

# The Baird Star

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Broadway of America."

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

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## MRS. GEO. E. HOLDRIDGE DIES AT COTTONWOOD

Mrs. George E. Holdridge, one of the long-time residents of this part of Callahan county died at the home of Mrs. Archer at Cottonwood last Sunday night, following a lingering illness incident to old age. Deceased had for many years made her former home in Cross Plains. She is survived by a large number of children and grand children, part of whom live in Callahan county. She was 78 years, six months at the date of her death. Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church in Cottonwood by Rev. A. E. Hill of the Cross Plains Baptist church and the local pastor at Cottonwood, burial being made in the Cottonwood cemetery at 4:00 P. M. Monday.—Cross Plains Review.

## MRS. COVINGTON DIES AT DALLAS

Mrs. M. I. Covington, who formerly lived at Dudley, died Tuesday at her home in Dallas, where she has made her home for several years. Mrs. Covington is survived by five daughters and four sons, namely Miss Cassie Shepherd, of Dallas, Mrs. Henry Tillett, Jr., of Abilene, Mrs. Clifford Farnum, Dallas, Mrs. Fred Jones, Tuscola, Mrs. Charlie Hoffe, Memphis, Tenn. Morgan and Alto Covington, Tuscola, W. L. Covington of Nome and Lawrence S. Hall, Little Rock Ark.

## ABILENE BOY IN CAR CRASH

Norman Hodge, 21 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hodge, of Abilene was seriously hurt last Saturday night just west of Clyde when his car collided with another on the highway as he was on his way home from Clyde, accompanied by four other Abilene boys, who escaped injury. Last report from young Hodge was that there was a slight improvement in his condition.

## JUNIOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING

Church of Christ  
Subject: The Life of Peter.  
Leader—Vernon Heard.

1. Peter Becomes a Disciple of Jesus—M. W. Ashton.
2. Peter's Lesson in Trust—Junior Hall.
3. Peter's Great Confession—Elmer Counts.
4. Peter at the Transfiguration—Buddie Hart.
5. Peter's Denial and Repentance—James Leverett.
6. Peter and the Risen Lord—Evelyn Thompson.
7. Peter at Pentecost—Mary Jo Hart.
8. Peter Heals the Lame Man—Charles Graves.
9. Peter's Persecution and Imprisonment—Frances Mayfield.
10. Benediction—Junior Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stokes, of McAllister, Okla., are expected to arrive in Baird today from Brownville, where they have been for the past ten days. Their son, Sam Boydston has been visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boydston here for the past several weeks. After a few days visit here Mr. and Mrs. Stokes and little son, will return to their home.

Claude Flores returned Sunday from Colorado and other points in the North-west. Mrs. Willie Flores Barnhill, Miss Dorothy Barnhill, Robert Barnhill, Miss Lennis Varner, John Simons, C. Ponder, and Roy Hamby, returned Sunday from an auto trip to the Carlsbad Cavern, El Paso and on down the Rio Grande to Del Rio. They report a fire trip and like all who have visited the Cavern say it is wonderful.

## BAIRD DAY AT LAKE CISCO

Last Sunday was designated Baird Day at Lake Cisco by the Lake Cisco Amusement Co. as advertised in The Star last week, and free tickets for swimming were given out at The Star office, where some 200 tickets were given away and then we had a number of calls for tickets and on Sunday afternoon many Bairdites went to Cisco and spent the afternoon and evening very pleasantly.

## REBEKAHS TO MEET MONDAY

All members of Baird Rebekah Lodge are notified to meet at 7 o'clock Monday evening, Sept. 2. Business of importance in regard to preparations for laying of corner stone for Courthouse to be attended to. The meeting is called for 7 o'clock on account the Baptist meeting.

## C. S. MARSHALL OF CLYDE, DIES

O. S. Marshall, a resident of Clyde and vicinity for the past 47 years, died at the Griggs Hospital at an early hour Monday morning following an illness of some weeks.

The body was prepared for burial by W. O. Wylie and on Tuesday morning was carried to Clyde for burial the funeral being held at the Methodist church at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. L. Jenkins, the pastor assisted by Rev. Cal C. Wright of Baird and interment made in the Clyde cemetery.

O. I. Marshall, as he was best known to his friends, was a native Texan being born in Cleste, Hunt county, Texas, May 7, 1855. He is survived by his wife, two sons, and three daughters, Jack Marshall of Baird, Tom Marshall of Shreveport, La. Mrs. A. H. Gotti, Coleman, Mrs. W. J. Gray, Cross Plains; Mrs. George Johnson, of Artesia, New Mexico, all of whom were with him when death came. He is also survived by nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Meadows, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, were also here to attend the funeral. Mrs. Meadow was formerly Miss Cleobelle Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall.

We tender sympathy to the family of the deceased, a pioneer of the West who has gone to join the rapidly increasing number in the great beyond.

## ITAN FLAT PAVEMENT

The "official burial of Iatan flat" in Mitchell county Monday was attended by 4000 people from points along the West Texas section of the Broadway of America. More than 2,000 cars were parked along the highway at this point. This ten miles of road has been a dreaded place for the traveling public for years and now with the ten miles of concrete road, they will have no worry so far as "Iatan Flat" is concerned.

## BAIRD BANKS WILL CLOSE ON LABOR DAY

We are informed that both the First State Bank and the First National Bank will be closed on 2nd.

## OVER 9,000 MILES OF PIPE LINE CONVEYING TEXAS GAS

Texas has over 9,000 miles of 1,300 and 1,400 active gas wells and an open flow of about 13,000,000,000 cubic feet a day.

Mrs. W. G. Bowls and daughter Miss Edith went over to Santa Anna Sunday to see Mrs. Bowls' sister, Mrs. Homer Walker, who is a patient in the Sealy hospital, following an operation. Mrs. Walker is doing nicely.

## Our World Is Growing Smaller

By Albert T. Reid



## RAY-JACKSON WEDDING

Mr. Harold Ray, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ray and Miss Grace Jackson, only daughter of Mrs. Eva Jackson Lee of Baird, were married Sunday, August 25, at Mineral Wells, the wedding taking place in the parlor of the Baptist church at 11 o'clock, with the Rev. Gillan, officiating.

The young people were accompanied by Misses Madge Holmes, Doris Foy and Carmen Haley, and Messrs Frank Bearden and Carl Haley, who returned home in the afternoon, while the newlyweds went on to Fort Worth for a short visit. They returned to Baird Tuesday evening.

Both the bride and groom have lived in Baird most all their lives, where they have many friends. They are both graduates of the Baird High School and are popular among the younger social set.

Harold is associated with his father and brothers, Lonnie and Raleigh in the Ray Motor Co. They are building a nice home in North Baird, which will be finished in the near future.

## COTTONWOOD FAIR SATURDAY

Cottonwood will hold its second Annual Fair Saturday under the direction of Mr. A. M. Cooper, county agent. Many exhibits from farms, gardens, also antiques and fancy work will be on exhibit.

The fair will be largely attended by people from all parts of the county.

G. W. Coats of Cottonwood is the general chairman and preparations have been made to take care of a large crowd during the day.

The ribbons which will be given for prizes will be furnished this year by the Cross Plains Lions Club. The ribbons were furnished by Baird's Lions Club last year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strain and daughter, of Canyon, were visiting old friends in Baird this week. They have been visiting Mrs. Strawn's mother, Mrs. Parks at Eula and will also visit her brother, T. E. Parks and family in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Strain formerly lived here where Mr. Strawn was director of the Baird Band and Mrs. Strain a teacher in the public school.

## MRS. THADEN WINS DERBY

Mrs. Louise McPhetridge Thaden of Pittsburg Pa. won first place in the Woman's Air Derby, which ended at Cleveland, Ohio, Monday. The race started at Santa Monica Calif. Sunday, Aug. 18th. Gladys O'Donnall, of Long Beach won second place, and Amelia Earhart, the moved up to third when Ruth Nichols who held third had the misfortune to have her plane wrecked in landing at Columbus. Miss Nichols was injured and was forced out of the race. Aside from Miss Nichols, injuries and the tragic death of Miss Marvel Crosson of Los Angeles, who was killed when her plane crashed in the mountains of Arizona the second day of the race the race ended successfully.

## GRIGGS HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. N. L. Stark underwent a major operation Tuesday afternoon as reported doing fairly well. Mr. Bob Blakely, of Aspermont who has been a patient the past ten days, following a minor operation, is doing nicely and will be able to go home in a short time. Gene Coats, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Coats broke a needle off in his foot Tuesday night and was brought to the hospital where Dr. Griggs removed it under a Fluoroscope.

Wanda Warren, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Warren, of the Moutray oil field, was brought to the hospital Monday night to have a large splinter removed from her foot.

Melton Heslep, auto crash victim has been removed to the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren in north Baird.

Urie Hammons, of Moran brought his son, who had his arm broken, to the hospital last Sunday night and Dr. Griggs set the arm under the Fluoroscope.

Mrs. George Rylie, of Denton, brought her son in last Saturday to have his tonsils removed. He was a patient for the day.

