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By Jordan & Hayden

Bernhardt's Farewell to America



Just one hour and a quarter before she died in her son's arms at her Paris home, aged seventy-eight, Sarah Bernhardt, the "Divine Sarah," the world's greatest actress, sent this message to America, the end of her many triumphs: "I am deeply touched with the sympathetic interest of my beloved American friends." So ended a great life.

Fights White Man All Alone



Chief "Old Posey" of the Plate Indiana, is making his last stand all alone against the white man in the hills of Utah. His small band of twenty-seven warriors was captured, but he escaped. J. Ray Ward, shown below, is in charge of Uncle Sam's men who captured the followers and will bring in the old warrior.

Wiggly Wiggly Whips Wall Street Gamblers



arence Saunders, twelve years a day laborer in Alabama, gave Wall Street gamblers a trimming last week. As president of the 1200 Wiggly chain grocery stores he bought up stock, forcing it up to \$124, catching the gamblers short.

Millionaire in "Butterfly" Case



J. K. Mitchell, Philadelphia millionaire, and son-in-law of E. J. Stotesbury, partner of J. Pierpont Morgan, has confessed being the mysterious "Mr. Marshall" who lavished attention on the murdered Broadway Butterfly, Dorothy King.

HOME SWEET HOME

Oscar is Out at the Plate

by Terry Gilkison

PHOTOCASTER



Richard Lloyd Jones Says

PRESERVERANCE COUNTS MOST



HEALTH inherited is never valued like wealth earned. Victory is great as the battle is hard. There is no short road to real triumph. That which is gained easily is lost easily. "Easy comes, easy goes." The plant that grows fast withers rapidly. The tree that grows slowly endures. Headfast application will do more than the quick blow of impatience. Dropping water will cut its way through granite. Mountains were not made in moments; they are the work of ages. Great deeds are done not by strength but by persistence. Want a thing hard enough, work for it long enough you are pretty sure to get it. A single purpose is the first essential to success. Tenacity is the primary element of greatness. Wisdom to build castles in the air; but it is the stone to stop there. Go at your foundation; pile stone on stone until you reach your castle. Then it is stay with it" is the slogan that makes the cowboy conquer the bucking broncho. Don't give up the ship; it was the command to him that brought Perry victory. Perpetual pushing puts difficulties out of countenance and makes seeming impossibilities give way.

The weak wait for the opportunity to strike while the iron is hot. The strong make opportunity by striking the iron until it is hot. Perseverance rather than brilliancy is the best in a long race. The tortoise knows he has to do his utmost all the time to even hope to edge with the hare. The hare, knowing his better speed, often relies upon sprints and delays too long. Over-confidence foreshadows neglect. Don't go to sleep at the switch. It isn't worth the risk. The pick and spade persistently applied at a fixed place may penetrate a mountain. The oceans have been wedded through the Suez and Panama Canals by just plain digging. He who attains eminence spends his energies in one pursuit. There is no creature so humble but who, armed with determination, may not gain his point. By gnawing through a dyke even a rat may drown a nation. No soldier was ever decorated with shoulder straps for marking time. Brand the word "forward" on your brain. Always obey it. Go ahead and keep going. Don't worry about what the other fellow can do. He may be better than you, but you stick to your job. You may be the tortoise that wins the race. For—"He that shall endure unto the end the same shall be saved."

Doem by UNCLE JOHN

Among the words I know of, which is fitted to describe the best class enjoyments of the super-social tribe,—there's that ranks superlative, an' suits my fancy best,—the word is "pleasant," which I reckon you have guessed. . . . We all love pleasant faces, when we haunt the pleasant nooks; we sing of pleasant wimmin, an' discourse on pleasant looks; a pleasant social function is an easy thing to rhyme and the little outdoor picnic gives its friends a pleasant . . . We treasure pleasant memories of hours that's past an' gone, which we spent in Pleasant Valle', with our Sunday picnics on—And it's nothin' short of pleasant, when we go to Pleasant Grove,—And Pleasant Hill's the Eden that itemizers love! Yes,—the little word is pleasant,—fer the printer or the poet, that records the daily doin's of Billville's pleasant . . . And when you're in HER company,—with nothin' to say, you can start the ball to rollin' with—"We've had a pleasant day!"

HOMEY PHILOSOPHY for 1923

ONCE we knew a man in far away India who for more than thirty years had not spoken to a human soul. His last words were that it was better to think and do things than to waste time talking; moreover he believed nobody ever had said anything of lasting value. It would be a strange world if all of us just shut up and talked through our actions. Gee, how lonely it would be. Lots of things might be accomplished that are now left undone, but we'd miss that human contact that seems to make the whole world kin. And it isn't true that nothing has been said of lasting value. There are three everlasting words that stand as the foundation of human happiness and development: Love one another. We don't need to talk a great deal if we say something.

