

# The Baird Star

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

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## LOCAL TWO YEAR OLD STEERS TOP FORT WORTH MARKET ON QUALITY

HENRY—DAVIS SELLS THREE CAR LOADS TO PLACE CALLAHAN COUNTY AT LEAD AS CATTLE FEEDERS

Dynamic proof that Callahan County is rapidly coming to the front in the cattle industry, as well as other lines, was demonstrated by Fort Worth buyers interest in a lot of steers sold by Larmer Henry and Ed Davis, local cattlemen.

Eighty eight, two year old steers that have been fed on the Virginia ranch just east of Baird for the past one hundred and forty days topped the Fort Worth market at the following prices: 88 steers, averaging 848 pounds and brought \$8.50 per hundred; 9 steers averaged 879 pounds and brought \$7.50 per hundred. These steers were adjudged the best lot of a car load or more to have been received in Fort Worth this season.

The short distance to Fort Worth and Callahan County ranchmen interest in better bred cattle are responsible for several hundred good quality steers fed here this season.

## B. L. Russell, Jr., and Woodfin Ray Are New Members, School Board

B. L. Russell, Jr., and Woodfin Ray were elected Saturday as members of the Baird Independent School District succeeding Fred Hollingshead and E. Cooke whose terms expired and they were not candidates for reelection.

Trustees holding over are: R. F. Mayfield, Roy D. Williams, Colonel Dyer, W. J. Evans and O. C. Yarbrough.

The following is the total vote received by the candidates:

B. L. Russell, Jr., 123,  
Woodfin Ray, 109.  
Total votes cast, 128.

## Griggs Hospital News

Will Rice, from the Bayou, was a patient several days suffering from flu and complications, was able to leave the hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Brock of Cottonwood, was to undergo surgery yesterday for removal of gall bladder.

Gaylord, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price, who has been a patient for several weeks suffering from pneumonia and complications is improving.

Mrs. Margaret Ross of Clyde, who has been a medical patient the past week is improving.

Mrs. J. N. Baggett of Rowden, was able to leave the hospital Monday, following surgery.

Mrs. W. H. Halley of Clyde, was able to leave the hospital Saturday following surgery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boutwell April 9, 1936, a son.

Robert Dahms was a tonsilectomy patient Saturday.

Harold Hensley was a tonsilectomy patient Sunday.

Hon. Cecil A. Lotief of Eastland, member of the Legislature representing Callahan and Eastland counties, who is a candidate for reelection, was in Baird yesterday in the interest of his campaign. Mr. Lotief recently moved to Eastland from Cross Plains.

## OPLIN SAVE A STEP CLUB MET IN REGULAR SESSION THURS.

The Oplin Save A Step Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon, April 2 with Mrs. John Robertson. A very interesting program was given, The History Of Oplin being the program at this meeting. A nice crowd was present.

Miss Vida Moore will meet with the club at the home of Mrs. Andrew Johnson, April 16, in an all day meeting. A demonstration will be made showing how to cut and fit the different types of sleeves patterns to this individual foundation pattern.

Misses Elizabeth and Ruth Boren of Austin and Miss Marjorie Boren of De Leon will spend the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr and Mrs. J. F. Boren.

## Plaza Theatre To Have Movie And Egg Hunt For Kiddies

The Plaza Theatre will have a showing of Comedies and Cartoons Saturday morning April 11 at 9:45 followed by an Easter Egg Hunt.

Children under 13 years of age will be admitted to the party for the small charge of 5 cents each to help defray the expense of the pictures and the eggs.

The Manager of the Plaza is making plans to take care of four hundred Kiddies and extends a cordial invitation to all the Kiddies.

## Elaborate Plans Being Made For Annual W. T. C. C. Convention

Amarillo, Texas, April 9, Elaborate preparations are being made for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, to be held here May 11 and 13.

Amarillo's Chamber of Commerce already has appointed convention committee chairmen, among them being Gene Howe, known generally as "Old Tack" through his newspaper column. He heads the convention's program committee for the host city.

Jed Rix, convention manager, who has established offices here, has predicted a new attendance record will be set at the eighteenth annual meeting.

Advance hotel reservations for the convention are being received daily. Railroad passenger agents are busy preparing schedules for special trains to the convention.

Scores of bands will be brought by the delegations and one musical organization will be selected at the convention to play at Fort Worth's opening of the Frontier Celebration early in June.

Rules for the "Home Town" speaking contest, another feature of the convention, already have been mailed to school superintendents, chamber of commerce secretaries and directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in each affiliated town.

Ray Nichols, Vernon publisher, who is president of WTCC, and D. A. Bandeen of Slatford, W. T. C. C. general manager, conferred here this week with Amarilloans about preparations for the convention.

Governors of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, have been invited to attend.

There will be speakers of national prominence on each program during the three-day session.

Special entertainment will be provided for all convention visitors.

## Texas Centennial Celebration

Centennial year travel in Texas is underway in rapidly increasing volume, according to reports received from all parts of the state by the department of information for Texas Centennial celebrations.

More out of state motor cars are reported on Texas highways today than at any time in the past. All travel agencies report greatly increased demands for service. In addition Texans are traveling in increased numbers, stimulated to do so by the many Centennial celebrations being held each month.

Record breaking crowds have attended all Centennial celebrations held to date. As the vacation season arrives thousands of Texas families are expected to take to the highways to "travel Texas" this summer. These travelers, augmented in number by thousands of out-of-state visitors, will make 1936 the greatest travel year in the Lone Star State's history.

## Event To Honor Lives of Texas Irish Pioneers

The thrilling history of the Neuses river section, dating back to days before the Texas revolution, will be relived in colorful parades and pageantry April 14, 15, and 16 when San Patricio county presents its Centennial year celebration in commemoration of the Irish pioneers.

## Putnam Boy Wins Centennial Contest

Curtis Armstrong of Putnam has been announced as official winner of the Walter Woodul Historical Essay Contest, sponsored by the County Centennial Advisory Board, for grammar school students of affiliated schools. A prize of five dollars will be awarded Curtis at the close of the school term. Oma Crenshaw of Oplin was second in the contest.

Miss Thelma Graham of Clyde won first place in the high school division of affiliated schools; Elsie Straley of Oplin second, and Oliver Davis of Putnam third, Lewis Cheek of Belle Plains was first in the grammar school division or rural schools. Miss Graham and Lewis Cheek will each receive five dollars at the close of school. No prizes were offered for any place except first. Judges for the contest were: S. E. Settle and Mrs. Frank Bearden of Baird; and Mrs. Fred Farmer of Putnam. Essays of those winning first place will be entered in the State Historical Essay Contest for which cash prizes have been offered.

## No Pauper's Oath Required To Obtain Assistance Under Old Age Pension

No "pauper's oath" is required to obtain assistance under the new law, Orville S. Carpenter, executive director of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission, declared this week.

"It is unfair to consider a man or woman a pauper when he or she has \$5,000 or \$7,500 worth of property and has \$500 or \$1,000 in the bank. These are the maximum amounts of property and cash an applicant may have and still qualify for assistance. The larger amounts are for married applicants," he explained.

"Broader qualifications would keep us from receiving federal aid. If our law were changed to make everyone past the age of 65 eligible, we could not obtain funds from Washington. Cooperation of the Federal Government is limited to only those states giving aid to the needy.

"The National Social Security Act reads that it was passed for the purpose of giving financial assistance to state for helping aged needy individuals (Section 1, line 3)," Mr. Carpenter stated.

"Our old age assistance set-up for administering the new law was created only after I had conferred with the Social Security Board in Washington.

"State legislatures passed the Texas law in such form as to agree with the national one. The Texas Old Age Assistance Commission and our entire plan are based on the State law

## WITH BAIRD BAPTIST

We had a mighty good time Sunday morning as previously announced we had the Lord's Supper and it was a glorious service. We had no night service, the pastor was out to Eula and in spite of the bad night we finished our book and decided we had done well to spend the week as we had.

Our church Sunday morning set the time for our revival meeting to begin on the fourth Sunday in May, the same being the 24th day of that month. We will select our help next Sunday. Let me say now to all the members of our church, you should be there next Sunday morning to help in the meeting.

I will preach at Midway Sunday afternoon and I am inviting all who live close enough to come out and worship with us there.

Last Saturday night the barn on the place where Brother Alberto Davilla lives burned and destroyed all of his feed and harness, Monday I made up some to help him but not enough to buy even the harness much less the feed. If there is any one who can and will help with feed or harness, or some money, if you will let me know I will be glad to get it together and to him. Surely no more Christian work could be done than to help this Brother in this time of need. Let's help him all we can and we will be investing in real missionary work.

Joe R. Mayes

There is quite an epidemic of mumps in town and many students in the public school are out of school because of the malady.

## City Officers Elected Tuesday, S. L. McElroy Leads Ticket

H. Schwartz was reelected as Mayor of Baird Tuesday. Other officers elected were: T. P. Bearden, W. B. Barrett, S. L. McElroy, W. L. Bowls and J. T. Lawrence, as aldermen and R. L. Elliott, Jr., as City Marshal, succeeding C. W. Conner, who has held the office since Sept. 1934 when he was appointed by the council to fill out the unexpired term of the late J. C. Barringer.

Mr. Lawrence is the only new member of the board of Aldermen and takes the place made vacant by the death of Lee Estes in November, Mr. S. C. Bradford was the sixth man in the race for aldermen.

The following is the vote received by each candidate:

For Mayor: H. Schwartz, 219.  
For Aldermen: T. P. Bearden, 203, W. B. Barrett, 217; S. L. McElroy, 227; W. L. Bowls, 165; J. T. Lawrence, 207; S. C. Bradford, 125.  
For City Marshal: C. W. Conner, 100; R. L. Elliott, 141.  
Total vote cast, 245.

## Pierce Brooks Opens Opens Campaign For Governor

Pierce Brooks, candidate for Governor of Texas, sprung a surprise on state political circles Saturday in Tyler when he appeared on top of a snow white automobile equipped with loud speakers to make his opening address in the campaign. The auto, a large sedan, not only has an office inside to serve the candidate portable headquarters, but a platform on top with chromium steel railing to serve as a speakers stand. Brooks made a progressive address, speaking on the issues involved in his political platform as the auto moved slowly through the business section of the city. He said he will campaign all over Texas in the car.

"I am advocating free licenses for passenger automobiles in Texas, Brooks declared in his address, "and I am using my personal car in order to bring this important issue close to the people. I want to impress on every Texas owner of an automobile, especially the owners of little cars, the injustice they are suffering by paying a heavy license for their tags in addition to burdensome Federal state and county taxes on gas, oil and other essentials in the use of the cars. This loss of tax revenue will be made up from the additional sale of gasoline, upon which the state collects a heavy tax and shifting some of the weight to commercial transportation."

Immediate payment of pensions to the aged under existing laws, with advocacy of pension to all over 60 years; drastic reforms in the tax system to produce more revenues and less unfairness in the levies and the establishment of a real estate and rehabilitation board to cooperate with local civic bodies in restoring industrial prosperity to Texas communities are among the Brook's platform proposals.

He was greeted by a large crowd in Tyler.

