# The Baird Star.

"TIS NEITHER BIRTH, NOR WEALTH, NOR STATE; BUT THE GIT-UF-AND-GIT THAT MAKES MEN GREAT."

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postal. Our Star is full of war

### B. L. BOYDSTUN

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Sunday, April 8th, 1917. Baptist Sunday School, 160 news and some good editorials from Number present - \$3.20 Uncle Bill, locals and the like with Methodist Sunday School. no room left for country effusions, Number present - 156 which are only fit to fill up space, \$7.10 you know. Collection . Presbyterian Sunday School Number present - - 136 north and west, but we are as dry as Collection - - \$22.25 a prohibitionist when he hits a wet Church of Christ Sunday School. town. Number present - 60 'Slim Jim Collection - 2.20 20th century. Collection - - -382 .. The war is inevitable and let it Chapters - 382 "The war is inevitable and let it
Tolal Attendance - 517 come." This is not original but

Total Collection - \$34.75 from a smarter and somewhat better Report for the Church of Christ man than Sunday School for April 1st, attendance 101; collection \$8.55; chapters

We are requested to announce that the Methodist Sunday School will be held next Sunday at the Hall building where the revival is being con-

#### HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

My household goods, either all together or by the piece. All the furniture first-class and ingood condition.

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#### THE EUROPEAN WAR

Monday one of the greatest battles of the war began on the British front south of Arras, in France. The British drove the Germans from three or four lines of trenches. the strongest position and captured Eleven thousand prisoners and several hundred guns fell into the hands of the British.

said they had had no food for four act of conspirators. days because it was impossible to bring food to the front owing to the terrific fire of the British guns.

This is the second time in the past month that the power of the British guns to destroy the most elaborately constructed trenches has been proven

are greatly encouraged by their success in forcing the Germans out in the yard. Refreshments of of trenches that required more than The favors were tiny yellow chickens. two years to construct.

If Hindenberg can not check these onslaughts of the British and French armies January 1918 is liable to find

to raise the largest army and the with Sheriff, J. A. Moore. greatest navy this country ever had, 19-1t-Advt

Five billion dollars in bonds is asked for to finance the war one year For the first time in the war the Stars and Stripes went into battle on the French front Monday. The flag was carried by a young Texan in the Canadian army. He was wounded

A munitan factory was blown up in Pensylvania Tuesday, and 121 persons killed and over 200 wounded, mostly women and girls. Officials Many of the German prisioners say the explosion was the deliberate

#### ENTERTAINED

Miss Lora Franklin entertained her piano class last Saturday afternoon at her home. They had their regular class meeting first, after Naturally the English and French which they had an easter egg hunt punch and sandwiches were served.

#### HAT LOST

Somewhere between Harry Berry's the western front on the Rhine. Garage and west part of Baird, Congress is rushing war measures Tuesday, April 10th. Please leave

## -Newest Patterns-

We are now showing a new lot of suit material that will delight the most critical judges. We have the latest in stripes, checks and plain weaves and in any color you may want. Our experience in fitting guarantees you clothes that you will be proud to wear. Prices reasonable, we can fit your purse as well as your body. Give us a trial.

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#### **EPISCOPAL SERVICES**

Mr. Milton J. Swift will hold services at the Episcopal Church next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock All cordially invited to attend these

#### ENTERTAINED

In response to an invitation from of Holly Grove No. 570. W. C. The members of the Drill Team the teachers the following parents were delightfully entertained Wedand friends were visitors at the nesday evening of last week at the Baird School Friday, March 30: home of Mrs. J. A. Jackson, who Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, Mr. was assisted in entertaining by her and Mrs. A. B. Chambers, Mr. and daughters, Mesdames Ebert and Mrs. R. A. Scranton, Mr. and Mrs. Haley and Mrs. J. F. Greenrock. L. L. Blackburn, Mr. Joe Glover, After several games of progressive Mesdames Mosley, E. M. Faust, J. 442" there was an interesting con-F. Boren, M. Franklin, T. J. Lidia, test. Punch was served throughout W. E. Melton, H. A. Lones, O. E. the afternoon. At the close of the Eastham, J. H. McGowen, W. M. games refreshments of sandwiches, Seale, C. L. Dickey, Lee Estes, cake and ice tea were served. Each member of the team went away feel-Hoover, W. T. Wheeler, W. J. Ray, ing that it was an evening most de-N. H. Warren, H. J. Lambert, W. lightfully spent and wish for many such times.

#### OLD LUMBER FOR SALE

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## PROMINENT BANKERS COME OUT FOR TANLAC

Two Well-Known Bankers of the South Voluntarily Write Strong Letters of Indorsement to Tanlac Office at Atlanta on the Same Day Telling What It Had Done for Them.

ON MARCH 7th personal letters from prominent bankers in two southern states were received at the Tanlac office. These, like hundreds of thousands of other communications that have been pouring in with every delivery of the mail for the past year or more, express the writers high appreciation of the merits of Tanlac, as proven by their own experience with it.

The first letter quoted comes at Hornbeck, La., and is as follows: "Hornbeck, Louisiana, March 5, 1917, "Mr. G. F. Willis, Atlanta, Georgia, containing the statement of E. J. Henry, president of the Hawkinsville Bank and Trust company, which is one of the best known flum, three weeks. I think it is a great which is one of the best known finan-cial institutions in that part of the state. His letter follows, just as it

"Hawkinsville, Georgia, March 5, 1917.

few days ago and said:

"I said 'All right, Mr. Henry. What do you really think of Taniac? His reply was so commendable to the vir-His tues of the medicine, that I asked him if he would give me a signed state-ment about it. He said 'yes, of course I will,' and this is his statement:

'Last spring I was all wrong som "Last spring I was all wrong some way or other, and couldn't get right. I came to you and bought a bottle of Tanlac and began to improve. Two more bottles put me all right, and I felt perfectly well. A few weeks ago I had the grippe and was beginning and the grippe and was beginning and about to get down and out again, and about a week ago I bought another bottle and have taken it and am perfectly

"'I unhesitatingly recommend Tanlac to anyone who is sick and worn-out, as I believe that if anybody will take Tanke when they first begin to feel bad it will prevent and keep off sickness. It certainly is a great rem-

(Signed) 'E. J. HENRY, President, " 'Hawkinsville Bank and Trust Co.'

The other letter referred to comes ing. Branch of the West Louisiana Bank, town .- Adv.

All in the Family.

"What has become of my tooth-rush?" father asked.
"Oh, papa, Mary's father was here

"Well, don't you ever touch my toothbrush again," indignantly ex-claimed father. "I don't see why your

"Glad to meet you," is what one man

usually says when introduced to another-but is he?

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Keep Young

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Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped most widely used remedy for bad backs and weak kidneys in the whole world.

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young at seventy as old at fifty.

Many people past middle age suffer lame, bent, aching backs, and distressing urinary disorders, when a little help for the kidneys would fix wait for gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease to get a start.

says I take so much after you.

taken five (5) bottles of Tanlac and have gained fifteen (15) pounds in three weeks. I think it is a great

(Signed) "W. C. M'ELVEEN, Cashler,

"Bank of Hornbeck, Hornbeck, La." It is nothing unusual for men of rominence to endorse Tanlac, as over "Mr. G. F. Willis, Atlanta, Georgia.
"Dear Sir: Mr. E. J. Henry, president of the Hawkinsville Bank and Trust Company, came into my store a Trust Company, came into my store a Trust Company. past year alone. These endorsem "Eli, sell me another bottle of Tan- have come from people representing have come from people representing practically every walk of life, includ-ing Bankers, Lawyers, Judges, Doc-tors, prominent Government, State and County officials, prominent men of afetc., but it is a noteworthy fact that in this particular instance two well-known bankers of the South have on the same day voluntarily written an expression of their gratitude for publication, telling what Tanlac has one for them.

In this connection one of the best own newspaper publishers of the

outh recently said:
"I know that there are at least a thousand people in this city who would be glad to endorse Taniac," and what is true of that city is true of practically every other city of the South and West; in fact, throughout the entire country wherever this med-

cine has been sold.

The fame and popularity of Tanlac, everyone knows, has swept over the whole country like wildfire and is now a household word from coast to

Although placed on the market a little over two years ago over seven million bottles have already been sold, and the demand is constantly increas-

There is a Tanlac dealer in your

The National Tiger.

During the French revolution, in 1789, the proprietor of a menagerie in Paris had among his collection a Benand he had the dirtiest teeth, and so I gave him your toothbrush. I thought be needed it more than you do." gal tiger, one of the largest species, usually known as the royal tiger. As royalty and everything pertaining royalty and everything pertaining thereto was abolished, he was afraid he might be accused of a want of pa triotism, and, therefore, had the fol-lowing inscription posted outside his establishment: "Walk In and See the mother does not teach you better."
"Well, mama can't teach me as,
much as she would like to because she National Tiger.

#### BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

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Not With His Money. "What are these eminent financiers

doing? "They are planning to mobilize the

nation's dollars."
"They are, eh? Well, I've got \$18.50 in the bank. I'll just draw it out and show those fellows a thing or two."

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#### WAR PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT: **ALIENS ARE WARNED**

Subjects of Kaiser Ordered to Keep the Peace.

CITIZENS OF U. S. ASKED TO SUPPORT GOVERNMENT

Wilson Calls for Volunteers for Both the Navy and Army-May Resort to Selective Draft Later-Enemy Foreigners Barred From Government Property.

