

The Baird Star.

Our Motto: "TIS NEITHER BIRTH, NOR WEALTH, NOR STATE; BUT THE GIT-UP-AND-GIT THAT MAKES MEN GREAT."

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THE SEWER'S THE THING

**Chairman H. H. Shaw, Of The
Committee, Reports Little
Opposition To Plan**

The response that the citizens of Baird are giving to the sewer proposition is very encouraging to the committee. H. H. Shaw, Chairman of the Committee, stated that he has found very little opposition in his work and he feels confident that the people of Baird will help the committee in every way possible to get sewerage for the city.

Some of the people of Baird have the idea that there is to be a bond issue. This is absolutely false, as the City will not be taxed in any way and the City will not have to guarantee anything. The City will only be asked to grant a franchise to the company for the use of its streets and alleys for the construction and maintenance of a sanitary sewerage system.

Kock & Fowler propose to come to Baird and invest \$40,000 or \$50,000 in a sewer plant, and if there are as many as thirty business houses and one hundred and fifty residences sign up that they will use the sewer after it is put in, then Kock & Fowler will immediately begin construction work on the sewer.

It is one of the best and fairest propositions that has ever been made to any town or city and, if the people of Baird pass up and turn down this opportunity, it will be a long, long time before Baird will have sewerage. This is our city and we can either progress, stand still or go backwards.

Let's get behind Mr. Shaw and his Committee and help him and them put this proposition over quickly.

RADIO "OVERWEIGHT WEEK" IS THE LATEST WRINKLE

"Overweight Week" was announced for the week which began last Saturday, October 24 and ends tomorrow, October 31, by R. H. Schulze, Athletic Director for the Southland Insurance Company, of Dallas.

Schulze announced that in his Radio Health Exercises given each morning over WFAA, he would pay special attention to "the fat, the stout and the overweight." A noted insurance statistician has recently given out the statement that four out of every ten American women are now taking "reduction" exercises, while three out of every ten American men are seeking to reduce either by exercise or diet or both.

A Baird Radio fan tells The Star that these radio health exercises are given each morning except Sunday, over WFAA, at 6:30, 6:50 and 7:10 a. m., the classes being arranged so that each may suit his time of rising, to take his "daily dozen"—or more—by wireless. These radio directed exercises, however, cannot be taken intelligently without a chart, which may be obtained free by writing to the Southland Life Insurance Company, Dallas, Texas.

COMMUNION DAY AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday is Communion Day at the Baird Methodist Episcopal Church, South. No Christian should absent themselves from this service if it is possible to attend.

Another thing of interest to our members is this: Only two more Sundays until the close of this Conference year, and I feel sure that Rev. W. J. Mayhew, our pastor, would be glad to meet every member of the Church at the last two appointments. Come out, won't you? The public is welcome to all public services of our Church.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of this charge will be held Saturday, November 7. Will have the Pastor announce the hour at next Sunday's services. This is the last Quarterly Conference for the Baird Church in this Conference year, when the final report of the Pastor and the various officers of our Church will be made. Every Methodist should have enough interest in the work of his or her Church to attend this Conference.

The annual session of the North-west Texas Conference will be held at Canyon, Wednesday, November 11, Bishop James E. Dickey, presiding. W. E. G.

WALTER VARNER TO FACE HARDEST HITTER IN TEXAS

Walter Varner, the Pride of Callahan County, after a long series of ring victories in which he is yet to get the "KO," will have before him tomorrow night at the Baird Stadium, a whirlwind, Duke Trammel, the "hardest hitter" in Texas, hero of many ring victories, during ten scheduled three minute rounds.

There are many sensational and interesting preliminaries on the program, Mexican Joe of Baird versus Rusty Cahill of Breckenridge, in a six-round bout, being the leading event.

The fistic entertainment will be under the auspices of the American Legion, and special arrangements have been made for the comfortable seating of the big audience the event deserves.

Admission \$2.00; Ladies \$1.00; Children under 15 years, \$1.00.

SENIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM

The following program will be rendered at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, next Sunday, November 1, by the Senior Epworth League:

Scripture: Leader.
Leader: Mrs. Brown Jones.
The Bugle Call: Mr. Brown Jones.
Life is a Battle: Miss Anita McDaniel.
Training: Miss Thaxton.
The Master of Self: Mr. Otho Lidia.
Special Number: Solo, Miss May Claire Wheeler.

BAPTIST SERVICES

Rev. W. H. Hughes, of Abilene, will preach at the Baptist Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. It is urged that all members of the Church be present at the morning service. There will be no night service at night on account of the services at the Presbyterian church.

PIRATES ROUT BAIRD BEARS

**Baird's Senior Pickin Kickers
Weakened in Lineup Are
Defeated By Putnam**

Coach Goodnight, of the Baird High School Gridiron Battalion was seriously handicapped last Friday evening when he lined up his pigskin kickers against Putnam's stalwart Pirates. Three of his best henchmen, Roland Nickols, Bill Melton and Frank Bearden were out of commission: Roland sick, Bill nursing a bone felon and Frank a broken shoulder, but the weakened eleven girded up their loins, tightened their helmets and gamely rushed to the fray, but lost, the score being 7-0. This is Baird's regular lineup:

Nichols, Center; Hotchkiss, left guard; Morrison, right guard; Purriman, left tackle; Spencer, right tackle; Bearden, left end; O'Brien, right end; Ray (captain) quarterback; Dickey, left half; Morgan, right half; Betcher, full back.

This was the game:
The Bears lined up and kicked the ball to Putnam and Spencer went down the field and tackled the man on the 23-yard line.

Putnam's fullback went through the line for 20 yards on a cross buck. The right half failed to gain on an other cross buck; quarterback gained 5 yards on an off tackle play. The quarterback attempted an end run and O'Brien and Nichols downed him for a 10-yard loss. Putnam punted 25 yards. Dickey signaled for a fair catch and was tackled; Putnam was penalized 15 yards.

Dickey gained one yard on a short end run; Betcher gained 3 yards through line for 1 yard gain; Betcher carried through for first down.

Dickey gained 7 yards through the line; Morgan failed to gain through line; Dickey gained 5 yards through the line, carrying it over for first down. Dickey went around the end for 6 yards; Morgan gained one yard through the line.

Betcher went through the line for 3 yards; Ray failed to gain through line; Dickey through the line for one yard.

Fourth down and ball went over within 10 yards of the Bear's goal lines. Quarter up.

Putnam punted the ball up the field for 35 yards. Ray returned it 10 yards; Dickey fumbled and Putnam recovered.

Putnam gained three yards thru the line; Putnam failed to gain on a cross buck; Bearden tackled for 5 yard loss; Dickey downed man on a long end run, making no gain; Putnam punted up the field 30 yards; Ray returned the ball for 10 yards; Ray through the line for one yard; Baird failed to complete pass.

Dickey made a long end run, gaining 23 yards; Ray went through the line for 2 yards; Baird failed to complete pass; Baird fumbled and Ray recovered, gaining 2 yards; Baird punted 35 yards; ball went out of bounds on the 5 yard line.

Putnam punted the ball 20 yards; Baird recovered it on 15 yard line; Putnam intercepted a pass down on 9 yard line; Putnam went around end for a yard gain; Putnam punted
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"OXFORD BAGS" APPEAR IN COLEMAN COUNTY

John Haynie Gilliland, student at Howard Payne College, Brownwood, was in Coleman last week end visiting home folks and friends and incidentally giving natives their first opportunity to behold Oxford Bags.

For the benefit of readers not acquainted with fashion's decree it might be well to state that Oxford Bags are trousers. This particular pair measured 26 inches at the bottom of each leg and were being worn by John pending the arrival of his real one. The fellow with a moderate sized foot will find shoes an unnecessary expense when wearing Bags.

With a foot the size John has it is necessary to shine only the tips of the toes. That much will protrude if the wearer has occasion to hasten to or from a given place. John has agreed to save the pair he was wearing Saturday and donate them to the writer next fishing season. They roll easy and will make dandy seining garments.

P. S.—The breeches measured 28 inches at the top.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

John Haynie Gilliland is a son of Sam Gilliland, well known at Tecumseh, 38 years ago, where he spent about two years as a clerk in the store owned by J. D. Windham & Sons, and operated by this writer. Sam was considered a neat dresser in his young days, but just imagine him dressed up in a pair of Balloon Bags—called "breeches" in those days!

Well, no one who knows him—or the writer—could picture out in their mind's eye either of us with a pair of "breeches" with each leg measuring at the bottom within two inches of the waistband in circumference!

From all accounts these Oxford Bags must be about as handsome as the six-foot hoopskirts the women wore fifty years ago, when it required twenty-five yards of calico or silk, or whatever material they used, to make a dress.

While the women have cut down their dress skirts from six feet to about twelve to twenty inches in diameter and still decreasing in size and length; the men are going to the other extreme.

The only reason we can see for "balloon bags" trousers is, perhaps, the men are trying to make such outlandish fashions that the women will not adopt them for themselves. They have our hats, boots, neckties and collars, and slim-trim made skirts, about half the size of one leg of these "Oxford Bags," but if they become fashionable the women will take to them too, then how can we tell a woman from a man?

JUNIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM

Sunday next, November 1, the following program will be rendered by the Junior Epworth League, at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Christine Glover, Leader:

Song.
Prayer.
Duet: Erma Dell Mitchell and Sallie McGee.
Bible Story: Avanel Pratt.
Reading: Burrell Owens.
Song.
Reading: Inez Glover.
Bible Question Contest.
League Benediction.

SMALL BUT EFFICIENT

**And With a Name That Cannot
Be Squeezed Into The Lim-
its Of This One Head**

That's what "The Public Relations Section of the National Electric Light Association of the West Texas Utilities Company of Group B," is; and yet, despite its resonantly portentous appellation, it has the simplest and most democratic of constitutions, and its members are on their job 365 days out of every year.

There are two groups in this meritorious and worthwhile organization, comprising the two genders, "A" is the male and "B" the female. It was the regular monthly meeting of the latter that The Star reporter attended, at 5 p. m., last Saturday, in the Auditorium of the Baird Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Miss Tommie Ford, of Cisco, Group B's Chairman and our own Miss Hilda Albin, its Secretary, were promptly at their posts and so were the members, but several of the guests (of the male persuasion) were late in putting in an appearance, and the hour was past this some bit when the Chairman rapped for order and the then current business of Group B was taken up and dispatched with celerity.

Incidentally Mrs. W. G. Kinsolving of Abilene, read a paper on "How Electricity has Helped the Progress of the Nation," Mrs. H. O. Tatum of Baird one on "What the West Texas Utilities Company is Worth to Baird as a Town," Judge B. L. Russell spoke on "The Future Possibilities in the Public Utilities Business for the Rising Generation" and R. M. Wolfe, Secretary-Treasurer of the West Texas Utilities on "Utilities Insurance and Pensions."

As pleasing interludes to serious business, Mrs. V. E. Hill played a inspiring selection on the piano and the little Misses Helen Porter and Oleta White gave readings that fell pleasantly on the ear. The meeting adjourned to the church basement where an appetizing luncheon was served to the members of Group B and their guests.

SUNDAY B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Subject: "The King's Business."
Paul's Picture of Our Position:
Viola Boatwright.
Does the World See Jesus in Me?
Jewel Perdue.
The Christian Always on Duty:
Bess Holmes.
A Position of Dignity and Power:
Dudley Foy.
The Ambassador's Supreme Purpose: Clarence Boatwright.
Cultivate Confidence in Our Commission: Jack Henderson.
B. Y. P. U. at 6.30 p. m. Come out and bring a friend.

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Baird Public School November 9th was set as the date of compulsory attendance at school. All patrons of the Baird Public School are requested to bear this in mind.

THE BANKER-EDUCATOR PLAN TO PROMOTE BETTER AGRICULTURE

By D. H. OTIS,

Agricultural Director, American Bankers Association

Whenever bankers desire to promote actively agricultural improvement in their communities, the state agricultural colleges stand ready to show them the way and to give expert assistance. The purpose of this article is to illustrate the way in which the colleges are getting in contact with the banks, and the kind of assistance they render.



D. H. Otis

As soon as the college has a list of the banks in the state desiring to adopt plans to aid agriculture as indicated by project blanks sent out to all the banks in the state, by the State Bankers Association Agricultural Committee, it gives practical suggestions to each banker on the list as to what he can do to stimulate, organize, and conduct the

work in the particular project he has selected. Then either a department specialist from the college or the county agent gets in personal touch with the banker to assist him in an advisory capacity.

Samples of the project outlines are given below to illustrate the details of the procedure the college takes in accomplishing its plan.

College Provides Expert Advisers

In counties with no county agent a list of the banks desiring to carry on a project is sent to a specialist at the state college, according to the project listed. For instance, the banks desiring to carry on the farm accounts project are assigned to the farm management specialist, those desiring to carry on the legume project to the agronomy specialist, those interested in boys' and girls' club work to the junior extension specialist, and so forth.

