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GLORIFY GOD IN YOUR BODY

Is The Advice Given To Baird
School Girls Who Dress
Flossily And Absurdly

The following paper, under the title "Appropriate Clothes for the High Schools," was read by a member of the Baird Parent-Teachers' Association—who is neither a prude, a crank nor a killjoy, but a sensible, level-headed person, with a healthy vision—at a late meeting of that organization, and The Star, after a careful reading and thoughtful analysis, commends it to the sober consideration of every high school miss in Baird—and their mothers, as well—trusting that a majority of them, at least, may see the light, discard their cripple-making high heels and all manner of dress that is immodest and unhygienic, keeping always in mind this Divine apothegm: "The Body is the Temple of the Holy Spirit.... therefore, Glorify God in Your Body!" The paper follows:

Some one has asked: "Why all this agitation on the subject of the High School Girl's Dress?" The high school girl herself is responsible for the increasing interest in this subject.

The costumes worn by the high school girls of our city have gone gradually from bad to worse with the years. But, the representative high school girls of the city—and county—have begun to realize that a great weakness exists and are making a stand for good taste and democracy in the clothes they wear to school.

It is certainly hoped that this fine spirit will spread through the length and breadth of our country.

Many girls feel that when they enter high school they are no longer children, but have quite suddenly become grown and must announce this fact to the world by the clothes they wear.

Such things as gingham dresses, middle and low-heel shoes are to be looked upon as belonging to the days that are gone. Hair that was once lovely for its simplicity and natural beauty, takes on fearful and wonderful lines. With hair thus arranged and arrayed in a georgette blouse, with French heels on her shoes, the young lady thinks herself ready to undertake the task that is before her.

Could she possibly make a greater mistake? Work in the school room is not a social function nor a style show, but is a busy work room, where material is assembled and imparted—material from which a life is to be built.

In a truly good high school the girls must do or die. They must be busy making the best of the opportunity given them. They should be keen and alert if they do not miss some very important stone in the building of their foundation. If this be true, then is there any time for frills and furbelows? for the constant attention given to some elaborate piece of jewelry or to the frequent peeps into a mirror to put a bit more powder on the already powdered nose.

One of the surest tests of good judgment and refinement in a girl is

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FORMER BAIRD BOY IS KILLED IN LAREDO

Clyde King, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Quinn, who formerly lived in Baird and a nephew of Mrs. W. S. Hinds, of this city, died at the Mercy Hospital in Laredo, at 5:30 p. m., Tuesday, April 25, from the effect of injuries received the Sunday afternoon previous, when an automobile, in which he and five companions had been riding in South Laredo, crashed into an embankment near the Chacon Bridge, young Quinn having his skull fractured and receiving severe injuries to his chest.

From the time the young man was brought to the hospital for treatment his life was despaired of, as blood emitted from ruptured blood vessels in the head and chest. He never regained consciousness after the automobile crashed into the embankment and he sustained the injuries that caused his death.

The Laredo Times, in its account of the said affair said: "Young Quinn was liked by everybody who knew him, and with the younger set he was very popular, especially the students of the Laredo High School. The news of the accident on Sunday came as a shock to his parents and friends, but the news of his death came as a still keener shock, with its attendant poignant grief. The heartfelt sympathy of the community goes out to the afflicted family in their hour of deepest sorrow."

The funeral was held the day following his death from the family home, 1903 Rosario Street, at 5 p. m., interment being made in the Masonic plot in the Laredo City Cemetery.

Young Quinn was twenty years and four months old. He was born Big Spring, but his father was appointed T. & P. yardmaster at Baird and the family moved hither when Clyde was a very small boy. As a child he endeared himself to all who knew him—a bright faced, sunny tempered, laughing little chap, who was forever scooting up and down the streets on his bicycle. The sympathies of these will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Quinn in their great bereavement, and in this sympathy The Star joins.

News of the accident was wired to Mrs. W. S. Hinds, who is an aunt of Clyde Quinn, and she left immediately for Laredo.

"HOME TIES" PLAY POSTPONED

The play "Home Ties," which was to have been produced at the School Auditorium last night, for the benefit of the Epworth League, has postponed its presentation until next Thursday night, May 11.

This postponement was made out of respect to the memory of the late J. B. Cutbirth, who was a friend and liberal supporter of the League and of all other works of Christian endeavor and moral uplift.

Friday, April 21st was a busy day with Justice of the Peace and the Reverend G. E. Printz. On that date, exercising his dual authority to "make two hearts beat as one," he united in the holy—and legal—bonds of wedlock, Mr. Olan Adams and Miss Audrey Webb and Mr. Ernest Davidson and Miss Charlsy Brewer, all of Cross Plains.

FALSE GOOD SAMARITAN

Supreme Tragedy In Octogenarian's Life Hidden In Citation By Publication

Civil and criminal law courts are fecund incubators of human interest stories, and they run the whole gamut of life's great drama—comedy, tragedy, humor, pathos, love and hatred—and this fact is sadly exemplified in the underlying motif of a prosaic "Citation by Publication" published elsewhere in The Star. Brushing away the dry law verbiage in which the document is necessarily clothed, one finds at the bottom the supreme patho-tragic chapter in the humdrum life of Octogenarian Joe Seyer, who, working hard and cultivating thrift, became the owner of a fertile eighty acre farm in the Oplin country.

Joe was past middle age when he settled in Callahan County a score of years ago, and as the inexorably fleeting seasons, crept by he gradually approached nearer and nearer the completion of life's circle, when the helplessness of infancy melted into the senility of old age.

About two years ago one E. L. Anthony and his family moved into a tenant house on Joe Seyer's little farm. Presently this tenant and his landlord became very chummy and had many long and confidential talks. Old Joe irked frequently at the age weakness that crept upon him, daily rendering him less and less competently able to perform the ordinary offices of life.

It is presumed that Tenant Anthony sympathized with the old man in these maundering babbles, and one can almost feel assured of this fact, when one reads between the lines of this printed "Citation by Publication." Anyway, on or about May 8th, 1920, Joe Seyer executed and had recorded a deed of conveyance to E. L. Anthony of the little farm, its stock, tools and other furnishings, the consideration—quoting from the Citation—being that:

"The said Defendant (Anthony) promised and agreed he would care for Plaintiff (Seyer) in the event that the Plaintiff should become disabled by old age, accident or otherwise."

Answering this Joe Seyer says: "Plaintiff has become disabled and not able to care for himself; but Defendant, wholly disregarding his promise and agreement to care for Plaintiff in his old and disabled condition, has abandoned the Plaintiff, moved away and his present whereabouts and residence to this Plaintiff is unknown."

The neighbors of Joe Seyer declare that "Good Samaritan" Anthony was the reverse of that benevolent hero of Scripture, and Joe Seyer would have suffered many times for the bare necessities—let alone the comforts—of life, but for their kindly, unselfish helpfulness. Why did E. L. Anthony abandon his benefactor? Where is he now? There is ground for all sorts of romantically thrilling conjectures in truthful answers to these questions.

Joe Seyer's neighbor, L. L. McBane, taking compassion upon the plight of the octogenarian, at once secured the services of Judge Ben L. Russell to have the deed made to Anthony set aside and the property restored to its rightful owner.

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS IN "THREE MUSKETEERS!"

The war cry of that gallant quartette, "Athos, Porthos, Aramis and D'Artagnan" under the generic name of "The Three Musketeers," their brilliant creator, Alexander Dumas, loved, next to "The Count of Monte Christo," best of all his marvellous creations in fiction, was "One For All and All For One!" It is also the slogan of that aggressive, live wire organization, The Baird Progressive Club.