Washington, April 7 .- The state of war proclamation which Pres Wilson signed on Friday follows: which President

"Whereas, the congress of the United States, in the exercise of the constitutional authority vested in them, have resolved by joint resolution of the senate and house of representa-tives bearing date this day, that a state of war between the United States and the imperial German government. which has been thrust upon the Unit-ed States, is hereby formally declared: "Wherens, it is provided by section

4067 of the revised statutes as fol-

Whenever there is declared a war between the United States and any foreign nation or government or any invasion or predatory incursion is perpetrated, attempts or threatened against the territory of the United States by any foreign nation or gov-ernment and the president makes pub-lic proclatation of the event, all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of a hostile nation or government being male of the age of fourteen years and upward who shall be within the Unit-ed States and not actually naturalized shall be liable to be apprehended, strained, secured and removed as allen

#### Authority Given President.

"The president is authorized in any such event by his proclamation there-of or other public acts to direct the duct to be observed on the part of the United States toward the allens who become so liable; the manner and legree of the restraint to which they shall be subjected.

"Whereas, by sections 4068, 4069 and 4070 of the revised statutes, further provision is made relative to enemies:

Proctaims a State of War.

"Now, therefore, I. Woodrow Wil-son, president of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim to all whom it may concern that a state of war exists between the United States and the imperial German government, and I do specially direct all officers, civil or military, of the United States hat they exercise vigilance and zeal in the descharge of the duties incident to such a state of war, and I do, more to such a state of war, and I do, more-over, earnestly appeal to all American citizens that they in loyal devotion to their country, dedicated from its foun-dation to the principles of liberty and justice, uphold the laws of the land and give undivided and willing support to those measures which may be adopt-ed by the congitutional authorities in prosecuting the war to a successful issue and in obtaining a secure and ssue and in obtaining a secure and

#### Duties of American Citizens.

"And, acting under and by vir-tue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the United States and the said sections of the revised and the said sections of the research statutes, I do hereby furher proclaim and direct that the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of Germany, being male, of the age of fourteen years and upward, who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized who for the purpose of proclamation and under such sections of the revised statutes are termed alien enemies, shall be as follows:

#### Position of Aliens.

"All alien enemies are enjoined to preserve the peace toward the United States and to refrain from crime States and to refrain from crime against the public safety and from violating the laws of the United States and of the states and territories there-of, and to refrain from actual hostility or giving information, aid or com-fort to the enemies of the United States and to comply strictly with the regulations which are hereby or which may be from time to time promulgated by the president, and so long as they shall conduct themselves in accord ance with law they shall be undis-turbed in the peaceful pursuit of their lives and occupations and be accordconsideration due to all peaceful and lawabiding persons, except to far as restrictions may be necessary for their own protection and for the safety of the United States, and to-ward such alien enemies as conduct selves in accordance with law all citizens of the United States are en-joined to preserve the peace and to

treat them with all such friendlines as may be compatible with loyalty and allegiance to the United States.

Penalties for Disobedience.
"And all alien enemies who fail to conduct themselves as so enjoined, in conduct themselves as so enjoined, in addition to all other penalties prescribed by law shall be liable to restraint or to give security or to remove, depart from the United States, "And pursuant to the authority vested in me, I hereby declare and establish the following regulations, which I find necessary in the premises and for the public safety:

"I. An alien enemy shall not have in his possession at any time or place any firearms, weapons or implements of war or component parts thereof,

of war or component parts thereof, ammunition, maxim or other silencer, arms or explosives or material used in

the manufacture of explosives.

2. An alien enemy shall not have in his possession at any time or place, or use or operate, any aircraft or wire-less apparatus, or any form of signal-ing devices, or any form of cipher code or any paper, document or book, writ-ten or printed in cipher or in which ay be invisible writing.

3. All property found in the posses sion of an alien enemy in violation of the foregoing regulations shall be subject to seizure by the United States.

#### Must Not Approach Forts.

"4. An alien enemy shall not approach or be found within one-half of a mile of any federal or state fort, camp, arsenal, aircraft station, governeamp, arsenat, aircraft station, govern-ment or naval vessel, navy yard, fac-tory or workshop for the manufacture of munitions of war, or of any prod-ucts for the use of the army or navy. "5. An alien enemy shall not write,

print or publish any attack or threat against the government or congress of the United States or either branch therof, or against the measures or policy of the United States, or against the persons or property of any person in the military, naval or civil service of the United States, or of the states or territories, or the District of Co-lumbia or of the municipal governments therein.

#### Residences Restricted.

"6. An alien enemy shall not commit abet any hostile acts against the United States or give information, aid r comfort to its enemies.

"7. An alien enemy shall not reside in or continue to reside in, to remain in or enter any locality which the president may from time to time designate by an executive order as a prohibitive area.

8. An alien enemy whom the presi-"S. An alien enemy whom the president shall have reasonable cause to believe to be aiding or about to aid the enemy or to be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety of the United States, or to have violated or to be about to violate any of these regulations, shall remove to any locality that the the president by executions. designated by the president by execu-tive order and shall not remove there-from without permit, or shall depart from the United States if so required

by the president.

"9, No alien enemy shall depart from the United States until he shall have received such permit as the pres-ident shall prescribe or except under order of a court, judge or justice, un-der sections 4069 and 4070 of the revised statutes.

10. No alien enemy shall land in or enter the United States except under such restrictions and at such places as the president may prescribe.

#### May Compel Registration.

"11. If necessary to prevent viola-tion of the regulations all alien ene-mies will be obliged to register.
"12. An alien enemy whom there may be reasonable cause to believe to

be aiding or about to aid the enemy, or to be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety, or who violates public peace or safety, or who violates or who attempts to violate, or of whom there is reasonable grounds to believe that he is about to violate, any regu-lation to be promulgated by the presi-dent or any criminal law of the Unit-ed States or of the states or territories thereof will be subject to summary arthereof will be subject to summary ar rest by the United States marshal or his deputy or such other officers as the president shall designate, and confinement in such penitentiary, prison, jail, military camp or other place of detention as may be directed by the

president.
"This proclamation and the regula-tions herein contained shall extend and apply to all land and water, continental or insular, in any way within the jurisdiction of the United States.

#### Call for Volunteers.

The president also issued a call for volunteers to bring the army and navy up to war strength, and gave his in-dersement to the bill designated to obtain men by selective conscription. "The necessary men." said the presi-

dent in a statement, "will be secure for the regular army and the National Guard by volunteering, as at present until, in the judgment of the presi-dent, a resort to selective draft is a visable.
"The principles embodied in the leg-

islation presented by the war department to the military committee of the senate and house have my entire ap-proval, and its specific recommenda-tions embody the best judgment of the officers of the war department.

#### SHOULD SUPPORT RED CROSS of the American people. The letter

President Wilson Recognizes Society

was read at a meeting to raise funds for the local organization. "In order that the relief w

"In order that the relief work which is undoubtedly ahead of us should be made thoroughly efficient," the president wrote, "it is most desirable that it should be concentrated under one organization. The American Red Cross, saying that as the official volunteer aid organization of the country the society chould receive the generous support

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"What's he doing now?"

"He's in the hospital with a broken leg and several fractured ribs. He took up aviation and that dropped

He

"Yes, dear, both your great-great-grandfathers were in the Revolution." "But, mother," said Freddie, "I should think they would have been too old to go to war. They look like they old to go to war. They look like the

Realistic Art. Mother, Peter says that his grand-father was in the Revolution. Were

our relations there, too?

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#### Up to Date.

Sunday School Teacher—Willie, who was born in Bethlehem?

Willie-Charles M. Schwab.

There is more power in kindness than there is in dynamite, but it takes longer to develop it.

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Bears the
Bignature of Catherine
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

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Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

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Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, billousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the

bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes consistent and that dull throubling sick. gestion and that dull, throbbing, sick-

ening headache. Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

The Usual Way.

He—How did this fire go out? She—I guess it went out by the fire

Nothing makes some men feel more important than their ability to answer the questions of a small boy. Kalispel, Mont., is to have a paper

Duluth, Minn., and Gary, Ind., will oon be connected by trolley lines.

#### LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES

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Amazon river can be navigated 2.500 miles by ocean steamers.

A brave man loses his nerve in a dentist's chair.

## No Eggs, Milk or Butter

The following recipe shows how an appetizing, wholesome cake can be made without expensive ingredients.

In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of ea omitted.

cup brown sugar
d cups water
cup seeded raisine
ounces citron
cup shortening

1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon salt
2 cups flour
5 teaspoons Dr. Price's Beking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil the minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been fitted together; mix well. But in moderate over in losi pan (round tin with ole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

# BAKING POWDER

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Made from Cream of Tartar, derived from grapes.

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#### HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

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MEBANE PLANTING SEED, \$1.25 per bu. Ginned early. O. O. PAIT, Malone, Tex.

#### The Biter Bitten.

An Indianapolis wife took one of her children to a throat specialist. The specialist looked into the juvenile throat. "Tonsils poorly taken out," he declared crisply. "Have to be done

Then followed a brief explanation of the reason why the offending tonsils should be attended to again. "Who did this work?" asked the doctor, his face assuming a keenly professional air as though he must know who had been thus derelict in his profession.

"You did," said the mother with a And the doctor smiled too.

### FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

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There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots shrink, loosen and die-then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight-now-any time-will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair-new hair-growing all over the scalp.' Adv.

One pair of potato beetles may have 60,000,000 descendants in one season.

North Dakota and Mississippi have



#### 106 Fly Poison Cases Reported in 3 Years A Large Percentage Fatal



## U.S. NOW AT WAR WITH GERMANY

RESOLUTION PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS AND SIGNED BY PRESIDENT.

## **WAR PREPARATIONS COMPLETE**

Estimates Place Expenses for First Year at \$3,500,000,000, Which is Asked for Immediate Use.