In counties that do have a county agent a list of the banks and the projects in which each is interested is sent to him with a request that he get in touch with the bankers and help them in regard to the various projects.

The next step by the college is to write to each banker on the list sending him project outlines and informing him that the county agent or a specialist from the college will get in touch with him. If there is no agent in the county this letter reads as follows:

Union State Bank,
Bankville.

Gentlemen—You will find enclosed a brief outline of the farm accounts project in which you have indicated your interest to your State Agricultural Committee and to the Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association.

I am sure that the specialist from the agricultural college will be pleased to assist you in carrying out the suggestions indicated. We have asked him to get in touch with you.

(Director, Agricultural Extension.)

The letter to bankers in counties that do have a county agent informs them that he will get in touch with them.

Suggests Things the Banker Can Do

The project outlines sent to each banker give specific suggestions as to the things he can do to organize the work in his project, and the part he can take in carrying out the work. The more simple and concrete these

suggestions are the more valuable they are to the banker. Following are samples of such project outlines:

Farm Accounts Project

1. Banker can select group of farmers who can and should undertake the work of farm accounts.
2. Arrange with county agent or specialist from agricultural college for first meeting of the group and select an account book.
3. Assist individuals at their request with information relative to entering accounts and other data properly.
4. Act as or select leader for the group.
5. Assist in checking inventories as a means of securing individual financial statement at close of the year.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work

1. The banker can arrange with the county agent or the specialist of the agricultural college for organizing a club.
2. Plan to present various types of club work at the next meeting and perfect the organization of a local club.
3. Banker may act as local leader of the club.
4. Cooperate with county agent or specialist in annual "Achievement Day."
5. Banker may offer prizes for club work or otherwise assist in financing same.

Legume Project

1. The banker can get information from county agent or specialist from the agricultural college on the value of alfalfa, soy bean, or sweet clover crops to farmers of the community.
2. Arrange for meeting of interested farmers with county agent or specialist.
3. At this meeting county agents, specialists, or others will discuss:
 - (a) Value of crop.
 - (b) Seed supply and varieties.
 - (c) Methods of handling the crop.
 - (d) Use and disposition of crop.
4. Plan with county agent or specialist meetings and demonstrations on plots or fields.
5. Secure exhibits for community or county fair.

Cow Testing Associations

1. The banker can arrange with county agent or specialist from agricultural college for meeting of interested group of farmers in the community for the purpose of organizing a cow testing association.
2. Banker may act as leader, and with county agent or specialist plan to visit prospective farmers who may join the association.
3. Organize for work and assist in securing testing equipment and other materials whenever necessary.
4. Call meetings periodically to discuss association business and hold picnics or tours.
5. Banker with county agent or specialist may arrange for C. T. A. booth at community or county fair giving testing demonstrations and explaining work of association.

This constitutes the preliminary work by the college which paves the way for constructive work by the bankers in banker-farmer projects.

the provision of ample credits for the American farmer, his enduring success depends upon the wisdom and foresight with which he meets the problems of production and marketing. More than ever before, his activities must be regulated with reference to world conditions, and his profits, like those of the manufacturer or merchant, will reflect the measure of his success in adjusting his activities to these conditions.

BANKERS HELP

The banks of Linn County Oregon, are showing more enthusiasm than ever this year in behalf of a county corn exhibit similar to that held last year at the Linn County Fair. Last year's exhibit was the result of a contest for a prize offered by a number of local banks. This was so successful that this year ten out of the eleven banks in the county will subscribe to the effort.

The Agricultural Committee of the Alabama Bankers Association has recommended that a scholarship fund be established for the education of worthy young men and women along agricultural and home economics lines. It is estimated that if each bank in the state were to contribute 25 cents per thousand capital, five to six thousand dollars per annum would be realized.

The Agricultural Committee of the Oklahoma Bankers Association, in its report, recommends that the bankers see that a competent agent is appointed in each county and that he has a degree from some agricultural college. They believe that the agricultural possibilities of the state should be better advertised and that each county bankers association should do some work along that line.

Searcy County Bankers Association, Arkansas, entertained as its guests recently some seventy-five farmers

and business men. The result was the organization of the North Central Arkansas Agricultural Association. Its purpose will be to co-ordinate the efforts of the farmers and business men in promoting a better agriculture. Searcy County bankers are giving 100 settings of purebred eggs for distribution to the boys' and girls' clubs in the county.

H. S. Mowrer, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the New Jersey Bankers Association, together with H. J. Baker, director of extension work in the College of Agriculture, made a complete tour of the state this spring, calling on the county agents and agricultural committees of the various county organizations to get a definite line-up on the work done and the plans for the coming year. Ways and means for furthering the program of the state committee were considered at these conferences.

MODERN ENOCH ARDEN LOCATES HIS SONS

Returns After 16 Years of Globe Trotting.

Huntington, Ind.—Hayden Webber, a modern Enoch Arden, who disappeared from his home at Fairfield, Ill., sixteen years ago, has succeeded after many months in locating three of his sons, Harley Webber, Huntington; Earl Webber, Fort Wayne, and Hayward Webber, Trinity Springs.

None of Webber's relatives had seen him since he walked from his home at Fairfield, Ill., in 1900, after disagreeing with his wife. Webber lost track of his family during his adventures and only through a chance conversation did he learn of the whereabouts of his sons. That brought him to the home of his sister, Mrs. E. B. Streseman, Huntington. Webber's father and mother reside near Andrews, Ind.

The wanderer's wife divorced him and remarried several years after his unceremonious departure.

Inflamed with anger Webber left his Fairfield home, bound for the far West. A tramp steamer set him down on a small island of the Hawaiian group. Once every six months a trans-Pacific liner stopped at Webber's island. This was the only connection with the outside world. In two years he had developed an attractive sugar plantation, literally hacking it out of the island wilderness. A syndicate bought it for more than Webber dreamed of receiving.

The far places called and Webber next appeared in Africa, where he sold supplies, worked for mining companies and speculated in various enterprises. His efforts increased his finances. Two years later he went to Brazil. Growing rubber proved profitable to him.

Finally his native land beckoned and he returned to the United States as the country went to war with Germany. For some time he worked aboard transports plying between Hoboken, N. J., and France. After the war he settled in Jackson, Tenn., becoming a building contractor.

He made several trips to Fairfield, Ill., in search of the members of his family, but his wife and sons were gone and there was no one there who knew where they were located. The boys were put in an orphanage after Webber departed and a few years later his wife remarried.

While conversing with a Jackson (Tenn.) barber Webber was told that the man knew a man of the same name at Huntington. This man turned out to be Harley Webber, son of Hayden Webber. The father went to Huntington and the sons joined him.

Bishop Brings Body of Saint Christina

New York.—In a plain oak box the bones of St. Christina, virgin martyr of the Third century, rest on American soil preparatory to being taken to the Roman Catholic cathedral at Cleveland, Ohio.

The bones were the gift of Pope Pius XI to Bishop Joseph Schrembs of Cleveland in recognition of the \$200,000 which the Cleveland diocese contributed to the erection of a "house of catacombs" in Rome.

Bishop Schrembs, Bishop Michael Gallagher of Detroit and others returned from a four months' holy-year pilgrimage on the liner Homeric recently and were met by a delegation of middle western clergy and laymen.

They brought the following message from the pope:

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UNEARNED CRITICISM

By FRANCIS H. SISSON

Chairman, Public Relations Commission American Bankers Association

There has been some disposition to criticize the administration of the country's banking system for the sudden collapse of prices and curtailment of credits in 1920 and 1921, and the subsequent financial difficulties of the farmers. As a matter of fact, whatever blame may attach to bankers must be for the too generous financing, in many cases, of speculative investment in farm property during the period of inflation. If any just criticism could be directed at the manner in which the Federal Reserve System functioned in this situation in the opinion of many it would be that the Reserve banks delayed too long in raising the rediscount rates. An earlier effort might have stayed the process of inflation.

The collapse of 1920 was by no means confined to agriculture, and was the inevitable sequel to the inflation period. All branches of business suffered in this period of reaction and perhaps none more than banking, against which this criticism has been levelled. The financial situation of the farmers was greatly aggravated by the fact that the high land values and high prices of agricultural products had led many farmers to incur obligations based on the inflated values. If the farmer was victimized at all, indeed, he was the victim of too much rather than too little consideration. The real progress which has been achieved in agricultural finance in recent years lies more in the intelligent distribution of farm credit than in volume. With agencies now functioning for



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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Rebecca Edwards, deceased; — Edwards, the husband of Rebecca Edwards, deceased; the unknown heirs of — Edwards, deceased, who was the husband of Rebecca Edwards, deceased; — Robertson, the husband of Rebecca Edwards, deceased; the unknown heirs of Sampson Moore, deceased; the unknown heirs of Nancy Moore, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. C. Henderson, deceased; Luther Henderson, the unknown heirs of Luther Henderson, deceased; Roxana Petroleum Corporation by making publication of this Citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be held in at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the first Monday in November A. D. 1925, the same being the 2nd day of November A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 2nd day of October A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1100, wherein Jake L. Hamon, Jr., and Edwin B. Cox are Plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Rebecca Edwards, deceased, — Edwards, the husband of Rebecca Edwards, deceased, and unknown heirs of — Edwards, deceased, who was the husband of Rebecca Edwards, deceased; — Robertson, the husband of Rebecca Edwards, deceased; the unknown heirs of Sampson Moore, deceased; the unknown heirs of Nancy Moore, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. C. Henderson, deceased; Luther Henderson, the unknown heirs of Luther Henderson, deceased; Roxana Petroleum Corporation are Defendants. Said suit is an action of trespass to try title for all right, title and interest [except the possibility of reverter remaining in R. L. Keller and wife Pearl Keller] in and to all oil, gas, and casinghead gas in and under and which may be produced from 48 acres of land out of the Rebecca Edwards Survey in Callahan County, Texas.

Plaintiffs also plead the statutes of three five and ten years' limitation.

Herein Fail Not, but have 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, Texas this 2nd day of October A. D. 1925 45.4t Mrs. Kate Hearn, Clerk, District Court Callahan, Co., Texas

Citation on Appointment of Temporary Guardian

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan county, Greeting:

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

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Grace Lou Helms, a minor. J. Q. Helms was by the County court of Callahan county, Texas, on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1925, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the person and estate of said Minor, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of December, A. D. 1925, at the court house thereof,

in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor, may appear and protest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 6th day of October, A. D. 1925.

Seal. S. E. Settle, Clerk, County court, Callahan county, 46-3t Texas.

Citation on Application of Temporary Guardian

The State of Texas

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

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

The State of Texas

To all persons interested in the welfare of Stancel Greenwood, a Minor.

R. M. Black was by the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the estate of said Minor, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of December, A. D. 1925, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor, may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 6th day of October, A. D. 1925.

Seal. S. E. Settle, Clerk, County Court, Callahan County, 46 3t Texas.

14-Passenger Plane to Be Used in Channel Service

London.—A single 650-horse power airplane to seat 14 passengers recently completed its trials and will be used in the cross-channel service.

It has a large roomy cabin with wicker armchairs for the passengers who will have a constant supply of fresh air by means of special ventilation.

Emergency exits are provided in the room should it be necessary for passengers to emerge in case of landing on the sea, in which case the wheels, axle and undercarriage struts can be dropped by means of a lever in the pilot's cockpit.

The body of the machine is watertight and buoyant and would float for several hours.

All Turk Officials Must Dress in European Style

Constantinople.—More and more the newly-born Turkish republic is abandoning old Turkish customs and substituting European methods, while the fez and turban as national headgear seem to be going into the discard. Recently the council of commissars decreed all officials must dress in European fashion and wear hats. Only priests are to be permitted to wear turbans, and they must uncover within government offices. The council also ordered the closing of all dervish convents and similar institutions and the suppression of all religious orders.

Vest Pocket Battery May Run Car 10 Days

Leningrad.—A discovery that may have a revolutionary effect on industry is claimed by A. F. Joffe of the Academy of Science. In experimenting, Joffe says, he obtained a tremendous concentration of electrical energy in a very small object. The accumulator which he constructed and charged with energy, "sufficient to drive the most powerful motor car for ten days," is small enough to go into a waistcoat pocket, he says.

The scientist hopes it may soon be possible to apply the discovery to general industry on a large scale.

NATIONAL HEALTH AIM OF RED CROSS PROGRAM

Nurses Guard Community Health; Home Hygiene and Nutrition Featured.

The increasing appreciation by the American people of the value of a national health structure is reflected in the comprehensive machinery built up by the American Red Cross and kept in constant operation in the past year in the interest of national health.

Instruction in home hygiene and care of the sick, in nutrition; inspection of school children, the maintenance of an effective nursing service, all formed a part of the Red Cross organization assisting in keeping America well.

