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One Year... \$ 1.50
Six Months... .80
Three Months... .50
Outside Callahan County
One Year... \$ 2.00
Six Months... \$ 1.25
Three Months... .75

Our Brother's Keeper

(Los Angeles Times)

This period through which the world
is struggling is more than an economic
crisis. It involves more than a
study of strategic plans to ambuscade
the dollars which fled.

Humanity itself is on trial. The
civilization which we have evolved is
undergoing the supreme test.

If there is such a thing as brother-
hood among men, now is the time to
show it.

Drunk with wealth, we have strayed
a long way from the fundamental and
eternal truth. We have been living
in a house stuck upon golden stilts.
And it has crashed.

In our agony and suffering we have
discovered that Jesus Christ meant
what he said. The Golden Rule was
not a pleasant homily intended for
reward of merit cards with silk fringe
on the edges and diamond dust shin-
ing on the snow scenes. It was a
simple statement of the eternal law
that keeps the stars in the skies and
the world turning on its axis.

We speak of breaking the law and
commandments. You can break them
but they break you. "Love one an-
other" was more than an admonition
to light the path of virtue. It was
the statement of an eternal principle
upon which all law, all philosophy,
all business, all ethics, all civilization
rests. Like all the doctrines left by
the Christ, this was the sublimity of
common sense—the finality of practical-
ity—the only sure foundation upon
which civilization can rest.

During these money-glutted years
we have tried each to go our own way
alone. Years of greed and money
lust have ended with this terrible
lesson: That wealth evaporates and
leaves men stark and with naked
hearts.

It is for us to see that this terrible
rebuke has not been in vain. For us
to see that we rebuild the fallen
structure on the rock of brotherhood.

This winter will be a period that
calls for all men to have fortitude,
strength and sympathy. It is, for
once, clear to the dullest mind that
we can only help ourselves by helping
others.

Out of this period of re-adjustment
we can regain our souls. It can be
a better world because of this period
of hunger and sorrow; a stronger
America and a sounder civilization
if it brings to us a realization we are
the privilege of being our brother's
keeper.

The remedy for our financial crisis
lies not in laws, federal commissions,
in panacea or financial errors.

The sound and practical answer
was told two thousand years ago in
a sermon spoken on a mountain in
Palestine.

LOYALTY

Runge News: Once we visited a
small town last summer. We had
not been in town 10 minutes before
one of the citizens began to brag to
us about the town's base ball team.
He gave us the history of the season's
games, and we noted most of them re-
sulted in victories for the home team.

The next day a man with whom we
got acquainted, spoke in words of
highest praise of the town's school
system, and believe it or not, he not
only had a good word to say for the
superintendent and the teachers, but
the board as well.

We visited in the town a few days
and without exception the people we
talked to had something good to say
about some feature or institution of
the town.

The town gave evidence of the loy-
alty too. It looked like a good town.
It must be, else everyone would not

have stood up for it so loyally.

We do not know much about the
town, but we left it with a good con-
viction that it was a good town in
which to live. Any town with its
community pride developed to such
a degree is going to be a good town.
In the natural course of events it just
can't help it.

Our guess is that when a project
is started there that everyone gets
behind it and stays back of it until
it goes over. What a fine spirit. There
is scarcely a town that couldn't
have much more than it does if every
one in it would rally loyally behind
every project and work on it until it
was put over and then turn to the
next plan and put it over.

This is the thing that makes good
towns. It is the germ that once it in-
fects a community, gives it the repu-
tation of being a live town.

Let a town once get the feeling
through and though that it is a live



MRS LEOTIS MEADOWS

Owner of Marinello Beauty Shoppe
wishes to thank everyone who has
contributed to her success the past
year, and six months in business in
Baird, and she hopes the people will
continue their patronage during the
quieter times. She has reduced her
prices and still gives quality work
and materials at the same high qual-
ity at much lower prices. She always
has new ideas on anything pertaining
to her work.

New and old Customers always
Welcome

SIGAL
THEATRE

FRI. and SAT OCT. 23-24

"Son of The Plains"
with BOB CUSTER

An all-talking cowboy thriller full
of action and romance.

Sun., Mon., Tues. Oct. 25-26-27

MAURICE CHEVALIER in

**"The Smiling
Lieutenant"**

Captivating New York at \$2.00 a
seat—Maurice kisses and misses in
this roguish romance. The New York
graphic says, most delightful talkie
yet. Write your own adjectives after
its lilting loveliness and gay, glori-
ous star has shown you how truly
exalting love, life and laughter can
be. Blond or Brunette? Maurice
plays no favorites.

WED. and THURS. OCT. 28-29

"The Brat"

with SALLY O'NEIL

She has that snap the boys go for—
and eyes that won't behave.

