resided in only three homes, all on North Second street, the first 30 years being at 1342 North Second. Their children, growing up in successive "sets," each having a large group of friends, made the house a perpetual Hospitality Hall.

MIDWAY SCHOOL NEWS

The weather was bad and the Program was postponed. The program committee has a treat in store for the next meeting, March, 1st, 1929. The school has already begun to practise for the County Meet, and we are bound to make our good records this year as heretofore. We are to play our first schedule Basket Ball game Friday, 23, 1929, on the Clyde School court. Everybody come out and give the team a good boost. Don't forget to see and hear the Negro minstrel. Lots of good music, singing, dancing and two big, "coon" plays. Hear the Uncle Ned quartet and Pantomime.

SEE NEGRO MINSTREL PROGRAM

1. Song—"There's a Rainbow Around My Shoulder."
2. Dialogue—"Kitchen Kotin."
3. "String Music and a Regular old Coon breakdown."
4. Pantomime and Quartet—"Uncle Ned's Dialogue—'Be Witchin, de Witch'."
6. Play—"Possum and Sweet Taters."
7. Song—"Sonny Boy."
8. A Comedy—"What You Got?"
9. Play—"Axin, Her Father."
10. Reading—"Mammy's Pickaniny."
11. Argument—"Der Ain't No Ghostes."

Don't forget the date Friday night March 1, 1929. Don't miss it

MARRIED IN CHICAGO

Friends here of Miss Theresa Weddington, who taught expression here for several years, will be interested in the following account of her marriage which was published in the Cisco News a few days ago:

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Weddington announce the marriage of their daughter, Theresa, to Mr. Allon J. McMerrill, December 22, 1928 in the New England Congregational church of Chicago. Rev. Heyworth officiated with a double ring ceremony. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Marge Zundel Perry sang two lovely numbers, "Tonight," by W. T. Moish, and "Oh Promise Me," by De Koven. The wedding march was played by Miss Alice Appleman. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Day and Mr. Paul Jors. The bride was beautifully gowned in a lovely French trimmed model of golden brown tulle and gold cloth slip, with hose and slippers matching, and wearing a small French gold mesh hat, and a gorgeous arm bouquet of yellow roses and orchids completed the costume. Mrs. E. V. Day wore a lovely gown of blue tulle over silver, with hat and slippers to match and carried a beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums. Mrs. M. Z. Perry was gowned in a creation of scarlet and old lace, Miss Alicia Appleman's costume was a two-toned blue crepe trimmed in heavy lace. The church was beautifully decorated with holly wreaths and Christmas candles. Following the ceremony a delightful wedding dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Day. Mrs. McMerrill has been studying drama with Mr. E. V. Day at Bush conservatory in Chicago for the past two years, and is a member of the Phi Beta Professional Fraternity of Drama and Music and is also secretary of the 1928-29 senior class. Mrs. McMerrill is a graduate of the Cisco high school, and received her diploma and post graduate diploma from the Woodrow School of Drama in Dallas, Texas, and was artist instructor of dramatic art at Randolph Junior college for three years. She has a host of friends here who wish her much joy. Mr. McMerrill is connected with a business firm in Canada.—Cisco News.

MISS EDITH LYLE HINTON AND ERMA DELL MITCHELL ENTERTAIN CLUB

Misses Edith Lyle Hinton and Erma Dell Mitchell were hostesses at a K.K.K. meeting held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland on Saturday nite Feb. 16. The theme of Valentine was carried out in Games and favors, Miss Ola Faye Nichols won the prize in a game of Hearts. After the business of the club was attended to, refreshments were served to the following members of the club: Eva Robinson, Christine Settle, Leota Alexander, Erma Dell Mitchell, Marjorie Boren, Edith Lyle Hinton, Dorothy Boydston, Ola Faye Nichols and Bessie Mae Gillit.

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and deepest appreciation for the many kindnesses and helps shown us by our friends and neighbor, during our recent bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Foy and family.

COOKED FOOD SALE

The Presbyterian Ladies will have a Cooked Food sale March 2, at first door north of First State Bank. Will serve pie and sandwiches.