Washington.-The United States is

by a vote of 82 to 6. It was taken up for passage in the house Thursday up for passage in the house Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, and debate continued until 3 o'clock Friday morn. continued until 3 o'clock Friday morn-ing when the vote was taken with 373 voting for the resolution and 50

President Wilson signed the resolu-

Senators who cast the negative votes were Gronna of North Dakota.

galleries and on the floor the sen-ators themselves were unusually grave and quiet. Many of them an-swered to their names in voices that

uivered with emotion.

The galleries were filled to overflowing, and on the floor back of the membership of the house.

ed all amendments, including propos-als to prohibit the sending of any troops overseas without congressional authority.

#### Cheers Greet Result.

attempt to filibuster, but the pacifist group under the leadership of Democratic Leader Kitchin prolonged the discussion with Impassioned speeches declaring conscience would not permit them to support the president's recommendation that a state of war be declared.

Cheers greeted the announcement of the result. A few minutes later Speaker Clark signed the resolution and the house then adourned to meet. attempt to filibuster, but the pacifist it are

again Monday and take up the admin-istration's recommendation for war. Miss Rankin of Montana, the only woman member of congress, sat through the first roll call with bowed head, failing to answer to her name twice called by the clerk.

#### \$3,502,517,000 Asked for War.

For the war department, \$2,952,537,-

For increasing the authorized strength of the navy to 150,000 men, and the marine corps to 30,000 men, the activities of German agents

#### Reserve Banks Ready.

Unofficial estimates are to the effect that the banks of the federal reserve system are in a position to absorb up to \$2,000,000,000 war bonds will start for America as soon as possible to the same of the same

Tokio.—The Japanese press halls the entrance of America into the war as the deathknell of Germany. The papers print articles praising the noblility of President Wilson's motives and congratulating him on the stand he has taken. A high government official, asked if the participation of the United States in the war would cause any change in the plans of Japan, replied: "Japan is employing all means to help subdue the enemy and will be delighted to co-operate with America."

Texas Leads in Navy Recruits.

Birmingham, Ala.—More than 500 recruits for the United States navy have been offered by southern states and Benjamin K. Johnson, United States navy, inspector of recruiting offices for the southern district, an onunced. Texas has furnished more recruits per capita than any other southern state. Lieutenant Johnson declared. Alabama is second. The southern navel district includes all states east of the Mississippi and Texas and Oklahoma.

#### TEXT OF WAR RESOLUTION

adopted by congress follows:
"Whereas, the Imperial German government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America;

therefore be it

"Resolved, By the senate and \* \* "Resolved, By the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, it at the state of war between the United States and the Imperial German government which thus has been thrust upon the United States as the United States in the United States is bereity. \* upon the United States is hereby \*
formally declared, and that the \*
president be and he is hereby \*
authorized and directed to em \*
ploy the entire naval and mili \* tary forces of the United States \* and the resources of the govern-\* ment to carry on war against \* ment to carry on war against \*
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passed in the senate Wednesday night
by a vote of 82 to 6. It was taken
up for passage in the house Thursday

\* ment to carry on war against \*
the Imperial German govern \*
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of the resources of the country \*
thereby pledged by the congress \*
the of the United States."

#### War Preparations Nearly Complete.

Actual and potential resources which, all told, will probably never tion after Vice President Marshall have been equaled by any other na-had attached his signature in the sen-tion in the history of the world, are brought into the great war under the

Senators who cast the negative votes were Gronna of North Dakota. La Follette of Wisconsin, Norris of Nebraska, Lane of Oregon, Stone of Missouri and Vardaman of Mississippi.

The resolution says the state of war thrust upon the United States by Germany is formally declared and directs the president to employ the entire military and naval forces and the resources of the government to carry on war and bring it to a successful termination.

Senate Grave and Quiet.

Action in the senate came just after f1 o'clock Wednesday night, at the close of a debate that lasted continuously from 10 o'clock that morning. The climax was reached late in the atternoon when Senate Lasted continuously from 10 o'clock that morning. The climax was reached late in the atternoon when Senate Laste continuously from 10 o'clock that morning. The climax was reached late in the atternoon when Senate Laste continuously from the climax was reached late in the atternoon when Senate I was continuously from the continuously from th

ing. The climax was reached late born or prolonged may be the pres-in the afternoon when Senator John Sharp Williams denounced a speech wide the scope of German intrigue by Senator La Follette as more wor-thy of Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg sentiment has borne fruit in military than of an American senator.

The passage of the resolution was which already have put the United not marked by any outburst from the States on a defense basis not even

#### Navy Ready for Action.

The navy, always the first line of enators' seats was almost half the tembership of the house.
Without roll calls the house rejects the defense, has cleared its decks of antiuated incumbrances, has added new guns, modernized to meet the German was the first line of the defense, has cleared its decks of antiuated incumbrances, has added new guns, modernized to meet the German was the first line of the defense, has cleared its decks of antiuated incumbrances, has added new guns, modernized to meet the German was the first line of the defense, has cleared its decks of antiuated incumbrances, has added new guns and the defense and the de is hurrying to completion other migh ty fighting craft that will be the last word in power and efficiency.

Cheers Greet Result.

Passage of the resolution followed 7 hours of debate. There was no tempt to filibuster, but the pacifist roup and r the leadership of Dem-

The national guard of 150,000 strong and hardened by months of service at the border, already has many units in active service for police duty throughout the country and can be fully mobilized on short no

tice.
Industrial preparations, thanks to \$3,502,517,000 Asked for War.

Congress was asked Thursday to attitude of industry, have produced a provide immediately \$3,502,517,000 to great compact scheme of national finance the war for one year, as fol-

German Agent and Negro Arrested. For other necessary expenditures for the naval establishment at the discretion of the president, \$292,538, 799. men secret. The first a rest was tha For the coast guard, so that it may of a German at the Louiville Nashville station. An hour later Por the coast guard, so that it may perfect and bring to a high state of efficiency its telephone system of costal communication, \$600,000.

A bond issue, increased taxation, and urging them to go to Mexico. A bond issue, increased taxation, causing higher taxes on incomes, whisky, beer, tobacco, and new methods of taxation probably will be respecially active in South Alabama and Mississippi, where they have been posing as bible salesmen.

at once at a rate of interest not ex-ceeding 3½ per cent.

will start for America as soon as pos-sible to discuss the work of co-oper ating in the war.

# STOP CALOMEL! TAKE DODSON'S LIVER TONE

New Discovery! Takes Place of Dangerous Calomel—It Puts Your Liver To Work Without Making You Sick—Eat Anything—It Can Not Salivate—Don't Lose a Day's Work!

I discovered a vegetable compound that does the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to try a bottle and if it doesn't straighten you up better and quicker than salivating calomel just go back to the store and get your money.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your thirty feet of bowels of the sour bile and constipation poison which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable.

I guarantee that one spoonful of this harmless liquid liver medicine will relieve the headache, biliousness, coated tongue, ague, malaria, sour stomach or any other distress caused by a torpid liver as quickly as a dose of vile, nauseating calomel, besides it will not make you sick or keep you from

a day's work. I want to see a bottle of this wonderful liver medicine in every home here.

Calomel is poison—it's mercury—it attacks the bones, often causing rheumatism. Calomel is dangerous. It sickens-while my Dodson's Liver Tone is safe, pleasant and harmless. Eat anything afterwards, because it can not salivate. Give it to the children because it doesn't upset the stomach or shock the liver. Take a spoonful tonight and wake up feeling fine and ready for a full day's work.

Get a bottle! Try it! If it doesn't do exactly what I say, tell your dealer to hand your money back. Every druggist and store keeper here knows me and knows of my wonderful discovery of a vegetable medicine that takes the place of dangerous calomel. -Adv.

A government official, condemning a suggested war economy of a rather fantastic nature, said at a Washington

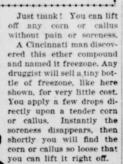
"This economy reminds me of the private who visited the canteen and

asked for a pound of bacon.
"'Yes, sir,' said the canteen keeper and what kind of bacon do you pre-

That there nice, long, streaky kind,' said the private. 'Then I can use the rind for shoe-laces.'"

#### WOMEN! IT IS MAGIC! LIFT OUT ANY CORN

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers-no pain.



you can lift it right off. Freezone is wonderful. It CAPUDINE dries instantly. It doesn't eat away the corn or cal-lus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the surunding skin.

Hard, soft or corns be tween the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. If your druggist hasn't freezone, tell him to order a

small bottle for you from his whole-sale drug house.—adv. Differences.

"A mascot is not always a mascot."
"That's so, and a Jonah often ends
in a wall."

If your eyes smart or feel scalded, Ro-man Eye Balsam applied upon going to bed is just the thing to relieve them. Adv. It might be well to remember that

the lenthening of the days doesn't prolong the reckoning of a thirty days' obligation.

THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH. You will look ten years younger if you darken your ugly, grizzly, gray hairs by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing.—Adv.

No News a Nuisance. "No news is good news."
"My wife says that doesn't apply to

Good health depends upon good diges-tion. Safeguard your digestion and you safeguard your health. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills provide the safeguard. A medicine as well as a purgative. Adv.

If a man tells a woman she has a usical laugh she will fall for any old joke he may get off.

#### CLEARS AWAY PIMPLES

Does Cuticura Ointment-Assisted by Cuticura Soap-Trial Free.

fected surfaces gently with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. When the skin is clear keep it so by using Cuticura for every-day toilet and

nursery purposes.