## R. E. NUNNALLY'S SISTER DIED IN FLORIDA

R. E. Nunnally received a message yesterday informing him of the death of his eldest sister, Mrs. Lua Moore, 88, at her home in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Moore's death resulted from a stroke of paralysis. Besides her brother, Mrs. Moore is survived by two daughters and two grand daughters.

## EASTER PROGRAM AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Baird High School Choral Club, under the direction of Miss Julia Ojerholm, will present an Easter program at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday, April 12. The program will consist of songs pertaining to Easter Day observance.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Authentic Southwestern cowboy and range music will be used in "Cavalcade of Texas" the \$150,000 dramatic spectacle to be staged at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas, David Guion, famous Texas composer, arranger of "Home On The Range," will supervise the musical score.

## SIX HUNDRED FARMERS HEAR NEW PROGRAM DISCUSSED—ELECT COM.

### To The Citizens Of Baird

I am taking this method of expressing my sincere appreciation for the splendid support given me in the recent City Election for the office of City Marshal.

I hold no ill feelings toward those who saw fit to support my honorable opponent and assure the entire citizenship that I will always perform the duties of my office in a fair and impartial manner at all times.

Sincerely,  
R. L. ELLIOTT, Jr.

### College Boys and Girls Home For Easter Holidays

Misses Polly Rumph, Sheila Jones and Earlene West, students in Texas Tech, Lubbock, arrived home yesterday to spend the holidays. Miss Rumph came by train and Misses Jones and West drove through with friends.

Miss Ida Louise Fetterley, student in North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, will spend the Easter holidays with her sister, Miss Mary Elizabeth Fetterley, teacher in the high school at Palacios.

Alvin Chrisman, a junior in the North Texas State Teachers College Denton, will remain in Denton for the holidays.

Judson Atchison, Billie Harris, Junior Jackson, Reaves Hickman, Leland Jackson, students in the State University, Austin, will spend the Easter holidays at home.

### Admiral School Honor Roll

The honor roll for the past six weeks' period of the Admiral school is as follows:

Second Grade—Jimmy Whight, Dara Frances Eubanks.  
Third Grade—Dorothy Marie Smith Eudena Ellis, Dorothy Louise Jones W. M. Wright.  
Fourth Grade—Goldie Mae Jones  
Fifth Grade—Alma Lou Smartt.  
Sixth Grade—Jo Esther Jones, Emma Jean Jones, Annie Myrtle Smith, Robbie Bea Walker, Billie Bee Wright  
Seventh Grade—Ralph W. Smartt,  
Eighth Grade—Billie Walker, Eugene Black.  
Ninth Grade—Ernestine Higgins, Billie Mae Maltby.

### 4650 Foot Test Well To Be Drilled Near Oplin

Hal Hughes is unloading machinery on the T. A. Irvin farm near Oplin, for a 4650 foot test. The well will be drilled with a rotary to 2650 feet, then the well will be standardized and completed.

J. F. Jacobs et al, completed the well on the J. R. Reed Block in West Baird at 1385 feet as a dry hole.

Jackson Bros., McClendon et al, closed down at 540 feet. They expect to resume drilling in a few days.

L. A. Warren of Cisco, is expected to commence a well in Northwest part of Baird in a few days.

Jno. L. Reeves, I. N. Jackson, West of Clyde, closed down at 1754 feet. He expects to resume drilling in a day or so, and the well will be drilled to about 2000 feet.

Ferguson and Turner, J. F. Dyer, North of Baird, drilling at 567 feet. Price, et al, J. F. Dyer, location, L. E. Lockhart, Mrs. Jno. W. Woods No. 2, North of Clyde, has been completed as a dry hole.

J. H. Vise, Mrs. Louie M. Williams Northeast of Baird, drilling at 1400 feet.

E. G. Johnson, A. G. Hobbs, No. 1, underreaming at 1307 feet.

J. A. Watt, Ace Hickman, moving tools in.

Tom Bryant is blocking acreage near Caddo Peak, for a 2600 foot test

Grounds of the Texas Centennial Exposition opening in Dallas June 6 will be policed by Texas Rangers the oldest state constabulary force in the United States.

### CALLAHAN COUNTY'S LARGEST GROUP OF FARMERS EVER ASSEMBLED HERE PROMISE PRODUCTIVE FUTURE

Six hundred or more farmers met at Baird Wednesday to elect committeemen and hear County Agent, Ross B. Jenkins and Assistant, A. L. Cook explain the high points of the New Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act. Old timers said it was the largest gathering of farmers ever seen in Baird for a meeting. Not nearly all could be seated in the large court room.

The County Agent said, (Quote); "If this large assembly can be taken to indicate the interest in the new farm program, then Callahan will surely do her part and stay among those at the top in West Texas in getting the job done.

There were three committeemen and two alternates from each of three districts, called communities, chosen at the meeting. Those elected were: District No. 1, Lester Farmer, Eula; T. N. Minix, Denton; John L. Estes, Fairview; the alternates for District No. 1, are Aaron McKee, Clyde; Otto Betcher, Dudley; District No. 2, Harry Sandlin, Putnam; John Shrader, Seranton; Ed Davis, Admiral. The alternates for District 2 are, Doyle Gunn, Union; Jim Yarbrough, Moran District No. 3, Geo. H. Clifton, Cross Plains; Clint McIntyre, Oplin; Ed Henderson, Dressy. The alternates for District 3 are, Jeff Clark, Plains; W. G. Gibbs, Rowden.

Honorary advisors selected are A. R. Kelton, Belle Plains; A. E. Young, Lone Oak; Joel Griffin, Midway; Russell Morrissett, Lanham; and Dayton L. Sessions, Atwell.

The three community committees will meet with the County Agent Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock and elect chairmen of their groups and then these chairmen will become the County Committee. From the alternates will be chosen men to take the places of the men so moved up.

The Administration of the program will be in the hands of these committeemen. Each committeeman has about 180 farms to handle.

The farmers were told that any person was eligible to enter the program but that only those who made application for compliance forms would be in line for subsidy payments. These will be paid after compliance has been established in the summer and one payment will be made covering all forms of compliance.

### W. M. S. Present Centennial Program

The W. M. S. of the Methodist Church were guests in the home of Mrs. E. M. Wristen Monday afternoon. Mrs. Wristen was assisted by her daughters and Mrs. C. E. Sutphen

Mrs. Owens read a scripture lesson from the ninetieth Psalm after which Mrs. Wristen lead the invocation. Mrs. Owens presented the following Centennial program:

Reading, (Spring in Texas),  
Mary Beth Brown,  
Solo, (Have You Ever Been To Texas In The Spring),  
Mrs. Ross Williams,  
accompanied by Miss Beryl Owens.

Talk on Texas,  
Miss Beryl Owens.  
Solo, (Hosanna), Mrs. Ross Williams, accompanied by Harold Wristen,

Reading, (Divine The State),  
Kitty Ruth Brown,  
After a most interesting Texas con test a delicious salad plate was served the following: Meses: J. C. Barringer J. M. Reynolds, L. F. Foster, S. P. Rumph, N. L. Dickey, Ben L. Russell, Jr., A. B. Hutcheson, Bob Norrell, A. R. Kelton, M. G. Farmer, Lua James and the hostesses.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study, 10 o'clock,  
Worship and sermon at 11:00 and 7:30.

Morning subject, "The Christian's Relation to Easter."

Night subject, "Improvement in Religion,"

Preaching by Batsell Baxter.

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Hear Lloyd George News From the Cosmos Statesmen and Politicians Sloan's Fine Figures

Lloyd George, who ran the big war for England and won with the help of old Clemenceau, not sympathetic with France this time, says England is dangerously involved and "we shall send our young men to die, this time on German soil, to punish these arrogant and aggressive Teutons for daring to make preparations for the defense of their own soil against a foreign invader."



Arthur Brisbane

Lloyd George is bitter in his denunciation of the suggestion that England be dragged into another war, "France," says he, "can spend \$500,000,000 on the erection of huge fortifications. We can vote plans which involve expenditure of an extra fifteen hundred million dollars for protection. But if the Germans propose to throw up even a pill-box to guard their famous cities and their greatest industrial area... then measures must be concerted between the general army staffs of Britain and France."

The "fastest" double star is found, and that is the big news. "Twin suns" close together, in the constellation of Ophiuchus, revolve completely around each other in twenty months. The shortest period of revolution for any other "binary" star is five years. Some revolve only once in a hundred years.

Nature is both fast and slow; the electron in the atom revolves around the proton thousands of millions of times in a second. The lens-shaped Milky Way above your head, in which our sun is one of thirty thousand million specks of light, revolves once in 225,000,000 years. No limit to bigness, no limit to smallness, apparently.

That naval conference in London ends, quite to the satisfaction of England, with the situation about as it was when Hiram Johnson of California put the situation in these few words: "Great Britain builds as she prefers; the United States builds as Great Britain permits."

England actually says to the United States, "You must build no more cruisers with eight-inch guns; we do not like them." And the United States humbly says, "All right, then we shall not build any."

It is the old story: England has statesmen, we have politicians—and some of them are Anglomaniac snobs.

Big business, like little business, has had its trouble, but here and there it is still big business. In his annual report for General Motors, Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., reports net sales last year amounting to \$1,155,641,511, against \$892,672,670 the year before; a gain of more than two hundred and ninety-two million dollars. That means many new cars, and families made happier. The company paid out in wages more than three hundred and twenty-three million dollars, not including wages paid indirectly to thousands of workers producing materials of which automobiles are made.

Sixty of Mussolini's planes have wiped out Harar, Ethiopia's second biggest city, one of 40,000 inhabitants, "Civilized" Europe, England leading, bemoans the fact that a Mohammedan mosque, the Coptic cathedral and a Catholic church were blasted.

They forget what happened in the Yz war, at Rheims, Louvain and elsewhere, and the German cannon "Big Bertha" throwing at Paris shells that might well have wrecked Notre Dame, the Madeleine or the Sainte Chapelle.

War is as ruthless as was nature in the earthquake that destroyed the great cathedral of Lisbon, killing thousands that had gathered there seeking divine protection.

When Pittsburgh is through with the disaster that has almost overwhelmed the city, a monument should be erected in a park, or on the mountainside, in honor of the courage and recuperative energy of the great industrial city. With lights turned off, water flooding the streets, many men and women calmly continued their work, wearing coal miners' light-bearing caps, like so many gigantic glow worms. Americans still possess resourcefulness and can do what they must do.

"To him that hath shall be given," even in Wall street speculation.

Beginning May 1, if you buy \$100 worth of stocks, you must put \$55 of your own into the deal. This will compel small fish to operate on a small scale and get rich slowly, if at all.

It has been suggested here often that airplanes might fight forest fires, possibly by laying down from overhead a soapy layer to shut out oxygen. Utah's officials have planned a new parachute, instantaneously opening, that would land from one to six firefighters and apparatus from planes, wherever desired.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Hitler's Peace Proposals Scouted by France—Big Italian Victory May End Ethiopian War—Lowden for Republican Key-Noter.