Readers of the several stories in which "The Three Musketeers" appear love them all, but they have a particular affection for the fearless "D'Artagnan." He is a hero of heroes, and through their years of warring adventure, when they made a king, saved the honor of a queen and the life of a dauphin and defied a cardinal primate, "D'Artagnan" was always "sans peur et sans reproche."

Douglas Fairbanks, physically and temperamentally, is like the dauntless "D'Artagnan." His portrayal of the daring Breton in his screen version of "The Three Musketeers," portrays the fearless soldier of fortune so true to life that one who witnesses the thrilling action of this greatest of the Fairbanks films, may well believe that it is a portraiture of actual adventure. Every man, woman and child in Baird should see the world's greatest heroic screen artist in this his latest and most thrilling film production. Partake visually of The Great Adventure.

It is a picture that will thrill you from start to finish—and it comprises twelve reels. See it by all means tomorrow (Saturday) at the Sigal Theatre, a continuous performance, from 2 till 11 p. m. Admission: Adults, fifty cents; children, twenty-five cents.

JOE SEAY PIONEER OF WEST TEXAS DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Mr. Joe P. Seay, a pioneer of this section, who had been at Long Beach, California, for some weeks seeking restoration to health, passed away on last Friday, April 21st, at that place. The body was brought to Pecos for burial Wednesday.

Mr. Seay was within seven days of sixty-eight years of age, having been born in Talladega County, Ala. April 28, 1854.

He came to this county forty years ago and became active in the cattle business where he was well and favorable known.

The esteem in which he was held was attested by the host of friends that attended his funeral despite the down pour of rain. One has hardly seen such an aggregation of old timers in a long time.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. L. L. Thursday, pastor of the Methodist Church, from the residence of Mrs. W. L. Ross, and interment followed at Evergreen Cemetery—Balmorhea (Reeves County) Herald.

Joe Seay was an older brother of Sim Seay and the late Brown Seay. The last time he was here was to attend the funeral of his brother, Brown Seay in November 1917.

J. B. CUTBIRTH PASSES AWAY

Pioneer Callahan County
Cattleman and Prominent
Citizen of Baird Is Dead

J. B. Cutbirth, one of the best known ranchmen in Callahan County, where he has made his home for more than forty years, died at his home in Baird Wednesday morning at one o'clock, after a brief illness.

Mr. Cutbirth, with Tom-Tod Price were out on one of the former's ranches, on the Bayou—part of the old Cordwint Ranch—Monday morning. He rode horseback up to one o'clock, when he was seized with an attack of gall stone colic, with which he had been afflicted for some time. He got so bad that it was necessary to get a wagon and carry him to the ranch house. Dr. Powell and Mrs. George B. Scott, a daughter, motored out to the ranch.

Word was received here Tuesday morning that he was better, but he was so ill it was decided to bring him to town. The party arrived here about 11 a. m., but Mr. Cutbirth gradually grew worse and at one o'clock Wednesday morning he died, just 36 hours from the time he was stricken. Everything possible was done that medical skill could do to relieve him, but to no avail.

Mr. Cutbirth would have been 69 years old had he lived until May 17th. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a Master Mason.

In the death of J. B. Cutbirth Callahan County has lost one of its most prominent and wealthy citizens, but, above all, he was a straightforward man and a Christian gentleman.

His sudden death was a shock to all his friends and appalling to his family, and to them we extend our sincere sympathy, for your loss is our loss too, because we lost one of the best friends we ever had when J. B. Cutbirth died.

Mr. Cutbirth is survived, in his immediate family, by his wife; two sons, Will and Fred, and five daughters, Mrs. Geo. B. Scott, Mrs. Gordon Phillips, Mrs. Russell Hart, Mrs. Otho Lidia and Miss Bonnie Cutbirth. All the children except Will Cutbirth were present when their father passed away.

Will Cutbirth had shipped some horses from San Angelo to Coleman, but they never located him until late Wednesday evening and he came in that night.

The funeral service and burial will take place at the Belle Plaine Cemetery today at 3 p. m., the cortege leaving Baird at 2 p. m. today.

Later we will give a more complete writeup of our friend who is gone on before. It looks as though we have to record the departure of so many of our old pioneer friends of late years.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Pearce, of Admiral, brought their daughter, Miss Gladys, in from the Carlisbad Sanitarium Wednesday, where she has been for some time for treatment. Mr. Pearce says she stood the trip better than they expected. She will remain in Baird until the roads dry up enough to permit of her removal to her home at Admiral.



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MRS. SODERMAN HAS REFUSED TO TESTIFY

Wife of Man Charged With Murder Will Not Talk To Grand Jurors.

Dallas, Texas.—Mrs. Ethel Soderman, wife of Dr. E. Soderman, the man who is charged by indictment with murder for the shooting of Jay Clay Powers last week, is declared to have refused to testify Tuesday morning when she appeared before the Dallas County grand jury. She went before the investigating body at 10 a. m. and reappeared within a minute.

She had been advised by W. W. Nelms, attorney for Soderman, that it was her privilege to refuse to testify, before the grand jury, in any manner which might incriminate her husband.

Mrs. Soderman, accompanied by Mr. Nelms, arrived at the courthouse at 9 a. m., in accordance with instructions of Judge C. A. Pippen before whom she appeared Monday afternoon, when she had been served with a grand jury attachment by County Investigator Homer Healey. She was placed under a \$500 appearance bond by Judge Pippen.

Mrs. Soderman declined to make any statements to newspaper men.

Men Have Right to Quit Work.

Kansas City.—Men have the right to quit work when they please, and the State is without power to inquire into their reasons for quitting. United States District Judge John C. Pollock said in the course of a hearing in his court, in which a permanent injunction against the operation of the Kansas Industrial Court is sought by the United Mine Workers of America.

King Has Narrow Escape in Collision

Paris.—King Gustave of Sweden came close to death, but through luck, escaped with slight bruises when his automobile was struck by another car and thrown in the ditch near the town of Cap, in Southern France. The King's chamberlain was

badly injured and was rushed to the hospital at Grenoble. King Gustave was motoring over the mountain roads on his way to Geneva when the accident occurred.

Adjustment On Ship Builders' Claims Washington.—A policy of adjustment of claims for losses of wooden shipbuilders, growing out of operations during the war, is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Green of Massachusetts which would permit the filing of claims within three months after passage of the act.

Two Deputies Held After Arrest. Monroe, La.—Two Deputy Sheriffs of Richland Parish and the town Marshal of Rayville, parish seat, are under arrest by Federal authorities here, charged with interfering with the United States mails as the result of the arrest of Ernest Thomas, negro mail clerk.

Heavy Damage in Cloudburst at Waco Waco, Texas.—A cloudburst in Waco Tuesday morning claimed one life, a negro, and caused damage to municipal property estimated by Mayor Richards at \$50,000.

Withdraws Galveston-London Ship. Washington.—The United States Shipping Board has withdrawn from the Galveston-London service the steamer Effna of 9,696 deadweight tons and assigned to S. Sgitovich & Co., of Galveston, as managing agent.

Former President of France Dies.

Paris.—Paul Deschanel, former President of France, died Friday afternoon. Mr. Deschanel was taken ill with influenza a few days ago and Wednesday it was announced that complications had developed, and his condition was serious.

Bomb Kills Three Miners.