Free sample each by mail with Book.
Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L.
Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

New York city has 36,422 manu



## Watch Your Colts

Tremeds now the most used in existence, SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND druggls, Larness dis bottle; \$5 and \$16 th.

SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A. Appraising Father's Wealth.

"not so terribly rich

Hades?

"Well, you're pretty rich, anyhow,

"I don't call myself rich at all.

Are you rich enough to go to

Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is powerful and prompt but safe. One dose only is enough to expel Worss or Tapewors. No caster oil necessary. Adv.

TO KILL RATS AND MICE

Stearns' Electric Paste

Full directions in 15 languages Sold everywhere—25c and \$1.00

U. S. GOVERNMENT BUYS IT

ADVICE TO THE AGED

#### An Exception.

Johnnie's father had a comfortable when the kid went to Sunday school the come that did not require that he the lesson was evidently about how it should have any settled occupation, and is easier for a camel to go through a the only thing in the nature of work that Johnnie had ever seen him do was to write checks. At school Mary an"Dad," said the boy, "you're awfully unneed that her father was a doctor "ich, aren't you?"
"My father is a lawyer," said Ed"
"Why, no, son," answered the father,

Johnnie thought a moment, and then said: "My father pays his debts."

"MOTORISTS' PROBLEM SOLVED." Why?" One application of BLAXSHINE, the quick trying flexible rust preventing black autonamel will make old ears like new. Anyone can apply it. Enough BLAXSHINE for any size car, and equipment for applying costs only \$12.55, delivered parcel float. BLAXSHINE is guaranteed. A postal will be apply the cost of the

Alice—Perhaps; but I have less to show for the money.—Life. The Soy Bean. In 1915 the United States imported more than 3,837,000 pounds of soy beans, valued at approximately seans, valued at approximately \$87,000; nearly 6,000,000 pounds of cake, valued at \$64,000; and over 19,000,000 pounds of oil valued at nearly \$900,000.

## -For Headaches-

Try it and be convinced. Good for aches in back and limbs also-Assists Nature to get right and stay so. It's Liquid-easy to take.-Adv.

Humanity is unequally divided between those who can't stand prosper ity and those who can't get any to

## NO MALARIA-NO CHILLS.

"There is no telling" would be an appropriate motto for a sewing society

The custom of hand-shaking dates back to Henry II of England.

## "Plantation" Chill Tonic is guaranteed to drive away Chills and Fever or your money refunded. Price 50c.—Adv.

if the members would live up to it.

#### Old Looks?

Persons suffering from too much uric acid in the system frequently look older than they should. They age faster and the appearance of gray hair or baldhead in early years is, indeed, often a sign of uric acid. The face appears lean and haggard, lines and wrinkles appearing in young men or women.

The best way to combat this premature age and the obstruction to the arteries and faulty circulation is of the simplest: Drink copiously of pure water between meals. This will not make you fat, as it is only the water taken with the meals that fattens. Obtain at any drug store a package of Anuric, double strength, which is to be taken before meals, in order to expel the uric acid from the system. The painful effects of backache, lumbago, rheumatism, gout, due to uric acid in the blood should quickly disappear after treatment with Anuric.

Scholar Every wing two boxes of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets, I have found relief from being disturbed about three times at night; rheumatism in elbows is gone also; appetite is med general health are good."—CARL EKRUT, Irving, Tex.

Send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little Liver Pills. These tiny, sugar-coated, and billious granules—up of May apple, the dried juice of the leaves of alee and the root of jalap. Almost every drug store in this country sells these vegetable pellets as well as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, proven by years to be the greatest general reconstructor.

## W. N. U., DALLAS, NO. 15--1917.

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STORY EVERYWHERE

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#### The Baird Star.

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1917

W. E. GILLILAND, Editor and Proprietor.

#### SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

\$1.00 One Year Six Months Terms: Cash in advance.

We seem to be in need of a "food dietator" in this country.

When the war ends Uncle Sam may find himself with one foot in France and the other in Mexico.

A newspaper in Germany says if the German submarines fail Germany is lost, but expresses the belief that the subs will win the war.

The doctrin of the "divine right of kings" is responsible for more wars, blood shed, devastation and sorrow than all other devices the Devil ever invented to plague mankind.

The most welcome news that could be flashed over the world just now would be: "The war is ended." May it come before American boys have to go to Europe to fight either on land or sea.

The United States flag is already on the battle front in France used by the foreigh Legion Aviation Corps. Fritz will see more of that flag than he ever dreamed of if unfortunately the war should drag along for another year.

Of course the American people, destroy them as a nation, but do want to hobble the Kaiser so as to-

the war is another thing, and the war must be fought to a finish. one thing that is prolonging the war, The Kaiser dare not admit defeat and it will be the duty of the allies against him to force him to admit

portance. They treat America with necessary and most unwise. We citizens to be murdered, but remov-Germany. It will be the duty of officers of this government are have by this unholy war. The Hapsour army to knock about fifteen trying to ram the same system down burgs of Austria are no better than of the Reventlows of Germany.

To a Texan in the Canadian army falls the distinction of being the first American to carry the American army. flag în battle in the European War.

tongued orators who dealt with fanatics of this country control they his country is liable to join the millions as referred to money, but will turn this country into a military Hohenzollerns and Romanoffs in prithis war is talking in billions while ologarchy, worse than Germany's, vate life. It will, be the brighest pop orators talked in millions

is a proposition to issue five to six never flickerd when called on for tria and Turkey is destroyed. billion dollars in bonds to finance service. Let them have their volunthe war for one year. The federal teer units and we will meet any government only spent three force on earth, billion dollars in the four years of The American army officer is a The automobile has injured the civil war. The warring nations of splendid fighter and capable as a breeders of all horses with the ex Europe have spent money in such rule, but his game is to fight and ception of polo ponies and hunters. large sums the human mind cannot train great armies, and he wants the as it makes it easier for the players

is why the German Kaiser and the that Americans have always feared, Blakley has a pony stallion in which Prussian Military clique that sur. and it is the domination of the are the best strains for the producround him seem so indifferent to the army. That is what ruined Germany tion of polo ponies yet found in the United States entering the war. They and plunged the world into war, country. His sire, Judge Welch, have treated this country with about "Conscription does not sound good to made a good hunter after he was went to visit his brother, Brown as much respect as if it were a fifth Americans, but if the time comes twelve years old. or six rate power. The newspaper comment in Germany shows that the German people are either worfully military "preparedness."

The white table that is necessary to make victory sure, then all will submit cheerfuly. Lets not lose our heads about military "preparedness."

The Virginian, the stallion, will believes his brother will recover. The many friends of Brown Seay in this county hope he will get well.

ignorant or grossly deceived about the people of this country. The Kaiser clique in Germany either believed this country would not enter the war either because it was afraid BAIRD STAR, published weekly at war for some unknown reason.

Editor Geo. M. Kerr has sold the ler, who assumed charge of the paper Texas. last week. We regret to see Mr. Kerr retire from the newspaper busi. remain at Clyde, where he is engaged in the real estate business. We wish for the Enterprise unbounded prosperity under Mr. Butler's man. this 5th day of April, 1917. agement. We want to see every town and community in the county grow and the best agency for the development of any town is a live clean newspaper.

We should not place too much reliance on a revolution in Germany tended to foster this idea in the today? Germans mind, but we doubt if it will have any serious effect with the German people. For centuries war like people and for fifty years sians. Is "Old Hindenberg" Germany's last hope doomed to failure, trained to believe that kings rule by devine right and that the first duty of a citizen is to obey orders from with them.

#### WHY CONSCRIPTION?

believe it will be.

land.

if possible.

#### THE BAIRD STAR.

Statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc of THE of the German sentiment in this Baird, Texas, for April 1st, 1917. country, or they delibertly provoked required by the Act of Congress, August 24th, 1912.

Name: Owner, Editor, Managing Editor, Business Manager, Publisher

Known bondholders, mortgages and security holders 1 per cent of or other securities: None.

W. E. Gilliland, Owner, Sworn to and subscribed before me

Geo. B. Scott, Notary Public. My commission expires June 1, 1917 dead church with a lot of new con.

writing.

The Kaiser to Hollweg: "Say President Wilson's message was in- has declared war against "ME"

Hindenberg does not seem to be the work is progressing nicely. The Prussia that now dominates all so successful against the French and Germany and her allies, has been a English as he was against the Rus-