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ADOLF HITLER'S proposals for peace in Europe, together with his flat rejection of the plan of the other four Locarno powers for settlement of the Rhineland situation, were handed to British Foreign Minister Eden by Joachim von Ribbentrop, and passed on by Eden to the French and Belgian ambassadors in London. The British cabinet thought the German scheme worthy of consideration, but the French government looked upon it as a "cunning plan" to split the Locarno powers and make Hitler the virtual dictator of Europe. Premier Sarraut and Foreign Minister Flandin were consulting on steps for frustrating the reichsfuehrer and preserving a united front of the Locarno nations.



Adolf Hitler

Hitler's note made these proposals: 1. A "standstill" agreement to exist on both sides of the German border for four months during which Germany, France, and Belgium would make no troop movements. This "armistice" would be guaranteed by a neutral commission.

2. A 25-year nonaggression pact between Germany, France, and Belgium, guaranteed by an international arbitration court, to be negotiated immediately after the French elections.

3. Negotiation for nonaggression pacts between Germany and her other neighbors.

4. Germany to return to the League of Nations as an equal if the league covenant is separated from the Versailles treaty and with the understanding that colonial concessions will be made.

5. When a general settlement is in sight conferences to be held to secure the prohibition in warfare of gas, poison and incendiary bombs, bombing of civilians, bombing of towns more than 12 miles from the battle zone, and the abolition of heavy tanks and heavy artillery.

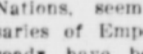
6. A general economic and disarmament conference.

FOLLOWING the example of Germany, the Austrian diet has repudiated that nation's military obligations under the St. Germain treaty. By unanimous vote it approved a bill introduced by Chancellor Kurt von Schuschnigg, providing for general national military service "with or without arms." Every male from his eighteenth to his forty-second year is liable to conscription. This move, which has the support of Premier Mussolini of Italy, was not unexpected, and though it aroused the little entente nations to anger, probably their formal protests will bring no result.

The new law is not likely to bring any great change at present in Austrian armaments, for Austria already has disregarded both the treaty of St. Germain's disarmament provision and its restriction of armaments without serious objection from other countries. Tanks, forbidden to Austria under the treaty, were actually paraded around the Ringstrasse some months ago under the eyes of foreign military attaches whom she had invited.

Hungary may now be expected to violate the treaties and rearm, that, too, being a part of Mussolini's policy.

PEACE negotiations between Italy and Ethiopia, outside the League of Nations, seem imminent, for emissaries of Emperor Haile Selassie already have been received by Marshal Pietro Badoglio, and the Italian undersecretary of colonies is in east Africa to conduct the preliminaries. This news followed closely the dispatches telling of a great victory won by Badoglio's northern troops over 20,000 fresh and picked Ethiopian soldiers whose fight was directed and watched by the emperor himself. The battle, at Mai Cen, lasted all day and the Ethiopians left 7,000 dead on the field as they fled to join the main body of 50,000 troops south of Lake Ashangi eight miles away. Italian fatalities included 16 officers and about 1,000 soldiers, most of the latter being Eritrean Askaris. It was believed Marshal Badoglio would follow up this victory with a smashing blow at Dessye, main concentration point of the Ethiopians, unless peace negotiations stop him.



Marshal Badoglio

Just before this battle the Italian air bombers attacked and practically ruined Harar, second city of Ethiopia. Most of the populace had fled when scouting planes gave a warning of what was to come, so the casualties were few.

GERMANY'S men and women to the number of 44,389,140 declared by their votes in the reichstag elections that they supported the policies of Hitler. Only 542,898 had the nerve to vote against the reichsfuehrer, and a still smaller fraction refused to go to the polls.

Hitler's victory was thus extraordinarily complete, and the Nazis celebrated it with wild rejoicings in Berlin and other cities. It was the culmination of a three years' campaign in which the leaders sought to persuade the population of the reich that only Hitler could save the country from great danger.

WHILE a house committee is delving into the financial operations of the Townsend plan organization, its founder, Dr. Francis E. Townsend, announced in Washington a complete reorganization of "Old Age Revolving Pensions, Ltd." The shake-up followed a split between Representative John S. McGroarty of California, who has pushed the Townsend plan in the house, and the California doctor. Doctor Townsend accused McGroarty of conniving to convert Townsends in California to the Democratic party.

Townsend said that henceforth the movement would be managed by a board and that he would present to it 90 per cent of the profits of the Townsend National Weekly. The national headquarters of the movement will be moved from Washington to Chicago, which was chosen for its central location and accessibility.

Another new policy of the movement will be the selection of an auditing firm to regularly audit finances and report to the directors of each of the Townsend clubs. Townsend will remain as president. His board of directors was named as follows: Gomer Smith, Oklahoma City, vice president; Gilmour Young, San Francisco, national secretary; Dr. Clinton Wunder, New York; J. B. Kiefer, Chicago; Frank Arbuckle, Los Angeles, and Nathan J. Roberts, Jacksonville, regional directors; and Alfred Wright, Cleveland, Ohio, manager.

LEADERS of both major parties are perfecting the arrangements for the national conventions and picking out the chief orators for those occasions. The Republicans have tentatively selected Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, as temporary chairman and keynoter of the gathering in Cleveland. If this choice stands it is presumed the permanent chairman will be an Easterner, possibly Walter Edge of New Jersey, former ambassador and senator.



F. O. Lowden

Some Western governor is wanted by the Democrats as their keynoter and the honor may be given to Paul V. McNutt of Indiana, C. Ben Ross of Idaho or Clyde C. Herring of Iowa. For permanent chairman at Philadelphia Senator Robinson of Arkansas is likely to be picked. The speech putting President Roosevelt in nomination for a second term may be delivered by Senator Wagner of New York.

New York Republicans of the Old Guard persuasion scored a decisive victory over Senator Borah in the primaries, and the Empire state delegation to Cleveland will be pledged to any candidate. The triumph of the conservatives was complete. Not only were the Borah candidates defeated in nine congressional districts in which they made contests, but the organization candidates for delegates defeated independent candidates not pledged to Borah in three other districts.

Maine Democrats in their primary pledged their ten convention votes to the renomination of Mr. Roosevelt.

The Kentucky state Republican convention instructed the four state delegates at large to vote for Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas for the Presidential nomination. This, with previous developments, assured Landon of 18 of the state's votes.

WILLIAM N. MCNAIR, the Democratic mayor of Pittsburgh, appeared as a witness before the house ways and means committee and was almost thrown out on his ear.

Unable to halt McNair's biting tirade against wasteful spending on the one hand and the proposed new punitive tax on corporation earnings on the other, Chairman Robert L. Doughton threatened to call a policeman bodily to evict the mayor.

"Why all this dignity?" shouted McNair. "Good night!"

A committee clerk brought a policeman to the front of the room as the congressmen quickly passed a motion to excuse the witness. McNair said he would leave "gladly" and departed.

UNABLE to raise \$5,200,000 to redeem two bond issues reaching maturity, the province of Alberta, Canada, defaulted. Premier William Aberhart, leader of the Social Credit party, admitted he could not get the necessary funds. In last fall's election the Social Credit party won a big victory. One of the planks in its platform advocated the payment of \$25 of social credit "dividends" monthly to every citizen. None of these dividends has been forthcoming as yet.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for April 12

JESUS TRIUMPHS OVER DEATH

LESSON TEXT—Luke 24:1-35. GOLDEN TEXT—Because I live, ye shall live also.—John 14:19. PRIMARY TOPIC—The Glad Surprise. JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus the Conqueror. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Jesus Is Alive. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Our Living Lord.

The supreme test of Christianity is the fact of the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. It matters little what Jesus said and did while alive if his body remained in the grave. If he did not come forth in triumph from the tomb, then all his claims are false. On the other hand, if he did arise, all his claims are true. Fortunately, there is no better authenticated fact in all history than that of the resurrection of the body of Jesus Christ.

I. The Empty Sepulchre (vv. 1-3).

1. The coming of the women (v. 1). As an expression of affectionate regard for the Master, they came with spices for his body. This was a beautiful expression of sentiment but showed their lack of faith. If they had believed his words, they would have known that his body could not be found in the sepulchre.

2. What they found (vv. 2, 3). When they came to the sepulchre, they found the stone had been removed. How the stone was to be removed, greatly perplexed them on their way, but on their arrival they discovered that their difficulty had already been met. They found the stone rolled away, but they found not the body of Jesus. For them to have found his body in the sepulchre would have been the world's greatest tragedy. The empty tomb spoke most eloquently of the deity and power of the Son of God (Rom. 1:4).

II. The Message of the Men in Shining Garments (vv. 4-8).

1. "Why seek ye the living among the dead?" (v. 5). This question has been reverberating through the centuries since it was uttered by the angels.

2. "He is not here, but is risen." Jesus had made all these matters quite plain. He had told them that the Lord must be betrayed and crucified and that on the third day he would arise again. If they had given heed to his words, they would have been relieved of their perplexities.

III. The Women Witnessing to the Eleven (vv. 9-11).

Their thrilling testimony concerning the empty tomb and the words of the angels appeared to the disciples as idle tales and they refused to believe.

IV. Peter Investigating (v. 12).

While the testimony of the women seemed as idle tales, Peter was not of the temperament to dismiss the matter from his mind. Therefore, he ran to the sepulchre. Upon close investigation he found the linen clothes lying in such a way as to prove the reality of the resurrection.

V. The Convinced Disciples (vv. 13-35).

1. The walk of two discouraged disciples (vv. 13-15). Emmans was seven and a half miles northwest of Jerusalem. Just why the disciples were walking this way we may not surely know. The topic of conversation as they walked miles northwest of Jerusalem. Just why the disciples were walking this way we may not surely know. The topic of conversation as they walked was the tragedy of the cross and the resurrection rumors. If they had believed what Jesus said about his coming forth from the grave, they would have expected to hear such reports.

2. The unrecognized companion (vv. 16-24).

a. Who he was (v. 16). While they reasoned together on the wonderful events of the past few days, Jesus joined them on the journey.

b. His question (v. 17). Perceiving their sadness and perplexity, he sought to help them by calling forth a statement of their grief. This question surprised them and caused them to jump at the conclusion that he was a stranger in Jerusalem, for the condemnation and crucifixion of the great Prophet of Nazareth were so recent and notorious that no one who had lived in Jerusalem could be ignorant of them.

3. The Scriptures opened (vv. 25-31).

a. His rebuke (vv. 25-30). He rebuked them not for their unbelief of the strange stories that they had heard, but for ignorance and lack of confidence in the Old Testament.

b. Jesus recognized (v. 31). While sitting at meat with the disciples their eyes were opened as they saw him bless the bread and distribute to them.

4. The effect upon the disciples (vv. 32-35). They were so filled with joy over this revelation of the Saviour that they hastened back to Jerusalem to tell the other disciples of his resurrection.

God's Love

God's love gives in such a way that it flows from a father's heart, the well-spring of all good. The heart of the giver makes the gift dear and precious; as among ourselves we say of even a trifling gift, "It comes from a hand we love," and look not so much at the gift as at the heart.—Luther.

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## CHAPTER XI—Continued

Shielding his palms with a torn page he lifted from its resting place a worn and shining crowbar.

"What's the idea . . ." Ezra began. "What'd you see there?" Young demanded triumphantly. "Look at the end, Ezra!"

The old man peered closely. "Dirty," he muttered. "Dirt stickin' to it."