FORMER BAIRD GIRL MARRIED IN CALIFORNIA

Miss Winnie Finch, formerly of Baird and Admiral, was married to Mr. Howard M. Bell, in Los Angeles, California on Christmas Day at 3 o'clock. The following account of the wedding is taken from the Los Angeles Times. Wedding Announced

One of the season's most attractive brides Mrs. Howard M. Bell, who until her recent marriage in St. Thomas' paris was Miss Winnie Finch Sorority and graduate student at the University of Southern California. She is the daughter of Mrs. James A. Doyle, 3048 West Twelfth street.

The afternoon wedding, performed by Father Gallagher, was witnessed by the immediate family and close friends only. Miss Finch wore a gown of black velvet and metallic cloth of green and gold, with a green hat. Her two attendants, both of Kappa Delta Sorority, were Miss Nettie

Rowland in a charming model of wood violet chiffon, with circular flounces and irregular hemline, and Miss Mercedes Heintz, wearing black chiffon. Thomas Graham was the best man, being a Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity brother of the bridegroom, who graduates in June from the University of Southern California. Mr. and Mrs. Bell are now at home at 3507 South Figueroa Street.

A post-nuptial shower was given for Mrs. Bell Monday evening, the 14th inst., by Miss Margaret Kroutil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Kroutil of the Holton Arms, 405 West Adams street. The guests included Misses Helen Miller, Alise Belboza, Helen Garvey, Vicki Garvey, Mary Kinkle, Anne Hoffman, Antoinette Keck, Peggy Mick and Bernardine Ryan, in addition to the honoree.

After playing cards Mrs. Kroutil showed on a screen many scenes in England, France, Switzerland and Italy where she traveled during the past summer. Following the presentation of the "shower" gifts dainty refreshments were served with miniature brides as favors.

For a Cough
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....About Your Friends....

Please Phone News Items To No. 3.

R. J. Harris, of Admiral was in Baird on business Wednesday.

Misses Jessie Evans and Nomi Bell Dickey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilliland at South of Baird they report a lovely time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dickey's little daughter Gwendolyn, Mrs. J.N. Brown and J. N. Jr. and Mr. Glen Boyd, spent Sunday visiting in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham and daughter, Frank Windham and Mrs. John Jordan of Oplin, were in Baird Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Atchison and son, Judson, Mrs. Hayme Gilliland and Miss Bess Holmes spent the week end in Fort Worth.

City Marshal J. C. Barringer, returned a few days ago from Dallas, where he spent several days on business.

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

T. R. Price, who has been confined to his home for the past three months, by illness, was able to come down town Saturday afternoon for awhile. Mr. Price's many friends are indeed glad to see him out again.

George M. Hall of Dallas, is visiting his brothers, Gus and Earl Hall, George is just recovering from injuries received a week or ten days ago when his car slipped on the icy highway and turned over.

Mrs. J.T. Hammons, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Terrell, suffered a slight paralytic stroke.

Mrs. E. A. Hutchison, a daughter of Mrs. Hammons, of Sacatone, Ariz. is expected to arrive this morning to help nurse her mother.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dunn a boy, Feb 19, 1929.

Little Miss Violet Wiley was riding a bicycle Sunday and fell breaking a bone in her ankle. She is doing nicely.

B.Y.P.U. PROGRAM FOR SUN.
FEB. 24, 1929.

Topic: Adoniram Judson, 1788-1850. Leader: Leo Thompson.

Introduction—Leo Thompson.

1. Testimony of a Distinguished Son, Gladys Thompson.
2. Adoniram Judson's Early Years, Parilee Lassiter.
3. College Career, Dorothy Boydston.
4. Conversion and Baptism, Dorothy Mae Scott.
5. Following the Star, Olaf Hollingshead.
6. Studies New Testament, Glenn McGowen.
7. Bugle Call To Baptists, Katie Lou Moore.
8. Work in Burma, W. O. Wylie Jr.
9. Trials and Disappointments, Bessie Mae Gillet.
10. In America Again.