L. C. Kimmell, who had his back injured while working in the oil field was in the hospital for X-ray pictures.

Auda Wood, working with the excavating crew on the railroad west of town was hurt by a falling timber injuring his right side, was patient last week. His brother, Floyd narrowly escaped injury while at work with the same crew, when a lot of rock and dirt caved off where he was working.

## DR. PAUL W. HORN AT BETHLEHEM CHURCH

The Methodist pastors and laymen of the Abilene District met at the Bethlehem church, four miles west of Baird, Tuesday for an all day meeting. There were about twenty-five churches represented and about 150 people present.

Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of West Texas Tech and a regular contributor to the Methodist Sunday school publications, spoke to the conference on the subject: "What is your Attitude Toward Folks?" At the eleven o'clock hour Rev. L. H. Davis, of Tye spoke on "Rewards" After lunch, served by the good people of Bethlehem, addresses and round-table discussions were had, looking to the solving of the rural church problems. These discussions were led by Rev. T. C. Willett, of Merkel.

The pastors and laymen decided to give a scholarship to one rural pastor, next spring, to the School of Religion of Vanderbilt University.

Those who attend from the Baird church were T. E. Powell, J. H. Grimes, C. H. Clements, Bob Norrell, Ace Hickman, Rev. Cal C. Wright, Fern Wright and Ruth Wright.

## FEARS-WILSON WEDDING

On Wednesday, August 14th, Mr. Homer Fears of Baird and Miss Louise Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wilson who reside west of Clyde were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage, Pastor Charles R. Smith performing the ceremony. Mr. Fears is a mechanic in the T. & P. shop at Baird and these who know him speak well of him.

They left Friday for Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Denton where they will spend a few days visiting relatives and seeing places of interest.—Clyde Enterprise.

Mrs. Lancaster and daughters of Marshall, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckenham.

Mrs. Jennie Gilliland and grandchildren, Miss Dorothy Mae Haynie and Jay Sides of Abilene, and her daughter, Mrs. Colby McDavid of Hawley, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Gilliland's sisters, Mrs. Franklin, and Mrs. Price McFarlane, and other relatives in Baird.

## REVIVAL DRAWS LARGE CROWDS

The Baptist Revival being conducted by Rev. J. G. Winsett, and party, assisted by the Pastor Rev. Joe R. Mayes at the Tabernacle, is drawing large crowds, many coming from Clyde and other nearby places. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ogden are conducting the singing, which is fine and is enjoyed by all. Dr. Winsett is a very forceful speaker and holds the attention of all.

## CLOIS CLINTON OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

Clois Clinton, was operated on for appendicitis by Dr. Griggs, assisted by Dr. Webster, of Clyde, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gaines Wednesday morning. He is being attended by Miss Kenedy, a nurse from Abilene and is reported doing nicely.

## HOT HIGHWAY SCRAP LOOMING

West Texas' hottest highway fight is looming in Palo Pinto county, where on Tuesday, September 24, an election will be held on an issue of \$1,750,000 in bonds, county-wide, of which \$921,000 is for new construction. The balance of \$829,000, is for the retirement of outstanding highway bonds in District No. 1, the Mineral Wells district.

The fight is developing between the northern portion of the county, including Mineral Wells and Palo Pinto, the county seat, and a group of towns in the southern end, including Strawn, Mingus, Gordon and Sante which oppose the Mineral Wells program of bond retirement and propose, for themselves, the construction of a hard-surface continuation of Highway 1 from Strawn to Millsap. The paved highway to Fort Worth now turns north at Strawn and runs through Mineral Wells and back to Millsap. The cutoff would follow the Texas & Pacific, not touching either Palo Pinto or Mineral Wells. The state highway department is favorable toward the projected cutoff.

## E. L. FINLEY IMPROVES

E. L. Finley, 208 Merchant street Abilene, who has been seriously ill in a local sanitarium for several days, is reported to be improving, which is good news to his many friends here.

## WORLDS FAMOUS ENTER- TAINERS TO VISIT ABILENE

As another step in fulfilling its purpose to bring the world's greatest entertainers to West Texas, the Cowboy Band of Simmons University has scheduled four major attractions for the coming season. These are: Ignace Jan Paderewski, Will Rogers, the United States Army Band, and the Mexican Tipica Orchestra.

The famous army band, official band of General John J. Pershing and founded by him during the World War, will make its first visit to West Texas on November 2. The picturesque Mexican orchestra, official musical organization of the late President Obregon, is slated for sometime in October.

Paderewski, world's most famous pianist, will make his appearance in Abilene Feb. 4, while the internationally known humorist, Will Rogers, will speak here in the Spring.

## AND THAT'S THAT

Mistress (To new maid): "I am a woman of few words. If I beckon with my finger, that means 'come'."

Maid: "Suits me, mum, I'm a woman of few words, too. If I shake me head, that means 'I ain't comin'."

Robert Estes, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wristen, and Ross Williams, spent Wednesday in Snyder.

## 2 MEN BURNED IN OIL FIELD

Carl Wylie and B. C. Toney were seriously burned Thursday morning at an early hour when the gas from a well on the Ada Brown lease, two miles east of Mineral Wells was ignited from a short in the electric circuit. Gas had been struck late Wednesday evening and the crew were filling with mud preparatory to casing the well, when all at once there was an explosion and the two men were enveloped in the flames and had it not been that their clothing was covered with mud they would have been burned to death. The men with their clothing burned almost off their bodies, got in the car and drove the eleven miles to town, going at once to the Griggs hospital, where Dr. Griggs attended them. Mr. Toney is burned about the face and arms, Mr. Wylie suffered more severe burns being burned about the face, arms and body, the more severe burns being on the back. Miss Graves a special nurse is attending him at the Griggs hospital.

## CALLAHAN CO. GIN BUSY

The Callahan County Gin is running right along, having ginned about 85 bales of cotton since the season opened. They gined 16 bales Wednesday. Cotton was selling at 17.75 and up yesterday.

## MR. ABLES DIES FROM INJURIES

Mr. J. H. Ables, age 79 years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Neubauber, Wednesday afternoon, from injuries received some ten days ago, when he was struck by a car.

The remains were carried yesterday morning to the Rogers cemetery over near Ovalo, for burial by the side of a daughter who died some years ago. This was the former home of the deceased, the family having lived there for years. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Cal C. Wright.

Mr. Ables is survived by an only daughter, Mrs. C. A. Neubauber, and her little son, C. A. Jr. Mrs. Ables died at Brownsville some years ago while the family was living there.

## BANKHEAD CAFE CHANGES HANDS

Mr. A. A. Bertrand has sold the Bankhead Cafe to Messrs. C. M. Henderson and A. B. Tomlinson, of Coleman, who have taken charge of same. Mr. Henderson is an experienced man in this line of business, having been a partner with J. T. Lane in operating the American Cafe at Coleman for some time. He is a son of C. F. Henderson, former county clerk of Coleman county.

We understand Mr. Bertrand will open a Cafe in Coleman and has moved to that place.

## DEEP CREEK MEET CLOSED

The Deep Creek Camp Meeting conducted by Rev. W. E. Hawkins, of the Radio Revival, assisted by Rev. D. L. Cooper, head of the Jewish Department of the Los Angeles Bible Institute, closed Sunday night after a ten days successful meeting. Many people from a distance attended the meeting, some coming and camping for the entire time. Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baird Baptist church conducted the singing during the meeting.

At the closing hour Sunday night it was announced the meeting would be held at the same time next year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Boren, and daughters, Misses Elizabeth, Ruth and Marjory are on an auto trip to the Carlsbad Cavern and other points West.

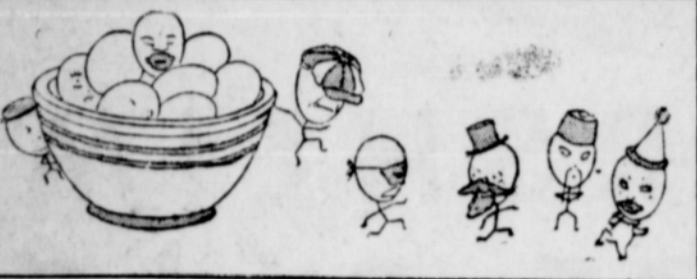


## Eggs In Many Guises

BY JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON  
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SUMMER time, when eggs are both reasonable and plentiful, we should make every possible use of them in our menus. Eggs rank high in the list of foods which build up and furnish the body with minerals and vitamins. (Egg yolk especially is an excellent source of food iron and of vitamins A and B.)

The number of ways in which eggs may be prepared is almost limitless, so do not slip into the habit of serving them always fried or boiled. Egg salads, egg sandwiches and eggs in combination with other foods are a few of the many ways of preparing them for delicious luncheon or supper dishes.



The following recipes suggest a few varieties in their preparation:

**Devilled Egg Salad**—Cut 4 hard boiled eggs in half lengthwise. Mash yolks, season with salt, pepper, butter, prepared mustard and vinegar. Mince Potted Ham may be added if desired. Refill the whites and serve two halves in a nest of crisp lettuce or watercress with a dressing made by mixing 1 cup Mayonnaise and 1/4 cup Chili Sauce.

