

# The Baird Star

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

FIFTY-FIRST YEAR

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1938

NUMBER 27

## CALLAHAN COUNTY VOTES BONDS FOR COUNTY HOSPITAL

Returns from the eighteen voting boxes in Callahan County gave a majority of 85 votes favoring the issuance of \$15,000.00 in bonds to partly furnish the building of a county hospital at Baird.

Total vote for the measure was 475 votes for and 390 votes against.

Only five boxes in the county voted in favor of the bonds but a heavy vote at Baird gave the measure a safe margin.

The vote by boxes:

	For	Against
Baird	296	60
Clyde	38	24
Putnam	18	66
Cross Plains	15	96
Oplin	6	26
Cottonwood	8	24
Eula	16	0
Dressy	8	9
Dudley	5	9
Denton	9	3
Rowden	11	15
Belle Plain	18	5
Erath	3	4
Admiral	6	17
Lanham	0	11
Hart	4	9
Atwell	14	3
Caddo Peak	0	9

This is not the official count but is believed to be correct. The official count of the vote will be made today.

The city of Baird has already voted \$6,000.00 to equip the hospital and \$27,000.00 W. P. A. will be asked for.

A site for the proposed City-County Hospital will probably not be selected until the July term of the County Commissioners Court.

## Baird Boy Stars In California Rodeos

Word has been received here that Robert Estes, 17-year old Baird rodeo star, is making a name for himself in California shows. He recently placed in the bareback contests in Hayward, Calif., second in bull riding at Marysville, and first in bronc riding at Visalia.

## Pioneer Resident Buried At Atwell

Bertram Rouse 68, died at his home in the Atwell community Monday night and was buried there Tuesday afternoon following funeral services at 1 p. m.

Mr. Rouse had resided in Callahan county 53 years. He is survived by his wife, a son, Elvin of Atwell; a daughter, Mrs. Mendon McWilliams, Atwell; two brothers, W. C. of Atwell, and Morgan of Santa Anna; a sister, Mrs. Marcellus Tatum, Putnam. Eight grandchildren, 11 nephews and 5 nieces also survive.

Mr. Rouse was born in Florida October 20, 1870, came to Texas when a small child. The family settled in Freestone county. Mr. Rouse came to Callahan county in 1885. He was married to Miss Ila Thomas.

He had been a member of the Baptist Church since childhood. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Rube Ivey of Cisco, assisted by Rev. F. A. Hollis, of Putnam and Rev. Joe R. Mayes of Baird.

## New Baptist Parsonage Open To Public

Now that the new Baptist parsonage is finished and the pastor and his family have moved in, arrangements are being made to have an open house, today (Friday) June 24th, and the public is cordially invited to be present from 4 to 9 p. m.

The occasion will be informal and all are welcome, whether members of the church or not.

Mrs. C. S. Gee of Quanah is visiting her father, B. L. Boydston and family this week.

## Mose Franklin Succumbs After Short Illness

Mose Franklin, 81, one of Callahan county's oldest pioneers died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. L. Boydston, Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mr. Franklin had been in ill health for some time but was confined to his bed only a few days.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Rev. R. A. Walker, the pastor, conducting the rites, assisted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church. Burial was made in Ross cemetery beside his wife and only son.

Pallbearers were, B. L. Russell, Jr., John Simons, Sam Gilliland, Fred Cutbirth, Dr. V. E. Hill and Ernest Hill.

Special songs were sung by Mesdames Sidney Foy, C. B. Snyder, Jr., Ray Cockrell, Haynie Gilliland, accompanied by Mrs. W. O. Wylie Jr., at the piano.

Mose Franklin was born in Tarrant county March 19, 1857. He came to Callahan county with the late Iley McWhorter, pioneer ranchman in 1876. He was married to Miss Kate Hill Sept. 17, 1885. They lived in Mitchell Co. for a few years returning to Callahan county where Mr. Franklin ranched for a number of years on the W. H. Gilliland ranch which is now owned by Alex McWhorter.

Some thirty or more years ago the family moved to Baird where Mr. Franklin was engaged for a number of years in the ice business. He retired from business some years ago, due to ill health.

Mr. Franklin is survived by three daughters, Mrs. B. L. Boydston and Mrs. H. D. Driskill of Baird and Mrs. G. E. Simons of Okamulgee, Okla., and one sister Mrs. G. W. Givins of Dallas also three grandsons, George and Bobby Simons of Okamulgee, and Billie Franklin of Dallas. His three daughters were at his bedside during his last illness.

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The Fire Department has a contract with a company to furnish all the mules and the lighting equipment.

All money that the Fire Dept. gets out of the game will be given to the fund for relief of the storm sufferers at Clyde.

Admission will be 10 and 20 cents. This is one time you can have plenty of fun for a very worthy cause.

## Red Cross Work In P. C. Brooks, Clyde Cyclone Area Prominent Stock Farmer Died

A meeting of the Red Cross committee in charge of relief work at Clyde was held Monday afternoon. Mrs. Ace Hickman of Baird, vice-chairman, presiding in the absence of Hugh Ross, county chairman.

The purpose of this meeting was to make plans for rehabilitation of thirteen families made destitute by the tornado. Six families were cared for the past week and plans for the thirteen families made Monday, make nineteen families to be cared for. Allowances were made for rebuilding homes, burial expenses, buying household goods, food, repairing houses, windmills, purchasing two cars for occupation, rehabilitation fitting glasses and making false teeth.

This work will continue until all families who suffered loss in the tornado have been cared for. This shows just how completely the Red Cross cares for people in a disaster of this kind. Miss Kathryn B. Monroe, District Relief Worker from Mid-West Department of the Red Cross at St. Louis Mo., is in charge of this work and is being assisted by the County Chapter. Mayor Robbins and a corps of willing workers at Clyde.

Contributions of money, clothing, bedding household goods are still being received and all families that lost their homes in the storm are being cared for.

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The body was brought overland in a Stevens funeral coach to the ranch home near Oplin Saturday evening.

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## BAIRD POSTOFFICE WILL MOVE TO TOM HADLEY BUILDING

### J. B. Tedford, Of Clyde Dies Following Short Illness

John Beal Tedford, 23, died at the Griggs hospital at 9:30 Wednesday night, his death resulting from a ruptured appendix.

Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Clyde Church of Christ with Loyd Smith, minister, officiating. Burial followed in an Abilene cemetery with Laughter funeral home directing.

Mr. Tedford was born, Aug. 16, 1914, in Williamson county. He came to Clyde three years ago with his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Tedford. He married Vira L. Martin in Clyde July 3, 1936. Tedford became a member of the Church of Christ in 1932 at Llano.

He is survived by his wife, parents, three brothers, Neal, Durward and Willard, all of Clyde; and seven sisters, Mrs. Ruby Jones, Anson; Mrs. Jewel Liphan, Truby; Mrs. Bessie Wilson Hodges; Mrs. Leatha Tatum, Abilene; Mrs. Seth Willis, Abilene; Mrs. Ward Chaney, Abilene, and Georgia Tedford Clyde.

Baby Boy Of Mr. And Mrs. Hinds McGowen Dies

Edwin Bryan, three months old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Hinds McGowen died at the family home Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 following an illness of two weeks.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ at 5:30 yesterday afternoon, Rev. Bell conducting the service. Interment was made in Ross cemetery.

Pallbearers were, Cary Sidney McGowen, William McGowen, Richard Cunningham, Jimmy Smedley, Claude Sikes and Anthony Sikes.

Little Edwin Bryan was born March 21, 1938. He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Hinds McGowen three little brothers and one little sister, H. A. Jr., Joseph Hobbs, Tommie and Julia Bess, also his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGowen and a number of uncles and aunts.

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Miss John Gilliland, postmaster, of the Baird office, received notice Wednesday from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, advising that the post office site would be changed on August the 1st when the postoffice would be moved to the Tom B. Hadley building first door south of the K of P Hall, on the West side of Market Street in first block south of the court house.

The new building will be furnished with government equipment which will be installed preparatory to moving into the new building where they will open for business on Tuesday, August 2nd.

The post office has occupied the present quarters since 1906, the lease will expire July 31st.

### Mrs. Sam Edwards Buried At Clyde

Mrs. Martha Edwards 85, widow of Sam Edwards one of Callahan county's early ranchmen died Thursday morning at her home in Abilene.

Mrs. Edwards was born in Georgia in 1858 and came to Texas in 1883, settling first in Callahan county. She moved to Abilene 8 years ago to be near her children.

Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon from the Church of Christ minister of Kiker Knight Funeral home with officiating. Mrs. Edwards was a member of the Highland Street Church of Christ. Burial was made in the Clyde cemetery beside Mr. Edwards who died some years ago.

Mrs. Edwards is survived by one daughter, Mrs. C. T. Hutchison, 466 Grape; five grandchildren, Ola Hutchison, Mrs. Hall Walker of Ranger, Alton Hutchison of Baird, Mrs. Henry G. Sharp of Corpus Christi, and Bobbie Edwards of Abilene. Three great grandchildren, Amelia and Louis Wesley Walker of Ranger, and Ralph Wolfe Jr., also survive.

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## HART-BENNETT WEDDING

### Cowboy Reunion

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Members of the association receive the highly prized oldtime cow boys' metal badge upon payment of their annual dues of \$1. The badge admits the member to all rodeo performances with grandstand privileges and is the meal ticket for a chuckwagon dinner each day at noon.

Entertainment of the oldtime cowhands, whose ranks are fast thinning, is one of the main purposes of the Texas Cowboy Reunion. Their gathering is an occasion for reviving memories of frontier life on Texas cattle

# SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL By Carter Field



FAMOUS WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON.—A considerable bloc of railroad officials do not want any more government help in the form of loans. They think more borrowing merely increases the interest they are already groaning under, and making the future blacker instead of brighter.

They are strongly in favor of permitting such railroads as cannot now pay their bond interest to go through the wringer. Of course this does not include borrowing from the government to retire existing bond issues. For example, if a bond issue of \$10,000,000 should fall due next month for railroad A, and this bond issue bears interest at 6 per cent, while the government is willing to lend railroad A the ten million at 4 per cent, then the road will save \$200,000 in interest charges every year from now on by taking advantage of the RFC offer.

That is quite a different thing from borrowing money for no other reason than to pay bond interest, and thus keep out of the hands of receivers. In this latter case, which is typical of most of them, the railroad would be in a worse fix next year than this, so far as interest charges are concerned. Next year it would have to pay as much interest on outstanding bonds as this year, and in addition would have to pay interest on the money it borrowed from RFC to pay the interest this year.

There are plenty of reasons for the present difficulty of the railroads, but most of them are not susceptible to much change. The only improvement, apparently, can come from increased traffic, and this can come only with better times. Even that is threatened here and there by the development of more and more rivers for navigation. It is not important, from the standpoint of the railroads, that these rivers may never actually handle much traffic. The important thing is that the development of the rivers for traffic will prove an ample excuse for shippers in that territory to obtain rate reductions on heavy products from the interstate commerce commission.

### Hit by River Traffic

It is only on heavy products that the railroads at present can depend for revenue. A very small increase in rates on light products will drive shippers to trucks. So that the railroads are menaced from the top by trucks, and from the bottom, measuring in terms of revenue per pound, by river traffic. The administration, however, is anxious to avoid a flood of railroad receiverships. It sounds bad. It tends to make conditions generally worse. From the cold-blooded Treasury standpoint, it tends to reduce revenue, particularly from personal income tax returns. For obviously every time a railroad defaults payment of bond interest a good many personal incomes are reduced, and this reduction is the cream of the income from the Treasury standpoint. Naturally it comes off the top, and hence out of the higher tax brackets.

There is the additional worry to the administration that default of railroad bond interest bears heavily on the savings banks and life insurance companies, which have a heavy stake in these securities, once considered the most prudent investments in the world.

Some of the railroad men who do not wish to increase the present debt load of their properties are not averse, however, to advertising to the country the tremendous burden the roads are bearing in taxation, not only federal but state, county and local.

### Tennessee Is Next

The next political question involved in the "purge," now that the Iowa contest has become history, is what is to be done about Tennessee. Senator George L. Berry has from the administration standpoint, "stuck his neck out" and is sure to face attempted reprisals.

Never was any senator closer to the White House at the time Major Berry took his oath before Vice President Garner. He had worked for President Roosevelt in a dozen different capacities. He had been put in the senate, on appointment by Governor Gordon Browning, for the persuasive powers of the President. In fact, Browning had very different ideas when the vacancy in the senate occurred through the death of Senator Nathan L. Bachman.

But all that has been changed. The split began, apparently, about the time Senator Berry discovered that David E. Lillenthal, of the TVA was not as friendly as had appeared. Or perhaps Lillenthal had been sincere in his friendship but was compelled to change his attitude.

At any rate Berry thought Lillenthal was treating him fairly, and bitterly resented the implications of Arthur E. Morgan, chairman of TVA, the latter plainly implying, as he later testified, that Berry was just trying to hold up the government, and get some millions of dollars for "worthless marble" submerged by the TVA development. Berry lost his fight before a tribu-

nal, but, much worse, he not only was deprived of the money he had expected, but he was maligned in a public hearing by the TVA congressional investigating committee. Berry had expected A. E. Morgan to attack him. In fact he probably knew that some admirers of A. E. Morgan hoped the "Berry marble case" would prove very effective in turning public opinion against Lillenthal.

### Turns on Berry

But the senator was shocked beyond measure when Lillenthal virtually joined A. E. Morgan in attacking Berry, thus taking this case, unless A. E. Morgan springs something now unanticipated to clinch this particular point against Lillenthal, virtually out of the controversy.

Since this "repudiation" Senator Berry has stopped being an administration rubber stamp. He actually voted to curb federal loans and grants for the construction of government electric plants—with the relief money—to compete with privately owned electric plants. He voted for several other amendments to the relief bill which were distinctly distasteful to the White House and Harry L. Hopkins.