MARRIED

Mr. Char. O. Clinton and Miss Patsy W. Kay, were married at the home of Mrs. Daniel Houghton, Saturday evening, Feb. 16th, 1929, at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. Cal. C. Wright, officiating.

BAPTIST PARAGRAPHS

Sunday was a great day with us. We had three additions 1g letter. Our new Superintendent made things snappy in Sunday Schol. We are going to study our lessons now, or he will find it out. Fine Judge, that's it, make us sit up and take notice.

It so happens that we have some real good speakers in our church, as was demonstrated in the service Sunday night. Three fine talks were made in Stewardship, they were to the point and range just right.

Mrs. Mayes is improving nicely and can have some company. It is fine to have her getting well.

Bro. B. H. Philpot, who lives out in Midway community and who is a good Baptist preacher, is going to preach for the Belle Plane people. He was to have preached last Sunday, but missed his way and did not get there in time. He is hoping the little church there calls him for their pastor. He is a good man, a good preacher, and will do fine work in the community and for the church.

Brother and Sister, Stringfellow, is working for the T & P Ry Co. They came right into the church. Now that's the way to do. We hope a lot of others do just that thing.

Sister Ethel Thompson joined the church Sunday night, fine sister. We are looking and hoping for good husband and fine son next.

Here is a thought for you; The Psalmist asks, "What is man that thou are mindful of him, or what is man that thou visited him." Here is the answer; He is a saint as he submits himself to the will of God, and he is a demon as he follows the will of Satan. Which is your fellow traveler? All ends better if we follow the right leader.

Selected J. R. M.

PROGRAM CALAHAN COUNTY ASSOCIATIONAL B.Y.P.U.

At Admiral 2:30 Sunday Afternoon Feb. 24, 1929.

TOPIC
Missionary Meeting—Adoniram Judson 1788-1850

Quiz Leader, Oscar Black.

Introductory Remarks, Miss Isabella Higgins Admiral.

1. Testimony of a distinguished son Oplin B.Y.P.U.

2. Adoniram Judson's Early years, Putman B.Y.P.U.

3. College career, Leo Thompson Baird B.Y.P.U.

4. Music arranged by the Clyde B.Y.P.U.

5. Conversion and Baptism Cross Plains B.Y.P.U.

6. Following the Star, Miss Linnie Brashear, Atwell B.Y.P.U.

7. Studies New Testament, Bro. Smith Pastor Clyde.

8. Bugle call to Baptists, Cottonwood B.Y.P.U.

9. Work in Burma, Truett Little.

11. In America Again, Rowden B.Y.P.U.

10. Trials and disappointments, Potosi Union.

11. In America Again, Rowden B.Y.P.U.

W. A. Foster.

12. Aims of the Associational B.Y.P.U. Royce Gilliland.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Albert S. Hall, Minister

Service were all good last Sunday, and attendance was fine. Lets make next Sunday still better. The Young Peoples Meeting each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock is proving to be one of our leading features. We have about sixty young people who are attending these meetings, and they are putting over a very fine work. It would be fine on the part of anyone to attend these meetings and thus encourage the boys and girls who have it in their hearts to do good, and prepare for greater usefulness. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Be on time. Preaching morning and evening. Subjects: "A Worthy Example," and "The Conversion of Saul of Tarsus." We shall be delighted to have you present. Next Sunday afternoon we are to have our regular monthly song rally, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to come and enjoy this occasion with us.

NOTICE OF ESTRAY SALE

Notice is hereby given that on March 23d, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M. County Commissioner, W. A. Everett, Prect No 3, will sell the following Estray, at the farm of Joe E. Jones, near Admiral, Texas:

One Black Mare about 2yrs old, 15 hands high, with white spot in forehead, 1 white hind foot, wt. about 800 pds. said animal now running at large in pasture of Joe E. Jones, 1 mile Nores and 1-2 mile West of Admiral, Texas, in Callahan County. Said animal duly estrayed by said Com. on Feb 15th, 1929.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 5th day of Feb. 1929. S.E. Settle, Clerk Co. Court, Callahan County, Texas.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

Sunday school at 10 A.M.; Preaching at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.; Senior Endeavor at 6:30 P.M.; Ladies Auxillary at 3 P.M. Monday; Prayer Service at 7:30 P.M. Wednesday; Junior Endeavor at 4 P.M. Saturday.