Altogether 51,121 students were instructed in home hygiene and care of the sick, including 31,430 school students, of whom 20,331 received certificates. This work reached the Girl Scouts, Camp Fire Girls and Girl Reserves; also telephone companies, public and private schools, community and industrial groups. An unusual fact of this service was its adaptation to the needs of the blind, through transcription of the text book in Braille print.

The year's work also demonstrated a growing understanding and appreciation on the part of Red Cross field representatives, chapters, co-operating agencies and others, of the place of nutrition in community programs, looking to community health.

There were 2,800 dietitians enrolled during the year; regular nutrition instruction reached 128,065 children; 20,359 adults attended nutrition meetings, while 1,885 schools were aided in furnishing lunches.

Co-operative relationships were established with various Government and educational agencies in making this branch of the Red Cross health work more effective.

Another of the health-promoting activities of the Red Cross lies in its public health nursing service. There are nearly 1,000 such nurses serving in every part of the country.

As an invaluable reservoir in time of a great national emergency, there is enrolled under the Red Cross banner a reserve of 42,002 nurses. In a number of disasters during the past year in which the Red Cross has aided, and where the services of the nurses were required, they have been among the first to mobilize.

At Lorain, O., last year 34 enrolled Red Cross nurses were engaged in relief work, while 124 were employed in the mid-west tornado disaster relief operation of this year. The work of Mrs. Dorothy Davis Slichter, a Red Cross public health nurse stationed at Fairbanks, Alaska, in checking a flu epidemic at Fort Yukon, in the Arctic, has won praise from all who knew of it.

It is to assist in maintaining such valuable services to the community that the American Red Cross invites members during its ninth annual roll call, November 11 to 26, the only such appeal which the Red Cross makes in the year.

No appeal is so international as that to the humanity of every people. The sum of \$1.50 from a Japanese boy in Tokio to the Santa Barbara relief fund bespeaks a world of friendship, engendered by the American Red Cross.

When the mariners on the high seas enroll 100 per cent. in the American Red Cross, should you lag behind?

Join the American Red Cross whose work is your expression of your human impulses.

RED CROSS AID TO VETS MOUNTING

Heavier Demands for War Service Laid to New Legislation Granting Wide Benefits.

ACTIVE FORCES AIDED ALSO

Duty to Ex-Service and Service Men First Responsibility of the Red Cross.

A marked increase in the service given by the American Red Cross to ex-service men, through Chapters, hospitals, Government and Red Cross offices during the past year, and which volume is expected to be maintained during most of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, is shown in the reports of the war service activities of the organization, just completed.

Service to the disabled and to men now in active service continued to be one of the primary obligations of the Red Cross. The increased activities in this regard were attributed largely to the legislation giving new benefits to ex-service men.

The keystone of the Red Cross service lies in the Home Service work of the chapters to veterans and men still in service. At the close of the fiscal year June 30, 1925, 2,591 Chapters were active in this work and had expended approximately \$2,237,000.

Included in their work was assistance to ex-service men in making out adjusted compensation papers, in the handling of claims reopened, or made possible under liberalized terms of the World War Veterans' Act of 1924; and in many other ways.

An unusual amount of legislation passed by Congress and State bodies has necessitated the issue of much new material in the past year. Legislation was passed during the year liberalizing conditions applying to hospitalization, compensation and other benefits under the Veterans' Bureau; this in turn has entailed reopening of many claims formerly disallowed, filing of many new ones, and many applications for hospitalization. The Claims Service at National Headquarters this year handled 17,506 in comparison with 12,010 cases the previous year.

Increased service to men in hospitals was noted, as well in the number of hospitals in which service was maintained by the organization. Due to new legislation an increase of over 8,000 patients were admitted for hospitalization, a new peak approximating that of March 1922. Since a large number of this group includes patients not eligible for compensation, the solution of their personal and family problems has involved careful study by the National Organization.

There are 30,000 disabled ex-service men in Government hospitals every day of the year, and their need has directly led to a revival of the best-known and perhaps most popular activity the Red Cross sponsored in war—a new campaign for knitted "Red Cross sweaters." These articles are among the few not furnished by the Government.

For the men still on active duty in the Army, Navy and Marines, the Red Cross during the year maintained Field Directors at all important stations, camps, and hospitals of these armed forces of the country.

A monthly average of 96,931 service and ex-service men were aided by the Red Cross during the year.

The man in service, and the man who has served his country are among the primary responsibilities for which the American Red Cross is chartered by Congress. Nevertheless it has many other obligations and it is on this basis that an appeal will be made for a larger enrollment than ever during the Annual Roll Call, Armistice Day, November 11, to November 24.

Indians' Prayer Breaks Drought and Saves Crops

Phoenix, Ariz.—The rattlesnakes of the Hopi Indians evidently carried the prayer of the red men for rain to the spider woman of the underworld, who the Indians believe has control over the rain clouds, for heavy rains fell, breaking the long-extended drought which threatened the crops and live stock ranges of central and southern Arizona.

The Hopi Indians recently staged their annual colorful and weird snake dance at their pueblo at Waipi, near Winslow, offering up their prayers for rain by liberating hundreds of rattlesnakes, which were supposed to carry the rain prayers to the snake mother and thence to the spider woman of the underworld. The dance is one of the most fantastic of American Indian dances—the Indians wrap and wind the snakes about their bodies and even take the reptiles in their mouths during the dance with utter abandon as to the danger of the poisonous fangs.

Name Winnipeg Street for 3 Heroes in Block

Winnipeg, Man.—The bravery of three Winnipeg warriors who fought with the Canadian forces during the World war will be impressed upon posterity by a permanent memorial.

It was recently discovered that three of Winnipeg's sons who earned the Victoria cross had lived on the same street within a block of each other during peace times. Residents of the street petitioned the civic authorities for permission to change the name of the street to "Valor road." The request was granted, and a memorial lamp has been unveiled at an intersection of the newly named street.

Only one of the three returned at the cessation of hostilities, Lieut. Robert Shankland. The other two, F. W. Hall and Leo Clark, paid the supreme sacrifice.

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In a conversation Monday with Contractor F. H. Whaley, who has the sub-contract to do the surface work on the Bankhead Highway near Baird, he said that he did not think that the muddle in the Highway Commission Department would interfere with his work.

We hope not, at least, until the road is finished into Baird from the east, as the detour from Baird to Putnam is a great inconvenience to the traveling public.

The expected has happened! The Fort Worth Record has been—or soon will be—absorbed by the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. So the report goes.

Fort Worth is a live, hustling city, but it is not large enough to support two first-class daily papers, and no one will deny that the Star-Telegram fully covers the Fort Worth trade territory, and we were surprised that any serious attempt should be made to enter that field by another publication.

Many small towns long ago realized the fallacy of trying to support two or more newspapers, when one good paper was worth more than half a dozen half starved publications. Larger cities, too, have learned this, and that is why the Fort Worth Record failed.

SEWERAGE SUBSCRIPTIONS

Secretary H. O. Tatum, of the Baird Chamber of Commerce, informs us that he is getting along fine securing subscriptions for the sewerage system.

We want to make it plain that there is no bond issue connected with the plan, but the plant is to be put in by a private corporation. Before this will be done, however, a certain number of owners of business property and a certain number of owners of residence property must sign up agreeing to use the system, if installed. That is strictly business.

Sensible men will not spend fifty thousand dollars (estimated cost of the system) on a plant of this character, without first securing obligations from property owners to insure cost of operation and return on the investment. It will require a united effort, especially on the part of our business men, to secure this valuable improvement for our city. This is a case where you help yourself by uniting with others in securing so valuable acquisition for Baird. All pull together and we will begin to see things move. No city was ever built up without a sufficient number of loyal citizens who would all pull together and make sacrifices for the public good. The truth is



Baird people cannot afford to let this project fail. No one who owns business and residence property in Baird is less able than we are to subscribe to this enterprise, and we have signed up both for The Star office and our residence.

Mr. Tatum will fully explain the matter when he calls on you. The amount (\$10.00 deposit) is in no sense a donation, as Mr. Tatum will show you, but will be held in escrow for six months, and, if the plant is not put in or started by that time, the money will be returned. If the plant is put in or in a fair way to completion before the expiration of six months, \$5.00 of the money will be used to make connection with sewer pipes at your place, and the other \$5.00 credited on your first month's rent.

Let us put this thing over. We can do it if we will, and once put in you will never regret the small amount it cost you.

**HENRY CABOT LODGE
BLAMES PRESIDENT WILSON**

A dispatch sent out from Washington last Friday, declares that President Woodrow Wilson had only himself to blame for the failure of the Senate to ratify the Treaty of Versailles, which created the League of Nations, according to the late Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, in a statement made a month before his death and made public that day.

In this statement the late Republican Senator from Massachusetts pictures the Democratic War President as consumed by personal ambition and intent more on the League of Nations than on the Ratification of the Peace Treaty, because he believed he would head the League.

The statement arraigns the former President as being intolerant of any opinions other than his own, and says if Wilson had stayed in Washington instead of going to Europe, it would have changed the history of the World.

**LEAIRD MAYHEW HEADS THE
ACKERLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Mr. Leaird Mayhew, son of Rev. W. J. Mayhew, pastor of the Baird Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has been elected Superintendent of the Ackerly, Dawson County, Public Schools.

They are building a \$30,000.00 brick school building and hope to have it ready for the school's occupancy about Christmas.

MISS ELLEN GILLILAND BURIED

Miss Ellen Gilliland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilliland, who died last Friday morning, was buried Saturday morning in Ross Cemetery. Funeral services were held at the residence at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. J. Mayhew, pastor of the Methodist Church, of which all the family in Baird are members. Ellen joined the church in 1915, when she was 19 years of age, and she had implicit faith in God and often in her long years of illness, expressed a desire to die and be at rest in heaven. The only regret she ever expressed about dying was that she had to leave her loved ones here.

Three brothers-in-law; Lowery Blakley, Larmer Henry and Robert Estes, and three nephews; Tom, Archie and Bob Price, were pall bearers. She was laid to rest on the family lot beside her older brother, Sam, who died October 25, 1887. She is survived by her father and mother, nine sisters and one brother, viz: Mrs. J. R. Price, Van Horn; Mrs. J. H. Walker, Balmorhea; Mrs. Don C. Carter, Big Springs; Mrs. Lowery Blakley, Mrs. Larmer Henry, Mrs. Robert Estes, Misses Eliza, John and Eliska and Haynie Gilliland of Baird, all of whom were present at the funeral except Mrs. Carter, who could not come on account of the illness of her little son, Don, Jr.

Saturday was a beautiful day, in keeping with the beautiful life of the girl who died when she was in the morning of life. The beautiful flowers too were a fitting emblem of the pure life of the young girl, who by ill health since childhood, was denied so many of the joys and privileges of life. Her every wish is life, so far as possible, was granted by her loved ones. She loved birds and flowers and she had a large apartment on the south porch of the home for her canary birds, whose joyous song gave her much pleasure and her sister, Miss Eliza, always had a garden full of flowers, in season, for her pleasure. We are all made sad by her going, but we find comfort in the knowledge of her pure life and her unwavering faith in God and the hope that we shall meet her in heaven, where racking pains of illness, death and partings are unknown. Without such hopes we could not bear the loss of our loved ones.

One thing we thank God for and it is that our dear one was permitted to die, so far as the physician, nurse and those around her could see, without pain. She gradually grew weak-

er and when the end came her soul went out to meet her God and our God softly and as silently as the zephyrs from the sunny south.

"Farewell! a word that must be, and bath been,
A sound that makes us linger:
—Yet farewell."
—Byron

The out of town relatives who attended the funeral were: H. Windham, Tecumseh; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham, Mrs. John Jorden, Mrs. Charley Straley, Mrs. Ernest Windham, John and Tommie Windham, Mrs. Mary Brightwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Baum and family, of Burt Branch, Mrs. P. C. Caylor, Fort Worth.

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends who so kindly expressed their sympathy for us in the sorrow that has come us in the death of our beloved daughter and sister, Ellen. We also wish to thank everyone who in anyway assisted us in caring for her in her last illness, and to thank all who sent beautiful flowers; no one loved flowers more than she. We would like to name and thank each one, but space forbids there are so many, but we do want to express our sincere appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lambert and daughters, Miss Jeffe and Mrs. Jean Evans, who all these years have been so ready and willing at all times to help us in Ellen's serious illness. She always wanted them to come and they always came when needed, and we are grateful to them and all others for their kindness. May God bless you all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and Family.

**SIXTY-FOURTH WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED**

A most unusual celebration took place when the children and a host of friends, ranging in ages from 5 to 85, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Ely and joined them in the observance of their 64th wedding anniversary, on Saturday, October 17.

Many fitting homages were paid to the venerable couple, who have grown old so gracefully as they walked together down the pathway of life. Among the most beautiful tributes was that paid by childhood, in the persons of little Goldie and Glendel Appleton, who bestowed the title of "Queen of Mothers" as they placed a beautiful crown of flowers

on the head of the old mother, while other children laid flowers at the feet of the pair.