So now he's on the list, and the administration hopes very much that he will be missed after the November election. Tennessee being overwhelmingly Democratic, the arrangements to have him missing when the senate convenes next January in its next session will have to be aimed at the primary. Which is rather amusing when it is recalled that President Roosevelt just a few weeks back was writing an earnest letter to Representative Samuel D. McReynolds to keep that veteran in Tennessee politics from opposing Berry.

Also the Berry case may complicate an existing very warm struggle in Tennessee politics, in which armed clashes threaten between Ed Crump's police down in Memphis with special state police appointed by Governor Browning. Crump backed Browning two years ago for the nomination for governor, but he has turned on him, so that the gubernatorial battle so far has overshadowed the senate fight.

### St. Lawrence Seaway

Prospects for the St. Lawrence seaway, despite the beautiful picture of what could be done as painted in the note to Canada by Secretary of State Cordell Hull, continue to be very dark indeed. This is revealed by conversations with senators as to the probability of any treaty involving the idea being ratified.

It might not be difficult to obtain senate approval for a St. Lawrence river development, including all the features of the Tennessee valley development, if only the one phase of navigation should be left out. The privately owned utilities of course would fight it, but they have not shown themselves very successful in blocking legislation, and there is not much indication that they would be successful on the St. Lawrence. In fact, they would be more impotent there than in some other proposals, for whatever they may think about other power projects, the general impression on Capitol Hill is that Niagara power is a good idea. The senators can sense the power possibilities there, and harnessing the falling water seems to even the least informed of them a practical matter.

The sticking point in the whole beautiful picture is navigation and nothing else. Incidentally navigation has been the driving force behind the whole movement ever since its inception. Originally it was in two parts. The cities on the Great Lakes, with the exception of Buffalo, were intrigued with the idea of becoming world ports, with ships from all over the globe steaming into their harbors. It aroused the chamber of commerce and civic booster spirit to the nth degree. Buffalo had a different angle on the situation. Its citizens feared in the early days, and still fear, that if ocean-going ships could navigate right into the Great Lakes, Buffalo would lose its present tremendous trans-shipment business.

### Farmers Interested

Even more important, politically, was the desire of the farmers in Minnesota, the Dakotas, Montana, Iowa, and other nearby states to obtain lower freight rates on their wheat shipped to Liverpool. For many years the price of wheat anywhere in the world has been determined by the price in that British city. The price anywhere else was and is the Liverpool price, less the freight rate from the point in question to Liverpool. Various estimates as to how much the freight from northwestern points to Liverpool could be cut by the St. Lawrence seaway have been made, but whatever figure was used appeared very strongly to farmers shipping large quantities of wheat.

However, since the early days of the movement, the exports of wheat by the United States have been declining. Manufactured goods bulk much larger now in the export totals of this country.

## Pineapple Is Fit Dish for the Gods

An Attractive Party Dessert Easily Prepared

By EDITH M. BARBER

"A FRUIT worthy of the Gods and of such excellence that it should be picked only by the hands of Venus." In these words Jean De Lery in 1555 described the pineapple. Before the end of the Sixteenth century this native fruit of the American tropics had been introduced into the Old World for cultivation where the climate was hospitable.

The original name of this fruit was Na-Na, which meant fragrance. It probably received its modern title because of its resemblance to the pine cone in appearance. Our supply of canned fruit, which we have throughout the year, comes largely from Hawaii.

Nothing is better than shredded, sugared pineapple which has been allowed to stand in the refrigerator for a number of hours before it is served. When the housekeeper plans it for use as dessert, she will do well to prepare it one day for use on the next. It will not be scorned if it has not had this treatment, but it will be appreciated more if forethought has been used.

An attractive party dessert may be prepared by scooping the pineapple from the shell and refilling it with ice cream and sugared pineapple to which brandy has been added.

### Shredded Pineapple.

Cut pineapple into six slices. Pare and remove eyes and then shred with fork. Cover with sugar, set in refrigerator for several hours before serving.

### Pineapple Cucumber Salad.

2 tablespoons gelatin  
1/2 cup cold water  
2 cups boiling water and pineapple juice  
1/2 cup vinegar  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
1 cucumber  
2 tablespoons chopped onion  
1 can pineapple  
Soak gelatin in cold water. Add the boiling water and stir until dissolved. Add the vinegar and salt and pour into molds. Set in ice water and when it begins to thicken add the cucumber, which has been cut into dice and allowed to stand an hour in salted water, the onion and the pineapple, cut into pieces. Chill until set, unmold on a bed of lettuce and pass sour cream salad dressing with it.

### OTHERS YOU'LL LIKE

#### Chocolate Bavarian Cream.

2 tablespoons gelatin  
1/2 cup cold water  
2 cups milk  
1/2 cup sugar  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
2 squares chocolate  
1/2 cup coconut  
1 cup whipped cream  
Soak the gelatin in water. Place the milk, sugar, salt and chocolate, cut in four or five pieces, in the top of a double boiler and cook until the chocolate is melted. Beat with an egg beater a few seconds to insure smoothness. Add the gelatin and stir until dissolved. Remove from the fire, stand in cold water, stir occasionally, and when it begins to thicken fold in the coconut and the whipped cream. Pour into a mold, chill, and when set serve with whipped cream.

#### Raisin Conserve.

4 pounds raisins  
2 grapefruits, peeled and cut into pieces  
4 oranges, peeled and sliced thin  
6 slices canned pineapple, cut into pieces  
1 lemon, juice only  
Sugar  
Mix the fruit with lemon juice and chop one minute. Weigh and add three-fourths as much granulated sugar as there is fruit. Cook until clear and thick, about one hour. Stir frequently to prevent burning. Pour into sterilized glasses and seal.

#### Savory Canape.

1/4 cup butter  
2 tablespoons capers  
1 tablespoon minced parsley  
1 teaspoon onion juice  
1 teaspoon lemon juice  
12 strips toast  
1 hard-cooked egg  
2 ounces caviar  
Cream butter and mix with it capers, parsley, onion juice and lemon juice. Spread on toast. In the center place one slice of hard-cooked egg and a small round of caviar.

#### Pinwheel Sandwiches.

Remove all but bottom crusts from a loaf of bread. Spread bread lengthwise liberally with cream cheese which has been beaten smooth with a little cream and mixed with chopped chives. Slice and remove bottom crust. Roll tightly and seal with butter. Wrap each roll tightly in moisture-proof paper, chill in refrigerator and slice.

#### Hollandaise Sauce.

1/2 cup butter  
2 egg yolks  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
Few grains cayenne  
Divide the butter into two pieces, put one piece in a saucepan with the yolks of eggs and lemon juice, hold the saucepan over a larger one containing boiling water, stir constantly until the butter is melted, then add the second piece of butter and stir until it thickens. Remove from the fire, season with cayenne and serve at once.

## Household Hints

By BETTY WELLS

"NOW that the children are past the destructive age," writes Mrs. M. H., "we want to do the house over. We're starting with the room the girls occupy. I've purchased a maple bed and chest for it and there is an 8 by 10 taupe rug on the floor here with an all-over design in green, black and brown. The walls of this room are painted a light cream with dark woodwork. There are three windows, and space for a home-made dressing table with skirt and mirror which I think girls of ten and twelve will enjoy. I'd like a chintz bedspread but maybe candlewick would be cheaper and more practical. What would you suggest for spread, curtains, dressing table skirt and chairs?"

"The room for my sixteen-year-old son is larger. It has painted cream walls and a light beige rug that I'd like to discard. I'll have to get a new spread and curtains here, too. The furniture includes a walnut Jenny Lind bed and a walnut chest to match with a mirror above it. What kind of a rug would you suggest for this room when we can



### A Room for a Sixteen-Year-Old Son.

replace the present one? What spread and curtains, also slip cover for his study chair? What kind of a desk would you have here?"

Answer: Why don't you make the girls' room look very crisp and starched with green and white checked gingham for curtains, bedspread and dressing table skirt? That would be less expensive than either candlewick or chintz, and equally as gay. You might place the valance, skirt for dressing table and flounce for the bed. The slip covers for the chairs could also have pleated ruffles around the bottom. It would be sweet to have school photographs framed with mats of the same green and white checked gingham.

As for your son's room, why don't you get a plain blue rug for the floor, then have the bedspread made of faded blue denim piped with red. His study chair could have a slip cover in the same faded blue denim piped in red. For curtains, use a plain cream net with side curtains of a striped material in red and cream with maybe a bit of blue. Add extra cushions of plain red. A secretary desk in walnut would be a good idea in this room, because it would give him book shelves as well as extra drawer space, along with a desk compartment.

### To Show Off the Lady of the House.

"I'm as vain as a peacock," announced Gertrude. "About my red hair, I mean. It's my crowning glory so why shouldn't I make the most of it. Goodness knows, there's nothing else about me to rave over."

"So, naturally now that I'm going to get married and have a home of my own, I want decorations that are becoming to my hair. I'd like blue for the main color partly because it's nice on me and also because I have a blue footstool, blue vases and good blue scatter rugs to begin with. But beyond that I'm stuck. I think I'll concentrate spending on the living room, and really make that complete and handsome. The other rooms I'll only furnish enough now to get along. But what about rug, wall color, furniture and curtains for the living room? The room is light and good sized but the floors are bad. My family are giving me a new spinet piano in blonde mahogany. I'd adore something different and striking in colors. Would appreciate any help you can give."



"I'm Vain as a Peacock."

Could you take the idea of dark walls? Because rather a deep brilliant blue for the walls would be becoming to you and awfully smart. Then why not white rubber tiling for the floor? That would be new and not too expensive and you could use the scatter rugs interestingly. Then have your new sofa in a yellow linen slip cover and slip-cover two easy chairs in flowered linen on a white ground. (Buy your upholstered pieces "in the muslin"). Make a pair of flowered cushions to match to go on the yellow sofa and at the windows hang billowy white embroidered organza curtains made very full and to sweep down to the floor. Repeat the yellow in the bases of your lamps and in porcelain ornaments.

By Betty Wells.—WNU Service.

## Thyroid Gland Removal

By DR. JAMES W. BARTON

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ONE of the most dramatic occurrences in the practice of medicine is to see the thin, excited, nervous, sleepless patient suffering with the severe type of goiter, undergo operation for the removal of the thyroid gland and two or three weeks afterward become a most changed individual. The strained, excited appearance has changed to one of calmness, the heart, which was beating at the rate of 84 to 96, is now beating at 72 to 76, the appetite improves and with it comes also refreshing sleep.

I have in mind a physician who was always very conscientious about his work. He "fussed" and worried about the examination of the medical board before whom the doubtful cases were paraded, he was almost continuously bringing cases before me for discussion.

He went overseas and when he returned he was more conscientious than ever until finally, having had a metabolism test, goiter was discovered and he underwent operation. Two weeks after operation he came into my office a changed man. He was quite calm and asked me to take his pulse. It was beating 72 to the minute instead of the 96 to 108—the condition before operation.

### Results Quick and Good.

In speaking of the excellent and quick results obtained by removal of the thyroid gland, Dr. Terence East, King's College hospital, London, in his little book, "Failure of the Heart and Circulation," says:

"Nothing is more remarkable than the complete recovery of some patients from their congestive heart failure once the thyroid gland has been removed. Unless the heart has previously been afflicted by some other disease, such as former rheumatism, restoration to health is most satisfactory. No ill effects seem to persist due to the presence of the goiter."

Where surgery is inadvisable or patient is unwilling to undergo operation, X-ray treatment gives good results but takes considerable time. In early or light cases, rest, iodine and plenty of nourishing food give results.

### Don't Let Child Get Thin.

Just as 25 per cent—one in every four—of all adults are overweight, so about 25 per cent of all children are underweight.

In children, being of normal weight or slightly above normal weight is considered helpful in maintaining health and preventing the usual children's diseases from undermining the strength of the body.

Although it may appear to be natural for a youngster to be underweight because the parent he most resembles was underweight at the same age, the underweight may be due to the same faults or causes that kept the parent underweight when he was a youngster.

In the examination of school children the records show "that the too thin child usually has more physical defects than the fat child. The average number of physical defects found in the underweight child is six as against an average of two defects in children who are more than 20 per cent overweight."

The youngster who is of normal weight or above normal weight usually has a well developed body, good posture—shoulders back and head erect—wants to play, sleeps well, and has a good appetite. The underweight youngster, because he is not getting enough of and the right kind of food, or because of some underlying condition—infected teeth, tonsils, sinuses, adenoids, or not enough sleep, is usually underdressed, has a poorly developed body, face drawn, poor posture—head forward, shoulders drooped, tires easily when he plays. Naturally the first thought in increasing the child's weight is to increase the amount of food—giving more of the rich concentrated foods, but before food can be effective the child should be given a thorough examination by the family physician and dentist. Nature can not do much about increasing weight when infection must be fought. If the examination shows defects these must be corrected, and then the three fundamentals of health must be observed—good food, plenty of sleep, outdoor play.

One Sad Incident in Life "One of the saddening incidents of life," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "is the discovery that one whom you regarded as a disinterested friend is only a diplomat."

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# Men of the Mounted

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SEND A REGIMENT? NO,  
SEND FOUR MEN

THE difference between the American and Canadian methods of handling troublesome Indians was clearly demonstrated back in the late nineties when about four hundred Wood Cree Indians, fearing that they would be involved in the violation of a certain treaty between all the Cree tribes and the Canadian government, sneaked quietly away from their reservation in small groups one night and slipped across the border into Montana. Upon assembling there, the American peace officers and military men told the Wood Cree chieftains that they had better go back to Canada, because Uncle Sam had more Indians than he needed.