A German paper dismisses Presihis superior without question. The dent Wilson's message to Congress German people, as a whole, are the by saying; it starts out with a falsebest trained people on earth for hood and ends with blasphemy. As both peace and war, and to such an President Wilson's message was a extent has the state, backed by the scathing arraingement of the Germilitary castes, so completly sub. man Kaiser, the German paper must merged the individual in the state really believe that the Kaiser is what that it is difficult to do anything he claims to be, God's vicegerent on earth to execute his vengeance up-There is little likelyhood of a on sinful nations. The late Elbert successful revolution in Germany Hubbard once said, "The Kaiser as a rule, are not mad at the peo-ple of Germany, and do not want to The greatest danger to the Kaiser ways waiting in the ante chamber of and his family will be when the war the puffed up German ruler to serve make it impossible for him ever again to disturb the peace of the arms; and almost certain if there are the present generation is guilty of ends even if successful to German his every whim." If any ruler of defeated which so far as human ken blasphemy it is the Emperor of Gergoes will end in defeat for the many who has been strutting up and Do not place much confidence in a Kaiser. That is why he is anxious to down Europe for a quarter of a Do not place much confidence in a revolution in Germany to overthrow to patch up a peace that will enable generation preaching the power of choir is well organized and is doing the Kaiser while the war is going on. him to claim a victory to satisfy his armed force while pretending to favor good singing and is ably assisted by What will happen to the Kaiser after own people. For this reason the peace. This man who lauded the a splendid orchestra. acts of Attila the unspeakable Hun, and imitated him in his unspeakable devastation of little Belgium and Northern France. No wonder the We are willing to concede most whole world is rising against such a anything to the national Adminis- ruler. No rest or peace should be tration in conducting the war, but given until he and his house are desthe effort of the army officers to troyed root and branch. We do not to believe, the entry of the United force conscription on the country at mean murdered as he has caused the this time we believe is wholly un- Belgian and French non-combatant contempt; call our government a condemn Germany's outrageous ed from power so that they can dwarf making faces at a giant, military machine and here the army never again curse the world as they millions of tons of self-conceit out American throats. Conscription may the Hohenzollerns of Germany, or be necessary later on, but we do not Romanoffs of Russia, and deserve the condemnation of the civilized world Regular army officers have always for starting this war, even if it is needed to help in the singing. had a contempt for a volunteer true that Austria was only the puppet of the Germam Kaiser, who refus-England has not had compulsory ed every effort of other nations to stay The Texan, name not given, carried military service for a century, until the hand of old Francis Joseph in and Stripes in the desperate this war, and as we understand it his outrageous demands on Serbia fighting in France Monday, and was has not a general conscript law now, that started the war. The old Emwounded. Texas will be there when only partial we believe, and England peror is dead and has had to appear the fighting begins by the American is bearing all the brunt of the war before the "Great Judge" for his on sea and the greatest part of it on cowardly act in attacking a weak nation. His House, that has been We used to laugh at the glib- If Congress lets the Military more of a curse than a blessing to day in the world's history when

#### SPORT HORSES.

most complete military machine of polo to get to and from the polo possible, that is right of course, but field and the huntsman to get to and One of the mysteries of this war there is a dangerous side opposite from the hunting fields. Mr. Teller Old Reliable.—Big Springs Herald. comes twelve years old.

#### METHODIST REVIVAL MEETING

The Methodist Revival, conducted by Rev. Bowden, assisted by the pastor, Rev. W. Y. Switzer, and the other pastors of the town, is making rapid progress. The services are being held in the Hall building on the west side of Market Street. The seating capacity of the hullding Clyde Enterprise to Mr. E. F. But. W. E. Gilbiland. Postaffice: Baird, is about 700. It was almost full last night. The children from 8 to 16 are interested as never before in our town. A captain for each side ness, but glad to learn that he will total amount of bonds, mortgages has been selected and in a friendly contest they are gathering the children of the town. There were 160 present last night, and they sang like nacking birds. The Evangelist is scoreing the church. He says a versious is like a new born habe de. Fourteen nations against four in pending upon a dead mother for the world war is the count at this nourishment. He declares the prospect is fine for a great revival.

Sunday School at the ball, preaching at 11 a. m. and night, to end the war. No doubt part of Holiweg, what other popinjay nation Sunday and every night next week also at 10 a m. each day. Men's prayer meeting at the hall at 4:15 every afternoon. Ladies prayer meetings have been organized and



REV. W. M. BOWDEN

#### Notes on The Revival

Rev. Bowden has his own way of conducting a revival, and while he works along generally accepted lines he is just a little different from oth. er evangelists. He knows how to organize and put the members to

As a speaker Rev. Bowden is an earnest and forceful and impresses one as being in love with his work. He is also a splendid singer, and is ably assisted by some of the best singers in all the churches, among whom we want to meniton Mesdames E. H. Dunlap and C. B. Holmes, of the Baptist Choir. All singers are

Rev. Bowden is a Methodist Evangelist, but you are not likely to hear him mention that fact, at least we have not heard him mention it. His idea seems to be to save the lost, letting creeds take care of them

If the church members of this town want a revival they can have it by giving their whole hearted support to the meeting.

#### **NEW T. & P. OFFICIALS**

On April 1st several new railroad The first step of our government Lets go slow. Americans have autocracy in Russia, Germany, Aus. officials were ushered into office in this city.

> W. H. Keller on this date began upon his duties as master mechanic of the Rio Grande division of the Texas & Pacific with jurisdiction over the shops and motive power from Baird to El Paso. Mr. Keller succeeds M. H. Oakes. He came to this city from Gouldsboro, La., and has long been in the service of the

> Jim Seay, of Hachita, New Mexico, was in town yesterday on his way home from Dallas, where he who has been sick for sometime. He

## Women's and Misses' Fashionable Wearing Apparel

Unusual buying opportunitities present themselves at this store. Assortments are at their best and prices tempting.

## **Big Assortment of Dresses**

You certainly will find it easy to select your Dress out of this assortment. Taffeta, Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Silk Skin, Khaki-Kool. Sport and conservative styles. All popular and desirable colors and styles. Exceptional offering at

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Waists of Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Wash Satins, beautifully made, jabot and plaited frill styles, others daintily tucked and hemstitched. All wanted colors. Price

### Women's Skirts

Skirts will be very much in vogue from now on and we have prepared for a big business. Materials are Khaki-Kool, Satins, Wool Jersey, Stripe and Plain Taffeta, Silk Poplins and many new tub cloths. Price \$1.50 to \$12.50

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## **PERSONALS**

Mrs. Martha Gilliland is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jessie James, in Reagan County.

Mrs. W. E Gilliland and daughter, Miss Ellen, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham of Oplin.

Windham and daughter, Miss Winnie, of Oplin, were in Baird Monday.

W. H. Perry left Wednesday night for Terrell to visit his daughter, Miss Mary.

A. W. Sargent left Wednesday night to attend the Scottish Rite reunion now in prorgess at Dallas.

Will Johnson, of Oplin, was in Baird Monday. Will has recently returned from a prospecting trip through the Toyah Valley country.

Little Nina Manche Blakley, of week with her grandfather, W. E. Gilliland and family.

Williams and is building a house on leased land just north of Capt J. W. Jones ranch on the Coleman road.

has the west T. & P. local run.

Dick Price left Monday morning for the Daugherty Ranch in Culberson County after a two weeks visit with his family. He was accompanied by his eldest son, Richard, who will spend the summer with him.

Mr. J C Weakley, accompanied

by Mrs. Weakley of Brownwood, arrived Wednesday on a visit to Mr. Weakley's old time friend, Mr. Harry Meyer who has been ill for sometime Mr. and Mrs. Weakley are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meyer and W. E. Gilliland and family, Mr. Weakley is an old time friend of the editor of THE BAIRD STAR, the acquaintance extending nearly 40 years. On March 16th, 1881, 36 years ago, J. C. (Joe) Weakley, Capt. J. W Jones and W. E. Gilliland took the Royal Arch degree in Brownwood Chapter. The ages of this old Masonie team is: Weakley 78: Jones 76: Gilliland 68 We doubt if many Royal Arch "teams" in Texas today are all living more than a generation after they bucked the Royal Arch goat. Mr. Weakley is a prominent Lorraine were the guests of Mrs. business man of Brownwood where Wilson's aunt, Mrs. Barclay, the he has been in the hardware business latter part of last week. over 40 years. Away back nearly fifty years ago Joe Weakley and Harry Meyer were workmen together in Galveston and later when Mr. cows to S. C. Brooks, of Crooked Weakley opened a "tin shop" in Creek and a bunch of black muley Brownwood Mr. Meyer worked for steers to Will Cutbirth, of Burnt him, and later Mr. Meyer came to Branch. These cattle were raised on Baird and went into business for McGowen Bros ranch and were beauhimself. Mr. Weakley is in splen- ties. did health and as active as the average man at fifty. Joe Weakley is so modest that we do not want to mes has the Carbon. say anything to embarrass him, but will say this for him if all men were like him there would be no need of laws, civil or criminal to make men do right because they would do so from a sense of right and justice. No man was ever truer to his friends than Joe Weakley, that is white underskirts at Foy's for the cloth why he is here to see his old time why he is here to see his old time elsewhere.

We are glad

What is white underskirts at Foy's for the cloth Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the Collection of said Taxes and you are commanded to appear and defendauch suit at the May Term of the District Cause of Callahan County, and State of Texas, decayed the country and the country and to meet again and talk over early days when they were "boys" and the wide world was before them.

#### INSOMNIA

supper with little if any meat, and applying Chamberlain's Limment. no milk; also take one of Chamber- For sale by ALL DEALERS. lain's Tablets immediately after supper, and see if you do not rest 4 months to kill your Prairie dogs much better. For sale by ALL or the law will get you. Holmes

#### ROLL CALL, BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, April 1, was roll call day at the Baptist Church, a day when the laymen usurped most of the time. We had a very short study period of the Sunday school lesson. There were 210 present and the collection of \$10.75 goes to Home and Foreign Missions. Little Hall Hadley with his violin and Miss Norma Ramsey accompaning on the piano, entertained the audience with a few selection which was enjoyed by all. The piano duet by Lona Scranton and Goldie Chambers was fine,

Bro, A. B. Chambers address on the relation of the people to the pastor was timely. This was followed by a roll call of the membership of the church and a large per cent reported present. The pastor had only ten minutes for his sermon before the noon hour, however he gave us a fine outline of the things to be accomplished the coming year, and urged the lengthing of the cables and the strengthening of the stakes.