FRI. and SAT. OCT. 30-31

**"The Vanishing
Legion"**

and a comedy

with HARRY CARY, EDWIN Booth,
and REX, King of wild horses, and
five other noted stars. This is an
all-talking serial in 12 stirring chap-
ters. Will be shown every Friday
and Saturday.

ALSO SHOWING

BUCK JONES in
"The Avenger"

Matinees on every Saturday
Sunday, starting at 2 P. M.
Every night, starting at 6:40
ADMISSION 10c & 35c
on everything

town and like the winning football
team you can't stop them.

Col. Dick McCarty III

Co. Dick McCarty, veteran editor
of the Albany News, was reported
seriously ill Wednesday, having been
stricken with acute indigestion as he
sat at his desk Tuesday. Col. McCarty
is one of the most popular newspaper
men in Texas, and one of the very
few pioneer newspaper men.

The Star wishes for the Colonel a
speedy recovery.

Help observe Book Week, Nov. 15-22

One hundred men are employed on
the \$6,600,000 irrigation canal pro-
ject in Maverick county. About 15-
000 acres will be irrigated.

Are you interested in the children
of America? Then remember Book
Week, November 15-22.

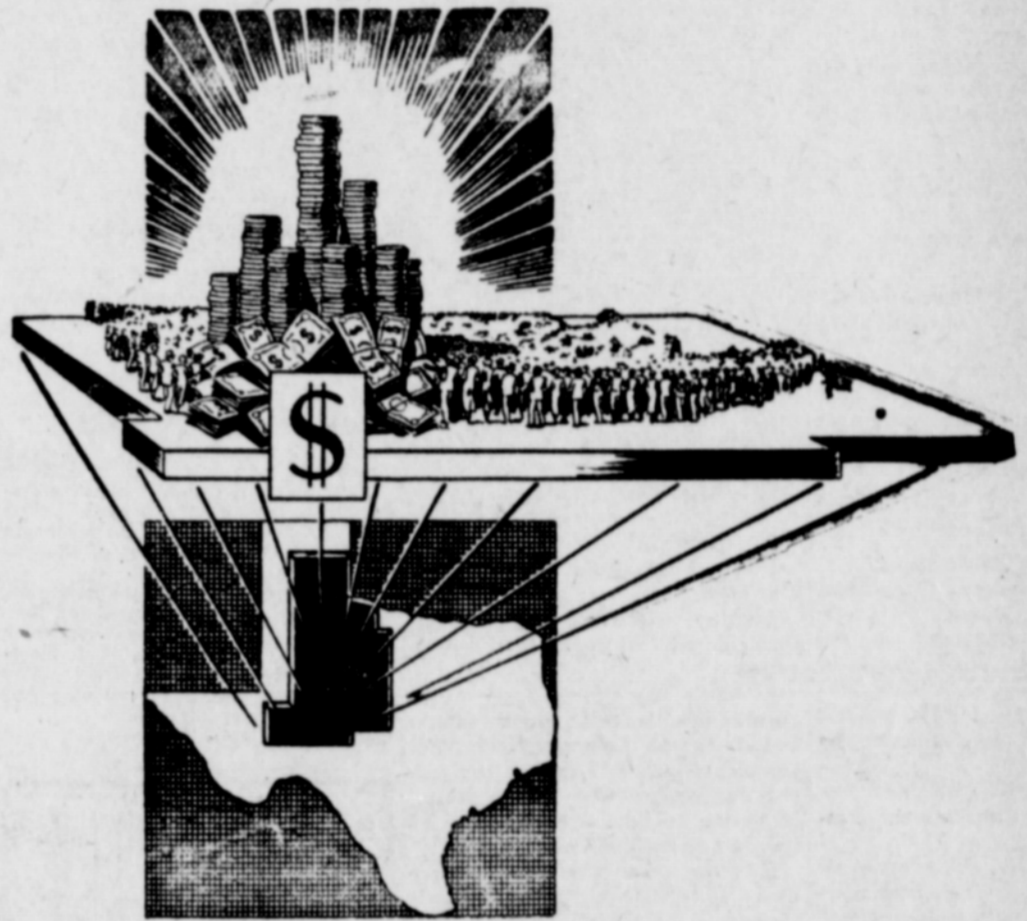
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at Texarkana to make way for an
\$800,000 postoffice building.

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The Old Reliable
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Pure Food
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The Drug Store with Class

NOW IS THE TIME TO ADVERTISE
MORE BUSINESS is what you want of course
ADVERTISE and YOU WILL GET IT.