"Old age paid its tribute in the words of Dr. R. C. Pender, of Abilene, as he related the legend of the Angel who came to earth in search of the most beautiful thing in the world and found it in a mother's smile, and again as he recounted the fact that Mr. Ely had twice answered the call of his country in time of stress, once as a defender of the "Stars and Bars," and later as he helped to blaze the way as a Texas Ranger.

His tribute was brought to a close in a most impressive ceremony in which the pair pledged anew that God ordained pledge of loyalty and love to each other until death did them part, and stood a bride and groom so splendid, that could we all reach the "autumn" with our life's work so fully done as theirs, we could, of a truth, say with the poet, in his words, which are so applicable to them:

"When I reach October,
Full contented I shall be,
If those with whom I've walked thro' life
Shall still have faith in me,
Nor shall I dread the winter's frost,
When brain and body tire,
If I have made my life a thing
Which others can admire."
—"One Present," in Clyde Eater-priase.

The editor of The Star wishes to join the relatives and friends in extending congratulations and good wishes to these splendid people, whom we have known so long. They lived in Baird many years ago, and, if our memory was not at fault, they were living in Baird when we bought out the Callahan County Clarendon, and published the first issue of The Baird Star.

May this worthy couple live many years yet to bless their children and friends, is the wish of an old-time friend.

W. E. G., Baird.

FAITH OF THE RIGHTEOUS

For I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth.

And though after this skin worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God.—Job xix:25,26.

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man, H. Rodney, B. Jacobs, Lawrence W. Mango, P. J. McBride, R. B. Farris, Mrs. Evelyn Justice, Cyrus H. Drury, Joseph F. Schwab, Marie Fulmer, Hugh Wisdom, Western Texas Oil & Gas Company, J. W. Hockworth, J. C. McGinley, N. C. Hubbard, Joseph Davis, L. Appleman, W. S. Drosten, the LeMay Oil Company, Theo C. Jacoby, Louis Dickman, P. C. Baird, Henry L. Bolanz, C. H. Joyce, G. H. Joyce, Fred G. Scott, Mrs. Georgia E. Dishman, F. M. Kemp, R. M. Chapman, J. R. Hughes, S. W. Braden, H. H. Anderson, S. F. Cooper, D. Sayers, Ed Elliott, G. H. Dodd, L. H. Brady, C. S. Harris, Z. E. Gandy, M. C. Fry, W. F. Henson, W. B. Burnett, Mrs. M. B. Burnett, W. A. Burnett, Mrs. O. L. Saddler, E. E. Farnsworth, George R. McCargo, A. S. Howell, J. A. Lohar, H. C. Colley, F. Fox, Ferdinand Moore, E. H. Staley, H. H. Grainger, Trustee, J. C. Platas, A. Morris, J. L. Fowler, Trustee, B. Gorman, Trustee, C. N. Bolanz, W. Arthur Reid, Trustee, Henry Exall Elrod, A. Rosenbaum, Wallie Felton, Trustee, Evan Morgan, Trustee, H. E. Hodgkins, Trustee, Miss Willie Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Pritchard, J. O. Brown, M. C. Bishop, B. L. Ridley, E. T. Faut, C. V. Lemons, W. C. Powell, Trustee, Claude Dean, Trustee, Paul H. Berwald, W. R. Holley, Trustee, George Keshey, H. W. Brouse, Mrs. J. T. Stark, H. C. Eberhardt, J. Wright Russell, John C. Powell, J. Perry Burrus, A. Lewis, B. E. Quinn, Mel Dozier, Mrs. W. H. Garretson, W. L. Walker, O. G. Greeves, Tom Andrus, E. C. Haerber, William Branagan, Harley A. W. Howcott, George Becker, Trustee, Delta Petroleum Company, Leonard Wood, Jr., Harry Brown, Herman Richter, E. R. Stevens, W. R. Harris, Jr., Arthur Davidor, Unity Oil Company, Owen Marchbanks, C. W. Moore, Trustee, A. Remacle, Rodney Horner, H. C. Hill, A. Gevers, H. V. Hill, W. C. Dowell, Trustee, Frank Houser, Tal Millwee, Commercial Oil & Lease Company, I. D. Cole, Trustee, T. S. Steed, J. L. Fowler, M. J. Parry, M. Thompson, O. S. Thorn, E. W. Finley, H. D. Shuford, J. D. Jones, Lexie Bibey, R. L. Lewis, R. E. Swain, Ko Marmar, Bruce Ezell, J. L. Morris, J. L. Bailey, Jr., C. P. McMillan, L. Levinthal, C. S. Bond, Lucille Holmes, J. H. Haco, Trustee, J. H. Power, T. C. Baird, Dallas Star Land and Oil Company, J. M. Prim, T. P. Thornton, P. J. Johnson, J. Harris, R. L. Barrett, Mrs. Ada McCargo, Howell Drug Company, Mrs. J. A. Farrar, T. F. Caffey, O. A. Teal, Trustee, J. R. Campbell, D. L. McGregor, John Nutt, H. J. Emmins, I. Simon and Company, Inc., H. K. Gillman, Charles O. Johannet, R. Swinley, William Shipe, F. William Ortman, J. Herbert Johnston, Texas-Mexican Development Co., F. L. McGee, T. E. McGee, L. R. McGee, J. H. Jaco, Trustee, W. D. Murphy, Trustee, U. A. Lewis, W. Arthur Reid, J. S. Pugh, Mrs. E. A. Cooper, Trustee, The Obsidian Oil & Gas Company, E. C. Clay, W. L. Clay, Amicable Oil Company, and the unknown heirs and personal representatives of each, and all of the above named parties, are defendants, said petition alleging:

I. The plaintiffs herein are citizens of the British Empire and reside in England, and the residence of the defendants herein is unknown to the plaintiffs and the plaintiffs and their attorneys do not know the residence of the defendants.

II. For cause of action plaintiffs say that Robert Cordwent, Henry J. Cordwent, Agnes Waltham, Edith Kate Waltham and Emma Sarah Weaver, are the sole and only heirs at law of Richard Cordwent, deceased, late of Callahan County, Texas, who died intestate.

III. That on the 4th day of December, 1917, Richard Cordwent executed an oil and gas lease to John R. Dawkins on certain lands in Callahan County, Texas, which lands are fully described in said lease, which is in writing and recorded in Vol. 62, page 375, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, to which reference is here made for full description; and likewise on the 4th day of December, 1917, the said Richard Cordwent executed an oil and gas lease to John R. Dawkins covering certain lands, which lease is in writing and is recorded in Vol. 63, page 499, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, to which reference is here made for full description; and likewise on July 10th 1922, Richard Cordwent executed an oil and gas lease to J. A. Waterhouse, which lease was in writing and recorded in Vol. 86, page 498, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, to which reference is here made for full description; and likewise on July 10th, 1922, Richard Cordwent executed to J. A. Waterhouse an oil and gas lease, which lease was in writing and recorded in Vol. 90, page 105, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, to which reference is here made for full description of the lands covered by said lease; and likewise on December 13th, 1922, Richard Cordwent executed an oil and gas lease in writing to F. L. Driskill, which is recorded in Vol. 90, page 307, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, to which reference is here made for full description of the lands covered by same. That the

kins run for a period of ten years, and the two leases to J. A. Waterhouse run for a period of five years and the lease to F. L. Driskill runs for a period of five years.

IV. The defendants herein are the original lessees under said lease, or are assignees of the original lessees under said leases, having assignments of record in the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas. That each of said leases provide for the payment of rentals either annually or quarterly, according to their terms, and said leases are here referred to for particular description of the terms of payment of rentals, and each of said leases provide that in case said rentals are not paid when due that the interest of the lessees, or their assigns, shall forfeit and become null and void and be no longer of any force and effect, unless such forfeiture be saved by reason of the drilling on the part of the lessees, or their assigns, for oil and gas in order to prevent forfeiture; and in this connection plaintiffs allege and show to the Court that no well or wells have ever been commenced on any of said lands and no pretence has ever been made of drilling on the same. Plaintiffs further show to the Court that the original lessees, nor any assigns of the said lessees, nor any of the defendants in this cause, have ever paid any rentals on any of the aforesaid lands described in this petition and on any of the aforesaid leases herein described, and that the leases have forfeited and become null and void as to the original lessees and to all assignees thereunder, and particularly as to all defendants in this suit.

V. Plaintiffs further show to the Court that the aforesaid leases are of record as above set forth in the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, and assignments to same are of record in the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, in favor of the defendants in this suit, and that, while said leases have become forfeited and are null and void, nevertheless the same being of record constitute a cloud on the plaintiffs' title to said lands, described in said leases, and their right to release the same and to sell the same.

Wherefore plaintiffs bring this suit and pray the Court for citation against the above defendants as the law directs, and that on final hearing they have judgment setting aside said leases and cancelling the same as against each and all assignees of the original lessees and against each and all of the defendants in this suit, and plaintiffs pray for such further relief as in law and equity they may show themselves entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk.
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon John Gillespie, Mary Gillespie, Richard Hooper, John Byan Wagener, J. B. Van Wagener, H. M. Trueheart, John Adriance, Lucian Minor, M. E. Hooper, R. M. Lloyd, Jane V. Norwood, Mrs. Elizabeth Hopkins, John W. Hopkins, J. F. Hopkins, J. S. Hopkins, J. M. Hopkins, J. S. Maddox, C. E. Anderson, J. A. Keith, John C. O'Neal, Minnie S. O'Neal, Thomas P. Garrett, and the unknown heirs of John Gillespie, deceased, the unknown heirs of Richard Hooper, deceased, the unknown heirs of John Byan Wagener, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. B. Van Wagener, deceased, the unknown heirs of H. M. Trueheart, deceased, the unknown heirs of John Adriance, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lucian Minor, deceased, the unknown heirs of M. E. Hooper, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. M. Lloyd, deceased, the unknown heirs of Jane V. Norwood, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mrs. Elizabeth Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of John W. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. F. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. T. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. M. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. S. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. S. Maddox, deceased, the unknown heirs of C. E. Anderson, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. A. Keith, deceased, the unknown heirs of John C. O'Neal, deceased, the unknown heirs of Minnie S. O'Neal, deceased, the unknown heirs of Thomas P. Garrett, deceased, 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on

the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7075, wherein J. R. McFarlane is plaintiff, and John Gillespie, Mary Gillespie, Richard Hooper, John Byan Wagener, J. B. Van Wagener, H. M. Trueheart, John Adriance, Lucian Minor, M. E. Hooper, R. M. Lloyd, Jane V. Norwood, Mrs. Elizabeth Hopkins, John W. Hopkins, J. F. Hopkins, J. S. Hopkins, John W. Maddox, F. M. Maddox, C. E. Anderson, J. A. Keith, John T. O'Neal, Minnie S. O'Neal, Thomas P. Garrett, and the unknown heirs of John Gillespie, deceased, the unknown heirs of Richard Hooper, deceased, the unknown heirs of John Byan Wagener, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. B. Van Wagener, deceased, the unknown heirs of H. M. Trueheart, deceased, the unknown heirs of John Adriance, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lucian Minor, deceased, the unknown heirs of M. E. Hooper, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. M. Lloyd, deceased, the unknown heirs of Jane V. Norwood, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mrs. Elizabeth Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of John W. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. F. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. T. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. M. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. S. Hopkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. S. Maddox, deceased, the unknown heirs of C. E. Anderson, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. A. Keith, deceased, the unknown heirs of John C. O'Neal, deceased, the unknown heirs of Minnie S. O'Neal, deceased, the unknown heirs of Thomas P. Garrett, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff, J. R. McFarlane, resides in Callahan County, Texas, and that the residence of each and all of the defendants hereinabove named are to this plaintiff unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiff represents to the Court that on January 1st 1925, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

First Tract: A part of the John Gillespie survey No. 340, Abstract No. 176, Certificate No. 544, and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said John Gillespie survey of land, a stone mound, thence South 2276 varas along the west boundary line of said John Gillespie survey; thence East 1236 varas; thence North 2276 varas to the North boundary line of said John Gillespie survey, a stone mound; thence West along said North boundary line 1235.9 varas to the place of beginning, containing 498 acres of land more or less and being that part of said John Gillespie survey conveyed by J. F. Heimer and wife to J. R. McFarlane by deed recorded in Volume U, page 420, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

Second Tract: A part of the John Gillespie survey No. 340, Abstract No. 176, Certificate No. 544, and described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of a subdivision of said survey made for J. F. Heimer, containing 498 acres, 2276 varas South of the North boundary line of said survey, said beginning point being the Southeast corner of the first tract hereinabove described; thence South 1386 varas to stake in prairie; thence in a straight line South 45 degrees West, 300 varas to a stone mound for corner, from which a triple mesquite 5 bears South 34 degrees W. 8-100 varas, this corner being the Southeast corner of a tract of 156 acres conveyed to J. C. O'Neal by deed recorded in Volume P, page 219, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, thence West 1008 varas to the West line of said John Gillespie survey; thence North along said West line of said John Gillespie survey 1697.9 varas to the South-west corner of the said Heimer 498-acre subdivision; thence East 1236 varas to the place of beginning, containing 356 acres of land more or less, being that part of the said John Gillespie survey conveyed by E. S. Wilson and wife to J. R. McFarlane by deed recorded in Volume V, page 266, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof to his damage \$15000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tracts of land is \$600.00 per year.