Apolla, Pa.—Three miners were killed and one seriously injured when a bomb was thrown into a bunk house at the Patterson mine of the Kiski Coal Company, near here.

CITIZENS RETURNING TO THEIR HOMES

INHABITANTS CLEAN, BUILD AND REPAIR STRUCTURES RUINED BY FLOOD.

NO MORE BODIES RECOVERED

Death List Stands at Three, and Several Missing Persons Found by Red Cross.

Fort Worth Dead and Missing.

Mrs. Lenora Ferguson, 63, Harwell street; body recovered.

W. C. Gentry, 455 South Calhoun street; body recovered.

Mrs. G. W. Peck, 56, Greenleaf avenue, body recovered.

Octavia Barton and child, missing.

Robert Caldwell, 1512 East Fourth, wife and six children, missing.

Oliver Pinkerd, negro, 709 Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yates, residing two and one-half blocks north of the Chevrolet plant, missing.

Thelma Eunice Sanders of Mansfield, who was visiting the Yates, missing.

Allen Farris.

Paris, brother of Allen, wife and three children, all missing.

Mrs. — Davis, missing.

M. F. Ward, wife and three children, missing.

Elderly unidentified woman and small baby.

Mrs. Cordie Runnels, 45, missing.

Unidentified woman and child.

Billy Harris, believed drowned.

Mrs. H. A. Corbine, 800 Congress avenue, missing.

Bert Barker (not an employe of traction company; the employe has been found.)

Unidentified elderly woman and girl seen to drown by J. O. Jenkins, 511 Mill street, as their home was smashed to pieces on the Franklin street bridge.

Unidentified woman and small baby, seen to drown by M. J. Farris; bodies not recovered.

Mrs. — Kendrick and two children, missing.

Shelton, an aged negro man, missing.

Mr. and Mrs. Spear, reported missing by Arlington Heights relief headquarters.

Mrs. — Matthews, daughter of the Spears, missing.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Lowland inhabitants of Fort Worth have returned to the flooded districts and commenced to clean, rebuild and reoccupy their homes. Though some of the structures had been washed from their foundations and almost 100 had floated downstream until they were beat to pieces, most of them were standing on their original sites, filled with mud and filth and ruined furniture.

Waters of the Trinity River below Fort Worth and of Clear and West Fork above Fort Worth had returned to their channel though pools of slimy water were left in the depression and the debris from wrecked houses, barns and outhouses was strewn over hundreds of acres of land which had been inundated.

Carrying out arrangements made Thursday, dead animals were gathered up rapidly and taken to rendering plants. Every precaution was being taken to prevent an outbreak of pestilence in the wake of the disaster.

Disbursements of money by the Red Cross were in the hands of Jule G. Smith, chairman of the Fort Worth Chapter of the Red Cross. As an advisory committee, Major E. R. Cockrel represented the city and A. S. Goetz and A. B. Vera of the Welfare Association were named to investigate and advise on disbursements. The relief fund stood at about \$12,000, Mayor Cockrell said.

A corps of trained nurses, under the direction of Dr. A. L. Shuggs, was placed on duty to treat colds and minor ailments of flood sufferers to prevent any danger of epidemics.

Dallas.—After its worst flood since 1908 the Trinity River has lost its terrifying appearance in the Dallas vicinity and is now settled in its narrow banks, according to Joseph L. Cline, head of the local Weather Bureau.

Sweeping out into the lowlands as it did, the water would have swallowed up thousands of dollars' worth of live stock and would have taken a toll of many human lives, had it not been for the splendid and praiseworthy work of the Sheriff's and police department and others, who threw down everything to rush into the rescue work, declared Dr. Cline.

Colds & Headache

"For years we have used Black-Draught in our family, and I have never found any medicine that could take its place," writes Mr. H. A. Stacy, of Bradyville, Tenn. Mr. Stacy, who is a Rutherford County farmer, recommends Black-Draught as a medicine that should be kept in every household for use in the prompt treatment of many little ills to prevent them from developing into serious troubles.

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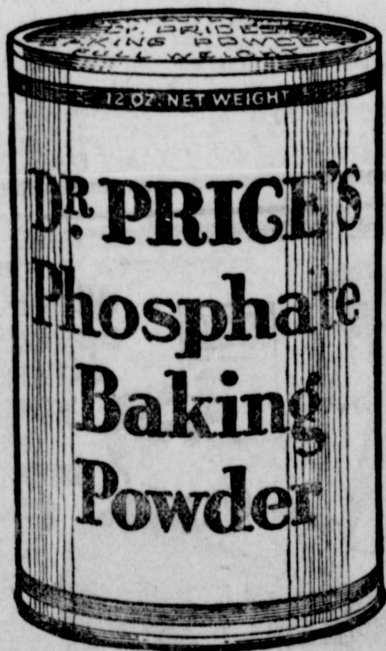
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EPITOMIZED NEWS OF ESPECIAL INTEREST

IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE ENTIRE WEEK REDUCED FOR BUSY READERS

FOREIGN—

Four of the largest government locomotives ever bought by the soviet government arrived in Moscow recently from Germany, each weighing ninety-six tons.

Reports of big gold strikes in the Cedar Creek and Whitewater sections of the Cariboo district of British Columbia have started what has all the earmarks of another Klondike rush.

Brigadier General Adamson, commanding the Athlone brigade of the regular Irish republican army, was shot dead Tuesday near the headquarters of the independent republican forces in Athlone.

Twenty-five thousand Russian Moslems scattered in the famine districts of Russia will be transferred to the under-populated provinces of Eastern Anatolia. Negotiations with this object in view have been concluded with the Soviet Government.

Dispatches received in Cairo from Syria say that fighting between revolutionaries and French troops has become increasingly severe around Jerablus and that the French have withdrawn from Del Rezzor after a battle of considerable duration.

Chita Government troops blew up the railway, about thirty-five miles beyond Nikolak, in the Siberian coast district, April 22, it was announced in a Japanese official statement. A Japanese mail train was attacked and three of the troops engaged were killed.

Writ of ampero temporarily restraining execution of President Ob-

regon's decree ordering expropriation of the 6,000,000 acres Chihuahua estate of Gen. Luis Terrazas was granted to George Munoz, manager of the estate, by Judge Medina in Federal court.

The anniversary of the founding of Rome was celebrated Monday in the quietest possible manner. The Eternal City was elaborately decorated with flags, but public demonstrations were rigidly prohibited in order to avoid possible disorders between the fascisti and communists.

The allied council of ambassadors has sent a note to the German Government asking for the immediate arrest of eleven men whom the allied commission in Upper Silesia hold responsible for the disorders in Peterdorf, Jan. 30, when two French soldiers were killed and twenty wounded.

Richard Washburn Child, American ambassador to Italy, has notified the Genoa conference that the United States reserves all its rights on the

repayment of war debts due from Russia, says a dispatch from Genoa. These debts include private bankers' loans and advances to the Kerensky government.

Compulsory closing of Mexico City's business places on Sunday has brought such a hall of protests upon the head of Celestino Gasca, governor of the federal district, that he has modified the order and will allow all classes of business to remain open on Sunday, provided they give each employe one day of rest a week.

WASHINGTON—

The U. S. government has recognized the new government of Egypt, the State Department announced this week.

The Senate Subappropriations Committee has agreed to the House item in the army appropriation bill appropriating \$42,815,000 for rivers and harbors improvement during the next fiscal year.