The Crees refused to depart and stayed "put" where they'd camped, threatening all kinds of trouble if they were bothered in any way. The result of this defiant attitude was that a thousand United States cavalrymen were soon uprooting the Crees and herding them north to the border. While the party was en route, messages concerning the return of the Crees were hurried through to the Assinaboine authorities, and the Northwest Mounted Police, requesting that an armed force be at the border to take charge of the returning Wood Crees. The messages were to the effect that these Wood Crees were a murderous lot and would take some handling if trouble or massacre were to be prevented.

Upon arriving at the designated crossing place on the border, the American colonel of cavalry was quite disappointed at not finding a regiment of red-coated infantrymen to meet the party and take charge of the 400 Wood Crees. His disappointment later turned to rage and anger for, veteran Indian fighter that he was, his advice about the handling of the troublesome Crees had been totally ignored for there was not even a squadron of Northwest Mounted Police to relieve him of his deportees. Just when the air was blue with profanity, with brown spots here and there emanating from spluttering tobacco juice, three Men of the Mounted walked, not rode, into the American cavalry officer's presence.

"We have come to take over the Crees," the corporal announced.

"You've WHAT!?!?" shouted the colonel. The corporal repeated his remarks.

"Why . . . Good God, man . . . where's your troops? Why . . . you'll need a regiment to handle this bunch of rascals. How many men have you?"

"Well, sir, there's three of us here. The fourth man of my party is packing up our kits. He'll be with us in a minute, sir, asking your patience."

"Four men . . ." blustered the cavalry officer. "Why . . . it's murder."

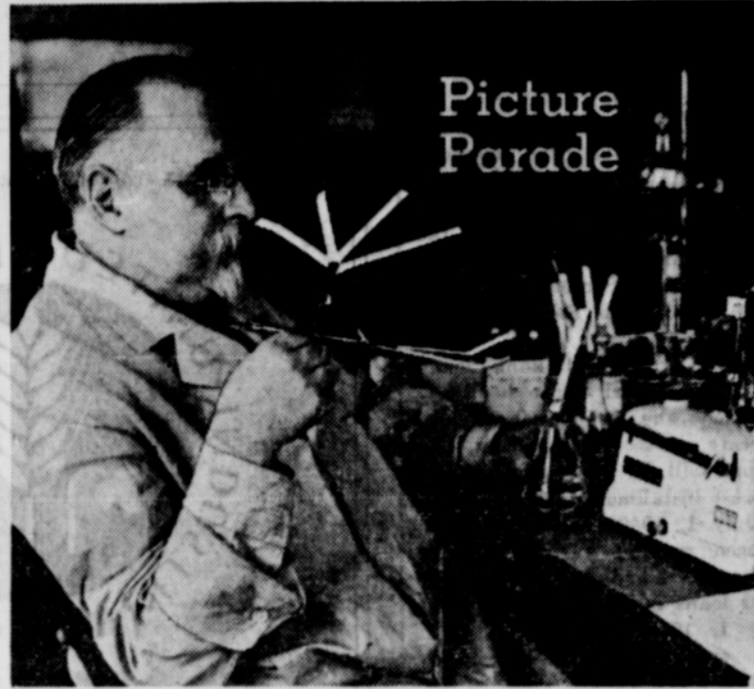
"Not at all, sir," replied the corporal. "You see, we know these Indians, and they know we wear the queen's scarlet. They know, too, that we have kept all treaties with them. Ask them, sir. Find out for yourself."

The colonel did as requested and without any help or advice from the Men of the Mounted, the chieftains of the Wood Crees stepped out and said that never in all their experience since the redcoat pony soldiers had come, had they found a "forked tongue" among them. They had always been faithful to all treaties, and the chieftains concluded with the admission that they were glad to be back on Canadian soil, and that they would not have run away if they had not believed that they would be in serious trouble with the pony soldiers because the Swampy Crees had broken a promise and a treaty they'd made with the Northwest Mounted.

Later that week four Men of the Mounted were leading, not driving, 400 supposedly "bloodthirsty, scalping savages" northward, well into Canadian territory, finishing the job without any untoward incident, and without the loss of man, woman, child, or horse. On one side of the line Indian affairs were handled by grafting politicians who, under British law, would be classed as just plain criminals and crooks. North of the line Indian affairs were handled by a force of intelligent, trustworthy men whose efforts were unhampered by politicians, men who could not be bought and sold, men who kept faith with the promises they had made when they donned the scarlet and gold for 60 cents per day, and found.

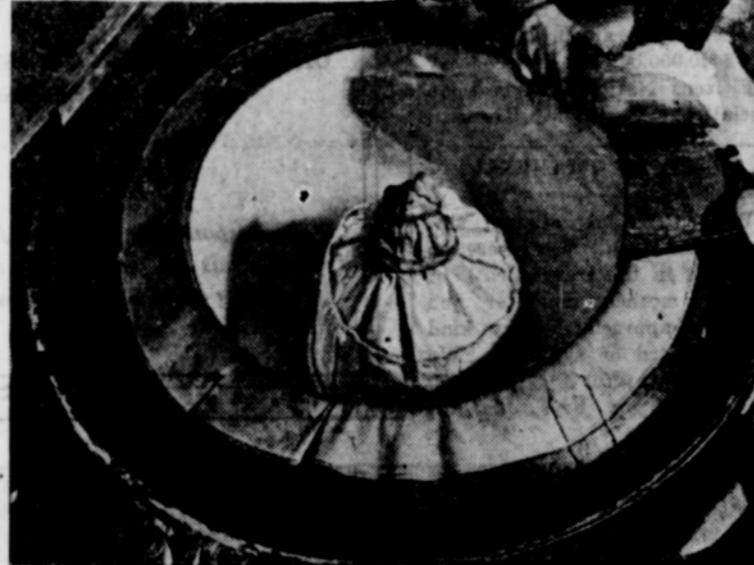
**The Name Josephine**  
The name Josephine, feminine form of the Hebrew Joseph, has the same meaning—"he shall add (children)." The name commemorates the happy exclamation of the mother of the patriarch Joseph at his birth: "The Lord shall add to me another son." Josephine, empress of France (1763-1814), most famous person ever to bear the name, must have found its meaning an ironic mockery since it was because she bore him no son that Napoleon divorced her.

## Perfume by Chemistry



Picture Parade

Modern chemists like Theodore Hoffman (above) have improved on the ancient art of perfume making, an art old as the pyramids, by using synthetic materials to produce odors which man cannot extract from flowers. For example, it takes almost a ton of roses to make one ounce of rose oil. But the odor is now produced in laboratories. And the ultra-sweet musk, once obtained only from the Tibetan musk deer at \$500 a pound, is today available for any perfume. Compounding new bouquets is part of Theodore Hoffman's job. Paper tapers are dipped in basic perfumes. When twirled through the air before the nostrils, the blended tapers indicate how this particular bouquet will smell after it has been compounded. These preliminary laboratory tests must precede actual manufacture of the perfume. Not the least incongruous part of this business is that delicately scented perfumes are made by burly workmen in overalls!



Upper photo shows coumarin crystals being broken up to be used in a bouquet which imparts the "new-mown hay" odor. Coumarin appears naturally in certain plants, is segregated and crystallized. Photo immediately above shows borneol crystals being swirled out of a liquid in a centrifugal still. Borneol is the main ingredient of incense in India. Oddy, perfumes are a mixture of pleasant and unpleasant odors.



Perfume, adroitly used, plays an important part in every modern woman's life. Once a luxury available only to the wealthy, it now brings charm to rich and poor alike. But most foolish is the woman who uses it too freely; perfume is meant to be subtle.



Chemicals today; tomorrow, perfume on a thousand boudoir tables.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

### LESSON

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#### Lesson for June 26

#### SHARING SERVICE WITH THE LIVING CHRIST

LESSON TEXT—Mark 16:1-8, 14-16, 19, 20.  
GOLDEN TEXT—And they went forth, and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them. Mark 16:20.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—At Work With Jesus.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Our Living Lord.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Making a New World With Christ.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Making a New World With Christ.

Easter again? No, the calendar does not say so, nor have we forgotten that we observed Easter ten weeks ago, but quite properly we study the resurrection story again today. Not only does it come in the sequence of our lessons as our final study in the Gospel of Mark, but the fact is that every Sunday is a reminder of Easter. The reason why we worship on the first day of the week is that it is the resurrection day. What life it would put into our Sunday worship if the glory of the risen Lord would shine forth (as it should) each Lord's Day in all of our service and worship.

It is difficult to think or write about the living Christ without using superlatives. Our lesson for today brings before us the most important truth that the world has ever heard—"He is risen"; it speaks of the worst thing in the world—"unbelief"; and it presents the world's greatest commission—"Go . . . and preach."

#### I. The Transcendent Truth (vv. 1-8).

"Ye seek Jesus, the Nazarene, who hath been crucified; He is risen. He is not here" (v. 6).

The world anxiously awaits news, and, hoping almost against hope, it longs for good news. This is the good news—the Gospel—the all-important tidings that the Son of God who had taken upon Himself not only the form of man, but the sins of mankind as well, who had tasted the bitter death of Calvary's cross, could not be holden of death, but breaking its bands asunder had risen from the dead.

This truth becomes the chief burden of the messages of the disciples as they soon went everywhere proclaiming the Gospel. See the sermons recorded in the Book of Acts (2:24, 32; 3:14, 15; 4:10, 23; 10:40; 13:30). It was such preaching that was at the foundation of the Christian church. It may be that we should emphasize it more.

#### II. The Impassable Barrier (v. 14).

"He upbraided them with their unbelief and hardness of heart, because they believed not." Many are the sins that men commit, but at the root of them all we find the heart of all sin—unbelief. If a man steals he does not believe God's Word about the sanctity of property, nor does he believe that God is able to care for him. If he kills, he does not believe God's Word concerning the sanctity of human life, nor does he recognize that man is made in the likeness and image of God. And so we might go on and show that back of sins there is the sin of unbelief.

The tragic consequence of unbelief is that it shuts the door, throws up a barrier to God's blessing that is virtually impassable until God himself gives grace to believe. The astonishing thing is that the hardness of heart and lack of faith here were on the part of those who had been the disciples of Jesus, to whom He had made known the fact that He was to die and to arise on the third day, and to whom there had now come the word of eye-witnesses that they had seen the Lord.

While we marvel at their short-sighted unbelief, shall we not ask ourselves what hindrances we have placed in God's way in our own lives?

#### III. The Supreme Commission (vv. 15, 16, 19, 20).

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to the whole creation" (v. 15). "And they went . . . and preached, the Lord working with them and confirming the word" (v. 20).

The great commission of Christ is still the "marching orders of the church," but how slowly we have marched. The writer of these notes was recently startled by statistics revealing anew the fact that "Christian" America is rapidly returning to the status of a mission field. It is said that last year 60,000 churches in America had no converts, and 9,000 churches were closed during the year. There are 10,000 villages reported to be without church services, and 30,000 communities without a resident pastor.

The command of Christ is that we should go to these pagan communities in our own land with the gospel, and surely it is our double shame that there are still lands where Christ has never been preached, yes, tribes that do not even have a word in their language for the blessed name—Jesus!

If we will go He will indeed work with us (v. 20) and accompany the message and ministry with divine authority and power. Who will go?

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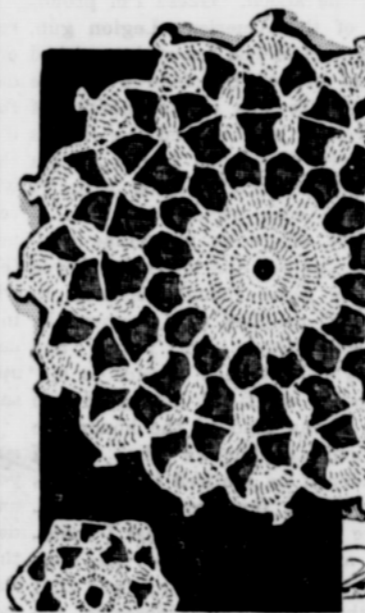
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## Washington News Letter

From—Congressman CILDE L. GARRETT

### WORK AFTER ADJOURNMENT

Due to the fact that there are many unfinished pieces of work on hand in my office I will not be able to come home immediately after adjournment. Many WPA and PWA projects and other matters are right now in a crucial stage and it may take two weeks or more after adjournment to get them ironed out with the departments before I can leave here for home. Such items are more easily handled here than from the District and they are so important to the people that I feel I must remain here and handle them as fast as possible.

**SPECIAL SESSION**—Before Congress has markedly finished one session, there is talk of another. It is said that President Roosevelt intends to call a special session of Congress soon after the November election. The purpose of such a session would be to get action on the Government reorganization bill and other legislation.

**BANKRUPTCY LAWS**—A plan to modify the Federal Bankruptcy law has been approved by both Houses of Congress. Corporations and other business organizations, under the plan, could take their debt problems to court in an effort to reach an agreement with their creditors on an adjustment of downward debt charges. Those wage earners whose total income does not exceed \$3,600 a year would have the same privileges.

**CHILD LABOR**—For Years Congress has been trying to put an end to child labor in industry and each time it failed. In 1916, 1918, 1919, and in 1922 Congress tried and tried to stop the employment in industry of children under 14 years of age and each time the Supreme Court found the law invalid. Then came the struggle to have the Constitution amended to give Congress the power to legislate an end to child labor. The States protested however, and refused to approve the amendment. Today Congress is again trying to put a stop to this unfair practice. The age limit has been raised, however, to 16 years. It is now taken from granted that the Supreme Court, because of the view of its decision in the upholding of the Wagner Labor Relations Act, will approve the law barring labor of children. If this happens it will be unnecessary to amend the Constitution.

**FLOOD CONTROL-NAVIGATION BILLS**—Two navigation-flood control bills were amended to change the possibility of giving the Army engineers authority over electric power developments. Safeguards against this were inserted by the Senate and the bills sent to conference with the House. One bill appropriates for navigation improvements for the year beginning July 1, a sum of \$37,000,000. The other \$376,700,000 in future appropriations for flood control works.