Harding Preparing for 1924

Washington, D. C.—Republican administration organs are attempting to minimize the effect of the statement issued from Democratic National Headquarters on the announcement by Attorney General Daugherty of President Harding's candidacy for re-nomination by trying to make it appear that the Democratic party will have no issue except the failure of the Harding administration. Democratic leaders say that if the Old Guard leaders wish to stick their heads in the sand and play catch politics, that is, of course, their privilege; they deceive no one but themselves.

The statement issued by Chairman Hull that one of the outstanding issues in the 1924 campaign would be the record of omissions and commissions of the Harding administration, no matter who may be the Republican nominee. This issue alone ought to be sufficient to say Democratic leaders, to turn the Harding administration out, bag and baggage. On that issue the administration was rebuked and repudiated last November. But, Democratic leaders point out, that the Democratic party of great principles and therefore is necessarily a party of great policies, involving a constructive and progressive program. As an evidence of their ability to formulate such a program they point to the Democratic program of reconstruction following the World War which was the greatest offered by any country engaged in that war, but which was wrecked in chief part by Republican partisan opposition. Also, the great constructive program initiated and carried out from 1913 to 1917.

With reference to the issues of 1924 they point out that another Congress is to meet before those issues can be fully made up, as the record made therein will necessarily figure in the campaign as well as the records of the previous Republican Congresses. The press comments on the Democratic analysis of Attorney General Daugherty's announcement would indicate that the analysis caused the Republican reactionary leaders, now in Florida, considerable worry. This, it is said, is due to the fact that the analysis of the reasons for announcing President Harding's candidacy at this time was true, and that the truth always hurts.

These reasons in brief were that the progressive leaders and the conservative leaders of sound judgment among Republicans were turning away from Mr. Harding, realizing that he could not be re-elected, and were seeking a new candidate. It was with the hope of forestalling and heading off other candidates and to try to revive a fast-waning interest in Mr. Harding that the announcement was made. Whether the Republican candidate in 1924 shall be the reactionary Mr. Harding or some one with progressive or radical views, the Democrats will be prepared to go before the country with sound constructive and progressive issues, domestic and foreign, fully confident that the people desire a return to Democratic economy, equitable taxation, the abolishment of special privilege, the establishment of peaceful and equitable relations between capital and labor; the restoration of political

honesty and the formulation of a foreign policy, enabling Americans to hold up their heads and look the world in the face, which will restore national honor, and in connection with domestic policies, restore national prosperity, always greatest under Democratic rule.

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Cato and Clay

South Bend Derrick: There are people in this world who seem to be at war with everyone—themselves included—and who never have a good or kind word for anyone, says the Newcastle Register. It appears to be the ambition of such persons to be as disagreeable as possible to their associates, to hurt the feelings of others at every provocation, and carry a half sneer on their countenances all the time. It is their delight to make others feel as bad as possible and to completely ignore all the essentials that go to make a real gentleman or lady.

There was such a man in ancient Rome. His name was Cato and he was a person of prominent position and great influence. He disliked everybody but himself, and upon himself he set an exorbitant valuation. He was, as he gave it out, representative of all that was pure and noble and sane in Rome. But in his old age he became gossiped about in connection with certain low persons of the opposite gender, and before he died he was openly accused of being a grifter and a cheat and a cruel hypocrite all in one. Of course there are no modern Catos. But there are a few people, although they are scarce out West, who have the idea that virtue will be extinguished when their lights go out. Such people are very unhappy because they believe the world is wrong and only they, each to himself, is all right. What they need is an antidote for prunes. It is proper for sane and clean and kind people to set good examples, to teach the better way by precept and experience. But it gets no one anywhere along the right road to assume that unless all come to his way of thinking the world is lost. God has given no single individual a monopoly of wisdom or perfection. He makes all men of clay. The duty of a clay man is gradually to season his character until it becomes firm and impervious to evil influences. As clay men we are obliged in duty to become hard baked, but not hard boiled.—State Press in Dallas News.

Residence Lots for Sale

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More Tech

It is all good and proper for towns and communities to cooperate with neighboring towns to secure the Texas Technological College. That is loyalty to one's best interests. But there is one point to keep in view: If every person in the radius of many miles were to pull for the location, and the locating committee board does not find facts to overbalance all other claims, then the boosting of so many people for such and such a place would be of no avail. However if a wide section of the entire population were to let it be known that they desired the College at a certain place that fact would doubtless have weight with the board.—Hamlin Herald.

Of course, the way the matter should be handled is for all towns and cities within the area to enter upon one place at which to locate the new college. And also, of course, such action would be impossible, for every town, which has entered the race thinks that it has the very advantages which are required for the school. And this much can also be said. Every place in the race has advantages to offer. The thing is to convince the locating board that they are the best offered.—Clipp and Comment in Abilene Reporter.

A New Suit for Both

When spring comes around nearly everybody wants a new suit. They want to look the part. They don't want to be considered back numbers.

That is good as far as it goes, but it doesn't go far enough.

The home and its surroundings should keep pace with our personal appearance. It doesn't look just in accordance with the fitness of things to trip along in new toggery and stumble over tin cans and other refuse in the front yard.

Get the new spring suit, by all means. You will look good to others and better to yourself.