That plaintiff acquired title to the first tract of land hereinabove described on the 4th day of January, 1898, and acquired title to the second tract of land hereinabove described on the 2nd day of January, 1899, and that immediately after plaintiff acquired title to said tracts of land he went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that he fenced said land and took such possession thereof as would notify any person who would observe the same that the plaintiff

was claiming the same.

Plaintiff alleges and says that he has good and perfect right and title to the lands hereinabove described, and that he has had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same, and paying taxes thereon, and claiming under deeds duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after the defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges and says that he has had exclusive and peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same continuously for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges and says that he has had and held the peaceable and adverse possession of said land, the title to which has passed out of the State, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly recorded in Callahan County, Texas, constituting a regular chain of title for a period of more than twenty-five years immediately preceding the date of said unlawful entry by defendants and before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff therefore pleads the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said lands and premises or any part thereof.

Wherefore premises considered, plaintiff prays for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing he have judgment against all of said defendants, and for the title and possession of said lands and premises, and for his damages, and for such other and further relief in law or in equity, general or special, to which he may show himself just entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk.
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Alice Heath and the unknown heirs of Alice Heath, and Homer I. Goodrich and the unknown heirs of Homer I. Goodrich 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7079, wherein Robert Cordwent, Mrs. Emma Sarah Weaver, a widow, Mrs. Agnes Waltham, a widow, Mrs. Edith Kate Waltham joined by her husband John Coxeter Waltham, and Henry J. Cordwent, are Plaintiffs, and Alice Heath and the unknown heirs of Alice Heath, and Homer I. Goodrich and the unknown heirs of Homer I. Goodrich are Defendants, and said petition alleging That plaintiff Robert Cordwent, resides at Wellington, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Emma Sarah Weaver, resides at Queenstown, Cape Providence, South Africa; that plaintiff Agnes Waltham, resides at Spaxton, Bridgewater, County of Somerset, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Edith Kate Waltham and husband John Coxeter Waltham, reside at Streatham, County of London, England; and that plaintiff Henry J. Cordwent, resides at Kittisford, Newton Abbott, County of Devon, England; and that the residences of each and all of the defendants herein above named are to these plaintiffs unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

First Tract: All of the E. S. Heath Survey No. 796, patented to the heirs of Ebenezer S. Heath by Patent recorded in Volume W, page 39 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas; Beginning at the North-east corner of Survey No. 221 for John H. Pickens; Thence West with the North line of said Survey No. 221, crossing branches at 1520 varas, 2300 varas, and 2887 varas to a stake on the East bank of branch for the South-west corner; Thence North 2887 varas to a stake for the North-west corner; Thence East 724 varas,

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cross a branch, 2887 varas to the North-east corner, a stake; Thence South 2887 varas to the place of beginning;

Second Tract: 300 acres of land out of the E. S. Heath Survey No. 797, patented by the State of Texas to the heirs of Ebenezer S. Heath by Patent No. 207, Volume No. 3 said 300 acres described as follows: Beginning at the North-east corner of said Survey; Thence South 2561 varas to the South-east corner of said Survey; Thence West with the South boundary line of said survey 665 varas; Thence North 2561 varas to the North boundary line of said Survey; Thence East with the North boundary line 665 varas to the place of beginning.

Third Tract: 125 acres of land out of the E. S. Heath Survey No. 797, which land was patented by the State of Texas to the heirs of Ebenezer S. Heath by Patent No. 207, Volume No. 3, said 125 acres being described as follows, to-wit: Beginning 665 varas West of the North-east corner of said E. S. Heath Survey No. 797 for the beginning point of this tract; said beginning point being the North-west corner of the 300 acre tract conveyed by A. J. Burks and wife to Richard Cordwint by deed recorded in Volume 56, page 509 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas; Thence South 2561 varas to a stake for corner on the South boundary line of the said E. S. Heath Survey No. 797; Thence West 275 1/2 varas; Thence North 2561 varas to the North boundary line of said Survey No. 797; Thence East 275 1/2 varas to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damage \$20,000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tracts of land is \$1000.00 per year.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title to the first tract of land herein above described on the 28th day of February, 1899, and that plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title to the second and third tracts of land herein above described on the 9th day of December, 1901 and that immediately after they acquired title to said lands they went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that they fenced the same, and took such possession that would notify any person who observed the same that plaintiffs were claiming the same.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they have good and perfect right and title to the lands herein above described and that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession hereof cultivating, using or enjoying the same and paying the taxes thereon, and claiming under deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said lands, cultivating, using or enjoying the same, continuously for more than ten years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs therefore plead the five and ten year statutes of limitations as against these defendants and all persons claiming said lands and premises or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiffs pray for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing they have judgment against all said defendants and for the title and possession of said premises and for their damages and for such other and further relief, in law or equity, general or special, to which they may show themselves justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to summon John H. Herndon, and the unknown heirs of John H. Herndon, deceased, and the unknown heirs of John Ireland, deceased, 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D.

1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer to a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7078, wherein J. R. McFarlane is Plaintiff, and John H. Herndon, the unknown heirs of John H. Herndon, deceased and the unknown heirs of John Ireland, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That J. R. McFarlane resides in Callahan County, Texas, and that the residences of each and all of the defendants hereinabove named are to this plaintiff unknown.

Plaintiff further represents that on January 1st, 1925, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: The T. P. Bond Survey No. 247, Abstract No. 16, patented to John H. Herndon by Patent No. 1331, Volume No. 6, and described as follows: Beginning at a stake, the Northeast corner of H. G. Westall Survey No. 246; Thence South 800 varas to a stake from which a Hackberry bears North 13 degrees West 59 varas; a Pecan bears North 12 degrees West 74 varas; Thence East 847 varas, a stake from which a mesquite bears North 57 1/2 degrees West 22 varas, another bears North 60 1/2 degrees West 29 varas; Thence North 800 varas to a stake from which a mesquite bears North 20 degrees West 102 varas, a L. O. bears North 30 1/2 degrees West 157 varas; Thence West 555 varas; Thence North Fork of Pecan Bayou, at 847 varas the place of beginning, containing 120 acres more or less.

SECOND TRACT: A part of a survey of 622 acres of land patented to Paul McComb, assignee of Sally Hensley by Patent No. 134, Volume No. 6, Abstract No. 1197 and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section No. 9, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. land; Thence South 2324 varas to the Southwest corner of said Survey No. 9; Thence West 329 varas to the East boundary line of the T. P. Bond Survey No. 247; Thence North 12 varas, a stone mound for the Northeast corner of the T. P. Bond Survey No. 247; Thence West 525 varas to a stake mound, the Southeast corner of the Jesse Youngblood Survey No. 248; Thence North 1642 varas to the Northeast corner of said Jesse Youngblood Survey; Thence West 250 varas to the Southeast corner of the T. P. Bond Survey No. 249; Thence North 685 varas a stone mound; Thence East 1084 varas to the place of beginning, containing 385.8 acres more or less, and being that part of the Sally Hensley Survey conveyed by E. S. Carpenter et al to J. R. McFarlane by deed recorded in Volume V, page 584 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

That on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof, to his damage \$10,000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tracts of land is \$300.00 per year.

That plaintiff acquired title to the first tract of land hereinabove described on the 31st day of January, 1908, and acquired title to the second tract of land hereinabove described on the First day of September, 1899 and that immediately after plaintiffs acquired title to said tracts of said land, he went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that he fenced said tract of land and took such possession thereof that would notify any person who observed the same that plaintiff was claiming the same.

Plaintiff alleges and says that he has good and perfect right and title to the lands hereinabove described, and that he has had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same and paying the taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendant's cause of action accrued before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges and says that he has had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same and paying the taxes, continuously for more than ten years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff therefore pleads the five and ten year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said lands and premises or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiff prays for citation in accordance with the law, on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing he have judgment against all of said defendants and for the title and possession of said land and premises, for his damages, and for such other and further relief in law or equity, general or special, to which he may show himself justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon S. E. Shipman and the unknown heirs of S. E. Shipman, deceased, 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7080, wherein Robert Cordwint, Mrs. Emma Sarah Weaver, a widow, Mrs. Agnes Waltham, a widow, Mrs. Edith Kate Waltham, joined by her husband John Coxeter Waltham, and Henry J. Cordwint, are Plaintiffs, and S. E. Shipman and the unknown heirs of S. E. Shipman are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff Robert Cordwint, resides at Wellington, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Emma Sarah Weaver, resides at Queenstown, Cape Providence, South Africa; that plaintiff Mrs. Agnes Waltham, resides at Spaxton, Bridgewater, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiffs Edith Kate Waltham and husband John Coxeter Waltham, reside at Streatham, County of London, England; and that plaintiff Henry J. Cordwint, resides at Kittisford, Newton Abbott, County of Devon, England, and that the residences of each and all of the defendants herein above named are to these plaintiffs unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, they were 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:

A tract of 111-2-10 acres, patented to S. E. and J. E. Shipman, assignees of L. N. Lacy, by Patent No. 302, Volume No. 31, described as follows: Beginning at a stone mound for the South-east corner of the B. Larkin Survey; Thence West 600 varas to the North-east corner of the James Drake Survey, a stone mound; Thence South 1900 varas to stone mound for the North-west corner of the L. P. Scott Survey; Thence East 301 varas, a stone mound in West boundary line of Survey No. 22, S. P. R. Ry. Co.; Thence North 1807 varas a stone mound for North-west corner of Survey No. 22, S. P. Ry. Co.; Thence East 600 varas, a stone mound for corner of Survey No. 22, S. P. R. Ry. Co. in West boundary line of Survey No. 21; Thence North 93 varas a stone mound in West boundary line of Section No. 21, for South-east corner of David Windsor pre-emption survey; Thence West 301 varas to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damage \$1500.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tract of land is \$100.00 per year.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title to said land on the 15th day of December, 1906, and that immediately after plaintiffs acquired title to said land they went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that they fenced the same and took such possession that would notify any person who observed the same that plaintiffs were claiming the same.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they have good and perfect right and title to the land herein above described and that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same, continuously for more than ten years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs therefore plead the five and ten year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said land and premises, or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiffs pray for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and

that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing they have judgment against all of said defendants, and for the title and possession of said premises, and for their damages, and for such other and further relief in law or in equity, general or special, to which they may show themselves justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon the unknown heirs of Emma S. Miller, deceased, Willie Miller and the unknown heirs of Willie Miller, Frank Miller and the unknown heirs of Frank Miller, Bobbie Miller and the unknown heirs of Bobbie Miller, Mollie Miller and the unknown heirs of Mollie Miller, and Elijah Miller and the unknown heirs of Elijah Miller, 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7082, wherein Robert Cordwint, Mrs. Emma Sarah Weaver, a widow, Mrs. Agnes Waltham, a widow, Mrs. Edith Kate Waltham, joined by her husband John Coxeter Waltham, and Henry J. Cordwint are Plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Emma S. Miller, deceased, Willie Miller, Frank Miller and the unknown heirs of Frank Miller, Bobbie Miller and the unknown heirs of Bobbie Miller, Mollie Miller and the unknown heirs of Mollie Miller, and Elijah Miller and the unknown heirs of Elijah Miller are Defendants and said petition alleging that plaintiff Robert Cordwint, resides at Wellington, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Emma Sarah Weaver resides at Queenstown, Cape Providence, South Africa; that plaintiff Mrs. Agnes Waltham, resides at Spaxton, Bridgewater, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiffs Edith Kate Waltham and John Coxeter Waltham, reside at Streatham, County of London, England, and that the plaintiff Henry J. Cordwint, resides at Kittisford, Newton Abbott, County of Devon, England; and that the residences of each and all of the defendants herein above named, are to these plaintiffs unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the 1st day of January, 1925, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