## With Baird Baptist

I was sick last Sunday and we dismissed our night services on account of it. I am better and think by Sunday will be alright.

Our meeting closed Friday night. We had a good meeting, 9 additions, 5 by baptism, 4 by letter. We surely do like Bro. Tidwell and Mrs. Tidwell, I am glad we had them here for a meeting.

Next Sunday I am preaching for the Immanuel Church, Abilene and Judge Russell will speak here in my place after Sunday School. Now let me urge upon every one to be on hand to help out in the

services.

Now if the Lord is willing and will permit such a thing, next Monday morning, Mrs. Mayes, Joe and I will take our leave for California. Mrs. Payne is going with us and we will be away about one month, we plan to visit Vernon and Judith in Pasadena, and then go on to San Francisco and visit the other children. Yes we are going to see our grand babies and some of the lesser things in importance, such as the Pacific Ocean with its big ships, the long bridge at San Francisco, maybe some of those good sized trees we have heard about in the old Geography books that we used to study when it was popular to try to learn something about the country by reading the books you carried to school. When I get back I will tell you whether that tree is a big as we used to be told it was, or not.

Oh boy, we are having that house warming this week, now am I tickled; it is with pride that we can show our friends thru the house and just know that they will like it. Well we thank the Lord and everyone who helped to make it possible for a house that is just so splendid.

Well you will get a rest from my notes now for a short while, so let all be careful and not forget God.

Yours truly,  
Joe R. Mayes.

## Oplin Outpost Into Gas Zone

Operators expected to begin deepening the Hughes, Cooper and Weeks No. 1 C. D. Straley, first offset to the southwest Callahan county deep Oplin pool, today after it had topped the heavy gas showing in the first producer from the Ellenburger lime.

No. 1 Straley picked the top of the gas section late Saturday at approximately 4,375 feet, and was shut down during Sunday for control connections before deepening into expected oil pay. The first well had approximately ten feet of gas sand and ten feet of oil saturation to a total depth of 4,389 feet.

The outpost is located about 1,800 feet to the southeast and in section 370, George W. Denton survey.

West offset to the No. 1 Straley and south offset to the pool opener, the Petroleum Drilling company No. 1 Cook and Jordan running a Schlumberger electrical log. It has cored into the Ellenburger lime Sunday, recovering only five feet of lime saturated in 18 feet of coring. The recovery was believed to be top of the Ellenburger section.

Location is in section 350, George Hancock survey 760 feet from the east and 1,838 feet from the north lines and 1,508 feet south of the discovery well. It is a rotary.

Forest Development Corporation and Dube Brothers No. 1 L. G. Bennett, western Fisher county wildcat three miles southwest of Rotan, drilling out cement plugs and Sunday ran a squeeze job to cement off the bottom four feet of Noodle Creek life and a shale from which it was believed water might have introduced. Saturation had been cored from 3,685-95 feet, with 3,699 feet the bottom of the hole.

The test will not be reopened again until Wednesday. It is located in section 51-3-H&TC survey.

### CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely appreciate the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our mother and grandmother Mrs. M. A. Brightwell. Sincerely,  
The Brightwell Family.

## AROUND TOWN

With Otto B. Grate

### R. L. GRIGGS, JR. RECEIVES ADDITION TO GUN COLLECTION

R. L. Griggs, Jr., eldest son of Dr. R. L. Griggs was the recipient of an unusual honorary gift a gun from the American Legion collection. R. L. Griggs who has been confined to a wheel chair for the past several months has started a collection of guns, and especially world war weapons. Instead of making himself and his family miserable with constant complaints, R. L. turned his interest to this hobby which has grown in leaps and bounds.

Recently Fred Hyser, commander of the Eugene Bell Post No. 82, hard of R. L.'s collection, and knowing what a game fella "L" really is, presented the young soldier with one of the Legion's guns to be kept so long as he may want it. This was made in presence of the Legion's historian Claude Flores, and another ex-service man. The gift was especially befitting since R. L. is, in his way, putting up a fight for his happiness and contentment, that equals any joust on a battle field.

R. L. also possesses a number of guns and gas masks given to Mrs. Nettie Kershner, a friend of the family.

Your reporter interviewed the young Mr. Griggs the other day and was shown the various articles in his collection. "Net has been sure nice to me," he said. "She gave me a lot of these things Gee, everyone has been swell to me," he added. "Guess I'm proudest of the American Legion gun, though. Did you know they picked it up off of the field after the war?" He was excited about his collection and rubbed his hands lovingly along the barrel of his prized American Legion gift. "I wonder who owned this gun. I wonder where he is, maybe he—"

R. L. stopped and lowered his eyes as the same thought occurred to both of us. The next moment he smiled, "Gosh, I'm proud, and everyone has been so nice to me" up, Now we figure its time to smile as I bid him good bye and I was glad of the honor the Legion had showed him; and I wonder if he realized that he was one of the few boys to ever receive that honor. The last I could n't answer, but there was one thing I can and do say, and that is, that no one ever deserved the honor any more than he does.

Now that the real scorching days of summer have set in, ye olde Around Towners are seeking the shade and its going to be a job to get them out, even for a trip over the home town.

One thing worth donning the sunbonnet and going to see is the cactus plat Mr. Jud Holmes brought back from a recent trip to Kopperl in Bosque county. Its a novel thing to say the least, with its coil like leaves that billow and twist in a gray-green mass. Mr. Holmes claims that he captured the plant unassisted and unarmed.

Entertainment next week will reach a new high, what with the rived skating rink bidding for your patronage. The Plaza will of Monday but the real treat comes Sunday week when 'Marco Polo' will put in his appearance and the following Thursday and Friday, (7-8) will bring 'Kentucky Moon-shine'. July will be a banner month for theatre goers for the dates from Manager Pawkett's little black book say that 'In Old Chicago', 'Josette', and 'Kidnapped' are all on the way. Speaking of Japan, China, Jerusalem, and our own Texas. Mrs. Estes is making for a long time. It concerns the trailers being shown. Showing dates of coming attractions are

## Announcements Political

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held Saturday July 23, 1938:

For Representative, 107th Electoral District:

T. P. ROSS,  
OMAR BURKETT  
WAYNE C. SELLERS

For County Judge:

L. B. LEWIS

For Sheriff:

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J. M. McMILLAN  
HUGH McDERMETT

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1:

J. W. HAMMONS  
B. O. BRAME  
G. H. CORN  
J. FRANK BROWNING

For Commissioner Pre. No. 2:

GROVER E. CLARE  
B. M. BAUM

For County Treasurer:

MRS. WILL McCOY

For County Clerk:

MRS. S. E. SETTLE

For District Clerk:

MRS. WILL RYLEE  
RAYMOND YOUNG

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

OLAF HOLLINGSHEAD

For County Superintendent Public Schools:

B. C. CHRISMAN

For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 1:

J. W. FARMER

run directly preceding the trailer of the show that will be on that day or days. Its all rather confusing and we're of the opinion if the showing time was run after the trailer it is to be connected with the same way until last week when a couple behind us voiced in no uncertain terms that, "Those dates get me so doggoned mixed up", Now we figure its time to say so ourselves.

Most beautiful spot of the week isn't as travel folders would have you believe, miles from home, but only a few hops from your back door. To be more specific, it's the blue bells that grow on the Bayou road, near the Seal corals. Like a blue-violet blanket, they spread over the roadside, but on closer investigation, you find that each flower is a perfect bell like cup that turns up toward the sky and makes you wonder if perhaps the Indian legend of the puddle of water left by the rain that reflected the color of the sky so beautifully, that the Gods were reluctant to see it evaporated and so transformed it into a clump of blue bells in not true.

Spotlight of the week goes to no less personage than his honor Mayor Schwartz. Besides filling his office as no other person ever could, Mayor Schwartz has a very likeable way of stopping to pass the time of day with his neighbors on the street. Besides, Mayor Schwartz, has a love for canine pets that can be equalled only by your reporter's zeal for your patronage. The Plaza will of that animal and anyone who likes dogs just can't help from being a swell fellow.

Mrs. Frank Estes made a trip to Abilene Monday of this week for the purpose of an exhibition and talk on her collection of dolls. Mrs. Estes received invitation to talk to two different groups The collection now includes dolls dressed in the costumes of Mexico, Spain, Holland, Sweden, Norway, Poland, Switzerland, Italy, Japan, China, Jerusalem, and our own Texas. Mrs. Estes is making an "Around the World" collection with interesting notes on costume and dress of each country. She

recently gave a short lecture at the school on the collection.

## Federal Land Bank Reduces Interest On Loans

The reduced interest rates on Federal Land Bank and Commissioner loans have been extended by Federal Legislation for a period of two years, according to word received today from the Federal Land Bank by M. H. Perkins, of Clyde, Secretary-Treasurer of the Citizens Farm Loan Association.

On Federal Land Bank loans through national farm loan associations the temporarily reduced rate of 3 1-2 per cent per annum will be continued for all interest installments payable prior to July 1, 1940. The temporarily reduced rate of 4 per cent per annum on Land Bank Commissioner loans is also continued until July 1, 1940, Mr. Perkins said. "The temporary interest reduction does not change the contract interest rate, that is, the rate written in the mortgage at the time a loan was made." Mr. Perkins said. "At present the contract rates on new land bank loans are 4 per cent for loans through unimpaired associations. The contract rate on all Commissioner loans made through the land bank is 5 per cent. Under the law, as now amended, both land bank and Commissioner borrowers will resume interest payments at their respective contract rates on July 1, 1940.

"Farmers who now obtain new loans through an association at the 4 per cent contract rate, "Mr. Perkins continued, "will get the benefit of the 3 1-2 per cent rate for all interest installments payable prior to July 1, 1940, and after that will not have to pay more than the 4 per cent contract rate for the balance of the term of the loan, which may be for as long as 20 to 30-odd years."

This interest reduction will affect 461 Federal Land Bank loans amounting to more than \$1,260,000.00; and 290 Land Bank Commissioner loans amounting to about \$440,000.00 as serviced by the Citizens National Farm Loan Association, of Clyde, Texas.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who were so kind to us in the tragic death of our dear mother, daughter and sister. We appreciate every kind deed and word of sympathy. We are indeed grateful for the kindness shown our boys Joe and

## "Leto's" for the Gums

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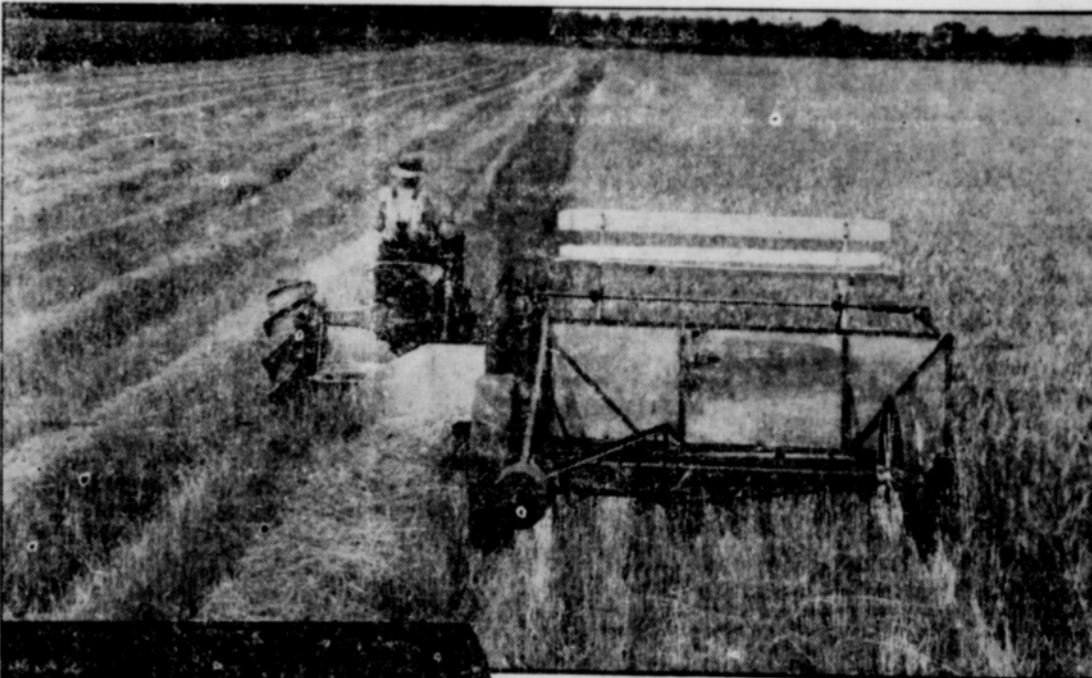
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Taxes charged against this system have been increased 42% during the last four years and our rates are not up proportionately. This has created difficult conditions for us in maintaining our record of dependability when less and less of your gas dollar has been left to pay for the essentials of service.

In spite of greatly increased taxes and regulatory expenses Lone Star Gas Service still remains the cheapest item on your household budget. One cent's worth of gas still operates a gas refrigerator from 8 to 10 hours or cooks a good dinner for three people.

Community Natural Gas Co.



### COOPER-ROSS WEDDING

Miss Ann Catherine Cooper, daughter of Mrs. O. T. Cooper were married Saturday afternoon at the home of the brides mother in Abilene.

As Dr. E. R. Barcus of Mineral Wells, uncle of the bride, read the ring service at five o'clock in the afternoon, the bridal party was grouped before greenery-banked triple windows in the long living room of the new home of the bride's mother, on Portland avenue. Feathery vines were draped over white Venetian blinds while on either side of the windows were bridal blossoms of white and cathedral tapers in floor standards.