"And what kind of dirt? Don't you get it? It's the same color and kind as that under the floor, there! Scrape a little of it off in a clean paper. . . . There! That's right. . . . He used this bar to bust up that hard clay and make a hole for the box and he used it to pry up those floor-boards. . . . Here. . . . Give me one! . . . See? The mark on the board fits exactly!"

"But I don't see yet why—"

Young gave an excited laugh.

"Good Lud, Ezra! This old bar's as smooth and bright as if it'd been polished! Finger prints will be all over it. Inside the cover of that box, big as life and twice as natural, is a man's thumb print and Tod West stood in there for ten minutes fooling with a bright tin cup!"

A light of understanding dawned in Ezra's old eyes.

"Spread out that newspaper," Young said. "Lay it on the ground. . . . So. . . . Now we'll roll up this bar so the prints won't get rubbed away and . . . What the devil!"

He had put the bar down and started to lift away the paper which had shielded his hands. It stuck, peeled off slowly and he held it up to the level rays of a sun setting behind the timber.

Young sniffed the smear on the paper, frowning; touched it tentatively with his tongue and gave a grunt.

"Honey! . . . What's honey doing on that bar, Ezra? And something sticky on the box, too." They peered at one another. "And Tod West," he said slowly, "all swollen up. Notice that?"

"I did. What you make of that?"

Kerry puzzled, stared blankly at the ground and scratched a temple.

"Nothing yet," he muttered. "Nothing. . . . But we've got a mess of stuff to make something of."

Carefully they gathered up their evidence: the box, the bar, the floor boards and, lastly, also carefully wrapped in paper, the tin cup, with which Tod West had busied his trembling hands.

## CHAPTER XII

They drove slowly back toward Nan's headquarters, talking intently.

To save Holt Stuart the ignominy of arrest, to tie together the evidence they had accumulated, to weave a net around Todd West and to discover the remainder of the money that rightfully belonged to Nan were their major objectives.

In the car which preceded them had been intent talk, as well. West had had little enough to say at the cabin but once on the homeward way, with new fears, fresh doubts, even greater misgivings stirring within him, he had talked. Talked into Bridger's ear, playing on the man's vanity, his jealousy of his authority, his regard for his political fences. . . .

And after those first minutes at Downer's, with their confusion and excitement and triumph, Tod West, drawing Bridger aside, talked further, what had transpired in Mel Knight's store between Young and Bluejay had come to his ears and he passed it on to Bridger and made deductions and, in a fever of relief, let his suggestions run into demands. . . .

As they rounded the bend and came into view of the Downer buildings, Ezra leaned suddenly forward.

"What goes on here?" he asked, staring at the group clustered before head-



Cool Steel Encircled Kerry's Wrists.

quarters. "That's Nat's car. . . . Do you s'pose . . ."

Kerry speeded up and when he drew close to the cluster of men about the sheriff's car it gave way and there, white of face, his hands manacled before him, they saw Holt Stuart!

Bridger pushed his way toward Young as he opened the door of Ezra's car. The sheriff bore himself with a new importance.

"Well, I guess you'll have to admit I was lookin' a little further ahead 'n you were, Young!" he cried, waving a sheet of paper triumphantly.

"I guess, mebbey, the sheriff's office

can still be depended on to follow its best judgment for the people of this county!"

"Yeah? Just what do you mean?" Kerry asked, evenly.

"Mean? I mean I was right all along! This lad Stuart is the man we want, Young, and I wasn't a second too soon, either. I guess mebbey there's be'n things goin' on about this case that nobody but you 'nd him understood! I'll count Ezra out because he's . . . he's an old man."

"I don't s'pose you knew he was packed up, ready to haul, did you?"

"Holt, you mean?"

"Yes, Holt!" Tod West was edging up behind Bridger, frowning, nudging the sheriff. "Yes, Holt Stuart! Pack sack 'nd suit cases all strapped up. 'Nd I come on him writin' this . . . writin' it to Nan Downer, who's be'n away today. Listen to this!"

He read: "Dear Nan: It looks as if I'd stayed on here too long, now, and, by staying, risked all kinds of disaster. . . ."

"He'd got just that far when I busted in on him. Now, you got any cock-'nd-bull story to explain that?"

"Why should I have an explanation?"

"I wondered!"—edging closer with an expression of craft which Kerry, in that moment of confused thought, did not detect—"I wondered, Young, after I heard you done your best to drive the state's chief witness out of the country this—"

"Here! What the devil!"

Young grunted as he began to struggle. Butch, the deputy, had him from behind. Bridger had grasped one wrist in both his hands; Tod West stepped in to help him, to hold him despite his first amazed struggles.

"What comes off?" Kerry demanded.

"What's the big idea, Bridger?"

The sheriff was reaching for handcuffs. A leer came about his mouth.

"I've got Stuart as a suspect in a murder case," he said loudly, "nd I'm takin' you, Young, for interferin' with a witness in that very self-same case!"

Cool steel encircled Kerry's wrists; the ratchets clicked.

"Why, this is the damndest, most far fetched outrage—"

"You tell all that to the Judge!" snapped Bridger. "Here, you boys, get back, now! Stand away. Butch 'nd me, we got to get these two into a cell. . . . Stand back, boys!"

He whirled to Kerry.

"You got th' guts to deny that you drove Frank Bluejay out of town this afternoon? Have you even got th' brass to explain that?"

Young was breathing hard. Confusion and dismay lay heavily upon him. He looked from Bridger to Tod West and his lip curled. The man, with his swollen face, was glaring at him, triumphant for the moment, because his agile mind had turned events off that course which, had it been followed, might have overwhelmed him. "Yes, try to explain that, if you can!" West growled.

Kerry squared his shoulders.

"Perhaps I can, Tod West," he said lowly. "Perhaps I can! Tomorrow's another day, remember."

And handcuffed, with Bridger jerking him toward the open touring car in which he was to ride, a prisoner, in to the county seat, he laughed bitterly, defiantly. . . .

Old Ezra, nervous fingers twisting strands of beard, came close as Stuart was helped into the back seat, and Young ordered in bedside the driver.

"Hold everything, Ezra!" Kerry said. "You sleep on that stuff! Understand? Guard it with your life, if necessary. See me in the morning and . . . and take care of Nan!"

His voice dropped on this last and he averted his eyes from the doctor's face.

Tip, still sitting on the seat of Ezra's car, watched with stiff ears as this other automobile moved away. The crowd, after that departure, began to buzz loudly. Doctor Adams carefully gathered the pieces of material evidence they had found and carried them into Nan's office.

The dog whined a little, staring at the way his master had taken. Slowly, almost tentatively at first, he took the road; stopped once and sniffed the air. Then, at a rolling lope, he disappeared beyond the sawmill, headed for Shoe-string.

The ride into town was one long succession of unsuccessful attempts on the part of Bridger to make one or the other of his prisoners talk.

"Just where were you all day Thursday, Holt?" he asked in a patent attempt at ingratiating.

"Go to blazes!"

"Now, that ain't no way. Mebbey it'll be best for you to tell me. I could do a lot of good if—"

"Oh, shut up!"

Bridger shrugged and smiled to himself. Car tools, loose on the floor-boards at Kerry's feet, clanked and rattled as they took the bumps.

"Now, Young, you'd ought to come clean for Holt's sake, about why you run this 'breed—"

"Tell him to go to hell, Holt," Kerry chuckled.

Again and again as they progressed through the dusk, Nat made his ineffectual attempts to worm information from the two. After a time when- ever he opened his lips, the two chaunted in solemn measure:

"Go to hell!"

"Well then," Bridger finally snapped,

"If there's any goin' to hell to be done by this gang I'll leave it to anybody with eyes to see who's on the road!"

They swung through town, around to the rear of the jail and entered by a side door.

Butch and Bridger took their possessions from the prisoners and ushered them into the bull-pen.

"Pick out your own beds," the sheriff jeered unpleasantly.

"You'll have the place to yourselves, likely. And I hope you like it, both of you!"

It was not long before excited citizens commenced to arrive. They clomped up the front steps and through the corridor and cast self-conscious glances into the dimly lit apartment behind the bars; went into the sheriff's office and congratulated him boisterously and came out more boldly and hung against the steel door of the bull-pen and peered through. But Kerry on a bunk in a cell, and Stuart on another, kept out of sight and made no response to the advances.

Bridger was in fine spirits. His talk rose high and higher. He became almost hysterical in this, his moment of greatest triumph.

At late evening the stream of callers had petered out. Butch had been called out to a country dance where bad whisky had caused trouble and when no one appeared for a quarter of an hour, Bridger stalked down the corridor and called through an open doorway:

"I'll be over at the pool hall, Ma! If anybody calls, or you hear anything, just ring me. Them boys'll be all right. . . ."

They'd be all right!

As soon as the sound of his footsteps had died away Young was out of his cell, across the bull-pen and sitting on the edge of Holt's cot where the boy lay, face in his arms.

"Buck up, son!" he whispered, a hand on the lad's shoulder. "It looks like a kind of a mess, but we'll clear it up!"

A shudder traveled the lithe frame beneath his touch.

"What happened?" And when the other made no move: "Won't you tell me?"

Slowly Stuart rolled over, and the faint light from above showed his face white and drawn.

"Damned if I know!" he muttered. "I'd packed up this afternoon. I was on my way. I didn't want to leave without some word for Nan. I'd just started to write a note when in busted Bridger, grabbed it off the desk and . . ."

"That's all; except that I lost my head and tried to take 'em all on."

"Then you were actually hauling?"

"Yes,"—bitterly.

"Why?" No answer. Stuart continued to stare at the latticed bars above him. "What was the big idea, Holt? You don't mean . . . It can't be,"—tensely—"that this yarn Bluejay told—"

"Certainly not!"

Stuart sat up quickly and drew both hands across his eyes.

"Hell, no! What this is all about, I can't tell you. I got enough from Bridger's boasting to see what they're driving at. And I was off alone all day Thursday and I was leaving and I did start a note to Nan with a couple of sentences that, maybe, will make it look a little tough in the beginning. But I didn't kill Cash and I didn't bury anything at Townline and I wasn't there Thursday! Somebody's trying to frame me but it's . . . That's a detail, now."

Young drew a long and mystified breath.

"Detail! Maybe. But . . . Good Lord, chum, they've got enough stuff to hold you here until we can blow up their case. Why, it's worse looking than I'd figured it could be. . . . He scratched his temple briskly. "Damn it all, they've—"

"Where were you, for instance, all day Thursday, the day Bluejay apparently's ready to swear he saw you at the cabin?"

"All over hell's half acre."

"Alone?"

"Alone."

"Doing what?"

"Walking."

"Walking! . . . Why, Stuart, aren't you . . ." He shook his head hopelessly.

"And then you get ready to pull out and write to Nan that you've been risking all kinds of disaster—"

"And didn't I?—savagely. "Didn't I stay here and eat my heart out and know all along that it was no use? That I'm too young and not big enough for a girl like that, anyhow? And then you—"

Young's head was in a whirl.