80-4-5 acres of land patented to E. E. Miller by the State of Texas by Patent No. 63, Volume 22, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the North-east corner of the Baker Larkin Survey, No. 781, a stake, a Post Oak bears North 45 degrees West 7 1/2 varas; Thence South with the East boundary line of said Baker Larkin Survey 1514 varas to stake for corner in said East line; Thence East 301 varas to stake in the West boundary line of Survey No. 20, Block No. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. land; Thence North 1514 varas to stake in the West boundary line of said Survey No. 20; Thence West 301 varas to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof, to their damage \$1000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tract of land is \$75.00 per year.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title to said land on the 7th day of November, 1899, and that immediately thereafter they went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that they fenced the same, and took such possession that would notify any person who observed the same that plaintiffs were claiming the same.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they have good and perfect right and title to the land herein above described, and that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same, and paying the taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before

the commencement of this suit. Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same continuously for more than ten years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of the land, tenements and hereditaments above described, the title to which has passed out of the estate, using and enjoying the same under deed duly recorded in Callahan County, Texas, constituting a regular chain of title for a period of more than twenty-five years immediately preceding the date of said unlawful entry by the defendants, and before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs therefore plead the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said land and premises, or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered plaintiffs pray for citation in accordance with the law, on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed by law, and that upon final hearing they have judgment against all of said defendants and for the title and possession of said premises, and for their damages, and for such other and further relief, in law, or equity, general or special, to which they may show themselves justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon A. J. Stewart and the unknown heirs of A. J. Stewart, 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7083, wherein Robert Cordwint, Mrs. Emma Sarah Weaver, a widow, Mrs. Agnes Waltham, a widow, Mrs. Edith Kate Waltham, joined by her husband John Coxeter Waltham, and Henry J. Cordwint are Plaintiffs, and A. J. Stewart and the unknown heirs of A. J. Stewart are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff Robert Cordwint, resides at Wellington, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Emma Sarah Weaver, resides at Queenstown, Cape Providence, South Africa; that plaintiff Mrs. Agnes Waltham, resides at Spaxton, Bridgewater, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiffs Edith Kate Waltham and husband John Coxeter Waltham, reside at Streatham, County of London, England, and that plaintiff Henry J. Cordwint resides at Kittisford, Newton Abbott, County of Devon, England, and that the residences of each and all of the defendants herein above named are to these plaintiffs unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

Situated about 12-1-2 miles South 32 degree East from the Town of Baird, known as the East One Half of Lot Number Three (3), of S. P. R. Y. Co. Survey Number Fifteen (15) in Block Number Five (5), and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the East line of said Survey No. 15, at a point 950 varas South from the North-east corner of said survey; Thence West 509.66 varas a stake; Thence South 974 varas a stake on the South line of said Survey; Thence East 113.66 varas to corner; Thence North 114 varas to corner a stake; Thence East 394 varas to corner a stake; Thence North 860 varas to the place of beginning, the same containing 80 acres more or less, being a part of a tract of land surveyed by virtue of Certificate No. 17-458, issued to the S. P. Ry. Co.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession

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thereof, to their damage \$1000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tract of land is \$75.00 per year. That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title to said tract of land herein above described, on the 5th day of January, 1904, and that immediately after they acquired title to said land they went into possession of the same claiming the same in fee simple, and that they fenced said land took such possession that would notify any person who observed the same that plaintiffs were claiming the same.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they have good and perfect right and title to the lands herein above described, and that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same, and paying taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendants cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same continuously for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs therefore plead the five and ten year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said land and premises or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiffs pray for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing they have judgment against all of said defendants, and for the title and possession of said land and premises, and for their damages, and for such other and further relief, in law or in equity, general or special, to which they may show themselves justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fall Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Levi F. Scott and the unknown heirs of Levi P. Scott, deceased, W. A. Lacy and the unknown heirs of W. A. Lacy, deceased, S. E. Shipman and the unknown heirs of S. E. Shipman, deceased 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7081, wherein, Robert Cordwent, Mrs. Emma Sarah Weaver, a widow, Mrs. Agnes Waltham, a widow, Mrs. Edith Kate Waltham, joined by her husband John Coxeter Waltham, and Henry J. Cordwent, are Plaintiffs, and Levi P. Scott, and the unknown heirs of Levi P. Scott, deceased, W. A. Lacy and the unknown heirs of W. A. Lacy, deceased, S. E. Shipman, and the unknown heirs of S. E. Shipman, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff Robert Cordwent, resides at Wellington, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Emma Sarah Weaver, resides at Queenstown, Cape Providence, South Africa; that plaintiff Mrs. Agnes Waltham, resides at Spaxton, Bridgewater, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiffs Edith Kate Waltham and John Coxeter Waltham, reside at Streatham, County of London, England; and that plaintiff Henry J. Cordwent, resides at Kittisford, Newton Abbott, County of Devon, England; and that the residences of each and all of the defendants herein above named are to these plaintiffs unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

A tract of 209 acres patented to Levi P. Scott by Patent recorded in Volume E, page 219 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, by virtue of Headright Certificate No. 293. Beginning at a stake, the South-east corner of the James Drake Survey No. 780, from which a L. O.

bears North 16 1-4 E. 70 varas, do bears North 49 1-4 W. 96 varas; Thence North 1024 varas with the East boundary line of said survey No. 780; Thence East 1248 varas to a stone mound on the South line of Survey No. 22; Thence South 763 varas to a stake on the North line of No. 797 for E. S. Heath; Thence West 377 varas to the North-west corner of said Survey No. 797; Thence South 261 varas to the North-east corner of Survey No. 222 for J. W. Hicks; Thence West 871 varas to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year aforesaid, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damage \$2000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tract of land is \$150.00 per year.

The plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title to the said land on the 15th day of December, 1906, and that immediately after plaintiffs acquired title to said land they went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that they fenced the same and took such possession as would notify any person who observed the same that the plaintiffs were claiming the same.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they have good and perfect right and title to the land herein above described and that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim, have had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same continuously for a period of more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs therefore plead the five and ten year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said land and premises or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiffs pray for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing they have judgment against all of said defendants and for the title and possession of the said premises, and for their damages, and for such other and further relief in law or equity, general or special, to which they may show themselves justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fall Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon B. F. Wood and the unknown heirs of B. F. Wood, Charles E. Douglas and the unknown heirs of Charles E. Douglas, Menard James and the unknown heirs of Menard James 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the Second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7085, wherein Robert Cordwent, Mrs. Emma Sarah Weaver, a widow, Mrs. Agnes Waltham, a widow, Mrs. Edith Kate Waltham, joined by her husband John Coxeter Waltham, and Henry J. Cordwent are Plaintiffs, and B. F. Wood, Charles E. Douglas and the unknown heirs of Charles E. Douglas, Menard James, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff Robert Cordwent resides at Wellington, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiff Emma Sarah Weaver, resides at Queenstown, Cape Providence, South Africa; that plaintiff Mrs. Agnes Waltham, resides at Spaxton, Bridgewater, County of Somerset, England; that plaintiffs Edith Kate Waltham and John Coxeter Waltham, reside at Streatham, County of London, England; and that plaintiff Henry J. Cordwent, resides at Kittisford, Newton Abbott, Devon County, England; and the residences of each and all of the defendants herein above named are to these plaintiffs unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

A tract of 209 acres patented to Levi P. Scott by Patent recorded in Volume E, page 219 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, by virtue of Headright Certificate No. 293. Beginning at a stake, the South-east corner of the James Drake Survey No. 780, from which a L. O.

represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, they were 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:

A part of the George Click Survey No. 760, Certificate No. 144, and described as follows; Beginning at the original South-west corner of said George Click Survey, Thence East with the South boundary line of said survey 3516 varas to the South-west corner of a 398-1-2 acre tract out of said survey conveyed by Richard Cordwent to J. L. & K. M. Murray by deed recorded in Volume 44, page 544 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas; Thence North 1855 varas to the North-west corner of said 398-1-2 acre tract, in the North line of said George Click Survey; Thence West 3516 varas to the North-west corner of said George Click Survey; Thence South 1855 varas to the place of beginning, containing 1110 acres more or less.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damage \$12,000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said land is \$700.00 per year.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim acquired title and possession of said land on the 30th day of July, 1892, and that immediately after they acquired title to said land they went into possession thereof, claiming the same in fee simple, and that they fenced said land and took such possession that would notify any person who observed the same that plaintiffs were claiming the same.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they have good and perfect right and title to the land herein above described, and that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon, and claiming under deeds duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same continuously for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs further allege and say that they and those under whom they claim have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of the land, tenements and hereditaments above described, the title to which has passed out of the State, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly recorded in Callahan County, Texas, constituting a regular chain of title for a period of more than twenty-five years immediately preceding the date of said unlawful entry by the defendants, and before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiffs therefore plead the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said land and premises, or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered plaintiffs pray for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing they have judgment against all of said defendants, and for the title and possession of said land and premises, and for their damages, and for such other and further relief in law or in equity, general or special, to which they may show themselves justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fall Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon Rebecca Renfro, J. H. Hurt, J. W. Mitchell, Jas. R. Bryan, Belle Tennyson and husband F. W. Tennyson, Sarah J. Mason and husband Foster J. Mason, and the unknown heirs of Rebecca Renfro, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. H. Hurt, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. W. Mitchell, deceased, the unknown heirs of Jas. R. Bryan, deceased, the unknown heirs of Belle Tennyson, deceased, the unknown heirs of Sarah J. Mason, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Foster J. Mason, deceased, 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 the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the second day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7076, wherein J. R. McFarlane is plaintiff, and Rebecca Renfro, J. H. Hurt, J. W. Mitchell, Jas. R. Bryan, Belle Tennyson and husband F. W. Tennyson, Sarah J. Mason and husband Foster J. Mason, and the unknown heirs of Rebecca Renfro, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. H. Hurt, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. W. Mitchell, deceased, the unknown heirs of Jas. R. Bryan, deceased, the unknown heirs of Belle Tennyson, deceased, the unknown heirs of Sarah J. Mason, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Foster J. Mason, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging: That the plaintiff J. R. McFarlane resides in Callahan County, Texas, and that the residences of each and all of the defendants hereinabove named are to this plaintiff unknown.

And for cause of action plaintiffs represent to the court that on the First day of January, 1925, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Callahan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

640 acres, about 2 1-2 miles North 66 degrees West of the West Caddo Peak, known as survey No. 222, Certificate No. 760, patented to Joseph W. Hicks by Patent No. 245, Volume No. 2, Abstract No. 228; Beginning at the Northwest corner of Survey No. 221, a stake from which a Post Oak bears North 29 degrees E. 38 varas; Thence North 378 varas, 423 varas, 2213 varas to a creek, 2300 varas to a stake from which a L. O. bears S. 15 1-2 degrees W. 5 varas for the Northwest corner of the said survey No. 222, Thence East 157 varas to a stake and mound, the Northeast corner of said Survey No. 222; Thence South 2300 varas, a Post Oak from which another bears East 91 varas, another bears N. 14 degrees E. 13 varas, the Southeast corner of said survey No. 222; Thence West with North line of Survey No. 221 1570 varas to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof, to his damage \$12,000.00; that the reasonable rental value of said tract of land is \$375.00 per year.

That plaintiff acquired title to the above described land on the 30th day of September, 1893, and that immediately thereafter plaintiff went into possession of the same, claiming the same in fee simple, and that he fenced said land and took such possession thereof that would notify any person who would observe the same that the plaintiff was claiming the same.

Plaintiff alleges and says that he has good and perfect right and title to the land herein above described, and that he has had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using or enjoying the same, and paying the taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered in Callahan County, Texas, for a period of more than five years after defendant's cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges and says that he has had exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using or enjoying the same continuously for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges and says that he has had and held the peaceable and adverse possession of said land, the title to which was passed out of the state, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly recorded in Callahan County, Texas, constituting a regular chain of title, for a period of more than twenty-five years immediately preceding the date of said unlawful entry by the defendants, and before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff therefore pleads the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation as against these defendants and all other persons claiming said land and premises, or any part thereof.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiff prays for citation in accordance with the law on each and every one of said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing he have judgment against all of said defendants, and for the title and possession of said premises, and for his damages, and for such other and further relief in law or equity, general or special, to which he may show himself justly entitled, either in law or in equity.

Herein Fall Not, and have 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, Texas, this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1925.

MRS. KATE HEARN, Clerk,
District Court, Callahan County.

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I just finished hearing a Politician, one of the Washington Boys, talk on Abraham Lincoln. The only thing I could picture in common between him and Lincoln was that they had both been in Washington. When a Politician aint talking about himself he is talking about Lincoln. Lincoln has had more Public men speak of his good qualities, and fewer copy any of them, than any man America ever produced. His famous address was only about two hundred words long. No Politician has ever been able to even copy his brevity. In fact that is the last one of his qualities that they would try to copy. Lincoln said more in those 200 words than has been said in the entire City of Washington in the last 10 years, and here is a quality that no historian or speaker has ever brought out before. At the completion of the Gettysburg speech, he wisely refused one of Grant's Cigars, and borrowed a sack of "Bull" Durham from an Ex Southern private, rolled his own, got on his Mule and went back to Washington.