**Egg and Peanut Butter Salad with Celery**—Cut 6 hard boiled eggs in half lengthwise, remove yolks and mix with 3 tablespoons peanut butter and Mayonnaise to moisten. Fill the whites with this mixture. Serve two halves in a nest

of crisp lettuce and short lengths of celery. Place a spoonful of Mayonnaise over each egg. Garnish with paprika.

**Egg and Olive Sandwiches** are excellent for picnics as they keep moist for long periods. Chop 6 hard boiled eggs, add 1/2 cup stuffed olives (chopped). Moistened with Mayonnaise (about 1/4 cup). Chopped pickles or celery may also be added if desired. Spread on buttered bread or rolls. For picnic, spread in rolls and wrap each in waxed paper.

**Pickled Eggs**—Heat 2 cups vinegar, add 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1/2 teaspoon prepared mustard and 1 teaspoon sugar. In each of six hard boiled eggs stick 4 cloves. Put eggs in a quart jar and pour the hot vinegar over them. Cover and let stand 2 weeks before using. Delicious for picnics or salads, or as an accompaniment to steak.

**Cuban Eggs**—Cook 1/2 cup sausage with 1 teaspoon chopped onion in a skillet for 5 minutes. Add 2 tablespoons chili sauce. Beat eggs until light, season with 1/2 teaspoon salt and a little pepper and pour over the meat. Cook slowly, stirring constantly, until eggs are thick and creamy. Serve over slices of toast.

**Spanish Omelet**—Cook 1 chopped green pepper and 1 tablespoon chopped onion for five minutes in a skillet. Add 1 teaspoon chopped parsley, 1/2 cup chopped olives, and 2 tablespoons Chili Sauce. Add 4 beaten eggs seasoned with salt and pepper. Cook until eggs are done, stirring occasionally.

## Arresting the Pretty Teacher

By CLARISSA MACKIE

THE new sheriff of Armadillo county was looking for a thief, the one who had broken into the schoolhouse and stolen several things belonging to pupils and to Link Larrabee, the school teacher. And so John Wayne, one of the trustees, had called on the sheriff and in his close-mouthed way vouched the information that it would be well to keep an eye on the schoolhouse.

And the first moment that Sheriff Harry Gray turned a pair of handsome, though honest, blue eyes toward the schoolhouse he scented a clew. Presently he heard footsteps on the bare boards inside, the door opened wider and a big girl stepped out, closing the door softly and locking it.

On her arm she carried some clothing, one or two coats and a bright wool cap.

She glanced hurriedly around, then darted around the building and took the trail that led back through the trees toward the river.

"The sheriff smiled grimly, and shook his head. He was a very young sheriff, and it had not been so many years since he had attended that little schoolhouse himself.

"Gee, it's my luck to have to catch a girl, first throw," he grumbled, as he mounted his horse and started up the trail after the girl. "She's a mighty pretty one at that—hair like bronze, and some color! What's she doing with a bunch of old rags—hey!" he called abruptly as she stood aside to let him pass.

"Well?" she asked coolly, but he saw the scared look in her eyes, and hated himself.

"Where you going with all those clothes and things out of the schoolhouse?"

"You want these?" she asked, amazed, holding them out.

He took them from her willing hands, placing them awkwardly across his saddle bow. "I'm right sorry to have to do this," "If you have what you want you had better ride on," she said, stepping back.

"I don't know but what I shall take you along, miss," he said gravely.

"Take me?" There was terror in her voice.

"Yes'm, I should arrest you."

"You? Arrest me?" He was surprised to see that she was holding a little blue-steeled weapon in her right hand.

"Got me covered, eh?" he laughed, but his eyes did not laugh. "Well, are you coming with me?" he asked after another moment.

"No."

"You're under arrest, ma'am."

She frowned a little and then smiled in a friendly way that delighted him. He asked himself why the smile of a mere girl—a girl he was taking to jail, too—should set his heart to galloping.

"Yes, I remember that. I will walk beside you if you don't mind."

He slipped to the ground and tendered his mount. "It's some little ride, miss," he insisted.

Presently she consented, and he lifted her into the big saddle.

"Do you know Mr. Wayne," he asked after they had traveled awhile.

She hesitated. "You mean the school trustee?"

"That's right. I'm taking you to his place, Flint Hills. He sent me to catch somebody who was robbing the schoolhouse, and worse luck, I found you right away, so you've got to see the old gentleman, and if he says lock-up, why I'll be hanged if I take you there!"

"That's good of you!" she said gratefully.

"You can't be from Armadillo county; you wouldn't hold on to a saddle that way," he told her.

"What way would you hold it?" she asked demurely.

"Not at all. Armadillo girls ride like little squaws. Here's old Wayne's place now. If you don't try to squirm out of it, miss, I'll do the best I can for you, but you better come clean and tell me the whole thing," he pleaded earnestly.

She bent her head and smiled, then she lifted it proudly. "I'm not trying to squirm out of anything. It is simple. I left some things in the schoolhouse—in fact, my trunk was left there by mistake, and I couldn't get anyone to take it to the ranch, so I needed some clothes and I went down and took them out of my trunk. Some one will come for my trunk tomorrow, and now—" She smiled at him wickedly.

"Who are you?" he asked abruptly.

"The new school teacher—stopping at Mr. Wayne's if you please, Mr. Sheriff, and now that we are here, may I have my things? And oh, thank you!"

She watched him ride away, admiring the swaying grace of horse and rider. "He said he was sorry," she smiled to herself. "I know he isn't sorry, and I am glad, but I was afraid at first. I thought he was a real bandit." She leaned against the post and laughed helplessly.

"You seem mighty happy," granted Mr. Wayne, as he loped across the yard.

"I'm going to be," she ventured daringly. For once their eyes had met and clung, she knew he would come riding back again, and yet again.

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Kissing Festival Held

Berne, Switzerland, recently held a kissing festival. The streets were gayly decorated, and from noon to sunset boys and girls had the privilege of kissing any of the opposite sex they met. The idea, handed down from ancient rites, took so well that snuggles were heard in all parts of the town during the "open season" hours.

## About the Limit

"I want to go on record for this one," said plump Penelope, "because I saw it myself. It was in the subway the other morning. You wouldn't think a person hurrying to his office bright and early would be absent-minded, would you? But the well-dressed man right in front of me tossed his dime to the floor and stepped on it and then tried to drop his cigarette into the turnstile."—Boston Transcript.

## HEAL THOSE SORE GUMS

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## Give The Bride A "Recipe Shower"



By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON  
Director, Home Economics Dept.,  
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*Creamed Veal and Olive Patties*  
*Sunshine Salad*  
*Chopped Celery and Nut Sandwiches*  
*Graham Cracker Pie*  
*Coffee*

ARE you planning to entertain for a bride this season? If you are, a recipe shower will not only be novel and enjoyable to the guests, but will be greatly appreciated by the new bride.

In a fashion, it is a kitchen shower—each guest tying to her gift half a dozen of her favorite family recipes suggesting uses for the gift. For instance, if one has a set of sandwich cutters for the bride, give her sandwich recipes; if a casserole, meat recipes; if a nest of bowls, cake recipes and so on.

If the shower is also a luncheon, the following menu for a plate luncheon is most attractive as well as easily prepared and served.

Using sprigs of watercress, divide the luncheon plates into four sections; in one section serve the veal patty, in another a mound of tiny pickles, in the third the salad, and in the fourth the sandwiches. This makes an attractive plate.

**Cream Veal and Olive Patties**—Melt, in a saucepan, 3 tablespoons butter, add 3 tablespoons flour and stir until well blended. Add 2 cups milk and cook until thick. Season with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce. Add 1 1/2 cups diced cold veal (roast or stewed) and 1/2 cup stuffed olives, sliced. Serve in bread patties, garnished with a sprig of parsley or a slice of olive.

Cut stale bread into slices 2 inches thick. Remove crust and scoop out as much as possible from the center. Brush with butter and brown in oven. These make delicious patty shells.

**Sunshine Salad**—Dissolve 1 package of Lemon Jello in 1 1/2 cups boiling water. When mixture begins to thicken, fold in 1 cup grated carrot and 1 cup crushed pineapple from which the juice has been drained. Pour into individual molds, chill and serve in crisp lettuce cup garnished with a spoonful of Mayonnaise Dressing.

**Graham Cracker Pie**—Mix 2 cups fine graham cracker crumbs with 1/2 cup butter and 1/4 cup sugar. Put this mixture into a pie pan, reserving 1/2 cupful. Bake in a moderate oven for 10 minutes (the crust will become crisp and firm in the baking). Cool and fill with the following custard.

**Custard**—To 2 cups scalded milk add 1/4 cup sugar mixed with 1/2 cup flour. Cook until thick, stirring constantly. Add 2 egg yolks and cook until thick again. Cool, flavor with vanilla, pour into pie shell, cover with meringue. Sprinkle with reserved crumbs and brown in oven.

### Fame Awaits Film

One of these days some fellow is going to hurt himself into immortal fame by reaching his ninety-fifth birthday and telling reporters he knows nothing about practically everything.—Huntington Advertiser.

### Prexy Has Much to Learn

A college president says the young man's most difficult problem is choosing the right girl to marry. Which proves that the prexy has funny ideas as to who does the choosing.