Minimum wage and maximum forty-four-hour week for women workers won the indorsement of the National League of Women Voters' convention here Thursday after a hot and many-sided debate in which the cloture rule had to be applied and one delegate was asked to "kindly leave the floor."

Brand Whitlock, wartime Ambassador to Belgium, will be made a member of the French Academy of Letters of Belgium on May 20, it is announced. He will be the fourth foreigner admitted to the academy, the others being Gabriele d'Annunzio, Italian poet; M. Vellaton, Switzerland and the Countess Noailles, French poetess.

After July next, everybody on the Government pension roll will be paid monthly instead of quarterly, the House having agreed to Senate amendments to the bill ordering the change.

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Lloyd George is having the time of his life keeping the obstreperous Russian delegation straight.

Enough flood water has gone down Texas creeks and rivers to irrigate every creek and valley farm in the State for a year, if only it had been stored up in great reservoirs. They will do it some day, after most of us are dead and gone.

Ernest G. Albright, of Brownwood, of Brown County, writes in to say that he has decided to make the race for Congress in this district. One good, strong man—and he would have to be a very able man and fine campaigner—might defeat Judge Blanton, but two opposing candidates can't do it, we don't think.

Did you read the two poems in The Star last week, one, "Father's Day," by Mrs. H. F. Foy, of Baird; and the other "To the Fellow that Takes My Place," author unknown? Both are worth preserving. Much is said about "Mother's Day," but little if anything about "Father's Day." Old Dad seems to be one of the bunch of Forgotten Men. Glad Mrs. Foy has not forgotten the Old Dads.

The one who wrote the toast: "To the Man Who Takes My Place," has evidently travelled the long, long trail and knows the game; but, best of all, he approaches the end of the trail unafraid and uncomplaining.

Some writer in criticising Bryan says: "Bryan prefers a lump of mud as his first forefather." Bryan retorts by saying that he prefers a lump of mud to a monkey for his ancestor. The efforts of those who prefer the evolution theory of the creation of man is more of an effort to discredit the Bible than anything else.

Possibly God could have made a man out of a monkey if He had desired to do so, as we are told that all things are possible with God; but, if He can make a man out of a monkey He certainly can do something that Darwin failed to prove, because he was still searching for the "missing link" when he died. Now he probably knows whether or not his theories are correct as to the origin of man; but, if so, that is more than his disciples know. They "suppose" many things, but supposition is not proof. We may suppose it will be raining tomorrow, but it may prove to be a clear day.

The sum of \$750 was received this week by Chairman Will D. Boydston, of the Callahan County Red Cross Chapter of the St. Louis Division, of which this local chapter is one of the units, for the relief of the sufferers from the late tornadic storm and it will be disbursed under Mr. Boydston's direction.

POLITICS PUZZLES UNCLE JIMMIE

Cottonwood, 5-1-'22.

I think this is the first of the month. Take it for granted that is the proper day. Anyway, we are going to leave it at that, anyway.

Well, we are out at the old place this evening and are ready at any time to chronicle a few of our thoughts as evidence that we are very much alive and are ready to pen a few lines to the readers of The Star.

Rah! for us. We have written a few more lines that may reach your readers, and our name will go down the line to proclaim our greatness to the many readers of The Star.

In fact, we have a right to proclaim our standing. If no other party will declare our standing why not us, ourselves? Our name must be handed down to posterity, and why not as the author, rather than some other? Well, Uncle Billie, why should we not blow our own horn?

Say, if the rain will not slow up a short while to give the old hens time to deposit a few Shanghai berries to enable us to again subscribe for our old newspapers and thereby become enlightened sufficiently to make a choice among this host of candidates, to make a slate and cast a vote intelligently in the primary.

There are quite a lot of our friends now in the race and all are ready to declare their friendship for us—politically, anyway—and we know of no better way to build up our friendship than to promise our support to the entire lot, and that would't do, because they tell us two names on the same ticket for the same office will not count.

So, we will have to pledge ourselves on the sly for our friends. Don't say anything about it, Uncle Billie.

We are going to close, for we have about run out of soap, and when we have run dry it is pretty good evidence that news is growing scarce. But, Mr. Editor, bear with us if you can, for this is an important communication, so publish it, if you can.

I will have to close for want of material. For the present, bye! bye! Uncle Jimmie.

PATSIE AN INTERESTING GOSSIPER

Eula, 5-1-'22.

Well, Uncle Billie, guess I might as well drop you a few lines.

We are sure having plenty of rain. Now wheat and oats are sure looking fine. It looks as though wheat will make a fine crop. All feed looks well. Some have planted cotton, but it is awful cold on cotton and barefooted children.

Well, Uncle Billie, I am glad you are for C. A. Culberson for United States Senator. I, also, am for him. The only thing I can hear against him is his health. The way his opponents are working, somebody is going to lose out.

When it dries up we farmers wont have time to think about politics. It will be work! work! work!

H. E. Jones made a business trip to Abilene Saturday.

W. B. Ferguson told me he was 64 years old Sunday, April 30. He has lived on his farm here forty years, and is well satisfied to stay longer. When Mr. Ferguson came to Eula it was a wild country. Now his farm adjoins the Eula townsite. We have a real town, with one general store, a blacksmith shop, barber shop, garage, three nice churches, a fine schoolhouse and a flourishing gin.

The Texas & Pacific Railway Company is building a switch just north of Eula, for the benefit of the Eula country. So you see we are here to stay.

We have several cases of flu out this way.

W. L. Harris has been on the sick list this week.

Preston Clark was in Eula trading Saturday.

W. T. Pool made a trip to Mitchell County last week to see a brother. Come on, "Uncle Jimmie," you are all right. Because you are getting old don't cut any ice. I will take my hat off to any old man.

How is my old friend Jim Walker these days?

Miss Eliska, give my regards to

Mrs. Don Carter while you are visiting her at Barstow.

Well, I will ring off this time. Patsie.

MILBURN S. LONG ENTERS THE RACE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Milton S. Long, Shackelford County's present County Attorney—and has been now going on six years—enters the race for District Attorney of the Forty second Judicial District, embracing the counties of Shackelford, Callahan and Taylor.

Milton has traveled the usual route, which leads from obscurity to a place in the sun, where big men rub shoulders and scrap for position and fame. Yes, he was raised in the sticks of East Texas, worked on the farm, got his book learning in the public schools of Texas, taught school, studied law, admitted to the bar, then elected County Attorney of Shackelford County, and these are the foundation stones for a place higher up.

He is comparatively a young man, and yet he is backed up by experience, which rubs the wire edge from youth and fits him for the sterner duties of a law court advocate. As County Attorney of Shackelford County he has made good in every particular; he knows now to shy the castor on the web of technicalities, woven by shrewd attorneys, which create loopholes for the escape of criminals. He was rocked in the cradle of Democracy; hence, he has always voted the Democratic ticket straight.

His nomination will be subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, and we believe that if Shackelford County's adopted son is elected to this office he will make good, law and order will prevail and justice will be meted out to the evil doers. We ask the voters of the District to give his claims due consideration.—Albany News. Adv.

HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE SUMMER SESSION EFFICIENT

Howard Payne College makes use of its half-million dollar equipment by teaching twelve months in the year. The summer session of the college, academy, fine arts and commercial schools will begin on Monday, June the fifth and close on Friday, August the eleventh.

High school pupils may shorten their course by attending the academy. A wide range of work is offered for college credit. School teachers may complete their degree courses by attending the summer school and completing correspondence work. All of the various grades of teachers' certificates are granted by the State Department of Education for the various years of the college course.