"But, good Lord, son, didn't she . . . didn't Ezra . . . Why, last Wednesday night Ezra told me what she said to him after West had been there and you'd mixed it with him! She said to Ezra that she couldn't let anything happen to you; and she cried because a mess like that had happened just when she . . . Just when . . . Well, as Ezra told it to me, just when she'd fallen in love with you!"

"With me!"

The boy's exclamation gave Kerry a curious feeling; Holt's look, wide, amazed, shocked, furthered his confusion.

"With me!" he repeated and laughed bitterly. "Young, are you blind? Is old Ezra crazy? . . . Yes, he was there; he came into the office just after she'd told me that . . ."

He closed his eyes and his body shuddered again.

"She took me into the office away from the others after West left. Sue

told me that her heart would be broken if anything happened to me because of my loyalty to her. . . . I lost my head again and begged her to let me love her. Then she told me that such a thing was impossible; she didn't say more. I put it to her. "Do you love Kerry Young?" I asked her and she . . . she just nodded. . . . That . . . that's all there is to tell you, Young."

He turned away.

"I guess, Kerry, you're as blind as I thought you were. All along, ever since I first saw you and Nan together, I'd been afraid of it. I . . . I'd loved her a long time, you see."

Strength drained from Kerry's body. One knee shook spasmodically. His throat swelled and a chill like that induced by fog enveloped him.

"You mean . . . she said I . . . Holt, and you're telling me this!"

The other turned away sullenly as if in collapse. He leaned on one elbow, looking away from his fellow prisoner.

"All right," he muttered when Young moved toward him impetuously. "It's all right. I was jealous of you at first but . . . it's got to be all right! You're her kind. I . . . I'm over . . . everything, now. I . . . I'd just like to be alone for a minute, please."

That is how it happened that Young stood alone at a rear window of the jail, hanging weakly to the bars, head pressed against the cold steel, eyes closed, with a sweet agony surging through and through his veins. . . .

So his heart had found a home . . . unoccupied! So this was the way love



"I'm Too Young and Not Big Enough for a Girl Like That."

had come to him! So Nan Downer had been so sure of it that she would tell another . . .

Little things that had been said between them; looks Nan had given him; gestures . . . All these details now, in memory, returned with their full significance.

She did not love Holt Stuart. She loved him, Kerry Young! And she was out there, now, distressed, awaiting him, and here he was, jaded, helpless to help her, with Tod West in the saddle. And if West could keep him out of the way and hot-headed, impulsive Holt Stuart out of the way . . .

He straightened. Nan Downer, tonight and tomorrow and until he was at liberty, was virtually at West's mercy. Old Ezra was her only counsel, her only protector. . . . An ague shook him.

Tod West, with his swollen face . . .

Young stood back from the window, then, one eye half closed. A hornet sting, had not somebody said, somewhere, some time? The casual word, making no impression at the time, came back now, looming into tremendous importance. . . . Hornet? Or a bee? And honey?

He cocked his head to listen. No sound from Stuart. He wet his dry lips to speak and checked himself. . . .

From beyond the circle of light thrown by the incandescent above the jail's side door, he saw movement. A vague, tawny blotch moving toward him, and then a light, light snuffling. . . .

It was Tip, tail thrashing, coming faster now, coming toward the sheriff's car standing there where it had been left; putting his paws on the running board, sniffing at the front seat cushion, staring about and panting from his long run.

"Tip!" he called lowly. "Oh, Tip!" The dog whirled. Young spoke the name again. The retriever threshed his tail and, running to the wall, placed his front feet against it, stretching to his full height.

"Drop, boy!" whispered Kerry cautiously. "Drop! Good dog!"

Hastily, he ran along the cells until he reached Stuart's.

"Listen, chum!" he whispered, grasping the other's arm as he lay on his side. "What you've said . . . Well maybe you can imagine how I feel. I don't know what to think or to say except this: you're . . . you're something better than pure gold. You're all man, son!"

He swallowed.

"And after this is over maybe the feeling of . . . of the worst embarrassment I've ever known'll wear off and I can talk."

"But tonight we've things to think about. A lot of 'em; and we'll have to think damned awful fast!"

He paused to listen. No sound came from the front part of the building.

"I've been working for two weeks on this thing. It's a dead certainty that Tod West killed Cash. No! Don't you talk! Time for that later!"

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## COUNTY AGENT NEWS

By ROSS B. JENKINS

### 650 Times More Soil Loss When Rows Follow Slope

A sloping plot of ground near Ithaca, N. Y., planted to potatoes last summer with the rows running up and down hill lost 650 times as much soil and 14 times as much moisture from July 7th to November 15th as two adjoining plots with rows running across the slope with the contour. The three plots at the Arnot experiment station of the Soil Conservation Service were 21 feet wide and 311 feet long, with a slope of 7 per cent on the upper half and 14 per cent on the lower.

The plot planted up and down the slope lost almost 14 tons of soil per acre and nearly 14 per cent of the 18 inches of rainfall. The two strip plots each lost only 43 pounds of soil per acre. The run-off was 1.1 per cent on one plot and only 0.35 on the other.

There are a few men yet who be-

lieve that the row should drain itself. It will if run down the slope and will carry the soil and water with it. Soon it will have a fine gully to show its masterful efficiency.

Terracing and contouring of the rows is the converse to running rows down the hill and will build and conserve the soil for this and future generations.

The county agent has terraced some 1006 acres this spring and has run contour lines on 85 . . . Most all those lines have now been built by county grading machinery which the commissioners' grant to the farmers at a per cost basis of \$2.25 per hour.

AAA Soil Program And Division Of Payments Domestic Allotment program were given, but further details have been revealed now.

Crops are all classified. Three classes have been set up. These are soil depleting soil conserving, and soil building crops.

Two kinds of payments will be made to farmers for land use—soil conserving and soil building, but the money for both will come in one check after compliance has been checked by the committees and the farm has been found to have put in the crop and number of acres required,

These of course are crops that will increase the fertility of his farm.

Bases of pay will be guided by the established under former contracts as in force in 1935, with due allowance to be made for crops not included before and for any incorrect base established previously.

Work sheets will be filled out by every farmer and presented to his committee in which every acre will be accounted for on the farm. In order that farmers may have a true record of their operations it should be the practice of each farmer to get his neighbor to help him measure his entire cultivated land and for each major crop grown in 1935. Planned farming demands better knowledge of what we are doing and quit guessing. Merchants are required to furnish a report of how many cans, bolts, sacks and what have you in their business each year, and if that be good business for them it should be good for farmers to know where of they plant.

Since the entire acreage of every farm must be listed on the work sheet in planning for the soil conservation work a neutral classification has been set up as well as the three-crop classification.

Land doing nothing will be paid nothing. Working will receive working land's compensation.

In general it will be easy to remember that the soil depleting crops are mostly row crops, while the soil conserving and soil building crops are the legumes, grains and grasses that are used for cover crops and to turn under as green manure. The neutral classification includes idle land, fallow land, woodland, non crop land, pastures, yards, lanes, roadways, vineyards, and so forth.

About 20 percent of the base acreage in soil depleting crops must in 1936, be classified as soil conserving or soil building crops in order to qualify for participation in the program. The actual ratio will be determined by adding 20 percent of the cotton base acreage to 15 percent of the base acreage of other soil depleting crops. In other words, the required ratio of soil conserving and soil building crops to soil depleting crops on a strictly cotton farm would be 20 percent; on other farms it would probably be less than this figure.

The maximum cotton acreage on any one farm upon which conserving payment will be made is 35 percent of the cotton base.

No payment will be made for acreage taken out of food and feed crops unless the 1936 acreage in such crops is at least equal to the actual needs of the farm family and work stock.

Corn interplanted with peas will be considered as 50 percent corn and 50 percent peas in calculating bases and performance.

The soil conserving payments will be based on the productivity of the land; for cotton it will be five cents per pound; for peanuts 1-4 cents a pound; for rice it will be 20 cents for each 100 pounds of the producer's domestic consumption quota, subject to certain specified agreements; and for the other soil depleting crops the rate per acre will vary among the states and counties, depending upon the productivity of the land.

The division of payment between landlord and tenant is arrived at in two ways. The division of the soil conserving payment is 37 1-2 percent to the producer who furnishes the land; 12 1-2 to the producer who fur-

nishes the workstock and equipment and 50 percent to be divided among the producers as the crop is divided

The soil building payment will be made to the producer who has incurred the expense entailed in the soil building crops or practices.

With regard to wheat the situation is rather different, since wheat growers had signed applications for contracts with the Government for a 1936 wheat program. Congress has voted that existing applications are to be considered as obligating and are to be carried out and payments made on them. Wheat farmers may arrange their fall plantings in 1936 to be included in the new program later.

Enough electric power to light a city of 100,000 people will be used daily from June 6 to November 29 at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas.

Visitors to the Texas Centennial Exposition opening in Dallas June 6 will find a real oil well in operation on the grounds of the \$25,000,000 World's Fair.

Alabama, Georgia, Minnesota, Tennessee and Texas have counties named for General Sam Houston, Lone Star State hero who will be honored during the 1936 Centennial celebrations.

Visitors to the Texas Centennial Exposition opening in Dallas June 6 will be introduced to a tasty Southern sandwich whose principal ingredient is "chevon"—or barbecued goatmeat.

Registrations of Texas voters in 1936, the Centennial year, is estimated at 1,250,000, highest in the history of the Lone Star State.