### Not Administrative Body

The Bureau of Education has no administrative functions, except those connected with the expenditure of funds appropriated by congress for the maintenance of colleges of agriculture and mechanic arts (land grant colleges) in the states and in Hawaii and Porto Rico, and laws connected with the education, employment and relief of the blind.

### Origin Lost in Antiquity

The martial air for song, "The Campbells Are Coming," is described as being very old. Music authorities say that this piece is simply regarded as an old Scotch folk song, and no one knows the origin of the music, so far as authorship is concerned.

### Ancient Chinese Toy

The tangram is an old Chinese toy of uncertain origin and history. It consists of seven flat pieces of card or thin wood. They are five triangles, a diamond and a square, which can be arranged in a great many forms.

### Use Black Bedding

By using black sheets and pillow cases instead of white, an Italian physician reports good results in persuading unruly patients to go to sleep. The doctor declares that the plan is effective with some persons in insomnia cases.—Popular Mechanics.

## NEW WAYS TO COOK CARROTS

By CAROLINE B. KING  
Culinary Expert and Lecturer on Domestic Sciences.

LACK of sufficient vitamins in the diet is one of the commonest causes of poor health and susceptibility to disease. But although most of us know this, it is sometimes difficult to induce the family to eat just those vegetables which are of particular value because of their high vitamin content. Frequently, the difficulty is due to the way the vegetables are cooked. We've been cooking some of them in the same old way for so many years that we have grown tired of their inevitable sameness.

Carrots have the highest vitamin content of all of the root vegetables, yet the carrot is one of the vegetables that has suffered most from the fact that it is almost invariably cooked in one of a few standard ways. It has suffered undeservedly, for there are all sorts of ways in which carrots can be prepared so as to give them the added zest of novelty. A special tip to remember when you are boiling carrots, is to put about a tablespoon of sugar in the water. The sugar both adds to their food value and brings out their flavor.

**Carrot Loaf** will help you to impress the family with your skill and ingenuity in the culinary art. It's easy to prepare, too. Scrape the carrots and boil in sweetened water until tender. Mash and to a pint of the pulp add two well-beaten eggs, a half teaspoon of salt, a quarter teaspoon of pepper, two tablespoons of sugar, and a quarter cup of cream. Pour into a well-buttered mold. Stand this in a pan of hot water, and bake in a moderate oven until firm. Turn out on a hot platter and surround with peas, or serve with a white sauce.

**Glazed Carrots With Mint**—In just enough water to prevent burning, cook three cups of sliced carrots until tender. Not more than one-fourth cup of water should re-



main at the end of the cooking. Season with three tablespoons butter, three tablespoons sugar, salt and a dash of nutmeg. Cook about three minutes. Sprinkle with one tablespoon finely minced mint leaves and serve immediately.

**Candied Carrots**—Cook carrots until partly tender in boiling water to which a tablespoonful of sugar has been added. If carrots are large cut in three slices; small carrots, cut in half. Then place in a baking dish and sprinkle the carrots with salt, pepper and granulated sugar. Dot generously with butter. Bake until nicely browned.

**Carrot Chips**—Scrape the carrots and cut them in thin slices, allowing one pound of sugar to each pound of carrots; also half a cup of lemon juice. Place the sliced carrots in layers in a preserving kettle, sprinkling each layer with the sugar. Pour the lemon juice over all and let marinate for twenty-four hours. Then add water to cover and a few pieces of green ginger root, scraped and cut in thin slices. Simmer the carrot slices until they are tender, then set aside to cool. After four days drain the syrup from the carrots and cook it slowly till very thick. Place the carrots in jars, pour the hot syrup over them and seal when cool.

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THIS DEMOCRACY OF OURN

By Richard H. McCarty

It's the biggest political structure  
ever builded on earth—It's wealth,  
power and influence in the financial  
and political realm overwhelms us  
—It's the most complex machine  
in the civilized world—It's complex-  
ities staggers and baffles, not  
only the lay mind, but that of the  
most powerful thinkers—The suck-  
ers and sprouts that have grown  
up around the trunk of this tree  
of Liberty may in time sap its  
strength—If we don't watch out,  
the many and varied interests that  
we are ever loading into this  
government cart, it will in time  
become top heavy.

Politics, business and religion  
in one pot is a dangerous mixture,  
they won't blend an dstay blended  
—It will finally boil over—Too  
many work hands around the pot—  
The wealth of America is the mar-  
vel of the civilized world, our re-  
sources, our earning power and the  
genius of American brains is our  
trinity of financial strength—  
Our total gross annual income is  
"high" onto one hundred billion  
dollars, not less than eighty billion  
anyhow, and something like twenty  
billion of this is net profits, added  
to our national wealth each year  
—Can you comprehend it? A billion  
dollars is just vest pocket change  
when it comes to government doc-  
uments, and as yet, it has not be-  
gun to pinch the corns of the in-  
habitants of this country—But is  
there a limit? Will we finally reach  
the saturation point? The machine  
age is here and American genius  
has brought about the major share  
of labor saving machinery. Fifty  
years ago, a man and mule hitched  
onto a bultongue plow broke  
an acre of land per day—Today a  
man and machine hooked onto a  
bunch of gang plows breaks up  
twenty, forty or fifty acres per  
day—A little while back it took  
three men and two mules to plant  
a row of corn—Today one man and  
a machine plants four rows at one  
drive—9 half century ago we drove  
an oxcart to mill nine miles, it  
took us all day to make the drive—  
We drove over that old mill road  
the other day in an auto, and we  
drove it one way, nine miles in  
eleven minutes—Visited an American  
manufacturing concern the  
other day and witnessed the work-  
ing of a machine that drove one  
million six hundred thousand nails  
per day, Why great god of Democ-  
racy, no wonder we are rich, this  
modern day machinery has increas-  
ed our earning powers and hundred  
two hundred, yes a thousand fold  
—Why no, one thousand men could  
drive a million nails in a day—The  
major share of the world's gold  
supply is ours. The American dol-  
lar is the king of finance in the  
marts of trade, has superseded the  
English Pound—In man power, re-  
sources, and in wealth, we are the  
masters of human destiny—Maybe  
so too rich, and we see it, the dan-  
ger line ahead of us is, too much  
government.

NEW YORK FOR TEXAS?

Senator Tom Love announces  
that he will make a New York race  
for the Texas governorship. He  
says he will run on an anti-Tam-

many ticket and since we have no  
Tammany in Texas and they do  
have Tammany and Anti-Tammany  
tickets in New York surely he ex-  
pects to be somewhat operatic in  
reproducing a New York race in  
Texas politics. Entirely too roma-  
ntic Tommie.

Governor Roosevelt, of New York  
is an anti-Tammany Democrat but  
when a good Tammany Democrat  
like Al Smith is developed he helps  
to nominate him and then supports  
him. Just so down here in Texas,  
That's the way we did with Grover  
Cleveland and others and that's  
what the country will continue to  
do if the country keeps sound at  
heart.

This pharisaical doctrine that "no  
good can come out of Nazareth"  
ought to be exploded somewhere  
down the line.

One Dr. James Cannon, Jr. who  
joined Mr. Love in bitter attacks  
upon Al Smith and used his mem-  
bership in Tammany and the Catho-  
lic church as though these connec-  
tions would poison his wonderful  
acts of wisdom and righteousness as  
an executive. They didn't discuss his  
record but rather Tammany and  
the Catholic church.

It was neither Tammany nor the  
Catholic church that induced Bish-  
op Cannon, Jr. to speculate on the  
stock exchange and the acts of  
Tammany and the Catholic church  
are not going to hurt the South-  
ern Methodist church but a gamb-  
ling Methodist Bishop will do hurt  
to the Southern Methodist church  
if some means is not found to side  
track this official elected for life  
in Southern Methodism who goes  
to New York to speculate.

This is a free country and Texas  
is a big State. We have problems  
that offer an open field without  
going to New York for an issue  
and if we ever cure Texas troubles  
it will be done by devoting Texas  
minds to Texas affairs.

This writer has been Anti-Tam-  
many—at long range—but pro-  
Cleveland and pro-Smith on Democ-  
ratic records and we desire to  
look the Texas record of those de-  
siring to serve Texas over in the  
next campaign and positively re-  
fuse to get excited over any Dema-  
gogic effort to arouse our preju-  
dice against other States where  
they ought to have the same right  
to act the fool a little and produce  
a few crooks that Texas has. If  
we have not that natural right in  
Texas we have fudged. Indeed we  
have.

Make a Texas race Tommie or  
don't run. Our court system needs  
overhauling, our corporation rid-  
den State needs a Jim Hogz bath  
while our prejudice being wrought  
up only gives the thieves a better  
chance to steal and New York  
politics will not save this State  
neither will New York gambling  
give glory to the Southern Metho-  
dist Church. These are home af-  
fairs, brethren.  
Greenville Messenger, July 11,

Sunset Musings

"Softly the evening came,  
The sun, from the western  
horizon, like a magician, ex-  
tended its golden wand o'er  
the landscape."  
—Longfellow.

By J. Marvin Nichols,  
Dallas, Texas

A man may own a palace—he  
may own a hovel—and then have  
no home.

If trouble were a bull you could  
bet on some one being the red flag.