In the afternoon C. B. Holmes, Crooked Creek, is spending this our B. 1. P. U. President, read an excellent paper on the sims of the B. Y. P. U. for the coming year and how we may deepen our spiritual L. A. Blakley has sold his farm life. Mrs. Scranton told us of the on Crooked Creek to Mr. Mc. Sun Beam' work and gave to us a practical demonstration of what the Sunbeams are doing. The Sunbeams sang two special songs during the day which were grand. The Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Phillips Fidelis Class and the Junior B. Y. came down last week from Big P. U. also sang, which was greatly Springs, and will probably spend enjoyed by all, P. G. Hatchett's some time in Baird as Mr. Phillips talk on the "Ideal Deacon", was the Church wants old papers and magbest on this subject that the writer azines. Phone 218. has ever heard, and the pastor requested that brother Batchett write out his speech that it may be published.' Mrs. H. H. Ramsey told us of the Ladies Aid work, and her sewerage system of the body. talk was great. The ladies are When they become obstructed by doing things in Baird Church, among constipation a part of the posionous Holmes come from Abilene once a is absorbed into the system, making month and preach to the Mexicans, you feel dull and stupid, and inter and they are preparing to have the fering with the digestion and assimi Mexicans organize into a sunday lation of food. This condition is ly enjoyed. The program closed ERS. with a round table discussion on the outlook for the work this year. There were many interesting talks made by different members and all seemed to take courage for a great year's work for the Lord in our church

We had splendid crowds at all the services and many former members were with us. At the night service the pastor made a strong appeal to the lost.

Geo. B. Scott, Church Clerk

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson, of

Robert Estes last week sold a bunch of high grade black muley

Murder those Prairie dogs. Hol-19-2t.

Spring is looked upon by many as the most delightful season of the year, but this cannot be said of the rheumatic. The cold and damp Indigestion nearly always disturbs weather brings on rheumatic pains the sleep more or less, and is often which are anything but pleasant. By J. J Peebles. Deputy the cause of insomnia. Eat a leht They can be relieved, however, by

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#### WHY CONSTIPATION INJURES

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Mrs. W. E. Haley of Baird 18
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Witnesf my hand and the seal of said Court, st office in Baird, Texas, this the 6th day of April.

A. D. 1917. other parcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. It is pleasant to take too, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. This remedy is most effectual in relieving coughs, colds and croup. For sale by ALL DEALERS.

### UNITED STATES SEIZES **AUSTRIAN VESSELS**

EREWS OF SHIPS IN AMERICAN HARBORS SENT TO IMMIGRA-TION STATIONS.

#### LINES UP WITH GERMANY

War With Nation Practically Certain But President Not Expected to Force Hostilities.

Washington, D. C .- Austria-Hunranging herself unreservedly with Germany, has severed diplomat ic relations with the United States precipitating a situation which gen is expected here to lead to

Baron Erich Zwiedinek, the Aus trian charge, asked the state depart ment Monday for passports for him-self, his staff and the Austrian con-sul force in this country; simultaneously, American Minister Stovall re orted from Berne that Austria had announced the break in relations to the American embassy in Vienna

Immediately the treasury depart 14 Austrian merchant ships in American harbors. The Austrian crews were taken off and sent to immigration stations and American guards put on board. The measure was ex plained as purely one of precaution but it is realized that it may be in terpreted by Austria as an act o In a similar situation after the break with Germany no ships were seized until a state of war actually

Other Breaks Expected

Whether Bulgaria and Turkey are

not ask congress to declare a state of war unless some overt act against the United States is committed.

BRITISH GAIN ON 12-MILE FRONT.

ree Miles on Both Sides of Arras-Take 5.800 Prisoners.

famous Vimy ridge was car-ing of submarines from Mexican shores, was arranged by Mexican ferman prisoners were taken Minister Zubaran in Berlin. ried by the Canadian troops. Thousands of German prisoners were taken by the British. Up to 2 o'clock Monday afternoon 5.816 (including 119 officers) passed through the receiving stations, according to the obicial report, many more remained to be

lieved here to be a general spring that are taken as indicating that that defends the move has been looked forward to eagerly for some days. The offensive of the British flying corps in the latter part of last week. the attack on Zeebrugge Saturday night and the activity of the French in Belgium were considered a pre-lude to important military operations.

Wireless Between Mexico and Berlin. Laredo, Texas.—Communication be-tween Mexico and Germany is being carried on secretly through a wire-fees plant located in Salvador, which The less plant located in Salvador, which
The government has announced
was recently sent to that country
from Mexico, according to Americans
who have arryled here from Mexico.

The government has announced
that it does not regard the reported
amssing of Mexican troops with much
concern, from authentic reports it It is said that the plant was set up and manned by Germans and that it is of sufficient strength to communicate direct with Berlin. The wire-less plants in Mexico are not strong enough to communicate with Germany, but are efficient so far as Sal-

El Paso, Texas .- De facto troops to the state of Neuvo Leon and Chihua-hua have begun a general movement toward the American border, accordhighly reliable information The movement in these border states has been officially re Washington and is watched closely. The reason given Carranza officials that it is an

Russ and Brit Unite in Mesopotamia

Longon.-British and Russian pa other in Mesopotamia, the Associated Press is inormed by Major General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office.

Brazilian Ship Sunk; Break Likely. Cherbourg.—The Brazilian steamer Parana was sunk Thursday night Three members of her crew are miss

Rio Janeiro.-The Brazilian govern ment received official confirmation of press reports of the sinking of the Brazilian steamship Parana. is regarded as most serious, view of the definite declara and in view of the deninte decara-tions of the foreign minister a rup-ture of diplomatic relations with Germany is regarded in some quart ers as inevitable.

#### HERBERT C. HOOVER



the commission for the relief of Belgium, has been selected as the nead of the national food commission to conserve the food supply of America.

## REPORT GERMAN SUBS IN GULF OF MEXICO

MORE THAN A SCORE OF THEM SAID TO BE IN MEXICAN WATERS.

Washington .- Persistent, but hithwashington.—Persistent, but hithorto unconfirmed, reports of German
submarines waiting in the gulf of
Mexico for the opening of hostilities
of the United States were further
supported by advices to the government from Europe.

It was reported that more than score of German submarines were al-ready in Mexican waters. Persons here who have been giving attention to the subject think the estimate of numbers is high, but feel no doubt that German submarines are some-where on this side of the Atlantic, most probably in Mexican waters, and that some of them have been there since early in February.

There is no doubt here that if the London (Monday).—An advance of from two to three miles has been made by the British troops on a front extending from Henin, Sur-Cojeul, southeast of Arras, to Givinchy-en-Gohelle, a distance of about 12 miles. The official report from army headquarters in France make this announcement and added that the advance continues.

There is no doubt here that if the U-boats are in the gulf they are being supplied from Mexican shore bases. Those who hold these views also are convinced that something closely approaching the arrangements proposed by Foreign Minister Zimmermann in his celebrated communication intended for General Carranza have been achieved and that the whole matter, including the supplying of submarines from Mexican

Attention to Border.

With the acceptance by the United Is assumed that her lead will prompt-States of the state of war forced by ly be followed by other countries. Germany, and declaration that hos tilities exist, attention of the country turned to the Mexican border. situation probably will furnish the two of the five control for the land forces. A publics, and possing weak-grounded belief has existed in not be surprising. Washington that United States troops will be on Mexican soil within 10 days. The shifting of units in northwill be on Mexican soil within 10 days. The shifting of units in northern Mexico, reported from El Paso, tended to arouse the suspicions as to German, intrigue, so liberally entertained here of late, and supported in fact, by the Zimmermann communication to Germany's representative in Mexico.

Cuban Republic at War With Germany that warm, in the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in crements of 500,000, until enough that the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in crements of 500,000, until enough that the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in crements of 500,000, until enough that the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in crements of 500,000, until enough that the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in countries to range herself along side the United States, her liberator and protector. At 7:16 o'clock States, her liberator and protector. At 7:16 o'clock States, her liberator and protector. At 7:16 o'clock States, her liberator and protector and protector are supplied to the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in crements of 500,000, until enough the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in crements of 500,000, until enough the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national guard, in the selective conscription of young men for a national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national army, in addition to the regular establishment and national army in addition to the regul

has received from the border districts and that even were the suggested movements found to be accurate, the armed forces in Mexico are in condition they can give no material trouble.

BRITISH ADVANCE NEARLY MILE

day on this front, the British having dear to my heart." ermans Saturday night at the same

Espionage Bills to be Pushed at Once. Villa Force of 3,000 Now at Namiquipe Wants U. S. Troops to Visit England.

### SIX BILLION DOLLAR WAR BOND ISSUE

HALF OF AMOUNT PROBABLY WILL GO TO ALLIES AS LOAN FROM UNITED STATES.

#### TO DRAFT HALF MILLION MEN

War Department's Proposel for Re-cruiting the Army Would Call on Texas for 22,000 Men.

Washington. - President var program is beginning to take conrete form and sweeping measures are to be put forward for congression al approval.

As the first step it is planned to

give the entente allies, out of the na-tion's plenty, an enormous loan, probably three billion dollars, to replenish their treasuries against the drain of their military and naval efforts in the common cause against Germany. president is prepared to issue bonds totaling \$6.000,000,000 to cover this

oan and war requirements.
That the United States may ready if necessary to bear more di-rectly a share of the actual military burden, the administration appealed for consideration of the war department's bill to raise a million men by selective conscription.

To Draft 500,000 Men.
Under the war department's proal to draft 500,000 men in the first crement, following recruiting of the regular army and the national guard to war strength, if applied to the states according to population Teras will be expected to furnish 22,000. Oklahoma 11,000, New Mexico 2,000, Louisiana 9,000 and Arkansas 8,500. A state with more national guard troops

support itself and give to the entente the greatest possible advantage of its broad agricultural resources, the defense council announced plans for a national food commission under the direction of Herbert C. Hoover, who managed the great American work of relief in Belgium. At the same time the agricultural department again appealed to American the agricultural department again appealed to American the same time the agricultural department again appealed to American the same time the same time that there will be no observed that there will be not observed that there will be not observed that there will be not observed that the same time that the same pealed to American farmers to do their share in the war by making every farm do its best for the country.