The commercial school has a separate building and administration with a splendid faculty and the very best equipment. The latest practical methods of instruction are used. Graduates are prepared for the very best business positions.

For the first time during the summer session, Cameron Marshall, Dean of the School of Music, will offer a six weeks' course in voice, repertoire and general coaching. Reservations should be made at once to Mr. Marshall, as only a limited number of pupils will be accepted.

In connection with the summer school, there is held a Mid-Texas Summer Normal Institute, from June the twelfth to August the eleventh. Pupils are reviewed in the various courses for the examinations given by the State Department of Education. The faculty of the Summer Normal is composed of leading public school teachers, assisted by the college faculty.

For catalog and other information address Miss Jewell Casey, Bursar, Brownwood, Texas.—Adv. May 5-19

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE PLAY POSTPONED TILL MAY 13th

"The Mollusc," the play that was to have been put on at the Baird School Auditorium last Saturday night, by the Dramatic Club of Abilene Christian College, was postponed until Saturday night, May 13.

As you know we had very inclement weather Saturday night, and the

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players thought best to postpone the play, despite the fact that they had been to an expense of at least twenty-five dollars.

This is one of the best plays ever sent out from Abilene Christian College and one of unexceptionable quality for amateur actors. You will agree that your money has been well spent when you see it.

The management of the Lyceum Program of the College has offered to put on a program here for the benefit of the Baird Municipal Building free (except expenses), if the people of Baird will generously patronize the play to be given here May 13th.

The original purpose of the play was to raise money to pay for an electric sign to be placed on Abilene Christian College; but, its present purpose is to first get out of the hole—financially:

Admission to see "The Mollusc" 25c and 35c.

R. H. Rogers.

CARD OF THANKS

We would be glad to thank personally each one who so kindly assisted us in our time of suffering and need, but as that is impossible, we take this means of expressing to you and to the public our deep and heartfelt appreciation of all your generous help in taking us into your homes and nursing and caring for us who survive the storm, and for so kindly and gently laying away the little ones which were taken from us.

We also thank you for the financial assistance and the gifts of clothing, bedding and other things to replace what we lost in the storm. We are deeply grateful for every attention and hope that we may sometime have the opportunity to show our appreciation in a more substantial way than by mere words.

May Heaven's richest blessings rest upon every one of you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lofton
And Family.

MONEY TALKS



When your opportunity comes, will you have enough money to grasp it?

How often have you heard the lament: "Now, if I had a little money to put into that thing, I'd soon be rich, but I haven't the money."

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Thornhill returned yesterday from San Angelo, where they were called last week by the death of Mrs. Thornhill's father.

The Eastern Star Chapter will meet in regular session next Tuesday night, May 9th. The annual election of officers will be held at this meeting, and all members are urged to be present.

John Kennard, ranchman and farmer, was motoring through one of his pastures, northwest of Baird Tuesday, when the auto, from some unexplained reason, suddenly burst into flames and was totally destroyed.

In Justice of the Peace G. E. Printz's Court last Wednesday, a jury found a young man guilty of ignoring the Eighteenth Amendment and fined him \$50 and costs. An appeal was taken.

In the Admiral School District election held Saturday to authorize the issuance of \$1000 bonds for school improvement purposes, the vote was 22 to 0 in favor of the bond issue.

In the election held by the people of the Fairview School District last Saturday, the proposition to increase the tax fifty cents and authorize a \$1,000 bond issue was defeated.

Clark Smith, whose farm is out in the Admiral section, recently gathered 69 dozen hen eggs in one morning, and it wasn't a good day for eggs either. He makes poultry—and all other kinds of farming—pay.

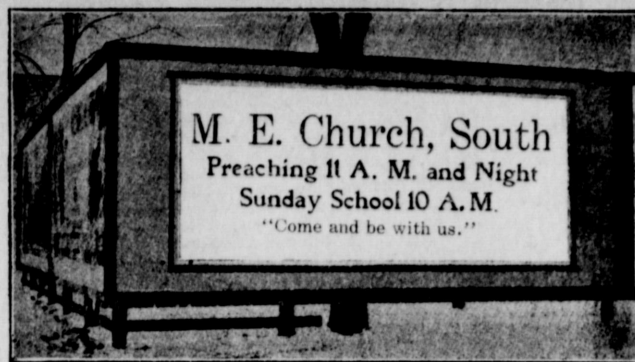
The many sacks of mail that piled into Baird when rail travel from the east was resumed, kept Postmaster M. J. Holmes and his two capable assistants, Miss John Gilliland and Horton Hornsby as busy as a bob-tailed mule in fly time.

A Star well drilling rig, painted a vivid red, which "stalled" on South Market Street last week was a very conspicuous object of interest to Bairdites. As soon as the roads become travelable it will be moved on to location on the McKnight-Russell lease, where an offset to that concern's No. 1 well will be drilled.

News was received at Baird Tuesday that J. J. (Jim) Welch, was killed in El Paso Monday, but no particulars as to whether he was killed accidentally or some one killed him. Jim Welch tended bar for Brown Seay, many years ago in Baird and at one time was City Marshal. Jim Welch was a kind hearted man, despite his gruff way of speaking. We are sorry to hear of his death.

Elder R. A. Rogers, of the Baird Church of Christ, informs The Star that it is the purpose of the management of the Lyceum Program of Abilene Christian College to put on an entertainment here in the near future for the benefit of the Baird Municipal Forum Building Fund, all but the actual expenses of the entertainment to be donated; provided Baird people show a just appreciation of the efforts made Saturday night, May 13th, by the Abilene Christian College Dramatic Club to artistically present to the entertainment loving people of this city that worth while comedy "The Mollusc."

Promoter Ed Merrill, who always makes a success of the amusement enterprises that he backs, announces that he will stage in Baird on Saturday night, May 20, for the benefit of the Baird baseball Coyotes, a big boxing and wrestling carnival, with Kid Varner and Sailor Tucker as the headliners, in a ten-round, two-minute bout and will also feature several interesting preliminary features. The Baird Municipal Band will furnish the music, there will be special accommodations for the ladies, and as the Varner-Tucker bout will be a most interesting go, there should be, what Ed always delights to see, a "capacity house."



HOPE PEWS WILL BE FILLED

We were glad to be able to have church and Sunday School Sunday despite the rain. A few of the faithful came out. It is certainly gratifying to be able to depend upon them.

We will have regular services next Sunday morning and evening. We hope, since the Spring weather has come, that our pews will be filled. We hope to see you out next Sunday. Please do not disappoint us.

Let us begin praying for the meeting which will begin August 13th, under the leadership of Rev. Lockett Adair. We should constantly pray for the lost. Let us do so.

Cordially,
Gerald Fitzgerald, Pastor.

Elder W. F. Ledlow, of Austin, will begin a revival at the Baird Church of Christ, on the Tuesday night following the fourth Lord's Day in July (July 25). Everybody is cordially invited to attend this meeting and hear this noted evangelist.

Miss Emma Burts, of the Hill side, Callahan County School, in the recent District Interscholastic League Contest at Abilene, won first place in the Rural Schools Senior Girls' Essay Contest, which entitles her to enter the final contest at Austin for State honors.

Chairman Will S. Hinds, of the Callahan County Storm Relief Committee, speaking for himself and his fellow Committeemen A. Rod Kelton, W. Eugene Melton and John A. McGowan, feels impelled to say: "In publishing the list of names of those who contributed to the Storm Relief Fund in The Baird Star, there were several lists, and some of the names of the parties who contributed, did not appear in the list published. The railroad men's list did not appear, as their names were not furnished the Committee."