A great many will court the  
friendship of an angel just to get  
to borrow his wings.

Just as well accept the truth and  
have done with it—the stronger  
will always have the most, what-  
ever that may be.

A great many good people who  
make no sort of effort to own a  
shack down here have no hesita-  
ncy in singing about their mansion in  
the skies.

Every act completes its circuit.  
Each one that goes must return to  
us again. You are your own fate.  
Destiny is self-determined. We cre-  
ate our hells and we make our  
heavens.

In order to be classed with the  
crowd and gang with the bunch  
some would forsake their best friend  
and ignore the sacredness of  
any bond. Some day the winds are  
going to shift and these deluded  
hearts will find themselves woe-  
fully in the lurch.

Some are too cowardly to pull  
up the anchor and face the open  
sea. You can't make progress when  
you drag the anchor. The flukes  
will hold somewhere and you'll rock  
idly in a placid haven. Storm or  
no storm, turn toward the bound-  
less deep. That's infinitely better  
than the ceaseless and unchanging  
harbor.

LET CONGRESS HEAR LEGION  
PLEA FOR SICK VETERANS"

"When the American Legion  
meets in annual convention at  
Louisville, Ky., next month its  
members will face a bounden duty  
to their sick and disabled comrades  
in the Great War which it would  
be cowardly to dodge.

"For only the Legion can con-  
vince the American people how  
seriously to blame are their Sena-  
tors and Representatives in Con-  
gress for the fact that the Fed-  
eral Government is making no ade-  
quate provisions to provide hospi-  
tal care for thousands of veterans  
now in need of it, and for the addi-  
tional thousands that soon will be  
in need of such care.

"This is not a guess. Here are  
the figures of the United States  
Veterans Bureau. These show that  
on the first of last July there were  
more than 1,000 veterans unable  
to be hospitalized because of lack  
of beds, and nearly one thousand  
more in State and civil institutions  
who should be in Federal hospitals.

"Especially distressing is the  
condition of those veterans who are  
mentally ill. A survey of State  
and civil institutions for the in-  
sane which was made within three  
months is appalling. It shows that  
there are approximately 7,000 ser-  
vice men suffering from mental  
diseases confined in those insti-  
tutions, who must ultimately be  
taken care of in hospitals oper-  
ated by the Federal Government.

"And in some of these non-Federal  
institutions the overcrowding is  
as frightful as among the in-  
mates of our Federal prisons.

"Beds are crowded together in  
some dormitories, says the new  
Jersey commission of institutions,  
necessitating patients crawling  
over one another to get into their  
beds. Hallways and corridors, the  
only space available for patients  
in the day time, are turned into  
dormitories.

"In rooms which normally should  
not house more than one, two or  
three patients, there are as many  
as three, six and seven. Beds are  
jammed into rooms so that the  
doors are blocked and entrance and  
exit are difficult."

"Yet the Congress of the weal-  
thiest nation on the face of the  
earth, at its last session, delib-  
erately refused to pass the bill re-  
commended by the Director of the  
Veterans Bureau providing for 3,  
576 additional beds at a cost of  
11,480,000. Meanwhile the number  
of cases is increasing all the time.

"At the hearings on this bill it  
was brought out that it requires  
more than three years to construct  
a hospital after legislative authori-  
ty has been granted.

"Nobody who knows the Ameri-  
can people, nobody who has any  
faith in them would believe that  
they begrudge their every sick and  
disabled defender with the colors  
in the Great War the best hospital  
treatment that a grateful nation  
can provide.

"But the American people have  
been misled by those who were elected  
to represent them in both Houses  
of Congress. Because Congress, with  
all the facts before it, failed to  
authorize the building of the addi-  
tional hospitals which the facts  
and the figures show are abso-  
lutely essential.

"What the American Legion tells  
them about the condition of their  
sick and disabled comrades, the  
American people will believe. What  
the Legion tells them about the  
neglect of which Congress is guilty  
the people will also believe.

"No Congress will dare to defy  
the wrath of the American people  
when they possess themselves of  
the truth that the American Leg-  
ion is so well qualified to give  
them about this vital business."

Think On These  
Things

For whosoever shall keep the  
whole law, and yet offend in one  
point, he is guilty of all.

For he that said, Do not commit  
adultery, said also, Do not kill!  
Now if thou commit no adultery, yet  
if thou kill, (or break any other  
commandment) thou art become  
a transgressor of the law.—James.

Out of a total of 5,036 accidents  
at highway grade crossings in 1928,  
1,275 were due to motor cars crash-  
ing into the sides of trains, which  
were either standing still or in  
motion. This was an increase of  
9.7 per cent over similar accidents  
during the preceding year.

The average rainfall over Texas  
as a whole is 31.08 inches. There  
is a difference of 35 inches between  
the annual rainfall in extreme East  
Texas and extreme West Texas—  
the Beaumont area showing 45  
inches and El Paso 10 inches.

Texas and Texans

By WILL H. MAYES

Valley Citrus Fruits

The importance of the citrus  
fruit industry to Texas is shown in  
the statement that there are now  
5,000,000 citrus-fruit trees in the  
Lower Rio Grande Valley, an in-  
crease of 1,500,000 within the last  
year. There are some 70,000 acres  
planted to citrus fruits in the Val-  
ley alone.

When it is considered that ex-  
tensive plantings have been made  
almost from Eagle Pass to Brown-  
sville and as far north as San An-  
tonio, some idea of the future of  
the industry in Texas may be had.  
It begins to look like it will not  
be many years before Texas will  
lead Florida and California in the  
production of citrus fruits.

Just now the problem is to pre-  
vent the invasion of the Mediter-  
ranean fly that is playing such  
havoc with the fruits in Florida,  
but due to the early activity of  
both the National and State govern-  
ments, it is believed that this will  
be done.

Pecos Country Cantaloupes

Did you ever eat a Pecos cantaloupe? If not, you have a treat  
ahead of you should you ever be  
where they are sold. There is  
something about the altitude, the  
soil and the water that makes  
them better than the ordinary  
being shipped from Pecos this sea-  
son, and the success of the growers  
will probably increase the ship-  
ments to several thousand cars  
next year.

East Texas Towns Get Gas

A string of East Texas towns,  
including Jefferson, Linden, Pitts-  
burg, Gilmer, Hughes Springs,  
Omaha, Daingerfield, Winnboro,  
Naples, Mount Vernon, Mount  
Pleasant and Avinger, covering a  
pipe line distance of 130 miles, de-  
spite Texarkana's present troubles  
over gas rates, have closed con-  
tracts by which they expect to get  
natural gas by December 1. Nat-  
ural gas is one of the best of mod-  
ern conveniences, and with the  
abundance of gas beneath the sur-  
face it should be made available  
to every one.

Profitable Grape Crops

Two vineyards planted near De-  
catur less than three years ago  
have yielded their first marketable  
crop of grapes, which brought re-  
turns of \$200 an acre. The Car-  
man was the variety that made  
the largest yields, having produced  
at the rate of two tons the acres  
A large part of the crop was sold  
at roadside stands in five pound  
baskets to tourists. Much of the  
Texas soil is well adapted to grape  
culture.

Completing Old Spanish Trail

Kimble county is tarvitiating four-  
teen miles of the Old Spanish Trail  
and will soon complete the re-  
maining 10 miles in that county,  
thus building its part of the great  
highway, which will be the best  
allweather road through Texas to  
the Pacific Coast.

In doing this, Kimble county is  
taking a step that will make that  
section famous as a tourist resort.  
With its beautiful scenery, its fine  
climate, and its great fishing and  
hunting grounds, the country a-  
round Junction has only needed to  
be fore accessible to tourist travel.

Texarkana Gas Hike

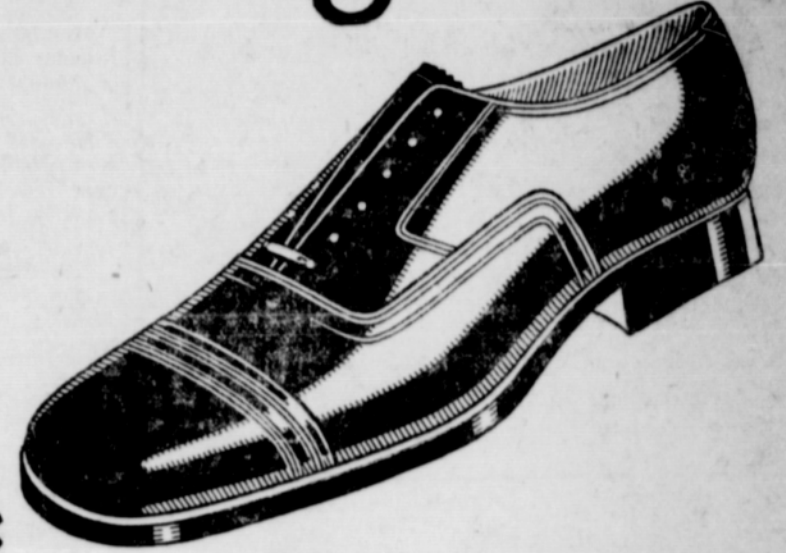
Just about the time that the peo-  
ple get to enjoying a thing so  
much that they think they can't  
get along without it, prices are  
hiked until it has to be classed as  
a luxury. That is what the people  
of Texarkana, both in Arkansas  
and Texas, are saying about nat-  
ural gas, the utility company hav-  
ing asked for increased rates of  
more than 30 per cent, although  
there does not seem to be any  
shortage of production in the nat-  
ural gas fields of either Arkansas  
or Texas.