**TWO MILLION DOLLARS
PAID IN WAGES AND SALARIES...**
A REAL CONTRIBUTION TO WEST TEXAS' PROSPERITY

PROVIDING a livelihood for over 1,200 employes... many of whom are your
friends and neighbors... the West Texas Utilities Company has contributed
to the prosperity of West Texas, for the last three years, an annual payroll of over
\$2,000,000.00.

Two millions of dollars is a powerful agency toward the stabilization of busi-
ness conditions... Its expenditure means a substantial amount of trade for retail
stores, grocers, laundries, doctors, dentists, and commercial establishments of
all kinds.

Only the continued expansion and development of the West Texas Utilities
Company has made possible the building of this payroll. Through efficient man-
agement and economical operation, this company has expanded its facilities,
reduced rates and stimulated the industrial and agricultural development of its
territory. To carry forward these important projects, the assembling of a loyal,
enthusiastic and hard-working corps of native West Texan employes has been a
logical outgrowth.

These employes are genuinely concerned over
their company's activities. They are working for West
Texas... its growth and development... just as you
are working toward the same goal. To co-ordinate our
activities is the constant aim of the West Texas Utili-
ties Company.

Every dollar you spend for electric service
... and more! ... has, for the past eight
years, been re-invested in the future of West
Texas. Payrolls alone, for construction and
operation, are equal to 30c out of every dollar you
spend for electric service—a sum which goes back
into this "Land of Opportunity" in salaries and wages
paid to West Texan employes.

Do You Know?
... that if you are an average
user of domestic electric ser-
vice you can increase your use
and enjoyment of the comforts
and conveniences of electric
service by three times, and
only increase your total bill by
approximately 10c a day?
This is made possible through
a major transmission line elec-
tric system and an organiza-
tion accustomed to doing large
things in a large way.

**West Texas Utilities
Company**

Deadline on Tax Payments Without Penalty Extended

The recent "tax moratorium" law, providing that penalties and interest on delinquent taxes be released if the taxes were paid by January 31, 1932, has the effect of extending the time of payment of 1930 taxes from October 15 to January 31, 1932, without penalty, and of releasing such interest as may accrue on 1930 taxes from October 16 to the date of payment, if paid on or before January 31, 1932.

T. & P. Announce Many Reduced Fares

The Texas & Pacific Railway announces that many reduced round-trip fares have been arranged for, to be effective during the autumn, winter and for the ensuing spring and summer months. A round-trip fare of one and one-third will apply locally in Texas, Louisiana, and between those states daily until December 31.

Did You Ever Stop To Think?

It is said that smiles are gold nuggets and that you are rich if you are a good smiler. So if you are a smiler make them good ones and see if you can feel rich. Don't chuckle, for a chuckle is a smile with the cramps. Chuckles won't do for a good laugh for chuckles often, in some cases, seem like camouflaged sneers.

BAIRD BOYS ON SIMMONS BRAND STAFF

Ralph Short, a Baird boy, a senior in Simmons University, is managing editor on the Simmons Brand staff. Granderson Turner, a former Baird boy, is also a member of the staff as Associate editor.

LIPTON

There have been few more dramatic careers in modern times than that of Sir Thomas Lipton, who died the other day. Born in Ireland of Scottish parents, he started in business on his own account with no capital to speak of, with a little green grocery in Glasgow, while he was still in his teens. He became the world's largest merchant in foods, the friend of royalty, the idol of sportsmen. Sir Thomas once attributed his success to advertising. He was the world's first great advertiser in his line. Because he was "in trade" British nobility sneered at him, but the late King Edward VII put him up for membership in the Marlborough Club, to which nobody is admitted.

unless proposed by the King. It is not every man of whom it can be said when he passes on that the world is better for his having been with us, but I think that is true of Tom Lipton.

It is to be hoped that you are preferred stock in the human market.

W. O. WYLIE

FUNERAL DIRECTOR
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Flowers for all occasions

Minutes of County Finances

Order Approving Account of County Treasurer.

In the matter of the Quarterly Report of Mrs. Will McCoy, Treasurer of Callahan County, Texas. In the Commissioners' Court, Callahan County, Texas. October Term, A. D. 1931. On this the 14th day of October, A. D. 1931, in Regular October Term of the Commissioners' Court of said County, came on for examination the Quarterly Report of Mrs. Will McCoy, Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the 1st day of July, 1931, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1931, and filed herein on the 13th day of October, 1931, and the same having been compared and examined by the court and found correct. It is therefore Ordered by the Court that the same be and is hereby approved. And it appearing to the Court that during said time the said County Treasurer had received for account and credit of, and paid out of each of the several County Funds, the amounts set forth, and leaving a balance to each of said Funds as reflected in said report which follows, and becomes a part thereof; and that said amounts were received and paid out of each of the respective funds since the filing of the preceding report of said County Treasurer, and during the period above stated and that the said separate amounts as therein shown are correct.