The tall, blonde bride wore a step-length period gown of illusion tulle in tones of soft cyclamen pink. The double ruching which bound the tight-fitting bodice at waist and rounded neckline was extended slightly off the shoulders and was shirred into short puff sleeves. Her finger-tip circular cloud veil was made of cyclaman illusion over ivory mist tulle and was gathered into a pleated halo of folded tulle. Seed pearls worn by brides of four generations—her great-grandmother, grandmother, an aunt, Mrs. J. W. Pittman of Corpus Christi and a cousin, Mrs. Jo W. Howze of Pampa—were looped from the halo across the veil. Sentiment ruled her, too, in her selection of an ornament, a strand of imported pearls which had been worn for a number of years by a cousin, Mary Pittman. Also contributing "the something borrowed" was Mrs. H. O. Head. It was a handkerchief of old Italian lace which was carried by Mrs. Head at her wedding and by a member of other brides.

The bride's bouquet was of white orchids and lillies of the valley.

As the wedding benediction was said by the minister, the couple knelt on white satin pillows, which were a wedding gift to the brides parents and will go into her own home at Baird.

The bride was given in marriage by a cousin, J. Walter Pittman of Corpus Christi, whose sister, Mary Pittman of Corpus, and Mrs. Howze were also in the wedding party.

Mr. Ross had as his attendants Dr. Ray Cockrell of Baird, best man, his brother, James Ross of Baird, and Frank Jones and Bob Craig of Dallas.

Mrs. Howze gave the wedding music and also played the accompaniment for Neal Tharp of Dallas to sing "Because". As the marriage lines were read, the pianist softly played "Poem" by Fibich.

Color motif of the wedding—cyclamen pink and pompadour blue—set by costuming of the bridal party was repeated in wedding bell decoration of sweets served during a reception hour by Mrs. R. C. Grisham and Mrs. H. O. Head, Shasta daisies figured prominently in decor of the home and were artistically arranged in the gift room, where china, silver, crystal and linens were exhibited on rows of tables.

Dorcas Brown of Dallas presided at the guest registry.

Driving west in the late afternoon, the bridal couple will honeymoon in New Mexico and Colorado.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ross were graduates from Southern Methodist university at Dallas. She was a member of Delta Delta sorority, while Mr. Ross held membership in Kappa Sigma. Mrs. Ross taught school two years at Robstown before coming to Abilene, where she has been teaching in Fair Park for two years. She was identified with the Oscar H. Cooper branch of the American Association of University Women, the Harmony club, Abilene Pannhellenic and activities of the young society set.

Hugh Ross is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ross, deceased, who were pioneer ranch people of this section and Mr. Ross has assumed leadership in his home community which his family has held since his father moved from Pennsylvania to West Texas as a young man. Mr. Ross is chairman of the Callahan Co. Red Cross chapter. Work of his chapter in the Clyde disaster two weeks ago won high praise for the chairman's leadership. He is also a member of the Board of Aldermen of the City Council.

Paths of the families of the bride and bridegroom—both leaders in Methodist circles of northeast Texas—have crossed over a long period of years. When the bride's father the late Dr. O. T.

Cooper, was presiding elder of the Dallas and Sherman districts, Mr. Ross' grandfather, the late Dr. H. A. Bourland was pastor of the Dallas First Methodist church. But the friendship extends beyond that time, for Dr. Dr. Bourland was pastor of the Methodist church at Cleburne with which Mrs. Cooper then a young girl, and her family became connected when they moved from Tennessee to Texas, late in the nineteenth century. The friendship grew as Mrs. Cooper and Mr. Ross' sister, now Mrs. J. J. Bookhout of Dallas, were classmates at Kidd Key college in Sherman, and later when the Coopers lived in Dallas and had Mr. Ross' uncle Dr. J. W. Bourland, as their family physician.

Both Dr. Bourland and Mrs. Bookhout were guests yesterday for the wedding. Others present from out of town were Mrs. Bourland, John Bookhut, Mrs. Bessie Gray, Bob Garrett, Neal Tharp, Dorcas Brown, Bob Craig and Frank Jones, all of Dallas; Mrs. J. W. Pittman, Walter and Mary Pittman of Corpus Christi, the bride's grandmother, Mrs. J. D. Cooper, and her uncle, H. W. Cooper, and his daughters, Beth and Carolyn of Arlington, Dr. and Mrs. Barcus of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Howze of Pampa; Dr. and Mrs. Ray Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. James, Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Foy, Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Jr., Mrs. Haynie Gilliland, of Baird, Mrs. J. L. Lee of Wichita Falls.

### SYMPATHY

Callahan Chapter O. E. S. No. 242 of Baird, Texas, wishes to extend to our neighbors in Clyde our deepest sympathy in your great trouble.

We can but bow our heads in resignation to a will greater than ours. Glorious will be the morning when in the celestial beauty of Gods home "Our Home", we shall join those loved ones and live with them throughout the ages. May God give you strength to stand amid the thorns around your feet and patience to endure every new defeat.

Mrs. Olivia Schwartz  
Mrs. Mae Lewis  
Will Boydston.

### CARD OF THANKS

We appreciate from the depths of our heart every kindness shown to our beloved husband and father P. C. Brooks during his long illness, and your kindness and sympathy for us in his death. We will cherish ever your kindness.

Mrs. P. C. Brooks  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Windham  
Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Pentecost  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks.

### Goddess Of West Texas Beauty Revue

Baird is one of the 55 towns in this section invited to enter a young lady in the fourth annual "Goddess of West Texas" beauty revue here July 15, it has been announced by the Sweetwater Board of City Development, sponsoring organization. Twelve communities had already accepted Monday. They are: Fort Worth, Mineral Wells, Graham, Breckenridge, Colorado, Rotan, Anson, Stamford, Abilene, Snyder, Midland and Roscoe.

Miss Frances Prewit of Stamford won first place in the revue last year and was awarded an all-expense trip to the Fort Worth and Dallas expositions. The winner this year is to be given a week's trip to Galveston. Second and third place winners are given cash awards.

The contest to select "Miss Sweetwater" is to be held the night of July 14. As in previous years, she will not be eligible to compete for the regional title. She will serve as hostess to the visiting girls and will represent Sweetwater for the coming year in similar celebrations in West Texas. Miss Thelma Margaret Fife is reigning queen.

Entries in the two revues here are graded and judged 60 percent on beauty of face and form, 20 per cent on poise and graceful carriage, and 20 per cent on personality. Contestants are forbidden to wear jewelry or hair ornaments and they are not permitted to use suntan or other artificial body coloring.

More than 25 West Texas towns were represented in the Goddess Revue last year and the number is expected to reach 50 this year. A reception, tea, and goddess' ball are among the entertainments features extended visiting beauties.

The Gulch AAU swimming and diving meet, to be held in Sweetwater Saturday and Sunday, July 16 and 17 is expected to attract the best amateur divers and swimmers in Texas. Alfred J. Stiles is in charge of the meet.

### Canning pineapples was the subject discussed and demonstrated by Miss Brown at the regular monthly meeting of the Eulah 4-H Club Girls at the home economics room.

There were six girls present and each received literature on Canning Fruits and Vegetables and County Canning Contest Plan for Home Demonstration Women and Girls.

### Callahan County 4-H Girl's Rally Day

One hundred and twelve signed the registrar at the 4-H Club Rally, Saturday, June 18, 90 of these were 4-H Girls, others were sponsors and visitors.

The program opened with America, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Oplin, sponsor for the Sponsors Association of the County, presiding, Judge, L. B. Lewis welcomed the group to Baird, and expressed his belief in the youth of today and told the youthful audience that there was a place and opportunity for every young person of today; if she would diligently apply herself. Loma Johnston, president of the Denton 4-H Club gave the response, she urged every 4-H Club Girl to live up to the standards in the National 4-H Club pledge and prayer. She expressed the appreciation of the group to the officials of the county and to all that made it possible for the opportunities offered in club work. The club pledge and prayer was repeated. Club presidents were introduced by County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Clara Brown and each president introduced club members and visitors from her community. Atwell, Clyde, Denton, Eula, Midway, Belle Plain and Oplin 4-H Clubs were represented.

The morning dress parade was started by demonstrators modeling dresses and slips they had made. They were judged on the dress and slip, grooming, accessories, records, story of work done, improvement of storage space and 4 garments they had made. Winners in this division were: First, Ola Faye Whitley, Denton, a paid trip to Short Course by Council; Second, Geneva Joe Gibson, Eula, a trip to Short Course paid by her club; Third, Mary Foster, Atwell Fourth, Mary Francis Smith, Clyde. A plate lunch was served at noon to all those present.

The canning contest started the afternoon program, 20 contestant entered a jar of fruit. Each was judged on product, ability to judge reasons, appearance and method of procedure or the working score. Floy McCaw, Midway won first a trip to Short Course paid by her club; Second, Grace Holden, Clyde; Third, Elaine Hambrick, Clyde.

Reporters turned in stories that they had written and were judged on their ability of writing, Syble Sessions of Atwell, first, a trip to Short Course paid by her club Jean Bone, Eula, Second.

Secretaries has their books on display and these were judge on contents, neatness, accuracy and minutes written, Floy McCaw, Midway, first, Ina Mae Flemmings, Second Yaurese Slough, Oplin,

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third. Garden demonstrators handed in stories of the work they had done and were judged on what they had accomplished, Jamie Lee Scott, Denton, first place, a trip to Short Course, paid by club, Second Lola Mae Poindexter, Oplin; Grace Holden, Clyde, Third.

Cooperators in the clothing division were on the dress and slip they modeled, grooming, accessories and general appearance. There were two divisions in this those 13 years and under and those older than 13. In the first division first place Juanita Fewell, Clyde; Second, Madelene Johnson, Denton; Third, Maxine Johnson, Oplin. In the other divisions Jean Bone of Eula, First, a trip to Short Course paid by her club; Second, Loma Johnston, Denton; Third, Betty Joe Jones, Midway.

Each girl that made a smock modeled it in a contest, First place, Madelene Johnson, Denton Second, Mary Lou Wilson, Midway; Third, Mardelda Connell, Clyde.

Gowns were displayed and judged First, Maxine Johnson, Oplin, Second, Betty Slough, Oplin; Third, Mary Ellen Lassen, Clyde.

Mrs. Jim Barr, Cross Plains, Home Demonstration Council chairman presented the six trips to short course and material for a dress for other winners.

The girls discussed plans for an encampment to be held at Lake Cisco the latter part of July. The Council will secure a bus and the girls will meet in Baird and go in one group to the lake.

Mrs. J. C. Brown, was awarded the candlewick bedspread made by the club council.

Miss Mabel Caldwell, the girls agent from Eastland acted as judge for the day and announced the winners of each contest.

The meeting adjourned, pictures were made of the group by Judge L. B. Lewis before the girls started for home.

Mrs. Will Rylee, let the girls use her lovely ferns and pot plants for decorations.

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LEMONS, Per Dozen	15c
ORANGES, 2 Dozen	25c
BANANAS, 2 Dozen	25c

Fresh Vegetables and Choice Meats

of meeting to 3 p. m. Plans were completed for attending the encampment at Lake Brownwood. Visitors present were Mmes, A. E. Young, Courtney Thomas, Lone Oak, E. J. Neal, J. P. Tunnel, Dalph Hodges and Sarah Magee.

### Water Contest

First county to enter the West Texas Chamber of Commerce soil and water utilization contest is Midland. Rules and regulations of the contest were announced recently and scores of other West Texas counties are expected to make entries within the next few weeks.

Midland's entry was sent in by Bill Collyns, Chamber of Commerce manager. Other members of his county committee are County Judge E. H. Barron, R. M. Barron, M. C. Ulmer (WTCC director S. A. Debnam, county agent; Mary Jo Weigers, home demonstration agent, and J. C. Miles.

The contest, directed by the WTCC agricultural board with cooperation of state and federal agricultural agencies, offers \$1,000 in cash prizes annually to counties with best records of accomplishments in soil and water conservation work. The prizes are: First, \$500; second, \$300, and third, \$200. Points as outlined in the contest bulletin now being distributed, will be awarded for almost every kind of soil and water

conservation work. Edwin A. Spacek, WTCC director of development, is in charge of the contest.

WANTED: Man with car to take over profitable Rawleigh Route. Established customers. Must be satisfied with earnings of \$30 a week to start. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXF-38-101, Memphis, Tenn.

WANTED: All Poultrymen in Baird Trade Territory to use M & L Mineral for worming your Chickens and Turkeys. A Flock Treatment and a sure shot for worms fully Guaranteed. Sold only at Holmes Drug Co., Baird Texas.

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News Review of Current Events

CONGRESS ADJOURNS

Huge Relief and Priming Bill and Wage-Hour Measure Enacted During Closing Days of Session



Here Japanese soldiers with fixed bayonets are seen rushing a Chinese position in a part of Szechow which the Japanese artillery had reduced to flaming ruins. There, as elsewhere, the defenders practically destroyed the city before retreating.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Congress Session Ends

THE Seventy-fifth congress brought its labors to a close and adjourned, thanked by President Roosevelt for the constructive legislation it had enacted.

Almost at the last moment the 3 1/2 million dollar relief and pump priming bill was enacted into law. The house accepted a senate amendment boosting the appropriation for administrative expenses of the Rural Electrification Administration from \$500,000 to \$750,000.

Agreement was reached on the 300 million dollar second deficiency bill when the senate concurred in the action of the house in knocking out \$325,000 to purchase additional land for the Lake Tahoe National park and \$1,300,000 for forestry.

Both senate and house repassed over the President's veto the bill continuing the 3 1/2 per cent rate on federal land bank loans on farm mortgages.

Scores of bills of varying degrees of importance were lost in the confusion of the last hours of the session. Among them was the bill authorizing federal law enforcement officers to tap wires to get evidence of violations of law.

The relief and pump priming law as enacted includes one billion 425 million dollars for the Works Progress Administration for a period of eight months, beginning July 1; 175 million dollars for the Farm Security Administration; 75 million dollars for the National Youth Administration, and 965 million dollars for the Public Works Administration. It authorizes the PWA to lend up to 400 million dollars from the sale of securities pledged for previous PWA loans. It increases the lending limit of the United States Housing Authority for low cost housing from 500 million to 800 million dollars. It appropriates 212 million dollars for additional "price adjustment" subsidies to farmers.