Will Rogers

P. S. There will be another piece here two weeks from now. Look for it.



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PERSONALS

Ducks are plentiful in Callahan County and the hunters are taking full advantage of the open season.

Mrs. Ernest Cooke returned a few days ago from Memphis, Tennessee, where she went to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Jones. Mrs. Jones is a sister of Mrs. W. I. Capps, of this city.

Miss Myrtle Boydston, Worthy Matron of Callahan Chapter No. 242 O. E. S., Baird; and Misses Ella and Lozier Tyler of Clyde, are attending the meeting of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star at San Antonio this week.

The Baird Parent-Teachers Association will hold its next regular monthly meeting Thursday evening, November 5, at 4 o'clock, in the School Auditorium, and a full attendance, particularly of the mothers, is requested.

Mrs. J. E. Malin, spent a few hours with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Sam Webb and her brother, S. E. Webb and family last Saturday. She and Mr. Malin came to Abilene with the Canyon Teachers Football team "Buffaloes" who played Simmons. Miss Eva Reed accompanied her back to Abilene to witness the game.

HIGH SCHOOL PARTY

The Freshman and Sophomore Classes of the Baird High School entertained the Junior and Senior Classes at the schoolhouse Friday, October 23.

Refreshments of sandwiches and pickles were served. Those in attendance had a fine time.

SYBIL BROWN ENTERTAINS

Sybil Brown, Tuesday of last week, gave an eight o'clock dinner, entertaining a party of her young friends. The dining room was decorated with roses. The guests filled two tables. Delightful music followed the collation. Miss Brown furnished dainty candy and games were played.

The guests were Ila Mae Guffey, Weldon White, Ruth Boyd, Harold Foy, Jewel Grimes, Bill Melton, Melba Cutbirth, Beatrice Green, Haynie Spencer, Tennyson O'Brien and Sybil Brown.

LITTLE BABY DIES

Jack Griggs the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Newton, died Monday morning at 3 o'clock, following a short illness. Funeral services were held at the residence Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. J. Mayhew and interment made in Ross cemetery.

Jack Griggs Newton was born on September 15, 1925 and died October 26, 1925; his stay on earth was short, but in this brief time he was a joy to his fond parents, little sisters and brothers, whose hearts are made so sad by his death. We extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved ones in the death of the little baby.

Mrs. D. T. Rather and Mr. D. W. Newton, of Marshall, sister and brother of Mr. Newton, were here to attend the funeral.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our dear friends and neighbors who were so kind and good to us in our time of trouble, and we especially thank you for the beautiful flowers. May God's tender mercies and rich blessings rest upon you all.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Newton
and family
Mrs. D. T. Rather
D. W. Newton

William Judson Leverett, of Baird, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy with the Clerk of the United States Court, Northern District of Texas, Abilene Division, with liabilities of a listed total of \$474, assets of \$8,427 and property claimed exempt valued at \$5,825.

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Baird, Texas

THE PASSING DAY

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Former Dean
Department of Journalism
University of Texas

Texas Youth in School.



Reports from all over Texas are that there is everywhere an increased attendance in the schools. Most of the colleges and universities have an increase of from 10 to 20 per cent over last year's attendance. This shows that both parents and children in Texas are awakened to the value of an education. Thousands of parents are making great sacrifices in order that their children may be equipped for better living and better service, and scores of organizations of many kinds are rendering assistance to students who might otherwise have to stay out of school. Say what we will about the frivolity of youth, we must confess that the young people of today are getting a better education than their parents have, and there is every indication that this generation will go far ahead of the last in attainments of every kind. Texas seems determined not to stay behind.

Better Roads in Texas.

From all sections of Texas the newspapers bring reports of increased interest in road building. A session of the State Highway Commission at Austin now draws nearly as many people as a legislative session. These are petitioners for State aid, highway contractors, and politicians who are thought to have some sort of a "pull." Immense sums are being invested in roads, and counties are figuring in terms of million dollar bonds that a few years ago would have been frightened at a \$100,000 bond issue.

There is one danger, and only one, in all this good roads movement. Officials and people alike may become extravagant and wasteful. There are already rumors afloat that there is much waste and that Texas roads are costing too much money for the kind of roads that are being constructed. It is up to the people to see that they get full value for their investment in roads and up to the officials in charge of road building to protect the people.

Make Aviation Safe.

Colonel Mitchell, of the aviation service, stationed at San Antonio, has drawn to himself much commendation and criticism by his statements in regard to inefficiency in the aviation service. The people are largely in accord with him, and the officials in aviation say his charges are without foundation, and that Mitchell is just trying to get in the spotlight. Whether Colonel Mitchell is right or wrong in his charges, there is a feeling that there is much unnecessary loss of life in the aviation service, and it is hoped that his criticisms will result in improvement. Every parent who has had or has a son in the service is praying that Mitchell's complaints may secure immediate action looking to safer flying.

Music a Part of Education.

When the parents of today were in school, music was regarded somewhat as a needless acquirement for children. There was a kind of regard for music, for people have always loved melody, but to study it in school was regarded as a waste of time. Those who gave their lives to it were classed, along with poets, as somewhat queer and freakish—hardly responsible citizens. There were a few piano players everywhere, a few fiddlers, a few song leaders, but most people did not think it worth while to study music beyond a few lessons at a "night singing school," and these were largely excuses for the boys and girls to get together in a common meeting place. Music has come into its own, and is a recognized study in the public schools. Children without love for music are the ones now classed as "queer." Every school that can afford it—and most of them can—now employs its music teacher, who is an important member of the faculty.

Comal River to Furnish Power.

Five dams are to be constructed along the Comal river from New Braunfels to a point five miles below Seguin and the water will be used for furnishing power to industrial plants. The time will come when all such streams in Texas will be used in manufacturing. In a few years more Texas will become as noted for manufacturing as it now is for agriculture and stock raising, but that will be after Texas comes to appreciate its water and to conserve it.

Texas Technological College.

The Technological College at Lubbock has started with a splendid attendance of students, largely from that part of the State. In time it should become a great school, and if it is made a technological school in fact as well as in name, its influence upon the future of Texas will be immeasurably large. It has a splendid opportunity for leading in the movement to make Texas the greatest textile manufacturing State in the Union.

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RED CROSS FINANCES SHOW WIDE SERVICES

Past Year Cost \$10,321,679.80;
Duty to Ex-Service Men
Paramount.

Washington.—The national and international services of the American Red Cross are portrayed graphically in a statement of the Red Cross finances for the past fiscal year ended June 30, 1925. Expenditures by the Red Cross (including both the National Organization and the Chapters) during this period aggregated \$10,321,679.80.

The obligation of the American Red Cross to the ex-service and service men is represented in this sum by a total expenditure of \$4,225,292.61. In the interests of disabled veterans, the Red Cross expended \$3,577,916.42, of which \$1,677,916.42 came from the National Organization, and \$1,900,000 from the more than 3,000 Chapters and local branches of the society. Red Cross services to the men of the Regular Army and Navy the past year called for \$647,376.19, of which the National Organization furnished \$310,376.19, and the Chapters, \$337,000.

Sharing in importance with this responsibility was the Red Cross work of disaster relief during the year. In these operations there was absorbed a total of \$1,922,782.90 up to June 30, this year. This represented \$1,622,782.90 of National Organization funds and \$300,000 from the Chapters. Relief in foreign disasters amounted to \$285,579.35. This sum was appropriated altogether by the National Organization.

Insular and foreign operations of the American Red Cross during the year included relief in foreign disasters, the League of Red Cross Societies, Junior Red Cross Foreign Projects, assistance to insular Chapters and similar functions. Besides its disaster relief, the National Organization financed these other branches of foreign work also, including \$110,238.72 for assistance to insular chapters, \$177,450 for the League of Red Cross Societies, \$84,384.43 for Junior projects abroad, and \$80,057.62 for other insular and foreign operations.

In addition to its paramount duty to assist veterans and other service men and their families, and its disaster relief, the Red Cross expended at home through its national and chapter funds, a total of \$1,029,616.05 for its Public Health Nursing Service; \$154,135.09 for nutrition instruction; \$314,422.76 for First Aid and Life Saving; \$445,707.34 for Junior Red Cross; \$132,759.88 for instruction in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick; and carried on similarly important home duties. Included in the latter were such valuable services as the Enrolled Nurses' Reserve, for which the National Organization expended \$45,562.64; while other national operations at home amounted to \$302,957.64. The chapters, in addition to the large part they played in all Red Cross activity, spent \$678,000 of their own funds on general chapter services.

The broad humanity of the American Red Cross can never be measured by the money it costs, but even in bare terms of dollars and cents, the scope of its work is indicated. A study of these facts also shows the necessity for the largest possible enrollment, since Red Cross service is maintained almost entirely by its membership. The annual invitation to participate in this work through membership in the American Red Cross, is extended from Armistice Day, November 11, to Thanksgiving, November 26.

Red Cross First Aid Popular in America As Accidents Gain

The rapidly mounting toll from traffic accidents has brought home to the public the necessity of being prepared to render prompt assistance while awaiting the doctor. During the past year 356 chapters of the American Red Cross were instructing classes in First Aid, and in the same period certificates were issued to 26,601 persons qualified by Red Cross experts.

Many cities throughout the United States are showing interest in securing first aid instruction for their po-



lice and fire department personnel, and through the work of local chapters, practical results have been obtained in such cities as Washington, D. C.; Toledo, O.; Boston, Mass.; South Bend and Indianapolis, Ind.; Port Arthur, Texas, and other communities. In co-operation with the State authorities, intensive training in first aid and rescue methods has been given to State police and constabulary members at four State training schools.

Instruction in these subjects in public and private schools, colleges and universities has increased during the year. Attention has been given to training teachers at institutes and summer schools.

The Red Cross first aid railroad car has been in continuous operation throughout the year. It covered 10,340 miles, visiting 137 cities, where 1,200 meetings were conducted by the surgeons, with a total of 146,827 people.

Industries particularly have availed themselves of the instruction afforded by the Red Cross. The Western Electric Company, for example, reports a reduction of the accident rate per 1,000 employees.

WATER SPORTS SAFER FOR RED CROSS WORK

Expert Life-Savers and Many
Thousand Swimmers Reduce
Annual Water Toll.

Water sports in the United States have never been so safe as they are today, a survey of the work done by Life-Saving experts of the American Red Cross in the past year indicates.

Thousands of adults and young people were taught to swim proficiently by these experts during this period. In addition, 5,681 men, 4,187 women, and 13,024 juniors successfully passed the rigid tests of the Life Saving Service of the Red Cross. The total thus trained during the year—22,892—is 5,041 more than last year's results. The total membership of the Life Saving Corps of the Red Cross on June 30 was 72,810 persons.

Meeting the demand for qualified instructors and councillors in these camps, are the college men and women of the country, many devoting whole or part of their annual vacation periods to this field. Meeting the need of standardized instruction in Life-Saving, First-Aid, and kindred subjects, the American Red Cross conducted nine First-Aid and Life-Saving Camp Institutes this year with a total attendance of more than 600, in Maine, Massachusetts, New York, North Carolina, Indiana, Wisconsin, Oregon, and California. Representatives of Red Cross Chapters, summer camps, life guards at municipal pools and beaches, directors of physical education in schools, and others of this calibre made up the student body.

A number of city or regional institutions were conducted also during the winter at indoor pools to develop local experts. The aquatic school conducted by the New York Chapter was especially successful. It is stated. Inspired by this system, many camps, pools, bathing beaches, etc., have adopted in whole or in part, the Red Cross Life Saving and water-safety program. In the New England states alone, more than 180 camps employ councillors trained in these methods. A partial survey indicates more than

30 cities using the Red Cross senior test as a minimum requirement for their municipal life guards. Educational institutions have turned to it with enthusiasm.

This widespread instruction besides creating unprecedented numbers of expert life-savers, is developing a vast body of Americans who are at home in the water. All contributors to safety the year-round, for swimming is a recognized all-year sport today, records show.

The danger from water accidents is ever-present however where proper safeguards are not taken and to broaden this valuable Red Cross Service is one of the reasons why increased membership in the Red Cross is urged. The Annual Roll Call, during which the opportunity to assist all Red Cross work in many lines of endeavor is extended, will be held from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving, November 11-26.

Large Volunteer Work of Red Cross

Volunteers under the Red Cross all over the United States are doing constantly for others, among their products being more than 90 per cent of the Braille reading matter for the blind, and a vast production of clothing and surgical dressings.

Saved by Blind Girl

Yonkers, N. Y.—A blind girl, whose name was not disclosed, was the heroine of a fire in the dormitory of the New York Guild for the Jewish Blind. Awakened from her sleep by the smoke, the girl aroused four elderly blind women in the dormitory rooms and then shouted an alarm, as a result of which 29 children marched from buildings to safety. The fire was confined to one room.

Heads Alliance of Presbyterian Sects.