STOCK NOTICE

If you have Stock running at large please keep same up in the pasture. Several people have complained to me of being bothered; but, before filing any complaints, I want to give this notice, so that any who might be affected can comply with the law without being prosecuted.

L. W. GREEN,
County Attorney,
22-1t Callahan County, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for assistance rendered me in the destruction of my property by the storm.

Mrs. M. M. Thomas, Baird.

Miss Gayle Williams's expression class and Miss Hazel Magee's music class will give two joint recitals at the School Auditorium tonight (Friday) and Friday night, May 12. These recitals will both be free and a full house should greet these ambitious dramatic and musical students.

Weather conditions have retarded the finish of work on the Baird Light, Power & Ice Company's new brick reicing station, office and salesroom, fronting the railroad, southeast of The Star office, but it will soon be ready for the house warming, says Manager Morley, and The Star next week will tell all about it.

Fortunate friends of the Senior Class of the Baird High School—the largest graduating class in its history—will soon receive beautifully engraved invitations reading as follows: "Class of 1922, Baird High School, announces its Commencement Exercises, Friday evening, May 22, at School Auditorium, at eight o'clock."

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EXPLOSION OF GAS WRECKS A STORE

SEVEN PERSONS ARE INJURED
WHEN FLOOR BLOWN FROM
FORT WORTH BUILDING.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Seven persons were badly injured when a gas pocket in the basement of the Turner & Dingee Grocery, 502 Houston street, exploded at 5 p. m. Thursday, blowing the floor from its mooring and casting it upward. Two ten-inch standards which support the roof were snapped in two by the concussion of the explosion and plate glass windows in front, together with canned goods were shot across the street, a distance of 100 feet. The explosion was heard and felt for blocks.

The loss, according to Henry Dingee, one of the owners of the store, will be about \$150,000, which is fully covered by insurance. Loss on the stock is about \$60,000 to \$75,000. Mr. Dingee said, and on the fixtures about \$50,000. The building is not owned by the grocery, but Mr. Dingee estimated the loss at about \$40,000 to \$50,999, which is covered by insurance.

Mr. Halloran, cashier of the store, who was standing directly over the spot where the explosion occurred was practically unhurt. He declared it came without warning. "There first was a deadening explosion followed almost immediately by a series of sharp reports," he said. "The force of the explosion shook the entire place. I was blown backward and a counter fell on me, protecting me from the rain of debris which began to fall.

"Screams and calls for aid from the injured filled the air. I got out from under the counter and began pulling people out of the store. I don't know who turned in the alarm. Before a minute had passed, the gas caught fire, adding to the horror, and put the injured in danger of burning to death before they could be carried to safety. It all happened so quickly I can not describe it."

Firemen arrived and the fire was extinguished. They then removed the injured and searched the building for any more who might be covered by the mass of wreckage.

Mr. Dingee declared that it first was thought the explosion was caused by the bursting of an ammonia tank which is used in the refrigerating system of the store. Upon investigation, however, the machine was found to be still in operation. The leak in the gas main when was found. This was responsible, Mr. Dingee said.

MEASURES TAKEN TO PROTECT AMERICANS

Hundred and Seventy-Five Blue-jackets and Marines To Land at Peking to Preserve Order.

Peking.—Measures for the protection of American and other foreign interests have been expedited in view of the threatened hostilities between the forces of Generals Chang Tso-Lin and Wu Pei-Fu.

Train service to the coast has not been suspended, but is irregular and the legations are prepared to order seizure of the railroad to keep it in operation should serious interference develop.

One hundred and seventy-five blue-jackets and marines are expected to arrive to reinforce the guard of the American legation. The men are from the United States cruiser Albany, which was ordered north from Shanghai.

The British and French legations also have requested that warships be sent to Chinese waters.

The military activities of the opposing generals continue. Fu has concentrated 25,000 men at Paoting-fu, the capital of Chih-Li province, and Chang has 30,000 soldiers along the railroad from Peking to the sea.

Wabash Buys New Passenger Coaches
St. Louis.—The Wabash Railway Company announces the purchase, for early delivery, of twenty-five new, up-to-date, all-steel passenger cars of the latest type and design, including eight coaches, nine chair cars, four dining cars, two club chair cars and two cafe chair cars. This equipment will be constructed by the American Car and Foundry Company at its St. Charles (Missouri) plant.

Boy With Two Heads Operated On.
Brussels.—A report is being made to the Belgian Academy of Medicine of a remarkable surgical operation performed Tuesday by Chief Surgeon Giagnoli at Tergier, when an abnormal secondary head on a boy born a week ago was successfully amputated. The remaining head of the boy is normal. The one removed was larger and malformed.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting.

You are hereby commanded to summon E. L. Anthony by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be held in the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the 5th Monday in May, A. D. 1922, the same being the 29th day of May, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2247, wherein Joe Seyer is Plaintiff and E. L. Anthony is Defendant, and said petition alleging:

The State of Texas,
County of Callahan.

In the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, May Term, 1922.

To the Honorable District Court of said County:

1. Now comes Joe Seyer, who resides in Callahan County, Texas, hereinafter called Plaintiff, complaining of E. L. Anthony, whose residence to this Plaintiff is unknown, hereinafter styled Defendant, and for cause of action, Plaintiff represents to the Court that on or about the first day of January, 1920, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

83 3-10 acres of land out of G. W. Denton Survey No. 308; Beginning at the northwest corner of the G. W. Denton Survey No. 331 and northeast corner of said G. W. Denton Survey No. 308; thence west 475.5 varas corner; thence south 987.3 varas corner; thence east 475.5 varas corner; thence north 987.3 varas to the place of beginning.

2. That on the day and year last aforesaid Defendant unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof, to his damage Two Thousand Dollars.

3. That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is Five Hundred Dollars.

4. Plaintiff further represents that on or about the 8th day of May, 1920, he made, executed and delivered to the Defendant his deed to the above described land and premises as will more fully appear by reference to deed recorded in Book 79, at Page 96 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, and as a part of and a moving cause for the execution and delivery of said deed, the said Defendant promised and agreed he would care for Plaintiff in the event that the Plaintiff should become disabled by old age, accident or otherwise. That Plaintiff has become disabled and not able to care for himself; but Defendant, wholly disregarding his promise and agreement to care for Plaintiff in his old and disabled condition has abandoned the Plaintiff, moved away and its present whereabouts and residence to this Plaintiff is unknown, and said Defendant has wholly neglected, refused and still continues to neglect and refuses to care for said Plaintiff and has abandoned the Plaintiff; that Plaintiff is wholly unable to care for himself and by reason of the making and delivering of said deed on his part to the Defendant he has placed his property beyond his control to such an extent that he is unable to use the same and dispose of the same as to enable himself to properly provide and care for himself. That Plaintiff, at the same time of the making and delivering of said deed also conveyed to Defendant title to his horses, cattle, hogs and other personal property, in furtherance of the purposes of his support and maintenance, as above alleged.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays judgment of the Court that Defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that Plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and personal property, and that Writ of Restitution issue, that said deed so executed and delivered be cancelled and held for naught, and for his rents, damages and costs of suit, and for other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity, that he may be justly entitled to.

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

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this, the 28th day of April, A. D. 1922.