Senators to Aid Van Nuys

FREDERICK VAN NUYS, senior senator from Indiana, is going to run for re-election as an independent because he was read out of the Democratic party for opposing the Supreme court and government reorganization bills.

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Joining with them are two Republican senators, William E. Borah of Idaho and Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan.

Wage Bill Now Law

WAGE-HOUR legislation, key-stone of the President's social reform program, was put through congress in modified form just before adjournment. The conference committee compromise was accepted by the house 290 to 89. About half the Republican members gave in and voted for the measure, but 48 of them and 41 Democrats were recorded against it. This act, approved by organized labor and generally opposed by big business, is designed to establish a 40 cent minimum hourly wage and a 40 hour maximum work week in interstate industries in seven years. It will achieve the goal by easy stages, beginning with a 25 cent wage and a 44 hour week in affected industries the first year and graduating to 30 cents and 40 hours in three years.

Thereafter quasi-public industrial boards dominated by a federal administrator, will fix the 40-40 scale according to sectional economic conditions, and, in conformance with the major concession to the South, will exempt industries which can prove the scales will work an economic hardship.

Child labor under fourteen years of age is outlawed, except in seasonal and other specified industries. Specific exemption is provided for farm workers, processors in the area of production, executives, administrative and professional help, local retailing employees, seamen, air transport workers, seasonal industries, employees of weekly or semi-weekly papers whose circulation is less than 3,000, those whose hours are regulated by the motor carrier act, those under wage agreements, handlers of perishable goods and those represented by a collective bargaining agency.

Lewis Twice Rebuffed TWICE in the last days of the session John L. Lewis, C. I. O. chieftain, virtually ordered congress to pass the amendment to the Walsh-Healy government contracts bill so corporations that refused to obey NLRB orders could be blacklisted. Both times Lewis was re-buffed when Speaker Bankhead refused to permit suspension of the rules to bring the bill up in the house. The rules committee of the house was overwhelmingly against this action.

Lewis and some of his C. I. O. lieutenants had boldly marched into the speaker's office to make their demand, and Lewis had summoned congressmen before him in the room, this arrogance arousing extreme resentment. When he had been turned down a second time Lewis was enraged and threatened reprisal at the polls. Calling reporters from the press gallery, he said to them: "The action of the rules committee is cowardly and pusillanimous. In a short time congress will adjourn, and many of the members will return to their districts seeking support as friends of labor. We want to know how good a friend they are before we give them our support."

Great Floods in China POURING through broken dikes, the waters of the Yellow river inundated many hundreds of square miles in central China. In the first two or three days of the great flood it was estimated 150,000 Chinese were drowned and several times as many rendered homeless. Millions of others were threatened by the swirling waters. The fate of thousands of Japanese soldiers in the area was not known but it was thought many of them must have perished.

Far from the war and flood fronts, the Shanghai municipal council officially declared cholera to be epidemic in Shanghai. In the city's hospitals there were 123 cases, 73 of them originating in foreign-administered areas. In the Yangtze river valley Japanese continued their drive by land and by gunboat against Hankow.

Finland Pays

ERNO JARNFELT, minister from Finland, appeared in the state department on June 15 and proudly announced that Finland was paying its debt installment due that day and had deposited \$161,935 with the federal reserve bank in New York. John Peleny, Hungarian minister, announced his government had paid 1 per cent on account against its post-war debt.

The defaulting nations were, as usual: Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Estonia, France, Great Britain, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Rumania and Jugo-Slavia.

John Roosevelt Weds

IN A little old stone church at Nahant, Mass., John Roosevelt, youngest son of President and Mrs. Roosevelt, and Anne Lindsay Clark were made man and wife. After the ceremony there was a reception in the old Nahant club, and the young couple then started on a honeymoon trip to Bermuda. There they were to stay at the estate of Vincent Astor.

Railway Aid Postponed

WHEN the leaders of the senate and house made up their minds to adjourn congress not later than June 15, they went to the White House and told the President the proposed legislation to expedite the reorganization of railroads would have to be postponed to the next session. They agreed, however, to put through two other railway measures. One permits RFC loans to railroads without interstate commerce commission certification. The other establishes a special unemployment insurance system for rail workers.

Healing Party Rifts

THOUGH it was believed Tommy Corcoran and his "eliminating committee" would continue the efforts to "purge" the Democratic party of opponents of administration policies, the President himself undertook to repair some of the breaks in the party ranks. For instance, he invited Senator Gillette, victor in the Iowa primary, to the White House where they took off their coats, ate luncheon together and, according to reports, planned common action against the Republican enemy in November.

Also, it was disclosed, Mr. Roosevelt had sent word to the New York Democrats that the renomination of Governor Lehman would be acceptable to him. He has not liked Lehman since the governor came out against the court packing bill. There had been a plan to run Lehman for senator and Wagner for governor, but this switch presumably is now out.

Our Slump Worst

ACCORDING to the monthly bulletin of the federal reserve board, the present business depression is more severe in the United States than in any other industrial country in the world.

The manufacture of war materials in other countries was pointed out, however, as one of the principal supports to business activity, many other industries showing almost as poor results as in the United States.

Japan's Demands Rejected

AMERICAN warships will remain in the Yangtze river and will go to any place where Americans are in danger. This despite the demands of Japan. Naval officials of Japan asked that all foreign warships leave the Yangtze river area between Wuhu and Kiukiang because the invaders were about to start an offensive toward Hankow, provisional Chinese capital. But Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, commander of the United States Asiatic fleet, rejected the demand sharply. Furthermore, he at once planned an inspection trip up the Yangtze and through the war zone, and he did not ask Japan's permission.

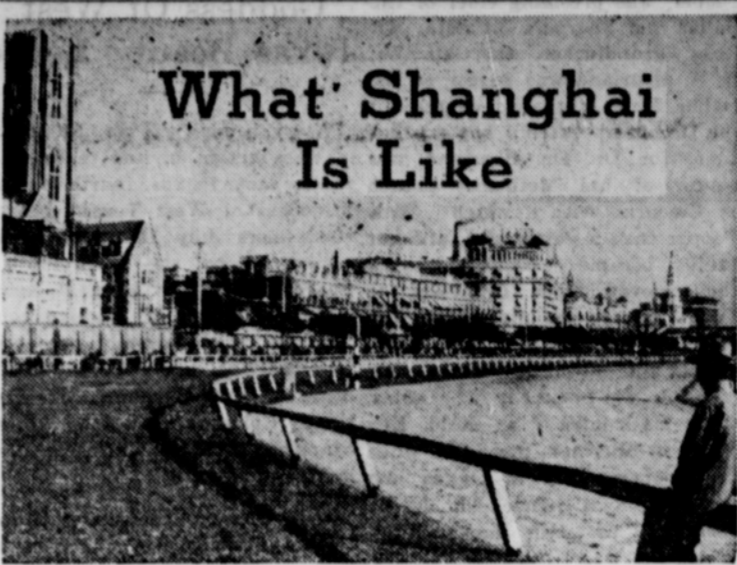
These three "principles" of American naval operations in Asiatic waters were set forth by Admiral Yarnell in his note to the Japanese: The United States navy will retain complete freedom of movement on the Yangtze, and will proceed to any place where Americans are in danger. The American command will not change the color of its warships, which are painted white, to conform to any color scheme suggested by the Japanese. The United States does not regard the warning of Japanese naval officials relative to the Yangtze as relieving the Japanese "in the slightest degree" of responsibility for damage or injury to United States warships.

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Eight Army Flyers Die

EIGHT army airmen from Champaign field in Illinois were caught in a storm, lost one wing of their big bomber and crashed in a farm field near Delavan, Ill. All of them were killed and the tanks burst into flame. Three of the victims were commissioned officers.



Shanghai's Skyline From the Race Track.

Huge, Picturesque Shanghai and Its Famous International Settlement

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service.

WHILE the major battles between Japanese and Chinese forces have raged of late in the northeast province of Shantung, Shanghai still has reminders of the conflict which swept through the city last year.

In accordance with arrangements of long standing between the Chinese and foreign governments, the latter maintain units of their troops at several points in China, one of the most important of these being the International Settlement in Shanghai.

Excepting occasional stately junks with eyes painted on either side of the high bow to enable them to "see their way," there is little to suggest the Orient on the way up the Whangpoo river in Shanghai. Before the dock is reached, however, China intrudes itself upon the sight and its odors penetrate the nostrils.

From a downstream wharf it is a half hour's ride in a tender to the customs jetty in the city. Wharves, warehouses, and factories line the shores.

Immediately beyond the Japanese docks in Hongkew appears the curve of water front upon which three consulates now stand.

Beyond lies the mouth of Soochow creek, the crowded stream which meanders tortuously through the city. It bristles with the floating homes of innumerable Chinese—Chinese who are born, live their entire lives, and die on the sampans which huddle together in its murky water. Babies, toddling too near the gunwales, sometimes topple in, and, having been fished out, are set casually to dry. Water dipped up over the side is used by the women for cooking rice and vegetables; clothes are washed in it; and it imparts that certain flavor to tea.

A sampan gaily pavilioned and festooned in red indicates that a wedding will soon take place.

English Had First Football There. Great Britain was the first of all the nations which now have such valuable commercial interests in the city "above the sea" to recognize the vast potentialities of the little fishing hamlet on the muddy shores of the Whangpoo.

In 1842, emerging victorious from the so-called "Opium war," she concluded with China the Treaty of Nanking by which Shanghai and four other coastal cities were established as treaty ports.

Within two years the United States and France, realizing that Shanghai's geographical position made it the natural outlet for products of the rich Yangtze river valley, followed suit and signed trade pacts with China. Ninety-six years ago, when the foreigners first obtained areas for settlement, land on the water front brought only \$200 (Mex.) an acre. By 1935 an acre of Bundside property was valued at more than four millions.

An amazing variety of traffic throngs the Bund, that splendid waterfront boulevard which is the center of Shanghai's bustling activity.

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savvy," of course, means "I do not understand." "What thing have got?" is to say "What have you?" When the supply of butter is exhausted your cook will come to you with the complaint, "Butter have finish, missie."

There is the tradition of "face" which governs the duties of each employee within ironbound limits. Your cook will not mix cocktails. He leaves this to the number one boy, who, in turn will not clean shoes or run errands. These tasks are the coolie's "pidgin." The wise foreigner does not attempt to change customs which have existed for centuries.

Chinese servants are justly famous. As a class they are unsurpassed in loyalty, industry, patience and cheerfulness. They sometimes wonder at the strange customs of the foreigner, but they bear with him.

Night Life in the City. Even during "trouble" the famous night life of this cosmopolitan city of Asia continues with vigor. At such times private entertaining is somewhat curtailed. Pity the poor hostess whose guests have been caught by the curfew and who has them on her hands until dawn!

Hotels and night clubs offer the usual diversions, profiting by the increased trade which results from the enforced stay of those who are caught by the curfew. At such times, as well as under normal conditions, the conservative old Palace hotel on the Bund and the Cathay, its up-to-date counterpart across the street, present pictures of gaiety at cocktail time.

The bar at the Cercle Sportif Francais, the popular sports club in the French Concession, is noisy with sprightly conversation in a half dozen languages. Chinese boys in long white gowns, their black pantaloons bound tightly about the ankles, move silently through the crowd with chits and laden trays.

The 20-story Cathay hotel offers diverse amusement. The glittering shops in its arcade are stocked with Peking rugs, jewel jade, silks, and curios. For swank one dines in its grill under the lofty black pyramid which surmounts its roof. The orchestra which plays in its air-conditioned ballroom pleases even blasé American tourists, and imported singers and dancers entertain the guests.

Chinese dance halls have opened in large numbers in the last two or three years. The native musician has not yet become a master of American syncopation, and the orchestras are usually Russian.

A modern young Chinese in foreign clothes, complete with horn-rimmed glasses and brilliantined hair, executes elaborate steps with his slender, narrow-eyed companion. She is gowned in high-necked brocade, dainty, exquisite. Sometimes as she sits sipping her drink, she renews her make-up with the contents of a compact.

Until well into the Twentieth century Chinese women of the better class were not seen in public. When they did leave their homes, it was only in sedan chairs, concealed from the eyes of the world. With the influx of Western ideas of women's freedom the Chinese woman emerged from her isolation. Foot-binding, possibly an expedient for keeping women at home, not only went out of fashion but became illegal.

Women Go Part Way Modern.

The transition period had its amusing aspects. Today the emancipated Chinese woman has her hair permanently waved, smokes, works in offices, frequents night clubs, and drives a car if she has a mind to. But with all her modern ideas she still is reluctant to adopt foreign dress. She wears silk stockings, discards her flat, embroidered satin slippers for uncomfortable spike-heeled shoes, but she resolutely clings to her long gown with its stiff, high collar and straight lines. The gown may be split to the knee as are modish gowns in the Western world when the designers so decide, but her modesty still forbids her to expose her throat.

The majority of Chinese shops flaunt gay red banners bearing in gaud characters the description of goods carried within or announcements of bargains. These banners have almost entirely disappeared from Nanking road, but they hang in profusion the full length of the congested cross streets in the heart of the city.

Star Dust
Goofy Comedies
The Sheik Is Funny
Restless Holiday
By Virginia Vale

IT LOOKS more and more as if goofy comedies were on the wane. First Carole Lombard said she'd have no more of them. Now Claudette Colbert, who helped to start the cycle with "It Happened One Night," has balked.

It was planned that she would do "Are Husbands Necessary?" when



CLAUDETTE COLBERT

she returned from that European jaunt, but instead she'll go to work in "Midnight," which is romantic and dramatic and everything but goofy.