Everyone is cordially invited to worship with us and assist in the services. Let every member remember that is your church and services, add that you are partner with Christ and your fellow church members, and then you will be present and help in the services and every undertaking of the church. Do you think you are helping or hindering your church? Now really which do you want to do?
S. F. McCaffity, Pastor.

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We are now giving delivery service any time of the day, beginning at 9 a.m. Phone your order for choice baby beef, fresh or cured meats, in fact any kind of meat you want, and delivery will be made promptly. We also have a small, well selected stock of groceries. We will appreciate a share of your patronage.
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During Month of Feb.
Mr. Marvin Crawford and Miss Mabel Milliron, Feb. 1, 1929.
Mr. Belton Edwards and Miss Zelma Branham, Feb. 4, 1929.
Mr. Ted Ivey and Miss Dorothy Crawford.
Mr. J. L. Greenway and Miss Cloe LeMay.
Mr. Don Gillit and Miss Hazel Bradford.
Mr. Lowman Jack Sherrill and Miss Ollie Mae Wade, Feb. 18, 1929.
Mr. J. W. Eowius and Miss Juanita Nolan, Feb. 19, 1929.

CLYDE GIRL BRIDE OF NEW MEXICO MAN

Mrs. George Johnson of Clyde announces the marriage of her daughter, Marie, and W. Leslie Martin. The ceremony took place Tuesday in Clovis New Mexico.

After a motor trip of several days the couple will go to their ranch home, Alta Dale, near Artesia, New Mexico.

The Johnson family formerly lived in Abilene. Following her graduation from high school with the class of '23, Miss Johnson attended Simmons University, where she completed her junior work—Clyde Enterprise.

LOST: \$10 bill in or between Post Office and Mayfields, Friday afternoon 6 o'clock. Reward for return to A. N. Austin.

SHEEP: 220 head young sheep. Now lambing. About 50 lambs already saved. Price \$10 and thdow in the lambs. John Berry, Clyde, Texas. 12-2p

Bailed cane for sale. See or phone Gus Hall, Phone 66.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Round Curls—50c.
Plain Shampoo—35c.
Dry Shampoo—40c.
Egg Shampoo—25c.
Lemon Rinse—15c.
For appointment phone 19. Mrs. Joe Hanley. 10-3t.

COLLECTIONS

On A Business Basis

No one can afford to beat a debt that he justly owes, it is cheaper to pay honest debts than to try to beat them, no one ever makes a success of anything who fails and refuses to pay his obligations.

To have a good credit is worth more to day than it has ever been, if you owe and can not pay, make an honest effort to satisfy those you owe, don't allow them to run you all over the county.

We have taken over the following accounts and notes:

B. L. BOYDSTUN STORE
BERRY & ESTES
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We expect to be absolutely fair in the collection of these debts and we ask that every one owing the above get in touch with us as we expect to complete our credit file of Baird shortly and we are anxious that you have an opportunity to show your attitude towards paying debts, almost every one can pay a little and it is the little things that counts to day.

A complete file covering Baird will be available shortly at our office, this file will show the absolute facts as to who will pay and who will Not pay.

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PASTOR TAKES POST ON "LONELIEST ISLE"

Dauntless Padre Sees Rats as Worst Problem.

Southampton, England.—An adventurous clergyman, Rev. Augustus Partridge, has sailed from here for his new station in "the world's loneliest island," Tristan da Cunha.

The dauntless padre—a bachelor—already has suffered the perils and hardships of frontier posts in distant South African and South American fields.

With his Bible and "vest pocket" organ, as inspiration and aids to his labors, Mr. Partridge is taking with him to Tristan a huge supply of rat poison. For rats are the fiercest creatures in this lonely ocean oasis.