Air-Minded Memphis

Memphis expects to enroll  
twenty members in a flying club  
which will buy a \$3,000 airplane  
that will accommodate two pas-  
sengers and a pilot. An instructor  
has been secured and will teach  
the Memphians how to fly. Mem-  
bership in the organization costs  
\$100.00, and members will be as-  
sessed \$15.00 a month for ten mon-  
ths and have the privilege of tak-  
ing flying lessons at \$5.00 a lesson.  
Flying is no longer a fad or pas-  
time. It is fast becoming a busi-  
ness necessity.

A banker who does business in  
Dallas, but has a home in Ecol  
county, is now making a regular  
trips daily from his to his bank,  
reaching the bank each day in time  
for business to eat his evening

Closing Week



The  
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meal at home.

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Van Horn will soon have a \$150,-  
000 hotel, which is being built by  
an El Paso man to provide accom-  
modations for the crowds of Tex-  
as and Eastern tourists enroute  
to and from Carlsbad Cavern.

EULA LOCALS

August, 26.—Well how is The  
Star force?

We are still dry out this way.  
Cotton picking will begin in full  
force this week, if it don't cease  
a freeze. We don't think rain will  
bother.

We are thankful for good health  
A little hard on the doctors, but  
they will save gas.

We are having lots of preaching  
this summer. We imagine the pre-  
achers think of the scriptures where  
it says go about price for I am  
sure the money is coming up short  
for the farmers are all of wed  
up.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barr, of  
Cross Plains, called on Mr. and  
Mrs. R. P. Stephenson one day last  
week and we were sure glad to see  
them. We had the pleasure of  
seeing Sam and Mrs. Barr married  
27 years ago.

Commissioner Hammons is sure  
doing some good work on our  
roads. He is putting gravel on our  
low places. What we must do  
is to get right in behind Mr.  
Hammons and help him. Mr. Ham-  
mons is a man who will go fifty-  
fifty with anybody. You know I  
believe in flowers while they live  
for when we are dead we are a  
long time dead.

P. C. Steen, of Clyde, was in  
Clyde one day last week.

A. L. Johnson, of Clyde was in  
Eula Friday shaking hands with  
old friends. Prof. Johnson and Mrs.  
Johnson taught school here four  
years ago. Mr. Johnson is a fine  
man and a good teacher. He and  
Mrs. Johnson are entering their  
second year as teachers in the  
Baird school this year.

D. A. Farrar, made a business  
trip to Abilene, one day this week.  
Mr. Farrar has his daughter and  
son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. D.  
Morris of Arizona, visiting them  
this week.

We are looking for lots of can-  
didates next year. As times are so  
hard, we hope they will wait until  
1930 to throw their hats in the  
ring.

Sure sorry to hear about my  
good friend Eugene Finley, being  
seriously ill. I consider Mr. Fin-  
ley one one among the best men  
I ever know and I am glad I can  
take him by the hand and call  
him my friend.

Patsie.

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of Bleach Cream you buy you will  
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an equally cordial invitation to make  
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## ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS

Please Phone News Items To Number 8

Mrs. Clifford Jones spent the past week with her brother, George G. Carter, and family at Abilene.

Mrs. Frank Harp and Mrs. Rebecca Curry, spent several days in Temple the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Estes and Mrs. Este's father, J. M. Cummings left Sunday for Oklahoma for a ten days visit.

Miss Wilma Cooke has returned to her home in Winters after a weeks visit with her cousin, Miss Julia Cooke.

Miss Maida Beasley has returned from Memphis Tenn. where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. Dennis, for several weeks.

Bob Blakley and son, Billy, of Aspermont, came down Wednesday to see Mrs. Blakley, who is a patient in the Griggs Hospital.

Mrs. W. F. Mullins and son, Jack and Mr. Allen Lindsey, of Sweetwater spent Friday with Miss Ruby Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDermott and daughter, Bettie Joe, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Abilene, where they formerly lived.

Mrs. W. E. Lowe, of DeLeon, and Mrs. Arthur Yonge, of Post visited their mother, Mrs. M. L. Teeple, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Estes, of Oklahoma City are visiting Mr. Estes parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes.

Mrs. Don C. Carter and children Haynie and Don Jr., returned to their home in Big Spring, Monday after a ten days visit with Mrs. Carter's mother, Mrs. W. E. Gilliland.

Misses Nellie and Genia Bell Herron, daughters of Mrs. A. A. Herron, spent Saturday and Sunday with their grand-mother, Mrs. H. L. Watkins, in Abilene.

Miss Marie Davenport, of Midlothian is visiting Miss Ruth Simons. The young ladies are classmates in Trinity University.

Pat Bounds returned home Tuesday from San Antonio where he recently received his discharge from the United States Army. He served in the Medical Corps at Fort Sam Houston.

Charnel Harp and M. B. Nichols, Jr. left Sunday by auto for Fort Collins, Colorado, where they will resume their studies in the A & M College.

Mrs. P. C. Caylor and daughter, Miss Mary, who spent the past several months in Baird, have returned to Fort Worth to make their home.

James C. Asbury, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Asbury have returned from a trip to the Carlsbad Cavern and other points west. Miss Glyndol Elliott, who accompanied them stopped at Spur to visit her sister, Mrs. Chas Powell.

A. C. Gentry, received a message Wednesday notifying him of the death of his father, at Gonzales. Mr. and Mrs. Gentry left at noon for Gonzales to attend the funeral.

Tom Walker, of North Texas, is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. P. Walker, who has been ill for some weeks.

Many a fellow has found out that when a girl's love settles upon him, it is a costly shop-worn article.

Miss Evalyn La Londa of El Paso is visiting friends in Baird this week.

Freight movement so far this year has been the largest in history. During the first six months of the year Class 1 railroads handled 25,596,938 carloads of revenue freight, which exceeded the previous best record for the same six months by 75,898 cars. The loadings in the first half of the year exceeded those of the same period last year by 1,135,165 cars.

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### BRUMMETT FAMILY HOLD REUNION AT SCRANTON SUNDAY

For the first time in sixteen years Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brummett and their six children were reunited in one group when the family gathered Sunday at the Brummett home in Scranton. Thirty-two children, grand children and great grand children were present for the occasion, going to Scranton from Abilene, Hamby, Cisco, and Chattanooga and Loveland, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Brummett came to Callahan county from Collin county in 1892, and have made their home there since. They have been married for forty-seven years, and have 19 grand children and seven great grand children. Mrs. Brummett was born February 27, 1862 in Louisiana and came to Texas at the age of five. Mr. Brummett was born in Collin county October 29, 1859.

Childrn present were J. E. Eastus of Loveland, Okla., Robert N. Eastus of Abilene, S. H. Brummett and B. B. Brummett of Scranton, J. H. Brummett of Hamby, and Mrs. A. C. Skiles of Cisco. @randchildren attending were Mrs. E. R. Smith of Chattanooga, Okla.; Idell and Donald Eastus of Loveland; Mrs. H. H. Ledbetter of Scranton; Bennie and Clara May Brummett of Scranton; Maurine, Annie Ruth, Robert LeNelle, Olivia, Mack and Alex Eastus of Abilene; and Birma Lee Brummett of Hamby.

Great grand children present were Evelyn and Raymond Smith of Chattanooga. Others present were Mms. J. E. Eastus, Robert N. Eastus, S. H. Brummett, B. B. Brummett, J. H. Brummett, Mr. A. C. Skiles of Cisco, H. H. Ledbetter of Scranton and Hadasah Boland of Scranton.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH

Cal C. Wright, Pastor

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. We are having a fine attendance, and hope that you will be present next Sunday.

Preaching at the eleven o'clock hour. At this time the Lord's Supper will be observed. We want you to stay for Church.

Epworth League at 6:30. Are you attending the Baptist Revival? If not why not? We hope that the entire Methodist Church membership will be present at the Baptist Revival Sunday night and every night.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

S. F. McCaffity, Pastor

Because of the Baptist Meeting, the Sunday school, preaching at the morning hour, and the Young peoples meeting at 6:45 will be all the services we will have Sunday, and the week following. All are urged to be present in these services. You are needed for your presence and prayers.

It is hoped that you will attend the Baptist meeting and get all you can out of it and do what you can to lead people to Christ and Christians to live a better life.

### DEDICATED TO LIEUTENANT G. W. WILLIAMS, CONFEDERATE SOLDIER

Tramp! Tramp! Tramp!  
Into the great unknown,  
Another soldier is marching  
On to his heavenly home.  
His footsteps are not feble now,  
His eye sight is not dim;  
Eternal youth has touched his brow  
And made him strong again.  
Four score years and more  
This soldier has carried on,  
We should not grudge his final rest  
Or grieve that he is gone.  
Although he left upon the eve  
Of this reunion here,  
He's gone to march with the other boys  
That some to him were dear.  
He's going to be reunited  
With the band that's gonebefore  
And join again the ranks of old  
To leave his post no more,  
And when the final reveille  
Has called them all to stand  
He'll march with a greater General  
Into a greater land.