Speaking of "It Happened One Night," it was revived recently in New York, and a lot of people who'd heard about how funny it was but had missed it the first time round had a chance to see it. And the addicts who went to it over and over when it was first released found it just as funny as ever.

The revival of Valentino's "The Sheik," seems to have been ill-advised. Any picture that old is bound to look funny nowadays. And the generation of movie-goers that has grown up since the days of Valentino just couldn't understand why he had been such a world-beater. Some of them roared with laughter. They thought Agnes Ayres, the heroine, a bit too fat—though in her day she was considered streamlined! However, no matter what the young folks thought of that picture and the other Valentino revival, "The Son of the Sheik," they brought mobs to the theaters and money to the box offices.

It looks as if George Arliss had been tempted into returning to Hollywood, thanks to Samuel Goldwyn. Goldwyn has a picture called "The Exiles" on the fire, based on the stories of the many famous men who have had to leave their homes in Europe because of political troubles. Arliss would play the role of a distinguished scientist.

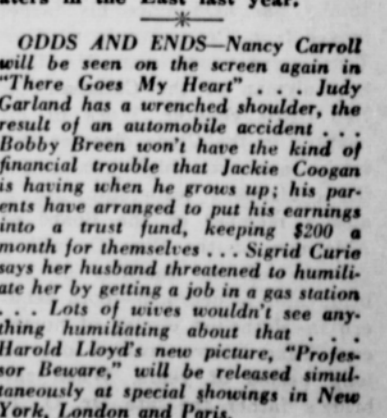
Warner Brothers will, at last, screen "The Miracle," with Bette Davis in the coveted role of the Nun. Ever since it was so successful as a dramatic spectacle—in London in 1911 and in New York in 1924—there has been talk of doing it for the screen. Now, with Max Reinhardt, its original producer, available, they are ready to start.

When Bob Burns ducked away from Hollywood for a rest, preparatory to taking over the Bing Crosby radio program for the summer, he didn't do so well in choosing a spot to rest in. He and his wife went to New York, but were so besieged by people that they left and went to Buffalo—he wanted to show her Niagara falls. And the public caught up with them again. He might try wearing a mask, if he really wants to rest!

Margaret Tallichet, a comparative newcomer to the screen, will be Ramon Novarro's leading woman in "As You Are." When and if "Gone With the Wind" reaches the screen she will be seen as Karen O'Hara, younger sister of Scarlett. Miss Tallichet tried the summer theaters in the East last year.

ODDS AND ENDS—Nancy Carroll will be seen on the screen again in "There Goes My Heart" . . . Judy Garland has a wrenched shoulder, the result of an automobile accident . . . Bobby Breen won't have the kind of financial trouble that Jackie Coogan is having when he grows up; his parents have arranged to put his earnings into a trust fund, keeping \$200 a month for themselves . . . Sigrid Gurie says her husband threatened to humiliate her by getting a job in a gas station . . . Lots of wives wouldn't see anything humiliating about that . . . Harold Lloyd's new picture, "Professor Beware," will be released simultaneously at special showings in New York, London and Paris.

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Bob Burns

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—It is perhaps just as well that Crosby Gaige is a bachelor. He drags home 200,000 patent models, including a corpse preserver, hog-catcher, burglar alarm, an early Hoe printing press, a dentist's chair, a machine gun, an egg-beater, an engine, a steamboat, a pretzel-bending machine—and so on, and on.

The patent office models had been gathered by the late Sir Henry Wellcome and kept at his estate in 3,251 packing cases. Mr. Gaige bought them.

A friend of this writer, remembering with remorse he hadn't bought a birthday present for his wife, stepped into an auction room. He became confused and bought ten barrels of tin cookie cutters. It almost broke up his home. Mr. Gaige will have no such trouble.

Mr. Gaige was born the son of the postmaster at Skunk Hollow, N. Y., and became a Broadway theatrical producer, with a 300-acre estate at Peekskill on the Hudson, where he indulges his taste for knickknacks such as the above, but with more discrimination than this ensemble suggests.

He is a gourmet, with 300 cook books in his kitchen, has a de luxe machine shop where he makes art objects, is a master of viticulture and a maker and connoisseur of beautiful wines.

He has cattle folds and breeds blooded cattle, a printing plant where he prints typographical knock-outs in limited editions, a huge library with 5,000 reference books, and is distinguished both as a bibliophile and a cook—one of the best cooks in the world, his friends say.

All these concerns are merely extra-curricular. In his 29 years on Broadway, he has hit off his full share of successes, built three theaters and kept steadily out of the red. In Columbia university, he wrote the 1903 Varsity show, "Ilusia."

He got a job with the late Elisabeth Marbury, famous play broker, reading plays at ten cents an act. He saved his money and headed into the show business with a fast running start.

His life is the fulfillment of every commuter's dream. He is of clerical, almost monkish mien, of somewhat austere countenance, with octagonal pince-nez and, like all epicures, abstemious in all things—saving such things as patent models.

He wears red, white and blue suspenders and is very fussy about his handkerchief pocket. He always has the tailor sew a button on it.

AN ATTACK of laryngitis gave Margaret Sullivan her big start. Lee Shubert saw her in "Three Artists and a Lady" at Princeton, and rushed back-stage with a contract.

Sore Throat Gave Start to Screen Ace "You have a voice just like Ethel Barrymore," he said.

She explained that it was merely laryngitis, but the excited Mr. Shubert wouldn't listen. There was nothing to be done about it, so the helpless girl was signed for five years.

That was a bit of luck which, in Miss Sullivan's career, offsets embarrassing entanglements in some of the most elaborate flops in current stage history. Today, she is at the peak of her career as critics turn cartwheels and back flips over the new film, "Three Comrades," and Miss Sullivan's performance therein.

Her story has none of the up-from-poverty success routine. She is the daughter of a proud family of Norfolk, Va., a descendant of Robert E. Lee. Her journey to Boston to study dancing was indulged as a passing whim, but there was considerable family eye-rolling when she switched to the theater and began adventuring in summer stock, on Cape Cod and way points. Her father got her home once, but only for a short time. It is to be hoped that her story won't be widely circulated around Hollywood. It would start all the extra girls sleeping in a draft.

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Squeaky Doors Why not get out that little oil can of these mornings and go around the house and tend to all those squeaky doors, windows, etc., not forgetting the sweeper and vacuum cleaner. It won't take 15 minutes and you will wonder why you did not tend to these things long ago

# Mistress of Monterey

Virginia Stivers Bartlett

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## CHAPTER XXIV—Continued

"No," she replied coldly. "I will not come. Are you really going . . . actually going to leave me here, sick and miserable, with an ailing child, and a couple of silly women to take care of me? Are you really going?"

"Pues, my dear, you are not ill. You are just unhappy, you should . . ."

"Not ill! How can you say that? What do you know of me? I am ill. I am dying. I tell you! Hour by hour, day by day, I am dying in this place! Yet you will leave me, to go to your fiestas, and your mission foundations, and let me die alone!"

"Eulalia, this is not true. Control yourself!"

"Control myself!" She rose to her feet. "How dare you say that to me? What have I been doing, but controlling myself, my thoughts, my unhappiness, all this time! I am sick, I tell you . . . I am dying!"

"She was crying, hysterically, uncontrollably. Pedro reached to take her into his arms, but she evaded him, screaming out at him unintelligibly."

"Eulalia . . . Eulalia . . ." he said. But she was in the full sway of her emotions, a flood of feeling was carrying her along, and she did not struggle against the tide.

"Miserable, unhappy place!" she screamed. "I want to get away from this California! Never see it again! If I don't, I tell you, I shall die, or kill myself! No, don't touch me . . . keep away from me! Go to your Mission Santa Barbara, go . . . go. Al, Dios!" She flung her hands above her head and clasped them, for the moment utterly bereft of her reason. As her husband came near to her, she leaped suddenly backward. "Beast! Devil!" she screamed, and crashed to the floor.

Her head struck a corner of the heavy table, and as she lay on the dirt floor, blood streamed from her temple.

Her screams had at last brought Angustias, frightened, into the room, and she was on her knees beside the now motionless figure before Fages.

"She has fainted," exclaimed Angustias breathlessly, "and cut her head . . . pobrecilla."

Pedro Fages threw his hat, gauntlets and riding whip into a corner. "Oh, God!" he muttered. "Oh, my God!" Then he lifted the lady in his arms and carried her to her bed.

So the Mission of Santa Barbara was founded without the Governor of California being present.

But when the mission was already ten days old, the Governor, his son and a small party arrived at the place. Another ceremony was carried out in solemn reverence, at which the Governor attended with a stern set face. And when the rites were over, he knelt for a long time before the crude altar. Those who watched near him said when he arose, his face was wet with tears.

"He was Junipero Serra's good friend," they explained to one another pityingly. "He is thinking of him now no doubt."

So, though the legal date of the founding of the Mission Santa Barbara was the fourteenth of December, that being the day when the Governor was present, the Governor always insisted that the real founding was on the Feast of the Lady Santa Barbara herself, that being December fourth.

The Governor lingered not for celebrations nor fiestas, but returned at once to Monterey.

"Now," he said to himself, looking back at the little spot where the church was to stand. "Now, at last, Padre Junipero, your prayers are answered, and my vows are kept."

## CHAPTER XXV

For nearly three years, ever since Don Pedro had gone south to the founding of the Mission Santa Barbara, Eulalia had lived in as chaste a state as the old Spanish virgin. At first she had denied herself to him through sheer lassitude, then, realizing his need of her, his seeming dependence upon her, she had purposely withheld herself. She had determined that there should be favor for favor. For the privilege of holding her in his arms, he was to return with her to Mexico.

The plan had seemed beautifully simple to her, but when she mentioned it to her husband he had turned on her a strange unbelieving look, tugged his beard, muttered something about prostitution, and set up a camp cot in his office by the presidio gate.

So three years had passed. Don Pedro grew a little leaner, and his face a little wolfish with gleaming eyes and grizzled beard, but always stern, uncompromising. And Eulalia, with everything at stake upon her attractiveness, grew more beautiful, but nervously alert. Her black eyes were wary and predatory.

One day Angustias marched boldly toward her with a determined

tread that bespoke some matter of import brewing in her mind.

"Nina!" she spoke sharply, standing with arms akimbo. "You will pardon me for speaking to you this way: God is my witness, I have kept quiet long enough. But this thing goes too far!"

"What thing?" murmured Eulalia easily.

"You know well enough. This thing of Don Pedro, bless his heart, sleeping down at his office. Three years! Humph!" She snorted loudly. "Perhaps it is not fitting that a single woman, such as I, should speak of such things. Indeed it is painful, difficult, for me to do so, but I must . . ."

Eulalia smoothed an eyebrow with a finger-tip. "Um-m-m," she murmured. "I think I shall take a walk. Across the presidio. And call on his Excellency in his office." She rose grandly and, holding her skirts aloof from the dust, walked erectly across the parade-ground.

In his office the Governor was puzzling over a letter he had received by a courier from San Francisco. So that when Eulalia swept imperiously into the office, he greeted her absently although surprisedly.

Eulalia sat impatiently in the chair he offered her, and looked around the office while the Governor talked excitedly. The white-washed walls were hung with maps, crisscrossed with marks of trails over unknown country which Don



"Very Well! Do as You Please!"

Pedro himself had explored. His few books, which he had moved from the palace, were on a rough shelf. And in one corner was his camp cot. She lifted her nose disdainfully at the crude furnishings as she remembered the splendid fittings of the viceregal palace at Mexico City. A fine office for the Governor of all the Californias!

She fretted uneasily, but the Governor did not notice her.

"So they dare!" he was saying, "they dare, these rash new people, to send ships to our Pacific Coast, which they must well know is territory of the King of Spain! What kind of people are they, in God's name! Are they not contented with the whole Atlantic Coast, that they must send ships here! I do not mind confessing to you, gentlemen, that I fear these people. They will make us trouble some day, mark my words. This continent, large as it is, is not large enough to hold us all. We should exterminate them."

Several officers nodded anxiously in assent.

"Well, these ships from . . . what is it they call themselves?"

"Los Estados Unidos de America."

"The United States of America! What blasted effrontery! I suppose we are included in these United States! Subject to their king!"

"He is not a king, your Excellency. He calls himself a president."

"Pah! Not even a king! What is his name?" He examined the papers again. "Washington, General George Washington! Whew!" His tongue struggled with the English words. Now I an sending word to Don Jose Dario Arguello at San Francisco that if these two ships, the Columbia and the Lady Washington, put into San Francisco bay they are to be seized, and their captains—what are their unholy names? Captain James Kendrick and Captain Robert Gray—are to be thrown in prison."

The officers bowed and departed. Don Pedro turned toward his wife with inquiring eyes. She rose slowly and began moving about the little room.

"I remember the first time I saw a map like this," she said, pausing before the map of the Californias.

"It was in the palace of the Viceroy." She traced a trail with her finger. "And they told me I could ride to Monterey in my coach, Hum. Liars!" she hissed suddenly.

Fages said nothing. She circled till she reached the cot. She sat down upon it.

"You have that old robe of pelican down on your cot!"

"So you remember it?" asked Don Pedro.

"Ah, yes . . . What a hard little bed," she murmured. "And so narrow." She raised her eyes to him.

"It is as narrow as the grave," replied Don Pedro. "And as hard as stone. But I am used to sleeping on it. I am as calloused as a Franciscan."

"It could hardly hold two people, could it? No matter how fond their love."

Don Pedro looked at her strangely.

"Two could sit upon it, side by side, and still be strangers," he said, and walked slowly to her.

She looked up at him invitingly.

"Sit down then," she said, patting the robe of down, "and let us see if we two can not sit here and be friends."

He hesitated, then sank beside her.

"Querido . . . you great bear," she said, "come to your own room tonight . . . and let us talk."

He drew away from her.

"About what?" he asked suspiciously.