EXPECT BRAZIL TO ENTER WAR.

Other South and Central American Nations Will Likely Follow Her Lead—To Aid United States.

ally certain. Brazil, aroused by the into execution. sinking of her steamship Parana, is exsinking of her steamship Parana, is ex-pected to become a belligerent and it confidently forecast at the capitol af-

action by that country. Active support of the United States by at least two of the five central American republics, and possibly by four, would

Cuban Republic at War With Germany ministration include: cation to Germany's representative in day right. At 7:16 o'clock Saturday night President Menocal affixed his signature to the joint resolution his signature to the joint resolution marcial interests for economical and passed unanimously by both senate effective distribution of commodities and house without a dissenting voice among the civilian population; being raised, thus putting into effect the declaration of a state of war beof combating the submarine menace; tween Cuba and the imperial German

tion of deputies in Prussia at the end army and navy and of the entente ale war is provided for by Emperor William in his order to Chancellor London.—Except for an advance by the allies over a front of nearly a mile and three-quarters north of Loverval, which lies about midway between Banaume and Camphala attilization of the control of the c paume and Cambral, artillery duels, is no more room in Prussia for electrench raiding and airplane bombing tons by the classes." In connection country into service classes, those operations have featured the fighting with this phase of his proposal, Emport william said: "Reform of the Prussian diet and liberation of our showing they are performing duty and the proposal of the Prussian diet and liberation of our showing they are performing duty and to fighting. There was no infantry action Sun-entire inner politiacl life are especially

If Subs Fail, Germany is Lost.

Washington. — Gratifying reports have been made to the department of justice from its agents in all parts of the country on the behavior of Germans and German-Americans following the declaration of a state of war between the two nations. While about 100 arrests have been ordered and others are expected, Attorney General Gregory said the situation is very encouraging. The espionage bills, which failed at the last congress, are being pushed vigorously this week.

Villa force of 3,000 Now at Namiquipa. Wants U. S. Troops to Visit England. London.—The Spectator, discussing the military aspect of American in tervention in the war, appeals for the mimediate dispatch of a small American border. Villa's base was at Bachiniya, south of The delight of the British people would be unbounded if the brigade could come to England first. Americans by the reception awaiting such a force.

PABLO DESVERNINE



Pablo Desvernine, secretary of state for Cuba and former minister from Cuba to the United States, recently conferred with Secretary Lansing in Washington with regard to Cuban affairs.

### **GERMANY WON'T** RECOGNIZE WAR

Treat United States Like All Neutrals, But Submarine War Will Continue.

Berlin.-The press report of President Wilson's "state of war" message reached Berlin at 10 o'clock Tuesday would receive credit for such surplus in the army of 500,000. The important task of conserving food supplies that the country may support itself and give to the entente the greatest research to the steps.

be no change in treatment of American citizens in Germany, who now have the same freedom as all other neutrals, but Germany expects that the United States will continue the same treatment of Germans in that

War Plans Being Pushed.

Washington.—War plans, military, hostilities against Germany Washington.—An early entrance of several of the south and central American nations into the war against Germany is regarded here as practic
gress on a war resolution to be put

is assumed that her lead will promptly be followed by other countries.

Reports of divided opinion in Argentina have given officials here little encouragement to look for agree little.

to insure co-operation between American fleet and those of the en-tente allies, to become effective upon the formal entry of the United States into the war. The most important plans under preparation by the ad-

Organization of the nation's com

The raising of a very large sum of money, as much as possible to be ob-tained by taxation, and the definite Sweeping Reforms Offered By Kaiser. amount of the first budget not to be Amsterdam.—Direct and secret elec-fixed until the exact needs of the

Division of the young men of the equivalent to fighting.

French to Celebrate.

Paris .- A great national demonstra time General Nivelle's force were penetrating German positions near Lombaertzyde, Belgium, and inflicting casualties on the defenders.

Berlin reports repulse with heavy losses of French attacks Saturday near La Faux, northeast of Soissons.

He substrait, Germany is Lost.

Amsterdam, via London.—The Chemitz Socialist paper Volkstimme States into the European war was frankly admits that if the unrestricted submarine war should prove a failure, it was suggested that the demonstration to mark the entry of the United States into the European war was frankly admits that if the unrestricted submarine war should prove a failure, it was suggested that the demonstration to mark the entry of the United States into the European war was foreign to the United States into the European

Federal Officials Take Over Interned German Ships.

ACT UNDER M'ADOO'S ORDERS

Vessels Now in American Ports Are Declared to Have a Tonnage of About 600,000—Flower of Teuton Empire's Marine.

New York, April 6.—Federal officials merchant vessels that took refuge in Atlantic ports at the beginning of the war, almost immediately after congress passed the reso-lution declaring a state of war be-tween the United States and Germany. The collector of the port at Boston was the first to act. Port officers acted on orders issued

by the secretary of the treasury. It is understood that this move does not involve confiscation and that the ves-sels are held for the present as a neasure of safety. German vessels now in American

ports number 91, with a gross tonnage of about 600,000. This includes 23 ships in refuge at the Philipping slands, 11 at Honolulu and one at

Pagopago, a port of the Pacific islands The ships lying at their slips at the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd docks at New York and Ho-boken include some of the flower of the German merchant marine. The Vaterland, one of the largest vessel in the world, is by far the most value The able. Next in size is the George Washington, 25,570 tons. Others of more than 15,000 tens are the President Grant, President Lincoln and Kaiser Wilhelm II. Four Austrian steamships

also are tied up here.

The ships taken, with their value and tonnage, is officially announced as

New York.	
Tonnage.	Value.
r. Grant	\$1,244,480
r. Lincoln	1.246,840
aterland	8,000,000
assovia	99,000
rmenia 5.464	136,400
ohemia 6 416	209,529
ohemia	125,920
ennsylvania	641,080
arburg 4,472	# 117,480
lagdaburg 4.497	
lagdeburg 4.497 damsturm 5.000	126,360
latador (bark) 1,468	120,000
eo. Washington ,	5,500,000
aiser Wilhelm II	4,000,000
ried. der Grosse	900,000
rinzess Irene	1,250,000
rosser Kurfuerst13.102	1,500,000
	1,250,000
arbarossa	556,800
oenig Wilhelm II 9,410	230,500
llemania 4.630	99,000
rinz Eitel Friedrich 4.650	316,340
rinz Joachim 4.760	319,240
ortonia 2.778	69,760
faia 2.555	65,400
lara Mennig 1,685	40,200
ndra (ship) 1.746	
Boston.	
merika22,622	1,545,000
incinnati	1.180,000
oeln	286,460
ronprinz'n Cecilie 19.503	3,000,000
ckenfels 5.621	141.720
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Ottawa, Ont .- Entrance of the Unit ed States into the war against Germany was characterized by Sir Edward Morris, premier of Newfound land, as "the most momentous act that has occurred since Germany pro-claimed war," according to a dispatch claimed war," according to a dispatch from London, received by the agency here of the Reuter Telegram company, "Not only is it important as regards the war, but in its future effect in the participation of the United States in the permanent peace of the world," he declared.

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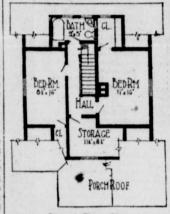
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We all know that in most cases the surest way to spell "costly" when buildings are referred to, is c-h-e-a-p. The familiar example of the house which was hurriedly planned (or more correctly drawn, since planning, in the literal sense of the word, does not re-fer to a process which can be completed in a few hours) and then thrown ogether in a haphazard manner, may be seen in almost any community. be seen in almost any community. The owner of this house, when consulted at the completion of the building operation, talks freely of how "cheap" his house was built. Go around to him after two years, or even less, time has elapsed and he will readily agree that those five fetters spell a word crowded with meaning which he did not at first associate with it. associate with it.

The point is this: the average man who has not had experience in planning and building a house (and some few who have) will overestimate the amount of room required and in order to stay within the limit of the proed investment, the over-sized house will have materials placed in it and methods used in its construction which could hardly pass a high-quality stand-

home and has the problem of com-pletely furnishing it on his hands, may not think so, but he has an advantage over the man who has rented a home and collected a more or less complete assortment of furniture, curtains, etc. To the average man or woman the To the average man or woman the word "home" has a meaning which does not include a brand-new house which every day yields new delights previously overlooked. It has a far more stable meaning than that. The true meaning of the word is established gradually as the years pass.

The point is this: The man who is planning his first house is laying the foundation of the home which will be his most valued accomplishment, if he builds well, through all the years of his life. The true home starts with the house and gradually assumes its meaning, as, year after year, memories are built up around it. This man who starts with nothing but the desire to build up a home and the ability to provide the means of doing it, has the advantage then, because he need not compromise—he can select each piece of furniture because it fits into its



Second Floor Plan.

place-everything in the home is a part of the misfits.

The neat little house shown in the illustraton is one of the kind that often calls forth the remark. "I should think you would want to stay at home all the time."

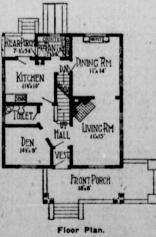
It has every convenience which is needed to make it an ideal home for ard. The man who builds his first a small family. The suggestion of a house is quite often dazed by the homelike atmosphere is sensed even



Six-Room House With Many Special Features.