Witness our hands this the 14th day of October, 1931. J. H. CARPENTER, County Judge; J. W. HAMMONS, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; S. S. HARVILLE, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; C. E. BRAY, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; G. H. CLIFTON, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

ATTEST: S. E. SETTLE, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Callahan County, Texas.

Report of Mrs. Will McCoy, County Treasurer of Callahan County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from July 1st to September 30th inclusive.

JURY FUND. 1st Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 3,548.35
To Amount received since last Report..... 383.19
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "A"..... \$ 199.00
Amount to Balance..... 3,732.54

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. 2nd Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$13,578.43
To Amount received since last Report..... 1,282.17
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "B"..... \$10,102.99
Amount to Balance..... 4,757.61

GENERAL COUNTY FUND. 3rd Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 615.96
To Amount received since last Report..... 522.36
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "C" All Dist. "taken up" with Refd. Warrants..... \$ 1,138.32
Amount to Balance..... \$ 1,138.32

No. 4 AVAILABLE FUND. 4th Class
Balance since last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 11.33
To Amount received since last Report..... .03
Amount to Balance..... \$ 11.36

ESTRAY FUND. 5th Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 343.24
To Amount received since last Report..... 1.05
Amount to Balance..... \$ 344.29

ROAD DISTRICT No.1 SINKING FUND. 6th Class
Balance since last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$24,079.67
To Amount received since last Report..... 604.62
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "F"..... \$ 5,408.56
Amount to Balance..... 19,275.73

COURT HOUSE FUND. 7th Class
Balance last report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 2,105.75
To Amount received since last Report..... 6.56
Amount to Balance..... \$ 2,112.31

ROAD DISTRICT No.1 AVAILABLE FUND. 8th Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 207.05
To Amount received since last Report..... 38.58
Amount to Balance..... \$ 245.63

ROAD DISTRICT No.4 SINKING FUND. 9th Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$17,015.15
To Amount received since last Report..... 50.41
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "I"..... \$ 3,936.92
Amount to Balance..... 13,128.64

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND. 10th Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 670.20
To Amount received since last Report..... 159.78
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "J"..... \$ 327.04
Amount to Balance..... 502.94

COURT HOUSE SINKING FUND. 11th Class
Balance last Report, Filed June 30th, 1931..... \$ 7,570.45
To Amount received since last Report..... 182.02
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit "K"..... \$ 11.72
Amount to Balance..... 7,749.75

Balance \$ 7,749.75 Total..... \$ 7,761.47 \$ 7,761.47

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County —Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Tom Allen whose residence is unknown to appear in the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in the Town of Baird, in said County and State in the first Monday in November, A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said Court on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1931, the file number of which is 7596 in which suit Troy Allen is Plaintiff and Tom Allen is defendant, the cause of action being alleged as follows: Plaintiff has been for a period of twelve months prior to the filing of this petition a bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has resided in the County of Callahan at least six months next months preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about May 2nd, 1927, plaintiff, then a single woman named Troy Keller was married to defendant; that plaintiff was good to defendant, but that defendant within two months after their marriage began a course of cruel treatment of plaintiff, which continued forced to leave him; that he cursed her and struck her many times, knocking her unconscious on one occasion; that she left him several times, but on his promises to treat her better, went back to him; that defendant did not support plaintiff and that she was forced to live with her mother; that defendants actions and conduct toward plaintiff were of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable; that their marriage relations still exist. Plaintiff prays the court for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of court and for such other further relief, general and special in law and equity to which she may be entitled. You are commanded to summon such defendant and to serve this citation by making publication once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your county; but if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published. Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first days of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you executed the same. Witness Mrs. Callie Marshall, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas. Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the Town of Baird, this the 28th day of September, A. D. 1931. CALLIE MARSHALL, Clerk of the District Court, Callahan County, Texas. Issued this the 28th day of Sept. A. D. 1931. CALLIE MARSHALL, Clerk of the District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

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Los Angeles	25.00

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Honestly, aren't you asking too much of Fate to trust those old tires when your wife drives? Hailing strangers for help, if she has a puncture, is often disagreeable. You'd feel a lot better if you knew she were protected also against possible accident. It will ease your mind and be easy on your purse to have us put on some new Goodyears now.

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Other sizes equally low

Size	Each
4-40-21 (29x4.40)	\$ 7.05
4-50-20 (29x4.50)	7.45
5-00-19 (29x5.00)	9.15
6-00-20 (32x6.00)	13.50

For example, a big, husky, full-over-size tire now costs only

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