The travelling preacher—still of the sunny side of middle age—has a vigorous frame and trim figure. It was just recently that he returned home to London from his ministry in Brazil. But when he heard that the chaplain at Tristan da Cunha was sick and must be relieved he volunteered at once for the uninviting task.

After serving during the war in the British Red Cross, Mr. Partridge entered the Anglican ministry and soon responded to the call for foreign service in the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. He went out to South Africa and in the Johannesburg mining districts—rough and unruly as mining countries are—he took charge of three churches, one of these for natives.

"I had to rush about from one church to another on my motor bike," he said, in relating his adventures "and they called me 'the Flying Parson.'"

"One day a native woman came running to me, her face streaming with blood. She had been attacked by some superstitious persons, both Christian and non-Christian, who charged that she had buried a charm in front of the church and caused the death of a native deacon."

"I put on all my canonical vestments to overawe the crowd. Then I went out and dug up the ground myself to show them there was no charm there. I had to excommunicate the church members who had attacked the poor woman."

Santos a Hard Field. After other like trials, Mr. Partridge was transferred across the Atlantic to Santos, the great Brazilian coffee port. The young clergyman found this city a strenuous field. Carousing sailors, reckless beach-combers, and down-and-outers of many nationalities destroyed the peace of the place and made his life one fight after another.

But in this new island station the preacher no longer will have to struggle with violent men and worse women. Tristan's population is not much more than 100. Its farmers and fishermen are described as moral and religious, industrious and hospitable; they have no alcoholic liquors, and they have no crime among them.

The new chaplain will have charge of the education of the children of the island, who are contented prisoners on the little area of 16 square miles.

Filipino Students Told to Learn Trades in U. S.

Manila.—The Philippine government will henceforth tell students who are sent to the United States what courses to study. An oversupply of physicians and lawyers in the islands has led to a shortage of technically trained college graduates.

In view of the big demand for technologists and experts in the industrial arts they will be permitted to study only fish, meat and vegetable canning and other such industries.

Heretofore government students, or pensionados, as they are known locally, were free to choose their careers. In most instances they took up law, medicine, education and similar academic courses. Upon returning to the Philippines they found difficulty in obtaining work, since those professions were crowded. Many of them returned to the United States, thus yielding the Philippine government no return for the money spent for their education.

South America Buys German Made Planes

Berlin.—Germany's aircraft industry will bid high and vigorously for a lion's share of the South American demand. The move will be aimed at powerful French competitors.

Germans have done much pioneer work in the development of aerial transportation in various South American republics. In the first ten months of 1928, ten German machines were shipped to Brazil, where the Condor syndicate maintains a regular service from Rio Janeiro to Rio Grande do Sul, with planned extension to Montevideo and Buenos Aires, while a German group in Peru has secured a concession for establishing air services with neighboring countries.

In Bolivia the Aero Lloyd Veliviano, a German enterprise operating with a German staff and German machines, conducts that country's air services.

Knew Where to Look

Milwaukee, Wis.—Not in the haunts of the underworld, but in a courtroom, Milwaukee police started to round up persons suspected of being vagrants or crooks. They arrested 15 men in Judge George Shandley's court.

Improved Uniform International

Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. H. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for February 24

CHRISTIAN GROWTH

LESSON TEXT—John 1:40-42; Matt. 16:15-18; John 21:15-19.
GOLDEN TEXT—But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Growing Like Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Growing Like Jesus.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Growing Up—To What?
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Conditions of Christian Growth.

I. Following Jesus (John 1:40).

As a result of the testimony of John the Baptist, that Jesus was the Lamb of God (v. 36), Andrew followed Jesus. The proof that he really believed is that he followed Christ. This is the first essential in the Christian life.

II. Leading Others to Christ (v. 41).

As soon as Andrew had found and become acquainted with Christ, he brought his brother Peter to Christ. Christian growth can only be truly realized in the giving of oneself to the winning of souls. The one who has received the gospel, the good news, cannot help but proclaim it.