But let's dress up the old town at the same time. If every citizen would take proper care of his own premises there wouldn't be any eye sores about there wouldn't be anything to criticize.

Now wouldn't that be grand—nothing to criticize?

We could easily set out new shrubbery, and plant acres of beautiful flowers, and keep the yards and the parkways green.

We can not live forever, but we can enjoy life more while we are here if we go about it in the right way.

Now don't shrug your shoulders and say it is "too much of a job" for it is not. Nothing is a big job for the man who makes up his mind that the job is a small one.

Try it, and you will be surprised at what you can do.

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Mass will be at the Catholic Church on every 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sunday at 10 a. m. Rev. S. Kistner, Pastor.

Governor Neff has issued a call for a special session of the Thirty-Eighth Legislature to meet April 16th.

24-Hour Service

Night, as well as day service at the Bankhead Garage 91-12

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BIG SPRING HERALD
BY JORDAN & HAYDEN



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Big Spring, Friday, April 6, 1923

Interesting Results in Steer Feeding at Spur Experiment Station

Experiments in steer feeding by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College, conducted at the Spur station give some valuable information to stockmen interested in making the most profitable disposition of the large feed crops produced in and near the livestock production areas of West Texas.

The behavior of yearling steers and two-year-old steers in the feed lot during the 120-day feeding test which closed March 1st indicates that the younger animals can be profitably fed for a longer period than can the older animals. At the end of the first 90 days of the tests two-year-old steers had gained 3,299 lbs. daily, while yearlings made 2.79; but at the end of 120 days the two-year-old steers had made an average daily gain of only 3,220 lbs. and the yearlings 2,771 lbs. daily gain. This probably means that two-year-old steers should not be fed longer than 90 days, while yearlings may be fed longer and utilize the feed profitably.

Hereford yearlings were compared with a Brahma-Hereford cross. Both lots had identical treatment, the only difference being in the sire which in one case was a pure-bred Hereford bull and in the other a three-fourths blood Brahma bull. The Brahma grades went into the feed lot about 35 lbs. heavier per head than did the Herefords. They consumed 30 lbs. more concentrates consisting of corn and cottonseed meal per 100 lbs. gain and 5 lbs. less hulls than did the Herefords. The Brahmas weighed out of the feed lot 22 lbs. per head heavier than the Herefords.

At the end of the first 90 days of the test the Brahmas had consumed 3,875 lbs. concentrates and 51515 lbs. hulls per 100 lbs. gain, while the Herefords had consumed 3,502 lbs. concentrates and 57,268 lbs. hulls. The Brahmas had made 2,983 lbs. daily gain and the Herefords 2,79 lbs.

While this is the first test of this sort and the result subject to possible wide variation in subsequent tests, yet one notes apparent evidence that Brahma yearlings are more suitable for the shorter term feeding than for longer time and in this case were better than the Herefords at the end of 90 days, but the Herefords were catching up rapidly during the last 30 days of the test.

Cottonseed meal and hulls fed to two-year-old Hereford steers in comparison with corn chops, cottonseed meal and hulls made 96c profit per steer over feed bill as compared with a profit of \$3.50 per steer for the lot having corn chops in the ration. The cost of the feed per 100 lbs. gain was as the end of the 120 day period \$10.44 for the meal and hulls lot and \$11.49 for the meal, corn chops and hulls lot. At the end of the first 90 days, however, the meal and hulls lot had only cost \$10.13 per 100 lbs. gain as against \$11.37 for the other lot. The average final value of the two lots as they sold to Armour and Company at Fort Worth was \$8.28 per 100 lbs. for the meal and hulls lot and \$9.13 per 100 lbs. for the other lot as against \$6.33 per 100 lbs. for both lots when put on feed.

It pays, therefore, to introduce corn or grain sorghum into the ration for steers, even in years when those feeds are extremely high priced. Corn was used in these tests because the grain sorghums were higher on the market and have not enough superiorly over corn to justify the difference in price. Another indication of this test seems to be that if only cottonseed meal and hulls are fed the feeding period should not extend beyond 90 days; or rather that corn added to the ration will increase the time during which the steers will consume feed at a profit.

Another interesting finding in these tests is that Hereford yearlings consumed 398.24 lbs. concentrates and 552.36 lbs. hulls per 100 lbs. gain; the Brahma-Hereford cross consumed 431.31 lbs. concentrates and 550.27 lbs. hulls; two-year-old Hereford steers consumed 476.93 lbs. of the corn-cottonseed meal concentrates and 578.22 lbs. hulls, while the two-year-old steers, which did not receive corn, consumed only 296.43 lbs. cottonseed meal as the concentrate with 1122.81 lbs. hulls per 100 lbs. gain.

These are all good showings and some of them used less concentrates for each 100 lbs. gain than is shown in any feeding records available at this office.

Just received another car Bells of Wichita flour. Pool-Road Co.

Texas is Developing Industrial Opportunities

A recent movement on the part of cotton mill owners of New England to establish mills near the source of supply of raw materials and near the markets for manufactured goods, resulted from economic changes and transportation and labor difficulties in their old locations.