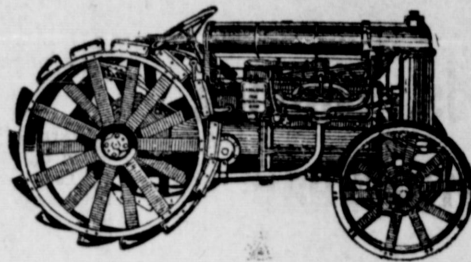
ROY D. WILLIAMS, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan Co. Texas.
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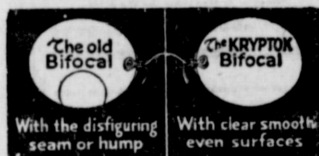
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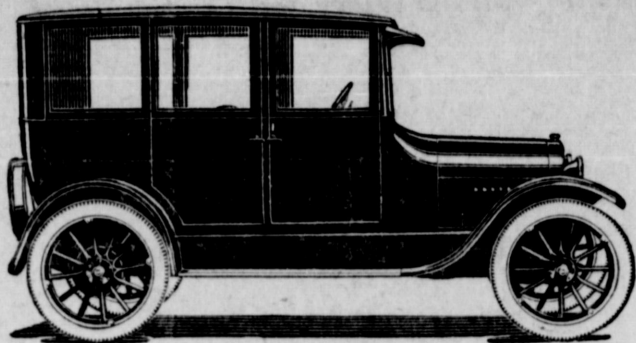
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Pellagra, which has caused widespread illness and taken a heavy toll of life in the United States and many countries of Europe, is caused primarily by lack of animal protein in the diet and is both preventable and curable by proper quantities of animal protein being included in the diet, it is announced by the United States Public Health Service.

The Washington newspaper golf club recently organized by golf-playing correspondents in the capital, received a formal application for membership from Warren G. Harding, "representing the Marion Star" and "mail address, the White House." Inclosed with the application were three \$1 bills in payment of club dues for as many years.

Loaded with rations and supplies for the flood sufferers along the Illinois River, the steamboat Illinois, turned over to the Red Cross for use by the State, began to ply up and down the river to give relief to victims of the highwater. Workers are stationed at several points along the river working under direction of central division headquarters of the Red Cross.

Twenty persons were injured, five seriously at Birmingham, Ala., when a West End street car, unmanned, dashed down a steep grade, left the tracks and crashed into a trolley pole. At the top of the grade the motorman and conductor, in an attempt to close the front door, were thrown from the car. Of the twenty-seven aboard the car only ten escaped injury.

Leondias P. Newby of Kingstown, Ind., was elected most excellent grand master of the Knights Templar order in the United States at the thirty-fifth triennial convocation at New Orleans, Thursday. Seattle, Wash., was awarded the thirty-sixth triennial convocation of the grand encampment of Knights Templar of the United States in 1925, winning after a spirited contest with Indianapolis.

Owners of \$570,000 in Liberty bonds, jewelry and cash stolen in two big robberies in New York in the last few weeks took solution of the thefts out of the hands of the police and began their own detective work.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to make the following announcement, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary For County Tax Collector:

Clyde White.
Oral D. Strakan, Cottonwood.
W. C. Martin, of Baird.

For Sheriff:

G. H. Corn (re-election).
C. E. Bray, Belle Plaine.
D. W. Pool, of Eula.
J. F. Tacker, Belle Plaine.

For Tax Assessor:

Wm. J. Evans, Cottonwood.
W. L. Bowler, Baird.
John E. Tatum, Belle Plaine.
Willie T. Wilcoxon, Cottonwood.
G. E. Printz Baird.

For County Judge:

W. E. (Eugene) Melton, Baird.
Victor B. Gilbert, of Putnam.

For District Attorney:

L. W. Green, Baird.
W. P. Mahaffey, Abilene.
M. S. Long, of Albany.

For County Attorney:

B. F. Russell, of Putnam.

For County Treasurer:

Mrs. J. Roy Jackson, of Baird.

For District Clerk:

Roy D. Williams, reelection.

For County Clerk:

Grady G. Respass, reelection.

For County Superintendent:

B. C. Chrisman, reelection.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

A. R. Kelton, re-election.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:

J. H. Carpenter, of Dudley.
J. B. Dickson, Oplin.
J. C. Steakley, of Oplin.
W. Y. Cleveland, Rowden.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:

Sam McClendon, of Admiral.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 4

H. Windham.

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T. P. BEARDEN, Mgr

STATE BUYS 600,000 AUTOMOBILE NUMBERS

A Deficiency Allowance is Made Necessary to Cover the Purchase.

Austin, Texas.—The State Highway Commission has recommended to the Board of Control that the bid of the S. G. Adams Stamp Company of St. Louis, Mo., be accepted to supply 600,000 automobile plates for next year, when all cars will be renumbered in this State. The plates are 2 1/2 metal gauge and will cost 10.38¢ per pair the commission having decided to buy the plates in pairs instead of having single numbers on cars, as was once proposed in the interest of economy.

The sum of \$25,000 was appropriated by the Legislature to buy number plates and \$20,000 to purchase new seals, or a total of \$45,000. The Attorney General has ruled that the \$20,000 can not be used in purchasing number plates, and that amount will lapse. Since the new number plates will cost \$65,000, the gross deficiency to be asked will be \$45,000, though the net amount will be \$20,000, as that amount for seals will not be used.

Inasmuch as new numbers will be had next year, there will be no need of seals until 1922. The Legislature called for new numbers and provided only \$25,000. That is the amount which is usually required to take care of the average increase, the Legislature failing to provide money for the new numbering. The 600,000 plates will weigh 300 tons, and part of the contract is to ship them direct to county seats instead of in bulk to Austin, and then be distributed at the expense of the State. Deliveries will get commenced until some time after Sept. 1.

Base At Antwerp to Be Closed.

Brussels.—The American base at Antwerp, largely employed for troop movements, will be soon closed, and most of the American troops in the Rhineland have been returned to the United States. The equipment will be sold to the city of Antwerp.

Bandits Rob Arkansas Bank.

Harrison, Ark.—Two unmasked bandits held up the cashier of the bank of Lead Hill Tuesday afternoon and obtained \$2,000 in cash and about \$8,000 in liberty bonds.

Silk Strike Expected.

Washington.—A general strike by the silk industry, beginning May 1, is a possibility, according to reports received by the Department of Labor.

Charles W. Morse, New York financier, his three sons and twenty others some prominent in shipping, legal and brokerage circles, were accused in a Federal indictment with having used the mails to defraud investors in the stocks of various steamship companies.

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An Electric Washing Machine does the same for your clothes as the Vacuum Cleaner does for your rugs—prolongs the life.

Any housewife who has the weekly family washing to do knows the unpleasantness of the wash tub, the washboard, the scrubbing with her knuckles and all the other horrors of Wash Day.

Transform this weekly Wash Day into a Day of Pleasure. The job can be done quicker and the housewife can have half of the day to devote to other things. And besides, washing your clothes with an Electric Washing Machine lengthens the life of every article. Phone us for Demonstration, or call at our office and look over the many useful Electric Household Appliances we have.