"About going back to Mexico together. You and I and the children. You have too many anxieties here . . . and we are not happy here together. Come, let us go back. Let us be happy the rest of our lives. You, and I too, have done our duty by our King in this California. Come"—she caressed him—"and the rest of our lives will be a honeymoon. Do you not desire that?"

For an unhappy moment Don Pedro stared into his wife's flushed pleading face, then abruptly jerked away from her and stood in the center of the room, fists clenched, brows knotted.

"Duty! Who are you to speak of duty! You do not know the meaning of the word! Wheedling me, deceiving me, trying to seduce me from what I consider right!"

Eulalia sprang to her feet.

"Very well! Do as you please!"

As the door closed behind her the Governor, with a curse, swept his desk clean with one hand. Papers, books, quills and ink scattered on the floor.

"Damn her!" he said fervently. "Damn her! What is it Indizuela called her? Cold, cruel Spaniard! Yes, the coldest and cruellest I ever knew. Why can not I be left in peace? I only ask to be alone to do my duty . . . I do not want to go back to Mexico, or to Spain!"

He flung the words at the silent walls as though someone had challenged him.

Then Eulalia's words came back to him. "To live a honeymoon the rest of our lives . . . a little comfort . . . a little ease . . ." They sounded reasonable when he said them to himself.

"Fifty years . . ." he muttered. "I am over fifty years, and the best of those years have been given to this siren, California. Why not go back?"

His foot rustled against the map that lay crumpled on the floor. He picked it up and smoothed it across the desk. As he did, his fingers almost unconsciously began tracing trails which he had traveled. Here was the mysterious country across the bay from San Francisco, and a hundred spots where his camp-fires had been. Here were crosses that marked mission sites that he had helped dedicate; here was where he had the fight with the bears . . . Again he

CHAPTER XXVI

Eulalia watched the Governor preparing for his departure without a word. His impedimenta seemed to consist mainly of small casks of aguardiente, and skins of wine; of guns and ammunition. He wore his disreputable leather jerkin, and roughest boots. He packed a few other belongings haphazardly into his knapsack.

When he was ready, he bowed before his wife ironically and said with mock reverence.

"La Senora la Gobernadora! I go, and I know not when I return. Do not grieve for me, but control your impatience for my company until I return, which will be in due time, and according to my own free will. Adios!"

Eulalia said nothing, but drew her brows together darkly.

She watched Don Pedro and his party gallop away across the parade-ground toward the great gate which was swung open and ready for them.

A few miles outside the presidio, the Governor and his gay party came upon the mail courier, lying beneath a tree, his head pillowed on the sack of mail.

"Ho!" cried his Excellency. "What is this? Is it in such a manner that the King's business is carried on? But never mind," he added hastily as the fellow scrambled to his feet guiltily. "Never mind. Do not disturb yourself. I would like to lie down and rest too. Let us all rest, caballeros, and let us wash some of this dust out of our throats!"

All dismounted.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## Boulder Dam Required an Expenditure of \$165,000,000 Before It Was Completed

Boulder dam was built between the rock walls in Black canyon on the Colorado river, that same treacherous torrent which carved out the Grand canyon and which forms the Arizona-Nevada boundary line near Las Vegas, Nev.

Such a project to control the dangerous floods of the Colorado, and to provide against the drought periods which ensue after its spring-time rush to the gulf with the melting Rocky mountain snows had been conceived many years before it was begun.

Even the location in Black canyon or in Boulder canyon, 18 miles up the river, had been agreed upon by engineers. But there was no way of financing the project, which cost \$165,000,000, until the demand for power in the rapidly growing southern California cities and the intermediate area made it feasible.

It is to be paid for entirely out of earnings. Actual work on the main project was completed in five years, two years less than anticipated. At times there were more than 5,000 workmen employed in the night-and-day operations, and trucks, machinery and other equipment of unheard-of proportions were built just for the project.

The dam face is 728 feet high.

leaned his head in his hands and groaned.

"Al, Dios mio, I can not leave my California! I would be lost anywhere else in all the wide world, this country only is my home, the home of my heart."

"I will not leave it!" he exclaimed suddenly. "Why should I sit here sniveling in my beard because my woman torments me? What has come over me? Am I no longer a man, and governor of California? Ha!" He smote his chest.

"I shall go now, this very day, this very hour on a long visit. I shall go to Santa Barbara, and San Gabriel and San Diego, and have some festivities. And I shall leave Eulalia here alone. I shall be stern and hard . . . hard as my bed." He kicked the overturned cot.

"Come to her bed! Not I! I will go out and seek the company of worthy priests and good soldiers, pioneers all, and we will talk man talk, and drink deeply together."

He took his gun down from the wall and cuddled it in his arm.

"And you shall go with me, my friend, and we will kill the hugest bear in all California!"

In her room at the palacio Eulalia was writing a lengthy document.

When she had finished it, she poured sand over the paper, then read the contents carefully. What she read evidently pleased her, for she smiled many times. Then she called for a servant, and the letter was delivered to a courier riding south with official dispatches.

"Where is the Governor's frank on this?" inquired the courier when he received it.

"It is from her Excellency," murmured the servant.

"Humph," grunted the courier, and tucked it carefully away in his bag.

Dangerous Drugs

Drugging is particularly to be condemned, and no one should attempt to reduce by this method except under the advice and watchful eye of a physician. There are many invalids today who would be happy and healthy if they had not attempted to take some "reducing medicine" without consulting a physician.

One preparation that is still bought by foolish women—in spite of repeated warnings against its use—may even result in permanent blindness.

Almost equally objectionable are excessive purging—which may leave you a wobbly wreck—and fasting, which is even more dangerous to women than men.

Don't Diet Without Direction

A carefully regulated diet will not only maintain normal weight, but will banish overweight by forcing the body to burn its own excess fat as fuel. Having heard of this scientific principle, many women frantically and foolishly attempt to prescribe their own reducing diets—often with disastrous results.

There is always the possibility that one may omit calcium-bearing foods and thus impair the

# WHAT to EAT and WHY

## C. Houston Goudiss Offers More Advice About Reducing

### Describes the Perils of Unscientific Methods for Losing Weight

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

MY RECENT discussion of reducing in these columns brought many letters, indicating that the modern woman is, fortunately, weight conscious. This is an encouraging sign. For it shows that you are alert to the dangers of overweight, which not only destroys beauty but may indirectly contribute to heart disease, kidney disorders and diabetes, which take their greatest toll from among the heavyweights.

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**SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Callahan.

Whereas, by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the 42nd District Court of Taylor County, Texas, and the 17 day of May A. D. 1938, wherein Anchor Building and Loan Association, a corporation is Plaintiff and M. M. Woodward, and wife, Ethel Woodward, Mrs. Cordie Clemer, a feme sole, Jack Doyle and Fay Agnes Doyle, a minor are Defendants on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of one thousand five hundred twenty-six and 62/100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 60 per cent per annum, from date of judgment together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 5 day of July A. D. 1938, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of M. M. Woodward, and wife, Ethel Woodward, Mrs. Cordie Clemer, a feme sole, Jack Doyle, and Faye Agnes Doyle, a minor in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit:

The said judgment is a foreclosure of a deed of trust lien dated October 1, 1931, in favor of Abilene Building and Loan Association, and now owned by Anchor Building and Loan Association and duly recorded in Vol. 23, page 109, of the Deed of Trust Records of Callahan County, Texas, on the following described property, to-wit:

Lot No. One (1) and the East one-half of Lot No. Two (2), Block No. Two (2) of B. C. Clemer's Addition to the Town of Clyde, Callahan County, Texas, with all improvements thereon situated;

It is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed that the indebtedness of plaintiff as against the defendants above named is hereby adjudged to be the sum of \$1526.62, but it is ordered that no personal judgment be rendered herein in favor of plaintiff as against any of said defendants for all or any part of said amount.

It is Further Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed that plaintiff's deed of trust lien in the above amount be, and it is hereby foreclosed as against the above described property and as all defendants herein, M. M. Woodward and wife Ethel Woodward, Mrs. Cordie Clemer, a feme sole, Jack Doyle, and Fay Agnes Doyle, a minor, as of October 1 1931 the date of its creation and that an order of sale shall issue directed to the sheriff or any constable of Callahan County, Texas, requiring him to seize and sell the above described property as under execution and in accordance with law; and to apply the proceeds of said sale, first, to the payment of all costs incurred herein, including the reasonable fees and commissions of the officer executing this writ; next, to the liquidation and satisfaction of the indebtedness adjudicated herein, in favor of plaintiff; the balance, if any, to be paid into the registry of the court, and such order of sale shall have force and effect of a writ of possession, and the officer executing same shall make a good and sufficient deed thereto, and place the purchaser of said property in possession thereof within 30 days from date of sale.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment of \$1,526.62 in favor of Plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

E. L. Edwards, Sheriff, of Callahan County, Texas.

If interested in refinancing or purchasing farm on long terms interest through Federal Land Bank and supplemental Land Bank—foreclosed farms and other real estate for sale; small down payment and easy terms on balance with cheap rate of interest, see or write,  
M. H. PERKINS, Sec. Treas., Citizens N.F.L.A., Clyde, Tex.

**County Agent News**  
By Ross Brisson

At a meeting of the county committee Tuesday, June 14th, supervisors for checking compliance in the 1938 farm program were selected and at a meeting held Monday, June 20th, the supervisor, James C. Asbury, County Committeeman Steve N. Foster, and the county agent explained to the supervisors the proper methods of checking compliance on Callahan County farms. Many of the men have already started work and it is expected that work all over the county will be well under way by Monday, June 27th. The work is being started at an early date this year in order to be ready to start filling up the necessary forms to secure the subsidy payment at the earliest possible date. At the present time however, no forms have been received nor has the procedure for submitting the applications been received.

Compliance supervisors selected by the committee are as follows: Leslie L. Bryant, Joel Griffin, John A. McKee, Charles T. King, I. G. Mobley, Jr., B. P. Fillans, O. F. Henderson, B. B. Strahan, James C. Pierce, Fred Sacy, L. M. Warren, Morton Whitley, Luther Caldwell and Eugene Green.

**WHEAT LOANS**

To date no information has been received regarding possible loans on wheat. Under the farm act a wheat loan might be offered at the rate of 52 to 75 per cent of parity if the June 15th price of wheat is below 52 per cent of parity. With the parity price of wheat at \$1.15 the loan may vary from 60 to 85 cents per bushel.

**WHEAT CROP INSURANCE**

The new wheat insurance program will be explained to wheat growers of the county at a meeting June 25th at 2:00 p. m. at the court house in the District Court Room. Wheat growers in all sections of the county have indicated that the proposition of paying approximately 1 1/2 bushels of wheat per acre planted as a premium that would insure a 75 per cent average crop the following year appealed to them. All wheat are cordially invited and urged to attend this meeting where the wheat insurance program will be outlined by the county agent.

**A. & M. COLLEGE ARRANGMENTS SHORT COURSE FOR BOYS AND GIRLS**

About 2,500 boys and girls from Texas farms and ranches will have the undivided attention of Texas A. and M. College July 6 to 9 when the Junior section of the annual Farmers' Short Course will be held at College Station. This is the first time that adult and junior Short Course visitors have met on different dates, according to Roy W. Snyder, Short Course general chairman.

The arrangement has been made because the yearly increasing attendance at Short Course has taken place at the same time when summer sessions of the College have also been growing. Each year it has been harder to make room for both groups and this year it was impossible.

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General assembly every morning and he night program will be joint meetings of the boys and girls, with music in charge of the famous Rotary International song leader, Walter H. Jenkins, of Houston. Speakers and picture shows will feature these meetings: A tea honoring the gold star boys and girls will be given on afternoon.

Programs for the boys have been arranged on the subjects of livestock; field crops, entomology horticulture; plant propagation; cotton classing; and meat. For the girls, the program will center around home making subjects, wild flower legends, and "The 4-H Club Girls' Dollar and Sense."

**PEANUT GROWERS TO MEET AT EASTLAND JUNE 28TH.**

Peanut growers and threshermen of Callahan County are invited to meet at Eastland, Texas on Tuesday, June 28th, to make plans to market the 1938 crop and discuss improved methods of harvesting and threshing peanuts, according to W. B. Starr, President, Southwestern Peanut Growers Association, a farmer's cooperative organization to stabilize the price of peanuts in cooperation with the A. A. A. During the meeting growers from peanut producing counties will elect 1938 Directors of the Cooperation.

"Thousand of peanut growers in Texas do not realize that the \$7,000 tons of peanuts bought by the four peanut marketing Co-

**Personal**

Miss Alelle Bockman spent the week with sister in Abilene.

Mrs. A. D. Morgan of Sulphur Springs is visiting old friends out in the Belle Plain oil field.

Miss Esther Maurine Evans, of Sherman is visiting her grand-mother, Mrs. Henry Lambert and family.

Coke Stevenson, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, accompanied by Mitchell McLendon of the Junction Eagle was in Baird yesterday meeting the citizens of Baird

Miss Julia Blan of Fort Worth arrived yesterday for a visit with Mrs. R. L. Alexander. Miss Bland formerly lived in Baird and many old friends will be glad to see her

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright have returned to their home in Mission after several weeks spent with their son Homer Boatwright and family and other relatives.

Mrs. Jack Flores and little son Billie Claude, Misses Christine Settle and Maurine Satterwhite returned a few days ago from a trip to Jayton and Christoval.

Mrs. Otis Bowyer returned Tuesday from a visit with her daughters Misses Aurelia and Mary Bowyer in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Will Parks' son and daughters Jesse Parks and Sarah Parks of Belle Plain and Mrs. T. E. Burks of Abilene returned Tuesday from a visit to Bruce Parks and Holland Parks in Houston. They also visited Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Anderson of San Antonio spent the past week end here with relatives. They left Monday for home accompanied by Mrs. G. W. Jones Mrs. Frank Jones and son Warren

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