Such mill men are turning to the South. Many of them have been induced to look into the situation in Texas and a result of this has been the organization of several large cotton mill companies in various parts of Texas. Others are certain to be formed soon, and later the drift of mills to the centers thus being established will make Texas a great cotton milling state, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

Investigations made in Texas by engineers and textile experts looking to the establishment of mills in this state have disclosed a situation in Texas that all of them have declared is most encouraging for industries of this character. Materials, transportation, labor, power and climatic conditions are all favorable in Texas to the development of a great textile milling industry.

The enterprise of Texas organizations and business men in seeking out and showing to the textile men these advantages of Texas is to be credited with this growing increase in the importance of Texas as a manufacturing state.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jarrel Johnson and four children arrived last Saturday from Marlow, Okla. Mr. Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson. Jarrel has rented the T. H. Johnson place, four miles south of Big Spring, where he will conduct an up-to-date dairy and truck farm.

An apportionment of \$6.50 per capita based on 1,297,000 scholastics was made Monday by the State Board of Education. This was made possible by the \$3,000,000 emergency appropriation made for the schools by the legislature and approximately \$5,000,000 available in the school fund.

Zach Lamar Cobb, well known attorney of El Paso, is now located in Los Angeles, California, according to a communication received by The Herald this week.

Mrs. K. S. Beckett left Friday morning for El Paso to visit her son, Kirby Beckett and family.



DEAL IN DOLLARS

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It is not necessary to poll the majority of our citizens to fall to vote bonds on April 16th for the Texas "Tech" a big slump. This committee to demand every safeguard to the health of the state, tending the Tech, and in the end times it is known that the health of the citizens of our established community.

Plans for building another good little town on the main highway between here and Lamesa are now being formulated.

If you use "Pencil" pure Pennsylvania oil your car will be almost guaranteed.



Andrew Carnegie's library is a book which reads, "He who cannot read is a fool; he who will not is a idiot; he who dares not is a slave."

It is time that people arouse themselves to think on matters of health. Benjamin Franklin knew a thing or two in his day, and he wasn't far off when he said, "He is the best Doctor who knows the worthlessness of most medicine."

What is considered good one day in medicine is discarded the next as worthless. It reminds one of the Doctor who said to his patient, "Take this daily while it is still a cure."

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Election Notice
Whereas, the City Council of the City of Big Spring deems it advisable to issue bonds of said City for the purposes hereinafter mentioned:
THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF Big Spring, Texas, that an election be held on the 16th day of April A. D. 1923 at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the City of Big Spring, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Big Spring, Texas, in the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars, to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, and to mature serially or otherwise, not to exceed forty years from the date thereof, interest payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of constructing a sewer system in the City of Big Spring, Texas, as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911 of the State of Texas, and Article 882 of said Revised Statutes of 1911, and House Bill No. 42 of the Regular Session of the 37th Legislature of the State of Texas, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit: Fox Stripling, presiding officer; C. T. Tucker and J. J. Hair, Judges, and W. B. Potton and S. P. Daily, clerks.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, and Article 882 of said Statutes of 1911, and House Bill No. 42 of the Regular Session of the 37th Legislature of the State of Texas, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said city shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words: "For the issuance of the bonds."

And those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots: "Against the issuance of bonds."

The manner of holding the said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections. A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Big Spring, Texas, attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be posted up at the City Hall and at three other public places in the City of Big Spring, Texas, for at least thirty days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to cause notice of election published in some newspaper or general circulation published in said city, and which notice shall be published once each week for five weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

Approved and signed this 14th day of March A. D. 1923.
W. R. PURSER, Mayor of City of Big Spring, Texas.
Attest: E. E. Fahrenkamp, City Secretary.

Raise Gardens Keep Family in Good Health

The need of tonics and other medicines in the spring of the year is due largely to the lack of fruits and vegetables in the winter diet. If more greens and leafy foods were eaten daily throughout the year, less money would be spent for medicines and doctor's bills and there would be less suffering from many of the ills that are constantly with us. A large percentage of our digestive troubles, colds and other sickness and diseases are caused by improper diets showing the wrong selection of foods. The importance of fruits and green vegetables in the diet is being continually brought to our attention by food and nutrition specialists. Fruits and green vegetables are valuable in the diet because they supply mineral substances, roughage and vitamins or protective substances without any one which we cannot keep in good health. Not all vegetables contain the same kinds of food principles. Everyone should learn to know the kinds of foods that are necessary to make up a safe or balanced diet. The green, leafy vegetables are specially fine sources of minerals and vitamins. Among this class are spinach, lettuce, turnip tops, beet tops, mustard, kale, cabbage, Brussels sprouts, celery, collards, chard, dandelion, water cress, rape, lamb's quarter and onions. These vegetables also have coarse fibrous materials that assist in carrying off waste products from the body. A sufficient amount of fruits and vegetables must be eaten daily by every one wishing to keep in the prime of health. Experts tell us that we should eat plenty of cooked leafy vegetables and two salads made of raw fruit and vegetables every day, in addition to one quart of milk and a small amount of meat with eggs, cereals and starchy vegetables. If more people conformed to this rule, there would be fewer diseases that shorten life.—A. and M. Bulletin.