III. Confessing Jesus as the Messiah, the Son of God (Matt. 16:15-18).

The disciples had been with the Lord for several years. They had heard His wonderful words and seen His mighty works. Various opinions were extant about Him. It was now necessary for them to have a definite conception of Him. Examination came after the period of school life. As the Master Teacher, Jesus knew what it meant to the disciples to have a right conception of Himself. He knew the trying ordeal through which they would be called upon to pass as the time of his crucifixion drew near. Only as they perceived His deity would they be strong in the hour of trial. In answer to Jesus' pointed, personal question, Peter confessed to the absolute deity and Messiahship of Jesus. This conception of Christ is essential to salvation (John 20:31).

No one lacking it will ever be interested in the winning of souls. Besides, the denial of His deity is the supreme lie (1 John 2:22).

1. What Peter confessed (v. 16).

"Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." It therefore involved His Messiahship and deity. This is the burning question of today. Those who have the right conception of Christ's person and mission have no trouble in the realm of science, philosophy or ethics.

2. Christ's commendation (v. 17).

He pronounced him blessed. The evidence that Peter was blessed was that he was in spiritual touch with the heavenly Father. His conception of Christ was not revealed by flesh and blood.

3. Peter's blessing (v. 18).

Christ declared that he should be come a foundation stone in His church. Christ Himself is the chief cornerstone on which the church is built. Christ's person and Messiahship were confessed by Peter, and on this rock is laid the foundation of apostles and prophets (Eph. 2:20). All believers are living stones of this house (1 Peter 2:5).

IV. Peter's Exploration (John 21:15-19).

Peter grievously sinned in denying the Lord, but he made confession, shedding bitter tears over his sin and folly. The Lord tenderly dealt with His erring disciple and restored him. In his restoration, Jesus brought to Peter's mind the essential qualification for his ministry. Love is the pre-eminent gift for Christian service. To impress upon his mind this fact He three times asked the question, "Lovest thou me?" He not only asked the question three times to show the supreme qualification for service to Him, but to show that there are three classes of persons demanding His service, and that these classes need special care as well as food adapted to their state.

1. Those beginning the Christian life, babes in Christ, "Feed my lambs."

The word "feed" means more than instruction. It applies to the surroundings, influences and examples.

2. The mature ones, "Feed my sheep."

This seems to mean "shepherd my sheep." The mature class of believers not only need food, but discipline. They need correction and guidance.

3. The aged Christians, "Feed My Sheep."

The word "feed" here is much the same as in the first case. This is a service greatly needed today. In many places the old people are greatly neglected. All provision is made for the young people. Love is the supreme need in service to the old folks.

The Humble Person

When men are cast down, then thou shalt say, There is lifting up; and he shall save the humble person. He shall deliver the island of the innocent; and it is delivered by the pureness of thine hands.—Job 22:29, 30.

Living and Giving

Abundant life always means overflow. The Christian life that is not overflowing is spiritually sick. It is dwarfed instead of being full grown. It is carnal, not spiritual.

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46-1f. Clyde, Texas

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EAST BOUND

Train No.	Arrives	Departs
16	9:25 A. M.	9:35 A. M.
4	1:30 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
6	3:25 A. M.	3:30 A. M.
10	4:20 A. M.	4:25 A. M.

WEST BOUND

Train No.	Arrives	Departs
1	6:10 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
3	3:20 P. M.	3:25 P. M.
5	1:30 A. M.	1:35 A. M.
9	3:30 A. M.	3:35 A. M.

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Quart Jar **25c**

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4 Pounds **25c**

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Minimum monthly bill \$1.50 per meter

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The room count is based upon the ordinary real estate rating, and in making the count, alcoves, unfurnished attics, bathrooms, cellars, hallways, laundries, closets, pantries, open porches, garages, barns, and outbuildings will not be included. Premises with less than three rooms, real estate rating; will be classes as 3-room premises; those with more than seven rooms will be rated as 7-room premises. **THE NUMBER OF OUTLETS AND APPLIANCES USED DO NOT AFFECT THE RATE.**

TABLE SHOWING THE NEW NET RATE AND NUMBER OF KILOWATT-HOURS IN EACH STEP.