Lieutenant William was a brother of Worth Williams of Clyde, who with his family attended the funeral which was held at San the old Soldier's Reunion at Christoval. He was 90 years of age.

### PIANO CLASS

I shall begin my fall piano class Sept. 9th. A special course in hymn playing will be offered and I expect to organize a "Junior Glee Chorus", of children from the ages of 8 to 12. The work will consist of Junior two part choruses, musical plays, Operetta's, musical Readings, Costume drills and etc. Class work tuition \$3.50 per month. I would be glad to see and talk to any one interested in any of this work.

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"Indeed I do, I've just paid for hats for nine daughters."

Port O'Connor Whale Show  
Port O'Connor has been having a show of a kind that has drawn thousands of visitory, a whale 80 feet in length. The huge whale was stranded on a reef some eleven miles out, and excursion boats have been doing an immense business taking people out to see it. The largest whale ever known measured 88 feet, but many have been found 76 feet long.



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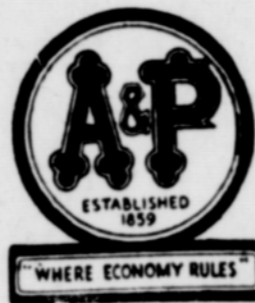
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### French Cooks Know Secret of Bringing Out Delicate Flavors

By: CHARLES SCOTTO, Chef, Ambassador Hotel, Park Avenue, New York City.

AMERICAN cooking is getting better all the time, but there still remains room for improvement. The chief fault lies in a certain tastelessness, or monotony of taste, which sometimes results in taking the edge off the appetite. Particularly in the case of vegetables, the women of this country are just beginning to learn how to make the most of some of the delicious products of the garden.

In France, on the other hand, methods of seasoning that give added zest to vegetable dishes have long been familiar to all experienced cooks and one of the seasoning agents most frequently used for this purpose is sugar. A small amount helps to restore the natural sweetness which the vegetable may have lost after being picked, and when two or more vegetables are cooked together, it serves to blend their contrasting flavors.

A considerable number of American housewives have always used sugar in cooking a few vegetables, but the secret of its general use is comparatively little known in this country, although recently a number of domestic science experts have conducted experiments in this method of vegetable cookery, and have found, as have the French cooks, that it immensely improves the tastiness of the dish.

**Spinach Hainaut** is one of the dishes to which the expert French cook always adds a small amount of sugar. Clean the spinach well and cook for ten minutes in as little water as possible; usually enough will cling to the leaves after they have been washed. Then chop fine and drain well. Fry three or four very thin slices of bacon, cut in small pieces and add to the spinach. To the fat in the pan add one tablespoon flour, one tablespoon sugar, one-quarter teaspoon mustard, one cup vinegar, and one and a quarter cups water. Cook until thick and pour over a quart of cooked spinach. Stir slightly and serve.



Chef Scotto in His Kitchen

**Asparagus With Butter Sauce**—Cook a bunch of asparagus for a half hour in boiling, salted water to which a teaspoon of sugar has been added. While the asparagus is cooking, brown a tablespoon of cracker dust in a half teaspoon of butter, with a few drops of onion juice, a pinch of powdered sugar, and a pinch of salt and black pepper. Drain the asparagus and place on a platter. Sprinkle over the tips a teaspoon of the browned, dry cracker-crumbs. Serve with boiling hot butter, mixed with the remainder of the browned cracker crumbs.

**Carrots and Cheese**—Mince twelve medium-size carrots. Add a teaspoon of sugar and steam until tender. Put into a baking dish. Sprinkle liberally with cheese and a little salt and pepper. Beat three eggs and stir into a pint of milk that has been put on the stove to heat. Let the mixture thicken; then pour over the carrots and cheese. Add more cheese for a top dressing. Put the baking dish in a pan of water and place in the oven to brown.

### Did You Ever Stop To Think?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla.

That in this day and time the future growth of a city depends upon its industrial development. The more really worth while industries a city has the more industries, workers, investors, and families will be attracted there, and it cannot be denied that the backbone of a city is its industries and its working people.

The stories of the growth of some cities are dramatic stories of business-like methods in city building; many of them are stories of success achieved in the face of discouragements and almost insurmountable difficulties. What these cities have done others can do if they have the spirit and the courage to do so.

The time has arrived when those cities who have been letting opportunities pass should wake up and display more energy in making their advantages known to the outside world.

No industry or investor is seeking a location in an "electric lighted grave yard." They want to locate a city whose beacon light can be seen after—a city that is alive knows it and tells the world about it.

Many of the most progressive and fastest growing cities are in that happy condition because they have raised publicity funds, realizing that they must advertise their advantages and opportunities in the newspapers in order to attract industries and investors.

A city must use the same methods in securing new people and capital to aid in its development as the successful business must do to keep growing. It must have the goods and then advertise in the newspapers so all may know what they have and where it is.

A city that is not good enough to advertise its advantages is the city that investors and men setting a location for industries pass by on their way to the city that does.

It's just "too bad" about the city that does not believe in itself enough to tell others. It simply remains among the unknown dead.

#### WINTER GARDEN FOLLIES AT WEST TEXAS FAIR, ABILENE

ABILENE, Texas, August 29.—Liberal praise is being given the Winter Garden Follies, the musical show which is to play in front of the grandstand at the West Texas Fair in this city each evening during the week of September 23-28, by newspapers and fair executives in North and South Dakota and Iowa.

The show started its tour for the current season in North Dakota about thirty days ago and is coming south, making stands at the larger fairs en route and apparently giving the patrons of those exhibitions much satisfaction.

At some of the fairs this revue has played, high admission prices have been charged, but that hasn't seemed to keep the people from going to see it. At Burlington, Iowa, on the opening night of the Tri-State Fair, over 5,000 people were in the grandstand for the presentation of the show, and according to the Burlington Hawk-Eye, the crowd on the second night was much larger.

When the Winter Garden Follies comes to Abilene, it will be presented free of admission charge to patrons of the fair. The show has been bought outright for the week by the association, and after a person pays the general fair admission at the main gate, no other charge will be made for the grandstand show.

#### JUST LIKE OLD TIMES

Adam and Eve came back to earth to see the latest styles. Said Eve to Adam—"It seems to me, the styles are about the same as they used to be."

### Special Editions Printed to Hide News of Death

Yonkers, N. Y.—Because the news of the death of Albert C. Odell, construction superintendent of the New York Telephone company, might prove fatal to his daughter, who was a patient in Yonkers General hospital, the Yonkers Herald recently published an edition especially for the daughter, omitting the obituary of Mr. Odell.

Plans were made to send the special copy of the Herald to the hospital, where Mrs. Hazel Grady, the daughter, and a regular reader of the paper, might read it without learning of the death. When the special copy was run off it was discovered two fraternal organizations had inserted paid notices referring to the death.

Again the edition was remade and the notices taken out. Mrs. Grady did not learn of her father's death until several days later, when her condition had improved.

### Turtle Carries Boy's Initials for 45 Years

Wiltman, Mass.—Some forty-five years ago a small boy, L. L. Phinney, while playing near a small brook near his home in Plympton found a big turtle basking in the sunlight. He carved his initials on the shell. The other day, L. L. Phinney, now chief of police here, revisited the scenes of his childhood. A big turtle was sunning itself. Examination revealed the inscription, still clear, "L. L. P. 1884."

### Girl 13 Writes Reviews of 312 Books in Year

Marshalltown, Iowa.—Adelaide Hamilton, aged thirteen, is what might be called a book worm. Last fall her teacher instructed the class it would be necessary for each to read four books during the year. This spring she inquired how many had complied with the order and what books had been read. Adelaide reported she had read 312 books in the year and written short reviews of each.

### Quickly Gets Back Old Time Strength

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"On account of my work I was forced to eat and sleep irregularly for a long time, with the result that I became very run down and debilitated. Chronic indigestion gradually and kept me in would suffer terrible pains after every meal, no matter how light it was. At night these pains robbed me of sleep and my condition finally got so bad I couldn't even eat an orange or a grape fruit without suffering afterwards. Naturally, I was always tired and listless."