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Local Poet Heard From

The following poems were received this week and being of especial merit we print same for the benefit of our readers:

LITTLE RAGTAG

Say there, Little Ragtag,
Whose sweet child are you?
Teeth as white as ivory, eyes the sky's own blue.
Lips like dainty rose buds dipt in the morning dew;
A face that's even finer than a face of Grecian mold,
Hair all matted, tangled, like tangled threads of gold.
A voice that's even softer than the song an angel sings,
Softer than the melodies that slumber in the strings
Of harps and mandolins, softer than the croon
Of meadow larks and robins sung in the summer moon.
Say there, Little Ragtag, tell me, little shrew,
Whose sweet child I wonder,
Whose dear child are you?
Tell me, Little Ragtag,
Whose sweet child are you?
Impudent the sunbeams that kiss these little rags!
Naughty, scented breezes, when they touch these little tags,
These little strings and tatters that grace a form, I ween,
That would arouse the envy of an oriental queen.
Are you a bit of daylight in the darkness of a life?
A sunlight in the fastnesses? A triumph in the strife?
Are you cheering some poor fellow as adown the way he plods?
Are you mamma's child, or papa's, humanity's or God's?
Tell me, Little Ragtag, out there in the street,
Smiling, winking playfully, at every soul you meet—
God bless the little urchin! God bless the little shrew!
Say there, Little Ragtag,
Whose sweet child are you?
.....
"BESS"
Well, yes—I'm guilty—that's my plea,
'Tisn't for such as the likes of me—
To evade a charge I'm willing to face,
For I don't set it down as any disgrace
That I struck that man and caused him pain
Why, if it just should happen again—
I'd be sore tempted to strike, I guess,
Any fellow I caught abusing Bess.
Who is she? Why, I thought you knew,
She's just a horse—a good one, too.
That I used to drive, and so to-day
When I saw her toiling along the way
With a load piled high by bungling fools,
That would tax the powers of twenty mules
My blood—it boiled sir, nothing less—
And I hated the driver and pitied Bess.
They claim dumb beasts can't comprehend,
But Bess, why bless you, knows a friend,
And she stopped right still in glad surprise,
I could read the joy in her honest eyes,
And neighed a welcome which like a dart—
Sank deep in my breast till it reached my heart,
For it seemed to say, "I don't complain
But how I long to be back again,
With you, old friend, as it used to be,
When you fed and petted and cared for me"
Then the driver struck her, I saw the whet,
It seemed as though the blow I felt,
So I sprang to the street and pealed my coat,
In a moment more I had clutched his throat
And hurt him some, I must confess—
But he ought not to have lashed old Bess.
What's that you say? I may go,
I didn't expect quite that, you know,
And after this folks can't tell me
That justice ain't dealt as it ought to be.
And so that's all I've got to say—
Excepting, perhaps that yesterday,
I bought old Bess—she's in my care—
She's got an owner who'll treat her square,
Who'll see her through to the very end,
For to me she's just like an old-time friend.
And never again will she have to haul
A three-ton load, but a big box stall
Will she occupy and reign as queen
Of a fine big field where grass grows green.
When I get back home I'll tell them—
—yes—
How a judge treats a man that stood by Bess.

Methodist Sunday School Notes

On Easter morning how beautiful and artistic was the view that met the eyes of the 254 attending Sunday school. Pink, white, blue and crimson hyacinths, geraniums of varied and delicate hue, dainty begonias, a profusion of fresh, green ferns, and a magnificent Easter lily in full bloom, made the interior of our church fair indeed to view.

At least seventy held high score in literary contest, bringing their Mission dollar as requested, while many others brought a good Easter offering. Bro. Hardy assisted by Byron and Willard Neal, measured the length of our gift with a measuring tape. About 45 ft. of the 50 ft. line was used. \$81.34 was the amount in full, and was considered good indeed.

At the close of the lesson period the entire school joined in the reading of the Easter message. Two of our gifted Junior girls, well trained by Miss Doris Menger in expression, gave us most appropriate selections. They were Misses Lucille Rix and Valera Sligh, and both were very good indeed.

The Easter music furnished by our splendid choir was exceptionally fine. Especially the processional, and the beautiful Easter anthem. Bro. Hardy gave a good morning sermon, while at the evening service Bro. Stewart preached on "The Spirits Work." His messages are always inspiring, carrying a keen, evangelistic note, and this one was unusually good.