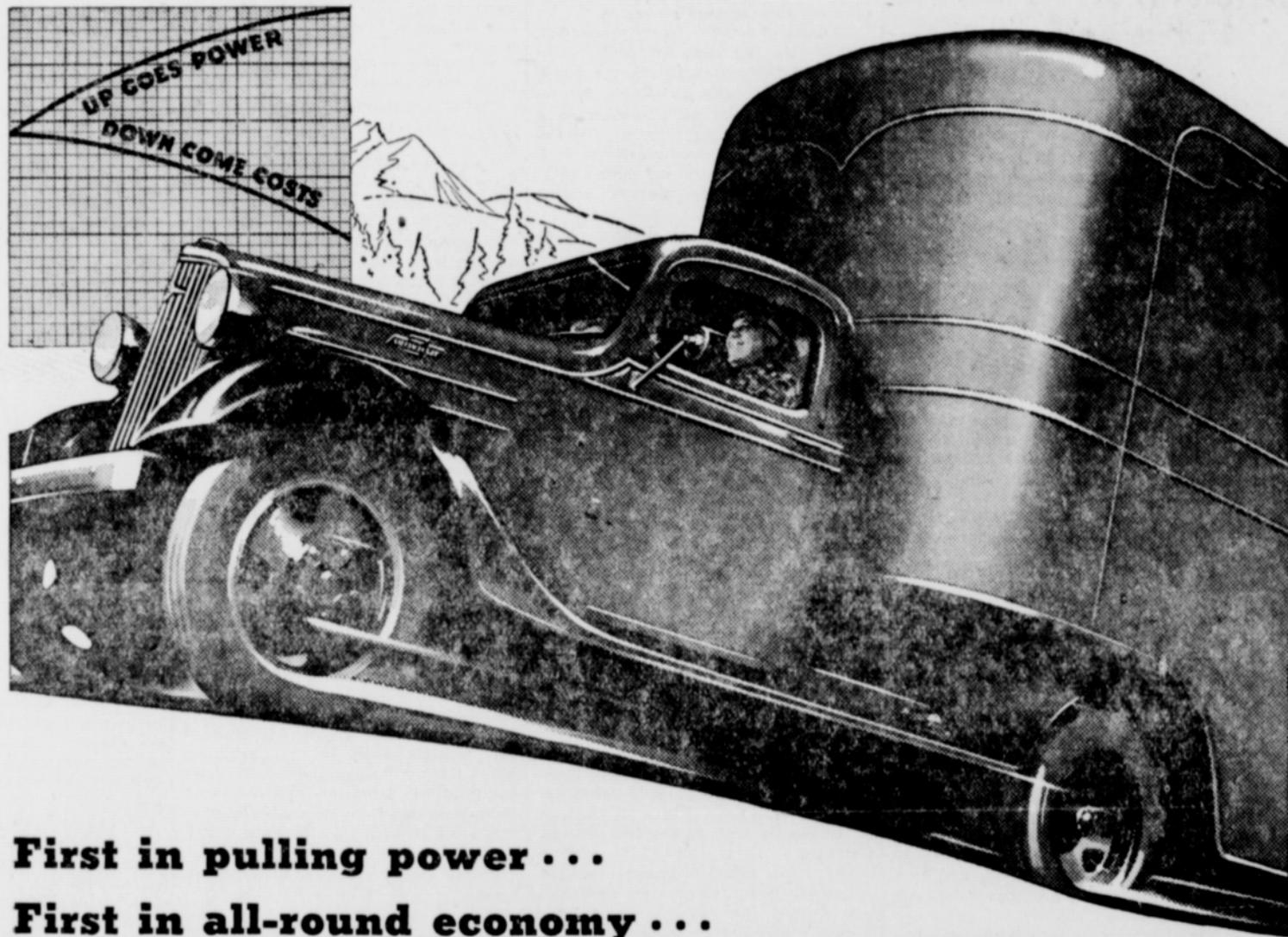
### Texas Centennial Celebrations (Continued from Front Page)

tion of the early Irish settlers of old San Patricio de Hibernia.

The old town of San Patricio was founded in 1830 as the farthest outpost of English speaking people in the United States. History of that section dates back several centuries, however, as Lipan mission was established near there in 1690.

James McGlion of Ireland on August 17, 1828, signed a contract for 80 leagues of land granted by the Mexican government for colonization and known in history as the McMullen and McGloin grant, McMullen and McGloin arrived in present San Patricio county in 1830 with 40 Irish families who had landed at Copano bay. The town site of old San Patricio later was laid out near the Neucos river which was to play an important part in Texas history, San Patricio was the scene of many of the stirring events of the Texas revolutionary period which now is being commemorated in the state-wide Centennial celebration.

The San Patricio celebration will be opened at Sinton, county seat, on Tuesday, April 14, when a marker will be dedicated on the lawn of the courthouse in honor of the memory of early settlers of the county. A colorful historical parade then will move through the city's streets and it will be repeated on the two following days. Each night on the flood lighted athletic field at Taft there will be presented a spectacular pageant which will depict the history of old San Patricio. An extensive collection of relics of early Texas days will be on exhibition in Sinton during the three days of the celebration.



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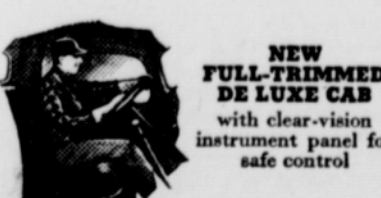
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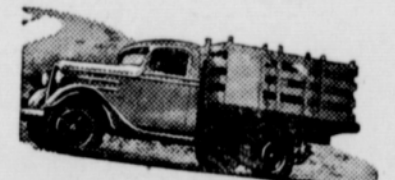
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The book of 100,000 facts—the 1936 edition of the Texas Almanac—is just off the press. It is the largest volume in the history of this publication—a total of 512 pages, on better grade of paper and more profusely illustrated. The 1936 book, although designated as the "Centennial Edition" and compiled in tribute to the grand celebration in Texas this year, misses only twenty-one years of reaching its own centennial year, having first been issued in 1857 by the Galveston News, the parent organization of The Dallas News, its present publishers.  
While much new material of historical nature is included in the new issue, none of the chapters that has made The Texas Almanac the standard reference book of Texas in the past has been omitted. The names of several thousand individuals appear in its pages.  
Features of the current issue include an extensive description of the Texas Centennial, including celebrations at Dallas and other points in the State, an outline of the history of Texas from its beginning to the present, an illustrated chapter on the wild flowers of Texas, lists of the different kinds of trees and wild animals found in Texas, extensive lists of historic old towns and origins of names of Texas towns, a text of the State Constitution with all its amendments and brief account of submission of all adopted amendments since adoption of the Constitution, and the new farm census figures of 1935. There is much of interest for the coming political campaign, including the current poll tax payments by counties. All figures on State, county and city bonded debt are brought up to

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The following fees for political announcements placed in The Baird Star will be charged. Each candidate will be allowed a personal announcement not to exceed two hundred words at the time of announcement. All other notices during the campaign will be charged for at the regular rate of one cent per word for readers and 25 cents per inch for display advertisement. All announcement fees are payable when announcement is placed in The Star.

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date. There are several chapters devoted to points of interest for the Centennial tourist in Texas, and a new map made in four colors especially for this edition of the Texas Almanac, entitled "Texas for Tourists" is folded between the leaves of each volume.

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**NOTICE ON FINAL ACCOUNT IN ADMINISTRATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF CALLAHAN:  
To all persons interested in the Estate of Frank Wheat, Deceased, Know Ye, That C. R. Nordyke, executor of the Estate of Frank Wheat Deceased, having on the 27th day of March A. D. 1936, filed in the County Court of Callahan County Texas, his final account of the Condition of the aforesaid estate together with his

application for authority to distribute the property of said Estate now in his hands, and his application to be discharged as such Executor and for the discharge of his bondsmen, which said Final Account and application will be acted upon by the County Court on Monday the 20th day of April A. D. 1936, at the Courthouse in Baird in said Callahan County Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in the Estate of Frank Wheat Deceased may appear and contest said Final Account and Application if they desire to do so.  
Given under my hand and seal of office, at Baird, Texas, this the 28th day of March A. D. 1936.

S. E. Settle  
County Clerk, Callahan County/Texas  
The Texas mule is still vital to construction work in the Lone Star State. Recently heavy rains caused the miring of a huge tractor on the grounds of the Texas Centennial Exposition opening in Dallas June 6. Ten mules pulled it out after other tractors had failed.



# FLOYD GIBBONS Adventurers' Club Hello, Everybody!

"A Grave in Russia"  
By FLOYD GIBBONS  
Famous Headline Hunter.

THIS is the story of why Donia Santanovsky of Bronx, N. Y., came to America. It is also the story of why Donia is afraid of snow. That's a funny sort of fear, especially as Donia came here from Russia where they have plenty of that cold, white stuff that powders the earth in winter.

But then, if you'd gone through what Donia did, over there in the little village of Shulac, near the city of Kiev—well—maybe you'd be afraid of snow, too. I know that if it had happened to me, I'd move down on the Equator where I'd never even have to think of the doggone stuff.

In the winter of 1919 Donia lived in that little village of Shulac that I just mentioned. She lived there alone with her mother, for her father had been killed in the World war.

### The Times Were Hard, Even for Russia.

Those were bad times in Russia. The Czarist government had fallen, and there was little real law in the land. Not much order, either. Roving bands pillaged the country. Bandits were everywhere.

And worst of all were the Cossacks, those half savage soldiers of the former czar. Wherever they went they robbed and terrorized. Especially they terrorized the Jews wherever they found them.

That, of course, was nothing new. Even under the czars there had been anti-Jewish riots, most of them instigated and carried on by these same Cossacks. Now, though, they were even less restrained than they had been in the old days of the monarchy. Jews were robbed, beaten, tortured and killed. They have a name for those slaughters over there. They call them "pogroms."

### "The Cossacks Are Coming" Was Bad News.

Donia and her mother lived in constant fear of these pogroms. They were the only Jewish family in the neighborhood—the only one within a radius of five miles about their little village. And one night, as Donia lay in bed with a high fever there came an ominous knocking at the door. When Donia's mother opened it she saw a peasant, shaking with fear, who cried out the dreaded warning, "The Cossacks are coming!"

Donia's mother became pale with terror. Donia started to cry. She was only six years old then—not much more than a baby. But the Cossacks didn't spare even children when they were out on their savage forays.

Fever or no fever, Donia was taken out of bed. Her mother wrapped her in some blankets and, dragging her by the hand, started for the house of a Christian neighbor where they could hide until the Cossacks had gone.

It was a bitter cold night. It had been snowing steadily for days. It was hard going through the drifts, and the neighbor's house was a mile away. But Donia's mother hurried on, going as fast as the drifts would let her, and dragging little Donia along by the hand.

### They Seek Refuge in the Frozen Tundras.

They had almost reached their destination when they heard the beat of horses' hoofs far up the road. The Cossacks were on them! There wasn't



Mother and Child Fled Through the Snow.

time to reach the house where they were to find shelter. Hardly time for anything at all. Donia's mother looked around for a place to hide. The bare, treeless landscape stretched away, bleak and shelterless. There was no place to hide but one—and that might mean death for little fever-stricken Donia.

There wasn't any choice. Better an easy death than the tortures of the Cossacks. Better a death from pneumonia than the fiendish cruelty of the horsemen who were riding toward them. Donia's mother got down on her knees and began scooping a hole in the snowdrift at the side of the road. She tore cloth from her skirt and put it over their faces so they could breathe. Then she put Donia in the hole she had scooped out, lay down beside her and began covering them both with snow.

### They Hide Under the Cossacks' Very Eyes.

They had no sooner finished than the Cossacks rode up. They came right up to the spot where Donia and her mother lay buried in the snow—and stopped! Mother and daughter held their breaths. Had they been discovered? Had the sharp eyes of the Cossacks read the marks and prints in the snow?

But no. The Cossacks, it seems, hadn't noticed their hiding place. They had just stopped to talk. For endless minutes they chattered while Donia and her mother wondered how long they'd have to lie there motionless under that cold blanket of snow.

Time dragged on. Donia's mother felt that she was freezing. Donia long since had stiffened and lost consciousness at her mother's side. Then, at last, the Cossacks climbed back on their horses. Hoofbeats rattled off down the road.

The Cossacks had gone—but it seemed to Donia's mother that they had gone too late. Her little girl, all stiff and blue, lay motionless in the snow bank. She picked her up and carried her to the neighbor's house, convinced that she was dead.

But Donia wasn't dead. She lived to tell us her story. And soon after that escape she and her mother came to America. They didn't want any more experiences like that—no more adventures with Cossacks, and with the cold snow of Russia.

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### Matthias Hohner, Maker of the First Harmonica

Matthias Hohner, the father of the harmonica, was born at Trossingen, in the province of Baden, in 1823. At the time, the few peasants who lived in the village went out daily to work in their fields and were just able to scrape together a meager existence from the already worn-out soil, and the village was just like many thousands of other villages throughout Europe. The only handwork possible was clock-making, though the section renowned for its clock-making lies farther north, and the clock-makers of Trossingen had no better success than the farmers, because they had no market for their clocks.