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	For First	For Next	rate
3 Rooms or less	12 kilowatt-hours	12 kilowatt-hours	For All
4 Rooms	16 kilowatt-hours	16 kilowatt-hour	Kilowatt-Hours
5 Rooms	20 kilowatt-hours	20 kilowatt-hour	used each month
6 Rooms	24 kilowatt-hours	24 kilowatt-hours	over total of first
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Further explanation of the rates will be given gladly upon request. These rates effective in December billing first day of January 1929.

West Texas Utilities Company

TAVERN FAMOUS IN REVOLUTION TO GO

Black Horse Inn Gives Way to Progress.

New York.—The relentless march of progress, until recently sparing of the older landmarks, which seemed secure in the remoter regions of Staten Island, shortly will wipe out one of the last remaining relics of Revolutionary days still standing within the limits of the city of New York.

The Black Horse tavern, at the intersection of Amboy and Richmond roads, New Dorp, Staten Island, shortly will be razed to make way for the widening of Richmond road. Condemnation proceedings will be started soon and the building will be razed when the maps are finished and the contracts awarded by the borough of Richmond.

The present owner of the faded and rambling frame structure which housed British officers during the Revolution is Mrs. Catherine C. Curry. It became her property after the death of her husband, Patrick Curry, who went to Staten Island more than forty years ago and opened a public house where more than one not too elderly resident can recall having stopped to partake of the cup that cheers. Since Voistead days the house has been maintained as a private dwelling.

Improvement Imperative.

Because the intersection at which the house stands has long been a blind corner and a peril to motorists the improvement contemplated by the city became imperative. A triangular slice of land, it will be cut into two pieces, one part being used to widen Richmond road and the other to form a small plaza.

The old tavern, portions of which have been incorporated into the present building, has been celebrated in many legendary stories of Staten Island history. So legendary are some of these stories that it has been impossible to verify them.

It was in the latter part of the Revolution that Gen. William Howe, commander of the British forces in the New York area, quartered some of his staff officers in the Black Horse. General Howe himself occupied a house across the road, known as the Rose and Crown, and it was here that on July 4, 1776, he read the Declaration of Independence.

At that time, history tells us, he remarked: "That document has been signed by very determined men."

The Rose and Crown long ago suffered the fate now destined for the Black Horse.

The appearance of the place has changed considerably since the days of '76. Still standing are three of the old rooms—the old tavern was a very small place—which now are utilized as living room, parlor and dining room. Additions have been built from time to time, among them a comparatively modern dance hall. The original wooden sign, which bore the figure of a black horse and which is now so weatherbeaten that only the faintest of markings can be discerned, is in the possession of Mrs. Curry, who has refused to part with it despite the pleas of a number of historical societies.

How It Got Its Name.

It is related that on the occasion of a review of troops by Lord Richard Howe, brother of General Howe, a staff officer mounted his handsome horse to escort his superior and that the horse took fright, dashing itself and its rider against a high rock and killing both.

At that moment the house, hitherto unnamed, was christened the Black Horse by fellow officers who witnessed the tragedy.

William T. Davis, Staten Island historian, recalled that for a short period of years prior to the purchase of the building by Patrick Curry it was used as a post office, and residents of the rural districts came from near and far to receive their mail.

It is told, without verification, that Maj. John Andre, the officer delegated to assist in the treachery of Benedict Arnold, stopped at the Black Horse and executed his will there before starting out on his mission.

Custis Family Slave

Will Lie in Arlington

Washington.—A place has been reserved for humble Jim Parks in the great Valhalla, where America's distinguished dead lie. Uncle Jim, an eighty-four-year-old negro, will be buried in Arlington National cemetery when he dies. There he was born.

No man, so the records show, outside of the army and navy, has been so honored in this day and generation. The War department has entered a formal order that Uncle Jim be buried in Arlington. His forebears lie there, too.

Uncle Jim's years are upon him, but he may be found almost any day at his tasks in Arlington. He knew the 1,100-acre reservation when it was an ante-bellum plantation. He was a slave here, the property of George Washington Parke Custis, grandson of Martha Washington and adopted son of George Washington. Then he served Col. Robert E. Lee.