Very Rev. J. N. Ogilvie, D.D., of Edinburgh, Scotland, former moderator of the Church of Scotland, who has succeeded Rev. John McNaughton of Pittsburgh as president of the Presbyterian alliance, which comprises all the Presbyterian sects.



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Maine Buys Historic Forts for Public Parks

Portland, Maine.—Eight old forts on the coast of Maine, with ruined block-houses and grass-grown ramparts, have been bought by the state from the federal government in the last two years to be converted into parks of historic interest.

A bill proposing that the forts be sold to private persons was introduced in the senate in December, 1922. On hearing of it, Gov. Percival B. Baxter took immediate action. The cost of the forts and equipment and sites amounted to only \$19,470.50. More, of course, will be needed for repairing the ruins and putting the reservations into good order, which means improving and strengthening sea walls. Proper signs will be placed for the guidance of visitors.

Other states are following the lead of Maine and are preparing to restore their old forts. These include Fort Vancouver in Washington, Harrod's fort in Kentucky and Fort Pike in Colorado.

LOW RAILROAD RATES FOR STATE FAIR OF TEXAS DALLAS, OCT. 10-25

Excursion Trains to Be Run on Several "Special Days"—Opportunity to See Broadway Show.

Texas railroads have granted extremely low round-trip rates on account of the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 10-25, and at least one line has thus far announced that it will run several special trains to accommodate expected travel to the Fair on various "special days" that have been designated.

These excursions, it is planned, will be run on those days on which matinee performances in the new State Fair auditorium, are to be given. This will give opportunity for excursionists to see the New York production in the afternoon, after having taken in the other attractions of the Fair during the morning, and return home that night.

A special week-end round-trip rate, permitting a Saturday and Sunday stay in Dallas, has also been announced.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR STATE FAIR STADIUM

Five Collegiate games and two major high school contests are scheduled for the athletic stadium at the State Fair of Texas, during the 1925 State Fair, Dallas, Oct. 10-25. The schedule shows:

Saturday, Oct. 10—A. & M. vs. Sewanee; Tuesday, Oct. 13—Baylor vs. T. C. U.; Friday, Oct. 16—Forest High, Dallas, vs. Highland Park (Dallas); Oak Cliff High vs. Kansas City High (one morning and one afternoon game); Saturday, Oct. 17—Texas vs. Auburn, with the All College Circus and a unique night game under the powerful electric lights, beginning at 7:30 p. m.; Monday, Oct. 19—Wylie College, Marshall, vs. Oklahoma Normal, Coyle, Okla. (negro teams in conference game); Friday, Oct. 23—R. O. T. C. competition; Saturday, Oct. 24—S. M. U. vs. Oklahoma

TWELVE R. O. T. C. UNITS IN STATE FAIR CONTEST.

Twelve R. O. T. C. units will compete in the military contest at the State Fair of Texas, Friday, Oct. 23, in the athletic stadium. Companies have been entered from San Antonio, Ft. Worth, Arlington, Stephenville, Terrell and Bryan, in addition to six Dallas units.

Horse Wins Cost Price.

P. J. Fuller, Snyder, Texas, racing man, purchased "Bodyguard," a colt, at the Cleveland, Ohio, track several weeks ago. Within ten days the horse won for Mr. Fuller his purchase price of \$3,500. The Fuller string, it is expected will race at the State Fair of Texas, race meet, Dallas Oct. 10-18, inclusive.

Natives Kill Teacher to Prevent Education

Mexico City.—A dramatic story comes from Huichel, Indian county, in the state of Jalisco.

Antonio Rosea Robles, Huichel Indian, became inspired with the idea of driving illiteracy out of the Huichel country. He went to school at Guadalajara, where he studied primary education. Returning to the Huichel country, he began teaching children. The Huichel authorities warned him to stop. He refused. He was arrested and taken before a council of Huichel leaders, condemned to death as a traitor to the customs of the tribe, taken outside the village and shot, where his corpse was found by the Mexican authorities the following morning. The Huichels have always fought against civilization.

PIRATES ROUT BAIRD BEARS

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up the field 20 yards; went out on 32 yard line.

Dickey went around end for a one yard gain. Half up; at the end of the half neither side had scored.

Morgan failed to gain through line; Dickey gained 10 yards around end, making first down; Ray failed to gain around end.

Baird failed to complete pass; Dickey gained three yards through the line; Baird punted 40 yards down field; man downed on Baird's one yard line; Putnam went thru line for 3 yards; Putnam failed to gain through the line; Putnam punted 28 yards; Baird downed on 36 yard line; Baird failed to complete pass.

Langley intercepted pass and ran 55 yards, to be downed by Dickey on the 5 yard line; Putnam made line plunge, no gain; another line plunge gained one yard; Putnam tried another line plunge and fumbled on the 3 yard line; ball was recovered by Morgan; Bearden punted ball up field 20 yards; when Putnam's safety man tried to pick it up he accidentally kicked it across goal; Putnam player recovered ball and made the touchdown, counting 6.

Putnam tried for the extra point; they made an end run and out of a place kick formation, and this gave them another point, making the score 7 to 0.

Putnam kicked to Baird and the ball went out of bounds; they re-kicked and Ray returned for 30 yards; Putnam intercepted pass and was downed by Bearden.

Putnam went around end for two yards; Putnam failed to gain around end; Putnam completed pass on the 25 yard line.

Line plunge; no gain made; Putnam goes through the line for a two yard's gain.

O'Brien downs Valentine for a 9 yard loss, when he tries a long end run; they failed to complete a pass; they fail in another attempt to complete a pass; ball goes on 30 yard line.

Baird fumbles; Putnam recovers; Putnam fails to run through the line; Putnam through line for one yard; Putnam fails to complete pass; Putnam punts ball 25 yards; Dickey is down in his tracks; game is over.—Score 7 to 0 in favor of Putnam.

C. S. BOYLES MOTOR CO. AGENTS FOR MICHELIN TIRES

The Star's old friend, C. S. Boyles, formerly of Baird and Cross Plains, but now of Sweetwater, where he is the head of the Boyles Motor Co., is spreading out, according to an announcement in a late issue of the Sweetwater Daily Reporter.

He has become warehouseman and general agent for the Michelin Tire Company, of Milltown, New Jersey, in this section of West Texas, and will put three salesmen on the road to look after the trade. This gives Sweetwater its fourth wholesale tire house, the Fisk, Federal and Goodrich Companies being already established there with branch sales headquarters; that city's central location and fine railroad facilities for quick distribution, were prime factors with the Michelin people in its selection for a branch office.

The territory to be covered by the C. S. Boyles Motor Company as wholesale dealers in this popular and high grade brand of tires, includes 35 West Texas Counties. The territory extends along the Santa Fe from Brownwood to Lubbock; north on the Orient to Chillicothe, to its southwestern terminus, including San Angelo, Big Lake and Alpine, and along the Texas and Pacific from Ranger to El Paso, including Ranger, Eastland, Cisco,

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FARM FOR RENT—Forty acres in cultivation; small house and out-buildings. Three and a half miles west of Baird. 45-4t-p H. R. Walthers, Baird.

OLD-NEW LUMBER—I have just "wrecked" the Old Ice Plant and offer 75,000 feet of Inside Lumber—as good as new—for sale cheap; also Sheet Iron in squares. 44-tf Mike Sigal.

ROSE BUSHES—All who want rose bushes must get them by November 10th as I am leaving for Florida after that date. I have a nice assortment of ever-blooming rose bushes for sale cheap. Mrs. S. M. Tisdale. 43tf

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Baird, Breckenridge and all points west.

Three traveling salesmen will cover the territory, and the C. S. Boyles Motor Company is making efforts to have at least two of the salesmen make their homes in Sweetwater. All orders from dealers in the 35 Counties will be filled out of Sweetwater.

The first Michelin car load shipment, totalling approximately 1,000 tires, including balloon and high pressure truck tires, is now en route to Sweetwater. It was shipped by steamer from Milltown to Galveston and by railroad from there to Sweetwater.

The Michelin Company has factories located in Milltown, New Jersey, London, England and Paris, France. Thirty branch houses are located in the larger cities of the United States, including the Texas branches at Dallas, San Antonio and Houston. This company was the first tire manufacturer to make the "ring shape" inner tubes and is one of the few companies who do not place a cheaper grade of tire on the market at a lower price than the standard patterns.

The jingle of silver frequently drowns the voice of truth.

Try one of our lotions on that sunburn of yours.—City Pharmacy.

VOTE ON UNIFICATION

The vote on Unification in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; So far 21 Conference give 2,102 votes for and 1,292 against, with 24 more Conferences yet to vote, within the next thirty days.

As the Plan to secure Ratification requires three-fourths of all the votes cast in the 45 Annual Conferences, the Plan is evidently defeated. A number of the strongest Conferences in the Church are yet to vote. Unification is now short 1,774 votes.

Many a good beau plays second fiddle. Because he doesn't treat "HER" at our soda fountain.—City Pharmacy.

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GEORGE WOLSEY SYMONDS,
News Correspondent and Baird Subscription Agent
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CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our appreciation and thanks to the many friends who have been so kind in rendering assistance to us during the time our husband and father has been confined to his bed, following the accident of September 10th last.

We thank you one and all and particularly for the beautiful flowers and luscious fruit. Mr. White is still confined to his bed.

Mrs. Jim White and Family.



The Tonic Optical Company

Office will be open for grinding and fitting glasses on October 31st and November 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Special prices for children

Dr. Henderson, Mgr.

Gets Sacred Monkey

Washington.—A member of the sacred monkey family of Inola was installed at the Washington zoo recently. The monkey, scientifically known as a langura, is held to be highly intelligent. He resembles a dwarf, with wrinkled face and a mantle of white hair.

Lack of Tourists

Arouses the Irish

Dublin.—At the Rotary club in Dublin complaint was made that the tourist traffic, particularly from America, had not reached expectations this year.

One member who had returned from America said he was humiliated there by the questions asked regarding Ireland, by the doubts expressed as to whether the country was safe for travelers, and by the impression that Ireland was in a backward state of civilization, "with pigs in the drawing room."

P. J. O'Brien, secretary of the Irish Tourist Development association, answering these statements, said that, while there had not been anything in the nature of an American invasion, the arrivals at Cobb totaled more than 1,000 a week, and the traffic between Ireland and England on one of the most important services was practically double what it was last year.

The transportation companies concerned were satisfied with both results and prospects.

In Ulster, the tourist traffic is reported in excess of previous years and in several districts has reached the pre-war standard.

Bones of Many Camels Unearthed in Wyoming

Chicago.—Six million years ago, parts of the United States were inhabited by camels. A freak storm drove thousands of these camels, each eight or nine feet high, into an area ten by four miles near Lusk, Wyo., where all of them perished.

The skull, limb bones and neck of one of these animals has been discovered by Paul C. Miller, curator of the Walker museum, at the University of Chicago, and these bones, together with 1,000 pounds of miscellaneous fossils found in the Miocene and Oligocene areas of Nebraska, Wyoming and South Dakota are being shipped back to the museum for more extended study.

A million years after the storm that wiped out the American camels, two merychippid, or three-toed horses, ancestors of the modern Dobbin, died near Seep Creek, Nebr. Their skeletons, about as large as Shetland ponies, have been found.

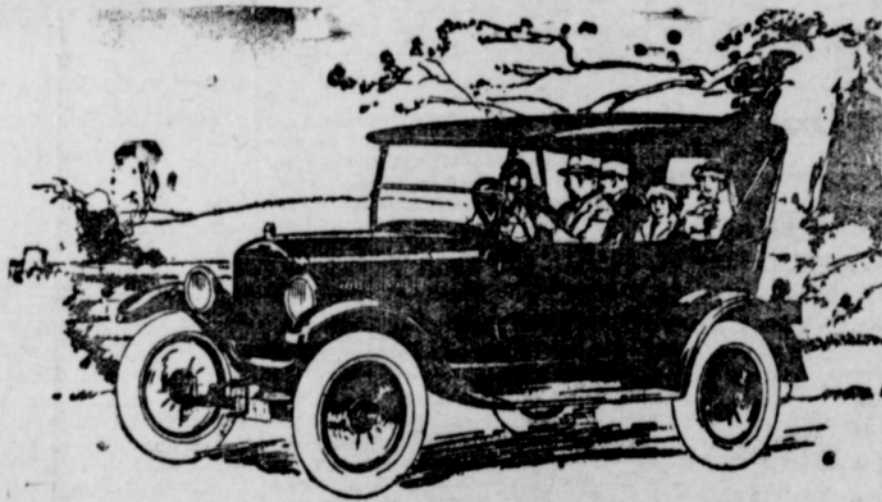
Rancher Is Earl

Chicago.—Oliver Henry Wallop, younger son of an ancient British noble house, who went ranching in Wyoming in the late '80s and married a Chicago girl in 1897, became the eighth earl of Portsmouth the other day through the death of his elder brother, John Felices Wallop.

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