Matthias Hohner was the son of a clock-maker and learned the trade from his father. For many years he was as poor as his neighbors. But he possessed several qualities rare among easy-going South Germans; a strong will, stubborn determination, unlimited vitality, the ability to think quickly and shrewdly; and, in addition to these, an able and helpful wife. In 1827 a Viennese clock-maker fastened some rough strips of metal to a wooden box so that when one blew on them

they gave out tones. The instrument was primitive—no covering for the metal tongues, no clear and harmonious tones, and no possibilities of being used in any other way than as a sort of noisy whistle, says a writer in Pearson's Weekly.

Matthias Hohner heard of this insignificant invention. He set out to make a similar instrument for himself, having the idea that the metal strips might be filed to various thicknesses and lengths and thus make a chromatic scale possible.

While working on his instrument he discovered that constant blowing was not so practical, and he decided to fasten alternate strips at the top instead of at the bottom so that the player might inhale as well as blow, thus making the playing of the instrument merely a process of controlled breathing. Then he designed a protective covering for the fragile vibrating tongues of his invention, and the first harmonica was complete.

### Not Much to Fear

"You ain't got much to be 'fraid of," said Uncle Eben. "If you kin manage not to see any more of de underworld, you kin turn up by daylight wif a

## No Depression in Wall Street Wailing Financiers Making More Money Than Ever; G. O. P. Is in Bad Way

By EARL CODWIN  
WASHINGTON. — How much are your clothes worth? I'll wager the average man who reads this column doesn't own more than \$100 worth of clothes—yet here, as I write this today, I am astounded over the advertisement in the Wall Street Journal by an ordinary, every day tailor, who says that the New York Wall Streeter should have a wardrobe of clothes costing no less than \$7,500.

There can't be much depression and economic ruin among any class of men whose wardrobes are figuring on \$7,500 worth of clothes per year. New York is the eastern focus of antipathy to Roosevelt; and Wall Street is the particular poison pot whence comes most of the money which finances these noise-making devices in the way of various "leagues" and "committees" which fill the air and the press with the wailings of the high priced, high salaried executives who are making more money than they have made in years—some of them making more money than they ever made before in their lives—but who yet want to defeat this administration.

Wall Streeters had descended to the point three and a half years ago where their favorite expression was that they had "lost their shirts" under the regime they had built, supported, financed and voted for. Most of them were given back their shirts by the Roosevelt policies, and they know it. They have now recovered so they can be expected to have clothes worth \$7,500 for themselves, while any New York newspaper carried almost daily, all winter long, advertisements of women's fur coats running from \$5,000 to \$20,000. It takes a lot of business to have incomes like that.

This \$7,500 basic wardrobe for the average New York business man contains one dozen suits of ordinary everyday clothes, with half a dozen suits of dress-up clothes to wear around at evening functions. There are a dozen overcoats; fancy trousers, and one unbelievable item is a suit of silk to wear at home while loafing. There are 132 different garments in this \$7,500 wardrobe, not including shoes, shirts, hats and underwear. I am glad such a high standard exists, and that these Wall Streeters will be generous enough to want to hand some of this prosperity around instead of keeping it all. United States bureau of labor statistics show that the average working man in America rarely spends more than a hundred dollars a year all told, on clothes; the rural householder doesn't average more than seventy-five on his. The contrast between what the average man has and what the well-dressed New Yorker considers a basic standard makes me wonder when these howling brokers will quit their noisy attack on Roosevelt and his wealth-spreading New Deal.

WALL STREET ADOPTS LONDON  
Wall Street has adopted Gov. Alfred Landon of Kansas, as its pet Presidential candidate. The reactionary East has given him the glamour of a great western Coolidge—a strong silent man with tremendous inner strength. Wall Street wants Landon because it sees in him a nice, easy-going, middle grade politician who will "go along" with the gang responsible for his election. I take it, too, that his backers will see that he is increasingly silent, because when he has broken the silence recently he certainly has had nothing to say which would give any hint of Presidential size. They believe that he can be built up in the public mind as the sort of President we need; but if he gets many more questions like the teachers are shooting at him (which he refuses to answer in his silence) he will lose more voters in the West than he attracts in the East. The teachers' organizations are sore at Landon for his habit of budget balancing by taking it out of the teachers' pockets. Is he in favor of doing this everywhere in the realm of public education, they ask him, but the silent man remains silent.

Had he but remained silent all his political life it might have been better, because prying editors in his neighborhood dig up news reports of what Landon was saying about the time that Roosevelt was inaugurated. He saw the country going to rack and ruin with panic and fear; and as the Republican governor of Kansas he came out with the expressed hope that congress would give Roosevelt extreme powers of dictatorship to cope with the disasters which had befallen the republic. Of course Roosevelt did not ask for any such powers—nor did he get them—but it shows what strong, silent Landon would do, or want to do, if he got in a jam.

### NO KNOX PLAN

The silence of Alfred Landon produces no more than the noise of Col. Frank Knox, whose violent criticism of the New Deal led me to believe he would come East with a plan to solve our problems. Frankly, he has no plan. All he says is that the situation is terrible, and must be studied. Knox does not attract people with

that dull-witted policy; and the Republicans here who thought he was a tremendous figure are feeling slightly seasick. Meantime, the Republican national committee, whose propagandists have been making fun of the so-called "Brain Trust," has hired a brain trust of its own composed of five professors, three from Harvard and two from Yale, to work out some high-pressure intelligence for the G. O. P. which apparently is beginning to wake up to the fact that brain count after all.

### G. O. P. IN BAD WAY

So far the ordinarily smart G. O. P. has not raised an issue, the reason being that the Republican party is in a bad way with its most powerful vote getter—Borah—on the rampage. One trouble with the party is that the western agrarians are no longer going along with the eastern industrialists. The G. O. P. was made up of those two widely separated wings; and the western wing was always revolting and producing liberals and progressives, yet trailing along after the leadership of the East. But Roosevelt attracted a tremendous number of those western liberals into his party and they appear to be staying. Roosevelt's main political job now is to hold those wandering liberal Republicans. There is where Borah is the key to the situation because he is one of the few western agrarian leaders holding out against Roosevelt.

If Borah bolts the Republican party now or later on this year, he will probably bolt right straight into the New Deal. That would probably mean a realignment of political parties making the Democratic party the dominant party—as in the days of Jackson. Yet the Republican leaders do not see this at all. They keep on trying to make mid-western Landon (who was almost a New Dealer) into a Wall Street Tory, and are saying that if Borah doesn't look out they will throw him out of the party entirely. And if they do throw Borah out he will carry so much of the G. O. P. with him that it will look as if a cyclone had hit a hay barn!

### THE TAXPAYER PAYS

When you view the general inefficiency of the average county courthouse, the average city hall, in contrast to the bang-up efficiency of modern business, you are prone to take it for granted that government simply cannot compete with private industry when it comes to clear-cut methods of getting things done. Well, then, multiply the local situation several million times and you have an idea of the duplication, lost effort, waste, red-tape and fat-headed stupidity that will grow up in a thing as big as the national government—with headquarters at Washington, D. C.

This general overgrowth of weeds is responsible partly for the extra taxes you have to pay to Uncle Sam. Everybody knows it. Every politician yawns about it, but nobody does anything to help it.

The New Deal's emergency organizations to take care of the hungry, the jobless, the broken down banks, the distressed home owners, the muddled agricultural situation, of course added to the burden of government machinery here. But now the party is over. The time is at hand to clear up the mass and find out what should be saved and what should be scrapped. What emergency organizations should be dropped; what should be continued? Which ones should be merged into the regular government establishments to carry on indefinitely? To determine this the President appoints a trio of administrative experts; the senate appoints a somewhat larger committee, and the house expects to have its own group of efficiency experts. They will all get together and frame a new governmental set-up to be presented to the next congress. This is the beginning of the execution of the New Deal's promise to reduce governmental expenses and perfect administration.

### DIFFICULTIES IN WAY

Now here's a practical illustration of what an efficiency program will encounter. There is nothing so popular nor so well ordered as the CCC camps. They have proven their worth in scores of ways. Only recently the CCC boys of the flooded East and Northeast moved into the stricken areas and immediately took charge of the work assigned to them. But the camps, with 500,000 young men, cost vast sums of money, and as an economy move the President orders the camps reduced in number and the enrollment reduced to 350,000. Immediately there is a revolt in the Democratic party in the house of representatives. Reduce the CCC camps? Never! Each one is an asset to my congressional district! Each one has its thousands of friends. They are good business. They make money and give jobs! All right, says the President—but some one must pay the bill. Are you willing to vote for a continuance of taxes high enough to pay these bills?

Only congress can raise taxes. Only congress can spend money. Is congress really sincere about reducing governmental expenditures? Will congress accept a reduction of governmental offices and departments? The test is about to come.

Many another President has tried to reduce red tape here. Only small parts of their efforts have succeeded. Now comes Roosevelt with the most comprehensive reduction plan ever put forward. He can save billions if congress and the politicians will let him. And if he does, he ought to have an extra line in the Hall of Fame.

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## The Mind Meter

By LOWELL HENDERSON  
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The Four-Word Test  
In this test there are four words given in each problem. Three of the four in each case bear a definite relationship to one another. Cross out the one word that does not belong in each problem.

1. One, two, three, fourth.
2. Mark Twain, Kate Douglas Wiggin, James Whistler, Kathleen Norris.
3. Richmond, Olympia, San Francisco, Salem.
4. Dick Bartell, Jack Medina, Marvin Owen, Johnny Bahleh.
5. Gerald P. Nye, Wright Patman, Arthur Capper, Theodore G. Bilbo.
6. Martin Van Buren, Chester A. Arthur, Benjamin Harrison, Andrew Johnson.
7. Catholic, Baptist, Nazi, Episcopalian.
8. Pear, tomato, orange, potato.
9. FERA, FDIC, BPOE, FACA.
10. John J. Pershing, Ferdinand Foch, Erich Ludendorff, Douglas Haig.

### Answers

1. Fourth.
2. James Whistler.
3. San Francisco.
4. Jack Medina.
5. Wright Patman.
6. Martin Van Buren.
7. Nazi.
8. Potato.
9. BPOE.
10. Erich Ludendorff.

### Specialist Would Commission Whistler to Paint His Door

Whistler had a French poodle of which he was extravagantly fond. This poodle was seized with an affection of the throat and Whistler had the audacity to send for the great throat specialist, Sir Morell Mackenzie. The latter, when he discovered that he had been called to treat a dog, didn't like it much. But he said nothing. He prescribed, pocketed a big fee and drove away.

The next day Doctor Mackenzie sent post haste for Whistler, who, thinking he was summoned on some matter connected with his beloved dog, dropped his work and rushed like the wind to the Mackenzie home. On his arrival Sir Morell said, gravely: "How do you do, Mr. Whistler. I wanted to see you about having my front door painted."—Kansas City Star.

## SMILES

They're Off!  
Counsel—Will you swear to it?  
Bookmaker—I'll do more—I'll lay 6 to 4 on it!