Bronze Age Tomb Found

Troyes, France.—A bronze tomb has been discovered near the village of Earbuisse. It contained a woman's skeleton with a number of funeral trappings including three bronze bracelets, a bronze pin and two armlets with chiseled ornamentation.

ATLANTA BOY, 13, IS A SKYSCRAPER

Youth Is Growing Toward New Altitude Mark.

Atlanta, Ga.—How would you like to be thirteen again—but seven feet two inches tall?

That is the age and height of Henry Mullins of Atlanta. He hopes to be a football star at Georgia Tech some day.

Doctors say the trouble—if it can be called that—is caused by overactivity of the youth's pituitary gland, a ductless organ below the brain. Such overactivity causes the rise of most giants.

Henry Mullins is in the seventh grade in school. His report card is usually worth showing to his father and mother—A's and B's. On top of that he is a good golf player. He goes around in the 80s and some of his drives are 250 yards.

Henry doesn't look toward golf for success, however. "All the club handles are too short, anyway. I want to be a boxer and a football player, but I can't find anybody to box with me," he said.

Henry's shoes are size 14. The rest of his attire is in proportion.

He plays end on the high school football team, center on the basketball team. He drops some baskets in without poking his hand over his head. He played first base in baseball and was utility man on the mound. Henry is a wow in sports!

C. E. Mullins, a six footer, brother of the young giant, claims his big brother eats only about as much as the average thirteen-year-old boy eats, "only it goes farther."

If Henry keeps on growing—and he doesn't want to—he will, by averages with normally sized humans—leap into something like ten feet of humanity—a world's record. However, doctors are going to give some treatments to that little pituitary gland.

Sails Over Earthquake; Feels Ship "Hit Bottom"

Washington, D. C.—Sailing over an earthquake that was sufficiently severe to be felt by seismographs throughout the world was the experience of a British ship, the Magaldi, that has just been reported to the hydrographic office here.

The report incidentally confirms the location of the quake made on December 2, the day after it happened, by the United States coast and geodetic survey, with the aid of telegraphic data gathered from a number of observatories by Science Service.

Capt. W. S. Smales, the steamer's commander, reported that on December 1, while en route from Talcahuano to Yocopilla, Chile, they felt three heavy bumps as if the vessel had struck bottom. Their position was latitude 35 degrees 33.5 minutes south and longitude 72 degrees 54 minutes west, where the charts show a depth from 400 to 600 feet. Careful examination showed that no damage was done.

According to Commander N. H. Heck, in charge of the coast and geodetic survey's earthquake investigations, the ship must have been very close to the center, or it would not have been felt as it was. The three bumps, he thinks, were due to three separate shocks, of which probably only one was severe enough to set up the earthquake waves which traveled around the earth and permitted the seismologists to locate it when they were received on the seismographs.

Frogs Learn Geometry, Experimenter Declares

Berlin, Germany.—Frogs are not so dumb as they look. They can learn a simple proposition in geometry, as that a square is not a triangle. And they will remember their lesson for a little while at least if they are paid for it.

A European experimenter, S. Biedermann, has reported the results of tests on the learning capacity of frogs. He set square and triangular blocks in pairs before his squat pupils. One block would have a delectable insect attached to it, the other would have nothing. After a sufficient number of repetitions the frog would learn that one shape was associated with the idea of food, the other with the idea of remaining empty; and when both blocks were presented without the accustomed bait the frog would hop expectantly to the one that had hitherto served as his dinner table.

A number of different species of frogs and toads were thus "educated." Tree frogs proved to be the most apt pupils.

Baby of No Cash Value Ontario Court Decides

Hamilton, Ont.—Judge Elliot of Halton county has ruled that a nine-months-old child is of no cash value to its parents.

This ruling was made known recently in the suit of John Ashwood of Toronto against Ross McPhail of this city, for damages for the death of their son, William, in August, 1927. The men were involved in an auto crash near Oakville, the baby dying of a fractured skull.

The judge said a child was only a remote source of remuneration; that he was a liability, and that no allowance, but only sympathy, could go to the grief-stricken parents.

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