At the close of the service, the second quarterly conference was held. Following is the report for the quarter submitted by Miss Barnes, S. S. Supt. Average attendance since last report 225; highest mark 285; lowest mark 71; supplies for quarter \$57.91; Christmas check to Centenary pledge \$119.00, making a total expenditure for the quarter of \$201.00. In order that our presiding elder may know our Sunday school corps better, the Supt. gave the personnel in a series of rhyming couplets printed below:

Always present, never tardy,
Head of our school, dear Brother Hardy
Leader of men, a second Daniel
Beloved lay-leader—Mr. Manuel,
His substitute when out of town,
Mr. C. E. Thomas of fair renown,
Olivia Kirby, sweet and fair,
Pianist and treasurer beyond compare,
Gladys Gardner, swift of feet,
Our secretary, brave and neat,
When absent, how can whole school grieve,
For our excellent count boy—T. B. Reeves.

Mrs. Manuel and Louise Shive,
With our Beginners nobly strive,
Mrs. Geo. Smith and Loma, too,
Are happy in Primary work they do,
Maud Leeper holds a court, I ween,
Of small boys, in whose eyes she's queen.

Mrs. Cordill with her Junior boys,
"The Boosters," claims life's fullest joys,
Miss Schull, so demure and so wise,
Efficient proves in all she tries,
Junior girls, in bold acclaim,
Praise Mrs. Charley Davis' name.
Intermediates freely boast,
Mrs. Leslie Thomas they love most,
Mrs. Miller with her girls so true,
Her constant attendance does not rue,
Mrs. J. V. Davis is a two-in-one,
The little ones love her, every one,
Her class of boys since they have her back,
For her sake, gladly, their brains will rack.

Of recent new teachers, none can match
The joy of the girls getting Miss Nell Hatch.
Mrs. Talbot so loyal, Mrs. Baird so true,
Find both Boy's classes fair to view,
Mrs. Flewellen vies with Mrs. Hardy,
Both classes fine, members rarely tardy
The "Susanna Wesley's" without jest,
Claims Mrs. Morris leads all the rest,
Mrs. Stripling's class aver with vim,
The Susanna Wesley's have nothing on them.

Mr. Deats kind, faithful, good and true,
Keeps right along with the rest of you,
I don't know how our school could do
Without Misses Mabel and Lillie Sue,
That ends the list, I have told no yarns,
She's strong for her Sunday school,
Verberna Barnes.

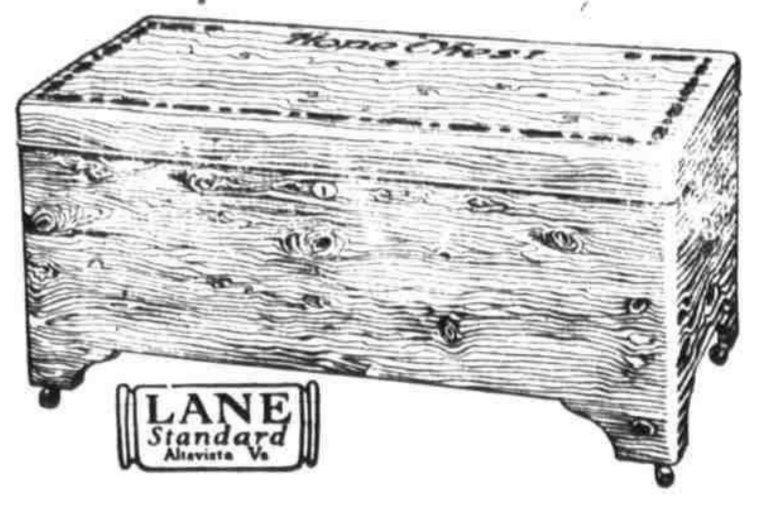
Property Owners Notice
NOTICE is hereby given to all tax payers within the city limits of Big Spring, Texas, to make out and hand to me at my office within two months after publication of this notice, a full, true and complete inventory of all real and personal property owned or controlled by them and subject to taxation on the 1st day of January A. D. 1923.

Blanks for this may be had by calling at the City Hall.
3/27/23 E. E. FAHRENKAMP,
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Be Sure of Your Title
I have bought the Abstract Plant owned formerly by S. D. Bainbridge and will conduct it under the name of the West Texas Title Co. Your patronage solicited. G. B. Cunningham

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Tax Exempt Securities

It is better that a community should be able to secure money at a low rate of interest for building its schools and its highways than it is for that community to give to the federal government the right to tax its securities and thus make the cost of building schools and highways far greater to the local community than under the present system.

The money raised on these tax exempt securities has, on the whole, been wisely expended. It is enormously expanding the educational facilities of the country: it is building better highways, better streets, improved waterworks, better drainage systems, and is everywhere adding to the real progress of the people, creating more business, even when viewed from the strictly business point, than would be created by the imposition of federal taxes on these securities.

If we disregard the importance of the individual states holding some rights, and disregard the tendency at Washington to keep on piling taxes on

top of taxes, an concentrating the federal government's bureaucratic operations all possible power to the disadvantage of the whole country, we must still recognize that the imposition of federal taxes on state and municipal securities would largely increase the cost of every school building, the cost of every mile of road construction, of every municipal improvement made, and of every public building erected.

Moreover, it will be infinitely better for the country that the counties and cities and states shall have the right to sell their securities at the lowest possible rate of interest in order that they may carry forward their work at a low cost, than to give this privilege of taxation on these securities to the federal government.