And Lots of It  
Mother (to son wandering around room)—What are you looking for?  
Son—Nothing.  
Mother—You'll find it in the box where the candy was.

Wants the Best  
"I want you to teach my son a foreign language."  
"Certainly, madam; French, German, Russian, Italian, Spanish?"  
"Which is the most foreign?"—London Bystander.

Puff, Puff  
Joe—About what age is she?  
Dot—In her early nicotinees.—Windsor Star.

Just Impossible  
Mrs. Wyffe—You simply cannot find a maid who is honest. The last one left suddenly with nine of my very best towels.

Mrs. Clyffe—What kind were they?  
Mrs. Wyffe—They were those hotel towels I brought back from the summer resort.—Exchange.

Start Over  
Customer—I haven't come to any ham in this sandwich yet.  
Waiter—Try another bite.  
Customer (taking huge mouthful)—Nope, none yet.  
Waiter—Dog-gone it! You must have passed it.—Arcanum Bulletin.

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It Suits Him  
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**EASTER BUNNIES**

**Coloring Easter Eggs**

**The First EASTER Lily**

**IN HOMES** where there are small children, it usually is the task of the mother to prepare colored eggs for an Easter egg hunt. This is an important occasion, and the eggs should be cooked and colored so they may be eaten afterward, observes Edith Shuck in the Chicago Daily News.

It doesn't detract from the fun of the occasion or beauty of the eggs to prepare them according to the correct cooking rules. Put them on to cook in plenty of cold water. Place the pan over a low flame and bring the water to the simmering temperature slowly. This keeps the shells from cracking. Cook the eggs at simmering temperature 20 to 25 minutes. Cool the eggs gradually so the shock of putting cold water on them will not break the shells.

When the eggs are partially cooled, place them on a soft towel and dry them so they will not have water circles on them. Keep the eggs away from any grease. Most commercial dyes are best dissolved in hot water, but follow whatever directions are given on the package of dye you use. Stir the dye until it is dissolved, with a well-polished silver spoon, so the dye is not discolored. Dip the warm eggs into the hot dye and then drain them on cake racks. When they are cool, rub them with a buttered cloth to add a high gloss.

Fancy eggs for Easter place-cards may be made if you paint initials on eggs. Give the eggs a very light tint, and have a different colored egg for each guest if possible. Do not polish the eggs. Put the names or initials on the eggs with a fine paint brush, dipped into the liquid vegetable coloring that is used for coloring foods. If you are very ambitious you can draw an Easter lily or daffodils on the eggs. Use egg yolk coloring for the flowers and grape green coloring for the leaves.

A number of customs and superstitions have been woven round the festival of Easter. One old custom, that of Pace-egging, is still carried out in Germany and in parts of the eastern counties.

An Easter custom, originated 800 years ago, still survives in the village of Biddenden, Kent. Two sisters, Mary and Elizabeth Chulchurst, lived there. They were joined at the hips and shoulders like Siamese twins, and when they died they left a considerable annuity to be expended in the purchase on Easter Monday of bread and cakes for the poor of their village forever. The cakes, which are called Biddenden Maids, are made in their image and given to strangers.

**Bacon, Eggs, Easter Dish**

According to Brand's Popular Antiquities, the custom of eating a gammon of bacon at Easter, still kept up in many parts of England, was designed to show their abhorrence to Judaism at that solemn commemoration of the resurrection. There is also mention, in the same authority, of eggs and bacon composing a usual dish on that day in the sixteenth century.

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Tract No. 1: Beginning 20 feet south from the N. E. corner of a tract of land conveyed to E. A. Haley by Sampson Moore and wife, Nancy Moore, by deed dated Feb. 24, 1900, and being also the S. W. corner of the R. R. Puckett survey; Thence S. 7 deg., W. 277 3-5 vrs. stk for Cor. Thence W. 305 vrs. stk for cor. Thence N. 7 deg., E. 277 3-5 vrs to Rising Star road; Thence East with said Rising Star road 305 vrs, to the place of beginning, containing 15 acres, more or less.

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R. L. Edwards, Sheriff,  
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By C. R. Nordyke, Deputy.

**NOBODY'S BUSINESS**

By Julian Capers Jr.

Austin—Utilizing the existing party machinery, built around the state Democratic executive committee and the county Democratic chairman, the national Democratic campaign organization recently named in Washington, has opened headquarters in the Austin hotel, and begun a vigorous drive to get voters out to precinct conventions, May 2.

Headed by Roy Miller, of Corpus Christi, the campaign organization will concentrate on turning out a record vote for the Roosevelt-Garner ticket, after the national convention is held at Philadelphia, in June.

"Meanwhile, we are working thru the organized party machinery," said Miller, "to turn out an impressive attendance of Texas Democrats at the precinct and county conventions. We will also seek to raise sufficient funds to finance a suitable campaign headquarters in Philadelphia for the vice president, Mr. Garner, feeling that Texas will want to do the honors suitably for its only vice president in history. We anticipate a tremendous Democratic majority in Texas, and a strong Roosevelt-Garner delegation to the Philadelphia convention. After the national convention, Miller's organization will begin its real job of raising funds in Texas for the Democratic war chest."

**GAS RATE CASE**

A sweeping victory for the Texas railroad commission and the gas consumers of Wichita Falls marked the decision of Judge Ralph W. Yarborough of 53rd district court here in the celebrated Wichita Falls gas rate case, but prolongation of the litigation was indicated when the Community Natural Gas Co., a Lone Star subsidiary, filed a motion for a new trial and indicated it will appeal. Despite the finding of a jury, favorable to the company, after 8 weeks of testimony, the court ordered refunds amounting to about \$4 per year to Wichita consumers from Dec. 1, 1933, and reduction of the gas rate from 67 1-2 cents to 61 cents per 1000 cubic feet, the rates ordered by the railroad commission, Atty. Gen. Bill McCraw promised to expedite the appeal, in order to hasten the effectiveness of the reduction, if it is sustained. The Wichita Falls rate case, when finally decided probably will set a legal precedent for many other Texas cities seeking lower gas rates.

**PENSION FACTS**

Posturing office-seekers, who glibly promise "\$30 a month pensions for all of the old folks" and carp at the restrictions set up under the state law which require applicants to show need for a pension, might well examine the constitutional amendment, the state law itself, and the regulations of the federal social security board, which puts up half of the pension money. Under the terms of the federal security act, states qualifying for the federal constitution must meet the regulations of the board, which limits its aid to "aged, needy individuals." Any blanket pensioning of all persons over 65 by Texas or any deprive the pensioners of \$15 per month each, the federal contribution. Investigation of applicants, required by Texas law, is also a requirement of the social security board. The existing setup for pension administration in Texas was submitted by Director Orville Carpenter to the board in Washington, and its approval obtained, fulfilling another requirement for federal funds. Total applications for pensions have reached 145,000. Federal census figures indicate far fewer persons in Texas over 65, indicating that many of those who have applied for pensions will be found ineligible.

Announcement of the appointment of Marvin Hall, young Brownsville attorney, as state campaign manager for Gov. James V. Allred in his race for re-election, is expected by insiders here to be made within the next ten days. Hall, an attorney for the state tax commission, is regarded as an able political strategist, with a wide acquaintance throughout the state among politically important folk.

**GAME SAVERS**

"If Sam Houston had lived in an air-conditioned apartment, eaten at a delicatessen and played pingpong, he would have been a different sort of citizen," declared Ding Darling, famed wildlife conservationist, to 1000 Texas sportsmen gathered in Austin to organize a state wildlife federation. "The conservation of wild life, the development of hunting, fishing and outdoor recreation contribute an important factor in citizen self-reliance." Senor Juan F. Trevino, game administrator of Chihuahua, Mexico, drew cheers when he said his government will adopt closed game seasons corresponding to Texas' and other border states, and would stop the slaughter of Mexican game by "game hogs." Henry W. Flagg, Galveston, was named president, Phil Sanders of Nacogdoches, vice-president; Dr. G. E. Potter, Waco, treasurer; Will Tucker, Austin, temporary secretary. All groups concerned with game conservation and wildlife protection in Texas will be eligible for membership in the federation.

**OIL NOTES**

Texas oil men this week were watching the outcome of the proration controversy in the Rodessa field, following action of the Louisiana conservation department in granting a 20,000 barrel allowable to certain Louisiana wells in that field, while Texas wells are held to 400 barrels each. The oil is being sold to the East Texas Pipeline Co., of Dallas, headed by Freeman Buford. Sen. Tom Connally has protested to Sec. Ickes, urging action by the federal authorities. \* \* \* Rep. Sidney Latham, member of the house hot oil investigation committee, has won himself a \$5000 job, it is reported, as attorney for the Texas Petroleum Council, as a result of his work with the probe body, and will not offer for re-election to the house from Longview, his home town it is said.

**TO MAKE A LONG TALE SHORT**

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

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

You are hereby commanded to summon mon G. C. (Dick) Barkley, whose residence is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in the City of Baird, on the 2nd Monday in June, 1936, being the 8th day of June, 1936, then and there to answer a first original petition filed in the said court on the 17th day of February, 1936, the file number of which is 7959, in which suit Mrs. Helen Wood s, a feme sole, is plaintiff, and R. L. Osborn, C. H. Suits, R F St John, G C (Dick) Barkley, Mrs. Sylvia Barkley, a feme sole, L. E. Lockhart and Hal Hughes, W. P. Lincoln, Roy Guffey and the Commercial State Bank of Ranger, Texas, are defendants; the cause of action being alleged as follows:

That on or about the 9th day of June, 1934, the plaintiff executed and delivered an oil and gas lease to the defendant R. L. Osborn on the North East one-fourth(1-4) of Section 68 BBB&C Ry. Survey, Callahan County, Texas, being 160 acres more or less and that by assignment a two-thirds interest in said lease was transferred to the defendant C. H. Suits for the benefit of the defendant G. C (Dick) Barkley; that said lease was for one year unless oil and-or gas produced; that neither oil and-or gas were produced in that time and because of the negligent manner in which the lease had been operated the plaintiff would not have again leased to the defendant G. C. (Dick) Barkley or anyone connected with him or for his benefit, which fact was known to the defendant Barkley; that the defendant Barkley and others knowing these facts induced the defendant St. John to act for them in securing a new lease without the payment of a new consideration, and that the defendant St. John through his agent Roy Guffey represented that he was taking the lease for himself and that the defendant Barkley was in no manner connected with in no manner in the said new lease, which in truth was being taken for his benefit; that the plaintiff would not have leased the land or made second lease had she known the defendant Barkley was interested therein; that the plaintiff has been damaged in that the lease has not been properly and competently developed and has become involved in litigation between the defendant Barkley and his wife, the defendant Mrs. Sylvia Barkley; and that all of said parties defendant conspired to secure a new lease or renewal of the old one without paying any consideration and by means of the said misrepresentatives, which have damaged the plaintiff in a large sum. The plaintiff prays that both leases be in all things cancelled and held naught and that the interest of all of the defendants in the above described property be cancelled and forfeited.

You are commanded to so summon such defendant, and to serve this citation, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereon, in some newspaper published in said county of Callahan; but if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

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

Witness, Mrs. Will Rylee, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

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