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PROGRAM

Saturday—Special for one day only.
Douglas Fairbanks in
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 in 12 reels. Based on the immortal novel, "The Three Musketeers" by Alexander Dumas. The greatest action picture ever made. A big super special. Matinee starts at 2 o'clock. Continuous show until eleven o'clock. Come early and avoid the rush. Admission: Children 25c. Twelve years old and over 50c.
 Monday—
"IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW"
 A Robertson-Cole feature. 10 & 25c
 Tuesday—
"SEE MY LAWYER"
 A Six reel Robertson-Cole feature. Also "Mutt and Jeff" 10 & 25c
 Wednesday—
"SEVEN YEARS' BAD LUCK"
 10 and 25c
 Thursday—Constance Binney in
"THE CASE OF BECKY"
 Her latest Realart feature. 10 & 25c
 Friday, May 12th—
"THE RUSE OF THE RATTLER"
 and
"ADVENTURES OF TARZAN"
 with Elmo Lincoln
 10 and 25 cts
 Saturday, Special—Tom Mix in
"TRAILIN"
 Also "Duck Inn" a two reel comedy
 10 and 33c
 Coming May 15th and 16th—
"OVER THE HILLS"

PROGRAM

Program for Senior Christian Endeavor for Sunday, May 7th.
Topic: Better Sabbath Keeping, Jer 14:19-27. Consecration Meeting.
Leader—Nora Davis.
Song Service.
Opening Prayer.
Roll Call
Scripture Reading
Object Talk.
Defects of the Modern Sabbath.
Special Music
Lessons Gained from Better Sabbath Keeping in Other Lands
Reading—Senna Belle Forrest
Sabbath Keeping and Breaking Points.
Open Meeting
Pastor's Talk
Benediction

GLORIFY GOD IN YOUR BODY

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the way she selects her clothes. If a girl should not wear fanciful clothes to school, what then should she wear? What, for example, is the proper way for a high school girl to dress her feet?

All organizations and publications keenly interested in girls and young women are making strenuous effort to produce better American feet. This is to be done directly through the shoes worn by our girls.

The Young Women's Christian Association, during the war, discovered that lack of endurance among girls could be traced directly to misshaped feet, flattened arches, weak back and abdominal muscles. In almost every instance these had been caused by wearing high heel shoes.

The human body is built so a person may stand with natural grace and ease. When the equilibrium of this delicate structure is disturbed by placing a French heel under the point responsible for most of the weight of the body, it is small wonder that physical ills result, that must be carried through life. The high heel is absolutely inconsistent for any occasion, when walking or standing is done. So, for the high school girl, let us suggest low-heel shoes always.

With these low-heel shoes may be worn good quality cotton or hule hose, not only because they afford better protection than do the silk hose, but are more economical and in much better taste for the school girl.

[To be concluded.]

CHURCH CHRIST SUNDAY PROGRAM

The following program will be presented at the Church of Christ next Sunday at 6:30 p. m. We extend a hearty welcome to visitors.

Song. Christian Graces.
 Leader: Arthur Morris.
 Song No. 46: Class.
 Scripture Reading, 1 Corinthians, 13th chapter: Aaron McKee.
 Prayer: Aaron Beil.
 Duet: Mabel Earl Farmer, Parthenia Bebee.
 Godliness: India May Ramsey.
 Brotherly Kindness: Alfred R. Dallas.
 Song No. 170: Class.
 Love: Frank Bearden.
 Talk: B. C. Chrisman.
 Quartette: Lawrence Dickey, Arthur Morris, R. H. Rogers, W. Pitt Ramsey.
 Cordially,
 R. H. Rogers.

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PICTURE MACHINE—For sale, one Standard Monarch Picture Machine and six reels of Films. Outfit cost \$300.00. Will sell at a bargain. 21-3t J. M. Clifton, Phone 46, Baird.

HOUSE AND LOTS—House and Lots for sale at a bargain, three blocks west of Court House. See H. Aiken, Baird, Texas. 20-4-p

ONE CALF—that may die of Black-leg will cost you more than a hundred doses of Mulford's Black-Leg Aggressin. Holmes Drug Co. 21-2t

WAGON AND TEAM—For sale, one Wagon and Team. Wagon nearly new. See J. M. Clifton, Phone No. 46. 21-3t

TOMATO PLANTS—I have strong, healthy Tomato Plants for sale, price \$2.50 per hundred. J. F. Browning. 22-1t

STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE—The T-P Cafe brand melts in your mouth. It is a most delicious and seasonable dessert. Served daily. 22-1t F. E. Stanley Prop.

WANTED—To hear from Owner of Farm for sale. State price. Mrs. W. Booth, Box D, Hipark, Des Moines, Iowa. 22-1t-x

BLACK-LEG REMEDY—Why not use a Black-Leg Remedy that is known and used throughout the world, where Calves die with this dread malady. Use Mulford's the 20c per dose. Sold by 21-2t Holmes Drug Co.

A HEALTHFUL DIET—Eggs are a healthful diet at all times. The T-P Cafe secures the raw material daily, right from the nest, from Clark Smith's Poultry Yard. Cooked by experts, in any style and served by polite and attentive waiters. 22-1t F. E. Stanley, Prop.

H. K. MULFORD & CO.—are the largest manufacturers of Vaccines and Serums in the world. We handle their Black-Leg Germ Free Aggressin, 20c per dose. Holmes Drug Co. 21-2t

STORM SEASON—This is the Storm Season. Read the papers nearly every day now and you will see accounts of homes wrecked and property swept away by raging storms. Our own county recently had a sad experience in that line. Insure your property and protect yourself. I represent some of the best companies. 20-1t Martin Barnhill.

HOSIERY—Wanted man or woman to represent a reliable Hosiery Company. No experience necessary. Commission received daily. Write Mrs. Owens, 413 Bobo Ave., Ranger, Tex. 21-3t-p

Why use a Black-Leg Remedy that is made and known locally when you can for the same price get a product that is known and used the world over. Ask for Mulford's Black Leg Aggressin. 20c per dose. 5000 doses will be used in this county this year. Sold by 21-2t Holmes Drug Co.

AGENTS WANTED—Agents in each of the following Counties: Callahan Nolan, Scurry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Haskell, Throckmorton and Taylor, to sell CACTUS TIRES. Write L. H. Nixon, 936 North First Street, Abilene, Texas, for terms and contract. 21-2t

MUSIC CLASS—I will conduct a Music Class at the residence of Mrs. Odan Green—Voice, Piano or Theory. Those wishing to join will please meet me at Mrs. Green's home Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock. 22-1t Mrs. N. M. George.

WHITE LEGHORNS—Specializing on pen bred White Leghorns, English Strain. Commencing on February 25th will book orders for eggs \$1.50 per setting, also day old chicks. R. F. Scott Ranch, Putnam, Texas. 12-1t

TORNADO INSURANCE—Let me write your Tornado Insurance. Martin Barnhill, Baird.

We have contracted for 5000 doses of H. K. Mulford's Black-Leg Aggressin for Callahan County. It is absolutely sure to prevent your Calves dying with this dread disease. 20c per dose. 21-2t Holmes Drug Co.

Conflagration in Denmark
 London—Fire broke out Friday night in the harbor district of Aalborg, Denmark, seaport, and covered an area of seventy acres this morning, says a Central News dispatch from Copenhagen.

\$300,000 Wanted for Flood Sufferers.
 Washington. — Appropriation of \$300,000 for relief of flood sufferers in the Mississippi Valley and for strengthening levees would be provided for in a bill introduced by Representative Parks (Dem.) of Arkansas.

Specials for Monday and Tuesday

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18 Bars P. and G. Soap	-	-	\$1.00	
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26 " Luna Soap	-	-	1.00	
3 " Ivory Soap	-	-	.25	
				1 Large Armour's or Purity Oat Meal .25
				Large Red Can Hill Bros. Coffee - 1.25
				Small Red Can Hill Bros. Coffee - .50

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