Many banking interests handling industrial securities and those of public service corporations are protesting against tax exempt securities on the ground that it makes industrial interests and public service corporations pay a higher rate for money than they would otherwise have to pay. But that is a specious and false argument. Industrial operations and public service corporations are established by private capital for the profit which they make either in the handling of the securities and putting them on the market, or else for the profit in the management of these interests.

On the other hand, state and municipal securities are issued for the general benefit of states and communities without any thought of individual profit through the operation of the things created by this money. In one case it is the banking influence at work to sell securities intended for individual profit on the same basis as securities sold by a county or by a state for the profit of all the people, but not for individual profit. The difference is very wide. It is private profit versus public welfare.—Manufacturers Record.

Why Take Chances?
A man who slaves a lifetime to secure a little property and then falls to protect same against loss by fire or tornado is taking mighty big chances; and is acting foolish to say the least. It doesn't cost much to insure property against such losses. I will gladly show you why you cannot afford to be without insurance if you will consult me. I am prepared to offer Fire, Tornado, Auto Insurance. Real estate deals, commissions and rentals are also attended to.
Will appreciate any business you care to accord me. 9-1f
A. J. GALLEMORE,
Big Spring, Texas.

Inactive Liver

"I have had trouble with an inactive liver," wrote Mrs. S. Nichols, of 4412 Spencer St., Houston, Texas. "When I would get constipated, I would feel a light, dizzy feeling in my head. To get up in the morning with a lightness in the head and a trembly feeling is often a sign that the stomach is out of order. For this I took **Theford's Black-Draught**, and without a doubt can say I have never found its equal in any liver medicine. It not only cleans the liver, but leaves you in such a good condition. I have used it a long time, when food does not seem to set well, or the stomach is a little sour."

If it isn't
Theford's
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Laundry Work Wanted

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Several new business buildings are being planned for our city. There is need for a few more substantial business houses in Big Spring.

For Sale—Cotton Seed

Akala cotton seed for sale. See MRS. W. J. KING, 202 Goliad St., Big Spring, Texas. 29-21-pd.

SPRING IS HERE AND ITS TIME TO PAINT UP AND USE UP THE WALL PAPER.....WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

The New Empire

Progress is West Texas' middle name. Roby will vote soon on the issuance of forty thousand dollars municipal bonds for the construction of a modern waterworks system.

Rotan, also in Fisher County, is well on the road to a solution of the same problem.

Up near Childress a farmer, finding the time hanging heavy on his hands this winter, went out and built an artificial lake which will impound enough water to irrigate five acres of land. If he repeats every winter, he'll have 25 acres of irrigated land, worth several hundred dollars per acre, in five years.

Crowell is paving its main streets at a cost of \$30,000.

Winters is spending more for paving than most towns of similar size spend for public improvements in ten years.

Down near San Saba a lone pecan tree, seven feet in diameter, produces \$500 worth of pecans in a normal year.

Sweetwater is putting in a filtration plant to cost \$30,000.

Stamford puts over a successful tree-planting campaign, inaugurating a movement that will make that beautiful city even more beautiful.

Munday spends half a million dollars rebuilding business houses destroyed by fire.

Merkel is sending her brass band out to communities round about in the interest of good-fellowship.

Toscolia and a hundred similar towns are growing at a pace that would amaze the stranger.

Slaton and Lubbock and Lamesa and other Plains cities and towns are growing by leaps and bounds.

Colorado and Coahoma and Big Spring, not to mention Ballinger and Snyder and half a hundred other places, are setting a dizzy pace in municipal development and expansion.

Modesty restrains us from saying anything about our home town, but volumes might be written.

The fact is that there's an empire in the making right now out here in West Texas. Old-timers thought West Texas was "going some" in year gone by, but they would stand with wide-open mouths if they could get an airplane view of what's taking place in West Texas today.

Literally hundreds of millions of dollars are being spent in West Texas for civic improvements, business houses, homes, factories, highways, farms and other purposes to the glory and grandeur of the unshackled empire.—Abilene Reporter.

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Making War On Oil Promoters

Federal authorities at Fort Worth are making wholesale arrests of oil promoters, accused by the government of defrauding the public out of millions of dollars.

About two dozen arrests have been made and more are expected. The specific charge is using the mails to defraud. The fraud, according to the federal prosecutors, consisted in misrepresenting oil prospects.

As each promoter is brought into federal headquarters he is arranged before the Commissioner, his bond set and his case referred to the federal grand jury. By arresting the suspected men and placing them under bond, their attendance at any time desired before the federal investigators is assured.

Among those arrested were: J. W. (Hog Creek) Carruth, trustee of the Hog Creek Carruth company, furnished \$20,000 bond.

John C. Vesper and Albert H. Shepherd, trustees of the Revere Oil company, furnished \$25,000 bond each.

Charles Sherwin and Harry Schwartz, trustees of the General Lee Development interests, furnished \$25,000 bond each.