Items of expense which do not enter! before the house is entered. The bun into the original estimate. It seems unavoidable that the cost of a house will be more than the estimate indi-cates. The man who has had experience in building and finishing houses usually figures a small percentage of the estimated investment as a reserve to make up for items of this sort.

The advice of the experienced to the inexperienced builder of homes would probably be: "Pian a house which is just the size you think you need and then build it one-third smaller." The chances are that the increased quality of material and workmanship which may be use; in the smaller house over what could be obtained for the same



money in the larger house, will give the owner more satisfaction than he could obtain from the slightly larger rooms and the more bulky appearance. Another thing which home builders

Another thing which nome builders should think about is the expense of finishing, and furnishing the new house. It is largely through the effect of these items that the house is transformed into the home, although it is necessary, of course, to incorporate the fundamental homelike qualities that fundamental homelike qualities the house itself. At any rate, a liberal allowance should be set aside for the purchase of articles of furniture, hangings and other decorative or utilitarian objects; the amount of this allowance is variable, depending somewhat upon the characteristics of the owner and somewhat upon the characteristics of the house.

lines of the roof and several unique features have expressed themselves in the exterior design. The heavy exposed timbers arranged in pairs under the roof given an air of distinction to the house. The gable of the porch roof materially sets off the front of the house and the entire porch design is very effective. The rail is low and is carried out to extend the porch be-yond the columns in line with the side of the house. Two posts are set at the outside corners of this extended portion of the porch. Flower baskets set upon these posts would produce a very artistic effect. The sides of the house are finished with beveled siding and the window trim is a little out of the ordinary, in keeping with other features of exterior design.

A small vestibule is entered from the

porch, and this leads into the hall which the various rooms of the first floor and the stairs to the second floor are reached. The large living floor are reached. The large living room has a fireplace set into one conduct. Four windows are built into the side wall of the house in this room, and reaches window is placed at the conduction of the side will be side with the side will be side with the side will be side. The question is, have we this superroom has a fireplace set into one corner. Four windows are built into the one large window is placed at the front. The living room is always a pleasure room in which the fireplace is set into one corner, but it is seldon that this is possible without interfer ing with the arrangement of some other part of the house.

The dining room is in the rear of the

living room. The buffet is built against the rear wall with a wide window above it. Four windows occupy the side wall in this room, similar to the arrangement in the living room. A hall leads past the pantry to the kitch en. The kitchen is fitted with a sink set into the corner opposite the hall A chimney has an outlet, between the door to the rear porch and the pantry for the kitchen stove. The pantry is an ideal one, with a counter and cupboard. The retrigerator is placed it the pantry and is iced from the reat porch. A little den and a toilet are also where does not first floor.

porch. A little den and a tollet are also placed on the first floor. Two bedrooms, a bath and a stor-age room occupy the second floor. A long hall extends parallel to the stair-case, a feature which gives the neces-sary privacy to the sleeping rooms.

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"No, it cost him \$3,500."

## INTERNATIONAL **SUNDAY SCHOOL** LESSON

#### **LESSON FOR APRIL 15**

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

LESSON TEXT-John 10:7-17.
GOLDEN TEXT-I am the good Sheperd: the good Shepherd giveth His life
or the sheep.-John 10:11.

This lesson probably occurred at the Feast of the Tabernacle in Octo-ber, A. D. 29. The place was Jeru-salem, perhaps in or near the temple. Facts, pictures and illustrations regarding eastern shepherd life can be used effectively in teaching the lesson. The true teacher must impart, develop and protect. Jesus does all of these

I. Jesus, the Door (vv. 1-9).. Anyone who tries to get access to the sheep any other way than through Jesus the door is a thief and a robber (v. 1). A door is an invitation to enter, to investigate, to purchase, to learn, to meet others. It is the proper entrance. To go in through any other way arouses suspicion. It is also a means of safety to control those who enter; it can be closed in case of danger, and is strong to protect against storms and thieves. It is a means of separation, to insure privacy, and to furnish a means of egress. Jesus says we are to "go in" for communion with God, and to "go out" for service, to "go in" for strength and to "go out" for conflict. Verse nine is a wonderful verse. In it we have the simplicity of the Gospel, "I am the door;" the exclusiveness of the Gospel, "By me," the conditions of the Gospel, "Enter in;" the certainty, "Be saved;" the liberty, "Go in and out;" the provis-ion, "Find pasture."

The true acceptance of Jesus leads not to a life of fear and constraint but to the perfect liberty of a child. satisfaction in green pastures (Ps. 23: 2) that never fall (Rev. 7:16-17). The world's richest pasture lands are bleak and barren wildernesses in comparison with this. Christ is the door to other things not mentioned in this lesson (See John 14:6; Eph. 2:18; Rom. 5:1-2; Heb. 10:19-22). By him we enter the room of the knowledge of God. The Christian's business is to know God and to make him known.

11. Jesus, the Good Shepherd (vv.

It is not enough to be a door. A door has no volition. It cannot leave its place. A shepherd can go in and out. A false Christ and false shepout. A false Christ and laise herd are really thieves and robbers who come to "Steal and kill and destroy." On the other hand, Jesus' the stroy." mission was a glorious one, "I came that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly." As a good Shepherd (1) he has cour age (v. 12). Jesus was not only will-ing, but actually did give his life for the sheep. He had love for all of the sheep, and was willing to seek the lost (Matt. 18:12). He also had confidence, due to his knowledge of God (v. 14). This is not audacity but quiet confidence due to experience. He knows the proper pastures. He knows where to find water for the sheep. He knows the dangers and pitfalls along the pathway. He knows how to direct our efforts. Sunday school teachers who are following in the steps of the master, and who perform the acts of a good shepherd, must pay the price of knowledge. (2) Jesus had character (v. 15). He was right in the sight of God, but in order to be right in the sight of God he must also be right in the sight of men. God expects results. The church expects results from us. The parents who trust, their children to our teaching expect results. A sheep does not live for itself. It lives for others. Unless it produces wool, and is good for ment, it has existed in vain; so God, man and the charge of the second of and the church expect of us, as undershepherds, that we shall produce results. This we do not have to do in abundant life? (See I Pet. 1:8; John 1:15; Col. 1:19; Eph. 3:16-19). Doctor Torrey has called our atten-tion to ten points about the good Shep-

tion to ten points about the good Shepherd. (1) He knows the sheep. (2) He is known by his sheep. (3) He has a personal interest in his sheep, calls each by name (v. 3). (4) He leadeth them on. (5) He thrusts forth the laggard sheep (v. 4). (6) He overlooks none; all are his own (v. 4 R. V.). (7) He goeth before them. He has trodden every step of the way that V.). (7) He goeth before them. He has trodden every step of the way that they must take. (8) He careth for the sheep (v. 13). (9) He layeth down his life for the sheep (vv. 11 and 15). (10) Giveth eternal and abundant life to the sheep (vv. 10, 28, 29).

to the sheep (vv. 10. 28, 29).

Jesus has sheep outside of Israel (v. 16). When these are brought in they will all become one fold (Eph. 2:14, 15; Gal. 3:28). It is through hearing his voice that they are to be brought. The laying down of his life was a voluntary act on his part, but it was performed in obedience to the father's will (See Chap. 6:38; 15:10). Jesus intended that his relation to his followers should be exactly like that which bound himself to the Father (See Chap. 17:21-23). Because the Father loved him he lays down his life that he might take it again.

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Rats and Fires.

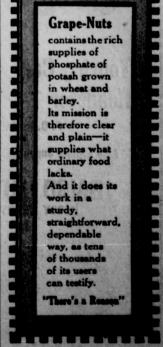
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71 yrs, 4 mo, and 5 days. He was This is only another milestone residuated near the line of Brown and Callahan married to Miss Martha Haden 49 minding us that we too will soon be Cou years ago and to this union were born gathered in the harvest, when we 11 children, 7 of them yet living. | will render an account of our steward-He obeyed the gospel 28 yrs ago ship here on earth, then let us live and before he died he said he was so that when death comes we will be

present when he confessed Christ. weep not as those that have no hope on No. No. He leaves a wife, 7 children, 23 but let us look forward to a happy to grand-children and 2 great-grand meeting where all tears are wiped

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a P O N 20 1-2 deg E \$2.3 vrs, which post oak corner tree is 135 varas East of the N E eor of the 173 2-3 arer tract above described; Thence North 1-4 deg, East 620 1-3 vrg to a stake placed for the North-west corner of this tract, from which a B J bes N 42 1-2 deg, W 5 varas a to a stake set in East line of said Lavine Survey for the N E eor of this tract, from which a P O brs 2 deg W 10 varas 10 varas to be disturted nor interrupted in itside and procession of the three tracts of land herein before described in paragraph 2 of this petition because he says he is claiming to have good and perfect title to the land situated in Callahan and Brown Counties, and decribed in paragraph 2 of this petition stome marked X. Thence West 829 varas to the stome marked X. Thence West 829 varas to the stome marked X. Thence West 829 varas to the stome marked X. Thence West 829 varas to the stome marked X. Thence was the sum of the three tracts of the story of the New York of

mound on the breaks of a branch and on the South line of the original Sur. of which this Survey is a port at a point 760 vrs. West of the S.E. co. of the said Joseph Lavine Survey; which original S.E. cor. of said Lavine Survey; which original S.E. cor. of said Lavine Survey is easily identified by the original bearing as 8610ws: a P. O. brs. N. 25 deg. W. 32 1-2 deg. W. 31 vrs. and from the above named stone corner a P. O. brs. N. 25 deg. W. 32 1-2 vrs. Thence West 5 vrs. also stone on the trial of this cause, of which defendants will take notice.

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