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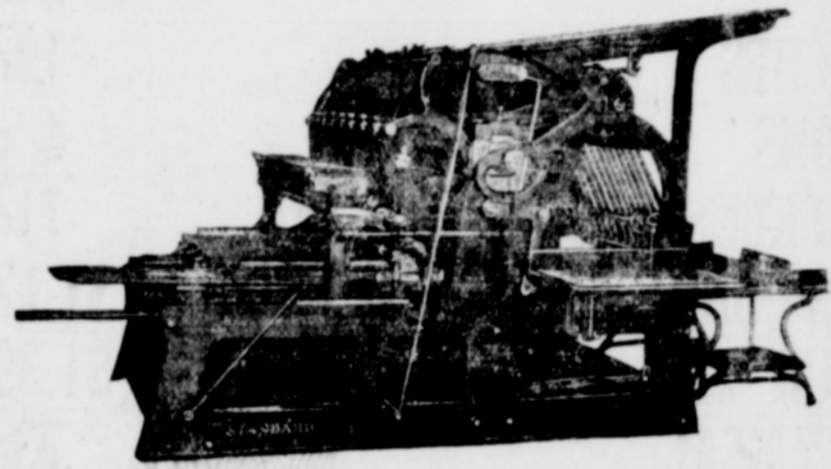
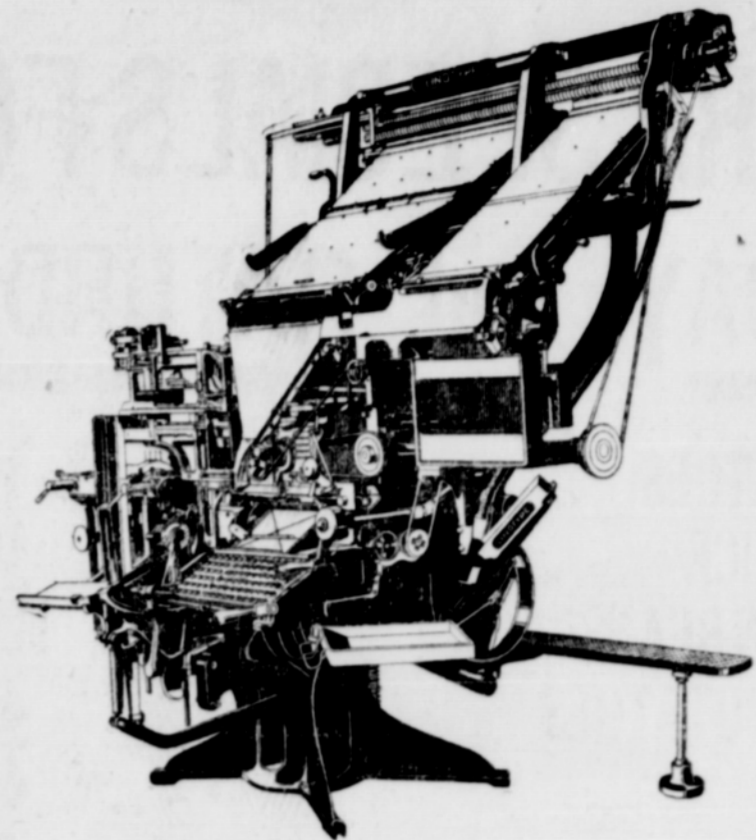
#### NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOLHOUSES

Notice is hereby given that the schoolhouse in the Old Hart District No. 15 and the schoolhouse in the old Erath District No. 14 will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at 10:00 A. M. on the 16th day of September, 1929. The place of sale will be at the new building in Union Consolidated District No. 5 of this county.

Trustees of said Union District reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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<b>YAMS</b>	Very Best	Per lb	4 1/2 c
<b>SPUDS</b>	Nice and White	12 lbs.	49c
<b>GRAPES</b>	Thompson Seedless	3 lbs.	25c
<b>ORANGES</b>	Nice Size	Doz.	24c
<b>PEACHES</b>	ALBERTOS	Doz.	19c
<b>ONIONS</b>	Spanish Sweet	Per lb.	4 1/2 c
<b>CRACKERS</b>	BROWNS Saltines	10c Size	11c
<b>COMPOUND</b>	WHITE CLOUD	8 lb Pail	\$1.12
<b>FLOUR</b>	Our Special	48 lb Bag	\$1.39
<b>CORN MEAL</b>		LARGE BAG	73c
<b>PICKLES</b>	Qt. Size, Dill		25c
<b>TOMATOES</b>	No. 2 Size	2 cans	25c
<b>SPEGETTI</b>	No. 2 size	2 cans	25c
<b>CORN</b>	No. 2 Size	2 cans	25c
<b>PEAS</b>	No. 2 size	2 cans	25c
<b>HOMINY</b>	No. 2 Size	3 cans	25c
<b>BEANS</b>	Brown Beautys	No. 1 size, 3 cans	25c
<b>SPINACH</b>	Del Monte Brand	No. 1, 2 cans	25c
<b>SOUP</b>	Van Camps	3 cans	25c
<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b>		Qt. Size	44c
<b>MOPS</b>	Water Mops	Each	49c
<b>PINTO BEANS</b>	Dried	2 lbs.	25c

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<b>BACON SQUARES</b>		Per lb	22c
<b>HAMBURGER MEAT</b>		Per lb	20c
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**MISS NENA HAMPTON DIES  
 FOLLOWING LONG ILLNESS**

Miss Nena Hampton, who has been ill for several months died at 3350 S. Fifth St. in Abilene last Friday afternoon at 1:40. Funeral services were held at the Heavenly Rest Episcopal church Saturday morning, conducted by Rev. Willis P. Gerhart, rector. Following the funeral service the body was taken to the Laughter Undertaking parlor where the casket was sealed in a steel vault and placed aboard the east bound train leaving Abilene at 1:50, for Elizabeth, La., where interment was made Sunday afternoon in the Hampton memorial cemetery beside the grave of Miss Hampton's sister, Miss Neville Hampton, in whose memory the cemetery was established. Mrs. E. A. Cazaux of Abilene, and Mrs. Joseph Muth, of Lake Charles, La. accompanied the remains to Elizabeth for burial.

A member of a prominent Callahan county family and one of Abilene's leading business women, Miss Hampton's passing brought grief to a large circle of friends, not only in Abilene but throughout a wide section of West Texas. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hampton of Clyde and a sister of E. G. Hampton, vice president of the Clyde National Bank, and of Mrs. E. A. Cazaux, office manager of the Minter Dry Goods company. Other sisters are Mrs. Joseph Muth, Lake Charles, La. and Mrs. S. E. Settle of Baird.

Miss Hampton is also survived by several other West Texas relatives, among them an aunt, Mrs. T. H. Hampton of Sweetwater, and her family, an uncle, W. P. Miller and family of Eula, and a cousin, P. C. Steen of Clyde.

Miss Hampton was born at Plaquemine, La., and attended high school and college in that state. Twenty-one years ago she came to Callahan county to join her family who had moved to Texas several years earlier. For the past 17 years she has been associated with the Minter Dry Goods company, first as saleswoman in the ready-to-wear department and later as manager and buyer for the department.

Although Miss Hampton's health began to decline early this year, she remained at her post of duty until four months ago. After four weeks at St. Joseph's hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., Miss Hampton returned to Temple, Tex., where she remained for 10 days for treatment. Realizing there that her fight against ill health was a losing one, she returned to Abilene, arriving here Thursday, August 15.

It was at Miss Hampton's request made of her sisters, Mrs. Cazaux and Mrs. Muth, during the stay in Temple, that she is to be buried beside her sister in Louisiana. Miss Neville Hampton, head of the science department of the Elizabeth high school, died in 1920 and the Hampton memorial cemetery was established in her honor by the city schools and the Industrial Lumber company of that place.

Miss Hampton's Abilene home was at 1230 North Third street, where she and Mrs. Cazaux, and the latter's daughter, Olive Cazaux have lived for seven years. Mrs. Cazaux accompanied her sister to Hot Springs and the two were joined there by Mrs. Muth, who returned with them to Temple and Abilene. The residence at 3350 South Fifth street, where Miss Hampton died, was engaged upon the return to the city, in order that Miss Hampton might have suburban quiteude and collness.

Scores of business associates and friends Friday afternoon were calling at the Fifth street residence to extend sympathy to the aged parents, and the brother and sisters, all of whom have been at the bed-side almost constantly since Miss Hampton's return to Abilene.

Active pallbearers were eight representatives of the Minter store: L. M. Buchanan, Will D. Minter, Floyd Bogar, George Harwell, Ross Hall, Jr., E. C. Hughes, W. C. Minigus and E. E. Reynolds.

Honorary pallbearers: W. A. Minter, George L. Minter, J. M. Radford, Will Stith, J. O. Shelton, C. E. Bradley, Charles Motz, Jr., Frank Lawler, C. C. Sellars, P. A. Tower, R. W. Maxwell of Abilene and C. A. Bowman of Clyde.

The Minter store was closed until 1 o'clock Saturday.

**FOR RENT**—Two room apartment. See or phone Mrs. J. E. Gilliland. Phone 79.

**LOST**—One black Hand Bag containing clothing, lost Sunday Aug. 25th on Baird-Coleman road. Finder please notify Self Serve Grocery, Baird, Texas. Reward.

**BOY WANTS WORK**—Boy 18 years of age wants work after school in return for board. W. V. Roberts, Rowden Texas.


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9-4 Brown Sheeting	33c
36 in. Pillow Tubing	23c
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The Graf Zeppelin is now in the midst of its round-the-world tour—from Lakehurst, N. J., to Lakehurst, N. J., with only three stops in between, was due to reach Lakehurst late yesterday evening. Think of it. Never yet has there been such an undertaking, and every indication points to complete success.

The first jump from Lakehurst to Germany, was accomplished in the record time of 55 hours, without mishap.

Day by day the eyes of the world are focussed on this great, epoch-making flight—an event that will loom far larger in the history books of the future than the famous feat of Magellan.

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Gibb, Gilchrist, State Highway Engineer.

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