S. E. J. Cox, formerly of Houston, and who was tried at Houston in connection with his General Oil Company operations, and now an employee of the Petroleum Producers association, furnished \$25,000 bond.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, north pole discoverer and trustee of the Petroleum Producers association made \$25,000 bond.

So far bonds in the sum of more than \$250,000 have been furnished by promoters so far arrested.

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Draft Dodger Denied Citizenship

The Rev. Karl Otto Walther, formerly a resident of Hoboken, was denied citizenship papers by Supreme Court Justice McCarthy recently on the ground he had claimed exemption from the draft as an alien.

"You stepped aside when the war came," Justice McCarthy said, "to make place for some other mother's son."

Hurray for Judge McCarthy!

You can't make a silk purse from a sow's ear, nor a good American from a draft dodger. And the more publicity given the fact, the less will be the applications for citizenship papers from those who think the United States is a "good thing" and "an easy mark."

A flag good enough to live under is good enough to fight under. A land good enough to live on is good enough to die for. A country good enough to live in is good enough to defend. Heaven be thanked for the McCarthys who guard the great gift of citizenship with such high ideals.

Former Gov. T. M. Campbell Dead

Thomas Mitchell Campbell, aged 67 years, former governor of Texas, died Sunday night at John Sealy Hospital in Galveston after a year's illness. He was buried at his old home, Palestine, Texas.

Governor Campbell instituted many economies during his two terms as chief executive and brought the tax rate down to the lowest figure it has ever reached. He was the second native Texan to occupy the governor's chair, the first having been Gov. James Hogg. Mr. Campbell was prominent throughout the South as an attorney, railroad man, business organizer and lawmaker.

For the Bride—A beautiful selection of cut glass at very reasonable prices. Clyde Fox Jewelry and Drug Co.

Law and Injustice

Much is being said and published just now about our growing lack of respect for law; our willingness to flout the law if we don't like it. Emphasis is put upon a dozen different causes for this condition, ranging from "reaction from the war" to "opposition to blue laws."

As is natural, the lawyer and the jurist are in the forefront of the ranks of those who draw attention to the danger to our institutions when Americans no longer respect the law.

The way to make law respected is to make it worthy of respect. We quote from a news dispatch:

"After serving nearly a quarter of a century on a charge of murder—convicted on perjured testimony—Charner Tidwell, a half-breed Cherokee Indian, has been pardoned by President Harding on the recommendation of Attorney General Daugherty, and returned to the home of his boyhood."

Consider what this man suffered because the laws made a mistake. Twenty-five years of a man's life is most of what is best in it. And the law took it away from him, tortured him because of his innocence, made him suffer twice what a guilty man would have suffered.

An honest mistake, of course. Lawyers and judges are only human, and must err at times.

But what will the law do for him now? The law....your law, our law, the law of the land, American law.... has robbed this man, as it has robbed other men in the past....what will it do to make up? Will it offer him money? There is no provision in law for that. Will it give him honors? Certainly not. He is a man just out of jail. Will it make public apology, retraction? The law does not apologize. What it will do, and all it will do, is "pardon" the innocent.

Good Americans act as if they respected the law, because on the law rests our Government. But no American can have as high a respect for the law as it should have, as long as the law, when it commits a flagrant injustice, makes no attempt to make amends.

Ownership Maps

Showing owners and lease owners of all land in Howard County. Address: W. E. CARRIKER, Big Spring, Texas.

Gainsborough hair nets...Ask the girl you are with....Cunningham & Phillips.

Farming Comes First Now

When bankers get together in state and district meetings now, time to time, to discuss problems concern them the one subject mandating attention to the practical solution of all others is the farmer.

It has taken quite a while to get them around to this engrossing of the farmer and his problems. Sighted ones have seen all that that this was the really big one for them and for every other man in business, in fact. But it has the jolts of the past two years in the mass of them realize that the stability even of most banks depends directly upon the farmers.

Neither farming nor any other important business can run without a banker. Conversely he is dependent upon farmers for the profits of his business and when farmers do not money, are operating at a loss, loans cannot be paid, his profits dwindle, and his profits dwindle. As a matter of self-protection, he is bound to do all possible to aid farmer to produce at a profit.

It augurs well for the farmer that the mass of the bankers are of this now.

Optical Office

We have established a separate-to-date optical office—and with years' experience of our Big Spring Optician we are prepared to give the very best service possible. Work guaranteed. Clyde Fox, Jeweler and Drug Co.

Methodist Junior League

Sunday, April 8, 1923. Junior Consecration Hymn.

Bible Lesson Genesis 42 chapters. What Jacob sent his sons to buy for—O. H. Morris Jr., Gen. 42:1-25.

Joseph Deceives his brothers. Thomas, Gen. 42:7-25. Joseph fills their sacks with silver. Pattie Burns, Gen. 42:25-35.

The Haunted Tooth—Jimmie Song: Love Lifted Me. Bible verse.

Enter into his gates with thanksgiving. And into his courts with praise. Be thankful unto him. And bless his name.

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